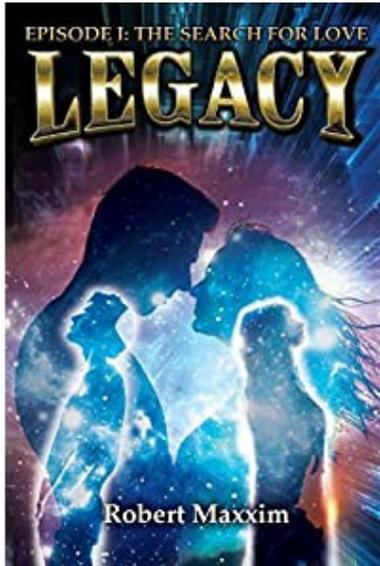




# Readers' Favorite®

## Book Reviews and Award Contest

### Editorial Review



Below you will find ratings (scale of 1-5) with descriptions for the major parts of your book followed by your Readers' Favorite review. Although these are general ratings we hope they will give you an insight into how others may view the different components of your book.

These are the opinions of your reviewer, and although your reviewer is not an expert literary critic or professional editor, they are at the very least, an avid reader of books just like yours.

**Title:** Legacy  
**Subtitle:** Episode I: The Search for Love  
**Author:** Robert Maxxim  
**Genre:** Fiction - Science Fiction



**Appearance:** The appearance of a book can make a significant impact on the experience of a reader, whose enjoyment is often enhanced by an enticing cover, an intriguing table of contents, interesting chapter headings, and when possible, eye-catching illustrations.

**5**

**Plot:** The characters of a book should be well defined with strengths and flaws, and while they do not have to be likable, the reader does have to be able to form a connection with them. The tone should be consistent, the theme should be clear, and the plot should be original or told from a unique perspective. For informative books -- those without plot and characters--this rating refers primarily to your concept and how well you presented it.

**5**

**Development:****5**

Development refers to how effectively you told your story or discussed your topic. The dialogue should be realistic, the descriptions should be vivid, and the material should be concise and coherent. Organization is also a key factor, especially for informative books -- those without plot and characters. The order in which you tell your story or explain your topic and how smoothly it flows can have a huge impact on the reader's understanding and enjoyment of the material.

**Formatting:****5**

Formatting is the single most overlooked area by authors. The way in which you describe scenes, display dialogue, and shift point of view can make or break your story. In addition, excessive grammatical errors and typos can give your book an amateurish feel and even put off readers completely.

**Marketability:****5**

Marketability refers to how effectively you wrote your book for your target audience. Authors may include content that is above or below the understanding of their target reader, or include concepts, opinions or language that can accidentally confuse or alienate some readers. Although by its nature this rating is very subjective, a very low rating here and poor reviews may indicate an issue with your book in this area.

**Overall Opinion:****5**

The overall starred rating takes into account all these elements and describes the overall reading experience of your reviewer. This is the official Readers' Favorite review rating for your book.

**Review:**

Reviewed by K.C. Finn for Readers' Favorite

Legacy, Episode I: The Search for Love is a work of fiction in the science fiction, interpersonal drama, and romance sub-genres, and was penned by author Robert Maxxim. The work is intended for the general adult reading audience and is the opening to an epic romantic saga series. The central plot follows our main character through what appears to be his first meeting with a Martian woman with whom he falls in love, but events and conflicts surrounding the pair soon change the course of both their lives and the wider universe forever. What results is a very engrossing and thought-provoking tale that is sure to keep readers turning pages from cover to cover.

Author Robert Maxxim has crafted an emotive and romantic work of fiction with plenty of emotional moments, tearjerkers, and fantastic action sequences to offer readers. One of the features which I found particularly impressive about this piece was how grounded the author's own ideas and experiences are in the work, with the clearly stated spiritual undertones and the overwhelming message of love which the book contains. The prose is lyrical and romantic, conjuring up gorgeous images, atmosphere, and emphatic statements that stay with you long after you finish any single chapter. Whilst it is also initially prose-heavy, the pacing and worldbuilding provide a great build-up to the later action and romantic sequences. Overall, I would highly recommend Legacy Episode I: The Search for Love to fans of powerful romance stories, immersive science fiction, and for anyone looking for a brilliant new series to embark on.