

META: Where can I find a discussion list for Gene Wolfe's books?

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Kieran Mullen — 21 Feb 2005, 14:43

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James Wynn — 21 Feb 2005, 15:22 · in reply to Kieran Mullen

Questions off the beaten track will persist as long as there are no legitimate interesting topics to discuss. As long as the topics are mildly interesting are they so much worse than nothing? However, I commend you for trying to get everyone back to something that interests you and is on topic.

Since Able and Arthur a in some way the same person, I would say they have to be linked from birth. It has been postulated that Arthur's mother or father was from Mythgarthr. I'm not sure this explains everything. I suspect (although some seem viscerally hostile to the notion, that all the seven worlds are "in" Arthur.

----- Original Message -----

From: "Kieran Mullen" <kieran at ou.edu>

To: <urth at urth.net>

Sent: Monday, February 21, 2005 5:43 PM

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Dan'I Danehy-Oakes — 21 Feb 2005, 15:25 · in reply to Kieran Mullen

Kieran,

Without directly answering your question, I will observe that he does not seem to just wander into the Mythgathr world-complex; rather, he seems to be summoned into it.

--Dan'l

On Mon, 21 Feb 2005 16:43:37 -0600, Kieran Mullen <kieran at ou.edu> wrote:

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