

NOTE ON SPELLING AND TRANSLATIONS

All quotations from *Íslendingasögur* are taken from the Íslenzk fornrit editions (ÍF). The spelling of quotes in Old Norse-Icelandic follows the (late medieval) normalisation of ÍF volumes XIII and XIV, except when quoting non-normalised editions. This means that quotations from sagas contained in earlier volumes of ÍF have been normalised to conform to this spelling. This mostly affects *q*, which has been normalised to *ö* throughout, and the inclusion or omission of word-final *-r* in names such as Gunnar(r).

All translations are my own.

To assist the reader, brief summaries of the sagas are given in an Appendix at the end of the volume.

