

New *Game of Thrones* spinoff series announced

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HBO has officially ordered its first [Game of Thrones](#) spinoff show with reports saying there are five in the works.



The network has given the green light to a pilot of a prequel that will take place thousands of years before the main series. It'll be written by George R.R. Martin and Jane Goldman who you know from *Kick-Ass* and *Stardust*.

New book announced – *The Winds of Winter*

Every hardcore [Game of Thrones](#) fan has been waiting for this! And finally George R.R. Martin has confirmed that the sixth book is coming to the *Song of Ice and Fire* series.

It's called *The Winds of Winter*, and fans have been waiting with bated breath as numerous deadlines have already been missed. This is what we know so far.

***Winter is Coming*, but not in 2018**

This was the clue that George left on his blog, so we know that he is working on the book, but we don't know if it will come before season 8 of *Game of Thrones* which will be dropping in 2019.

Fire & Blood

Here's some more good news. George R.R. Martin will be releasing another book this year called *Fire & Blood*, which is a history of the Targaryen family. It will be coming out 20 November this year.

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Fans can prepare for the new releases by watching every single episode of [HBO's *Game of Thrones* on Showmax](#), and if you're not sure why people are going crazy over this series, now is the perfect time to check it out!

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