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Hello

This is the most up to date version of the 2024/25 r/AsoiafFanfiction awards, within this list, you will see what fic is in each category for our ongoing competition.

They will be labeled under the subsection of a category and if you wish, you can jump around where you want to using the document tab on the side (on PC/laptop), that acts as a fast way to get where you need to go.

Use this as the way to introduce yourself a bunch of new fics and get clarification on what fics are in each category!

This link isnt going anywhere, so you are absolutely more than welcome to use this as a masterlist of sorts if you wish, at any stage within the upcoming years.

However if you are seeing this before December 28th, PLEASE VOTE!

Follow this link to get to the google form where the voting is taking place, feel free to come back to this after you have read whatever it is you want to read and check out-

Google form for the r/AsoiafFanfiction Awards (Voting now closed, see you next year, thank you for all the help!)

Some of those categories are really close, you got to show your favourites the support they deserve, if you run into any issues, Please don't hesitate to contact me on Reddit-u/KingOflreland777.

Do you want to read this list "by author"? Well then don't I have great news for you!

Check out this link- Full List of Authors with categories/links and summaries

If you have any questions, please contact me and please read the info at the end, I am more than willing to accept more help for next year!

Here is a link to the Reddit post with the list of top 3 positions per category, you can find that post <u>here</u>

Want to view the list through a google document because Reddit is a cesspit? Then here you go! The official top 3 for r/AsoiafFanfiction Awards 2024/25

#1 Best Overall fic (25 entries)

Title:

A Falcon of Summer by Lawkeeper

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

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Title:

Sow the Tide, reap the storm by WearyBlues

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Quen felt peculiar up on the dais, flanked by stags and lions and wolves.

The Usurper had once been a formidable man, with blazing eyes and a massive war hammer. Now, he was just a red-faced fat man, a pathetic drunk who ate as gracefully as a half-starved hog.

His Queen seemed to be a perpetually unhappy woman. Cersei Lannister was as beautiful as the singers said, though the woman had all the warmth of a dead fish.

She might have done well in the north, Quen thought, almost pitying.

(Or: The gods in their blind malice give Theon the feeble body of a woman.)

Title:

Sunrise and Moonlight by AverageLucas

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Aemma Arryn was to be a Queen, her daughter, a Princess.

Those words had surrounded Rhaenyra for the entirety of her short life. She had never paid them much mind, even as age and maturity led her to understand her station as a bastard. In the Vale, living within the relative solitude of the towers of the Eyrie, Rhaenyra was satisfied; she had her mother, Syrax, and her Uncle Daemon regularly visit.

It was not to last.

Aemma passed away, uttering the name of the man who had abandoned them with her final breath. While in King's Landing, Daemon crowned her trueborn older sister Queen of Love and Beauty for her nameday tourney.

As Rhaenyra lay alone in her bed, an ember began to form – borne out of resentment and grief.

Your mother was to be Queen, you a Princess.

Something had been taken from her, something that was rightfully hers.

Title:

The Blacks, The Greens and The Reds by Loke Lyon

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary: Totally self-indulgent Rhaenyra Self-Insert, written solely because I need to start writing again instead of planning a story to death. Cross posted on Space Battles - back to regular posting!

Title:

Memories of tomorrow by Writing as tracey

Rating: Mature

Summary: At the base of a heart tree north of the Wall, Benjen Stark's nephews and nieces appear - older than the children he knows in Winterfell - bitter, cruel, and biting. A pack divided but with horror on their lips and blood on their hands. Their past is a nightmare, and despite how the Stark siblings lick at their individual wounds, the lone wolf dies but the pack survives - and they need to become a pack again if they want to avoid the mistakes of their pasts in the new future they have been offered.

Title:

Burning Snow and Purple Dawn by Wyanmai

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Childbirth is dangerous. When Catelyn dies after Robb Stark's birth, Ned is left free to marry Ashara Dayne, the woman he fell in love with at Harrenhal. A different lady for Winterfell leads to a different fate for the realm. Main timeline AU with extensive Robert's Rebellion prologue chapters and plenty of Dorne. See second fic in series for Character Glossary

Title:

The Ice Dragon by Spearshake

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

In the wake of the Rebellion, a young Prince is left alone in the capital with the ghosts of his ancestors and the burden of their mistakes. Will a Prince born into the Game of Thrones survive the deadly dance of King's Landing and save Westeros from the chaos that threatens it?

Rhaegar won on the Trident but died from his wounds in the aftermath of the battle. Jae was sent as a hostage to King's Landing. Aegon Targaryen grew up in Dorne.

Cunning/Jae

Complete!

Title:

Every time that you lose it (Sing it for the world) by IzzyMRDB

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary: Jaime ran through the halls of Casterly Rock, ducking and weaving deftly between servants and distant relatives, only stopping to help right the poor maid who nearly got knocked over by him before he was off again in the direction of his father's solar.

Seven years he has lived in this life, a world so familiar and so foreign, and he's made it his own. He knows the story, and he knows what will happen, but there are a few things that he can try to change.

Like this.

AKA

A self-insert into Jaime Lannister, except this is a normal guy who doesn't know how a printing press works and just wants to raise kittens and play with a sword

Title:

Alicent Reverses the Hourglass by reddishwork

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Inspired by the 'time travel revenge' manwha trope, this story begins several years after the Dance. The former queen, Alicent, sits in confinement and full of regret, waiting for death. That is until she's given a chance to go back in time to the year she married King Viserys and do it all over. With every intention of changing her fate, she might well be doomed to repeat the same mistakes as she is impeded at every turn by a familiar face who has received their own second chance.

Title:

Embrace The World in Grey by The Tenth Sunrise

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Two Wolves are sent North. Deep in the North, beyond the Wall, a lone Wolf survives the cold. A Young Wolf lies in the dark, and waits for rescue. Winter draws ever nearer.

or, the lone wolf dies but the pack survives

Title:

The Nightfyre by Just the Oreo

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Jon Snow is condemned to the place where it all began. His true name, his parents — everything about him will be hidden. But too many already know the secret, and like Dany had warned him, it will grow beyond their control. And in the melting snows of the Haunted Forest, before the weirwood he first swore his oath, Jon finds someone he knew was dead....

Title:

To Forge an Heir by Capulet730

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A series of important conversations between Princess Rhaenyra Targaryen and Lord Lyman Beesbury.

Or

What if Rhaenyra had someone that was willing to help her grow into her role as heir of the Seven Kingdoms?

Title:

on troubled waters by trulyunruly

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"When Catelyn slips under the bed-covers, it is with a grateful sigh; and she sinks without resistance onto the mattress. It has been too long since she slept in a proper bed. Tomorrow,

she would wake up comfortable and refreshed, Queen Catelyn Baratheon, loyal to her husband and king. Looking back is a dangerous slope and Catelyn dares not so much as peek over her shoulder. If she does, she might slip and fall and never find her way up. She must stand tall and look forward, or she may be lost."

AU where Hoster Tully takes a chance—and weds Catelyn to Robert Baratheon before he rebels. As her husband leads his court to Winterfell to make Ned Stark the Hand of the King, Catelyn tries her best to stay strong in the face of winter.

Title:

The Winter of Widows by laughingnell

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When she awoke to a new life in Westeros, Ursula Mires nearly did the smart thing. Only a year away from becoming sworn to the Faith as a septa and being free to live in relative comfort and safety in one of the more prestigious Reach cloisters, she was content with her lot in life. Her advice, slowly fed to her father over many years, had enabled her family to survive the Dance and rise in station. House Mires had its legacy secured, until tragedy struck early that winter. Now Ursula is heir to a floundering House she does not want, in a war-torn land that she must drag out of the mud. Many ladies are in her position in what maesters would later call 'the winter of widows'.

Only Ursula knows what is coming next, and she's not sure if her house will survive it.

Title:

A Banquet of Blood and Blades by havenlyd

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aegon Targaryen, third of his name, had never thought he would dance.

But here he is, dancing with a demon.

After the death of Queen Jaehaera Targaryen, King Aegon III Targaryen chose Lady Barba Bolton of the Dreadfort among the many ladies who attended the ball. Little did he know that his choice would alter the course of his life and revived the fire and blood in him.

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The Black Dragon's Daughter by SeriTheButterfly

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The King Who Bore the Sword had seven sons. Only one remains now that House Blackfyre finally sits on the Iron Throne. But this is not his story. This is the story of those who would originally waste away in obscurity, the daughters of the Black Dragon.

Second Blackfyre Rebellion victory AU.

Title:

Robb Returns by 42AngryCymraeg

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The War is not going well for the North. The Old Gods have no choice. Robb Stark must return to Winterfell - to a time when what he knows can make a difference.

Title:

Our Fathers clad in red by Gwenllian and Aifsaath

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Title:

Reinventing the Wheel (An ASOIAF Uplift SI) by Charles Garrett Abbott

Rating: SB fic, unconfirmed

Summary:

The Second Son of Lord Tywin Lannister and Lady Joanna Lannister, Callum, is possessed with otherworldly knowledge that threatens to revolutionize the administration, technology, and government of the Westerlands, but his impact on his family may prove just as significant.

Title:

The Old Gods Called, They'd Like Their Kingdom Back by Rhino (RhinoMouse)

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When two individuals explode out of the heart tree at Winterfell, the Bolton's think it's a blessing from the gods. It certainly is a change in their fortunes. Sansa expected to die the day the Bolton's did after their guest made the ground shake with her fury. Only she didn't, and now she is nominally the one in charge. With no army, no support outside of those men who saw an angry god and decided not to help their liege Lord, and said god is now her terrifying guest.

Daisy would like to stop being mistaken for a god, and also reiterate flaying innocent people alive is not an acceptable practice. It would help if Fitz would wake up already because she's clearly not going to be able to get them out of the medieval hellscape they're now trapped in. Although Fitz wouldn't be her first choice of companion to be stranded with. And magic ice zombies, because of course there's magic ice zombies.

Title:

I lack the patience to haunt / Instead, I hunt by Dwellingondreams

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"I dance in dangerous fables, walk a woods with trees white as bone. It's always winter and I'm always pressing my face against something warm with blood." - Yasmin Belkhyr, 'Blizzard'.

"Men die," Barbrey tells her, bone-white with anger, eyes flashing. "Men die, Donella. Should Stark's boy not sire a son on you, and if the Bastard has the Dreadfort-,"

"You speak as if Robb Stark were in fragile health," Nell rolls her eyes. "You're being paranoid."

"Willam was in excellent health until he rode off to his death at Ned Stark's side," Barbrey hisses. "Do you think he did not promise me we would have children and a long life together before he left? Do you think he did not promise to come back to me? You cannot know what the future might bring. My lord husband survived a war only to die in Dorne. Men and their promises are not your safety nor your refuge. Land is. Power is. Never forget that."

(In which Nell Bolton contends with both her mother's bloodstained legacy and her father's bloodthirsty bastard, and along the way claims a beast for a bridegroom.)

Title:

High Tide by Tertius711

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Corlys Velaryon is a man of legend. He has begun a new Age of Enlightenment and Exploration, of revolutionary new ideas, and incredible innovations that have made travel at sea faster and more profitable than ever before. But progress is not without consequences. In this changing world, can Corlys continue to guide House Velaryon to its promised high tide?

Title:

Hear Me Roar by Willywalkerstrikesagain

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

A magical event transports the kingdom of the Westerlands to Middle Earth just before the War of the Ring, will the Lannisters find what good is in their hearts or will they be corrupted into the service of Sauron and doom the world of men?

Title:

The Pack Survives by astolat

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

There is a land of the living and a land of the dead and the bridge is love, the only survival.

—Thornton Wilder

#2 Best Ongoing fic (29 entries)

Title:

A Falcon of Summer by Lawkeeper

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

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Title:

Under the Snow by FYB1991

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"For the Watch."

The world is wrong. Jon fell to his knees with a dagger in his back, an oath breaker, a bastard of House Stark, and a fallen and failed Lord Commander of the Night's Watch. He awoke as a Prince of the Seven Kingdoms, the son of a dead man, a scion of House Targaryen. The world is wrong, and Jon needs to right it - but as cold winds blow and men dance with their ghosts, the Game of Thrones never ends.

Title:

Sow the Tide, reap the storm by WearyBlues

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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(Or: The gods in their blind malice give Theon the feeble body of a woman.)

Title:

Emancipation by Narea

Rating: Mature

Summary:

It's 110 AC when Lady Laena Velaryon, acting as a courier to the Stepstones for her father, decides to embark on an affair with the Rogue Prince, changing the fate of kingdoms.

Title:

The Hounds of Harrenhal by golightly

Rating: Mature

Summary:

[Longfic! Canon compliant except for the fact that Sansa is now Robb's fraternal twin. The story begins in 302 AC, making Sansa 19 and Brienne 21.]

After Jaime's death, Brienne takes over the Hound's helm and persona in her grief. To restore his honor and legacy, she resumes her mission to find Sansa; along the way, she enters a tourney at the Eyrie as the Hound to win some much needed coin to continue on through winter. At the Eyrie, Lady Alayne Arryn begs the stranger in the Hound's helm for help escaping a doomed marriage.

Brienne temporarily sets aside her mission to help the lady escape north to reunite with her family. Petyr Baelish then announces that the Hound has abducted Sansa Stark, who has been in disguise as his bastard daughter Alayne, and advertises a large reward for her safe return. All this as Tyrion uses his previous marriage to Sansa as an attempt to take the Vale for the mountain clans and Daenerys, ultimately leading to a second dance of the dragons as the Long Night looms over a years-long winter.

Soon all the singers of Westeros would sing of Harrenhal's Hounds, their witch queen, and the "abduction" that started it all - but life is not a song. In this story, it is far sweeter.

Title:

Alysanne, Lady of Winterfell by Autumn Llleaves

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Jaehaerys I Targaryen dies of the Shivers in 60 AC. His widow Alysanne is urged to remarry, and her choice surprises many when she chooses Lord Alaric Stark of Winterfell as her second husband.

Title:

The Years of Blood by TheShadowKnows, AdmiralBreetai, the ham that was promised (throwhardest), Mountain Of Apes

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The era Maesters call the Second Golden Age ended not with a whimper but with fire, blood, and storm.

It ended with the death of a Blackfyre King.

It ended with a Prince and his Princess lost at sea in a terrible storm.

Robb Stark now rides south with winter in his heart and justice on his mind.

With him rides all the powers of the North, boon companions, valiant adventurers, and heroes from another war.

In the West, Tywin Lannister Crowns a hostage King, Sansa Stark is his Queen.

Together, they fight to survive in the halls of Castamere.

In Essos, Jon - legitimized as Maekar Targaryen and Daenerys - fight to hold onto their new Kingdom.

Their closest allies are men who slew their fathers and ended their dynasty.

Bran Stark stands alone against Volantis.

Khal Drogo comes for them all.

In the South of the world and far North, dark things stir in hidden places, ready to make war upon the realms of men.

Dragonriders learn that even they might not be enough.

It is an age of strife, of treachery, of malice

It is an age of change.

An era of magic

These are the years of blood.

Part 2 of The Empire of the Black Dragons.

Title:

The Blacks, The Greens and The Reds by Loke_Lyon

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary: Totally self-indulgent Rhaenyra Self-Insert, written solely because I need to start writing again instead of planning a story to death. Cross posted on Space Battles - back to regular posting!

Title:

After the Dragons Danced (A Rhaena Targaryen SI) by neyra29

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Dance of the Dragons devastated both Westeros and House Targaryen. Where there were once eighteen dragons, only four remain. Where there was once a score of Targaryen scions, only five are left. Near the end of this most tragic bloodletting, one of these five, Rhaena Targaryen, is reborn with memories of a strange world, just as a new dragon is born to her. She names the dragon Morning, to symbolise the new dawn she strives to bring to her house. Will her quest succeed, or is the Red Dragon destined to fall?

Title:

A Song of Weiss and Fire by Krieg Schnee

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The song has been sung, after her fall into the void during the battle against Cinder, Weiss finds herself in a strange new world. Now if she could only get people to stop calling her a Targaryen.

Title:

Canucks by GreaterGoodIreland

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"What are you?" - Ygritte of the Free Folk

"Canadians."

"What the bugger's a Canadian?"

A small group of Canadian soldiers are transported to Westeros beyond the Wall, without knowledge of the books/series.

"We're the Mickey Mouse Brigade. We kill you with a wink and a smile."

- Sergeant O'Neill, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

Title:

A Vow of Blood by Zeciex

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

-If I knew it all then, would I do it again?-

"You will be trapped by the obligations of love and duty, unable to escape the web of expectations others have woven around you," the witch said....

Daenera Velaryon goes back to King's Landing to strengthen her mothers position and remind the Greens and nobels that Rhaenyra is the heir to the throne. She has a very specific goal of being a thorn in the Green's side and she doesn't mind playing the game.

What she did not expect was the way Aemond looks at her, or the way he seems to revel in her misery. He wants to destroy her he tells her.

A game of cat and mouse ensues, and with each move made, the stakes gets higher. Will it all come crashing down around them as the dragons take to the skies, or will fate find a way?

For what is love, if not the death of duty? And what is duty if not the destruction of love?

Title:

Alicent Reverses the Hourglass by reddishwork

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Summary:

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Title:

Quote the Three-Eyed Raven "Nevermore" by MonsterWolfD84

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The battle is lost, the dead have marched from the Wall to Dorne. Jon fell alone at Winterfell as his brother Aegon and their aunt Daenerys battled over the scraps of a once great kingdoms. Bloodraven knows they have only one chance to fix this, the kingdoms of Westeros must be united, and to do this they must give warnings to those who can affect the greatest change.

Or

A plague of visions sweeps Westeros resulting in schemers getting their comeuppance, people living who have died, and the Lions and Wolves preparing for winter.

Title:

Guns of Dragonstone by LeBAMF

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Strangers have come to the shores of Westeros and Essos strangers with strange weapons. Weapons that kill with fire and smoke, that kill without honour. The War of Five Kings will be changed forever by this new weapon from across the seas. A weapon that will change the rules of warfare forever. Gunpowder.

Title:

Mothers by The Samovar is Hot

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daenerys Targaryen grows up with her brother under the tutelage of her mother, Rhaella, and the woman she's raised to call her second mother, Daena, and the trim Leftenant of her second-mother, the Engineer Esther Hoffmeyer.

Where did they come from?

Why does her mother stay so close to Daena's side?

And what really are the lessons her surfeit of mothers have taught her?

And meanwhile, across the sea, a boy has the chance for an adventure to make him a man.

Title:

All I want is by Canyouseemyspark

Rating: Mature

Summary:

War, and love, and crossing paths. A young couple's story.

Title:

A Dream of Dragons by stormsandspires

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Jon Snow, in the throes of anger, grief and bitterness, leaves the freefolk to journey deeper into the North, deeper into territory no man has ever ventured before.

He never expected to ever come back. In fact, he expected to die there. But instead, his exhibition brings him face to face with magic more ancient than the First Men.

He kneels before a heart tree and begs for the life of the woman he loved the most. The woman whose heart he pierced with a dagger. But instead, he opens his eyes and lying in front of him is a wailing child, with silver blond hair and lilac eyes. A child that would have been born had he not plunged a knife through her heart.

But that is only the beginning.

As Jon navigates fatherhood alone, he discovers new things about himself and uncovers ancient secrets about a foe he thought once vanquished, all while the realm is on the brink of collapse once more, and in the East, a dragon has awoken, and thirsts for Fire and Blood.

Title:

Greatness in Black Silk by RedandBlack (izumi2)

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Viserys always let himself be led. And when having Dreams, it was a simple matter of following them as well. Dreams foretold the Doom. Dreams showed him a son. Dreams warned him of the dangers his daughter faced.

But he was not the only one to have them. The difference is that Rhaenyra understood the Dreams for the warnings they were.

As King Viserys debated with himself to name Aegon II, the first son with his second wife, as his heir, he believed that he was saving his daughter. As Rhaenyra watched, she knew it was the realm that would pay the price.

Title:

A New Dawn by SereneDreaming

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daemon and Rhaenyra's reunion in the Godswood is interrupted by two strangers appearing out of nowhere at the base of the Heart Tree. Once they awaken, the Targaryens learn of the death of dragons, and the end of the world of men. Can the two strangers out of time steer the course of history to prevent calamity? Or is the future already set in stone?

Title:

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Title:

King's Blood by FenceSittersAnonymous

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Maester Aemon still has his sight when Jon Snow arrives at Castle Black to swear his vows. Targaryen's might have typically had pale hair and purple eyes, but Maester Aemon would recognise his family anywhere.

His vows have been tested three times before. This is his fourth and final test and, after nearly eighty years of being a bystander at the Wall whilst his family destroyed themselves, Aemon decides that enough is enough. He's been a man of the Nights Watch for most of his life; but he's been a Targaryen all his life.

He might be old and trapped at the Wall, but he grew up in Kings Landing and no one knows the Game of Thrones like he does.

And so, everything changes.

Title:

a young girls game of thrones by Failninja

Rating: Teen and Up

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Title:
Eddard the Builder by Camsonius
Rating: Mature
Summary: Eddard Stark doesn't make it back to the North as the banners gather in rebellion, slipping beneath the waves of the Bite during an ambush in the storm. Someone else, from a world like ours, rises from the waters in his place.
The Old Gods have stolen a soul to right the wrongs of the coming years and avert disaster. Will it work? Who knows? But someone once said that if you want to change the future, you'd better start by changing what you do in the present.
Title:
Reinventing the Wheel (An ASOIAF Uplift SI) by Charles Garrett Abbott
Rating: SB fic, unconfirmed
Summary: The Second Son of Lord Tywin Lannister and Lady Joanna Lannister, Callum, is possessed with otherworldly knowledge that threatens to revolutionize the administration, technology, and government of the Westerlands, but his impact on his family may prove just as significant.
Title:
The Tartered Dragon - Aegon, Son of Baelon by mootjeman7
Rating: Mature

An man from our world is reborn in the world of ASOIAF and decides to make the best out of it through adventure yet it never is that easy, even for a third prince. OC-SI - Overlaps with HOTD.

Title:

Summary:

Give Me Justice and I'll Give you Peace by StarSpell93

Rating: Explicit
Summary: She always drank a little more than usual when feeling uncomfortable, and how could she not with her uncles glare stalking her all evening. He looked at her with hatred, but she couldn't truly blame him for it. She felt sick recalling the night she had taken Jacerys blade and cleaved it through the side of Aemond's face, tearing through his eye socket and rendering him half-sighted and scarred for the rest of his days.
Lucera did that to him.
He knew it.
She knew it.
Everybody did, especially in the capitol.
Title: <u>Divide and Conquer by Tertius711</u>
Rating: Explicit
Summary: Aegon the Conqueror was a visionary, but his flaws and lack of foresight prevented him from creating a truly enduring legacy. But what if it didn't? What if Aegon had the memories of another life and the lessons learned from his failures to guide him? Could he create the foundations for a dynasty that would stand the test of time? Or will he be doomed to fail just as much as his other self did? (Transmigrator/Self-Insert)
Title:
Scream against the storm by Perfidious_Albion
Rating: Mature
Summary:

"When I was a boy, I dreamt that I could fly. When I awoke, I couldn't... or so the maester said. But what if he lied?"

-- Euron Greyjoy, A Feast for Crows

A three-eyed crow appears in your dreams. It tells you wild tales of a great icy threat from the far north, and promises you some strange power--to be a 'greenseer'--to thwart them. You must. "Fly or die". Because winter is coming.

In our world, that crow flew to Bran Stark and, perhaps, to Euron Greyjoy. What if it flew to someone else?

"Sacrifice... is never easy. Or it is no true sacrifice."

The story of Stannis Crow's Eye begins.

#3 Best New fic (15 entries)

Title:

Alone in the world by Narea

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When Stannis dies shortly after Jon Arryn, Jon finds himself the new Lord of Dragonstone. Will the game remain the same, with an unexpected, though reluctant, participant?

Title:

To Live Is To Cheat (Death by Narea

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Alicent Hightower was rumored to be Viserys' mistress before she was his queen, while Aemma Arryn still lived. What if Aemma learned of it?

Title:

The Hounds of Harrenhal by golightly

Rating: Mature

Summary:

[Longfic! Canon compliant except for the fact that Sansa is now Robb's fraternal twin. The story begins in 302 AC, making Sansa 19 and Brienne 21.]

After Jaime's death, Brienne takes over the Hound's helm and persona in her grief. To restore his honor and legacy, she resumes her mission to find Sansa; along the way, she enters a tourney at the Eyrie as the Hound to win some much needed coin to continue on through winter. At the Eyrie, Lady Alayne Arryn begs the stranger in the Hound's helm for help escaping a doomed marriage.

Brienne temporarily sets aside her mission to help the lady escape north to reunite with her family. Petyr Baelish then announces that the Hound has abducted Sansa Stark, who has been in disguise as his bastard daughter Alayne, and advertises a large reward for her safe return. All this as Tyrion uses his previous marriage to Sansa as an attempt to take the Vale for the mountain clans and Daenerys, ultimately leading to a second dance of the dragons as the Long Night looms over a years-long winter.

Soon all the singers of Westeros would sing of Harrenhal's Hounds, their witch queen, and the "abduction" that started it all - but life is not a song. In this story, it is far sweeter.

Title:

Maids of Summer by DunktheLunk

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

It is the Summer of 172 AC in the Seven Kingdoms of Westeros. King Aegon IV sits the Iron Throne as tensions begin to rise between him and his heir, Daeron Targaryen, and the wounds of the Dornish war are still fresh. In the midst of these tensions, Lady Myranda Mallery, newly a woman grown, prepares to be forced to attend a tourney at King's Landing with her younger sister Gwenys and younger brother Olyvar, lord of her house. While Myranda's stepmother hopes this will be a chance for Myranda and Gwenys to meet their potential husbands, only Gwenys is pleased about the idea. Myranda and her siblings soon find themselves embroiled in the maelstrom that is romance, politics, and desire at the royal court. Please enjoy this attempt to meld the plot style of Jane Austen into the world of George R.R. Martin's A Song of Ice and Fire.

Title:

A castle built of ash by LontraMagica

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"Myrielle Peake was to be Aegon III's new queen. She was the ideal choice, the Hand declared; the same age as the king, "a lovely girl, and courteous."

Post-Dance AU exploring an Aegon-Myrielle successful match, together with alternate fates for a lot of characters and a further exploration of what happened in Westeros in the years after the Dance.

Title:

Iron fears the rot by goddcoward

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Greyjoy's Rebellion is in its death throes. The self-proclaimed King of the Iron Islands loses both his sons, then his islands, then his castle. When Robert Baratheon and Eddard Stark breach the walls of Pyke, Balon Greyjoy is left with little choice but to surrender the Driftwood Crown and bend the knee. He is permitted to keep his head and his seat - on the condition that the younger of his two daughters is raised as a ward of Lord Eddard at Winterfell, and in time married to his eldest son and heir.

Title:

After the Dragons Danced (A Rhaena Targaryen SI) by neyra29

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Dance of the Dragons devastated both Westeros and House Targaryen. Where there were once eighteen dragons, only four remain. Where there was once a score of Targaryen scions, only five are left. Near the end of this most tragic bloodletting, one of these five, Rhaena Targaryen, is reborn with memories of a strange world, just as a new dragon is born to her. She names the dragon Morning, to symbolise the new dawn she strives to bring to her house. Will her quest succeed, or is the Red Dragon destined to fall?

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A Song of Weiss and Fire by Krieg Schnee

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The song has been sung, after her fall into the void during the battle against Cinder, Weiss finds herself in a strange new world. Now if she could only get people to stop calling her a Targaryen.

Title:

A Banquet of Blood and Blades by havenlyd

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aegon Targaryen, third of his name, had never thought he would dance.

But here he is, dancing with a demon.

After the death of Queen Jaehaera Targaryen, King Aegon III Targaryen chose Lady Barba Bolton of the Dreadfort among the many ladies who attended the ball. Little did he know that his choice would alter the course of his life and revived the fire and blood in him.

Title:

Forewarned by Battle09knight0

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When Eddard Stark is forewarned he plays the game to win at both front.

Title:
Reckoning by Ciemai
Rating: Explicit
Summary: Book!Rhaenyra died and woke up in Show! Rhaenyra's body.
Just because i hated what the show did to my girl Rhaenyra, she was Jon Snowed fr
Title:
The mark of a true lord by Samira2132
Rating: Mature
Summary: In which Jon Snow is the best swordsman Winterfell has produced in a century
Title:
Everything by FenceSittersAnonymous
Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aerys decides four Martell hostages are better than three and orders that Lewyn Martell stay in Kings Landing with his niece and her children.

And so, Amory Lorch and Gregor Clegane find themselves in for a nasty surprise because instead of one Martell, they face two. Everyone might have thought Elia Martell to be frail, sweet and kind but they forgot one thing: she's a Martell of Dorne. All she needed was the opportunity to prove that she was Unbowed, Unbent, Unbroken - and her uncle gave her that, and more.

Or: In which Aegon and Lweyn still die, and Robert Baratheon unwittingly enables two Targaryen children to be raised by the Red Viper's sister in the safety of the North.

Title:

Family Line by orphan account

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Alicent Hightower gives birth to twins, Baelon and Helaena Targaryen and the Dance of the Dragons is forever changed.

Or alternatively; a Team green-centric fix-it sorta fic

Title:

Promise me Robb: (a different war of 3 kings and beyond) by UnlimitedSimians

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"Know, now more than any other time, I have always loved and cared for you. I have the greatest faith in you that you shall do the right thing, I leave you with you these lessons and guidance that I so wish my own dear father could have left me before his passing.

Promise me, in my memory if need be"

Ned manages to get a message sent to Robb, after discovering the truth of the Lannister incest but before Robert's death/Neds capture.

Generally more positive for Stannis & Robb than canon (granted that's not hard...), but firmly not in wank territory aiming for something closer to GRRM's bitter sweet preferences.

The plan is to split the story into three parts (they are a bit too short, at least in this fandom, to call them books)

- 1 Call to War (complete) chapters 1-30, the alternative War of Five Kings
- 2 Tears for Autumn (ongoing) chapter 31-??, Focuses more on the challenges of peace building/making and how the Watch prepares for the Others when it is actually getting decent backing from the Crown.
- 3 Prayers for the dawn chapters ???-??? not started yet.

Current character tags are major characters or POVs, who have appeared so far (we will get to Danny eventually).

#4 Best Author (18 entries)

Narea-AO3 profile, includes 14 ASOIAF and related universe fics

<u>Collective nomination for the co authors of The Years of Blood</u>-, this is the link to the AO3 profile of TheShadowKnowz, between all the authors: includes 6 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Alperez-AO3 profile, includes 18 ASOIAF and related universe fics

<u>IzzyMRDB</u> -AO3 profile, includes 5 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Reddishwork-AO3 profile includes 1 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Ciemai- AO3 profile, includes 19 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Bloodwyrm -AO3 profile, includes 3 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Harrenhals-AO3 profile, includes 15 ASOIAF and related universe fics

<u>Bluekiwi</u>-AO3 profile, includes 10 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Chss-AO3 profile, includes 12 ASOIAF and related universe fics

MoonWitch96-AO3 profile, includes 16 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Ganymede elegy-AO3 profile, includes 16 ASOIAF and related universe fics

KingoftheUzbeks -AO3 profile, includes 5 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Gwenllian -AO3 profile, includes 3 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Rummy_cat_-AO3 profile, includes 60 ASOIAF and related universe fics

FenceSittersAnonymous -AO3 profile, includes 60 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Dwellingondreams- AO3 profile, includes 57 ASOIAF and related universe fics

Astolat -AO3 profile, includes 21 ASOIAF and related universe fics

AbaddonKhaleesi- AO3 profile, includes 7 ASOIAF and related universe works

Wardown - AO3 profile, includes 35 ASOIAF and related universe fics

#5 Best Completed Fic (pre 2024) - (19 entries)

Title:

The Empire of the Black Dragons by AdmiralBreetai and TheShadowKnows

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

Maesters have dubbed it the Second Targaryen Golden Age.

It has been a century since the reign of Daeron, the Second of His Name. A hundred years of peace and prosperity, conquest and ascent, yet--

It ended in fire and blood. It ended in madness.

Following the death of Aerys the Mad, a Blackfyre now sits upon the Iron Throne. Daemon the Great has ruled an empire larger than any since the mythical Age of Dawn.

Nine years an alliance of Stark, Arryn, Tully, Baratheon, and Blackfyre has kept the peace.

Nine years the long summer of Daeron the Good, and Daemon Blackfyre after him, has survived past its false autumn.

But seasons change, and all ages come to an end.

Title:

The dragon cub by Alperez

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Jaime realizes who Jon is after a visit to Winterfell, remembering a promise made to Rhaegar, Jaime and Jon will enter the game of thrones together.

Title:

The Conspiracy of Ice and Fire by vsvera

Rating: Mature

Summary:

What if the three White Knights, guarding the Tower of Joy knew of Ned Stark's search for his sister. What if they were able to meet him in secret and concoct a plan to keep the new-born King safe until he could reclaim his rightful throne.

Jon (Aegon Targaryen) grows up, helped by a small group that secretly prepares Westeros for the restoration of the Targaryen dynasty. As he comes of age, Jon gradually takes charge of his own destiny.

This is a Jon-centric story where he claims his birthright and has dragons. Daenerys' life is vastly different compared to canon. She will meet Jon without having conquered Essos and has a long way to go before becoming a dragonrider in her own right. Endgame, however, will be a happy Jonerys riding dragons together and ruling as equals.

Title:

The North Remembers by gqueenofhades

Rating: Mature

Summary:

In the ashes of war-torn Westeros, the fate of the remnants of House Stark - and that of their lovers, allies, friends, and foes - hangs in the balance. Has turned into my best attempt to complete the entire ASOIAF saga. ***COMPLETE***

Title:

Soon the Maiden's thirds by eldtricher

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Your maidenhead is not your own; it must serve father, husband, and realm.

Title:

Soon the Hippocras by eldtricher

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Seven prayers she offers in dower.

Title:

where our candles burn the brightest by vivilove

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

It's their first Christmas without their parents and Sansa's trying her hardest. She's too busy for anything but taking care of her family, especially Rickon who she feels so much responsibility for. She's not looking for romance, certainly not with Rickon's favorite teacher, Jon Snow.

Title:

Raised By Wolves by astolat

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Jaime didn't like the Starks at all. He didn't like their earnestness and honesty and prudishness, he didn't like their cold heavy-walled castle, he didn't like their frozen block of a realm, and he especially didn't like Robb Stark, who had saved his son's life and been kind to him and got him to sleep, and what business of his was it to have done any of those things?

Title:

frame the halves (and call them brothers) by kittycombs

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Catelyn Tully Stark is not a stupid woman.

Eddard Stark returned from Dorne with two things. His sister's bones. And a babe.

A distinctly Stark looking babe. A babe that looks more a Stark than her own.

Lyanna's bones. And a child.		
Title:		

A warrior in our hearts (and our heads, apparently) by Meeceisme

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

He's not entirely convinced he isn't in some medically induced coma dreaming the weirdest dream ever. Why his subconscious wants to dump him into the body of a medieval girl with the little girl in question riding alongside him (and being continuously horrified by his terrible manners and unwillingness to wear equally terrible dresses) is a question he's a little scared to have answered. Not even the awesome dog makes up for the indignity.

He'd like to wake up anytime now. Please. Dear god please.

Title:

The Water Between Us by sensira

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

As they flew, Rhaenys watched her granddaughter. Her curls had been blown free from their pins, streaming in the wind, and she had raised a hand to idly trace the underside of a cloud. A sudden desperation seized her. If Corlys died, Baela would be one of the last two things binding her to this life.

Rhaenys shook her head, discarding the feeling, and settled in her saddle. There were three things that she had absolute faith in: Meleys, her husband, and that it would be Baela who would inherit the Driftwood Throne, even if it killed Rhaenys to put her there.

Rhaenys pushes for Baela's claim during the Driftmark succession crisis and finds herself sharing common ground with Alicent Hightower and her strange, half-Targaryen children. As war seizes the realm, Rhaenys, Baela, and Rhaena must navigate House Velaryon to safety, fighting alongside the people always believed to be their enemy.

Title:
Waking dragons by UnofficialLurker
Rating: General Audiences
Summary: Daemon Targaryen doesn't die during the Dance, but instead finds himself in the Dothraki Sea. He's not pleased.
Title:
creatures lurk below the deck by nonexistentwench
Rating: Teen and Up
Summary: On an unfortunate turn of events, king Robert Baratheon sees fit for both of the surviving Greyjoy children to be taken hostage to Winterfell. Theon and Asha cling to each other in the aftermath.
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Title:
A Caged Songbird by Bickadoo
Rating: Explicit
Summary: "I will be a silent, and dutiful wife," Sansa spits. "I will be their pretty little songbird, and wear

"I will be a silent, and dutiful wife," Sansa spits. "I will be their pretty little songbird, and wear their ugly crown, and sit on their painful throne. I shall give him a babe, and my love, and I will wait until he thinks that he has won. And then I shall take his life."

Shae goes still. "You ... you plan to kill the King?"

"No," Sansa says. "I plan to kill my husband."

Title:
Stannis Baratheon: A Tragedy in Three Acts by ResOmnesBeneFacere
Rating: Teen
Summary: "The Iron Throne is Joffrey's, by rights. All those who deny that are our foes." In which Stannis never discovers the incest.
Title:
A Thank You Gift From Madness Himself by ChelleyPam
Rating: Not Rated
Summary: He was a funny man. Mad, but harmless. What could the Lord of Winterfell do but shelter him from the North's harshness?
He never expected his guest to repay him in such a thoughtful way.
Title:
Andromeda Chained to the Rocks by Arbitrarily
Rating: Explicit
Summary: The first and the last thing to barter is still her body. Ten years and three marriages in the reign

of Sansa Stark, the Queen in the North.

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A Wolf Among Lions by Kallypso

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Tywin Lannister discovers the true identity of his cup bearer at Harrenhal. Now, with another bargaining chip in his possession, he has a chance to turn the war. Arya Stark, despite her best efforts, falls back into the Game of Thrones. To survive in a lion's den, a wolf has no choice but to adapt.

Title:

The Pack Survives by astolat

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

There is a land of the living and a land of the dead and the bridge is love, the only survival.

—Thornton Wilder

#6 Best SI/ISOT (18 entries)

Title:

Fire and Fury by AbandonedBy

Rating: Mature

Summary:

After his death, Robert is sent back to the time of his birth, but, as a girl. Years later, Robetha Baratheon is betrothed to Prince Rhaegar Targaryen, when she discovers the existence of a new Prince, by the name of Maekar. But there are far more mysteries to this prince than those which meet the eye.

Title:

And Nothing of Value Was Lost by Fenestrus

Rating: SB fic, unsure on rating

Summary:

Vaegon Targaryen is a man my colleagues have long decided to categorize as complicated. For those readers with whom I share the honor of hailing from the many cities of Andalos, this might come as a surprise. How, one might ask, could our most honored founder not be loved? He who founded the most blessed of the city-states, how could he be anything but praised? Vaegon the Dragon Lord, Vaegon the Visionary, Vaegon the Scholar, beloved by all daughters of Old Valyria, what guarrel could one have with him?

For those readers that hail from Westeros, meanwhile, this descriptor is as likely to be met with fiery invective in the honored founder's favor as not. How dare you scorn the legacy of the Avenger, the Sword of the Faith, The Liberator, The Bright Prince! How dare you venerate the Kinslayer, The Apostate, The Breaker, The Black Dragon!

Why, I ask, do these two realms, separated only by the narrowest of seas, hold such disparate, such violently contradictory views of the same man? What has he done to elicit such controversy?

For this, we must look to the past, to the earliest days of the third son of Jaehaerys I Targaryen, King of Westeros. And what a tale it is..."

Excerpt of Lives in Parallel: Vaegon Targaryen, Written in the Fifteenth Year of Dragonlord Aemon II by Plaeton Targaryen, Archmaester of History, Citadel of the East.

Warning: may include contradictory political ideas espoused by the same person and controversial takes on the Dragonpit.

Title:

A Reason to Live by Replicantmudkip

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

We've all heard it before.

A Self Insert is isekai'd into Westeros. Uplifts the Seven Kingdoms, whilst everyone magically follows their orders. Single handedly building institutions from nothing.

The classic power fantasy story.

This is not that kind of story.

Join RepliSI as he struggles to lead a decent life, and maybe, just maybe finally gets some self respect

Title:

All Mimsy Were the Borogroves by MoonWitch96

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Melara Hetherspoon, or well, Melara Lannister, is Mad. But well, you would be too if you had the power of time-loops and memories of another life kicking it in your head.

Title:

Prophet from Maine by JustHereForBookmarks

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A man from modern day America wakes up to find himself in Westeros, years before the show's start. As a fan (and to an extent, realist), how will he act according to the future he knows is coming?

Title:

A Crown of Laurels (I lay on your head) by Dawn__Star

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

It goes like this: Criston has lived for twenty-two years until he remembers a life before this one. He is kneeling before King Viserys Targaryen, the First of His Name, and his wife and daughter, the blood roaring in his ears as his limbs shake with pain and exhaustion. A distance away, Prince Daemon, the king's brother, glares at him, nursing his wounds. His morningstar lies off to the side, discarded in favor of the crown of laurels he cradles in his hands.

or

A young man, reincarnated as Criston Cole, remembers his past life, and Rhaenyra Targaryen is forever changed for it. For better or for worse, Westeros is set on a different path.

Title:

The Winter of Widows by laughingnell

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When she awoke to a new life in Westeros, Ursula Mires nearly did the smart thing. Only a year away from becoming sworn to the Faith as a septa and being free to live in relative comfort and safety in one of the more prestigious Reach cloisters, she was content with her lot in life. Her advice, slowly fed to her father over many years, had enabled her family to survive the Dance and rise in station. House Mires had its legacy secured, until tragedy struck early that winter. Now Ursula is heir to a floundering House she does not want, in a war-torn land that she must drag out of the mud. Many ladies are in her position in what maesters would later call 'the winter of widows'.

Only Ursula knows what is coming next, and she's not sure if her house will survive it.

Title:

Coin and Conformity by Wyrdsmithe

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

A man wakes up one day to find that he isn't in his apartment, isn't in his own body, and isn't even on Earth anymore. The language, the geography, the culture, the stars, and even the

technology level are all different. Even worse, in this backwards medieval society he had found himself in, he woke up in the body of a woman. A woman who had just given birth to her first child, a son.

He's not really cut out for this whole 'motherhood' thing. It could be worse; at least he's a noblewoman, and really, Robb is such a sweet child...

Title:

The Journal of King Joffrey Baratheon, First of his Name by Hermionechan90

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

In the year 1857 AC the journal of the king that solidified the rule of the Baratheon dynasty was found. The surprisingly frank and direct journal entries give Dr. Hedda Barath a rather unique insight in what life was in Westeros 1500 years ago.

With growing unease, I note that the so venerated Maesters at Oldtown have started to adjust the events of my reign in a nearly utopian narration. Gone are the mistakes I made in my reign, gone are the hunger and thirst, the blood and the sickness, only the glory and honorable deaths are left. Nothing of the cravenness in my own ranks, instead the only ones that were craven were my enemies. Men and women that stood opposite me are demonized into fantasy. I cannot abide this farce, I simply cannot. So in these last days before the Stranger takes me too I will attempt to give an account of my life, the events that shaped me and my rule.

King Joffrey Baratheon, First of his name, King of the Andals, the Rhoynar, and the First Men, Lord of the Seven Kingdoms, Protector of the Realm.

Title:

The fairest in reflections(it is only a deflection) by CocoCats

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Some would call foreknowledge an unfair advantage when playing the game of thrones. It was less so when one needed to not only hatch dragons anew to Westeros, but also navigate the Blackfyre Rebellions - an era for which said foreknowledge has very little use.

(Or, a self-insert fic that will not include the following: industrial revolutions, perfect schemes, pristine morals, and bashing. No prior knowledge of this era required to read.)

Title:

Stars and Swords: A Self Insert Story by Apollo139

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A British diplomat wakes up in Westeros.

"You are Aenys Storm, my lord," he said, speaking slowly. "The bastard son of King Aegon Targaryen, Fourth of His Name."

Predictably, I blacked out again.'

Title:

The Komneniad: A Very Byzantine ISOT by Witteric of the West

Rating: SB fic, unsure on rating

Summary:

Author's Note: Well, since I'm already on the business of bringing my madness over to...

Title:

Biggering by TheOneKrafter, author now known as starlightmeissa

Rating: Mature

Summary:

House Mooton is an old and respected house founded before the time of Petty Kings and forever residing in their city, Maidenpool.

Eleanor Mooton inherits the Ladyship of House Mooton after the second brother of two months dies in a hunting accident in the middle of Robert's Rebellion. She is quite put upon about this.

(alternatively: local reincarnation unfortunately becomes important due to the universe's own fuckery, she should've ran to essos the second she realized where she was.)

Title:

Reinventing the Wheel (An ASOIAF Uplift SI) by Charles Garrett Abbott

Rating: SB fic, unconfirmed

Summary:

The Second Son of Lord Tywin Lannister and Lady Joanna Lannister, Callum, is possessed with otherworldly knowledge that threatens to revolutionize the administration, technology, and government of the Westerlands, but his impact on his family may prove just as significant.

Title:

Dread Our Wrath (ASOIAF SI) by Abramus5250

Rating: SB fic, unsure on rating

Summary:

A man from modern times awakens as the heir of a newly arisen house in one of the more backwater regions the Stormlands. It is approximately a decade and a half before the Conquest of Dorne under Daeron I Targaryen, and all the dragons have died out. What will he do to not only survive but thrive in a brutal realm like Westeros? With the changes he will slowly but surely bring, just how great will this Westeros diverge from the one he knew as a work of fiction?

Title:

Stolen Thunder by dwellingondreams

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aegon's Conquest of Westeros has just begun, but the storm has broken, the first battle is over, and Argella Durrandon is nursing a nasty hangover. Now, if only she could remember exactly how Orys Baratheon and his siblings stole her birthright... and what exactly she's going to do about it. But hey, it could always be worse. At least her unwanted husband doesn't have a dragon. Though not for lack of trying.

Title:

Bigger Fish to Fry by dwellingondreams

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Jon Arryn, revered and respected Hand of the King, is dead. Though many assume his death to be of natural age, others have suspicions... including his widow, Lady Lysa, who is determined to make up for her strange grief-induced amnesia by being the best damn detective King's Landing has ever seen. With her flair for dramatics, regrettable habit of jumping to wild conclusions, and questionable disregard for law enforcement, what could go wrong? Anything and everything, as it turns out.

Title:

Enduring the storm by Paladinus

Rating: SB fic, unsure on rating

Summary:

The noose draws tight around Storm's End, and Stannis Baratheon. But a young man not Stannis wakes in his place, and must navigate the deathly serious realities of war and politics in a land unfamiliar to him, while keeping tight hold of both castle and Stannis' people. No one ever said life was easy, and if they did, they were lying.

#7 Best HOTD/Dance era Fic (14 entries)

Title:

a poison tree by Juliet Capulet

Rating: Mature

Summary:

I was angry with my friend; I told my wrath, my wrath did end. I was angry with my foe: I told it not, my wrath did grow.

House Targaryen is a family of many hatreds. And of many loves. None know it better than Aegon Targaryen, the last son of Baelon and Alyssa, the youngest brother of King Viserys.

And none will learn it better than his only child, Alyssa.

Or: sometimes a family is a Citadel dropout, a child bride, her sworn sword, and their five collective children (who are all married to each other)

Title:

Sunrise and Moonlight by AverageLucas

Rating: Explicit

Summary: Aemma Arryn was to be a Queen, her daughter, a Princess.

Those words had surrounded Rhaenyra for the entirety of her short life. She had never paid them much mind, even as age and maturity led her to understand her station as a bastard. In the Vale, living within the relative solitude of the towers of the Eyrie, Rhaenyra was satisfied; she had her mother, Syrax, and her Uncle Daemon regularly visit.

It was not to last.

Aemma passed away, uttering the name of the man who had abandoned them with her final breath. While in King's Landing, Daemon crowned her trueborn older sister Queen of Love and Beauty for her nameday tourney.

As Rhaenyra lay alone in her bed, an ember began to form – borne out of resentment and grief.

Your mother was to be Queen, you a Princess.

Something had been taken from her, something that was rightfully hers.

Title:

A Crown of Laurels (I lay on your head) by Dawn Star

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

It goes like this: Criston has lived for twenty-two years until he remembers a life before this one. He is kneeling before King Viserys Targaryen, the First of His Name, and his wife and daughter, the blood roaring in his ears as his limbs shake with pain and exhaustion. A distance away, Prince Daemon, the king's brother, glares at him, nursing his wounds. His morningstar lies off to the side, discarded in favor of the crown of laurels he cradles in his hands.

or

A young man, reincarnated as Criston Cole, remembers his past life, and Rhaenyra Targaryen is forever changed for it. For better or for worse, Westeros is set on a different path.

Title:

Alicent Reverses the Hourglass by reddishwork

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Inspired by the 'time travel revenge' manwha trope, this story begins several years after the Dance. The former queen, Alicent, sits in confinement and full of regret, waiting for death. That is until she's given a chance to go back in time to the year she married King Viserys and do it all over. With every intention of changing her fate, she might well be doomed to repeat the same mistakes as she is impeded at every turn by a familiar face who has received their own second chance.

Title:
To Forge an Heir by Capulet730
Rating: Mature
Summary: A series of important conversations between Princess Rhaenyra Targaryen and Lord Lyman Beesbury.
Or
What if Rhaenyra had someone that was willing to help her grow into her role as heir of the Seven Kingdoms?
Title:
A Banquet of Blood and Blades by havenlyd
Rating: Mature
Summary: Aegon Targaryen, third of his name, had never thought he would dance.
But here he is, dancing with a demon.
After the death of Queen Jaehaera Targaryen, King Aegon III Targaryen chose Lady Barba Bolton of the Dreadfort among the many ladies who attended the ball. Little did he know that his choice would alter the course of his life and revived the fire and blood in him.
Title:
green bleeds into black by DestroyerOfNations

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Scholars wrote that war had always been inevitable but none could have ever foreseen how swiftly it would all be over, and exactly how much chance would have had a hand in it all.

Title:

Resonant by Syndrossi

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The Others have been defeated, and Jon Snow can finally set aside duty for the shattered remnants of his family.

Then he wakes in the Vale as seven-year-old Jon Redfort, fifteen years before the Dance, with a twin brother who looks like Daenerys and also remembers a different life.

(Or: A study in Daemon Targaryen becoming increasingly feral about the two bastard sons he didn't know he had.)

(Or: Jon has two dads, and one is his twin brother who is five years younger than him. This makes sense, I swear.)

Title:

Blood is thicker than Water by Leonelfallen

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Aegon Targaryen (Son of Baelon) born in 84 AC lives (Self-insert)

Title:

The Stranger's Son by Fyreheart

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The first battle of The Dance of Dragons goes differently after a stranger and his dragon intervene.

OR Jon Snow goes back in time to prevent the extinction of the dragons.

Title:

No hymns to our glory, history has cut our throats by WhimperSoldier

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

I once ruled over cities, brought men to their knees, rode the largest dragon in the world, Dany thought as she scrubbed bile from the floors of the Red Keep centuries before some of those cities were raised, those men born, or her dragon hatched.

Title:

Our Fathers clad in red by Gwenllian and Aifsaath

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Dance of the Dragons is over and Rhaenyra Targaryen is dead, but Aegon II Targaryen's throne is far from secure. With enemies approaching and rumors swirling of a plot to replace him with Rhaenyra's son, a badly injured Aegon II Targaryen must somehow unite a deeply divided realm and convince his lords that he is still capable of being king. To do this, he makes a plan to marry Baela Targaryen, daughter of his most hated enemy.

Title:

All Kings are Beautiful by Gwenllian

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"Master yourself, Aegon," his mother said. Despite the harsh words, her voice had softened slightly, and he wondered where she'd found that scrap of sympathy when her kindness was

usually reserved for Helaena or Aemond. But then, he'd just been given life-altering— no, life-shattering— news, and he supposed his mother's own life had been shattered once or twice before. "Get dressed. Clean clothes, please. Try to look presentable, and not give your father reason to question his recent decisions." She touched his arm and he looked up at her, his vision blurry with stupid, sudden tears. "It's an honor. He chose you over her. Remember that. We'll be waiting for you in the king's chambers."

To prevent war, Aegon is named heir and betrothed to Baela Targaryen.

Title:

A young woman's inevitable dance of the dragons by Failninja

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Tanya the Evil (Youjo Senki) x HOTD / Fire & Blood. Tanya is reborn in her third life as the daughter of Viserys Targaryen and Aemma Arryn. The story prior to the butterfly effects Tanya's existence brings in, will be a mixture of the HBO House of the Dragon timeline and the the Fire & Blood book timeline, with some minor alterations to make continuity make sense. Book plot points will be introduced and the story will borrow from both.

#8 Best Chapter (11 entries)

Title:

a poison tree by Juliet Capulet

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 6: Alyssa I

Rating: Mature

Summary:

I was angry with my friend;
I told my wrath, my wrath did end.
I was angry with my foe:
I told it not, my wrath did grow.

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And none will learn it better than his only child, Alyssa.

Or: sometimes a family is a Citadel dropout, a child bride, her sworn sword, and their five collective children (who are all married to each other)

Title:

The Long Night by Wardown

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 5: The Sorceress

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

There isnt really a summary presently, only a content warning but it is part of a fic series where the first part says the following:

Essentially a reworking of the Southern plot line in Season 7 A Game of Thrones. The story starts at Season 6, Episodes 10, but diverges from show canon.

Title:

Sunrise and Moonlight by AverageLucas

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 12- Intermission II - Eliadna I

Rating: Explicit

Summary: Aemma Arryn was to be a Queen, her daughter, a Princess.

Those words had surrounded Rhaenyra for the entirety of her short life. She had never paid them much mind, even as age and maturity led her to understand her station as a bastard. In

the Vale, living within the relative solitude of the towers of the Eyrie, Rhaenyra was satisfied; she had her mother, Syrax, and her Uncle Daemon regularly visit.

It was not to last.

Aemma passed away, uttering the name of the man who had abandoned them with her final breath. While in King's Landing, Daemon crowned her trueborn older sister Queen of Love and Beauty for her nameday tourney.

As Rhaenyra lay alone in her bed, an ember began to form – borne out of resentment and grief.

Your mother was to be Queen, you a Princess.

Something had been taken from her, something that was rightfully hers.

Title:

The Weirwood Queen by RedWolf

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 166 (Cersei II)

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"I didn't even get to say goodbye," Sansa sniffled into his tunic.

"I was going to send her bones to Winterfell," Ned said slowly. "But the men found a weirwood tree near the road, about an hour north of here. They will bury her beneath it, and the old gods will watch over her."

Lady is buried beneath a weirwood tree, and Sansa prays to the old gods for Lady to stay with her. Her prayer is answered, in a manner of speaking. Everything changes.

Title:

Guns of Dragonstone by LeBAMF

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 1 (Loras, Catelyn, Davos)

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Strangers have come to the shores of Westeros and Essos strangers with strange weapons. Weapons that kill with fire and smoke, that kill without honour. The War of Five Kings will be changed forever by this new weapon from across the seas. A weapon that will change the rules of warfare forever. Gunpowder.

Title:

The Winter of Widows by laughingnell

Chapter name and number: Chapter 21: Ursula Mires

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When she awoke to a new life in Westeros, Ursula Mires nearly did the smart thing. Only a year away from becoming sworn to the Faith as a septa and being free to live in relative comfort and safety in one of the more prestigious Reach cloisters, she was content with her lot in life. Her advice, slowly fed to her father over many years, had enabled her family to survive the Dance and rise in station. House Mires had its legacy secured, until tragedy struck early that winter. Now Ursula is heir to a floundering House she does not want, in a war-torn land that she must drag out of the mud. Many ladies are in her position in what maesters would later call 'the winter of widows'.

Only Ursula knows what is coming next, and she's not sure if her house will survive it.

Title:

The Education of Sansa Stark by Aldoilc

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 25: Unbowed, Unbent, Unbroken

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Robert Baratheon was killed during the Battle of the Trident. Yet the Targaryens lost the war nevertheless.

A reluctant Eddard Stark is crowned King of all Westeros, but enemies far and wide plot the destruction of his family and fledgling dynasty.

The young Princess Sansa Stark, raised in the Red Keep, beloved daughter of the King and Queen, finds herself in peril when the wraiths of the Iron Throne, past and present, return to claim their due.

Title:

A brother by choice by Geeky Owl

Chapter name and Number: Chapter XXVII - The Battle of Maidenpool

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

Jon Snow's entire life is thrown on its head when two strange men reveal to him a secret that that he was never supposed to know. How will he react as his whole identity is put into question and he discovers he has a brother he never knew about?

Title:

The Dragon's Roar by Priestess_of_Groove

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 40 - Aemon XI

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Humanity failed to stop the Night King and his legion of undead until it was too late. The displeased Gods decide it should take a greater role in the fate of humanity and wind back to a time before the world fell apart. Jon Snow, the Prince Who Was Promised, and Jaime Lannister are sent back to prevent The War of the Five Kings and unite Westeros under a single banner to avoid a terrible fate. Even with the advantage of hindsight, things never go as planned.

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Targaryen Eating Habits and Other Smallfolk Tales by PresidentHades

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 4: Nelly of King's Landing, Nursemaid: My Little Lady

Rating: Mature

Summary:

While the Targaryens are busy ruling Westeros, the smallfolk keep their draconic overlords fed, watered, and clothed.

(A non-chronological anthology of servant/smallfolk POVs as they interact with the Targs.)

Title:

The Pack Survives by astolat

Chapter name and Number: Chapter 11: Menace

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

There is a land of the living and a land of the dead and the bridge is love, the only survival.

—Thornton Wilder

#9 Best One shot (13 entries)

Title:

But blood is blood by Lightsareoff

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Archmaester Vaegon expects to spend the entirety of the Dance at the Citadel. He doesn't expect Daeron to turn up for a visit.

Title:

Arranged by NorthernLights37

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

All roads eventually lead to the same destination. Two mothers live, and the journey forward happens very differently.

Title:

duty, given chance by tciddaemina

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

on finds himself wandering. His feet carry him to one of the battlements, snow coming down in soft-feathered waves that dust the rooftops. Winterfell is alive with light, windows glowing and chimneys smoking, and Jon can't remember the last time he saw it so full of life, walls still standing tall.

This Winterfell has never seen a Bolton occupation, has never witnessed the march of the dead, the wrath of dragon fire. It is eight years before the fall of the Wall, and it feels like a dream. Jon still can't bring himself to completely believe it. Mance Rayder is not yet King Beyond The Wall, the Free Folk have not yet begun to gather, and what stories there are of White Walkers and the dead that walk are still only that, just stories.

It has not yet begun, Jon thinks, dread sinking in his stomach.

And then-

It has not yet begun, Jon thinks again, the thought taking on a new turn in his mind. Jon has been given a second chance, a chance to change everything.

Title:

five people who didn't believe Ned Stark for one second about Jon's paternity and one who did by janie tangerine

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

in which Jon actually does look like a Targaryen but Ned still insists it's his bastard son. Good thing the one person who should believe it, in fact, does.

Title:

Needlework by ser mlady

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

Jaime begins giving Arya sword lessons at Winterfell, amused by the thought of how her father would react if he found out. But he ends up liking the girl, and what begins as a lark to pass the time soon becomes something else entirely.

Title:

hāre, the dragon will have by in_excelsis

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

they call him Beloved Balerion

Title:

Wolf Moon by alienor_woods

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Margaery has no intention of being her family's Elia Martell, nor is she foolish enough to play the dutiful, naïve queen consort and hope to escape with her head intact.

Title:

Reap Thine Oats by PresidentHades

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Daemon's wedded bliss with Rhaenyra is interrupted when Dragonstone receives several silver-haired reminders that Westerosi contraceptive methods aren't 100% effective.

Or: A bunch of bastard children from Daemon's wild years suddenly demand their royal sire's attention.

Title:

Chapter 4: Nelly of King's Landing, Nursemaid: My Little Lady

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Note: While this is technically part of one fic, they all appear to actually be one shots put together.

As per author note: (A non-chronological anthology of servant/smallfolk POVs as they interact with the Targs.). Therefore I am counting it, such nuances will be reviewed next year

Title:

Swords, Sheaths, and Pearls by PresidentHades

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daeron burst into Aegon's childhood bedroom, which had been repurposed into an unofficial study. Aegon and Aemond looked up from a map of the city that they were bickering over.

"How does one pleasure a woman?" Daeron asked urgently.

Or: Joffrida Velaryon and Daeron Targaryen decide they're ready to have sex. They ask their older siblings for advice.

Title:

Coastal Manoeuvres by deweydecibelsystem

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Stannis returns home from the Greyjoy Rebellion with a bride-to-be, who in years to come may turn the tide in his favour.

For her part, Asha behaves. More or less.

Title:

That for Destruction Ice by Darkmagyk

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The Lady of Winterfell is unmarried but not a maid. She stalks around the keep and the grounds with the same grey eyes as Lord Rickard before her.

She sits in the great hall and hears petitions with the same steely look on her face that Lord Brandon had done when his father was away.

She trains in the yard now. To be a woman of war. The turn of her lip just as Lord Eddard's had once been, determined and dutiful.

And in all these things, a boy trails after her, learning, watching with the same grey eyes.

Title:

frame the halves (and call them brothers) by kittycombs

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Catelyn Tully Stark is not a stupid woman.

Eddard Stark returned from Dorne with two things. His sister's bones. And a babe.

A distinctly Stark looking babe. A babe that looks more a Stark than her own.

Lyanna's bones. And a child.

#10 Best OC fic (13 entries)

Title:

A Falcon of Summer by Lawkeeper

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

At Riverrun in the one night before marching off to war with Robert Baratheon, Jon Arryn sires a son with Lysa Tully. Jasper Arryn is an untested green boy, a lord of summer, but when the king who sits on the Iron Throne commands him to hand over his wards, history repeats itself. As High as Honor!

Title:

a poison tree by Juliet Capulet

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Or: sometimes a family is a Citadel dropout, a child bride, her sworn sword, and their five collective children (who are all married to each other)

Title:

The Runesigner by GyroSolo

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aerys Royce, the son of Daemon Targaryen and Rhea Royce, bears nothing but contempt for his paternal family. Atop their dragons, the Targaryens laugh upon the "lesser" Houses of Westeros, flaunting powers they never should have had in the first place.

Intent on exposing the truth behind his mother's death and ensuring that dragons have no place in the future of Westeros, Aerys sets out to dismantle House Targaryen from inside out. Will young Lord Royce be able to atone for the sins of his father's House and free Westeros from the threat of dragonfire or will he die in the attempt?

Title:

The Dour Griffin by k1ngfisher

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Ser Artys Royce, the Dour Griffin. Rider of most Noble and Loyal Deathclaw, the first Griffin in millennia's. A true Hugorist knight, an example to all.

He should've never been born. An extra piece in the puzzle that is the universe.

An aberration. An abomination. A dark hope.

A man with no past, or future.

And soon, hopefully, no present.

Title:

A Reason to Live by Replicantmudkip

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

We've all heard it before.

A Self Insert is isekai'd into Westeros. Uplifts the Seven Kingdoms, whilst everyone magically follows their orders. Single handedly building institutions from nothing.

The classic power fantasy story.

This is not that kind of story.

Join RepliSI as he struggles to lead a decent life, and maybe, just maybe finally gets some self respect

Title:

A Vow of Blood by Zeciex

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

-If I knew it all then, would I do it again?-

"You will be trapped by the obligations of love and duty, unable to escape the web of expectations others have woven around you," the witch said....

Daenera Velaryon goes back to King's Landing to strengthen her mothers position and remind the Greens and nobels that Rhaenyra is the heir to the throne. She has a very specific goal of being a thorn in the Green's side and she doesn't mind playing the game.

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A game of cat and mouse ensues, and with each move made, the stakes gets higher. Will it all come crashing down around them as the dragons take to the skies, or will fate find a way?

For what is love, if not the death of duty? And what is duty if not the destruction of love?

Title:

The Lion's Daughter by margotdavid

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Despite being Tywin Lannister's eldest child, all expected Myrcella to be overshadowed by her other siblings ... until the newly crowned king picked her as his queen.

Title:

Dragonfly by sifshadowheart

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

It was the considered opinion of Lady Naerys Targaryen, the "Princess of Dragonflies" so named for her father Prince Duncan "the Small" Targaryen, that being reborn into Westeros was bullshit.

Death was supposed to be peaceful: she would like a refund please.

A self-insert original character fanfiction

Title:

Play the Game by danibtsarmy7

Rating: Mature

Summary:

In 113 AC, the young Queen Alicent gives birth to twin daughters - Vhaella and Visenya. The fate of the Dance and Westeros was changed forever.

Or, the Gods decide to give the Greens an invaluable weapon to shift the tides of the war in their favor.

Title:

Pride of Wolve by Kallypso

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A sequel to A wolf amongst lions.

Many years have passed since the Long Night ended. Since Daenerys Targaryen took the throne, ushering in a new era of peace. Since Arya Stark-now Arya Lannister-returned to Casterly Rock and began to do everything in her power to maintain that peace, just as Tywin instructed.

Twenty years later, radicals of the Lord of Light are rising across Westeros. Wild dragons scatter across the land for the first time in centuries. The secret of Jon Stark's true family threatens to come to light every passing day. And many debate who holds the true power in Westeros: The queen? Or the Wolf of Casterly Rock. Amidst it all, Arya's children struggle to live in the shadow of their mother and their family name.

Twenty years is a long time for peace. The question is not if it will end. The question is who will shatter it. And who will survive once they do.

Title:

Give Me Justice and I'll Give you Peace by StarSpell93

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

She always drank a little more than usual when feeling uncomfortable, and how could she not with her uncles glare stalking her all evening. He looked at her with hatred, but she couldn't truly blame him for it. She felt sick recalling the night she had taken Jacerys blade and cleaved it through the side of Aemond's face, tearing through his eye socket and rendering him half-sighted and scarred for the rest of his days.

Lucera did that to him.

He knew it.

She knew it.

Everybody did, especially in the capitol.

Title:

Blood & Steel by KaiserBjorn

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

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Title:

I lack the patience to haunt / Instead, I hunt by Dwellingondreams

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"I dance in dangerous fables, walk a woods with trees white as bone. It's always winter and I'm always pressing my face against something warm with blood." - Yasmin Belkhyr, 'Blizzard'.

"Men die," Barbrey tells her, bone-white with anger, eyes flashing. "Men die, Donella. Should Stark's boy not sire a son on you, and if the Bastard has the Dreadfort-,"

"You speak as if Robb Stark were in fragile health," Nell rolls her eyes. "You're being paranoid."

"Willam was in excellent health until he rode off to his death at Ned Stark's side," Barbrey hisses. "Do you think he did not promise me we would have children and a long life together before he left? Do you think he did not promise to come back to me? You cannot know what the future might bring. My lord husband survived a war only to die in Dorne. Men and their promises are not your safety nor your refuge. Land is. Power is. Never forget that."

(In which Nell Bolton contends with both her mother's bloodstained legacy and her father's bloodthirsty bastard, and along the way claims a beast for a bridegroom.)

#11 Best Original Character in a Fic (7 entries)

Title:

a poison tree by Juliet Capulet

Name of OC: Alysanna Targaryen, daughter of Aegon Targaryen, niece of Viserys I

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Title:

Kith and Kin by ReiraKurenai

Name of OC: Alyssa Tully (daughter of Hoster Tully)

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

"You must love him, Cat," Alyssa whispered once the babes settled. "Not as a mother, I cannot ask that of you. But as a child under your care. Show him that he has a place here, and he will never dare to usurp Robb."

Title:

A Banquet of Blood and Blades by havenlyd

Name of OC: Gaemon Targaryen, son of Jaehaerys and Alysanne

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Title:

Targaryen Eating Habits and Other Smallfolk Tales by PresidentHades

Name of OC: Nelly (from the fourth one shot within the fic collection)

Rating: Mature
Summary: While the Targaryens are busy ruling Westeros, the smallfolk keep their draconic overlords fed, watered, and clothed.
(A non-chronological anthology of servant/smallfolk POVs as they interact with the Targs.)
Title:
Meredith Tully in Down by the Riverside by DarkCommet
Name of OC: Meredith Tully, daughter of Hoster Tully
Rating: Explicit
Summary: Ned Stark marries a different Tully sister and the world is forever changed.

Title:

Blood & Steel by KaiserBjorn

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Rating: Not Rated

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#12 Best Crossover Fic (14 entries)

Title:

The Red Wolf by Wardown

Crossover fandom: Death of Stalin

Rating: Mature

Summary:

An alternative ending to A Dish Best Served Cold, which leads to the start of a new story.

A Dish Best Served Cold portrayed Sansa as a villain, albeit with some good qualities. Here, she is more morally ambiguous. She had an outstanding record in The Great Patrotic War, beginning at Stalingrad. But, she is in service to evil men, has worked to snuff out freedom in parts of Eastern Europe, is a torturer, and commanded a prison camp (unwillingly).

One should be careful about judging the moral compromises made by people who live under dictatorships. Most of us would do the same.

This is tagged "BAMF Sansa" among other things. That does not imply that Sansa is a saint. But, anyone who fought with distinction at Stalingrad and during Operation Bagration, and was awarded the Order of the Red Banner by Zhukov is unquestionably, a BAMF.

Many thanks to Sploot for the original idea, and The Samovar is Hot for her input on Russian society and life.

I should add, this tale was written prior to the Putin's invasion of Ukraine. I apologise in advance for any offence that may be caused by the depiction of oppression of Ukrainians by the USSR.

Title:

I Could Not Stop for Death by writing as tracey

Crossover fandom: MCU

Rating: Mature

Summary:

For Natasha, this story ends and begins with a fall - although, two very different kinds. After Vormir, she finds a second chance for herself in a new world - Westeros - but the game stays the same.

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A Song of Weiss and Fire by Krieg Schnee

Crossover fandom: RWBY

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The song has been sung, after her fall into the void during the battle against Cinder, Weiss finds herself in a strange new world. Now if she could only get people to stop calling her a Targaryen.

Title:

kismet by Amuria

Crossover fandom: Elder Scrolls

Rating: Mature

Summary:

As a child, Jon Snow stumbles upon a strange land where dragons have returned and the undead plan to plunge the world into darkness. Years later he returns to Westeros to find it in a similar predicament—dragons have returned and the North is besieged by the undead.

If it is his fate to fight again then so be it.

Title:

Alternate Reality by QueenScheherazadeofPersia

Crossover fandom: Harry Potter)

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Hermione nearly dies when Voldemort casts the killing curse on her, only for her to wake up as Jeyne Lannister, daughter of Lord Tywin Lannister. In a strange new world, Hermione must do her best to survive while trying to understand how she arrived there. Unbeknownst to her, her presence leads to a resurgence in magic in that new world, as darkness gathers to defeat light one final time.

Title:

Queens in Hell by Sploot

Crossover fandom: Tudors

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Anne Boleyn and Catherine Howard go to hell. Hell hath no fury like a woman beheaded.

Title:

Thy Good Neighbour by blahhh 1

Crossover fandom: Bloodbourne

Rating: Mature

Summary:

At winter's end, there is rumor of a strange manor appearing in the western Wolfswood, home to an equally strange man and his tall, kindly wife. Lord Rickard Stark, Warden of the North, seeks answers.

Title:

A Discordant Note by Noodlehammer

Crossover fandom: Harry Potter

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

It only takes a single disharmonious element to throw off the entire composition. Fifty years before Robert Baratheon was to ascend the Iron Throne, Westeros receives one hell of a bad musician. Harry never did care about any player other than himself.

Title:

A Song of Magic by Titosch

Crossover fandom: Naruto

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Something went wrong in the battle. Maybe it was Kakashi, maybe it was Obito. He didn't know. Now none of them were here any more. He didn't know what was going on in this empty, barren world. He'll figure it out anyway. And in the process maybe he'll help save the world too. (Or: When a High-Magic Shinobi meets a Low-Magic world, the world tends to win. At least at first.)

Title:

The Reward for a Job Well Done by ChelleyPam

Crossover fandom: The Dresden Files

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Harry Dresden had done it. He had won. The world was safe. Well, from outside threats at any rate. But he had earned a quiet, peaceful rest.

But higher beings had another teensy, tiny favor to ask...

Title:

Hear Me Roar by Willywalkerstrikesagain

Crossover fandom: LOTR

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

A magical event transports the kingdom of the Westerlands to Middle Earth just before the War of the Ring, will the Lannisters find what good is in their hearts or will they be corrupted into the service of Sauron and doom the world of men?

Title:

a young girls game of thrones by Failninja

Crossover Fandom: youjo senkai/saga of Tanya the evil

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

This is a Song of Ice and Fire / Tanya the Evil Crossover. Tanya is reborn as Myrcella Baratheon after dying in her second life. 1st Person for Tanya and 3rd person for everyone else's perspective. ASOIAF world will be slightly aged up in similar fashion as the TV series did, however in all other regards will be using book canon.

Final note: Light Novel Spoilers for Tanya the Evil in the first chapter

Title:

A young woman's inevitable dance of the dragons by Failninja

Crossover fandom: youjo senkai/saga of Tanya the evil

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Tanya the Evil (Youjo Senki) x HOTD / Fire & Blood. Tanya is reborn in her third life as the daughter of Viserys Targaryen and Aemma Arryn. The story prior to the butterfly effects Tanya's existence brings in, will be a mixture of the the HBO House of the Dragon timeline and the the Fire & Blood book timeline, with some minor alterations to make continuity make sense. Book plot points will be introduced and the story will borrow from both.

A young woman's inevitable dance of the dragons by Failninja (Crossover with with youjo senkai/saga of Tanya the evil)

The Old Gods Called, They'd Like Their Kingdom Back by Rhino (RhinoMouse)

Crossover Fandom: MCU

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When two individuals explode out of the heart tree at Winterfell, the Bolton's think it's a blessing from the gods. It certainly is a change in their fortunes. Sansa expected to die the day the Bolton's did after their guest made the ground shake with her fury. Only she didn't, and now she is nominally the one in charge. With no army, no support outside of those men who saw an angry god and decided not to help their liege Lord, and said god is now her terrifying guest.

Daisy would like to stop being mistaken for a god, and also reiterate flaying innocent people alive is not an acceptable practice. It would help if Fitz would wake up already because she's clearly not going to be able to get them out of the medieval hellscape they're now trapped in. Although Fitz wouldn't be her first choice of companion to be stranded with. And magic ice zombies, because of course there's magic ice zombies.

#13 Best AU (16 entries)

Title:

The Years of Blood by TheShadowKnows, AdmiralBreetai, the ham that was promised (throwhardest), Mountain Of Apes

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The era Maesters call the Second Golden Age ended not with a whimper but with fire, blood, and storm.

It ended with the death of a Blackfyre King.

It ended with a Prince and his Princess lost at sea in a terrible storm.

Robb Stark now rides south with winter in his heart and justice on his mind.

With him rides all the powers of the North, boon companions, valiant adventurers, and heroes from another war.

In the West, Tywin Lannister Crowns a hostage King, Sansa Stark is his Queen.

Together, they fight to survive in the halls of Castamere.

In Essos, Jon - legitimized as Maekar Targaryen and Daenerys - fight to hold onto their new Kingdom.

Their closest allies are men who slew their fathers and ended their dynasty.

Bran Stark stands alone against Volantis.

Khal Drogo comes for them all.

In the South of the world and far North, dark things stir in hidden places, ready to make war upon the realms of men.

Dragonriders learn that even they might not be enough.

It is an age of strife, of treachery, of malice

It is an age of change.

An era of magic

These are the years of blood.

Part 2 of The Empire of the Black Dragons.

Title:

Valongar by Brightflamed

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Ser Jaime finds the courage to face his fathers troops and rescues Princess Rhaenys from a certain death, changing the fate of House Targaryen forever.

How will Westeros change when the princess finds herself a brother in the Tower of Joy and refuses to let go?

How will the Lannisters cope, when they find themselves prey to not only northern wolves, but the sun's sons and the dragons?

How will Westeros deal with a Jon Snow, who's not held back by his supposed bastardry?

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Southern Ambitions by Bloodwyrm

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Rickard Stark survives Robert's Rebellion, as do his ambitions. When Robert dies, the Lord of Winterfell sees opportunity.

Title:

A Song of Ice and Fire and Broken Things by kangaroo2010

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Sometimes, all it takes to change everything is one simple change, something as small and simple and plain as one brother calling another brother home.

Title:

A Shadow and A Wolf by Gracques

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Tyrion Lannister weds Sansa Stark and everything goes as it happened in the show. However, just before Joffrey's wedding, an unexpected event changes everything. The forced husband and wife will have to go beyond their family loyalties in order to survive and hope to win the game of thrones.

Title:

Princess of Wolves, Prince of Snakes by IWantColouredRain

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

After the Lions' coup, Aegon VI flees with his wife, mother, uncle and cousins in search of allies and safety in order to regain his throne. But there is only one place to go: The Winterlands, the only part of Westeros to remain independent of the Iron Throne.

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Title:

The Little Queen by MarxInIstanbul

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Jaehaera is Aegon's only remaining child, and he knows that his death will leave her in grave danger. To survive, she must be more than a consort — she must rule.

Helaena refuses to lose her daughter as she lost her sons. As the threads of fate begin to unravel, her visions reveal a future clouded in danger and uncertainty. With shadows gathering and enemies closing in, Helaena will stop at nothing to safeguard her child's destiny — even if it means facing down prophecy itself.

Title:

Ad Meliora by GrandBother

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

In which Jon was a (jaded) reincarnated dragonlord, his wife was an inconsistent airhead, his entire brood of children were reincarnated ancestors, and no one ever allowed him a peaceful life of a hermit. Or, perhaps he was a closet ambitious man from the start, and he just never knew it before. At the very least, he ushered in an Age of Gods and Monsters, so hypocritical greed aside, disconcerting wife aside, creepy all-seeing children aside, he did some good in the world.

Or: That Reincarnation AU no one asked for. Crossover with 'The Ice Dragon'. Crack treated seriously.

Jon's Past Life is inspired by 'Dragons of Ice and Fire' by Serpentguy and Diablo Snowblind.

Unbroken Fury by PepitasdeOro

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

AU where Stannis Baratheon is sent to Sunspear instead of Jon Arryn to negotiate the peace with the Martells after Robert's Rebellion. What will this little change in history mean for the future of Westeros?

Title:

<u>Last Hope for Westeros by Longclaw_1_6,Blacklight2181,CastleColin and cmfic0</u>

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

The White Walkers have won. All hope is lost. The gods decided to grant a second chance by sending Jon back in time before all hell breaks loose in season one. Jon decides to go to Pentos to find his true love, Daenerys Targaryen, and save her from her marriage to Khal Drogo, who wanted to rape her. The main plot is Jon reclaiming the Iron Throne with Daenerys and uniting the Seven Kingdoms for the impending return of the Long Night. Yet consequences made from changing time's past cause new threats to arise.

Title:

Swords, Sheaths, and Pearls by PresidentHades

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daeron burst into Aegon's childhood bedroom, which had been repurposed into an unofficial study. Aegon and Aemond looked up from a map of the city that they were bickering over.

"How does one pleasure a woman?" Daeron asked urgently.

Or: Joffrida Velaryon and Daeron Targaryen decide they're ready to have sex. They ask their older siblings for advice.

Daemon Targaryen's Handbook to Managing Stepdaughters by PresidentHades

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daemon already has two daughters. He can handle three new stepdaughters.

Or: Rhaenyra's first three children are all girls sired by Laenor, and Daemon meets karma when his stepdaughters form attachments with his Hightower nephews. And why is he the only adult concerned that Joff has a never-ending supply of curse tablets?

Title:

<u>Lavender's Blue, Lavender's Green (when I am king, you shall be queen) by PresidentHades</u>

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Aegon is two when he's named the king's heir and betrothed to Jacaera Velaryon as a consolation prize for Rhaenyra and the Velaryons. He surprises everyone, especially himself, when he decides to shed his libertine ways and try to be a good husband. If he has to choose somebody to whisper in his ear and tell him how to act like a competent crown prince, he would much prefer his pretty wife over his curmudgeonly grandfather.

Title:

House of the High Stag by HouseDayneLover4ever

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Instead of being married to Cersei Lannister, Robert married Lady Lynesse Hightower. Prince Rickard is ambitious, with the wrath and temperament of a Baratheon, and the pride and ambition of a Hightower. Personal glory and the will to etch his name into history drives him. Princess Layla possesses beauty and wit, but wants to choose her own path.

a tempest, a cyclone, a goddamned hurricane by Dialux

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

There's nobody named Lyarra in Winterfell, according to her father; the last person who bore that name was his mother, and she was buried decades ago.

Sansa speaks to her the next week.

[Sansa can speak to ghosts, and this changes everything.]

Title:

Kingdom by the Sea by crossfirehurricane

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"Lyanna stole a glance over at Robert, who lay on his back panting, smirking. It is all unlike before, she notes. Rhaegar was gentle. He treated her like glass, careful not to push too hard or press upon her. But then, that was their first and only time. But what if they had done it again? How much different would it be? What if she had run with him, like he asked?"

Lyanna Stark refuses to run away with Rhaegar, and instead accepts her fate as Robert's wife. A glimpse into a universe where difficult choices are made, and those who make them are faced with the differences they make.

#14 Best Crack Fic (13 entries)

Title:

The Savior of Ice and Fire by Lawkeeper

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"They have named me the prophesied hero of legend and song and I shall bring the Dawn. The Prince that Was Promised who shall save all the pathetic little people of the world." Prince

Baelon Targaryen said. His mother Queen Lyanna and father King Rhaegar the Wise always told him so. The rest of his family was useless. Aegon was weak. Rhaenys a whore. Viserys dull as a rock. His destiny was leaps beyond anything they may accomplish. He was the Savior of Ice and Fire.

Uncle Viserys laughed tears. "We are doomed."

"Don't laugh I'm your savior!" Baelon hissed. "You'll see and shall regret your doubt." Rhaegar Wins AU.

Title:

The Road to Victory by writing as tracey

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Too late in preparing for the Night King and the Long Night, the last stand at Winterfell is close to falling. Bran takes desperate measures to ensure victory, and Jon, Sansa, and Arya pay the price for it in a time unfamiliar to them, on the cusp of another war. [GoT, time-travel fix it]

Title:

A Bastard and his Dragons by Golden_Moon_Huntress

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

We all know how the story goes. Jon hatches eggs and raises dragons.

A lot of them.

Just so many, actually.

His siblings, of course, find this hilarious.

Title:

a gift from the future to the past by Sawsomethingdumbish

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Everything was going accordingly to the plan and the Greens were about to have the Iron Throne in a couple of moons.

Were.

Because the most important piece of the board changed sides in the last minute

Title:

The Seven Hells of Sam Tarly by Sploot

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Each time Samwell Tarly died, his consciousness drifted on to a new reality.

I do not own these characters, but take full responsibility for how I have twisted them.

An actual review: Hilarious and, at times, surprisingly deep. Not for Sam fans.

Title:

Ad Meliora by GrandBother

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

In which Jon was a (jaded) reincarnated dragonlord, his wife was an inconsistent airhead, his entire brood of children were reincarnated ancestors, and no one ever allowed him a peaceful life of a hermit. Or, perhaps he was a closet ambitious man from the start, and he just never knew it before. At the very least, he ushered in an Age of Gods and Monsters, so hypocritical greed aside, disconcerting wife aside, creepy all-seeing children aside, he did some good in the world.

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The Crown's Secrets by BecauseBraime

Rating: Mature

Summary:

After living through the Long Night and battle for the iron throne in 305ac, Bran changed events in 247ac to guide the living down a different path. A path that would place House Targaryen of Tarth on the throne and see Brienne crowned as queen. Secrets, alliances, and cunning kept a madman from ruling with fire and blood, but as new threats emerge to the east and north, the crown must find a way to defend the kingdoms. For generations the crown kept secrets to protect their own, but now those secrets must protect the realm.

Title:

Bobby B Saves The Day by Daemon Belaerys

Rating: Mature

Summary:

This is what happen when Bobby B Saves the Fucking Day

Title:

A Clever Plan by Rummy cat

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Tyrion devises a clever plan to get himself out of marrying Sansa Stark.

Title:

<u>Daemon Targaryen's Handbook to Managing Stepdaughters by PresidentHades</u>

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Or: Rhaenyra's first three children are all girls sired by Laenor, and Daemon meets karma when his stepdaughters form attachments with his Hightower nephews. And why is he the only adult concerned that Joff has a never-ending supply of curse tablets?

Title:

five people who didn't believe Ned Stark for one second about Jon's paternity and one who did by janie tangerine

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

in which Jon actually does look like a Targaryen but Ned still insists it's his bastard son. Good thing the one person who should believe it, in fact, does.

Title:

Queens in Hell by Sploot

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Anne Boleyn and Catherine Howard go to hell. Hell hath no fury like a woman beheaded.

Title:

A Helpful FAQ by Siamesa

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

In a world where Renly Baratheon accidentally spent the War of Four Kings on vacation in Dorne, surviving King Stannis's small council meetings takes a clear understanding of people and politics. Luckily, he's here to provide both... or so he thinks.

[Second half finally up. Welcome to the North.]

#15 Best Time Travel Fic (18 entries)

Title:

A life redux by Narea

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daemon awakes after his death a week before his wedding to Rhea Royce quite determined to escape that fate at least in what he believes is his afterlife.

Title:

Fire and Fury by AbandonedBy

Rating: Mature

Summary:

After his death, Robert is sent back to the time of his birth, but, as a girl. Years later, Robetha Baratheon is betrothed to Prince Rhaegar Targaryen, when she discovers the existence of a new Prince, by the name of Maekar. But there are far more mysteries to this prince than those which meet the eye.

Title:

Memories of tomorrow by Writing as tracey

Rating: Mature

Summary: At the base of a heart tree north of the Wall, Benjen Stark's nephews and nieces appear - older than the children he knows in Winterfell - bitter, cruel, and biting. A pack divided but with horror on their lips and blood on their hands. Their past is a nightmare, and despite how the Stark siblings lick at their individual wounds, the lone wolf dies but the pack survives - and they need to become a pack again if they want to avoid the mistakes of their pasts in the new future they have been offered.

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The Young Wolves Reborn by DBBlackfyre

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Robb dies at the Twins. Jon dies at Castle Black. The Old Gods woke too late, but all is not lost. In a final gambit against the Great Other, they send the brothers back in time, before their family was rent asunder and their lives became hell.

Title:

"My first self-indulgent Stannis fan-fic" by Berzabat

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

Dying a meaningless death, the King Who Cared receives a second chance. Can he change things now?

Or

After many months craving Stannis fanfics, I decided to do my own Time Travel Fix it

Title:

Someone You Knew in Another Life by Spreta Invidia

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When Unwin Peake killed his queen, Aegon knew it was time to die.

After the death of Jaehaera, Aegon decides to end his life. But instead, he's offered a chance to go back to a point in time where he may be able to change fate: the fate of his parents, his family, and his kingdom.

And of the dragons themselves, but Aegon didn't think about that part.

Title:

Curse of the Old God by Kumquat90

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

He sighed and collapsed into his armchair. Even from across the room, she could feel in her bones the putrid smell of ale on his breath. "I don't want to. I have to."

"What?" she asked

He had a dead look in his eyes. If she didn't know better, she may have been speaking to a living corpse. "I can't win. I can't escape. I can't scheme my way out. The Old Gods have cursed me to do this over and again, on until there's nothing left to lift the sword. I shatter myself against the walls, on and on, until it's over or I've gone mad in trying to do the impossible. The only escape is death, and I can never die."

Title:

Be careful what you wish for by IronicallyPresent

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Finding himself in the period of the dance of the dragons, Jon Snow must deal with the people of this period, and their reactions to his existence. Misunderstandings are made, and revelations about schemes on an otherworldly scale are revealed.

Title:

Resonant by Syndrossi

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The Others have been defeated, and Jon Snow can finally set aside duty for the shattered remnants of his family.

Then he wakes in the Vale as seven-year-old Jon Redfort, fifteen years before the Dance, with a twin brother who looks like Daenerys and also remembers a different life.

(Or: A study in Daemon Targaryen becoming increasingly feral about the two bastard sons he didn't know he had.)

(Or: Jon has two dads, and one is his twin brother who is five years younger than him. This makes sense, I swear.)

Title:

Robert Reforged by Spr2k19

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

King Robert I Baratheon had a mountain of regrets in his final moments. It took dying to lift the veil from his eyes so he could really see what he had become. He did not know what to expect of the afterlife, but he most certainly did not think he would be charged by the gods, old and new, to go back and fix the mess he had created and to prepare the coming darkness.

Title:

Shrouded Destiny by GladiusX

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Song is sung, and the Dawn is won, but the victory is bittersweet, and the cost is too high. Yet there is little that could not be done with magic if you were willing to pay the price. Dues are paid, fates are changed, and even destiny itself is covered with a shroud. AU + Time travel. Or alternately:

The Battle for the Dawn is won, but everyone Bran knew was dead, so he throws a tantrum of epic proportions and drags Bloodraven into tossing unsuspecting and just freshly killed Jon Snow back into the past by sacrificing themselves. Messing with time makes ripples in the timeline, and some things are not the same.

Title:

A Slip Through Time by tm writes

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

A thoroughly modern woman, Sansa Stark is obsessed with ancient history - and more specifically House Lannister and the Great Lion himself. What happens when she finds his sigil

ring, in the ruins of Casterly Rock and the visions and bond that springs up between them? Can these visions help Tywin during the time of upheaval in Westeros, as rebellion and war rage across the seven kingdoms?

And what happens when tragedy strikes Sansa again, and she suddenly finds herself back in time, alone and with Tywin Lannister as the only person she has any connection with?

Title:

Daemon Snow by ChellevPam

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

He had never truly believed in gods or in hells. Had never really given much thought to what happened after you died.

He certainly had not expected to reborn into a new life. Into a Westeros that barely resembled the one he'd left behind when he'd met his nephew over the Gods Eye.

Title:

Through the Raging Flames: The Gold Rises by revraereads (tamarr)

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aegon had been burnt by his brother, crippled by his cousin, and murdered by allies, all for a crown that he never wanted. He had murdered no children, yet his were taken from him. He had killed no dragons, but Sunfyre was maimed and forced to die in pain due to his loyalty to Aegon. His family had lied, schemed, and manipulated, leading to his ruin. All Aegon knew was that they would all pay.

Time-Travel AU where Aegon wakes in the Year of the Red Spring, forms his faction, fights for the throne, and makes his family pay.

Title:

Shielding their Realms Forever by Longclaw 1 6 and GreedofRage

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The consequences of success will always collect their due. Westeros shall learn that ignorance to prophecy will not be treated lightly. But what if the events that unfurled were part of it this whole time?

Title:

Perennial by FenceSittersAnonymous

Rating: Mature

Summary:

After drinking the poison Jamie Lannister gave her, Olenna Tyrell wakes up in her bed in Highgarden in 292 AC. Armed with her memories, decades of experience in political manoeuvring and her razor-sharp wit she sets out to ensure that, this time, House Tyrell Grows Strong.

Olenna Tyrell has always been a force of nature and this time around everything is going to be different.

Title:

The Dragon's Roar by Priestess of Groove

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Humanity failed to stop the Night King and his legion of undead until it was too late. The displeased Gods decide it should take a greater role in the fate of humanity and wind back to a time before the world fell apart. Jon Snow, the Prince Who Was Promised, and Jaime Lannister are sent back to prevent The War of the Five Kings and unite Westeros under a single banner to avoid a terrible fate. Even with the advantage of hindsight, things never go as planned

Title:

if you try to break me, you will bleed by Dialux

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

It had been a slash across her chest from a White Walker's sword that finally ended her life. Sansa'd landed in a puddle of her own blood, and she'd died quickly, quietly.

And then she'd awoken with a gasp, trembling, in a bed that had burned under Theon's betrayal.

#16 Best Romance Fic (10 entries)

Title:

The Hounds of Harrenhal by golightly

Rating: Mature

Summary:

[Longfic! Canon compliant except for the fact that Sansa is now Robb's fraternal twin. The story begins in 302 AC, making Sansa 19 and Brienne 21.]

After Jaime's death, Brienne takes over the Hound's helm and persona in her grief. To restore his honor and legacy, she resumes her mission to find Sansa; along the way, she enters a tourney at the Eyrie as the Hound to win some much needed coin to continue on through winter. At the Eyrie, Lady Alayne Arryn begs the stranger in the Hound's helm for help escaping a doomed marriage.

Brienne temporarily sets aside her mission to help the lady escape north to reunite with her family. Petyr Baelish then announces that the Hound has abducted Sansa Stark, who has been in disguise as his bastard daughter Alayne, and advertises a large reward for her safe return. All this as Tyrion uses his previous marriage to Sansa as an attempt to take the Vale for the mountain clans and Daenerys, ultimately leading to a second dance of the dragons as the Long Night looms over a years-long winter.

Soon all the singers of Westeros would sing of Harrenhal's Hounds, their witch queen, and the "abduction" that started it all - but life is not a song. In this story, it is far sweeter.

Title:

the still after the storm by trulyunruly

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"The face of Cersei's husband is as frozen as the forest around them. The swords of the Rebellion have left the kingdoms torn open and red with blood but the North has been spared. Untouched, her handmaiden had sighed when they first stepped out of the walls of Winterfell. Cersei had said nothing. Not untouched, she had thought. Cold. Colourless. Barren.

Yet it is this cold, colourless, barren wasteland that is to be her home now."

Title:

ever fallen in love (on national TV)? by Ganymede elegy

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

When Robb signs her up for The Bachelor, she nearly goes into an Arya-level rage blackout.

When she learns why he signed her up for The Bachelor, she actually does. She manages to throw a (poorly aimed) bagel at his head at Sunday breakfast (to Arya and Rickon's delight and her mother's horror) before she realizes what she's doing.

"If you love Jon Snow so much, why don't you apply to go on?"

or, Robb signs Sansa up for reality TV because his favorite football player has been (reluctantly) wrangled into being the Bachelor

Title:

Where the mountains bend by falteringstar

Rating: Mature

Summary:

During their attempted escape from the wildlings' eyes, a raven crows at an inopportune time, causing Jon Snow to flinch and lose his footing on a cliffside. He falls on his sword hand and shatters his fingerbones. In lieu of better options, Qhorin Halfhand kills him and gives himself over to the other side.

To Mance, who knew him once.
Title:
Who You Love by Baamon5evr
Rating: Teen and Up
Summary: Ned reflects on love and his family throughout the years.
[Or in which all the Starklings fall in love with people they shouldn't and it causes Ned a few wrinkles and gray hairs.]
Title:
Of Ribbons and Barbarians by SainTalia
Rating: Explicit
Summary: The North is starving. The King is unwed.
Terrible rumors circle the lands. Terrible wars. Terrible kings. And none more terrible than the White Wolf himself.
And Sansa Tully, by her family's will, would be his loyal bride.
(Or: In a world where the Targaryens never came to Westeros, the game of thrones rages on.)
Title:

we're men of snow (we melt one day) by SomeEnchantedEve

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When Brandon dies at the start of the Rebellion, he leaves behind his wife Catelyn and infant son Robb. Much to Catelyn's chagrin, it falls to Ned to come to Winterfell and help his good-sister raise the next Lord of Winterfell.

A pre-series AU.

Title:

Sing the Sun in Flight by Rummy_cat

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

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Title:

A life redux by Narea

Summary:

Daemon awakes after his death a week before his wedding to Rhea Royce quite determined to escape that fate at least in what he believes is his afterlife.

#17 Best Canon ship in a Fic (6 entries)

Title:

Emancipation by Narea

Ship: Daemon/Laena

Rating: Mature

Summary:

It's 110 AC when Lady Laena Velaryon, acting as a courier to the Stepstones for her father, decides to embark on an affair with the Rogue Prince, changing the fate of kingdoms.

Title:

A Battle Unwon, A Life Unlived by Narea

Ship: Daemon/Laena

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Daemon loses his life in the Battle of Gods Eye but wakes again.

Warning: Is critical of Viserys I and Rhaenyra. Definitely not friendly to the Greens either.

Title:

Remember The Time by NoOrdinaryLines and Northernlights37

Ship: Jon/Dany

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Daenerys injures herself, only to find that the life she wakes up to is not a life that she knows. She has lost nearly twelve years of memories and must struggle to find her way back to the truth, to remember the life she's always wanted but cannot recall. But still, she cannot help but wonder if any of it is even real.

Title:

yours, in your gifted hands by deweydecibelsystem

Ship: Myriah Martell/Daeron II Targaryen

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Cousin Baelor returns from Dorne with Uncle Aemon and an idea - perhaps this Daeron will have better luck in Sunspear than the last did.

Daeron, for his part, hopes to do well in Dorne. Surely it cannot be any worse than King's Landing.

Title:

From fire we shall rise by Walkingpottergirl14

Ship: Jon/Dany

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Sons of the Harpy have taken over the Great Pyramid. Daenerys is nearly killed by a former slave master when Ser Barristan comes to her aid, saving her life. Instead of continuing down a long-path of regrets to try and gain peace, while one of her dragons is missing and the others are locked up, her most-trusted protector comes up with an idea - travel to where the last Targaryen is, Maester Aemon, and get his advice on what to do. When they arrive, Daenerys meets acting Lord Commander, Jon Snow. And from there, the world will never be the same.

The Darkness of Days by Walkingpottergirl14

Ship: Jon/Dany

Rating: Mature

Summary:

He put a dagger in her heart. She died. End of story. Or was it? The Gods decide that there's more to tell, more to save, and more heartbreak to follow in the story of Daenerys and Jon's lives, starting with new revelations right outside their doors. (Fix-it Fic, obvious spoilers for the show

#18 Best Non-Canon ship in a Fic (19 entries)

Title:

A life redux by Narea

Ship: Daemon Targaryen/Gael Targaryen

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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Title:

Alone in the world by Narea

Ship: Jon Snow/Margaery Tyrell

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When Stannis dies shortly after Jon Arryn, Jon finds himself the new Lord of Dragonstone. Will the game remain the same, with an unexpected, though reluctant, participant?

Title:

The Hounds of Harrenhal by golightly

Ship: Sansa/Brienne

Rating: Mature

Summary:

[Longfic! Canon compliant except for the fact that Sansa is now Robb's fraternal twin. The story begins in 302 AC, making Sansa 19 and Brienne 21.]

After Jaime's death, Brienne takes over the Hound's helm and persona in her grief. To restore his honor and legacy, she resumes her mission to find Sansa; along the way, she enters a tourney at the Eyrie as the Hound to win some much needed coin to continue on through winter. At the Eyrie, Lady Alayne Arryn begs the stranger in the Hound's helm for help escaping a doomed marriage.

Brienne temporarily sets aside her mission to help the lady escape north to reunite with her family. Petyr Baelish then announces that the Hound has abducted Sansa Stark, who has been in disguise as his bastard daughter Alayne, and advertises a large reward for her safe return. All this as Tyrion uses his previous marriage to Sansa as an attempt to take the Vale for the mountain clans and Daenerys, ultimately leading to a second dance of the dragons as the Long Night looms over a years-long winter.

Soon all the singers of Westeros would sing of Harrenhal's Hounds, their witch queen, and the "abduction" that started it all - but life is not a song. In this story, it is far sweeter.

Title:

Ensnared by Ruessite

Ship: Jon/Meera

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Title:	
Jon Snow grows up as the bastard of Winterfell. the Lords of the North to come to Winterfell and centers his life and it's never quite the same.	•

A Banquet of Blood and Blades by havenlyd

Ship: Aegon III/Barba Bolton

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aegon Targaryen, third of his name, had never thought he would dance.

But here he is, dancing with a demon.

After the death of Queen Jaehaera Targaryen, King Aegon III Targaryen chose Lady Barba Bolton of the Dreadfort among the many ladies who attended the ball. Little did he know that his choice would alter the course of his life and revived the fire and blood in him.

Title:

Royal Flush by astolat

Ship: Tywin/Cat

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Robb Stark had swept his entire hand of cards off the table, and Tyrion couldn't see how to make a single play at all.

Title:

The Crownless Again Shall Be King by kebabeater1

Ship: Jon/Rhaenys

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Jon Snow goes East instead of North, and the Game changes.

A wolf in Essos, Targaryens plotting their restoration, and a chance meeting that alters the Song of Ice and Fire forever

Title:

Wedded (It Rhymes With Bedded) by AmunetMana

Ship: Theon/Robb

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Northern Lords have concerns about sending the Greyjoy boy back to his family, with no certainty of his allegiance. Robb comes up with an unconventional solution.

Title:

A Song of Magic by Titosch

Ship: Ashara Dayne/Uzumaki Naruto

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Something went wrong in the battle. Maybe it was Kakashi, maybe it was Obito. He didn't know. Now none of them were here any more. He didn't know what was going on in this empty, barren world. He'll figure it out anyway. And in the process maybe he'll help save the world too. (Or: When a High-Magic Shinobi meets a Low-Magic world, the world tends to win. At least at first.)

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Our Fathers clad in red by Gwenllian and Aifsaath

Ship: Baela/Aegon II

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The Dance of the Dragons is over and Rhaenyra Targaryen is dead, but Aegon II Targaryen's throne is far from secure. With enemies approaching and rumors swirling of a plot to replace him with Rhaenyra's son, a badly injured Aegon II Targaryen must somehow unite a deeply divided realm and convince his lords that he is still capable of being king. To do this, he makes a plan to marry Baela Targaryen, daughter of his most hated enemy.

Title:

All Kings are Beautiful by Gwenllian

Ship: Baela/Aegon

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"Master yourself, Aegon," his mother said. Despite the harsh words, her voice had softened slightly, and he wondered where she'd found that scrap of sympathy when her kindness was usually reserved for Helaena or Aemond. But then, he'd just been given life-altering— no, life-shattering— news, and he supposed his mother's own life had been shattered once or twice before. "Get dressed. Clean clothes, please. Try to look presentable, and not give your father reason to question his recent decisions." She touched his arm and he looked up at her, his vision blurry with stupid, sudden tears. "It's an honor. He chose you over her. Remember that. We'll be waiting for you in the king's chambers."

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Title:

Sing the Sun in Flight by Rummy cat

Ship: Sansa/Aemond

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

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Title:

A Clever Plan by Rummy cat

Ship: Sansa/Bronn

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Tyrion devises a clever plan to get himself out of marrying Sansa Stark.

Title:

Everything by FenceSittersAnonymous

Ship: Jon/Rhaenys

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aerys decides four Martell hostages are better than three and orders that Lewyn Martell stay in Kings Landing with his niece and her children.

And so, Amory Lorch and Gregor Clegane find themselves in for a nasty surprise because instead of one Martell, they face two. Everyone might have thought Elia Martell to be frail, sweet

and kind but they forgot one thing: she's a Martell of Dorne. All she needed was the opportunity to prove that she was Unbowed, Unbent, Unbroken - and her uncle gave her that, and more.

Or: In which Aegon and Lweyn still die, and Robert Baratheon unwittingly enables two Targaryen children to be raised by the Red Viper's sister in the safety of the North.

Title:

High Tide by Tertius711

Ship: Corlys Velaryon/Viserra Targaryen

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Corlys Velaryon is a man of legend. He has begun a new Age of Enlightenment and Exploration, of revolutionary new ideas, and incredible innovations that have made travel at sea faster and more profitable than ever before. But progress is not without consequences. In this changing world, can Corlys continue to guide House Velaryon to its promised high tide?

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Title:

The Wrath of Brothers by PsychVamp

Ship: Jon/Jeyne

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Robb knew that everything was going to change when he called the banners. If the Lannisters wanted a war, he would give them one, but no one wants to fight a war alone. His father used to tell them "When the snow falls and the white winds blow, the lone wolf dies but the pack survives." The pack was broken now but there was one member he could bring back from frozen isolation. Together, just maybe, they could save the others as well.

Title:

As Daylight Melted into Eve by fashi0n

Ship: Fem!Jon/Stannis

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Johanna Snow and Stannis Baratheon have reached an accord and are fumbling their way through marriage and parenthood. Pity the rest of Westeros has to get involved in both.

Sequel to 'Be Not Afeard'. Second in the series.

Title:

The Pack Survives by astolat

Ship: Robb/Talisa Maegyr/Others

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

There is a land of the living and a land of the dead and the bridge is love, the only survival.

—Thornton Wilder

#19 Most interesting plot (9 entries)

Sunrise and Moonlight by AverageLucas

Rating: Explicit

Summary: Aemma Arryn was to be a Queen, her daughter, a Princess.

Those words had surrounded Rhaenyra for the entirety of her short life. She had never paid them much mind, even as age and maturity led her to understand her station as a bastard. In the Vale, living within the relative solitude of the towers of the Eyrie, Rhaenyra was satisfied; she had her mother, Syrax, and her Uncle Daemon regularly visit.

It was not to last.

Aemma passed away, uttering the name of the man who had abandoned them with her final breath. While in King's Landing, Daemon crowned her trueborn older sister Queen of Love and Beauty for her nameday tourney.

As Rhaenyra lay alone in her bed, an ember began to form – borne out of resentment and grief.

Your mother was to be Queen, you a Princess.

Something had been taken from her, something that was rightfully hers.

Title:

Grief and Glories by KingoftheUzbeks

Rating: Mature

Summary:

King Robert is dead. But Jon Arryn lives.

And now all of Westeros is ablaze. The realm torn between the Lion, the Crowned Stag, and the Burning Stag. The throne must be taken with steel.

The old generation resigns themselves to another round of war. While the youth race towards the glories of battle. Titans will fall. But new heroes will rise.

	And	through	it all,	the	game	goes	on.
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The Shadowchaser and the stormborn by House Blackfyre

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Old powers waken. Shadows stir. An age of wonder and terror will soon be upon us, an age for gods and heroes.

The battle at the Tower of Joy has a different conclusion. The son of Prince Rhaegar Targaryen and Lady Lyanna Stark is raised by the last surviving member of the Kingsguard, Ser Arthur Dayne.

Title:

stone by stone by Imas5474

Rating: Mature

Summary:

To every thing there is a season, and a time for every purpose under the heaven.

Or,

Sansa gets reborn as Tywin Lannister's youngest daughter, a Lioness of the Rock. She gathers the necessary stones to build and maintain peace and, sometimes, hurls them to kill her enemies.

But all actions have consequences, for good or worse.

Title:

Divine Intervention by Eff Dragonkiller

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When Jon Snow died again in the still white world of the far north, he didn't expect to be given a quest. But who was he to reject the Old Gods? If they wanted him to save his toddling brother and put the world on a better path forward, then Jon would do his absolute best.

...No one, not even Jon, was prepared for his best to go quite so successfully.

Title:

The Storm King by JeanJacquesFrancois

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Loras frowned at the boy, completely bemused. "Why would you be frightened of Lord Renly?" he laughed.

The boy grew pale. "Why would I not be?" He turned his face up to Loras' rather stubbornly. "I've heard that if you say his name three times, it summons a storm. He appears behind you with a clash of lightning."

Loras just smiled. He wondered whether he should bother telling the boy that that was the worst description of Renly he'd ever heard.

Title:

The Kings Who Cared by SomeRandomWeirdGuy

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A chance meeting in Braavos leads to Young Griff setting his sights on the opposite end of Westeros. When two would-be kings answer the Watch's call, each with his own claim and prophecy, the Seven Kingdoms face a very different future.

(Eventual Aegon VI/Stannis team-up)

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#20 Best Characterisation of a Character in a Fic (14 entries)

Title:

Fire and Fury by AbandonedBy

Character: Aerys II Targaryen

Rating: Mature

Summary:

After his death, Robert is sent back to the time of his birth, but, as a girl. Years later, Robetha Baratheon is betrothed to Prince Rhaegar Targaryen, when she discovers the existence of a new Prince, by the name of Maekar. But there are far more mysteries to this prince than those which meet the eye.

Title:

The Empire of the Black Dragons by AdmiralBreetai and TheShadowKnows

Character: Rhaella Targaryen

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

Maesters have dubbed it the Second Targaryen Golden Age.

It has been a century since the reign of Daeron, the Second of His Name. A hundred years of peace and prosperity, conquest and ascent, yet--

It ended in fire and blood. It ended in madness.

Following the death of Aerys the Mad, a Blackfyre now sits upon the Iron Throne. Daemon the Great has ruled an empire larger than any since the mythical Age of Dawn.

Nine years an alliance of Stark, Arryn, Tully, Baratheon, and Blackfyre has kept the peace.

Nine years the long summer of Daeron the Good, and Daemon Blackfyre after him, has survived past its false autumn.

But seasons change, and all ages come to an end.

Title:

Valongar by Brightflamed

Character: Viserys I Targaryen

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Ser Jaime finds the courage to face his fathers troops and rescues Princess Rhaenys from a certain death, changing the fate of House Targaryen forever.

How will Westeros change when the princess finds herself a brother in the Tower of Joy and refuses to let go?

How will the Lannisters cope, when they find themselves prey to not only northern wolves, but the sun's sons and the dragons?

How will Westeros deal with a Jon Snow, who's not held back by his supposed bastardry?

Title:

The Union by Chss

Character: Sansa Stark

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

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Title:

What Becomes of Dragons by NatNine

Character: Elia Martell

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Eliana Sanchez finds herself is the uniquely disastrous position of waking up as Princess Elia Martell during the sack of King's Landing. She could have been Cersei. She could have been Sansa. She could have been Shae. At least she wouldn't be minutes away from her and her children being horribly killed by the Mountain. And even if she gets away from him... what then? (Elia SI)

Title:

In the dragon's eye by Poptop1698

Character: Alicent Hightower

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The Dance of the Dragons is over. Alicent Hightower has been confined to the holdfast, both a queen and a traitor all at once. She has been left to ponder her mistakes and failures, and according to many whispers, she is slowly going mad. One day she receives an unexpected visitor who will force her to revisit her past and her feelings for her childhood friend.

Title:

A True Name by iKnowTheWay

Character: Catelyn Stark

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The one in which Catelyn makes a vow to The Seven regarding Jon Snow But it's the Old Gods who intend on making her keep it.

Title:

Ghosts of Dragonstone by FaePorcelain

Character: Visenya Targaryen

Rating: Not Rated

Summary:

Rhaena Targaryen, daughter of King Aenys I, firstborn grandchild of Aegon the Conqueror, is remembered in Westerosi history as a bitter and brooding recluse, reduced to one of six wives of Maegor, sister to the great conciliator king. But under the guise of history written by the victorious men lies a woman scorned, forced to fight for a throne ripped from her hands from the moment she was born.

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Title:

Enduring the storm by Paladinus

Character: Stannis Baratheon

Rating: SB fic, unsure on rating

Summary:

The noose draws tight around Storm's End, and Stannis Baratheon. But a young man not Stannis wakes in his place, and must navigate the deathly serious realities of war and politics in a land unfamiliar to him, while keeping tight hold of both castle and Stannis' people. No one ever said life was easy, and if they did, they were lying.

Title:

The Golds by PresidentHades

Character: Aegon II Targaryen

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Marriage is complicated when you're second-in-line to the Iron Throne, your family's love language is violence, and you're growing the most important baby in Westeros inside you.

Or: Princess Jacaera Velaryon quickly finds herself pregnant after her wedding, but that won't stop her from waddling neck-deep into the Red Keep's politics. Meanwhile, Aegon distracts himself from his mild codependency on his wife by exploring a new hobby that takes him into the bowels of King's Landing.

Title:

Scream against the storm by Perfidious Albion

Character: Stannis Baratheon

Rating: Mature

Summary:

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-- Euron Greyjoy, A Feast for Crows

A three-eyed crow appears in your dreams. It tells you wild tales of a great icy threat from the far north, and promises you some strange power--to be a 'greenseer'--to thwart them. You must. "Fly or die". Because winter is coming.

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The story of Stannis Crow's Eye begins.

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The Sticking-Place by deweydecibelsystem

Character: Joanna Lannister

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Tywin dies, Joanna grieves.

Cersei triumphs, Joanna glories.

Title:

That for Destruction Ice by Darkmagyk

Character: Lyanna Stark

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

The Lady of Winterfell is unmarried but not a maid. She stalks around the keep and the grounds with the same grey eyes as Lord Rickard before her.

She sits in the great hall and hears petitions with the same steely look on her face that Lord Brandon had done when his father was away.

She trains in the yard now. To be a woman of war. The turn of her lip just as Lord Eddard's had once been, determined and dutiful.

And in all these things, a boy trails after her, learning, watching with the same grey eyes.

#21 Best Overall Prose in a Fic (6 entries)

Title:

A Falcon of Summer by Lawkeeper

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

At Riverrun in the one night before marching off to war with Robert Baratheon, Jon Arryn sires a son with Lysa Tully. Jasper Arryn is an untested green boy, a lord of summer, but when the king who sits on the Iron Throne commands him to hand over his wards, history repeats itself. As High as Honor!

Title:

The Winter of Widows by laughingnell

Rating: Mature

Summary:

When she awoke to a new life in Westeros, Ursula Mires nearly did the smart thing. Only a year away from becoming sworn to the Faith as a septa and being free to live in relative comfort and safety in one of the more prestigious Reach cloisters, she was content with her lot in life. Her advice, slowly fed to her father over many years, had enabled her family to survive the Dance and rise in station. House Mires had its legacy secured, until tragedy struck early that winter. Now Ursula is heir to a floundering House she does not want, in a war-torn land that she must drag out of the mud. Many ladies are in her position in what maesters would later call 'the winter of widows'.

Only Ursula knows what is coming next, and she's not sure if her house will survive it.

Title:

The Prophet from Maine by JustHereForBookmarks

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A man from modern day America wakes up to find himself in Westeros, years before the show's start. As a fan (and to an extent, realist), how will he act according to the future he knows is coming?

Title:

1968 by Inthedayswhenlandswerefew

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Aemond is embroiled in a fierce battle to secure the Democratic Party nomination and defeat his archnemesis, Richard Nixon, in the presidential election. You are his wife of two years and wholeheartedly indoctrinated into the Targaryen political dynasty. But you have an archnemesis of your own: Aemond's chronically delinquent brother Aegon.

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Title:

I lack the patience to haunt / Instead, I hunt by Dwellingondreams

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"I dance in dangerous fables, walk a woods with trees white as bone. It's always winter and I'm always pressing my face against something warm with blood." - Yasmin Belkhyr, 'Blizzard'.

"Men die," Barbrey tells her, bone-white with anger, eyes flashing. "Men die, Donella. Should Stark's boy not sire a son on you, and if the Bastard has the Dreadfort-,"

"You speak as if Robb Stark were in fragile health," Nell rolls her eyes. "You're being paranoid."

"Willam was in excellent health until he rode off to his death at Ned Stark's side," Barbrey hisses. "Do you think he did not promise me we would have children and a long life together before he left? Do you think he did not promise to come back to me? You cannot know what the future might bring. My lord husband survived a war only to die in Dorne. Men and their promises are not your safety nor your refuge. Land is. Power is. Never forget that."

(In which Nell Bolton contends with both her mother's bloodstained legacy and her father's bloodthirsty bastard, and along the way claims a beast for a bridegroom.)

#22 Best Worldbuilding in a Fic 6 entries)

Title:

The Oath of Crowns by MonsterWolfD84

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Before the conquest Aegon had a dream. Within the dream he foresaw a future where Westeros was destroyed. A warning within the dream showed the path to Westeros salvation. The Dragon and Dire Wolf must stand together against the approaching darkness.

Generations later Aerys, trusting his sworn brother above all others travels north to speak with Rickard Stark. There he sets in motion events that could either save or destroy his House.

Title:

Guns of Dragonstone by LeBAMF

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Strangers have come to the shores of Westeros and Essos strangers with strange weapons. Weapons that kill with fire and smoke, that kill without honour. The War of Five Kings will be changed forever by this new weapon from across the seas. A weapon that will change the rules of warfare forever. Gunpowder.

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Title:

DRAGONS REBORN: The Era After SI by Drkest

Rating: General Audiences

Summary:

Aerys Targaryen was one of the most revolutionary kings in the Targaryen dynasty. He changed the course of history. However, few know that the man was a dreamer.

PS: The premise of this story deals with the world left in the wake for the death of a self insert. (In this case Aerys Targaryen)

Title:

Scream against the storm by Perfidious_Albion

Rating: Mature

Summary:

"When I was a boy, I dreamt that I could fly. When I awoke, I couldn't... or so the maester said. But what if he lied?"

-- Euron Greyjoy, A Feast for Crows

A three-eyed crow appears in your dreams. It tells you wild tales of a great icy threat from the far north, and promises you some strange power--to be a 'greenseer'--to thwart them. You must. "Fly or die". Because winter is coming.

In our world, that crow flew to Bran Stark and, perhaps, to Euron Greyjoy. What if it flew to someone else?

"Sacrifice... is never easy. Or it is no true sacrifice."

The story of Stannis Crow's Eye begins.

Title:

i will burn with a light of my own by Dialux

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Visenya swore a vow to remain until the one she loved the most could move on, Bloodraven had told Sansa. Rhaenys was never lesser than her.

[What do you do after you've saved the world? If you're Sansa Stark, the next steps are simple: steal a cup from a Dornish noble, burn it, and return home. But Targaryen secrets run deeper than Sansa ever imagined, and she has none of her dead to help her now. The road ahead will be hard and dangerous, but Sansa has her irascible cousin, family secrets, and new friends to keep her steady as she forges ever onwards.]

#23 Best Fic Series (11 entries)

Title of the Fic Series:

The Empire Of The Black Dragons by AdmiralBreetai, Mountain_Of_Apes, the ham_that_was_promised (throwhardest), TheShadowKnows, Vritai Kridanik (AdmiralBreetai) (formally known as A Saga of Dragons and Wolves which is what it will be on the google form)

Number of fics within Fic Series: 4

Rating: Between Not Rated to General Audiences

Series Summary:

Set in an alternative and very different universe to the original A Song of Ice and Fire, this series will chronicle the lives, trials, and tribulations of the characters you know and love and others you may hate.

For this is the song of Robb Stark, Eddard Stark, Robert Baratheon, and Lysa and Catelyn Tully, of doomed Lyanna and Mad Aerys, of bloody weddings and dark shadows in cold winds. Of Dragons and direwolves and Knights and their common-born levies that, in another song, only Septon Maribald seems to care about.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series: The Empire of the Black Dragons, The Years of Blood and The Empire of the Black Dragons: A Knight of the Seven Kingdoms

Title of the Fic Series:

into the dragonverses by Alperez

Number of fics within Fic Series: 2

Rating: Not Rated

Series Summary: N/a

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

Jon Snow and the Dragonverse of Madness. Book One: The Conquest and Jon Snow and the Dragonverse of Madness. Book Two: Everybody Dance Now

Title of the Fic Series:

winter's sun by trulyunruly

Number of fics within Fic Series: 2

Rating: Mature

Series Summary:

In which Robert Baratheon weds Catelyn Tully on the eve of rebellion while Cersei Lannister, the rising sun of Casterly Rock, is sent to the far North to marry Ned Stark and become Lady of Winterfell. In consequence, the fates of these two women, the people they love, and the game of thrones are changed forever. But winter is coming, as it always will.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

The Still After the Storm and On Troubled Waters

Title of the Fic Series:

Ossuarium by eldtricher

Number of fics within Fic Series: 90

Rating: From what I checked as a sample- General Audiences to Mature

Series Summary:

There isnt a summary for the series but there is this from the author:

Sets:

- I. The formal cycle ends on Soon the light on Olympus. From Catullus 62 & Liszt's symphonic poems.
- II. 2nd cycle, Peregrine to Coda. Ends in a coda.
- III. 3rd cycle, Carnarium to Empyrean. Ends in an encore.
- IV. Epilogues, Cilice to Schism. Morning closes what Caraxes began.

More: Rubicon

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

Soon the vine to elm, Soon the boy and Soon the burning youth

Title of the Fic Series:

Brother of Wolves by Golden_Moon_Huntress

Number of fics within Fic Series: 26

Rating: General Audiences to Teen and up

Series Summary:

When Jon was very young, and very lonely, he wished he had some siblings that looked like him, so he'd never be alone.

Then his siblings Cregan and Sara came to him, and together the three baffle everyone that comes into contact with them.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

Snow's Pack, Worries and Tooth, Claw, and Salt

Title of the Fic Series:

fate chose me and you by sekhmettt

Number of fics within Fic Series: 10

Rating: General Audiences to Teen and up

Series Summary:

Eddard Stark saves Elia Martell and her children, and everything changes for it.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

this is how it begins, i can see you wanna take my hand and we can make a family

Title of the Fic Series:

Home by thewolvescalledmehome

Number of fics within Fic Series: 9

Rating: All Not Rated

Series Summary: n/a

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

I'll make this feel like home, Lights will call you home and Home is next to you

Title of the Fic Series:

A Wolf Among Lions verse by Kallypso

Number of fics within Fic Series: 2

Rating: Teen to Mature

Series Summary:

Arya Stark is discovered by Tywin Lannister at Harrenhal and taken back to King's Landing. This chance encounter changes everything, not only for Arya, but for the Starks and Lannisters as a whole.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

A Wolf Amongst Lions and A Pride of Wolves

Title of the Fic Series:

A House Full of Daughters by PresidentHades

Number of fics within Fic Series: 10

Rating: Teen and Up to Explicit

Series Summary:

Set in an Alternate Universe where Rhaenyra's first three children are all legitimate Velaryon girls.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

Daemon Targaryen's Handbook to Managing Stepdaughters, The Golds and Compromise and Being Compromised

Title of the Fic Series:

to bow and make history the victor by Dialux

Number of fics within Fic Series: 2

Rating: Teen and Up

Series Summary:

Sansa Stark can see ghosts. The world is not quite ready for what she does with that ability.

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

a tempest, a cyclone, a goddamned hurricane and i will burn with a light of my own

Title of the Fic Series:

War Without End by Wardown

Number of fics within Fic Series: 3

Rating: General Audiences to Explicit

Series Summary: N/a

Highlight of some fics within the Fic Series:

Fire on the Steppe, The White Flame and Northern Feudalism

#24 Best Modern AU (8 entries)

Title:

lounge act by Ganymede elegy

Rating: Mature Summary:

Sure, he deals to rich kids all the time. Bored suburbanites with too much time on their hands and too much money, looking for a little bit of excitement. They're Jon's bread and butter.

But there is something off-putting about it being her.

Sansa Stark.

Title:					
Atomic Brunette by Sploot					
Rating: Not Rated					
Summary: Gilly had never planned on returning to Mississippi. But the past is never dead. It's not even past.					
Chapter One is also the first chapter of The Seven Hells of Samwell Tarly (you don't have to read that story to follow this one, but you'll be missing out if you don't).					
Now complete. Additional triggers: Abortion. Suicide. Murder. This is not a happy story.					
Title:					
it was a stained glass variation of the truth by MissFaber					
Rating: Explicit					
Summary: They were, now they aren't. But for the sake of their family, they pretend.					
(Or, the one where Jon and Sansa pretend to still be together so as not to ruin Thanksgiving dinner.)					
Title:					
Becoming by TerribleAndRed					
Rating: General Audiences					
Summary:					

A modern au fic about college-aged Cersei Lannister unexpectedly and uncomfortably gaining self-insight, against her own wishes, after fumbling through Intro to Gender Studies and growing closer to enemy Lyanna Stark

Title:

New Year's by Randomnotes84

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Brienne and Sansa meet and exchange a kiss at a New Years Eve party. It turns physical. Is this a one night stand, or could it be more?

Title:

Insidious Intent by MsCFH

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

For years Sansa has been the darling of the Westerosi political landscape. Married to the Treasury Secretary, she and her husband were the country's declared poster couple, fancied by many as the next Prime Minister and First Lady of Westeros.

When Sansa is arrested for the confessed murder of her husband, it rattles the nation. While the entire country speculates about Sansa's motives, journalist Margaery is offered an exclusive interview with her as she awaits trial.

Determined to unravel the motives Sansa remains stoically silent about, Margaery soon finds herself with way more than she bargained for.

Title:

Of Gold and Iron by Kallypso

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

It begins the night of the car crash that took Ned Stark's life. The tragedy leaves the Stark family struggling to pick up the pieces. But Arya knows in her gut that her father's death wasn't an accident, and a clue at his graveside sends her across the narrow sea to learn the truth.

She does not return for three years.

Tywin Lannister finds it more than a little strange that three prominent CEOs in King's Landing died within a year of each other. And when the missing, declared-dead Stark girl shows up in the Lannister manor three years after she disappeared, his suspicions only grow.

A series of strange events suddenly draw the Starks and Lannisters together, forcing them to cooperate for once-or else become victims of a conspiracy they do not yet understand.

Title:

Love Actually (Targaryen Version) by PresidentHades

Rating: Mature

Summary:

(Modern AU.) The Targaryen clan is gathering for their annual Yule celebration. Daemon forgot to buy presents (again), Aegon and Jacaera are bringing the new baby, everyone's hoping Aemond and Lucera don't have sex in the closet (again), and Joff is hiding something (but what else is new?).

Also, Cregan is coming as Baela's date. This is his first time meeting her family, and he is absolutely, totally, 100% prepared for this.

#25 Best Genderbend Fic (9 entries)

Title:

Sow the Tide, reap the storm by WearyBlues

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Theon

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Quen felt peculiar up on the dais, flanked by stags and lions and wolves.

The Usurper had once been a formidable man, with blazing eyes and a massive war hammer. Now, he was just a red-faced fat man, a pathetic drunk who ate as gracefully as a half-starved hog.

His Queen seemed to be a perpetually unhappy woman. Cersei Lannister was as beautiful as the singers said, though the woman had all the warmth of a dead fish.

She might have done well in the north, Quen thought, almost pitying.

(Or: The gods in their blind malice give Theon the feeble body of a woman.)

Title:

Fire and Fury by AbandonedBy

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Robert

Rating: Mature

Summary:

After his death, Robert is sent back to the time of his birth, but, as a girl. Years later, Robetha Baratheon is betrothed to Prince Rhaegar Targaryen, when she discovers the existence of a new Prince, by the name of Maekar. But there are far more mysteries to this prince than those which meet the eye.

Title:

Winter Thorns of Highgarden by Madrigal in training

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Jon

Rating: Mature

Summary:

The knight's supposed to save the princess from the dragon but here, the princess is a dragon, the knight is a bookish lord, and the greatest threat is either the old lady in the blue wimple or the honorable warden with the Ice sword. Because no one thought a second Stark girl would be kidnapped for marriage or that the sensible Willas Tyrell would be the one to kidnap her.

Title:

An Honest Woman by WickedTheRedHorse

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Jaime, Male!Cersei

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

If Jaime Lannister was born a girl and Cersei was the eldest son. Also, just for fun, Ser Brien of Tarth

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Jaime had been allowed near no blade after the Whispering Wood. Her wild mane of unwashed curls still glinted gold, her once-fine gown was tattered rags, her face was pale and wasted, yet the woman still had the nerve to be beautiful, magnificent even in chains.

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"Kingslayer... And such a king he was!" She lifted her cup mockingly. "To Aerys Targaryen. And to the sword that opened his throat. People believe that I stabbed him in the back with a dagger having weaselled my way in his bed. He'd have preferred that way, and called me Joanna all the while."

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"Had it been my choice, I would have been the definition of faithful and never have left my brother's side. But we don't always get a choice. You wouldn't understand, you're an honest woman. Most honest women are just lucky. What would you have done if Robert took advantage of you being drunk and alone? He's the king, a big man, your blows bounce off his chest and, should you tell anyone, your husband would behead you himself,"

"Ned would never - "

"Ned would never," Jaime said carefully. "But Stannis would,"

Title:

A Lioness Still Has Claws by WickedTheRedHorse

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Tywin

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

Female Tywin Lannister. Started as a fun what-if and grew from there.

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"That had better be a jape," The cold words were jarring from the pretty ten year old, and caught the attention of the hall immediately. Silence fell. Tytos opened his mouth, but Tya cut him off. "You've betrothed me - your firstborn child - to the second son of the Lord of the Crossing?"

There was a mocking, incredulous note to her voice.

"Well Tya, Lord Frey asked very courteously - it would have been most insulting to have refused him,"

"He asked courteously?" Tya raised an eyebrow. "Is that all it takes now? Should Genna fear being betrothed to the son of that kennel-master knight, if he asks nicely enough?"

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"Why did you have to do this, Tya?" Her father moaned. "Return Lord Walderan to his family at once, with our sincerest apologies! Forgiving his all his debts should be the least we do to make amends,"

The look Tya gave Lord Tytos was fit to reduce him to a pile of ash.

"I was planning on returning Tarbeck to his family in three pieces,"

Title:

Bequeathed from Pale Estates by Author376

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Jon

Rating: Teen and Up

Summary:

In a Westeros where Soulmates are bound and Marked by the Gods to bind Houses together and pay blood debts, Lyarra Snow and Oberyn Martell are about to get a shock...

Title:

<u>Daemon Targaryen's Handbook to Managing Stepdaughters by PresidentHades</u>

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Jace,Fem!Luke and Fem!Joffrey

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Daemon already has two daughters. He can handle three new stepdaughters.

Or: Rhaenyra's first three children are all girls sired by Laenor, and Daemon meets karma when his stepdaughters form attachments with his Hightower nephews. And why is he the only adult concerned that Joff has a never-ending supply of curse tablets?

Title:

<u>Lavender's Blue, Lavender's Green (when I am king, you shall be queen) by</u>
PresidentHades

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Jace,Fem!Luke and Fem!Joffrey

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Aegon is two when he's named the king's heir and betrothed to Jacaera Velaryon as a consolation prize for Rhaenyra and the Velaryons. He surprises everyone, especially himself, when he decides to shed his libertine ways and try to be a good husband. If he has to choose somebody to whisper in his ear and tell him how to act like a competent crown prince, he would much prefer his pretty wife over his curmudgeonly grandfather.

Title:

The Golds by PresidentHades

Character(s) of focus: Fem!Jace,Fem!Luke and Fem!Joffrey

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Marriage is complicated when you're second-in-line to the Iron Throne, your family's love language is violence, and you're growing the most important baby in Westeros inside you.

Or: Princess Jacaera Velaryon quickly finds herself pregnant after her wedding, but that won't stop her from waddling neck-deep into the Red Keep's politics. Meanwhile, Aegon distracts himself from his mild codependency on his wife by exploring a new hobby that takes him into the bowels of King's Landing.

#26 Best Fic Completed in 2024 (7 entries)

Title:

To Forge an Heir by Capulet730

Rating: Mature

Summary:

A series of important conversations between Princess Rhaenyra Targaryen and Lord Lyman Beesbury.

Or

What if Rhaenyra had someone that was willing to help her grow into her role as heir of the Seven Kingdoms?

Title:

Forgiven by Sploot

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

"This is Ygritte the Red Spear," Jon said, loudly. "A wildling from beyond the Wall. Killer of women and children."

"That's right," Ygritte said, leveling Edd's shotgun at Jon Snow. "I've killed women and children. I've killed just about everything that walks or crawled at one time or another. And I'm here to kill you, Jon Snow, for what you done to Gilly's baby. You boys and girls better move away."

Several people standing behind Jon Snow scattered. Fat Walda remained rooted in place.

"All right, ladies and gentlemen," Jon Snow said, moving toward Ygritte. "She's got one barrel left. When she fires that, take out your pistols and shoot her down like the syphilitic whore she is!"

She pulled the trigger, and nothing happened other than a loud click.

"Misfire!" Jon shouted. "Kill the bitch!"

Title:

A Better Fate by tm writes

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

During the war in the Stepstones, Daemon overhears Corlys and Vaemond discussing how to get close to the Iron Throne, including a marriage between Rhaenyra and Leanor.

Upset at their plans for Rhaenyra, knowing Laenor is not a fit husband for his niece, Daemon is determined to change her fate.

Before returning to King's Landing, Daemon detours to the Vale and 'deals' with the issue of his wife. Now free of a wife he never wanted, Daemon is eager to return to the comforts of home. When he does, he can't help but notice how much Rhaenyra has matured in the four years he's been gone.

When he sees how lonely she is, he asks her to go dragon riding, determined to prove to her that he is there for her. Soon, they find themselves on Dragonstone, exploring their ancestral home as Daemon shows her the drawings he's found in the caves below, while she shares what her father told her about the song of Ice and Fire and Aegon's Dream.

Neither one realizes the Old Gods of Valyria are at work and determined to make the House of the Dragon strong once more, they marry on Dragonstone before returning home to deal with the weakened King Viserys and the mess he has made of their great house.

Title:

Red Robb and the Burning of the Riverlands by strangebloke

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Sometimes, the pain only truly begins after you die.

Robb Stark rises alive from the waters of the trident, but this isn't the Robb you knew. His only passion is to wage bloody war on the hosts of the Lannisters and their vassals.

In the far North, Jon Snow receives a letter that will change his life forever, and in the East, Arya's mad dash to Braavos is cut short by an old friend.

Title:

High Tide by Tertius711

Rating: Mature

Summary:

Corlys Velaryon is a man of legend. He has begun a new Age of Enlightenment and Exploration, of revolutionary new ideas, and incredible innovations that have made travel at sea faster and more profitable than ever before. But progress is not without consequences. In this changing world, can Corlys continue to guide House Velaryon to its promised high tide?

Title:

The Dragon's Roar by Priestess of Groove

Rating: Explicit

Summary:

Humanity failed to stop the Night King and his legion of undead until it was too late. The displeased Gods decide it should take a greater role in the fate of humanity and wind back to a time before the world fell apart. Jon Snow, the Prince Who Was Promised, and Jaime Lannister are sent back to prevent The War of the Five Kings and unite Westeros under a single banner to avoid a terrible fate. Even with the advantage of hindsight, things never go as planned.

Title:

The White Flame by Wardown

Rating:

Summary:

A sequel to Fire on the Steppe, beginning a couple of years after that story ended. Ygritte survived the fight at Castle Black.

"My mother desired you, you know". Sansa lay on her bed with Jon. Margaerey was asleep in her cot.

"Seven hells, she hated me!"

"Resented you, rather. She wanted you, but she couldn't have you. She was surrounded by attractive young men, but she couldn't dare run the risk of a pregnancy, outside of the marriage bed. Tell it true, Jon, you wanted her too, didn't you? You'd have taken us both together, if you could."

He hesitated, looking shamefaced. Then he nodded, "I would."

Opt Outs

Lawkeeper is opting out of Best Author as they dont want to be in that one

Juliet_Capulet is opting out of Best worldbuilding, Best Overall fic and Best ongoing due to- 4 category rule

Abandoned By is opting out of Best OC, Best overall

Hismanyoaths opting out of Best Ongoing fic, Best worldbuilding

Laughingnell opting out of Best Ongoing fic, Best OC fic and Best Author

Valonqar by Brightflamed does not fit parameters for Best new fic

Gladiusx opting out of best crossover for their fic- The Dragonwolf

An author of a fic for Best OC did not wish to be part of the competition, therefore I am keeping them out of it

Perfidious_Albion-Scream against the storm- Best Overall fic, Most interesting plot, Best worldbuilding, Best overall prose, Best characterisation of a character (Stannis), Best ongoing

Opting out of Best Overall fic, Most interesting plot due to four category limit

Author who was in four categories, has opted out during the competition and will therefore not receive anymore votes

Goddcoward opted out of Best genderbend fic and best overall prose during the competition

Some issues

I would prefer to try be honest with people and so I will, I accidentally forgot three entries, I forgot them because to be honest there has been quite a lot for me to cover and things fell through the cracks.

I was horrified to find out, let me explain the details of each.

I discovered that I forgot AbaddonKhaleesi on the 4th of December and messaged the author since I ties to them through discord, I then added them into the awards, meaning they missed three days which while not as bad as the other two, it still isnt quite fair.

I discovered that I forgot the fic The Prancing Stag on December 20th and messaged the author on december 21st on Reddit to clear things up

Lastly, I just discovered as of 20:00 on December 22nd that I forgot KojiSan-Game of Thrones: The First Elven King. I have never spoken to this author as their fic was on webnovel and I did not make an account on time. So they were never made aware that the awards are occurring to the best of my knowledge, but that does not take away from the core issue.

For the latter two names, it is obviously way too late to add them into the voting form, given the 20 or so day disadvantage, but I am making the note here, because I feel they deserve to be highlighted, this isnt something I want to sweep under the rug. The awards were extremely stressful, while also being fun and I am extremely proud at the effort put in, it was a hell of an undertaking and it just sucks things fell through the cracks due to the stress and the scale (which I am grateful for in the case of the scale of the competition)

That all said, as compensation, I am going to offer automatic entry for any of those I forgot, into next years competition for two categories. If I forgot anyone else, please make contact, I have been saying this since the day the awards started, but I wont automatically know unless it is pointed out to me.

Also if you would like to help me next year, myself and the mod team would really appreciate it, the more eyes on this to discover mistakes the better, because my eyesight isnt going to magically repair itself by the end of 2025.

So, in conclusion, my deepest apologises to those I forgot, no matter the length of time.

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#1 Best Overall fic (25 entries)
#2 Best Ongoing fic (29 entries)
#3 Best New fic (15 entries)
#4 Best Author (18 entries)
#5 Best Completed Fic (pre 2024) - (19 entries)
#6 Best SI/ISOT (18 entries)
#7 Best HOTD/Dance era Fic (14 entries)
#8 Best Chapter (11 entries)
#9 Best One shot (13 entries)
#10 Best OC fic (13 entries)
#11 Best Original Character in a Fic (7 entries)
#12 Best Crossover Fic (14 entries)
#13 Best AU (16 entries)
#14 Best Crack Fic (13 entries)
#15 Best Time Travel Fic (18 entries)
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- #16 Best Romance Fic (10 entries)
- #17 Best Canon ship in a Fic (6 entries)
- #18 Best Non-Canon ship in a Fic (19 entries)
- #19 Most interesting plot (9 entries)
- #20 Best Characterisation of a Character in a Fic (14 entries)
- #21 Best Overall Prose in a Fic (6 entries)
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