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***ECLIPSED EVOLUTION* AUDIOBOOKS PUBLISHING IN SPRING 2024 FROM ACCLAIMED AUTHOR KIM HARRISON**

*The novella trilogy includes **First Contact**, **Totality**, and **Emergence***

NEW YORK, NY (October 23, 2023) – Penguin Random House Audio will publish audiobooks of ***Eclipsed Evolution***, a trilogy of novellas from #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of the *Hollows* series Kim Harrison, in spring 2024.

The *Eclipsed Evolution* trilogy's three phases include ***First Contact*** (on sale April 2, 2024), ***Totality*** (on sale May 7, 2024) and ***Emergence*** (on sale June 4, 2024) and coincide with the total solar eclipse that will cross North America on April 8, 2024. Harrison's publisher Ace Books will release ebook editions later in 2024.

In the wake of the solar eclipse in ***Eclipsed Evolution***, a portal between our world and a paranormal realm opens—and a scientist's life will never be the same. This thrilling serialized adventure introduces environmental balance engineer Dr. Renee Caisson and combines a touch of romance, a lot of action, and Kim Harrison's trademark sense of humor.

After Dr. Caisson is recruited to a secret government project, she is shocked to learn her subjects are demonic-looking beings who call themselves "Neighbors"—refugees from a dying world, who arrived during the nationwide solar eclipse. The Neighbors' technology is unlike anything Renee has ever encountered.

It's not until August, the most gregarious Neighbor, begins evolving in real time to withstand Earth's brighter, drier atmosphere does she admit that the Neighbors' "tech" feels less like science and more like magic—and she is able to prove her theory: the Neighbors had been to Earth before and now they simply wanted to save their dying planet. At least, that's the story, and everyone—both human and Neighbor—is sticking to it.

Together, Renee and August forge a bond and help the two societies of Nextdoor and Earth through the confusion of first contact, the danger of misunderstandings, and the anger of mistreatment. For if the people of Earth exile August's people again, the Neighbors will not survive.

"I'm thrilled that Penguin Random House Audio will publish *Eclipsed Evolution* first as an audiobook trilogy as it has given me the opportunity to bring Renee, August, and Jackson's story to you far sooner than I might otherwise," Harrison says. "This story began in 2017 during the first Great American Solar Eclipse as I stood in an open field with a bunch of strangers, sharing something both intimate and otherworldly when the sun became a hole in the sky. And that's when my mind began to wander. What if something, or someone, fell from that hole?"

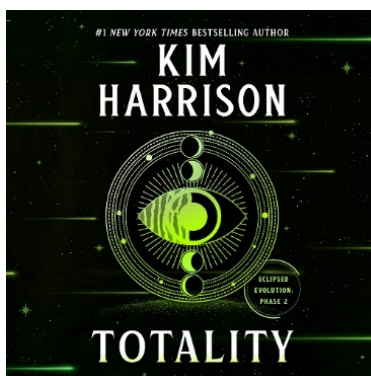
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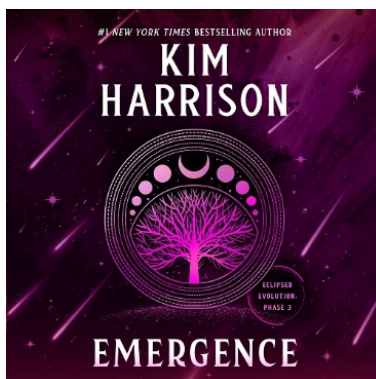
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About the Author

Kim Harrison is the author of the #1 *New York Times* bestselling *Hollows* series, including *Demons of Good and Evil*, *Trouble with the Cursed*, and *Million Dollar Demon*. She has also published traditional fantasy under the name Dawn Cook. Kim was born and raised in Michigan and between other projects is currently working on a new *Hollows* book.

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