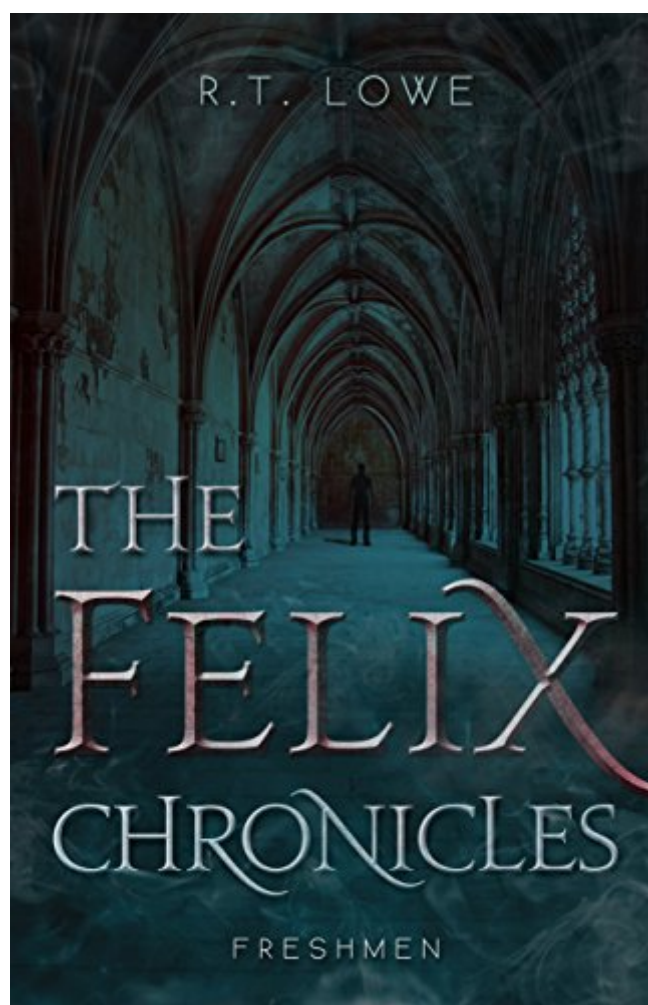


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Freshmen (The Felix Chronicles Book 1)



Synopsis

A freshman. The Chosen One. At the crossroads of destiny and self-determination the two shall collide. At stake, a young man's soul. And the fate of the world. Reeling from a terrible accident that claimed the lives of his parents, Felix arrives at Portland College hoping only to survive the experience. In time, however, with the help of his reality star roommate, and Allison, his friend from home, he immerses himself in the distractions of college life and gradually dares to believe he can put his past behind him. But a fateful storm looms on the horizon: In the nearby woods, two hikers become the latest victims in a series of gruesome murders; a disfigured giant embarks on a vicious cross-country rampage, killing teenagers who fail his test; an ancient society of assassins tasked with eradicating the wielders of a mysterious source of power awakens after a long silence; and a grassroots movement emerges from the shadows to capture the public's imagination, its hidden agenda as revolutionary and terrifying as the man who created it. Only one man--the school's groundskeeper--knows that the seemingly unrelated events are connected, and that an eighteen-year-old boy stands in the center of the storm.

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One of the problems with reading indie authors is separating the wheat from the chaff. The reviews are often no help; plenty's the time that I buy a book sporting hundreds of five star reviews only to find that the author is barely literate, has no idea what he (or she) is writing about, or that I have stumbled into a angst filled teen romance. These days I probably finish only about a third of the books I buy. This, book, on the other hand, is the real deal. Polished and professional writing, engaging characters you can root for, villains (one in particular) that send chills up the spine, spooky, mysterious surroundings, suspense, a little romance, and unexpected plot developments. Very much looking forward to the next installment.

Overall, I enjoyed the first book, though I was frustrated by some of the character development (or lack of). It seemed easier to become invested with the sideline characters than the central ones. Felix seems to get whipped around a lot by the other characters and events with little or no explanation of why (e.g. another football player slams him against a wall and spits in his face, but Felix just lets it pass, washes his face and splits? unrealistic). Parts of the book are on a level with Stephen King and Dean Koontz. I'm looking forward to seeing where the story goes and hoping to find a way to empathize more with the hero.

Felix is just starting college when he finds out that he alone must save the world. He learns about Dresdenites and Sourcerers and has to figure out real quick where he actually fits...before any of these secret groups kill him. This is the first book in a series and im gonna have to get the rest of them....really good !!!

R.T Lowe has written a fast paced story, that kept me going back to it .I read at night, so during the day, I would be wondering -- what is going to happen next. I am looking forward to the next book, to see more of the story. This is a good book to read to keep you wondering - first what is coming next ,and could this really happen.

I really liked it! I was surprised at how much I did like it. There is a TON of very graphic violence (like a brick smashing through the back of a man's head and exiting through his face), which is not really my favorite, but you come to care about Felix and want to see what happens.

This story was well written both in grammar and in storyline. The plot keeps you engaged and is paced just right. I would consider reading the next story if it were to go on sale. I would recommend to others if you like magical/contemporary fantasy driven YA fiction.

The book starts with ancient history, then jumps to the present. A tragedy occurs. The life of an 18 year old turns from tragic to mysteriously odd and dangerous. This is a whole new kind of paranormal. Highly recommended.

I loved this story! I even felt terrified at times which was amazing! So many unexpected things happen and I love how the author weaves seemingly unrelated stories together, leading up to one of the best books I have read in long while! I had ordered the second book in the series, "Five Days in January" before I finished this one just so that the story could continue seamlessly. I can wait for the third book!

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