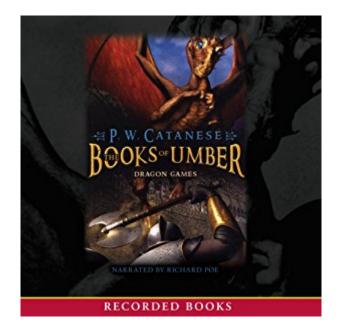
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# Dragon Games: Books Of Umber, Book 2





## Synopsis

A surprise visitor to the Aerie provides devastating news for Happenstance about his past--but it's the future that Umber and Hap must contend with: they need to learn all they can about Meddlers if they are to discover what Hap's role in Umber's mission is to be. And that means a risky trip to The Inferno, where Caspar has taken the key pages of Umber's research. But that's only one of the perilous journeys Umber has in mind for his mysterious ward: Umber's nemesis, the wheeling and dealing Hameron, has acquired some dragon eggs, and Umber can't resist the opportunity to study a new magical species, even if it means a trip to the corrupt kingdom of Sarnica. But when he and Hap see what the warlord of Sarnica has planned for the dragon hatchlings at the upcoming Dragon Games, Umber's quest for knowledge turns into a dangerous rescue operation.

### **Book Information**

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#### **Customer Reviews**

This book gives you a closer look at the world that Umber and Happenstance live in as they go from one magical adventure to the next. The actual Dragon Games is just one of the adventures and my only negative is that the author maybe should have made the story more about this conflict (as it is the title of the book) or changed the title all together. The adventures come quickly to an end and of course as it does in the first book the book ends simarly to a serial soap opera leaving you with no choice but to buy the next in the series to finish the read which actually leaves me wondering why they didn't just put all three books into one book -- of course more money is to be made this way.

We listened to the first two books in this series and really enjoyed Richard Poe's narration. The

characters are very believable and the story line is excellent, very engaging for the parents and kids on our family. We are excited for the next book, The End of Time.

Every book by Catanese has the ability to draw the reader into this wonderfully constructed fantasy world. As far as this trilogy is concerned he hasn't disappointed. I own almost every other book he's written (waiting on my copy of The End of Time) and this is a wonderful addition.

Well what's ya know, finished another adventure of Lord Umber and Hap. They saved a kingdom, couple of damsels in waitress, a baby Dragon. Fought off man eating tiny men on a volcanic tiny island, and man eating crabs on another tiny island. Wow it just keeps getting better.

Started slow, lots of set-up and review. You must read the first book of the series, Happenstance Found, to understand. But once the groundwork was laid this book took off. If you like Fantasy Action Adventure you should like this one. Ordered the Kindle edition of the 3rd in the trilogy, End of Time, as soon as I finished this one. The biggest flaw in my opinion is that the text to speech is not enabled for the Kindle, but this has nothing to do with the quality of the book just the convenience. Great read!

This was a wonderful sequel to the first book where Umber and Hap go on a adventure to see the Dragon game's and they kill a king who is without mercy or kindness they also discovered where to go to find out about meddlers

Cantonese keeps readers engaged by leaving a trail of bread crumbs, or unanswered questions, as readers quickly turn the pages to see what will happen next. Following the adventure towards discovery. Happenstance is anxious to find out who he is in the first book of the Cantonese trilogy. Dragon Games, the second book in the series, begins with a gift from Nima. Traveling on a barge carried by a leviathan named Baroon, the motely crew travel to Umber's home, Kurahaven. Upon their arrival they discover a storm has ravished the land and it's occupants are in the process of rebuilding. Happenstance is slowly regaining memories of his past. He realizes that he was killed, along with his father and mother, and brought back as something with emerald colored eyes. He is what is known as a "Meddler." He has a brother, but doesn't want him to know the truth. Umber takes Happenstance on a hunting trip to takes Happenstance on a fall in the mist. An Emissary

comes to Kurahaven to envite Umber to Sarnica to play Dragon Games. Umber takes the crew on the next adventure. Dragons, mysterious notes and more of the Happenstance story unravels as book 2 takes readers into the 3rd book of the trilogy. Fans will love this series and will continue to enjoy the roller coaster ride of Umber

Oh why do they always have to end?? I don't know why but I canGuess. Anyways the only reason I didn't give this book 5 stars is because of the terrible cliff hanger. But other than that it was great. I read this book in about two days and I'm ten but this was a very enjoyable book. I hope this helped you out a bit.

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