

Of course I want to be like them.
They're beautiful as blades forged in some divine
fire. And Cardan is even more beautiful than the
rest. I hate him so much that sometimes when
I look at him, I can hardly breathe.

One terrible morning, Jude and her sisters
see their parents murdered in front of them.

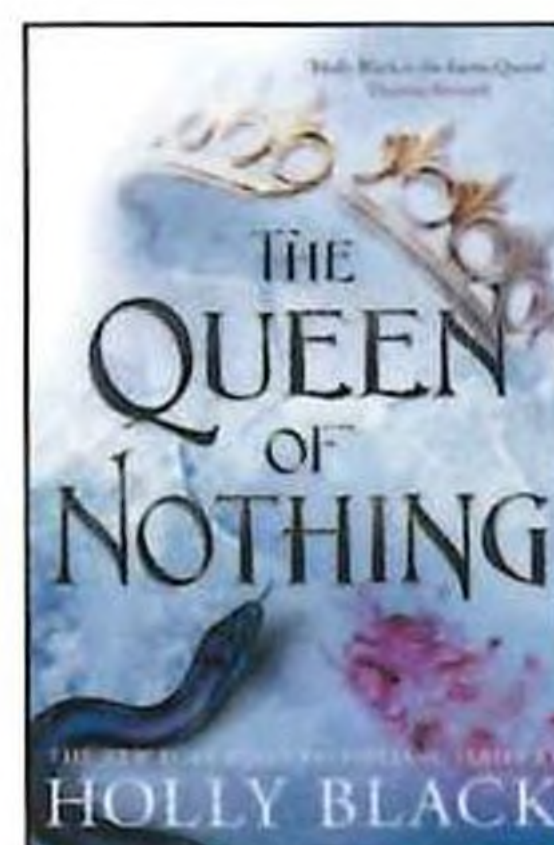
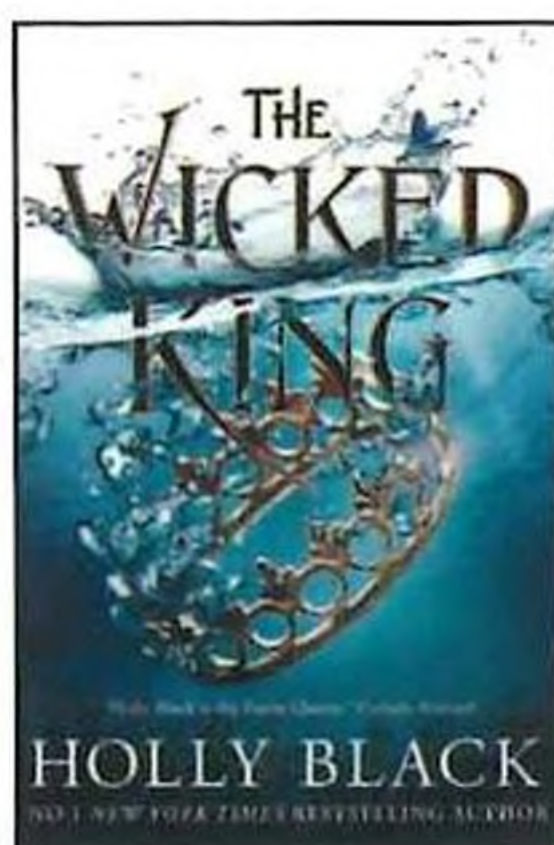
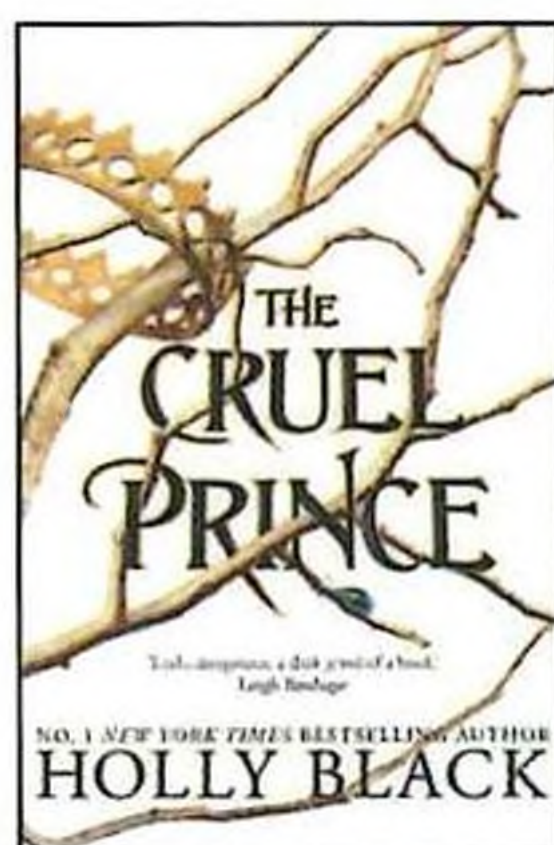
The fearsome assassin abducts all three girls and brings
them to the world of Faerie. Mocked and tormented for
being merely mortal, Jude soon realises that to survive in the
treacherous, dangerous world of the royal court, she needs
to be as cunning and deceitful as the Fey themselves.

But the stairway to power is fraught with shadows
and betrayal. And looming over all is the arrogant
and charismatic Prince Cardan.

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