

Starbright: The Starbright Series *by* Rachel Higginson



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Starbright is book #1 in the Starbright Series Stella is a Star, sent by a Council of Elders to live on Earth and protect the planet from the Darkness, a terrifying evil that would suck the good from every living thing and leave the planet empty and desolate. She has until her twenty-fifth birthday before the Protectorship becomes hers and Earth is left solely her responsibility. Stella's fate goes on fast forward as she struggles to balance the rest of high school with the duties of protecting humanity from the deadliest kind of evil. With her parents and Seth, the boy intended to be her Counterpart, by her side she faces down demons and fallen angels in an effort to protect the last inhabited planet in the universe. But evil is not her only enemy. She also fights her future as she tries to decide if she's willing to give up her human relationships, especially that of her best friend Tristan, in order to save humanity.



Reviews of the **Starbright: The Starbright Series** *by* Rachel

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I hate giving this 3 stars. I love Rachel. I LOVED the Star-Crossed series, and I couldn't wait for Starbright to be released, believing I would love it just as much.

But I just never fell in love with it.

To me... it was so slow moving. With a lot of information being repeated throughout the book. I understand being descriptive and getting the reader to be able to imagine the people and places in the book (which I was completely able to do)... but many times over, information was repeated, where it really just didn't need to be.

I also couldn't fall in love with the characters easily. In fact, the only character I semi loved by the end of the book was Seth.

I definitely got into the book towards the end. When... stuff finally started to move along.

It ended in the perfect way... making me want more, and now waiting (im)patiently for November 12, when Sunburst is suppose to come out. I have high hopes for Sunburst!

And on a sidenote: There were a few editing errors in the first half of this book. Paragraphs that just didn't make any sense, no matter how many times you read them. Going between first person and third person a lot with Stella (usually within the same sentence). That was all towards the beginning of the book though... from the middle onwards, I didn't really notice anything.

I love, love, love Rachel.. and feel horrible for not loving this book.

But I cannot wait for Sunburst to make me love this series!

fire dancer

Stella is just sixteen when she's attacked by the shadows that kick her future into high gear.

Suddenly the guy who she's not supposed to meet for many years has shown up in time to save her from the shadows. The prior protector of Earth has been murdered kick starting Stella's training to be the next protector. Thankfully she won't have to step right into the roll since there is a temporary Star to protect earth. With the loss of one star and the arrival of Seth her warrior Stella's life is about to change.

Instead of spending her days with school, sports and her friends she now has to add fighting and training to protect to the earth with Seth. While Stella is destined to be with Seth she can't help the feelings that her best friend has developed. With two guys trying for her heart she has her hands full toss in an angry fallen who is intent on having Seth join his side. Stella will have to take a speed course in learning to defend the earth or else it will fall into the darkness like all the prior planets. At least she won't have to do it alone.

I like Stella she's one of those pure characters you can't help liking right from the start. I really love characters you can connect with and Stella is one of those characters, plus as the book progresses she just gets better. I really like Seth he's the good guy with a good heart intent on doing what's right even if it means losing the last of his family. I'm not sure how I feel about Stella's best friend Tristian he kind of bugs me the way he knows she's off limits but doesn't back off with his intentions.

I've had this one as a kindle freebie for over a year and I wish I hadn't waited so long. I haven't found that Angel book that I've fallen in love with yet but this series may just be it. While the author uses the concept of good vs evil she adds her own unique twist creating stars and warriors as protects of earth. The stars and warriors have the ability to heat up their skin to the power of the sun, they are stronger, faster, and can fly how cool is that? I loved Stella even if she is in a love triangle which typically I avoid she's still a character I enjoyed reading her story. Overall I think the

author did a great job, and plan to read the next ones in the series. Side note the series was renamed and the cover updated in my opinion much better.

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UPDATE: Reread the newest version, and there were a lot less editing issues, phew. I'm still sticking to my 4 star rating. Parts of this just sucked me in and had the magic that is in all Ms. Higginson's works. Seriously, she writes characters that are complex and interesting, situations that make my heart break and burst, and emotions that leap off the page. I'm sticking with not being uber happy with the love triangle. I can honestly say I don't know where it's going, and I don't like that. I don't even have a side. I switch sides as often as Stella. And it leaves me not feeling like I know Stella or the boys enough. She isn't quite as strong as say Eden was. I want to see a bit more of her as she is. I'm HUGELY excited for the next book though. There is just so much to this story and I cannot wait to see where it goes!!

PREVIOUS REVIEW: Hmmmm...didn't get into it quite as well as Reckless Magic. Ms. Higginson has an amazing imagination though...I just found it harder to get behind the Stella/Tristan/Seth almost triangle. In the Star Crossed series, you got to get behind Kiran in the first book before being totally bowled over with another possibility... So I'm not sure what I want for Stella...or for that matter what I want for Seth. Tristan didn't get under my skin as much as I was expecting. Maybe it was just not the right time for me to read this? I don't know, but it wasn't as awesome as I was anticipating. I think one of the things that really drove me crazy were the obvious editing issues...I don't know if I somehow got an unedited version, but I checked amazon for an updated copy and didn't have one. There were major POV issues (in the same sentence it would say "I" and then later "her")....normally I can tolerate them all right, but these were enough to jar me out of the world, kwim??

So after all that writing, you're probably like "but you still gave it 4 stars???".... Well, I did thoroughly enjoy it, this was more just an explanation of why it wasn't my fan girl 5 stars... Will be interesting to see where the series goes though....

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