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## Clockwork Princess

In the magical underworld of Victorian London, Tessa Gray has at last found safety with the Shadowhunters. But that safety proves fleeting when rogue forces in the Clave plot to see her protector, Charlotte, replaced as head of the Institute. If Charlotte loses her position, Tessa will be out on the street—and easy prey for the mysterious Magister, who wants to use Tessa's powers for his own dark ends.

## Clockwork Prince Series

With the help of the handsome, self-destructive Will and the fiercely devoted Jem, Tessa discovers that the Magister's war on the Shadowhunters is deeply personal. He blames them for a long-ago tragedy that shattered his life. To unravel the secrets of the past, the trio journeys from mist-shrouded Yorkshire to a manor house that holds untold horrors, from the slums of London to an enchanted ballroom where Tessa discovers that the truth of her parentage is more sinister than she had imagined. When they encounter a clockwork demon bearing a warning for Will, they realize that the Magister himself knows their every move and that one of their own has betrayed them.

## Clockwork Prince Audiobook

Tessa finds her heart drawn more and more to Jem, but her longing for Will, despite his dark moods, continues to unsettle her. But something is changing in Will—the wall he has built around himself is crumbling. Could finding the Magister free Will from his secrets and give Tessa the answers about who she is and what she was born to do?

## Clockwork Princess Quotes

As their dangerous search for the Magister and the truth leads the friends into peril, Tessa learns that when love and lies are mixed, they can corrupt even the purest heart.

my video review/discussion can be found here: <https://youtu.be/xL85QtjUqE>

SO MANY FEELINGS. ALL OF THE FEELINGS.

So many things were revealed in this book and I just can't get over everything that went down.

MADNESS.

## Clockwork Princess Audiobook

I enjoyed this reread SO SO SO MUCH!!! I can't believe I was ever petty enough to \*vehemently dislike\* this novel. Like almost every reread of The Infernal Devices I struggled to fall into the story in the beginning. Alas, I read the second half of the book in one sitting because I REFUSED to put it down. I'm so pleased that I can enjoy these books as an adult much much more than I did as a teen.

One tiny request.

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And me...

Cassandra Clare, you just broke my heart gazillion times. This book was flipping amazing! =) The plot,

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the characters, the writing, the story, the ending EVERYTHING was perfect! This series is so much better than the Mortal Instruments and please, PLEASE go and buy this book and read it already!

Will.

Jem.

Will.

Jem.

Will.

Jem.

'Ouch, my heart! Not again! \*crys like in the above 5 pics again\*' =( 3

I demand Cassandra Clare to publish the third book right now or there might be news about a girl who committed suicide under Cassandra Clare's building because her third book in Infernal devices is gonna be published on 2012!

And If you love Will, you will listen to this song, because I broke down after listening to it. Totally describes Will and Tessa's relationship! :(

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v9ZVIA...>

Infinity out of 5 stars! xD

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My review while currently reading this book.

I seriously need to use this advice right now! xD

OMG! Will looks so hot in this pic ^.^

And Jem... \*DIES\* So freaking hot! &lt;3

I want to be Tessa! =( ...more

## Clockwork Prince Quotes

5 stars

You can find the full review and more about this book on my blog!

Clockwork Angel Review!

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If you know me and my reviews , you would know that I am not a fan of sequels,especially second books of the series but this one was entirely awesome.I have been caught up with series for weeks now and I can't think of anything else.The way it is written is so beautiful and I do dig the appearance and the style of talking of the time this book,actually the whole series is set in.Maybe as a fan of books,as a reader I do enjoy books in which dialogues are filled with quotes of classics.Quoting the brilliant authors is one of the smartest way of creating conversations and I must give the credit for this to the author.She handled this perfectly,staying in reality and not turning it into something artificial as some popular books out there had done it.

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The way author describes the situation is terrific, the way the characters show their emotions, their affections, eagerness, sympathy fits greatly with their culture at the certain time. Also you can sense skepticism on their thoughts, actions affected by feelings, inexperience, and age. You get to read here about great heroic characters, fearless and strong, but it's something about them and the things they repeatedly do that makes them real and believable. It makes them people.

“They say time heals all wounds, but that presumes the source of the grief is finite.”

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I must say I enjoyed this one more than the first one. Not that it was better than the first one in the plot or the writing, or anything in general but if you may know me, you would know my public dislikeness for vampires as creatures, and this one fortunately doesn't contain blood drinkers. So I am pleased.

“If no one cares for you at all, do you even really exist?”

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Even that there is not a lot of action or much happening in this book, it never got boring. The plot was beautifully organised and the situations were always thrilling filled with excitement. There are some secrets revealed, but still the plot is quite complicated stored with enigmatic words and ideas and persons in shades.

“We live and breathe words.”

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(This may contain spoilers)

I was quite impressed with the Will's curse, and the revelation of it. And it surely change my opinion for this character.

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“You’re seventeen,” Magnus said. “You can’t have wasted a life you’ve barely lived.”

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I can't part this book. As the first book, this one was also a perfection in every way. I can't say I didn't enjoy some parts more than others but the difference is minor so I will not mention them because I don't want to spoil.

### The story

This book follows the story of the first one. After the death of the vampire and the unknown location of the Magister, the shadowhunters are caught up in a lot of problems. Charlotte is doing everything to save the Institute, to stay at the head of it, Tessa is still clearing things in her head, trying to find more about herself and who she is, her origin, her parents. Her heart starts growing more feeling for Jem, because of this kindness and everything but in the other hand she can't stop feeling affection for Will and his dark, dark past.

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“Lies and secrets, Tessa, they are like a cancer in the soul. They eat away what is good and leave only destruction behind.”

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### The characters

#### Tessa

Well I still have the same opinion for her. All the best. And I don't know why but I never have imagined someone more beautiful than her in my mind. And she has a sense of humor. Like that's something easy

to find,beautiful and funny.

Will

Well as I said my opinion for Will has changed.Not that I have disliked this characters before but after knowing him better,I do feel pity for him.I still don't know why he hasn't tried to find the demon before,I mean for five years he could have find it and know better and he would not be late,and who has read this book knows what I mean.

James

I also have the same opinion about this characters as before.But I do have a feeling that he knows what Tessa truly feels.I guess I have to find out in the third one.

Magnus Bane

I am mention this character because I can't really understand him..He has done a lot of generous things for others,but I can't really know what he likes or desires.It confused me a lot and maybe it's just me, but I think he has some problems and I find him very creepy.

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“Oh, leave it,” said Jem, kicking Will, not without affection, lightly on the ankle.

“She’s annexed my plan!”

“Will,” Tessa said firmly. “Do you care more about the plan being enacted or about getting credit for it?”

Will pointed a finger at her.

“That,” he said. “The second one.”

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I highly recommend this book to every book reader out there.It's a phenomenal series.It contains everything you want to see in a book.So pick the first one up and then this one:)

\*Pictures from the review are not mine, I took them mostly from Google images or Tumblr\* ...more

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They can. And they have.

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Because I am looking more than forward to having my heart broken for the millionth time.

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I know that they each have their own past and future, yet I cannot help but want for them to be linked and bound to one another until death plays its role.

Clockwork Prince is different from Clockwork Angel in many ways. For starters, it contains more romance. There is even cheating. Furthermore, secrets are revealed. Many of them. The pacing is slower and the focus is sharp on the characters and less so on the actual plot.

And it's also more treacherous.

As in, brace yourself, dear readers, for Clockwork Prince will leave a mark on you. Of love, of despair, of madness or hope? It's up to you to find out!

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## Clockwork Princess Summary

Have you ever pictured yourself wandering among the tombs at Westminster Abbey, marveling at the sheer wonder of being among the greatest literary figures in history? Sixteen-year-old Tessa Gray is taken to Poets' Corner by someone who understands exactly what such an experience will mean to her, and this lovely little moment in the sequel to *Clockwork Angel* perfectly encapsulates everything I love about the *Infernal Devices* series. Tessa is a shapeshifting Shadowhunter who is becoming accustomed to her powers, but in the middle of all the magic and mystery in Victorian England, the relationships between Tessa, the enigmatic Will, and the thoughtful, sensitive Jem remain the very heart of the story.

Following a rather, ahem, provocative prologue, the story really begins as the London Institute of Shadowhunters is given two weeks to find the evil Magister, who is still determined to gain control of Tessa's powers and bring down the Enclave. Tessa and the Shadowhunters must battle dreadful clockwork creatures, demons, and even treachery within their own ranks before everything around them is forever altered. Readers who agonized over the last book will be happy to know that we see the beginnings of the ties between the Lightwood and Herondale families, find out what the initials "JTS" mean, and spend more time getting to know all the characters, including Magnus, Jessamine, Henry, Charlotte, and Sophie.

Here are the other important elements that I loved from this story:

### Tessa, Will, and Jem

Tessa becomes more sure of her unique position and powers, and her relationships with both the boys in her life deepen in a life-changing way. Jem unexpectedly reveals an incredibly alluring side to him that we've never seen before, and we finally discover the devastating secret in handsome Will's tragic past. This is one of the most well-written love triangles I've ever read, with a strong girl torn between two very attractive and honorable boys; there are good reasons for Tessa to love them both, but also excellent reasons for her to give her heart to neither. It is nothing short of torture to feel Tessa's deep pull towards Jem and Will, both of whom have swooningly romantic and wildly sensual moments with our heroine. Believe me, the infamous Dirty Sexy Balcony Scene more than lives up to its promise, and I clutched my pearls more than once while reading this book!

What Tessa never forgets, however, is that as confused as she is about her feelings for Jem and Will, there is also a lifelong friendship between them that she must honor. Jem's illness, Will's love for and dependence upon him, and her own need for self-respect all contribute to an intensely difficult

situation, and one that made me hurt for everyone involved.

## Victorian Details

The Victorian details in this novel make me quite ill with pleasure. That's right, ill with pleasure. I'm not even speaking solely of catnip such as the clothes and carriages and the like, but of a finer, deeper authenticity that has to do with a way of truly immersive thinking, rather than just trifling details. It seems to be so difficult for many YA historical fiction authors to refrain from projecting anachronistic modern attitudes onto period characters, but Tessa Gray stands out as a true Victorian heroine. She shows courage and spirit, but it's within the appropriate behaviors and thinking patterns for a girl living in the 19th century; if she breaks tradition, she thinks about it (and we know it's unusual) before she does so.

Even while she's being trained for self-defense by other Shadowhunters, Tessa spends a great deal of her time struggling to reconcile her magical powers and responsibilities with her upbringing and social decorum. The role of women in oppressive circumstances has always interested me, and Tessa's internal dialogue and conduct (along with Sophie's) are notably in keeping with all the other spot-on period details, which are meticulously researched and beautifully woven into the story. Before she began writing this series, the author rather famously moved to England for six months and read nothing but books written or set in the Victorian era, and even walked all the streets that her characters might have traveled. There is a certain mood and style that is decidedly steeped in the foundations of this research, and the dexterous language and witty dialogue feel pretty nearly perfect and true to the time—with allowances for fantasy and magic, of course. Tessa transcends the thinking of the time and uses clever magic and thinking to outwit her adversaries at every turn.

## A Love of Literature

Another thing I also adore about this series is how much appreciation all the characters have for literature. I still remember the awe I felt the first time I went to Westminster Abbey, and it struck a chord to hear Tessa say, "I can't explain it. It's like being among friends, being among these names." Upon traveling to the countryside for the first time, she also says, "I feel as though I have seen it before. In books. I keep imagining I'll see Thornfield Hall rising up beyond the trees, or Wuthering Heights perched on a stony crag." It is nearly impossible for any lover of books, particularly those with an unruly bit of romance in her soul, to fail to thrill when reading words like this. Tessa is a kindred spirit for me, and I think she would be for many other thinking, dreaming readers as well.

If you were dying for this second installment in the Infernal Devices series, rest assured that it has been more than worth the wait. It's full of great action scenes, a clever use of magic, and the hilarious dialogue that we've come to expect from these characters. It is, however, also an intensely emotional read for those invested in the characters, so be prepared with tissues—I cried several times near the heartbreaking end and it's going to be so hard to wait another whole year for Clockwork Princess. Was

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the book satisfying? Yes. Was it agonizing? A thousand times, yes. But it was painful in the most exquisite and emotionally truthful of ways.

This review also appears in The Midnight Garden. An advance copy was provided by the publisher.

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Liked Clockwork Angel better than the Mortal Instruments,  
that's why I am eagerly awaiting the next installment in the Infernal Devices=]  
December 2011 is too far away!!  
Can't we just read it now?

Huh...

It seems people are already choosing sides...

So, in that case, I'll admit that I am...

TEAM WILL!!!=)

hahaha, so predictable of me, but I can't help it!

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WOW. Wow, wow, wow. Amazing... review to come! :)

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Yeah, I'm aware that I liked this book more than it might have deserved, and I'm aware that people make fun of this series for The Love Triangle™. Cool. So I just came here to say: all of them are in love and it should end in all of them dating. I am not giving up this opinion. Jem and Will are both in love with Tessa, canonically, and Tessa is in love with both of them, canonically, and let's just be really fucking honest with ourselves and say that Jem and Will are completely in love. It's 2018 and it's time to admit that, as a society. I am aware that this is not what occurs in this series and it is my firm belief that under different circumstances, they would all be dating, and I do not care who fights me on this.

I guess we stopped pretending this was a review, so here's the part of the review where I scream about the characters [aka the reason why I would die for these occasionally trashy books]. It will still be spoiler-free.

Yes, she doesn't really look like either of us, does she? Perhaps she's a girl who's fallen madly in love with me and persists in following me wherever I go.

My talent is shape-shifting, Will, not acting, said Tessa.

[she really said this, out loud, she really said this and I would kill for her]

Okay, seriously, I love Tessa. Like, I'm actually pissed off by how much she gets slept on, because she's such a good protagonist?? She's a total Gentle Soul who loves her friends but also has the ability to drag everyone within an inch of their lives and uses it. Every time Tessa burns someone I have

ten years added to my life, she's an icon and I love her

Oh, Jem?? I love Jem. Jem has never done a thing wrong in his entire life. The only man I trust. He projects being So Confident and So On Top Of It and heâ€™s struggling so much. Help him.

Oh, and I guess weâ€™re talking about Will now, too? Will and Tess are my least favorite couple within The Love Triangle™, but I stillâ€™ kind of love Will as a character? So, this book had one of the best backstory reveals in any book Iâ€™ve read recently, and I think this particular backstory is quite brilliant in how it explains his personality and some parts of his character in book one that kind of didnâ€™t make sense. I think it probably should have been revealed at the end of book one [these books are drawn out] but it really is That Backstory Reveal that changed me as a person and gave me a whole new attitude towards Brooding Bad Boy Backstory Reveals™.

Letâ€™s talk about Jem and Will and Tessa as a dynamic. First of all, I love them. Second of all, I would die for them. Third of all, help them. The plot of these books is just â€œtwo of them worry about the third personâ€• repeated over and over for six million pages and donâ€™t get me wrong, I think thatâ€™s beautiful, but also, help them. And before you ask, yes, I actually genuinely maintain that the three of them should end this series dating, and Iâ€™m 85% sure that is exactly how I am supposed to feel. I am also around 72.4% sure that had this not been published in fucking 2011 [a hell time] that is actually how it might have ended.

Anyway.

This book had such a delightful cast of side characters. I love and would die for Henry and Charlotte. That one cute scene between them was... really fucking cute. Like, cliché, but also I was crying? Sophie is such a good character and always has been. I wanted a little bit more out of Jessamine, but I think sheâ€™s given a decent amount of nuance [and hey, she got me to sympathize with her and root for her redemption arc even though sheâ€™s kind of awful].

Oh, you know that thing I talked about in my review of book one where I was like â€œtheyâ€™re finally going to address how the downworlders are treated?â€• I lied, they didnâ€™t talk about it even though the lead character Literally Is A Downworlder, and no one is more emo about it than I am.  
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â€œAh,â€• said a voice from the doorway, â€œhaving your annual â€œeveryone thinks Will is a lunaticâ€™ meeting, are you?

â€œItâ€™s biannual,â€• said Jem. â€œAnd no, this is not that meeting.â€•

Oh, also, I thought this book was fucking hilarious. Every single line is the most iconic thing Iâ€™ve ever read and I love it.

s/o to this asshole and my ex girlfriend for screaming about this with me, y'all really ruined my life hope it was fun. and also, if one more of you tells me that I'm going to die when I read Clockwork Princess, I

will genuinely threaten to never read it

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In Clockwork Prince The Shadowhunters in the London Institute find themselves in a serious bind. Due to the startling turn of events in Clockwork Angel, Charlotte is threaten to be removed as head of the institute unless she and the others can discover what the Magister is planning and capture him. The Shadowhunters immediately get to work diving into the Clave archives, searching for clues to the Magister's past. Unfortunately, it is not just his secrets that are exposed as the loyalties of the institute members are also revealed.

That sounds fairly interesting, right? So what's my issue? Why couldn't I love this book? Well, if I put it bluntly: It was boring. The beginning took way to long to pick up and if I had to guess, I'd say nothing exciting happens until around page 250. Um, I don't know about you, but that is way too long to keep me hanging. It took me 15 days to read this book. 15 days. At one point I just had to put it down for a few days and read something else because every time I picked up the book it would put me in this kind of mood:

Sure the Shadowhunters did things, but every time they were about to go on a mission we are given unnecessary descriptions of what Tessa is going to wear or how Sophie did her hair or how silver Jem's eyes looked that day. Who cares? The suspense leading up to the mission died while Tessa was taking her sweet ass time getting dressed. Speaking of Tessa, she is a pathetic heroine. She is good for one thing only: changing her appearance. She's not a fighter and despite her being trained in this book, she was virtually worthless. Yet, they always had to take her along on missions. When they actually used her power she manages to screw it up. They attend a "bad guy's party" (Just go with it. I don't want to spoil it for you.) and Tessa screws up her disguise because she drinks some type of spiked warlock lemonade.

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Yeah. I don't know about you, but when I'm crashing a bad guy's party, I never drink the punch. So she's walking around as herself and none of the evil dudes seem to notice or care. HUH? But she's an idiot, so I don't expect much from her. However, Will drinks it too. At that point I'm thinking, "You've been a Shadowhunter for how long exactly?" That scene made no sense.

Even though the book was boring, that's not even my biggest issue with it. While I was reading I always felt disconnected to the characters. The only character I did care about was Jem and that's probably because he's the only one who didn't seem like a direct rip-off from the Mortal Instruments series. I felt flashes of these characters in Clockwork Angel, but now I'm fully convinced that Draco/Harry Will is Jace, Hermione/Ginny Tessa is Clary, ect.

Fool me once, shame on you. Fool me twice--Nope. I see what you did there.

Will Jace. I hate this guy. He reminds me of the Jace in City of Fallen Angels. "I can't be with you because it will kill you! So I'm going to act like the shitiest person on earth so you will hate me!" Sound familiar anyone? Seriously, there are only so many times you can recycle a plot twist before you become predictable. I'm not sure you can even call it a plot twist anymore. So not only is he a carbon copy of Jace, but he goes through the same tortured character issue too? No, I'm not buying that. He was the reason why I almost didn't finish the book. He's such a prick and Tessa knows it, but she still loves him "because there is just something about him!" \*eyeroll\* Yes, I'm well aware of the curse, but that entire situation never seemed real to me anyway. (view spoiler)[It was so obvious that the curse was a fake. "Everyone who loves you will die! Muahahaha!" What kind of lame curse is that? And why did Will think no one loved him? Charlotte's love for him was just pouring off the pages. He didn't think it odd that she was still alive? Does anyone besides Jem use their brain in this series? (hide spoiler)]

So when I finally get to the "good part," some things happen that are supposed to shock me, I guess. There is this big revelation made right before the fight scene. (view spoiler)[We find out Nate and Tessa aren't brother and sister. (hide spoiler)] WAIT. Didn't you use that revelation in City of Glass, Clare?? Please stop putting your plot twists through the laundry wash cycle. It doesn't make them new again. \*sigh\*

After the fight scene, there is still a good 75 pages left and I was hoping for more action. But, of course, there is none. Most of it is filled with more relationship drama that surprisingly made me happy. However, it will most likely piss off fans of the series. LOL. (view spoiler)[That's right, Will! You are shit outta luck! (hide spoiler)] There is a cliffhanger at the end of the book, but by that time I was so through with it all, that it didn't move me one bit.

The writing was difficult for me, but I've never really jived well with Clare's style. Death to those bloody commas! My eyes are waving little white surrender flags! O\_o Another thing I found strange was that Tessa is supposed to be American (right?), but it seemed like she still sounded English. In other words, all of the characters spoke very similarly. There was only one time when Tessa used an American slang term and it felt odd and out of place. And how many times must the word 'quite' be used? "Oh, you are



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I think by now, we all know how much I love and enjoy anything Shadowhunter related, but I can honestly say I don't think I will ever not give The Infernal Devices series anything less than 5 stars!

It is just so beautiful. These books make me feel things only one or two other books have made me feel. My heart actually hurts for Will and Tessa.

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What made it so special for me the second time round was how much I had truly forgotten. It was like reading it for the first time. When you read something for the first time you're in awe, and that's honestly how I felt.

I loved how it brought in more characters, and you could see alliances emerging. It had so much humour in the book that honestly just brightened up my day.

Seriously though... I don't know how many times my heart was just so close to breaking. Will. Will and Tessa. Will and Jem. Tessa. Jem. Tessa and Jem. Charlotte and Henry. Even Jessie... TOO MANY EMOTIONS WERE FELT!

For me Tessa seemed to be a totally different character in this book, in the sense that she wasn't shocked by things anymore, I enjoyed her a lot more and could sense that she was more settled. I liked how she was quite independent and was able to control things easier. My heart broke for her upon the confession. SO CLOSE!

Will I can't. I just. I don't even know how to write any of this. I have never felt so strongly for a character in the many books I have read. There is something about him. I know that he appears to be "damaged" but there is so much to him as a character. In this book you find out why he is like he is, and honestly it hurt. However I thoroughly enjoyed Will's back story, and once all was revealed I liked how open he became.

Onto the final person in the trio Jem. He is like I previously mentioned so sweet and so lovely. I feel quite sad that in my previous reads I was all for Will (I still am, but now I see the appeal of Jem) anyway... his character developed so much more in this book I think, he was strong, stood up for what he believed in and was once again the loving, caring Jem Carstairs we all know. His love for Tessa is so beautiful and so raw it honestly melted me!

Sophie and Gideon just made me so happy in this book! I enjoyed the training sessions between the two, how Gideon became his own person entirely in this book and actually stands up for what is right. Sophie also does the same, even if it meant her telling everything she is honourable and does what is right. Her friendship with Tessa is adorable and how she kind of puts everyone in their place. Yesssss!

I was so confused and had conflicting views about Jessie in this book. One moment I loathed her, the next I felt sympathy towards her. She's not particularly a pleasant character, but that's kind of why she's there. I enjoy the fact she doesn't seem to have a filter, however I just don't like how much she hurts the ones that love her. I'm looking forward to finding out what becomes of her in the next book. I remember something but not other bits...

Finally the top dogs... the heads of the institute Charlotte and Henry. First of all, how ADORABLE are they together?! I just can't. I think in this book, you begin to understand how much they care and love one another. The discussion of marriage had me laughing, but at the same time it made me kind of sad. However it was happy overall. I was so pleased that something of Henry's finally worked! They are both just lovely characters, and the added bonus is Henry's ginger hair!

"When two souls are as one, they stay together on the Wheel. I was born in this world to love you, and I will love you in the next life, and the one after that."

What I liked?

- I liked how in the final chapters plans FINALLY came together, it hurt to see that whatever Charlotte tried to do, always seemed to fail. I just want her to be happy.
- The realisation that Charlotte and Henry both love each other equally and that everything they had thought wasn't quite true.
- Demon Pox! I have an image of Will dancing in my head it was hilarious!
- The blossoming relationship of many characters.
- I may have a soft spot for Gideon...
- OH MY GOD! Magnus trying to wind up Camille with Will was so funny! I burst out laughing at work and everyone kind of looked at me as if I were slightly mad.
- Magnus was in this book waaaaaaay more! I'm a fan of Magnus, so anything related to him always make me happy!
- Will's pure happiness and that he seemed to be giddy!
- Sophie once again just makes me laugh so much!
- My curiosity, as I said I'd forgotten a lot of this book, I'd completely forgot everything related to Jessie,

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soooooo that was good!

What I didn't like?

- Why do you continue to break my heart?
- I would of liked to of seen Mortmain maybe a little more?

Final thought I'm kind of dreading reading the last book because then I know it's over, and I know what's coming... MY HEART CAN'T TAKE IT!

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When two people are at one in their inmost hearts, they shatter even the strength of iron or bronze."

Because I always have extra thoughts I want to add :) :) :

- Jem taking Tessa to poets corner because he knew she'd enjoy it
- Will thinking he will be re-born as a slug so someone can salt him :')
- BRIDGET! Taking Gideon down, her morbid songs ahhhh
- The complete innocence between Tessa and Jem
- The interactions between the three in general
- LEEDS MY HOMETOWN IS MENTIONED!
- All of the things Magnus does; caring for Will, knowing who people really are, winding Camille up
- The slap... it was great also tying people up, hitting mirrors over heads... courting!
- So much foreshadowing
- Finally one of my favourite things about this series is how much they all care and love one another. The protectiveness they all have towards one another honestly melts my heart, it's so raw and so special I just honestly adore it.

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Clockwork Angel- 5 Stars

Clockwork Prince - 5 Stars!

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The Infernal Devices (Manga) Reviews:

Clockwork Angel - 5 Stars

Clockwork Prince - 5 Stars

Clockwork Princess - 5 Stars ...more

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Jem is perfection. In Tessa's words he is so good and kind and beautiful. I could talk about him forever. I so hope for once the good guy wins because if anyone deserves it, Jem does. He is the greatest friend to everyone and I so hope Tessa really continues to see what a perfect match he is for her. Every line he said had my stomach in butterflies and me swooning all over the place. I literally wore out pages 201-207. Greatest. Scene. Ever.

Don't forget to read the scene from Jem's POV here <http://www.cassandraclare.com/my-writ...>

We finally learn Will's big secret. Although it wasn't that big of a reveal for me. I was honestly hoping for something a little more dramatic. I felt a little bad for Will but then again I didn't. He had FIVE YEARS to look into it. Yes he was young when it first happened but he could of talked to Jem about it or looked into it himself. I was highly disappointed with this plot line.

I enjoyed Sophie getting more of a story and a love interest. I also loved getting to know Charlotte and Henry more and seeing them support each other. Gideon and Gabriel were interesting and I loved the bickering between them and the other characters. While I am looking forward to Clockwork Princess, I fear heartbreak. So I will continue to ride this perfect high of happiness while I can. This book left me full

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of joy and swooning.

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