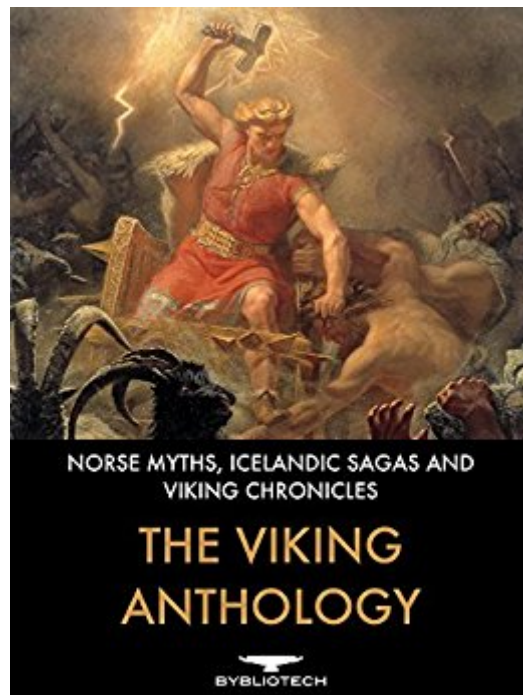


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I've always been interested in the Vikings, and this interest has been amplified by watching the Drama series "Vikings" here on (and Thor as well!). I knew that various Viking Sagas had survived, and I had a look on Wikipedia and was surprised by how many there were. There are lots of them available for free, but this book has compiled them together in one place, along with lots of other material that will help you to understand the stories. There are the sagas themselves, and then there are several contemporary books explaining the Viking religion, mythology and mindset. It's really interesting stuff, and although some of the sagas can be tough reading - others such as 'Eirik the Red' are completely thrilling to read. This is a great book - you can tell that a lot of work has gone into putting it together. It's like a "One-stop-shop" for anyone interested in the Vikings, and I can highly recommend it!

It's a nice huge book filled with most of the Lore in Heathenry at a great price. If you want to read all you can and do not have a lot of money, a good deal!

I never grow weary of reading Eddas and Sagas always something new and exciting to learn.

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