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With vampires, fairies, angels, romance, steampunk, and modern New York all in one series, Cassandra Clare is exploding onto the scene. This book explores the deeper world of the Shadowhunters: . Parabatai, Nephilim, blessings, and runes

- . Lucifer, Ithuriel, Lilith, Agramon, and other angels and demons
- . Ancient legends of werewolves, vampires, and fairyfolk
- . Clare's clever Easter eggs from pop culture and literature
- . The classic heroine's journey
- . Muslim angels, Hindu prayers, the Jewish Book of Raziël, and the Christian Grail

There's something for everyone, as this book reveals unseen lore within the bestselling series.

Valerie Estelle Frankel is the author of two books on the heroine's journey, along with books on the Harry Potter series and The Hunger Games. Valerie lives (and writes!) in Sunnyvale, California.

## **Myths and Motifs of the Mortal Instruments Details**

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## **Connie says**

this book is just not for me. I wanted to read something about the series, not information about the symbolic meanings behind each characteristic and event. If you are looking for a book with teachings of symbolism to do some research or study of some kind you might enjoy this book. I wanted fiction in all of it's out of mind numbing glory.

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## **Taylor Troncin says**

I won this book through a goodreads giveaway! I have not made it far into the Mortal Instruments series, but this was a very interesting perspective of the series. (I may or may not have spoiled some things for myself, but oh well...) Interesting read!

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## **Jocelyn Sanchez says**

This is a great book for any fans of The Mortal Instruments. If you love the Mortal Instruments, you're going to enjoy this book which breaks down everything in the books. You get to read about: Lucifer, Ithuriel, Lilith, Agramon, and other angels and demons as well as the backstory to a bunch of elements in the storyline. This book also breaks down the characters such as, Clary, Jace, Simon, Isabelle, and Alec.

Something I enjoyed reading about in this book was the symbolic meaning to certain objects and scenes in the Mortal Instruments series. Like, the ring Jace gave to Clary and the witchlight he gave to her on her birthday. So many hidden meanings you can read about in this book that will make you appreciate the series more and more. I was shocked when I found out some things about the series.

We also get to read about the ancient legends of werewolves, vampires, and fairyfolk. I love reading about legends and folklore and I've found this book very informative. It's interesting and very easy to follow along. I can read this book over and over again and find something new every time!

I recommend this book to people who loved the Mortal Instruments series and readers who love reading about legends and symbolic meanings of the objects in the story. Very fascinating book!!

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