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# Renegade Star: An Intergalactic Space Opera Adventure



## Synopsis

Jace Hughes is a Renegade. That means taking almost any job that comes his way, no matter the situation. So long as he can keep his ship floating, he's free to live the life he wants. But that all changes when he meets Abigail Pryar, a nun looking for safe passage out of the system. A Too bad there's something off about the cargo she's carrying. Jace knows he shouldn't ask too many questions, but when strange sounds start coming from inside the large, metal box, he can't help but check it out. Big mistake. To make matters worse, he's being pursued by unknown ships--people who want that cargo. Does Jace give up the goods and hand over the nun...or does he risk it all for an even bigger payout? Experience the beginning of a sprawling galactic tale in this first entry to A The Renegade Star series. If you're a fan of A Firefly, Battlestar Galactica, A or A Leviathan Wakes, you'll love this A epic, space opera thriller. Warning: This book contains action, cussing, and general badassery. Read at your own risk. Renegade Star Series: Renegade Star Renegade Atlas (October 2017) Renegade Moon (November 2017) Renegade Lost (January 2018) Renegade Fleet (February 2018) Renegade Empire (March 2018)

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## Customer Reviews

This is a 5 star book marked down to 4 stars for vulgar language. I get it; I really do. Jace is a renegade, a crude outlaw. Nevertheless, the language could be toned down. Great characters, great plot, lots of action and mysterious threads running through the story! I really enjoyed this book.

This was my first book by this author and it won't be my last. Fantastic writing. Love Jace's attitude and snark.

From one of my Favorite authors!!! He can do no wrong in my eyes, I got hooked with the Variant Saga series and look forward to reading "Their Solitary Way" as well as more of this series. While the Variant Saga was really about the journey of a specific character and small group, who he met along the way as he was brought into another world; this one is an epic space opera with lots of action, team bonding and yes, shooting. If you like space wars, butt kicking Nuns, an innocent little girl that is wanted by half the universe for corrupt, greedy reasons, a Renegade who is fighting to save her and justice being metered out with no mercy... this is for you. You will not be disappointed. I promise. (and see if you can find a small similarity to the little girl in waterworld...not a spoiler!)

Renegade Star takes place in a distant future in which humanity has solved the problem of faster-than-light travel to colonize large parts of the galaxy. Much like the westward push of early American settlers, Mankind's growth into uncharted space has created a Wild West of semi-lawlessness and it is against this backdrop that we are introduced to Jace Hughes, a type of mercenary known as a Renegade. Jace profits from the ambiguous and uneven rule of law but in this, the first of a series, we watch the character grow and learn to function in his world in a different way. While some stories in the genre would shy away from character development entirely, or at least within the first entry of a multi-part journey, Renegade Star offers this in no short supply. Jace, Abigail, Freddy, et al. are simultaneously introduced and developed organically as the world and narrative are built. All of this within 300 pages thanks to tight, focused writing. If you enjoyed Firefly, are a fan of space adventure, or are just fond of westerns, you'll find something to like here.

If you like Firefly, Battlestar Galactica, Cowboy Bebop, or Old Man & the Sea, this is

the book for you. I seriously could not put this one down! Jace, Abigail, and Lex are now my favorite scifi gunslinging anti-heroes. This series has officially kicked off with a BANG and I'm ready to see where it goes next! Will we find out more about Lex? Will we learn more about Earth? Can someone tell me where I can get that Foxy bobblehead on Jace's dashboard? I need it in my life!

This reminds me of how Han Solo would have been in his early days. It's a fantastic, fast paced adventure tale that doesn't hold back in any way. I love how it started out kind of light and got dark and heavy at the end. This is a complete story, but it left me dying to know what happens in the next book!

Jace Hughes is a hired gun, known to steal, loot, smuggle and even kill if the price is right; a true renegade in the galactic system. In debt for a hundred thousand credits and only two weeks left to pay, he's in deep. A job escorting a nun carrying food and medicine off the planet, sounds like easy money. But the moment he meets Abigail Pryar, he knows she's lying about the cargo she's carrying. The discovery of the true cargo is extremely dangerous, but provides a payout that would be worth it - if he survives. Between the Union ships and marauding ravagers after him and the cargo he's carrying, there's a very good chance he won't. J.N. Chaney's newest novel is a rip-roaring adventure that's a cross between a space opera and space thriller, with a captivating array of characters. Action-packed and full of suspense, RENEGADE STAR is a wildly fun-filled read that will captivate its audience from the very first page!

I received an e-mail from letting me know that "Renegade Star" is out in paperback I immediately ordered a copy. I really enjoyed Mr. Chaney's "Varient Saga" and knew this book would be good. Some ways it reminds me of "Guardians of the Galaxy" with how one of the villains behaved as well as a touch of "Star Wars". It's enjoyable reading and I am looking forward to the next book in the series.

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