

Discussion Questions for *Infinite Arena*, edited by Terry Carr

1. Which story was your favorite? Why?
2. This anthology was published in 1977, and the publication of the stories ranged from 1944 to 1974. Knowing that, did anything about these stories strike you as you read them in 2016? Was anything predicted that came true?
3. Pick a story and discuss the characters, the plot, and the ending.
4. Do all of the stories feel as though they are of equal “weight?” If not, what makes one story feel more significant than another?
5. Why do you think the editor chose the first story to be first and the last story to be last?
6. Let’s discuss each of the story titles. Are they good ones?
7. Did you find yourself wondering about certain characters once the story was over? If so, why do you think specific ones stuck with you?
8. Would you recommend this book to a friend?
9. Are there any questions you would like to ask, or other issues or elements you would like to discuss?