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12 stories told from different perspectives that have to be read between book 2, Fire Falling, and book 3, Earth's End.

The order of point of views are:

- \* Fritz
- \* Aldrik
- \* Elecia
- \* Aldrik
- \* Fritz
- \* Reale
- \* Emperor Solaris
- \* Jax
- \* Daniel
- \* Baldair
- \* Tim
- \* Erion

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## From Reader Review Tales from the Front (Air Awakens, #2.5) for online ebook

### Elise Kova says

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<http://elisekova.com/tales-from-the-f...>

Happy Reading :)

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### Bianca {Until The Last Page} says

It was a nice and fun read, seeing things from different perspectives. I liked Daniel and Aldrik's tales.

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### Kristalia says

#### Final rating: 3/5 stars

Thank you, Elise Kova, for these alternative POVs. I'm glad to see these stories, especially Fritz ones - the best. Whenever I read books with only one character having POV, I start to wonder what it would be like to see the things from the someone else's perspective.

Definitely read between book 2 and 3. It's a material you might want to read because it gives more insight into things in between.

Also, Aldrik's POV. Enough said.  
And Baldair's.  
And Daniel's.

#### ? REVIEW(S) RELATED TO THIS BOOK:

? Air Awakens (Air Awakens, #1)

? Fire Falling (Air Awakens, #2)

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### Erika (The Nocturnal Fey) says

Reading this in chronological order, everything makes a lot more sense. \*nods\* Yes, yes. \*nods\*

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## Austine (NovelKnight) says

This very short novella from the Air Awakens series falls after Fire Falling (book 2) and before book 3, Earth's End. If you've kept up with the series so far, you'll know that the books are told from Vhalla's point of view but this novella looks inside the minds of some of the other characters as well as a few new ones that appear in the next book.

To be honest, compared to the main series, I didn't think this was really up to par but it was interesting to get brief glances into other characters' heads even if I didn't necessarily think it was adding much to the story.

There are spoilers from the end of Fire Falling in this one y'all but I'd also say you don't need to read it to start the third book. It helps fill in some blanks since it starts a little before the end of Fire Falling and ends a bit after the beginning of Earth's End.

And since it was from different character PoVs, I'll just go right down the list in the order they appeared!

We start off with Fritz. I love Fritz. He's an adorable smol cinnabun who loves Vhalla like a sister and is truly the best of friends. He worries so much over her and I think she needs that level of caring in her life.

Then there's Aldrik, the big cinnamon bun. You get to learn that he's dealt with a lot mentally (and physically) and it's taken a huge toll on him. I don't think I realized how dark his thoughts really were until I got to look into his head, and it makes his character what he is. But he's also changing for Vhalla (in the good way, not the changing-just-to-sleep-with-her way, and you can see that too.

Oh, Elecia. I really wasn't a huge fan of her character to start but my opinion changed slightly seeing how much she actually admires Aldrik and wants the best for him, making her previous actions seem more sensible, or at least more relatable. I think I'll like her in the future books.

Back to Aldrik again and oh gods THAT SCENE from his perspective... If you've read Fire Falling I'm sure you know the one I'm talking about. His love is so strong and it's crazy but beautiful.

More Fritz! I love his faith in Vhalla and his general optimism, which I don't see that as often in fantasy

We then meet someone new, Reale, who definitely knows something and seems like she has some sort of skill...I'm intrigued...will we get more of her in Earth's End???

Hey look, we get to read the mind of Emperor Solaris. He's such a dick, but there's something more at work, I feel like...

Okay Jax. I need more. I have a feeling he plays a big role in the future and I'm so ready for that.

Poor, poor Daniel. I feel for him, truly, and sometimes I think he would be the "safer" choice but I also love our dear Fire Lord so the ship struggles are real.

The younger brother. Despite whatever is between the brothers Baldair loves Aldrik and means well by him, and I love that he wants those under his command to fight as a family/team, to work together instead of against each other (not standing for the politics of it all).

Tim is so sweet. Poor doppelganger girl, thrust into someone else's life and then cast aside and lacking purpose. I hope she gets her own adventure.

Another new character? Erion, you sneaky bastard getting Baldair drunk. He seems like a bit of a gossip but also good natured and likely means well so will see how that plays out in the next book.

Okay, so while I had a LOT (surprisingly) to say for only 42 pages, this is a short novella. You don't need to read it and don't expect the same level of storytelling and writing as you would from the main books but it's by no means bad. And I think it definitely adds to the time break between books 2 and 3. Would definitely give it a go.

This review originally appeared on NovelKnight Book Reviews

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### **Muse-ic ? says**

2.5

My feelings towards this novels are nonexistent.

It was so boring that I simply don't care.

It wasn't bad, I just wasn't hooked or interested.

I started reading it, then I just skimmed the rest of it.

There were approximately 10 characters, and to each one, no more than five or six pages were dedicated.

Most times not even five or six pages. They were each so short and nothing exciting happened within them to fill the space between the second and third books of this series.

They were the types of narratives that gave away no secrets. The series is from Vhalla's perspective, told in the third person.

The sections dedicated to each character in this novella displayed personalities and thought processes that we already figured out from Vhalla's observations.

Seeing from their minds was nothing new, so I don't feel like it added any significant dimension to the series. Meh.

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### **Elise ✕ a.k.a Ryder's Pet ✕ says**

Aldrik <3

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### **ambreads says**

Such an interesting snippet of stories. It's always interesting to get perspectives bar the main character!

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### **Maud says**

Used this to pass the time until book 3 came out, loved it!

One of these short stories totally changed my opinion on one of the characters which I think just shows you how amazing Elise Kova is!

### **Felicia says**

Nice short little story with multiple POVs of people Vhalla has met throughout the book. It was said that this book needed to be read in between book 2 and 3 and that is 100% true.

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### **Minni Mouse says**

Welp, now we know why Elise Kova didn't write the *Air Awakens* series from multiple points of view -- she's not terribly good at it.

That just left me confused...so we're going to move on and pretend this one didn't happen...

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### **Valerie says**

Aldrik's pov breaks my heart a little, Reale's story broke my heart a lot, Emperor is still a bastard and world's biggest douche, Jax and Erion are baes, Baldair is precious <3

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### **Christine Wallflower & Dark Romance Junkie says**

[Aldrick falling to his death. (hide spoiler)]

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### **Daiane says**

This novella tells us the story from different POVs. It's a nice to have (read) but to be read between book 2 and 3 I thought it was kinda confusing. Specially after book 2 ended with such a cliffhanger that makes us run to get the next book, if you just go and read this one it kinda spoils things.

In addition, for me some POVs were kinda useless. Sometimes I didn't even know who was narrating as the characters would be only formally introduced in the next book. So sometimes, whatever they were talking, I couldn't care less.

Other characters just made me dislike them a little bit... More...  
Still, it was a good insight of their minds. But I couldn't help myself. Sorry.

*"The girl is surrounded by fire. You're setting yourself up to get burned."*

I really hope you keep that in mind Sir.

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## **Didi says**

This very short novella gives several different pov's between books 2 and 3 of the series. It's available only off the authors website.

It was short, so that's good. I say that because I don't know if it was 'necessary' to read. Gave us some behind the scenes stuff, but stuff that didn't seem to have any major impact. Anyways, doesn't even matter! Because book 3, here I come!!

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