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Renegades
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The Renegades are a syndicate of humans with extraordinary abilities who emerged from the ruins of a crumbled society and established peace and order. As champions of justice, they remain a symbol of hope to everyone...except the villains they overthrew. Nova has a reason to hate the Renegades, and she is on a mission for vengeance. As she gets closer to her target, she meets Adrian, a Renegade boy who believes in justice and in Nova.

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Sky Without Stars
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Chatine is a thief who will do anything to escape the brutal Regime, including spying on Marcellus, the grandson of the most powerful man on the planet.

Marcellus is an officer. Groomed to command by his legendary grandfather, Marcellus begins to doubt the government when he discovers a message that only a girl named Alouette can read.

Alouette is living in an underground refuge, where she guards and protects the last surviving library on the planet. But a shocking murder will bring Alouette to the surface for the first time in twelve years.

The Splintered Silence
by Kayla Olson
YA FIC OLS
Lindley assumed she'd captain the Lusca one day, but she never thought that day would come so soon. And never like this—struggling to survive every day and figuring out how to communicate with Earth. When a member of the surviving second generation dies from symptoms that look like the deadly virus, Lindley feels her world shrinking even smaller. The disease was supposed to be over. But as more people die, Lindley must face the reality that either the virus has mutated or one of their own is a killer.

Skyward
by Brandon Sanderson
YA FIC SAN
Driven almost to extinction, the remnants of the human race are trapped on a planet that is constantly attacked by alien starfighters. Spensa, a girl living among them, longs to be a pilot. When she discovers the wreckage of an ancient ship, she realizes this dream might be possible—assuming she can repair the ship, navigate flight school, and persuade the strange machine to help her. Because this ship appears to have a soul.
**Aurora Rising**
*by Amie Kaufman*
*YA FIC KAU*

The year is 2380, and the graduating cadets of Aurora Academy are being assigned their first missions. Star pupil Tyler is ready to recruit the squad of his dreams, but he's stuck with a cocky diplomat with a black belt in sarcasm, a sociopath scientist with a fondness for shooting her bunkmates, a techwiz with the galaxy's biggest chip on his shoulder, an alien warrior with anger management issues, and a tomboy pilot who's totally not into him. But Ty's squad isn't his biggest problem—that'd be Aurora, the girl he rescued from inter-dimensional space.

**Contagion**
*by Erin Bowman*
*YA FIC BOW*

After receiving an urgent SOS from a work detail on a distant planet, a skeleton crew is dispatched to perform a standard search-and-rescue mission. But when the crew arrives, they find an abandoned site, littered with rotten food, discarded weapons...and dead bodies. As they try to piece together who—or what—could have decimated an entire operation, they discover that some things are best left buried—and some monsters are totally not into him. But Ty's squad isn't his biggest problem—that'd be Aurora, the girl he rescued from inter-dimensional space.

**Defy the Stars**
*by Claudia Gray*
*YA FIC GRA*

Noemi will risk anything to protect her planet, Genesis. To their enemies on Earth, she's a rebel.

Abandoned in space, Abel's advanced programming has evolved. He wants to protect his creator and to be free. To the people of Genesis, he's an abomination.

Noemi and Abel are enemies in an interstellar war, forced by chance to work together as they embark on a journey through the stars. Their efforts would end the fighting for good, but they're not without sacrifice.

**Diabolic**
*by S.J. Kincaid*
*YA FIC KIN*

Nemesis is a Diabolic. Created to protect a Senator's daughter, Sidonia. When the Emperor summons Sidonia to the galactic court as a hostage, there is only one way for Nemesis to protect Sidonia.

She must become her.

Masquerading in a world of corruption, Nemesis has to hide her true abilities. As the Empire begins to fracture, Nemesis learns that there's something stronger than her deadly force: the one thing she's been told she doesn't have—humanity.

**Heart of Iron**
*by Ashley Poston*
*YA FIC POS*

Found drifting through space with a sentient android called D09, Ana was saved by a crew she now calls family. But D09—one of the last illegal Metals—has been glitching, and Ana will stop at nothing to find a way to fix him. Ana's effort leads her on a quest to steal the coordinates to a lost ship. But at the last moment, an Ironblood boy beats Ana to her prize. When everything goes wrong, she and the Ironblood end up as fugitives on the run. Now their entire kingdom is after them.

**Honor Among Thieves**
*by Rachel Caine*
*YA FIC CAI*

Zara chose life in New Detroit instead of moving with her family to Mars. When Zara commits a crime, instead of going to jail, she is recruited into the Honors, an elite team of sentient alien ships—to explore the outer reaches of the universe as their passengers.

Zara seizes the chance to flee Earth's dangers, but when she meets Nadim, the alien ship she's assigned, Zara starts to feel at home for the first time. But nothing could have prepared her for the dark truths that lurk behind the alluring glitter of starlight.

**Hullmetal Girls**
*by Emily Skrutskie*
*YA FIC SKR*

When Aisha's brother contracts a plague, Aisha knows her janitor's salary isn't enough to fund his treatment. So she volunteers to become a Scela, a mechanically enhanced soldier sworn to serve the governing body of the Fleet, the collective of starships they call home.

Key awakens in a Scela body with only hazy memories of her life before. She has no recollection of why she chose to give up a life of luxury to become a hulking cyborg soldier. If she can make it through the training, she might have a shot at recovering her missing past.

**Invictus**
*by Ryan Graudin*
*YA FIC GRA*

Farway was born outside of time. The son of a time-traveling Recorder from 2354 AD, Far's birth defies the laws of nature. After failing his final time-traveling exam, Far takes a position commanding a ship with a crew of his friends as part of a black market operation to steal valuables from the past. During a heist on the sinking Titanic, Far meets a girl who always seems to be one step ahead of him. Armed with knowledge that will bring Far's existence into question, she leads Far on a race through time.