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*Seed Upon the Wind (Taliswoman) [Carole Nelson Douglas] on www.enganchecubano.com *FREE* shipping on qualifying offers. Fleeing the strange parallel land of Veil, Alison has returned to Minnesota with the mysterious Cup of Earth.*

Old English *windan*; related to Old Norse *vinda*, Old High German *wintan* German *winden* *wind* verb *winds*, *winding*, *winded* or *wound* tr poetic to blow a note or signal on a horn, bugle, etc Show More Word Origin for *wind* C Normal pronunciation evolution made this word rhyme with *kind* and *rind* Donne rhymes it with *mind*, but it shifted to a short vowel 18c. A sad loss for poets, who now must rhyme it only with *sinned* and a handful of weak words. Symbolic of emptiness and vanity since late 13c. I have forgot much, Cynara! Figurative phrase which way the wind blows for "the current state of affairs" is suggested from c. To get wind of "receive information about" is by , perhaps inspired by French *avoir le vent de*. Wind-chill index is recorded from Wind energy from Wind vane from Latin *viare* "twist, plait, weave," *vincire* "bind;" Lithuanian *vyti* "twist, wind". Related to *wend*, which is its causative form, and to *wander*. Wind down "come to a conclusion" is recorded from ; wind up "come to a conclusion" is from Winding sheet "shroud of a corpse" is attested from early 15c. Meaning "tire, put out of breath; render temporarily breathless by a blow or punch" is from , originally in pugilism. Earlier, "an apparatus for winding," late 14c. Middle Dutch, Middle Low German *winde* "windlass. Surface wind is measured by anemometers or its effect on objects, such as trees. On a local scale, the differences in rate of heating and cooling of land versus bodies of water greatly affect wind formation. Prevailing global winds are classified into three major belts in the Northern Hemisphere and three corresponding belts in the Southern Hemisphere. See also Beaufort scale chinook foehn monsoon Santa Ana. Idioms and Phrases with wind wind In addition to the idioms beginning with wind wind down.

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Seed Upon the Wind has 55 ratings and 2 reviews. Jeffrey said: This novel evidences a slight issue between Douglas and fantasy fans. Douglas had previous.

Benefits[edit] Seed dispersal is likely to have several benefits for different plant species. First, seed survival is often higher away from the parent plant. This higher survival may result from the actions of density-dependent seed and seedling predators and pathogens , which often target the high concentrations of seeds beneath adults. Seed dispersal also allows plants to reach specific habitats that are favorable for survival, a hypothesis known as directed dispersal. For example, *Ocotea endresiana* Lauraceae is a tree species from Latin America which is dispersed by several species of birds, including the three-wattled bellbird. Male bellbirds perch on dead trees in order to attract mates, and often defecate seeds beneath these perches where the seeds have a high chance of survival because of high light conditions and escape from fungal pathogens. These seeds can thus avoid adverse environmental effects such as fire or drought, reach nutrient-rich microsites and survive longer than other seeds. In fact, recent evidence suggests that the majority of seed dispersal events involves more than one dispersal phase. Long distance[edit] Long distance seed dispersal LDD is a type of spatial dispersal that is currently defined by two forms, proportional and actual distance. An example of LDD would be that of a plant developing a specific dispersal vector or morphology in order to allow for the dispersal of its seeds over a great distance. The actual or absolute method identifies LDD as a literal distance. Here, threshold means the minimum distance a plant can disperse its seeds and have it still count as LDD. This is known as the non-standard form. Non-standard LDD is when seed dispersal occurs in an unusual and difficult-to-predict manner. An example would be a rare or unique incident in which a normally-lemur-dependent deciduous tree of Madagascar was to have seeds transported to the coastline of South Africa via attachment to a mermaid purse egg case laid by a shark or skate. However, it is still unclear today as to how specific traits, conditions and trade-offs particularly within short seed dispersal effect LDD evolution. Autochory[edit] Autochorous plants disperse their seed without any help from an external vector, as a result this limits plants considerably as to the distance they can disperse their seed. The effect of gravity on heavier fruits causes them to fall from the plant when ripe. Fruits exhibiting this type of dispersal include apples , coconuts and passionfruit and those with harder shells which often roll away from the plant to gain more distance. Gravity dispersal also allows for later transmission by water or animal. Often the force that generates the explosion results from turgor pressure within the fruit or due to internal tensions within the fruit. An exceptional example of ballochory is *Hura crepitans* –this plant is commonly called the dynamite tree due to the sound of the fruit exploding. The explosions are powerful enough to throw the seed up to meters. This vectors may include wind, water, animals or others. Wind dispersal of dandelion seeds *Entada phaseoloides* – Hydrochory Wind dispersal anemochory is one of the more primitive means of dispersal. Wind dispersal can take on one of two primary forms: An important constraint on wind dispersal is the need for abundant seed production to maximize the likelihood of a seed landing in a site suitable for germination. There are also strong evolutionary constraints on this dispersal mechanism. For instance, Cody and Overton found that species in the Asteraceae on islands tended to have reduced dispersal capabilities i. Unusual mechanisms of wind dispersal include tumbleweeds , where the entire plant is blown by the wind. *Physalis* fruits, when not fully ripe, may sometimes be dispersed by wind due to the space between the fruit and the covering calyx which acts as air bladder. Water[edit] Many aquatic water dwelling and some terrestrial land dwelling species use hydrochory, or seed dispersal through water. Seeds can travel for extremely long distances, depending on the specific mode of water dispersal; this especially applies to fruits which are waterproof and float. The water lily is an example of such a plant. The seeds of palm trees can also be dispersed by water. If they grow near oceans , the seeds can be transported by ocean currents over long distances, allowing the seeds to be dispersed as far as other continents. Mangrove trees grow directly out of the water; when their seeds are ripe they fall from the tree and grow roots as soon as they touch any kind of soil. During low tide, they might fall in soil instead of water and start growing right where they fell. If the

water level is high, however, they can be carried far away from where they fell. Mangrove trees often make little islands as dirt and other things collect in their roots, making little bodies of land. A special review for oceanic waters hydrochory can be seen at oceanic dispersal. The "bill" and seed dispersal mechanism of *Geranium pratense* Animals [edit] The small hooks on the surface of a bur enable attachment to animal fur for dispersion. Animals can disperse plant seeds in several ways, all named zoochory. Seeds can be transported on the outside of vertebrate animals mostly mammals , a process known as epizoochory. Plant species transported externally by animals can have a variety of adaptations for dispersal, including adhesive mucus, and a variety of hooks, spines and barbs. This form of seed dispersal has been implicated in rapid plant migration and the spread of invasive species. Birds and mammals are the most important seed dispersers, but a wide variety of other animals, including turtles and fish, can transport viable seeds. The extinction of these large frugivores from poaching and habitat loss may have negative effects on the tree populations that depend on them for seed dispersal. Ants carry such seeds into their colonies, feed the elaiosome to their larvae and discard the otherwise intact seed in an underground chamber. In addition, rodents may also disperse seeds via seed spitting due to the presence of secondary metabolites in ripe fruits. For example, dung beetles are known to disperse seeds from clumps of feces in the process of collecting dung to feed their larvae. Zoochory can occur in more than one phase, for example through diploendozoochory, where a primary disperser an animal that ate a seed along with the seeds it is carrying is eaten by a predator that then carries the seed further before depositing it.

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On, to, against, on the basis of, at. The, the definite article. Including the feminine he, and the neuter to in all their inflections; the definite article; the. Contracted from a primary word; soil; by extension a region, or the solid part or the whole of the terrene globe. Mark, one therefore which had escaped the manifest eagerness of St. It runs to some extent parallel with the parable of the Sower, as though it had been given as another and easier lesson in the art of understanding parables; and if we assume a connection between St. Peter, it may be regarded as having in this way made a special impression on the mind of the Apostle. Like many other parables, it finds an interpretation in the analogous phenomena of the growth of the Kingdom 1 in the world at large, 2 in the heart of each individual. Speaking roughly, the Sower is, as before, either the Son of Man or the preacher of His word, and the ground falls under one or other of the heads just defined in the previous parable, with, perhaps, a special reference to the good ground. Pulpit Commentary Verses It differs greatly from the parable of the sower, although both of them are founded upon the imagery of the seed cast into the ground. In both cases the seed represents the doctrine of the gospel; the field represents the hearers; the harvest the end of the world, or perhaps the death of each individual hearer. So is the kingdom of God, in its progress from its establishment to its completion. The sower casts seed upon the earth, not without careful preparation of the soil, but without further sowing. And then he pursues his ordinary business. He sleeps by night; he rises by day; he has leisure for other employment; his work as a sower is finished. Meanwhile the seed germinates and grows by its own hidden virtues, assisted by the earth, the sun, and the air, the sower knowing nothing of the mysterious process. First comes the blade, then the ear, then the full corn in the ear. Such is the preaching of the gospel. Here, therefore, the sower represents human responsibility in the work. The vitality of the seed is independent of his labour. The earth develops the plant from the seed by those natural but mysterious processes through which the Creator is ever working. So in spiritual things, the sower commences the work, and the grace of God perfects it in the heart which receives these influences. The earth beareth fruit of herself. In like manner, by degrees, the faith of Christ increases through the preaching of the gospel; and the Church grows and expands. And what is true of the Church collectively is true also of each individual member of the Church. For the heart of each faithful Christian produces first the blade, when it conceives good desires and begins to put them into action; then the ear, when it brings them to good effect; and lastly the full corn in the ear, when it brings them to their full maturity and perfection. Matthew Henry Commentary 4: By his thus instructing them, they were made able to instruct others; as candles are lighted, not to be covered, but to be placed on a candlestick, that they may give light to a room. This parable of the good seed, shows the manner in which the kingdom of God makes progress in the world. Let but the word of Christ have the place it ought to have in a soul, and it will show itself in a good conversation. When it is sprung up, it will go forward. The work of grace in the soul is, at first, but the day of small things; yet it has mighty products even now, while it is in its growth; but what will there be when it is perfected in heaven!

4: SEED UPON THE WIND by Carole Nelson Douglas | Kirkus Reviews

In this sequel to Cup of Clay (), Douglas returns Allison Carver, a Minnesota reporter, to the fantasy world called Veil, setting of the first of the series.

Shoot Apical Meristem 7. Root Apical Meristem 8. Seed Coat Angiosperm flowering plants seeds consist of three genetically distinct constituents: In angiosperms, the process of seed development begins with double fertilization , which involves the fusion of two male gametes with the egg cell and the central cell to form the primary endosperm and the zygote. Right after fertilization, the zygote is mostly inactive, but the primary endosperm divides rapidly to form the endosperm tissue. This tissue becomes the food the young plant will consume until the roots have developed after germination. Gymnosperm ovule on left, angiosperm ovule inside ovary on right After fertilization the ovules develop into the seeds. The ovule consists of a number of components: The funicle funiculus, funiculi or seed stalk which attaches the ovule to the placenta and hence ovary or fruit wall, at the pericarp. The nucellus, the remnant of the megasporangium and main region of the ovule where the megagametophyte develops. The micropyle, a small pore or opening in the apex of the integument of the ovule where the pollen tube usually enters during the process of fertilization. The chalaza, the base of the ovule opposite the micropyle, where integument and nucellus are joined together. Plants generally produce ovules of four shapes: Orthotropous ovules are straight with all the parts of the ovule lined up in a long row producing an uncurved seed. Campylotropous ovules have a curved megagametophyte often giving the seed a tight "C" shape. The last ovule shape is called amphitropous, where the ovule is partly inverted and turned back 90 degrees on its stalk the funicle or funiculus. The upper or chalazal pole becomes the main area of growth of the embryo, while the lower or micropylar pole produces the stalk-like suspensor that attaches to the micropyle. The cotyledons, the seed leaves, attached to the embryonic axis. There may be one Monocotyledons , or two Dicotyledons. The cotyledons are also the source of nutrients in the non-endospermic dicotyledons, in which case they replace the endosperm, and are thick and leathery. In endospermic seeds the cotyledons are thin and papery. Dicotyledons have the point of attachment opposite one another on the axis. The epicotyl, the embryonic axis above the point of attachment of the cotyledon s. The plumule, the tip of the epicotyl, and has a feathery appearance due to the presence of young leaf primordia at the apex, and will become the shoot upon germination. The hypocotyl, the embryonic axis below the point of attachment of the cotyledon s , connecting the epicotyl and the radicle, being the stem-root transition zone. The radicle, the basal tip of the hypocotyl, grows into the primary root. Monocotyledonous plants have two additional structures in the form of sheaths. The plumule is covered with a coleoptile that forms the first leaf while the radicle is covered with a coleorhiza that connects to the primary root and adventitious roots form from the sides. Here the hypocotyl is a rudimentary axis between radicle and plumule. The seeds of corn are constructed with these structures; pericarp, scutellum single large cotyledon that absorbs nutrients from the endosperm, plumule, radicle, coleoptile and coleorhizaâ€”these last two structures are sheath-like and enclose the plumule and radicle, acting as a protective covering. Seed coat[edit] The maturing ovule undergoes marked changes in the integuments, generally a reduction and disorganisation but occasionally a thickening. The seed coat forms from the two integuments or outer layers of cells of the ovule, which derive from tissue from the mother plant, the inner integument forms the tegmen and the outer forms the testa. The seed coats of some mononocotyledon plants, such as the grasses, are not distinct structures, but are fused with the fruit wall to form a pericarp. The testae of both monocots and dicots are often marked with patterns and textured markings, or have wings or tufts of hair. When the seed coat forms from only one layer, it is also called the testa, though not all such testae are homologous from one species to the next. The funiculus abscises detaches at fixed point â€” abscission zone , the scar forming an oval depression, the hilum. Anatropous ovules have a portion of the funiculus that is adnate fused to the seed coat , and which forms a longitudinal ridge, or raphe, just above the hilum. In bitegmic ovules e. Gossypium described here both inner and outer integuments contribute to the seed coat formation. With continuing maturation the cells enlarge in the outer integument. While the inner epidermis may remain a single layer, it may also divide to produce two to three layers and

accumulates starch, and is referred to as the colourless layer. By contrast the outer epidermis becomes tanniferous. The inner integument may consist of eight to fifteen layers. Kozłowski As the cells enlarge, and starch is deposited in the outer layers of the pigmented zone below the outer epidermis, this zone begins to lignify, while the cells of the outer epidermis enlarge radially and their walls thicken, with nucleus and cytoplasm compressed into the outer layer. In the inner epidermis the cells also enlarge radially with plate like thickening of the walls. The mature inner integument has a palisade layer, a pigmented zone with layers, while the innermost layer is known as the fringe layer. Relevant discussion may be found on the talk page. Please help to ensure that disputed statements are reliably sourced. October Learn how and when to remove this template message In gymnosperms, which do not form ovaries, the ovules and hence the seeds are exposed. This is the basis for their nomenclature "naked seeded plants. Two sperm cells transferred from the pollen do not develop the seed by double fertilization, but one sperm nucleus unites with the egg nucleus and the other sperm is not used. Shape and appearance[edit] A large number of terms are used to describe seed shapes, many of which are largely self-explanatory such as Bean-shaped reniform "resembling a kidney, with lobed ends on either side of the hilum, Square or Oblong "angular with all sides more or less equal or longer than wide, Triangular "three sided, broadest below middle, Elliptic or Ovate or Obovate "rounded at both ends, or egg shaped ovate or obovate, broader at one end , being rounded but either symmetrical about the middle or broader below the middle or broader above the middle. Striate seeds are striped with parallel, longitudinal lines or ridges. The commonest colours are brown and black, other colours are infrequent. The surface varies from highly polished to considerably roughened. The surface may have a variety of appendages see Seed coat. A seed coat with the consistency of cork is referred to as suberose. Other terms include crustaceous hard, thin or brittle. Structure[edit] The parts of an avocado seed a dicot , showing the seed coat and embryo Diagram of the internal structure of a dicot seed and embryo: In addition, the endosperm forms a supply of nutrients for the embryo in most monocotyledons and the endospermic dicotyledons. Seed types[edit] Seeds have been considered to occur in many structurally different types Martin This reflects the degree to which the developing cotyledons absorb the nutrients of the endosperm, and thus obliterate it. Diagram of a generalized dicot seed 1 versus a generalized monocot seed 2. Endosperm Embryo[edit] In endospermic seeds, there are two distinct regions inside the seed coat, an upper and larger endosperm and a lower smaller embryo. The embryo is the fertilised ovule, an immature plant from which a new plant will grow under proper conditions. The embryo has one cotyledon or seed leaf in monocotyledons , two cotyledons in almost all dicotyledons and two or more in gymnosperms. In the fruit of grains caryopses the single monocotyledon is shield shaped and hence called a scutellum. The scutellum is pressed closely against the endosperm from which it absorbs food, and passes it to the growing parts. Embryo descriptors include small, straight, bent, curved and curled. Nutrient storage[edit] Within the seed, there usually is a store of nutrients for the seedling that will grow from the embryo. The form of the stored nutrition varies depending on the kind of plant. In angiosperms, the stored food begins as a tissue called the endosperm , which is derived from the mother plant and the pollen via double fertilization. It is usually triploid , and is rich in oil or starch , and protein. In gymnosperms, such as conifers , the food storage tissue also called endosperm is part of the female gametophyte, a haploid tissue. The endosperm is surrounded by the aleurone layer peripheral endosperm , filled with proteinaceous aleurone grains. Originally, by analogy with the animal ovum , the outer nucellus layer perisperm was referred to as albumen , and the inner endosperm layer as vitellus. Although misleading, the term began to be applied to all the nutrient matter. This terminology persists in referring to endospermic seeds as "albuminous". The nature of this material is used in both describing and classifying seeds, in addition to the embryo to endosperm size ratio. The endosperm may be considered to be farinaceous or mealy in which the cells are filled with starch , as for instance cereal grains , or not non-farinaceous. The endosperm may also be referred to as "fleshy" or "cartilaginous" with thicker soft cells such as coconut , but may also be oily as in Ricinus castor oil , Croton and Poppy. The endosperm is called "horny" when the cell walls are thicker such as date and coffee , or "ruminated" if mottled, as in nutmeg , palms and Annonaceae. In the non-endospermic dicotyledons the endosperm is absorbed by the embryo as the latter grows within the developing seed, and the cotyledons of the embryo become filled with stored food. At maturity, seeds of these species have no

endosperm and are also referred to as exalbuminous seeds. The exalbuminous seeds include the legumes such as beans and peas, trees such as the oak and walnut, vegetables such as squash and radish, and sunflowers. According to Bewley and Black, Brazil nut storage is in hypocotyl, this place of storage is uncommon among seeds. Seed coat [edit] The seed coat develops from the maternal tissue, the integuments, originally surrounding the ovule. The seed coat in the mature seed can be a paper-thin layer. The seed coat helps protect the embryo from mechanical injury, predators and drying out. Depending on its development, the seed coat is either bitegmic or unitegmic. Bitegmic seeds form a testa from the outer integument and a tegmen from the inner integument while unitegmic seeds have only one integument. Usually parts of the testa or tegmen form a hard protective mechanical layer. The mechanical layer may prevent water penetration and germination. Amongst the barriers may be the presence of lignified sclereids. The endotegmen is derived from the inner epidermis of the inner integument, the exotegmen from the outer surface of the inner integument. The endotesta is derived from the inner epidermis of the outer integument, and the outer layer of the testa from the outer surface of the outer integument is referred to as the exotesta. If the exotesta is also the mechanical layer, this is called an exotestal seed, but if the mechanical layer is the endotegmen, then the seed is endotestal. The exotesta may consist of one or more rows of cells that are elongated and palisade like. In the latter example these hairs are the source of the textile crop cotton.

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Seed upon the wind. [Carole Nelson Douglas] -- Fleeing the strange parallel land of Veil, Alison has returned to Minnesota with the mysterious Cup of Earth. Now a provocative encounter draws Alison back to the northern Minnesota Island that acts.

Pulpit Commentary Verse 6. The labor of the farmer is taken as a type of business generally, and was especially appropriate to the class of persons whom Koheleth is instructing. The injunction occurs naturally after ver. And in the evening withhold not thine hand. Labor on untiredly from morn till evening. It is not an advice to rest during midday, as that was too hot a time to work Stuart, but a call to spend the entire day in active employment, the two extremities being mentioned in order to include the whole. Work undertaken in a right spirit is a blessing, not a curse, shuts out many temptations, encourages many virtues. Others find a figure of the ages of man in the "morning and evening," thus, "From earliest youth practice piety and purity, and continue such conduct to its close. It seems best to take the paragraph merely as commending activity, whether in business or in benevolence, without anxious regard to results which are in higher hands. For thou knowest not whether shall prosper, which of the two sowings, either this or that, the morning or evening sowing. It is a chance, and a man must risk something; if one fails, the other may succeed. Or whether they both shall be alike good. The uncertainty rouses to exertion; labor may at any rate secure half the crop, or even give a double produce, if both sowings succeed. So in religion and morality, the good seed sown early and late may bear fruit early or late, or may have blessed results all along. The Vulgate is less correct, Et si utrumque simul, melius or, "And if both together, it will be better. Give freely, though it may seem thrown away and lost. Excuse not thyself with the good thou hast done, from the good thou hast further to do. It is not lost, but well laid out. We have reason to expect evil, for we are born to trouble; it is wisdom to do good in the day of prosperity. Riches cannot profit us, if we do not benefit others. Every man must labour to be a blessing to that place where the providence of God casts him. Wherever we are, we may find good work to do, if we have but hearts to do it. If we magnify every little difficulty, start objections, and fancy hardships, we shall never go on, much less go through with our work. And we may well trust God to provide for us, without our anxious, disquieting cares.

6: Seeds Upon the Wind - Dewar & McLean | Songs, Reviews, Credits | AllMusic

"Man without God is a seed upon the wind." What a picture! A tiny, living thing awaiting its moment of fulfillment, caught up in the movement of tremendous energy, is at the mercy of forces that are not responsive to its own ends!

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The second installment (after Cup of Clay) of this well-crafted ecological fantasy series takes Minnesota reporter Alison Carver back to the troubled world of Veil, which she had abruptly left a few.

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