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but the loophole remains.

# Authority

The Tracker Sequence, Book 2

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“High stakes ensure an engaging  
experience for readers.”

- KIRKUS REVIEWS



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It's been six months since Kaya, Bailen, and the Ghosts leveraged her glitch to destroy the tracker network. With it came the eradication of the authorities and an end to Rufus Scurry's secret plans to mind control the world. While Kaya appreciates her recovered sense of privacy and newfound connection to Judaism, millions believe life is worse without trackers.

As the Ghosts deploy old technology to fill the void, people around Kaya begin acting strangely—doing things they don't have control over. Some, like her ex-boyfriend Harlow, are losing time all together.

When Kaya receives a threat from an unknown user on her deactivated tracker, she seeks to uncover who is behind it and how they are using the old network. But more people are falling victim to the mind control every day, sending Kaya scrambling to end the loophole before she loses everyone she loves to the technology she's learned to live without.

*"Readers will enjoy the intriguing coding and logic challenges, the group's romantic dynamics, and the heart-pounding chase sequences involving flying motorbikes." - [Kirkus Reviews](#)*

**About the Author:** Growing up with a fascination for space and things that fly, Jamie turned that love into a career as an Aerospace Engineer. Combining her natural enthusiasm for Science Fiction and her love of reading, she now spends a lot of her time writing Middle Grade and Young Adult Science Fiction and Fantasy.

Jamie lives in St. Louis, Missouri with her husband, their son, and their dog Rogue (after the X-Men, not Star Wars, although she loves both). When she isn't being a Rocket Scientist by day and a writer by night, she can be found catching up on the latest sci fi TV, books, and movies as well as spending time on Social Media (maybe a little too much time :-P). And no, the rocket science jokes never get old!



## Authority Discussion Questions

1. Throughout this book, Kaya weighs the pros and cons of how her world has changed after the loss of trackers. Do you think this world was better off with trackers? Why or Why not? Make a weighted pros and cons list to help decide.
2. After the fall of the tracker network, Kaya and her friends decide to learn new skills like coding. What's a new skill you'd learn if you lived in their world?
3. With Harlow's memory lapses and loss of control, do you think Kaya was right to trust him and want to help him? Why or why not?
4. Bailen wants to use Harlow as bait without telling him in order to catch who is behind the tracker loophole. Kaya thinks it's wrong to use Harlow without his permission, to risk one person's life for the good of the many. What would you do in this situation and why?
5. If you were in Harlow's position, would you allow Bailen and the Ghosts to use you as bait, or not? How would you feel if that choice was taken from you?
6. What parallels and differences do you see between how this world has changed and our current world today?
7. Kaya and Peyton are on a journey of dealing with loss throughout this book. How do you believe the loss has shaped each character? How has the loss impacted their decisions?
8. Kaya often hides key information from people she cares about. Do you agree or disagree with her decision to keep certain things a secret? Explain why?
9. While Ava brings new expertise to the team, she has a very different background from the Ghosts. Did you trust her? What strengths and weaknesses do you feel she brought to the group?
10. The Jewish representation in Book 1 was tied more to technology, while in Book 2 was more about Jewish traditions. Which aspect of the representation did you enjoy more, and what aspects of Judaism would you like to learn more about?
11. What was your favorite relationship in this book and why?
12. What did you think of the AI in this book? Compare and contrast the AI in this book to that of today's world? Did the AI in this book impact how you feel about AI?

## Core Concepts/Discussion Topics

Judaism

Interconnectedness

Right to privacy

Freedom of religion

Consent

Technology / Artificial Intelligence

The good for one vs the good for many/Sacrificing one for the good of many