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Kiora needs answers. Who is the Shadow? Who is Jasmine? Are they connected? And even more pressing—how can she stop the Shadow from using her dreams as a map to find them? They have escaped three times, but are living on borrowed time—and everybody knows it.

Kiora's search will push her closer to Alcander, send her to the dragon mountain of Toopai, and lead straight back to Meros—where magic will finally return to the land of no magic. Answers will be uncovered and plans unearthed that have been waiting for thousands of years.

But with the Shadow's forces gathering, the rebels are hurtling toward one outcome: war. Armed with knowledge and hope, Kiora is determined to change that path, but will fate allow it? Or will it teach her a hard lesson about following her own destiny?

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Janie says

Spoiler Alert:

This started a little slower, I had a hard time with Kiora. She was always making sure in the other books to focus on task on hand and keep Emene at bay. But in this book shes lusts more for Alcander and therefore not focused and top that baby off she won't listen to Lomay or any one whose trying to tell her to stop avoiding her destiny. In the end, shes causes more pain and destruction and cries a whole hell of a lot. Sorry but it's all so frustrating / Love and War.

Danilo DiPietro says

Proxy for Book II Joyce's ULYSSES where Stephen deals with the antithesis of Nestor - Mr. Ready, the anti-Semitic, misogynistic Tory. Notwithstanding his significant failings and blindspots, he actually does dispense some wisdom to Stephen.

Caitlin Whetten says

The Solus series just keeps getting better and better. *Wings of Nestor* is my favorite installment so far.

One of the strengths of the books is the settings and *Nestor* is no different. Here, we're taken to imagery-rich places like Lomay's secret invisible mansion off the coast, the Tavean palace, the underground tunnel where the Wings of Nestor are, a secret hideout underneath a lake, and my favorite, Toopai, the dragon island, which is so beautifully written. This world is so creatively written and explored and I can immediately see all of them in my mind.

Characters are becoming more complex, more involved and more real in the story. The main characters are growing and changing and going through their own character arcs. Alcandar is more fully explored in this novel and given a rich backstory and a great motive for being involved. Emene is tempered out quite a bit and Kiora is becoming a stronger heroine, but without completely losing the empathy that makes her her own unique person in the series. *Nestor* is one of my favorites in the series because we're seeing the characters and their relationships with each other grow and change in natural ways. Things don't feel as forced anymore.

The action sequences are great, particularly anything with Jasmine involved and especially the palace fight and climax at the end. The plot is getting more complex. There are more twists and turns and it's allowing for each character to get involved and have a more personal stake in the fight other than "because evil has to be destroyed." Jasmine is a much better villain than Dralazar and is a much more formidable opponent to Kiora.

There were still a few typos and formatting errors here and there, but it's not distracting. The Solus series started off on the generic side of a young-adult fantasy, but has quickly grown into its own, with its own rich universe and mythology and a complicated and intriguing plot and backstory. I can't wait to see how the series finishes.

Lou says

I NEED BOOK 4!!!

Emane, Kiora, Alcander... I need More!!!

So Wings Of Nestor! I have read all 3 books back to back and I have managed to bargain myself a copy of book 4 too, in exchange for an honest review. But I digress. This is book #3, and Oh. My. Gosh... What a book it was!!

Kiora has had such an upheaval from life as she knew it. She always knew she was different but never understood! Aleric explained all of that to Kiora. Kiora has since continued on her journey and in herself has become stronger. Her magical powers have grown too; powers that rival only that of the Creators. She has gained a royal Protector who she has fallen in love with; and he with her. Seriously though, in a matter of months she has been through hell and back; and should probably have the t-shirt too! But that's still not enough. Kiora has continued to grow throughout each and every book, obstacle and her powers just seem to get stronger and stronger.

Emane and Alcander have grown too. They begin to shine as main characters in their own right. They both support Kiora and do all they can to aid her.

Alcander, I'm still not convinced about him. Okay so maybe I'm being a little harsh on him. I mean after all he has risked his own future happiness to help keep Kiora safe and to give her the ability to make her decision without the added guilt of knowing what Alcander has just risked. That said Alcander plays a big part in the heartache that Emane is suffering; that's not allowed!!

Kiora isn't blame free either though. Fair enough she has been through sooo much in the last few months but, after learning about the connection she now shares with Alcander she is openly flaunting that in Emane's face, which is bang out of order. I know that Kiora and Emane are having problems even being able to touch each other, but really Kiora do you have to be so cruel and rub it in his face?? Come here Emane I'll hold you!!

Wings of Nestor is amazing and will transport you to a magical and breath taking world. The details are revealed just enough that I was kept guessing and the things to come remain secret, all the time I was kept wanting more and totally hooked. One such example of this is that Devri Walls reveals that Emane has seen a painting of one of Lomay's visions but she doesn't reveal what it is, I've been left on tenter hooks waiting to see what this turns out to be.

My heart is almost completely broken, and I fear that before the end of book #4 my heart will be shredded into tiny little pieces. I have been able to laugh, shout and cry at this book and I also fear that I will be shedding more tears before the series finishes.

Wings Of Lomay promises to be an epic finale to the series. I'm almost too scared to read it, but I'm also excited and I HAVE to read it. I NEED to know what happens and how this all ends.

Haley ~ YA-Aholic says

"I did it for you!" Alcander yelled, stepping closer to her.

"I did it because I love you! I did it to keep you alive!"

This series...what more can I even say about it? It gets better and better with each book. Devri has stolen my heart with this series. I am not an emotional person while reading books, at all. I do get attached to characters, but never to the point of being really emotionally upset (aka: getting all teary eyed over them). This book made me almost cry like a baby multiple times though. I am completely committed to this series and the characters. Devri amazes me with every new installment that comes out, making each one better than the previous and leaving me wanting to rip my hair out while waiting for the next book.

I feel there is almost not much I can even say about Wings of Nestor that I haven't said in the past already about Wings of Arian and Wings of Tavea. The bottom line though is that Wings of Nestor was even better than the previous two novels, it was amazing, it was beautiful, and it was also heart wrenching. Devri is an author that continues to amazes me with each new book, the Solus series has completely captivated me, and now that we are coming up on the fourth and final book...I find myself not wanting it to end.

I don't want to give too much away since this is a sequel and a lot happens, but I will go ahead and talk about a few things that I completely adored in Wings of Nestor. First, I need to talk about Alcander. *le sigh* When I saw Alcander on the cover, I freaked. I totally fan girled. I may have even squealed..okay I totally squealed, but can you blame me?!?! That cover does the beautiful Alcander justice! ANYWAYS, when I saw that cover I had my fingers crossed that we would get a lot more of Alcander in Wings of Nestor..and guess what ladies and gents? WE GOT JUST THAT! Alcander was in this novel so much more, and I loved it! In Wings of Nestor we get to learn so much more about Alcander, about his past, about the type of person he is and what his fears are, and we just learn SO much about him. And all of it made me love Alcander even more than I already did. Don't get me wrong, I love Emane too, but Alcander easily takes my heart. So if you are a fan of Alcander (which I know a lot of you are) then be excited to pick this up because there is ALOT more Alcander to fill your needs! (:

Moving on from Alcander my second favorite part of Wings of Nestor was getting to see the dragon mountain of Toopai. Devri described it so beautifully, I was able to picture everything so well, the dragons with bright colors, the volcano, the Queen of the dragons and her multi colored skin. The dragons home was a beautiful place. Not only was it a beautiful place, but this was also a part in the book where I got a wee bit teary eyed. There is talk of Morcant while Kiora is there, and it made me sad. I seriously missed Morcant as a character so much that I found myself being sad with Kiora over him not being around.

Those were easily my two favorite things about Wings of Nestor. Besides those things this book, like the past ones, had an amazing adventure, action, romance, and everything you want in a fantasy. You get to know the characters a lot more in Wings of Nestor and watch them go through a lot. This book is also quite heart breaking. You've been warned. Devri's writing was once again superb, and while I am sad to see there is only ONE book left to this series, I am also very excited for whatever future worlds and stories Devri will come up with. I am sure after reading and obsessing over her Solus series, that any future work of hers will be brilliant.

If you have read the past two books in the Solus series, or if you have just read book one then I highly suggest you continue reading onward. It will only get better and you do not want to miss out on this series. If you have yet to pick up the Solus series, and are a fan of awesome Fantasy novels, then you seriously need to

pick this series up...like now!

Jackie (No Bent Spines) says

Wh-what?!?! IT'S NOT PUBLISHED YET!!!! A-are you joking me? And there's not a set release date??? WHYYYYY DO YOU HATE ME SO????? I HAVE TO KNOW WHO SHE CHOOSES!!! *Alcander* (sobbing into pillow) *sniffle* *hiccup* THIS IS THE WORST DAY OF MY ENTIRE 15 YEARS OF EXISTENCE!!!

Gimme da book por favor....I mean LOOK AT THAT COVER!!!!

***Devri Walls just sent me an ecopy in exchange for an honest review on my blog:
<http://www.nobentspines.blogspot.com/> I think I'm going to pee in my pants O.O I love life(:***

Goodreads just erased my ENTIRE review. It was a long really thought out review too. Fml -_-

Let's try this again.....

Kiora has been to hell and back. Just months before she found out that she was supposed to save her entire world from The Shadow, a dark force working to destroy all that is good in the world. She gained a royal protector, gained powers that no other can match. She has fallen in love with that protector and he with her. She has had to choose to kill either her sister or the protector. Kiora has had to discover who she is, what she wants and how to be herself in a matter of months. Kiora has had to defeat an evil (very, very evil) brother.

She has won the respect of all that is left of goodness in her entire world.

In the second book she meets a lovely man named Alcander whom I would very much like to be real. *CAUTION: prepare for major fangirling* I absolutely adore Alcander. He didn't tell Kiora about the whole bonding thing so she could choose who to love without feeling guilty. If she didn't choose him he would be forever alone. Literally. He was bonded to Kiora and only Kiora until the day he died. He was willing to risk his happiness for hers. And he deserves happiness. His uncle murdered his entire family, attempted to wipe out his entire race and stole his crown. Oh, Alcander is supposed to be King. I just love him so much.

Alcander treats Kiora like an equal, he doesn't treat her like she's made of glass, he honors her decisions and lets her make them on her own. Round of applause anyone?!

Kiora has to make a choice: to avoid her destiny or face it head on, Emane or Alcander (I think I've made my opinion clear of this subject), to embrace who she is or try to run from her power. She's just lost.

She has seen more than anyone in her world will see in a lifetime. More death, more destruction, more evil. She's had to make decisions that nobody would want to make. She has so much weight on her shoulders that she is close to crumbling beneath. Who will be there to hold her up? She has so much responsibility for someone so young and innocent.

This series is gripping with its take on the world of dragons, shapeshifter and magic. It perfectly entwines the love triangle in so that it isn't annoying but everyone will be one either one side or another. Wings of Nestor left me needing more...and this was an ARC. What am I going to do until the next one? This one isn't even published yet!

sigh Ahh the life of a book nerd is a hard one indeed...

Danielle Young says

A lot has happened to Kiora and Emane since the start of the Solus series. Kiora went from a normal girl to the one who can save them all, the Solus in a matter of days. Now she is with Emane, her protector and they have traveled to Meros where she will have to face an incredible darkness, her feelings for both great men in her life and her destiny.

At the end of Wings of Tavea, I was not Alcander's biggest fan. I mean here was this guy, who thought he was all powerful, and gods gift to well everyone, (okay I admit he is incredibly easy on the eyes, but that is beside the point); and he was trying to steal Kiora away from Emane. I really loathed the guy, but I have to say that Alcander has definitely grown on me. And I might even be willing to say that I can see why Kiora wants to be with him, might! But that being said, by the middle of Wings of Nestor, I had gotten over my dislike for Alcander and had turned that disgust onto our heroine Kiora. Now allow me to explain myself here.

I love Kiora. She is incredibly strong and has faced things that no girl her age should have to face and she did it all without running away and hiding under a rock. That's what I would do. Anyway, she is awesome. She is kind, fierce, strong and wouldn't hurt a fly unless she had to. But in Wings of Nestor I sort of wanted to kick her butt. Here she was so in love with Emane but at the same time she was flaunting her feelings and connection with Alcander in his face. I know that Kiora and Emane can't touch without her magic hurting him, but I couldn't help but feel like Kiora was just leading Emane on. And it really ripped my heart out to see the hurt on Emane's face.

Okay, that aside. Wings of Nestor was an absolutely phenomenal story that had everything you could possibly ask for magic, action, thrills, laughter, suspense, and love! And not just love, but a love triangle, one that is done well I might add. Devri Walls wrote this love story so well that not only did I fall in love with the first guy who stole Kiora's heart, but I fell in love with both of them. Granted I know who I want her to end up with *cough* Emane *cough* but still I love them both and can easily see how great either one would be for Kiora.

In Wings of Nestor we get to see a lot more action and we finally get to see Emane shine, absolutely one of my favorite moments. There are many surprises that wait for you in Wings of Nestor and Devri Walls does such an amazing job of revealing just enough of what is to come, keeping you hooked until the very end. She also does a great job of keeping many things secret. There is a pretty big thing that happens with Emane in Wings of Nestor and I spent the rest of the book waiting on pins and needles trying to uncover just what in the hell it all meant, but Devri Walls did a great job of giving me just enough information to absolutely kill me with suspense. Now I have to wait until Wings of Lomay for her to reveal the secret of what Emane is up to. But knowing Devri Walls it is going to be EPIC!

Obviously I can't wait to get my hands on the final installment of this series. I am in so in love with these characters. Each one of them has stolen a piece of my heart. This is one of those series that owns a piece of your heart and makes you feel every emotion in the spectrum of emotions. I seriously can't even count how many times it has made me cry, both silent tears and ugly snot tears. And Wings of Nestor is definitely no different. I can definitely say I cried and I'm sure that my tears are not done falling because this promises to own me.

Wings of Nestor is an amazing fantasy that will deliver you to a world where magic is truly mystical. Where love knows no bounds and the strength of a girl really can save us all. So seriously, if you haven't already started this series, then what are you waiting for!

*Received an ARC in exchange for an honest review

Rebekah Robin Lee says

Okay this review is more about about wings of Tavea and Nestor together.

*****Spoiler*****

First off I read people's reviews about how frustrated they were regarding Kiora's and Alcander's relationship. However, it made sense to me. I guess I saw Emane as that first romance, but although I really liked him I found her attraction to Alcander fit more with who she was becoming. As Alcander pointed out Emane coddled her and I believe the confidence Alcander showed in her is why she falls for him more. She still loved Emane which was why she was struggling but I also think that had to do more with her struggle with realizing who she was becoming and her want to hold onto who she was.

The part that made me angry though was her focus on trying to stop the war! I mean I understood her motive but it was so frustrating how stubborn and naive she was being! Ugh!

That being said, I still loved the book(s). I most loved the guys interactions with each other as their banter was a constant entertainment :)

Overall great read and the character development just gets better and better.

anjuli says

This book starts pretty much where Wings of Tavea ended. I liked that it was Alcander on the cover and was hoping to get to know more about Alcander in Wings of Nestor. I was not disappointed. We get to know a whole lot more and pretty much find out why he is so bitter about all of this. I did feel bad for him. I liked him a lot.

The story continues with the Shadow being after Kiora and the rest of the area. Evil is growing and with

Dralazar, now dead, we wish it had ended. But the Shadow is even more of a formidable foe. Its powers are growing and time is running out to figure out a way to stop it. It seems that the shadow finds them every single time. We do find out who the shadow is and I had already guessed in the last book who it could be. Let's just say the shadow is vicious and has it in for Kiora, the solus. She is still fighting her way through this whole solus responsibility and the prophecy to end all evil and reunite everyone. I wish she would get over this whole "it pains me to kill anything (even those who chose evil)" and see what is really at stake. Evil is not playing a game but is REAL. These people made their choice and will hurt her or anyone she cares for. She does eventually realize this the hard way. I'm hoping she really hits hard in the last book. While she is strong, both magically and spiritually, she is also weak. I hope she gets her act together.

I enjoyed the banter between Emane, Alcander and Drustan. I think I chuckled every time Drustan spewed out his sarcastic comments. Of course, Emane and Alcander, had a rough beginning. They both cannot stand each other for various reasons. However, at the end, they learn to mutually respect each other.

Toopai, the dragon city, we finally get to read about it. Kiora had promised Morcant to take his scale and bury it there. It interesting to meet the dragon queen. I was a bit teary eyed reading about Kiora talking about Morcant. It was really nice and interesting to find out who really Morcant was.

Romance, while I don't like love triangles I think it is not bad in this book. It is more than - who is hotter - kind of love triangle. Both men, Emane and Alcander, are strong, arrogant, will die for her, love her in their own way and have their strengths and weaknesses when it comes to who might be the right one for her. Kiora, of course, has strong feelings for both. However, she can only be with one...as in, her magic does not hurt one person. She tries her best to do right by both but, heart wants what the heart wants. By the end of the book she has made her decision and I think it was the right choice for her too considering all that was involved. I still felt bad for the other and it takes a LOT to let the person you love go. There are other circumstances (which was kind of a mystery and I'm hoping is revealed in book 4) that led to this person finally deciding to let go. Even though it broke his heart to do it.

Looking forward to reading the Wings of Lomay, book 4.

Katrina Curry says

Please read the first two books in the Solus series before perusing Wings of Nestor

?POSSIBLE SPOILER ALERT?

Unbelievable! I thoroughly enjoyed the first two installments to the Solus series, but the third out shines them in every aspect. Wings of Tavea is perhaps my favorite in the series. They are all so amazing that choosing one is nearly impossible.

The revelations are remarkable! I literally had to stay up the entire night for this one. The connections from Wings of Arian to this novel are ingenuous! I am baffled by the skill and imagination that concocted every sentence of this series as a whole. I am always impressed at a well-written and well-structured novel, but to earn my praise the prose has to be something magnificent!

Emane is subtly written into the background, yet maintaining a prominent role in the story. There are chapters via his POV concerning his relationship with Kiora that shatter my heart. His role in the installment

leaves no reader room to doubt loving this character.

Alcander and Kiora are strengthening the bind with one another. I am extremely eager to find out where this is headed. The scenes are anything but disappointing.

If you've read the first two books you've seen thought Dralazar to be an ultimate evil. His presence is easily overshadowed and the next villain in line downplays his hanous deeds to mere games. The heart of evil is truly chilling and the losses are great.

In past reviews I've left out other prominent characters, such as Drustran the shifter, Aturo the Pegasus, and the ancient's, Lomay being one presented in this book and the next. Drustran is always prepared with quick witted quips leaving me to smile or laugh. Arturo is the same while offering much needed wisdom and a firmness Kiora needs to handle attain a firmer grasp in her weighted role. Lomay sometimes feels like a mystery and is no less endearing than the rest of this dynamic group.

The mysteries abound, strength is gained from breaking and rebuilding, and much of this story left me shocked. *The Wings of Nestor* is inexplicably better than the prior two novels in the series. I am already holding my breath and anxious before even starting the next novel.

A well deserved 5 stars for a truly amazing fantasy.

Angie says

What was suppose to be the final book is now another fun and action filled addition to the Solus series! In *Wings of Nestor*, the stakes are even higher for Kiora as she tries to fight the evil that is the Shadow. While she has defeated one evil, this one is proving to be an even tougher challenge. Kiora must hone her magical abilities, as well as learn to fight in the absence of magic. Being the prophesized savior is certainly taking its toll on her, and I enjoyed watching Kiora grow even as she goes through some rough patches to do so. Thankfully, she's not alone. All of our favorite characters from the previous books are back in action and a few new ones are introduced as Kiora changes paths to reach her destiny.

I really want to talk about the love triangle, so that's what we're going to do first. I enjoyed it in the previous book, but I really enjoyed it in *Wings of Nestor*. I even switched teams! I wasn't so sure about Kiora's bond with Alcander, but now I'm totally into it! Not just because Alcander is super hot (I mean, look at that cover!), but because we get to know him a lot better and I just like how he is with her. Of course, Emane is still around, but a lot of the time I felt like he was more concerned with "beating" Alcander than with Kiora's feelings. They do have some sweet and emotional scenes together though. I also love the dynamic between Alcander and Emane. It's different than other triangles and it makes it much more believable. Yes, they're in love with the same girl and are kind of adversaries, but they also need to work together to help Kiora with her mission. Sabotage is not an option without hurting her, too. There's also an interesting reveal that I'm curious to see how/if it plays out in *Wings of Lomay*!

Wings of Nestor improves and builds upon everything from the previous two books. I've already mentioned there's more romance, and the love triangle is amazingly written. There's also a lot more magic and action! I've absolutely loved learning about the magic in this world and watching Kiora continue to grow into her powers. She's really pushed to her limits this time, and we get to see some new and wild spells in action. There are also more magical species introduced which is always fun. My favorite was probably seeing the

home of the dragons and meeting the queen! Kiora, Emane, Alcander, and Drustan all have many battles throughout the pages and at times I wasn't sure if they'd all make it out! The author definitely put me at the edge of my seat! However, I must say that at times the magic made things feel too convenient for Kiora, but this was just a minor annoyance.

This series just keeps getting better! I've really been enjoying it, although it seems to be missing something for me. I can't pinpoint what, but something is holding me back from giving it more stars. *Wings of Nestor*, and the previous two books, are definitely worthy reads though. The world is fabulous and not lacking in magic or imagination. The romance is adorable, heartbreakingly, and believable. I love Drustan and Alcander to pieces, and find the interactions between all of the characters to be convincing. I cannot wait to see how this all ends!

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Maraya21 (The Reading Dragon) says

4.5 Stars

Love the characters of these books! Even the heroine which i didn't at first. You can see her grow, very slowly, but she does. Story progresses with an even, nice pace as well.

Not the best review ^ i know but i would totally recommend these books!

Cameron says

Originally posted on the blog: [What the Cat Read](#)

This is a challenging review for me to write for several reasons. The first is because I loved the first two books in the series so much and the second is because I'm struggling to find the words to describe this book and my feelings towards it. As some of you may know from my reviews on the first two books in this series, Walls has managed to create a series that is rich in visual images, enjoyable characters, and leaves you wanting more long after the story is done. But unlike the previous two books which blew me away, this one was harder for me to get into and it didn't seem like the connection between events was as solid as it had been in the previous novels.

Now before I continue, I would like to state that once again if you've not read *Wings of Arian* and *Wings of Tavea*, please make it a point to do so before you read this book. Just as the events in *Wings of Tavea* took place directly after the events in book one, so do events in this book take place after the events in book two. There is very little down time between stories, so don't think that you can just pick up somewhere in the middle and understand what is taking place. This is not that type of series. And while Walls does do some backstory retelling, it's not nearly enough to give a new comer to the series a full understanding of what is going on.

Having said that, while I still enjoyed this book, it took me longer to get caught up in what was happening and there were several moments where I felt like I was missing important details, even though I had read the other books in the series. I guess the advantage I had the first time around was that I was able to read books one and two back-to-back. And maybe, if I'm to be honest, I simply just wasn't feeling this story at first as I

did the others. I don't know. It's safe to say though that the further into the book I read, the more interested in the story I became, I just hate that it took nearly half the book for me to get into it though. =^-.^=

Aside from that, I still think that Kiora is turning out to be a great character. She's certainly grown a lot since the events in the previous two books, and while her indecision between her emotions for Emane and Alcander got under my fur, mostly because I really dislike love triangles, I can't help but feel as though she's more than proven she's meant to fulfill the prophecy of the Solus and that she'll find a way to avoid war. And if she doesn't, it's certainly not for lack of trying. It was fun to watch Emane come into his own this time around. Now that he's found his place in the group and settled fully into his role, he's not nearly as aggravating as he was, though again I could do without his constantly getting into a hissing match with Alcander. And speaking of Alcander, whereas with book two I wasn't entirely sure I liked him all that much, I've come to have more respect for him in this novel. At the very least I understand him a whole lot more. All three of them have gone through so much...it's hard not to feel for them all at this point.

As for Walls's writing, as I said, it is still just as rich in imagery and power as in her previous novels. I greatly enjoyed her description of the island of Toopai and it was definitely my favorite part out of the entire book. I love dragons, and the entire two chapters dedicated to Kiora's trip to the island were fantastic. Meanwhile the ending of the book had me in tears. Walls definitely knows how to convey emotion in her writing and the ending chapters just about killed me. And that makes me want to read the fourth book in the series, *Wings of Lomay*, once it comes out all the more. Heehee

Chrissy (The Every Free Chance Reader) says

4.5 stars

Did I enjoy this book: Yes. Double Yes. All the Yes*. I allowed my son to pull out an entire box of tissues – the LAST box in the house – because I needed to finish the last ten pages, and waiting until his bedtime just wasn't an option. For some reason I was under the impression that *Wings of Nestor* was the last book in the Solus series, but when I got to the end I realized – happily – that I was wrong.

Walls has done it again. I'm hooked. *Wings of Nestor* is absolutely enthralling. The characters grow, change, and continue to surprise. It appears that Alcander is winning the "Who Does Kiora Love" contest for the moment, and I still dig their dynamic. But friends – after watching and listening to Emane over this last book ... well ... I hesitate to say it, but I'm thinking I may have ordered my Team Alcander shirt too quickly. Relegating Emane to the friend zone brings out some particularly awesome bits of Emane-ness – even if he is a Witow.

It wasn't just Emane, either. Kiora's visit to Toopai made me tear up a little (even though I still giggled at the name). And then there's Alcander's Uncle. And Jasmine. And Ky. Oh, Ky. You'll have to read it. I can't spoil it for you. You're going to weep (well, you're at least going to sniffle). When you get to the end, you're going to rage. Then, after the longest five seconds of your life, you'll realize there's no way Walls can possibly leave things the way they are – at least not without ten thousand angry fan e-mails – and you'll sigh in relief. There's going to be more, and it's going to be epic.

Would I recommend it: *see above.

Will I read it again: I'm not sure my heart can take it, but I'm anxiously awaiting the next installment, *Wings*

of Lomay, which I'd be happy to review ::nudge nudge, wink wink:::

(I received a copy of this book for review purposes.)

As reviewed by Melissa at Every Free Chance Book Reviews.

<http://everyfreechance.com/2013/08/bl...>

Melanie says

5*s

Awesome!

review posted here...

<http://bookpassionforlife.blogspot.co...>

Wings of Nestor is both breathtaking & heartbreaking as we join Kiora, Emane & Alcander for the penultimate book of the Solus series.

As the synopsis tells us 'Kiora needs answers' and now, more so than ever with her every move being discovered by 'the Shadow' who constantly finds Kiora through her dreams and knows just where & when to strike, so when Kiora discovers how she is being tracked, she is forced to take drastic action to keep them safe which will have far reaching consequences for more than one of our characters. Kiora's perils do not end there as she is forced to put herself in more danger in the effort to gain information about the shadow & it's connection to Jasmine and none more dangerous than a trip to Toopai to see the dragon queen, the oldest known creature in the world who may be able to help Kiora put the pieces together.... That's if she survives the journey out there for as we all know, Dragons are not the most tolerable creatures and have been known to burn first, no need to ask questions later. On her travels she will make many discoveries, see first-hand just what the enemy is up to and come to understand just how far reaching the prophecy had been & that the seeds of her arrival were planted long before anyone knew.... But will it be enough to save them all and avert the coming war?

I adored this instalment of the 'Solus' series, it was always a given that I was going to love this book, just the same as I have loved the 2 that came before it because I am invested in this world, it's characters and their fates and Devri Walls creates a beautiful fantasy world that will suck you in and take you on the most awesome, epic adventure. This book could definitely be classed as the reconnaissance book of the series so be prepared to gain a huge insight into what's going on. Kiora's character has again progressed into a more mature person, making decisions & taking risks more freely, you can definitely see the leader in her emerging and totally feel her character preparing for what's to come in every move & every decision she makes and I'll be looking forward to seeing her reach her full potential in the final book. In the last book I was torn between Kiora's love interests, I still am... I do like what happened here but I'm saddened just the same (you'll understand when you read it) both Emane & Alcander are great in their own way so I was really feeling Kiora's dilemma and I have to say that it made me connect to the characters on another level too, I already stated that I'm not a fan of love triangles but something about how this is put across just adds to Kiora's trials & growth as a young woman.

The storyline is as always, full of information, action, battles, adventure & excitement! it's putting pieces into place, it's drawing the line between friend & foe, it's realising people's intentions & potential, it's

understanding just what's at stake, understanding the lengths & depths some will go to in the name of power and not just putting your life on the line... but your heart too. I thought this book was both breathtaking & heartbreaking, definitely the saddest of the series, especially towards the end and when some realisations are made. Breathtaking because there is always something new to be seen and discovered, awe inspiring scenery from buried underground temples & magically hidden houses to volcanic caves, covered in crystals & housing dragons, from those beautiful, colourful dragons, winged horses, shape shifting beings to tiny magical bugs holding huge secrets... truly amazing! & Heartbreaking..... well, I'll let you discover why but you will be left in no doubt as to what is at stake and why Kiora fights against all that is evil. I personally cannot wait for the last book – Wings of Lomay – and what promises to be the EPIC final instalment of the Solus series.
