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Many years ago, the Seer Draganna foretold of the Eight Sons of Destiny. Interpreters of the Song of Destiny have long believed that a disaster will befall all of Katan when the brothers find their true loves. To avoid the possibility of the foretold disaster, the eight brothers are exiled to the isle of Nightfall, a land where women are strictly forbidden. The first brother, Saber, has already met and embraced his destiny. Each brother is destined to meet the challenges foretold, one by one.

Wolfer of Nightfall, formerly of Corvis, is the second Son of Destiny. It is now Wolfer's turn to fulfill his part of the Song. When his childhood friend Alys of Devries shows up desperate and frightened on the island of Nightfall, Wolfer welcomes her with open arms. Wolfer has always harbored intense feelings for his childhood playmate Alys. Now Alys is a full grown, intriguing woman. Is it possible that his little Alys is actually the Wolf's mate?

Alys of Devries has always been in love with Wolfer of Corvis, now of Nightfall. As a child, Alys loved to play with the eight brothers at their ancestral home in Corvis. When her parents were killed in a flash flood at age fourteen, Alys is sent to live with her evil Uncle Broger of Devries. Alys has never forgotten any of the eight brothers who are her kin by marriage, especially Wolfer. When Alys manages to escape from her nefarious uncle, she runs to Nightfall, the island where the eight Sons of Destiny have been exiled.

During the three years that the eight brothers have been exiled on Nightfall Island, they have been plagued by monster attacks. Some wizard or Mage from their home country of Katan wants them dead. This mysterious Mage will do anything to see that happen. When Alys comes to the island with news about the identity of the mysterious Mage, the brothers devise a plan to put a stop to the attacks once and for all. What will become of the second Son of Destiny once the dust settles and all the cards are on the table?

THE WOLF is a fantastic story. I fell in love with Wolfer in Jean Johnson's first book in the series, THE SWORD. Wolfer is a powerful Mage with a heart as big as the world. Wolfer will do anything to keep those whom he loves safe from harm. Alys is a strong woman with

amazing powers of her own. Together they are an extraordinary couple. Although THE WOLF is a strong enough story to be a stand alone book, it is much richer and more vivid for having read THE SWORD first. THE SWORD introduces us to the eight brothers. In THE WOLF the character development is cleverly detailed and appealing. The eight brothers already seem like old friends.

THE WOLF is such an enchanting tale that I found it almost impossible to put it down. It captivated me and kept me on the edge of my seat for the entire story. I now find myself eagerly awaiting the next installment of this marvelous series. THE SONS OF DESTINY is shaping up to be one of the best new paranormal romance series of 2007.