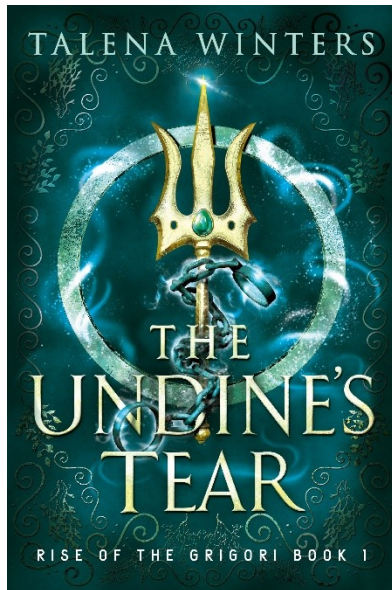


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Mermaids. Magic. And the mistake that could destroy the world... or cost her everything to save it.

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Calandra would do anything to save her people. The powerful princess has been raised to restore the Heartstone that protects their island from humans, then be exiled to the Abyss before she goes Mad and unleashes unfathomable destruction like the healer who sank Atlantis... and her mother. But tradition demands she first enslave a human man with the siren mind-bond, and her queen aunt has selected her childhood friend—the one man she'd risk a death sentence to free.

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Unless she surrenders everything... even the man she loves. And she's running out of time.

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