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"I wasn't yet born when the clouds rolled in. I only know the history, taught in school and remembered in audio files linked to the Coalition database. Disaster unfurled in the form of creeping heat and droughts without reprieve. Accounts abound of scorching light, thinning ozone, brittle crops and peeling skin. Wildfires spread where they shouldn't, and wars divided an already pockmarked planet. It might've been the end for us. It almost was."

BOOK DETAILS:

Living in a post-climate disaster world protected by a layer of artificial cloud, Mallory knows every shade of darkness, their world lit sparingly by bioluminescence. But when Rein stumbles across their path—radioactive light bleeding from their teeth, their skin twisted and burned—Mallory's worldview implodes, and the true cost of their survival becomes all too clear.

A haunting cli-fi novella ideal for fans of Tiffany Morris and Stephanie Feldman, EVERY DARK CLOUD combines a dystopian setting and class-conscious narrative with a glimmer of hope for our shared humanity.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR:

Marisca Pichette (she/they) is a queer author based in Massachusetts, on Pocumtuck and Abenaki land. Her short fiction and poetry have appeared in *Strange Horizons, Clarkesworld, Vastarien, The Magazine of Fantasy* & *Science Fiction, Fantasy Magazine, Nightmare Magazine,* and others. Her poetry collection, *Rivers in Your Skin, Sirens in Your Hair*, was a finalist for the Bram Stoker and Elgin Awards.

EVERY DARK CLOUD is her first standalone work of fiction, coming from Ghost Orchid Press in Spring 2025.

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