

SIX OF CROWS

by Leigh Bardugo

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Rating (0 stars is the absolute worst, 10 stars is the BEST BOOK EVER)



Genre(s):

Contemporary

Action/adventure

Science Fiction

Fantasy

Romance

Horror

Mystery

Nonfiction

Historical fiction

Other: _____

Six of Crows is a book that I thoroughly enjoyed reading and is now one of my favorite books. This book starts in the fictitious city of Ketterdam, a crowded trade city perfect for thieves and pickpockets. It focuses on Kaz, a well-known thief who seems to be able to slip out of impossible situations. In Kaz's first scene, he demonstrates his sneaky abilities with his gang, the Dregs. When Kaz is asked to go on a seemingly impossible heist for an unthinkable amount of money, he forms a team full of criminals, outcasts, runaways, and sharpshooters. Their adventure allows the team to bond, and the relationships feel very authentic, as there are many rough spots along the way.

I was very captivated by this book, and I couldn't put it down! I usually take a liking to mystery, adventure, and fantasy books, and this one was definitely one of my favorites. I would recommend this book to most people that enjoy reading books with many different character and story plots, and how they all weave together in the end. This book also shows different perspectives, as each chapter focuses in on one of the six main characters.

Six of Crows had a nice story pace, development of characters, and character backgrounds. When you read this book, you will feel as if you are in the Grishaverse along with the characters. You may also feel the feelings of the characters. Several times throughout the book, I felt the sadness, anxiety, and joy of the characters along their journey. Overall, this is why I loved reading Six of Crows and why you should read it too.

By Eamon C, 8th grade