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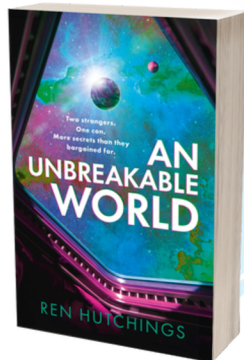
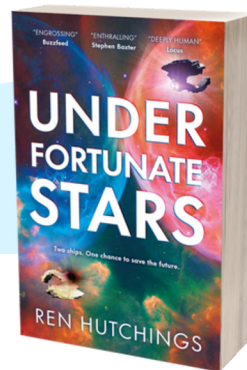
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BOOKS BY REN HUTCHINGS

Under Fortunate Stars
SCIENCE FICTION NOVEL . 2022
(Solaris Books)



An Unbreakable World
SCIENCE FICTION NOVEL . 2025
(Solaris Books)

The Legend Liminal
SURREAL SPECULATIVE NOVELLA . 2025
(Stars and Sabers)



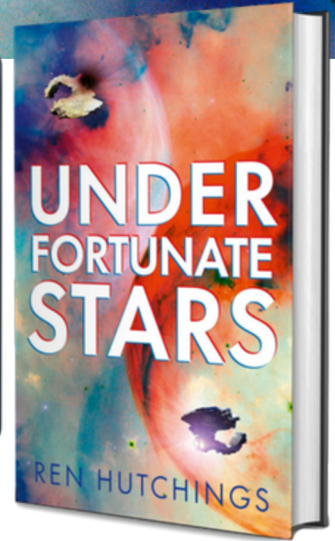
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UNDER FORTUNATE STARS

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The Expanse crashes into *Star Trek*,
via *Firefly*, in this time-slip space
opera perfect for fans of Becky
Chambers and Alex White.



Two ships. One chance to save the future.

Fleeing the final days of the generations-long war with the alien Felen, smuggler Jereth Keeven's freighter the *Jonah* breaks down in a strange rift in deep space, with little chance of rescue—until they encounter the research vessel *Gallion*, which claims to be from 152 years in the future.

The *Gallion*'s chief engineer Uma Ozakka has always been fascinated with the past, especially the tale of the Fortunate Five, who ended the war with the Felen. When the *Gallion* rescues a run-down junk freighter, Ozakka is shocked to recognize the Five's legendary ship—and the Five's famed leader, Eldric Leesongronski, among the crew.

But nothing else about Leesongronski and his crewmates seems to match up with the historical record. With their ships running out of power in the rift, more than the lives of both crews may be at stake.

"A twisty, enthralling space-time opera.
Fortunate readers, and a future star."
— **Stephen Baxter**

"Hutchings lovingly fuses a sprawling cast
of charmingly flawed characters and a plot
with many moving parts into a smooth and
satisfying whole." — **Publishers Weekly**

"An entertaining, engrossing read."
— **Buzzfeed**

"A wholly original and compulsively
readable story. Exciting, funny, truthful."
— **Una McCormack**

"An engaging space saga with time-travel
twists." — **Library Journal (Starred Review)**

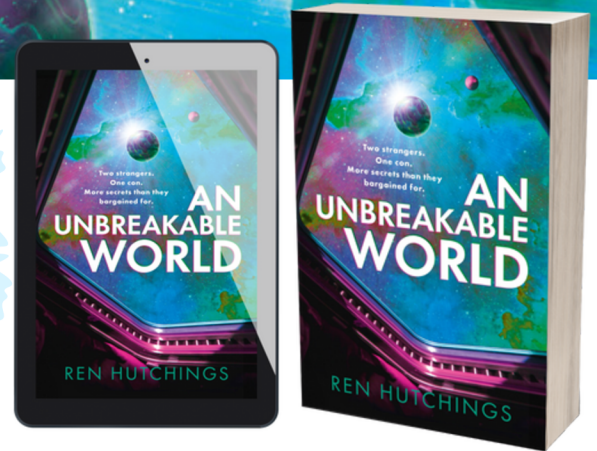
"An engrossing interstellar escapade with
appeal for fans of Becky Chambers, Alex
White, and S.K. Dunstall." — **Booklist**

AN UNBREAKABLE WORLD

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A new standalone space opera from
Ren Hutchings, set in the same
universe as *Under Fortunate Stars*



Two strangers. One con.
More secrets than they bargained for.

If something seems too good to be real, you've got to get out of there. That's the rule that Page Found has always followed. She's a petty thief with no memory of her past, scrounging to survive on a backwater outpost – until she's kidnapped by one of her marks.

Her kidnappers – the cruel, self-serving Zhak and the tough maverick Maelle – plan to pass Page off as a monk from an ancient, isolated planet to help them capture a treasure-filled ship. If Page is willing to play along, they all stand to become richer than they can imagine.

Everyone is keeping secrets, and Maelle finds her loyalties conflicted as she gets closer to their captive. Page can't remember the last time she counted on anyone. But to navigate this deception, she and Maelle will have to trust each other to survive.

"Unmissable. Ren Hutchings is on my must-read list." — **Gareth L. Powell**

"This tale of memory, identity, and vengeance is rich with lore, deep worldbuilding, and deft character work, a Hutchings hallmark. Political intrigue, shady smugglers, and friendships lost and found add up to a compelling read."
— **Khan Wong**

"Beautiful hopepunk at its best. *An Unbreakable World* is an amazing story about finding yourself, and about how the smallest things are the most important. A much needed space opera for our time."
— **K. B. Wagers**

"Hutchings has written a rich, textured universe full of secrets—and the unraveling of those secrets keeps the suspense going until the very last word!" — **Taran Hunt**