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year-long reading challenge

A book with
a female
protagonist

Adult Fiction

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- **Neanderthal Seeks Human** by Penny Reid
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- **Chaotic Good** by Whitney Gardner
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- **Grave Mercy** by Robin LaFevers
- **Starflight** by Melissa Landers
- **The Lady's Guide to Petticoats and Piracy** by Mackenzi Lee
- **Legend** by Marie Lu
- **Throne of Glass** by Sarah J. Maas
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