Further Reading

Children of Blood and Bone (Mar 2018) by Tomi Adeyemi

Seventeen-year-old Zélie, her older brother Tzain, and rogue princess Amari fight to restore magic to the land and activate a new generation of magi, but they are ruthlessly pursued by the crown prince, who believes the return of magic will mean the end of the monarchy.



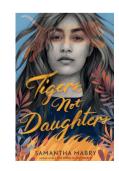
The Witch King (Jun 2021) by H. E. Edgmon

Wyatt, a transgender witch hiding in the human world, must face the royal fiance he left behind and decide what is more important—his people or his freedom.

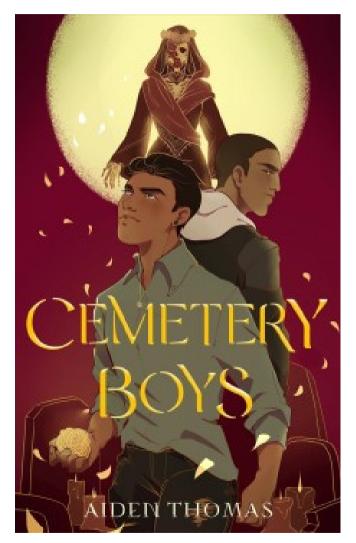


Tigers, Not Daughters (Mar 2020) by Samantha Mabry

Three sisters in San Antonio are shadowed by guilt and grief over the loss of their oldest sister, who still haunts their house.



BOOK DISCUSSION







Discussion Questions

- 1) Describe the Brunjx community.
- 2) In which way did Yadriel getting the portaje (dagger) from his cousin symbolize more than it was?
- 3) What role does Yadriel's father, Enrique, play? How does his role as the leader of the Brunjx community have an impact on his role as Yadriel's father?
- 4) What is your first impression of Tio Cartiz? What about Julian?
- 5) Why didn't Yadriel want to take Julian to school with him? And who is Lisa?
- 6) What was Julian's reaction to the things Martitza's friends said about him?
- 7) What about when Julian thought that Yadriel was going to out him to his loved ones? Compare and contrast the two.
- 8) What did Julian do to Yadriel's yearbook photo? What does it tell us about his character?

- 9) Why does Julian think that Yadriel shouldn't have to prove that he's a Brujo to his community?
- 10) What was the important lesson that Luca's story/background had?
- 11) In which ways were Yadriel and Tio Cartiz both not considered real Brujo?
- 12) After realizing that Julian needs to be released, how do they celebrate his life? How does it force Yadriel's shell to break?
- 13) When Yadriel "proves" to his father that is truly a Brujo, what are their reactions?
- 14) What are five words you would use to describe Cemetery Boys?
- 15) Do you believe that Tio Cartizs' crimes were in any way justified? Can you relate to him at all?
- 16) Which theme in this story relates most to you?

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