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When joined together, Cinderella's slippers grant the wearer her heart's desire. But whose wish will be granted?

When Cinderella's glass slipper is stolen, Queen Felicia sends her faithful steward Terrance to the real world to retrieve his love and witch-in-training, Bianca Frost. The power of the glass slipper in the wrong hands could ruin peace in Everafter. Bianca must gather every bit of magic she has learned in the past few weeks to find the slipper and protect her new love. Together, Bianca, Ming, Prince Ferdinand, and Terrance venture deep into the heart of Everafter to seek clues as to who has stolen the slipper and why. Along the way, they uncover what happened to the Seven Dwarves after Snow White married the prince, but also learn the awful risk of tampering with black magic and the high price that must be paid for magical aid, even when used for good.

Bianca and Terrance's relationship is put to the test. Through the pain of suffering and loss, Bianca must determine if following her gallant boyfriend into his faraway world is in fact her heart's desire.

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Roxanne Kade says

I was excited to see where DeJesus would take this story after the first book, and she didn't disappoint one bit. This book was just as fun and exciting.

Once again, DeJesus delivers a unique and fresh twist to the classic fairytales I grew up loving and I was fascinated by her imaginative take on things. This story brings us even more magical characters and the new adventure Bianca finds herself on takes her on an exciting journey through Everafter.

Even though I wasn't very fond of some of the characters in First Frost, they all quickly found a place in my heart and my affection for them grew throughout this story. Bianca matured and developed into a wonderful, strong MC. She was a serious force to be reckoned with.

This story upped the ante on everything. The romance heated up (but stayed within the PG13 rating), there was even more action and adventure, with the collision of two worlds and even more evil witches, the magic was more exciting too. I loved every minute of it.

Tanja (Tanychy) St. Delphi/James says

Review also posted at Ja ?itam, a ti?

After reading *First Frost* aka the first book in this series I was both curious and afraid of reading this sequel. *First Frost* was one of the rare retellings I actually liked and I was afraid of reading this one, but I wanted to see more of these characters and the whole world at the same time. I'm glad I gave it a go.

When Bianca returned from Everafter and after all the troubles and mysteries she survived there, it was time to go back to her normal life. Even though, she knew that her life won't ever again be the same. The moment Terrance appeared I knew we are going to go traveling again. Things in Everafter rarely ever calm down and this time there are some evil force trying to take control over it. That's not just the problem for fairy who live there but at the same time for Bianca's family as they have something evil witch needs and there is no stopping her. At the same time Bianca and Terrance must discover their feelings and find a way to work things out.

Glass Frost was everything I expected it to be. It had enough of magic, adventure and romance just like books about faeries should. I'm glad that we could see even more magic in this one and to discover some new parts of Everafter. At the same time Bianca's relationship with her parents is something I enjoyed so much. It's a nicely built relationship.

This book was a nice sequel to *First Frost* and I'm happy that the author presented new elements and new sides of the story.

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Maria says

Review abridged from my book review blog, Reading the Alphabet.

After Bianca makes it back from Everafter, she only has a couple of weeks left before her senior year of high school begins where she will return to being a relative nobody. At least she has her best friend Ming and memories of the young man, Terrance, she left in Everafter with no idea if she'd ever see him again.

Of course she will!

When a door to Everafter appears in her backyard and Terrance is on the other side saying that the Queen is requesting her help, Bianca gears up for a new adventure where she will face new foes and make new friends. Who will they be? You'll just have to read it to find out, but you won't be disappointed.

I continue to enjoy Bianca and her impulsivity as she grapples with the realization that her actions have far-reaching implications in two realms for those here now and also those later. She faces some tough decisions in Book 2 and I liked reading her thought process (or lack there of) as she weighs the options. Terrance is a delight. He genuinely cares for Bianca (and she him), and even though he has a restless broody side, it's alluring rather than domineering which I see often in male characters.

Glass Frost contains even more of the varied landscape of Everafter, which is one of the things I hoped for after reading First Frost. The realm is both beautiful and charming and mysterious and sinister. Add to it a touch of magic and you have a setting that is a character not a backdrop.

Overall, Glass Frost was a delightful and quick read that I think with appeal to the YA crowd and above. It will make you fall in love with fairy tales all over again. I so look forward to seeing what the next year holds for Bianca and her friends, family, and Everafter.

I received a copy of Glass Frost from the author in exchange for an honest review

Christina M Condy says

Now first I must say that this is book 2 in the Frost Series, and I HIGHLY recommend that you read book 1 first. I also must say that one of my favorite stories when my children were young enough for me to read to them was the tale of Cinderella. In fact my youngest Susie, went through a period where she wanted to be called Cindy and dressed in her Cinderella outfit so often she wore it out.

That being said this was nothing at all like what I expected from a Cinderella shoe search! There is a LOT of action in this book, so much so that it will keep you flipping the pages long after you are supposed to be in bed. *fair warning parents this book will suck your child in and you won't get them to bed on time*

Again the Character Creation is fabulous, Bianca is a lovable young lady, Terrance is an interesting male lead and again Ming is just too cute for words. Best friends will follow you to the ends of the world, this one follows Bianca to a new world! How much more besties can they be?

I will NOT go into any details on the story, to do so may slip out a few things that will spoil it, so I will just say I HIGHLY recommend this 5 star read to anyone young or old alike. I think that this story was even more enjoyable than the first book which says something about the Authors talent for writing. The adventures will keep you on the edge of your seat, and will keep you wondering what is going to happen next. I will just say one little teeny tiny thing, I loved the dwarfs and I do so hope we see more of them in future books.

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Iris says

Originally Reviewed at Witchmag's Boekenplank

They say that sequels are usually not as good as the first book. That's definitely not the case here. For me, Glass Frost is way better than First Frost. Cause even though I was quite fond of First Frost, reading that book felt more like being an indifferent spectator. I felt nothing at all for the characters and the story. In Glass Frost, on the other hand, I was sucked into the book from page one. There was not a moment when I felt indifferent. And I definitely had no troubles creating a bond with our four heroes ^^ What a vast and wonderful improvement!

In this book, too, there's a well-thought story that will leave you hanging at times, will keep you on the edge of your seat and up at night. That in combination with the lovely world that Liz DeJesus created, is nothing but amazing. This time we focus on Cinderella, or should I say Helena (always found it a bit strange to have a name like that ;)). We get to know fairies, THE dwarves, a frog Queen and the parents of both Terrance and Ferdinand. There's more info about the "true" Snow White and her adventures. Some truths are revealed and more mysteries are created. Words can't describe how giddy I felt with every new thing that came across my path. I absolutely love this world!!!

It was also great to spent more time with prince Ferdinand, Terrance, Ming and Bianca. They are great persons to be around, although I was a bit disappointed with Ming. Instead of the amazing sidekick she was in First Frost, she became a scaredy-cat, who only thinks about herself. What happened to best friend through and through? Shouldn't they stick together? Nope, Ming flees at the first opportunity she gets. I was NOT impressed.

Bianca, too, had her less than stellar moments. I mean how bad can it be that the curse backfired on you? You DID save your boyfriend and your mom can make something so you'll be normal once again. So who cares that you look like a freak for two days and hides in her room? Not me! I think I'd find it too fascinating to look like that for a while ;) As for the boys, I have nothing but good words for them. Prince Ferdinand is just too adorable for words and will definitely make you laugh with his antics and Terrance is always there to save the day. Yup, no complaints from me ^^ May they always be like that ^^

Conclusion

4 HEARTS. For a change a sequel that's BETTER than the book one. Where we find out more about this amazing world named Everafter. With a stellar story that will keep you reading and four very likable and lovable characters. Even though Bianca and Ming both had moments where I was not so happy with them. A book that I, once again can recommend to everyone who loves fairy tales and Once Upon a Time ^^

Sarika Patkotwar says

Actual rating- 3.5

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I absolutely enjoyed reading First Frost by author Liz DeJesus. My review of the book can be read [here](#) . Even though the book ended pretty well for me, I knew there was more and I was pretty excited to read the ARC of the second book, Glass Frost, sent to us by the author for which I'd like to thank Liz. *Glass Frost* didn't disappointed at all. It was an enjoyable read packed with action, adventure, magic and romance. But yes, I couldn't help compare the two books and the first book remains my favourite. While *First Frost* was all about an introduction to the magical and not so normal life led by Bianca Frost, descendant of Snow White, *Glass Frost* was all about stepping more into the fairy tale world. The Everafter queen wishes to seek Bianca's help in order to find Cinderella's missing slipper. One slipper rests safely in the Museum of Magical and Rare Artifacts run by Bianca's family, but one slipper has mysteriously gone missing. From there, Bianca, her best friend Ming, and from Everafter, her boyfriend Terrance and Prince Ferdinand, set out on an adventure that has you on the edge of your seat. This book was action packed and full of exciting undertakings. I liked Bianca as a protagonist in *First Frost* and liked her even more in *Glass Frost*. She handles dangerous situations very well and is brave and sweet. Her best friend Ming was a blast to have around. I love the loyal and strong friendship between the two where they know each other like the back of their hands. Terrance and Prince Ferdinand were utter gentlemen and it was amusing to see them get confused and carried away by the world in Bianca's time. Terrance is a darling and straight out of a fairy tale while the Prince is simple, funny and very kind. There was a lot of romance between Bianca and Terrance and it was good to see the two get together and express their feelings. Ming and Prince Ferdinand's romance was there too, but very little. The four were a good gang who took care of all the problems they faced. Bianca's mom Rose and her dad David had their own romantic story going on along with the young lovers. I enjoy reading the wonderful relationship Bianca shares with both her parents. A rarity in YA novels these days, it is refreshing and good to see a well-knit familial bond in *Liz DeJesus'* books. The author's writing is simple and very pleasant. It really takes the reader back to the days of Disneyland and fairy tales by the Grimm Brothers and the experience is truly wonderful. Though I did not enjoy *Glass Frost* as much as I enjoyed *First Frost*, I still liked the book and loved getting a more detailed peek into Everafter. I loved digging more into the many magical creatures and stories we've only heard of before. So overall, this was an action packed and thoroughly enjoyable read.

Heather andrews says

I was so glad that another book was made because well I love how Liz writes about the fairyales they always have heart, soul, and they're just plain fun to read! These books always leave me wanting more, I just love the characters and it's just so cute. Bianca sure is a daddy's little girl, "Rose, I don't know how to raise a teenager. If she were seven and asked me for a pony, I'd know exactly what to say and do. I'd go to Walmart and buy a My Little Pony and call it a day. But this?" He pointed to Bianca and Terrance. "I'm still trying to get used to a bed." In this book I'm not sure what couple is cuter, Terrance and Bianca or Ming and Ferdinand. "First things first. We have to see Prince Ferdinand. This morning, he caught wind that you were

both in the castle, and he has done nothing but ask everyone in sigh where Ming is and why hasn't she come by to see him. So we're going to have breakfast together." Ferdinand is a little bit over the top in this book, well more so than the last, "fair Ming!" Prince Ferdinand shouted as he stepped forward. He grabbed Ming, tipped her back, and kissed her passionately on the lips." I wonder if the next installment will be about the Little Mermaid.

Bookworm Betties says

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Erleen Alvarez says

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You know the feeling when you have your favorite flavor of ice cream sundae and it has a lot of chocolate syrup on top of it, and then you add lots and lots of sprinkles, marshmallows and rice crispies to it and then you add some more chocolate syrup again? Well, that’s what I felt when I read Glass Frost. It’s like all the things that I love was put into one. This series right here is the reason why I love fairytales again and it made me love it even more. Glass Frost by Liz DeJesus is the crème of the crop when it comes to fairytale mash-ups.

A week after what happened in First Frost, Terrance came to the mortal world to tell Bianca that the Queen Felicia of EverAfter wanted to speak to her about an important matter. So along with her side-kick/ best friend, Ming and her knight in shining armor, Terrance, Bianca went to EverAfter again to meet the Queen. There she was presented with a mission; to retrieve one of Cinderella’s glass slippers and prevent the other one from being stolen. You see, Cinderella’s glass slippers have the ability to grant its wearer’s desire. That’s why it’s pretty lethal if it went into the wrong hands. And that's the start of another awesome adventure that will test not only Bianca's ability in witchcraft but also her desicion-making skills and her willingness to sacrifice and to do everything in her power to protect the people cared about.

It's evident that Bianca's character here has matured not only in her craft but also as a teenager. She still commits mistakes and dive into trouble head first but she's more responsible now, she thinks about her actions and how it would affect the people around her. She also proved to me once again how brave and selfless she was when she led the bad guys away from the mortal world and into EverAfter to protect her mother.

The rest of the gang, Terrance, Ming and Prince Ferdinand, also got matured especially Prince Ferdinand who showed a great deal of his leadership skills and justness while in their journey. But Ming was not so sure if she can handle the stress of long distance relationship with Prince Ferdinand. Ming was also scared to death of the idea of becoming the next queen of EverAfter especially after she experienced the torture of wearing a corset. Meanwhile, Terrance and Bianca's relationship is still going strong and after what they had

been through in this mission, it's going to be much much stronger.

My favorite part of the story was when Bianca and the others, met three of the seven dwarves. It was a bittersweet meeting. It's twenty different kinds of awesome, if I may use Ming's signature dialogue. But it was also kind of sad because they all waited for Snow White to comeback but she never did because she was captured by Lenore. And when they saw Bianca they thought she was Snow because of their resemblance but they were disappointed when they realized the truth. The way that they talk about the memories that they had with Snow White, makes me so emotional. I can clearly hear the longing in their voices while they reminisce the past and it's really breaking my heart. I'm just comforted with the fact that they will soon see her and that they are eager for that day to finally come.

Overall, this is a really great read! If you love everything about fairytale, you will definitely enjoy this one. And if you think your fairytale belief has died a long time ago, then this book will revive that. I'll certify this as a MUST-READ and highly recommended to everyone.

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Iris says

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Ik heb dit boek gratis en voor niks van de auteur ontvangen in ruil voor een eerlijke recensie. Dat heeft mijn mening over dit boek of de inhoud van deze recensie op geen enkele wijze beïnvloed.

Opnieuw heeft Liz DeJesus met Glass Frost een super leuk boek geschreven. Een boek waarin sprookjes wederom tot leven komen. Waar ze weer een andere wending krijgen en waarin je eindelijk te weten komt wat er na hun happily ever after, of beter gezegd hun happily *in* Ever After, gebeurde. Wat helaas niet altijd is wat je graag had willen lezen, want niet iedereen blijkt een lang en gelukkig te hebben gekregen, ook al verdienen ze het wel...

Oftewel, wederom een zeer pakkend verhaal. Het had me vanaf het moment dat ik de eerste bladzijdes las al in zijn greep om me pas na de laatste letter weer los te laten. Het is gewoon leuk om te ontdekken welke sprookjes deze keer gebruikt worden. Welke sprookjes deze keer een twist krijgen waardoor je ze met geheel andere ogen gaat zien! Daarnaast heeft Liz DeJesus ook zo'n heerlijke schrijfstijl! Ze schrijft heel beschrijvend waardoor je geen enkele moeite hoeft te doen om het verhaal tot leven te wekken. Om je voor te stellen wat er allemaal gebeurd. Ook al wenste ik op sommige momenten dat het anders was. Ik hoef niet met talloze kikkers en slangen en weet ik niet allemaal voor engs geplaagd te worden, dank je ;) !

Natuurlijk was het ook weer heerlijk om tijd door te brengen met Bianca, Ming, Terrance en natuurlijk mijn

persoonlijke favoriet prins Ferdinand! Wat is hij toch een lekkere goofball! Met een ander woord kan ik hem gewoon niet omschrijven! Hoe simpel hij tegen de wereld kijkt.... Ik wou van harte dat ik dat ook nog kon!

Daarnaast wil ik Liz DeJesus een groot compliment geven voor de manier waarop ze Bianca en Ming neerzet in Glass Frost en eigenlijk ook in First Frost. Ter en prins Fer zijn afkomstig uit Ever After en voor hen gelden andere regels, maar de meiden gedragen zich echt zoals je van zeventienjarigen verwacht. Ze zoeken grenzen op en overschrijden ze. Ze zijn totaal niet bewust van het gevaar. Precies hoe hedendaagse pubers zich horen te gedragen :)

Oké, Bianca en Ming krijgen wel meer op hun bordje dan de gemiddelde jongere en het was dan ook leuk om te zien hoe ze daar op totaal verschillende manieren mee om gingen. Ming deinst terug en Bianca gaat onverschrokken verder. Zal wel de invloed van haar over- overgrootmoeder Snow White, oftewel Sneeuwwitje komen :) Ik rolde in ieder geval niet met mijn ogen en moest bijna nergens om zuchten, een grote prestatie, want normaal gesproken heb ik heel weinig geduld voor dat soort fratsen!

Conclusie

Met Glass Frost heeft Liz DeJesus een opnieuw een heerlijk verhaal geschreven voor sprookjesliefhebbers. Ook anderen nodig ik graag uit om deze serie te proberen, want met Bianca en haar vrienden is het heerlijk vertoeven in Ever After!

Kaitlin Bevis says

My Review: Full disclosure. I'm a jerk. I begged Liz DeJesus for a copy of Glass Frost, and she was nice enough to send me an advance copy. So why am I writing a review months later? Life got crazy at the end of last semester and I am, just this week, caught up from being behind on an entire semesters worth of stuff. Somehow this amazing book kept getting pushed to side in favor of my never-ending to-do list.

Not today!

If you haven't read First Frost, and you like fairy tale retellings, go read it. It's a cute book with an amazing concept. All the fairy tales are real? Well, yeah, that's a given, but this is actually even cooler than that. All the fairy tales are real, AND there's a fairy tale museum that has artifacts from all the original stories; A glass slipper, a lock of Rapunzel's Hair, a brick from the house of the third little pig. And they sell Princess gear and have a story time. Liz, I'm telling you, open this museum. I will buy an annual pass and take my three year old there every day for story time.

What Bianca Frost, daughter of the owner of the museum, doesn't know is that all artifacts are real and they are all magic.

Anyway, she figures all of that out in book one, so go read that book.

In this book, Bianca is back, along with her friend Ming and the handsome boys from Fairytale land. There was much more action in this book than the last one. Liz strikes this amazing tone between nostalgic fairy tale you might have heard as a child, and young adult romance. The story does land more on the young end of young adult, so rest assured, this book is a clean read.

The ONLY thing I didn't like about this book, and I had to dig deep to find this, is the Ming thing. I love Ming. But if I was Ming's mother, I would be furious with Bianca's mother. Rose (Bianca's mom) was not going to let Bianca go visit the Ever After because it was too dangerous. Bianca eventually talks her into it, and Rose lets her go on one condition. Her unmagical, completely defenseless (whose parents think is visiting disney land) human friend go with her. I think it would have raised the stakes and made for better tension if Ming snuck along.

But that is probably just the mom in me. I love that Ming is there. She grounds the story and frankly, I identify with the girl who got scared and went home more than the girl who faced impossible odds. I like and look up to Bianca, but I think it's great that Liz provided us with a female character who isn't weak, but isn't death defyingly strong either. In a post-Buffy world, the "Strong female character" has become the norm. And while that's great, and it sends a good message, not everyone is strong. Not everyone is THAT brave. And it's okay. Ming isn't a weak, shallow, or one dimensional character by any means. She feels like a real person. She's still a likable character even.

I like that Bianca has parents and friends and a life outside of her romance. She may be in a fairy tale but she has a life too. If you like fairy tales, check out First Frost and Glass Frost. You won't regret it.

Becky says

I read and really enjoyed book 1 in this series last year and hoped to get more from the characters so I was pleased when Liz contacted me again for a review, I of course said yes!

We are back with Bianca Frost - quick recap - Bianca's mum runs the museum of fairytale artifacts, most come for fun not believing any of it is real but all of the items actually really belonged to a fairy tale character from history- Red Riding Hoods Cloak, Snow White's Poison Apple etc. Bianca now has a Link with 'Everafter' the world of Fairytales and after solving one catastrophe there she is home and hoping for some quiet time.

In walks Terrence - her potential boyfriend who lives in Everafter, he has come to take Bianca back there, one of Cinderella's glass slippers has been stolen and the magic in them can be very powerful and dangerous in the wrong hands.

Although it has been quite a while since I read book 1, everything came back very quickly, in fact the story stayed with me very well and I could still picture the museum etc before I even started reading again.

It was like going back to a place you love but haven't been able to visit for a while, most things are familiar but there are also some new exciting differences to pull you in further again. You just know you're going to have a great time there.

I liked the plot layout and the story behind the slippers. Bianca and Terrence make a great duo and really carry the story. I liked the interlude of humour from Prince Ferninand too, gave the book a real funny element as he is such a likeable character.

We meet some new characters in Everafter - some of the 7 Dwarves, Bluebell a fairy with attitude and the Frog Queen. The world really takes shape and feels like you are stepping through the pages and journeying with them. The imagery in the writing carries you in and builds everything up.

I found myself desperate to pick up the story again to know what happens next. It took me a little bit longer to read as it was an ebook which always slows me down, but it couldn't quell my enjoyment!

Looking forward to more from Bianca and friends. Hope Liz has more up her sleeve for this series.

Deb says

Great job Liz! Another page turner. No cliff hanger at the end of this one. However, things happen that you don't see coming. I can't wait for the next one. As I have stated before I'd love to see a movie from these books. If not a movie, what about a TV series? Just saying.

Richa says

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Glass Frost is a fantastic follow-up to First Frost! I liked the first book well enough, but I loved this one. There is more depth to the characters, lots more action, and some very hilarious scenes! I honestly cannot wait for the next book in this amazing series. I've always loved fairy-tale retellings, but a series set in a fairy-tale world? That's just awesome! I loved reading this book even more because I recently watched the first two seasons of Once Upon a Time. If you're a fan of that show, this is definitely for you.

Bianca is finally safe at home with both her mother and her father, whom she rescued from Everafter, the fantasy land. But Terrance, her boyfriend (who lives in Everafter) shows up at her house, and things start to get interesting. The queen needs a favour from Bianca, but no one knows what it is. Bianca travels to Everafter with Terrence and Ming, her best friend, and find themselves in the middle of another adventure with Prince Ferdinand. There's loads more magic in this book, and we learn more about all of the characters as well as about Everafter.

It's really cool to see how much Bianca has grown from First Frost. She's accepted the fact that she's an incredibly powerful witch, and the descendant of Snow White. She still jumps head-first into trouble, despite the warnings she's given. But I love her bravery and stubbornness. She's very adventurous, but also very wise. She's rational, and I like that she makes good decisions. Bianca is one of those YA characters that you can't help liking and relating with. She's not annoying, she's not whiny, and she's not stupid. And there are very few YA heroines I can say that about! Bianca is really smart, and her quick thinking usually saves her from some terrible fate.

I loved how prominent Terrance is in this book! We didn't see that much of him in First Frost, but in this one, his relationship with Bianca really grew. He's sweet and funny, and just so freaking lovable. And of course, really skilled too. I love how much he cares for Bianca - it's evident every single time he interacts with her. Bianca can always feel safe with him, because that's the kind of vibes he gives out. He's definitely not your typical YA guy, but I love him.

Ming has always been an awesome best friend to Bianca, and I wish there was more of her in Glass Frost. In First Frost, she seemed to be really into the adventure, but I guess one was enough for her, because she's really reluctant to go back to Everafter. Despite the fact that Prince Ferdinand is there. He and Ming had really hit it off in First Frost, and there's definitely a lot more between them in this book. But Ming kept running away from it! She doesn't think it can last, and I didn't like the fact that she was hurting Ferdinand by doing so. He's amazing, and he deserves someone who will always be with him.

Speaking of Ferdinand. He's absolutely hilarious! Nothing like a prince at all. He's like a teddy bear, he really is. Of course, he's tall and strong and all princely-looking, but he's very immature. But he has a really kind heart. Everyone can see what a good king he would be. I love his bromance with Terrance - it's epic! They're best friends, always together, and always watching out for each other. Oh, and there's a part where Bianca brings these two back to the mortal world with her, and I loved all the scenes where normal

technology awed them so much!

“And I will be able to have a conversation with you from anywhere in the world?” Terrance asked.

“That’s right,” David replied.

“Incredible. And it will sound clear, as if we were standing next to each other?”

“Correct.”

“Amazing.”

Prince Ferdinand sat on the floor playing with the DVD player. He laughed every time he pushed the open/close button. Terrance sat beside him, doing a poor job at stopping him.

“Why is the little square man under water?” he asked, and a tiny spray of food flew out of his mouth, behavior not fitting of a prince.

“Because he lives under the sea,” Bianca replied as she sat on the couch.

“In the pineapple?”

“Yep.”

“Fascinating,” he replied and turned his attention back to the TV.

Okay, those may have been too many quotes to share, but come on, they're absolutely hilarious! Especially in context. As you can obviously tell, the last one is about Spongebob Squarepants. Anyway, the quotes just basically reiterate my point about how awesome these two guys are.

I know I've been focusing almost fully on characters in this review, but I can't help it. They're what makes this book so awesome! But the plot is also definitely amazing. There's a hell of a lot of danger in this one. People almost die, some actually do, and there's fighting and suspense everywhere. There are some very intense moments, and some lighter ones. I love the balance in this book. Everything is paced really well, and on the whole it's great. Liz, I'm eagerly awaiting the third book!

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