GEORGE R.R. MARTIN



Anne Groell

"Reminiscent of T. H. White's The Once and Futere Kings, this novel is an absorbing combination of the mythic, the sweepingly historical, and the intensley personal." --Chicago Sun-Times

<u>Next in the series</u> A Clash of Kings A Storm of Swords A Feast for Crows A Dance with Dragons





Game of Thrones, the first book in the series called "A Song of Ice and Fire" tells the story of betrayal, loyalty and a plot to overthrow the King. When Eddard Stark, Lord of Winterfell and Warden of the North receives word of the King, Robert Baratheon's imminent arrival in the North, he did not expect to be asked to join him in Kings Landing to become Hand of the King after the untimley and mysterious death of the old Hand. During his stay, he starts to uncover a mysterious plot to murder the King by House Lannister, the family joined with the Baratheons in marriage through Queen Cersei. By the time Lord Stark uncovers the truth behind the conspiracy, it is too late. King Robert is dead Lord Stark finds himself in a dark cell, and the Realm's stability stands on the edge of a knife.



George Raymond Richard Martin (born September 20, 1948), also known as GRRM, is an American novelist and short-story writer in the fantasy, horror, and science fiction genres, screenwriter, and television producer. He is best known for his series of epic fantasy novels, A Song of Ice and Fire, which was later adapted into the HBO series Game of Thrones.



