

What's a legend, except a history told slantwise?

These are stories about the world as it wasn't quite, but might have been, or might still become. A world where the mundane hides magnificent secrets—and radical transformation is the only way to survive.

Stretching from ancient, blood-soaked battlefields to roadside attractions off I-70, these stories are filled with shape-shifters, ghosts, mermaids, and magic. They're about the people caught in the mean jaws of history: the women and workers, the soldiers and monsters, the lost and forgotten.

But these are the stories about the ones who got away—the ones who defected and dissented, who ran and tossed a match behind them.

Most of all, these are stories for anyone who ever wanted more.

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