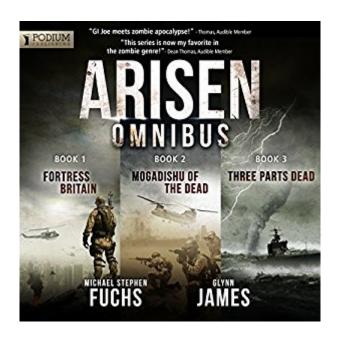
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Arisen Omnibus Edition: Books 1-3





Synopsis

Book One - Fortress Britain: When the Zombie Apocalypse came, one country had shut down its borders in response to a major terrorist attack. Now Fortress Britain is the last bastion of the living with 50 million beleaguered survivors facing down a world of seven billion animated corpses. And one international team of elite special operators - supremely trained and armed, always the most skilled, resolved, and unstoppable amongst us - are humanity's last best hope for survival.... Book Two - Mogadishu of the Dead: Alpha team is tasked with one last desperate operation: They must cross the Atlantic aboard the world's only remaining supercarrier and insert by air into the very middle of a dead continent, all in search of a rumored vaccine that might bring humanity back from the brink. But their op goes dangerously wrong from the start, with the team scattered to hell and back, and their target site a dry hole. Now they must fight their way on foot through a city of three million ravening dead guys, in search of an underground bunker that might hold the Last Man on Earth. But these undead will not be like any Zulus they have ever fought before - and they surround the new target in a writhing ring of death 30 feet high on all sides.... Book Three - Three Parts Dead: Alpha team, the world's best and last surviving Tier-1 operators, are adrift on Lake Michigan - and fast drifting into what looks like a damned hostile shoreline. Deep in the National Forest nearby, a former police officer and survivalist battles to keep her family alive - and tries to decide whether the commandos of Alpha are more dangerous to her alive or dead. Meanwhile, the John F. Kennedy, the world's last floating supercarrier, is run aground off the coast of Virginia - and facing a veritable hurricane of the dead, blowing in fast. Finally, back in Fortress Britain, the terrible outbreak from the Channel Tunnel turns out not to have been so contained after all.

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Customer Reviews

THE best zombie/military series out there, bar none, and I believe I've read most of them. Unlike other books in this genre, these authors aren't afraid to make the zombie hordes as dangerous as they should be, the guts as gory as they would be, and the characters as shell shocked as could be expected. On the zombie side it stays scary yet (near)believable, and on the military side they capture one thing that other authors can not: as one SEAL who was consulting for Hollywood said "Our combat is faster and more violent than can be filmed"(para).. these guys actually begin to capture the 'finesse, flare, and smiling contempt of danger' that special operators see as normal everyday business. The military side of these novels would shine even if the enemy wasn't zombies, the zombie side would shine even if the military side didn't absolutely foxtrot rock(and it does!)

A very excellent Zombie/end of the world series. I've only read the first 3 books and I mostly read space opera but I have few zombie takeover books under my belt and this might be the best I've read so far. The character development is excellent IMO, even after the first (semi-short) book, I was hooked on the main characters of Alpha team but what I really enjoyed was the author did a great job of expanding the landscape so you got just bits and pieces that there was a LOT more going on with all the rest of the survivors then that was just written on the main characters. After 3 of the books about the only complaint I have is the chapters seem to bounce a little too quickly between the different perspectives of the story. It often seemed like there was this great build up that led to a story shift right at the perfect time where another paragraph or two would have settled your nerves enough to "see what was happening across the pond", kind of like watching a soap opera. This was great the 1st half of the 1st book but it was wearing on me towards the end of the 3rd. With that said, I'm still giving it 5 stars. There is probably a chance that if I read more of this genre then maybe I'd lower my opinion a little but I don't think by much - this is a great read!.

Definitely one of the best zombie series I have read. I can't wait to dig into the rest! It has a ton of action and each book moves seamlessly into the next. I have really enjoyed getting to know these characters. I also like how the disease progression and mutation has been handled. If you like z-poc and hard core military action along woven with the true human experience- you will love these books!!

What a great ride. I am on book Ten. I had no idea what to expect. Must have gotten a kindle deal a ways back. Wrenched my back, bed ridden, needed something long to read. Found this OMNIBUS in my library and bang!!So NOT zombies. You meet great people in these books, you care about them. Love the movie & book quotes. Military people, weapons, planes, ships etc. in depth. I could go on forever. Start at the beginning don't jump in.

I read all available 13 books (including 2 prequels) in about 10 days then went nuts waiting for book 12 Carnage while catching up on sleep. I'm writing the same review for all the books because I went through them too fast to even remember what happened in which one. It doesn't matter because they are so awesome. Anyone who loves apocalyptic stories, zombie stories or action will triple enjoy these books. They are intelligent, funny, intense, riveting and hold you by the edge of your seat. I learned new vocabulary words faster in this series than any word-a-day calendar could ever teach me lol. Thank you to the two authors for an amazing series!

I got into Arisen in one of those Audible sales after really enjoying this series called "The remaining" and jesus I'm hooked. It's kind of a bizarre series. Yes it takes place in a zombie outbreak, it's more complex. It's focused on a small group of survivors but mostly on the military organizations that survived the outbreak which has whipped out humanity. There's about 50 million people left having taken refuse in the UK that was spared the brunt of the outbreak, a scant small groups of survivors around the world and small pockets of military that happened to be at sea when everything went south. The story largely focuses on a elite military group that dropped into areas looking for leftover outbreak research from during the initial fall, however it does have some secondary stories involving characters closely tied to larger events. I won't spoil anything but it helps provide well done twists turns and perspective. I enjoy this book because there's no moronic mistakes any characters make that escalates worsening situations. For the most part survivors and military in this book are alive for a reason, they're not stupid and I love that. The arcs are handled beautifully and being on the 8th book now I'm always excited when I have some down time to listen or read. If you're looking for a walking dead heavily small character driven book this isn't for you. It's just a well written tale of humanity as a whole surviving the ZA. Warning this is more of a Sci-fi war story than girls being chased by zombies through a forest while wearing high-heels. The main female protagonist is a Delta Operator and sniper. Arguably the most capable of any of the characters in the main story. No one will be asking if you'll watch coral.

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