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J.M. FREY SIGNS THREE BOOK YA FANTASY, THE SKYLARK'S SAGA

September 10, 2015—THE SKYLARK'S SAGA is a three-book YA WWI alt-history fantasy from author J.M. Frey. Scheduled to release in 2017 from REUTS Publications, The Skylark's Saga combines the militaristic steampunk of Scott Westerfield's *Leviathan* with the espionage of Gail Carriger's *Parasol Protectorate* and rebellion of Marie Lu's *Legend* Trilogy. Suited for a 16+ audience, this gripping series features a PoC protagonist and centers on the morality of vigilantism, the burden of power, and what it means for the poor and downtrodden when the nobility play at war.

"The Skylark's Saga is the story of seventeen-year-old Robin Arianhod, a flight mechanic with uncanny luck who's been raised in the shadow of war. But after unexpectedly becoming the first female Glider pilot, Robin's luck fails. Targeted by the Coyote, a ruthless enemy dishonorably picking off crippled airships and retreating soldiers, she finds herself shot down and forced to seek shelter behind enemy lines. The only way to survive—and finish her mission—is to don a disguise containing the mystical rocket pack she stole from the Coyote and become the infamous Skylark. Told with Frey's signature ability to subtly weave social commentary into adventure, The Skylark's Saga tackles issues of racism, classism, and the grittier side of heroism in a soaring tale that asks readers to look at the morality behind the vigilante."

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