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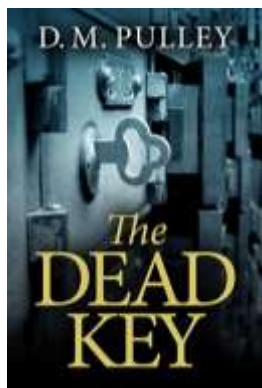


# Amazon Breakthrough Novel Award Winners



2014 Grand Prize Winner — Mystery & Thriller

2014 Winner — Romance



3/1/2015  
**The Dead Key**  
 D. M. Pulley  
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 Imprint: Thomas & Mercer

**It's 1998, and for years the old First Bank of Cleveland has sat abandoned, perfectly preserved, its secrets only speculated on by the outside world.**

Twenty years before, amid strange staff disappearances and **allegations of fraud, panicked investors sold Cleveland's largest bank** in the middle of the night, locking out customers and employees, and thwarting a looming federal investigation. In the confusion that followed, **the keys to the vault's safe-deposit boxes were lost.**

**In the years since, Cleveland's wealthy businessmen kept the truth buried** in the abandoned high-rise. The ransacked offices and forgotten safe-deposit boxes remain locked in time, until young engineer Iris Latch stumbles upon them during a renovation survey. What begins as a welcome break from her cubicle becomes an **obsession as Iris unravels the bank's sordid past. With each haunting revelation, Iris follows the looming shadow of the past deeper into the vault—and soon realizes that the key to the mystery comes at an astonishing price.**



2/17/2015  
**The Bluestocking and the Rake**  
 Norma Darcy  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio  
 Imprint: Montlake Romance

**The Earl of Marcham has decided to put the excesses of his colorful youth—or the most egregious of them, at least—firmly behind him in order to procure an heir.**

As he begins his search for an appropriate wife, a straight-laced **spinster releases a morality pamphlet exposing some of the earl's most scandalous misdemeanors.** Not one to shirk an offense, Marcham decides that the most appropriate way to avenge himself is to seduce her . . .

Miss Georgiana Blakelow had long given up any hope of marriage. Instead, she has resigned herself to serve as governess to her siblings and to save the family estate from complete ruin—if only that cur of an earl who won the estate in a poker game would be reasonable.

As the sparks fly and Marcham finds himself unexpectedly attracted to this most unusual spinster, Miss Blakelow becomes more determined than ever to keep him at a safe distance, despite the risk **to her family's home and legacy. The closer he comes, the more likely the earl is to discover that his bluestocking is not all that she seems.**

2014 Winner — General Fiction

2014 Winner — Science Fiction, Fantasy, Horror



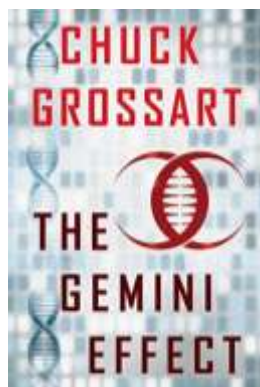
2/24/2015  
**A Pledge of Silence**  
 Flora J. Solomon  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio  
 Imprint: Lake Union Publishing

**In this sweeping historical novel, a young American nurse, stationed in Manila at the start of WWII, must survive the horrors of a Japanese prison camp.**

When Margie Bauer joins the Army Nurse Corps in 1941, she is delighted to be assigned to Manila—the Pearl of the Orient. Though rumors of war circulate, she feels safe—the island is fortified, the airbases are ample, and the Filipino troops are well-trained.

But on December 8, 1941, her dreamworld shatters. Captured by the invading Japanese, Margie ends up interned at Santa Tomas, an infamous prison camp. There, for the next three years, while enduring brutality and starvation, her bravery, resourcefulness, and faith are tested and her life forever changed.

At once an epic tale of a nation at war and the deeply personal story of **one woman's journey through hell, *A Pledge of Silence* vividly illustrates the sacrifices the Greatest Generation made for their country, and the price they continued to pay long after the war was over.**



4/1/2015  
**The Gemini Effect**  
 Chuck Grossart  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio  
 Imprint: 47North

**A single raindrop opens a Pandora's box of horrors when the spawn of perverse genetic research performed during World War II—refined by Cold War enemies and perfected by nature—are unleashed on an unsuspecting world.**

By dawn, only a dead city remains, eerily quiet and still, except for the mutant beasts who hide from the light, multiply, and await the **shadows of day's end.**

Ordered to investigate the unfolding crisis, bio-warfare specialist **Carolyn Ridenour barely escapes the creatures' nocturnal onslaught,** saved in the nick of time by Colonel Garrett Hoffmann, who has lost hundreds of his troops to the mutant army that neither bombs nor bullets can break.

As Carolyn and Garrett race to stop the plague, a battered and broken **US government is preparing to release the fury of America's nuclear arsenal on its own soil.**



2013 Winner — Mystery & Thriller

2013 Winner — Romance



10/22/2013  
**The Hidden**  
 Jo Chumas  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
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 Imprint: Thomas & Mercer

**Unfolding in Cairo's brothels, hashish cafes, and jasmine-scented colonial mansions, *The Hidden* is a gritty, sensual tale of revolution, betrayal, and the lengths we will go to for love—and truth.**

**A university professor is brutally murdered in Egypt's Sinai desert in 1940, leaving behind his new bride, the beautiful young Aimee Ibrahim. As Aimee tries to unravel the web of lies and secrets surrounding her husband's death, she unwittingly becomes a pawn in a revolutionary plot against Egypt's king. With the discovery of a twenty-year-old diary, the mystery only deepens. As Aimee gets ever closer to the truth, she discovers startling parallels between her own life and that of the mother she never knew.**



10/22/2013  
**A Man Above Reproach**  
 Evelyn Pryce  
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 Imprint: Montlake Romance

**In 1830s London, scandalous whispers surround the pub known as the Sleeping Dove, a hidden bordello catering to nobles eager to shed the trappings of their stations.**

**Josephine Grant knows the rumors are true—she plays piano at the Dove and is known only as the “Bawdy Bluestocking” to the pub's faithful.**

**The reluctant Duke of Lennox is called “The Uncatchable” by society ladies, not that he cares for them or their nicknames. Elias Addison's estate was thrust upon him when his father died, and it has been little else but a burden. When a friend brings him to the Sleeping Dove in an attempt to lighten his mood, the Duke of Lennox finds himself at the Bawdy Bluestocking's piano, and together they begin to play a dangerous melody. Though Elias cannot resist courting her, she has a past to protect, a shaky future, and no time for frivolous nobility with soft hands. When the duke uncovers the truth, will he wish he had never heard the tune?**

2013 Winner — General Fiction

2013 Winner — Science Fiction, Fantasy, Horror

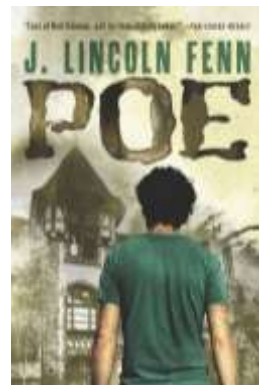


10/22/2013  
**It Happened in Wisconsin**  
 Ken Moraff  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio  
 Imprint: Lake Union Publishing

**In an America ravaged by the Great Depression, a talented but ragtag baseball team sets out to change the world.**

**Barnstorming the back roads and dusty ballparks of the Midwest, the Racine Robins rally fans to the populist cause, raising money for soup kitchens and strike funds even as they thrill small-town crowds and dazzle opponents on the field. Yet winning the hearts and minds of the people turns out to be easier for the players than facing the twin seductions of love and money, conflicting desires that threaten to derail everything they are fighting to achieve.**

**After a sudden April snowstorm forces the Robins to find shelter in the Rockefeller hotel, the team begins to pull apart. Tensions mount—one player falls in love for the first time—and old friendships threaten to unravel as the men face temptations and ambition. Can this tough, tight-knit group stay true to its great cause when dreams and longing come knocking?**



10/22/2013  
**Poe**  
 J. Lincoln Fenn  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio  
 Imprint: 47North

**It's Halloween, and life is grim for twenty-three-year-old Dimitri Petrov. It's the one-year anniversary of his parents' deaths, he's stuck on page one thousand of his Rasputin zombie novel, and he makes his living writing obituaries.**

**But things turn from bleak to terrifying when Dimitri gets a last-minute assignment to cover a séance at the reputedly haunted Aspinwall Mansion.**

**There, Dimitri meets Lisa, a punk-rock drummer he falls hard for. But just as he's about to ask her out, he unwittingly unleashes malevolent forces, throwing him into a deadly mystery. When Dimitri wakes up, he is in the morgue—icy cold and haunted by a cryptic warning given by a tantalizing female spirit.**

**As town residents begin to turn up gruesomely murdered, Dimitri must play detective in his own story and unravel the connections among his family, the Aspinwall Mansion, the female spirit, and the secrets held in a pair of crumbling antiquarian books. If he doesn't, it's quite possible Lisa will be the next victim.**

# 47NRTH

*This Way to the New Unknown*

47North, whose name is based on the latitude coordinates for Seattle, offers a wide array of new novels and cult favorites for avid readers of science fiction, fantasy, and horror.



## Frontlist Titles

Fall 2014–Spring 2016

## Covenant of Muirwood Series

A new epic fantasy series from author Jeff Wheeler, set in the same world as his bestselling Legends of Muirwood trilogy.



8/18/2015

### The Banished of Muirwood (Book One)

Jeff Wheeler

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

There is an uneasy truce between the returning Maston families and the Nestors.

Because of the Scourge that devastated the lands in centuries past, the Dochte Mandar forbid women to read or study to become Mastons, for fear that one may become a hetaera and bring back the terrible plague. A royal princess of Comoros, Maia Soliven has been studying in secret, permitted by her father and a rebellious Dochte Mandar **who sees her ambition and skill. Maia's family disintegrates when her father divorces her mother for lack of a male heir and he disinherits Maia before remarrying. Maia's father then sends her on a quest to find the missing lore of the Mastons in ancient Dahomey and to try to reverse the Blight on the land.**



9/15/2015

### The Cipher of Muirwood (Book Two)

Jeff Wheeler

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

**Maia's identity is carefully guarded as she's concealed at the abbey of Muirwood.**

Maia serves as a Wretched during the day, but at night she is taken into the cloisters and (along with many girls from Maston families—the Ciphers) allowed to read and learn about the Medium. She soon discovers her mother has sought refuge at Muirwood and they **reunite. Maia's benefactor, Sabine, has an uncanny ability to find missing pieces of information lost in the tomes and helps in the reconstruction of the abbey after locating documents about how it works and the order of things. Maia is a quick study and begins to progress quickly, though her emotions are tested because she has the hetaera's brand on her shoulder. The Dochte Mandar continue to search for her.**

**Peace at the abbey is disturbed when Maia's step-siblings arrive at Muirwood, and her identity is exposed . . .**



10/27/2015

### The Void of Muirwood (Book Three)

Jeff Wheeler

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

With the abbey restored, Muirwood is now a target for the Dochte Mandar, who will summon the armies from every kingdom to crush the abbey and its inhabitants.

Feint Collier, the master of horses for the king of Dahomey, seeks to prove his sincerity to Maia and tries to avert the disaster by bringing his army to bear against the growing horde. Unfortunately, his army is defeated and Maia must rally the defenses of Comoros to repel the invading armies, even though they are hopelessly outnumbered. They use every stratagem they can to delay the advance and prevent a bloodbath.

Collier goes to the high king of the Nestors and seeks to win him to the cause of the Mastons. He is successful and brings another force down from the north to try and stem the tide.

## Legends of Muirwood Trilogy

At once captivating, mysterious, and infused with magic, Legends of Muirwood takes classic fantasy adventure and paints it with a story that is instantly epic, and yet, all its own.



1/15/2013

### The Wretched of Muirwood (Book One)

Jeff Wheeler

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All Languages

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Audio, German

In the ancient and mystical land of Muirwood, Lia has known only a life of servitude. Labeled a **"Wretched," an outcast unwanted and unworthy of respect, Lia is forbidden to realize her dream to read or write. All but doomed, her days are spent toiling away as a kitchen slave under the charge of the Aldermaston, the abbey's watchful overseer. But when an injured squire named Colvin is abandoned at the kitchen's doorstep, an opportunity arises.**

The nefarious Sheriff Almaguer soon starts a manhunt for Colvin, and Lia conspires to hide Colvin and change her fate. In the midst of a land torn by a treacherous war between a ruthless king and a rebel army, Lia finds herself on an ominous journey that will push her to wonder if her own hidden magic is enough to set things right.



1/15/2013

### The Blight of Muirwood (Book Two)

Jeff Wheeler

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All Languages

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Audio

In *The Blight of Muirwood*, Lia finds herself filled with inner turmoil after the great battle of Winterrowd led to the death of the wicked king and her closest ally. Despite her reservations, Lia is called to be an official protector of Muirwood Abbey and is charged to employ her magic to defend Ellowyn Demont, the lost heir to the fallen kingdom of Pry-Ree. Her duties are put to the test when the Queen Dowager arrives in Muirwood **accusing the Aldermaston, the abbey's overseer, for the king's death.**

Amidst the turmoil, battle ensues, and Lia learns of a terrible plague that threatens to cover the land in darkness and death. Above all, the magic of the world begins to fail. In a **quest to undo the devastation, Lia's path** brings her to a startling revelation that will change her life forever.



1/15/2013

### The Scourge of Muirwood (Book Three)

Jeff Wheeler

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All Languages

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Audio

When a deadly plague is unleashed in the land of Muirwood, the fate of the world is placed in **Lia's hands. Charged to be a magical protector,** Lia volunteers to be sent on a desperate quest to rescue the squire Colvin, her love, and his pupil Ellowyn Demont, the alleged heir to the fallen kingdom of Pry-Ree.

Still recovering from the injuries of her last adventures, Lia sets off across land and sea, warning the kingdom of the oncoming plague. The journey leads her to Dochte Abbey, where her friends are supposedly held. A fallen enemy lies in wait for her, as well as an unbearable new truth. The revelation will force Lia to choose between the lives of her closest friends and her deepest desires . . .



## Whispers from Mirrowen Trilogy

A devastating plague ravages the land, and a brave group of heroes attempt to stop it—and the evil Arch-Rike—once and for all.



2/5/2013

### Fireblood (Book One)

Jeff Wheeler

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Audio

In a world beset by plagues, Tyrus of Kenatos **has made it his life's work to end the** devastation. Yet when he first ventures into the Scourgelands to uncover the secret of the **plagues' origin, he barely makes it out alive** after being ambushed by a mysterious, unseen enemy. Tyrus knows the plagues will rise again—more powerful than ever before—and he is determined to complete his mission. To aid in his new quest, he summons his nephew Annon and his niece Hettie—both of whom possess an innate magic called the fireblood—and a pack of unlikely allies. But as the group sets out on its journey, the ruthless ruler of Kenatos, the Arch-Rike, has other plans—deploying a legion of minions who will stop at nothing to destroy them.

If they succeed, the truth will be revealed—a Druidecht secret of a forgotten magical race, a deadly betrayal, and a hidden child who could be the key to banishing the plagues.



2/4/2014

### Dryad-Born (Book Two)

Jeff Wheeler

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Audio

The struggle to save the plague-ridden kingdoms continues . . .

Phae has kept her innate ability secret since she was a young orphan. Not only does she possess the dangerous fireblood, but she can also steal the memories of anyone who looks into her eyes. Phae has no idea that her combination of powers is extraordinary. She is the unwitting key to discovering the secret origin of the plagues . . . and she is also a target. The ruthless Arch-Rike of Kenatos has sent his most menacing servant—the Quiet Kishion—to destroy her.

As Phae struggles to wield her powers and escape her pursuers, a team of allies has already been dispatched on a quest to end the plagues. Some face the horrors in the **Arch-Rike's secret lair, while others search for** the fabled lost Shatalin temple. The determined allies must square off against the Arch-Rike, who is ever steadfast in his aim to kill Phae . . . and let the plagues rage on.



2/24/2015

### Poisonwell (Book Three)

Jeff Wheeler

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The battle to save the kingdoms devastated by the Plague culminates in this exhilarating finale to the Whispers from Mirrowen trilogy.

If there is anything more dangerous than the Plague itself, it is the journey that awaits those sworn to stop it. Tyrus, the renegade magic-wielder exiled from Kenatos, knows this firsthand. His original mission through the Scourgelands met a tragic end, leaving him as the sole survivor.

Now all hope lies with his daughter, Phae, the uniquely gifted Dryad-born who can not only steal memories but also summon the power of the fireblood—and who alone has the power to breach the lost gate of Mirrowen. But first Phae and the comrades who have come to her aid must survive the most dangerous place on earth: the Scourgelands.

Will Phae reach the land beyond the grasp of the deadly Plague . . . or will the quest through the Scourgelands end in tragedy once again?

## The Evermen Saga

An original epic series from fantasy author James Maxwell, bursting with action and adventure.



7/29/2014

### Enchantress (Book One)

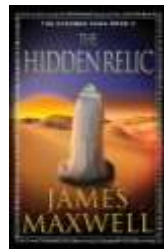
James Maxwell

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From the day Ella witnesses an enchanter using his talents to save **her brother's life, she knows what** she wants to be. Meanwhile her brother, Miro, dreams of becoming **one of the world's finest swordsmen, wielding his nation's powerful** enchanted weapons in defense of his homeland.

A dark force rises in the east, and Miro leaves for the front. When the void Miro left is filled by Killian, a charming stranger, Ella finds herself in love. But Killian has a secret, and **Ella's actions will determine the fate** of her brother, her homeland, and the world.



7/29/2014

### The Hidden Relic (Book Two)

James Maxwell

Rights Available: All Languages

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With the fate of their homeland still in jeopardy, siblings Ella and Miro **must face the Primate's evil as he** discovers a new technique: a way to extract essence from human blood.

The Primate has been temporarily defeated, but his home, which was once inhabited by the Evermen, still holds their ancient secrets. As the mysterious Evrin sets out to destroy everything he can, the Primate stumbles upon an ancient book that tells of a hidden relic with unfathomable power—and he will stop at nothing to find it.



7/29/2014

### The Path of the Storm (Book Three)

James Maxwell

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Two years have passed since the war, **yet without essence the Empire's** economy has collapsed. In the midst of the growing unrest, Miro struggles to balance his life with Amber against his resolve to keep threats to the Empire at bay. His sister, Ella, helps to build the machinery the Empire desperately needs, but she longs to find Killian and believes his powers will be needed in the conflict to come.

As citizens and leaders gather for a wedding, an evil threat shatters the fragile peace: one of the Evermen has returned.



8/26/2014

### The Lore of the Evermen (Book Four)

James Maxwell

Rights Available: All Languages

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The Lord of the Night is coming. The future of civilization is at stake.

Miro is in the Imperial capital to prepare the Empire for the onslaught. He knows his homeland **lies directly in the enemy's path** but struggles to form the alliances he needs.

As the high lords bicker, Ella seeks **Killian's help. But, amid the growing** tensions, their responsibilities drive **them apart, as Killian can't be seen to** favor Ella's homeland.

## The Paper Magician Series

A whimsical series exploring a world of magicians who animate man-made materials that will charm readers young and old alike.



9/1/2014

### The Paper Magician (Book One)

Charlie N. Holmberg  
Rights Available:  
All Languages  
Rights Sold:  
Audio, German,  
Turkish

ALA Short List for Best Fantasy Novel for Young Readers

From the imaginative mind of debut author Charlie N. Holmberg, *The Paper Magician* is an extraordinary adventure that will delight readers of all ages.

Ceony Twill arrives at the cottage of magician Emery Thane with a broken heart. Having graduated at the top of her class from the Tagis Praff School for the Magically Inclined, Ceony is assigned an apprenticeship in paper magic despite her dreams of bespelling metal. **And once she's bonded to paper, that will be her only magic . . . forever.**

Yet the spells Ceony learns under the strange yet kind Thane turn out to be more marvelous than she could have ever imagined—animating paper creatures, bringing stories to life via ghostly images, even reading fortunes. But as she discovers these wonders, Ceony also learns of the dangers of forbidden magic.



11/4/2014

### The Glass Magician (Book Two)

Charlie N. Holmberg  
Rights Available:  
All Languages  
Rights Sold:  
Audio, Turkish

Whitney Awards Finalist in the Speculative Youth Fiction Category

Now well into her apprenticeship with magician Emery Thane, twenty-year-old Ceony Twill is continuing to discover the joy of paper magic. She adores bringing her spells to life in surprising ways, from learning the power of distortion to creating a beloved paper dog. And she secretly hopes that the romance she foresaw blossoming between her and the peculiar yet strikingly handsome Emery finally becomes real.

But when one magician with a penchant for deadly scheming believes that Ceony possesses a secret, he vows to discover it . . . even if it tears apart the very fabric of their magical world. After a series of attacks target Ceony, and catch those she holds most dear in the crossfire, she knows she must find the true limits of her powers . . . and keep her knowledge from falling into wicked hands.



6/2/2015

### The Master Magician (Book Three)

Charlie N. Holmberg  
Rights Available:  
All Languages  
Rights Sold:  
Audio, Turkish

Throughout her studies, Ceony Twill has harbored a secret, one she's kept from even her mentor, Emery Thane. She's discovered how to practice forms of magic other than her own—an ability long thought impossible.

While all seems set for Ceony to complete her apprenticeship and pass her upcoming final magician's exam, life quickly becomes complicated. To avoid favoritism, Emery sends her to another paper magician for testing, a Folder who despises Emery and cares even less for his apprentice. To make matters worse, a **murderous criminal from Ceony's past escapes** imprisonment. Now she must track the power-hungry convict across England before he can take his revenge. With her life and loved ones hanging in the balance, Ceony must face a criminal who wields the one magic that she does not, and it may prove more powerful than all her skills combined.

## The Witching Savannah Series

Move over, Sookie Stackhouse—the witches of Savannah are the new talk of the South. Bold, flirty, and with a touch of darkness, debut author J. D. Horn spins a mesmerizing tale of a family of witches . . . and the problem that can arise from being so powerful.



2/1/2014

### The Line (Book One)

J. D. Horn  
Rights Available:  
All Languages  
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German, Italian,  
Polish, Russian,  
Turkish

To the uninitiated, Savannah shows only her bright face and genteel manner. Those who know her well, though, can see beyond her colonial trappings and small-city charm to a world where witchcraft is respected, Hoodoo is feared, and spirits linger. Mercy Taylor is all too familiar with the supernatural side of Savannah, being a member of the most powerful family of witches in the South.

Despite being powerless herself, of course.

Having grown up without magic of her own, in the shadow of her talented and charismatic twin sister, Mercy has always thought herself content. But when a series of mishaps—culminating in the death of the Taylor matriarch—leaves a vacuum in the mystical underpinnings of Savannah, she finds herself thrust into a mystery that could shake her family apart . . . and unleash a darkness the line of Taylor witches has been keeping at bay for generations.



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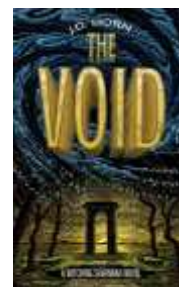
### The Source (Book Two)

J. D. Horn  
Rights Available:  
All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio,  
Polish, Russian,  
Turkish

Graceful trees and historic buildings fill Savannah, Georgia, but beneath the city's Southern splendor, its supernatural roots run deep.

Savannah resident Mercy Taylor may now be **in control of the South's most powerful family of witches, but she's struggling to master her** newfound magic. Pregnant with her first child and still reeling from a heartbreaking betrayal, she just wants to be able to use her supernatural abilities without accidentally destroying dishes or blasting the doors off buildings.

**But when Mercy's long-presumed-dead** mother suddenly returns, begging Mercy to keep her presence under wraps, the witch wonders how many secrets her family is hiding . . . and who she can really trust.



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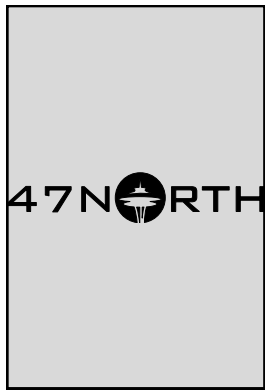
### The Void (Book Three)

J. D. Horn  
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Polish, Russian,  
Turkish

**The third book in J. D. Horn's Witching Savannah series, *The Void* is a gripping** adventure about the enchantment—and evil—that can lie just beyond sight.

Mercy Taylor and her husband, Peter, are happily preparing to welcome baby Colin into their lives. But their excitement quickly becomes overshadowed by a gruesome discovery: someone has scattered severed limbs throughout the city. After a troubling visit from an old foe, Mercy learns dark magic is at play, and someone—or something—wants her and her unborn child out of the picture. To uncover the shocking reason why, the amateur witch must face a force beyond her power . . . or risk losing everything.

Stay tuned for the fourth book in the Witching Savannah series, *Jilo*, which will be released in Spring 2016!



10/1/2015

## Pale Queen Rising

A. R. Kahler

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Five years ago, the demons unleashed by Oberon and Mab threatened to tear the world apart. And five years ago, Vivienne Warfield put an end to the threat. The act cost her everything—her memory, her powers, and even her child. Not that Vivienne knows her true daughter is missing; the **changeling left in Claire's crib was a perfect replica.**

Time passes differently in the world of Faerie, and those five years have turned the young Claire into the deadly assassin her mother could never be. At 26, possessing all the lore and powers of the Faerie realm, she's the greatest killer the world of Fey has ever seen. But the Dream Trade is in chaos. Oberon is gaining control over the supply and rumor has it the wild Fey are taking matters into their own hands . . . by entering the mortal world and acquiring Dream and devotion themselves.

**And so, Claire is thrust into the mortal world. It's her job to track down and kill the renegade Fey, thereby keeping the Dream Trade in balance.** As Claire navigates a mortal realm teeming with Fey and nightmares, she will encounter friends and allies (and lovers) in the unlikelyst of places, including the Cirque Des Immortels.



9/22/2015

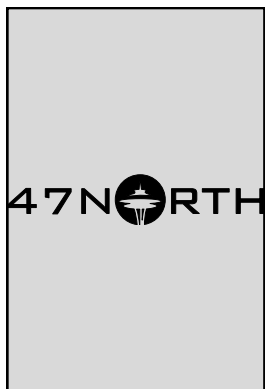
## Followed by Frost

Charlie N. Holmberg

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Seventeen-year-old Smitha, a self-absorbed girl with a love for old language, rebuffs the advances of a wizard named Mordan. He curses Smitha to be as cold as her heart—a curse that chills her to the bone and makes everything she touches freeze. Worse yet, a perpetual snowstorm forms above her, blanketing her village in snow. The cold kills not **only the new spring crops, but her neighbors' only son.**

Banished as punishment, Smitha wanders for three years, meeting Death himself along the way. Eventually, a prince from the **Southlands begs her to end his country's drought. Smitha agrees and travels to the desert with his party and the captain of the guard, Lo. Smitha is scared of Lo at first, but gradually she realizes she's falling in love with him, and eventually tells him of Death and how she was cursed—secrets she has never uttered to anyone . . .**



10/20/2015

## Here & There

Joshua Scher

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

*Here & There* imagines the next advancements in teleportation in the context of a love story: **Can the atoms and energies that comprise a person's body and "mind" be teleported and transferred successfully while causing the unhealthy and unscanned portion of a body to pass into another, unwanted object?**

*Here & There* begins when an anxiety-ridden son discovers a top-secret US government report—**prepared by the son's now-missing psychologist-mother—concerning a disastrous event known as the Reidier Test.** The test, performed by a brilliant Brown University quantum physicist named Kerek Reidier, resulted in the attempted **teleportation and presumed death of Reidier's family and other top government officials.**

Although structured as a thriller, the narrative more pointedly examines the love between Reidier and his wife, Eve, who suffers from an inoperable brain tumor. And it suggests that the real intent of the Reidier Test was to perform through teleportation a quantum surgery—to forge a healthier, cancer-free Eve.



11/17/2015

## The Academy

Anne Charnock

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

The newest novel by Philip K. Dick Award-nominated author Anne Charnock, *The Academy* features intertwined narratives spanning continents and centuries.

Renaissance Florence (1470s): Paulo Uccello instructs his daughter **Antonia on his artistic "trickery" in the hope he can develop her natural talents.** But he is elderly and must decide soon whether **Antonia's future will lie in marriage or in taking holy orders.**

Present-day China: **Toni (13) deals with her mother's death in a tragic and violent accident. She becomes fixated on the idea of "survivors,"** leading her to form an online community. She wonders if her father—a professional copyist painter—is lacking in ambition. His latest commission is to copy a Paulo Uccello painting for a wealthy Chinese **businessman. Toni's father has a secret . . .**

Near-future London: Toniah, an art historian, has been raised in a parthenogenetic community. In her new post at the Academy of Restitution, Toniah makes progress in raising the status of Antonia Uccello, the daughter of Paulo Uccello, who was the leading Renaissance pioneer of perspective drawing.



10/27/2015

## Shivaree

J. D. Horn

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Bestselling author J. D. Horn returns with a disturbing Southern Gothic character study set in the mid-**1950's**. *Shivaree* is driven by a cast of deeply flawed, disturbing, and eccentric characters, and a sinister town secret that rises at night to extract merciless revenge.

As the Korean War ends, Corinne Ford—a well-bred veteran of the Army Nursing Corps—returns to the States to live in the hometown of her new fiancé, Private First Class Elijah Dunne. They are in love, she thinks, but almost immediately upon her arrival in Conroy, Mississippi, she realizes that culture shock may be the least of her worries.

**A brutal murder disrupts Conroy's tensely placid quiet, and decades of buried stories begin to creep into the light.** No one is innocent, it seems, from the seat of local power to the hired help. The deepest secret involves the beautiful Miss **Ruby, Elijah's ex-girlfriend** and the former belle of Conroy, who—before the war—left Elijah, fled for Hollywood, and returned a few years later utterly changed: her health withering fast and her death only the beginning of a slow vengeance that won't stop until its hunger is satisfied.



8/25/2015

## Heirs of Empire

Evan Currie

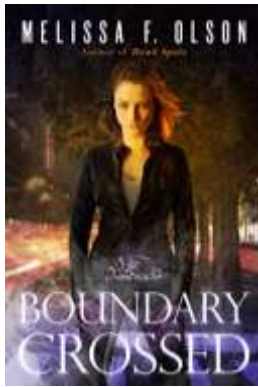
Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

A science fantasy à la *Star Wars* set inside a massive Dyson construct, *Heirs of Empire* is the next standalone novel by the author of the bestselling *Odyssey One* series.

When General Corian launches his coup against the Scourwind Throne, he throws elements of the Empire into disarray as Loyalists and his forces clash over the missing heirs to the Empire. The Scourwind twins, having fled the palace during the coup, are found by a former elite member of the Empire's forces and sheltered with her on her once luxury yacht, now turned pirate corsair.

The Loyalist forces gather in preparation for a risky gambit, a decapitating strike against the Tyrant Corian, but until the Heirs have been found they would risk only tearing more of the Empire to tatters.

## Old World Novels



5/1/2015

### Boundary Crossed (Book One)

Melissa F. Olson

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

*Boundary Crossed* is a dark, thrilling journey into a world where the line between living and dead isn't nearly as solid as it appears . . .

After her twin sister's brutal murder, former US army sergeant Allison "Lex" Luther vowed to protect her niece, Charlie. So when two vampires try to kidnap the baby, it quickly turns into a fight to the death—Lex's death, that is.

She wakes up to two shocking discoveries: she has miraculously survived the fight; and baby Charlie is a "null," gifted with the ability to weaken supernatural forces . . . and a target for creatures who want to control that power. Determined to guarantee her niece's safety, Lex makes a deal with the local vampires. She sets out with the mysterious—and undead—"fixer," Quinn, to track down whoever's responsible for her niece's kidnapping, sharpening her newfound magic skills along the way. But the closer she gets to the truth, the more dangerous her powers become.



10/13/2015

### Boundary Lines (Book Two)

Melissa F. Olson

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

There are a number of mysterious killings along Colorado's borders, and Maven sends Lex and Quinn to investigate.

It turns out that werewolves are testing the borders, spurred on by Itachi's death. Lex and Quinn determine that the wolves are hoping Maven will be too busy dealing with vampire politics to enforce the prohibition against keeping werewolves in Colorado. Lex has learned that her sister was actually killed by a werewolf, so she wants to go on the offensive. When Quinn and Lex manage to capture a werewolf alive, however, he tells them that it isn't a coordinated attack: something is pulling the wolves toward Boulder, as if they can't help themselves.

Lex goes to the coven, who confirm that Boulder sits on a splinter: a fragment of a now-dead ley line. This is what pulled Maven to Boulder, what keeps the witches here more powerful than in other places.

## The Cricket Series

Among the stars, a young heroine faces the perils of war and the ferocity of love.



12/9/2014

### Under Different Stars (Book One)

Amy A. Bartol

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Winner of four 2014 UtopYA Awards, including Best Book of the Year and Best Sci-Fi Book of the Year.

Kricket Hollowell is normally not one to wish upon stars; she believes they're rarely in her favor. Well versed at dodging caseworkers from Chicago's foster care system, the past few years on her own have made Kricket an expert at the art of survival and blending in. With her eighteenth birthday fast approaching, she dreams of the day when she can stop running and find what her heart needs most: a home.

Trey Allairis hates Earth and doubts that anyone from his world can thrive here. What he's learning of Kricket and her existence away from her true home only confirms his theory. But when he and Kricket lie together under the stars of Ethar, counting them all may be easier than letting her go.

Kyon Ensin's secrets number the stars; he knows more about Kricket's gifts than anyone and plans to possess her because of them. He also knows she's more valuable than any fire in the night sky. He'll move the heavens and align them all in order to make her his own.



3/31/2015

### Sea of Stars (Book Two)

Amy A. Bartol

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Eighteen-year-old Kricket Hollowell was looking for her place in the world when she discovered that the universe was bigger—and more dangerous—than she had ever dreamed.

Now, whisked across space to the planet Ethar, Kricket learns that her genetic ability to see the future makes her a sought-after commodity . . . and the catalyst for war between her star-crossed parents' clans. According to Alameedan prophecy, one house will rise to power and the other will be completely wiped out, and Kricket's precognition is believed to be the weapon that will tip the scales. A target of both the Rafe and the Alameeda houses, Kricket finds protection—and a home—in the arms of Trey, her Etharian bodyguard-turned-boyfriend. But her visions of what's to come disturb her deeply, especially since she must discover whether the gift of foresight will allow her to rewrite the future, or if her fate is as immovable as the stars.

Stay tuned for the third book in the Cricket series, *Darken the Stars*, which will be released in Fall 2015!





7/1/2015

**Letters to Zell**

Camille Griep

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

In this hilarious modern interpretation of the fairy-tale stories we all know and love, *Letters to Zell* explores what **happens when women abandon the stories they didn't write** for themselves and go completely off script to follow their dreams.

Everything is going according to story for CeCi (Cinderella), Bianca (Snow White), and Rory (Sleeping Beauty)—until the day that Zell (Rapunzel) decides to leave Grimmiland and pursue her life. Now, **Zell's best friends are left to wonder whether their own passions are worth risking their predetermined "happily ever afters,"** regardless of the consequences. CeCi wonders whether she should become a professional chef, sharp-tongued and quick-witted Bianca wants to escape an engagement to her platonic friend, and Rory will do **anything to make her boorish husband love her.** But as Bianca's wedding approaches, can they escape their fates—and is there enough wine in all of the Realm to help them?



6/1/2015

**(R)evolution**

PJ Manney

Rights Available: All Languages

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Bioengineer Peter Bernhardt has dedicated his life to nanotechnology, the science of manipulating matter on the atomic scale.

As the founder of Biogineers, he is on the cusp of revolutionizing brain therapies with microscopic nanorobots that will make certain degenerative diseases a thing of the past. But after his research is stolen by an unknown enemy, seventy thousand people die in Las Vegas in one abominable moment. No one is more horrified than Peter, as this catastrophe sets in motion events that will forever change not only his life but also the course of human evolution.

**Peter's company is torn from his grasp as the public clamors for his blood.** Desperate, he turns to an old friend, who introduces him to the Phoenix Club, a cabal of the most powerful men in the world. To make himself more valuable to his new colleagues, Peter infuses his brain with experimental technology, exponentially upgrading his mental prowess and transforming him irrevocably.

**As he's exposed to unimaginable wealth and influence, Peter's sense of reality begins to unravel . . .**



7/7/2015

**The Gods' Day to Die**

David Welch

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Desmond Taylor—a free-spirited loner and heir to a family fortune—**didn't mean to fall in love.** But when he stumbles upon a beautiful archer deep in the wilderness, they begin an electrifying and wild romance like no other. To make matters even more complicated, the woman is the goddess Artemis.

Like her Mount Olympus kin, Artemis has walked among mortals for thousands of years. But Desmond and Artemis's isolated paradise is violently shattered when they're tracked down by the goddess Athena's insane mortal son: a man hell-bent on killing every last god.

Thrown into a fight to the death, Desmond finds himself traveling the globe at Artemis's side, dodging bullets and proving himself as a fighter. Now, the gods must come together to defend themselves—or risk dying violently at the hands of the psychopath who is hot on their heels. While they are skilled in battle, there are but a few gods left to fight the steady onslaught of mercenaries sent by their vicious nemesis. Can Desmond stop the massacre of the last immortals, or could this truly be the gods' day to die?



7/14/2015

**Master of Formalities**

Scott Meyer

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Even when finding oneself engaged in interstellar war, good form must be observed.

Our story is set thousands of years after the Terran exodus, where two powerful, planet-dominating families—the elegant House Jakabitus and the less-refined Hahn Empire—have reached a critical point in their generations-long war. **Master Hennik, the Hahn ruler's only son,** has been captured, and the disposition of his internment may represent a last and welcome chance for peace. Enter Wollard, the impeccably distinguished and impossibly correct master of formalities for House Jakabitus. When he suggests that Master Hennik be taken in as a ward of the House, certain complications arise. Wollard believes utterly and devotedly in adhering to rules and good etiquette.

But can informing the ruler of a planet that you are claiming his son as your own create enough good will to deescalate an intergalactic war?

## Servants of Fate Series



1/1/2015

### Marked (Book One)

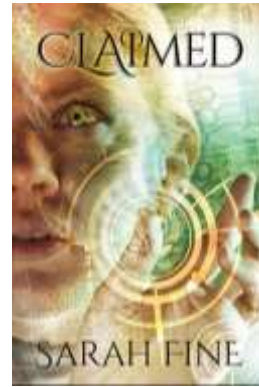
Sarah Fine

Rights Available: English and German

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In a broken landscape carved by environmental collapse, Boston paramedic Cacia Ferry risks life and limb on the front lines of a fragile and dangerous city. **What most don't know**—including her sexy new partner, Eli Margolis—is that while Cacy works to save lives, she has another job ferrying the dead to the afterlife. Once humans are “marked” by Fate, the powerful Ferrys are called to escort the vulnerable souls to either eternal bliss or unending fire and pain.

Unaware of Cacy's other life, Eli finds himself as mesmerized by his fierce and beautiful partner as he is mistrustful of the influential Ferry clan, led by the Charon—who happens to be Cacy's father. Cacy, in turn, can no longer deny her intense attraction to the mysterious ex-ranger with a haunted past. But just as their relationship heats up, an apparent hit takes the Charon before his time. Shaken to the core, Cacy pursues the rogue element who has seized the reins of Fate, only to discover that Eli has a devastating secret of his own. Not knowing whom to trust, what will Cacy have to sacrifice to protect Eli—and to make sure humanity's future is secure?



3/24/2015

### Claimed (Book Two)

Sarah Fine

Rights Available: English and German

Rights Sold: Audio

Galena Margolis, a brilliant scientist with a tragic past, is determined to fulfill her destiny and develop the vaccine that could save millions. **Yet when Galena's test subjects meet with foul play, it's clear that** someone is still determined to stop her, and that Galena herself is a target. As the Ferry empire forges a plan to keep her safe, Declan Ferry, the politics-hating black sheep of the family, steps forward to protect her—but the emotional cost may be more than either of them is willing to pay.

As unknown enemies close in, it becomes terrifyingly clear that they threaten to destroy not only Galena's lifesaving work but also the very fabric of fate. Torn apart by the past and hunted by those she trusted, can Galena find room amidst her fears for a passion that could make her stronger than ever? And even if she and Declan can find their way together, will it be enough to keep the future from coming apart at the seams?

Stay tuned for the next book in the Servants of Fate series, *Fated*, which will be released in Fall 2015!

## Angel in the Whirlwind Series



9/15/2015

### The Oncoming Storm (Book One)

Christopher G. Nuttall

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

On Tyre, Captain Kat Falcone is astonished and furious to discover that her father, one of the twelve dukes/corporate CEOs who make up the uppermost reaches of the nobility, has used his influence to promote her to command one of the most powerful starships in the navy.

Angrily, she points out that his actions practically ensure that she will have to struggle to prove she deserves to sit in the command chair of a starship, while everyone will suspect she only got the job because of her connections. Her father points out, not unkindly, that he has his worries about the situation along the border. Having her there might prove very useful. **And he's right. The Theocracy is planning its** assault, while the admiral in command of Cadiz seems determined to ignore the growing threat . . .

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, which will be released in Spring 2016!

## Rewinder Series



7/21/2015

### Rewinder (Book One)

Brett Battles

Rights Available: All Languages

Armed only with his wits and his time-travel device, Denny Younger's adventures take readers through page-turning twists and turns. **But will everything he's got be enough?** Expect the unexpected.

You will never read Denny Younger's name in any history book, but the world as you know it wouldn't be the same without him.

Denny was born into one of the lowest rungs of society, but his bleak fortunes changed the day the mysterious Upjohn Institute recruited him. The role: verifier of personal histories. The job title: Rewinder. **After accepting the offer, Denny discovers he'll have to do his research** in person . . . by traveling through time. Using a device capable of opening a portal into any era from the past, Denny is sent back to serve as eyewitness to significant moments in human history. But as he journeys across the centuries, he begins to suspect that his missions to “observe and report” have a much darker purpose.

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, which will be released in Fall 2015!

A new post-apocalyptic thriller series by brothers and writing partners Darren and Marcus Wearmouth



3/10/2015

**First Activation  
(Book One)**

Darren Wearmouth and  
Marcus Wearmouth

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German

Rights Sold: Audio



4/7/2015

**Second Activation  
(Book Two)**

Darren Wearmouth and  
Marcus Wearmouth

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*First Activation* is a gripping post-apocalyptic thriller.

Brothers Harry and Jack leave Manchester for New York City for their annual weekend getaway. But upon arrival, they find a silent, deserted JFK, where the few ground crew they can spot have all been slaughtered.

**Harry and Jack are military veterans, but they've never encountered anything like this.**

As they witness the carnage and stumble across murderous madmen in a post-apocalyptic New York City, it becomes clear that escape is the only option—that is, if there is anywhere sane to escape to . . .

*Second Activation* is the sequel in the high-octane, thrilling, post-apocalyptic Activation series.

It began in *First Activation*, when military veterans Harry and Jack arrived at a silent JFK airport and a New York City full of madmen driven to kill one another. In *Second Activation*, the two brothers escape from Monroe, Michigan, and head for New York to face down Genesis Alliance, a despotic organization that is implementing the chaos to create a new order. Caught in a race against time, confronted with a local team intent on revenge and expecting the imminent arrival of a larger reinforcement, Harry and Jack must avoid existing dangers, gain allies, and stop the Alliance from launching its next Activation.

With the fate of the remaining population at stake, Harry and Jack know that stopping the Activation means going to war once again . . .

Looking for Group Series



1/12/2016

**The Origin of Dick**

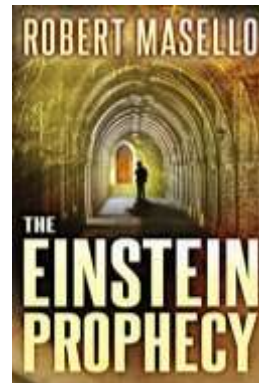
Ryan Sohmer

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Audio

The first novel set in the incredibly popular world of *Looking for Group*, a webcomic with over one million unique monthly viewers.

This novel will focus on the Richard, the sadistic, possibly trans-gender wizard who tends to use evil for the greater good.

Ryan Sohmer is the creator and writer of the popular webcomics *Looking for Group*, *Least I Could Do*, and *Gutters*. He is the president of Blind Ferret, a production and media company that distributes his own titles and videos, as well as a number of other very popular webcomics.



8/1/2015

**The Einstein Prophecy**

Robert Masello

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

From the mind of bestselling author and award-winning journalist Robert Masello comes a thrilling, page-turning adventure where modern science and primordial supernatural powers collide. *The Einstein Prophecy* is *Raiders of the Lost Ark* meets *The Monuments Men*.

As war rages in 1944, young army lieutenant Lucas Kazan recovers a sarcophagus excavated from an Egyptian tomb. Shipped to Princeton University for study, the box contains mysteries that only Lucas, aided by brilliant archaeologist Simone Rashid, can unlock.

These mysteries may, in fact, defy—or fulfill—the dire prophecies of Albert Einstein himself.

**Struggling to decipher the sarcophagus's strange contents, Lucas and Simone unwittingly release forces for both good and unmitigated evil. The fate of the world hangs not only on Professor Einstein's secret research but also on Lucas's ability to defeat an unholy adversary more powerful than anything he ever imagined.**



## The Hellequin Chronicles

A gritty and action-packed mix of urban fantasy and ancient mythology, starring a centuries-old sorcerer.



9/17/2013

### Crimes Against Magic (Book One)

Steve McHugh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Ten years ago, Nate Garrett awoke on a cold warehouse floor with no memory of his past—a gun, a sword, and a piece of paper with his name on it the only clues to his identity. **Since then, he's discovered he's a powerful sorcerer and has used his magical abilities to become a successful thief for hire. But those who stole his memories aren't done with him yet; when they cause a job to go bad and threaten a sixteen-year-old girl, Nate swears to protect her. With his enemies closing in and everyone he cares about now a target for their wrath, he must choose between the comfortable life he's built for himself and his elusive past.**



9/17/2013

### Born of Hatred (Book Two)

Steve McHugh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

There are some things even a centuries-old sorcerer hesitates to challenge . . .

**When Nathan Garrett's friend seeks his help investigating a bloody serial killer, the pattern of horrific crimes leads to a creature of pure malevolence, born of hatred and dark magic. Even with all his powers, Nate fears he may be overmatched. But when evil targets those he cares about and he is confronted by dire threats both old and new, Nate must reveal a secret from his recently remembered past to remind his enemies why they should fear him once more.**



2/18/2014

### With Silent Screams (Book Three)

Steve McHugh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Murdering one of Nate's friends and trying to blow him up is a good way to get his full attention . . .**

**An old friend's dead body, a cryptic note, and an explosion that almost costs him his own life propel Nate headfirst into a mystery involving a new threat from an old foe. Now he must piece together the connections between a grisly series of tattooed murder victims, an imprisoned madman, a mysterious alchemist, and a deranged plot to usurp the throne of the hidden realm of Shadow Falls, rival to the power of Avalon.**



4/14/2015

### Prison of Hope (Book Four)

Steve McHugh

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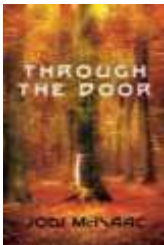
Long ago, Olympian gods imprisoned the demon Pandora in a human—Hope—creating a creature whose only purpose was chaos and death. Remorseful, the gods locked Pandora away in Tartarus, ruled by Hades.

Now, centuries later, Pandora escapes. Nate Garrett, a 1,600-year-old sorcerer, is sent to recapture her and discovers her plan to disrupt the 1936 Berlin Olympic Games, killing thousands in a misplaced quest for vengeance.

**Stay tuned for the fifth book in the series, *Lies Ripped Open*, which will be released in Fall 2015!**

## The Thin Veil Series

A mix of romance and adventure, The Thin Veil series takes readers across the globe and deep into the hidden realms of Celtic lore.



4/23/2013

### Through the Door (Book One)

Jodi McIsaac

Rights Available: All Languages, except Polish

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**It's been seven years since the love of Cedar McLeod's life left with no forwarding address. All she has left of him are heart-wrenching memories of happier times and a beautiful six-year-old daughter, Eden. Then, one day, Eden opens her bedroom door and unwittingly creates a portal that leads to anywhere she imagines. But soon Eden mysteriously vanishes. Desperate for answers, Cedar digs into the past and finds herself thrust into a magical world of Celtic myths. Teaming up with the unlikely of allies, Cedar must bridge the gap between two worlds and hold tight to the love in her heart . . . or lose everything to an ancient evil.**



11/12/2013

### Into the Fire (Book Two)

Jodi McIsaac

Rights Available: All Languages, except Polish

Rights Sold: Audio

Cedar McLeod would like nothing more than to return to Tír na nÓg, help rebuild the mythical kingdom, and start a new life for herself and **her daughter, Eden. But peace isn't** what Cedar finds after being reunited with her little girl. Nuala—who kidnapped and terrorized Eden in her previous bid for power—has returned and is making a persuasive claim for the vacant throne. The devastation such a ruler would bring upon both the kingdom and the human world is unthinkable. With no one else to stake a convincing counter-claim, Cedar steps forward . . . but first she must prove her worth beyond a doubt.



5/20/2014

### Among the Unseen (Book Three)

Jodi McIsaac

Rights Available: All Languages, except Polish

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Cedar McLeod vows to do whatever it takes to protect her family once and for all, and starts rounding up those who plotted against her. But then a new disaster breaks out: a mysterious sickness is plaguing the Unseen, **Ireland's magical creatures, including** those Cedar knows and loves. With enemies still on the loose and not knowing whom she can trust, Cedar must race against time to reverse an ancient curse, in a journey that will take her from Tír na nÓg to Earth . . . and beyond.



2/17/2015

### The Thin Veil Collection

Jodi McIsaac

Rights Available: All Languages, except Polish

The Thin Veil series is now offered in a single collection with the addition of exclusive bonus material.

This collection contains the full text of all three novels, plus the following additional content:

- **Two deleted scenes**
- **Jodi McIsaac's backstory on the series, featuring her notes on character motivations, rules of magic, and more**
- **An all-new afterword by the author revealing her inspiration for the series**

## The Fenris Series

Bestselling author Vaughn Heppner begins a new chapter of space adventure with Fenris, a spin-off of his popular Doom Star series. With whole new worlds, characters, and alien races, Fenris is sci-fi action on a broad scale, perfect for readers of David Weber and Jack Campbell.



11/26/2013

### Alien Honor (Book One)

Vaughn Heppner

Rights Available:  
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Audio

An inspired work of sci-fi adventure and combat, *Alien Honor* delivers a thrilling showdown between humans and a terrifying alien menace.

AD 2457. Premier Lang is a dictator ruling a solar system in crisis. The human race is still haunted by the Doom Star days, and millions dwell in slums below Earth's surface. The pristine star system of New Eden is a beacon of hope—but it is 230 light-years away. Getting there will be a challenge unlike any ever attempted by mankind. Only with the help of Specials, human telepaths who can create rips in space, will the ship stand a chance of traveling the vast distance.

But when one telepath makes a disastrous deal with an alien enemy, the entire mission takes a deadly turn. Can a fledgling Special with steely street smarts save humanity as the dwindling crew makes the final, frightening leap toward New Eden?



6/24/2014

### Alien Shores (Book Two)

Vaughn Heppner

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The electric interstellar action that began in *Alien Honor* continues in *Alien Shores*.

Humanity put all its fading hopes in New Eden, a pristine star system 230 light-years from ravaged Earth. But upon arrival, the would-be colonists encountered the Kresh—a diabolical alien race who quickly captured the human starship and tortured its inhabitants in hopes of learning the coordinates of Earth.

Street-smart Cyrus Gant managed to escape, crashing to the surface of a nearby moon terraformed by the Kresh and inhabited by primitive humans. Now Cyrus pursues a desperate hope bound up in a single boy, a prophesized psionic named Klane—already in the clutches of the Kresh.



4/28/2015

### Alien Wars (Book Three)

Vaughn Heppner

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Human pioneers fleeing Earth for the promised land of New Eden found hell instead, falling prey to the reptilian Kresh. But street-savvy Cyrus Gant escaped the aliens, rescued master telepath Klane, and began a desperate journey to head off the impending Kresh invasion of Earth.

When the insectile Chirr and human cyborgs join the war, Cyrus suddenly faces a triple threat. Only by absorbing the powerful consciousness of the mortally wounded Klane does he stand a chance against the deadly enemies surrounding him. But when a malevolent alien entity invades his mind, Cyrus must do battle in both outer and inner space to save his soul and his sanity.

In the thrilling sequel to *Alien Honor* and *Alien Shores*, Cyrus rolls the dice to win the biggest prize anyone has ever chased: the future of humanity.

## Magic 2.0 Series

A humorous mix of science fiction and fantasy.



3/18/2014

### Off to Be the Wizard (Book One)

Scott Meyer

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All LanguagesRights Sold:  
Audio

A computer hacker realizes he can manipulate the world around him by playing with a code he stumbles across.

Martin Banks is just a normal guy who has made an abnormal discovery: he can manipulate reality, thanks to reality being nothing more than a computer program. With every use of this ability, though, Martin finds his little "tweaks" have not escaped notice. Rather than face prosecution, he decides instead to travel back in time to the Middle Ages and pose as a wizard.

What could possibly go wrong?

**An American hacker in King Arthur's court,** Martin must now train to become a full-fledged master of his powers, discover the truth behind the ancient wizard Merlin . . . and **not, y'know, die or anything.**



6/17/2014

### Spell or High Water (Book Two)

Scott Meyer

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*Spell or High Water* proves that no matter what powers you have over time and space, **you can't control rotten luck.**

The adventures of an American hacker in medieval England continue as Martin Banks takes his next step on the journey toward mastering his reality-altering powers and fulfilling his destiny. A month has passed since Martin helped to defeat the evil programmer **Jimmy, and things couldn't be going better.** Except for his love life, that is. Feeling distant and lost, Gwen has journeyed to Atlantis, a tolerant and benevolent kingdom governed by the Sorceresses, and a place known to be a safe haven to all female time travelers. Thankfully, Martin and Phillip are invited to a summit in Atlantis for all of the leaders of the time-traveler colonies, and now Martin thinks this will be a chance to try again with Gwen. Of course, murder, mystery, and high intrigue all get in the way of a guy who just wants one more shot to get the girl.



2/10/2015

### An Unwelcome Quest (Book Three)

Scott Meyer

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Ever since Martin Banks and his fellow computer geeks discovered that reality is just a computer program to be happily hacked, **they've been jaunting back and forth through time,** posing as medieval wizards and having the epic adventures that other nerds can only dream of having. But even in their wildest fantasies, they never expected to end up at the mercy of the former apprentice whom they sent to prison for gross misuse of magic and all-around evil behavior.

Who knew that the vengeful Todd would escape, then conjure a computer game packed with wolves, wenches, wastelands, and assorted harrowing hazards—and trap his hapless former friends inside it? Stripped of their magic powers, the would-be wizards must brave terrifying dangers, technical **glitches, and one another's company if they** want to see medieval England—and their favorite sci-fi movies on VHS—ever again. Can our heroes survive this mystery torture?

## Odyssey One Series

A first-rate military science-fiction epic that combines old-school space opera and modern storytelling.



3/27/2012

**Into the Black**  
(Book One)

Evan Currie

Rights Available: All Languages

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For the new NAC spacecraft *Odyssey* and her crew, the unimaginable facets of the galaxy and universe beyond Earth are about to become reality.

The *Odyssey's* maiden voyage is an epic adventure destined to make history. Captain Eric Weston and his crew, pushing past the boundaries of security, encounter horrors, wonders, monsters, and people, all of which will test their resolve, challenge their abilities, and put in sharp relief what is necessary to be a hero.



9/25/2012

**The Heart of Matter**  
(Book Two)

Evan Currie

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (English and Polish), German, Polish

After an epic maiden voyage that introduced Earth to a larger universe—and a cosmos full of terrifying new enemies—Captain Eric Weston and the crew of the NAC spacecraft *Odyssey* have spent months cooling their heels under **their admiral's watchful eye. But when Earth's newest ally, the Priminae, strike a defense deal with the North American Confederacy, the *Odyssey* finally receives her orders: return to Ranquil, the Priminae's war-ravaged homeworld, and lend badly needed support against the invading Drasin.**



9/10/2013

**Homeworld**  
(Book Three)

Evan Currie

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (English and Polish), German, Polish

**The consequences of Earth's** exploration of the galaxy come home to roost when the Drasin track a human ship back to Earth. Mounting a desperate defense, the crew of the NAC spacecraft *Odyssey*, their allies, and the people of Earth face an overwhelming force of invading alien ships wielding terrible power. Doomed from the start, but with nowhere to retreat, Captain Eric Weston commits his ship to the defense of the human race even as the human outposts in Sol system fall one by one before the unrelenting Drasin onslaught.



7/8/2014

**Out of the Black**  
(Book Four)

Evan Currie

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (English and Polish), German, Polish

The final battle of the Drasin War brings bestselling author Evan Currie's *Odyssey One* series to its shattering conclusion.

The wreckage of the starship *Odyssey*, **once Earth's greatest guardian**, lies strewn across New York City. Abandoned by all but its captain, *Odyssey's* sacrifice covered the withdrawal of countless troops as the Drasin assault ravaged the planet. When Captain Eric Weston finally emerges from the rubble, he **knows with the Drasin it's kill or be killed**. But not all of the heavens have proven hostile.

## The SEAL Team 13 Series



11/5/2013

**SEAL Team 13**  
(Book One)

Evan Currie

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

From world-building author Evan Currie, *SEAL Team 13* is a dark, riveting, and action-packed tale of military intrigue and supernatural horror.

**It's been ten years since a mysterious incident in the South China Sea annihilated a US Navy destroyer and its Navy SEAL team. Only one man survived this horrific tragedy. Now, as more of these strange, supernatural events are happening around the world—with deadly consequences—the US Navy calls on sole survivor Harold "Hawk" Masters to put a stop to the evil forces behind these crimes. Masters reluctantly returns, dispatched to lead an elite team of soldiers like him—all survivors of the terrifying, evil deeds of "the other side." As these frightening events escalate at an alarming rate, SEAL Team 13 is put to the test, battling malevolent undead creatures that threaten the security of the nation—and the world. But not everyone supports the government's new interest in facing off against the unnatural forces that threaten the welfare of its citizens. Could Hawk Masters's secret military force also be forced to fight shadowy opponents from within?**

## Star Rogue Series



3/31/2015

**King of Thieves**

Evan Currie

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The world of the bestselling *Odyssey One* series grows in this new stand-alone adventure, as **Earth's survivors face devastating new challenges in the wake of an alien conflict.**

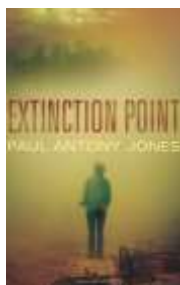
Battered and mourning tremendous losses, the once fractious peoples of enemy nations must work together to rebuild their shattered world—and prevent the possibility of their attackers' return. **What they don't know is that a new, deadlier enemy unlike anything they've ever faced will usher in the dawn of another war.**

Captain Morgan Passer commands the Rogue Class destroyer *Autolykus*, charged with an interstellar recon mission to detect traces of the repelled enemy while gathering information for the fortification of Earth's defenses. **What the expedition finds instead is a deeply disturbing mystery: a discovery that redefines everything they thought they knew about Earth's place in the galaxy . . . and reveals** deadly new horrors. Former enemies unite for their own survival, and Passer and his intrepid crew seek answers to help them save their people. Instead, they find that the invasion may be over, but the danger is just beginning.



## Extinction Point Series

Aliens decimate the world in an effort to “terraform” it for their own use. One of the few humans to survive, Emily Baxter struggles with finding a way to save herself—and the planet—from this invasion.



2/19/2013

### Extinction Point (Book One)

Paul Antony Jones

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Audio, Russian

First comes the red rain: a strange, scarlet downpour from a cloudless sky that spreads across cities, nations, and the entire globe. In a matter of panicked hours, every living thing on earth succumbs to swift, bloody death. Yet Emily Baxter, a young newspaper reporter, is mysteriously spared—and now she's all alone.

But watching the happy life she built for herself in New York City slip away in the wake of a monstrous, inexplicable plague is just the beginning of Emily's waking nightmare. The world isn't ending; it's only changing. And the race that once ruled the earth has now become raw material for use by a new form of life never before seen . . . on this planet.

With only wits, weapons, and a bicycle, Emily must undertake a grueling journey across a country that's turning increasingly alien. For though she fears she's been left to inherit the earth, the truth is far more terrifying than a lifetime of solitude.



6/11/2013

### Exodus (Book Two)

Paul Antony Jones

Rights Available:  
All LanguagesRights Sold:  
Audio, Russian

Reporter Emily Baxter survived the alien red rain that blanketed and annihilated the human race. But after the downpour, and the lethal contagion it spread, came an even greater horror: the rampant transformation of the dead into something utterly unearthly.

With a terrifying new form of life emerging from the mutated landscape, Emily's only hope is to flee toward distant Alaska where she can unite with the survivors who have reached out to her from a remote science facility. The journey from New York will be long and painstaking, and Emily has only her faithful dog and whatever she can carry. But, after discovering a small family of refugees along the way, Emily's determination to escape the unfolding catastrophe and carve out a new future is renewed. Standing in their way are Earth's new masters, equally determined to survive and thrive, and possessed of monstrous capabilities Emily and her allies can't begin to imagine . . .



4/8/2014

### Revelations (Book Three)

Paul Antony Jones

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All LanguagesRights Sold:  
Audio

There is nowhere left to run. In the wake of the deadly plague that virtually annihilated the human race, a vast red jungle teeming with alien creatures and lethal plants is devouring Earth, swallowing buildings whole and ruthlessly decimating what life remains. A witness to the terrifying transformation, survivor Emily Baxter thinks the odds against humanity can't get any worse. She is wrong.

The thrilling third book in the bestselling Extinction Point series, *Revelations* takes a humanity on the brink of devastation . . . and throws it over the edge!

Stay tuned for the fourth book in the Extinction Point series, *Genesis*, which will be released in Fall 2015!

## Rogues of the Republic Series

A group of misfits come together to pull off heists in a fantastical world. Think *Ocean's Eleven* with swords and witches.



10/8/2013

### The Palace Job (Book One)

Patrick Weekes

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

*The Palace Job* is a funny, action-packed, high-fantasy heist caper in the tradition of Scott Lynch's *Gentleman Bastards* series, from debut author Patrick Weekes.

Loch is seeking revenge. It would help if she wasn't in jail.

The plan: to steal a priceless elven manuscript that once belonged to her family, but now is in the hands of the most powerful man in the Republic. To do so Loch—former soldier, former prisoner, current fugitive—must assemble a crack team of magical misfits that includes a cynical illusionist, a shape-shifting unicorn, a repentant death priestess, a talking magical warhammer, and a lad with seemingly no skills to help her break into the floating fortress of Heaven's Spire and the vault that holds her family's treasure—all while eluding the unrelenting pursuit of Justicar Pyvic, whose only mission is to see the law upheld. What could possibly go wrong?



9/23/2014

### The Prophecy Con (Book Two)

Patrick Weekes

Rights Available: All Languages

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Who would have thought a book of naughty poems by elves could mean the difference between war and peace? But if stealing the precious volume will keep the Republic and the Empire from tearing out each other's throats, rogue soldier Isafesira de Lochenville—“Loch” to friends and foes alike—is willing to do the dishonest honors. With her motley crew of magic-makers, lawbreakers, and a talking warhammer, she'll match wits and weapons with dutiful dwarves, mercenary knights, golems, daemons, an arrogant elf, and a sorcerous princess.

But getting their hands on the prize—while keeping their heads attached to their necks—means Loch and company must battle their way from a booby-trapped museum to a monster-infested library, and from a temple full of furious monks to a speeding train besieged by assassins.

Stay tuned for the third book in the Rogues of the Republic Series, *The Paladin Caper*, which will be released in Fall 2015!

## The Unborn Series

A two-book paranormal fantasy series building off Natusch's popular Caged series.



8/26/2014

### Unborn (Book One)

Amber Lynn Natusch

Rights Available: All Languages

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Born into mystery. Shackled to darkness . . . From the author of the bestselling Caged series comes a pulse-pounding new series of supernatural romance.

Khara has spent centuries discovering everything about the Underworld—except her place in it. But when she's ripped from her home, solving the riddle of her origins becomes more important than ever. With evil stalking her through the dark alleys of Detroit, she finds salvation from an unlikely source: a group of immortal warriors sworn to protect the city. Khara needs their help to unravel the tangled secrets of who and what she is—secrets many seem willing to kill for. But time is running out, and the closer she gets to the truth, the closer necessity binds her to an arrogant fallen angel.

Can their shaky alliance withstand that which threatens her, or will her soul fall victim to the unholy forces that hunt her—those that seek the Unborn?



2/17/2015

### Unseen (Book Two)

Amber Lynn Natusch

Rights Available: All Languages

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Welcome to the kingdom of Hades, where even its prodigal princess sleeps lightly.

After fighting Soul Stealers in Detroit, Khara hoped to return home to find answers in her father's realm. But the land of the dead offers little information, and far too much tragedy. Now cut off from her brothers, and left only with her dark and unreliable companion, Oz, Khara must navigate the centuries-old webs of deceit and betrayal, all while eluding the Underworld's most depraved inhabitant. But she soon finds an unexpected ally in her adopted sister, Persephone. Together, they endeavor to right a terrible wrong. And as Khara soon discovers, there's more riding on her success than she ever thought possible.

## Children of Occam Series

Hard sci-fi with blend of literary and progressive elements.



8/7/2012

### Containment (Book One)

Christian Cantrell

Rights Available: All Languages

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The colony on Venus was not built because the destruction of Earth was possible, but because it was inevitable . . .

A brilliant young scientist and one of the first humans born on Venus, Arik works tirelessly to perfect the science of artificial photosynthesis, a project crucial to the future of his home, V1. The colony was built on the harsh Venusian surface by the Founders, the first humans to establish a permanent extraterrestrial settlement. Arik's research becomes critical when he awakens from an unexplained, near-fatal accident and learns that his wife is three months pregnant. Unless Arik's research uncovers a groundbreaking discovery, V1's oxygen supply will not be able to support the increase in population that his baby represents. As Arik works against time, he begins to untangle the threads of his accident, which seem inextricably linked to what lies outside the protective walls of V1—a world where the caustic atmosphere and extreme heat make all forms of known life impossible. With growing urgency and increasing peril, Arik finds himself on a journey that will push him to the limits of his intelligence and take him beyond the unimaginable.



3/17/2015

### Equinox (Book Two)

Christian Cantrell

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A delicate balance exists between humankind on Earth and the Coronians, the descendants of terrestrial scientists who were marooned aboard the space station Equinox.

In exchange for raw materials crucial to expanding their off-world home, the Coronians provide precious space-based solar power to an Earth obscured by greenhouse gases. But distrust runs deep between the two races, with each yearning for freedom from their mutual dependence yet both terrified of perishing without the other's help.

Now, their future rests in the hands of Ayla Novik, an itinerant smuggler desperate to survive the menacing world in which she plies her trade, and Luka Mance, a drug-addicted technician determined to save his planet and his people from deadly betrayal by their extraterrestrial cousins. When Ayla makes a devil's deal to take human hostages in a Coronian power play, her mission sparks a revolt that will force an ultimate confrontation between earthbound and space-born . . . deciding once and for all whether two races will rise to coexistence or collapse in devastation.



2/24/2015

## Of Shadow & Stone

Michelle Muto

Rights Available: English,  
German, Audio

A film star is thrust into a dark fantasy world and faced with a responsibility she never asked for.

Gargoyles were created centuries ago to protect mankind, but something went horribly wrong. Now only the sentinel—a mortal chosen to control the stone beasts—stands between them and their human prey.

When the latest sentinel is killed, Kate Mercer is destined to take his place. Kate has enough going on in her life—like a skyrocketing film career, a delusional ex-boyfriend, and a crazed stalker who will stop at nothing to get to her. But the powers that be have decided, and Kate is transported to Shadow Wood, a mysterious castle that serves as a sanctuary for the supernatural. Although beautiful, Shadow Wood is no safe place for a mere mortal. Yet Kate is drawn not only to the gargoyles but also to Ian McGuire, a charming novelist who might be in the greatest danger of all.

As Kate decides whether to accept the most perilous role of her life, **she discovers there are more secrets than answers within the castle's walls.**



10/21/2014

## The Vines

Christopher Rice

Rights Available: All Languages

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The dark history of Spring House, a beautifully restored plantation mansion on the outskirts of New Orleans, has long been forgotten. But something sinister lurks beneath the soil of the old estate.

After heiress and current owner of Spring House, Caitlin Chaisson, is witness to her husband's stunning betrayal at her birthday party, she tries to take her own life in the mansion's cherished gazebo. Instead, the blood she spills awakens dark forces in the ground below. Chaos ensues and by morning her husband has vanished without a trace and his mistress has gone mad.

Nova, daughter to Spring House's groundskeeper, has always suspected that something malevolent haunts the old place, and in the aftermath of the birthday party she enlists Caitlin's estranged best friend, Blake, to help her get to the bottom of it. The pair soon realize that the vengeance enacted by this sinister and otherworldly force comes at a terrible price.

## The Nahan Series



1/27/2015

## Ourselves

S. G. Redling

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Dangerous, deadly, invisible—and they have always been among us.

An ancient, enigmatic race, the Nahan have protected their secret world by cultivating the myths of fanged, bloodsucking monsters that haunt legends. Yet they walk through our world as our coworkers and our neighbors, hiding in plain sight and coexisting in peace. They survive . . . and they prosper.

A shy, young dreamer, Tomas wanders through his life with help from his good friends and influential family on the ruling Council. Now, **he's decided his future lies with the Nahan's most elite class: the mysterious Storytellers.** But his family is troubled by his new choice—and by his new girlfriend, Stell, a wild, beautiful, and deadly outcast from a fanatical Nahan sect.

As Tomas descends into the dark wonders of the Nahan's most powerful culture, Stell answers her own calling as an exceptional assassin. But when a lethal conspiracy threatens their destinies, Tomas and Stell must unite their remarkable talents against the strongest—and most sinister—of their kind.

## The Ink Mage Series



10/22/2013

## Ink Mage (Book One)

Victor Gischler

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

In a world of swords and sorcery, a young girl learns to fight fire with fire.

The city of Klaar has never fallen. Even when a powerful invading army shows up at the gates, the duke and his daughter, Rina Verain, are certain that it poses little threat.

But they are cruelly betrayed from within and, in a horrific spasm of violence, the city is brought to its knees. With the help of her bodyguard, Kork, the battle-trained Rina narrowly escapes the slaughter and makes her way to the lair of an ancient sorcerer—the Ink Mage—who gifts her with a strange, beautiful set of magical tattoos. Now a duchess in exile, Rina sets out on a quest to reclaim what is rightfully hers, aided by a motley assortment of followers who **will help her in her cause.** With the enemy's agents nipping at her heels, Rina must learn to harness her new and startling magical powers if she is to assert her rightful place as ruler of Klaar.

Stay tuned for the next two books in the Ink Mage series, which will be released in Spring and Fall 2015!



## The Man of War Series

The captain and doctor of an interplanetary naval vessel work to defend humanity, explore the universe, and grow their own bonds of friendship—very much a *Master and Commander* in space.



2/18/2014

### To Honor You Call Us (Book One)

H. Paul Honsinger

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All LanguagesRights Sold:  
Audio, Polish

The Terran Union is engaged in a vast interstellar war against the Krag, ruthless aliens intent on exterminating humankind.

In 2315, Max Robicheaux is given command of the *USS Cumberland*, a destroyer with state-of-the-art capabilities but a combat record so bad, she's known as the "Cumberland Gap." Robicheaux's first mission: to take his warship to the Free Corridor, where the Krag have secretly been buying strategic materials, and to seize or destroy any ships carrying enemy cargo. Under enforced radio silence, Max relies only on his determination and guile, and the support of his chief medical officer, the brilliant Dr. Sahin. Because even as he deals with the ship's onboard problems and the stress of carrying out her risky assignment, Max and the doctor discover that the *Cumberland* is all that stands in the way of a deadly Krag attack that threatens to end the war—and humanity—once and for all.



3/11/2014

### For Honor We Stand (Book Two)

H. Paul Honsinger

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Audio, Polish

In 2315, the Earth Union is losing a thirty-year-long war with the Krag Hegemony.

Having encountered the Krag before, Captain Max Robicheaux now faces daunting challenges aboard the *USS Cumberland*: the dangers from the enemy without . . . and clashes with crew and superiors within. Meanwhile, Doctor Sahin receives a coded message summoning him to a secret meeting that aims to forge an alliance that could change the balance of power in Known Space. But first, he must circumvent the fighter ships and heavily armed troops of the traitorous emir bent on killing him before he reaches the negotiating table. Both men must call upon their developing skills and growing friendship to bear the burden of carrying between the Krag Hegemony and the Earth Union a fateful ultimatum and the shocking answer—an answer that could spell eternal slavery, or even extinction, for all humankind.



7/7/2015

### Brothers in Valor (Book Three)

H. Paul Honsinger

Rights Available:  
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Audio, Polish

Sometimes Captain Max Robicheaux fights by the book—and sometimes he throws the book away. This makes him one of the Union Space Navy's rising stars. It's also what has kept him and his green crew alive . . . thus far.

When Max and his ship—the twenty-fourth-century space destroyer *USS Cumberland*—are boxed in by eight enemy battleships, the odds are against them at a million to one. It takes all their skill and guts just to escape . . . and surviving won't get easier. Sent on a covert mission behind enemy lines, Max and his crew are poised to strike a blow so hard that, if successful, it could turn the tide of the war. But if they fail, it will cost them their lives . . . and the lives of every human in the galaxy.

## The Breaking World Series

When gods walk among men, worshippers become pawns in a battle for the world. Told in three parts, *The Breaking World* series is fantasy on an epic scale, as the lines between hero and villain are eradicated in the smoke and blades of war.



1/14/2014

### Dawn of Swords (Book One)

David Dalglish and Robert J. Duperre

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On the young world of Dezrel, brother gods Karak and Ashhur, fleeing their own failed world, recreate mankind in an attempt to make amends. The fledgling race of humanity is guided by the First Families, men and women who will not age so long as their hearts remain devoted to their deities.

But quickly the realms are thrown into chaos by the construction of the Temple of the Flesh, built by exiled children of Karak in the unclaimed land of Haven that lies between the two kingdoms. Those of the Temple refuse to bend knee to either god, no matter the risk. Thus comes Karak's ultimatum to the people of Haven: destroy the Temple, or he will destroy it himself. But his fellow brother god, Ashhur, will not sit idly by while thousands of innocents die. . . . Can Jacob Eveningstar, the First Man to be given life and Ashhur's most trusted servant, prevent the coming bloodshed which threatens the survival of the fledgling human race?



3/25/2014

### Wrath of Lions (Book Two)

David Dalglish and Robert J. Duperre

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Gods and armies are on the move as all of Dezrel prepares for war . . . and nothing short of total subjugation will suffice.

In the east, Karak invades Paradise with an army twenty thousand strong. Meanwhile, Ashhur travels west along the Gods' Road, gathering as many of his people as he can against the coming onslaught. In Mordeina, the Wardens raise a massive wall around their settlement with the assistance of spellcasters from the north. And in Dezerea, the Quellan elves move secretly to join the fray.

In the ensuing chaos, lines between hero and villain are eradicated, and deceit and betrayal dominate as brother gods vie for control over the fledgling human race.



10/14/2014

### Blood of Gods (Book Three)

David Dalglish and Robert J. Duperre

Rights Available:  
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*Blood of Gods* is the cataclysmic conclusion to the epic *Breaking World* fantasy series.

Brothers and gods, Karak and Ashhur created Dezrel to be a paradise of ageless humans. But mortal hubris aroused one god's wrath, and forced the other to shield the young world's rebellious denizens from his brother's murderous retribution. Now, the bloody war between mortal nations and their immortal overlords has reached its tipping point.

The city of Mordeina, under siege by the brutal Karak and his armies, fights valiantly against impossible odds. Bardiya—Ashhur's loyal servant—and his people face a shackled death march across the desert as the demon Darakken plots its monstrous rebirth. And as Ashhur struggles to protect his children and their provinces, he must counter Karak's ever-deadlier attacks with terrifying measures of his own.

The Zombie Bible Series

Stant Litore's series retells biblical tales and ancient history as episodes in humanity's long struggle with hunger . . . and with the hungry dead.



8/14/2012  
Death Has Come Up into Our Windows (Book One)

Stant Litore  
Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio, German, Spanish

Yerusalem City is dying, and the **king's fear of invasion renders him blind** to the starvation and plague ravaging his people. Only Yirmiyahu the prophet can see the truth: only he can hear God weeping behind her veil in the Temple. He knows the locked city gates will keep no one out—they will only keep the dead in.



8/14/2012  
What Our Eyes Have Witnessed (Book Two)

Stant Litore  
Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

Imperial Rome is a city on the brink, her citizens divided by class, religion—and zombies who feast upon the living. The patricians cling to the old faith, hoping to appease their ancestors by lavishing food upon the tombs of the dead, even as the poor starve in the streets. They blame the zombie outbreak on the Christians, certain they have angered the ancestors into unleashing this ungodly plague. Father Polycarp, however, believes differently. He is **blessed with the Apostle's Gift**, and is the only one who stands against the corruption of the living and the hunger of the dead.



10/16/2012  
Strangers in the Land (Book Three)

Stant Litore  
Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

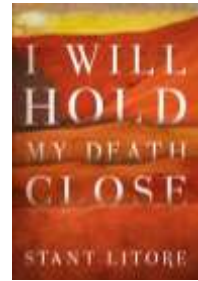
The aging prophetess Devora. Hurriya, the slave girl. Zadok, a legend among warriors. And the widower Barak, who has sworn to defend his homeland from a migration of walking corpses greater than has ever been seen. Devora is all too familiar with the unclean dead. She was there when her mother was pulled screaming from her tent by zombies. And when her mother rose, famished **for flesh, it was Devora's hand that ended her hunger**. Now Devora has struck an uneasy alliance with those she fears most among the living.



11/12/2013  
No Lasting Burial (Book Four)

Stant Litore  
Rights Available: All Languages  
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*No Lasting Burial* ushers readers into a vivid reinterpretation of the Gospel of Luke and the legend of the Harrowing of Hell. What if, when Jesus first raised the dead, they came up hungry? A man wanders out of the desert one day and finds a village in ruins after a night of the walking dead.



8/26/2014  
I Will Hold My Death Close (Book Five)

Stant Litore  
Rights Available: All Languages  
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Marked for sacrifice by her own father, a young woman must rely on only her wits and troubled **memories of her mother's faith** to survive. She flees to the hills, knowing her father and his stone blade may appear at any time to claim her—while the unburied dead of her people also hunt her in the low ravines.

But she remembers how her mother once stood bravely against the dead. And now, in her long **fight in the dark, Jephthah's** daughter will hold her own death close so that no one can take it from her.

ATLAS Series

The future of warfare has a name: ATLAS.



5/27/2014  
ATLAS

Isaac Hooke  
Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

Three times the height of an ordinary man and ten times wider, the ATLAS mech represents the peak of combat engineering. Rade Galaal will become a one-man army . . . if he can survive the training.

The MOTHs: elite warriors, products of the most arduous military training known to man. Only the MOTHs can master the devastating, atomic-powered battle suits dubbed ATLAS, massive weapons-laden mechs that constitute an unstoppable ground force when piloted by the consummate soldiers of the MOTH teams. Can Rade make the grade, ascending from raw recruit to ATLAS war machine?

When Special Warfare Command sets a mission beyond the limits of explored space, all of the conditioning, sacrifice, and hard-won skill may not be enough to confront the **unforeseen horrors found there**. Rade's dream of military glory might just turn out to be the ultimate nightmare.



12/2/2014  
ATLAS 2

Isaac Hooke  
Rights Available: All Languages  
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The desperate battle on far-flung Geronimo may have ended in a qualified victory for the elite MOTH soldiers in their devastating, atomic-powered ATLAS mechs . . . but the cost was a massive one, paid in blood. Rade Galaal, graduate of the toughest military training in the universe, barely survived the terrifying mission in deep space that claimed the lives of **the two people he couldn't afford to lose**: a comrade who was more than a brother, and someone who was his whole world.

Lost, broken, and questioning his place as a MOTH and as a man, Rade faces a new crisis when an enemy force—a terrifyingly familiar one—threatens the future of humanity itself. Entering human territory from the depths of uncharted space, this massive alien vessel wears the face of death.

Once the nightmarish invader begins threatening total annihilation, can Rade and his team hope to prevail . . . or even survive?



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ATLAS 3

Isaac Hooke  
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The ATLAS mechanized battle suits are the pinnacle of military technology, boasting awesome destructive power—but what is behind the armor is only human. Rade Galaal, elite soldier and ATLAS operator, has been tested—and broken—by savage battles and devastating losses. Now, an old enemy poses a new threat.

The vile insectile aliens that once threatened Earth have regrouped to engineer a new apocalyptic assault on mankind, and the ATLAS mechs are called to defend the very survival of the human race.

On the desolate, far-flung moons of Tau Ceti II, **there will come a reckoning**. Earth's adversaries are legion, and the planet's soldiers—for all of their rigorous training and amazing ordnance—are only flesh and blood. But they possess a defiant will to survive. Will Rade find the strength to reforge his shattered spirit and defeat the alien onslaught before all is lost?



## The Fangborn Novels

An ancient people have kept itself secret from the world for thousands of years. They are the Fangborn—a race of werewolves, vampires, and oracles. Readers of Patricia Briggs and Kelley Armstrong will be drawn to these exciting urban fantasy novels that put a new twist on some familiar myths.



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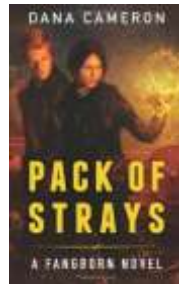
### Seven Kinds of Hell (Book One)

Dana Cameron

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Archaeologist Zoe Miller has been running from a haunting secret her whole life. But when her cousin is abducted by a vicious Russian kidnapper, Zoe is left with only one option: to reveal herself.

Unknown to even her closest friends, Zoe is **not entirely human. She's a werewolf and a daughter of the Fangborn**, a secretive race of werewolves, vampires, and oracles embroiled in an ancient war against evil. To rescue her cousin, Zoe will be forced to renew family ties and pit her own supernatural abilities against the dark and nefarious foe. The hunt brings Zoe to the edge of her limits, and with the fate of humanity and the Fangborn in the balance, life will be decided by an artifact of world-ending power. **Zoe's mission takes her and her friends across the globe on a frenetic quest for no less than Pandora's box.**



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### Pack of Strays (Book Two)

Dana Cameron

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Archaeologist Zoe Miller has only recently learned she is Fangborn, a secretive race of werewolves, vampires, and oracles dedicated to protecting humanity. But after she **discovered and opened Pandora's box**, the fabled item has lived up to its myth, and for Zoe and her friends, all hell has broken loose. **Now she's on a double mission: to prevent a politician from revealing the existence of the Fangborn and to foil the diabolical plans of the powerful Order of Nicomedia**, a group dedicated to eradicating her kind.

But Zoe is also noticing disturbing changes in herself—new and unique abilities. Her visions are intensifying too, drawing her to faraway places to find more artifacts like the bejeweled bracelet embedded in her wrist. In a world of dizzying shifts, who can Zoe trust? For while her former lover wants to turn her in, her former adversary seems dedicated to helping her mission succeed . . .



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### Hellbender (Book Three)

Dana Cameron

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Filled with stunning twists, *Hellbender* takes the Fangborn series to a thrilling new dimension.

I-Day is near at hand, and soon the Fangborn will reveal themselves to humankind. Still grappling with the newfound powers she **gained after opening Pandora's box**, Zoe shares the responsibility of protecting **"normal" humans. Having long preferred to keep to the shadows**, she knows the pending revelation of the Fangborn will set the world on fire. With Fangborn enemies in the Order of Nicomedia forcing their hand, Zoe and her supernatural Family have no choice but to step into the spotlight. But that decision has garnered the attention of the powerful and otherworldly beings known as the Makers. They claim to have created the Fangborn—not as saviors, but as predators. And it seems they have their own plans for Zoe . . . and for the fate of all the Fangborn.

## The Fangborn Stories

Short stories set in the world of the Fangborn by award-winning author Dana Cameron.



9/10/2013

### The Serpent's Tale

Dana Cameron

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**"The Serpent's Tale" is a Fangborn story set in thirteenth-century England** from the award-winning author of *Seven Kinds of Hell*.

When the villagers of Godestone report a series of bizarre and troubling events, Sir Hugo; his heavily pregnant wife, Lady Alice; and her distant kinsman **Father Gilbert are honor bound to investigate, for they are "born to the Fang,"** shape-shifters dedicated to fighting evil in secret.

And the events are worrying indeed—stolen farm implements, a mutilated goat, and now a missing child. Their investigation is further complicated by the arrival of Robert Fynch, who was drawn to the scene by the tales of mysterious happenings in the village. A member of the fanatical Order of Nicomedia, he is bent on tracking down and killing the Fangborn, believing the shape-shifters to be demons, rather than the protectors of humanity they truly are.

Can Lady Alice, Sir Hugo, and Father Gilbert stop a murderer in their village without their true nature being discovered?



10/14/2014

### The Curious Case of Miss Amelia Vernet

Dana Cameron

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From the award-winning author of *Seven Kinds of Hell* comes an intriguing new tale that brings the supernatural thrills of the Fangborn world to **Sherlock Holmes's nineteenth-century London**.

**On the surface, Amelia Vernet appears to be the great detective's quiet sixteen-year-old cousin.** But her innocent exterior conceals an important fact: Amelia is a member of the Fangborn, a secret family of werewolves, vampires, and oracles sworn to protect ordinary humans, and she uses her Fangborn werewolf gifts to help Holmes solve the curious cases that cross the doorstep of 221B Baker Street.

**When the Baker Street Irregulars show up at Holmes's residence with an unconscious boy in tow and reports of a kidnapping**, the detective and Amelia spring into action—but the case quickly proves to be most **perplexing indeed. And when they realize their new enemy's terrible intentions**, the pair must fight back with all their wits and strength before their lives—and those of all Fangborn—are destroyed forever.

## The Curse Keepers Series

The newest series from bestselling author Denise Grover Swank, these urban fantasy novels are the perfect books for readers of both Kevin Hearne and Karen Marie Moning.



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### The Curse Keepers (Book One)

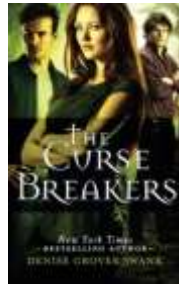
Denise Grover Swank

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Ellie Lancaster has lived her whole life by the site of the mysterious Lost Colony of Roanoke, the North Carolina settlement that vanished without a trace around 1590. Only the descendants of the two men who banished the spirits of an enemy tribe from the material realm know what really happened to the colony. Ellie is one of those descendants—a Curse Keeper. Her father took pains to teach her what he knew of the curse and the responsibilities of its guardians.

Ellie has always taken the legend for a harmless fairy tale. Until she meets the darkly handsome, but downright infuriating, Collin Dailey. **For when they meet, it's like the air is sucked from the room. Collin's presence is electrifying. . . and it's not just attraction Ellie feels, but the inexorable pull toward her destiny.**

The Curse Keepers are all that stand between the world and its destruction.



4/29/2014

### The Curse Breakers (Book Two)

Denise Grover Swank

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Audio

For more than four hundred years, the Curse Keepers guarded the barrier between the human and spirit realms. All that changed the day Ellie Lancaster met Collin Dailey. Prophecy demanded they defend the world from evil . . . even as it ignited a passion that threatened to consume them both.

Now Ellie faces a frightening new life, abandoned by the man she loves and tormented by malevolent spirits unleashing their vengeance upon the earth. Her only shot at protecting humanity—and herself—from the demon scourge is to claim the mark of the god Ahone as her own. Finding it means trusting Dr. David Preston, a handsome professor of Native American studies whose skepticism is surpassed only by his attraction to Ellie. Together they must finish what the Curse Keepers began, defying the forces of darkness to face hell on earth—and unlock the truth of **Ellie's destiny.**



9/30/2014

### The Curse Defiers (Book Three)

Denise Grover Swank

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For centuries the gods have waited—for the betrayal that will release them, for the traitors who will defend them, for the warrior who will challenge them. Now at long last the gate between the human and spirit worlds is open, and with it, an army of vengeful demons poised to swarm the earth. Only the Curse Keepers, Ellie Lancaster and Collin Dailey, can stop it . . . if they can break free from a tangled web of treachery, jealousy, and lies.

Torn between two men—her heart belongs to **David, yet her soul is bound to Collin's**—Ellie no longer knows who she can trust. Demons slipping through the gate are leaving a trail of bodies in their wake, each death a chilling reminder of the power of the ancient spirits to bring humanity to its knees. Faced with an unimaginable future, Ellie realizes the time has come to turn her back on prophecy and choose her own destiny—even if it means defying the gods themselves.

## The Curse Keepers Secrets

Short stories set in the world of nationally bestselling author Denise Grover Swank's urban fantasy series, *The Curse Keepers*.



2/18/2014

### This Place Is Death (A Curse Keepers Secret)

Denise Grover Swank

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**It's one of the most enduring** mysteries in American history: What became of the English colony off the Virginia coast on Roanoke Island? Why, and how, did they vanish so completely?

No one suspected an ancient curse . . . Ananias Dare and his expectant wife are among the pioneers who have come to brave an uncharted frontier. But conditions are harsh, and hostile natives have already spilled English blood. Only the peaceful Croatian people welcome the settlers . . .



8/12/2014

### This Changes Everything (A Curse Keepers Secret)

Denise Grover Swank

Rights Available: All Languages

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Ellie Dare Lancaster is only eight years old, but the secret she carries stretches back four hundred years, to the doomed pioneer colony of Roanoke Island—and the dark pact made by her ancestor, Ananias Dare. Though her father has told Ellie of her heritage, and she knows she will one day become a Curse Keeper, she never dreamed how soon that day would come . . . or how dear a sacrifice her grim duty will demand.

Now, the unholy forces unleashed at the dawn of a new nation stir once more, to challenge another generation fated to wage the war between gods of good and evil.



1/20/2015

### This Is Your Destiny (A Curse Keepers Secret)

Denise Grover Swank

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Audio

Collin Dailey is trapped: struggling to make a living as a fisherman, deep in debt to the gangster he does business with . . . and shackled to his destiny as a Curse Keeper. Sworn to guard the sealed portal to hell, Collin yearns to escape the dark duty that binds him. But his dream of outrunning his tormented life may be **an impossible one. After all, he can't** turn his back on centuries of sacred tradition—or ignore his iron-fisted conjurer grandmother and her dire prophecies of a terrifying enemy bent on destroying him.

Collin must decide between seizing his own coveted freedom and sealing **humankind's doom.**



3/17/2015

### The Curse Keepers Collection

Denise Grover Swank

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

The Curse Keepers series is now offered in a single collection containing the full text of all three novels and three prequel novellas, plus:

- An all-new introduction by the author, Denise Grover Swank
- All six works presented in the author's preferred reading order

The wall between our world and a world full of vengeful spirits has protected humanity for more than **four hundred years . . . and it's about** to come crashing down.

## The Area 51: Nightstalkers Series

A bit of *X-Files*, a bit of *The Unit*, and a whole lot of fun, these novels from a bestselling author combine the action of military adventure and the speculation of great sci-fi.



12/11/2012

### Nightstalkers (Book One)

Bob Mayer

Rights Available: All Languages

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Staff Sergeant Winthrop Carter only enlisted in the army for the steady pay. When he cheated on the Special Forces' final exam, he never expected his actions would get him drafted into the Nightstalkers—an elite team with a mysterious mission and even more mysterious leader.

For decades, Rifts have been opening and unleashing bloodthirsty alien life forms into our reality. The **Nightstalkers' goal is to shut down** these breaches and stop the beings that emerge from rampaging out of control.



7/30/2013

### The Book of Truths (Book Two)

Bob Mayer

Rights Available: All Languages

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When a real-life truth serum, an unauthorized military cabal, and the nuclear football—which contains the authorization the President needs to **launch the nation's missiles**—all converge, the Nightstalkers suit up for another deadly job. Joining forces **with the Cellar, the covert world's** police force, the team might be **mankind's last hope**.

*The Book of Truths* builds and builds before roaring to a breathless showdown that could mean the beginning of the end for everyone.



2/25/2014

### The Rift (Book Three)

Bob Mayer

Rights Available: All Languages

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Ever since the first Rift opened in Area 51 in 1947, exposing the world to deadly beings of pure energy, only the Nightstalkers have stood between humanity and complete annihilation. But as the decades have gone by, whatever power controls the Rifts seems to be getting smarter, as if refining an ultimate plan . . . An old ally alerts the Nightstalkers to a resurgence of Rifts in Tennessee. Though still licking their wounds from their latest mission, the **Nightstalkers know there's no one** else prepared to battle these intrusions into our world.



2/24/2015

### Time Patrol (Book Four)

Bob Mayer

Rights Available: All Languages

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Hidden beneath the Metropolitan Museum of Art is the Time Patrol, a secret agency charged with **protecting the world's timeline** from the evil forces who wish to alter it. When the Patrol disappears without a trace, only twelve hours are left before all life on Earth ceases to exist.

Enter: the Nightstalkers. From battling krakens and Valkyries to breaching the mythical Bermuda Triangle, the Nightstalkers must risk everything to defeat the malicious forces manipulating time itself.

Stay tuned for the fifth book in the series, which will be released in Fall 2015!

## The Scarlett Bernard Novels

Meet Scarlett Bernard: Crime-scene cleaner. Null. And the only person who can bring the Old World to its knees.



10/30/2012

### Dead Spots (Book One)

Melissa F. Olson

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio, German

Scarlett Bernard knows about personal space: step within ten feet of her, and any supernatural spells or demonic forces are instantly defused—vampires and werewolves become human again, **and witches can't get out so much as a "hocus pocus."**

This special skill makes her a null and very **valuable to Los Angeles' three most powerful** magical communities, who utilize her ability to scrub crime scenes clean of all traces of the paranormal to keep humanity, and the LAPD, in the dark.

**But one night** Scarlett's late arrival to a grisly murder scene reveals her agenda and ends with **LAPD's Jesse Cruz tracking her down to strike a deal: he'll keep quiet about the undead** underworld if she helps solve the case. Their pact **doesn't sit well with Dash, the city's chief** bloodsucker, who fears his whole vampire empire is at stake. And when clues start to point to **Scarlett, it'll take more than her unique powers** to catch the real killer and clear her name.



6/4/2013

### Trail of Dead (Book Two)

Melissa F. Olson

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All Languages

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Audio

As a null, Scarlett Bernard possesses a rare ability to counteract the supernatural by instantly neutralizing spells and magical forces.

For years she has used her gift to scrub crime scenes of any magical traces, helping the powerful paranormal communities of Los Angeles stay hidden. But after LAPD detective Jesse Cruz **discovered Scarlett's secret, he made a bargain** with her: solve a particularly grisly murder case, **and he would stay silent about the city's unearthly** underworld.

Now two dead witches are found a few days before Christmas, and Scarlett is once again strong-armed into assisting the investigation. She soon finds a connection between the murders and her own former mentor, Olivia, a null who mysteriously turned into a vampire and who harbors her own sinister agenda. Now Scarlett must revisit her painful past to find Olivia—unless the blood-drenched present claims her life first.



9/2/2014

### Hunter's Trail (Book Three)

Melissa F. Olson

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio

Filled with the same suspense and wit readers loved in *Dead Spots* and *Trail of Dead*, this may be **Scarlett Bernard's most harrowing adventure** yet . . .

Actions have consequences—a lesson Scarlett Bernard is learning the hard way.

As a null, Scarlett has always been able to negate the powers of the supernatural beings that surround her. But now her reckless decision to permanently change Eli from a werewolf to a human has left the Los Angeles werewolf pack in shambles and upset the balance of power among **the city's supernatural factions. To make matters worse, Scarlett's employers discover that a newly** changed werewolf is running amok in the city. To catch the rogue werewolf, Scarlett will need help from both Eli and Detective Jesse Cruz of the LAPD . . . a situation that will force her to finally choose between them.



## The Godlanders War Series

Action/adventure fantasy about a man out of place and time, forced to fight a battle he believes has nothing to do with him.



2/11/2014

### The Dreams of a Dying God (Book One)

Aaron Pogue

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*The Dreams of a Dying God* is an action-packed, richly imagined adventure fantasy from the author of *The Dragonprince* trilogy.

Even for a charismatic pirate, three years is a long time to chase after an unimaginable treasure hidden in the ruins of an ancient city. But when the fabled riches turn out to be virtually worthless, the outraged crew mutinies and leaves their former captain for dead.

He is rescued by a mysterious king and transported back to a time of dwarves, druids, and fairies. Enchanting as it is, though, his only wish is to return home and find justice—but only the king has the power to return him . . . for a price.

Aided by a group of mystical creatures and misfits, he sets out on his quest, getting caught up in a war he wants nothing to do with—and in the process changing the course of history itself.



2/11/2014

### The Wrath of a Shipless Pirate (Book Two)

Aaron Pogue

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Foefully betrayed and left to die alone in the tomb of a dead god, Corin Hugh has emerged victorious from an unexpected quest, hungry for revenge and sporting strange new powers. He soon sees the perfect chance to right the wrong that was done to him and rescue an innocent victim in the process.

But he must act quickly, using all of his cunning, because his archenemy and betrayer, **Ethan Blake, has left his “civilian” days behind** and resumed his position as the tyrant Vestossis, a powerful—and seemingly untouchable—member of the mighty ruling family.

Corin is soon joined in his quest by a beautiful and mysterious druid named Aemelia, who possesses otherworldly powers of her own—and, strangely, seems to know Corin better than he knows himself.



7/29/2014

### The Dawn of a Desperate War (Book Three)

Aaron Pogue

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Audio

In this third epic volume of *The Godlanders War*, men, gods, mortals, and immortals alike join forces in a furious race against time and a desperate battle for survival.

Corin Hugh, once left to die in the tomb of a dead god, now carries with him the burning **memory of King Oberon's betrayal at the hands of the tyrant god Ephetel**. But he also carries a secret weapon—*Godslayer*, the one sword in all Hurope that can bring Ephetel to his knees. However, he will need more than just a magic sword to draw Ephetel down from his throne. As Corin searches for allies in what may become his last, desperate stand against the gods, his quest takes him deep into the heart of two ancient orders: a reclusive race of druids and the long-lost elves of old Gesoelig. Ultimately, Corin must swallow his pride and look to his fellow humans for help as he plots his revenge against Ephetel.

## Outer Bounds Series

In the war for freedom, unlikely heroes are the sons and daughters of Fortune.



7/15/2014

### Fortune's Rising (Book One)

Sara King

Rights Available: English and  
German

**Under the supertech Coalition government, Fortune's colonists are enslaved to harvest the valuable brain-enhancing drug Yolk, often losing their sanity and lives in the process.**

The population is dying off and the planet is becoming a police state whose only purpose is to harvest Yolk. But a revolution is in the air, fueled by an unlikely band of rebels: Anna Landborn, a brilliant, sociopathic child, and her quiet, lethally gifted sister, Magali; Runaway Joel, a virtuous military pilot turned tormented smuggler; Milar Whitecliff, a tattooed, chess-playing fugitive full of hatred and heart; Doberman, a simple robot in the throes of a startling transformation; and Tatiana Eyre, a captured Coalition soldier torn between loyalty and love.

As their paths and fates collide, the battle to spark a full-scale uprising is **violently challenged by the Nephrys, the government's elite army of sadistic, near-indestructible cyborgs**. But the fight for freedom is just beginning.

Stay tuned for the next two books in the *Outer Bounds* series, which will be released in Fall 2015!



12/9/2014

### Chaos Quarter

David Welch

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

This light space opera (think *Firefly*) brings together a motley cast of visually, biologically, and technologically imaginative characters whose semi-madcap adventure makes for an easy and engaging read.

For over five hundred years, humanity has sprawled across the galaxy, forming fractious empires and deadly regions of lawless space. In the midst of brewing tensions, disgraced pilot Rex Vahl is tapped for a suicide mission: infiltrate an interplanetary power known only as the “Hegemony” and discover what hides behind their veil of secrecy.

What does Rex have on his side? His co-pilot is a former prostitute with tiger-striped skin. His gunner is a traitorous ex-nobleman wanted by his countrymen. His engineer is a laid-back cyborg exiled for asking one too many questions about God. Add in a woman genetically engineered to have no free will, and you get his motley crew. Armed with only a souped-up freighter, Rex blasts off to pursue rumors of a mysterious Hegemony ambassador on the planet of Cordelia. To get there, he and his crew must cross the Chaos Quarter, a tumultuous territory defined by tyrants, pirates, and religious extremists.

## The Foreworld Saga

The Foreworld Saga is an alternate history epic that spans continents and centuries. It follows a secret order called the OMVI that is bound by honor to protect humankind. An array of amazing authors have contributed to the series, including Neal Stephenson, Greg Bear, Nicole Galland, Mark Teppo, Joseph Brassey, Erik Bear, Cooper Moo, E. D. de Birmingham, and more.



4/24/2012

### The Mongoliad: Book One

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Polish, Spanish, Turkish, Thai

Fusing historical events with a gripping fictional narrative, this first book in the Mongoliad trilogy reveals a secret history of Europe in the thirteenth century. As the Mongols swept across Asia and were poised to invade Europe in 1241, a small band of warriors, inheritors of an ancient secret tradition, conceived a desperate plan to stop the attack. They must kill the Khan of Khans: if they fail, all of Christendom will be destroyed. From the translations and from the original source material, the epic tale of *The Mongoliad* was recreated.



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### The Mongoliad: Book One Collector's Edition

Rights Available: All Languages

This handsome hardcover edition of *The Mongoliad: Book One* features an exquisite cover with foil stamping, deckled edges, a ribbon marker, an illustrated character glossary and a Foreworld map printed on the end-sheets. It also includes *Sinner: A Foreworld SideQuest*. This short story was previously available only digitally and sets up characters and events in *The Mongoliad*.

The Mongols are coming. A desperate plan is formed: Kill the Khan of Khans and prevent the fall of Christendom . . .



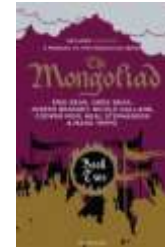
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### The Mongoliad: Book Two

Rights Available: All Languages

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In the aftermath of the Mongolian invasion of 1241, beleaguered Christians struggle with the presence of a violent horde and a world turned upside down. Apocalyptic fever sweeps through Europe, infecting even the most rational individuals, leaving all to wonder if they are seeing the end times—or an hour when new heroes will emerge from the ruins of cataclysmic defeat. An order of warrior monks, the Shield-Brethren, refuses to yield, plotting to overthrow the invaders despite insurmountable odds.



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### The Mongoliad: Book Two Collector's Edition

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This handsome hardcover edition of *The Mongoliad: Book Two* features an exquisite cover with foil stamping, deckled edges, a ribbon marker, an illustrated character glossary and a Foreworld map printed on the end-sheets. It also includes *Dreamer: A Foreworld SideQuest*. This short story was previously only available digitally and sets up characters and events in *The Mongoliad Trilogy*.

The Shield-Brethren, an order of warrior monks, searches for a way to overthrow the horde . . .



2/26/2013

### The Mongoliad: Book Three

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, Polish, Turkish, Thai

A sweeping historical interpretation of the battle for Europe against the invading Mongols and their ruthless Khan, *The Mongoliad: Book Three* brings the epic adventures of the Shield-Brethren to a brutal and thrilling conclusion.

An untested group of Shield-Brethren initiates stand before the sprawling Mongol army in a bloody circus of sadistic violence, while a hardened company of their finest roam the desolate wasteland of the Mongol empire, wrapping their dead in blood-soaked soil and struggling to find the strength to fight even as they mourn. The warrior-monks sharpen their swords for a final battle.



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### The Mongoliad: Book Three Collector's Edition

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This handsome hardcover edition of *The Mongoliad: Book Three* features exquisite foil stamping, deckled edges, a ribbon marker, an illustrated character glossary, and a Foreworld map printed on the end-sheets. It also includes *Seer: A Foreworld SideQuest*. This short story was previously available only digitally and sets up characters and events in *The Mongoliad*.

The final book of the Mongoliad trilogy tells the gripping personal stories of medieval freedom fighters to form an epic, imaginative recounting of a moment in history when a world in peril relied solely on the courage of its people.



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### Katabasis (The Mongoliad Cycle, Book 4)

Rights Available: All Languages

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The death of the fearsome Ögedei Khan has brought the Mongol invasion of the West to an abrupt halt. Exhausted, plagued by uncertainty and self-doubt, and reeling from betrayal by one of their own, the surviving Shield-Brethren struggle across a frozen, shattered wasteland to return home after their desperate battle in Mongolia. Their mission is complete—Christendom has been saved—but new and terrible questions haunt each member of the company.

*Katabasis* follows the survivors as they struggle to confront their own fears and decide who they truly are—and whom they will ultimately serve.



1/28/2014

### Siege Perilous (The Mongoliad Cycle, Book 5)

Rights Available: All Languages

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Ocyrhoe, a young, cunning fugitive from Rome, safeguards a chalice of subtle but great power. Finding herself in France, she allies with the persecuted, pacifist Cathar sect in their legendary mountaintop stronghold, Montségur. Percival, the heroic Shield-Brethren knight from *The Mongoliad*, consumed by his mystical visions of the Holy Grail, is also drawn to Montségur—where the chalice holds the key to his destiny.

Alive with memorable characters, intense with action and intrigue, *Siege Perilous* conjures a medieval world where the forces of faith confront the forces of fear.

## The Foreworld Saga SideQuests

SideQuests are standalone stories or novellas that chronicle the heroes, villains, and adventures in The Foreworld Saga across numerous eras and ages. They can be read in any order with or without prior knowledge of The Foreworld Saga. An array of amazing authors have contributed SideQuests, including Mark Teppo, Barth Anderson, Joseph Brassey, Scott James Magner, Michael Tinker Pearce, M. Harold Page, and more.



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### Seer: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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When a merchant appears at the Catalonian chapter house of the Shield-Brethren, seeking to hire guards for his caravan, young Andreas is suspicious. Knights with his martial prowess are above protecting mere cargo wagons. Yet **Andreas's wanderlust outweighs** his concern, and soon the group is **headed to the merchant's** mountain village—and into great danger.

*Seer* reveals the painful truth that sometimes seeing what is to come is far worse than not knowing.



3/19/2013

### The Book of Seven Hands: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Expert swordsmen Basilio and Alejo have one last mission before they go their separate ways: they must recover their teacher Don Manuel's ancient fighting manual and take it to remote Cataluña in order to have it translated by the famous alchemist Paracelsus.

Unbeknownst to them, however, Don Manuel has been murdered, and a host of powerful forces has come looking for the coveted book—everyone from old lovers and lifelong archenemies to the King's assassin, and the Spanish Inquisition.



4/16/2013

### The Assassination of Orange: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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**There's a bounty out for Prince William of Orange . . . and "alive"** is not an option. The Dutch are trying to free themselves from the Spanish yoke, and the dynamic and charismatic revolutionary, William of Orange, is risking life and limb for the nation he so desperately loves. But when the Spanish monarch offers glory, titles, and twenty thousand crowns for the man who can silence William, the battle for the Netherlands becomes an assassin's game.



5/14/2013

### Hearts of Iron: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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When *The Italian Job* meets the *Knights of the Round Table*, the ultimate medieval heist caper is born.

It is the summer of 1035 AD and three sons of Tancred de Hauteville are in ambivalent service to Guimar, Prince of Salerno. The three men, who have been trained by their father in the art of war since childhood, spend the sweltering afternoons practicing swordplay, trading barbs, and thinking of how many men they would need to take the **prince's castle for themselves.**



8/27/2013

### SideQuest Adventures No. 1

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Three standalone SideQuest adventures collected in a single volume.

The *Beast of Calatrava*, by Mark Teppo, is an alternate history tale in which a battle-scarred former knight and a monk face the encroaching Templar crusade and the war coming to Iberia.

In *The Shield Maiden*, by Michael "Tinker" Pearce and Linda Pearce, a headstrong young Viking woman struggles through the stigmas of her time.

In the *Lion in Chains*, by Angus Trim and Mark Teppo, the legendary Robin Hood joins forces with an order of warrior monks.



10/1/2013

### Tyr's Hammer: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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In this quick-witted and action-packed addition to The Foreworld Saga series, the leader of the Shield-Brethren has dispatched two of his men northward to secure land for a new citadel. When Tyr and his companion come upon the perfect spot, they discover that it is owned by Voldrun, a northern king with a questionable sense of justice.

Although he welcomes the **travelers, the king's true motives** eventually become clear. Determined to be compensated for his hospitality, Voldrun subjects the duo to several challenges, culminating in a game more dangerous than either warrior could ever have imagined.



11/12/2013

### Marshal Versus the Assassins: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Sir William the Marshal, legend in his own time, has promised to go on crusade, a vow made to his Young King as he lay dying. But when the Oliphant, legendary war horn of Roland, is stolen by the **lethal Assassins, he's charged with** returning the relic in order to stop **the very thing he'd vowed to** undertake—a crusade; this one engineered by the thieves.



2/25/2014

### Blood and Ashes: A Foreworld SideQuest

Rights Available: All Languages  
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As Mt. Vesuvius rumbles ominously, Pompeiian Councilor Valerius needs assistance in performing rituals to protect the city from the wrath of the fire-god, Vulcan. But his agenda is far from benevolent, as he cares less about quieting the volcano than taming it and taking the power for himself.

**Now it's up to Horatius, a former** legionnaire and gladiator, to **prevent Valerius's sinister rites** from coming to fruition. But with Vesuvius looming over the city—and the dead rising to defend the corrupt councilor—the warrior might have fled a troubled past only to have entered a doomed future . . .



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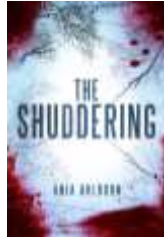


2/26/2013  
**Oz Reimagined: New Tales from the Emerald City and Beyond**

Edited by John Joseph Adams and Douglas Cohen  
 Illustrated by Galen Dara

Rights Available: All Languages

John Joseph Adams and Douglas Cohen have brought together leading fantasy writers such as Orson Scott Card and Seanan McGuire to create the ultimate anthology for fans of *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*.



6/18/2013  
**The Shuddering**

Ania Ahlborn

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Ryan Adler and his twin sister, Jane, spent their happiest **childhood days at their parents' cabin** in the Colorado mountains—until divorce tore their family apart. Now, with the house about to be sold, the Adler twins gather with their closest friends for one last snowboarding-filled holiday. As drama builds among the friends, something lurks in the forest . . .



7/17/2012

**Seed**

Ania Ahlborn

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With nothing but the clothes on his back—and something horrific snapping at his heels—Jack Winter fled his rural Georgia home when he was just a boy. Now, years later, **the bright new future he's built** suddenly turns pitch black, as something fiendishly familiar looms dead ahead.



4/1/2014

**The Bird Eater**

Ania Ahlborn

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The mysterious death of his aunt left Aaron Holbrook orphaned and alone. He left his hometown vowing never to return, until his seven-year-old son died in an accident. Desperate to reclaim a piece of himself, Aaron returns to the hills of his childhood, where he hopes to find peace. But someone—or something—has other plans.



5/21/2013

**The Garden of Stones (Echoes of Empire Series, Book One)**

Mark T. Barnes

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With its twisted politics, new races, compelling heroes and villains, and unique magic, *The Garden of Stones* is a lyrical fantasy on the grandest scale.



10/15/2013

**The Obsidian Heart (Echoes of Empire Series, Book Two)**

Mark T. Barnes

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In *The Obsidian Heart*, the second volume of the Echoes of Empire series, darkness falls over a kingdom already reeling from a costly civil war.



5/20/2014

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Mark T. Barnes

Rights Available: All Languages  
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This epic tale of intrigue, love, and betrayal, painted in the blood of allies and enemies by Mark T. Barnes, concludes the Echoes of Empire trilogy.



7/9/2013

**The Sentinel (A Jane Harper Horror Novel)**

Jeremy Bishop

Rights Available: All Languages

An angry clash between professional whale hunters and the environmental activists out to stop them takes a deadly turn when sabotage sends both vessels to the bottom of the Arctic Ocean.



8/13/2013

**The Raven (A Jane Harper Horror Novel)**

Jeremy Bishop

Rights Available: All Languages

Undercover activist Jane Harper and father-and-son whalers Jakob and Willem Olavson thought they sent the walking corpses to their graves for good, but the intelligent parasites controlling the dead flesh live on to keep fighting, and infecting.



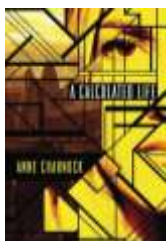
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**Kingmaker**

Christian Cantrell

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Alexei Drovosok represents the next evolution of human: no heart, immunity to cancer, and the ability to survive in conditions that would kill normal men. Alexei was trained **as Russia's most vicious killer. But** eventually the Russian Federal **Security Service's best-trained assassin** did the most dangerous thing of all: he turned on his handlers, went rogue, and disappeared.



9/24/2013

**A Calculated Life**

Anne Charnock

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**Nominated for the 2013 Philip K. Dick Award and a finalist for the 2013 Kitschies Golden Tentacle (Debut Novel) Award**

Hyper-intelligent Jayna is a star performer at top predictive agency Mayhew McCline, where she forecasts economic and social trends. Her latest coup: finding a link between northeasterly winds and violent crime.



11/6/2012

**The Woodcutter**

Kate Danley

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Deep within the Wood, a young woman lies dead. Not a mark on her body. No trace of her murderer. Only her chipped glass slippers hint at her identity.

Blending magic, heart-pounding suspense, and a dash of folklore, *The Woodcutter* is an extraordinary retelling of the realm of fairy tales.



1/24/2012

**Resurrection**

Arwen Elys Dayton

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The Kinley built a ship capable of traveling faster than light. It carried a group of scientists to a small, distant planet—a primitive **place called Earth. It's mission** was peaceful observation. But when the ship was destroyed, the Kinley crew found themselves stranded in ancient Egypt, participants in the pageant of life in the time of the Pharaohs.



7/2/2013

**Gods of Earth**

Craig DeLancey

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Thousands of years after a war against the gods drove humanity nearly extinct, something divine stirs. It awakens the Guardian, an ancient being pledged to destroy the gods—a task it believes long-accomplished.



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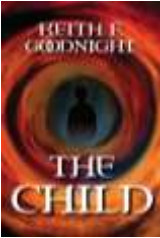







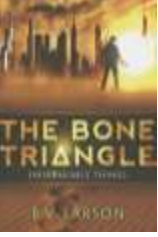



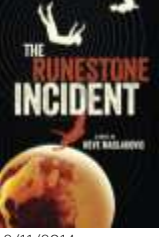

**King of Swords (The Starfolk, Book One)**









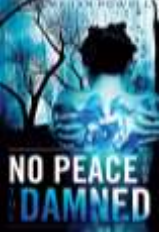






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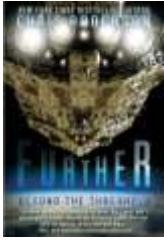
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Rigel has always known he is not quite human, but the only clue to his origin is the otherworldly bracelet he has worn since childhood. His search for his parentage leads him to the Starlands, where reality and fantasy have changed places.



 <p>1/21/2014</p> <p><b>Queen of Stars (The Starfolk, Book Two)</b> Dave Duncan</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>While discovering the truth behind his half-human, half-elven parentage, master swordsman Rigel not only defeated the horrific monsters of the Starlands, but also <b>thwarted Prince Vildiar's dark designs</b> to conquer the elven realms. Now, despite his fate to die if he remains in the Starlands, Rigel refuses to return to Earth, consumed as he is by love for the newly crowned Queen Talitha.</p>	 <p>11/5/2013</p> <p><b>The Child (The Red Light and Shadow)</b> Keith F. Goodnight</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Dave Harris is a scientist living aboard the Alley, a military space station where he carries out hyperfield experiments. Just as <b>Dave's experiments make progress</b>, an accident engulfs the Alley in a whirlwind of chaos and mysterious forces, leading Dave to a disturbing discovery . . .</p>	 <p>9/24/2013</p> <p><b>Pirates of the Outrigger Rift</b> Gary Jonas and Bill D. Allen</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Unfolding at a breakneck pace, <i>Pirates of the Outrigger Rift</i> is the rollicking new sci-fi adventure of corporate espionage and interstellar piracy.</p>	 <p>12/4/2012</p> <p><b>The Immortal Circus: Act One (The Cirque des Immortels Series)</b> A. R. Kahler</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>Murdered contortionists aren't</b> exactly what Vivienne signed up for when she ran away to join the circus. But like most things under the big top, nothing is what it seems.</p>	 <p>6/11/2013</p> <p><b>The Immortal Circus: Act Two (The Cirque des Immortels Series)</b> A. R. Kahler</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>The second act of the fantastically evocative Cirque des Immortels series, <i>The Immortal Circus: Act Two</i> draws readers further into a <b>world that's at once wonderful, seductive . . . and deadly.</b></p>
 <p>1/14/2014</p> <p><b>The Immortal Circus: Final Act (The Cirque des Immortels Series)</b> A. R. Kahler</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>New possibilities and old passions collide in this ravishing grand finale to the trilogy that began with <i>The Immortal Circus</i> and <i>The Immortal Circus: Act Two</i>.</p>	 <p>4/23/2013</p> <p><b>While the Savage Sleeps</b> Andrew E. Kaufman</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, except German Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>Cameron Dawson's got a past he can't seem to shake, but he's hoping to change that. What he doesn't realize is that his newest nightmare's about to begin. Strange things are happening. People are disappearing, and for others, it's far worse . . .</b></p>	 <p>5/6/2014</p> <p><b>Starship Grifters (A Rex Nihilo Adventure)</b> Robert Kroese</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>A spacefaring ne'er-do-well</b> with more bravado than brains, Rex Nihilo plies the known universe in a tireless quest for his own personal gain. But when he fleeces a wealthy weapons dealer in a high-stakes poker game, he ends up winning a worthless planet . . . and owing an outstanding debt more vast than space itself!</p>	 <p>7/24/2012</p> <p><b>Technomancer (Unspeakable Things: Book One)</b> B. V. Larson</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A new kind of alien invasion . . . When Quentin Draith wakes up in a private sanatorium, he has no memory of who he is or how he received the injuries riddling his body. All he knows is that he has to get out, away from the drugs being pumped into him and back to the real world to search for answers.</p>	 <p>4/30/2013</p> <p><b>The Bone Triangle (Unspeakable Things: Book Two)</b> B. V. Larson</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>When twentysomething Jacqueline Swanson mysteriously goes missing in Las Vegas, supernatural crime investigator Quentin Draith is hired to investigate. Determined, Draith immerses himself in the <b>darkest corners of the city's underworld</b>, unveiling a string of secrets and bizarre deaths.</p>
 <p>11/29/2011</p> <p><b>The Basement</b> Stephen Leather</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Bulgarian, Italian, and Complex Chinese</p> <p>Fusing shifting viewpoints with a growing sense of dread and almost <b>unbearable suspense</b>, the UK's thriller master, Stephen Leather, arrives on the shores of the United States with <i>The Basement</i>, his most terrifying work to date.</p>	 <p>9/24/2013</p> <p><b>Harrowgate</b> Kate Maruyama</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Michael should be overjoyed by the birth of his son, but his wife, Sarah won't let him touch the baby or allow anyone to visit. Kate <b>Maruyama's debut novel, Harrowgate</b>, is a chilling, richly detailed story of love, loss, and the haunted place that lies between.</p>	 <p>4/9/2013</p> <p><b>The Far Time Incident (The Incident Series, Book One)</b> Neve Maslakovic</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><i>The Far Time Incident</i> is a smart, richly inventive novel that skillfully weaves together mystery, history, and science to create a mesmerizing and addictive read.</p>	 <p>2/11/2014</p> <p><b>The Runestone Incident (The Incident Series, Book Two)</b> Neve Maslakovic</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A skillful blend of mystery, science, and history, <i>The Runestone Incident</i> is a smart and satisfying follow-up to <i>The Far Time Incident</i>.</p>	 <p>4/2/2013</p> <p><b>Overdraft: The Orion Offensive</b> John Jackson Miller</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>After an egotistical stock trader for one of the twenty-<b>second century's</b> biggest corporations gets greedy and loses his employer a fortune, he has two options: go to jail or make the money back before anyone notices. A space opera <b>fuelled by today's financial bravado</b>, <i>Overdraft</i> strikes a thrilling balance between desperate firefights and dark humor.</p>

 <p>10/2/2012</p> <p><b>The Second Ship (The Rho Agenda Series, Book One)</b></p> <p>Richard Phillips</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Polish</p> <p>In 1948, an alien starship crash-landed in the New Mexico desert and brought with it the key to mankind's future. Code named the Rho Project, the landing was shrouded in secrecy, and only the highest-ranking US government and military personnel knew it existed. Until now.</p>	 <p>10/30/2012</p> <p><b>Immune (The Rho Agenda Series, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Richard Phillips</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Polish</p> <p>Anyone who dares challenge the Rho Project is being systematically picked off. At the top of the hitman's death list: NSA fixer Jack Gregory and the three teenagers who first exposed the Rho Project's dark agenda to the world.</p>	 <p>11/20/2012</p> <p><b>Wormhole (The Rho Agenda Series, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Richard Phillips</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Polish</p> <p><b>When the Rho Project's lead scientist, Dr. Donald Stephenson, is imprisoned for his crimes against humanity, the world dares to think the threat posed by the Rho Project's alien technologies is finally over. The world is wrong.</b></p>	 <p>10/9/2012</p> <p><b>Z 2134 (The Z 2134 Series, Book One)</b></p> <p>Sean Platt and David W. Wright</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>It is the year 2134 in a dystopian America, following a series of zombie plagues that infected and decimated much of the world's population one hundred years ago. Those left formed six walled cities throughout the continent, all under the rule of a totalitarian government that enforces strict control over its populace.</p>	 <p>8/27/2013</p> <p><b>Z 2135 (The Z 2134 Series, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Sean Platt and David W. Wright</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Between the terrifying zombies roaming The Barrens—monsters created by the plague that destroyed the Old Nation—and the ruthless, manipulative government that controls everything and everyone within the City Walls, no one is safe. <i>Z 2135</i> is both a frightening vision of a dystopian future and a heartening tale of family, hope, and humanity.</p>
 <p>4/15/2014</p> <p><b>Z 2136 (The Z 2134 Series, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Sean Platt and David W. Wright</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Questions will be answered and fates will be determined in the thrilling final installment of Sean Platt and David Wright's series that began with <i>Z 2134</i>.</p>	 <p>7/10/2012</p> <p><b>The Prankster: A Novella</b></p> <p>James Polster</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio</p> <p>Time-traveling alien Pom Trager has used the gullible denizens of Earth as fodder for his practical jokes throughout the ages, with the pyramids, Picasso, and several US presidents among his more modest pranks. Why does he do it? To boost the ratings of <i>The Prankster</i>, his home planet's most popular reality show.</p>	 <p>8/13/2013</p> <p><b>No Love for the Wicked (Magnolia Kelch Series)</b></p> <p>Megan Powell</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p><b>It's taken six months, but supernaturally gifted Magnolia Kelch finally seems to have her surging powers under control. Then she arrives home to find a group of strangers in her beloved farmhouse, and that control is immediately put to the test.</b></p>	 <p>7/10/2012</p> <p><b>No Peace for the Damned (Magnolia Kelch Series)</b></p> <p>Megan Powell</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Magnolia Kelch is no stranger to pain. Beautiful and powerful, she's spent her entire life at the mercy of her sadistic father and the rest of the Kelch clan, who have tortured her and tested the limits of her powers. After one particularly heinous night that leaves Magnolia nearly dead, she finally sees her chance for escape . . .</p>	 <p>7/2/2013</p> <p><b>Romulus Buckle &amp; the City of the Founders (The Chronicles of the Pneumatic Zeppelin Series, Book One)</b></p> <p>Richard Ellis Preston Jr.</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In a post-apocalyptic world of endless snow, Captain Romulus Buckle and the stalwart crew of the <i>Pneumatic Zeppelin</i> must embark on a perilous mission to rescue their kidnapped leader, Balthazar Crankshaft, from the impenetrable City of the Founders.</p>
 <p>11/19/2013</p> <p><b>Romulus Buckle &amp; the Engines of War (The Chronicles of the Pneumatic Zeppelin Series, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Richard Ellis Preston Jr.</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>The frozen wasteland of Snow World—known as Southern California before an alien invasion decimated civilization—is home to warring steampunk clans. Through this ruined world soars the Pneumatic Zeppelin, captained by the daring Romulus Buckle.</p>	 <p>3/26/2013</p> <p><b>Evil to Burn (Dead Man #17)</b></p> <p>Lisa Klink, Lee Goldberg and William Rabkin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Matt Cahill is traveling by bus through the blasted wilderness of the Southwest to prevent a massacre from happening in Nevada, but Mr. Dark is intent on preventing him from making it there. A terrible crash leaves the bus totaled, and now Matt is injured, stranded, and fighting for his life against the elements . . .</p>	 <p>1/21/2014</p> <p><b>Reborn (A Dead Man Adventure)</b></p> <p>Kate Danley, Lisa Klink, Phoebe Sutton, Lee Goldberg, and William Rabkin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><i>Reborn</i> features a fresh, colorful heroine in an action-packed, darkly funny tale of adventure and terror told by an incredible dream team of award-winning, widely acclaimed writers.</p>	 <p>5/6/2014</p> <p><b>The Dead Man Vol 7: Crucible of Fire, The Dark Need, The Rising Dead</b></p> <p>Mel Odom, Stant Litore, Stella Green, Lee Goldberg, and William Rabkin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In <i>The Dead Man Volume 7</i>, a trio of sinister new stories tracks a reluctant hero on his nightmarish quest.</p>	 <p>5/28/2013</p> <p><b>Damocles</b></p> <p>S. G. Redling</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>When Earth is rocked by evidence that extraterrestrials may have seeded human DNA throughout the universe, a one-way expedition into deep space is mounted to uncover the truth. Told from both sides of a monumental encounter, <i>Damocles</i> is a compelling novel about man's first contact with an extraterrestrial race.</p>



5/22/2012

**Further: Beyond the Threshold**

Chris Roberson

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Humankind is spread across three thousand light-years in a myriad of worlds and habitats known as the Human Entelechy. Linked by a network of wormholes with Earth at its center, it is the world Captain R. J. Stone awakens to after a twelve-thousand-year cryogenic suspension. *Further: Beyond the Threshold* is a fascinating ride to the farthest reaches of the imagination.



6/11/2013

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Jason Sheehan

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The debut novel from acclaimed James Beard Award-winning food critic Jason Sheehan, *A Private Little War* is the dark tale of a deadly war being waged in secrecy—and the struggle to stay sane in a world that makes no sense. **It's *Catch-22* for a new generation.**



7/23/2013

**Tales from the Radiation Age**

Jason Sheehan

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*Tales from the Radiation Age* is a throwback to the pulp-origins of science fiction, painting a vision of **the future that's richly detailed, wildly imaginative—and altogether too easy to imagine.**



2/1/2014

**Descending Son**

Scott Shepherd

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In a tale that spreads from the California desert to the jungles of Mexico and set in a town that time has practically forgotten, *Descending Son* is rooted in the **sins of Jess's past and a future that threatens his life.** Sure, Jess can go **home again, but there's a heavy price to pay.**



9/18/2012

**The Well of Tears (The Dream Stewards, Book One)**

Roberta Trahan

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More than five centuries after Camelot, a new king heralded by prophecy has appeared. As one of the last sorceresses of a dying order sworn to protect the new ruler at all costs, Alwen must answer a summons she thought she might never receive.



4/22/2014

**The Keys to the Realms (The Dream Stewards, Book Two)**

Roberta Trahan

Rights Available: All Languages  
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In this sequel to *The Well of Tears*, the last bastion of magic standing against the dark forces threatening the prophecy of the Ancients has narrowly escaped destruction—wrought by the sorcery of one of its own.



6/10/2014

**Shield and Crocus**

Michael R. Underwood

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In this stunning, original tale of magic and revolution, Michael R. Underwood creates a cityscape that rivals Ambergris and New Crobuson in its depth and populates it with heroes and villains that will stay with you forever.



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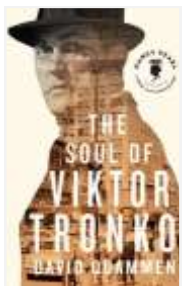




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9/16/2014

### The Soul of Viktor Tronko

David Quammen

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### The Girls From the Five Great Valleys

Elizabeth Savage

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### The Last Night at the Ritz

Elizabeth Savage

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Filled with fascinating characters and darkly delicious humor, *The Soul of Viktor Tronko* is a rich, suspenseful espionage saga inspired by a true story.

When Soviet agent Viktor Tronko defected to the US in 1964, he made two intriguing claims: he insisted that Russia had not placed a mole inside the CIA, and that Lee Harvey Oswald had not been recruited to assassinate the president. Convinced that Tronko was working as a disinformation agent, the CIA furiously did everything they could to break him. But Tronko had one more surprise for them: he refused to break.

Almost two decades later, former CIA officer Mel Pokorny shows up at journalist Michael Kessler's house and offers to talk about Tronko. This could be the biggest story of his life . . . if it doesn't kill him first.

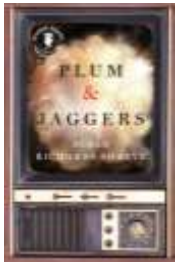
Five girls. Five dreams. Five destinies.

Determined to climb the social ladder in Missoula, Montana, Hilary is in for a rude awakening. With a rough home life, Doll seeks every chance she can to escape, but her need to be noticed may land her in serious trouble. Janet hasn't inherited the smarts of her doctor father, but she's content to let life lead her rather than grab the steering wheel. Kathy's the smartest of the group, but her know-it-all attitude can be a real turnoff. Amelia has her mother's gorgeous looks, but with a handicapped sister and an absent father, her world is waiting to shatter.

As the leader of the group, Hilary doesn't make any decisions without carefully calculating the potential outcome. Each of these young women is about to discover there's little they can control when it comes to what fate has in store.

*The Last Night at the Ritz*, a masterfully written novel of friendship and love and the ways we deceive each other and ourselves, is quite simply unforgettable.

Brazen, candid, and always willing to take chances, the unnamed and not entirely trustworthy narrator of *The Last Night at the Ritz* celebrates her birthday with three old and dear friends. Organizing a luncheon at Boston's esteemed Ritz Carlton—an old favorite of the group's—the narrator expects the occasion will be an excellent chance to catch up with her friends and enjoy each other's company. As the afternoon gives way to evening and as the drinks flow, the past and present intrude upon the festivities and the atmosphere turns somber. Before the night is through, truths and secrets slip out that will change their relationships forever.



12/30/2013

**Plum & Jagers**

Susan Richards Shreve

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For the McWilliams children, life is forever altered the day a terrorist bomb blast rips through the train carrying them across Italy, instantly killing their parents. Dazed and frightened, Charlotte, Oliver, and baby Julia cling to oldest brother Sam, who—only seven at the time—is haunted by every detail.

After he and his siblings are taken in by their grandparents, Sam becomes consumed with protecting them at all costs. His compulsive behavior leads to his placement in a juvenile detention center. It is there that Sam dreams up Plum & Jagers, a darkly bizarre comedy troupe. Made up of him and his brother and sisters, the group pokes **fun at life's tragedies and will** eventually carry them into adulthood.



9/17/2013

**The Man in the Window**

Jon Cohen

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Since he was disfigured in a fire sixteen years ago, recluse Louis Malone has remained hidden from the prying eyes of his neighbors in the small town of Waverly. Across town, Iris Shula, a lonely and unlovely nurse, knows at thirty-seven it is unlikely that her Prince Charming will ever appear. But Iris is about to learn how wrong she is.

When Louis accidentally falls out of his second-story window, these two kindred souls are brought together. What unfolds is a most unlikely love story. One that will make you laugh and that will break—and remake—your heart.



5/28/2013

**The Lion in the Lei Shop**

Kaye Starbird

Rights Available: All Languages  
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This lyrical novel gives a rarely heard voice to the women and children of Pearl Harbor.

Marty Langsmith is only five years old when a strange thunder rolls across the Hawaiian sky and life as she knows it explodes into flames. With her mother, April, and hundreds of other women and children, Marty is evacuated from the ruins of Pearl Harbor and sent into a brave new world overshadowed by uncertainty and grief.

*The Lion in the Lei Shop* deftly recaptures a dramatic chapter of American history.



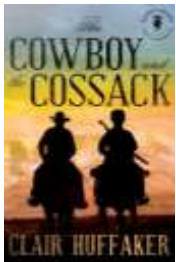
2/19/2013

**One Minus One**

Ruth Doan MacDougall

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In this portrait of a woman on the brink of self-realization, Emily must learn whether or not she can truly recapture the past. The year is 1969, a time of turmoil for the United States—and for thirty-year-old Emily Bean, who, following her devastating divorce, leaves her home in the New Hampshire mountains to work as a **teacher in the state's coastal region**. Still in love with her ex-husband, David, Emily struggles to adjust to single life.



12/4/2012

**The Cowboy and the Cossack**

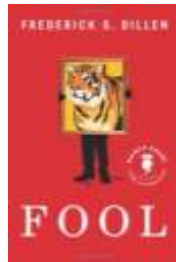
Clair Huffaker

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*Lonesome Dove* meets *Doctor Zhivago* in this rousing tale of Russian tsars and the Wild West.

Fifteen Montana cowboys sail into Vladivostok with a herd of longhorns, ready to cross the Siberian wilderness. **When a band of Cossacks, Russia's** elite horsemen and warriors, shows up to escort the Americans to their destination, the clash of cultures begins.

Nature and man are enemies that will force them to work together—and a ruthless Tartar army that stands between them and their destination. The codes of the cowboy West and the Cossack East seem to be two different measures of a man—but honor and courage are the same in any language when a common enemy must be faced.



8/14/2012

**Fool**

Frederick Dillen

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*Fool* is a comic novel about an unlikely hero. Self-absorbed Barnaby Griswold has to lose it all—money, homes, and family—before he gets a shot at becoming the unlikely hero of his own life.

Griswold is indisputably a fool. A well-educated, well-connected investments player on the one hand, but an entitled money-driven cretin on the other. His life changes almost **overnight when he's found to have** acted slimily (but not illegally) by selling a stock short. At forty-six, disgraced and broke and lonely, Barnaby must repair his life to find redemption.



6/5/2012

**After Life**

Rhian Ellis

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Naomi Ash was born in New Orleans and raised by her mother, Patsy, a medium who schooled her young daughter in the chicanery of the trade. From recreating presences with tablecloths to providing the voice of the dead by talking through a fan, their act is part theater, part magic, and a little too much playing with the letter of the law.

Naomi comes of age, learns the trade, and falls in love. But love is not only a many splendored thing—it can be dangerous as well. And for a woman caught between fraud and truth, between the world of the living and the world of the dead, and between the secrets and lies of her youth, the past and present will come together in a rush of truth and consequence.



4/3/2012

**A Gay and Melancholy Sound**

Merle Miller

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As funny and entertaining as it is captivating and heartrending, *A Gay and Melancholy Sound* is a shattering depiction of modern disconnection and the tragic consequences of a life bereft of love.

Joshua Bland has lived the kind of life many would define as extraordinary. Enlisting in the army during World War II, Joshua serves first as an infantryman, where his irreverent letters home turn him into a bestselling author. After the war, he becomes a wildly successful producer. But when his production company flounders, his reality becomes clear: he has had a lifetime of extraordinary experiences—and no emotional connection to any of it.



Amazon Publishing delivers an eclectic range of reading experiences, from general fiction to nonfiction.



## Frontlist Titles

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6/2/2015

## The Doctor Is In: Dr. Ruth on Love, Life, and Joie de Vivre

Ruth K. Westheimer

With Pierre A. Lehu

Nonfiction (Memoir)

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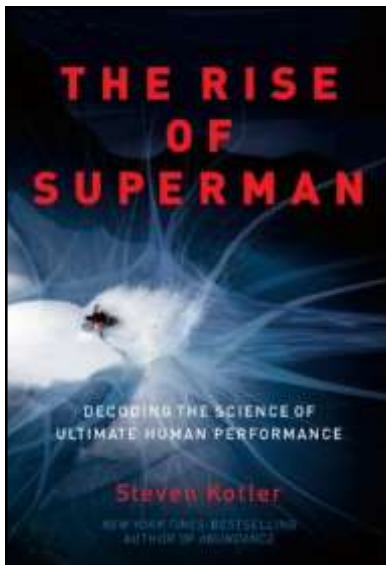


**The Doctor Is In! America's best-loved** therapist, Dr. Ruth, is known for her wise counsel on all matters of the heart. Here she shares private stories from her past and her present, and her insights into living life to the fullest, at any age.

Everyone knows Dr. Ruth as the most famous and trusted sex therapist, but few people know she narrowly escaped death from the Holocaust, was raised in an orphanage in Switzerland, or that **she was a sniper during Israel's War of Independence. After years spent as a student in Paris, Dr. Ruth** came to America dreaming of a new life, never expecting the dramatic turns that would take place. And at the age of eighty-seven, she is as spirited as ever.

**Through intimate and funny stories, Dr. Ruth sheds light on how she's learned to live a life filled** with joie de vivre. And she shows readers how they too can learn to deal with tragedy and loss, challenges and success, all while nourishing an intellectual and emotional spark, and, above all, having fun!

Hilarious, inspiring, and profound, *The Doctor Is In* will change the way you think about life and love, in all their limitless possibilities.



3/4/2014

## The Rise of Superman: Decoding the Science of Ultimate Human Performance

Steven Kotler

Nonfiction

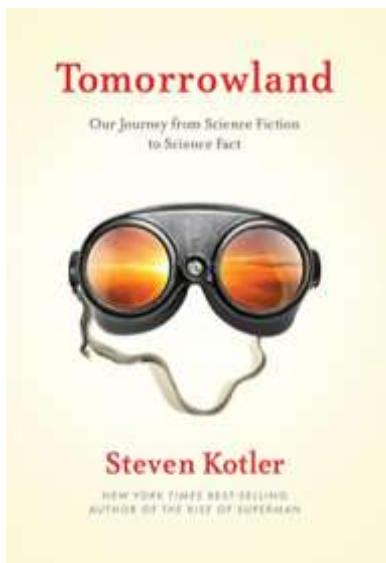
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An exploration of how extreme athletes are able to break the limits of ultimate human performance and what we can learn from their **mastery of the state of consciousness known as “flow.”**

In this groundbreaking national bestseller, Steven Kotler decodes the mystery of ultimate human performance. Drawing on over a decade of research and firsthand reporting of dozens of top action and adventure sports athletes, including big wave legend Laird Hamilton, big mountain snowboarder Jeremy Jones, and skateboarding pioneer Danny Way, Kotler explores the frontier **science of “flow,” an optimal state of consciousness in which they perform and feel their best.**

Building a bridge between the extreme and the mainstream, *The Rise of Superman* explains how these athletes are using flow to do the impossible and how we can use this information to radically accelerate performance in our own lives. At its core, this is a book about profound possibility; about what is actually possible for our species; about where—if anywhere—our limits lie.



5/12/2015

## Tomorrowland: Our Journey from Science Fiction to Science Fact

Steven Kotler

Nonfiction

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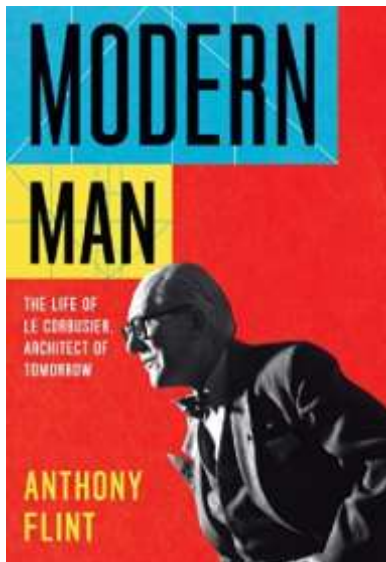
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Bestselling author Steven Kotler has written extensively about those **pivotal moments when science fiction became science fact . . . and fundamentally reshaped the world.**

Now he gathers the best of his best, updated and expanded upon, to guide readers on a mind-bending tour of the far frontier, and how these advances are radically transforming our lives. From the ways science and technology are **fundamentally altering our bodies and our world (the world’s first bionic soldier, the future of evolution)** to those explosive collisions between science and culture **(life extension and bioweapons), we’re crossing moral and ethical lines we’ve never faced before.** As Kotler writes, **“Life is tricky sport—and that’s the emotional core of this story, the real reason we can’t put Pandora back in the box. When you strip everything else away, technology is nothing more than the promise of an easier tomorrow. It’s the promise of hope. And how do you stop hope?”**

Join Kotler in this fascinating exploration of our incredible next: a deep dive into those future technologies happening now—and what it means to be a part of this brave new world.

11/4/2014



## Modern Man: The Life of Le Corbusier, Architect of Tomorrow

Anthony Flint

Nonfiction (Biography)

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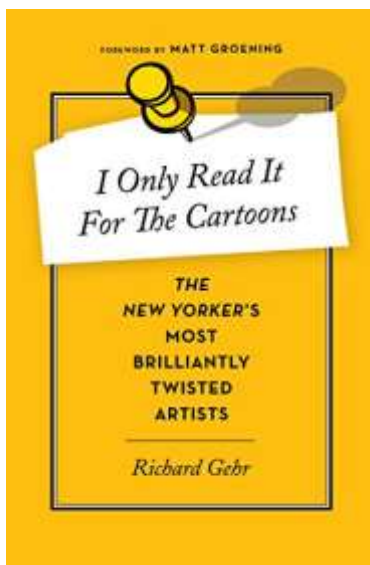
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From the award-winning author of *Wrestling with Moses* comes a fascinating, accessible biography of Le Corbusier, one of the most important architects of the twentieth century.

*Modern Man* is a penetrating psychological portrait of a true genius and constant self-inventor, as well as a sweeping tale filled with exotic locales, sex and celebrity (he was a lover of Josephine Baker), and high-stakes projects. In **Flint's telling, Corbusier isn't just the grandfather of modern architecture but a man who sought to remake the world according to his vision, dispelling the Victorian style and replacing it with something never seen before. His legacy remains controversial today, as the world grapples with how to house its skyrocketing urban population and the cult of the "starchitect" continues to grow.**

*Modern Man* is for readers fascinated by the complex personal lives and outsized visions of both groundbreaking artists and dazzling, charismatic innovators like Steve Jobs.

10/7/2014



## I Only Read It for the Cartoons: The New Yorker's Most Brilliantly Twisted Artists

Richard Gehr

Nonfiction

Rights Available: All Languages

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Available for the first time to *The New Yorker's* **one million-plus readers: a volume dedicated to the individual careers of the magazine's cartooning superstars.**

Widely considered to be the pantheon of single-panel cartooning, *The New Yorker* **cartoonists' styles are richly varied, and their personal stories are surprising.** For example, did you know that Arnie Levin is a seventy-three-year-old former Beatnik painter with a handlebar mustache and a back decorated by **one of Japan's foremost tattoo artists?**

**Gehr's book features fascinating biographical profiles of such artists as Gahan Wilson, Sam Gross, Roz Chast, Lee Lorenz, and Edward Koren, and it is illustrated with their rare sketches and rejected cartoons.** Along with a dozen such profiles, Gehr provides a brief history of *The New Yorker* cartoon itself, touching on the work of earlier illustrating wits, including Charles Addams, James Thurber, and William Steig.

## The Icons Series: Biographies for the Digital Age

Edited by James Atlas

We are living in what the English biographer Michael Holroyd has called “a golden age of biography,” a moment when the genre occupies a dominant place in our literary culture. In a time when our fascination with the private aspects of public lives is so intense, it’s not surprising that biography has become one of the most prominent forms of narrative nonfiction. Yet reading habits have changed dramatically in the digital age: readers accustomed to taking on books of daunting length have been adapting themselves to the e-book in all its forms, while the information overload that is now a ubiquitous feature of daily life has made it harder to reach a new generation of readers.

Icons, a series of brief biographies launched in December 2013, is designed to take advantage of these transformations. In the tradition of the Penguin Lives, which sold 700,000 copies and was published in translation all over the world, the Icons series provides a reading experience perfectly suited to a moment of unprecedented change. Written by established and emerging writers, the books in the series will be 25,000 to 40,000 words, and will focus on canonical figures in the culture, both historical and contemporary. The series is edited by the biographer James Atlas (*Delmore Schwartz: The Biography of an American Poet*, *Bellow: A Biography*), founding editor of Penguin Lives and of two other highly acclaimed series, Great Discoveries (W.W. Norton) and Eminent Lives (HarperCollins).

Praise for *Jesus: The Human Face of God* by Jay Parini:

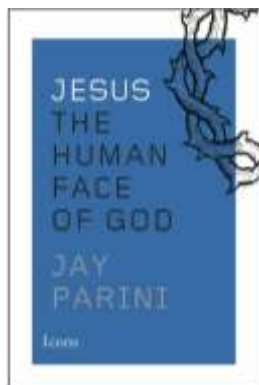
“Parini’s brief and ambitious book contains eight chapters, which examine ancient Palestine, Jesus’ birth, his early ministry, his experiences as healer and teacher in Galilee, his entrance into Jerusalem, the journey from Gethsemane to Golgotha (‘The Passion’), the Resurrection, and Christ’s afterlife. In his mid-60s, Parini emphasizes, he is still in search of Jesus, ‘and this seeking seems more important than the finding.’ And so, his book is not only well informed, but deeply personal.” — *The Boston Globe*

Praise for *Lucian Freud: Eyes Wide Open* by Phoebe Hoban:

“Art biographer Hoban presents a highly effective, strobe-like brief life of British painter Lucian Freud . . . A strikingly incisive portrait.” — *ALA Booklist*

Praise for *J. D. Salinger: The Escape Artist* by Thomas Beller:

“Irresistible . . . Endearing . . . Lyrical and precise . . . *J. D. Salinger* is the story of the resonance of its subject, but it is also the story of a generous, humorous, sensitive writer, which is to say Thomas Beller. Not much escapes him.” — *The New York Times Book Review*



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### Jesus: The Human Face of God (Icons)

Jay Parini

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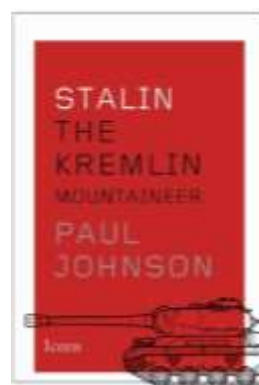
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An Amazon Best Book of the Month, December 2013

Jay Parini brings a life’s worth of contemplation on Jesus to the first volume in Icons, a series of brief, thought-provoking biographies edited by James Atlas. In *Jesus*, Parini turns the powerful narrative skill he’s wielded over the course of a four-decade career to a figure who’s dominated our collective imagination and cultural iconography for over twenty centuries.

The main trend of modern theology has hinged on the notion of “demythologizing” Jesus. Parini’s book seeks to re-mythologize him, considering the story in all its mythical radiance, taking Jesus as the human face of God.

Far from dogmatic, Parini looks at the many ways in which Jesus has been viewed and dramatizes the transformation from Jesus to Christ, man to myth, and obscure Jewish carpenter to someone who pointed a finger toward God and said with conviction: This is the way. Follow me.



2/11/2014

### Stalin: The Kremlin Mountaineer (Icons)

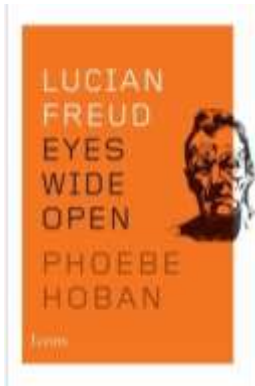
Paul Johnson

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Romanian, Russian

Paul Johnson, the most celebrated popular historian of our time, takes a scalpel to Stalin, whom he considers “one of the outstanding monsters of history.” Johnson sets forth the essence of Stalin’s life, character, and career. “It has been a hateful task, which has caused me much pain and disgust,” he writes with characteristic candor. “But it has been a duty I have performed not without a certain grim satisfaction.”

Stalin poses a particular challenge to a biographer: How does one render such a monstrous human? While Johnson doesn’t flinch from chronicling Stalin’s rise to absolute power—the remorseless vendetta against Leon Trotsky, the development of the Gulag, the extermination of millions of peasants—he also shows Stalin playing billiards, listening to his adored Mozart, and annotating Marx’s *Capital* in the margins. It is, in concise form, the story of Russia in the twentieth century: dark and murderous, a stage on which to display humanity’s infinite capacity for self-destruction.

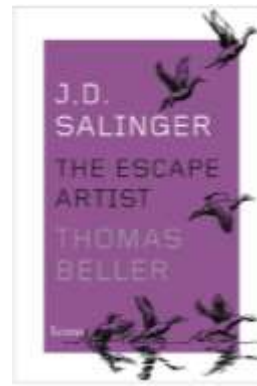


4/15/2014  
**Lucian Freud: Eyes Wide Open**  
 Phoebe Hoban  
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Phoebe Hoban, author of authoritative biographies of Jean-Michel Basquiat and Alice Neel, now turns her attention to Lucian Freud, the grandson of Sigmund and one of the greatest painters England has produced.

*Lucian Freud: Eyes Wide Open* is the first biography to assess **Freud's work and life, showing how the two converge.** In Hoban's dramatic and fast-paced narrative, we follow Freud from his birthplace in Berlin to London and then to Paris, where he mixed with Picasso and Giacometti. He married twice, had an uncountable number of children, and kept working through it all, painting everyone from close friend and rival Francis Bacon to Kate Moss to Queen Elizabeth. However various his subjects, his intent was always the same: to find and reveal the character hidden within by means of his intense visual imagination.

Along with its startling biographical revelations, the great thrill of *Lucian Freud* is the way Hoban deconstructs the art itself to show how Freud reproduced reality on the canvas while breaking down the illusion that what we see is real.

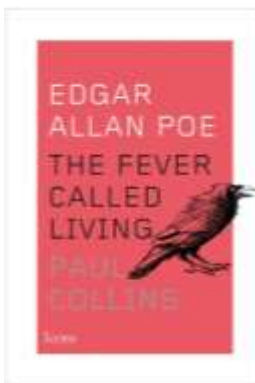


6/3/2014  
**J. D. Salinger: The Escape Artist**  
 Thomas Beller  
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Here is a spirited, deeply personal inquiry into the near-mythic life and canonical work of J. D. Salinger by a writer known for his **sensitivity to the Manhattan culture that was Salinger's great theme.**

Three years after his death at ninety-one, J. D. Salinger remains our most mythic writer. *The Catcher in the Rye* (1951) became an American classic, and he was for a long time a writer for *The New Yorker*. But fame proved a burden, and in 1953 Salinger fled to New Hampshire, spending the next half century in isolation.

**Beller has followed his subject's trail, from his Park Avenue childhood to his final refuge, barnstorming across New England to visit various Salinger shrines, interviewing just about everyone alive who ever knew Salinger.** The result is a quest biography in **the tradition of Geoff Dyer's *Out of Sheer Rage*,** a book as much about the biographer as about the subject—two vivid, entertaining stories in one.

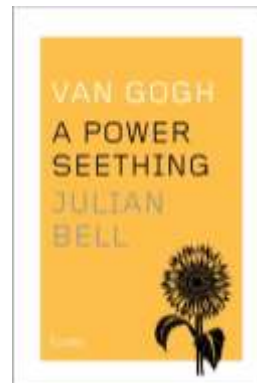


8/26/2014  
**Edgar Allan Poe: The Fever Called Living**  
 Paul Collins  
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Today the name Edgar Allan Poe invokes a tragic genius whose mastery of horror seems inexorably tied to his tormented life. But in his own time, Poe was above all a craftsman—an editor and reviewer desperately trying to earn a living by transmuting the wild ephemera of early Victorianism into innovations in science fiction, horror, and detective literature. Indeed, the crime thriller **would not exist without Poe's sleuth Dupin, the deductive genius of "Murders in the Rue Morgue" and "The Purloined Letter."**

With brilliant scholarship and storytelling verve, Edgar-award finalist **Paul Collins delves into Poe's life and his professional world, from his stormy relationship with his rich adoptive father and interest in cryptograms to hits such as "The Raven" and flops like *Eureka*,** his late-career crank literature outing. *Edgar Allan Poe* is an informative and supremely entertaining account of one of the most singular talents in American letters.

**"Incisive, insightful and always entertaining, this is a welcome addition to reading lists both for Poe aficionados and newcomers."** —Matthew Pearl, author of *The Poe Shadow*



1/6/2015  
**Van Gogh: A Power Seething**  
 Julian Bell  
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 All Languages, Audio

A biography of Van Gogh that is at once a suspenseful narrative of a turbulent and tragic life and an account of the classic work that emerged, *Van Gogh* follows the trail of the great Impressionist painter from his childhood in the Netherlands, where he was born into a family of art dealers, through his years in England, the Hague, and Paris, to his final home in Arles, where he discovered the luminous style of his late paintings before his suicide at the age of thirty-seven.

Van Gogh struggled to find his way as an artist: Well into his mid-twenties he had achieved virtually nothing except a few charcoal drawings of coal miners. The great lustrous paintings of his final phase seem to burst out of nowhere.

Julian Bell, a well-known critic and accomplished painter himself, conveys this tragic story in rapid staccato prose that creates suspense as it moves toward its inevitable denouement. In his hands, *Van Gogh* seems to leap off the page in all his anguished vigor, a genius for whom the greatest challenge was to stay alive until he had done his magnificent work.





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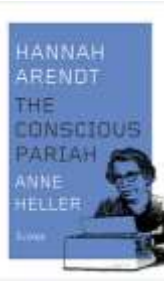
### Alfred Hitchcock: The Man Who Knew Too Much

Michael Wood

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All Languages,  
Audio

Widely regarded as the greatest filmmaker of the 20th century, Alfred Hitchcock brought to the genre a gift for creating suspense and a shrewd knowledge of human psychology. Among the more than fifty films he made in the course of his long career are the classics *North By Northwest*, *Psycho*, and *The 39 Steps*. A master in the art of telling complex stories on film, Hitchcock was one of the first directors to make the medium both a contribution to popular culture and a high art.

He struggled with obesity from an early age; by the time he became the host of the television show *Alfred Hitchcock Presents*, it was a profile familiar to millions: his cameo roles in his own films were one of their most anticipated features. By the end of his life, he had gone from humble beginnings as the son of a greengrocer in a London suburb to the reigning director in Hollywood, a journey Wood traverses with the wit and erudition that are the trademark of his work.



8/18/2015

### Hannah Arendt: The Conscious Pariah

Anne Heller

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All Languages

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Arendt was brilliant, beautiful when young, and irresistible to gifted men, even in her chain-smoking, highly productive middle age. Born in Prussia to assimilated Jewish parents, **she escaped from Hitler's Germany in 1933.**

She learned to write in English at age thirty-six, and yet her first book, *The Origins of Totalitarianism*, single-handedly altered the way generations of Americans and Europeans understood the meaning of fascism and the attempted destruction of the Jewish people. She was extolled by her peers as a visionary and criticized, even denounced, as a poseur, especially following the publication of her most famous book, *Eichmann in Jerusalem: A Report on the Banality of Evil*, where she depicted the Nazi trainmaster Adolf Eichmann not as a monster but as a self-seeking bureaucrat incapable of moral thought.

After the revelation in the 1990s that she had been the lover of the great Romantic philosopher and Nazi sympathizer Martin Heidegger in the 1920s, she and her work have been more fiercely debated than ever before.



9/22/2015

### St. Paul: The Apostle We Love to Hate

Karen Armstrong

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All Languages

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Dutch, UK (English)

Paul the Apostle was a central figure in the Apostolic Age, a Jew who is believed to have written the first fourteen books of the New Testament. His Epistle to the Romans, one of the most influential texts of the Apostolic Era, was instrumental in spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the Greco-Roman world. A charismatic preacher, he was above all a writer, and much of his work survives, making him an ideal subject for the brief biographical form.

Karen Armstrong is the bestselling author of such monumental inquiries into the fundaments of religion as *A History of God: The 4,000-Year Quest of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam* and *The Great Transformation: The Beginning of Our Religious Traditions*, as well as concise biographies of Muhammad and Buddha. In 2008, she won the TED Prize of \$100,000, which enabled her to launch the Charter for Compassion, a document that has been signed by citizens all over the world.



11/3/2015

### David Lynch: The Man From Another Place

Dennis Lim

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Spanish

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Audio, Korean

A revealing look at the life and work of David Lynch, one of the most enigmatic and influential filmmakers of our time. Every **frame of his work from the '70s midnight movie *Eraserhead* to the groundbreaking TV series *Twin Peaks* to the digital-video DIY feat *Inland Empire* bears his imprint.** But the paradox of the Lynchian is that it is both easy to recognize and hard to define. **He's a master of the inscrutable gesture and the opaque symbol. No less than his art, Lynch's career evades the usual categories.** He is at once a pop culture icon, a subject of academic study, a cult figure, and an industry outsider.

**Dredged from his subconscious mind, Lynch's films are primed to act on ours.** He claims to act on instinct and often warns against overinterpretation. Accordingly, this is not a book that seeks to decode his art or annotate his life—to dispel the strangeness of the Lynchian—so much as one that offers some complementary ways of seeing and understanding one of the most distinctive bodies of work in modern cinema.



1/12/2016

### Benazir Bhutto: Favored Daughter

Brooke Allen

Rights Available:  
All Languages, Audio

Benazir Bhutto led one of the most dramatic lives of the last **century. Born to privilege as the daughter of one of Pakistan's great feudal families, groomed at Harvard and Oxford for a diplomatic career, she was thrust into the political arena when her father, Pakistan's charismatic and controversial prime minister, was overthrown and executed by the military dictator Zia ul-Haq.** Her remarkable rise from persecuted opposition figure to warrior for democracy, and her apotheosis as prime minister (Bhutto was the first woman to lead a Muslim nation), were matched by the Grand Guignol of her downfall as she and her husband were accused of corruption on the grand scale and suspected by many of engineering the murder of her oppositional brother.

**Bhutto's unsolved assassination during her comeback presidential bid in 2007 put an end to a tragedy that easily rivals that of the Kennedy family, or the house of Atreus.** Brooke Allen's biography will draw on contemporary news sources and eyewitness reports as well as narratives by Bhutto herself, her supporters, and her enemies.

6/10/2014

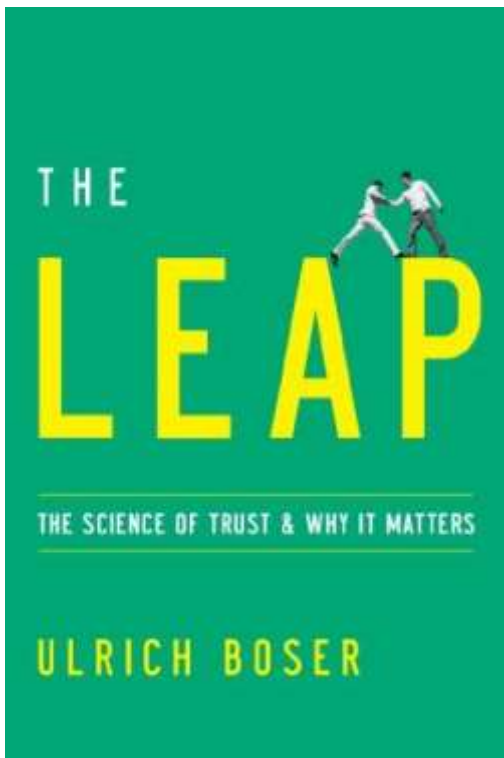
## The Leap: The Science of Trust and Why it Matters

Ulrich Boser

Nonfiction

Rights Available: All Languages

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High-profile corporations and governments are continuously in the news for scandals involving damaged trust. In *The Leap*, Ulrich Boser offers a framework to understand why trust is of paramount importance for institutions and how they can repair their damaged relationships with customers and constituents.

Why do we work with others? According to conventional wisdom, people are selfish and greedy, **and if it weren't for society's rules and rewards, we would all be taking advantage of one another.** But a wealth of new research suggests that we are far more trusting—and trustworthy—**than we've long assumed. In fact, our trust in others turns out to be a type of social glue. It's the currency of social capital and ultimately what keeps teams, communities, even nations together.**

In *The Leap*, bestselling author Ulrich Boser shows how the emerging science of trust and cooperation can transform our lives, rebuild our economy, and strengthen society. In this engaging and deeply researched narrative, Boser visits a radio soap opera in Rwanda that aims to **restore the country's broken trust, profiles the man who brought honesty to one of the most corrupt nations in Latin America, and explains how a college dropout managed to con his way into American high society.** In the end, Boser even jumps out of an airplane to better understand his own faith in others.

A powerful mix of hard science and compelling storytelling, *The Leap* explores how we trust, why we trust, and what we can all do to deepen trust. The book includes insightful policy recommendations along with revealing and surprising new data on the state of trust in America today.

## The 99U Book Series



5/21/2013

### Manage Your Day-to-Day: Build Your Routine, Find Your Focus, and Sharpen Your Creative Mind

Jocelyn K. Gleib

Nonfiction

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Stop doing busywork. Start doing your best work. Are you overextended, over-distracted, and overwhelmed? Do you work at a breakneck pace all day, only to find that you haven't accomplished the most important things on your agenda when you leave the office?

The world has changed, and the way we work has to change, too. With wisdom from twenty leading creative minds, *Manage Your Day-to-Day* will give you a toolkit for tackling the new challenges of a 24/7, always-on workplace. Featuring contributions from: Dan Ariely, Leo Babauta, Scott Belsky, Lori Deschene, Aaron Dignan, Erin Rooney Doland, Seth Godin, Todd Henry, Christian Jarrett, Scott McDowell, Mark McGuinness, Cal Newport, Steven Pressfield, Gretchen Rubin, Stefan Sagmeister, Elizabeth G. Saunders, Tony Schwartz, Tiffany Shlain, Linda Stone, and James Victore. Plus, a foreword from Behance founder and CEO Scott Belsky.



9/24/2013

### Maximize Your Potential: Grow Your Expertise, Take Bold Risks & Build an Incredible Career

Jocelyn K. Gleib

Nonfiction

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**Success isn't about being the best. It's about always getting better. Can you step outside your comfort zone?** Bounce back from failure? Build new skills? Tapping into your true potential is no idle endeavor. It demands creativity, dedication, and a whole lot of hustle.

With wisdom from twenty-one leading creative minds, 99U's *Maximize Your Potential* will show you how to generate new opportunities, cultivate your creative expertise, build valuable relationships, and take bold, new risks so that you can utilize your talents to the fullest. *Maximize Your Potential* features contributions from: Teresa Amabile, Sunny Bates, Michael Bungay Stanier, David Burkus, John Caddell, Ben Casnocha, Jack Cheng, Jonathan Fields, Joshua Foer, Jocelyn K. Gleib, Heidi Grant Halvorson, Frans Johansson, Steffen Landauer, Mark McGuinness, Cal Newport, Robert Safian, Michael Schwalbe, Tony Schwartz, Tina Seelig, and Scott H. Young. Plus, a foreword from Behance founder and CEO Scott Belsky.



11/18/2014

### Make Your Mark: The Creative's Guide to Building a Business with Impact

Jocelyn K. Gleib

Nonfiction

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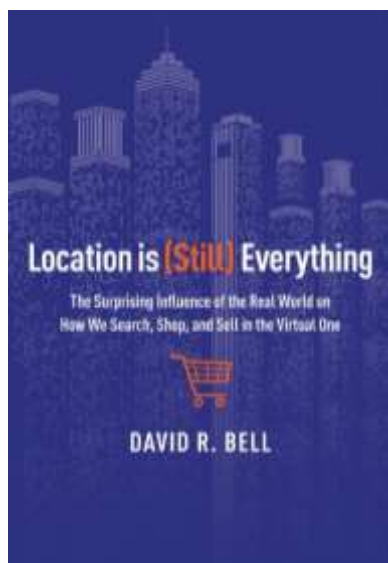
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**Are you ready to "make a dent in the universe"?** As a creative, you no longer have to take a backseat. In fact, stepping up and embracing entrepreneurship is the fastest route to impact. But where do you start?

**To find out, we asked the bright minds behind companies like Google X, Warby Parker, Facebook, O'Reilly Media, and more to share their startup wisdom.** Featuring hard-won wisdom from twenty leading entrepreneurs and designers, 99U's *Make Your Mark* will arm you with practical insights for launching a purpose-driven business, refining your product, delighting your customers, inspiring your team—and ultimately—making something that matters.

*Make Your Mark* features contributions from: Will Allen, Rich Armstrong, Warren Berger, Sean Blanda, Neil Blumenthal, Craig Dalton, Jane ni Dhulchaointigh, Aaron Dignan, Andy Dunn, Joel Gascoigne, Seth Godin, Chris Guillebeau, Emily Heyward, John Maeda, David Marquet, Tim O'Reilly, Shane Snow, Sebastian Thrun, Keith Yamashita, and Julie Zhuo. Plus, a foreword from Behance founder Scott Belsky.

7/15/2014



## Location Is (Still) Everything: The Surprising Influence of the Real World on How We Search, Shop, and Sell in the Virtual One

David R. Bell

Nonfiction

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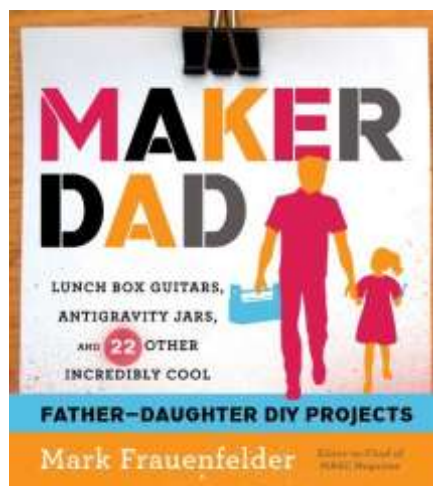
Rights Sold: Audio, Corporate Library (English), Simplified Chinese

In *Location Is (Still) Everything*, David R. Bell combines academic research with thorough case studies to better understand how our physical world shapes our online activity. Entrepreneurs looking to break into the e-commerce world will find Bell's insights into consumer practices and buying habits surprising and instructive.

Conventional wisdom holds that the Internet makes the world flat and reduces friction, erasing the impact of the physical world on our buying habits. But Wharton professor and marketing expert David R. Bell argues that the way we use the Internet is largely shaped by the physical world that we inhabit. Anyone can go online and buy a pair of pants—but the likelihood that we would do so depends to a significant degree on where we live. The presence of stores nearby, trendy and friendly neighbors, and local sales taxes play a large role in the decision-making process when it comes to buying online.

*Location Is (Still) Everything* is for anyone who wants to understand the patterns underlying how and why we use the Internet to shop, sell, and search, including entrepreneurs, students, and investors. This book is not only about Internet trends and innovations, but also about fundamental human behavior and the role that the Internet plays in our daily lives.

5/6/2014



## Maker Dad: Lunch Box Guitars, Anti-Gravity Jars, and 22 Other Incredibly Cool Father-Daughter DIY Projects

Mark Frauenfelder

Nonfiction

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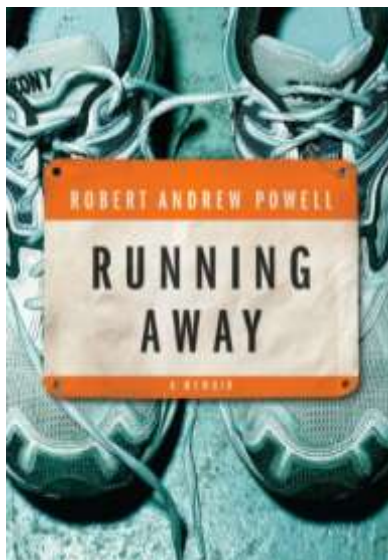
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As the editor in chief of *MAKE* magazine, Mark Frauenfelder has spent years combing through DIY books, but he's never been able to find one with geeky projects he can share with his two daughters.

*Maker Dad* is the first DIY book to use cutting-edge (and affordable) technology in appealing projects for fathers and daughters to do together. These crafts and gadgets are both rewarding to make and delightful to play with. What's more, *Maker Dad* teaches girls lifelong skills—like computer programming, musicality, and how to use basic hand tools—as well as how to be creative problem solvers.

The book's twenty-four unique projects include: Drawbot, a lively contraption that draws abstract patterns all by itself; Ice Cream Sandwich Necklace; Friendstrum, an electronic musical instrument girls can play with friends; Longboard; Antigravity Jar; Silkscreened T-Shirt; Retro Arcade Video Game; Host a Podcast; Lunch Box Guitar; and Kite Video Camera. Innovative and groundbreaking, *Maker Dad* will inspire fathers to geek out with their daughters and help girls cultivate an early affinity for math, science, and technology.





4/15/2014

## Running Away: A Memoir

Robert Andrew Powell

Nonfiction (Memoir)

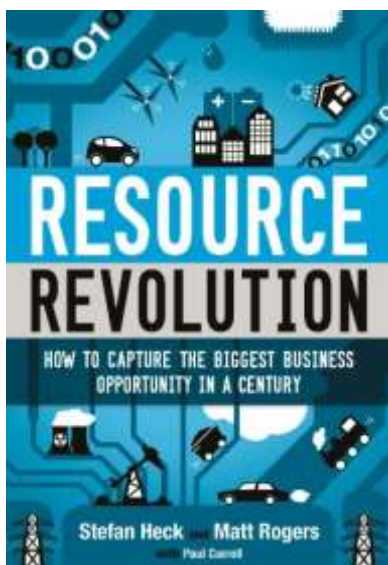
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**“As authentic as a hard-fought ten-miler through the bitter cold of winter, Powell’s memoir is an open book, warts and all. Like a transcendent race, *Running Away* delivers.”** —Chris Lear, author of *Running with the Buffaloes*

When journalist Robert Andrew Powell finished his first marathon, he cried, **cradled in his father’s arms. Long distance runners understand where those tears come from, even if there are others who will never understand what drives someone to run 26.2 consecutive miles in a grueling mental and physical test. Powell’s emotional reaction to completing the race wasn’t just about the run, though. It was also about the joy and relief of coming back up after hitting rock bottom.**

*Running Away* is the story of how one decision can alter the course of a life. Knocked down by a painful divorce and inspired by his father, Powell decided to change his mindset and circumstances. He moved to Boulder and began running in earnest for the first time in his life. Over the 26.2 chapters that follow, Powell grapples with his past relationships, gaining insight and hard-won discipline that give him hope for the future.



4/1/2014

## Resource Revolution: How to Capture the Biggest Business Opportunity in a Century

Stefan Heck and Matt Rogers with Paul Carroll

Nonfiction (Business)

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, Complex Chinese, Corporate Library (English), Japanese, Simplified Chinese, Thai

**How to turn the problem of scarce resources into an opportunity to vastly improve your company’s performance, by two top McKinsey consultants.**



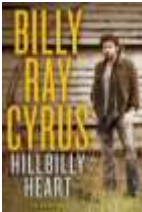



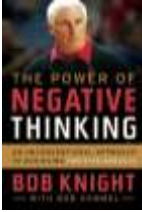



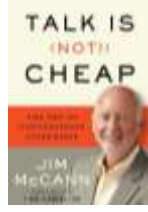

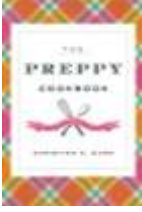

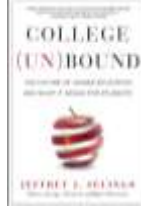
**What do shale gas, Elon Musk’s Tesla, and the global apparel chain Zara share in common?** In *Resource Revolution*, management experts Stefan Heck and Matt Rogers describe how each in its own way exemplifies a resource revolution—a use of natural resources so effective it defies conventional wisdom and enables breakthrough performance where others see only limits and shortcomings.




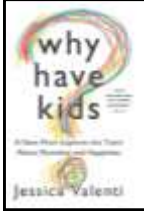
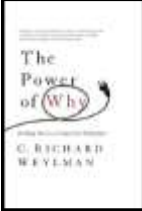
*Resource Revolution* shows how to take what is being seen as a worldwide crisis and turn it into the biggest business opportunity of the past one hundred years. The rapid urbanization of a new 2.5-billion-person middle class in Asia will create an unprecedented demand for oil, steel, land, food, water, cement, and other commodities over the next two decades. Heck and Rogers explore the ways in which innovators, including startups and global leaders from Cree to GE, have answered the challenge with practical steps to guide managers everywhere.





## Backlist Titles

 <p>12/28/2011 <b>52 Small Changes: One Year to a Happier, Healthier You</b> Brett Blumenthal</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Russian, Spanish, Thai</p> <p><i>52 Small Changes</i> addresses all areas of well-being, including nutrition, exercise, stress management, mental wellness, <b>and even the health of one's home environment.</b></p>	 <p>12/28/2010 <b>Get Real and Stop Dieting!</b> Brett Blumenthal</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Vietnamese</p> <p>If you are ready to make a life change for the sake of better health, look no further than this simple, no-frills guide to healthy eating.</p>	 <p>4/16/2013 <b>Hillbilly Heart: A Memoir</b> Billy Ray Cyrus With Tom Gold</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Billy Ray Cyrus is an award-winning country music legend. Now, for the first time, fans can <b>read about Cyrus's tenacious and inspiring struggle</b> to find his own way to faith, family, and the power of music.</p>	 <p>11/20/2012 <b>The 4-Hour Chef: The Simple Path to Cooking Like a Pro, Learning Anything, and Living the Good Life</b> Timothy Ferriss</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Brazilian Portuguese, Complex Chinese, Czech, Finnish, German, Italian, Lithuanian, Polish, Russian</p> <p><i>The 4-Hour Chef</i> isn't just a <b>cookbook. It's a choose-your-own-adventure guide</b> to the world of rapid learning.</p>	 <p>11/5/2013 <b>Buying In</b> Laura Hemphill</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>For fans of <i>Liar's Poker</i> and <i>Den of Thieves</i>, a debut novel about a <b>woman's adventures on Wall Street</b>, and how risking it all for her job turned out to be the right gamble.</p>
 <p>5/14/2013 <b>Walden on Wheels: On the Open Road from Debt to Freedom</b> Ken Ilgunas</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Complex Chinese, Korean</p> <p>In this frank and witty memoir, Ken Ilgunas lays bare the existential terror of graduating from the University of Buffalo with \$32,000 of student debt. Ilgunas set himself an ambitious mission: get out of debt as quickly as possible.</p>	 <p>3/5/2013 <b>The Power of Negative Thinking: An Unconventional Approach to Achieving Positive Results</b> Bob Knight With Bob Hammel</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Brazilian Portuguese, Corporate Library (English), Indonesian, Korean, Polish</p> <p><b>Norman Vincent Peale's <i>The Power of Positive Thinking</i></b> has inspired an optimistic perspective for millions of Americans. Now, in an inspirational and entertaining rebuttal, the legendary basketball coach Bob Knight explains why <b>"negative thinking" will actually produce more positive results.</b></p>	 <p>11/5/2013 <b>Get Big Fast and Do More Good: Start Your Business, Make It Huge, and Change the World</b> Ido Leffler and Lance Kalish</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Russian</p> <p><i>Get Big Fast and Do More Good</i> is a guide to modern entrepreneurship and accelerated brand building from the founders of Yes To Inc, the company behind the breakthrough natural beauty brand Yes to Carrots.</p>	 <p>1/28/2014 <b>The 10 Habits of Highly Successful Women</b> Glynnis MacNicol and Rachel Sklar</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Complex Chinese, Corporate Library</p> <p>This collection of essays reveals the secret career habits and hard-won wisdom of a diverse group of accomplished women, selected by Rachel Sklar and Glynnis MacNicol, co-founders of TheLi.st, the well-known network dedicated to elevating professional women.</p>	 <p>8/28/2012 <b>Outside In: The Power of Putting Customers at the Center of Your Business</b> Harley Manning and Kerry Bodine</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Complex Chinese, Corporate Library (English), Simplified Chinese, Italian</p> <p>In an age when customers have access to vast amounts of data about your company and its competitors, customer experience is the only sustainable source of competitive advantage.</p>
 <p>1/21/2014 <b>Talk Is (Not!) Cheap: The Art of Conversation Leadership</b> Jim McCann</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Corporate Library (English)</p> <p>Jim McCann illustrates how the art of conversation leadership—the process he developed to engage others and create forward momentum in the workplace—can be used to inspire, innovate, and win.</p>	 <p>2/26/2013 <b>Digital Disruption: Unleashing the Next Wave of Innovation</b> James McQuivey</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Corporate Library (English), Italian, Korean, Japanese, Simplified Chinese</p> <p>The barriers to entry in your market just vanished. Unexpected competitors are swarming in. Are you ready?</p>	 <p>8/21/2013 <b>The Preppy Cookbook: Classic Recipes for the Modern Prep</b> Christine E. Nunn</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio</p> <p><i>The Preppy Cookbook</i> will guide you, step by step, in creating a kitchen, and a world, that exemplifies the preppy lifestyle.</p>	 <p>10/8/2013 <b>Women Who Don't Wait in Line: Break the Mold, Lead the Way</b> Reshma Saujani</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Corporate Library (English)</p> <p>Former New York City deputy public advocate and founder of the national nonprofit Girls Who Code, Reshma Saujani argues that aversion to risk and failure is the final hurdle holding women back in the workplace.</p>	 <p>5/7/2013 <b>College (Un)bound: The Future of Higher Education and What It Means for Students</b> Jeffrey J. Seligso</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Korean, Japanese</p> <p>The four-year college experience is as American as apple pie. But with student-loan debt surpassing the \$1 trillion mark and unemployment of college graduates at historic highs, people are beginning to question the value of a college degree.</p>

 <p>7/9/2013  <b>To the Moon and Timbuktu: A Trek Through the Heart of Africa</b>                  Nina Sovich                  Rights Available: All Languages                  Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>This lyrical memoir will transport you to the breathtaking landscapes of West Africa, whose stark beauties will instill wonder in even the most experienced traveler.</p>	 <p>9/17/2013  <b>Make Art Make Money: Lessons from Jim Henson on Fueling Your Creative Career</b>                  Elizabeth Hyde Stevens                  Rights Available: All Languages                  Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Part manifesto, part history, part cultural criticism, part self-help, <i>Make Art Make Money</i> is a new kind of business book for creative professionals: a guide for creating and succeeding thanks to lessons from the Muppet Master himself.</p>	 <p>1/14/2014  <b>The Good Jobs Strategy: How the Smartest Companies Invest in Employees to Lower Costs and Boost Profits</b>                  Zeynep Ton                  Rights Available: All Languages                  Rights Sold: Audio, Corporate Library (English)</p> <p><i>The Good Jobs Strategy</i> outlines an invaluable blueprint for any organization that wants to pursue a sustainable competitive strategy in which everyone—employees, customers, and investors—wins.</p>	 <p>9/4/2012  <b>Why Have Kids?: A New Mom Explores the Truth About Parenting and Happiness</b>                  Jessica Valenti                  Rights Available: All Languages                  Rights Sold: Audio, Brazilian Portuguese, Complex Chinese, Korean, Italian, Spanish</p> <p>In <i>Why Have Kids?</i>, Valenti explores the controversial question through on-the-ground reporting, startling new research, and her own unique experiences as a mom.</p>	 <p>4/23/2013  <b>The Power of Why: Breaking Out In a Competitive Marketplace</b>                  C. Richard Weylman                  Rights Available: All Languages                  Rights Sold: Audio, Complex Chinese, Corporate Library</p> <p>Offering the same actionable, hands-on strategies Weylman has used to help companies of all sizes grow in the toughest conditions, <i>The Power of Why</i> is the new manual for business survival and growth.</p>
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German Language Titles





9/15/2015

**Be As You Are**  
(Sei wie du bist)

Lucinde Hutzenlaub  
**Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Two months have passed since **Frieda's week-long yoga vacation in Thailand for a short respite from her permanently absentee husband and three teenage daughters.**

While at the beginning, Frieda only asks how she can return to her old obligations as soon as possible, more important questions become clear, thanks to this time she has been granted: Who is she really? Who does she want to be in the future? Is it possible to fall in love a second time with her own husband, or should she simply draw the line and find a new beginning?



6/17/2014

**Carp & Co.**  
(Karpfen & Co.)

Frieda Lambert  
**Contemporary Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German)

In this suspenseful romance, a woman dealing with partial memory loss finds herself in a web of lies.

After an automobile accident, thirty-seven-year-old Anna Scheffler finds herself suffering from partial memory loss. Luckily, she still recognizes her husband, Frank, and knows that she works as an editor for a gourmet publisher. However, she has no memory of the months leading up to the accident.

As Anna works to recover her lost memories, she finds herself caught in a web of deception. Who can she still trust?



8/5/2014

**Drawn to Life**  
(Bring mich heim)

Elisabeth Wagner  
**Contemporary Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

A beautiful story of resilience and discovery.

Mia Lang always thought she could brave any storm, until a frightening turn of fate caused her to lose everything she once held dear—her best friend, her boyfriend, her career, and even her desire to live.

Hoping to heal her scars and find the will to face the world again, Mia embarks on an adventure across Europe by train. But when she meets Samuel Winter—on the run from his own troubled past—her whole world is turned upside down once more. Perhaps this time, though, the pieces will fall where they're meant to.



8/12/2014

**Mothers, Daughters, and Other Crises**  
(Mütter, Töchter und andere Krisen)

Brigitte Teufl-Heimhilcher  
**Contemporary Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German)

In this lovable but chaotic family, sometimes fact is stranger than fiction.

Annette is a businesswoman who loves her villa, company, and family . . . in that order. Or so thinks her daughter, Monika, who has dedicated herself to family. However, when Monika discovers her husband, Udo, is having an affair, she moves into her mother's villa with her daughter.

Annette, ever the savvy CEO, promptly names Udo as her successor in the firm. Sparks fly when Monika learns of Annette's decision . . .



9/9/2014

**Sea Air**  
(Single, alleinerziehend . . . und dann auch noch Seeluft!)

Jule Meeringa  
**Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Rights Sold: English

Between raising her seven-year-old daughter and maintaining her job, single mom Nele needs a break. When friends offer to take her daughter, Paula, on vacation with them, it's the perfect opportunity for Nele to have an adventure of her own.

Nele's track record with men is bleak, so when she goes on a North Sea getaway, the last thing she expects is romance. But that's what she finds in the beguiling Mathis, a man twenty-five years her senior. Like Nele, Mathis longs to break free from the ordinary. But are their circumstances too complicated to allow a future together?



9/16/2014

**What Remains at the End**  
(Was am Ende noch so bleibt)

Babsy Tom  
**Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Beate has had enough: she is living in a marriage that for a long time now hasn't really been one.

For precisely 365 days, she has been depressingly certain that Martin is secretly betraying her with Susanne. After a year of tolerating the situation and hoping vainly for her own personal happy ending, she realizes that nothing changes by itself. She leaves her safe haven, which is no longer that in any case, and rings her rival's doorbell.

What Beate doesn't know—unlike everyone else involved—is that her husband's lover is guarding a tragic secret . . .



10/21/2014

**The Scent of Lavender**  
(Lavendelstürme)

Margot S. Baumann  
**Women's Fiction**

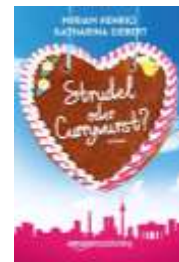
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Rights Sold: English

Saskia Wagner's life has become unhinged. The twenty-seven-year-old journalist was sacked from her job; and ever since, her partner, David, has been behaving like a petty dictator.

Always one to make quick decisions, Saskia applies for a summer job in the small Provençal village of Beaumes-de-Venise, and soon finds herself at the local railway station waiting for Jean-Luc Rougeon, her future employer.

At first sight, the handsome Jean-Luc makes the otherwise self-assured Saskia feel rather shy . . .



4/7/2015

**Strudel or Curry Sausage**  
(Strudel oder Currywurst)

Miriam Henric  
**Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Ria, the thirty-five-year-old exile from Bavaria, has fulfilled her dream of having her own fashion label in Berlin.

She enjoys her wild single life to the fullest and really wants to know nothing about love. Especially not from her new neighbor, Ferdinand, the Bavarian innkeeper with the two terrible boys. Still, it's nice that he keeps an intrusive host away from her at a party. He also helps her in many other troublesome situations.

Could this guy, who does not even want to be the object of her affections, perhaps be right for her in the end?





10/14/2014

### Shuttered Life (Der Duft von Bergamotte)

Florentine Roth

**Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

When her uncle suffers a heart attack, young Berlin photographer Elisa Westphal returns to her family home in Düsseldorf for the first time in many years.

Relations have been strained ever since her father's death, and Elisa finds the reunion desperately uncomfortable. It's all made worse by the clash between her liberal big-city ways and the rigid formality of life at the family manor. It seems that everyone in town is behaving oddly, even her childhood crush. Is it simply old tensions reemerging, or is something more sinister at play?



5/20/2014

### Forget Love (Liebesvergessen)

Babsy Tom

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Rights Sold: English

A frothy and fast-paced comedy that reveals the many quirks of the human heart.

When Penny Plage wakes up in the hospital, she has no idea who she is, where she is, how she got there—or even which man she loves. Does she belong with Tom, her aloof but disarmingly attractive artist ex-husband with whom she still shares a house and a dog? Or is she in love with George, her handsome boss in the designer suit who would do anything for her? As Penny begins to piece together her past with the help of her devoted BFFs, she discovers that she has a once-in-a-lifetime chance to begin anew.



7/8/2014

### The Man in the Neighbor's Garden (Der Mann in Nachbars Garten)

Elke Becker

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

For a few weeks, Eva has been living her dream career in London as a graphic artist. Suddenly, her friend Sascha confronts her with the fact that he will not be following her to the British metropolis. He is leaving her cold.

When her parents need her help following an accident, she has to go back to the village of her childhood days so that she can take care of her father. By returning home, however, Eva is risking not only her dream job, but also her heart . . .



6/23/2015

### Remember (Remember)

Izabelle Jardin

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Nestled in the fateful story of two families, Izabelle Jardin has written a novel about great love: sensual, romantic, and full of dramatic twists until the end.

Leah has a very precise idea of the perfect man. She wants something special!

When Connor Breckwohld, the junior boss of a big German shipping line, enters the store, it happens for her. A look, a date, a first kiss.

And a realization:

He is about to marry someone else.



8/19/2014

### See You in San Remo (Wiedersehen in San Remo)

Joleen Carter

**Contemporary Women's Fiction**

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Nadine, forty-five years old and divorced, lives a totally normal life in Hanover until the day her boss sends her on a business trip to Strasbourg.

On the train, a pain she had thought long forgotten makes her relive 1982 again. She was fourteen then, and Maurice was her first great love. A great love that ended unhappily. But now she sets off in search of him. Will her hopes of a renewed encounter be fulfilled?



6/17/2014

### New York for Beginners (New York für Anfängerinnen)

Susann Remke

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

From the New York bureau chief of *FOCUS* magazine comes a fun and flirty story of finding a new start, and a new love, in New York. Complete with travel tips.

Fashion blogger Zoe Schuhmacher lives a comfortable life in Berlin. Until her dream guy dumps her for a younger version. Time for a change. **Men were yesterday; now it's time to focus on her career.**

When she receives a job offer for a position in New York, she doesn't hesitate to head to the city that never sleeps—and which follows its own rules.



10/7/2014

### Love Is Pink (Liebe macht pink!)

Roxann Hill

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Michelle has everything: good looks, a great job, a fancy apartment, and cash to burn. She also has a dream boyfriend. **If only there weren't this tiny snag: Valentin's wife.**

Valentin promised Michelle that as soon as his children were grown, he would leave his marriage to be with her. But when the time comes, Valentin chooses his wife, leaving Michelle stranded in the French Alps. Through a series of mishaps, Michelle finds herself lost and without a way back to Berlin. During her journey, Michelle redefines what love is, and wonders whether it might truly be pink.



10/21/2014

### Learn to Fly (Learn to Fly)

Ramona Seidl

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Sophie has everything you could want in life—she grew up in a well-to-do family, was always supported by her parents, and is loved by her boyfriend, Daniel. Her life is perfect. Or so she thinks.

Right until the moment when Nick bursts in on her Italian holiday. From the very first instant, he has only one thing on his mind: he wants to spend the night with her. And Sophie very soon realizes that it is not at all easy to resist him . . .

## Wyoming Love Stories



2/17/2015

**I Miss You****(Miss you - Ohne dich)**

Steffi Hege

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

***I Miss You is a book about guilt, loss, forgiveness, courage and, finally, true love.***

Since twenty-three-year-old Nathalie Simon rashly canceled her stay in the US as an au pair almost four years ago, her life has completely changed.

After the loss of her great love Jake, who was part of her life in the States, and the traumatic experience of having almost caused the death of a child, Nathalie slid into a world full of self-doubt and depression. It was not until years later, when Jake came back into her life, that Nathalie began to come to terms with her traumatic experiences and find herself on the way back.

By her side is her best friend, Emily; and Jennifer, her twin sister, to whom she can gradually open up to again. But what purpose does Jake serve? Can Nathalie still trust him after all that has happened?



2/24/2015

**I Need You****(Need You - Ich brauche dich)**

Steffi Hege

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

***Emily Ruther quickly learns that one must work hard to earn someone's trust when she meets the withdrawn Luke.***

**She already had a confusing encounter with him at her friend Nathalie's wedding. But when Emily decides to escape her life in Germany for a few months by visiting Nathalie in the United States, she meets and inevitably gets closer to the seductive womanizer.**

She quickly realizes that he hides much more behind his rough exterior, and that Luke himself has a secret.

But when she has to fight not only for his love, but also his life, Emily has to wonder if she and Luke are really made for each other . . .



3/3/2015

**I Hold You****(Hold you - Ich fang dich auf)**

Steffi Hege

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

***Lia Bennet is stunned when she learns that her ex-boyfriend will soon be released from prison. She was ultimately the driving force that put him behind bars.***

Driven by her fear, Lia takes lessons in self-defense from Jayden, a stranger who was formerly in the Marines. Looking for protection, Lia falls in love with him.

But this man does not allow her to get close to him.

Even though the young woman is fascinated by him, begins to come to life near him, and throws off the burden of her past, Jayden is still too much shaped by his own experience to let himself fall for her. Everything already seems to be lost when he finally realizes that Lia is the love of his life. Jayden is determined to fight for his love, **even if doing so forces him to stand up to Lia's suspicious brothers, Blake and Luke.**



12/9/2014

### A Neighborly Affair (Nachbarschafts-Verhältnis)

Johanna Danninger

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

At a relatively young age, Susanne successfully runs her **parents' estate agent business**, while they enjoy early retirement in Spain.

When the woman next door dies, the job of selling her house is given to **Susanne's main business rival, her ex-boyfriend Rene**. Jan, her new **neighbor, gets on Susanne's nerves** from the very beginning—although on the other hand, he is very good-looking. After a wild party, Susanne **wakes up in bed in her neighbor's** house. Not only does she feel her ankle aching violently, but she has no idea just how close the two of them have become . . .



1/27/2015

### Jeanes Secret (Jeanes Geheimnis)

Greta Milán

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

As Matthew begins his new job as creative director in the London advertising agency Anderson & Partners, he has no idea that a little later he will meet a woman he has already encountered a year before.

But instead of a passionate stranger, he is now facing the disciplined Jeane Catrall—who, to make matters worse, is also his manager. Only their eyes testify that there is something more hiding behind the cool facade than meets the eye. Since the attraction between them is still unbroken, Matt makes every effort to get closer to Jeane.



3/24/2015

### Heart Palpitations and Cold Feet (Herzklopfen und kalte Füße)

Frieda Lamberti

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

On a day full of failures, bad luck, and mishaps, the twenty-seven-year-old product designer Rebecca Wagner unexpectedly meets the womanizer Veit Peterson.

It is clear after her first impression of him that she cannot stand him. Unemployed and completely burned out, Becca moves out of the Black Forest for a permanent position in Hamburg, only to learn that she will work for this man. Quickly, she has to admit that Veit is not only a great boss, but also the long-awaited man of her dreams. Too bad that he intends to marry another woman.



4/14/2015

### It Must Be Two (Zwei müssen es sein)

M. L. Busch

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Cara—young, beautiful, and married to a very conniving brute named Armando—is on the run. She is running from her own husband.

He is determined to get not only her, but also the inheritance of his four-year-old daughter. He will use any means he can, and is prepared to put everything on the line. But then Cara gets some unexpected help from Joe, **an attractive male model**. Will Joe's love be enough to protect Cara from her unscrupulous husband? What path should she take, and how can she really escape Armando?



4/21/2015

### Gavin: Pure Passion (Gavin: Pure Leidenschaft)

Drucie Anne Taylor

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: English

Madeleine Dubois is a dancer who is chronically broke.

She dances at tournaments with her ex-boyfriend, but the prize money never lasts for long. As luck brings them into the fold of the successful dance show *Celebrity Dance Hall* and she must dance with Gavin McLeod, the lead singer of the successful boy band Downstairs Alley, the sparks fly between them, and not only on the dance floor.

But Madeleine knows that relationships with men like him bring risks that she wants to avoid at all costs . . .



5/19/2015

### Love Is a Camel (Die Liebe ist ein Trampeltier)

Ina Straubing

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Charming, dreamy, and wonderfully chaotic: this is Elin Mattson, the sympathetic heroine of this refreshing chick-lit novel.

Uppsala, Sweden: Elin is in her late twenties, works as a freelance designer, and could actually count herself as quite happy. Happy with herself, her life, and love. After all, she has just moved in with her boyfriend, Tomas. However, her perfect world collapses when she unexpectedly comes home one night and catches her boyfriend with someone else—in bed!



5/26/2015

### Emerald Star (Smaragdsterne)

Lisa Torberg

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Susan, ravishingly beautiful and ice-cold, lives in her hometown of London.

Being hit hard by fate, she avoids dealing with people. The only thing that matters to her is her career. She thus accepts an assignment from her boss and flies to Sardinia, where she will preside over the sale of local luxury resorts. The only condition is to work closely with the hotel manager. Unfortunately, Mario is superficial, cynical, and self-satisfied, treats her condescendingly, and introduces her to the staff only when convenient to him. Susan had already decided to fire this arrogant creep. But fate had other plans . . .



5/13/2014

### Hearts Aflutter (Vorhofflimmern)

Johanna Danninger

Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

An authentic voice, hilarious dialogue, big emotions, and likable characters make *Hearts Aflutter* a sweet and snappy read.

If Lena has learned anything in life, **then it's this: handsome men are good for nothing**. In her opinion, the same goes for Desiderio, an attractive doctor who seems to be fixated on conquering her heart. His charm wears down her resolve, and his persistence begins to have serious effects on her normally stable heart rhythm. But is he just in it for the chase, or is he actually looking to commit?



2/24/2015

### The Magical Line (Die Zauberlinie)

Christian Zeitmann  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Eternal love. Does it really exist? Do we only live in the here and now? What makes up our lives?

The love between Bjarne and Antonia is something special.

But can they also overcome the limitations of human existence? "The gamble of love," Grandpa said again and looked to the horizon.

"Go for it, my boy. It is the only thing in this world that's worth anything."

Caught between this world and the next, Bjarne must take a gamble on himself . . .



6/3/2014

### The Second Time Around (In zweiter Instanz)

Marleen Reichenberg  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Love, justice, and laughs unite in this legal romantic comedy.

Alexandra Wendland is completely focused on her job as an attorney. **After two failed relationships, she's** ready to wash her hands of all affairs of the heart. But when she meets the kind and caring Patrick under extreme circumstances, her resolve falters. Unendingly grateful and reluctantly fascinated by him, Alex finds herself wanting to get to know him better. Unfortunately for Alex, **it just so happens that she's also the** newly retained divorce lawyer of **Patrick's estranged wife, thus** forfeiting all chances of even a courteous relationship with him . . .



6/3/2014

### Sound of the Tide (Klang der Gezeiten)

Emily Bold  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

When the love of her life, and the father of her unborn child, **dies unexpectedly, Piper's** world collapses.

In an ill-advised attempt to keep his memory alive, she moves into their dream home—the one that Daniel was working on when he died. Alone and grieving, Piper struggles to carry on and to pull herself out of her spiraling depression in time for the birth of their baby. When Kevin, **Daniel's best friend, offers his** support and confesses a long-held love for her, Piper must ask herself some hard questions. Will she learn to love again?



8/12/2014

### Shades of White (Mias Schatten)

Ki-Ela Stories  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

After spending eight years in a state-run home for girls, Mia is finally on her own. So she hits the road, determined to see the world that was always beyond her reach. But a chance encounter turns her journey into a shared adventure.

The privileged son of a successful lawyer, Levin is taking a break after **grad school to travel in his parents'** vintage camper. When he sees Mia hitchhiking at a rest stop in Germany, he feels compelled to pick her up before she risks taking the wrong ride . . .

Will their newfound freedom—and their love—survive?



10/28/2014

### In Love with a Gentleman (Verliebt in einen Gentleman)

Elisa Ellen  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Rights Sold: English

When fun-loving Lea travels to the little English village of Gatingstone for her year **abroad, she doesn't realize she's** about to meet her absolute dream man there.

Ethan Derby is a real gentleman who completely embodies her ideal, Mr. Darcy. But gradually Lea senses that she is being transformed under his influence, and that the pathway to her great love is much stonier than she could initially have suspected.



11/4/2014

### Breakfast Included (Frühstück inklusive)

Frieda Lamberti  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Edda Fischer is looking for a home in Hamburg.

Her partner, Achim, gave her exactly seven days to leave his house and to look for a new home, which is simply impossible in the Hanseatic city.

Edda is drawn to her sister Pia in the Lüneburg Heath. While Pia is fed up with the heathlands and megaliths and would gladly accept a job offer with a Parisian gallery, Edda finds more and more pleasure in a romantic country life.

**In reality, Edda's new life is anything** but idyllic. But she does not give up.



11/25/2014

### November Sky (Novemberhimmel)

Marleen Reichenberg  
Contemporary Romance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Rights Sold: English

After a humiliating deception that she believed had left her permanently scarred, **Laura thought she'd never love again. She'd finally come to terms with** her quiet, predictable life—that is, until she met charismatic actor Nick, who rekindled her faith in men.

Despite initial doubts, Laura begins to let Nick in. But as she learns to **trust again, she's surprised to find** that he's not always the cheerful, confident man he appears to be when the cameras are rolling . . .



12/2/2014

### Kira's Cruise (Kiras Kreuzfahrt)

Elisa Ellen  
Contemporary Romance

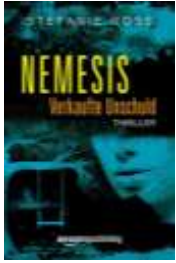
Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**Kira's world has collapsed:** Tom, with whom she has been together longer than she can remember, breaks up with her.

To top it all off, her sorrow causes her voice to fail—literally. A disaster for the aspiring singer.

**The first attempts of Kira's older** sister, Felicitas, to help her with her crises fail miserably. Felicitas then resorts to a more radical measure: As head of a major travel agency, she would like to test a new cruise ship in a trip around the Canary Islands. She decides to send Kira in her place.





1/27/2015

### Nemesis (Nemesis)

Stefanie Ross  
Romantic Suspense

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: English

Sandra Meinke, Criminal Commissioner for the Hamburg police, has the feeling that she's been put on the sidelines.

Her current job is unsatisfactory, her boss is a disaster. In addition, no one takes her theory regarding a professional child-trafficking ring seriously.

Daniel Eddings, member of the Navy SEALs American Special Forces, is the first to believe Sandra. Together, they find evidence that corroborates Sandra's theory, but they also find resistance within their own ranks.



1/20/2015

### The Death of the Blue Flower (Der Tod der blauen Blume)

Roxann Hill  
Romantic Suspense

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Always an outsider, Alicia leads a lonely life as a nursing assistant at a rehabilitation clinic outside of Munich.

Until she meets Miriam Morgenroth, an eighty-four-year-old patient and co-owner of a private bank. The two women become fast friends.

When Miriam goes missing without a trace, Alicia believes there may have been foul play. She enlists the help of another patient, a former homicide detective, to pursue the case. As they unravel the clues of Miriam's disappearance, they uncover a conspiracy that reaches back to the Nazi era.



2/10/2015

### Beloved Enemy (Geliebter Feind)

Montana C. Drake  
Romantic Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

The life of American doctor Samantha O'Neal is suddenly thrown out of joint when one night five heavily armed Arabs show up in the hospital emergency room and demand medical care.

In order not to jeopardize their escape, and to ensure the care of their injuries, they take Samantha hostage and abduct her to Yemen. Only the enigmatic Abdul, one of the kidnapers to whom she is mysteriously attracted, stands by her side. But is a future with a terrorist even possible?



4/28/2015

### Desert Grave: Tom Ford (Wüstengrab: Tom Ford)

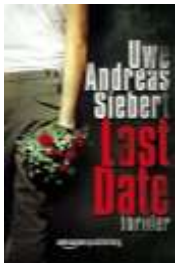
Salim Güler  
Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Miraculously, a man is found and rescued by German tourists in the Las Vegas desert.

He does not know who he is or why he was buried alive in the desert. Only the contents of his pockets provide some clues about his person. The memories come back in fragments, and the deeper he digs into his past, the more dangerous it becomes for him.

The Dillinger clan, a Mafia family in Vegas, is after him. As if this was not enough, he soon learns that he is wanted in the US for murder.



11/11/2014

### Last Date (Last Date)

Uwe Andreas Sieber  
Serial Killers

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Her cries of pain were stifled. With her eyes turned way up, her throat threatened to burst, since no sound could get through the tape . . .

Brutally tortured corpses of young women keep turning up in Kassel Göttingen and Fulda. The nature of their injuries leaves no doubt as to the fact that the perpetrator is a serial killer. The investigative teams have to arduously compare notes in order to finally realize what all of the victims have in common. All of the women murdered had subscribed to an online dating site. Fitness trainer Adrian from Kassel becomes the main suspect.



8/19/2014

### Repent (Bereue)

Lisa Fink  
Psychological Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

When Munich businessman Ben Biller receives a mysterious note on his thirty-eighth birthday demanding that he repent for his sins by committing suicide, he dismisses it as a cruel joke.

But when his life begins to unravel—he loses his dog, his girlfriend, his job, and his house in quick succession—he suspects that it's more than a joke: someone is attempting to systematically destroy him. Desperate and alienated, he turns to Annelie, his old flame. But just as he sees the light at the end of the tunnel, he discovers that his tormenter isn't done with him yet.



7/22/2014

### Dead Woods (Mordswald)

M. C. Poets  
Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

The body of thirty-four-year-old software developer Philip Birkner is found in the forest.

Tracks at the scene of the crime point to several possible killers. Lina Svenson and Max Berg of the Hamburg Homicide Division investigate and soon discover more than one dark secret in the dead man's past . . .



11/11/2014

### Daryl (Stumme laute Schreie)

Marion Schreiner  
Psychological Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Daryl is only ten years old when he finds his father's hanged body in the attic.

Later, his mother makes every effort to provide a normal life for him and his brother Joe, but Daryl has a dark feeling that the death of his father will result in many terrible events. And he is proved right.

Child-hater Jason Brightfull arrives on the scene, and Daryl makes the acquaintance of the man who will murder his mother . . .





12/9/2014

### In the Beginning Was Silence (Am Anfang war die Stille)

Leonie Haubrich  
Psychological Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

When she is accused of **murdering her daughter, Nele's** life spirals out of control.

Nele's marriage breaks up, she loses her freedom and her social status, and she becomes the hunted. A battle for her child, her credibility, and her old existence begins.



12/9/2014

### Terminal (Die Flockenleserin)

Mike Powelz  
Psychological Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

A murderer who comes by night when everyone is asleep . . . A cat that can smell death . . . Twelve people who fear for their lives . . .

Welcome to Hell House—a hospice with two faces. By day it's bright and friendly. After all, the house lies in the heart of Berlin's big-city pleasure district—surrounded by nightclubs, sex shops, and theaters. This all changes when darkness falls: by night, an eerie old man-child flits through the corridors.



6/2/2015

### My Sister's Mirror (Der Spiegel meiner Schwester)

Alex Turow  
Psychological Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Samantha is young, beautiful, and intelligent. But the aspiring physician leads a double life and seeks quick and anonymous sex.

That is, until she meets Max one evening at a bar and she almost loses her life. This is because Max is a serial killer, and Sam barely manages to escape him.

Years later, Sam leads an orderly and unsophisticated life with her boring husband in an American backwater, and now her youthful transgressions seem to have caught up with her. A new series of murders begins, and for Sam, nothing is as it was.



7/28/2015

### Cracked Ice (Rissiges Eis)

Axel Hollmann  
Psychological Thriller

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Twenty-six-year-old student **Lea Kopp can't recall the events of** recent weeks, after she was rescued half-dead from the icy waters of the Spree in Berlin.

Psychiatrist Dr. Buchholz concludes that it was an attempted suicide. Once back home, Lea cannot cope with daily life.

Vince, a young entrepreneur who presents himself to her as her friend, appears to be a stranger to Lea. Isabelle, her best friend, is missing after a heated argument—an argument that Lea does not remember.



11/11/2014

### A Big Catch for Greetsiel (Granat für Greetsiel)

Dirk Trost  
Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

As the former lawyer Jan de Fries sails out into the North Sea on a crab-fishing expedition with his friends Uz and Onno, he has no inkling that only a few hours later he will be staring into the empty eye sockets of a dead woman.

Detectives Hahn and Mackensen are convinced from the start that the victim lost her life in a sailing accident. Jan and Eva Ehrlich, the **dead woman's sisters, are convinced** that it is a case of murder.

Stay tuned for the sequel, which will be released in Spring 2015!



2/10/2015

### The Pergamon Affair (Die Pergamon-Affäre)

Falko Rademacher  
Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio (German)

Special Agent Wesley Tucker has only been working with the US Diplomatic Security Service for a few months, and he already has his first assignment abroad—in Berlin.

His German roots help him with his tasks, initially consisting of only simple routines. But then a murder investigation is transferred to him: an American citizen has been brutally slaughtered. Tucker careens straight into a confused affair full of dark symbols and rituals. The trail leads into the heart of the German capital, to a murderous conspiracy, and a two-thousand-year-old myth about the **“throne of Satan.”**



2/10/2015

### Illusion (Täuschung)

Salim Güler  
Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

**“Terror alert in Germany!”** In Frankfurt, Berlin, and Cologne, three suicide bombers blow themselves sky high at the same time, and hundreds of people die.

It is believed that the bombers have links to Islamist terrorists from Al Qaeda or ISIS. Investigating under pressure, Ansgar David from the Federal Criminal Police Office and his colleagues fear that more attacks are planned. However, as Ansgar finds out more about the true nature of the attacks, he himself becomes the focus of the assassins and suddenly fears for his life.



2/17/2015

### World of Illusion (Scheinwelt)

Michael Linnemann  
Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

When one of their colleagues is kidnapped, the young BKA officer Jennifer Dach and her new partner, Arnold Schleiser, immediately start an investigation.

They discover that their colleague is to be used to pressure them. The kidnapper wants to force them to provide him with certain information. But to get this information, the two will have to question a convicted murderer, who would never dream of cooperating with them. **To save her colleague's** life, Jennifer starts to use questionable methods that could end up being her undoing . . .

## A Case for Nathan O'Brien



11/11/2014

The Death Sisters  
(Todesschwestern)

Arwyn Yale

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio**The press called them “The Death Sisters.”**

Noelle and Joss were sixteen and seventeen when they decided to jointly commit suicide.

Only Joss survived.

A year later, she has disappeared without a trace.

**Private detective Nathan O'Brien wants to find the unstable girl.**

First, this seems to be a typical search for a runaway teenager. However, it soon becomes clear that nothing in this case is typical, because Joss is pursuing a murderous goal.



2/17/2015

Be My Death  
(Sei mein Tod)

Arwyn Yale

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Kayley Dugall is known to the police as a runaway.

When she disappears again, the police do not take the matter seriously; she had only recently announced that she had planned to run away again in the presence of several police officers.

**It is clear to private detective Nathan O'Brien that Kayley is in great danger** when he finds songs lyrics that lead to a kidnapping case in 1991 on her laptop.

At that time, twelve-year-old Samantha Slater had been in the hands of a kidnapper for over a year, whose identity she was too afraid to reveal. Nathan reaches the end of his rope during his investigations when they begin to endanger his own family . . .

## Amman &amp; Pretorius Series



12/16/2014

The Return of the Dead  
Girls  
(Die Rückkehr der toten  
Mädchen)

Tom Dehlin

Hard Boiled

Rights Available: All Languages,  
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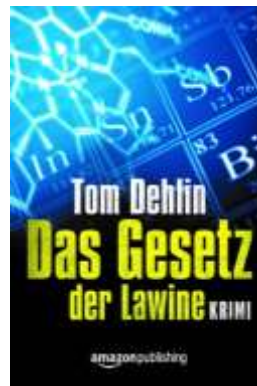
Mindenbruch is a village like many others: one road, just five hundred inhabitants—and two girls who disappeared a year before, reappearing seemingly unharmed, as if nothing had happened. Then a third disappears . . .

The police are strangely reluctant, until a man in blue breaks rank and begins to act on his own.

Something is afoot. He has help coming from the peculiar Ludwig Amman and Dora Pretorius.

Amman, who resigned from the police force due to a traumatic disturbance, and Pretorius, who has been suspended from duty, try to shed some light on these incidents—and they have no idea about the **wasp's nest they are about to uncover.**

Four mysterious deaths that happened over a quarter of a century ago seem to play a role, a doctor appears to be hiding something, and the two girls who have just returned home suddenly begin acting strangely . . .



12/16/2014

The Law of the Avalanche  
(Das Gesetz der Lawine)

Tom Dehlin

Hard Boiled

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

**Tom Dehlin's next work after the success of *The Return of the Dead Girls* ups the ante, with the author's signature mix of action and reflection, humor and horror.**

**Falling asleep at the kitchen table in sweltering heat isn't anything out of the ordinary.** However, upon waking, the world is a different, mysterious, and threatening place.

Someone made a snowball and let it roll downhill, the snowball getting bigger and bigger, finally becoming an avalanche that devours and destroys everything.

Until it becomes quiet and rests like a shroud over everyone.

**Idyllic and harmless, untarnished and peaceful, Amman and Pretorius's second case soon became turbulent.** A vacant villa, a missing woman, a student in love, and some two-bit crooks with bullet holes in their heads—it will take time for the investigators to discover the context, time that they do not have . . .

## Crime Scene: Lübeck Series



10/20/2015

Murder §78

(Mord §78)

Salim Güler

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Two people are brutally murdered in idyllic Pansdorf, a small town in East Holstein.

While Arndt Schumacher and Elke Henschel from the Lübeck homicide division keep investigating, the killings continue. In their investigation, they encounter a wall of silence, and only the culprit seems to leave them notes in the form of disfigured corpses.

Is the perpetrator really leaving notes in the form of ritualistic murders, or is he playing a perverse game with the police? What dark secret is the village concealing?

The closer Arndt and Elke are to discovering the secret, the more dangerous it becomes for them. Until they themselves become the targets! Nothing is more ruthless than the truth!



10/20/2015

Fallen Silent

(Verstummt)

Salim Güler

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

*Fallen Silent* is chock-full of breathtaking suspense, with a surprise ending.

**“When I came to my senses, I was lying on the ground, badly injured.”** The body of fourteen-year-old Philip is found in a Lübeck Park.

The criminal investigation by Arndt Schumacher and Elke Henschel is conducted in response to a sex crime. But they soon learn that the child molester Walter Danz, whom Arndt arrested six years ago because of the abuse of four children, has recently been at large.

Arndt makes every effort to convict him of murder as quickly as possible, and is even willing to break the law. But what does a slip of paper from the end of World War II, on which a Jewish girl related the brutal murder of her family, have to do with the current murder case?



10/20/2015

Sebastian

(Sebastian)

Salim Güler

Police Procedural

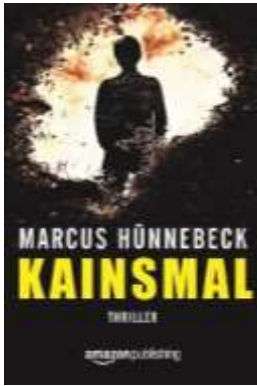
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**“How far would you go to save your kidnapped child?”** Arndt Schumacher, commissioner of the Lübeck homicide division, would go far, further than he ever thought possible.

Even further than what the law allows the police to do.

But in the end, he is a loving family man who will do anything to rescue his son from the clutches of kidnapers. And as a police officer, he knows that time is running out. Can he save Sebastian, or must he bury his own son?

Stay tuned for the fourth book in the series, which will be released in Fall 2015!



6/24/2014

### Mark of Cain (Kainsmal)

Marcus Hünnebeck

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Working for the police had criminal psychologist Christian Moll losing so much sleep that, despite years of successfully helping investigators unwind the twisted minds of murderers, he decided to call it quits. But when a disturbing pattern in recent cases begins to emerge, he chooses to postpone his self-imposed retirement in order to help out an old flame.

Detective Katharina Rosenberg has a new case and a new cop killer on the run. When two colleagues are murdered in rapid succession, a shocking theory emerges: Is someone killing off the detectives Christian worked alongside solving homicide cases? And is Katharina next?

Now, Katharina and Christian must team up once again to catch the **murderer before it's too late. With their buried passion rising to the surface, they give in to their desires while racing against time to find the vengeful cop killer before he finds them.**

## Lady Jane Mystery



12/16/2014

### The Girl at Rosewood Hall (Die Tote von Rosewood Hall)

Annis Bell

Historical Mystery

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Wiltshire 1860: Lord Henry Pembroke has gone to a great deal of trouble to arrange a ball at Rosewood Hall for his beloved niece, Lady Jane.

The guest list includes the most eligible bachelors of London society, because Lord Henry, threatened by illness, would like to secure the future of his niece, who is more than a daughter to him. But the evening turns out very differently than planned . . .

A badly wounded girl staggers through the park of Rosewood Hall on the wintry evening of the ball, to be discovered by Lady Jane. Jane, an unconventional and exceedingly self-possessed young woman, shelters her in the conservatory. With her dying breath, the girl begs Jane to find her friend Mary and save her from a dreadful fate. The misfortunes of the tortured creature move Jane deeply, and she promises to help her. Jane finds unexpected support from Captain Wescott, a rather silent and somber man, but not entirely unattractive.

## The Jan Tommen Thrillers



5/13/2014

### Until the Debt Is Paid (Bis alle Schuld beglichen)

Alexander Hartung

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

Berlin detective Jan Tommen expected to wake up with a hangover—not a murder charge. But a well-known judge has been brutally killed, and hard evidence places Jan at the **crime scene. When disturbing gaps in Jan's memory make finding an alibi impossible, the case against him looks open and shut.**

Faced with life on the inside, Jan flees police custody to take refuge with an old friend deeply enmeshed in the capital's seedy underworld. Hampered by a citywide manhunt, Jan soon finds that investigating leads while eluding capture isn't easy. Before long, he's relying on a team of misfits for help, including an icy-blond medical examiner and a brilliant but reclusive computer whiz.

When a lucky break leads Jan to connect the murders to a heinous trafficking ring, the team risks it all to find answers. Meanwhile, the body count continues to rise, and the police department starts to close in. Desperate to prove his innocence, Jan must identify the true killer—before his time finally runs out.



7/15/2014

### Before Your Grave (Vor deinem Grab)

Alexander Hartung

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

After clearing his name in *Until the Debt Is Paid*, Jan Tommen and his motley crew of sidekicks are back for a second case.

A series of murders shocks Berlin, all of which follow the same pattern: **an open grave with the next victim's name and the impending day of this person's death. Police officer Jan Tommen and his team are on the case. They need to locate the next victim and determine the common thread to stay one step ahead of the killer. It's a race against the clock, and the case requires the skills of all team members.**





3/3/2015

### The Women's Chamber (Die Frauenkammer)

Jannes C. Cramer

Police Procedural

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

**A woman's body is found in a remote, abandoned part of the city.**

As the investigations provide no useful traces, the case is shelved until it is reopened a few weeks later when a second death provides unanswered questions. A tragic accident or another murder? It quickly appears that there seems to be a connection between the two cases.

Tedious investigative work begins for Commissioner Frank Holper, for which he soon receives assistance from an external consultant. This soon proves to be a fatal error . . .



12/9/2014

### Svarogia (Svarogia)

Ralf Wolfstädter

Dystopian

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

**Initially, environmental activist David Wagner just wanted to sabotage the field trial of the Russian Svarogia conglomerate, which used genetically modified wheat seeds.**

But when he obtains stolen documents for further company projects from fellow hacker Arabi, he finds himself in the midst of a conspiracy that goes far beyond the use of genetically modified seeds. In searching for the truth, he gets gradually dragged into a world in which shareholders determine the direction of scientific research, and a contract killer wants to prevent the publication of the stolen documents using any means necessary.



3/3/2015

### I Am Single, Kalimera (Ich bin Single, Kalimera)

Friedrich Kalpenstein

Humor

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

**Summer, sun, beach, sea. How does one survive as a single person in a family hotel?**

Herbert is bourgeois by conviction, mid-thirties, Bavarian. Just like every year, Herbert is traveling on vacation in the south. He faces this challenge equipped with a healthy dose of self-confidence and perseverance.

For Herbert knows from experience that vacations can be stressful too—especially if you are traveling alone. Did Herbert finish his holiday as a bachelor? This is a humorous novel for both men and women.



6/16/2015

### Like Champagne (Wie Champagner)

Friedrich Kalpenstein

Humor

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

**Good-bye, single life. At the end of his vacation in Rhodes, Herbert has again met his childhood sweetheart Anja.**

**Now he's floating on cloud nine, for this random reunion was just the beginning. Soon the two have an apartment in the middle of Schwabing. Herbert's new life would be perfect if not for Anja's ex, who stubbornly refuses to concede that he has lost Anja forever. Anja's parents also dislike their daughter's choice.**

The young couple is on unsure footing. This is a humorous novel for both men and women.



7/8/2014

### Empire of Fear (Imperium der Angst)

Daniel Dersch

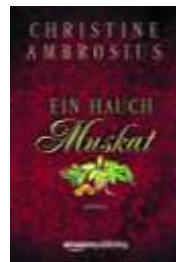
Horror

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German)

**From German bestselling author Daniel Dersch comes a new horror-thriller about the end of the world.**

When two stargazing brothers find a small, helpless creature in the woods, they bring it home to care for it, and in doing so thwart the efforts of an investigator from the Vatican, as well as a local sheriff on the path of a serial killer. As a strange chain of events begins to unfold, the brothers realize that perhaps the creature they brought home is not nearly as innocent as they thought.



11/18/2014

### A Pinch of Nutmeg (Ein Hauch Muskat)

Christine Ambrosius

Historical Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

**In 1530, kitchen boy Jakob is working at the court of Duke Johann in the Rhineland, when the death of his beloved grandmother changes his life completely.**

On the instructions of the Duke, he sets off for Italy together with master chef Lorenzo, unaware that there he will uncover the secret of his birth. In the palaces of the early Renaissance, he finds his great love, Bianca, a merchant's daughter. **She is to be a lady-in-waiting and accompany Catarina de' Medici on her way to her future husband at the French court. But Bianca's world is still foreign and incomprehensible to him.**



4/28/2015

### One Life with You Is Not Enough (Ein Leben mit dir ist nicht genug)

Marnie Schaefer

Contemporary Young Adult

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

**A young adult novel about true love, being different, the search for happiness, and second chances.**

Popular, rich, and outrageously handsome. This is seventeen-year-old Finn. Parties, beautiful girls, no rules. Many envy his lifestyle.

A car accident changes everything. **Finn survives, his brother doesn't.** He is depressed, and has increasingly frequent delusions and hallucinations. In particular, the thought of a girl unknown to him follows him incessantly.



7/1/2014

### Julie's Butterfly (Julis Schmetterling)

Greta Milán

Contemporary Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio (German), English

**When beautiful Julietta meets aloof, handsome photographer Bastian, she immediately feels butterflies in her stomach.**

But Bastian has a secret: since birth, he has suffered from a very rare skin disorder that makes him exceptionally prone to injury. His life is riddled with pain and rejection; his thoughts are dominated by self-doubt and mistrust.

Julie wants to help him shake loose his inhibitions and open up to her, but can she reach deep enough to truly understand his suffering?



## Moonlight Shadows Series



9/2/2014

The Awakening (Book One)  
(Das Erwachen: Im Schatten des Mondlichts)

J. J. Bidell

Paranormal, Shape Shifters

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Naomi Roberts has finally been awarded a grant to spend a semester abroad in Maine. When her grandmother suddenly warns that Naomi will soon be transformed into a panther, like her great-grandmother Romina, Naomi decides this is a last despairing attempt to keep her from traveling to the USA.

On arrival in Maine, Naomi enjoys her student life with new friends and with her first love, Roman. Even though she feels she is being drawn to a mysterious clearing in the wood, being watched and starting to sleepwalk, she doesn't remember her grandmother's prophecy. Until, for the first time, she is transformed.

And—Naomi is not alone, she isn't the only one in mortal danger—Roman too is under threat.



9/2/2014

The Descendent (Book Two)  
(Die Fährte: Im Schatten des Mondlichts)

J. J. Bidell

Paranormal, Shape Shifters

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Naomi's fear of not being able to protect Roman from their enemies makes her wipe out their past together with a "kiss of forgetfulness." She hopes to win Roman for herself again later, when she has become strong enough to protect him from their enemies.

Back home in Germany, Leandra gives her a letter from her mother Romina, who has disappeared. The message leads her to London, where Naomi is made to fear for her life when she comes into the possession of more records. The enemy clan has already been after these documents for years in order to destroy Naomi's family. When Roman suddenly vanishes from Stillwater, Naomi decides it's time to act.



9/2/2014

The Inheritance (Book Three)  
(Das Erbe: Im Schatten des Mondlichts)

J. J. Bidell

Paranormal, Shape Shifters

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Following the birth of their child, Naomi and Roman first spend some time with Naomi's family in Germany. They decide to move to Barcelona and live with Romina and Iker so that Naomi can continue her course of study. But the first thunderclouds are now gathering, for Pilar wants Roman back at all costs.

Pilar plans to abduct Naomi's child in order to drive a wedge between Naomi and Roman. When Sammy turns up in Barcelona, Pilar's plan appears to be working out. Naomi, who suspects nothing of Pilar's underhand plans, finds possible clues to her origins in Dorothea's documents. While she is searching for the origin of her nature, her enemies are drawing closer. Together with Romina, she unearths the secret of her nature and believes she's reached her objective, until an accident occurs . . .



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Grand Harbor Press focuses on practical and thought-provoking nonfiction that will help readers discover personal fulfillment and growth.



October 2015

## Touchstone Tools: Building Your Way to an Inspired Life

Joe Holland

Self Help—Success

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

After working for years in the homeless shelter that he founded, Joe Holland unearths a fundamental truth: people—homeless or not—either lead lives of mediocrity and failure or lives of fulfillment based on their values.

To make his point, Holland has developed 10 principles that are the touchstone of this concept that values matter. These tools are intended to be more than moral precepts leading to an understanding of the right thing to do. They are inspired principles, which, when faithfully applied, endow an individual's life with a holistic perspective—a spirit-mind-body dynamic. By providing these 10 touchstone tools, the author suggests ways in which one can change one's life—and even extend these principles to take on societal challenges, just as he did for homelessness in Harlem. The touchstone tools include: responsibility, self-esteem, discipline, and more.

*Touchstone Tools* will appeal to both Christian and secular markets, and is primarily targeted to readers focused on personal transformation.

As a diplomat's son, star athlete, and scholar, Joseph Holland had a world of opportunities awaiting him in corporate America. Instead, he moved to Harlem during the nadir of its blight to contribute to a neighborhood that was tough in every sense of the word. His five-year sojourn became a three-decade commitment, as his career morphed from practicing law to empowering the homeless, running small businesses, and serving in politics as New York State Housing Commissioner. His Harlem-based entrepreneurial work has received national media attention.

In addition to community advocacy, writing has been a passion of Holland's since his time as an English major at Cornell University. Holland has written and developed two professionally produced plays, and has also written several screenplays, including *Booker T*, which was optioned by a Hollywood management company. The author has received awards and honors for both his business and social service accomplishments.

9/30/2014

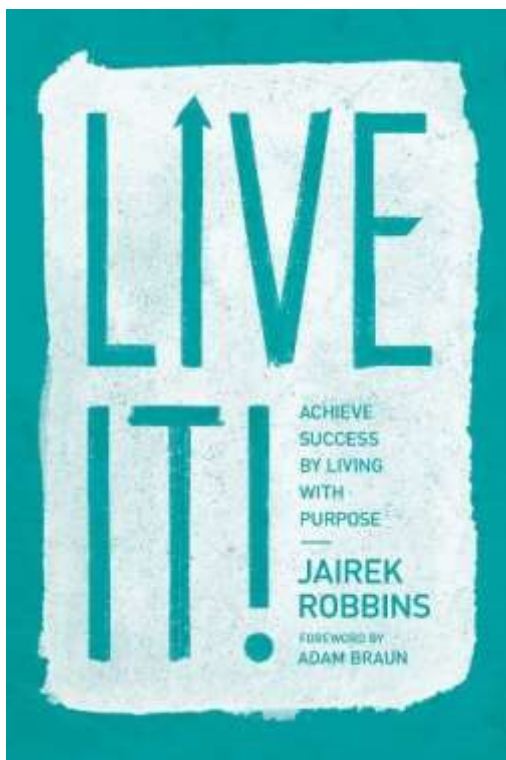
## Live It! Achieve Success by Living with Purpose

Jairek Robbins

Self Help—Personal Transformation

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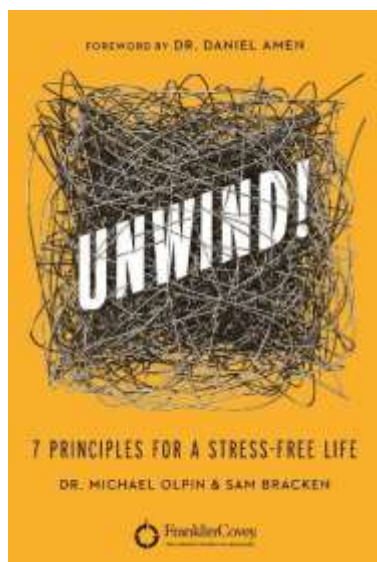
Jairek Robbins, decorated performance coach and lifestyle entrepreneur, guides you through his proven, step-by-step process for filling the gap between where you are today and where you want to be.

Every person you meet is either a warning or an example. Which are you? In reassuring and easy-to-understand language, Robbins helps you build a strong foundation for authentic happiness.

Each chapter is strategically designed to engage you with personal reflections and challenges that **will encourage you to make immediate improvements to your everyday behavior.** Robbins's uplifting method will give you the tools you need to avoid the distractions in your life and concentrate on the areas that deserve the biggest focus, including health, family, intimate relationships, your professional life, and spirituality.

Robbins leads you toward a life of growth and contribution that will enable you to become the happiest, healthiest, and most fulfilled version of yourself—and inspire you to help others do the same.

Jairek Robbins was born in Santa Monica, California. He is a decorated performance coach and lifestyle entrepreneur who has applied his innovative methods to living a life of adventure, philanthropy, and entrepreneurship. At the age of twenty-three, Robbins was awarded the Congressional Gold Medal from the United States Congress. By twenty-five, he gained international renown as the creator of a revolutionary approach to maximizing personal performance that accelerated organizational success for a wide range of businesses. He has a psychology degree from the University of San Diego.



8/5/2014

## Unwind!: 7 Principles for a Stress-Free Life

Dr. Michael Olpin and Sam Bracken

Self Help—Personal Transformation

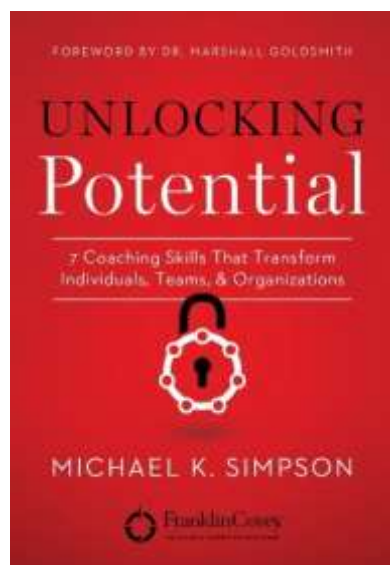
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Rights Sold: Audio, Complex Chinese

This book by Michael Olpin, a top-notch stress expert, and Sam Bracken, a no-longer-stressed-out writer, stands out from other **books on stress management in one significant way: its “whole-person” approach.**

*Unwind!* is about optimizing your body, heart, mind, and soul and recognizing that any and all of these dimensions of your life affect your anxiety level. It helps you to get clear about who you are as well as your priorities and goals. The authors show you how to take charge of your life and how to make better choices that will prevent stress in the first place.

The authors explore seven key paradigm shifts, from reactive to proactive; unmotivated to inspired; pressured to prioritized; hassled to harmonious; anxious to empathic; defensive to diverse; and tense to tranquil. Delving deep into each of these paradigm shifts, readers learn how to prevent most of the daily stresses people typically experience by getting at the roots of stressors.



8/12/2014

## Unlocking Potential: 7 Coaching Skills That Transform Individuals, Teams, & Organizations

Michael K. Simpson

Self Help—Personal Transformation

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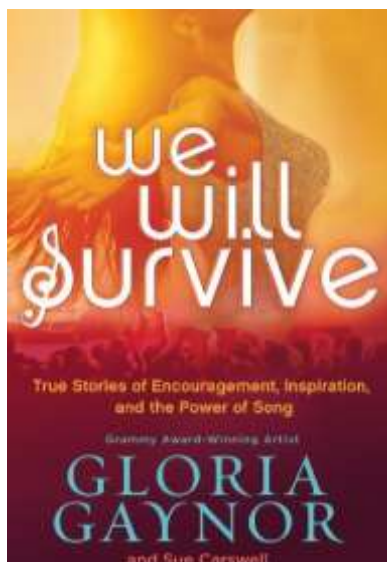
To get the best from your employees, you need to be more than a manager. You need to be a coach.

**You're a leader because you possess expertise in your field. You have the training and experience. You understand your business . . . but can you fully motivate and engage your team?**

Michael K. Simpson, a senior consultant to FranklinCovey, has spent more than twenty-five years training executives to become effective coaches, mentoring and guiding leaders and managers to encourage and develop the talent of their people—the most important asset in any organization. In this guide, you will acquire the skills to coach your personnel from the ground up, maximizing their potential on a personal level, as members of the team, and as contributors to the organization as a whole.

Transform your business relationships (and your business) with this comprehensive tool for optimizing productivity, profitability, loyalty, and **customer focus. Don't just manage. Energize. Galvanize. Inspire. Be a coach.**





12/1/2013

## We Will Survive: True Stories of Encouragement, Inspiration, and the Power of Song

Gloria Gaynor and Sue Carswell

Self Help—Motivational

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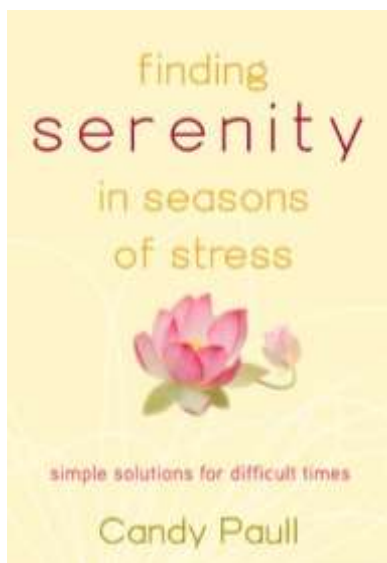
Music legend Gloria Gaynor presents forty inspirational stories from **people who have found comfort, hope, and courage from her #1 hit “I Will Survive.”**

Gloria Gaynor’s #1 hit single “I Will Survive” debuted in 1978 to overwhelming success. Shortly thereafter, the single went double platinum, and more than three decades later it still strikes a chord among men and women everywhere.

Over the years, the disco legend has received thousands of personal messages from adoring fans whose lives have been transformed by this timeless song.

**Their remarkable stories reveal that “I Will Survive” has reached people from all walks of life and touched their lives in thousands of unique ways.**

From individuals triumphing over illness to those suffering from the painful loss of a loved one to others piecing their lives together after bearing witness to **national tragedy, “I Will Survive” has become an emotional anthem for millions of Gaynor’s adoring fans around the world. In *We Will Survive*, Gaynor shares forty of these inspirational, true stories about survivors of all kinds.**



11/26/2013

## Finding Serenity in Seasons of Stress: Simple Solutions for Difficult Times

Candy Paull

Self Help—Motivational

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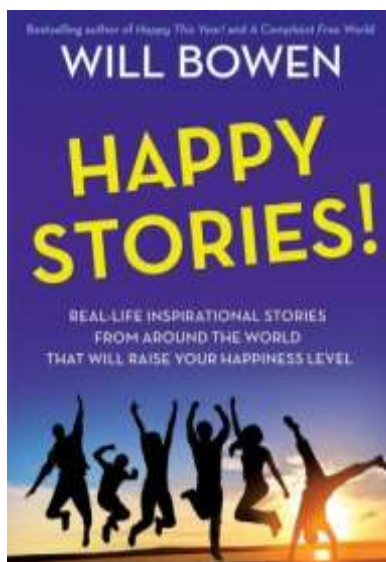
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Author and speaker Candy Paull offers a practical guide to bridging the gap between the way things are and the way you wish they could be.

Serenity. You hear it in the music of Debussy, Mozart, Bach, and Brahms—a smooth flow of melody and harmony that soothes your heart and calms your mind. Yet in our frazzled society, serenity is hard to find. You look in the mirror, and instead of a serene, smiling face, you see your own worried countenance. How do you achieve serenity in this ever-accelerating modern age?

In *Finding Serenity in Seasons of Stress*, Candy Paull reveals that cultivating inner serenity can begin with small adjustments. By understanding serenity as a gift that comes moment by moment and choice by choice, you can actively cultivate it and radiate serenity—whether you are facing a storm or standing in the sun of a shining day.

*Finding Serenity in Seasons of Stress* offers you the guidance you need to tap into a deeper understanding of the beauty surrounding you in order to create the **life of your dreams. Through Candy’s practical advice, tips, affirmations, and activities, you will discover hope and encouragement for your soul in any season of life.**



9/10/2013

## Happy Stories!: Real-Life Inspirational Stories from Around the World That Will Raise Your Happiness Level

Will Bowen

Self Help—Happiness

Rights Available: All Languages, excluding Simplified Chinese, Complex Chinese, Korean, and Japanese

Rights Sold: Audio, Turkish

Bestselling author Will Bowen presents his happiness philosophy in action! Through real-life stories, Bowen demonstrates how you can be measurably and sustainably happier.

In *Happy This Year!*, Will Bowen shared his practical philosophy for achieving higher levels of happiness. He helped readers understand that the path to happiness is not determined by their circumstances, but by aligning their thoughts, words, and actions to focus on the goal of happiness. Now, through fifty true stories, Bowen shares how people have taken his philosophies to heart—and are becoming measurably happier!

We all face adversity, setbacks, and stress in our everyday lives. In *Happy Stories!*, you will learn from people who have faced various hardships and have chosen to achieve happiness in spite of their circumstances. From a man who discovers happiness from the power of shared laughter to a woman who finds happiness through forgiveness, the stories in this collection inspire, entertain, and teach us remarkable lessons on how we can achieve higher and sustainable levels of happiness in our lives.



4/9/2013

## Happy This Year!: The Secret to Getting Happy Once and for All

Will Bowen

Self Help—Happiness

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Will Bowen—internationally bestselling author of *A Complaint Free World* and *Complaint Free Relationships*—proposes that happiness is a self-fulfilling prophecy and encourages you to seek a simple and direct path to a happy life.

**This practical yet inspirational work proposes that it's the inner world of our psyches that determines happiness, not outside forces.** We have control over our own happiness, and this powerful book offers concrete advice on how to tap into it and nourish it year-round. The author focuses explicitly on the positive ways we can establish a higher set-point in our thoughts, speech, and actions, resulting in greater, and more sustainable, levels of happiness. Regardless of what the year and your life may bring, you can become measurably and sustainably happier.



*Alter Egos Welcome*

Derived from a common nickname for Seattle, Jet City Comics is the home for uncommon graphic novels and comics.



8/19/2015

## King: The Graphic Novel

Joshua Hale Fialkov

Illustrated by Bernard Chang

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

*A post-apocalyptic Conan the Barbarian as directed by Sam Raimi circa Army of Darkness.*

King is an action-adventure/comedy about surviving a world transformed by an overwhelming global apocalypse. This exciting, new graphic novel is written by Eisner and Harvey award-nominated writer Joshua Hale Fialkov, with art by Bernard Chang.



8/26/2015

## Muirwood: The Lost Abbey

Jeff Wheeler, Matt Sturges, and Dave Justus

Illustrated by Alex Sheikman

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**An original Muirwood graphic novel set among Jeff Wheeler's bestselling Legends of Muirwood fantasy series.**

Maia, the daughter of the king of Comoros, has been banished. Her rank and station have been taken away. Although reading and writing is forbidden to women in her world, she has secretly learned and now her father has sent her on a dangerous quest to save their kingdom. She is protected by a hired killer known as a kishion. They set sail into forbidden waters of another kingdom, the cursed shores of Dahomey, where an ancient blight has destroyed all the inhabitants. Using the magic of her medallion, a kystrel, will save them from the dangerous lands, but if any of the soldiers discovers her using it, she knows she will be killed . . .

## The Foreworld Saga



5/6/2015

### Foreworld Adventures: The Graphic Novels

Tony Wolf, Erik Bear, and Christian Cameron

Illustrated by Dmitry Bondarenko, Haiwei Hou, and Joao Vieira

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

A graphic novel collection of three Foreworld historical fantasy comics series: *Suffrajitsu*, *Symposium*, and *The Dead God*.



1/28/2015

### Suffrajitsu: Mrs. Pankhurst's Amazons

Tony Wolf

Illustrated by Joao Vieira

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**London, 1914: The leaders of the radical women's rights movement are fugitives from the law. Their last line of defense is the secret society of "Amazons": women trained in the martial art of bartitsu and sworn to defend their leaders from arrest and assault.**

After a series of daring escapes and battles with the police, the stakes rise dramatically when the Amazons are forced into a deadly game of cat and mouse against an aristocratic, utopian cult.

Presenting:

- Persephone Wright, a "fallen woman" who will protect those she loves at all costs
- Flossie Le Mar, a rough-diamond adventuress from New Zealand
- Katie "Sandwina" Brumbach, a fiercely loyal Austrian wrestler and strongwoman
- Toupie Lowther, a cunning, cross-dressing woman of means
- Judith Lee, a proud Anglo-Chinese socialite and amateur detective
- Kitty Marshall, a quick-witted teenager who keeps her radicalism secret from her wealthy family
- Miss Sanderson, an enigmatic "governess" with an appetite for violence



9/16/2015

### Cimarronin: The Complete Graphic Novel

Neal Stephenson, Mark Teppo, Charles C. Mann, and Ellis Amdur

Illustrated by Robert Sammelin

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Foreworld Saga founders Neal Stephenson and Mark Teppo—joined by authors Charles C. Mann and Ellis Amdur, and illustrator Robert Sammelin—forge a comic series with **adventure, betrayal, and a samurai's relentless blade.**

A disgraced outcast samurai living in early seventeenth-century Spain, Kitazume is contemplating ritual suicide when a divine force (of a sort) intervenes: Luis, a mischievous Jesuit priest and Kitazume's longtime friend. At Luis's insistence, the samurai agrees to help smuggle a Manchu princess to Mexico. But little does he know that he's really being dragged into an epic struggle for power.

Several forces have their malicious sights set on the New World's rich silver mines: an insurgent Spanish duke, political Chinese interests, and the escaped African slaves known as the cimarrones. And working in secret among them is a mysterious, long-lost order that has its own plans for the precious metal. As politics and greed collide, Kitazume must call upon his deadly skills once more. But he's not just fighting to save his friends—he's fighting for the redemption he so desperately craves.





5/13/2015

## Forager

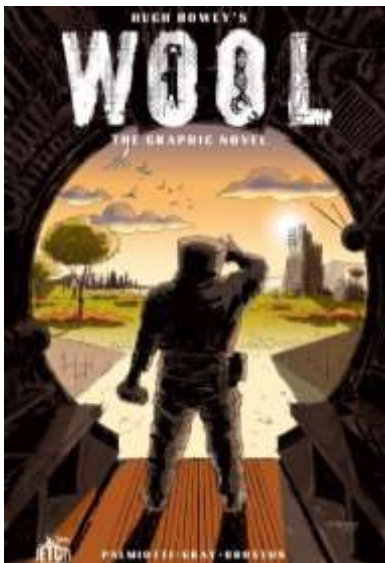
Jimmy Palmiotti and Justin Gray

Illustrated by Steven Cummings

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

*Forager* is an all-ages sci-fi story written by comic book veterans Jimmy Palmiotti and Justin Gray, with art by Steven Cummings.

In an attempt to save their crumbling marriage, Glenn and Joan Travers take their autistic daughter, Ellie, on a week's vacation aboard a luxury Star Liner. Soon after reaching orbit, Ellie begins hearing voices from what she calls "angels," claiming they are "coming for our world."



6/3/2014

## Wool: The Graphic Novel (Silo Saga)

Hugh Howey, Jimmy Palmiotti, and Justin Gray

Illustrated by Jimmy Broxton

Rights Available: English, Japanese

*Wool* as you've never read it before: the bestselling novel is now told in graphic novel format.

This contemporary dystopian classic—hailed by Justin Cronin, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Passage*, as “an epic feat of imagination”—will captivate readers both familiar and new.

This is the story of mankind clawing for survival, of mankind on the edge. The world outside has grown unkind, the view of it limited, talk of it forbidden. But there are always those who hope, who dream. These are the dangerous people, the residents who infect others with their optimism. Their punishment is simple. They are given the very thing they profess to want: They are allowed outside.

## The Foreworld Saga Dead God Series



2/25/2014

### The Dead God #1: A SideQuest Comic

Erik Bear

Illustrated by Haiwei Hou

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Set in the world of The Foreworld Saga, *The Dead God* is a three-part tale of swords and sorcery in an age of myth and mist—a tale of brave warriors plunged into an adventure beyond anything they could have imagined.

In the year 536 AD, the land of Frisia is a hostile place. Across the dark, cold countryside, three valiant warriors quest for a treasure the likes of which few can comprehend. These three—the mighty grappler, Eadhild; the skilled archer, Coll; and the charming young Valens—are searching for the head of Yvrnn, the sky-god. For, according to legend, the head of Yvrnn will grant its possessors great wisdom and fortune. **The trio's quest won't be easy, as they must not only contend with Yvrnn's followers who have set obstacles in their paths, but also the mystical creatures and bandits that haunt the roads of Frisia.**



3/18/2014

### The Dead God #2: A SideQuest Comic

Erik Bear

Illustrated by Haiwei Hou

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

*The second in a three-issue arc of The Dead God.*

The land of Frisia is a cold and dark place. Three adventurers are searching for the head of Yvrnn, the sky-god. According to legend, the head of Yvrnn will grant its possessors great wisdom and fortune. Their quest **won't be easy, as they must not only contend with Yvrnn's followers who have set obstacles in their paths, but also the mystical creatures and bandits that haunt the roads of Frisia.**



4/8/2014

### The Dead God #3: A SideQuest Comic

Erik Bear

Illustrated by Haiwei Hou

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

*The third and concluding issue of The Dead God.*

Erik Bear lives and writes in Seattle, Washington. Previous to *The Dead God*, Erik wrote the IDW Publishing comic book *Jurassic Park: Dangerous Games*. He was also among the authors on *The Mongoliad*, a historical fantasy anthology for 47North. Mr. Bear has also worked on a bestselling video game and is actively working on several comic book series soon to be published.

Artist Haiwei Hou was born in China but has since relocated to Ontario, Canada. She has previously provided illustrations for articles in *Applied Arts Magazine* and also done character concepts for Novoland. Ms. Hou has also received awards in animation and applied arts and regularly attends San Diego Comic Con and Fan Expo. She describes her creative mind as “an invisible storage room where ideas and junk pile up like mountains.”

## The Foreworld Saga Symposium Series



7/9/2013

### Symposium #1: A SideQuest Comic

Christian Cameron

Illustrated by Dmitry Bondarenko

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

SideQuests are stand-alone stories or novellas that chronicle the heroes, villains, and adventures in The Foreworld Saga across numerous ages. They can be read with or without prior knowledge of The Foreworld Saga. *Symposium* is set in the Classical Era.

The Shield-Brethren are a secret martial order that has defended the West for centuries. Now, the origins of the order are revealed in this stunning three-issue SideQuest comic book.

As the soldiers of Greece return from war with Persia, they are greeted not as heroes but as merely more mouths to feed. Athens is overflowing with the poor and desperate. For some of the former soldiers, this life is not why they fought. They crave adventure. They need money. More than anything, though, they long for purpose. One man may hold the answer: Plato. Not only is he versed in the art of philosophy, but he is no stranger to the art of martial combat. He believes there is a way to combine the two arts, creating a new way of life for the former soldiers. This comic contains explicit content and is recommended for mature readers.



10/22/2013

### Symposium #2: A SideQuest Comic

Christian Cameron

Illustrated by Dmitry Bondarenko

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

While the conservative ruling powers of decadent Athens arrange to have them watched, four young men go to a dinner party with Plato—Xenophon, the king of Macedon; a pair of **Spartans; and the most beautiful woman in Athens. The question on everyone's mind: What form would an ideal city take?**

The answer is a quest, and a dream . . .

This comic contains explicit content and is recommended for mature readers.



6/17/2014

### Symposium #3: A SideQuest Comic

Christian Cameron

Illustrated by Dmitry Bondarenko

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Our heroes, seeking to realize the idea offered to them by the philosopher Plato, leave Athens and travel to Delphi with hope of visiting the oracle.

They have a dream to found a city of their own, and they desire insight from the oracle as to their question. But their skills—both as warriors and as thinking men—will be tested by adversaries they do not even know they have. This comic contains explicit content and is recommended for mature readers.

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## Frontlist Titles

Fall 2014—Spring 2016





11/3/2015

## The Word Game

Steena Holmes

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

From the bestselling author of *Finding Emma* and *Emma's Secret* comes a domestic drama ripped-from-the-headlines about a family **orn apart by a young girl's alarming accusation at a sleepover party.**

In *The Word Game*, a young girl's accusation at a sleepover party causes a rift in a once tightknit family. When Alyson's daughter tells her that she felt uncomfortable during a game at her cousin's house, Alyson is overcome with anger and fear. As a parent, she will not stop at anything to protect her daughter, even if it means tearing her family apart. But when Alyson has to confront her own past and possibilities that her daughter might not be telling the truth, Alyson fears it's too late to mend the severed family ties.



9/22/2015

## The Visitant: A Venetian Ghost Story

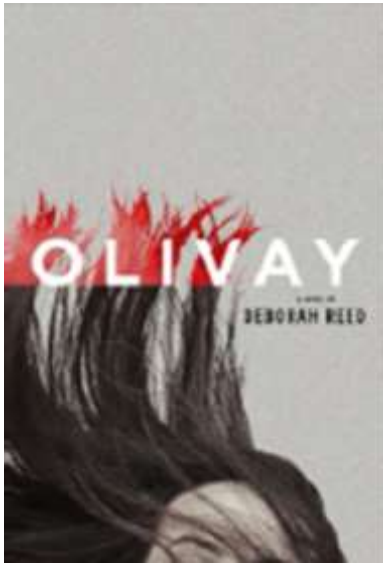
Megan Chance

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Critically acclaimed, award-winning author Megan Chance is back with a gothic tale of love, murder, and obsession set in a haunted Venetian palazzo in the 1880s.

A crumbling palazzo in nineteenth-century Venice serves as a damp, chilling backdrop for ghostly affairs. Elena, the daughter of an asylum director in New York, has created a scandal at home. To save her father's reputation and to secure his benefactor, Elena is sent to Venice to care for one of her father's former patients. She must deliver Samuel, the son of the benefactor, back to the States in good health. Samuel is in no rush to return home as he is betrothed to a woman he doesn't know or love. He's also hiding a terrible secret that only Elena can protect.

But Elena soon finds that the Venetian palazzo holds secrets more disturbing than Samuel's. As she falls in love with the owner of the palazzo, she's forced to grapple with demons and the legacy of jealousy. This dark, ghostly tale is a story of love so strong it will destroy all in its path.



7/7/2015

## Olivay

Deborah Reed

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

From the bestselling author of *Things We Set on Fire* and *Carry Yourself Back to Me* comes a new contemporary women's fiction novel. With eloquent and suspenseful prose, *Olivay* explores the wreckage of loss and the collision of grief, desire, and terror in its aftermath.

**We don't believe that our lives can change in an instant—until they do.**

Olivay, widowed for a year and sleepwalking through life, meets Henry by chance. She takes him to her Los Angeles loft, thinking it will just be for the night. But the following morning, bombs detonate across the city, mayhem and carnage fill the streets, and her loft is covered in broken glass and her own blood. **Henry is skittish, solicitous, and strangely distracted. Who is this man she's marooned with as the city goes on lockdown? Why is she catching him in lie after lie? Is he somehow connected to her husband's death and the terrorist attacks outside?**

As the characters get pushed outside their comfort zones, forced to walk the thin line between destruction and salvation, *Olivay* keeps readers guessing what will become of Olivay and Henry until the very end.



6/23/2015

## Together Apart

Natalie Martin

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Romantic, intense, and heartbreaking, *Together Apart* explores what it really means to love and be loved.

When Adam proposes to Sarah, the last thing he expects is to be single and heartbroken less than forty-eight hours later. **But Sarah has a secret and she's willing to sacrifice everything to keep it.**

Going through a breakup is hard enough but having to live together afterward is even worse, especially when it's a breakup neither person wants. **For Adam, there are only three ways to deal with it: sex, drugs, and alcohol. For Sarah, it's keeping her distance and her secrets.**

Against a backdrop of lies, betrayals, and passion, the delicate threads holding **Sarah's secret begin to unravel when her past and present collide.**

Adam thought he knew everything about Sarah. He was wrong.



6/2/2015

**Worthy**

Catherine Ryan Hyde

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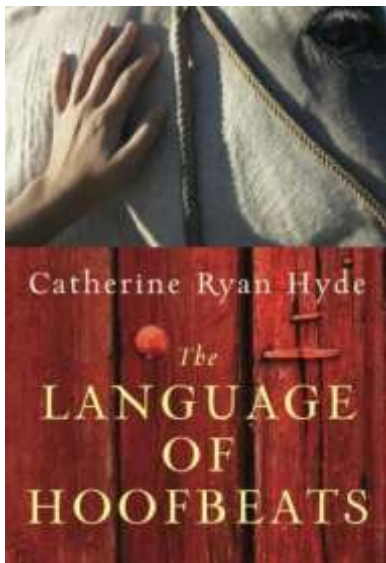
*A new novel from the bestselling author of **Pay It Forward**, **When I Found You**, and **Walk Me Home**.*

**They might've been a family.**

Virginia finally had the chance to explore a relationship with Aaron when he asked her on a date. She had been waiting, hoping that the widower and his young son, Buddy, would welcome her into their lives. But a terrible tragedy strikes on the night of their first kiss, crushing their hopes for a future together.

Nineteen years later, Virginia is engaged, though she has not forgotten Aaron or Buddy. When her dog goes missing and it comes to light that her fiancé set him loose, a distraught Virginia breaks off the engagement and is alone once again. **A shy young man has found the missing pet, and although he's bonded with the animal, he answers his conscience and returns the dog.** Before long, Virginia and the young man discover a connection from their pasts that will help them let go of painful memories and change their lives forever.

**Stay tuned for Catherine Ryan Hyde's next novel, which will be released in December 2015!**



12/9/2014

**The Language of Hoofbeats**

Catherine Ryan Hyde

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, Large Print (English)

*From the bestselling author of **Pay It Forward** comes a story of the heartbreak and healing power of family.*

New to a small town, Jackie and Paula envision a quiet life for their kids: a young adopted son and two teenage foster children, including the troubled Star. However, they quickly butt heads with their neighbor Clementine, who disapproves of their lifestyle and is incensed when Star befriends her spirited horse, Comet. Haunted by past tragedy and unable to properly care for Comet, Clem nevertheless resents the bond Star soon shares with the horse. When Star disappears with Comet, the neighbors are thrown together—far too close together. But as the search for the pair wears on, both families must learn to put **aside their animosity and confront the choices they've made and the scars they carry.** Plumbing the depths of regret and forgiveness, *The Language of Hoofbeats* explores the strange alchemy that transforms a group of people into a family.



4/14/2015

## The Color of Secrets

Lindsay Ashford

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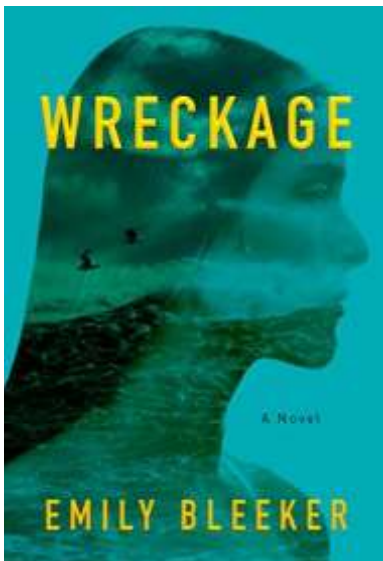
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*In **The Color of Secrets**, a fiery love crosses racial lines in WWII England.*

Everyone has secrets, but some can change your life forever . . .

In the midst of the Second World War, Eva receives the devastating news that her husband is missing and presumed dead. Neither wife nor widow, she lives in a numb state of limbo until, in the heat of an English summer, she meets Bill, a black American GI. Despite their vastly different backgrounds, neither can deny the love that overcomes them in the frantic weeks that follow, when every day could be their last.

**After Eva discovers she's pregnant, Bill is shipped off to join the D-day fight, leaving her alone in a bigoted world. As her mixed-race daughter, Louisa, grows up, how far will Eva go to keep her safe and bury the past? And how far will Louisa go to uncover the truth?**



3/1/2015

## Wreckage

Emily Bleeker

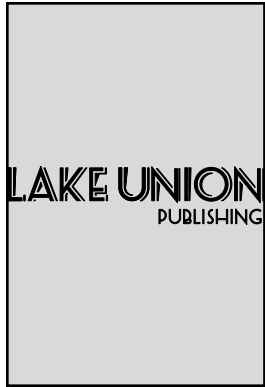
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*In this intriguing tale of survival, secrets, and redemption, two everyday people thrown together by tragedy must finally face the truth . . . even if it tears them apart.*

Lillian Linden is a liar. On the surface, she looks like a brave survivor of a plane crash. **But she's been lying to her family, her friends, and the whole world since rescue helicopters scooped her and her fellow survivor, Dave Hall, off a deserted island in the South Pacific. Missing for almost two years, the castaways are thrust into the spotlight after their rescue, becoming media darlings overnight. But they can't tell the real story—so they lie.**

**The public is fascinated by the castaways' saga, but Lillian and Dave must return to their lives and their spouses. Genevieve Randall—a hard-nosed journalist and host of a news program—isn't buying it. She suspects Lillian and Dave's explanations about the other crash survivors aren't true. And now, Genevieve's determined to get the real story, no matter how many lives it destroys.**



1/12/2016

**Inside the Blue Line**

Laurel Saville

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

On maps of upstate New York, the boundaries of the 6-million-acre Adirondack Park are designated by a blue line. **Miranda's seemingly perfect family falls apart inside this park, despite residing in their ostentatious "log cabin" vacation home.**

Miranda finds solace in the gentle company of her handyman, Dix. While he coaxes her back to life among the living after the loss of her family, he finds that there is a hole inside Miranda, a longing that he cannot fill. Miranda becomes enamored with Darius, formerly of the same WASP-y Connecticut roots that she can stake claim to, now a guru on a run-down property in the Adirondacks with a dozen women—his "followers." **Miranda spends more and more time on the commune, and Dix eventually has to resign himself to the fact that he has lost her for good when she moves in with Darius.**

When Dix discovers that Miranda is pregnant, and the child is his, he spends desperate years trying to reach Miranda. After she ultimately dies of suspicious causes on the commune, Dix is forced to navigate **the legal system, with the help of friends, to bring the daughter he's never met home.**



11/10/2015

**The Light of Hidden Flowers**

Jennifer Handford

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

From the bestselling author of *Acts of Contrition* and *Daughters for a Time*, *The Light of Hidden Flowers* tests the bravery in each of us to question who we really are and what it takes to live our best lives.

Book-smart Melissa (Missy) Fletcher lives a sheltered life in her **familiar hometown, working at her father's office in a financial career** that makes perfect sense. But when her father dies, her stable life is tossed in the air and Missy is faced with the challenge of stepping outside her comfort zone—way outside.

When Missy crosses the threshold into the unknown, she meets a new friend, who—like her father—urges her to lead a larger life. Soon Missy finds herself in impoverished India, signing away her inheritance, and betting on a risky plan. Meanwhile, the love of her **life has resurfaced and is sending her signals she can't quite interpret.**

**When Missy realizes that life isn't rooted on solid ground, and rather teeters on the cusp of uncertainty, she begins to appreciate the thrill of the ride.**



11/17/2015

**Daughter of Sand and Stone**

Libbie Hawker

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Zenobia is as ambitious as she is beautiful. Not content with her life of moderate comfort and privilege, she arranges her own marriage to Odenathus, the Governor of Palmyra, a man who is unfailing in his loyalty to Rome. She attains the pinnacle of feminine status, but still she longs for more.

**When she is suspected in her husband's death, Zenobia commandeers the Palmyrene troops in order to defend herself from her enemies.** She embarks on a campaign against the weakened Roman Empire, claiming for her own the strategically important cities of Emesa and Antioch, and finally seizing control of the vast wealth of Egypt. When Rome manages to find an Emperor who can match Zenobia in wits and strength, her mettle is tested on the battlefield—will she have to pay a terrible price for her hubris?



11/10/2015

**The Crescent Spy**

Michael Wallace

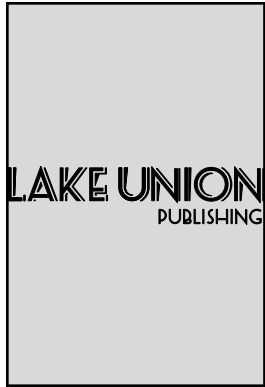
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*The Crescent Spy* tells the story of Josephine Breaux, a brilliant journalist covering the Civil War in Washington, DC.

Josephine has quite the colorful past. Having grown up on Mississippi **river boats of ill repute, she's seen more in her twenty years than most people see in their entire lives.** She has a knack for getting the scoop from both the North and South, crossing back and forth between the battle lines. Her methods may be questionable—**she's not afraid to use her feminine charms and she's not above bribing hungry soldiers with food**—but the reports she files are unlike anything other journalists are capable of.

**After Josephine is caught behind enemy lines, she's accused of collaborating with the Confederates.** The Pinkertons take the opportunity to remove her from DC and post her in New Orleans to write for a secessionist paper, where she is to gather intelligence for the Union. There her past catches up with her, threatening not only her life, but the lives of thousands of soldiers.





10/27/2015

**The Palest Ink**

Kay Bratt

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**From the bestselling author of the Tales of the Scavenger's Daughters series** comes a saga of sworn best friends eventually separated by twists of fate. *The Palest Ink* chronicles the journey of two young men and the women they meet during the Cultural Revolution.

In 1966, Chairman Mao announces the beginning of China's Cultural Revolution and his band of Red Guards begin their assault, leaving innocent victims in their wake as they surge across the country. In Shanghai, Benfu is a sheltered son from an intellectual family, looking forward to a promising career as a violinist. On the other side of town, Pony Boy is part of a content but uninspired lower-class family, soon faced with a perilous opportunity. With the revolution at their door, both Benfu and Pony Boy must decide among family, friendship, and loyalty to country while doing their best to survive one of the most chaotic times in history.



10/13/2015

**Life and Other Near Death Experiences**

Camille Pagán

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**In the spirit of Lolly Winston's *Good Grief* and Jonathan Tropper's *This is Where I Leave You*, Camille Pagán's *Life and Other Near Death Experiences* is a frank, funny and tear-inducing examination of the beautiful mess called life.**

An hour after Libby Miller is diagnosed with an obscure, typically-fatal form of cancer, her husband misunderstands the source of her distress and destroys their marriage with one stuttering sentence. Sunny, unflappable Libby reacts in a distinctly un-Libby way: she decides to leave him and everything that embodies her life up until that moment. She also walks away from treatment. Having seen her own mother suffer through chemo and radiation only to die anyway, she has different plans for her final days.

Libby books a trip to Vieques, a small Puerto Rican island that her mother loved. **It's meant to be, she tells herself moments before her puddle jumper plane nose-dives into the Caribbean.** She survives, but **as she attempts to ignore her physical pain, she can't shake the sense** that something else—something even more significant than her preternaturally short lifespan and imploded marriage—is amiss.



9/29/2015

**The Determined Heart: The Tale of Mary Shelley and Her Frankenstein**

Antoinette May

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

*The Determined Heart* is a revealing and meticulously researched look at the life and times of Mary Shelley.

The daughter of political philosopher William Godwin and philosopher and feminist Mary Wollstonecraft, Mary had an unconventional childhood filled with loneliness and longing. She elopes with the still-married, Romantic poet Percy Bysshe Shelley, **only to find herself embroiled in love triangles as he takes Mary's sister for a lover.** Over the next several years, she and Percy face ostracism, constant debt, and the death three children—and ultimately, her success as the author of *Frankenstein*.

Enchanting, beautiful, and exquisitely detailed, this is a magnificent story of love and obsession, betrayal and redemption.



9/1/2015

**Love You Better**

Natalie Martin

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**Cassie is marrying Oliver. On paper, he's the man of her dreams—handsome, smart, and caring, with a nice house in Kensington.**

**She couldn't be happier. But as daily life sets in, Oliver turns out to be a violent, abusive husband.**



8/25/2015

**Rescue Me, Maybe**

Jackie Bouchard

Rights Available: English, Portuguese, French, Chinese, German, Italian, Spanish, Japanese, and Audio

**A story of loss, love and self-discovery, *Rescue Me, Maybe* has all the heart of *Hello Love* and the humor of *The Art of Racing in the Rain*. If you lost both your husband and your dog to cancer within weeks of each other, but you were sadder about the dog, would you tell anyone? Maybe your closest friends.**

**Unfortunately, Jane Bailey’s closest friends are on the other side of the country. That’s where Jane plans to go now that she’s free to leave Philadelphia, the too cold, beachless, street taco-deficient city her husband dragged her to six years ago. But with no job prospects in her hometown of San Diego, Jane is roped into helping out temporarily at her uncle’s southwestern small-town B&B. En route to her new role as innkeeper and breakfast chef, she finds a stray at a rest stop. With her heart in pieces from the loss of her dog, she’s determined not to let this mutt worm its way into her affections. She’s also determined to have next-to-no interaction with the B&B’s irritating guests, and the even more annoying handyman who lives next door. Can Jane keep her sanity—and her secret that she’s not really a grieving widow—while trying to achieve her dream of getting back to the place she thinks is home?**



10/20/2015

**An Inconvenient Ruth**

Jackie Bouchard

Rights Available: English, Portuguese, French, Chinese, German, Italian, Spanish, Japanese, and Audio

*An Inconvenient Ruth* is a heartwarming look at how we define family.

**Alex Halstad’s life is like a spread in *Architectural Digest* magazine. She’s got her handsome husband, Barry; their perfectly-trained labradoodle, Marie; their impeccable home; and a fulfilling career as an interior designer. But beneath the surface, things aren’t so great. Her family doesn’t understand her childless-by-choice life. And her business is not the thriving entity she’d dreamed of. Alex is certain she can turn things around . . . hopefully before she has to admit to Barry that she’s maxed out her credit cards and almost wiped out their savings to keep her company going.**

She just needs time to focus on her business, but a massive distraction arrives on their doorstep in the form of the daughter Barry never knew he had. The teenager shows up with a small surprise—her fifteen-month-old baby, Ruth. She’s also got a big request—they want to move in for the summer. All Alex wants is to return to the peaceful life she shared with Barry and Marie so she can save her business, and her marriage. But can Marie help teach her that there’s more to life than how things look on the surface? Can Alex be trained to be a better wife, sister, daughter . . . and person?



9/29/2015

**Reading the Sweet Oak**

Jan Stites

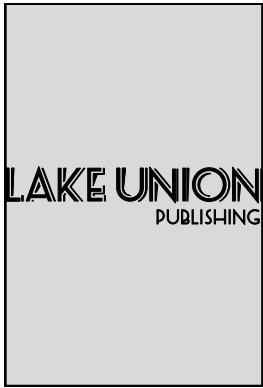
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**In the tradition of iconic Southern women’s fiction authors such as Dorothea Benton Frank and Anne Rivers Siddons, debut author Jan Stites takes us along the banks of the Sweet Oak River, deep in the heart of the Ozarks, where a romance novel book club inspires five women to embark on stunning journeys of self-discovery.**

After losing first her husband, then her daughter, seventy-eight-year-old grandmother Ruby wants to teach her risk-averse granddaughter, Tulsa, that some leaps are worth taking, no matter how high the potential fall. Tulsa loves her grandmother dearly, but she has a business to run and no time for romance—not even the paperback version. But when Ruby ropes her into a book club, Tulsa can’t bring herself to disappoint the woman who raised her.

**Together with Ruby’s best friend Pearl and family friends BJ and Jen, the women embark on an exploration of modern-day love guided by written tales of romance. What they discover is a beautiful story that examines the bonds of friendship and the highs and lows of love, in all its forms.**

Love in Provence Series



10/6/2015

**The Promise of Provence**

Patricia Sands

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

**An enduring story of hope and change in life's later years is woven through the author's love letter to France. Like a well-travelled friend, Patricia Sands invites readers into a world she loves and entices them to linger.**

Surprise, shock, and a shift in her comfortable life tumble into **Katherine Price's world when least expected. The future she has imagined suddenly vanishes, leaving little to focus on beyond her career and the caregiving her elderly widowed mother might require.**

After a year of heartbreak, Katherine impulsively agrees to a home exchange in the south of France. June in Provence is full of promise when Katherine arrives from Canada, eager to feel renewed by her surroundings. Endless rows of lavender prepare to burst into pink **and purple blooms. Ancient hilltop villages beckon. It's the postcard setting she envisioned, but is that all she needs?**

Seeking to shed the pain of betrayal and loss, she struggles to recapture her joie de vivre and searches for the answer to a haunting question: is it too late to begin again?



10/13/2015

**Promises to Keep**

Patricia Sands

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Falling in love with the south of France was no surprise to Katherine. Choosing to walk away from her past and start over was completely unexpected. A new country, a new lover, and the promise of a bright future beginning in mid-life . . . who knew?

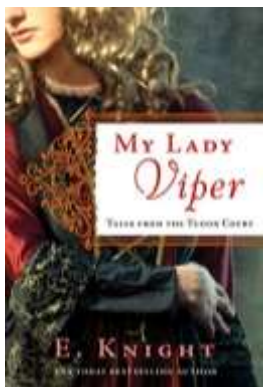
Now there were the exciting dreams of restoring the property on the Cap, of beginning a new career, of experiencing the traditions of Christmas in Provence, of falling even more deeply in love with the man who inspired these hopes.

**It was all so perfect, until it wasn't.**

She had embraced new possibilities in life and given her heart only to discover something was being kept from her. Something terrible from **her lover's past. Something that could destroy everything.**

**What doesn't kill us makes us stronger, had become her mantra.** Would it be enough?

Tales from the Tudor Court



6/30/2015

**My Lady Viper**

E. Knight

Rights Available: All Languages

**The story of Anne Seymour—sister-in-law to Henry VIII, notoriously known as Lady Viper.**

**When Anne Boleyn falls to the executioner's ax on a cold spring morning in 1536, Anne Seymour knows her family faces the peril that her family now faces. As alliances shift and conspiracies multiply, the Seymours plot to establish their place in the treacherous court of King Henry VIII, where a courtier's fate is decided by the whims of a hot-tempered and fickle monarch.**

**Lady Anne's own sister-in-law, Jane Seymour, soon takes Anne Boleyn's place as queen. But if Jane cannot give King Henry a son, history portends that she too will be executed or set aside—and her family with her. In desperation, Lady Anne throws herself into the intoxicating intrigue of the Tudor court, determined to ensure the success of the new queen's marriage and the elevation of the Seymour family to a more powerful position. Soon her machinations earn her a reputation as a viper in a den of rabbits. In a game of betrayal and favor, will her family's rise be worth the loss of her soul?**



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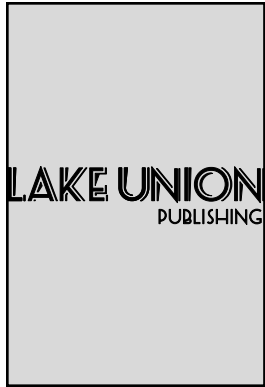
**Prisoner of the Queen**

E. Knight

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**She has served three queens in her life. One was her sister. One was her savior. And one her bitterest enemy.**

Knowing she was seen as a threat to the Queen she served, Lady Katherine Grey, legitimate heir to the throne, longs only for the comfort of a loving marriage and a quiet life far from the intrigue of the Tudor court. After seeing her sister become the pawn of their parents and others seeking royal power and then lose their lives for it, she is determined to avoid the vicious struggles over power and **religion that dominate Queen Elizabeth's court. Until she finds love—then Kat is willing to risk it all, even life in prison.**



9/8/2015

**A Woman of Note**

Carol M. Cram

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A new historical novel from the author of *The Towers of Tuscany*. Set in Vienna and Paris in 1827, *A Woman of Note* follows Fraulein Isabette Grüber as she struggles to find her footing in the male-dominated world of classical music.

Isabette, a gifted but unsure young woman, endures an overbearing mother and an unrelenting opportunist of a teacher to become an acclaimed musician in Vienna. When the music of Paris calls, she leaves behind her ailing sister and the demands of her mother to pursue her one true love—the pianoforte.

After being forced by her mother to return to Vienna to marry her teacher, Isabette finds herself widowed by tragedy, with a child, and **survives by teaching. But when her husband's closest confidant Daniel confesses his feelings for Isabette and her music, she ultimately follows her heart.**



8/25/2015

**The Good Neighbor**

A. J. Banner

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A quiet neighborhood. A marriage at risk. An unspeakable crime. In the tradition of *Before I Go to Sleep* and *The Good Girl*, *The Good Neighbor* is a novel about a woman who discovers that her husband—and the people closest to her—are harboring terrible, if not deadly, secrets.

Shadow Cove, Washington is the kind of town everyone dreams about—**quaint streets, lush forests, good neighbors. That's what Sarah** thinks as she settles into life with her new husband, Dr. Johnny McDonald. But all too soon, she discovers an undercurrent of deception. One October evening when Johnny is away, sudden **tragedy destroys Sarah's happiness.**

Dazed and grief-stricken, she and Johnny begin to rebuild their shattered lives. But as she picks up the pieces of her broken home, Sarah discovers a shocking secret that forces her to doubt everything she thought was true - about her neighbors, her friends, even her marriage. With each stunning revelation, Sarah is forced to ask herself: can we ever really know the ones we love?



8/1/2015

**Crooked Little Lies**

Barbara Taylor Sissel

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Perfect for fans of Jodi Picoult, Lisa Scottoline, and Catherine McKenzie, *Crooked Little Lies* by critically acclaimed author Barbara Taylor Sissel is a page-turning **women's fiction novel threaded with elements of suspense.**

On the Friday morning before Halloween, when forty-one-year-old Lauren Wilder almost hits twenty-three-year-old Bo Laughlin with her car at a busy intersection in Hardy's Walk, Texas, she stops to make sure he's okay. While he seems fine, her motherly intuition warns her all is not right, and later she contacts the sheriff's office. It won't be until the following Tuesday that she'll hear that Bo has since vanished. Lauren begins the investigation as a witness, but as she unravels the secrets in the small town, including those of her own family, she may in fact become a victim. As Lauren's history as an addict is revealed—and her husband's façade breaks—their lives will come crashing down around them.



7/28/2015

**This is What I Want**

Craig Lancaster

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Bestselling author Craig Lancaster is back, writing what he writes best—heartfelt, small-town drama with remarkably original characters. *This is What I Want* is a novel about a family (and a town) falling apart and then coming back together again, for better or for worse.

Grandview, Montana has seen better days. One by one, its sugar beet farms have gone belly-up, replaced by oil fields and blight. The town's citizens, meanwhile, continue to hang on, invested in the past.

*This is What I Want* follows a cast of characters coming together for the town's annual reunion. At the center of it all is Sam Kelvig a decent man hemmed in by history and the hardscrabble nature of Grandview. When his family starts to unravel, the repercussions affect the entire town. Over the course of a single weekend, Sam and his family and friends grapple with decisions they've made (or not made), past wounds, and conflicting desires.



8/4/2015

**Wish Me Luck As You Wave Me Goodbye**

Marius Gabriel

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*Wish Me Luck As You Wave Me Goodbye* is a wonderful sweeping story of three sisters set against the backdrop of WWII.

This eloquently written, emotional novel is full of fantastic characters whose lives interweave and often pull apart violently as each grows into self-knowledge and maturity. The narrative is credibly rooted in the reality of the time.

*Wish Me Luck As You Wave Me Goodbye* tells the story of the three Redcliffe sisters whose lives are turned upside down by the war. The novel opens in Spain in 1936—where all three sisters are trapped between the republican and nationalist lines—and ends in London in 1940.



7/14/2015

**The Girl From Krakow**

Alex Rosenberg

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**It's 1935. Rita Feuerstahl comes to the university in Krakow** intent on enjoying her freedom. But life has other things in store—marriage, a love affair, a child, all in the shadows of the oncoming war.

When the war arrives, Rita is armed with a secret so enormous that it could cost the Allies everything, even as it gives her the will to live. She must find a way both to keep her secret and to survive amid the chaos of Europe at war. Living by her wits among the Germans as their conquests turn to defeat, she seeks a way to prevent the inevitable doom of Nazism from making her one of its last victims. Can her passion and resolve outlast the most powerful evil that Europe has ever seen?



7/7/2015

**Go Away Home**

Carol Bodensteiner

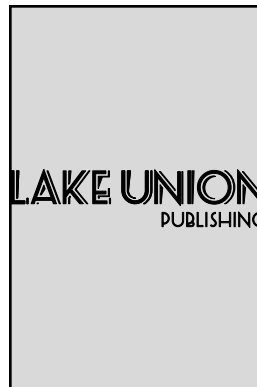
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For an Iowa farm girl in 1913, Liddie Treadway has big dreams.

She yearns to move to town, learn a trade to work as a seamstress, and live on her own. With encouragement from her career-minded Aunt Kate, her goals seem within reach—until her unmarried sister is sent away for becoming pregnant and her father dies in a tragic accident. Now the family needs Liddie more than ever, and she's certain she'll be trapped on the farm for good.

**The Treadways' hired man, Joe Bauer, has dreams of his own: to marry and settle down. But when a woman he's been courting breaks his heart, he leaves Iowa to start over, just as Liddie finally gets her chance to take a seamstress apprenticeship in town . . .**

**Though separated by miles, Liddie's friendship with Joe grows as they write to each other about their new lives. But when Joe returns, will Liddie have to choose between worldly independence and the conventional security of love and family closer to home? Or can she have it all?**



7/14/2015

**Maggie's Turn**

Deanna Lynn Sletten

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On their wedding day, Maggie and Andrew had promised that they would never stop living life to the fullest. But after twenty-three years of marriage, routine has overwhelmed these optimistic aspirations. That is, until Maggie—without forethought or planning—gets in the car and just drives away, leaving behind her indifferent husband and two sulking teenagers.

On the road, Maggie begins a quest of self-exploration: she devotes herself to neglected passions, meets new people, and rediscovers feelings long since forgotten. For the first time in years, she dreams about a future—and wonders whether her deteriorating marriage will survive to be a part of it.

Meanwhile, Andrew must take over the household responsibilities and bridge the growing divide between himself and his children. Slowly he begins to understand what drove Maggie away—and how he **can't bear to live without her. Is it too late? Will Andrew lose Maggie forever?**





6/23/2015

## Sparrow Migrations

Cari Noga

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Audio

January 15, 2009. Hudson River, New York City.

Robby Palmer, a twelve-year-old boy with autism, witnesses the **“Miracle on the Hudson” from a sightseeing ferry and becomes obsessed with the birds that caused the plane crash.**

Passengers Deborah and Christopher are trying to escape their infertility struggle when Flight 1549 plunges them into the icy river. **Preacher’s wife Brett Stevens has hidden a secret for years. She’s aboard the ferry, too, where the eye of a TV camera threatens to expose her.** Their lives intersect in *Sparrow Migrations*, the braided narrative of ordinary people transformed by an extraordinary event—and by each other.

**“The plot lines are sophisticated, the characters intricately drawn, and the book has a remarkably strong voice . . . brimming with humanity and grace.”** —*Publishers Weekly*



6/9/2015

## Mireille

Molly Cochran

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**Near the end of World War II, seventeen-year-old Mireille de Jouarre flees the home of her stepfather, a Nazi collaborator and abusive drunk.**

She finds shelter with her childhood friend Stefan, and the two fall deeply in love. But as the fighting escalates, Mireille must escape **alone to Paris, where she discovers she’s pregnant and lacking a way to provide for her child.**

**So begins her new life as l’Ange—the Angel.** After an unlikely meeting with a wealthy aristocrat in a Parisian hotel—and her acceptance of his solicitation—Mireille becomes the most celebrated poule in all of France, eliciting huge fees and invitations to exclusive parties. At one of these events, Mireille meets Oliver Jordan, an American womanizer and film producer, and is soon launching a promising film career. As her star rises, Mireille is determined to bury her past. But **her success isn’t as carefree and glittery as it seems, and when her daughter’s future is threatened, Mireille must make a deadly decision in a desperate attempt to finally choose her own path.**



6/2/2015

## Pastel Orphans

Gemma Liviero

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**Uniquely told from the perspective of youth plunged into adult chaos, *Pastel Orphans* is a coming-of-age story that explores profound lessons in self-belief, kindness, and human endurance.**

In 1930s Berlin, young Henrik, the son of a Jewish father and Aryan mother, watches the world around him crumbling: people are rioting in the streets, a strange yellow star begins appearing in shop windows, and friends are forced to move—or they simply disappear.

After his father becomes gravely ill, Henrik and his little sister, Greta, are taken by their mother to Poland for safety. However, not even the pastoral surroundings of their new home can protect them from the terrors of war. When the Nazis invade and Greta is kidnapped, Henrik must shed his youthful innocence and search for his lost sister, a quest that will further reveal a harrowing landscape of violence and **struggle—but also unexpected connections.**



6/1/2015

## The Rose Girls

Victoria Connelly

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***The Rose Girls* is an uplifting, tender, and romantic story of courage, perseverance, and the healing power of family.**

Thirty-year-old **Celeste Hamilton’s life is at a crossroads: she has just left a disastrous marriage, and her estranged mother has recently died, leaving the family’s rose business in jeopardy. Reluctantly,** Celeste returns to the family home, a moated manor house in Suffolk, to help her two younger sisters sort out the estate and revive the business.

**Having endured the fallout from her mother’s narcissistic personality disorder when she was younger, Celeste is filled with self-doubt and crippling insecurities.** But she must find the strength and courage to take charge and make some tough decisions to keep the old house from falling down around them.



6/1/2015

### Crow Hollow

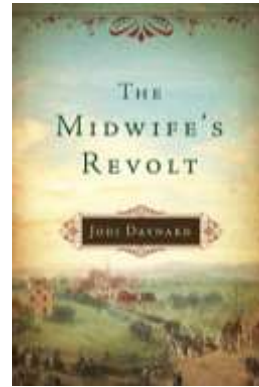
Michael Wallace

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In 1676, an unlikely pair—a young Puritan widow and an English spy—journeys across a land where greed and treachery abound.

Prudence Cotton has recently lost her husband and is desperate to find her daughter, captured by the Nipmuk tribe during King Philip's war. She's convinced her daughter is alive but cannot track her into the wilderness alone. Help arrives in the form of James Bailey, an agent of the crown sent to Boston to investigate the murder of Prudence's husband and to covertly cause a disturbance that would give the king just cause to install royal governors. After his partner is murdered, James needs help too. He strikes a deal with Prudence, and together they traverse the forbidding New England landscape looking for clues. What they confront in the wilderness—and what they discover about each other—could forever change their allegiances and alter their destinies.



4/7/2015

### The Midwife's Revolt

Jodi Daynard

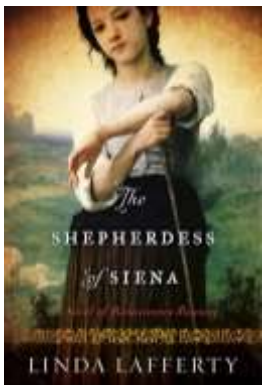
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A novel rich in historical detail, *The Midwife's Revolt* opens a window onto the suffering and sacrificing of colonial women during the American Revolution.

On a dark night in 1775, Lizzie Boylston is awakened by the sound of cannons. From a hill south of Boston, she watches as fires burn in Charlestown, in a battle that she soon discovers has claimed her husband's life.

Alone in a new town, Lizzie grieves privately but takes comfort in her deepening friendship with Abigail Adams. Soon, word spreads of Lizzie's extraordinary midwifery and healing skills, and she begins to channel her grief into caring for those who need her. But when two traveling patriots are poisoned, Lizzie finds herself with far more complicated matters on her hands—she suspects a political plot intended to harm Abigail and her family. Determined to uncover the truth, Lizzie becomes entangled in a conspiracy that could not only destroy her livelihood—and her chance at finding love again—but also lead to the downfall of a new nation.



3/31/2015

### The Shepherdess of Siena: A Novel of Renaissance Tuscany

Linda Lafferty

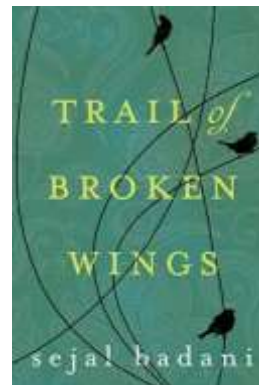
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Bringing alive the rich history of one of Tuscany's most famed cities, this lush, captivating saga by the author of *The Bloodletter's Daughter* draws an illuminating portrait of one girl with an unbreakable spirit.

Raised by her aunt and uncle amid the rolling hills of the Tuscan countryside, young orphan Virginia Tacci has always harbored a deep love for horses—though she knows she may never have the chance to ride. As a shepherdess in sixteenth-century Italy, Virginia's possibilities are doubly limited by her peasant class and her gender. Yet while she tends her flock, Virginia is captivated by the daring equestrian feats of the high-spirited Isabella de' Medici, who rides with the strength and courage of any man, much to the horror of her brother, the tyrannical Gran Duca Francesco de' Medici.

Inspired, the young shepherdess keeps one dream close to her heart: to race in Siena's Palio. Twenty-six years after Florence captured Siena, Virginia's defiance will rally the broken spirit of the Siene people and threaten the pernicious reign of the Gran Duca.



5/1/2015

### Trail of Broken Wings

Sejal Badani

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Told with forceful honesty, *Trail of Broken Wings* reveals the burden of shame and secrets, the toxicity of cruelty and aggression, and the exquisite, liberating power of speaking and owning truth.

When her father falls into a coma, Indian American photographer Sonya reluctantly returns to the family she'd fled years before. Since she left home, Sonya has lived on the run, free of any ties, while her soft-spoken sister, Trisha, has created a perfect suburban life, and her ambitious sister, Marin, has built her own successful career. But as these women come together, their various methods of coping with a terrifying history can no longer hold their memories at bay.

Buried secrets rise to the surface as their father—the victim of humiliating racism and perpetrator of horrible violence—remains unconscious. As his condition worsens, the daughters and their mother wrestle with private hopes for his survival or death, as well as their own demons and buried secrets.



7/1/2015

**The Perfect Son**

Barbara Claypole White

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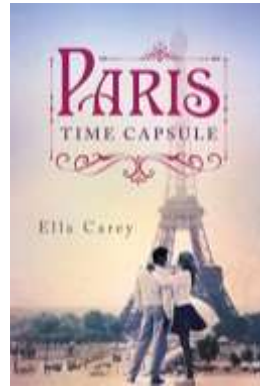
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A riveting story of a family torn apart by conflicting needs and the bonds of love that keep them together.

From a distance, Felix Fitzwilliam, the son of an old English family, is a good husband and father. But, obsessed with order and routine, he's a prisoner to perfection. Disengaged from the emotional life of his North Carolina family, Felix has let his wife, Ella, deal with their special-needs son by herself.

A talented jewelry designer turned full-time mother, Ella is the family rock . . . until her heart attack shatters their carefully structured existence. Now Harry, a gifted teen grappling with the chaos of Tourette's, confronts a world outside his parents' control, one that tests his desire for independence.

As Harry searches for his future, and Ella adapts to the limits of her failing health, Felix struggles with his past and present roles. To prevent the family from being ripped apart, they must each bend with the inevitability of change and reinforce the ties that bind.



5/26/2015

**Paris Time Capsule**

Ella Carey

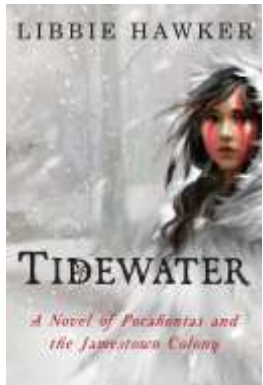
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New York-based photographer Cat Jordan is ready to begin a new life with her successful, button-down boyfriend. But when she learns that she's inherited the estate of a complete stranger—a woman named Isabelle de Florian—her life is turned upside down.

Cat arrives in Paris to find that she is now the owner of a perfectly preserved Belle Époque apartment in the ninth arrondissement, and that the Frenchwoman's family knew nothing about this secret estate. Amid these strange developments, Cat is left with burning questions: Who was Isabelle de Florian? And why did she leave the inheritance to Cat instead of her own family?

As Cat travels France in search of answers, she feels her grasp on her New York life starting to slip. With long-buried secrets coming to light and an attraction to Isabelle de Florian's grandson growing too intense to ignore, Cat will have to decide what to let go of, and what to claim as her own.



5/19/2015

**Tidewater: A Novel of Pocahontas and the Jamestown Colony**

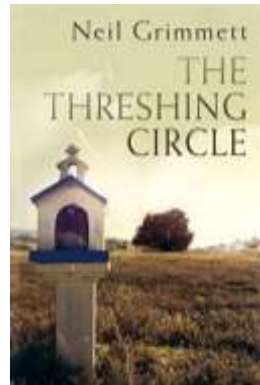
Libbie Hawker

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In 1607, three ships arrive on the coast of Virginia to establish Jamestown Colony. One girl's life—and the lives of her people—are changed forever.

To Pocahontas and her people, the Tidewater is the rightful home of the Powhatan tribe. To England, it is Virginia Territory, fertile with promise, rich with silver and gold. As Jamestown struggles to take root, John Smith knows that the only hope for survival lies with the Powhatan people. He knows, too, that they would rather see the English starve than yield their homeland to invaders. In the midst of this conflict, Pocahontas, the daughter of the great chief, forges an unlikely friendship with Smith. Their bond preserves a wary peace—but control can rest only in one nation's hands. When that peace is broken, Pocahontas must choose between power and servitude—between self and sacrifice—for the sake of her people and her land.



5/12/2015

**The Threshing Circle**

Neil Grimmert

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

On the Greek island of Crete, traditions run deep and there are often secrets that are best left buried. Weaving myth and magic, history and adventure, *The Threshing Circle* is a powerful exploration of honor, betrayal, and revenge.

Visitors Eleni and Patrick seek to uncover the story of a beautiful English woman who was executed on the island during the 1940s Nazi occupation. Their questions begin to unpick a web of forbidden love, betrayal, greed, murder, and vendettas. Then they vanish.

A feisty Scottish woman and an irascible, Zorba-like Greek form a reluctant and unlikely alliance in a race to find them. The journey leads them to remote villages abandoned after decades of vendetta, hidden rituals, and characters good and evil. Very soon though, the hunters become the hunted, as the murderous family behind the original crime seeks to remove all threats to their honor and position of power.



5/12/2015

## Sing for Us

Steven Wise

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Based on a true story, *Sing for Us* is a riveting tale of love and hope in the last days of the Civil War.

During the dying days of the Civil War, Letha Bartlett lovingly tends to the wounded in a Confederate hospital in Richmond, Virginia. A widow herself, her gentle touch and fiercely protective personality bring comfort and courage to the soldiers in her care. When Granville Pollard, a Northerner who spurned his Union father to fight for the Confederacy, enters the ward, Letha is captivated by his cultured bearing and singing voice. Granville has lost both his fiancée and his feet to the war, leaving him emotionally and physically crippled. Together with a gruff patient named Sergeant Crump, Letha mends Granville, restoring his hope for a future. But the war is not over and death hovers, striking a blow that will plunge Letha and Granville into an abyss from which only the most faithful love can save them.



4/21/2015

## The One I Was

Eliza Graham

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From the acclaimed author of *Playing with the Moon* and *Restitution* comes a beautiful and haunting tale of friendship, redemption and forgiveness across generations.

Restless, troubled Rosamond Hunter has spent most of her life running away from the past, filled with guilt about her involuntary role in her mother's death. When her nursing job brings her back to Fairfleet, her childhood home, to care for an elderly refugee, she is forced to confront the ghosts that have haunted her for so long.

Her patient, Benny Gault, first came to Fairfleet, England, in 1939, having fled Nazi Germany on a Kindertransport train. As his health fails, he and Rosamond begin to confide in each other. At first their tentative friendship revolves around the love they both shared for Rosamond's glamorous grandmother, Harriet, but as their trust in each other grows, guilty secrets are exposed and history is turned on its head.



4/21/2015

## Isabella: Braveheart of France

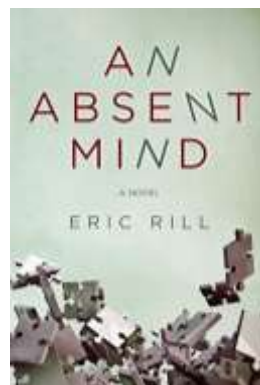
Colin Falconer

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From bestselling author Colin Falconer comes the little-known story of a queen who took control of her destiny—and the throne.

Obey your husband. Make him love you. This is your duty to me and to France.

With these words, King Philippe of France sent Princess Isabella to marry the dashing King Edward of England. She's determined to fulfill her father's injunction, but once wed, the young queen quickly abandons her romantic illusions: her husband has a secret, one that will stand between them and threatens to plunge England into civil war. As lonely Isabella grows into womanhood amid the deadly maelstrom of Edward's court, she rises above her despair and uses her clever mind and political acumen to unite the country. But when tensions with France rise, the young queen faces an impossible choice.



1/13/2015

## An Absent Mind

Eric Rill

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Heartfelt and moving, this lauded novel, winner of 2014 gold medals from the Independent Publisher Book Awards, Readers' Favorite Book Awards, and the Living Now Book Award for Inspirational Fiction, will appeal to fans of Lisa Genova's *Still Alice* or Nicholas Sparks's *The Notebook*.

Seventy-one, and a man used to controlling those around him, Saul struggles to make peace with his disconnected family before Alzheimer's consumes his sanity.

His ramblings, humor, emotions, lucid moments, and confusion are laid bare, as are the thoughts and feelings of his loved ones: his wife, Monique, conflicted and depressed . . . caring, yet angry; his daughter, Florence, compassionate, yet proper and reserved; his son, Joey, self-centered and narcissistic, seemingly indifferent to his family's challenges; and his doctor, an Alzheimer's specialist, who cares for Saul until his final days.

From the beginning Saul and his family know how it has to end. But as they navigate the meandering road that will eventually bring Saul's demise, they leave behind their once disconnected lives and come together to weather their difficult journey.





5/12/2015

## Five Night Stand

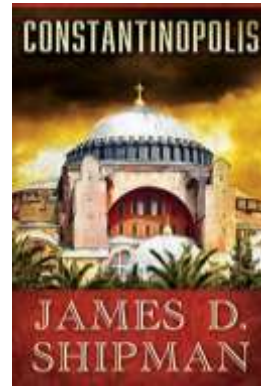
Richard J. Alley

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Over the course of his career, jazz pianist Oliver Pleasant played with all the greats—Miles, Dizzy, Coltrane—and made some of the greatest records of all time. Now, at age eighty-five, **he's come back for one final five-night gig at the basement bar of New York's Conchord Hotel before retiring.**

Agnes Cassady, a jazz pianist herself, is in town from New Orleans and **can't miss a single one of Oliver's shows. Music has long been her only escape from a debilitating neurological disorder that she's certain will kill her before she turns twenty-five.** For her, this is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity in more ways than one.

Recently laid-off journalist Frank Severs has come from Memphis to **write a story about Oliver's last gig, leaving behind a half-finished novel and a fraying marriage.** Both Frank and Agnes find kinship with Oliver and some measure of healing through his music and his compelling life story. Through these newfound connections, Oliver himself begins to **reconcile decades' worth of his own isolation and regret.**



3/10/2015

## Constantinopolis

James D. Shipman

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

An epic historical military adventure, *Constantinopolis* plots out the future of civilization as shaped by a number of fascinating characters, including one leader desperate to save his people from destruction and another determined to lead his nation to glory.

For over a thousand years, the medieval city of Constantinople has been the jewel in the crown of the Roman Empire. Now, the once-mighty metropolis is broken down, with its defensive walls in shambles. Long have the neighboring Turks wanted to claim the city, and Mehmet—the impetuous new Turkish sultan—thinks he and his **legions might finally have their chance. In defiance of his late father's advisors, Mehmet vows to be the first leader in a millennium to wrench Constantinople from the Christians.** He is determined to take the city from the weakened but beloved Emperor Constantine—even if he loses his throne and his life in the process.



7/28/2015

## Going Home: A Novel of the Civil War

James D. Shipman

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

*Cold Mountain* meets John Jakes in this captivating historical Civil War-era novel based on a true story.

From the fields of Ireland to the metropolis of Quebec to the battlefields of Virginia, *Going Home* **follows one man's quest for his place in a world still healing from the wreckage of war.**

Brought to the New World from Ireland, young Joseph Forsyth is soon betrayed by his alcoholic father and separated from his beloved family. As he grows older, he finds his kind nature exploited by others—including an alluring young woman named Lucy—until he gets swept away by the conflict that divides a nation.

After the bloody siege of Petersburg, Joseph floats in and out of consciousness at a Union army hospital. Keeping vigil at his side is Rebecca Walker, a nurse and widow all too familiar with the horrors of war. As Joseph fights for his life and Rebecca struggles to follow her heart, both face a devastating choice: whether to hang on to the wounds of past, or move on to an uncertain future.



4/1/2015

## Helen of Sparta

Amalia Carosella

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

A new take on an ancient myth, *Helen of Sparta* is the story of one woman determined to decide her own fate.

Long before she ran away with Paris to Troy, Helen of Sparta was haunted by nightmares of a burning city under siege. These dreams foretold impending war—a war that only Helen has the power to avert. To do so, she must defy her family and betray her betrothed by fleeing the palace in the dead of night. In need of protection, she finds shelter and comfort in the arms of Theseus, son of Poseidon. With Theseus at her side, she believes she can escape her destiny. But at every turn, new dangers—violence, betrayal, extortion, threat of war—**thwart Helen's plans and bar her path. Still, she refuses to bend to the will of the gods.**





2/17/2015

### Eight Minutes

Lori Reisenbichler

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A page-turning debut women's fiction novel reminiscent of *Gone Girl* (with less violence) and the *Sixth Sense* (with a surprising twist at the end).

On the night that Shelly Buckner finally became a mother, she very nearly became a widow. Her husband, Eric, seriously injured in a car accident on the way to the hospital, was dead for a full eight minutes before being revived—all while Shelly was in labor. Those eight minutes changed everything Shelly thought was possible.

Three years later, their son, Toby, brings home an imaginary friend. **But he's no ordinary playmate**—John Robberson is a fighter pilot and Vietnam vet. **As Toby provides unlikely details about John's life**—and **Toby's tantrums increase**—Shelly becomes convinced that John was real and now wants something from Toby. But her husband has his doubts, and as Shelly becomes involved, even obsessed, with finding out the truth, their marriage begins to disintegrate. Torn between protecting her child and keeping the peace with her husband, Shelly desperately searches for a way to finally put John Robberson out of their lives.



3/17/2015

### A Wilder Rose: A Novel

Susan Wittig Albert

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A vivid account of a great literary deception, *A Wilder Rose* is a spellbinding tale of a complicated mother-daughter relationship set against the brutal backdrop of the Great Depression.

The Little House books, which chronicled the pioneer adventures of Laura Ingalls Wilder, are among the most beloved books in the American literary canon. Lesser known is the secret, concealed for decades, of how they came to be. Now, bestselling author Susan Wittig Albert reimagines the fascinating story of Laura's daughter, Rose Wilder Lane, an intrepid world traveler and writer who returned to her parents' Ozark farm, Rocky Ridge, in 1928. There she began a collaboration with her mother on the pioneer stories that would captivate generations of readers around the world.

Despite the books' success, Rose's involvement would remain a secret long after both women died.



3/17/2015

### The Godforsaken Daughter

Christina McKenna

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From the bestselling author of *The Misremembered Man* and *The Disenchanted Widow* comes a new novel set in a small town in Northern Ireland.

When Ruby Clare's father was alive, they happily toiled together on their small dairy farm in Northern Ireland. Since his death seven months ago, Ruby—thirty-three years old, plain, and plump—has become a veritable drudge for Martha, her endlessly critical mother. **Then comes the day when Ruby finds her late grandmother's old suitcase in the attic.** Among its strange contents: a slim, handmade volume called *The Book of Light*.

The deeper Ruby delves into its mysterious pages, the more confident she feels. But Martha, convinced that her newly empowered daughter must be possessed, enlists the help of psychiatrist Henry Shevlin.

**Henry is unflappable on the surface, yet inwardly he's reeling from his wife's unexplained disappearance the year before. As Ruby undergoes therapy alongside other local patients, including lonely bachelor farmer Jamie McCloone, all their lives intersect in unexpected ways.** And Ruby, alone for so long, finds the courage to connect—with Jamie, with Henry, and with her own loving, indomitable spirit.



3/24/2015

### Repeat

Neal Pollack

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A humorous satire about a man who keeps repeating the first forty years of his life.

Through strange metaphysical circumstances, failed screenwriter Brad Cohen finds himself caught in an infinite time loop, forced to **relive the first forty years of his life again and again.** Each "repeat," Brad wakes up in the womb on what was supposed to be his fortieth birthday, with full knowledge of what's come before. In various timelines, he becomes a successful political pundit, a game-show champion, a playboy, and a master manipulator of the stock market, but none of them seem to lead him out of his predicament. As he realizes he wants to break out of the loop and find the love of his life—the one he hadn't appreciated the first time around—Brad tries, fails, and tries again to escape the eternal cycle of birth and rebirth.

*Repeat* answers the question: If you could live half your life over, would you do things differently? Be careful what you wish for! Repeating is enough to drive a dude crazy.



2/1/2015

## Miramont's Ghost

Elizabeth Hall

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**Reminiscent of Daphne du Maurier's *Rebecca***, this hauntingly atmospheric tale is inspired by historical research into the real-life Miramont Castle in Manitou Springs, Colorado.

Miramont Castle, built in 1897 and mysteriously abandoned three years later, is home to many secrets. Only one person knows the truth: Adrienne Beauvier, granddaughter of the Comte de Challembelles and cousin to the man who built the castle.

**Clairvoyant from the time she could talk, Adrienne's visions show her the secrets** of those around her. When her visions begin to reveal dark mysteries of her own aristocratic French family, Adrienne is confronted by her formidable Aunt Marie, who is determined to keep the young woman silent at any cost. Marie wrenches Adrienne from her home in France and takes her to America, to Miramont Castle, where she keeps the girl isolated and imprisoned. Surrounded by eerie premonitions, Adrienne is locked in a life-or-death struggle to learn the truth and escape her torment.



1/27/2015

## A Love Most Dangerous

Martin Lake

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*A Love Most Dangerous* is a stunning new historical fiction novel from the author of *The Lost King: Resistance*.

Her beauty was a blessing . . . and a dangerous burden . . .

As a Maid of Honor at the court of King Henry VIII, beautiful Alice Petherton receives her share of admirers. But when the powerful, philandering Sir Richard Rich attempts to seduce her, she knows she cannot thwart his advances for long. She turns to the most powerful man in England for protection: the King himself.

**As beautiful as she is intelligent, Alice easily captures the King's interest. He takes her to bed on the day of his son Edward's birth. But the King is capricious, and he casts out Alice when Queen Jane dies. Although Alice knows well the risk of becoming the King's wife, it isn't long before she charms her way back into court and the King's heart. The challenge is remaining his favorite while avoiding the dangers of becoming his next bride.**

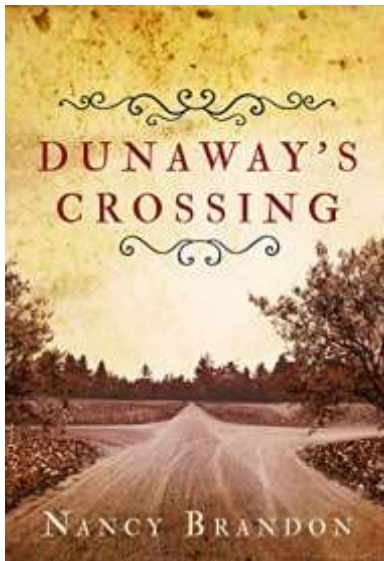
Reveling in her newfound power, Alice soon forgets that enemies lurk behind every corner at court . . . and there are some who are eagerly plotting her fall . . .

1/6/2015

## Dunaway's Crossing

Nancy Brandon

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A sweeping Southern tale of hope and betrayal, love and loss, *Dunaway's Crossing* is a moving testament to the strength of the human spirit.

Bea Dot Ferguson has a life many in Savannah envy: a wealthy husband, a luxurious house, a baby on the way. But appearances are deceiving. To hide a **terrible secret, Bea Dot married a man she didn't love**—only to suffer his brutality later on. When her cousin Netta invites her for a visit in rural Pineview, Georgia, **Bea Dot jumps at the chance to escape. But she soon learns she's traded** one perilous situation for another—Pineview has been infected with deadly Spanish influenza. As the epidemic escalates, Bea Dot and Netta must fight for survival. With the help of Will Dunaway, a recently returned Great War veteran, Bea Dot draws upon strength she never knew she had. As she and Will desperately try to avoid contagion, their mutual attraction grows, making them **both the target of her husband's wrath.**

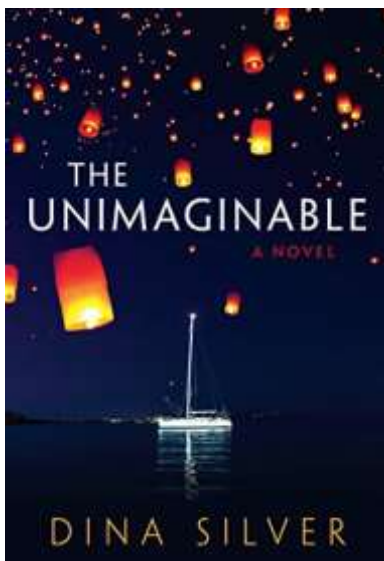
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## The Unimaginable

Dina Silver

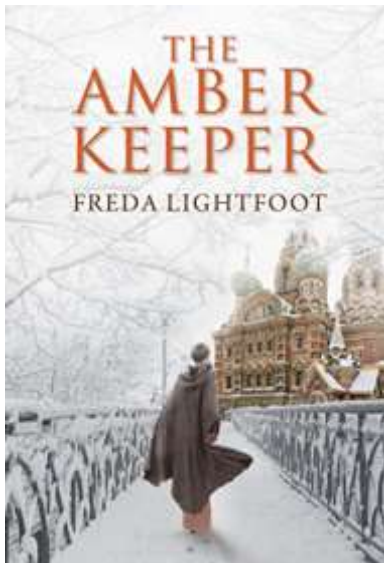
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From the author of *One Pink Line* comes a story about letting go of the past and finding bravery in the depths of fear. Set on the sun-soaked beaches of Thailand and the rough waters of the Indian Ocean, *The Unimaginable* paints a vivid portrait of a young woman on a journey to find herself—and her harrowing fight for survival.

After twenty-eight years of playing by the rules, Jessica Gregory moves from her small Indiana town to Phuket, Thailand. But her newfound routine is upended with the arrival of Grant Flynn, a captivating, elusive man who is sailing around the world while trying to move on from a past tragedy. Jessica volunteers to help **crew Grant's boat, *Imagine***, on a passage across the Indian Ocean and finds herself falling in love with him as the voyage gets underway. But when disaster strikes, Jessica must summon her courage as the crew is confronted by unspeakable terrors—and, aboard a boat named for such promise, comes the unimaginable.



11/4/2014

## The Amber Keeper

Freda Lightfoot

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Set against the backdrops of the English Lake District in the 1960s and the upheavals of revolutionary Russia, *The Amber Keeper* is a sweeping tale of jealousy, revenge, reconciliation, and forgiveness.

**After her mother's suicide, Abbie Myers returns home to the Lake District with her young child—and no wedding ring.** Estranged from her turbulent family for many years, Abbie is heartbroken when she hears that they blame her for this tragedy.

**Determined to uncover her mother's past, Abbie approaches her beloved grandmother Millie in search of answers.** The old woman reveals the story of how she traveled to Russia in 1911 as a young governess and became caught up in the revolution.

As Abbie struggles to reconcile with her family, and to support herself and her child, she realizes that those long-ago events created aftershocks that threaten to upset the fragile peace she longs to create.



9/16/2014

## The Quaker Café

Brenda Bevan Remmes

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A debut novel brimming with Southern heart about a small North Carolina town where, despite its tumultuous history and secrets, the neighbors rise each morning and meet at the Quaker Café.

When Liz Hoole, a free-spirited liberal from the Midwest, marries into a conservative Quaker family, she knows that raising children in compliance with Quaker values will be challenging. Twenty-five years later, she still feels like **she's falling short of expectations. Fortunately, her faith and her friends in the small, rural North Carolina town of Cedar Branch keep her strong.**

**After her best friend's politically powerful father dies, Liz stumbles upon secrets** from the past that threaten to unravel the current harmony in Cedar Branch, a town with a history of racial tension. As she researches more and eavesdrops on gossip at the Quaker Café, where everyone meets each morning, Liz soon discovers the truth about an injustice that she cannot reveal to anyone—not even her husband.

Surrounded by a cast of richly drawn Southern characters, Liz learns that even good people can make bad choices.





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## Hello Love

Karen McQuestion

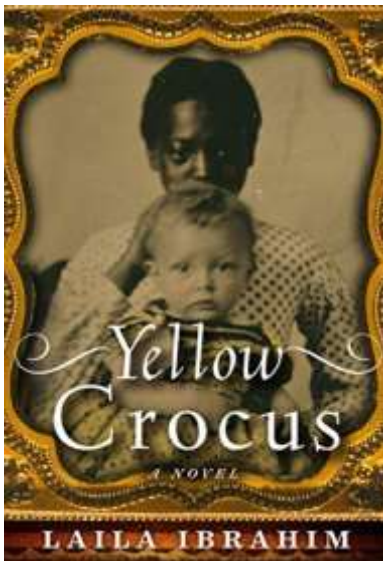
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From the bestselling author of *The Long Way Home* comes a charming novel about loss and the faith that restores broken lives.

A year after the death of his wife, Christine, Dan is barely holding on. But one thing gets him through the long, lonely nights and that is his cherished dog, Anni. When she is stolen from his front yard, Dan and his daughter, Lindsay, are devastated. Meanwhile, in another part of town, Andrea Keller is recovering from the heartbreak of a messy divorce. After she rescues a defenseless dog from an abusive tenant, her life changes in ways she never could have anticipated.

Dan and Andrea cross paths again and again, only to keep missing each other and the opportunity of a lifetime. As Anni works to find her way home, can she bring together these two lost souls desperately in need of a second chance at happiness?



8/19/2014

## Yellow Crocus

Laila Ibrahim

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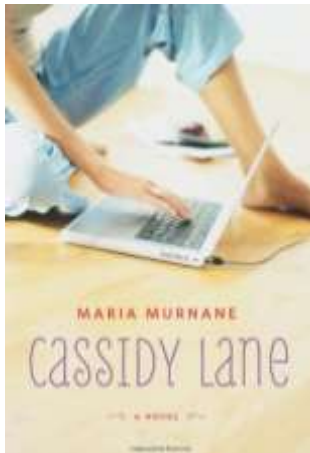
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A compelling novel set in the antebellum South, *Yellow Crocus* is a rich, evocative tale of love, loss, and redemption between an enslaved black woman, her privileged white charge, and their fight for freedom.

**Moments after Lisbeth is born, she's taken from her mother and handed over to an enslaved wet nurse, Mattie, a young mother separated from her own infant son in order to care for her tiny charge. Thus begins an intense relationship that will shape both of their lives for decades to come.**

Though Lisbeth leads a life of privilege, she finds nothing but loneliness in the company of her overwhelmed mother and her distant, slave-owning father. As she grows older, Mattie becomes more like family to Lisbeth than her own kin **and the girl's visits to the slaves' quarters**—and their lively and loving community—bring them closer together than ever. But can two women in such disparate circumstances form a bond like theirs without consequence? This deeply moving tale of unlikely love traces the journey of these very different women as each searches for freedom and dignity.





3/4/2014

### Cassidy Lane

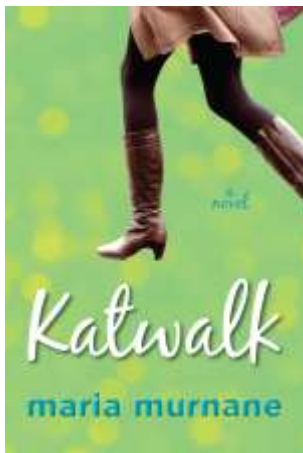
Maria Murnane

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**Filled with Murnane's trademark wit and optimism, a charming cast of secondary characters, and loads of heart, *Cassidy Lane* will have you cheering for its heroine down to the very last delightful word.**

Bestselling author Cassidy Lane walks into her twentieth high school reunion with several novels under her belt, but no date on her arm, and deep down she still feels like the smart girl no one asked to the prom. Then handsome Brandon Forrester confesses his teenage crush, and soon Cassidy finds herself swept up in a modern-day fairy-tale romance not unlike the tales she spins for a living. While their relationship blossoms, however, the new book she's writing isn't going as well, and for the first time in her career she considers crafting an ending that doesn't include a proverbial walk into the sunset. Contemplating the simultaneous reversal of her own romantic fortune and that of her protagonist's is daunting, but maybe it's time for both her writing and her personal life to take a new path. Or is it?



8/12/2014

### Katwalk

Maria Murnane

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**From the bestselling author who brought us *Perfect on Paper* and *Cassidy Lane* comes the tale of a young woman who wakes up one day and decides to start over.**

Katrina Lynden has always walked a straight line in life, an approach that has resulted in a stable career, and pleased her hard-nosed parents, but that has also left her feeling unfulfilled—and miserable. When her best friend suggests they quit their Silicon Valley jobs and embark on two months of adventure in New York City, Katrina balks at the idea but ultimately agrees, terrified yet proud of herself for finally doing something interesting with her life. But when her friend has to back out at the last minute, Katrina finds herself with a tough decision to make. Much to her surprise, she summons the courage to go alone, and the resulting journey changes everything. Along the way she makes new friends, loses others, learns what is really important to her, and finds a way to grow up without leaving herself behind.



2/24/2015

### Wait for the Rain

Maria Murnane

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**Daphne White is staring down the barrel of forty—and is distraught at what she sees. Her ex-husband is getting remarried, her teenage daughter hardly needs her anymore, and the career she once dreamed about has somehow slipped from her grasp. She's almost lost sight of the spirited and optimistic young woman she used to be.**

As she heads off to a Caribbean island to mark the new decade with her best friends from college, Daphne's in anything but the mood to celebrate. But when she meets Clay Hanson, a much younger man, she ignores her inner voice warning her that she's too old for a fling. In fact, this tropical getaway might be the perfect opportunity to picture her future in a new sun-drenched light.

With the help of her friends, Daphne rediscovers her enthusiasm for life, as well as her love for herself—and realizes that her best years are still ahead.

## Tales of Ancient Rome

Marriage, betrayal, and two ancient cultures at war.



4/28/2015

### The Wedding Shroud (Book One)

Elisabeth Storrs

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### The Golden Dice (Book Two)

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### Call to Juno (Book Three)

Elisabeth Storrs

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In 406 BC, to seal a tenuous truce, the young Roman Caecilia is wedded to Vel Mastarna, an Etruscan nobleman from Veii. Leaving her militaristic homeland, Caecilia is determined to remain true to Roman virtues while living among the sinful Etruscans. But, despite her best intentions, she is seduced by a culture that offers women education, independence, sexual freedom, and an empowering religion.

Enchanted by Veii but terrified of losing ties to Rome, Caecilia performs rites to delay becoming a mother, thereby postponing true entanglement. Yet as she develops an **unexpected love for Mastarna, she's torn** between her birthplace and the city in which she now lives. As war looms, Caecilia discovers Fate is not so easy to control, and she must choose where her allegiance lies.

During a bitter siege between Rome and the Etruscan city of Veii, three women follow different paths to survive.

Caecilia, Roman born but Etruscan wed, forsakes Rome to return to her husband, Vel Mastarna, exposing herself to the enmity of his people while knowing the Romans will give **her a traitor's death if Veii falls. Semni, a reckless Etruscan servant in the House of Mastarna, embroils herself in schemes that threaten Caecilia's son and Semni's own chance for love. Pinna, a destitute Roman prostitute, uses coercion to gain the attention of Rome's greatest general at the risk of betraying Caecilia's cousin.**

Each woman struggles to protect herself and those whom she loves in the dark cycle of war. What must they do to challenge Fate? And will they ever live in peace again?

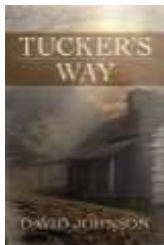
The third book in the sweeping Tale of Ancient Rome series.

Praise for *The Wedding Shroud* (Book One):

"Elisabeth Storrs gives us a complex heroine, grappling with issues of spirituality and culture in ways that are non-cliché and refreshing." —Elizabeth Jane, *Historical Novels Review*

## The Tucker Series

A captivating family saga of struggle and survival set in the rural South.



12/9/2014

### Tucker's Way (Book One)

David Johnson

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After enduring a childhood of horrific abuse and crushing poverty, Tucker seeks refuge in her rural Tennessee home. The three grandchildren she is raising are her only connection to the outside, and her demeanor is purposefully rough. But her world is turned upside down when a new neighbor, Ella, moves into the old McDaniel place next door.



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### An Unexpected Frost (Book Two)

David Johnson

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In the second installment of the gripping Tucker series, Tucker faces the biggest crisis of her life. Tucker has finally overcome a lifelong fear of trusting others and let her kind neighbor, Ella, into her heart. Despite their different backgrounds, Tucker and Ella share a deep affection and, together with their good friend Smiley Carter, they support one **another and care for Tucker's three troubled grandchildren.**



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### April's Rain (Book Three)

David Johnson

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Eight years after losing her closest friend, Tucker struggles to keep her rebellious, self-destructive granddaughter under control. When April accidentally kills her boyfriend defending herself from his attack, Judge Jack helps Tucker ferry her granddaughter away to Spirit Lake, a remote treatment facility in the mountains of eastern Tennessee. There, April creates a false identity, painting herself as a young socialite, and **blocking Tucker's attempts at communication.**



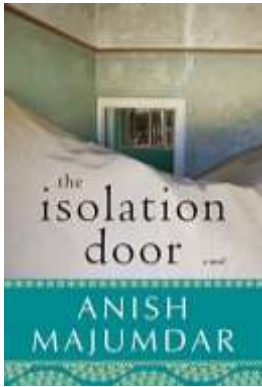
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### March On (Book Four)

David Johnson

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In the fourth book of the Tucker series, **Tucker's grandson March is** at a crossroads as he tries to reconcile his troubled past with his hopeful future. Debbie has given March her heart completely, and though he loves her desperately, he struggles to fully commit to her.



11/25/2014

## The Isolation Door

Anish Majumdar

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For most of his twenty-three years, Neil Kapoor has been **desperate to move beyond the shadow of his mother's schizophrenia.**

Once he enters drama school, he finally has the chance to find his place in the world. Surrounded by a group of students who, like him, have complex emotional needs, Neil falls in love with Emily, a lovely young woman dealing with her own demons.

But keeping two worlds hidden from each other proves to be too great a task for the emotionally fragile Neil. After his mother experiences yet another breakdown, he must confront the painful reality of how his father, his aunt, and the doctors have dealt with her illness over the years, each in their own flawed way. And as his beloved mother falls farther into darkness, he will have to make the most difficult choice of his life: uniting with his family, or breaking free from them forever.



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## The Towers of Tuscany

Carol M. Cram

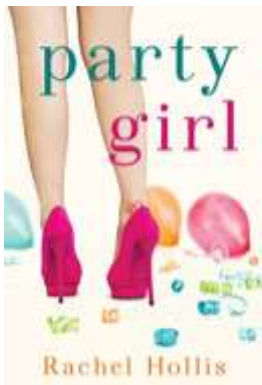
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Meticulously researched settings and compelling characters are united with a strong heroine in this rich portrait of medieval Italy.

**Sofia is trained in secret as a painter in her father's workshop during a time when women did not paint openly.** She loves her work, but her restless spirit leads her to betray her extraordinary gifts to marry a man who comes to despise her for not producing a son.

**After Sofia's father is crushed by his own fresco during an attack motivated by a vendetta,** Sofia realizes she must escape her loveless marriage. She flees to Siena, where, disguised as a boy, she paints again. When her work attracts the notice of a nobleman who discovers the woman under the dirty smock, Sofia is faced with a choice that nearly destroys her.



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## Party Girl

Rachel Hollis

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*The Devil Wears Prada* meets *Bridget Jones* in this witty roman à clef set in the cutthroat world of Hollywood party planning.

Landon Brinkley is making her dreams come true. After years of poring over glossy photos of celebrity parties in *People* and *Us Weekly*, she's landed her holy grail: an internship with the fabulous Selah Smith, event planner to the Hollywood elite. Moving from small town Texas to Los Angeles, Landon finds herself in a world in which spending a million dollars on an event—even for kids' birthdays—is de rigueur. The thrill of working on A-list parties and celeb weddings is enough to get her through the seventy-five-hour workweeks, the nightmare of a multi-day film festival, and abuse at the hands of a mercurial boss. But confronted with the seamy realities of the business, she is forced to make a choice: do whatever it takes to get ahead, or stay true to herself.



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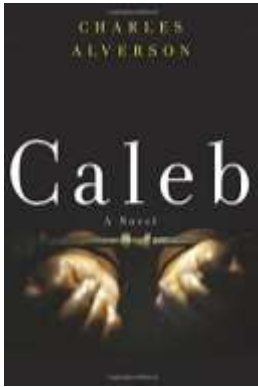
## Sweet Girl

Rachel Hollis

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**Max Jennings is in a bad mood. It's not anything you did; it's just that secrets from her past make it her natural state of being. But she's not going to talk about it or share her feelings, so don't bother asking.**

**Max's bad mood means that very few people actually truly understand her or know that her secret dream is to be a pastry chef.** When a rare opportunity to work for world-famous Avis Phillips presents itself, **Max jumps at the chance. Avis and her staff aren't stingy with the tough love,** so Max spends every spare minute practicing her craft. As she bakes brownies and custards, cookies and galettes, she builds an unlikely friendship with a man she once loathed and finds herself **falling into something she's spent the last six years avoiding.** Will she let her painful past stand in the way, or will she muster the strength to forgive herself and realize her full potential?



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## Caleb

Charles Alverson

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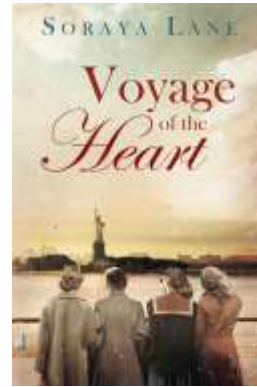
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**“You don’t want to buy me. I’ll kill the man who buys me.”**

Despite that outrageous threat, plantation owner Boyd Jardine buys Caleb and puts him to work in the fields. But soon Jardine discovers that his new slave is both better educated and more widely traveled than himself. When Jardine’s pregnant wife dies and Caleb saves the unborn child, Jardine grows increasingly dependent on him not only as a servant but also as a companion—and so their relationship as master and slave begins to change.

As the Civil War looms and Caleb’s thirst for freedom grows, Jardine reluctantly agrees to let the slave buy his freedom. Caleb has no money, but Jardine comes up with a scheme: Caleb can earn the price of freedom by fighting—and winning—boxing matches. But—in an ever more turbulent political climate—even if Caleb makes enough to purchase his freedom, what then? Freedom papers don’t mean much in a state of war.

Set against a conflict that threatens to split a nation, Caleb’s story is both tragic and triumphant.



11/18/2014

## Voyage of the Heart

Soraya Lane

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From bestselling author Soraya Lane comes a story of friendship, love, and heartbreak at the end of World War II.

1945: Along with hundreds of other war brides, Betty, Madeline, Alice, and June set sail for New York to be with the men they love.

In the days they spend at sea, the four young women become firm friends and vow to stay in touch no matter what their new lives bring.

Life in a new country comes with many challenges, but Betty, Madeline, Alice, and June didn’t move half way across the world to give up without a fight. As their love is tested, the one thing they can count on is the friendship they forged while crossing the Atlantic.



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## The Leaving of Things

Jay Antani

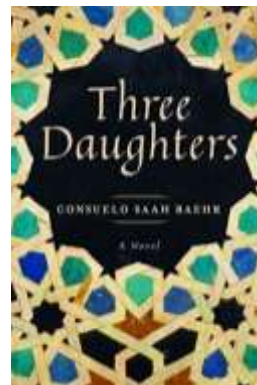
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Winner of the 2014 International Book Award for Multicultural Fiction  
2014 Kindle Book Award Winner

Vikram is not your model Indian-American teenager. Rebellious and adrift in late 1980s Wisconsin, he is resentful of his Indian roots and has no clue what he wants from his future—other than to escape his family’s life of endless moving and financial woes. But after a drunken weekend turns disastrous, Vikram’s outraged parents decide to pack up the family and return to India—permanently.

So begins a profound journey of self-discovery as Vikram, struggling with loneliness, culture shock, and the chaos of daily Indian life, finds his creativity awakened by a new romance and an old camera. His artistic gifts bring him closer to a place and family he barely knew. But a devastating family crisis challenges Vikram’s sense of his destiny, hurtling him toward a crossroads where he must make the fateful choice between India, the land of his soul, and America, the land of his heart.



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## Three Daughters

Consuelo Saah Baehr

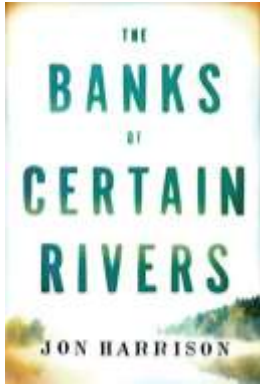
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This sweeping, stirring saga spanning 1883 to 1957 chronicles the lives of three Palestinian Christian women: **Miriam Mishwe; her daughter, Nadia; and Nadia’s adopted child, Nijmeh**, each fated to struggle with the competing claims of loyalty to family and love for a man.

Growing up in the Palestinian village of Tamleh, near Jerusalem, Miriam submits to an arranged marriage with her cousin, Nadeem. Though her feelings for him deepen, he is conscripted by the Turks, and in his absence Miriam becomes passionately involved with Max Broder, a German physician whom she reluctantly leaves when Nadeem returns, badly injured. Miriam bears Max’s child, Nadia, who also grows up to fall in love with a foreigner, but their romance, in turn, is thwarted by Miriam’s vehement disapproval. The cycle continues with the orphaned Nijmeh, rescued from a plane wreck by Nadia, but Nadia’s interference in her daughter’s life results in terrible upheaval and tragedy. Of Palestinian Christian descent herself, Baehr writes grippingly of the clash between twentieth-century values and the traditions of a proud, ancient land.





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## The Banks of Certain Rivers

Jon Harrison

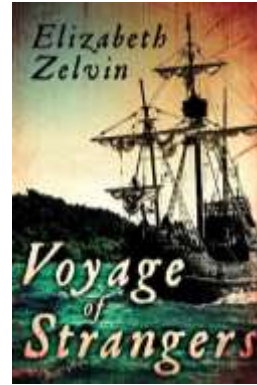
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**Jon Harrison's** *The Banks of Certain Rivers* is a powerful tale of family, loss, and the meaning of love.

In the Michigan resort town of Port Manitou, dedicated teacher and running coach Neil Kazenzakis shoulders responsibilities that would break a lesser man: a tragic accident has left his wife seriously debilitated, he cares for his mother-in-law who suffers from dementia, and he's raising his teenage son, Chris, on his own. On top of all that, he's also secretly been seeing Lauren, his mother-in-law's caregiver.

When Neil breaks up a fight one day after school, he doesn't give the altercation much thought. He's got bigger issues on his mind, like the fact that Lauren is ready for a commitment and he has to figure out a way to tell Chris that he's in a serious relationship with someone other than the boy's mother. But when an anonymous person uploads a video of the fight to YouTube, the stunning footage suggests Neil assaulted a student. With his job, his family, and his reputation suddenly in jeopardy, Neil must prove his innocence and win back the trust of the entire community—including his son's.



9/30/2014

## Voyage of Strangers

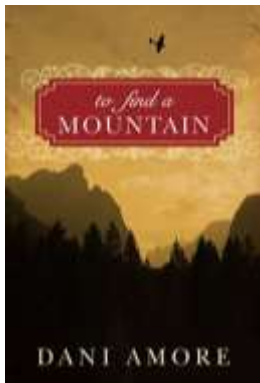
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**This unflinching look at Columbus's exploration and its terrible cost to the native Taíno people introduces two valiant young people who struggle against the inevitable destruction of paradise.**

The year is 1493, and young Jewish sailor Diego Mendoza has returned from Columbus's triumphant first voyage with tales of lush landscapes, rivers running with gold, and welcoming locals. But back home in Spain, Diego finds the Inquisition at its terrifying peak, and he must protect his spirited sister, Rachel, from betrayal and death. Disguising herself as a boy, Rachel sneaks onto Columbus's second expedition, bound for the new lands they call the Indies. As the Spaniards build their first settlements and search for gold, Diego and Rachel fall in love with the place, people, and customs. Still forced to hide their religious faith and Rachel's true identity, the brother and sister witness the Spaniards' devastation of the island in their haste to harvest riches.



10/28/2014

## To Find a Mountain

Dani Amore

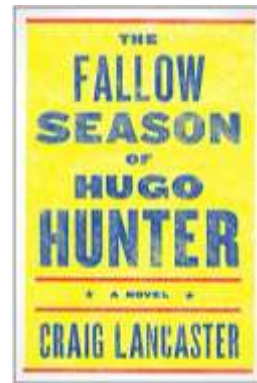
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**Benedetta Carlessimo is no stranger to hardship.** Ever since her mother died, the sixteen-year-old Italian girl has cared for her rambunctious younger siblings without complaint. Then World War II arrives on her doorstep, leaving her face-to-face with the most terrible evil she has ever witnessed.

With the Germans and Americans fighting furiously to control a strategic swath of Italy, Nazi forces seize Benedetta's village, turning her home into a command center—and forcing her beloved father to choose between fleeing or fighting on the front lines.

In the midst of great deprivation, Benedetta struggles to feed both her family and the Nazis, all the while keeping her father's whereabouts secret. Yet her blossoming love for a handsome young Italian man hiding in the mountains brings a sliver of joy to her life. But with the Americans advancing and the Germans growing increasingly desperate and cruel, Benedetta knows that one misstep could bring horrible repercussions . . . and only an extraordinary act of courage can save her family.



11/1/2014

## The Fallow Season of Hugo Hunter

Craig Lancaster

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**From the bestselling author of 600 Hours of Edward comes the story of a boxer and a sportswriter whose fates are inextricably linked.**

Hugo Hunter, a would-be champion who never quite made it, is on his last legs. Thirty-seven years old, soft around the middle, and broke, he's plummeted from his glory days of title fights to small-time bouts against brawlers and punks. Watching ringside for nearly twenty years has been Mark Westerly, a sportswriter who has struggled to keep a professional distance from the man whose life and career have become enmeshed with his own tumultuous trajectory. Hugo and Mark share a history that runs deep and has at times gotten ugly. As Hugo lands on the ropes again, Mark steps in to try to save him—and unburdens himself of long-held secrets regarding Hugo's past. But can these two men, who've lived so long under the weight of their own tragedies, finally help each other find redemption?





11/11/2014

## Stillwater Rising

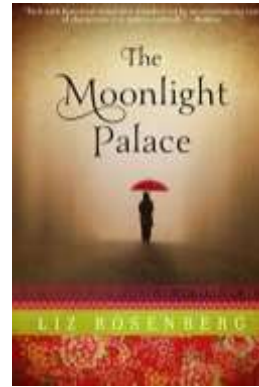
Steena Holmes

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After losing her son in an elementary school shooting that devastates the tight-knit community of Stillwater Bay, Jennifer Crowne finds herself unable to settle back into her role of perfect stay-at-home mom and committee organizer.

Meanwhile, Jennifer's best friend, Mayor Charlotte Stone, struggles to keep the town together, and Charlotte's husband, the school principal, may not be the hero everyone thinks him to be. As they try to heal from this irrevocable trauma, Jenn and Charlotte find themselves at a crossroads—within the town and within their friendship. For Jenn, broken and grieving, there is no going back, and she demands that the school be closed so that she can bury the past. Yet Charlotte is equally desperate to hold the town together, fighting the school closure and helping the shooter's mother regain her place in the community. Jenn and Charlotte's relationship is put to the ultimate test as each weighs her own interests against the bonds of their friendship.



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## The Moonlight Palace

Liz Rosenberg

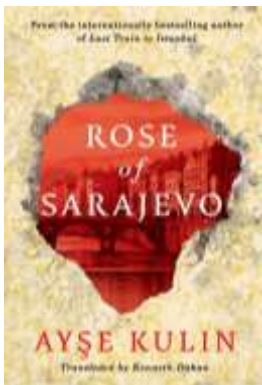
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*The Moonlight Palace* is a coming-of-age tale rich with historical detail and unforgettable characters set against the backdrop of dazzling 1920s Singapore.

Agnes Hussein, descendant of the last sultan of Singapore and the last surviving member of her immediate family, has grown up among her eccentric relatives in the crumbling Kampong Glam palace, a once-opulent relic given to her family in exchange for handing over Singapore to the British.

Now Agnes is seventeen and her family has fallen into genteel poverty, surviving on her grandfather's pension and the meager income they receive from a varied cast of boarders. As outside forces conspire to steal the palace out from under them, Agnes struggles to save her family and finds bravery, love, and loyalty in the most unexpected places.



8/26/2014

## Rose of Sarajevo

Ayşe Kulin

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A moving drama set against the backdrop of the crisis that rocked the Balkans in the 1990s, *Rose of Sarajevo* reveals the tremendous lengths people will go to in the name of love. From the internationally bestselling author of *Last Train to Istanbul*, *Rose of Sarajevo* was originally written in Turkish and translated into English by Kenneth Dakan.

Ever since Nimeta was a child, she'd done exactly what was expected of her. She married a responsible man she met in college, had two children, and established a busy journalism career—and there was no reason to think anything would ever change. Then one day, while reporting on a protest in Zagreb, Nimeta's life takes a dramatic turn. Not only does she lay eyes on a handsome reporter who captures her heart, but a little-known politician by the name of Slobodan Milošević delivers a speech fanning the flames of long-dormant Serbian nationalism. As her love affair intensifies and political tensions build, Nimeta is forced to reconsider everything she thought she knew about family, love, loyalty, and humanity itself. Navigating both the new landscape of her heart and that of her beloved war-torn city, Nimeta must draw upon her deepest reserves of inner strength to keep her family safe.



8/12/2014

## What Might Have Been

Matt Dunn

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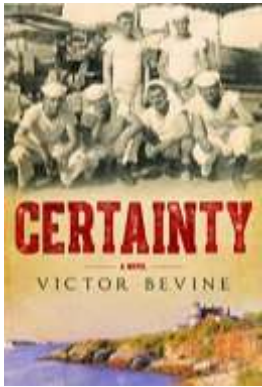
From the bestselling author of *A Day at the Office*, *What Might Have Been* is Matt Dunn's new romantic comedy about two people in love. Though one of them needs a little convincing . . .

A year ago, Evan and Sarah shared one incredible night. Then Evan's music—the thing that brought them together—suddenly tore them apart.

Since then, Evan's not been able to forget about her. And try as she might, Sarah can't seem to get over him either.

With time running out, Evan's got one last chance to convince her that the two of them were meant to be. But is one night enough for Sarah to make a decision about the rest of her life—even if it was the best night of her life? And if she doesn't believe in love at first sight, how can Evan persuade her that what they had will last?

"An addictive page-turner of a story, with laugh-out-loud moments and genuine heart-warming characters."—*Handwrittengirl*



10/21/2014

## Certainty

Victor Bevine

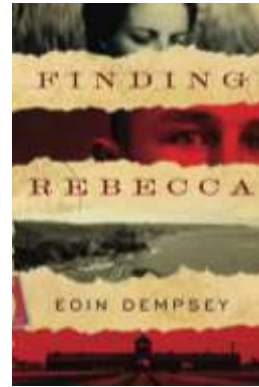
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Based on real-life events, *Certainty* recalls a war-torn era when the line between right and wrong became dangerously blurred.

As World War I draws to a close, the population of Newport, Rhode Island, seems to double overnight when twenty-five thousand rowdy seamen descend on the Naval Training Station. Drinking, prostitution, and other depravities follow the sailors, transforming the upscale town into what many residents—including young lawyer William Bartlett, whose genteel family has lived in Newport for generations—consider to be a moral cesspool.

When sailors accuse a beloved local clergyman of sexual impropriety, William feels compelled to fight back. He agrees to defend the minister against the shocking allegations, despite facing dire personal and professional consequences. But when the trial grows increasingly sensational, and when outrageous revelations echo all the way from Newport to the federal government, William must confront more than just the truth—he must confront the very nature of good and evil.



10/28/2014

## Finding Rebecca

Eoin Dempsey

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Nothing could keep Christopher and Rebecca apart: not her abusive parents, or even the fiancé she brought home after running away to England. But when World War II finally strikes the island of Jersey, the Nazi invaders ship Rebecca **to Europe as part of Hitler's Final Solution against the Jewish population.**

After Christopher and his family are deported back to their native Germany, he volunteers for the Nazi SS, desperate to save the woman he loves. He is posted to Auschwitz and finds himself put in control of the money stolen from the victims of the gas chambers. As Christopher searches for Rebecca, he struggles to not only maintain his cover, but also the grip on his soul. Managing the river of tainted money flowing through the horrific world of Auschwitz may give him unexpected opportunities. But will it give him the strength to accept a brave new fate that could change his life—and others' lives—forever?



7/22/2014

## Take Me With You

Catherine Ryan Hyde

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From bestselling author Catherine Ryan Hyde, *Take Me With You* is a journey of the heart in which an alcoholic reeling from the loss of his son finally faces his pain—and forges a path to redemption.

August Shroeder, a burned-out teacher, has been sober since his nineteen-year-old son died. Every year he's spent the summer on the road, but making it to Yellowstone this year means everything. The plan had been to travel there with his son, but now August is making the trip with Philip's ashes instead.

An unexpected twist of fate lands August with two extra passengers for his journey, two half-orphans with nowhere else to go.

What none of them could have known was how transformative both the trip—and the bonds that develop between them—would prove, driving each to create a new destiny together.



8/1/2014

## Inamorata

Megan Chance

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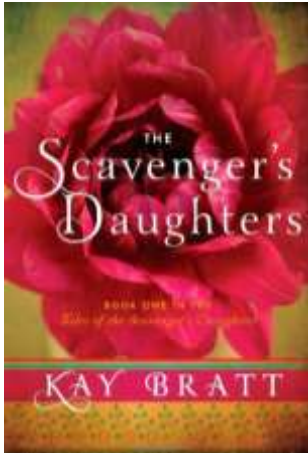
An historical fiction novel from award-winning author Megan Chance.

American artist Joseph Hannigan and his alluring sister, Sophie, have arrived in enchanting nineteenth-century Venice with a single-minded goal. The twins, who have fled scandal in New York, are determined to break into Venice's expatriate set and find a wealthy patron to support Joseph's work. But the enigmatic Hannigans are not the only ones with a secret agenda.

Joseph's talent soon attracts the attention of the magnificent Odilé Leon, a celebrated courtesan and muse who has inspired many artists to greatness. But her inspiration comes with a devastatingly steep price.

As Joseph falls under the courtesan's spell, Sophie joins forces with Nicholas Dane, the one man who knows Odilé's dark secret, and her sworn enemy. When the seductive muse offers Joseph the path to eternal fame, the twins must decide who to believe—and just how much they are willing to sacrifice for fame.

## Tales of the Scavenger's Daughters Series



8/13/2013

**The Scavenger's Daughters (Book One)**

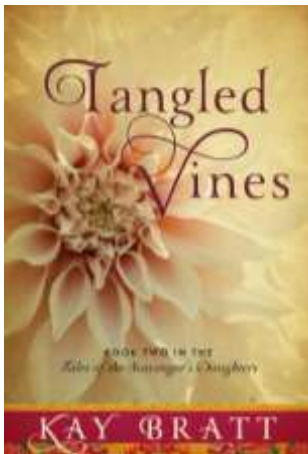
Kay Bratt

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Inspired by a true story, and set against the backdrop of a country in transition, *The Scavenger's Daughters* is a sweeping present-day saga of triumph in the face of hardship, and the unbreakable bonds of family against all odds.

Having survived torture and imprisonment during China's Cultural Revolution, Benfu escaped to find love with his compassionate and beautiful Calla Lily. Together they build a fulfilling life around the most menial of jobs—Benfu's work collecting trash. As he sorts through the discards of others, he regularly discovers abandoned children. With unwavering determination, he and Calli spend decades creating a family of handpicked daughters that help heal their sorrow and brighten their modest home. But all is not perfect, and when crisis threatens to separate their family, Benfu—or possibly his band of headstrong daughters—must find a way to overcome the biggest hardship yet.



12/10/2013

**Tangled Vines (Book Two)**

Kay Bratt

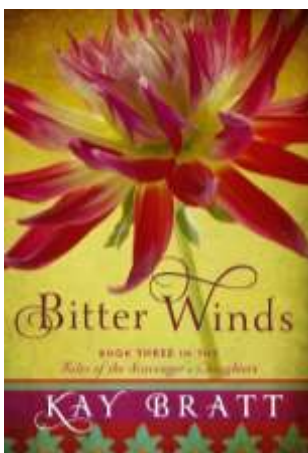
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A beautiful yet haunting story about the “lost girls” of China, *Tangled Vines* takes us on a journey of heartbreak and then hope as we witness a woman's quest to change her fate and a family's last chance to untangle the lies of the past.

With the bad memories of the Cultural Revolution and a life of hard work behind them, Benfu and his treasured Calla Lily are content watching their daughters blossom—six young women whom they adopted as their own. But when a clue to the whereabouts of the biological daughter they lost decades ago suddenly surfaces, they begin a frantic search to find their beloved Dahlia . . .

Li Jin has lived thirty years at the mercy of cruel foster parents and a bleak orphanage, often surviving on the streets. But now that she has a son, she must try to make a better life for them—even if it means withstanding the abuse of a seedy foreigner in exchange for a home. But when Erik's treatment turns truly sadistic, she must find a way to escape once and for all . . .



4/8/2014

**Bitter Winds (Book Three)**

Kay Bratt

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The third book of the *Tales of the Scavenger's Daughters* series, *Bitter Winds* continues the saga of Chinese couple Benfu and Calli, and the abandoned young women in their care.

Since the night her sister was almost burned alive in a fire and they were taken from their mother, Ivy has been the self-appointed guardian and guide to her blind twin, Lily. When Lily is snatched away and put behind locked doors, Ivy will do whatever it takes to get her sister home, even if it means putting her own life in danger.




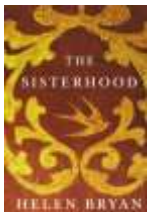






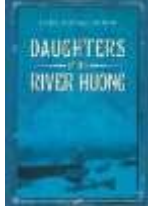
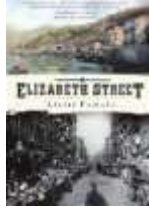



After Benfu and Calli's long-lost daughter, Li Jin, is finally reunited with her birth parents, she opens a shelter for displaced people, turning her fortune from destitution and abuse to family and fulfillment. But her friend Sami remains consumed by bitterness—and Li Jin soon realizes she needs to make a difficult choice between revisiting the past or nurturing her own future.

Stay tuned for the fourth book in the series, which will be released in Spring 2015!
















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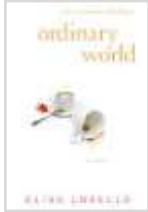



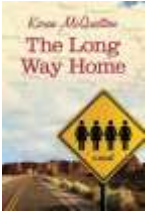
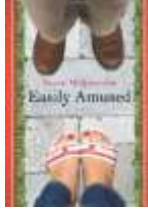





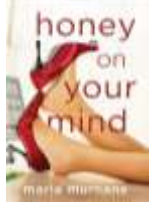



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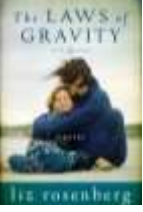



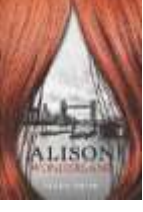

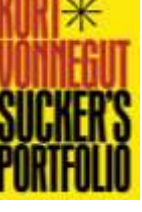





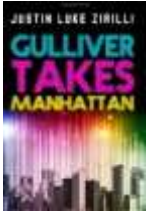
 <p>11/29/2011 <b>Tune In Tokyo: The Gaijin Diaries</b> Tim Anderson Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Thai</p> <p>Tim Anderson was pushing thirty and working a string of dead-end jobs when he made the spontaneous decision to pack his bags and move to Japan.</p>	 <p>3/11/2014 <b>Sweet Tooth: A Memoir</b> Tim Anderson Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>American Library Association 2015 Rainbow List Selection.</b></p> <p><i>Sweet Tooth</i> is Tim Anderson's uproarious memoir of life after his hormones and blood sugar both went berserk at the age of fifteen.</p>	 <p>3/30/2010 <b>Silent Tears: A Journey of Hope in a Chinese Orphanage</b> Kay Bratt Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><i>Silent Tears</i> is the true story of the adversity and triumphs one woman faced as she fought against the Chinese bureaucracy to help that country's orphaned children.</p>	 <p>4/30/2013 <b>The Sisterhood</b> Helen Bryan Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Estonian, German, Hungarian, Turkish</p> <p>Menina Walker was a child of fortune. Rescued after a hurricane in South America, doomed to a life of poverty with a swallow medal as her only legacy, the orphaned toddler was adopted by an American family and taken to a new life.</p>	 <p>6/12/2012 <b>War Brides</b> Helen Bryan Rights Available: All Languages, except Norwegian Rights Sold: French, German, Italian</p> <p>With war threatening to spread from Europe to England, five women forge an unlikely bond of friendship that will change their lives forever.</p>
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 <p>4/12/2011 <b>Daughters of the River Huong</b> Uyen Nicole Duong Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A richly woven tapestry of family, country, conflict, and redemption.</p>	 <p>5/4/2010 <b>Elizabeth Street</b> Laurie Fabiano Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Italian, Turkish</p> <p>Based on true events, <i>Elizabeth Street</i> is a multigenerational saga that opens in an Italian village in the 1900s, and crosses the ocean to <b>New York's Lower East Side.</b></p>	 <p>2/28/2012 <b>In Search of Lucy: A Novel</b> Lia Fairchild Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>With its colorful and endearing cast of characters, <i>In Search of Lucy</i> takes readers on a rollercoaster of emotions from sadness and heartache to happiness and hope.</p>	 <p>11/15/2011 <b>Narrows Gate</b> Jim Fusilli Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>Jim Fusilli's novel takes place</b> in the years surrounding World War II in the dangerous immigrant neighborhood of Narrows Gate, overlooking the Hudson River, where anything can happen—and it usually does.</p>	 <p>4/15/2014 <b>Acts of Contrition</b> Jennifer Handford Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><i>Acts of Contrition</i> is a richly drawn story of faith, family loyalty, and forgiveness, even in the face of moral ambiguity, guilt, and shattered trust.</p>



 <p>4/24/2012 <b>Daughters for a Time</b> Jennifer Handford</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><i>Daughters for a Time</i> is about longing for a family to heal a broken heart, experiencing unconditional love as a parent, and finding solid ground to stand on when suffering and elation have equally powerful holds on our life.</p>	 <p>7/13/2010 <b>The Last Block In Harlem</b> Christopher Herz</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>All fire escapes lead back to the same block in Sugar Hill, Harlem—where kids run through hydrants and music blares from stereos plugged into lampposts.</p>	 <p>10/12/2010 <b>Russell Wiley Is Out to Lunch</b> Richard Hine</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Russell Wiley is in deep trouble. A media executive for the failing <i>Daily Business Chronicle</i>, his career is teetering on the brink of collapse, and his sexless marriage is fast approaching its expiration date.</p>	 <p>12/28/2010 <b>Catcher, Caught</b> Sarah Collins Honenberger</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Korean</p> <p>After an earth-shattering diagnosis of leukemia, fifteen-year-old Daniel Landon sees a reflection of himself in the words of <b>J. D. Salinger's</b> <i>The Catcher in the Rye</i>.</p>	 <p>9/20/2011 <b>Paris Noire</b> Francine Thomas Howard</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Set against the turbulent backdrop of wartime France, <i>Paris Noire</i> is a dramatic and engrossing novel that brings to vivid life the remarkable people once relegated to the fringes of history.</p>
 <p>4/23/2013 <b>Walk Me Home</b> Catherine Ryan Hyde</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, excluding English outside of USC Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>Since their mother's sudden</b> death, sixteen-year-old Carly and her eleven-year-old sister, Jen, have been walking and hitchhiking across the Southwest trying to find Teddy, the closest thing they have to a family.</p>	 <p>4/23/2013 <b>When I Found You</b> Catherine Ryan Hyde</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, excluding English outside of USC Rights Sold: Audio, Estonian, German, Italian, Polish, Turkish</p> <p>From the bestselling author of <i>Pay It Forward</i> comes <i>When I Found You</i>, an exquisite, emotional tale of the unexpected bonds that nothing in life can break.</p>	 <p>1/22/2013 <b>Find Your Soulmate Online in Six Simple Steps (The Love Mentor's Guide)</b> Diana Kirschner</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio</p> <p>A simple, step-by-step way for any woman to harness the power of online dating to find forever love.</p>	 <p>6/18/2013 <b>30 Days to Love: The Ultimate Relationship Turnaround Guide (The Love Mentor's Guide)</b> Diana Kirschner</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>Did you know there's a simple 60-second cure</b> that can put the sizzle and the closeness back in your relationship?</p>	 <p>2/25/2014 <b>The Diamond Self Secret: Say Goodbye to Your Inner Critic and Hello to Self-Acceptance, Serenity, and Lasting Love (The Love Mentor's Guide)</b> Diana Kirschner</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio</p> <p>Through a holistic plan that addresses body, mind, and soul, Dr. Diana shows you how to shed self-sabotage and become your Diamond Self, your best self—that person you were as a young child when you were connected to your joyful inner spirit.</p>
 <p>8/14/2012 <b>600 Hours of Edward</b> Craig Lancaster</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Heartfelt and hilarious, this moving novel will appeal to fans of <b>Daniel Keyes's</b> classic <i>Flowers for Algernon</i> and to any reader who loves an underdog.</p>	 <p>1/25/2011 <b>The Summer Son</b> Craig Lancaster</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, French, German</p> <p><b>In Craig Lancaster's powerful</b> novel, <i>The Summer Son</i>, readers are invited into a family where conflict and secrets prevail, and where hope for healing and redemption is possible.</p>	 <p>5/14/2013 <b>Changing Lanes: A Novel</b> Kathleen Long</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Abby Halladay has the perfect life. Or, rather, she will . . . as long as everything goes exactly according to plan.</p>	 <p>8/28/2012 <b>Chasing Rainbows: A Novel</b> Kathleen Long</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Spanish, Turkish</p> <p>Chocolate. Tattered robe. Wedding video. Wine. Things <b>aren't looking so good for</b> Bernadette Murphy.</p>	 <p>3/15/2011 <b>Faking It</b> Elisa Lorello</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: French, German, Polish</p> <p>Smart, witty, and introspective, <i>Faking It</i> is an engrossing novel about two people discovering their authentic selves.</p>

 <p>3/15/2011 <b>Ordinary World</b> Elisa Lorello</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: German</p> <p>Both wrenching and uplifting, <i>Ordinary World</i> is a moving tale of love and loss, joy and sorrow, heartbreak and hope.</p>	 <p>2/11/2014 <b>She Has Your Eyes</b> Elisa Lorello</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>The heartfelt sequel to Kindle bestsellers <i>Faking It</i> and <i>Ordinary World</i> will have readers in stitches and in tears, all over again.</p>	 <p>8/27/2013 <b>The Disenchanted Widow</b> Christina McKenna</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>It's 1981 and Belfast is burning.</b> So, too, is freshly widowed Bessie Halstone: she burns with a desire to break with her troubled past.</p>	 <p>6/1/2011 <b>The Misremembered Man</b> Christina McKenna</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio Rights Sold: German, Korean, Norwegian, Spanish</p> <p>A beautifully rendered portrait of life in rural Ireland that charms and delights with its authentic characters and gentle humor.</p>	 <p>5/1/2012 <b>The Long Way Home</b> Karen McQuestion</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Korean, Polish</p> <p>Four women bound by chance take the trip of a lifetime. Little do they know that as the road trip unfolds, so will their lives—in directions they never anticipated.</p>
 <p>9/21/2010 <b>Easily Amused</b> Karen McQuestion</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Turkish</p> <p>Breezy and fun, <i>Easily Amused</i> serves as a gentle, often amusing reminder that love can often be found in the place we least expect—under our very noses.</p>	 <p>8/10/2010 <b>A Scattered Life</b> Karen McQuestion</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Polish, Turkish</p> <p>With the storytelling ingenuity of Anne Tyler, the writing talent of Jodi Picoult, and the subtlety of Alice Munro, McQuestion offers a satisfying debut that proves she is a gifted portraitist, a natural storyteller and an author to watch.</p>	 <p>10/18/2010 <b>AWOL on the Appalachian Trail</b> David Miller</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>This is not merely a travel guide, but a beautifully written and highly personal view into one <b>man's adventure and what it</b> means to make a lifelong vision come true.</p>	 <p>9/14/2010 <b>The First Assassin</b> John J. Miller</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Packed with dynamic characters, rich period detail, and a chillingly sinister villain, <i>The First Assassin</i> is a riveting thriller for fans of historical fiction.</p>	 <p>2/9/2010 <b>Perfect on Paper: The (Mis)Adventures of Waverly Bryson</b> Maria Murnane</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Hungarian, Indonesian, Italian, Turkish</p> <p>Anything can look perfect on paper. When her fiancé calls off their wedding at the last minute, Waverly Bryson wonders if her life will ever turn out the way she thought it would. . . or should.</p>
 <p>11/8/2011 <b>It's a Waverly Life: The (Mis)Adventures of Waverly Bryson</b> Maria Murnane</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Italian</p> <p>Readers first met the irrepressible Waverly Bryson in <i>Perfect on Paper</i>, and now the woman <b>dubbed by fans as "the American Bridget Jones"</b> is back in a sequel packed with friendship, heartache, and romance.</p>	 <p>7/24/2012 <b>Honey on Your Mind: The (Mis)Adventures of Waverly Bryson</b> Maria Murnane</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>For Waverly Bryson, life is anything but boring! Witty, light-hearted, and fun, <i>Honey on Your Mind</i> is Waverly Bryson at her best.</p>	 <p>4/9/2013 <b>Chocolate for Two: The (Mis)Adventures of Waverly Bryson</b> Maria Murnane</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>Waverly Bryson's life is officially perfect: She's engaged to her</b> gorgeous boyfriend, Jake: her <i>Honey on Your Mind</i> TV segment is more popular than ever; and <b>Waverly's Honey Shop is growing</b> by leaps and bounds. What could possibly go wrong?</p> <p>For starters . . . Everything.</p>	 <p>6/24/2014 <b>Lily Love</b> Maggi Myers</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A tale of heartache and unexpected joy from the author of <i>The Final Piece</i>.</p>	 <p>8/30/2011 <b>Black as Snow</b> Nick Nolan</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Sebastian Black is a god amongst <b>men: he's devastatingly handsome</b> and charismatic—and telepathic.</p>

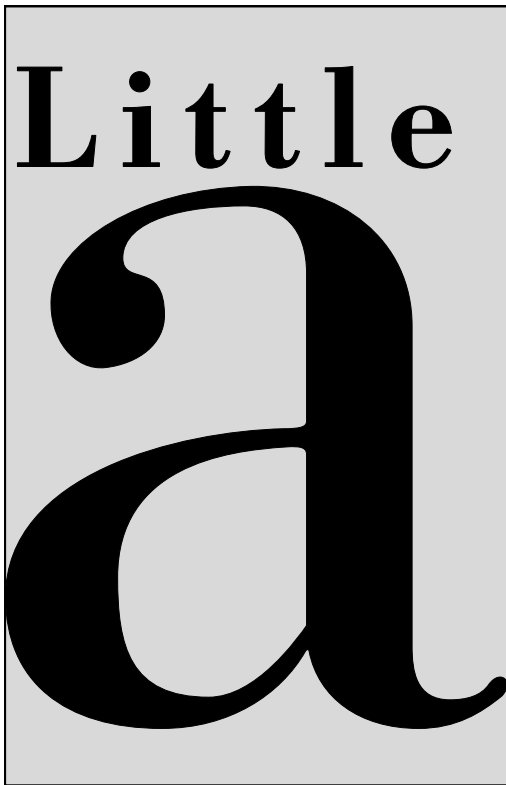
 <p>2/4/2014 <b>Wide Asleep (Tales from Ballena Beach)</b> Nick Nolan Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Star-crossed lovers Arthur and Jeremy must defeat the villain who has destroyed each of them in their past lives, in this steamy, electrifying twist on <i>Sleeping Beauty</i>.</p>	 <p>4/20/2010 <b>Greyhound</b> Steffan Piper Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Ushered out from his Stockton, California home by his emotionally detached mother and her latest boyfriend, twelve-year-old Sebastian Ranes must fend for himself and travel two thousand miles across the country.</p>	 <p>12/1/2013 <b>Things We Set on Fire</b> Deborah Reed Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>This deeply personal, hauntingly melancholy look at the damages families inflict on each other—and the healing that only they can provide—is filled with flinty, flawed, and complex people stumbling toward some kind of peace.</p>	 <p>9/20/2011 <b>Carry Yourself Back to Me</b> Deborah Reed Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Inflected with melancholy and redeemed by melody, this deeply affecting novel is certain to strike a resonant chord with music fans and lovers of fine fiction everywhere.</p>	 <p>4/20/2010 <b>A Cruel Harvest</b> Paul Reid Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Set in 1790, <i>A Cruel Harvest</i> tells the epic tale of Orlaith and Brannon, young lovers whose futures are jeopardized when Moorish pirates raid their Irish fishing village.</p>
 <p>5/20/2014 <b>When Shadows Fall</b> Paul Reid Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>From the author of <i>A Cruel Harvest</i> comes the sweeping saga of a nation divided.</p>	 <p>3/11/2014 <b>The Pollyanna Plan</b> Talli Roland Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Turkish</p> <p>When Emma loses her job and fiancé in the same week, she makes a radical decision: always see the upside, no matter how dire the situation. But is finding the good in everything a very bad idea?</p>	 <p>6/3/2014 <b>The No-Kids Club</b> Talli Roland Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A warm and witty novel from the author of <i>The Pollyanna Plan</i>.</p>	 <p>5/7/2013 <b>The Laws of Gravity</b> Liz Rosenberg Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>An exquisite tour de force, <i>The Laws of Gravity</i> is a testament to what it means to be a family, what it takes to save a life, and the lengths we will go to protect the ones we love.</p>	 <p>1/18/2011 <b>Stalina</b> Emily Rubin Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Obsessed with avenging her family while also longing for a new life, the hero of the <b>remarkable immigrant's tale</b> <i>Stalina</i> is a woman whose imagination—and force of personality—will let her stop at nothing.</p>
 <p>10/15/2013 <b>Henry and Rachel</b> Laurel Saville Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Weaving real family letters into this narrative of her own great-grandparents, Laurel Saville creates a historical novel of incredible depth and beauty.</p>	 <p>11/1/2011 <b>Unraveling Anne</b> Laurel Saville Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>An exploration of how what we bring forward from previous generations can shape our own lives, and how compassion and love for a difficult parent can be a <b>person's bridge to a better life</b>.</p>	 <p>8/16/2011 <b>Alison Wonderland</b> Helen Smith Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Clever, quirky, and infused with just a hint of magic, this humorous literary novel introduces a memorable heroine struggling with the everyday complexities of modern life.</p>	 <p>5/1/2014 <b>I Am Livia</b> Phyllis T. Smith Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Hungarian, Lithuanian</p> <p>In this wonderfully imagined historical novel, a noblewoman skirts the political perils and pitfalls of ancient Rome while navigating the dangerous landscape of her own heart.</p>	 <p>3/12/2013 <b>Sucker's Portfolio</b> Kurt Vonnegut Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Bulgarian, Complex Chinese, Hungarian, Korean, Polish, Russian, Spanish</p> <p>Available to readers for the first time, <i>Sucker's Portfolio</i> showcases a collection of seven never before published works from Kurt Vonnegut, one of the greatest writers of the twentieth century.</p>

 <p>6/14/2011  <b>Booze and Burn (The Mangel Series)</b>          Charlie Williams          Rights Available: All Languages          Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Raunchy, violent, and hysterical, <i>Booze and Burn</i> is an addictive trip into the dark underbelly of small-town England.</p>	 <p>3/1/2014  <b>Real Happy Family: A Novel</b>          Caeli Wolfson Widger          Rights Available: All Languages          Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><i>Real Happy Family</i> is an edgy yet moving novel about a dysfunctional family joining forces in an unconventional way to bring a missing daughter back into their fold.</p>	 <p>8/13/2013  <b>An Experience Definitely Worth Allegedly Having: Travel Stories from The Hairpin</b>          Edith Zimmerman          Rights Available: All Languages          Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A collection of funny, weird, adventures and moving essays on travel selected by Edith Zimmerman, the founder of the <b>colorfully offbeat women's</b> website <i>The Hairpin</i>.</p>	 <p>5/1/2012  <b>Gulliver Takes Manhattan</b>          Justin Luke Zirilli          Rights Available: All Languages          Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>The tale of twentysomething Gulliver Leverenz, who abandons sunny Los Angeles for a fresh start in New York.</p>
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## South on Highland: A Novel

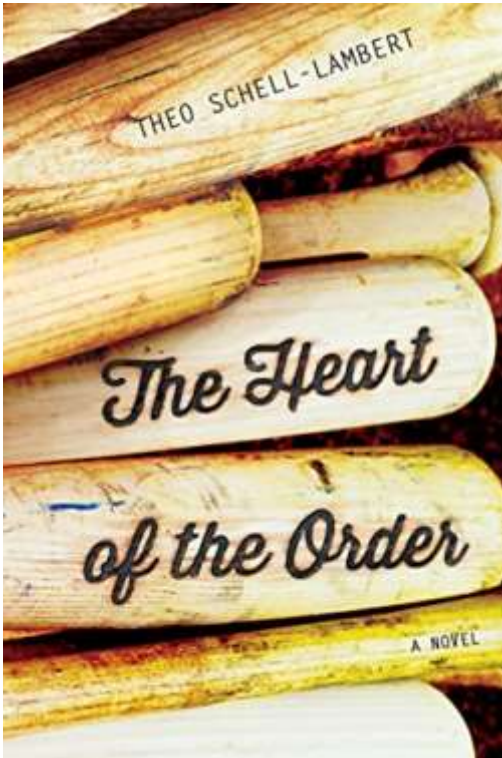
Liana Maeby

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*South on Highland* explores true identity and questions our culture's response to addiction and sensationalism.

Leila Massey, a young LA screenwriter, is on the verge of hitting it big when she falls into the grip of drug and alcohol addiction. Her descent into the narcotic underbelly of the city leads her to a commune in the desert, a filthy room at the Chateau Marmont, and, eventually, rehab. Will Leila continue down the dark path of addiction? Or will she make it as a successful writer? Based on the author's own life, Liana Maeby's brilliant debut novel is raw and haunting, and simultaneously incredibly astute and humorous.

Liana Maeby was born in New York City and raised in Los Angeles, where she attended the University of Southern California School of Cinematic Arts. Her writing has appeared in publications such as *Interview Magazine* and the *Village Voice*. She has been featured in Best of Twitter lists on sites like the *Huffington Post*, *Splitsider*, and *Mandatory*.



6/16/2015

## The Heart of the Order: A Novel

Theo Schell-Lambert

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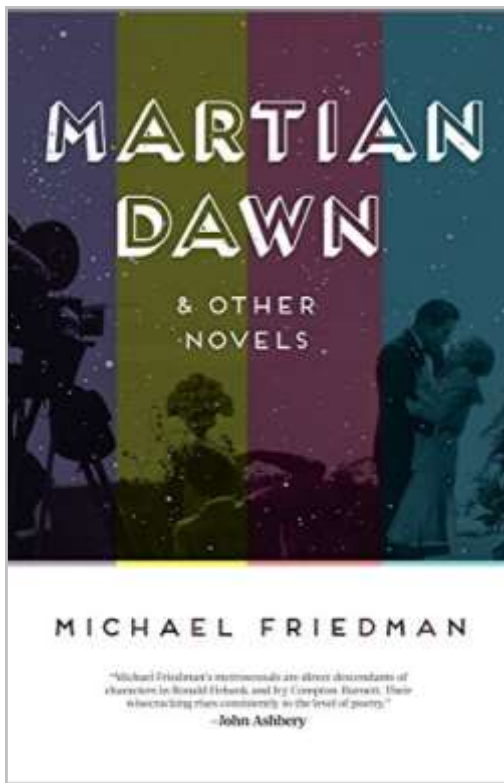
*The Heart of the Order* is a beautifully observant debut novel about sports, life, the **body, and the soul that is reminiscent of Joseph O’Neill’s *Netherland*** and the best of Nicholson Baker.

Blake Alexander—“**Xandy**” to his teammates—is an impressively average leftfielder for the fictional Carolina Birds of the National League South. A spectacular knee injury in Cincinnati leaves him facing a summer of rehab and a career in doubt.

Eager to occupy himself during games, Xandy trades his glove for a laptop, and each night around first pitch, settles into a lounge behind his borrowed Florida house to write. What emerges from **Xandy’s patio sessions is an addictive, bighearted, and delightfully clever series of reflections**—about everything from losing streaks to bullpen phones to his beguiling physical therapist, Jenn, who (like a **third-base coach**) **keeps giving him signs he can’t quite read**.

An utterly winning narrator, with an observational style honed from years spent reading the spin on fly balls, Xandy emerges as a fresh and memorable voice in American fiction.

**Theo Schell-Lambert** is a New Orleans–based writer of fiction, criticism, and essays. His work has appeared in *Day One*, *McSweeney’s Internet Tendency*, *The Village Voice*, *The Believer*, the *San Francisco Chronicle*, and other publications, and he is a former columnist for *GOOD*. He is currently working on a novel.



5/26/2015

## Martian Dawn and Other Novels

Michael Friedman

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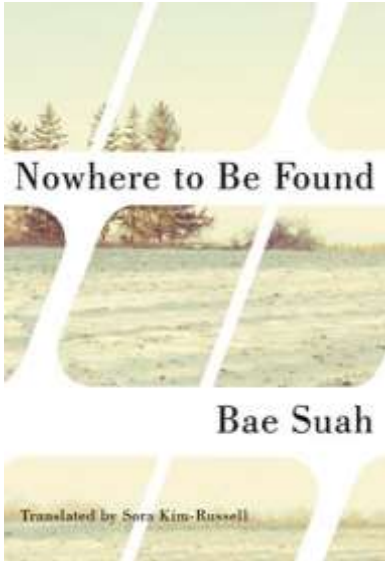
Three short, delicious, deadpan novels by an author who possesses (in Dennis Cooper's words) **"one of the best sensibilities in contemporary lit."**

In *Are We Done Here?*, a high-strung actress becomes an indie darling while engaging in outrageous behavior; a researcher finds deep meaning while in an Amazonian rainforest; and some people go to a poetry reading. In *On My Way to See You*, a man goes looking for his missing friend, the transgressive author Devin Curtis—and meets with Curtis's hitherto unknown identical twin. Who might be a hologram. And in the cult classic *Martian Dawn* (republished here), a science-fiction movie is getting made; things are heating up in the BioDome; and Richard and Julia—who seem to correlate to characters in the movie *Pretty Woman*—figure out their relationship. A total hoot. With a new introduction by Molly Young.

**"Michael Friedman's metrosexuals are direct descendants of characters in Ronald Firbank and Ivy Compton-Burnett. Their wisecracking rises consistently to the level of poetry."** —John Ashbery

**"Michael Friedman has one of the best sensibilities in contemporary lit. *Martian Dawn* possesses the impeccable construction, low gravity, and shimmering surface of something written with a magic wand."** —Dennis Cooper

**Michael Friedman** is the author of six books and chapbooks of poetry. His work has appeared in *Great American Prose Poems* (Scribner, 2003). He was educated at Columbia, Yale, and Duke. The former chairman of the St. Marks Poetry Project, he now practices law in Denver and teaches in Naropa's MFA program.



4/14/2015

## Nowhere to Be Found: A Novel

Bae Suah

Rights Available: All Languages excluding Korean, Audio

A nameless narrator passes through her life, searching for meaning and connection in experiences she barely feels. For her, time and identity blur, and all action is reaction.

She can't quite understand what motivates others to take life seriously enough to focus on anything—for her existence is a loosely woven tapestry of fleeting concepts. From losing her virginity to mindless jobs and a splintered, unsupportive family, the lessons learned have less to do with the reality we all share and more to do with the truth of the imagination, which is where the narrator focuses to discover herself.

*Nowhere to Be Found* was originally written in Korean, and has been translated into English by Sora Kim-Russell.

**Bae Suah** was born in Seoul in 1965. After majoring in chemistry as an undergrad, she became a writer at the relatively late age of twenty-eight. Her first short story, which she wrote while learning how to type on a word processor, was published in a literary magazine. Prior to that, she had never taken any creative writing or literature classes. *Highway with Green Apples*, published in Korean in 1995 and published in the *Day One* journal in December 2013 in English, is one of her first works.



11/3/2015

## The Hothead's Rebellion: A Novel

Emrah Serbes

Rights Available: Spanish, Italian, and Audio

For fans of *Everything Is Illuminated* and *The Hitman's Guide to Housecleaning* comes a Turkish bestselling novel by a fresh new voice.

*The Hothead's Rebellion* is Holden Caulfield meets Wes Andersen in the *American Idol* audition line before turning into a righteous Liam Neeson in *Taken with Revolution* fever—this is a madcap novel with elements of crime fiction.

*The Hothead's Rebellion* was originally written in Turkish and will be translated into English.

**Emrah Serbes** was born in 1981 in Yalova. He has upon occasion conducted interviews for the newspaper *Birgün* and written theater reviews for *Radikal İki*. He was the Ankara representative for *Hayvan* magazine. His published books are the novels *Her Temas İz Bırakır* (*Every Touch Leaves a Trace*, **İletişim**, 2007) and *Son Hafriyat* (*The Last Excavation*, **İletişim**, 2008), both noir mysteries set in Ankara and later developed into a hit TV show (of cult status, really!), and the short story collection *Erken Kaybedenler* (*Predestined Losers*, **İletişim**, 2009).



10/13/2015

## This is the Night: A Novel

Jonah C. Sirott

Rights Available: English, German, Audio

*This is the Night* follows the shifting worlds of a group of people as they struggle with the new reality of the world around them.

With the Homeland entering its twenty-fifth year of war nearly all young men are being called upon to fight. Such an enduring conflict has drastically altered the country, giving rise to altered forms of faith and rampant paranoia.

Lance and Lorrie are a passionately mismatched couple living in the same building as Benny and Joe, two best friends who are both up for induction on the very same day. Along with Alan, a young runaway, all of them are searching for any avenues toward freedom with the knowledge that there are only the slimmest opportunities for escape.

**Jonah C. Sirott**, a graduate of the University of Minnesota's MFA program, grew up in Berkeley, California. He lives in San Francisco.



11/10/2015

## The Burned Bridges of Ward, Nebraska: A Novel

Eileen Curtright

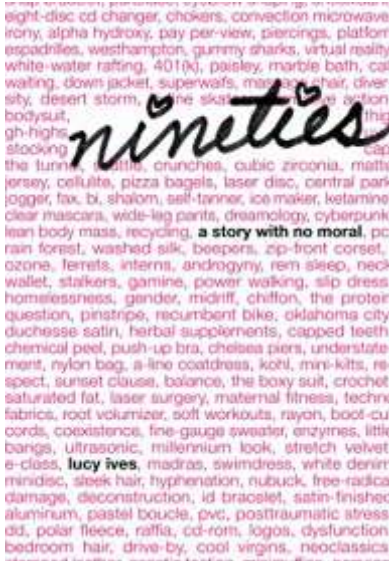
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Rebecca Meer, a fertility scientist, is appalled to learn her successful ex-boyfriend is taking a sabbatical from running his company to **teach her son's fifth grade class.**

As her son falls under the influence of his charismatic teacher, Rebecca struggles to maintain her relationship with her son, her sanity, and the secret of his paternity.

**Eileen Curtright** lives in San Antonio, Texas, with her husband and daughters.





6/9/2015

## nineties: A Story with No Moral

Lucy Ives

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Lucy Ives's novella *nineties* is a portrait of teenage friends navigating Manhattan's privileged class in an era of excess.**

Against the backdrop of a New York City private school during the 1990s, three girls steal a credit card for a gratuitous one-day shopping spree. As they traverse a world shaped by luxury and face temptations that—for better or worse—instruct their movement toward adulthood, the girls experience the tension of burgeoning sexuality and the thrill of testing moral boundaries. *nineties* is the strange and subtle story of selfishness, materialism, and confusion during the unique and fleeting moment when girls near the end of girlhood.

**Lucy Ives** was born in New York City and earned her BA from Harvard College and her MFA from the Iowa Writers' Workshop. Her first collection, the book-length poem *Anamnesis* (2009), won the Slope Editions Book Prize. She is also the author of a poetry and essay collection, *Orange Roses* (2013), and a collection of poetry and prose including a novella, *The Worldkillers* (2014). Ives won an Iowa Arts Fellowship, as well as a MacCracken Fellowship. She is the editor of *Triple Canopy* and lives in New York City, where she is completing a PhD in comparative literature at New York University.



6/2/2015

## A Trial for Grace: A Novella

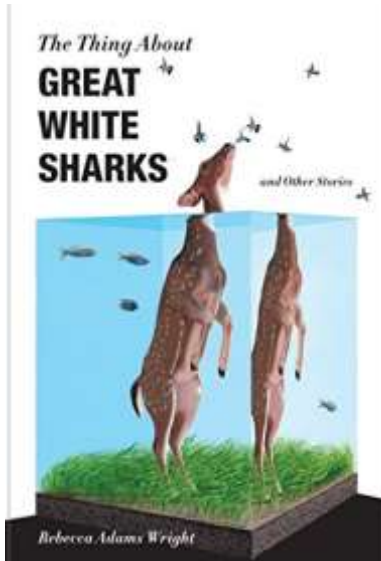
Jessica Pishko

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**Claire, a young attorney, moves from New York to a small town in North Carolina to defend the condemned on death row in their final appeals.**

Her first client is Grace, a young woman sentenced to death in 2002 for murdering her two-year-old daughter, and, as the novel unfolds, we also learn **more about Claire's complicated past as she attempts to reconcile who she has become with what she has done.**

**Jessica Pishko** received her JD from Harvard Law School and MFA from Columbia University. She worked for six years as a lawyer focusing on securities fraud. She also represented death penalty clients and domestic violence survivors pro bono.



2/10/2015

## The Thing About Great White Sharks: and Other Stories

Rebecca Adams Wright

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

A wildly inventive debut from an exceptional new voice in literary fiction, *The Thing About Great White Sharks* will captivate readers with humor and heartbreak.

Spanning a timeline from World War II to the far future, these fifteen stunning stories offer an expansive and gorgeously-observed perspective on our desire for meaningful connection and what it means to have compassion, for ourselves, for one another, for our shared past . . . and whatever lies beyond.

**“These are ceaselessly inventive stories, witty, wry, and wondrous, by turn, and all graced with an emotional sincerity that ensures they never dip into mere whimsy. This is speculative fiction with both a head and a heart.”** —Peter Ho Davies, author of *The Welsh Girl*

Rebecca Adams Wright is a 2011 graduate of the Clarion Science Fiction & Fantasy Writers’ Workshop and a former University of Michigan Zell Writing Fellow. She has an MFA in fiction from the University of Michigan and has won the Leonard and Eileen Newman Writing Prize. Rebecca lives in Ypsilanti, Michigan, with her husband and daughter.



3/24/2015

## Speed Dreaming: Stories

Nicole Haroutunian

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

The young women inhabiting the twelve stories in *Speed Dreaming* negotiate friendships, relationships, and their own creative ambitions, and debut author Haroutunian brings them beautifully to life in locales from rural Wales to suburban New Jersey, from postindustrial Poughkeepsie to anxiety-ridden Brooklyn.

A trio of linked stories follows Meg and Dax, a curator and butcher who married impulsively, from their eerie honeymoon in rural Wales through Meg’s crisis of identity when the maritime museum where she works floods, to early parenthood, when a coyote’s spectral presence at their child’s birthday party suggests deeper threats. In “The Living,” a woman with a terminal diagnosis moves to a new city and reinvents herself to a world of strangers; in “Youse,” two teenage girls are the victims of an attempted kidnapping. In another standout, “A Cane, an Anchor,” a young couple is unsure of what they lost in a house fire and what they’d lost long before it.

Nicole Haroutunian is a graduate of Vassar College, majoring in studio art. After graduation, she moved to Brooklyn and began working as a museum educator. When she isn’t writing, she spends her days guiding conversations about artwork in several New York City art institutions. Nicole received her MFA in creative writing from Sarah Lawrence College, where she studied with Amy Hempel, Victoria Redel, and Melvin Bukiet.



11/5/2014

## Day One, Year One: Best New Stories and Poems, 2014

Carmen Johnson

Rights Available: All Languages

*Day One, Year One* is a collection of short stories, poems, and artwork from emerging writers and illustrators who are shaping the literary landscape today.

Kindle's weekly journal, *Day One*, brings you a selection of works from year one in all its glory. From messy breakup stories, post-apocalyptic tales, and coming-to-America dramas to contemplative, sometimes comical poetry, this collection explores the great topics: love, hope, and, of course, a little debauchery.

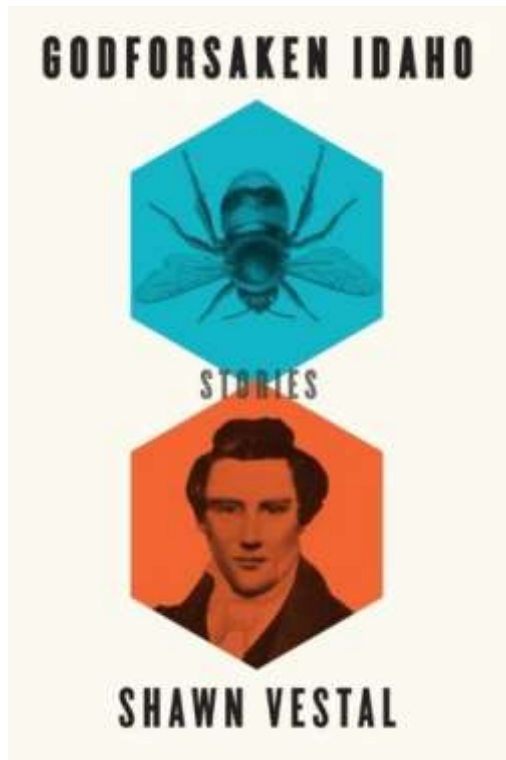
It's an anthology to keep at your side—you never know when you'll want to read something great.

Praise for *Day One*:

**"Our world is filled with noise: the electronic whistle of a new text message arriving on our phone, the clack and clatter of television news anchors, the insistent mewing of a cute kitten in the latest video to hit your social media stream. *Day One* cuts through that distracting static to say in a very clear, loud voice: 'Here is one story and one poem worthy of your attention for thirty minutes.'** You are well advised to pause the cat video, find an oasis of quiet, and settle in with these new and **emerging voices in fiction and poetry. What they have to say brings clarity to our cluttered lives."**  
—David Abrams, author of *Fobbit*

**"*Day One* is for those who wish to read beyond 'the news of the day' to something that's news every day—that is, some of the best fiction and poetry by writers just setting out on the literary road. Each week, *Day One* presents a single piece of fiction and a poem, prefaced by a thoughtful and engaging introduction by the editor and followed by an informative commentary by the authors. A great way to spend your day—with the news of good writing."**—Daniel Halpern, author of nine books of poetry, and publisher and president of Ecco

Carmen Johnson is an editor at Amazon Publishing. She lives with her husband in Brooklyn, New York.



4/2/2013

## Godforsaken Idaho: Stories

Shawn Vestal

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Winner of the 2014 PEN/Robert W. Bingham Prize  
 Shortlisted for the William Saroyan International Prize for Writing  
**Named “Outstanding 2013 Collection” by The Story Prize**  
 Pushcart Prize Winner

Stories of the afterlife, the rugged Northwest, and the early days of Mormonism—by a ferociously imaginative new writer. This stunning debut story collection by an acclaimed *McSweeney’s* and *Tin House* contributor will satisfy fans of such short-fiction masters as Denis Johnson and George Saunders, as well as those readers fascinated by the Mormon faith—and those who enjoyed the show *Big Love* and the musical *The Book of Mormon*.

**“A wickedly funny, surprisingly profound collection . . . [by] one of the wryest, most inventive new voices in fiction.”** —Jess Walter, author of *Beautiful Ruins*

**“Shutter your windows—*Godforsaken Idaho* is an awesome storm of history, grit, and revelatory imagination. These stories take huge risks and simply do not falter. Shawn Vestal has set out to reimagine the American West, and he’s done so with the soulful, single-minded purpose of a half-mad pioneer.”** —Patrick Somerville, author of *This Bright River* and *The Cradle*

**“*Godforsaken Idaho* mixes the hardpan realism of Richard Ford’s *Rock Springs* with the dreadful wonder of Dan Chaon’s best stories. In the lyrical beauty of his sentences, in the brutal choices his characters must make, and in the heartbreaking landscape itself, Shawn Vestal finds startling moments of grace and unexpected redemption.”** —Kim Barnes, author of *In the Kingdom of Men*

Shawn Vestal is a columnist for the *Spokesman-Review* and was raised in the Mormon faith. His stories have appeared in *McSweeney’s*, *Tin House*, and other publications.



7/1/2014

## The Fracking King: A Novel

James Browning

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

*The Fracking King* follows Winston Crwth—a boarding-school kid, loner, and Scrabble prodigy—who becomes an unlikely hero in the fight to stop fracking in Pennsylvania.

Truth is a rare commodity in politics, and the idea of “winning” a debate as cleanly and simply as you’d win a Scrabble game can seem impossible. But with the truth on his side, a jar of toxic “frackwater,” and the belief that he can win a Scrabble tournament whose first prize is a meeting with Governor Linda King LaRue, Winston creates a moment of devastating truth for her and for the people who want to frack the state.

For all its thoughtful environmental concerns, *The Fracking King* is also a hopeful book about the power of believing in yourself and pursuing your own particular genius. Winston’s Scrabble prowess has its freakish side, but it also makes him genuinely heroic, and his lexical predicaments are funny, shocking, dirty, and sometimes mind-boggling. This is the rare, satisfying debut that’s as playful as it is profound.



5/27/2014

## Chase Us: Stories

Sean Ennis

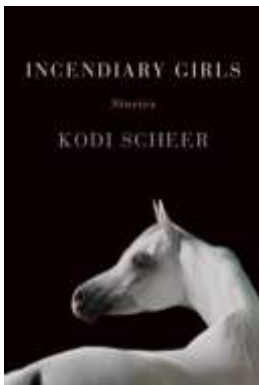
Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

For fans of Kevin Brockmeier or Justin Taylor, a poignant and inventive collection of coming-of-age stories by *Tin House* and *Best New American Voices* contributor Sean Ennis.

In this beautifully imaginative collection, young people attempt to negotiate the often surreal terrain of childhood and adolescence where family, friends, clergy, and teachers often pose a threat instead of providing safe harbor. At the heart of the collection is the relationship between the meek narrator, his best friend alpha-male Clip, and the near-feral Roger—but there are also agoraphobic mothers, gorgeous babysitters from New Zealand, paranoid stoned veterans, and deeply sad older sisters. Ennis has crafted modern day captivity narratives, set not at some remote fort, but in the neighborhoods of Philadelphia.

Using cinematic imagery and deft characterization, Ennis explores how we often feel confined—and yet find ourselves in places we least expect.



4/8/2014

## Incendiary Girls: Stories

Kodi Scheer

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

For fans of Karen Russell or Hannah Tinti, a debut collection of stories inspired by science, medicine, and the power of healing, with a magical twist.

*Incendiary Girls* explores our baser instincts with vivid imagination and humor. In these stories, our bodies become strange and unfamiliar terrain, a medium for transformation. In “Fundamental Laws of Nature,” a doctor considers her legacy, both good and bad, when she discovers that her mother has been reincarnated as a thoroughbred mare. In the title story, a mischievous angel chronicles the remarkable life of a girl just beyond death’s reach.

In Scheer’s hands, empathy and attachment are illuminated by the absurdity of life. When our bodies betray us, when we begin to feel our minds slip, how much can we embrace without going insane? How much can we detach ourselves before losing our humanity? Scheer’s stories grapple with these questions in each throbbing, choking, heartbreaking moment.



3/25/2014

## Bad Teeth: A Novel

Dustin Long

Rights Available: All Languages

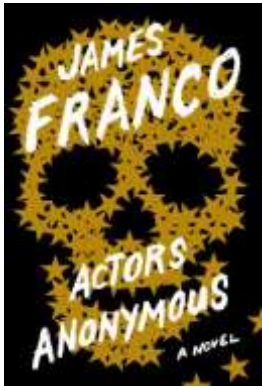
Rights Sold: Audio

Four interlocking narratives unfurl in four American cities, creating a richly comic feast about love, academia, an elusive Tibetan novelist who might be a plagiarist, and SOFA, a protest group so mysterious its very initials are open to interpretation.

*Bad Teeth* follows a cast of young literary men and women in four very American cities—Brooklyn, Bloomington, Berkeley, and Bakersfield. It’s four (or more) books in one, a Pynchonesque treat: a bohemian satire, a campus comedy, a stoner’s reverie, and a quadruple love story. Its wonderfully evoked storylines of young writers—each in a period of formation—collect around the search for one mysterious author: “the Tibetan David Foster Wallace,” who might in fact be a plagiarist. This delightful and complex literary novel is a comic gem.

“Playful . . . [a] search party of hip literary types.” — *The New York Times*





10/15/2013

Actors Anonymous: A Novel

James Franco

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Italian, UK

A dark, genre-bending work that mixes memoir and pure invention—an audacious, obsessive examination of the addictions of celebrity, acting, and the making of fictions.

*Actors Anonymous* is unsettling, funny, personal, and dark, a story told in many forms, from testimonials (in the style of *Alcoholics Anonymous*) and scripts to letters, diaries, and more. **Franco turns his “James Franco” persona inside out**—sometimes humorously, often mercilessly. The book contains profound insights into the nature and purpose of acting, bawdy satires of the high life, as well as deeply moving portraits of aspiring actors who never quite made it.

**Franco’s seemingly inexhaustible celebrity currency makes this that rare work in which the writer’s fame matches his** considerable literary ambition. Modeled loosely on *Alcoholics Anonymous’s 12 Steps and 12 Traditions*, *Actors Anonymous* is an intense, wild ride that’s pure Franco.



8/27/2013

Remember How I Told You I Loved You?: Stories

Gillian Linden

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

From a brilliant new literary voice, a collection of stories that follow a young woman from college into her early thirties—from delayed adolescence to (delayed) adulthood.

**Through college, careers, love affairs, and marriages, Linden’s** characters try to sort out what separates the passing from the permanent, the actual from the possible, and exactly how involved you really have to be in the basic questions of your life. From familiar patterns like ambiguous friendships, uncertain love affairs, and unfulfilling jobs, Linden has created something new: a sharp and intimate take on romance and infidelity, trust and betrayal.

A deadpan narrative, cool and precise, about hesitation and doubt and how to rid your apartment of mice, *Remember How I Told You I Loved You?* is by turns witty, moving, and darkly humorous.



5/28/2013

American Spirit: A Novel

Dan Kennedy

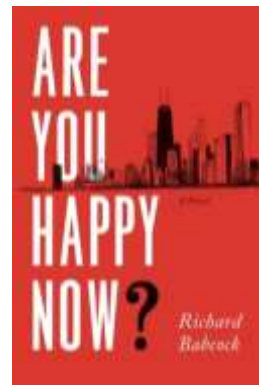
Rights Available: All Languages

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In this heroic and hilarious debut novel, Dan Kennedy gives us an everyman who takes us to the neon-lit edges of contemporary American life.

When Matthew, a forty-something media executive, finds his job, health, and marriage crumbling, he goes native: Lives in his car. Dips his toe in drug-running. Contemplates song lyrics. Takes a really good pottery class. **Before long he’s on a stumbling, agonizingly funny vision quest** that takes him from a strip-mall parking lot to Yellowstone National Park to a Bali medical clinic; from an unlikely romance with a Hollywood agent specializing in hot young vampire roles to extreme RVing with a disgraced Wall Street trader.

**“Dan Kennedy not only manages to craft bitter, effective comedy out of life’s darker corners—egregious substance abuse, financial collapse, depression and death—but he makes it look easy.”**  
—*Washington Independent Review of Books*



11/6/2012

Are You Happy Now?: A Novel

Richard Babcock

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Reminiscent of Richard Russo’s *Straight Man*, *Are You Happy Now?* is a comic novel about the hard work of understanding what it is you want.**

John Lincoln is a book editor miserably ensconced at Pistakee, a dinky Chicago publisher. His overwhelming ambition is to flee the bland, overly polite Midwest and land in New York—where, **he imagines, he’ll work with real writers; brandish success at his skeptical, patrician East Coast parents; and experience again the glories of a city where, with “every block, every step,” he will find something interesting and exciting.**

What he needs is a hot bestseller, and he finds his vehicle in Amy O’Malley, a recent University of Chicago grad who’s worked on the school’s famous sex survey. **With Lincoln’s prodding and guidance, Amy writes a sex-filled novel that draws on her experience.** Her book indeed opens doors for Lincoln—but not in the way he imagined. Meanwhile, a professor of happiness studies at a local college blackmails him into publishing his fantastically mundane poetry.



9/27/2011

## United States of Banana

Giannina Braschi

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Giannina Braschi explores the cultural and political journey of nearly 50 million Hispanic Americans living in the United States in this explosive new work of fiction, her first written originally in English.

*United States of Banana* takes place at the Statue of Liberty in post-9/11 New York City, where Hamlet, Zarathustra, and Giannina are on a quest to free the Puerto Rican prisoner Segismundo. Segismundo has been imprisoned for more than one hundred years, hidden away by his father, the king of the United States of Banana, for the crime of having been born. But when the king remarries, he frees his son, and for the sake of reconciliation, makes Puerto Rico the fifty-first state and grants American passports to all Latin American citizens. This staggering show of benevolence rocks the global community, causing an unexpected power shift with far-reaching implications.

In a world struggling to realign itself in favor of liberty, *United States of Banana* is a force to be reckoned with in literature, art, and politics.



9/27/2011

## Yo-Yo Boing!

Giannina Braschi

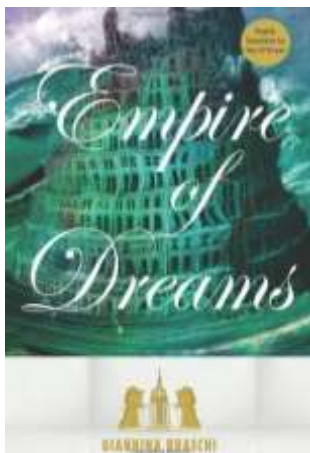
Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

This groundbreaking novel, set in New York City during the 1990s, is guaranteed to be unlike any literary experience you have ever had.

Acclaimed Puerto Rican author Giannina Braschi has crafted this creative and insightful examination of the Hispanic American experience, taking on the voices of a variety of characters—painters, poets, sculptors, singers, writers, filmmakers, actors, directors, set designers, editors, and philosophers—to draw on their various cultural, economic, and geopolitical backgrounds to engage in lively cultural dialogue. Their topics include love, sex, food, music, books, inspiration, despair, infidelity, jobs, debt, war, and world news. Braschi's discourse winds throughout the city's public, corporate, and domestic settings, offering an inside look at the cultural conflicts that can occur when Anglo Americans and Latin Americans live, work, and play together.

Hailed by *Publishers Weekly* as “a literary liberation,” this energetic and comical novel celebrates the contradiction that makes contemporary American culture so wonderfully diverse. *Yo-Yo Boing!* was first published in Spanglish in 1998 to rave reviews, and has been translated into English by Tess O'Dwyer.



9/27/2011

## Empire of Dreams

Giannina Braschi

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

In the Hispanic American classic *Empire of Dreams*, Giannina Braschi calls for a revolution in poetry—a revolution against the Latin American Boom. *Empire of Dreams* was originally written in Spanish and has been translated into English by Tess O'Dwyer.

New York City becomes the site of liberation for its marginal characters, who seek to experience the center of power, of meaning, of feeling, and of personal identity. Clowns, buffoons, shepherds, magicians, and madmen perform their fantasies in the city streets. In a climatic episode of a pastoral revolution, shepherds take over the top floor of the Empire State Building, where they dance and sing, “Now we do whatever we please! Whatever we please! Whatever we damn well please!”

“Good poets write great poems. Great poets create a new language. Giannina Braschi is a brilliant artist who has invented a syntax that reveals how we think, suffer, and take delight in the twenty-first century. Though the tone can be playful, her work has deep roots in the subversive side of classical literature. The scale is epic.” —D. Nurkse



*Fall Hard*

Named after a Seattle neighborhood, Montlake Romance delivers happily-ever-afters for all romantic reading tastes from steamy to sweet, from sweeping historicals to sparkling contemporary romance, and from eerie romantic suspense to provocative paranormals.



## Frontlist Titles

Fall 2014–Spring 2017



1/3/2017

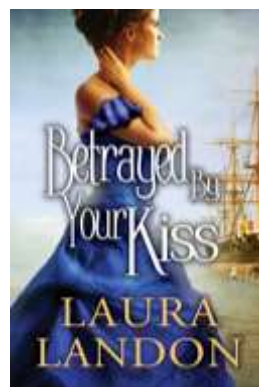
### Untitled

Tracy Brogan

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

A new historical love story from the bestselling author of the Bell Harbor Novels.

Set during WWII, in the vein of *War Brides*, *The Paris Wife*, *The Orphan Train*, and *Sarah's Key*, Tracy Brogan's new novel is a love story for the ages featuring women pilots and the men who love them.



3/24/2015

### Betrayed by Your Kiss

Laura Landon

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

From the author of *Intimate Surrender*, *Intimate Deception*, *Silent Revenge*, and *The Most to Lose* comes a new Regency romance.

It should have been the happiest night of her life . . . Lady Olivia Sheridan knows one thing: she has loved Lord Damien forever. But when her beloved is accused of fathering another woman's child, Olivia's world is shattered in ways she never thought possible. Especially when Damien's accuser sets a huge price on his head, and Olivia discovers Damien's death will be the only outcome . . . unless she does the one thing he will never forgive her for doing.

When Olivia's plan to save him goes disastrously, dangerously awry, Damien doesn't think he'll ever see the light of day again and, with bitterness, he realizes that the woman he loves is capable of the ultimate betrayal.

Now, four years later, Damien has returned. His eye is on one thing: seeking revenge for what Olivia did to him. Only his heart may get in the way . . . Because hell hath no fury . . . like a man betrayed.

## The Bell Harbor Novels

Romantic comedies by bestselling author Tracy Brogan.



10/23/2012

### Crazy Little Thing

Tracy Brogan

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, Dutch, French, German, Italian, Hebrew, Hungarian, Korean, Turkish

2013 RITA® Finalist for Best First Book  
2013 Desert Rose RWA® Golden Quill Award Winner—Single-Title Romance

If Sadie Turner is good at anything, it's putting stuff in order. So when she finds her "perfect" life in disarray, she hopes that a summer vacation at her aunt's lake house will help her piece it back together.

"Witty one-liners and hilarious characters elevate this familiar story . . . Readers will love the heat between the leads and by the end they'll be clamoring for more."  
—RT Book Reviews, 4 stars (HOT)



5/13/2014

### The Best Medicine

Tracy Brogan

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French, German

A novel about a doctor who has it all: a good job, a few friends, a brand new house . . . only she just realized she forgot to get married!

Everyone in Bell Harbor thinks career-minded plastic surgeon Evelyn Rhoades needs a husband. Everyone, that is, except for Evelyn . . . sort of.

Even if she did want a husband, she'd never let something as intangible as fate determine who she marries. No, if she's going to find someone to spend her life with, she'll do it scientifically: with a carefully crafted list of criteria and an Internet dating site. But when intoxicated, law-breaking Tyler Connelly crashes into her life by way of a stolen Jet Ski, unruly emotions defy common sense.



1/20/2015

### Love Me Sweet

Tracy Brogan

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French, German

Delaney Masterson isn't looking for fame. Until . . . the Scandal. When an old boyfriend releases a private video, Delaney's name becomes every comedian's favorite punch line. To escape the media, she sneaks away to Bell Harbor, Michigan.

Adventure-show cameraman Grant Connelly has stayed away from Bell Harbor—mostly by choice—but when a family obligation converges with a spontaneous career decision, it's time to return home.

When bad weather, missing money, honky-tonk musicians, and Elvis impersonators throw Grant and Delaney together on an unexpected road trip, emotions get all shook up.

Stay tuned for the fourth book in the series, *Jingle Bell Harbor: A Novella*, which will be released in Fall 2015!



## The Hope Springs Novels

Contemporary romance set in the small town of Hope Springs, Texas.



3/5/2013

### The Second Chance Café (Book One)

Allison Kent

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Large Print (English)

2014 RITA® Finalist for Contemporary Romance

Growing up, Kaylie Flynn was shuffled from foster home to foster home before being welcomed into **Winton and May Wise's family**. It was May who taught Kaylie the comfort of home, and the healing power of baking the perfect brownie.

Years later, May leaves Kaylie the money she needs to open her own café in the house they once shared. **Now back in Hope Springs, Kaylie's** determined to finally make all her dreams a reality.



3/4/2014

### Beneath the Patchwork Moon (Book Two)

Allison Kent

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, Large Print (English)

Luna Meadows wove a successful career out of creating the sumptuous, richly hued scarves that adorn **Hollywood's elite**. **Now she wants to** give back to her hometown of Hope Springs, Texas, by creating a community arts center on the property that once belonged to her best friend: a talented musician named Sierra who perished in a car crash at age eighteen.

As Luna sorts through the personal **belongings left in the Caffey family's** former home, she confronts her own guilt and memories.



10/7/2014

### The Sweetness of Honey (Book Three)

Allison Kent

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Dark-haired beauty Indiana Keller buys a property in Hope Springs, Texas, for three reasons: to expand her vegetable business, to harvest and sell delicious honey from the **property's established bee colony**, and to reunite with her estranged siblings. But her older brother Tennessee keeps his distance, even after Indiana hires his construction **crew to fix up her cottage**. **It's almost** as if he shares her guilt over the disappearance of Dakota, their missing brother . . .



1/20/2015

### Bliss and the Art of Forever (Book Four)

Allison Kent

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Now that she's committed to leaving Hope Springs, she's falling for the** wrong man . . . but he just might give her all the right reasons to stay.

**Two years after her husband's death**, Brooklyn Harvey is leaving Hope Springs for her in-laws' vineyard in Italy—with no plans to come back. That is, until she meets a disarmingly sexy biker-turned-chocolatier.

Stay tuned for the fifth book in the series, *The Comfort of Favorite Things*, which will be released in Fall 2015!

## Not Quite Series

An escapist, lighthearted contemporary romance series about hotel heirs and heiresses.



11/13/2012

### Not Quite Dating (Book One)

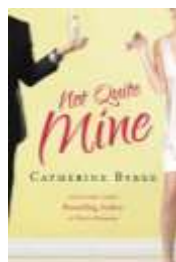
Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Dutch, Italian

Waitress and single mom Jessica **"Jessie" Mann is practical to a fault**. Even if she had time to date, which she **doesn't**, she'd be determined to provide her son with a more secure upbringing than the one she had—and that would mean a husband with big bucks.

When Jack Morrison—a sexy-as-sin, seemingly broke customer with a cowboy hat and a seductive grin—tries to flirt with her, she shoots him down. She doubts a carefree dreamer like Jack can provide the financial stability she needs. Yet with Christmas just weeks away, and Jessie not wanting to spend it alone, the charming Texan is proving hard to resist.



5/7/2013

### Not Quite Mine (Book Two)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Dutch

**Gorgeous hotel heiress Katelyn "Katie" Morrison** seems to have it all. But when she crosses paths with Dean Prescott—the **only man she's ever loved**—at her **brother's wedding**, **Katie realizes there's** a gaping hole in her life. After the ceremony she gets an even bigger surprise: a baby girl left on her doorstep.

Determined to keep the newborn until she learns who her mother is, Katie has **her hands full and doesn't need Dean** snooping around . . . especially when his presence stirs feelings she thought were long gone.



10/8/2013

### Not Quite Enough (Book Three)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Monica Mann has made it her life's** work to save lives. After an earthquake and tsunami hit the shores of Jamaica, she volunteers her trauma skills with Borderless Nurses. Calculating and methodical, Monica creates order out of whatever chaos she finds. Until she finds the perpetually barefoot, impossibly masculine Trent Fairchild. No one can pin him down.

Hopelessly drawn to one another, they manage to slip away from the wreckage to get a little closer.



11/4/2014

### Not Quite Forever (Book Four)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Romance author Dakota Laurens believes that happily-ever-afters exist only between the covers of her sexy novels. But to her surprise, she finds a real-life hero when she meets a handsome emergency room doctor. The outspoken author feels an instant and intense attraction to Dr. Walt Eddy, and the feeling is mutual. When the globetrotting doctor pulls a **disappearing act on Dakota**, she's prepared to write him off . . . until fate brings a blindsiding twist to her story.

## The Weekday Brides Series

The matchmaking firm Alliance matches up special couples that result in Happily Ever After endings—and amazing weddings!



2/12/2013

**Wife by Wednesday**  
(Book One)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Japanese, Slovenian, Thai, Turkish

Blake Harrison: Rich, titled, and charming . . . and in need of a wife by Wednesday. Blake turns to Samantha Elliot, beautiful and feisty with a voice men call 1-900 numbers to hear.

Samantha Elliot: Owner of matchmaking firm Alliance and not on the marital menu . . . that is, until Blake offers her ten million dollars for a one-year contract. **And there's nothing indecent about this proposal.** All Samantha will need to do is keep her attraction to her new husband to herself and avoid his bed.



3/19/2013

**Married by Monday**  
(Book Two)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Slovenian, Thai, Turkish

Carter Billings: Sandy blond hair and Hollywood good looks, Carter could have any woman he wants. When he makes his bid for governor of California, he knows he must become a family man. His choice for a running mate between the sheets: matchmaker Eliza Havens.

**Eliza Havens: Eliza's happy that her best friend has a wealthy, adoring husband. It's the husband's best friend—sexy, dashing Carter Billings—that drives her crazy.**



8/13/2013

**Fiancé by Friday**  
(Book Three)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Thai, Turkish

Gwen Harrison: The beautiful, high-born daughter of an English duke came to America to take over her sister-in-law's **matchmaking business. But just because she's the boss doesn't mean she can't fantasize** about making her own perfect match with bodyguard Neil MacBain.

**The retired Marine can't deny the effect** blue-blooded Gwen has on his troubled soul or his battle-hardened body. But as a client, Gwen is off-limits—**until a threat from Neil's past** returns . . .



1/7/2014

**Single by Saturday**  
(Book Four)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Thai

She enjoyed her fake marriage . . . until she fell in love with her brother-in-law.

Karen Jones: The petite blonde **married a Hollywood star, yet she's the one who spends every day playing a part—the part of a happy wife.** A year ago, she agreed to wed a famous actor to defuse rumors about his personal life. Now, her divorce sits just around the corner, along with a five-million-dollar payout. However, as she prepares to exit her fake marriage gracefully, her brother-in-law walks through the door . . .



8/12/2014

**Taken by Tuesday**  
(Book Five)

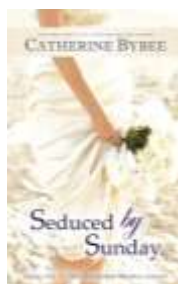
Catherine Bybee

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Judy Gardner: College graduate Judy stands ready to conquer the world . . . if she can get a job. Hoping to transition from aspiring architect to famous architect as quickly as possible, the dark-haired beauty moves to LA, staying in the home of her celebrity brother, Michael Wolfe.

**But it's hard for Judy to focus on work when the sexy bodyguard she fell for last summer keeps showing up in her life . . . making her think with desire.**



4/14/2015

**Seduced by Sunday**  
(Book Six)

Catherine Bybee

Rights Available: All Languages

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She swore off love forever . . . but he just might change her mind.

Meg Rosenthal: Matchmaker by day, realist by night, Meg is not about to get swept away by a charming, darkly handsome businessman in a **designer suit. She's come to a beautiful, secluded resort to evaluate the private island's potential for her agency—not to ogle its owner. But there's something about the magnetic man that's hard to resist, even for a woman who refuses to fall in love.**

Valentino Masini: A successful and drop-dead sexy businessman, Valentino is used to having **the finer things in life. Yet he's never wanted someone the way he wants Meg, who's stirring up a hurricane of trouble in his heart.** But just as he decides to convince her to stay, someone else decides it might be time to get Meg off the island . . . permanently.



8/18/2015

**Treasured by Thursday**  
(Book Seven)

Catherine Bybee

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The seventh sweet, thrilling book in the nationally bestselling Weekday Brides series by Catherine Bybee.

**“You simply can't miss Catherine Bybee's latest. It contains everything a romance reader loves—clever dialogue, three-dimensional characters, and just the right amount of steam to go with that heartwarming love story.”**  
—Brenda Novak, *New York Times* bestselling author

## Rogue River Novellas

A romantic suspense novella series from Kendra Elliot and Melinda Leigh.



10/7/2014

### On Her Father's Grave (Book One)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available: All Languages

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In a small town like Solitude, Oregon, keeping a secret can be murder.

Stevie Taylor had left her sleepy Oregon hometown for a more exciting life. But after her police chief father passes away, the LAPD cop returns to Solitude and signs on as a patrol officer, hoping to heal from her loss . . . and from the horrific things she's seen in the city.

In Solitude, everyone knows everyone else's business—and, to Stevie's dismay, local gossip soon ties her to the new police chief and a man from her past.



10/21/2014

### Gone to Her Grave (Book Two)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages

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In Solitude, Oregon, everyone has secrets . . . and some will kill to keep them.

When she believes a teen is falsely accused of drug dealing, social worker Carly Taylor takes on a high-risk case and her estranged husband—the detective in charge of the investigation—to prove the boy innocent. A deadly new designer drug has taken hold of her small rural hometown of Solitude, Oregon, and Carly is determined to find the real dealer and clear the teen's name. But the deeper she digs into the case, the more danger she unearths . . .



11/4/2014

### Her Grave Secrets (Book Three)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

There are no secrets in a small town—until someone has one worth dying for.

Local cop Stevie Taylor and police chief Zane Duncan have startling new proof that a deadly street drug is expanding its poisonous grip on their small town: a skull found on the banks of the Rogue River has two bullet holes in the back. Still caught up in the excitement of their new relationship, Stevie and Zane are determined to track down the drug's source before more lives in Solitude, Oregon, are lost.



11/18/2014

### Walking on Her Grave (Book Four)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

The electrifying conclusion of the romantic suspense novella series from Melinda Leigh and Kendra Elliot.

The sleepy town of Solitude, Oregon, has turned into ground zero for a turf war between the manufacturers and distributors of a lethal new drug. When a teenage witness disappears, social worker Carly Taylor must find him before he's silenced permanently. Rogue County investigator Seth Harding wants to keep Carly, his estranged wife, out of harm's way, but she refuses to let his concern keep her from doing her job.

## She Can Series



11/28/2011

### She Can Run (Book One)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French

A 2012 International Thriller Award nominee for Best First Novel, *She Can Run* is a sexy, satisfying debut.

Elizabeth was a young widow with two small children when she met Congressman Richard Baker. Handsome and wealthy, with a sparkling public image, Richard seemed like the perfect man to provide the security that Beth and her kids were craving.

But when she uncovers a dangerous secret about her new husband, Beth realizes he will go to any lengths—even murder—to keep it.



9/17/2013

### She Can Scream (Book Three)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

In one moment, high school teacher and single mother Brooke Davenport interrupts a vicious assault, saves a young woman's life, and attracts the attention of a serial killer.

Sixteen years ago, Brooke lost her roommate to a brutal murder. Now she teaches women's self-defense, still trying to heal from the guilt and grief that plague her. Convinced the predator knows his victims and is stalking his prey online, she is determined to find him before he strikes again.



3/18/2014

### She Can Hide (Book Four)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

From the moment Officer Ethan Hale pulls Abby Foster from icy waters, he senses there's more to her than meets the eye. Abby has no memory of the accident that submerged her car in the frozen river.

Three years ago, Abby was kidnapped and abandoned in a well for a week. The botched police investigation nearly killed her. Abby had moved to the mountains of Pennsylvania for a fresh start, but when it becomes clear that this car crash wasn't an accident, she knows the violence from her past has caught up with her.



12/8/2015

### She Can Kill (Book Five)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

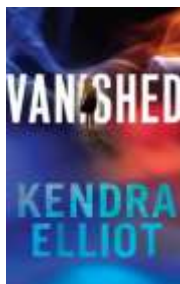
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The fifth book in the gripping She Can Series by bestselling author Melinda Leigh.

Information about translation rights to book two is available upon request.

## Callahan & McLane Series

The only thing harder than solving crimes for a living is loving someone who does.



6/17/2014  
**Vanished**  
(Book One)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available:  
All Languages

Rights Sold:  
Audio

When an eleven-year-old is abducted on her way to school, the FBI doesn't waste a moment, sending agents to scour the area and embedding Special Agent Ava McLane with the distraught family.

In the eye of the storm is local detective Mason Callahan, whose life is crumbling to pieces—he's related to the victim, and his longtime confidential informant has just been murdered. Both he and Agent McLane hole up in the victim's family home. Every second counts in a kidnapping case, and the stakes keep rising the longer the girl is missing. As Ava and Mason struggle to hold the family together in their darkest hour, the two investigators find themselves drawn to each other.



2/10/2015  
**Bridged**  
(Book Two)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available:  
All Languages

Rights Sold:  
Audio

In the latest thrilling romantic suspense novel from award-winning author Kendra Elliot, the past and the present violently collide . . . and the fallout can be deadly.

After a congressman's tortured body is found dangling from a Portland bridge, the FBI joins the Oregon State Police to investigate the case—and FBI Special Agent Ava McLane, still recovering from a bullet wound, hunts the twisted killer alongside the man who captured her heart: police detective Mason Callahan.

But once a third body appears and all evidence points to a serial killer, the public furiously clamors for answers—and the couple's relationship grows fractured under the pressure. Ava and Mason search in the past for clues that predict the future. And when Ava's mentally ill twin spins out of control, the FBI agent wonders if she shares her sister's self-destructive streak . . .



6/2/2015  
**Spiraled**  
(Book Three)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

FBI Special Agent Ava McLane solves crimes: she doesn't witness them. When she's trapped in a mall without her weapon as a shooter picks off victims, she hides with a wounded teen and prays for her survival.

But that's only the beginning . . . An epidemic of mass shootings has been launched across Oregon. The young shooters terrify the public, committing random murders before taking their own lives. The task force assembled to solve the case—which includes Ava's boyfriend, detective Mason Callahan—remains stumped. And on top of this chaos, Ava's troubled twin sister reappears, throwing Ava's already-tumultuous life into a tailspin.

Stay tuned for the fourth book in the series, which will be released in Spring 2016!

## The Bone Secrets Series

Body of Proof meets Silence of the Lambs.



7/17/2012  
**Hidden**  
(Book One)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French,  
German, Italian

Eleven years ago, the Co-ed Slayer murdered nine female students on the Oregon State University campus. Lacey Campbell barely escaped his attack, but lost her best friend whose remains were never found. As the sole surviving victim, Lacey helped send the sadistic serial killer to prison for life.

Now a forensic odontologist examining teeth and bones for the state Medical Examiner, Lacey is devastated when she arrives at a crime scene and identifies the skeletal remains as her college friend's. So who's the new killer?



8/14/2012  
**Chilled**  
(Book Two)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

As a forensic nurse on a search and rescue team, Brynn Nealey braves a dangerous blizzard to find the survivors of a plane crash in the Cascade Mountains. Joining her is Alex Kinton, a former US marshal with self-destructive tendencies.

Alex lies his way onto Brynn's team to find the man who killed his brother—and then administer his own brand of vigilante justice. What will happen to Alex's savage instincts when he finally has the opportunity to confront his brother's killer?



3/26/2013  
**Buried**  
(Book Three)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

Eighteen years ago, Chris Jacobs walked out of the forest, the lone survivor of a school bus full of children who'd vanished two years before. His memory was gone, his body beaten and emaciated. Today, the sad remains of the missing children have been discovered along with evidence that they were held captive for years. But investigative reporter Michael Brody's brother is still missing. He sets out to question Chris, hoping his memory has returned.



1/7/2014  
**Alone**  
(Book Four)

Kendra Elliot

Rights Available: All Languages

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One rainy night in the woods outside of Portland, Dr. Victoria Peres is called to the site of a haunting crime scene. Six young girls—all in white dresses and arranged in a circle—have been left for dead. Only one girl, fighting for her life at a nearby hospital, has survived the carnage.

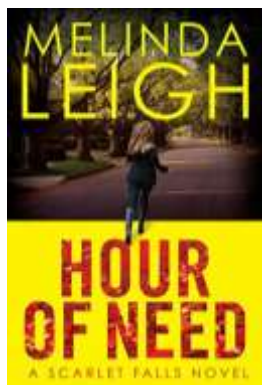
Things get stranger still when Victoria and the police discover that the disturbing arrangement of the bodies—as meticulous as it is mysterious—is straight from the pages of a decades-old cold case.

Stay tuned for the fifth book in the Bone Secrets series, which will be released in Fall 2015!



## The Scarlet Falls Novels

A gritty, fast-paced romantic suspense series from bestselling author Melinda Leigh.



12/9/2014

### Hour of Need (Book One)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

Bestselling author Melinda Leigh delivers another mystery simmering with spine-tingling passion in this first Scarlet Falls novel.

While fighting in Afghanistan, Major Grant Barrett receives devastating news: his brother and sister-in-law have been murdered in Scarlet Falls, the sleepy suburb of Grant's youth. Emotionally scarred from war, the career soldier returns home on emergency leave to temporarily care for his orphaned nephew and niece. But when someone tries to kidnap the kids and their teenage babysitter, Grant knows it's not a random act . . . and neither were the murders.

Already devastated by her neighbors' violent deaths, Ellie Ross is shattered by the attempted abduction of her teenage daughter, so she desperately turns to Grant for help. As they navigate a deadly search for the truth, they struggle with growing feelings for each other and Grant's impending return to Afghanistan.



6/30/2015

### Minutes to Kill (Book Two)

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

*Minutes to Kill* is the pulse-racing second novel in bestselling author Melinda Leigh's Scarlet Falls series.

After corporate attorney Hannah Barrett tries—and fails—to stop a kidnapping in Vegas, she can't shake the haunting image of the terrified young girl she couldn't save. She tells herself that a visit to her hometown in Scarlet Falls could be a welcome distraction. But soon, Hannah realizes the kidnapers have all the info they need to track her every move. And when chilling e-mails about the victim appear in her inbox, it's frighteningly clear that what happened in Vegas has followed her home.

Stay tuned for the third book in the series, *Seconds to Live*, which will be released in Spring 2016!



9/2/2014

### Midnight Betrayal

Melinda Leigh

Rights Available: All Languages

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Curator Dr. Louisa Hancock left behind Maine and her troubled past for Philadelphia and a job at a prominent museum. Just when it seems that Louisa's new life is safe from her dark secrets, the body of a museum intern is found—the victim of a brutal and baffling murder.

Louisa realizes this is no random crime. And when another intern goes missing, the abduction is linked to the only man who has ever tempted Louisa's heart—Conor Sullivan, the sexy owner of a Philly sports bar. Louisa's past has taught her to be wary, but her heart refuses to believe Conor is guilty.

Now Conor and Louisa must dodge a police investigation—and their growing desire—as they race to find the real killer before another girl turns up dead. But trusting Conor could be deadly, especially as the evidence against him mounts . . . and as a merciless killer targets Louisa as the next victim.



4/28/2015

### Blood and Bone

Tara Brown

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

What would you do if your life was a lie—and everyone knew but you?

Jane has come a long way from the dark days of the horrific car accident that robbed her of many memories. Living the life of a shopgirl with a charming boyfriend—a handsome, green-eyed doctor named Derek—is so satisfying that she doesn't want to revisit her past.

But the past insists on revisiting Jane. People keep thinking she's Samantha, a dead girl who looks exactly like her. Now, Jane is determined to discover her connection to the girl, leading her to question everything from her relationship with Derek to her own sanity. Should she believe Rory, the man who insists she actually is Samantha? Or should she depend on Derek, who offers her love and shelter . . . but who may have other reasons for keeping her under wraps? Who is telling her the truth—and what are the others hiding?





11/10/2015

## These Three Words

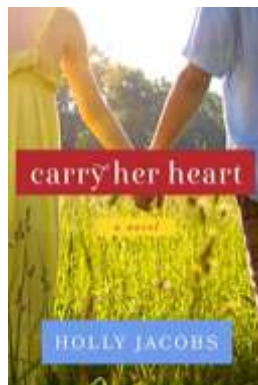
Holly Jacobs

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

From award-winning author Holly Jacobs comes an emotional, tearjerking love story of a married couple finding their way back from the brink and into each other's arms.

Praise for *Just One Thing* by Holly Jacobs:

**"This poignant story about new discoveries, hope, and love is truly unforgettable. Readers will find themselves connecting with the characters' feelings right away. This novel is a perfect fit to share with a book club since it's guaranteed to stir emotions."** —*RT Book Reviews*



4/28/2015

## Carry Her Heart

Holly Jacobs

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

**"Maybe we live our lives constantly becoming and rebecoming. Maybe we're always in the process of metamorphosing into something new."**

In her journal, writer Piper George notes the change of seasons. Each entry marks the passage of time since she became a teen mother and put her baby up for adoption. Her words flow together, painting a picture of loss, hope, and enduring love for the daughter she's never forgotten. But one autumn, a new presence appears in its pages and in her life: her neighbor, Edward "Ned" Chesterfield.

As winter thaws to spring, Piper and Ned develop a friendship that could be something more . . . if only Piper would open her heart. But the loss of her daughter has irrevocably shaped her life. And having given so much of herself away, she's not sure if she can give Ned all that he deserves. But with him at her side, Piper just might learn that a heart's love is never truly lost.



10/21/2014

## Christmas in Cupid Falls

Holly Jacobs

Rights Available: All Languages  
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A new seasonal title from award-winning romance author Holly Jacobs.

Kennedy Anderson loves Cupid Falls, Pennsylvania. Ever since moving there as an orphaned teenager, she's worked hard to carve out a place for herself in the tight-knit community. Now she's mayor and owner of the town's flower shop. But she also has a big secret . . . and nine months to figure out how to break the news to the father.

Lawyer Malcolm Carter has always been the golden boy of Cupid Falls—until he discovers the one night he spent with the girl-next-door turned out to have a lifetime of consequences. Now, the mother of his child wants nothing to do with him, and he's gone from someone who is admired to persona non grata as the town rallies behind its mayor.

Malcom has always known what he wants. But now as Christmas approaches, he'll have to discover a way to show Kennedy that she could find the only thing she's ever really wanted—a true home—with him.



2/1/2015

## Flirting with Felicity

Gerri Russell

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

In her debut contemporary romance, award-winning historical romance author Gerri Russell whips up a sweet, passionate, and unforgettably delectable story.

Felicity Wright never expected to inherit the hotel where she works as head chef. But now, she'll do anything to keep the Bancroft Hotel operating—even if that means mixing it up with the late owner's handsome nephew, Blake Bancroft. He's here to challenge her unexpected inheritance of the Bancroft Hotel, and there's no way either of them are walking away without a fight.

When his uncle wills away his family's oldest property, Blake Bancroft cooks up a plan to get it back. To check out his competition, he'll need to check in. Too bad his first encounter with Felicity proves to be anything but smooth. As their battle over ownership begins, things begin to heat up between them—and not just in the kitchen. Their attraction may be a recipe for disaster. Yet with the right ingredients, it could turn into a recipe for love . . .

## The Roads to River Rock Series



6/16/2015

### Along the Broken Road

Heather Burch

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Armed with only a journal and a promise, soldier Ian Carlisle returns home to fulfill his friend's dying wish: to find the man's daughter and read her his journal, one page at a time.

The woman he finds in River Rock, Missouri, is just as warmhearted, artistic, and feisty as her father described. Ian had fallen in love with Charlee McKinley before he even met her, but he has no idea if she'll ever return his feelings.

Charlee loved her father—but she didn't like him very much. Regimental and strict, Major Mack never approved of his daughter's choices. So when a down-on-his-luck soldier arrives on Charlee's doorstep, she'll give him the benefit of the doubt, but not her heart. It isn't until he starts reading to her that the beautiful, touching words begin to unlock something deep inside. But when Ian reveals a secret that shakes Charlee to her core, will she close herself off to love out of fear?



7/1/2014

### One Lavender Ribbon

Heather Burch

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German, Serbian, Turkish

Can a stack of long-hidden love letters from a WWII war hero inspire a heartbroken woman to love again?

Reeling from a bitter divorce, Adrienne Carter abandons Chicago and retreats to the sun, sand, and beauty of Southern Florida, throwing herself into the restoration of a dilapidated old Victorian beach house. Early into the renovations, she discovers a tin box hidden away in the attic that reveals the emotional letters from a WWII paratrooper to a young woman who lived in the house more than a half-century earlier.

The old letters—incredibly poetic and romantic—transcend time, and they arouse in Adrienne a curiosity that leads her to track down the writer of the letters. William "Pops" Bryant is now an old man living in a nearby town with his handsome but overprotective grandson, Will. As Adrienne begins to unravel the secrets of the letters (and the Bryants), she finds herself not yet willing to give up entirely on love.

"Burch's lyrical, contemporary storytelling, down-to-earth characters, and intricate plot make this one story that will delight the heart."  
—RT Book Reviews



9/15/2015

### Highlander Undone

Connie Brockway

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

From 1880s London to North Africa, historical romance master Brockway flirts with royal peerage, burning sandstorms, and the love of a lifetime.

Praise for *The Songbird's Seduction* by Connie Brockway:

"Bestseller Brockway (*No Place for a Dame*) delivers a deeply delightful travel-centric romantic comedy . . . Its banter, slapstick, and lighthearted good spirits are irrepressible. The deftly written protagonists find a touching depth of understanding at the heart of the merriment . . . Brockway's well researched settings, costumes, and attitudes allow the few bits of anachronistic banter to slide by without grating. This one's a keeper." —Publishers Weekly, Starred Review



9/16/2014

### The Songbird's Seduction

Connie Brockway

Rights Available: All Languages

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Effervescent bon vivant Lucy Eastlake is a young operetta singer whose star is on the rise in Edwardian London. Although struggling to maintain her beloved great-aunts' household, she holds fast to the belief that "things will work out."

Now, with the fiftieth anniversary of a siege her great-aunt Lavinia lived through approaching, it looks like Lucy is right, because a fortune is due to be divided among the survivors. All Lucy and her great-aunts have to do is travel to a small Pyrenees town to claim Lavinia's share of a fabulous treasure in rubies. What could be more simple?

Professor Ptolemy Archibald Grant is the brilliant, straitlaced grandson of a British lord who also withstood the siege. When his grandfather asks him as a matter of honor to escort his old love on the journey, the about-to-be married professor agrees, not expecting Lucy to be part of the bargain.



7/28/2015

## The Yellow Rose Beauty Shop

Carolyn Brown

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**Stella's mama never should've put Stella on the church prayer list.**

With Stella's twenty-seventh birthday coming up fast, Nancy desperately wants to see her daughter married and giving her grandbabies. Petitioning heaven seems like a surefire way to get it done. But in Cadillac, Texas, where the gossip's hotter than the city's famous jalapeño peppers, it isn't long before all hell breaks loose.

Heather, the bossy leader of the church's Prayer Angels, thinks a summer ball will get Stella and the town's other single gals paired off. But nobody can tell redheaded spitfire Stella what to do—not her mama, not Heather, and not even the sexy beau Stella's been seeing in secret. Together, Stella, her best friends Charlotte and Piper, and the loyal customers of the Yellow Rose Beauty Shop hatch a good old-fashioned scheme to sabotage the ball. But will it wreck Stella's relationship with her mama forever? And what will the church folk think when Stella reveals the identity of her mystery man?



12/29/2015

## Untitled

Carolyn Brown

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**A hilarious, Southern send-up of friendship and family by Western romance author Carolyn Brown.**

Tessa just might find romance while driving across Texas in a '59 Cadillac with a whiny teenage girl, two old women, her biological mama, and the sexiest man in the whole state!

Praise for Carolyn Brown:

**"Brown has the touch for one-liners and characters as familiar as an old pair of slippers."** —RT Book Reviews

## Palo Duro Canyon Series

From bestselling author Carolyn Brown comes a sexy cowboy romance series.



8/26/2014

## Long, Hot Texas Summer (Book One)

Carolyn Brown

Rights Available: All Languages

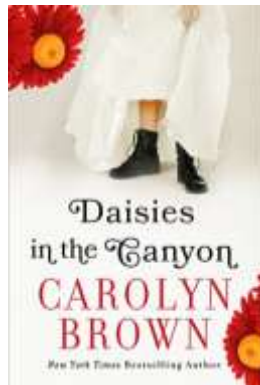
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After catching her husband kissing another woman in the barn, Loretta Sullivan Bailey left Lonesome Canyon Ranch and swore she'd never come back.

But when her daughter threatens to drop out of college to become a rancher's wife, Loretta refuses to let her baby make the same mistake she did. She returns to the ranch, determined to get her daughter back in school by the summer's end . . . and resolute on ignoring her feelings for her ex-husband. A bullheaded but oh so sexy cowboy . . .

A cowboy from his hat to his boots, ruggedly handsome rancher Jackson Bailey is none too pleased that his feisty—and gorgeous—ex-wife has suddenly shown up seventeen years after their divorce. But despite all their fighting and fussing, the two stubborn former lovers soon discover that old flames burn the hottest.

Can they finally put aside their differences and find happiness together . . . forever?



12/16/2014

## Daisies in the Canyon (Book Two)

Carolyn Brown

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Ex-army sergeant Abby Malloy feels no loss after the father she never knew passes away. Still, part of Ezra Malloy's ranch belongs to her, and if the stubborn blonde has to live there for a year with two half-sisters who are strangers to her, so be it.

Nothing could stand in the way of her inheritance . . . except a local sheriff wrapped in snug blue jeans and a sexy grin.

He's here to claim her heart . . . Cooper Wilson, the local sheriff and rancher next door, is having his world turned upside down. Abby is all straight talk and sweet, lush curves—the kind of woman who gets under his skin in just the right way. Whereas Cooper has roots in Palo Duro Canyon, Abby's got wings. But he knows she belongs here. If she can stop running from her past, he'll happily lead her to a brighter future, one hot cowboy kiss at a time.



7/28/2015

## Shine Not Burn

Elle Casey

Rights Available: All Languages  
excluding French, Audio

**Andie's just days away from tying the knot, but there's just one little glitch. Apparently, she's already married.**

Or someone with her name is married to a guy out in Oregon of all places, and the courthouse won't issue her a marriage license until it's all cleared up. Tripping her way through cow pies and country songs to meet up with a man who gets around places on horseback is her very last idea of how to have a good time, but if she's going to get married, make partner at the firm, and have two point five kids before she's thirty-five, she needs to get to the bottom of this snafu and fix it quick . . . before her fiancé finds out and everything she's been working toward goes up in flames.



7/28/2015

## Mackenzie Fire

Elle Casey

Rights Available: All Languages  
excluding French, Audio

*Mackenzie Fire is the sequel to Shine Not Burn.*

**Ian MacKenzie's been a cranky pain in the neck for going on three years now, still bitter over his failed engagement and his life on the ranch. Enter Candice, his sister-in-law Andie's best friend, out for a two-week visit as they await the birth of Ian's first niece.**

Candice is a successful business owner, an expert with hair and fashion, determined to look gorgeous even while slipping and sliding all over the Oregon winter ice. Without even trying, she somehow manages to get right up under Ian's skin and make him say and do things he would never normally say or do. When the two of them end up spending time together, the sparks and the snow fly. The question is whether they're going to do anything about it, and what will happen to the rest of their lives if they do.

### The Bourbon Street Boys Series



9/22/2015

## Wrong Number, Right Guy

Elle Casey

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

The Bourbon Street Boys is a team of undercover operators, men hired by the city of New Orleans to supplement the local police force. **They're a rough group of guys who grew up together on Bourbon Street, know all the locals, and have a deep devotion to their town.**

Their tasks usually involve ridding the city of gangs, drug dealers, and criminals who come in from out of town and try to establish their operations on their turf. **They're muscled tough guys with hearts of gold and suckers for women in distress.**

The series features strong, independent, smart-mouthed women who find themselves put into situations with the "Boys," whom they initially write off as not their type but who quickly become way more attractive than they ever believed possible.



11/1/2015

## Christmas in Good Hope

Cindy Kirk

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

*A heartwarming love story of second chances, finding friendship, long-held secrets, and letting go of the past.*

### Wager of Hearts Series

A sexy, sophisticated new series about three billionaires and one high-risk venture: love.



7/21/2015

#### The CEO Buys In

Nancy Herkness

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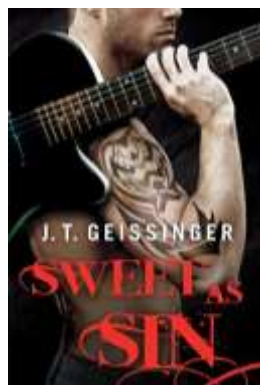
A new series from the bestselling author of the Whisper Horse Novels.

Self-made billionaire Nathan Trainor feels restless and disillusioned. **His company may be thriving, but he can't find a woman who sees him for more than his wealth.** With his love life in the red, he meets two other billionaire bachelors at the ultra-exclusive Bellwether Club. The three of them make a wager of the heart: they must find women who love them for who they are, not their money.

Savvy office temp Chloe Russell is trying to scrape together the money she needs to support her grandmother. So when a flu epidemic strikes **Trainor Electronics** and she's promoted to **Nathan Trainor's assistant**, she jumps at the lucrative opportunity. But then Nathan himself falls ill, and he and Chloe must work from his penthouse while he **recuperates. Before long, it's clear there's genuine heat between them, and it's more than just a fever spike.**

### Bad Habit Series

Three feisty, independent women. Three supersexy rockers. One irresistible Bad Habit.



7/14/2015

#### Sweet as Sin

J. T. Geissinger

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A new contemporary romance series from the bestselling author of the Night Prowler Novels.

Twentysomething Kat Reid is loving life as an in-demand Hollywood makeup artist. **She has absolutely no interest in rock 'n' roll, but in order to pay the mortgage, she agrees to work on the set of a rock video for the world-famous rockers known as Bad Habit . . . which brings her face-to-face with Nico Nyx, lead singer of Bad Habit, and Adonis in the flesh.**

**However, the fiercely independent Kat isn't impressed by the hard-living, womanizing rock star. But when Nico's model girlfriend shows up to the set drunk and Kat is tapped to replace her as the video's sexy bride, her combustible chemistry with Nico suddenly threatens to consume the set. Nico feels it, too—and becomes determined to win Kat over, body and soul. Yet behind his rock god swagger, Nico hides a dark secret. Can he rock Kat's world, or will he break her heart?**

### A Red River Valley Novel



7/7/2015

#### What I Like About You

Shelly Alexander

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She has a secret. He has a scandal. And they both have an **attraction they can't deny.**

Ella Dennings is furious. Soaking wet, muddy, and furious. All she wants is to spend a quiet summer retreating to her Red River cabin. Maybe she can finish healing after the death of her husband, Bradley. Maybe she can even start writing that second book in her top-secret bestselling erotica series. But when she arrives at the cabin in a raging June rainstorm, who does she find holed up there **but Cooper Wells, Bradley's sexy best friend—a man capable of seducing women of all ages and cup sizes within seconds—and a man Ella has never liked. Coop's got his own baggage. He's engulfed in a nasty legal battle, and after selling his condo to cover his legal fees, he's got nowhere to go but the cabin. He and Ella will just have to coexist under one roof . . . but is their heated animosity boiling over into attraction? And when Ella's racy new book rocks the sleepy town, will her secret identity spell scandal for both of them?**



6/30/2015

#### Red Carpet Kiss

Melissa Brown

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After penning a series of bestselling novels, Eleanor Riley vowed to leave her past—and the man who broke her heart—far behind.

**As the creator of one of television's most beloved dramas, Elle couldn't have written a better comeback for herself. But her success doesn't leave much room in her life for romance . . . until Luke Kingston enters the scene.**

Luke, a stunningly handsome star, is set to play the latest love interest in **Elle's show . . . but he's got his eye on Elle, and she can't deny their sizzling chemistry.** Then Elle has a chance encounter with Troy Saladino—the man who had been the love of her life—and suddenly a million old feelings are rushing back.

**With two gorgeous men pursuing her, Elle can't decide who holds the key to her heart: her new love or her old flame. Will her choice bring her happiness—or more heartbreak?**





6/16/2015

## Carry Me Home

Rosalind James

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Audio

Steamy romance and spine-tingling suspense electrify the small town of Paradise, Idaho.

Paradise, Idaho, may not be the largest town, but for newly minted professor **Zoe Santangelo, it's the first step on the path to her big break.** After teaching in a small Idaho school, her next stop is the Ivy League, and **no one is going to stand in her way. She'll do what it takes to move up, to protect her students from a creepy campus stalker—and to protect her heart from Cal Jackson, the hot, hunky cowboy who keeps coming to her rescue.**

After a career-ending injury, Cal has left professional football behind and **come home to work the family farm. He's determined not to get mixed up with any more city girls who don't want to settle down with a country boy.** But after he rescues sassy geologist Zoe from a snowy ditch, **he can't stop thinking about her. Can Cal keep Zoe safe from whoever is targeting her—and can he show her that having ambition doesn't mean she has to sacrifice love?**



7/1/2015

## A Dark Lure

Loreth Anne White

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

A new romantic suspense novel by the award-winning author of *A Slow Burn of Silence*.

Twelve years ago, Sarah Baker was abducted by the Watt Lake Killer and sexually assaulted for months before managing to escape. The killer was caught, but Sarah lost everything: her marriage, her child, and the life she loved.

Struggling with PTSD, Sarah changes her name to Olivia West and finds sanctuary working on Broken Bar Ranch. But as her scars finally begin to heal, a cop involved with her horrific case remains convinced the Watt Lake Killer is still out there. He sets a lure for the murderer, and a fresh body is discovered. Now Olivia must face the impossible—could the butcher be back, this time to finish his job?

As a frigid winter isolates the ranch, only one person can help Olivia: Cole McDonough, a ranch heir, writer, and adventurer who stirs long-dormant feelings in her. **But this time, Olivia's determination to shut out her past may destroy more than her chance at love. It could cost Olivia her life.**

### The Fire Series



5/26/2015

## Consumed by Fire

Anne Stuart

Rights Available: All Languages

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Evangeline Morrissey remembers the last time she saw her husband: it was during their honeymoon, right before he stole her elderly aunt's earrings and abandoned her. **Now, five years later, the enigmatic man who'd broken her heart and destroyed her trust is back. But she's not the same naive young woman who fell for him so easily.**

Marrying Evangeline and letting her think he was nothing but a common thief had been **James Bishop's plan all along. As an assassin for the Committee, a covert agency dedicated to stamping out international crime, he had no business even thinking about marriage. But it was the only way to protect Evangeline after she'd unwittingly wandered into his operation against a group of human traffickers, placing herself in grave danger. And now that James's vigilant watch over Evangeline's life has revealed to his enemies that she's his one true weakness, he must set out to have, to hold, and—above all—to protect his bride.**



5/19/2015

## Life After Perfect

Nancy Naigle

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A new standalone romance novel by the bestselling author of the Adams Grove Series.

Katherine Barclift had it all: the perfect job, the perfect car, and what she thought was the perfect marriage. But when her entire world collapses in one stomach-churning instant, she hits the road and keeps driving until that so-called perfect life is just a dot in her rearview mirror.

A chance encounter leads her to make a pit stop in Boot Creek, a drowsy little North Carolina town where she can call herself Katy, soak up the peace and quiet . . . and drink in the bluer-than-blue eyes of Derek Hansen, a local doctor still wrestling with his own painful past. Both Katy and Derek are wary about giving romance another shot, but **they can't deny the intense attraction between them. And if being in Boot Creek has taught them anything, it's to take life as it comes and never pass up a chance at true love . . . no matter how wounded your heart may be.**

## The Adams Grove Novels

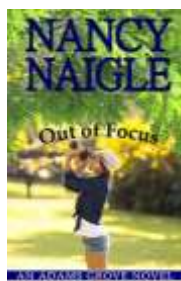
Bestselling author Nancy Naigle whips up small-town love stories with a dash of suspense and a whole lot of heart.



9/25/2012  
**Sweet Tea and Secrets (Book One)**  
 Nancy Naigle  
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 Audio, German

When beloved town matriarch Pearl Clemmons dies on a warm June afternoon, the folks of Adams Grove, Virginia, can hardly believe it. Sure, Pearl was eighty-five years old, but everyone—particularly her granddaughter Jill—just assumed she would live forever.

**Now Jill must return home to settle Pearl's estate, comfort a town in mourning . . . and face Garrett Malloy, the man who broke her heart years ago.**



3/3/2015  
**Out of Focus (Book Two)**  
 Nancy Naigle  
 Rights Available:  
 All Languages,  
 Audio

Kasey Phillips thinks her biggest problem is **deciding whether to photograph Cody Tuggle's honky-tonkin' tour, until an accident on Route 58 claims the life of her husband.**

In a desperate race against time as a hurricane threatens the eastern seaboard, they search for her three-year-old son, who is missing from the wreckage.

A community and friends rally to help, but there are those who know more than they're telling.

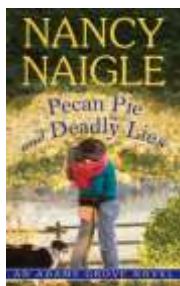
**Continue Cody Tuggle's story in *Pecan Pie and Deadly Lies*!**



7/9/2013  
**Wedding Cake and Big Mistakes (Book Three)**  
 Nancy Naigle  
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For years, Carolanne Baxter dreamed of a life beyond Adams Grove. Being the daughter of the town drunk was no picnic, so when college offered her a chance for escape, she took it. Now Carolanne has returned home, finally ready to make amends with her father, Ben, and to celebrate the wedding of her best friends Jill and Garrett.

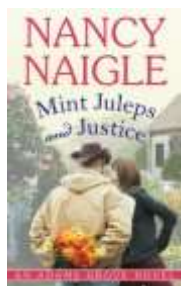
**But Carolanne's hopes for a fresh start are dashed when a dead body surfaces during Jill and Garrett's wedding reception . . . and Ben Baxter becomes the prime suspect.**



9/24/2013  
**Pecan Pie and Deadly Lies (Book Four)**  
 Nancy Naigle  
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**America's beloved country superstar Cody Tuggle never expected to be one of America's most wanted. At least that's how he feels since he's been accused of murdering his scheming agent. Desperate to prove he's innocent, he turns to his only alibi, award-winning photographer Kasey Phillips, who recently toured with him and his band.**

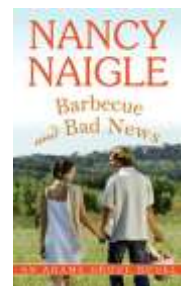
After an exciting life on the road, Kasey has settled down in small-town Adams Grove with her five-year-old son. Unexpectedly reunited with Cody, she finds herself open to love again. **But just when she's ready to fall, everything she ever believed about him is called in to question.**



2/1/2014  
**Mint Juleps and Justice (Book Five)**  
 Nancy Naigle  
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Luck abandoned Brooke Justice during her nasty divorce. Desperate to escape her malicious ex-husband, she relocated to the small town of Adams Grove, Virginia. When someone breaks into her new house, she suspects her ex bears the blame for the crime.

With no evidence and little help from the police, she asks a private investigator to take her case—a private investigator whose sexy broad shoulders and stunning blue eyes make her question her decision to swear off relationships forever. Will the pain of the past—and the dangerous threat lurking in the present—destroy their new beginning?

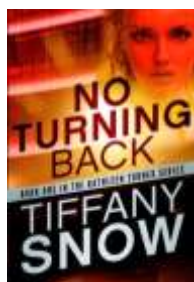


2/10/2015  
**Barbecue and Bad News (Book Six)**  
 Nancy Naigle  
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Savannah Dey politely agreed to attend her ex-husband's wedding, but she'd be grateful for any reason to get out of it . . . which is why the speeding ticket from the handsome sheriff of Adams Grove is both a surprise and a reprieve. With one quick call to her editor, the aspiring columnist finds herself with a new assignment and the perfect excuse to get closer to the man who pulled her over. Now, all she needs is a way to deal with all the bad memories the small town dredges up . . .

**Sheriff Scott Calvin can't forget the woman who set off his radar, but he's determined to send Savannah on her way. He's done making bad choices, and this beautiful city gal is sure to leave Adams Grove once she finishes her story. By the time she's stirred up a hornet's nest, he's already falling for her. Will trouble bind them together, or will her secrets tear them apart?**

## The Kathleen Turner Series



12/18/2012

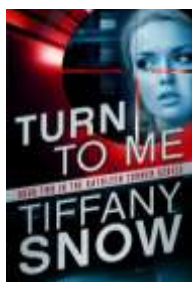
### No Turning Back (Book One)

Tiffany Snow

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Being a bartender by night and law firm runner by day helps make ends meet for Kathleen Turner. Mostly. Being twenty-three and **single in Indianapolis wasn't** exactly a thrilling adventure, but **then again, that's not what** Kathleen wanted. At least, not until she met Blane Kirk.

Navy SEAL turned high-profile attorney, Blane is everything a woman could want. The only **problem? He's her boss. Blane** is known for playing the field, and the last thing Kathleen needs or wants is to get involved with him. But when her friend is murdered and it seems Kathleen will be next, she may not have a choice.



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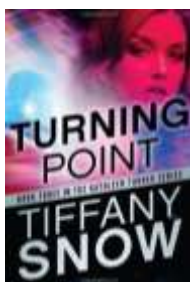
### Turn to Me (Book Two)

Tiffany Snow

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**What Kathleen Turner doesn't** know just may kill her. Her boyfriend, Navy SEAL turned high-powered attorney Blane Kirk, is keeping secrets from her—the deadly kind—and it may end their **relationship before it's even begun.**

Someone in the shadows is stalking and terrorizing Kathleen, and Blane must lose a trial with far-reaching ramifications if he wants to keep her alive.



2/19/2013

### Turning Point (Book Three)

Tiffany Snow

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After her promotion from law firm runner to Investigator, Kathleen Turner is learning the ropes of her new job from none other than assassin-for-hire Kade Dennon, a situation her boyfriend Blane Kirk is none too happy about.

But the lessons with Kathleen take a back seat when Kade becomes a target. Previously untouchable, his enemies now know of the chink in his armor—**his brother's girlfriend. And Kade's not the only thing** coming between Kathleen and Blane.



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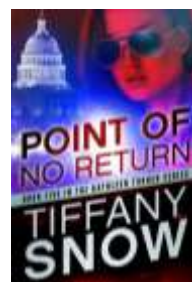
### Out of Turn (Book Four)

Tiffany Snow

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Breaking up is hard to do, as Kathleen Turner discovers. After a falling-out with her ex, **high-powered attorney Blane Kirk, she's** moving on the best she can. Unfortunately, someone from her past is set on revenge, and nothing short of killing Kathleen will stop them.

**Keeping his brother's ex-girlfriend alive isn't something new** to assassin-for-hire Kade Dennon, but this time can he protect her from himself?



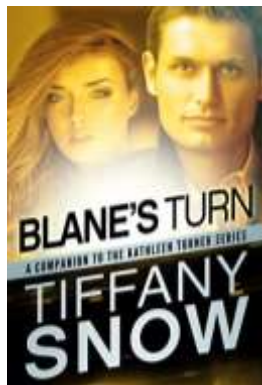
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### Point of No Return (Book Five)

Tiffany Snow

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**Kathleen Turner wasn't expecting** to fall in love when she came to Indianapolis a year ago, much less fall in love with two very different men. And not just any men. Brothers. Blane Kirk, former SEAL **turned attorney, is every woman's dream man. But he's a playboy who** changes women as often as he changes his tie, and trying to hold on to Blane could only break Kathleen's heart. Commitment is a foreign word to Kade Dennon, assassin-for-hire and genius hacker, and safety is non-existent. Past betrayals come to a head, and the choice Kathleen makes could sign her death warrant.



3/24/2015

### Blane's Turn (A Companion to the Kathleen Turner Series)

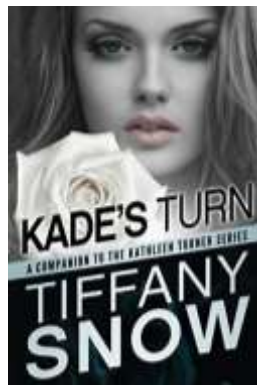
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**Blane's Turn** is a companion novel to *No Turning Back*, Book One in The Kathleen Turner Series.

Blane Kirk is a Navy SEAL-turned-attorney with old money and an even older pedigree. High powered and aggressive, he plays the field, changing women as often as he changes his ties—but **he's had no complaints so far. He has only two rules: don't date employees, and don't get emotionally involved. These are rules he can easily live by . . .** until his runner, an employee in his law firm named Kathleen Turner, does an unexpected face-plant into his lap.

**Kathleen's too young and innocent for Blane, and much too vulnerable.** After her friend is murdered, Blane knows she could be next—and he knows that keeping her alive means keeping her close to him. **Kathleen's like no woman he's ever met, and protecting her could be** the one thing to change his life forever. He may be able to keep her safe from the killer . . . but can he keep her safe from himself?



3/24/2015

### Kade's Turn (A Companion to the Kathleen Turner Series)

Tiffany Snow

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**Kade's Turn** is a companion novel to *Turn to Me*, Book Two in The Kathleen Turner Series.

Assassin-for-hire Kade Dennon knows exactly who he is: a **soulless killer who can't be saved. And he thinks he's fine with that . . . until he** meets Kathleen. Beautiful, kind, and tough as nails, Kathleen Turner is nothing like the nameless one-night stands Kade usually goes for. Just being around her makes the hardened hit man feel emotions he **never thought were possible. There's just one problem: Kathleen is** dating Kade's brother, hotshot attorney Blane Kirk.

**When a shadowy figure starts threatening Kathleen's life and forces** Blane to lose a high-stakes trial, Kade is thrown into the role of **reluctant bodyguard for the most captivating woman he's ever known.** For a man who spends his life taking down murderers and psychopaths, this battle against his feelings might prove to be the fight of his life.

## The Tangled Ivy Series



12/16/2014

### In His Shadow (Book One)

Tiffany Snow

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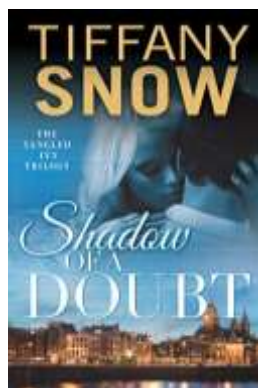
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Ivy Mason is hiding—from her past, from herself, and from anyone who could love her.

**The only kind of love she's ever known hurts, leaving scars on her body and soul. Now, her world may be boring and predictable, but that's exactly what she wants. Until Devon Clay walks into her life.**

A lonely man in a deadly profession, Devon works as an agent for an underground British agency known only as the Shadow. Nothing about him is safe or ordinary. The danger that consumes his life turns into an addiction Ivy can't resist . . . even if it proves fatal.

As Ivy's past begins to catch up with her, she wonders if love really is the twisted thing she's always thought it was. Maybe it could be more with this man, who's shown her that she doesn't need to protect herself from everyone. Is what she feels for Devon worth the risk? He may save her heart or break it, if she manages to stay alive.



5/12/2015

### Shadow of a Doubt (Book Two)

Tiffany Snow

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For a British spy and his beautiful girlfriend, love and danger are inextricably entwined.

Ivy Mason has it all: beauty, a plush apartment, a fancy car, and a debonair British spy boyfriend who pays all her bills. If only her boyfriend was in her life—and her bed—more than just sporadically.

Part of an underground British agency called the Shadow, Devon Clay knows that secrecy is what has kept him alive. Anyone he loves is a liability, and being involved with him puts the other person in grave danger. Yet Ivy is someone his heart can't resist. When an enemy from Devon's past returns, the spy and his girlfriend are thrown headlong into an international conspiracy that puts everyone Ivy loves at risk. From the Missouri River bottoms to the brothels of Amsterdam, Ivy and Devon must outrun and outmaneuver the forces allied against them, and no one can be trusted.

Stay tuned for the third book in the series, *Shadowfall*, which will be released in Fall 2015!

## The Slaughter Creek Novels

Hold on to your heart.



12/24/2012

### Dying to Tell (Book One)

Rita Herron

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**What happened to Sadie Nettleton's twin sister at the psychiatric hospital all those years ago?**

Sadie Nettleton fled Slaughter Creek ten years ago, leaving behind the only home she'd ever known—and the only man she ever loved. Unable to cope with her sister's madness, or the terrible secret she and her sister share, Sadie swore never to return.

But when her grandfather is murdered, and her sister charged with the crime, Sadie has no choice but to come back and face the ghosts of the past.



6/2/2013

### Her Dying Breath (Book Two)

Rita Herron

Rights Available: All Languages

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Journalist Brenda Banks is on the verge of the biggest story of her career—if she can stay alive long enough to finish it. A serial killer is targeting men in the small town of Slaughter Creek, leaving behind a twisted trail of clues meant only for Brenda.

**It's a dangerous, deadly game, one she cannot master without the help of FBI Special Agent Nick Blackwood, the man she's loved since high school—and whose tormented past could hold the key to catching a killer.**



4/22/2014

### Worth Dying For (Book Three)

Rita Herron

Rights Available: All Languages

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The sadistic experiments conducted in Slaughter Creek have left the town mired in mystery.

As Special Agent Rafe Hood works to tie up the loose ends, the discovery of a grisly murder reveals there's a new killer at work. Someone they're calling "The Dissector." Someone who keeps his victims' body parts as gruesome trophies . . .



9/9/2014

### Dying for Love (Book Four)

Rita Herron

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Amelia Nettleton has struggled to overcome her childhood trauma and finally has a chance to lead a normal life with a husband and a family. But a recurring nightmare haunts her: she dreams of a baby crying . . . a baby that may be hers, and was stolen from her.

Six years ago, special agent John Strong woke up in a hospital with no memories—but with a strong feeling that he committed terrible acts. Now he works with the FBI to locate missing children.

When Amelia turns to John for help, an intoxicatingly familiar passion ignites between them.



## Mirror Lake Novels



5/19/2015

### Escaping Vegas

Danielle Bourdon

Rights Available: All Languages

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After Madalina Maitland receives a small inheritance from her grandfather—\$1,300 and a little knickknack shaped like a Chinese dragon—she heads to Vegas for a much-needed vacation. All she wants to do is to win some cash, enjoy some drinks, and flirt with the sexy stranger she literally stumbles into at the roulette table. But little does she know that her luck is about to change . . . in a deadly way.

When Chinese assailants attempt to kidnap Madalina from the casino, her broad-shouldered roulette partner comes to her rescue. A tall, dark, and handsome private security specialist, Cole West just met Madalina, but he's instantly driven to protect the feisty, fashionable beauty.

Now, Madalina and Cole must discover who is after her—and why. Catapulted down a perilous path of danger and deception, their building passion soon threatens to dissolve into distrust. Will they be torn apart just when they need each other the most?



5/1/2015

### This Thing Called Love

Miranda Liasson

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In the first heartwarming Mirror Lake story, steamy trysts and surprising twists lead two people to a future neither one expected.

New York City self-help editor Olivia Marks faces her toughest assignment yet: parenthood. When her sister dies in a car accident, the career-oriented Olivia suddenly becomes the guardian to her four-week-old niece, Annabelle. She also becomes a challenge for Annabelle's uncle, Brad Rushford, an old flame whose gorgeous green eyes bring Olivia's fevered memories rushing back.

As the two circle each other in their small hometown of Mirror Lake, Olivia finds Brad is as sexy and charming as ever—and now he's the darling of the town as he expands his successful lakefront restaurant. Is his flirting designed to get serious, or get Olivia to lower her defenses and give up guardianship? What about the turreted, brick Victorian house Brad tours with a Realtor and an attractive, no-strings-attached reporter, the same place where he and Olivia shared an unforgettable night years ago—is he looking for a future with Olivia, or planning to start a new life with someone else?

## Ardent Springs Novels



4/28/2015

### Waiting for the One

L. A. Fiore

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Saffron Mills has lived all of her almost thirty years in Harrington, Maine—a small town where fishing is plenty, but available men are far too few.

Yet it's not just her dating dry spell that draws her to recent arrival Logan MacGowan. Tall, dark, and handsome, with emerald-green eyes and an impossibly hot body, Logan is a gorgeous enigma whose silence she takes for indifference . . . until one unforgettable chance meeting, when pent-up attraction ignites into the most intense encounter of her life.

In this quiet, quirky town, no one knows that Logan's alter ego is famous sculptor and tabloid darling David Cambre. In New York, he had all the wrong kind of attention, but in Harrington, he's found peace, privacy . . . and Saffron. She's witty, forthright, and so much sexier and stronger than she knows. But how do you protect the love you've been waiting for when your own lifestyle could be destined to rip it apart?



4/21/2015

### His First and Last

Terri Osburn

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Warm, sexy, and laugh-out-loud funny, *His First and Last* is an irresistible story of first love and second chances.

At eighteen, Lorelei Pratchett couldn't wait to get out of her hometown. Twelve years later, her Hollywood dreams have fizzled and she's back—temporarily, she thinks. Although she throws herself into saving the old theater and starting a baking business, small towns have long memories, and Lorelei's wild past still haunts her. It doesn't help that her ex-boyfriend, Spencer Boyd, is even hotter, smarter, and more distracting than before.

The fiery Lorelei that Spencer knew years ago may have become closed off and cautious, but their chemistry hasn't faded one bit. Losing her a second time is unthinkable to him, yet Lorelei is convinced she doesn't belong in Ardent Springs. Somehow, Spencer needs to show her that everything she needs is right here: family, friendship, new beginnings . . . and a man who's never stopped loving her.



## Echoes of the Heart Series

An endearing romance series about love, family, and the charming magic of a small town.



9/30/2014

### Here in My Heart (Book One)

Anna DeStefano

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Live and work together, or lose everything that matters . . .

The ultimatum tilts Dru Hampton's contented life in Chandlerville, Georgia, on its ear. The man that Vivian, her cantankerous boss and benefactor, wants Dru to partner with—live with—is Brad Douglas, who's let Dru down every way a man can.

Sheriff's deputy Brad Douglas has come a long way since his rebellious youth. He's back home to care for Vivian, his ill grandmother. He's stayed out of Dru's way all these years to make up for the hurt he once caused her. Now, the delightfully mischievous Vivian's dying wish is for them to rebuild at least a working relationship together . . . and she's betting on them rediscovering much more.

The family business and the Douglas home that Dru and Brad both cherish will be sold if they don't resolve their differences. Can these childhood sweethearts make up and reclaim each other's hearts before it's too late?



4/28/2015

### Let Me Love You Again (Book Two)

Anna DeStefano

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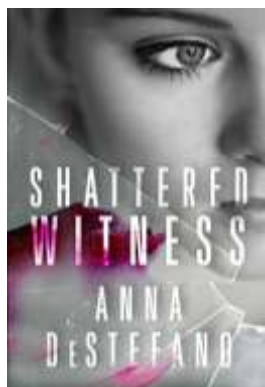
Selena Rosenthal left behind her high school sweetheart, who was the love of her life, seven years ago.

Now, she and the once-rebellious Oliver Bowman are back in Chandlerville—after his foster father's heart attack and Selena's contentious divorce—to deal with her secrets, the recklessness that caused their breakup, and the almost-strangers they've become to each other and their families.

As soon as his father is stronger, Oliver must return to the successful career that helps support a new generation of foster kids. But he's falling for Selena again, her daughter has a hold on his heart, and he can't imagine leaving behind his brothers and sisters once again.

More attached by the day to their charming hometown and families, Selena and Oliver fall in love for the second time.

Stay tuned for the third book in the series, *His Darling Bride*, which will be released in Fall 2015!



11/11/2014

### Shattered Witness

Anna DeStefano

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Audio

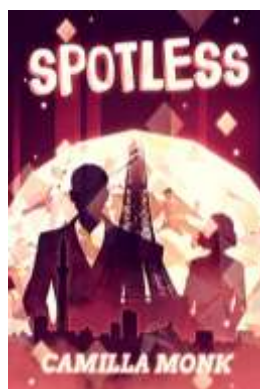
A brutal assault leaves high-powered CEO Shaw Cassidy's memory shattered.

Her isolated estate on High Lake Mountain should be her haven, but nightmares and eerie shadows threaten her sanity. A shot in the night sends her running from the creaking Victorian into the arms of a stranger she instinctively trusts. But is he her hero, or her downfall?

Time is running out for special agent Cole Marinos. His undercover assignment: to protect his childhood sweetheart—the lost love who broke his heart. His reality: Shaw is suspected of treason. To uncover the top-secret government leak that will exonerate her, he must trigger her memories of her stalker . . . and of Cole's long-ago betrayal.

The evil tracking Shaw closes in, each attack more cruel and personal than the last. And each is designed to implicate Cole. With Shaw's memory returning and her life on the line, is she trusting a man she once promised to love forever? Or is Cole the monster who wants her dead?

## Spotless Series



5/12/2015

### Spotless

Camilla Monk

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Island Chaptal—nerdy IT engineer by day, romance novel junkie by night—just walked into her messy New York apartment to find Mr. Right waiting for her. No, wait . . . Mr. Clean.

A gentleman professional killer with a bad case of OCD and zero tolerance for unsorted laundry, March isn't there to kill her . . . yet. He wants the diamond her late mother stole for a sinister criminal organization. Island agrees to help him find it, facing the kind of adversaries who dismember first and ask questions later. Good thing she's got March to show her the ropes. And the guns. And the knives.

The buttoned-up Island is soon having a blast racing from Paris to Tokyo following the clues in her mother's will, and for the first time, she's ready to get close to someone. But falling for a hit man may be the very definition of loving dangerously . . .



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## Forced Disappearance

Dana Marton

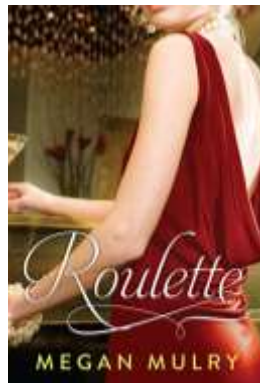
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A gripping, fast-paced novel of romantic suspense from nationally bestselling author Dana Marton.

When wealthy American businessman Glenn Danning goes missing in Venezuela, investigator Miranda Soto volunteers to track him down. **It's her first assignment for the Civilian Personnel Recovery Unit, but this mission is about more than salvaging the remnants of her shattered military career. Glenn was Miranda's best friend and first lover, and she'll do anything to save him from danger . . . especially since she just lost everything that mattered to her.**

Glenn barely survived being kidnapped and tortured as a suspected spy, but the shock of seeing Miranda again gives him a new lease on life. Their still-simmering attraction grows hotter as the couple races through the treacherous jungle. Determined to reach safe ground, they must stay alive long enough to stop the terrifying enemy who still **hunts Glenn. And even if they survive, Miranda's dark past could jeopardize their future together . . .**



12/2/2014

## Roulette

Megan Mulry

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Megan Mulry, nationally bestselling author and recipient of **NPR's Best Book of 2012 (*A Royal Pain*)**, takes readers on a sexy, stylish journey of high-stakes passion in her latest book.

Miki Durand has always dodged the limelight. As the illegitimate daughter of a French movie star and a Russian billionaire, she craves a normal life—and it's almost within reach. **She's up for a tenure-track position and has a perfect-on-paper boyfriend. What more could a woman want?**

But when an unforeseen tragedy knocks her off cruise control, Miki finds herself leaving sunny LA for cosmopolitan St. Petersburg. **With the fate of her father's international business in her hands, she comes face-to-face with the ultimate temptation: corporate rival Jérôme Michel de Villiers. He's everything she never thought she wanted, and their sizzling attraction soon sparks into an all-consuming flame.**

Notoriously risk averse, Miki knows it would be a gamble to fall for **the sexy French playboy. But for the first time in her life, she's ready to take a chance and let the chips fall where they may.**

### Kerr Chronicles

Ian Kerr has it all . . . except the woman he wants.



8/4/2015

## Losing Control (Book One)

Jen Frederick

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Victoria nurses her mother through cancer treatments and works long hours as a New York City bike courier to pay for the roof over their heads.

When a suspiciously high-paying delivery job thrusts her into the arms of impossibly attractive businessman Ian Kerr, Victoria is sorely tempted to enjoy his attentions and his chiseled body, if only to forget her responsibilities for a while . . . no matter the cost.

Kerr seems to have it all: money, power, and charisma to spare. What **he doesn't have: revenge on an old nemesis, but he intends to get it.** Kerr is prepared to cast innocent Victoria as the lure in his vengeful plot. Yet the more they explore midtown Manhattan—and each other—the more she means to Ian. But is it too late for him to stop the **dangerous plan he's already put into motion?**

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, *Taking Control*, which will be released in Fall 2015!



3/24/2015

## Win by Submission

Melynda Price

Rights Available: All Languages

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**To win her heart, he'll be in for the fight of his life. After an illegal kick during a CFA title fight fractures Cole Easton's spine, doctors say there's nothing more they can do for the bitter Vegas fighter.**

They say it's a miracle he can walk, if that's what you call his crutch-dragging limp. Unwilling to give up on him, Cole's manager sends the injured fighter to the best physical therapist he knows: his niece, Katie Miller. When Cole arrives in the small town of Somerset, Wisconsin, he quickly discovers his sly manager may have had reasons other than rehab for sending him to this frozen tundra.

After a year of running from an abusive ex-boyfriend, Katie has returned to her hometown to care for her father, who's recovering from a stroke. When Uncle Marcus calls in a favor, she reluctantly finds herself taking on a rancorous MMA fighter, broken at the height of his career. **He's insanely sex-on-a-stick hot—and everything she loathes in a man.**

If Cole thinks his fighting days are over, he's dead wrong. To save Katie from her past and to win her heart, he'll be in for the fight of his life.

## Cranberry Inn Series

From bestselling author Beth Ehemann comes a series about second chances for lasting love.



5/5/2015  
**Room for You**  
(Book One)

Beth Ehemann

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

*Room for You* is the sweet, tantalizing first novel in bestselling author Beth Ehemann's heartwarming Cranberry Inn series.

Kacie Jensen has one main priority in her life: raising her twin daughters, Lucy and Piper. Ever since her ex—the girls' father—vanished four years ago, Kacie's sworn to keep her head in her studies and her heart out of trouble. **Moving back home to her mother's bed-and-breakfast** had seemed like the best way to start over.

But when hockey star Brody Murphy washes up on the front steps of the Cranberry Inn during a raging storm, he awakens a hunger in Kacie that she's long forgotten . . . and he opens her eyes to a life she never thought was possible. With so much more to lose this time around, can Kacie trust her heart to make the right decision?



5/5/2015  
**Room for More**  
(Book Two)

Beth Ehemann

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Charming and enticing, *Room for More* is the captivating second chapter in Beth Ehemann's Cranberry Inn series.

Single mom Kacie Jensen's life completely changed when she met dreamy, easygoing hockey star Brody Murphy and fell into a love affair she'd never imagined possible. Now, it seems like nothing can get in the way of their blossoming relationship—until Kacie's ex-boyfriend and the father of her twin girls appears after a five-year absence, begging to be let back into their daughters' lives.

With Brody's game schedule turning their relationship long-distance, Kacie can keep her ex's reappearance a secret for a while. Can Kacie do right by her daughters and keep Brody's heart now that her past has unexpectedly returned?



5/5/2015  
**Room for Just a Little Bit More**  
(Book Three)

Beth Ehemann

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

A heartwarming novel of romance, family, and lasting love, *Room for Just a Little Bit More* is the sweet, winning conclusion to the charming Cranberry Inn series.

Single mom Kacie Jensen must be dreaming. She's finally found the love of her life in gorgeous hockey star Brody Murphy, and he's just asked her to marry him. Still glowing from his romantic marriage proposal, Kacie shares the news with her twin daughters—who are delighted—and begins planning the wedding of a lifetime.

But when Kacie receives a letter from her dad, who walked out on her and her mother fifteen years ago, the happy whirlwind comes to a halt. He says he wants to meet her for lunch and catch up. But does he truly want to be a part of her life after all these years? Or is he only interested in her new fiancé's money?

## A captivating new adult romance series from bestselling author Kimberly Lauren



4/7/2015  
**Beautiful Broken Rules**

Kimberly Lauren

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All Languages

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The most valuable lesson Emerson Moore ever learned was from her parents: never get too attached to someone else. That's why this hard-partying college student plays by her own code of bedroom conduct, refusing to stay with the same guy for too long. She gets all the pleasure of having a good time without the messiness of a real relationship. So what if frat-house hopping has earned her a certain reputation around campus? At least no one gets hurt this way—especially her.

When ridiculously gorgeous Jaxon Riley moves in next door, Emerson's not sure how long her vow against emotional intimacy can last. Jaxon's tattoo, muscles, and sexy voice make him tempting, but he also seems to really understand her . . . until his jealous ex-girlfriend and Emerson's life-changing discovery about her parents get thrown into the mix. After everything she's been through, can Emerson handle a real relationship?



4/7/2015  
**Beautiful Broken Mess**

Kimberly Lauren

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All Languages

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Jace Riley and Audrey Mills had a tender and irresistibly passionate romance . . . until Audrey shattered his heart. Years later, she still can't stop thinking about him. They shared kisses that she'll never forget; and one brief, explosive encounter that she wishes she could. But no boy could rescue Audrey from her nightmarish home life, so she rescued herself, got through college and into graduate school . . . only to find herself at the same school as Jace and his identical twin brother, Jaxon, who has his own complicated history with her.

It takes only one glimpse of Audrey's long legs and brown eyes for Jace to ache for her once more. Yet he's determined not to fall for her again. She ripped apart his heart and betrayed his brother . . . or so he thought. But what if Jace made a terrible mistake about Audrey? And what if he has one last chance to fix it?



4/7/2015  
**Beautiful Broken Promises**

Kimberly Lauren

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All Languages

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Lane Parker has suffered a terrible loss: a loss he can't get over, not even years later. Burdened by secrets he won't tell his closest friends and focused on only one goal, he finally gets the phone call he's been waiting for. Luck gives him a precious second chance to get back what was taken from him—and he'll use all his strength to make sure that the tragedy never happens again.

Raegan Hayes is a spirited fighter and survivor—and she's furious at Lane, her former employer, after their paths cross at a police station and he accuses her of betrayal. Now, they both must move forward to get past the tragic incident that tore them apart long ago. But the more time Lane spends with the beautiful Raegan, the more he becomes drawn to her . . . and the more his passion overpowers his hostility. Can a new beginning transform their relationship from suspicion-filled to steamy?



## The Regency Romp Trilogy



4/7/2015

### The Duke's Holiday

Maggie Fenton

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The cold, precise Duke of Montford demands things his way: neatly ordered, in place, and adhering closely to the rules.

So he is furious when he learns that the tenant of his ducal estate has been dead for a year, and a stranger has been running the Honeywell business—which, by contract, is now Montford's.

When he arrives in Yorkshire to investigate, he discovers that the estate is being run by an unruly, tomboyish woman—and a bluestocking at that!

Fiery redhead Astrid Honeywell is independent and educated. She's been handling the Honeywell family business for years. And she's not about to relinquish it to anyone—not even Montford—because of some archaic contract.

Montford and Astrid have an instant hatred for one another . . . and an undeniable, unspeakable attraction.



4/1/2015

### It Had to Be Him

Tamra Baumann

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Even though Meg Anderson's hell-raising days are over, coming home to Anderson Butte isn't easy, especially when her impossible-to-please dad is the mayor, and her do-gooder siblings run the place.

But with another job lost and the gorgeous father of her daughter trying to make contact after disappearing three years ago, a break is definitely in order. Hopefully, the little town filled with big, juicy secrets can help.

After being off the grid for years, Josh Granger, a man with his own secrets, wants Meg and his daughter back. But first he has to get past townspeople as protective as a pack of rottweilers. He's not the man Meg thinks he is, but he can't tell her why . . . not yet.

As Meg slowly warms to Josh, it's clear the old spark is still there. But when his secret is exposed—along with Meg's own shocking revelation—will it tear their family apart again, or bind them forever?

## Wanted Men

In a family like this, loving the wrong man can come with deadly consequences.



11/11/2014

### A Love of Vengeance (Book One)

Nancy Haviland

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

In this pulse-pounding romantic thriller set against the backdrop of New York City's storied underworld, loyalties will be tested, secrets will be told, and mob justice will be served.

Once the most feared member of an Italian Mafia crime family, Gabriel Moretti returns to New York at the request of his mentor, Russian crime boss Vasily Tarasov. Vasily needs someone he can trust in Seattle to protect his estranged daughter, Eva Jacobs, while he avenges the murder of the young woman's mother. Gabriel is unstoppable in a fight, whether he's using fists, blades, or bullets; but innocent, onyx-haired Eva may just be the most dangerous—and beautiful—thing he's come up against.

Intense sparks fly between the two, tempting Gabriel to mix business with pleasure while in the Emerald City. But once word gets around that Gabriel has shown up in New York, Stefano—his vengeful brother and the de facto head of the family—decides that Eva is the key to ending the feud between them . . . permanently.



3/24/2015

### The Salvation of Vengeance (Book Two)

Nancy Haviland

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

In the second thrilling and passionate Wanted Men book, a dangerous line is drawn between loyalty to the mob and loyalty to one's heart.

Only something as important as her best friend's wedding to mob boss Gabriel Moretti could allow Nika Payne a reprieve from captivity. Her abusive husband has kept her under his thumb with footage of her beloved brother, Caleb, killing another man. But the respite from her violent life isn't the only draw. Vincente Romani—Gabriel's deadliest guardian—will be one of the best men at the wedding, and Nika has lingering thoughts about the fascinating mobster . . . covetous thoughts that may put her life in danger.

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, *An Obsession with Vengeance*, which will be released in Fall 2015!



3/17/2015

## Worth the Wait

Jamie Beck

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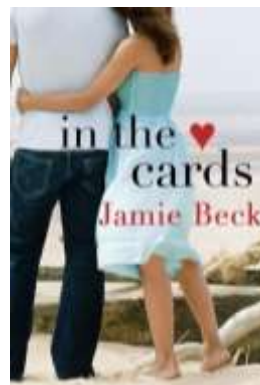
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Thirteen years ago, Vivi LeBrun was sketching a rooster and eating Oreos when she first met—and fell for—**her friend's** brother, David St. James.

Since then, her love for David has only intensified thanks to years of friendship with his family, who rescued her from a lonely, tumultuous childhood. As she travels to Block Island to vacation with the St. James siblings, Vivi daydreams about reuniting with David, hoping **he'll finally see her as his soul mate.**

**After his mother's death, David distanced himself from his siblings, determined to hide a devastating family secret. Now, he's brought a new girlfriend along to his homecoming—one who's pushing for a serious commitment.** The last thing he needs on his growing list of problems is his budding attraction to Vivi.

**With tensions running high, David's behavior triggers a series of events that might cost him the love he's always taken for granted, and Vivi the only real family she's ever known.**



12/9/2014

## In the Cards

Jamie Beck

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Lindsey Hilliard flees her charmed life in New York, **searching for answers after her fiancé's betrayal fills her with self-doubt.**

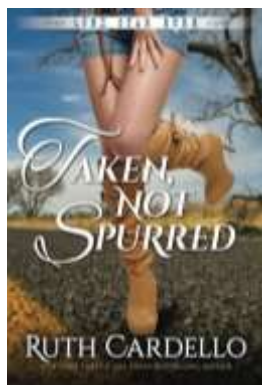
Unfortunately, her rented Malibu home is next door to Levi Hardy, the sexy but insufferable man who humiliated her years ago.

Hardened by a grim past he keeps concealed, Levi prefers maintaining a comfortable distance from folks, especially a nosy princess like Lindsey. But then a motorcycle collision brings him to his knees, forcing him to accept her assistance with his recovery. **Sparks begin to fly when the woman who doesn't believe in herself teaches the cynic how to have faith in others. Levi realizes his body will recover, but his heart won't if Lindsey returns to the ex who wants her back.**

In the biggest gamble of his life, Levi teaches her to trust her own **voice, and hopes she'll use it to say good-bye to her past and hello to a future with him.**

## Lone Star Burn Series

### Everything's bigger, and hotter, in Texas.



9/23/2014

## Taken, Not Spurred (Book One)

Ruth Cardello

Rights Available: All Languages

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From nationally bestselling author Ruth Cardello comes the steamy debut to the Lone Star Burn series.

Would-be writer Sarah Dery has just turned twenty-five and feels like **her life is on hold. She's done squat with her English degree and is just killing time working for her parents.** So, when the opportunity to spend the summer working on a ranch in Texas comes her way, she jumps at the chance—figuring it might be just the jolt she needs to get her creative juices flowing.

Tony Carlton is a handsome and reclusive horse trainer with a tortured past and an eye for trouble, this time in the form of a naked, blonde stranger he finds in his shower.

The wrong turn that led Sarah into the arms of this sexy, brooding cowboy turns out to be just what she needed to find her steamy inner **voice, but will their connection be enough to break down Tony's defenses?**



3/10/2015

## Tycoon Takedown (Book Two)

Ruth Cardello

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Ruth Cardello's second steamy and sensual book in the Lone Star Burn series may leave you blushing.**

Melanie Hanna has finally worked up the courage to travel to New York and tell an old flame that **he's the father of her young son. She's done hiding and apologizing for her one impulsive night.** When her best friend asks her brother to watch over Melanie, her emotional trip takes an unexpected and sizzling detour.

Charles Dery is at the top of his game, but all he can think about is **bedding the woman he was asked to protect. When she's almost killed, he takes what he'd been denying himself and discovers he'll do anything to keep her—even break his own rules.**

When it comes to love, two wrongs may just finally make a right.



## The Grim Series

An addictive series for fans of paranormal romance, from the bestselling author of *Changeling Moon*.



8/6/2013

### Storm Warrior (Book One)

Dani Harper

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All Languages

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Audio

Enslaved for millennia by the masters of the Welsh faery realm, the fierce Celtic warrior Rhys is doomed to wander the earth forever. But when a brave beauty unwittingly breaks the enchantment, he is drawn into a strange new world . . . and an all-consuming desire.

**Sensible Morgan doesn't believe in magic**—until a mysterious being saves her from a fate worse than death, and life as she knows it changes forever. Now, the man of her dreams has become flesh and blood, igniting a spark in **Morgan's soul that science cannot explain**. But even a love that transcends time may not be strong enough to withstand the power of an ancient curse.



3/18/2014

### Storm Bound (Book Two)

Dani Harper

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All Languages

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Kidnapped on his wedding day in the twelfth century and forced into a thousand years of servitude by a cold-hearted faery princess, rugged blacksmith Aidan dreams of nothing but revenge on his captor. Then the spell of a beautiful witch awakens him to the present day—and a passionate desire. But to build a future, he must first confront his past . . .

Modern witch and magic-shop owner Brooke **doesn't think her life is missing anything, until** a wayward enchantment lands a brooding medieval blacksmith in her spell room—and in her arms. Yet even after their passion proves **to be truly magical, Aidan's first commitment** is to vengeance. Now Brooke must team up with friends and ancient warriors alike—and push her own powers to their limits—to save her love from the wrath of an evil fae.



3/31/2015

### Storm Warned (Book Three)

Dani Harper

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio

This sweeping and passionate story of paranormal romance follows two souls from different centuries who lost everything . . . and found that only love can save them.

**When Caris's unearthly musical talent attracts** the attention of the Wild Hunt, the Welsh farm girl is stolen away to serve as a faery grim, a **herald of death**. **Two centuries later, she's** finally escaped back to the human world—and into the present-day life of a reclusive and heartbroken American musician.

**Music was Liam's whole life**—until a crushing betrayal left him desperate to flee the public eye. Yet long-dormant passions awaken within him after a powerful storm strands a beautiful, strong-willed woman on his isolated farm. When a fae prince bent on ruling both human **and faery realms threatens Caris's life, Liam** must decide if he can finally believe in love again, not just for her sake—but for the sake of two worlds.

## The Phoenix Pack Series

Warning: This series contains at least one extremely sarcastic Alpha female; several brooding, possessive, dominant males; voyeuristic enforcers; a whole lot of dirty talk; and steamy bedroom battles for dominance.



2/19/2013

### Feral Sins (Book One)

Suzanne Wright

Rights Available: All Languages

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German

When female wolf shifter Taryn Warner first encounters Trey Warner, an alpha male wolf shifter **with a dangerous reputation, she's** determined to resist his charms.

After all, Trey—who was only fourteen when he defeated his own father in a duel, winning the right to be alpha of his pack—**can't have** anything to offer the talented healer besides trouble, or so she thinks.



4/16/2013

### Wicked Cravings (Book Two)

Suzanne Wright

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French,  
German

For years, wolf shifter Jaime Farrow has harbored a not-so-secret crush on gorgeous Dante Garcea. But the time has come for Jaime to face facts: despite her best efforts, Dante just **isn't interested. And that's probably** for the best.

The last thing Jaime needs is for anyone—particularly Dante—to find **out about her little "problem"**—the one that haunts her past and threatens to destroy her and everyone she loves . . .



2/11/2014

### Carnal Secrets (Book Three)

Suzanne Wright

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French

Half-shifter Shaya Critchley may hold a submissive role in her pack, **but she's done taking orders. After** her Alpha wolf mate refused to claim her—but committed to interfering in her life—she took off.

Now she hides from him, posing as a human in a town full of anti-shifter **extremist groups. She thinks he'll** never find her again, and that suits **her just fine. But she's wrong.**



4/7/2015

### Dark Instincts (Book Four)

Suzanne Wright

Rights Available: All Languages

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It happens whenever wolf shifter Roni Axton is near Marcus Fuller: a **crackle of sexual awareness that's** intoxicating . . . and deeply annoying. Marcus is a pack enforcer who oozes power, but Roni is lethal in her own right—nothing like the flirty females who flock around him. Even still, his possessive gaze makes one thing clear: Marcus has singled her out for seduction, and he wants to make her sit up and beg.

## Circle of Seven Series

Enter a magical world of assassins, warlords, unearthly beasts, and nonstop adventure.



12/4/2012

### Knight Awakened (Book One)

Coreene Callahan

Rights Available: All Languages



7/15/2014

### Knight Avenged (Book Two)

Coreene Callahan

Rights Available: All Languages

Dramatic and fast-paced, *Knight Awakened* is a stirring love story between two people searching for a second chance in a magical world of assassins, warlords, unearthly beasts, and nonstop adventure.

In AD 1331, warlord Vladimir Barbu seizes control of Transylvania. But in spite of his bloody triumph, his claim to the throne remains out of reach. The king of Hungary opposes his rule, the Transylvanian people despise his brutal ways, and the high priestess needed to crown him has vanished without a trace.

**But Barbu hasn't come this far only to be thwarted by a woman. He unleashes his best hunters to track her down and bring her to him—dead or alive.**

Alone in a world on the brink of war . . . two unlikely allies will discover a love greater than time.

Exiled from her home, powerful oracle Cosmina Cordei holds the key to uniting those protecting mankind from evil. But just as she makes her way into the holy city to perform an ancient rite, the enemy closes in for the kill . . . **Drawn by a destiny he won't accept, elite assassin Henrik Lazar detests the mystical curse handed down by his mother. But when the sorcery in his blood is activated and past pain comes back to haunt him, his new abilities come into play and he must learn to control them.**

Rescued by Henrik in the heat of battle, Cosmina must decide whether to trust the assassin who loathes the goddess she serves or face certain death on her own. Forced into an untenable position, Henrik is left with a terrible choice—protect the magical Order he despises, or deny destiny and lose the woman he loves forever.

## The Dragonfury Series

Enter an alluring, dangerous new world where dragon-shifters live, fight, and love among us.



2/7/2012

### Fury of Fire (Book One)

Coreene Callahan

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Bastian, leader of the Nightfury dragon clan, is sworn to protect humankind at all costs. When the clan dictates he take a human mate to sire a son, he falters, aware that for a human to birth a dragon-shifter she must die.

Myst, the woman given into his care, is the most extraordinary he's ever met, and though he can't bear the thought of harming her, he is bound by duty. *Fury of Fire* is an extraordinary blend of action, fantasy, and steamy romance.



6/5/2012

### Fury of Ice (Book Two)

Coreene Callahan

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Coming from a race of dragons able to assume human form, Rikar, the last of the frost dragons, never imagined he could be conquered — until a sizzling encounter with street-tough homicide detective Angela Keene.

**He's consumed by his need for her, and willing to do anything to be with her again.**

Then the unthinkable happens: Angela falls into the clutches of a clan of dragonkind who feed off the life energy of women. Rikar vows to track down Angela and make her abductors pay—even if it costs his life.



11/13/2012

### Fury of Seduction (Book Three)

Coreene Callahan

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Successful landscape designer Tania Solares prides herself on living by her own terms, relying on no man to provide for her.

But her carefully controlled life takes a turn for the extraordinary when her inquiry into the disappearance of her best friend thrusts her between two warring factions of dragon-shifters. **Suddenly Tania's survival depends on Mac, a newly initiated dragon-warrior who will break every rule to keep her safe.**



10/15/2013

### Fury of Desire (Book Four)

Coreene Callahan

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Emotionally scarred from a childhood of slavery and torture, Wick, one of the warriors in the Nightfury pack, can barely stand the touch of another person. But all bets are off when he meets newcomer J.J. Solares.

When J.J. is unjustly imprisoned, Wick agrees to help rescue and return her to the family fold. But Wick lives a life of self-imposed isolation, even among his beloved brothers in arms. Venturing into the world to seek justice for J.J. may be more than he can bear.



2/24/2015

### Fury of Obsession (Book Five)

Coreene Callahan

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Dragon-warrior Venom lives in self-imposed isolation. Cursed by his toxic touch, he is deadly to anyone who has contact with him for too long. Set apart from others and hounded by intense loneliness, he craves the lasting connection he believes he cannot possess. Until a chance encounter with a sultry mortal offers a ray of hope . . .

**Stay tuned for the next two books in the series, *Fury of Surrender* and *Fury of Destruction*, which will be released in Fall 2015 and Spring 2016!**

## Guardians of the Targe Series

Scottish highlander romance.



8/6/2013

### Highlander Betrayed (Book One)

Laurin Wittig

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Hidden deep in the rugged Scottish Highlands lies the Highland Targe, an ancient relic guarded for centuries by clan MacAlpin. It is said the Targe can shield the heart of the Highlands from invaders and now the English king wants the Targe for himself . . .

Rowan MacGregor, orphaned niece to the chief of the MacAlpins, is worried. With the dwindling health of her aunt, the Guardian of the Targe, the protections that have kept the clan safe and prosperous are fading, and the new Guardian, one of her cousins, has yet to be chosen. Rowan wants nothing more than to see the clan protected again, but when it seems that will never happen, she despairs—even when a handsome and charming stranger comes to her aid.



6/24/2014

### Highlander Avenged (Book Two)

Laurin Wittig

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Although the English king tried to wrest it away, the Highland Targe—ancient relic and protector of Scottish lands—still lies safely in the hands of clan MacAlpin. But for how long?

Jeanette MacAlpin trained her entire life to become the next Guardian of the Targe, but that duty has now fallen to her cousin Rowan—a duty Rowan can't seem to master. **Fearful for her clan's future, Jeanette seeks the solace of a sacred wellspring, and there encounters tawny-skinned Highland warrior Malcolm MacKenzie.**

Will they follow their hearts, or will clan loyalties keep them forever apart?



5/12/2015

### Highlander Redeemed (Book Three)

Laurin Wittig

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Scotia MacAlpin may be only eighteen years old, but she's no stranger to trouble. Her latest incident—which resulted in a death and forced her clan into battle—has made her an outcast among her exiled people. Scotia is tired of being ignored and overshadowed by her sister, a gifted Guardian of the Targe, and she's become hell-bent on destroying the army out to capture the ancient Highland relic for their English king.

Duncan of Dunlairig has looked out for Scotia since she started to walk. She was as restless and reckless then as she is now—only the stakes have become higher and more perilous. While the rest of Clan MacAlpin ostracizes her, Duncan secretly helps Scotia become the warrior she yearns to be. But the real test of her skills may come when he needs her help—and her long-forgotten heart—in this thrilling and romantic Guardians of the Targe tale.

## The Aegis Series

Steamy romantic suspense from bestselling author Elisabeth Naughton.



7/8/2014

### Extreme Measures (Book One)

Elisabeth Naughton

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Being prepared for any scenario is the trademark of any good CIA operative, and Eve Wolfe is one of the best. But when her latest mission literally explodes in her face, she wakes up labeled a traitor and—even more surprising—in the custody of elite Aegis Security operative and ex-lover Zane Archer. Although she still secretly has feelings for Zane, he's now demanding the one thing that she can't give him: the truth.

When he caught her breaking the rules years ago, Zane let Eve walk away without an explanation. Now someone has not only sabotaged Aegis but also turned an American city into a war zone, and all signs point to Eve. Zane needs answers that can come only from Eve's still-tempting lips, and he finally has the elusive operative right where he wants her—at his mercy.



1/20/2015

### Lethal Consequences

Elisabeth Naughton

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Three months after rescuing Olivia Wolfe from danger, Aegis Security operative Landon Miller still can't stop thinking about her, even though she's off-limits in every way possible. **Knowing he's leaving Aegis and returning to the DIA soon, Landon decides it's time for their flirty online relationship to end. But Olivia can't stop thinking about Landon, either.** On a whim, she takes a leave of absence from her teaching job to surprise him in Barcelona—and arrives to find a sexy redhead in his hotel room.

**Things aren't always what they seem, though. Landon's would-be one-night stand is really a member of the Red Brotherhood, a terrorist group targeting Landon for information on a lethal bioweapon. And now Olivia is unwittingly ensnared in their deadly plot, too.**



7/28/2015

### Fatal Pursuit

Elisabeth Naughton

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
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*Fatal Pursuit* is the third book in bestselling author Elisabeth Naughton's popular Aegis series, in which heart-pounding suspense stirs up deliciously sizzling romance.

## The Red-Hot SEALs Novels

As SEAL Team 7 uncovers a deadly ring of crime and corruption, they forge alliances—and romances—with unlikely allies working to thwart a global crisis.



9/4/2012  
**Forged in Fire**  
(Book One)

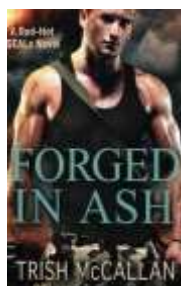
Trish McCallan  
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Two-time 2013 RITA® Finalist for Best Romantic Suspense and Best First Book

**Beth Brown doesn't believe in premonitions.**

But her recent dream feels too real to ignore: a commercial airliner is hijacked, and a **handsome passenger is shot dead. Beth hasn't met the mystery man in her dream; she would never forget a gorgeous face like his. But she can't deny the bizarre connection she feels.**

Now awake, and unable to allow for the **violence she's convinced is impending, she races to the airport . . . and comes face to face with the man of her dreams.**



1/28/2014  
**Forged in Ash**  
(Book Two)

Trish McCallan  
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Kait Winchester inherited a special gift from her Arapaho ancestors: she can heal with her touch.

And there is no one she would like to get her hands on more than the super-sexy SEAL who seems determined to ignore their off-the-charts chemistry. When the wounded warrior **finally seeks her help, she's ready to nurse him back to health . . . and into her bed.**



8/18/2015  
**Forged in Smoke**  
(Book Three)

Trish McCallan  
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*Forged in Smoke* is the thrilling third novel in **Trish McCallan's Red-Hot SEALs** series.

Stay tuned for *Forged in Embers*, the fourth book in the Red-Hot SEALs series, which will be released in Spring 2016!

## The Relic Seekers Series

A feisty heroine with a sixth sense and two sexy heroes are on a hunt for powerful relics that could change their lives . . .

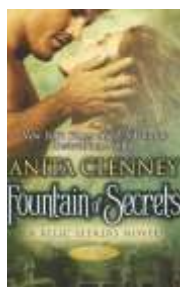


12/4/2012  
**Guardians of Stone**  
(Book One)

Anita Clenney  
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Kendall Morgan is a human bloodhound. Spending her childhood hunting relics with her ambitious archeologist father, she knew the two of them shared a sixth sense for the history and location of objects—sometimes **even people. What she didn't know was that their paranormal gift could ultimately be their undoing.**

After the tragic plane crash that killed her father as well as her childhood best friend, Kendall dedicated her life to finding and protecting relics. When mysterious, sexy billionaire Nathan Larraby hires her for his latest expedition—the search for four powerful relics—**she's thrown into a world of high-octane danger.**



9/10/2013  
**Fountain of Secrets**  
(Book Two)

Anita Clenney  
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A relics expert with a nose for mystery is torn between her sexy billionaire boss and her hot bodyguard. Each would die to save her . . . and win her heart.

**Kendall's boss, the gorgeous billionaire** Nathan Larraby, sends her to Italy to safeguard a priceless treasure belonging to the Protettori, an ancient order of monks who guard four powerful relics that Nathan believes may be the cure for his dark curse. He also sends brooding mercenary Jake Stone to **watch Kendall's back—although her back isn't all Jake has his eye on.**



2/10/2015  
**The Lost Chalice**  
(Book Three)

Anita Clenney  
Rights Available:  
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Adrenaline-fueled adventure and epic romance mix seamlessly in the third installment of bestselling author Anita Clenney's Relic Seekers series.

Kendall Morgan has a lot on her mind. After finding the Fountain of Youth—and discovering that Nathan, her handsome billionaire boss, might actually be her long-lost childhood love—she could really use some time to think. Except a two-thousand-year-old Protettori guardian has just teleported into her bathroom, desperate for help.

The Reaper, an ancient and sinister being **consumed with finding the world's most powerful relics**, is after the Holy Grail. Now Kendall must use her sixth sense to find it first.



## Perfect, Indiana Series



10/23/2012

### Far from Perfect (Book One)

Barbara Longley

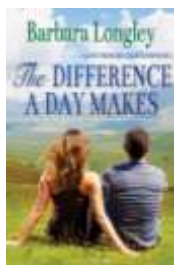
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**2012 OKRWA's National Readers' Choice Winner**  
**2013 HOLT Medallion Award Winner**

Steal away on a journey to the heartland, where a wounded soldier meets the one woman who could be his new beginning . . .

Noah Langford narrowly survived the roadside bombing in Iraq that cost him his leg and forever his peace of mind. When his stepbrother Matt dies in a car accident, the loss feels like the final blow to Noah's shattered soul. But then he learns about the girlfriend and baby living in Perfect, Indiana, who Matt had never mentioned, and suddenly Noah has a new mission . . .



4/23/2013

### The Difference a Day Makes (Book Two)

Barbara Longley

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Paige Langford has it all: wealth, beauty, and ambition. But when her **boyfriend's betrayal costs her both her dream job and her reputation, she retreats to her brother's rural home in Indiana to heal and figure out the rest of her life.** There she meets Ryan Malloy, a gruff, hard-drinking cowboy whose surly temper **can't hide the anguish in his eyes.**

Paige has never encountered a brooding bad boy like Ryan, yet he might be exactly what she needs. Ryan, the man who thought he had nothing left to live for, is tempted to risk his battered heart with Paige one last time.



11/26/2013

### A Change of Heart (Book Three)

Barbara Longley

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Emotionally shattered, a soldier slowly repairs her life in Perfect, Indiana . . .

Cory Marcel worked tirelessly over eight grueling years to develop a successful military career. After her commanding officer violently assaulted her, she lost everything—especially her trust in people. Despite the emotional damage threatening to sink her, Cory agrees to accept a new job at a furniture store in Perfect—a job that could offer the fragile brunette the chance to start over.



10/20/2015

### The Last to Know (Book Four)

Barbara Longley

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*The Last to Know*, the fourth book in this award-winning series by Barbara Longley, continues the romance in the picturesque town of Perfect, Indiana.

## The Novels of Loch Moigh Series

Mere centuries cannot hold back a Highlander from true love. An adventures series from award-winning author Barbara Longley.



2/18/2014

### True to the Highlander (Book One)

Barbara Longley

Rights Available: All Languages

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*True to the Highlander* is a gripping time-travel romance in which the heroine is sent back to medieval Scotland.

Treachery rules the Highlands of 1423.

Sitting atop this powder keg of bloodthirsty rivalries, Malcolm of clan MacKintosh takes the mysterious lone maiden he finds along his road as a bad omen . . . although an undeniably beautiful one. When he attempts to save her from a rogue within his own garrison, she deftly brings Malcolm to his knees.

Alethia Goodsky has met all kinds working at the New York Renaissance Festival, but no one like the fortune-teller who tasks her with a cryptic life-saving mission and flings her into the fifteenth century. Now Alethia must rely on her wits to unravel the mystery in this violent land. With enemies closing in, Alethia must choose between finding a way home . . .



7/8/2014

### The Highlander's Bargain (Book Two)

Barbara Longley

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Before he can settle down, Robley of clan MacKintosh needs to taste true adventure. So when the faerie Madame Giselle asks him to retrieve her stolen property in exchange for two enchanted tokens that will whisk him across the centuries, he jumps at the chance.

Nurse and future midwife Erin Durie is broke and alone, thanks to a roommate who skipped town and the psychic gifts that make relationships too intense and painful to bear. Then a kilted man magically drops into her arms, looking for a guide to the twenty-first century, and she can't deny the attraction. **But magical treachery soon throws open time's portal once more—and puts a blade to Robley's throat.** Now Erin must decide where—or when—her healing powers can do the most good . . .



2/3/2015

### The Highlander's Folly (Book Three)

Barbara Longley

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Exciting battles and intoxicating passion reunite in the third Novel of Loch Moigh.

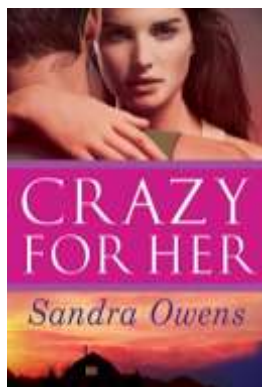
A brave fifteenth-century Highlander fiercely devoted to his foster family, Hunter of clan MacKintosh can defeat any man in battle. Thanks to his fae gifts, he can read the intent of his opponents and guess their next moves. But when the faerie Madame Giselle sends Hunter to the present day, he stumbles into a staged battle and rescues a young knight—only to discover that the knight is a woman, and **she's anything but a damsel in distress.**

Meghan McGladrey learned martial arts and sword fighting from her father, a time-traveling Highlander himself. To Hunter's surprise, Meghan is as skilled as any knight. When both of them are pulled back to the fifteenth century, Meghan becomes desperate to return to her time.



## K2 Team Novels

For these ex-Navy SEALs, falling in love was never part of the mission.



9/1/2014

### Crazy for Her (Book One)

Sandra Owens

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When his best friend and fellow Navy SEAL, Evan Prescott, died in his arms on the battlefield, Logan Kincaid gave his **word to watch over Evan's widow. But for two years he kept his distance . . . torn between honoring his solemn vow and succumbing to his secret love for his fallen comrade's wife.**

But when Dani Prescott desperately reaches out to Logan for the help only he can give, he rushes to her side—determined to fight for her safety as fiercely as he fights against his own buried desire.

Someone claiming to be her husband is stalking Dani and her infant daughter, making them virtually prisoners in their remote country home. **Logan's elite military training and high-risk security expertise** have outmatched more dangerous enemies. But the real challenge will be the burning temptation that threatens to overcome Logan whenever Dani is near . . . especially when she reveals her own hidden passion.



1/6/2015

### Someone Like Her (Book Two)

Sandra Owens

Rights Available: All Languages

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Known to the K2 Special Services team as Romeo, ex-Navy SEAL Jake Buchanan may spend his downtime living up to **his nickname, but there's one woman who sets his heart racing like no one else can: Maria Kincaid.**

Unfortunately, his boss—her brother—has made it crystal clear that **she's off-limits. Jake doesn't do commitment, while Maria is the type of woman who deserves a promise of forever.** Yet Maria finds herself drawn to Jake, the man who stares at her with a desire she wishes **he'd act on.**

Still haunted by her horrific childhood, Maria goes searching for the **father she's never met**—and stumbles into a nightmarish experience. **With her life in grave danger, she reaches out to Jake, her brother's second-in-command.** Jake figures he can help Maria without giving in to temptation. But some things are easier said than done.

## Hells Saints Motorcycle Club series

Love, loyalty, and danger collide in the Hells Saints Motorcycle Club romances.



8/19/2014

### Raine Falling (Book One)

Paula Marinaro

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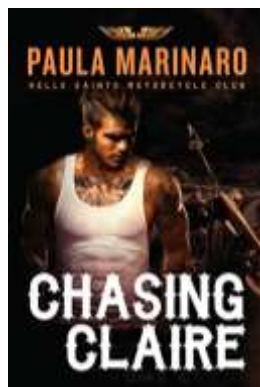
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**After a lifetime of uncertainty, Raine Winston shouldn't be fazed by anything anymore. But she's terrified.**

Terrified that her wayward sister, Claire, has gotten into debt dangerously over her head. Terrified that a muscle-clad biker named **Diego doesn't want payment with money**—he wants much more. And terrified of the dizzying desire she feels whenever he touches her . . .

Diego Montesalto spends his days raising hell and his nights in the arms of fast, easy women. Tough, tattooed, and used to taking what he wants, he refuses to get emotionally invested in anyone. But he **can't stop thinking about Raine's sweet smell, striking blue eyes, and quiet determination.**

When Raine has no choice but to go on the run, she falls straight into **the Hells Saints' mayhem-filled world . . . and into Diego's strong arms.** But in a life filled with hard choices, raw lust, and blood-soaked violence, is there room for loyalty . . . or love?



3/17/2015

### Chasing Claire (Book Two)

Paula Marinaro

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**Claire Winston knows she's lucky to be alive**—and even luckier to have the love and protection of a man like Prosper, her adoptive father and leader of the Hells Saints Motorcycle Club.

**Yet, try as she may, she can't leave yesterday behind. She's still haunted by Reno, the bad-boy biker her heart loves but her spirit fears. And she can't seem to escape the terrifying memories of a night filled with blood, bullets, and brutality.**

Hells Saints soldier Reno has tried everything with liquor and lace to **get Claire off his mind. But he just can't forget her freckles, her fierce fragility, and her tender heart. He knows he's the only man who can give her the love she truly deserves.**

**As Claire and Reno spiral back into each other's lives, they wonder if happiness is finally in their cards.**

## Criminals of the Ocean Series



10/14/2014

### Enslaved by the Ocean (Book One)

Bella Jewel

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**Indigo has a troubled past and there's no denying it. Tired** of being scared, she sets sail aboard a private yacht, hopeful that the open waters of the Atlantic will give her and best friend Eric a much-needed respite.

As if trouble followed her, the yacht catches fire. Stranded in the ocean, cold, hungry, desperate, and alone, Eric and Indi struggle to survive.

**Just when they think things couldn't get much worse, they are** captured, held hostage by a band of modern-day pirates. Now they're in even more trouble than they could have ever imagined.

**What Indigo couldn't have predicted is how broodingly handsome** Hendrix, their captain, is. The moment Indi lays eyes on him, she feels sparks fly. But Hendrix is determined, powerful, and hard to crack. Hendrix has plans for Indi, dark plans that will put her life at risk.



12/16/2014

### Where Darkness Lies (Book Two)

Bella Jewel

Rights Available: All Languages

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**Anger and pain brought them together, but their passion** might just set them free.

Dimitri wants only one thing: revenge. His stepfather, Hendrix, has caused him nothing but pain and heartache. At last Dimitri can take something—someone—important to Hendrix and make him pay: Jess.

Jess is feisty and strong headed. Her past haunts her and connects her to the dangerously dark Dimitri in an unexpected way. Dimitri keeps his secrets locked deep inside, and Jess is drawn to this broken man like no one before.

With little to cling to besides their haunting pasts, both could have been doomed to lives spent raging against the darkness that holds them prisoner. Instead, it seems that as their pain draws them closer together, it is their desire that will set them free.



10/1/2014

### Playing It Safe

Barbie Bohrman

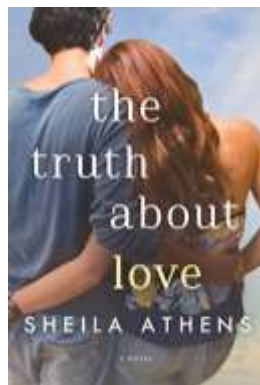
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**Julia Boyd has dated more than her share of jerks, and she's** done even pretending to like them. Putting her dating life on hold and focusing on her event planning career is a much safer bet for the blue-eyed blonde . . . until she meets her newest client.

Organizing the opening for an art gallery should be a breeze for Julia, but gallery owner Alex Holt is becoming very distracting. Tall and muscular with enough charisma and sexy dimples to make Julia swoon, Alex could be the perfect man. The two of them click immediately, creating enough witty banter to ignite sparks.

But just before flames of passion can erupt with Alex, Julia begins planning an engagement party . . . and learns the groom is Aiden, the man who broke her heart years ago. When Aiden admits that he still has feelings for Julia, everything changes. Should she seek shelter in the familiarity of the past, or should she risk everything on a brand-new love?



10/14/2014

### The Truth About Love

Sheila Athens

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**After her testimony sent an innocent man to prison, law** student Gina Blanchard vowed to spend her life righting that wrong.

She passed up more prestigious opportunities to intern at a Tallahassee nonprofit dedicated to overturning wrongful convictions. But when she catches the eye of sexy green-eyed hunk Landon Vista, **she realizes there's room in her hardworking life for a little fun. Then** she learns her newest case involves the man accused of murdering **Landon's mother . . . and possibly setting him free.**

The people of Tallahassee still see Landon Vista as their golden boy and football hero . . . and as the man who tragically lost his mother. Yet Landon hides his emotional scars behind his handsome smile. **While working for a senator who's tough on crime, he finds himself** keeping an eye on gorgeous redheaded Gina in more ways than one.

**But as their passion simmers, their secrets build . . . until Gina's latest** case collides with Landon's heartbreaking past, threatening to tear them apart forever.



11/11/2014  
**Going to the Chapel: A Novella**  
 Rita Herron  
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**If there's a naughty list, Izzy Sassafras is on it—but she's ready to make a new start this Christmas.**

Especially after leaving her lying, cheating, no-good husband and fleeing to her old hometown of Matrimony, Georgia. Izzy's made herself a promise: no more men. All she wants to do is get her wedding business up and running—and mend fences with her estranged sisters. But Izzy knows she's in trouble when her very first client, a smooth-talking Texan, makes her light up like a Christmas tree.

Desperate for business, private investigator Levi Fox reluctantly takes a case involving a runaway wife in a town called Matrimony. When he meets sweet, sexy Izzy, he decides she can't possibly be as innocent as she seems. At first, posing as her client is the perfect cover; but he soon imagines himself as a groom—with Izzy as his Christmas bride! Will this case end with a trip to the chapel . . . or the jailhouse?



8/19/2014  
**Fatal Hearts**  
 Norah Wilson  
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**Fatal Hearts is a romantic suspense novel by award-winning author Norah Wilson.**

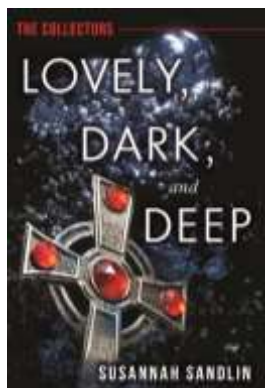
The reports stated Josh McBride's death was from sudden cardiac arrest, but homicide detective Boyd McBride can't shake the idea that his identical twin brother's death was somehow connected to his search for the adopted boys' birth parents. Josh must have been close to the truth . . . and it cost him his life.

When Boyd comes to medical resident Hayden Walsh's ER looking for answers, she agrees to help with his investigation because Josh was a friend. As unnerved as she is by her attraction to the detective, she knows it will be impossible to avoid romantic entanglement . . . and the mess that comes with it.

The investigation uncovers dangerous secrets, and Boyd and Hayden's passion ignites. Only they can keep each other safe from a threat that lurks inside a lifelong mystery.

## The Collectors Series

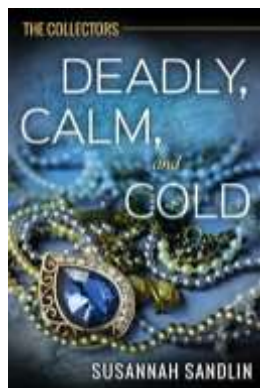
**For the world's most powerful collectors, manipulating lives is part of the game.**



6/24/2014  
**Lovely, Dark, and Deep (Book One)**  
 Susannah Sandlin  
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**A heart-pounding romantic thriller that pits a quick-witted scientist and a scarred ex-combat diver against a ruthless billionaire treasure hunter with ties to the White House.**

When biologist Gillian Campbell makes an offhand comment about a family curse during a TV interview, she has no idea what her words will set in motion. Within days, Gillian finds herself at the mercy of a member of the C7, a secretive international group of power brokers with a dangerous game: competing to find the world's most elusive treasures, no matter the cost, in money or in lives. To save her family, Gillian teams up with Shane Burke, a former elite diver who's lost his way, navigating the brutal "death coast" of the North Atlantic to find what the collector seeks: the legendary Ruby Cross of the Knights Templar, stolen by Gillian's ancestor and lost at sea four hundred years ago.



12/2/2014  
**Deadly, Calm, and Cold (Book Two)**  
 Susannah Sandlin  
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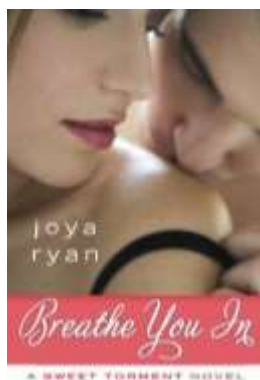
**From award-winning author Susannah Sandlin comes the second book in The Collectors series.**

How far will ordinary people go to protect their secrets? The Collectors' games are as much about manipulating lives as finding lost treasure. Everyone is expendable as the ruthless C7 pushes people into gambling with their lives in order to find priceless objects lost to history.

Samantha Crowe's secrets could ruin her career, while Brody Parker's could get him killed. They become pawns for two Collectors seeking Bad King John's crown jewels, which disappeared in rural England back when Robin Hood roamed Nottingham. This time, however, the Collectors—a ruthless dot-com billionaire and a desperate London detective—might not be playing for the same team, leaving Sam and Brody trapped in the middle.

One thing's for sure: if either hope to survive, Sam and Brody will have to find a way to overcome their distrust—and their growing attraction—in order to succeed on this winner-take-all treasure hunt.

## Sweet Torment Novels



3/11/2014

### Breathe You In (Book One)

Joya Ryan

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For years, Amy Underwood has been wracked by guilt over her sister's fatal overdose.

With one last shot at redemption, she is determined to open a drug treatment center—even if it means her shameful secret will be exposed. But when she sneaks into the biggest political event of the year in search of funding, she quickly discovers that in the world of fast-paced politics there is always a price—and this one could cost her everything. Running for a second term, the young governor of New York, Roman Reese, finds that his privileged past and dark childhood could not only threaten the blue-collar vote—but his reputation and livelihood as a politician. So when he meets a sexy woman with big ambitions, he quickly strikes a deal: He'll see that Amy's clinic obtains funding, and she'll play the down-to-earth girlfriend to help his electability. They'll keep the relationship strictly business, scripted to the last detail, and end it when the polls close.

But secrecy and desire have a way of binding hearts.



8/12/2014

### Only You (Book Two)

Joya Ryan

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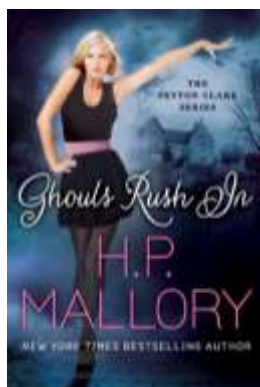
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From the bestselling author of *Break Me Slowly* comes the latest sensual Sweet Torment story of erotic exploration and letting passion be the ultimate boss.

Diligent, hardworking Paige Levine survived a traumatic childhood and went on to work her way through college, landing a coveted job in the governor's cabinet. But when a steamy scandal threatens to tarnish her innocent reputation, Paige finds herself unemployed, miserable, and alone. The spirited redhead seeks solace in tequila shots . . . and a smoldering, sensual attraction soon erupts between her and a deliciously sexy deliveryman, leading to a red-hot encounter in a bar bathroom. Little does Paige know that the deliveryman is actually Leo Savas, a shipping magnate as powerful in the boardroom as he is in the bedroom.

Leo agrees to hire Paige as his glorified gopher, though it's hard to remain professional with desire pulsing between the two of them. But when the scandal at the governor's office hits the papers, Paige wonders if her new life—and her new love—are lost forever.

## Peyton Clark Series



5/20/2014

### Ghouls Rush In (Book One)

H. P. Mallory

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Do you believe in love after life?

Looking for a fresh start, Peyton Clark becomes the proud owner of a piece of New Orleans history: an Antebellum-era two-story house in the Garden District. It's going to take time and a fat wallet to restore the fixer-upper to its former glory.

It's not long before Peyton discovers she's moved into the haunted home of a flirtatious paranormal prankster. She's receiving kisses from unseen lips and caresses from a ghostly hand, and soon she begins to have vivid dreams, bringing her face-to-face with the incomparably handsome ghost of Drake Montague. When Peyton grows closer to her general contractor, Ryan Kelly—who is as charming as he is alive—the chill in the air could only suggest Drake's jealousy from beyond the grave. But even though she's definitely attracted to and interested in Ryan, Peyton also can't get Drake out of her dreams, or her heart, as she begins to uncover the frightening truth behind his death a century ago . . .



9/16/2014

### Once Haunted, Twice Shy (Book Two)

H. P. Mallory

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Sassy, spirited Peyton Clark is back—and she's not alone!

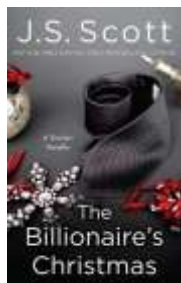
After agreeing to let the spirit of Drake Montague inhabit her body, Peyton soon discovers that the twentieth-century French policeman may be dead but his lothario longings sure aren't. Now she has to find a way to explain to her sweet, sexy boyfriend, Ryan Kelly, that a spirit has taken up residence in her head, whispering French words of affection day and night.

While Peyton is torn between her love for a living man and her growing affection for one deceased, supernatural activity in New Orleans spikes—and something wicked this way comes. With the help of her friends (and a little voodoo), Peyton learns that the demonic spirit of the Axeman may still dwell in her home. To stop bloody history from repeating itself, Peyton will have to travel back a century to confront the Axeman at his roots, with the help of a certain handsome—and suddenly flesh and blood—police officer in the Big Easy.



## The Sinclairs

A sweet and steamy new series from the author of *The Billionaire's Obsession*.



10/14/2014

### The Billionaire's Christmas (A Novella)

J. S. Scott

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All Languages,  
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Called an eccentric beast by the citizens of Amesport, Maine, handsome, sensual billionaire Grady Sinclair stays isolated in his mansion on a private peninsula. The arrangement suits Grady just fine—until an unassuming woman rings his doorbell, awaking his long-dormant passion with her fearlessness. All he wants is to make the fiery blonde his forever. But will he have to become the monster everyone thinks he is to get his Christmas wish?

Emily Ashworth is desperate. The Youth Center has been robbed of all its money, and as the director, she has to find a way to give **the town's needy children the Christmas they deserve**. With nowhere else to turn, she ventures to the mansion of a mysterious billionaire to ask for help. Warned to expect a beast, Emily is shocked to find Grady Sinclair a handsome and very sensual man. Is this misunderstood billionaire just a lonely soul who needs the gift of love for Christmas?



3/31/2015

### No Ordinary Billionaire (Book One)

J. S. Scott

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**Dante Sinclair never cared about his family's money. All the young billionaire ever wanted was to be a cop; and now that he's a homicide detective in Los Angeles, he's a damn good one.** But when he is injured and loses his partner in the line of duty, he returns to his vacation home in Amesport, Maine, to recover.

Sarah Baxter, a brilliant young doctor still struggling with her stifled upbringing, has recently moved from Chicago to sleepy Amesport to escape her past, hoping to find **peace. When Sarah is assigned to Dante's case, there's an instant heat between them. They couldn't possibly be more different, yet their igniting passion is impossible to ignore.** As new feelings awaken within Sarah, her haunted past returns, threatening her once again. But can Dante overcome his grief and discover the secrets Sarah is hiding in time to protect and rescue her?



7/28/2015

### The Forbidden Billionaire (Book Two)

J. S. Scott

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**All of Jared Sinclair's wealth still can't ease the pain from his terrible childhood . . . or his guilt over a recent tragedy.** Unable to forgive himself, the billionaire property investor buries his emotions, toughens his skin, and becomes a notorious womanizer, refusing to **commit his heart to a woman when he's convinced she wants only his wallet.**

But ever since Jared arrived in Amesport, **Maine, he's been intrigued by Mara Ross, the petite and sexy shop owner who asks nothing of him. When Mara's store is purchased** without her knowledge, she stands on the brink of losing her home, her livelihood, and generations of family history. Then the irresistibly persuasive Jared proposes a business deal to Mara . . . and soon draws her into a steamy, sensual affair, convincing her **that he's anything but cold. However, when a revelation shakes Mara's fragile trust to the core, Jared must finally confront the truth about his past.**

## Four contemporary romance novels by author Abigail Strom



4/15/2014

### Cross My Heart

Abigail Strom

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When opposites attract . . .

The last thing Jenna Landry wants is to fall in love. The former rock musician is getting ready to start a new job and a new life in LA, and **she's only back in her hometown for the summer.** Nothing could tempt her to stay any longer than that . . . not even the sexy doctor next door.

Michael Stone has a reputation for being as cold as ice. So what is it about his free-spirited neighbor that sets him on fire? The straitlaced MD has his hands full with his career and his teenage daughter, and even if he were looking for a relationship, he knows Jenna is all wrong for him.



4/15/2014

### Into Your Arms

Abigail Strom

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**Sara Minetti isn't looking for love. As a professional ballet dancer, she won't let anything get in the way of her demanding career.** So when a sexy stranger moves into the **apartment next door, she's sure she can ignore the sizzling chemistry between them.**

Nick Landry is busy with a tough political campaign and a brother who **needs his help. He's only in New York for a few months, and romance is the last thing he's looking for. But he can't stop thinking about the beautiful dancer next door . . . or the day he caught her in her underwear.**



4/15/2014

### Waiting for You

Abigail Strom

Rights Available: All Languages

For Jake Landry, Erin Shaw was always off-limits—too young, too **innocent, and his kid sister's best friend.** Home now after a decade of military service, Jake finds Erin all **grown up . . . but she's still off-limits.** War has left him with scars invisible to anyone but him, and a relationship **is the last thing he's looking for.**

As a teenager, Erin had a hopeless **crush on her friend's big brother. Now that she's an adult, she thinks she's put all that behind her. But** when she sees Jake again, she discovers her old feelings are alive and well . . . and blossoming into something new.



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### Almost Like Love

Abigail Strom

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Television writer Kate Meredith is having the day from hell. First, her show was canceled. Then her fiancé left her for another woman. Now, **she's courting disaster by flirting** with the hard-bodied, tattooed, motorcycle-riding bad boy of her dreams . . . who also happens to be the man who fired her.

**If people had told Ian Hart that he'd be firing Kate in the morning and dancing with her that night, he'd have laughed in their faces.** Despite her leggy body, the sweet but geeky **redhead isn't his type. At least, that's what he thinks before spotting her in a club wearing an outfit that reveals her surprisingly delectable assets.**



## The Record Series

Bestselling author **K. A. Linde's** deliciously sexy twist on politics as usual.



3/11/2014

### Off the Record (Book One)

K. A. Linde

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Liz Dougherty has no idea a single question is about to change her life. Her first big reporting assignment for her North Carolina college newspaper has her covering a state senator's impromptu press conference. Brady Maxwell may have everything it takes to be a politician—a winning pedigree, devastating good looks, a body made to wear suits—but his politics rub Liz the wrong way. When Liz's hard-hitting question catches the upstart senator off-guard, it impresses Hayden Lane, Liz's editor who feels she's headed for a promising career as a reporter.

But Liz is also headed into a secret romance with Brady that could destroy both their ambitions. Though he's a bachelor, potential voters might frown on Brady cozying up to a reporter. And Liz isn't sure sneaking around is enough for her—especially when things between her and Hayden might be less platonic than she thought. When politics and love collide, can there ever be a winner?



8/26/2014

### On the Record (Book Two)

K. A. Linde

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All Languages

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The sexy second book in bestselling author **K. A. Linde's Record series decides whether it's better to pick up the pieces and move on . . . or to pick up right where you left off.**

For political reporter Liz Dougherty, election day—a day of looking toward the future and saying good-bye to the past—seems like a fitting time to start a new relationship. But feelings for her former flame still linger . . .



11/18/2014

### For the Record (Book Three)

K. A. Linde

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**In the finale to K. A. Linde's sexy Record trilogy, Liz and Brady may be setting off fireworks along the campaign trail, but can their love transcend politics as usual?**

With Congressman Brady Maxwell up for reelection and journalist Liz Dougherty about to graduate into a promising career, the ambitious couple's future is brighter than ever. They share a passion for their work . . . and for each other. But when Brady holds a press conference to officially introduce Liz as his girlfriend, reporters hungry for a scandal bombard her. Now, her every move is under a vicious magnifying glass, and her life feels like it's falling apart.

On the road to reelection, the passionate bond between the congressman and the journalist gets tested at every stop.

## Scandal at the House of Russell Series

*Downton Abbey* meets *Charlie's Angels*.



8/20/2013

### Never Kiss a Rake (Book One)

Anne Stuart

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All Languages

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Anguished by death. Driven by revenge.

Bryony Russell and her two sisters are left destitute by the disgrace and unexpected death of their father, a wealthy shipping magnate. He left a cryptic note, and Bryony is determined to find the real villain and clear her father's name.

In disguise as a servant, Bryony infiltrates the home of her father's business partner to find proof of his guilt . . . or innocence. It's not just clues that Bryony finds, but temptation too . . .



12/3/2013

### Never Trust a Pirate (Book Two)

Anne Stuart

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A Victorian beauty finds passion . . . with the man who may have murdered her father.

Madeleine Russell, the beautiful daughter of a shipping magnate, counted on marrying a wealthy husband. Then her father's disgrace and death left her with no dowry and no suitor. But Maddy and her sisters fully intend to restore their good name. Their first step: find the villain who framed their family.

One of her father's captains, a notorious former pirate, becomes a prime suspect. When Maddy joins the captain's household disguised as his newest servant, her dark-eyed, charismatic employer soon develops his own agenda: seduction . . .



9/23/2014

### Never Marry a Viscount (Book Three)

Anne Stuart

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**She's crept back into the home she lost. He's crept into her heart.**

Sophie Russell was once society's darling. But after the disgrace and death of her father, she now finds all doors firmly shut to her—including those of her family home. To discover the secrets now hidden within its beloved walls, she'll pose as a cook and spy on the estate's new owner, a broodingly handsome viscount, who may have schemed against the Russells. Instead of dishing up the truth, the viscount tempts Sophie with delicacies of his own . . .

The final sensuous book in the Scandal at the House of Russell trilogy will lay the truth bare.

## The Montana Sky Series

Frontier romance set in the small town of Sweetwater Springs, where love can heal the most wounded of hearts.



8/28/2012

### Wild Montana Sky (Book One)

Debra Holland

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When her brother announces his marriage, Elizabeth Hamilton suddenly becomes unwanted and **unwelcome in the only home she's ever known.**

To escape the new mistress of the house, Elizabeth accepts the invitation of her best friend to journey to Montana. The dirt streets and wooden storefronts of Sweetwater Springs and the hardships of ranch living are worlds away from the refinements of Gilded Age Boston, yet Elizabeth is filled with new hope—and buoyed by a **wealthy banker's attentions.**



8/28/2012

### Starry Montana Sky (Book Two)

Debra Holland

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**Since her husband's death, Samantha Sawyers Rodriguez and her son have been little more than prisoners on her father-in-law's estate in 1890s Argentina.** Now she has an inheritance—a Montana ranch that she plans to transform into a sanctuary for orphaned boys.

**Samantha's neighbor, Wyatt Thompson, insists she has no idea what she's taking on. Though she can't deny her attraction to Wyatt, Samantha intends to succeed on her own terms.** But when a string of fires turns the locals against her boys, she and Wyatt see all they have to lose—and gain.



9/17/2013

### Stormy Montana Sky (Book Three)

Debra Holland

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Schoolteacher Harriet Stanton has always believed in happily ever after. Only, the one she thinks she wants forever with is newly married . . . just not to her.

But when a mysterious stranger rescues Harriet from an accident, she discovers heroes can be found in the most unlikely places . . .



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### Glorious Montana Sky (Book Four)

Debra Holland

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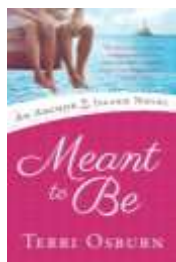
After spending nine years as a missionary in Africa and losing his wife to illness, Joshua Norton is exhausted. He returns home to Sweetwater Springs with his estranged nine-year-old son in tow, hoping to rebuild his relationship with the boy.

Meanwhile, Delia Fortier plots to escape the terrible fate her mother has planned for her: becoming the mistress of a cruel politician.

When Joshua and Delia meet, their intense attraction is undeniable. But **will Delia's secret stand in the way of their love?**

## The Anchor Island Novels

Sail away to anchor island . . . where you'll find family, island life, and love in unexpected places.



5/21/2013

### Meant to Be (Book One)

Terri Osburn

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Filled with excitement and delight, *Meant to Be* is the story of a young woman torn between urban pressures and small-town pleasures.

Beth Chandler has spent her whole life pleasing others. She went to law school to make her grandparents happy. She agreed to marry her workaholic boyfriend, Lucas, to make him happy. And, despite her fear of **boats, she took a ferry to see Lucas's parents just to make them happy.**

While suffering through a panic attack on the ferry, Beth meets a tall, sexy stranger who talks her down from her fear—and makes her heart flutter in the process.



10/22/2013

### Up to the Challenge (Book Two)

Terri Osburn

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When the Dempsey patriarch suffers a heart attack, Lucas Dempsey steps up to keep the doors of the family restaurant open. The proverbial prodigal son returns home to Anchor Island—putting family first and his quest to make partner at his high-powered law firm on hold.

Sporting a bruised ego after losing his fiancée to his older brother, Lucas would rather walk on glass than spend six weeks within spitting distance of the happy couple. But family duty calls. And that duty includes working side-by-side with a tantalizing spitfire intent on driving him mad.



5/1/2014

### Home to Stay (Book Three)

Terri Osburn

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*Home to Stay* is a charming, romantic tale about following your heart to find where you belong.

**Willow Parsons's two new best friends are getting married, putting her squarely on the sidelines of romance—which suits her just fine.** After the nightmarish situation she escaped from, featuring the ultimate Mr. Wrong, she is more than happy to spend her days slinging drinks in **Dempsey's Bar & Grill, and to spend her nights alone.** But her Anchor Island refuge has just one catch: muscle-bound charmer Randy Navarro.



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### More to Give (Book Four)

Terri Osburn

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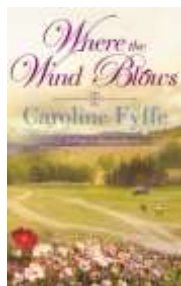
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Callie Henderson had to fight to put her tragic past behind her, but now the up-and-coming player in the hospitality industry is well on her way to happiness. She has her sights set on the lead renovation position at the Sunset Harbor Inn—an inn that just happens to be owned by Sam Edwards, the man who comforted her in her grief and gave her one night of passion before walking away.

Sam is searching for someone who can turn his quaint inn into a premier boutique hotel. He just never expected that someone to be the one woman who knows his deepest secrets.

## Prairie Hearts Novels

An award-winning western historical romance series from bestselling author Caroline Fyffe.



11/27/2012

### Where the Wind Blows (Book One)

Caroline Fyffe

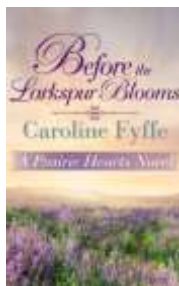
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In the free and untamed Wild West, love might blossom in the most unexpected place . . .

When the man from the orphanage mistakes **Chase Logan for Jessie Strong's husband**, the least Chase can do is help Jessie adopt the child she so desperately wants, the little girl **who will be Jessie's only family in the Wyoming wilderness**. Three days are all she asks. Three days pretending to love a woman who is unlike any he has ever known . . .

**Jessie knows it's chivalry, plain and simple**, that spurs Chase Logan to come to her rescue the day little Sarah arrives at her door. A man **like him isn't made for settling down; he is as wild as the land he roams**. She should know better than to let down her guard, to allow herself to long for a family and a life with someone she hardly knows. And yet she dares to hope that maybe, just maybe, Chase Logan is the man destined to make all of her dreams come true.



5/28/2013

### Before the Larkspur Blooms (Book Two)

Caroline Fyffe

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Thomas Donovan spent eight long years in **prison, convicted of a crime he didn't commit**. Finally released, he returns home to Logan Meadows, Wyoming, to discover his parents long buried and his neighbors wanting nothing to do with him. Suddenly the fresh start Thom longed for seems downright impossible—until a spirited beauty from his past becomes his unlikely champion, and the walls around his injured heart begin to crumble . . .

Hannah Hoskins was brokenhearted when Thom Donovan was sent away. While the rest of the town was quick to brand him a no-count thief, Hannah always knew better. Now the boy she once loved has returned home a man—**a man whom Hannah's suitor, the town's deputy sheriff, is determined to destroy**. When a crime spree starts anew, suspicion **immediately falls on Thom, and it's up to Hannah to prove his innocence, earn him a second chance at life—and win them both a second chance at love**.



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### West Winds of Wyoming (Book Three)

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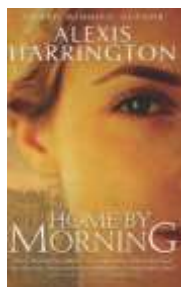
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When widower Charlie Rose shows up looking for work at the struggling Cotton Ranch, **no one knows he's secretly trying to outrun trouble—and he intends to keep it that way**. He wants to start over fresh in the small town of Logan Meadows, where his blind daughter **can grow up safe . . . and where danger can't find him**.

Feisty and independent, Nell Page is determined to protect the Cotton Ranch, despite threats from the bank . . . and the **mysterious stranger lurking on the ranch's borders**. In spite of her better judgment, Nell instantly feels drawn to handsome, dependable Charlie. The more they ride together through the beautiful Wyoming mountains and plains, the more their feelings grow into a love that could be strong enough to last forever.

## Powell Springs Novels

Raw, compelling historical romance novels set against the gritty backdrop of World War I.



12/24/2011

### Home by Morning (Book One)

Alexis Harrington

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October 1918: en route from New York to Seattle, Jessica Layton stops for a visit in her hometown of Powell Springs, Oregon, and comes face-to-face with Cole Braddock, her first and only love from years ago. Now Jessica is a highly accomplished clinical physician preparing for an exciting new job in Washington, and Cole is a successful horse breeder who is courting her sister Amy. Both are convinced they have moved beyond their youthful passion and the heartbreak it produced; nonetheless, they are grateful that **Jessica's brief visit will leave little opportunity** to rehash old wounds. But before Dr. Layton can leave town, Powell Springs is hit hard by the influenza epidemic ravaging the country. With no other doctors available, Jessica must remain in Oregon and tend to her friends and former neighbors. Her work brings her in constant contact with Cole, and with each passing day he finds it harder to convince himself that mild-tempered Amy can fill his heart as Jessica once did.



7/3/2012

### Home by Nightfall (Book Two)

Alexis Harrington

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In 1918, Susannah Braddock is devastated by the news that her beloved husband, Riley, has been killed in battle in France. Heartbroken, she turns to Tanner Grenfell for support. **Though technically the Braddocks' hired hand**, Tanner has been helping Susannah run the family horse farm since Riley shipped out, and he has become a true and trusted friend. As **time passes and Susannah's grief begins to ebb**, her friendship with Tanner deepens into love. They marry, committing their lives to **running the farm and raising Tanner's two young nephews**.

**But Susannah and Tanner's newfound happiness is short lived**. Two years after being reported dead, Riley Braddock returns home, shell-shocked and with no memory of his life before the war. All he can remember is Véronique, the French woman who rescued him during the final days of the war and nursed him back to health. Now the Red Cross has returned him to America—and to the wife he no longer knows.



11/4/2014

### The Fire of Home (Book Three)

Alexis Harrington

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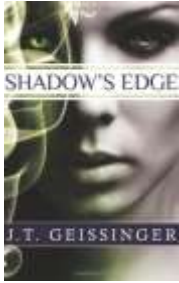
**When Amy Layton's family learned she planned to steal her sister's fiancé, Amy left home in disgrace**. But in 1922, she returns to Powell Springs to escape the violent man she **married. Despite the town's gossip, Amy is determined to rebuild her shattered life with the boardinghouse she inherited . . . and little else**.

**Deputy sheriff Baxter Duncan senses there's more to Amy, his new landlady, than the rumors claim**. Yet Bax respects her privacy. After all, a painful secret haunts him, too. **And now that he's found a future in Powell Springs, he refuses to let his dark and wretched past destroy everything he's built**.

As Amy struggles to make amends with her family, she finds a kindred spirit in Bax. But just as they begin to trust each other, a new visitor arrives in town—and this person knows enough to ruin them both.

## The Night Prowler Series

Bound by ancient bloodlines. Compelled by ruthless secrecy. Seduced by the ones who expose them.



6/12/2012

### Shadow's Edge (Book One)

J. T. Geissinger

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All Languages

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Deep within the primeval forests of southern England, a race of beautiful, savage shape-shifters lives hidden from the everyday world. Bound together by ancient bloodlines and a ruthless code of secrecy that punishes traitors with death, the Ikati send their leader, Leander, on a mission to capture one raised outside the tribe before she can expose their secret.

When Leander tracks the unsuspecting outsider to Southern California, the hardened warrior is prepared for a fight—but not for the effect the sensual young beauty has on his heart.



10/2/2012

### Edge of Oblivion (Book Two)

J. T. Geissinger

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A sensual, page-turning read that brings together two unlikely lovers in an explosive world of danger, beauty, and supernatural forces.

There exists a world beyond our own. It is a world of ancient magic and well-guarded secrets, of strict laws and harsh punishments for those who betray them, inhabited by the Ikati, a race of gifted people with unimaginable powers.

It is here where two people with dark pasts meet. Their passion will test everything they believe in, and endanger the future of the tribe itself.



6/18/2013

### Rapture's Edge (Book Three)

J. T. Geissinger

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For dark fantasy and paranormal fans of J. R. Ward, Kresley Cole, *Game of Thrones*, or *True Blood*, *Rapture's Edge* is a must-read.

In the hidden world that exists beside our own, a mirror world of ancient magic and elegant deceptions, a world of people who are so much more than they first appear, a war is brewing.

Most of these Gifted people—the Ikati, a savage, sensual race of lethal predators—are content to hide behind human smiles, disguising their splendor in order to survive. But others are discontent. And they will hide no longer.



12/10/2013

### Edge of Darkness (Book Four)

J. T. Geissinger

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Six years after a shocking tragedy left her emotionally and physically scarred, Ember Jones lives a life of quiet isolation in Barcelona. Determined to keep her troubled past a secret, she keeps her head down and her heart locked up tight.

Until the day a beautiful, mysterious stranger walks into her life, and her carefully controlled world is shattered forever. As their dark pasts collide, the two unlikely lovers find themselves caught in a web of danger and deceit that neither of them might survive.



6/24/2014

### Darkness Bound (Book Five)

J. T. Geissinger

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**Reporter Jacqueline “Jack” Dolan despises the secretive clan of shape-shifters known as the Ikati—and has become determined to destroy them.** After she writes an editorial arguing for their extermination, the Ikati plot to send one of their own to seduce the reporter, then blackmail her into writing a retraction. Handsome Hawk Luna relishes the idea of **conquering the fiery redhead who's caused trouble for his kind.** The last thing he expects is to develop feelings for her.



10/21/2014

### Into Darkness (Book Six)

J. T. Geissinger

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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In New Vienna, capital of the oppressive global government formed after the Flash, three things are certain: the sun is poisonous, speaking out is dangerous, and being different will get you killed.

And Lumina Bohn is extraordinarily different. Living in terror of discovery, Lu knows nothing of her past—but she knows she must pretend to be human to survive. When an incident at work triggers her astonishing powers, she becomes the target of an international manhunt. Only one person can save her: Magnus, the enigmatic stranger haunting her dreams. Magnus rescues the outcasts called Aberrants from capture and torture. As Lu begins exploring her powers among her people, her feelings for Magnus **intensify. He's determined to stay emotionally distant, yet their smoldering passion soon becomes impossible to resist.**





8/12/2014

## Boycotts & Barflies

Victoria Michaels

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

In this hilarious debut novel, Victoria Michaels brings us a colorful and relatable cast of characters. She sends them on a sweet and sexy escapade as they sidestep one booby trap after another, manage the best of misguided intentions, and exert a whole lot of willpower and self-control as they race down the path to true love.

After an endless string of bad dates and a generally pathetic love life, Grace Park and her friends decide to boycott men for six weeks. With a fantastic pair of shoes on the line for the woman who makes it to the end without breaking any rules, the competition gets fierce. Sparks fly a few days into the bet when Grace and her friends cross paths with a sexy bartender named Michael Andris who happens to have a little bet of his own going with his friends . . .

**Winning isn't everything . . . or is it?**



8/19/2014

## Trust in Advertising

Victoria Michaels

Rights Available: All Languages excluding Turkish, Audio

**Victoria Michaels once again delivers a can't-put-it-down novel** loaded with engaging characters, cheeky dialogue, and powerful emotions. *Trust in Advertising* is a cleverly woven tale about two people getting to know each other and, ultimately, themselves.

Lexi White finds herself at a crossroads. After putting everything on hold to care for her ailing father, it's finally time for her to start living again. An exciting new job holds the promise of a fresh start, until she comes face-to-face with someone from her past. **This time around, Lexi's a grown woman who refuses to back away from her dreams**, even if it requires working with her old high school crush. Side by side. Every day.

**Vincent doesn't even remember Lexi from high school, but he begins to take notice** when the fiery young woman is hired as his new assistant. Professionally, they are dynamite together, but when sparks fly between them personally, will Vincent let lies and jealousy ruin everything between them, or will he finally learn not only how to love, but ultimately trust . . . in advertising?



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## Good Ground

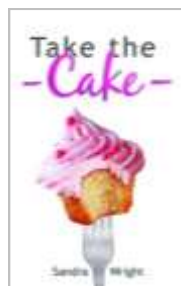
Tracy Winegar

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Devastated after the sudden death of his cherished wife during childbirth in the fall of 1908, Jim Hooper loses the will to continue.

But God plants the seeds of hope, and a new life begins to take root following the unconventional adoption of Ellis, an orphan baby. **As a result of Jim's love, nurturing, and care**, Ellis grows into a fine man, the spitting image—inwardly—of his daddy.

Decades later tragedy strikes again, this time for Ellis, and he finds his life turned completely upside-down after rescuing a young woman, Clairey, from a dangerous blizzard and an even more threatening existence. If their relationship ever stands a chance at thriving, it will have to survive ghosts from their respective pasts and endure the many hardships of running a tobacco farm in the rural Tennessee mountains, and Ellis will finally have to face the truth of his controversial origins.



8/19/2014

## Take the Cake

Sandra Wright

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Sometimes you just have to take life one cupcake at a time.

Kate Shannon is happy with the way things are. Granted, she lost her parents at a young age, but she has made a good life for herself. **Kate doesn't have a Mr. Right, or even a Mr. Right Now**, but what she does have is a thriving bakery in Greenwich Village called **Take The Cake, and that's just the way she likes it.**

Across town, Michael Forrester has gone from enjoying the thrill of success to wallowing in the depths of despair. With a collection of critically acclaimed novels in his wake, **Michael now spends his days battling writer's block, avoiding his publisher's calls whenever possible.** What happens next is what you get when you combine friendship, cupcakes, and **good coffee with a substance called "the eternal breath," all mixed up in a city like New York.**



## The Rumors Series

12/30/2014

### Rumors (Book One)

A. C. Arthur

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Her death tore them apart. Will solving her murder bring them back together?

Best friends Landy, Tenile, Nicole, Nathan, Justin, and Kareem were the golden children of Tanner University. Their paths were set: doctors, lawyers, business moguls, they were going to light the world on fire. Then, two weeks before graduation, Landy was murdered—and Nathan was blamed. Although he was never charged, vicious rumors drove him from town, and the circle of friends broke.

Ten years later, Nathan is back in Tanner, **determined to clear his name.** He's asking questions no one wants answered, and soon rumors threaten to divide the community once more. Everyone in this small town is keeping big secrets—especially Landy's old friends—and someone is willing to kill to keep their darkest deeds buried . . .

Stay tuned for the sequel, which will be released in Fall 2015!





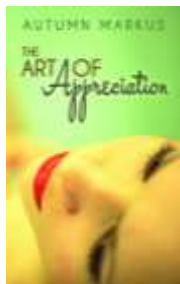
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**Cocktails and Dreams**

Autumn Markus

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
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**Jena Baker's life was a Type A personality's dream: job she loved, degree almost finished, great friends . . . all firmly in her control until one night of insanity when her past collides with her present.**

**After a New Year's Eve party in San Francisco, Jena wakes up in a strange hotel room beside her college crush, Nicholas Cooper. Funny thing, but showing her wild side to a man she knows makes the prospect of facing him the next morning infinitely worse, so she slips away before he wakes. Back home in Davis, she decides to let old flames die . . . but that doesn't stop dreams of her night with him from coming back to haunt her. Can a relationship that started somewhere in the middle ever work? Or is it all just cocktails and dreams?**



8/19/2014  
**The Art of Appreciation**

Autumn Markus

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
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**Abby Reynolds is burned out.**

Since clawing her way into a great position at a **Boston museum, she's been saddled** with a scheming intern and a nagging boss. **She's scuttled her own painting dreams, her cat refuses to be box trained, and now the most boring man on the Eastern Seaboard just told her, "It's not you, it's me."**

Her bestie Sarah offers a much-needed escape: a summer of sand, sea, and younger men in Santa Cruz . . .



8/19/2014  
**Passion Fish**

Alison Oburia

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

**With \$3 million for the Santa Barbara Museum of Art on the line, curator Eve Carwyn hardly has time to focus on the state of her love life.**

Struggling to escape the clutches of a creepy ex and looking to add some adventure to her personal life, Eve is off on a much-needed escape, and a business trip to Boston. But before she goes, her pack of dedicated girlfriends plan a send-off party that includes mind-bending kisses from not one, but two sensational—yet anonymous—partners.

Will a chance encounter and a searing kiss somehow end in a love match?

**The Small Town Girl Series**



8/19/2014  
**Small Town Girl (Book One)**

Linda Cunningham

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

**Small Town Girl is a story of discovering the true meaning of life and love.**

When Lauren Smith begrudgingly returns to the small Vermont town where she grew up to arrange for the sale of her late **grandmother's old farmhouse, she has everything she's always worked for. Lauren drives a Mercedes. She's engaged to one of the most powerful businessmen in the country and wears a three-carat diamond ring to prove it. She lives in a penthouse on Central Park West. Yes, Lauren has everything she considers important. The moment Caleb Cochran steps through the old screen door to fix the hot water, the glittery facade that masquerades as Lauren's life begins to crumble around her.**



8/19/2014  
**Corporate Affair (Book Two)**

Linda Cunningham

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

**Linda Cunningham introduces hot new characters in her second Small Town novel, a steamy office romance set in idyllic Clark's Corner, Vermont.**

A smart, sexy entrepreneur. A wealthy, **arrogant ladies' man set on purchasing her company. And a hotbed of chemistry neither one of them anticipated.**

Aiden Stewart is just going through the motions of running the family business, a mega communications company snapping up all the competition. His trip to a tiny New England town to negotiate the purchase of ChatDotCom is nothing more than an interruption in his plans for his next female conquest. The last thing he expects is for **Chat's CEO M. Jordan Fitzgerald to be a woman who takes his breath away.**

**The Granton University Series**



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**Fighting Fate**

Linda Kage



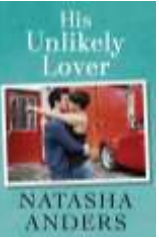
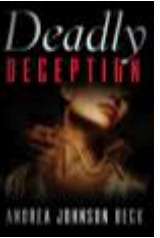
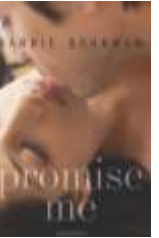



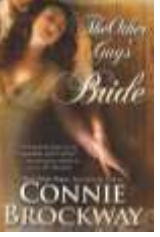




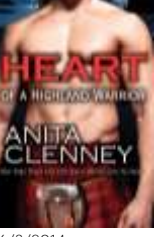

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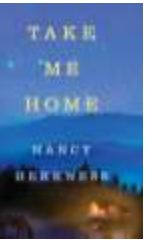
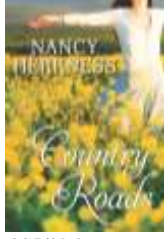




**Forgiving your brother's murderer may be noble, but falling in love with him borders on betrayal.**

When Paige Zukowski enrolls at Granton University in honor of her dead brother, she has no idea fate will land her on the same campus with the very guy who killed him. **But Logan Xander isn't quite the murderer she's always believed him to be. A day hasn't passed since the tragedy in which Logan doesn't wish he could go back and undo everything. It doesn't take Paige long to realize he's suffered as much as she has.** Forgiving him for ruining her life might not be so impossible after all. But when she actually starts to like him and realizes he likes her in return, their true anguish begins.


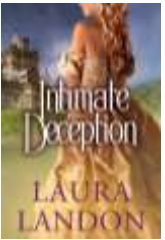





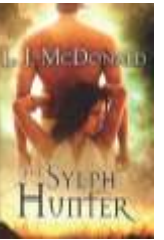









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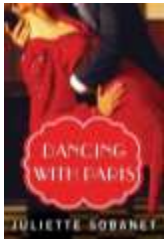
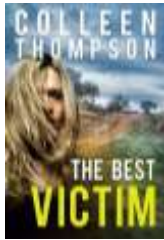



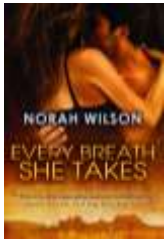
 <p>3/25/2014</p> <p><b>The Unwanted Wife (The Unwanted Series, Book One)</b></p> <p>Natasha Anders</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: German</p> <p>The stunning first book in the sensuous, dramatic Unwanted series.</p>	 <p>4/29/2014</p> <p><b>A Husband's Regret (The Unwanted Series, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Natasha Anders</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p><b>After Bronwyn Palmer's</b> pregnancy sent her husband into an inexplicable rage, will she ever be able to forgive him enough to uncover the painful secrets that drove his fury?</p>	 <p>6/17/2014</p> <p><b>His Unlikely Lover (The Unwanted Series, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Natasha Anders</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Opposites attract as the Unwanted series sizzles anew with its hottest love story yet.</p>	 <p>10/8/2013</p> <p><b>Deadly Deception</b></p> <p>Andrea Johnson Beck</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Dr. Anne Jamison, a brilliant neuropsychiatrist, is haunted by the mysterious death of Carter Leeds, her beloved former boyfriend.</p>	 <p>9/17/2013</p> <p><b>Promise Me</b></p> <p>Barbie Bohrmann</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Sabrina Chandler has had a rough road to love.</p>
 <p>12/1/2013</p> <p><b>No Place for a Dame</b></p> <p>Connie Brockway</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Beautiful, bold, and brilliant Avery dreams of becoming a member of the Royal Astronomical Society.</p>	 <p>10/1/2013</p> <p><b>Promise Me Heaven</b></p> <p>Connie Brockway</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>Lady Catherine "Cat" Sinclair</b> will do whatever is necessary to save her family from financial ruin.</p>	 <p>10/1/2013</p> <p><b>All Through the Night</b></p> <p>Connie Brockway</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In the glittering world of Regency England, Anne Wilder plays a dangerous game.</p>	 <p>11/22/2011</p> <p><b>The Other Guy's Bride</b></p> <p>Connie Brockway</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Japanese</p> <p><b>The title that launched Amazon's</b> Montlake Romance line, <i>The Other Guy's Bride</i> is an unforgettable Victorian romance.</p>	 <p>12/4/2012</p> <p><b>Highland Surrender</b></p> <p>Tracy Brogan</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Japanese</p> <p>To seal a fragile truce, Fiona Sinclair's brothers trade her in marriage to their sworn enemy.</p>
 <p>6/25/2013</p> <p><b>Hold on My Heart</b></p> <p>Tracy Brogan</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Chicago event planner Libby Hamilton can turn any bland setting into a dramatic venue—but when she abruptly loses her job, and her fair-weather boyfriend moves to another state, Libby suddenly finds herself back in the tiny town she grew up in.</p>	 <p>9/24/2013</p> <p><b>Picturing Perfect</b></p> <p>Melissa Brown</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>When destiny leads their paths to cross once more, Hadley and Jason must confront not only their painful past, but what the future may hold for them both.</p>	 <p>6/16/2014</p> <p><b>Breathe Again: A Love Story</b></p> <p>Joelle Charming</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio</p> <p>A deliciously red-hot romance about finding love on the red carpet.</p>	 <p>6/3/2014</p> <p><b>Heart of a Highland Warrior</b></p> <p>Anita Clenney</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A new Highland Warrior tale from bestselling author Anita Clenney.</p>	 <p>10/23/2012</p> <p><b>Christmas on Mimosa Lane (A Seasons of the Heart Novel, Book One)</b></p> <p>Anna DeStefano</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>Anna DeStefano's</b> heartwarming and emotional tale of second chances is a testament to the healing power of love, and the incredible joy of Christmas miracles.</p>

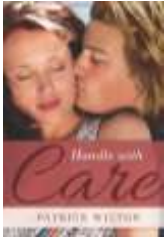
 <p>7/23/2013</p> <p><b>Three Days on Mimosa Lane (A Seasons of the Heart Novel, Book Two)</b> Anna DeStefano</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Once, Sam Perry had it all: a loving marriage, an amazing job she adored as a preschool teacher, and a beautiful home. She was safe, happy, and secure. Then the unthinkable happened . . .</p>	 <p>1/21/2014</p> <p><b>Love on Mimosa Lane (A Seasons of the Heart Novel, Book Three)</b> Anna DeStefano</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Law Beaumont and Kristen Hemmings have watched each other from a distance for years. But Law, a bartender with a bad-boy past, and Kristen, an assistant principal devoted to helping her <b>community, couldn't seem more</b> different.</p>	 <p>1/29/2013</p> <p><b>Shattered Souls (A Caitlyn O'Connell Novel, Book One)</b> Delilah Devlin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>From popular author Delilah Devlin comes the unforgettable <b>heroine Caitlyn O'Connell</b>—a psychic ex-cop <b>who's hell-bent</b> on redemption.</p>	 <p>6/25/2013</p> <p><b>Lost Souls (A Caitlyn O'Connell Novel, Book Two)</b> Delilah Devlin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Fan favorite Delilah Devlin delivers her second paranormal romantic thriller featuring the unforgettable heroine Caitlyn O'Connell.</p>	 <p>2/12/2013</p> <p><b>Die for Me: A Novel of the Valentine Killer</b> Cynthia Eden</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>She thought her fiancé was the perfect man—until he turned out to be the perfect killer.</p>
 <p>2/4/2014</p> <p><b>Scream for Me: A Novel of the Night Hunter</b> Cynthia Eden</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>They were only supposed to have a professional relationship, but FBI agent Kyle McKenzie has been fantasizing about his sexy partner, Cadence Hollow, from the moment they first met.</p>	 <p>3/25/2014</p> <p><b>Beautifully Damaged (Beautifully Damaged Series, Book One)</b> L. A. Fiore</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>A shy young woman falls for a wealthy, tattoo-covered amateur fighter, but his self-loathing threatens to ruin their relationship—until they discover life-changing secrets that interlink their damaged pasts.</p>	 <p>7/29/2014</p> <p><b>Beautifully Forgotten (Beautifully Damaged Series, Book Two)</b> L. A. Fiore</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In <i>Beautifully Forgotten</i>, L. A. Fiore's <b>story of smoldering love</b> recaptures the tormented romance of <i>Beautifully Damaged</i>.</p>	 <p>10/15/2013</p> <p><b>First Bite (The Dark Wolf Series, Book One)</b> Dani Harper</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Now that Neva has been turned into a werewolf against her will, <b>she'll do anything to protect</b> her family and friends . . . even if that means taking her own life.</p> <p><b>Stay tuned for the next book in the Dark Wolf Series, which will be released in Fall 2016!</b></p>	 <p>11/6/2012</p> <p><b>Take Me Home (A Whisper Horse Novel, Book One)</b> Nancy Herkness</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Dutch, French</p> <p><b>2013 Gayle Wilson Award of Excellence Winner—Contemporary Single Title</b></p> <p>A big-city girl returns to her country roots to make a fresh start, with the help of a wounded racehorse, an emotionally scarred but irresistible veterinarian, and a love to last a lifetime.</p>
 <p>9/17/2013</p> <p><b>Country Roads (A Whisper Horse Novel, Book Two)</b> Nancy Herkness</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, French</p> <p><b>2014 ©Desert Rose RWA® Golden Quill Award Winner, Contemporary Romance</b></p> <p>Dramatic and emotional, <i>Country Roads</i> is a heartwarming tale of two people trying to balance the bonds of family with a passionate love of their own.</p>	 <p>6/3/2014</p> <p><b>The Place I Belong (A Whisper Horse Novel, Book Three)</b> Nancy Herkness</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, French</p> <p>Nancy Herkness invites readers back to Sanctuary, West Virginia, in Book Three of the award-winning Whisper Horse series.</p>	 <p>9/3/2013</p> <p><b>Heaven Made</b> SaraLynn Hoyt</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>London, 1905. Recently widowed Sabrina Tremaine escapes her second marriage in the dead of night to start a new life for herself and her daughter.</p>	 <p>10/9/2012</p> <p><b>Faerie</b> Delle Jacobs</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Like her mother before her, Leonie of Bosewood carries Faerie blood in her veins, a secret she harbors to protect her own life.</p>	 <p>6/10/2014</p> <p><b>Just One Thing</b> Holly Jacobs</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>From award-winning author Holly Jacobs comes the story of heartache, hope, and the power of sharing just one thing.</p>



 <p>8/13/2013  <b>Intimate Surrender</b>            Laura Landon</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio, Turkish</p> <p>The bewitchingly beautiful Hannah Bartlett never meant to fall in love, and certainly not with a vicar. But when she meets Rafe Waterford, she discovers a <b>warmth and tenderness she's</b> searched for her entire life.</p>	 <p>10/16/2012  <b>Intimate Deception</b>            Laura Landon</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio, German, Russian, Turkish</p> <p>When <b>Lady Grace Warren's father</b> sells her in marriage to the depraved Lord Fentington, she knows only the most drastic action will save her from a life of misery.</p>	 <p>10/16/2012  <b>Silent Revenge</b>            Laura Landon</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio, German, Spanish, Russian, Turkish</p> <p>In just six days, Lady Jessica Stanton will turn twenty-five and inherit enough money to make <b>her one of England's wealthiest</b> women.</p>	 <p>10/16/2012  <b>The Most to Lose</b>            Laura Landon</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio, Japanese, Russian</p> <p>Jonah Armstrong, Earl of Haywood, and the Duke of Hadleigh were best friends until a <b>scandal involving Hadleigh's</b> fiancée destroyed their friendship.</p>	 <p>8/21/2012  <b>Midnight Exposure</b>            Melinda Leigh</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>When two hikers disappear, their hometown in Maine blames the blinding storms. But the truth is far more sinister.</p>
 <p>5/6/2014  <b>Remembering Us</b>            Stacey Lynn</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In this intriguing New Adult romance, a young woman awakens from a coma, unable to remember who she was, what her life was like . . . and whether the loving boyfriend by her side is really who he claims to be.</p>	 <p>10/22/2013  <b>If Only in My Dreams</b>            Wendy Markham</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>He may not live in this lifetime . . . but he may be the love of <i>her</i> lifetime.</p>	 <p>3/4/2014  <b>The Sylph Hunter (Sylph Series)</b>            L. J. McDonald</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In the fourth novel of the critically acclaimed fantasy romance series, a young girl must decide: love a kind man, or accept the passion of a battle sylph and become master of a creature of infinite magic.</p>	 <p>11/5/2013  <b>Fatal Trust</b>            Diana Miller</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Stepping her perfect Jimmy Choos into place beside Ben <b>Gallagher's wounded Nikes</b>, straitlaced Philadelphia lawyer Catherine Barrington is surprisingly unable to resist the disarming small-town <b>mechanic's</b> charm.</p>	 <p>4/1/2014  <b>Unbound (Forbidden Bond, Book One)</b>            Cat Miller</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A sizzling paranormal romance from <b>one of New Adult's hottest</b> voices.</p>
 <p>5/27/2014  <b>Unforgiven (Forbidden Bond, Book Two)</b>            Cat Miller</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A young vampire will need to choose who to trust with her heart: a warrior or a rogue.</p>	 <p>1/17/2012  <b>At Last (Texas Heat Wave Series)</b>            Julie Ortolon</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages, Audio            Rights Sold: German</p> <p>Eleven years ago, Riley Stone left Hope, Texas, with a head full of dreams about taking the music world by storm, and a heart shattered by unrequited love.</p>	 <p>10/15/2013  <b>A Laird for Christmas (The Highland Bachelor Series, Book One)</b>            Gerri Russell</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>Lady Jane's father is presumed</b> dead, and as neighbors position themselves to take her castle and lands, she hosts six lords of the highlands in a competition for her hand.</p>	 <p>5/27/2014  <b>This Laird of Mine (The Highland Bachelor Series, Book Two)</b>            Gerri Russell</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A solitary Highland nobleman invents a perfect wife in order to deter his matchmaking friends, but when his fictitious bride <b>arrives at his door, he's torn</b> between driving away the beautiful stranger and winning her heart.</p>	 <p>6/12/2012  <b>Redemption (The Penton Vampire Legacy Series, Book One)</b>            Susannah Sandlin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages            Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Sensual and thrilling, <i>Redemption</i> is the first installment of what is sure to be a darkly addictive new series from paranormal romance novelist Susannah Sandlin.</p>



 <p>10/9/2012</p> <p><b>Absolution (The Penton Vampire Legacy Series, Book Two)</b> Susannah Sandlin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>When his enemies capture a witch to use against him, the vampire once known as the Slayer has no choice but to rescue and protect her—because the woman meant to be a weapon may just be his savior.</p>	 <p>2/5/2013</p> <p><b>Omega (The Penton Vampire Legacy Series, Book Three)</b> Susannah Sandlin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>As the Vampire Tribunal descends on the Penton rebels' hideout, a key Tribunal defector struggles to confront his past—and win the trust of a beautiful soldier fighting to protect her immortal family.</p>	 <p>6/10/2014</p> <p><b>Allegiance (The Penton Vampire Legacy Series, Book Four)</b> Susannah Sandlin</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Vampire Cage Reynolds meets his match in edgy shape-shifter Robin Ashton.</p>	 <p>2/25/2014</p> <p><b>Shame on You (Fool Me Once, Book One)</b> Tara Sivec</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>From bestselling author Tara Sivec, war-veteran-turned-bounty-hunter <b>Kennedy O'Brien</b> launches Fool Me Once Investigations to stick it to the man—with mixed results.</p>	 <p>5/6/2014</p> <p><b>Shame on Me (Fool Me Once, Book Two)</b> Tara Sivec</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>Bestselling author Tara Sivec's</b> second book featuring fun, feisty female bounty hunters.</p>
 <p>7/15/2014</p> <p><b>Shame on Him (Fool Me Once, Book Three)</b> Tara Sivec</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In the latest contemporary romance from bestselling author Tara Sivec, an uptight lawyer butts heads with her rival, an arrogant (but oh-so-attractive) investigator, in the race to solve a murder.</p>	 <p>12/18/2012</p> <p><b>Blank Slate</b> Tiffany Snow</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Special Agent Erik Langston has been tracking <b>Clarissa O'Connell</b> for nearly a year, always one step behind the cyber-hacking thief. <b>She's escaped his clutches often</b> and easily. Except tonight.</p>	 <p>12/3/2013</p> <p><b>Honeymoon in Paris (A Paris Romance)</b> Juliette Sobanet</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>The sassy heroine of <i>Sleeping with Paris</i> is back! And this time, chocolate-covered French wedding bells are in the air.</p>	 <p>4/30/2013</p> <p><b>Midnight Train to Paris (A Paris Time Travel Romance, Book One)</b> Juliette Sobanet</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Turkish</p> <p><i>Midnight Train to Paris</i> is a magical and suspenseful exploration of just how far we will go to save the ones we love.</p>	 <p>7/16/2013</p> <p><b>Dancing with Paris (A Paris Time Travel Romance, Book Two)</b> Juliette Sobanet</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In Paris, a past life promises a second chance at love.</p>
 <p>11/26/2013</p> <p><b>The Best Victim</b> Colleen Thompson</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Devastated by the vicious online attacks that drove her sister to suicide, an introverted web security specialist teams up with—and falls for—the rogue FBI agent who shares her passion for vengeance.</p>	 <p>8/20/2013</p> <p><b>The Mighty Storm (The Storm Series, Book One)</b> Samantha Towle</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Czech, German, Greek, Turkish</p> <p>A contemporary romance about a music journalist who reunites with the man who broke her heart <b>long ago, now a bad boy rock 'n' roll star.</b></p>	 <p>8/20/2013</p> <p><b>Wethering the Storm (The Storm Series, Book Two)</b> Samantha Towle</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Czech, German, Greek</p> <p>Music journalist Tru Bennett has done the impossible: capture the heart of rock-star bad boy Jake Wethers.</p>	 <p>6/24/2014</p> <p><b>The Slow Burn of Silence (A Snowy Creek Novel)</b> Loreth Anne White</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>Winner of the National Readers' Choice Award for Romantic Suspense</b></p> <p>A deeply moving, suspenseful tale from celebrated author Loreth Anne White.</p>	 <p>9/4/2012</p> <p><b>Every Breath She Takes</b> Norah Wilson</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Veterinarian Lauren Townsend has good reason for hiding her psychic ability. Not only did her <b>"freakishness" earn her pariah</b> status in the small town where she grew up, it cost her a fiancé and her faith in love.</p>



7/2/2013

**Handle with Care**

Patrice Wilton

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Shane Dawson, a medic captured and tortured in Iraq, is back on US soil, but now he must face his painful memories and personal demons.



2/26/2013

**A Hero Lies Within**

Patrice Wilton

Rights Available: All Languages

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A returning war hero and the woman who once loved him are brought together again—but will they be able to heal the wounds of their past?



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4/16/2014

### He Can Fall

Melinda Leigh

Romantic Suspense

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All Languages

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Audio

Security expert Sean Wilson takes his wife, Amanda, along on a business trip to finalize the alarm system for an isolated bed-and-breakfast.

He's hoping to combine some pleasure with his work at the romantic getaway, but while he is out for a morning run, armed men storm the inn and take the guests and staff hostage.

A former Army Ranger, Sean is no stranger to violence. He will do anything to save his wife, but when he finds the seven-year-old granddaughter of the innkeeper in the snowy woods, the situation becomes more complicated. Sean knows he needs to get the child to safety, but with the hostage situation escalating, Amanda's life is also in immediate danger. Cut off from help by an ice storm, Sean must make choices that could cost one of them her life.



4/9/2014

### The Kindness of Neighbors

Matthew Iden

Crime

Rights Available:  
All Languages

Rights Sold:  
Audio

No one likes Jack.

His wife is gone and his neighbors avoid him. He's a recluse and a creep, and that's just the way he wants it: he can ignore what they say behind his back if they leave him to his work and his daily walks.

But when ten-year-old Emma goes missing in the nearby woods, the eyes of his neighbors turn toward him, their fear and accusations escalating as the days go by. Jack proclaims his innocence, but what the neighbors—and the reader—find out is the last thing anyone would suspect.



2/12/2014

### Bait

Tiffinie Helmer

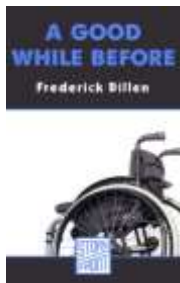
Romantic Suspense

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio

In the wilds of Alaska, Assistant District Attorney Shyla Pierce is supposed to be dead, killed in the pursuit of justice. But in fact she is very much alive, quietly in hiding and slowly recovering from her near-fatal injuries.

Meanwhile, deep in mourning for Shyla, Alaska State Trooper Judd Iverson tries and fails to move on. He's forced to take a leave of absence. But when he arrives at his secluded fishing cabin, he's shocked when Shyla opens the door. With a killer still on the loose and their passion unextinguished, they must relearn to trust each other and figure out how to catch the man who meant to kill Shyla the first time around.



1/29/2014

### A Good While Before

Frederick Dillen

Literary Fiction

Rights Available:  
All Languages

Rights Sold:  
Audio

Pat, a Vietnam vet finished with marriage and booze, gets his dose of society sitting alone and dry at the local bar.

One afternoon, watching a preseason Red Sox game, he ends up next to a group of loudmouth writers gathered around a man in a wheelchair. The writers get under Pat's skin, and he says something lousy to the big-shot who, it turns out, is also a big-shot writer. The man laughs and tells Pat to come up to the house where he and his group discuss writing. Pat goes for the hell of it and for the chance of a new friend, not suspecting this new friend has a soldier's heartbreaking agenda.



1/22/2014

### One Night in Paris

Juliette Sobanet

Time-Travel Romance

Rights Available:  
All Languages

Rights Sold:  
Audio

From bestselling author Juliette Sobanet, "One Night in Paris" is a heartwarming and enchanting journey back to Jazz Age Paris.

When Manhattan attorney Ella Carlyle gets a call that her beloved grandmother is dying, she rushes to Paris to be by her side, against the wishes of her overbearing boyfriend. Ella would do anything for her grandmother and jumps at the chance to fulfill her dying wish. But things take a mystical turn when Ella is transported to a swinging Parisian jazz club full of alluring strangers . . . in the year 1927! As the clock runs out on her one night in the City of Lights, Ella will attempt to rewrite the past—and perhaps her own destiny as well.



1/22/2014

### Dead Letters

Jonathan Stone

Crime

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio

The US mail is rarely a matter of life and death.

And the postal police sit on the lowest rung of the law enforcement ladder. Real cops make fun of them. Cases generally amount to little more than crimes against mailboxes and bungled counterfeiting attempts. But when an investigation leads partners Marcie and Schottsie to the post office's dead letter section—the deadest beat of all—what they discover propels them into a very live world of drug cartels, smuggling, and shoot-outs. Finally they face real action. Can they handle it?



12/11/2013

## The Market for Virgins

Paul Jaskunas

Literary Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

From award-winning author Paul Jaskunas comes a glimpse into the decadent, amoral world of the expats who make Hong Kong their playground.

Junior exec Ben thought working for a prestigious bank in Hong Kong would be a career-building adventure and an exotic change from his staid Long Island upbringing. In the complex splendor of Hong Kong, he finds himself in a position of extreme privilege—a position in which everything is seen as a commodity. When he and his colleagues take an outing on the South China Sea to escape the city smog, a sordid secret is revealed. Sickened, Ben questions what sort of man he has become in this glittering, seedy world where even human beings can be converted into currency.



12/4/2013

## The Last Vampire

J. T. Geissinger

Paranormal Romance

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**A vampire's passionate confession to his beloved, J. T. Geissinger's "The Last Vampire" transforms a classic predator into a man forced to make desperate choices for love.**

**"How can I describe the heaven that is your taste? I can't. There aren't enough superlatives . . ."**

Former Soviet surgeon Roman Ivanescu honors his Hippocratic oath never to do harm by working at a blood bank in Manhattan. Quenching his violent thirst without killing a soul, Roman resists his natural urges and dances on the edge of sanity. Entranced by his first taste of her, Roman hunts down prima ballerina Maiko Himura, who awakens in him a passion he thought long dead. But when Roman finds out his new love has just a few weeks left on earth, he must make a terrible choice. And for every gift, there is a price.



12/4/2013

## Veiled

Kendra Elliot

Romantic Suspense

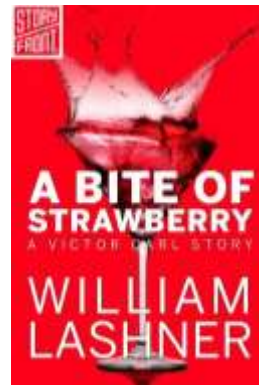
Rights Available: All Languages

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From master of romantic suspense Kendra Elliot comes a fast-paced tale of obsession and murder.

When a dead body turns up in the hot tub at a high-end resort on the rugged Oregon Coast, forensic investigator Lacey Campbell and her fiancé, Jack Harper, realize their vacation is over. Tragically, the dead woman is dressed in a wedding gown, even more disturbing for Lacey since she's about to become a bride.

When the victim turns out to be a popular bartender with a bad-news ex-husband, it looks like a domestic quarrel turned deadly. But could there be something more sinister going on in this tight-knit community? Swept into the investigation, Lacey uncovers a killer with a morbid perspective on marriage.



12/4/2013

## A Bite of Strawberry

William Lashner

Crime

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Young Victor Carl is a fool for love and money, but he's not a blind fool.**

When Victor is propositioned by the woman of his dreams, he knows it's too good to be true. She offers him the perfect job, a prosperous future, and, best of all, when her tongue is in his mouth, she tastes like strawberries.

But it isn't long before Victor realizes that to keep these prizes, he must keep his client—currently in the clink for murder—from spilling the truth about what really happened the night of the killing.

Is Victor ready to be bought? Hell yes. But not until he learns the truth. Someone is being protected, and Victor intends to find out who's worth all the fuss. Because Victor Carl is willing to sell his soul, sure, especially for a bite of strawberry, but only if the price is right.



## Day One Stories

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7/30/2014

### La Sepoltura

Khaliah Williams

Literary Fiction

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Regina Casadei never really knew her father, but when she learns of his death from her estranged mother, she reluctantly agrees to return to the States for the funeral.

Packing everything she owns into one suitcase, she makes a half-hearted promise to her husband, Nini, that she will return to Italy—and to him. As Regina embarks on her long journey, she recalls her sister-in-law's wedding-day warnings—the possibility of facing many cold nights at home alone, the rumors about Nini and his female students. Now, Regina must say good-bye to the father who left her long ago, as she nurses her freshest wound: the loss of the pregnancy she hoped would save her deteriorating marriage. Home in America for the first time in years, Regina has a choice: to repair the relationships damaged by her departure or come to terms with her lonely life in a foreign land.



7/9/2014

### Of Equal or Lesser Value

Kevin Skiena

Literary Fiction

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Darkly funny and uncomfortably realistic, **“Of Equal or Lesser Value” is a story that** spends one intimate and revealing shift with a retail worker like countless others we often encounter and quickly forget.

The entertainment Jeff once enjoyed in his dead-end job has vanished, and happiness now requires too much energy to fake. What he imagined as a two-year stop-loss has ballooned into what it is—his whole life. Even when he sleeps he dreams in the language of the store, the beeps of the register, the whir of its cooling fan, the blank looks of **strangers. It's not that the work is hard; it's** ridiculously easy, so easy that he has all too much time to think about the inadequacy and disappointment of the work itself.



6/25/2014

### The Invasion Commander's Motion for New Business

Shaenon K. Garrity

Science Fiction  
Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Invading Earth with an army of spore-borne pod people is easy. Weekly progress meetings are hard.

All that Invasion Commander cC-1 wants is to locate endemic hosts, spore, devour the hosts, absorb their knowledge of the planet, and take their shape. Is that too much to ask? But after he and his fellow pod people invaders take over a few bodies, they seem to get too caught up in being human to accomplish their mission—they'd much rather surf Wikipedia, dance burlesque, or snack from the grocery co-op's olive bar. The commander needs to give a good progress report to the Overmind back on the homeworld, but can he convince his fellow aliens to snatch more bodies, or will they be foiled by quintessentially human distractions?



4/23/2014

### I'm Your Shade

B. D. Mauk

Literary Fiction

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Harold Fitz is losing his mind.

His wife has ousted him from their home, citing his newly developed “creepiness” as the reason. The small-town newspaper he runs is on the brink of collapse, and he worries that he will be blamed for the recently deceased editor-in-chief's embezzlement. Not only that, Fitz fears that his former boss may be haunting him from beyond the grave.

Over the course of a single night, Fitz confronts his obsessions—from philosophy to carpet patterns to televised horror movies—hoping to solve the mysteries of his boss's death and his own life's unraveling.



3/19/2014

### Sandwiches for Steve

Sean Adams

Humor

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Quirky and quick-witted, **“Sandwiches for Steve” provides an odd, comical** examination of people who blindly follow the rules.

The factory Steve works for makes a product so secret that even those who assemble it aren't allowed to see it. To ensure this, the factory workers must use eyedrops to blur their vision before each shift and they blithely fall in line. But after Steve falls into a chasm beneath the factory floor, one coworker's curiosity (and furtive creativity) cannot be squelched by the temporary blindness or the ever-evolving set of rules made to keep the workers in check. When corporate headquarters reveals its plan to fill in the chasm—with Steve in it—this worker alone questions the decision and, willing to do anything to save Steve and satisfy his desire to know the truth, defies authority.



3/12/2014

### This Great Love

Valerie Geary

Literary Fiction

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio

**An inspired tale of twisted romance, “This Great Love” explores fate, coincidence,** and the unfathomable routes that love can take.

Prudence has spent most of her life hiding inside her apartment, protected by the fragile barrier that it provides against the outside world. But when she is woken early one morning by an ambulance's siren, she happens to exchange the briefest of glances with a man passing by her window. To her, this is a message from the universe and a shifting of destiny, and the one-sided love affair quickly spirals into obsession. Cuthbert Wilson is not even aware of this exchange and, preoccupied with his own lonely, predictable existence, does not recognize that this moment will link his luck with his doom.



2/26/2014

## The Cutoff Man

Chad Benson

Literary Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

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The catcher is a statistical savant, the first baseman speaks in Buddhist koans, and the twin star pitchers may or may not derive mystical powers from scars betraying their Siamese birth. In fact, everything about the Birmingham Barons baseball team is remarkable—except for their performance on the field.

For decades, the Barons have been woefully mediocre and Pudge Morrison—former better-than-average left fielder now long past his prime—**has become the symbol for the team's** disappointment. As the eccentric and ragtag squad begins yet another terrible season, Pudge despairs over what awaits him following retirement. But when a bizarre midyear event kicks off an unprecedented winning streak, Pudge and his teammates confront a proposition even more daunting than failure: success.



2/19/2014

## The Inaudible Frequency of Longing

Kilby Allen

Literary Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Haunting and fluorescently lit, “The Inaudible Frequency of Longing” is for anyone who has wanted an empirical explanation of love, heartbreak, and the inevitability of human error.**

The two scientists meet when a lab rat escapes from its cage after giving birth. When they find the rat, they also discover one tiny, raw-pink baby, mewling despairingly at a frequency inaudible to human ears. From there, love—or some disjointed, broken version of it—develops between the scientists. But when their intermittent relationship ends, one of them languishes in a sedated haze at a psychiatric hospital, pondering how unquantifiable emotional factors can influence an otherwise orderly, rational life.



1/15/2014

## Small Bottles

Theo Schell-Lambert

Literary Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

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Set in two tragically familiar contemporary arenas—the airport, and the motel just down the highway—this story by New Orleans writer Theo Schell-Lambert drops the reader into a modern landscape that is at once more bleak—and more hopeful—than we often admit.

Nothing is what it used to be for our salesman narrator: not his family, not his commissions, not even the commuter jets that carry him from client to client. Having lost his top-of-the-heap status in his profession, he reflects on his new reality with a darkly comic perspective that resonates deeply with each of us who has desperately needed a new direction in life.



12/18/2013

## Cat Man

Heather Monley

Literary Fiction

Rights Available: All Languages

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**Award-winning author Heather Monley’s “Cat Man” is a surreal tale of transformation and the unintended consequences of falling in love.**

From the moment Grace sees Roger at a party lavishing affection on a cat, she knows that there is something strangely special **about him. New York has been hard on Grace, and she's struck by** the kind, confident stranger. The two become roommates soon after; and though Roger has some odd, reclusive habits, his **positive effect on Grace's life is immediate, and she's happier than she's been in ages. It's not long before Grace's life begins to** revolve around Roger and the two fall in love. But Roger has a strange secret that goes far beyond his apparent eccentricities. Things take an eerie turn when Grace finds herself helping him through a bizarre transition.



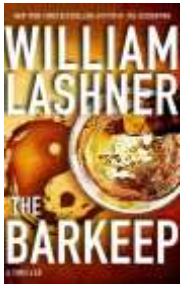
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## Frontlist Titles

Fall 2014—Spring 2016



2/1/2014

**The Barkeep**

William Lashner

Rights Available:  
All Languages

Rights Sold:  
Audio, German

**2015 Edgar Award Nominee**

Justin Chase is the perfect barkeep, tending bar as he lives his life in a state of Zen serenity. At least until Birdie Grackle, a yellow-haired, foul-mouthed alcoholic from Texas, walks into his bar, orders a Mojito, and makes a startling confession.

Six years ago Justin's life was ripped apart when he discovered his mother's bludgeoned corpse in the foyer of the family home. Now Justin's father is serving a life sentence and Justin, after a stint in the asylum, drowns his emotions in a pool of inner peace. But when Birdie Grackle claims to be the hit man who murdered Justin's mother for the money, Justin is hurled back to the emotions, back to the past, and, most frighteningly of all, back to the father he has tried to leave behind.

**Who hired Birdie Grackle to kill Justin's mother?**

As Justin pieces together the truth, a merciless killing machine begins stalking the barkeep, leaving a trail of dead in his wake. Someone wants to bury the truth, and maybe Justin, too. As the terror closes in, Justin had better find some answers and find them fast, because the stakes have been raised, his life is on the line, and murder is so not Zen.



8/5/2014

**Bagmen (A Victor Carl Novel)**

William Lashner

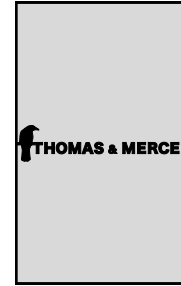
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All Languages

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Audio

Victor Carl, who *Booklist* called one of the **mystery novel's "most compelling, most morally ambiguous characters," is back—and back in trouble.**

At a low point in his lowly career, Victor finds himself skulking through the streets of Philadelphia carrying a bag full of money for an ambitious politician. It is a rotten job on the wrong side of anyone's line, but with bag in hand Victor is suddenly hobnobbing with the city's elite, filling his bank account, and having sex with the politician's gorgeous and deranged sister. But just when Victor begins to think he's got a future in the political game, one of his payoffs ends up in the pocket of a dead woman, and Victor goes from bagman to fall guy.

Now Victor's only way out might lie with a brotherhood of shady characters with sacks full of cash, bad fedoras, and their own twisted set of rules. Will Victor's new friends help him find a killer or bury him deep?



8/25/2015

**Guaranteed Heroes**

William Lashner

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

Sometimes liberty requires a touch of madness.

In a nation still recovering from the nuclear tragedies of forty years earlier, Clyde is working a dead-end guaranteed diner job and Moonis is incarcerated in a labor camp for the malcontented. But when Moonis's sister, Cecily, goes missing, the old friends escape their prisons to search for her in post-fallout America.

Moonis and Clyde follow Cecily's trail until it leads them into the atomic-ravaged heart of the Midwest, an outlawed territory of dark legends and darker truths, where Cecily is being held captive by a brutal gang lord.

But along with menace and death, this poisoned wasteland contains the possibility of a freedom beyond imagining, if only Moonis and Clyde, and the misfits that join their quest, can find the heroism to grab hold.

**The Huntress/FBI Thrillers**

Alexandra Sokoloff's riveting new Huntress FBI series about a driven FBI agent on the hunt for that most rare of all killers: a female serial.



1/27/2015

**Huntress Moon (Book One)**

Alexandra Sokoloff

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**A Thriller Award nominee for Best eBook Original Novel**

Twenty-five years have passed since a savage killer terrorized California, massacring three ordinary families before disappearing without a trace.

The haunted child who was the only surviving victim of this rampage is now wanted by the FBI for brutal crimes of her own, and Special Agent Matthew Roarke is on an interstate manhunt for her, despite his conflicted sympathies for her history and motives.

But when his search for her unearths evidence of new family slayings, the dangerous woman Roarke seeks—and wants—may be his only hope of preventing another bloodbath.



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**Blood Moon (Book Two)**

Alexandra Sokoloff

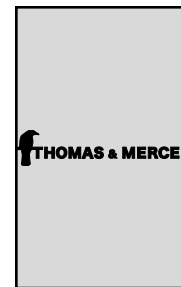
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FBI Special Agent Matthew Roarke is closing in on a bust of a major criminal organization in San Francisco when he witnesses an undercover member of his team killed right in front of him on a busy street, an accident Roarke can't believe is coincidental. His suspicions put him on the trail of a mysterious young woman who appears to have been present at each scene of a years-long string of "accidents" and murders, and who may well be that most rare of killers: a female serial.

Roarke's hunt for her takes him across three states . . . while in a small coastal town, a young father and his five-year-old son, both wounded from a recent divorce, encounter a lost and compelling young woman on the beach and strike up an unlikely friendship without realizing how deadly she may be.

As Roarke uncovers the shocking truth of her background, he realizes she is on a mission of her own, and must race to capture her before more blood is shed.



5/5/2015

**Cold Moon (Book Three)**

Alexandra Sokoloff

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The hunt for mass murderer Cara Lindstrom is over. FBI Special Agent Matthew Roarke has been working for this moment: the capture of a killer who savagely hunts the worst of humanity. But Roarke remains traumatized by his own near-death at the hands of the serial killer who slaughtered Cara's family . . . and haunted by the enigmatic woman who saved his life.

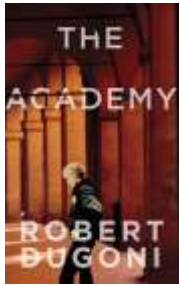
Then the sixteen-year-old prostitute who witnessed Cara's most recent murder goes missing, and suddenly pimps are turning up dead on the streets of San Francisco, killed with an MO eerily similar to Cara's handiwork.

Is a new killer on the loose with a mission even more deadly than hers?

In the pulse-pounding third Huntress/FBI Thrillers book, Roarke will have to go on the hunt . . . and every woman he meets, even those closest to him, may prove deadly.



## The Tracy Crosswhite Series



9/16/2014

### The Academy: A Short Story

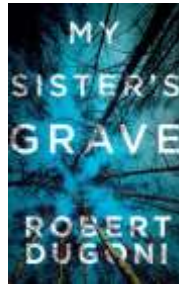
Robert Dugoni

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Quitting her job as a high school science teacher to join the Seattle Police Department was an easy decision for Tracy Crosswhite.

Years earlier, what should have been one of the happiest days of her life instead became her worst nightmare when her younger sister, Sarah, disappeared. After the murder trial, while her family disintegrated, Tracy turned her heartbreak and her lingering questions into a passion for justice.

But people don't just become world-class detectives. If Tracy wants to uncover the truth about what happened to her sister, first she must be forged in the fires of the police academy, where not everyone wants her to succeed.



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### My Sister's Grave

Robert Dugoni

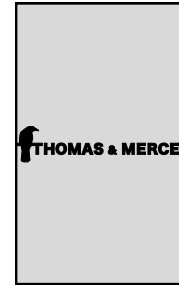
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Tracy Crosswhite has spent twenty years questioning the facts surrounding **her sister Sarah's disappearance and the murder trial that followed.**

**She doesn't believe that Edmund House—a convicted rapist and the man condemned for Sarah's murder—is the guilty party.** Motivated by the opportunity to obtain real justice, Tracy became a homicide detective with the Seattle PD and dedicated her life to tracking down killers.

**When Sarah's remains are finally discovered** near their hometown in the northern Cascade Mountains of Washington State, Tracy is **determined to get the answers she's been seeking.** As she searches for the real killer, she unearths dark, long-kept secrets that will forever change her relationship to her past—and open the door to deadly danger.



9/8/2015

### Her Last Breath

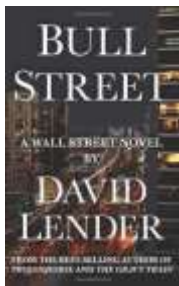
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Seattle Homicide Detective, Tracy Crosswhite is back from her hometown of Cedar Grove, Washington, after **participating in the retrial of her sister's convicted murderer.**

She is on the trail of a sadistic murderer known as The Cowboy who is on a killing spree of young exotic dancers. As the number of **victims mount, Tracy's commitment to finding the killer comes into question** and her notoriety makes her a target. She finally gets a break when, hunting through unsolved cold cases she comes across a murder of a young woman with many of the same signatures as The Cowboy Killer. The problem is that case was investigated and seemingly resolved by **Tracy's nemesis and captain, Johnny Nolasco.** Worse, the deeper into the investigation Tracy gets, the more it appears the killer could be targeting her as one of his victims.

## White Collar Crime Thrillers



11/22/2011

### Bull Street

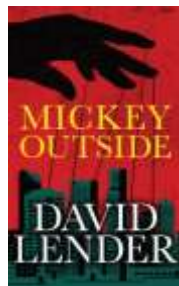
David Lender

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*Bull Street* is the story of Richard Blum, a naive, young Wall Streeter who gives a jaded billionaire the chance for redemption, as they team up to bring down an insider trading ring before they wind up in jail or dead.

"The Grisham of Wall Street." —*Bloomberg TV*



4/1/2014

### Mickey Outside

David Lender

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Former Wall Street whiz and current convict Mickey Steinberg is nearing the end of his three-year sentence at Yankton—the cushy country club **prison where he's enjoyed celebrity status—and he's ready to get out and get back on top.**

**He doesn't have the resources he once did, but he's already hatched a new plan to sell a forgery of a stolen Van Gogh painting** through a shady underground art market. He and his new partner, the smooth-talking Paul Reece, have a mark in mind: the sleazy con-man art dealer who swooped in on Mickey's beloved ex-wife after he was locked up. But with his old partner, Jack Grass, hell-bent on revenge and his pre-prison life closed to him, it won't be easy. As their plan becomes evermore complex, Mickey realizes he just wants to make good and make it out of New York City alive.



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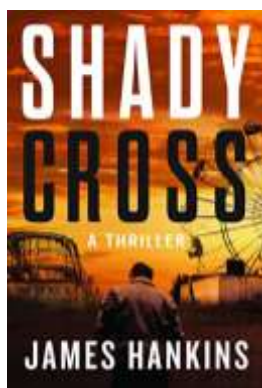
### Spin Move

David Lender

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When bribing Antiguan officials becomes too expensive, John Rudiger **decides it's time to leave.**

The fugitive financier has built the beach house of his dreams, but with Assistant US Attorney Charles Holden looking to extradite him and every local official expecting increasing monthly bribes in exchange for their silence, the only solution is to blow up the house, collect the insurance, and head for **another tropical paradise.** Rudiger's also got a score to settle: a former lover and accomplice of his lit away with \$30 of the \$90 million he embezzled, and Rudiger wants it—and maybe her—back.



2/24/2015

**Shady Cross**

James Hankins

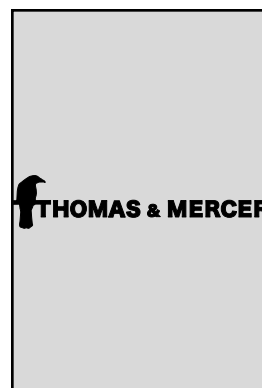
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*Shady Cross* is an engrossing novel about a not-so-likely hero and the first time he decides to do the right thing.

Stokes isn't a great guy. He ran out on his wife and daughter years ago, and he lies, cheats, and steals to make a living—though he isn't particularly good at any of those things. So he thinks he's hit the jackpot when he accidentally forces a car off the road, killing the driver, and finds a bag stuffed with hundreds of thousands of dollars in cash. He can pay off his debts and get out of town.

But when a cell phone in the bag rings and he hears a little girl ask, "Daddy? Are you coming to get me? They said if you give them the money, they'll let you take me home," things will never be the same again.



10/13/2015

**The Prettiest One**

James Hankins

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Caitlin Sommers just woke up in a parking lot, covered in blood, with a gun, a bag full of prosthetic human hands, and no memory of the last seven months.

When she returns home, she finds a world different from the one she remembered prior to her disappearance: Her husband thought she was dead. Her friends—and the police—thought he killed her. Her life has changed forever, but she has no idea why. Frightened of what she might have done during her lost months, Caitlin and her husband attempt to retrace her steps. The mystery of how she got to that parking lot untangles as her past and present intertwine, racing toward a complex and fascinating conclusion that's sure to keep readers on the edge of their seats.

**Harry Gilmour Novels**



10/6/2015

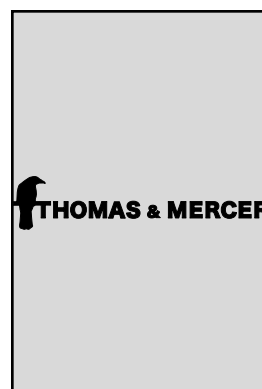
**Gone to Sea in a Bucket (Book One)**

David Black

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*Gone to Sea in a Bucket* is the first book in a naval historical thriller series for fans of *Master & Commander*, *Sharpe*, and *Alistair MacLean*.

Harry Gilmour, a nineteen-year-old undergraduate, volunteers for the RNVR at the outbreak of the Second World War, and reluctantly finds himself forced to "volunteer" for the submarine service.



11/3/2015

**House of Eight Orchids**

James Thayer

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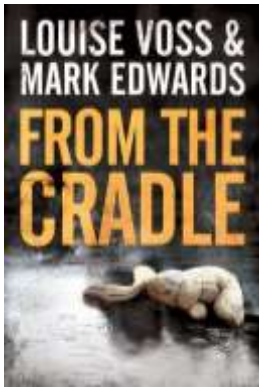
When John Wade was five years old, he and his two-year-old brother William were kidnapped off Chungking Street when his amah was shoved into a row of shelves at the Prosperity Medicine Shop.

The boys never saw their parents again.

*House of Eight Orchids* opens in 1937, when John is thirty. China is in chaos, with the Japanese invaders, the Nationalists, and the Communists fighting for territory. Eunuch Chang, who kidnapped John and his brother those many years ago, still wears a queue in the Manchu fashion. He is Chungking's Fagin. At his compound, boys learn sophisticated criminal arts. Caucasians are useful for swindling foreign businesses, and John has become Eunuch Chang's most valuable ward, a skilled, confident man and a huge moneymaker.

*House of Eight Orchids* is the story of two desperate chases: John searches for his brother, and Eunuch Chang hunts John. Along the way, John—raised as a ruthless criminal—finds his humanity.

Detective Lennon Thrillers



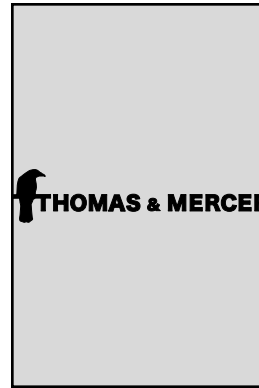
11/1/2014  
**From the Cradle (Book One)**  
 Louise Voss and Mark Edwards  
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Blending police procedural with psychological thriller, *From the Cradle* will have every parent checking that their children are safe in their beds . . . then checking again.

The first child was taken from her house.  
**The second from his mother's car.**  
 The third from her own bedroom . . .

When Helen and Sean Phillips go out for the evening, leaving their teenage daughter babysitting little Frankie, they have no idea that **they are about to face every parent's greatest fear.**

Detective Inspector Patrick Lennon is hopeful that the three children who have been abducted in this patch of South West London will be returned safe and well. But when a body is found in a local park, Lennon realizes that time is running out—and that nothing in this case is as it seems . . .



9/29/2015  
**The Blissfully Dead (Book Two)**  
 Louise Voss and Mark Edwards  
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Following *From the Cradle*, *The Blissfully Dead* is a chillingly relevant and masterfully written police **procedural with the bestselling writing duo's signature twists and turns.**

Detective Inspector Patrick Lennon returns to investigate the murders of teenage girls, all of whom are fanatical about a teenage boy band.



2/24/2015  
**The Venus Trap**  
 Louise Voss  
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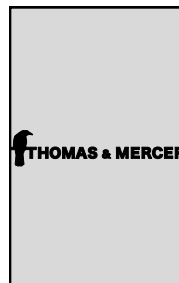
*The Venus Trap* tackles the emotional impact of divorce, the perils of modern dating and the age-old powers of lust and obsession.

**Jo Atkins's sixteenth year was disastrous: she lost her dad, was assaulted by a stranger, and then had her heart broken. For the last twenty-five years, she's believed that nothing could ever be as bad again.**

She was wrong. Now, still smarting from her recent divorce, pretty, self-effacing Jo finally gathers the courage to enter the dating scene. She meets Claudio, whom she vaguely remembers from her youth, but after a few dates decides he's creepy and politely tells him "thanks but no thanks."

But Claudio has no intention of letting her go.

Instead of never seeing him again, Jo wakes up sick and terrified, handcuffed to her own bed. She is given a week to prove her love for Claudio—or he will kill her. Claudio, it turns out, is a man with nothing left to lose.



6/30/2015  
**Follow You Home**  
 Mark Edwards  
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A chilling new psychological thriller from the author of bestsellers *The Magpies* and *Because She Loves Me*.

It was supposed to be the trip of a lifetime, a final adventure before settling down. But after the perfect start, Daniel and Laura travel into Romania—a journey that ends when they are thrown off the train in the middle of nowhere. They head along the tracks through the forest . . .

Fleeing back to London, Daniel and Laura vow never to talk about what happened that night, until a series of sinister events makes Daniel wonder if he and Laura really escaped when they came home, or if the nightmare is just beginning.

As he struggles to unravel the mystery, Daniel is unaware of the danger facing himself, Laura, and everyone who discovers the truth about what they saw . . .

*Follow You Home* is a heart-stopping thriller that will make you think twice about going away this summer—or ever again.



9/2/2014  
**Because She Loves Me**  
 Mark Edwards  
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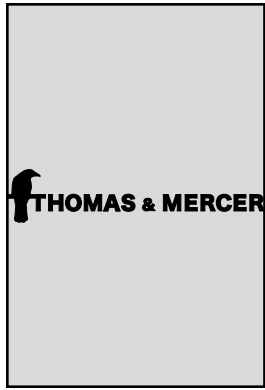
A gripping tale of jealousy, obsession, and murder, from the bestselling author of *The Magpies*.

When Andrew Sumner meets beautiful, edgy Charlie, he is certain his run of bad luck has finally come to an end.

But as the two of them embark on an intense affair, Andrew wonders if his grasp on reality is slipping. Items go missing in his apartment. Somebody appears to be following him. And as misfortune and tragedy strike his friends and loved ones, Andrew is forced to confront the frightening truth . . .

Is Charlie really the girl of his dreams—or the woman of his nightmares?

"Twists, intrigue, and masterfully-created psychological suspense. Guaranteed to make you drop everything and keep turning the pages." —Sibel Hodge, author of *Look Behind You*



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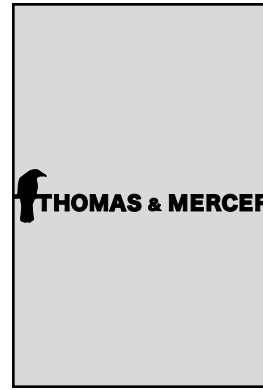
**All In**

Joel Goldman

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Jake Carter is a professional gambler; Cassie Ireland is a high-tech asset recovery specialist. When they both take **aim at the same target, a Wall Street mogul who's come by his wealth through unsavory channels, they butt heads but gain respect for one another.**

**Jake and Cassie's paths cross again when Jake cleans out a Greek shipping magnate in a high-stakes poker game and Cassie is hired to recover the magnate's assets. When Jake hops on a round-the-world cruise to lay low, Cassie is not far behind. But she's not sure she can turn Jake in, even if he turns out to be a cheater.**



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**No Coming Back**

Keith Houghton

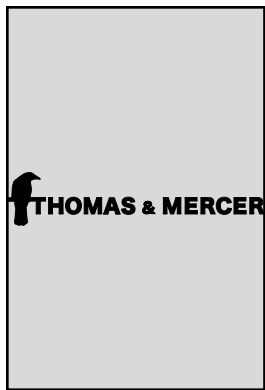
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**No Coming Back** is at once a page-turning thriller full of police corruption, egotistical men with too much power, and teenage abuse, and a moving story about family, childhood, and love.

**Although he'd sworn never to return home, Jake Olson finds himself back in Harper, Minnesota, after the death of his father. Jake is thirty-five years old and has just spent almost half his life in prison for the murder of his first love and high school sweetheart, Jenna—a murder he did not commit.**

**Back home, he's set on finding out what happened to Jenna, but some folks in town are dead set against him poking around and will do anything they can to stop him from digging out the past.**

Circle of Evil Series



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**Chasing Evil (Book One)**

Kylie Brant

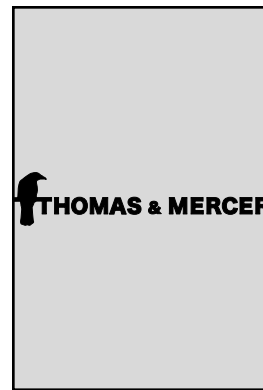
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**The Cornbelt Killers. That's the media's name for the murderous trio who are using the Midwest as their hunting grounds.**

DCI agent Cam Prescott and forensic profiler Sophia Channing are responsible for stopping them.

Stay tuned for the next two books in the series, which will be released simultaneously with *Chasing Evil (Book One)* on October 6, 2015!



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**Choke Point**

L. J. Sellers

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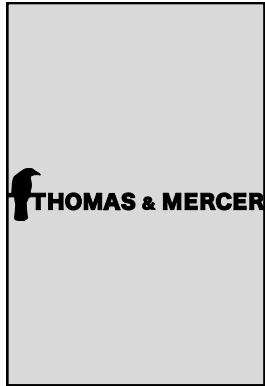
A new novel from the bestselling author of the Detective Jackson Mystery series.

**As the cell phone industry reels from China's block on exporting rare earth minerals, scientists begin to disappear.**

FBI agent Shanna Bailey teams up with the son of a missing scientist to uncover the link between the kidnappings and a tech company working on a new metal alloy that could replace one of the embargoed rare earth minerals. Together, they uncover a conspiracy between corporate and government interests that stretches from China to North Korea all the way to the highest levels of her own agency.

## Banquo Series

An historical adventure and mystery series set ten years after the death of King Macbeth



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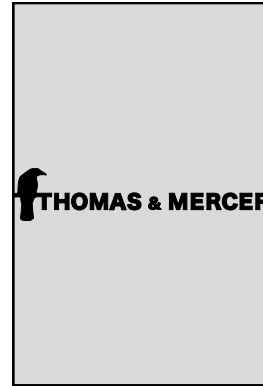
### Banquo's Son (Book One)

T. K. Roxborough

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Beautifully told and captivating, *Banquo's Son* features **Banquo's son Flea, who escapes the carnage of Macbeth**, and tells the story of his growing from boy to man, too quickly, and his quest for revenge.

*Banquo's Son* is about love, tradition, duty, revenge, the treachery of court, and the desires of ambitious men—this is a bold and sweeping tale filled with intrigue, magic, romance, knights, and great battles, with a hero to love and another to mourn.



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### Bloodlines (Book Two)

T. K. Roxborough

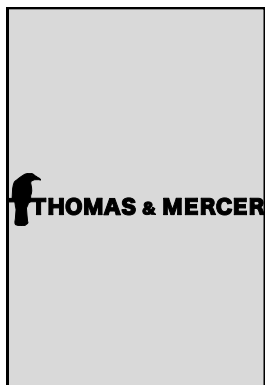
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**It is 1055, months after Flea's coronation as the new king of Scotland** and one month before his wedding to Rachel, **sister to the late king and Flea's best friend Duncan who tragically died in battle six months prior.**

The kingdom of Scotland is in an uproar and Rachel is kidnapped in what appears to be a ploy by the king of Norway to lure Flea away from Scotland and kill him.

## Beatrix Rose Series

*Kill Bill* meets *Charlie's Angels*



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### In Cold Blood (Book One)

Mark Dawson

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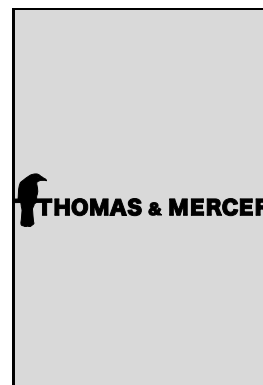
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*In Cold Blood* is a high-octane, action-packed thriller about ruthless betrayal and bloodthirsty vengeance, featuring a kick-ass heroine, **Beatrix Rose: a professional killer at the top of her game.**

Beatrix Rose was the most dangerous assassin in an off-the-books government kill squad until her former boss betrayed her. A decade later, she emerges from the Hong Kong underworld with payback on her mind. They gunned down her husband and kidnapped her daughter, and now the debt needs to be repaid. **It's a blood feud she didn't start but she is going to finish.**

Stay tuned for the next two books in the series, *Blood Moon Rising* and *Blood and Roses*, which will be released simultaneously in July 2015!

## Isabella Rose Series



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### Untitled (Book One)

Mark Dawson

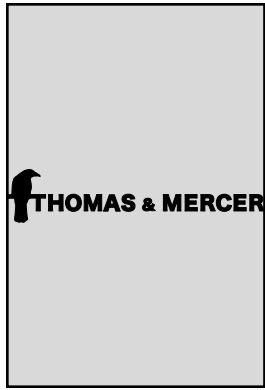
Rights Available: English and German, Audio

This is the first book a new spin-off series featuring **Beatrix's daughter, Isabella, from the Beatrix Rose Series.**

**Isabella picks up where Beatrix leaves off, continuing her mother's trail of revenge.**



## McMurtrie and Drake Series



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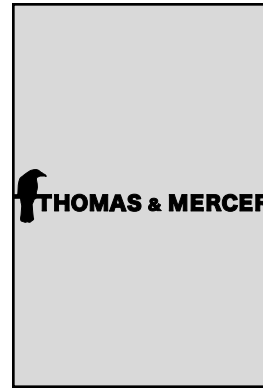
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**Sergio Mansour, a top engineer at the world's biggest social network, has for years asked Internet users to trust his company with their personal information.**

Though not your typical hero (a self-described “geek”), when Sergio discovers rogue software embedded in the network, he risks everything to discover which of his colleagues planted the program and why. Soon he is pursued by a ruthless hit man and wanted by the FBI, and joins forces with the only person he can trust: a beautiful, opinionated doctor named Marina, who questions many of his long-held beliefs. Together they race against time to unravel a vast conspiracy more damning than anything they imagined, with consequences that extend from the family den to the Oval Office.



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### The Professor

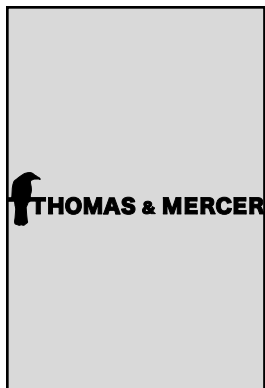
Robert Bailey

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**Thomas Jackson McMurtrie is a living legend scorned.**

Forty years ago, he gave up a promising career as a trial lawyer to become a law professor at the University of Alabama at the request of his mentor, Alabama football coach, Paul “Bear” Bryant. Now Tom is forced into retirement and betrayed by both a powerful colleague and his own failing health. Meanwhile the young family of one of his oldest friends is killed in a tragic road collision.

Believing his career is over, Tom refers the case to a brilliant, yet beleaguered, former student, who begins to uncover the truth behind the tragedy, buried in a tangled web of arson, bribery, and greed. But as the eve of trial approaches, the young attorney’s case begins to unravel. In over his head and at the end of his rope, he realizes there’s only one man who can help . . .



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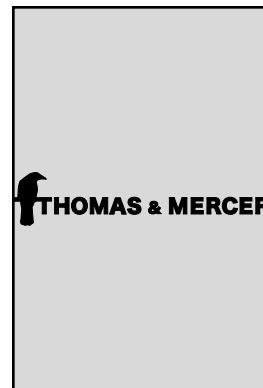
### She’s Not There

P. J. Parrish

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**A stranger abandons Amelia Tobias in an emergency room, bloodied and with a concussion that has left her with amnesia. She has no ID and the only thing police know is that she was brought in wearing a Chanel cocktail dress and a ten-carat diamond ring.**

When she finally remembers her name, her husband is summoned to the hospital. But when Amelia hears his voice, a memory fragment is triggered—the ghostly face of a man who threw her from a car and left her to die in the Everglades. In blind terror, afraid her husband tried to kill her, she bolts from the hospital and goes on the run.



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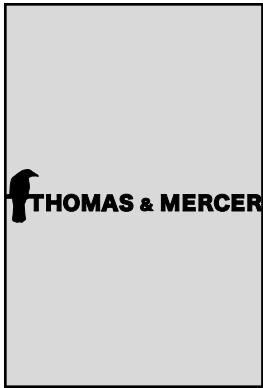
### City of Echoes

Robert Ellis

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**Matt Jones is meeting his best friend Kevin Hughes, a fellow LAPD cop, for dinner to celebrate his promotion to homicide detective. As soon as he walks into the restaurant, he gets a call from his lieutenant, calling him to a crime scene. It’s not even his first day yet. And the body on the scene is Hughes, shot in front of a police station on his way to the restaurant.**

**Hughes’s death may be connected to the investigation of a grisly murder from a few years ago, one that gave rise to a copycat kill. But when a third girl is murdered in the same gory fashion, suddenly the copycat looks a lot like the original—and Jones begins to see that the whole investigation could be dirty.**



7/7/2015

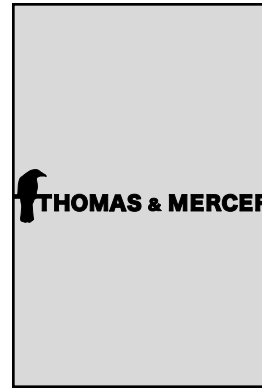
## Coercion

Tim Tigner

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**On the eve of perestroika while investigating his brother's death, Alex Ferris stumbles onto a KGB general's scheme to regain Russia's superpower status.**

After surviving attempts on his life and assembling bizarre clues, Alex flies from San Francisco to Siberia to find answers and avenge his brother. In the midst of that frozen landscape and those tumultuous times, he survives infiltration, interrogation, and romance only to learn that he too is being manipulated as part of a much grander scheme.



7/28/2015

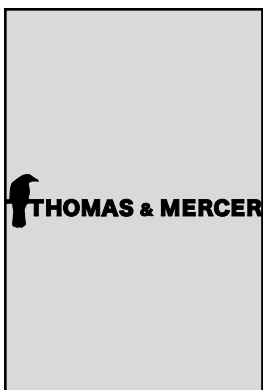
## Behind You

Sam Reaves

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*Behind You* is a tense, disturbing story of an isolated community on the edge of poverty confronting a killer who exposes the buried secrets of the past and the desperation of a dead-end future.

Rachel, divorced and disillusioned, quits her State Department job in Iraq and comes back to the Illinois farm town where she was born, looking for peace—but when a killer escapes from jail, there's none to be found.



9/29/2015

## Jury Town

Stephen Frey

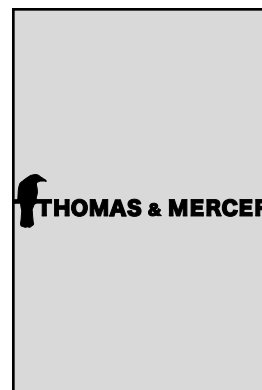
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A new novel from the bestselling author of the *Red Cell Series*.

In the very near future, seating competent, incorruptible juries has become next to impossible, stemming from conditions we already see. Educated professionals find ways to avoid jury duty, potential jurors can form instant opinions on a case thanks to the Internet, and juries have become vulnerable to intimidation thanks to information-harvesting by the government.

When a high-ranking Pentagon officer is acquitted of taking bribes from a contractor despite overwhelming evidence of his guilt, the governor of Virginia has had enough. He creates a professional jury pool, who agree to live for two years in an isolated compound for a promise of \$2 million each at the end of their term. After months of successes, a truly pivotal case comes before the jury—one that will decide whether or not the incumbent Senate majority leader wins reelection. But each juror cloistered inside Jury Town has his or her own problems, which threaten the outcome of the case—and the balance of power for the whole nation.

## The Faith McMann Series



1/19/2016

## Untitled (Book One)

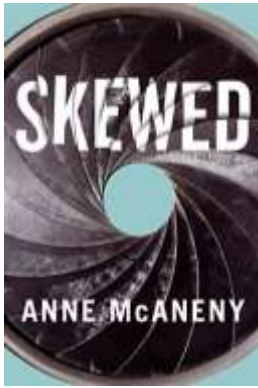
T. R. Ragan

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The first book in a new series by the bestselling author of the *Lizzy Gardner Series*.

**Faith McMann's husband is murdered, her two children are abducted, her throat is cut, and she is left for dead. But she survives, and when grief turns to anger, nothing will stop her from finding her children.**

Stay tuned for the next two books in the series, which will be released in Spring and Fall 2016!



3/24/2015  
**Skewed**  
 Anne McAneny  
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No birth announcement could top the headlines from the day Janie and Jack Perkins entered the world. As twins born to a mother in a coma—courtesy of a bullet from their father—the sensational story of their birth never quite died down. While Jack still craves the flash of a camera, Janie seeks sanctuary behind the lens—as a crime scene photographer.

Thanks to Janie’s line of work, she’s comfortable around gruesome murders. But when old photos of her mother’s body arrive in the mail, they open deep-seated wounds and raise chilling new questions about who was really responsible for that deadly night.

Did Janie’s father spend decades in jail as an innocent man? Did an infamous serial killer actually take her mother’s life? With photos in hand, Janie brings the truth into focus. But when her investigation ends up invoking the wrath of the long-dormant killer, she must race to piece together the final evidence—before she becomes the target.



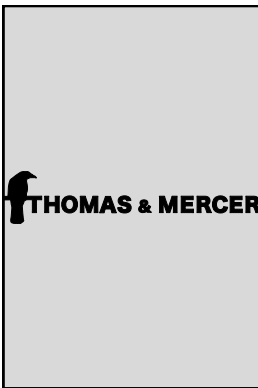
5/19/2015  
**Traitor’s Gate**  
 Charlie Newton  
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*Lawrence of Arabia* meets *The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo* with a dose of *The Grapes of Wrath* for good measure. An epic historical thriller from acclaimed author Charlie Newton, **Traitor’s Gate** races toward the first shot of WWII.

As the world’s true rulers vie for dominion, two unlikely lovers collide. Their attraction is immediate, their goals opposite.

The drums of war beat amid global economic ruin. In a brutal maze of corporate treason, personal blackmail, and imperfect heroism, a young, brilliant petroleum engineer battling the Dust Bowl in Oklahoma may hold the key.

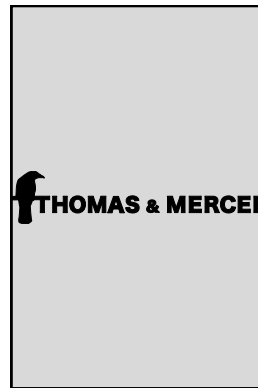
Eight years ago in Jerusalem, schoolgirl Saba Hassouneh survived the murder of her family. Sentenced to the barbaric refugee camps, Saba is freed by a legendary Bedouin freedom fighter. She embraces his life of a bandit/rebel, evolving into a fearsome Arab nationalist femme de guerre hunted by the colonial powers and religious mullahs. Saba has one mission: free her people.



10/20/2015  
**The Confessor**  
 Daniel Judson  
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In *The Confessor*, former Navy Seabee Tomas Sexton is thrust into the world of corporations and the dangerous men they employ—and comes face-to-face with a shocking conspiracy linking one powerful corporation to inner-city weapons trafficking, as well as a startling number of corporate assassinations worldwide.

Sexton will struggle to accomplish the most good with the least collateral damage—but it won’t be easy. After all, these are the times that try men’s souls.



Gideon Oliver Mysteries

1/5/2016  
**Unanticipated Consequences**  
 Aaron Elkins  
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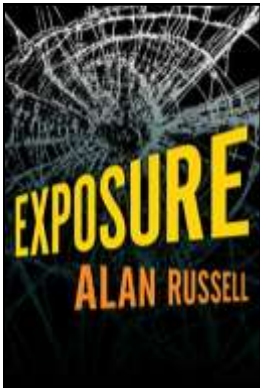
A new book from the bestselling author of the *Alix London Mysteries*.

Anthropology professor Gideon Oliver is in Malaga to attend the Fourteenth Annual Symposium of the International Academy of Forensic Sciences. During lunch one day, he is approached by Rafe Carlisle, a DNA expert from Jersey, who is hoping that Gideon—known throughout the forensic world as the Skeleton Detective—might be willing to help in solving a family mystery.

He explains: In 1969, when Rafe himself was three years old, his uncle, George Carlisle, then in his thirties, mysteriously disappeared. The Jersey police investigation led nowhere, but in 1975, a smattering of human skeletal remains turned up in a rocky, sea-washed cove on the remote north coast.

The case was never officially closed, but the police had kept the bones in an evidence room all these years. So . . . would Gideon be game to have a look?

*Unanticipated Consequences* is the eighteenth book featuring Gideon Oliver. Information about translation rights to the first books in the series is available upon request.



4/28/2015

**Exposure**

Alan Russell

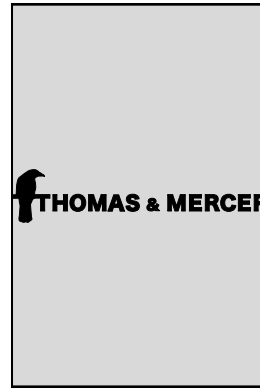
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**England's most beloved philanthropist and her football-star lover die in a crash caused by a mystery car. A paparazzo—Graham Wells, the driver of that mystery car—would do anything to keep his terrible secret from getting out.**

So when a CIA operative blackmails Graham into engineering the scandalous downfalls of several high-profile celebrities, he has no choice. **Nothing he's done is illegal—and his targets are certainly guilty of the acts he's caught on film—but he doesn't understand the purpose of his actions and the whole arrangement leaves a bad taste in his mouth.**

Then Graham, desperately trapped in the hidden motives of the CIA, stops a superstar actress who thought she was alone from committing suicide. **Lanie Byrne, the beloved Miss L, is perhaps Hollywood's biggest celebrity, and although Graham is feeling desperate himself, he has trouble imagining what could possibly cause this beautiful actress to want to die. This charitable act ignites a chain reaction of political intrigue and personal danger from which there might be no escape.**



10/6/2015

**A Cold War**

Alan Russell

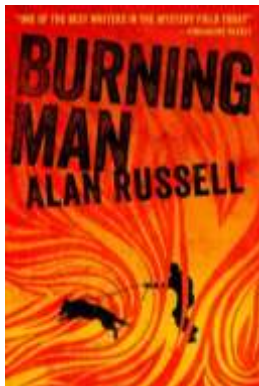
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**Nina Granville is leading a storybook life. She's young, smart, beautiful, and engaged to marry Congressman Terrence Donnelly. She's jaunted off to Fairbanks, Alaska, to finalize the transfer of some Alaskan Indian artifacts to the American Museum of Natural History in New York when he spots her . . . Baer is unstable.**

Isolated with Nina in his tiny cabin amid the frigid and desolate arctic expanse, he begins by assuring her that all he wants is a ransom—but as time passes, his true motives become clear. Baer wants a wife, and **he's determined that wife should be Nina. Nina must make many compromises to survive her captivity—abandoning her vegetarianism, putting on a face of compliance—and escape is never far from her mind. When she discovers a secret cache of notes: brief, frantic diary entries; and hand-drawn maps hidden in the cage where Baer keeps her, she realizes that she's not the first woman he's kidnapped. And with the help of the notes Elise has left behind, Nina may be able to get away. But once she's free of Baer, she must face the harsh Alaskan wilds. And if she can survive there and make it back to her old life, will she fit in? Or has the storybook princess been forever changed by captivity with the evil troll?**

**Gideon and Sirius Series**

A skeptical detective. His loyal partner. And the most unearthly mysteries Los Angeles has ever seen.



12/11/2012

**Burning Man (Book One)**

Alan Russell

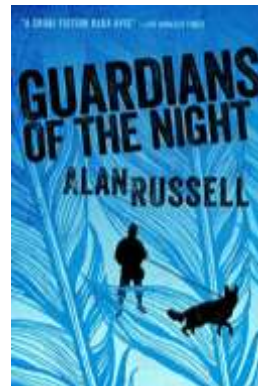
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LAPD cop Michael Gideon and his police dog partner Sirius became reluctant celebrities after capturing a notorious serial killer in the midst of an inferno.

For their heroism, they were chosen to head up the newly formed Special Cases Unit. Now the duo tackles out-of-the-ordinary cases, anything deemed unusual or bizarre even by Hollywood standards. When a teenager is found crucified in a city park, Gideon and Sirius are handed the bizarre case. Confronting the gruesome tableau and **having to work the case worsens Detective Gideon's PTSD, a condition he has tried to hide from others. Gideon's burns may have healed, but the fire haunts him still . . . in more ways than one.**

Eerily prescient since that terrible night of the fire, Gideon has unusual insights into the crimes he investigates, a skill he and Sirius must learn to trust as much as they do each other if they are to solve—and survive—this case.



1/1/2015

**Guardians of the Night (Book Two)**

Alan Russell

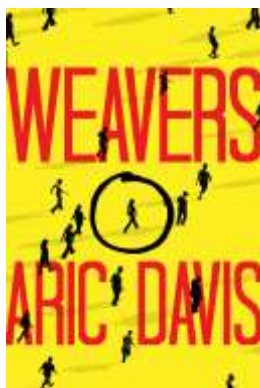
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**As the sole members of LAPD's Special Cases Unit, Detective Michael Gideon and his German shepherd partner Sirius work investigations considered bizarre even by Los Angeles' standards. Yet their latest case is more than strange—it might be out of this world.**

Ronald "Wrong" Pauley is a homeless man long fallen from grace. **When Pauley's late-night drinking is interrupted by a detonation of light, he sees what he describes as a "being of light" in the alley below. Pauley tries to help, but ends up as a witness to what he believes is the murder of a fallen angel.**

Gideon and Sirius are already in the midst of trying to determine the identity of the so-called "Reluctant Hero" who seemed to magically appear just moments after shots began ringing out at an elementary school. Braving gunfire, the hero tackled the shooter, and then disappeared. Both cases defy easy answers, but when Pauley turns up dead, the detectives are left with two murders to solve and lots of questions.



7/7/2015

**Weavers**

Aric Davis

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Nine-year-old **Cynthia Robinson's life was perfectly normal** until the day she knew, without being told, of her parents impending divorce.

From there, things got stranger, and now not only does she have premonitions, she can also read and influence the minds of those around her.

**Cynthia is not the only one with the ability to “weave,”** all over the country people with similar abilities struggle to balance their lives with their powers. Some with this ability are weavers with dark motives and grisly appetites who want to use people like Cynthia for their own purposes.

Meanwhile, a top-secret government organization, the Telekinetic Research Center, has been looking for telekinetics to use for its own clandestine agenda. When TRC agents learn of Cynthia and her dangerous pursuers, will they come to her rescue? Or will they capture her and take her power for themselves?



10/1/2014

**Tunnel Vision**

Aric Davis

Rights Available: All Languages

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Award-winning author Aric Davis brings back his captivating anti-hero, Nickel, in *Tunnel Vision*, a work of edgy noir about unlikely friendship and long-overdue justice.

**It's been fifteen years since Mandy Reasoner was murdered**—a crime for which her boyfriend, Duke, was convicted. But when high school students and best friends Betty and June discover that Mandy was **June's long-forgotten aunt**, they decide to pursue the mystery. Galvanized by the growing community who doubts the evidence against Duke and is rallying to free him, the two girls start on a path that will bring them not only to Duke himself but smack into Nickel, a canny, tough-as-nails teenage PI attempting to keep his own life together. They make a good team, but Nickel is on his own mission of **revenge, and the web of lies surrounding Mandy's murder is growing ever thicker.**

The closer they get to the truth, the less clear the path becomes.



6/16/2015

**Measure of Danger**

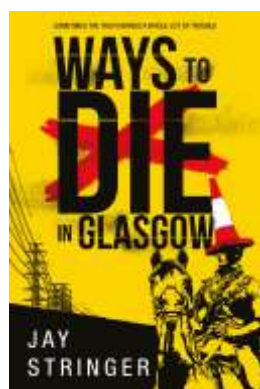
Jay Klages

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Kade Sims was a successful army intelligence officer until his hypomania disorder and impulsive behavior resulted in his discharge. Forced to adapt to a sedate civilian existence, **he'd all but given up on a life of service. That is, until opportunity—and an FBI agent—knocks on his door.**

**The FBI believes Kade's unique talents make him their best candidate** to infiltrate AgriteX, an agricultural biotech company suspected of involvement in organized crime. Kade jumps at the chance to redeem himself and serve his country again. But he soon learns that AgriteX is invested in far more threatening pursuits—the company is secretly funding The Chapter, a high-tech militia plotting a savage attack on the United States.

**Can Kade stop The Chapter before it's too late? And now that he's on the inside, will he ever escape their shadowy network?**



6/9/2015

**Ways to Die in Glasgow**

Jay Stringer

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

A violent drunk with a broken heart, Mackie looks for love in all the wrong places.

When two hit men catch him with his pants down, he barely makes it out alive. Worse still, his ex-gangster uncle, Rab, has vanished, leaving him an empty house and a dead dog. Reluctant PI Sam Ireland is hired by hotshot lawyers to track Rab but is getting nothing except blank stares and slammed doors. As she scours the dive bars, the dregs of Glasgow start to take notice.

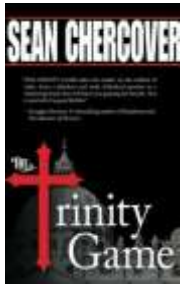
DI Andy Lambert is a cop in the middle of an endless shift. A body **washes up, and the city seems to shiver in fear; looks like it's up to Lambert to clean up after the lowlifes again.**

As a rampaging Mackie hunts his uncle, the scum of the city come out to play. And they play dirty. It seems that everyone has either a dark secret or a death wish. **In Mackie's case, it might just be both.**



## The Game Trilogy

From bestselling author Sean Chercover comes *The Game Trilogy*, where one man must prove he's more than just a pawn.



7/31/2012

### The Trinity Game (Book One)

Sean Chercover

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All Languages  
except Spanish

Rights Sold:  
Audio, German

2013 International Thriller Award  
Nominee

Over ten years and 721 cases, not one miracle Daniel Byrne tested has proved true. But case #722 is different: Daniel's estranged uncle, a crooked TV evangelist, has started speaking in tongues—and accurately predicting the future. Daniel knows Reverend Tim Trinity is a con man. Could Trinity also be something more?

The evangelist himself is baffled by his newfound power—and the violent reaction it provokes. After years of scams, he suddenly has the ability to predict everything from natural disasters to sports scores. Now the mob wants him dead for ruining their gambling business, and the Vatican wants him debunked as a false messiah.



6/16/2015

### Devil's Game (Book Two)

Sean Chercover

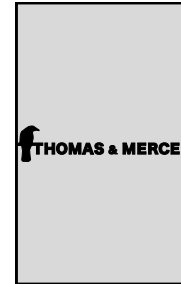
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Daniel Byrne worked as an investigator for the Vatican for ten years, scrutinizing miracle claims, until one investigation shook his faith and uncovered more troubling human conspiracies. Determined to find the truth, he joins a secretive group that wields massive influence over world events.

Daniel infiltrates a covert medical facility and uncovers a new strain of a plague with unusual side effects. Teaming up with disgraced physician Kara Singh, a woman beset with inexplicable visions, Daniel traces the root of this deadly pathogen from the valleys of Norway to the war-ravaged countryside of Liberia, where he discovers a terrifying truth.

In this fast-paced sequel to the bestselling *The Trinity Game*, can Daniel navigate a shadow world of secrets and conspiracy to stop a pandemic with devastating global consequences?



1/5/2016

### Endgame (Book Three)

Sean Chercover

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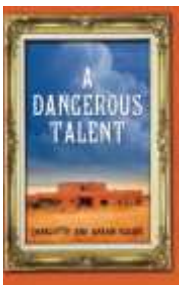
The third book in the gripping Game Trilogy.

Praise for *The Trinity Game*:

"*The Trinity Game* takes the reader on the wildest of rides, from a fabulous and truly diabolical premise to a shattering finale that will leave you gasping for breath. This is one hell of a good thriller." —Douglas Preston, bestselling author of *Blasphemy* and *The Monster of Florence*

## Alix London Mysteries

A thrilling series featuring art expert Alix London and an FBI Special Operative.



3/6/2012

### A Dangerous Talent (Book One)

Aaron and Charlotte  
Elkins

Rights Available:  
All Languages  
except Japanese

Rights Sold:  
Audio, German

Sharp, witty, and devilishly fun, *A Dangerous Talent* offers an insider's look into the surprisingly treacherous contemporary art world.

Alix London has a promising career as an art consultant, a sumptuous condo in Seattle's toniest neighborhood, a gorgeous figure, and a presence that exudes Ivy League breeding and old money. She has it all . . . or does she?

Only Alix knows that the image she presents to the world is a carefully constructed mirage that veils an embarrassing truth. A brilliant, once-promising art student and the daughter of a prominent New York art conservator, her world was left in ruins when her father went to prison for art forgery. Now a Harvard dropout with an emptied bank account, she is languishing in a career that has produced little more than a lucky house-sitting gig. But all of that changes when Alix meets Christine Lemay, a novice art collector with money to burn and a hot tip on a recently discovered painting by American master Georgia O'Keeffe. Chris hires Alix to perform the authentication, an assignment that finally could launch Alix into the big leagues.



9/3/2013

### A Cruise to Die For (Book Two)

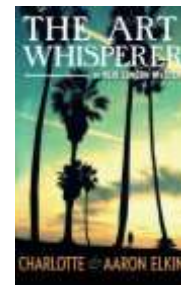
Aaron and Charlotte  
Elkins

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Audio, German

Set on the Aegean with stops at enchanted islands where ancient legends still live, *A Cruise to Die For* delivers a witty blend of suspense and mystery, as well as an insider's take on the contemporary art world and its eccentric characters. It's all served up with the style and sophistication with which Charlotte and Aaron Elkins have rewarded mystery readers for the past thirty years.

This should be the cushiest job Alix London's ever had. The second Alix London mystery finds the art restorer in a world brimming with idle luxury, spectacular locations, and deadly intrigue. Surrounded by art and wealth and the sun-drenched Greek isles, she's aboard a sumptuous mega-yacht with no responsibilities save the occasional lecture to the guests of her temporary employer, Panos Papadakis, one of the world's richest men. But there's a catch.



8/19/2014

### The Art Whisperer (Book Three)

Aaron and Charlotte  
Elkins

Rights Available:  
All Languages  
except Japanese,  
Audio

When art conservator Alix London spots a forgery, she knows trouble will follow. So she's understandably apprehensive when her connoisseur's eye spots something off about a multimillion-dollar Jackson Pollock painting at Palm Springs's Brethwaite Museum—her current employer.

Alix is already under fire, the object of a vicious online smear campaign. Now the Brethwaite's despicable senior curator, obsessed with the "maximization of monetized eyeballs," angrily refuses to decommission the celebrated Pollock piece. But it's only when a hooded intruder attacks Alix in her hotel room that the real trouble begins.

In her third mystery, Alix London must see through mirages in the desert to uncover the knotted history of the painting—and save herself in the process.

Stay tuned for the next book in the Alix London Mystery series, which will be released in Fall 2016!

## The Dominic Grey Series

A unique globe-hopping thriller series featuring a special agent and an expert on cults who solve bizarre mysteries perpetrated by some of the world's most dangerous criminals.



6/4/2013

### The Summoner (Book One)

Layton Green

Rights Available: English, French, German, Italian, Spanish

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*The Summoner* is a stylish, haunting novel of mystery and suspense.

When a United States diplomat disappears in front of hundreds of onlookers while attending a religious ceremony in the bushveld of Zimbabwe, Dominic Grey, Diplomatic Security special agent, product of a violent childhood and a worn passport, is assigned to investigate. What Grey uncovers is a terrifying cult older than Western civilization, the harsh underbelly of a country in despair, a priest seemingly able to perform impossibilities, and the identity of the newest target. Himself . . .



6/4/2013

### The Egyptian (Book Two)

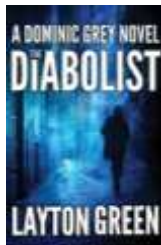
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**At a mausoleum in Cairo's most** notorious cemetery, a mercenary receives a package containing a silver test tube suspended in hydraulic stasis. An investigative reporter tracking rogue biomedical companies is terrified by the appearance of a mummified man outside her Manhattan apartment.

These seemingly separate events collide when Dominic Grey and Viktor Radek are hired by the CEO of an Egyptian biomedical firm to locate stolen research integral to the **company's new life extension** product.



6/4/2013

### The Diabolist (Book Three)

Layton Green

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In this gripping thriller, the bizarre murder of a cult leader in San Francisco draws Dominic Grey and Viktor Radek, private investigators of mysterious phenomena, to the scene.

Witnesses claim a robed figure, seemingly able to appear and disappear at will, set fire to the priest. When the leader of another cult in Paris dies under similar circumstances, the case only grows stranger . . . and more dangerous.



5/1/2015

### The Shadow Cartel (Book Four)

Layton Green

Rights Available: English, French, German, Italian, Spanish

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In *The Shadow Cartel*, Dominic Grey joins forces with a CIA operative and a disgraced DEA agent to pursue a crime lord with a mysterious hold on the South American cartels.

**Dominic Grey; Frederico "Fred" Hernandez**, disgraced DEA agent; and Lana Valenciano, rising star at the CIA, are thrust together on a manhunt for a criminal with a frightening reach, who appears to possess a strange hold on some of the **world's deadliest cartels**. **What is the source of his power?** Is the secret buried somewhere in the past, from his alleged ties to the CIA?

## DI Dixon Series

A fast paced, hugely entertaining, and highly addictive crime series.



1/20/2015

### As the Crow Flies (Book One)

Damien Boyd

Rights Available: All Languages

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**Rock climbers can't afford to make** careless mistakes. But Detective **Inspector Nick Dixon's former** climbing partner, Jake Fayter, died doing just that. Or so it seems. Dixon suspects foul play, but his only leads are unreliable accounts of something odd happening in Cheddar Gorge seconds before Jake fell.

**The more Dixon learns about Jake's** life, the more he realizes that Jake **hadn't been quite the man he** remembered . . . and a lot of people could have wanted him dead.



1/20/2015

### Head In the Sand (Book Two)

Damien Boyd

Rights Available: All Languages

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The discovery of a severed head on a golf course triggers a frantic race to find a serial killer that brings the seaside town of Burnham-on-Sea to a standstill.

When the connection is made with a series of unsolved murders over thirty years before, Detective Inspector Nick Dixon finds himself chasing ghosts from the past in a race against time that takes him the length and breadth of the country.



1/20/2015

### Kickback (Book Three)

Damien Boyd

Rights Available: All Languages

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A trainee jockey has been kicked to death by an aggressive stallion at the local stables. Deemed an accidental death, the case is closed. But when **the jockey's brother returns from** active service, he sparks an armed siege, demanding the investigation be re-opened and the truth uncovered.

Still recovering from the physical and mental scars of his last case, Detective Inspector Nick Dixon is dragged deep into a murky world of betting scams and murder, where people will do anything to keep their secrets. Even if that means silencing a DI who keeps asking the wrong questions about the wrong dead jockey . . .



4/7/2015

### Swansong (Book Four)

Damien Boyd

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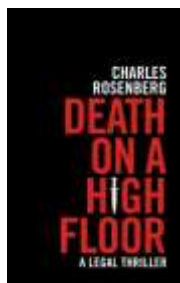
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Isobel Swan, a sixth form student, has been murdered. First, her ring finger is severed, then her throat is cut.

With the investigation going nowhere fast, Detective Inspector Nick Dixon is sent undercover as a trainee **teacher into Isobel's boarding school**.

But to find the killer, he must first confront his inner demons and lay to rest the ghosts lurking in his own past. If he can . . . As Dixon digs deeper, the stakes have never been higher and a murder has never felt so personal.

## The Legal Thrillers



1/28/2014

### Death on a High Floor

Charles Rosenberg

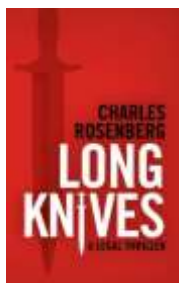
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When much-despised Marbury Marfan senior partner Simon Rafer turns up in a cold pool of blood with an ornate dagger in his back, it comes as a surprise to no one—least of all to Robert Tarza, who is first on the scene.

A longtime partner at Marbury, Tarza knows dozens of attorneys in the firm who had good motive to want Rafer in the ground. But despite his own decades of conflict with Rafer—and a recent heated quarrel over a rare ancient coin Simon bought from him—Robert never imagined that homicide detective Spritz would zero in on him as prime suspect.

**As Spritz's case builds with uncanny speed, Robert's position quickly falls from that of respected attorney to criminal dragged through the tabloids. Along with his kick-butt defense attorney, Jenna James, he is forced to play detective in a race to find the real killer—and uncovers a web of fraud among his closest colleagues in the process. In the end, only Jenna's untested trial skills can keep him out of prison.**



3/1/2014

### Long Knives

Charles Rosenberg

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Audio

**Jenna James's life has been smooth sailing since she left the high-powered law firm of Marbury Marfan. She's happily ensconced as a professor at a prestigious law school, where she's well liked by her students, coupled-up with a handsome colleague, and on track for tenure.**

But things take a shocking turn one morning **when a student, Primo, comes to Jenna's office** seeking her advice about a treasure map he recently inherited. When Primo turns up dead and Jenna is suddenly the prime suspect in a murder investigation, everyone turns on her. Desperate for help, she calls on two old friends: Robert Tarza, her old law partner from Marbury Marfan, and Oscar Quesana, an odd-duck solo practitioner. **The three race to save Jenna's career—and perhaps her life—in this whip-smart thriller of treasure maps, murder, and law school politics.**



5/19/2015

### Paris Ransom

Charles Rosenberg

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At the end of *Long Knives*, Robert lost a bet and now has to take Jenna and Oscar to dinner at the top of the Burj Khalifa in Dubai, so the three of them travel to Paris for Christmas as a stopover along the way. Oscar, a collector of rare books, has found a Frenchman who is selling a rare signed first edition of *Les Misérables*, and leaves for a few days to make the purchase. The night he returns to Paris, he is kidnapped on the street right in front of Jenna and Robert. The kidnapers demand the rare book as ransom, but **it has gone missing. As Oscar's friends try desperately to get the creaky wheels of the French justice system turning with the help of a seemingly friendly inspector, the kidnapers' demands escalate. Jenna and Robert must take the case into their own hands to save their friend.**

## The Jon Cantrell Thrillers

A heart-stopping thriller series that takes readers deep into a strange underworld where the lines between government officials and mercenaries blur.



2/4/2014

### The Contractors (Book One)

Harry Hunsicker

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**Private military contractors. They're not just for foreign wars anymore. Jon Cantrell, a disgraced ex-cop, works for one such company.**

**He's a DEA agent paid on a commission basis, patrolling one of the busiest drug hubs in the country: Dallas, Texas. When Cantrell and his partner and sometimes lover confiscate the wrong shipment of drugs, they find themselves in possession of a star witness in an upcoming cartel trial that could destroy the largest criminal organization in the hemisphere. To turn a profit, all they have to do is safely deliver the witness to the US attorney on the other side of the state. An easy trip, except the witness doesn't want to go and a group of competing DEA contractors and a corrupt Dallas police officer want everybody involved dead.**



12/1/2014

### Shadow Boys (Book Two)

Harry Hunsicker

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All Languages

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Audio

For once, things are going well for former DEA contractor **Jon Cantrell. He's got a real job as a fix-it man for a law firm that specializes in handling government contracts. But when his ex-girlfriend Piper asks him to meet with a high-ranking police official and Cantrell is forced to take an off-the-books assignment to find a missing boy, everything starts to unravel.**

Not helping the situation is his client, Deputy Chief Raul Delgado, an up-and-coming politico carrying **his own tragic burdens he doesn't like to dwell on. Forty years earlier, a racist cop brutally killed Delgado's brother. Now, in a weird twist of fate, Delgado works for the very department that altered his life.**

As Cantrell proceeds, he uncovers a puzzling link between Delgado, the missing boy, and a series of vigilante murders. As the link becomes clearer, Cantrell struggles to stay alive and find the missing child.



8/25/2015

### The Grid (Book Three)

Harry Hunsicker

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

The third gritty, whip-smart thriller in the Jon Cantrell series by acclaimed author Harry Hunsicker.

The Lizzy Gardner Series

A bestselling mystery series featuring a female sleuth who survived being abducted by a serial killer as a teenager.



7/17/2012

**Abducted (Book One)**

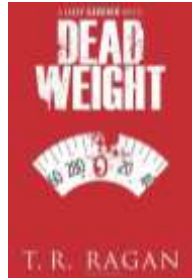
T. R. Ragan

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, French, German, Turkish

When Lizzy Gardner was only seventeen, what should have been the perfect night became the perfect nightmare. Kidnapped just blocks from home after a romantic evening with her boyfriend, Jared, she woke up to find herself at the mercy of a depraved serial killer. Imprisoned and tormented for months by the maniac she came to know as Spiderman, Lizzy narrowly escaped, the only one of his victims to survive. But Spiderman escaped too, outwitting police and cursing Lizzy to spend her life looking over her shoulder . . .

Fourteen years later, Lizzy is a private investigator who teaches self-defense to teenage girls in her free time.



7/17/2012

**Dead Weight (Book Two)**

T. R. Ragan

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

Private investigator Lizzy Gardner knows a thing or two about living in the past. So when terminally ill Ruth Fullerton begs Lizzy to reopen the **cold case into her daughter's disappearance, it's hard to say no.** More than twenty years have passed since Carol Fullerton vanished, abandoning her car by the side of a California freeway. The police wrote her off as a runaway, yet something **tells Lizzy the truth isn't so simple . . .**



6/18/2013

**A Dark Mind (Book Three)**

T. R. Ragan

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

A serial killer is terrorizing Sacramento, preying on happily married couples and unleashing unspeakable cruelties upon his victims. The ordeal rekindles disturbing memories for private investigator Lizzy Gardner, who **barely escaped a serial killer's** clutches only years ago. But while most Sacramento residents are hiding in the shadows, paralyzed by fear, Lizzy is compelled to go after the Lovebird Killer.



8/12/2014

**Obsessed (Book Four)**

T. R. Ragan

Rights Available: All Languages

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Desperate for better ratings, radio psychologist Madeline Blair tells her **listeners she's being stalked, unaware** that her longtime listener and biggest fan, Seth Brown, will do anything to protect her. When her publicity stunt is revealed, Seth becomes enraged by her deceit.

When her friends mysteriously begin to vanish, Madeline turns to private investigator Lizzy Gardner for help.

As Lizzy closes in, Seth Brown is undeterred. Madeline wanted a stalker and now she has one.



2/3/2015

**Almost Dead (Book Five)**

T. R. Ragan

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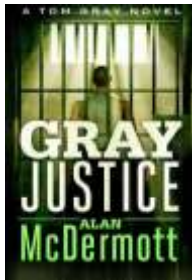
Life for private investigator Lizzy Gardner **will never be the same.** It's been three weeks since her fiancé, Jared, was shot on what was supposed to be their wedding day. **He's in a coma now, and Lizzy is** being forced to make a decision she might not be able to live with.

But a string of deaths has forced her to get back to work. While they appear to be unrelated accidents at first glance, a closer look shows they all have something in common.

Stay tuned for the sixth book in the series, *Evil Never Dies*, which will be released in Fall 2015!

The Tom Gray Novels

Exciting, action-packed thrillers following ex-soldier Tom Gray.



1/7/2014

**Gray Justice (Book One)**

Alan McDermott

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

When ex-soldier Tom Gray loses his wife and child to a career criminal, it **seems life can't get much worse.** But when the killer is let off with time served on remand, Gray knows there is something fundamentally wrong with the justice system. Engaging the help of his ex-SAS buddies, he kidnaps five repeat offenders and asks the public to vote on their fate: Should they be allowed to continue their criminal ways with inadequate punishment, or has Britain had enough? His website attracts a worldwide audience and, although the authorities know where he is, they are powerless to stop him.



1/7/2014

**Gray Resurrection (Book Two)**

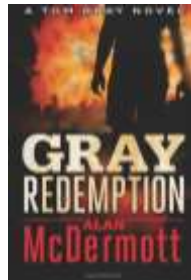
Alan McDermott

Rights Available: All Languages

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After the terrorist explosion in which he is believed to have died, Tom Gray has been living a quiet life in the Philippines as Sam Grant, under the watchful eye of his government handler, James Farrar.

His peace is short-lived: Farrar recruits him for a mission that needs **Grant's particular skills, but fate** intervenes when Grant is taken hostage in the southern islands by Abu Sayyaf, a militant organization, and comes face-to-face with a dangerous former enemy.



1/7/2014

**Gray Redemption (Book Three)**

Alan McDermott

Rights Available: All Languages

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A year after he was declared dead and began living under an assumed name in the Philippines, Tom Gray wants his life back . . .

Along with two ex-army buddies and a woman he rescued from terrorists, Gray attempts to make his way home to the UK to clear his name: no easy feat when members of the British government want to kill Gray and his loyal friends, and the long clandestine journey home on a container ship **gives Gray's nemesis, James Farrar,** the time to hatch a plot to intercept **him. Tom Gray's only hope is to seek** the help of an old adversary and pray he still believes in justice.



7/8/2014

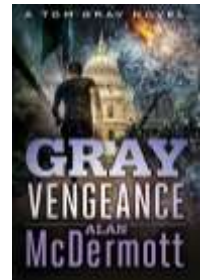
**Gray Retribution (Book Four)**

Alan McDermott

Rights Available: All Languages

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Tom Gray is enjoying time with his family after the birth of his daughter. However, trouble has a way of finding **him. While he is visiting his uncle's** new grocery store, thugs arrive demanding protection money, and in the ensuing fight, Gray is hurt. As he recuperates, Gray learns that a team of friends is facing grave danger on a mission in a tiny war-torn African nation, where an evil warlord is kidnapping boy soldiers to do his work in his bid for supremacy. Gray sets off on a rescue mission, but with his attention now divided between two continents, events are spiraling out of control, and Gray must fight to save all that is dear to him.



5/26/2015

**Gray Vengeance (Book Five)**

Alan McDermott

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*Gray Vengeance* is the fifth book in the gripping Tom Gray series.



## The Righteous Series

Thrillers set in a polygamist enclave of Blister Creek, Utah.



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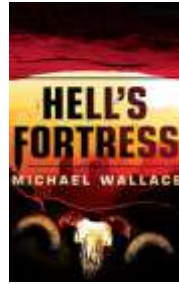
### The Gates of Babylon (Book Six)

Michael Wallace

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All Languages

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Audio

With the murderous Kimball clan's evil power plays finally put down, Dr. Jacob Christianson begins to embrace his role as leader of the Mormon polygamist community of Blister Creek, hoping to slowly bring his people into the modern age. But then the world around Blister Creek begins to fall apart: An international crop failure and global starvation. Freezing temperatures and active volcanoes. Fuel and medicine shortages. Widespread lawlessness and looming war. The residents of Blister Creek suddenly find themselves facing the very end-of-the-world scenario they've been preparing for. Years of stockpiling guns, ammunition, food, and fuel are paying off: they are ready to wait out whatever God has in store for them. Unfortunately, their preparations have not gone unnoticed.



10/7/2014

### Hell's Fortress (Book Seven)

Michael Wallace

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All Languages

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Environmental disaster, war, and government dissolution have plunged the outside world into chaos, leaving the Blister Creek community facing a host of dire challenges as their lifesaving resources grow treacherously low. When one of their beloved members gets lost in the desert, Dr. Jacob Christianson agrees to send out an expedition that includes his sister, Eliza. But danger follows the search group, literally: nefarious armed drones hover overhead, ready to strike the rescuers at a moment's notice.

Greater troubles soon arise for Jacob and his followers. Refugees from a now-defunct government camp in Utah are making their way to the compound, demanding food and supplies from the community of dedicated believers. This is the end-of-the-world scenario that Jacob and the rest of Blister Creek's denizens prepared for—and feared more than anything. Now, Jacob's faith will be tested as he decides between doing what is right . . . and what is necessary to survive.



1/6/2015

### Blood of the Faithful (Book Eight)

Michael Wallace

Rights Available:  
All Languages

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Now that their latest battle is over, the religious residents of Blister Creek are dealing with their losses and trying to heal—physically and spiritually. Their leader, Jacob Christianson, now feels the full burden of the responsibility and finds himself at a crossroads: keep the believers isolated, or see what lies beyond Blister Creek's borders.

In a world still enmeshed in war, famine, and destruction, wool blankets and powdered milk are the new currency. Fortunately, the devout community has made all the necessary preparations to ensure their own survival. But dangerous new challenges rise around Blister Creek: squatters at the reservoir seek to take the residents' rations, a rogue government operative is trying to limit access to supplies, and a wave of fanaticism sweeping through the community is threatening to divide the followers. Jacob must decide the future of his flock—and just how much he is willing to sacrifice.

Information about translation rights to books 1–5 in the Righteous series is available upon request.

## Rachel Scott Adventures

An emotionally charged mystery-thriller series that takes the reader on a roller-coaster ride of plot twists, turns, and surprises.



1/31/2012

### Asylum Harbor (Book One)

Traci Hohenstein

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Rights Sold: Audio

Amber Knowles, a high school senior and Florida governor John Knowles's daughter, has everything going for her until she disappears during a cruise to the Bahamas. After an extensive search of the ship *SeaStar*, it's clear that Amber has vanished without a trace. When Governor Knowles receives the distressing news, he asks for Rachel Scott's help.

Rachel, founder of Florida Omni Search, knows only too well what losing a daughter feels like. Her three-year-old, Mallory, went missing five years ago. As she works with the FBI, Rachel discovers an organized crime ring linked to the cruise line.



1/31/2012

### Burn Out (Book Two)

Traci Hohenstein

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

The week before she is to testify at her estranged husband's trial on drug charges, firefighter Lieutenant Samantha Collins vanishes while combating a warehouse fire, leaving only her helmet behind.

With Sam missing, her mother seeks the help of Florida Omni Search. Rachel has worked with law enforcement agencies all over the United States, but she can't possibly anticipate how terrifying the Sam Collins case will be.



4/2/2013

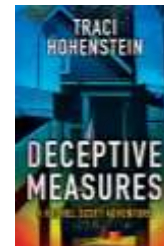
### Cut & Run (Book Three)

Traci Hohenstein

Rights Available: All Languages

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When Matt O'Malley turns up at a truck stop with a nasty concussion and no recollection of what happened to him or his family, investigator Rachel Scott knows she and the Florida Omni Search team have to act fast. Whoever attacked him still has his wife and children, and a gruesome piece of evidence points to deadly possibilities.



2/24/2015

### Deceptive Measures (Book Four)

Traci Hohenstein

Rights Available: All Languages

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Rachel Scott's daughter, Mallory, was stolen at age two—she has now been missing for six years. During that time, Rachel's marriage broke under the strain and Rachel founded Florida Omni Search, now a nationally known missing persons search organization. Rachel has spent years helping other families reunite while finding only dead ends in her own daughter's case. But now, Rachel and her team are at last closing in on the child abduction ring that took Mallory, and they've found evidence that the girl may still be alive and well.



The Detective Jackson Mysteries

A mystery series following the chilling investigations of Detective Wade Jackson of Eugene, Oregon's Violent Crimes Division.



1/15/2013

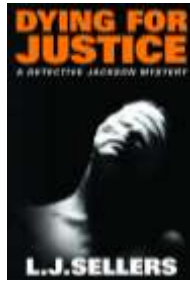
**Liars, Cheaters, & Thieves**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

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Outside a local bar, a man is drugged and slashed to death with a scalpel. Inside a local bank, a woman suffers a fatal heart attack after learning her life savings have been plundered. The crimes are as different as the night and day they occur. The vicious **murder is a case for Eugene's Violent Crimes Division**, but the more Detective Wade Jackson and his homicide team probe into the death of Rafel Mazari—an Iraq War veteran with disturbing secrets—the more it appears that one crime's victim may be the other's perpetrator.



1/15/2013

**Dying for Justice**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

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Ten years ago, Hector Vargas confessed to the cold-blooded murder of **Detective Wade Jackson's parents**. Now, facing his own death, Vargas has reached out from prison to declare his innocence. Armed with the shocking new truth that dirty cops railroaded Vargas, Jackson must revisit the painful past to get justice for his parents—and jail the ruthless killer



1/15/2013

**Passions of the Dead**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

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The scene is a bloodbath: Jared and Carla Walker lie brutally bludgeoned and stabbed to death, along with their young son, while their teenage daughter barely clings to life. **Detective Wade Jackson's boss** believes a gang of carjackers has graduated to home invasion . . . and homicide. Still, with only inconclusive forensic evidence and a sole survivor **who can't remember anything**, Jackson and his team are getting nowhere fast.

At least until the only living witness to the massacre vanishes—along with the shocking truth buried in her mind—and the killer follows in hot pursuit.



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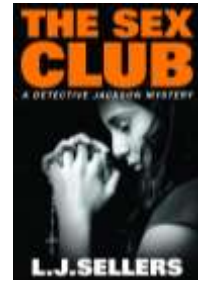
**Secrets to Die For**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

When young social worker Raina Hughes arrives at a ramshackle trailer **outside of town, she's on a mission to protect a small boy from abusive parents**. But when Detective Wade Jackson arrives at the same location hours later, his mission is far **grimmer: investigating Raina's murder. The victim's vicious death is a shocking event for laid-back Eugene, Oregon—and even more chilling when one of Jackson's fellow officers suspects an elusive rapist whose appetite is turning murderous.**



1/15/2013

**The Sex Club**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages, excluding Turkish

Rights Sold: Audio, Estonian, French, German

As a nurse and youth counselor at **Eugene, Oregon's Planned Parenthood** clinic, Kera Kollmorgan has endured her share of harassment from fanatical abortion foes. But it only strengthens her resolve. Then a bomb blast rips through the clinic and, soon after, a teenage girl Kera recently treated is found naked and murdered in a dumpster.

The sexualized killing of Jessie Davenport hits close to home for Detective Wade Jackson. But he never expects his grim investigation will lead to a teenage Bible-study club, the dark underside of high school life, and even the halls of political power.



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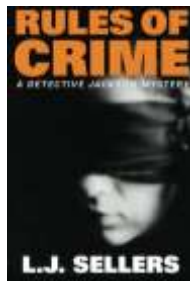
**Thrilled to Death**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

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Detective Wade Jackson, of Eugene **Oregon's Violent Crimes Division**, has more than a professional interest in the disappearance of Danette Blake. In addition to being the mother of an infant, the missing young woman is also the widowed daughter-in-law of Kera Kollmorgan—the woman Jackson loves. But the politics surrounding the mysterious death of Courtney Durham, a notorious party girl with rich, powerful parents, **trumps Jackson's personal concern**. While all signs indicate Danette has fled the pressures of single **motherhood, it appears Courtney's reputation for walking on the wild side led to her homicide**. But without evidence of foul play, Jackson may be **probing "crimes" that never happened**.



2/26/2013

**Rules of Crime**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

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When a call from his daughter, Katie, interrupts his much-needed vacation, **Detective Wade Jackson knows it's bad news**. As Katie tearfully announces that her mom—**Jackson's ex-wife, Renee—is missing**, Jackson suspects alcoholic Renee has climbed back inside the bottle that destroyed their marriage. But the truth is far worse: kidnapers have snatched Renee and are demanding ransom from her wealthy fiancé. The very same night, someone dumps a savagely beaten University of Oregon coed on the doorstep of the ER. **Jackson's protégé, Detective Lara Evans**, must identify the unconscious victim, then track down the assailant with no leads to go on . . . except the whispered rumor of a secret sorority.



10/15/2013

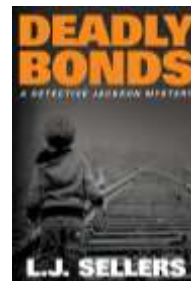
**Crimes of Memory**

L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Fresh off the leave-of-absence he took following his ex-wife's tragic death, **Detective Wade Jackson's life is in upheaval**. He struggles to keep his grief-stricken, out-of-control daughter, Katie, from succumbing to the same alcoholism demon as her mother, while trying to reinvigorate a passion for his work. When a body is found in a local storage unit, Jackson hopes a simple open-and-shut homicide case will help him get back on track. But when the victim is identified as ex-con Craig Cooper, it becomes quickly apparent that the case will be challenging.



8/26/2014

**Deadly Bonds**

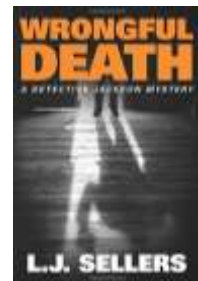
L. J. Sellers

Rights Available: All Languages

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When a young mother is found murdered in a derelict Eugene neighborhood—and her terrified young son is discovered hiding beneath the floorboards—Detective Jackson reluctantly takes the case.

His own life is already in chaos, with his runaway teenage daughter, Katie, still gone and his girlfriend, Kera, facing her own family crisis. Matters get more complicated when the orphaned boy bonds with Jackson, triggering unexpected emotions and compromising his ability to investigate.



2/24/2015

**Wrongful Death**

L. J. Sellers

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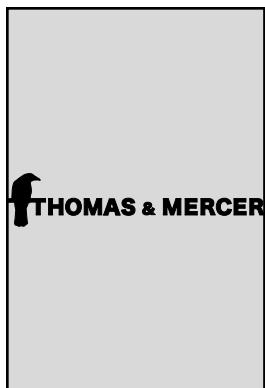
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On a chilly Oregon morning, a policeman is found slain near the **homeless camp where he'd been passing out blankets the night before**. When Detective Jackson is called to the scene, witnesses point to a pair of mentally ill street twins as the likely perpetrators.

As the case progresses and arrests are made, the homeless community revolts against the police, and the chaos pulls detectives away from their investigations. Tension mounts, and the evidence begins to link a series of sexual assaults to the death of the murdered officer.

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, which will be released in Spring 2016!

Nora Cooper Mysteries



7/28/2015

**Killer Jam**

Karen MacInerney

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

Lucy Resnick decides to trade in her fast-paced life of a crime reporter in the big city of Houston when she impulsively buys Dewberry Farm in the bucolic small town of Buttercup, Texas.

Ignoring her financial advisor's advice and fending off questions from friends who questioned her sanity, Lucy begins preparing for her new life by reading every homesteading book at her local library. But her business plan of selling jam and cheese at the farmer's market suddenly screech to a halt when a fracking exploration consultant visits Dewberry Farm.

It seems Nettie Kocurek, the old woman who sold Lucy the farm, also sold the mineral rights to the land beneath to Lone Star Explorations. Just when it seems like things can't get any worse, Nettie turns up dead in the jam tent at the farmer's market. Now the police and much of the town think she's guilty. Can Lucy track down the true killer before she's hauled off to jail . . . or becomes the next victim?



7/7/2015

**Words in the Dark (Book One)**

Giulia Beyman

Rights Available: English, German, Audio

When Nora Cooper finds herself suddenly a widow after thirty years of marriage, strange events make her doubt everything about her past life.

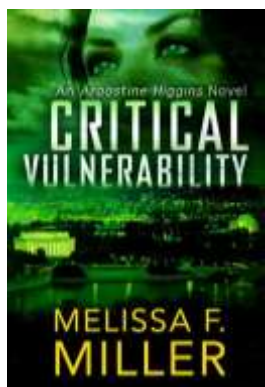
She receives strange messages spelled out with Scrabble letters. And only her husband Joe could have written them.

Is it possible that he is sending her messages from the Hereafter? Are they warnings?

Nora Cooper must search for truth to save her home, her memories . . . and her life. She has to open her mind to discover not only the truth about her dead husband, but also about life and its mysteries too.

*Words in the Dark* was originally written in Italian and will be translated into English by Deborah Belford de Furia.

Aroostine Higgins Novels



3/17/2015

**Critical Vulnerability (Book One)**

Melissa F. Miller

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

*Critical Vulnerability* is the latest whip-smart legal thriller by nationally bestselling author Melissa F. Miller.

Assistant US Attorney Aroostine Higgins put her personal life on hold to join the Department of Justice's elite criminal division. Now she's prosecuting two men accused of attempting to bribe a foreign government official. But everything's going wrong. Her pretrial motion vanishes from the federal court's electronic docketing system. Her apartment catches fire. Routine dental surgery turns into a near-death experience. When Aroostine's past comes crashing into her present, her most critical vulnerability is exploited and she finally admits she isn't simply suffering a string of bad luck. An unseen enemy is determined to destroy her—and the only man she's ever loved—unless she finds him first.



6/16/2015

**Chilling Effect (Book Two)**

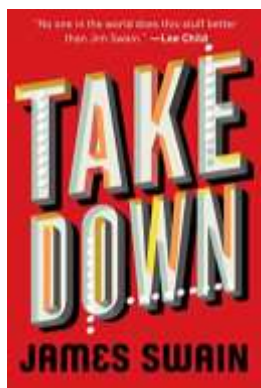
Melissa F. Miller

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Investigating an embezzlement scheme at a Native American casino tears Federal Prosecutor Aroostine Higgins away from a romantic getaway with her husband, Joe. Dispatched by her superior in the hopes that her Native American roots will win trust in a community wary of outsiders, Aroostine goes on high alert when she finds her would-be informant executed in his home.

Money skimming, murder, and rumors of stolen military weapons are linked to someone on the reservation, and Aroostine butts heads with tribal authorities bent on solving the crime and doling out punishment on their own terms. After narrowly escaping a deadly ambush, she and Joe must somehow protect each other and another whistle-blower from a killer's bullet. She'll have to connect with the heritage she left behind in order to track down this ruthless killer.



2/10/2015

## Take Down

James Swain

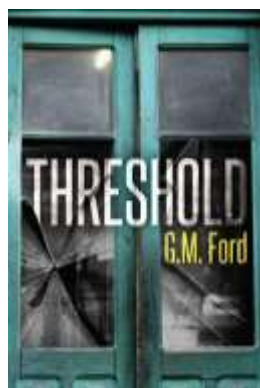
Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio, German

This is *Ocean's Eleven* with extra grit: a high-stakes heist based on a true story, from the critically acclaimed author of the Tony Valentine series.

Vegas con man Billy Cunningham has a good thing going: he and his crew of grifters have a fail-safe system that lets them rip off casinos and stay under the radar. Billy's reputation is hard to keep quiet, though: the biggest new casino in town sets a trap for him in order to force him to act as a "consultant." They have caught and tortured a scout for a family of con artists, and they want Billy to help them take down the operation.

Billy faces impossible odds: Can he avoid turning in his fellow thieves, save his own neck, and keep his crew safe? He sees a slim chance—and, if he can find the chink in the casino's armor, he can pull off his own major scam while he's at it.



4/21/2015

## Threshold

G. M. Ford

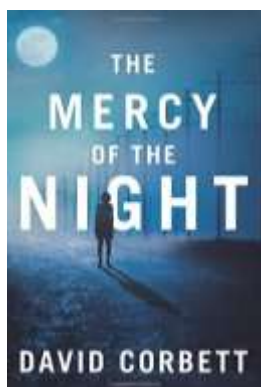
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*Threshold* is a new standalone novel by the author of the Leo Waterman Mysteries series.

Between the end of his marriage and the excessive force complaints against him, Detective Sergeant Mickey Dolan is running out of chances. When a powerful and connected city councilman reports that his wife and two daughters have disappeared, Dolan is assigned the case—knowing full well that his career is riding on the outcome.

While investigating, Dolan meets Eve Pressman and her remarkable daughter, Grace. Gifted with the ability to bring people out of comas, Grace is reluctant to be thrust into the public eye but determined to help those in need. Eve and Grace may know where Councilman Royster's family is and the terrible truth that sent the three of them into hiding in the first place. Now, Dolan faces the toughest choice of his career: Is he still a good cop if he has to do the wrong thing?



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## The Mercy of the Night

David Corbett

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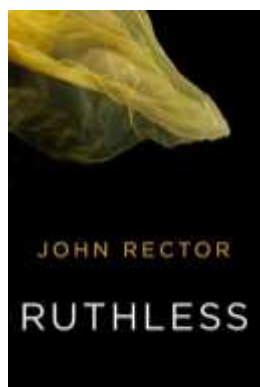
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*The Mercy of the Night* offers a story of one girl's personal redemption amid a clash of convenient lies and difficult truths, set in an American everytown midway between the tony wealth of Napa and the shimmering towers of San Francisco.

Phelan Tierney helps people who hope to start their lives over. When a young woman he's taken under his wing disappears, the former lawyer devotes himself to finding her—despite her puzzlingly unhelpful family and his own ghosts.

Jacqueline Garza has been to hell and back. Abducted and tortured by a child predator when she was eight years old, she still, years later, bears the scars of the incident and its aftermath—including a very public trial. Her teenage life takes an even steeper downward spiral when she's drawn into a murder case that threatens to tear apart her hometown of Rio Mirada, the gateway to Napa Valley's opulence.

Can these two wayward souls find redemption amid the convenient lies and difficult truths that have followed them for so long?



6/1/2015

## Ruthless

John Rector

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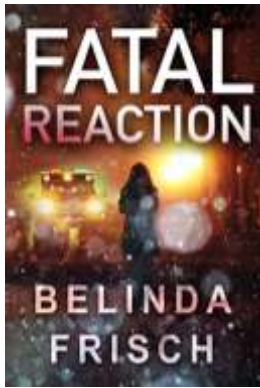
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Gripping and intense, *Ruthless* is a twisted thrill ride from the bestselling author of the International Thriller Award—winning novella *Lost Things*.

Nick White is the only person who can save Abigail Pierce. After uncovering a plot to have her killed, he attempts to warn her but instead puts himself squarely in the crosshairs. They know who he is, they know where he lives, they know how to get at his family.

Drawn into the conspiracy surrounding Abigail, Nick soon discovers the danger is bigger than he ever believed. Now he must uncover the truth to save her and himself.

Paramedic Anneliese Ashmore Mysteries



6/9/2015

**Fatal Reaction  
(Book One)**

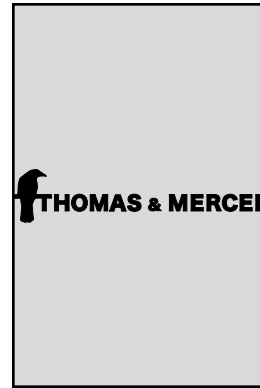
Belinda Frisch

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During a slow night on duty, paramedic Ana Ashmore drives past a crime scene at the shabby Aquarian motel—a **scene that, strangely, wasn't broadcast on her first-responder's radio. Curious, she stops to help and quickly realizes why she'd been excluded from the call. Her sister, Sydney, has been found dead of an apparent suicide. But why would Sydney take her own life right after her successful battle with cancer?**

As the police get to work, Ana decides to launch an investigation of **her own. Sydney's soon-to-be ex-husband certainly had a motive to murder her, and while the police focus on him, Ana makes a startling discovery: a chain of e-mails between Sydney and her surgeon that brings into question Sydney's diagnosis and the life-altering treatment that followed. With the help of Dr. Jared Monroe, who has his own troubling connection to the surgeon in question, Ana uncovers a ring of corruption and greed. As the two dig deeper, they develop a complicated attraction. Can they survive their attempt to expose a dangerous deception and avenge Sydney's murder?**

Jules Cannon Mysteries



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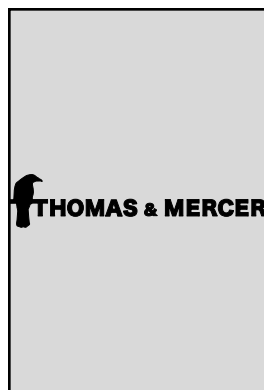
**Destined for Trouble  
(Book One)**

Claudia Lefevre

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After getting dumped by her boyfriend, FBI crime analyst Jules Cannon flees to her hometown of Trouble Island, Texas, to nurse her wounds. All she wants to do is unwind, forget about her failed relationship, and work on her tan. **But when the owner of the local watering hole is murdered at Jules's welcome home party, she is forced to scrap her rest-and-relaxation plans.**

Now, her best friend, Abby Lee, is the prime suspect and her high school sweetheart, Deputy Chief Justin Harper, is working the case. **Even though Jules knows she shouldn't, she just can't keep herself from getting involved in the investigation—and entangled with handsome district attorney Hartley Crawford. While an old flame threatens to rekindle and a new one sparks, Jules must find a killer and prove her friend's innocence. But will she put two and two together before trouble catches up with her?**



6/2/2015

**Dying to Remember**

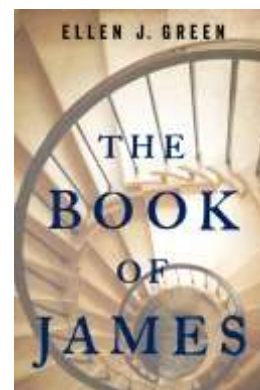
Glen Apseloff

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When Dr. Christopher Barnes awakens from a coma, his world lies in pieces. A neurotoxin has left the surgeon with a rare form of amnesia that prevents him from forming new memories. Any new information vanishes within moments. **Then he learns that his wife has been murdered . . . and he'll have to relearn this every day.**

He vows to solve the case himself, but the police have their own theory: one that puts him at the center of a conspiracy to commit murder. Barnes spends his days piecing the crime together and trying to separate friend from foe. The more the cops build their case against him, the closer he gets to the truth . . . but the deeper he falls into danger.



6/30/2015

**The Book of James**

Ellen J. Green

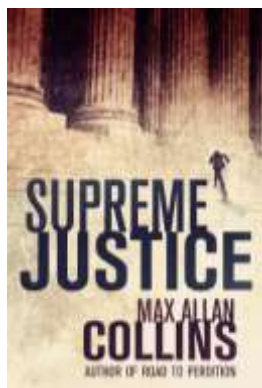
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**In the moments after a terrible car crash, Mackenzie's critically injured husband, Nick, whispers warnings that someone from his past may attempt to harm or kill her after he dies.**

He urges her to travel to Philadelphia to his childhood home. Find **James, he insists. It's the only way out. His last words are pushed to the side in the aftermath of his death, as Mackenzie is consumed with grief. But when the things he spoke of start to come true, Mackenzie's search for the truth about Nick brings her to the nineteenth-century mansion where her husband was raised—and face to face with a mother-in-law she didn't know existed. The two women each have an agenda. Cora, a recluse, worries that her son revealed devastating childhood secrets to his wife. Mackenzie is concerned that unless she uncovers those secrets and finds the elusive James, she may not survive. The two women circle around one another, hunter and prey. But which is which?**



A political thriller series by award-winning author Max Allan Collins

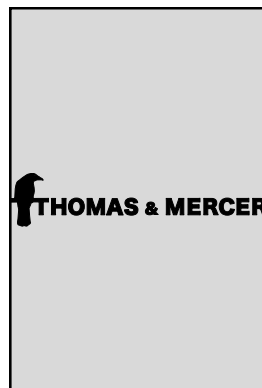


7/1/2014  
**Supreme Justice**  
 Max Allan Collins  
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After taking a bullet for his commander-in-chief, Secret Service agent Joseph Reeder is a hero.

But his outspoken criticism of the president he saved—who had stacked the Supreme Court with hard-right justices to overturn *Roe v. Wade*, amp up the Patriot Act, and shred the First Amendment—put Reeder at odds with the Service’s apolitical nature, making him an outcast.

FBI agent Patti Rogers finds herself paired with the unpopular former agent on a task force investigating the killing of Supreme Court Justice Henry Venter. Reeder—nicknamed “Peep” for his unparalleled skills at reading body language—makes a startling discovery while reviewing a security tape: the shooting was premeditated, not a botched robbery. Even more chilling, the controversial Venter may not be the only justice targeted for death. . . . Is a mastermind mounting an unprecedented judicial coup aimed at replacing ultra-conservative justices with a new liberal majority?



9/29/2015  
**State of the Union**  
 Max Allan Collins  
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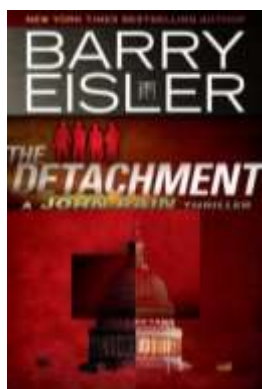
The two protagonists of the political thriller *Supreme Justice*, Secret Service agent Joseph Reeder and FBI agent Patti Rogers, return to continue the trilogy.

Investigating the suspicious suicide of a Secret Service agent leads Reeder and Rogers to the door of wealthy investor Adam Benjamin.

Benjamin has political aspirations with his “Common Sense” movement, based on the writings of Thomas Paine. Then, the death of a maintenance man at the Capitol serves as an important clue to Benjamin’s plan to blow up the Capitol Building on the night of the State of the Union address, when both houses of Congress and every other key government official will be in the building. But they aren’t sure how far Benjamin’s grassroots political movement reaches: Who in Washington can they trust?

Stay tuned for the third book in the series, *The Eighth Man*, which will be released in Fall 2016!

The John Rain Thrillers

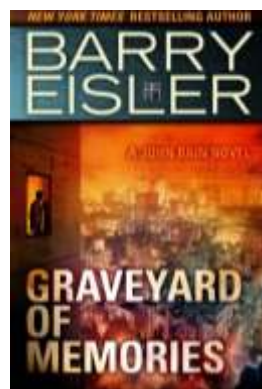


9/15/2011  
**The Detachment**  
 Barry Eisler  
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John Rain, called “the most charismatic assassin since James Bond” by the *San Francisco Chronicle*, is up against his most formidable enemy yet: the nexus of political, military, media, and corporate factions known only as the Oligarchy.

When legendary black-ops veteran Colonel Scott “Hort” Horton tracks Rain down in Tokyo, Rain can’t resist the offer: a multi-million dollar payday for the “natural causes” demise of three ultra-high-profile targets who are dangerously close to launching a coup in America. But the opposition on this job is going to be too much for even Rain to pull it off alone. He’ll need a detachment of other deniable irregulars.

From the shadowy backstreets of Tokyo and Vienna, to the deceptive glitz and glamour of Los Angeles and Las Vegas, and finally to a Washington, DC, in a permanent state of war, these four lone-wolf killers will have to survive presidential hit teams, secret CIA prisons, and a national security state as obsessed with guarding its own secrets as it is with invading the privacy of the populace. But first, they’ll have to survive each other.



2/11/2014  
**Graveyard of Memories**  
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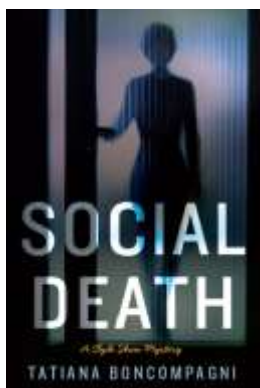
A new addition to the John Rain Thriller series by Barry Eisler, who the *Chicago Sun-Times* called “one of the most talented and literary writers in the thriller genre.”

What makes a legendary assassin? For John Rain, it was the lessons of love, war, and betrayal he learned in Tokyo in 1972.

Fresh from the killing fields of Southeast Asia, Rain works as a bagman under the watchful eye of his CIA handler, delivering cash to corrupt elements of the Japanese government. But when a delivery goes violently wrong, Rain finds himself in the crosshairs of Japan’s most powerful yakuza clan. To survive, Rain strikes a desperate deal with his handler: take out a high-profile target in the Japanese government in exchange for the intel he needs to eliminate his would-be executioners.



Clyde Shaw Mysteries



5/5/2015

Social Death  
(Book One)

Tatiana Boncompagni

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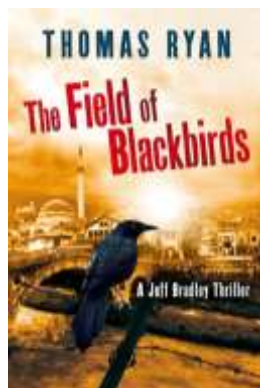
Fast-paced and sexy, *Social Death* is the story of a beautiful **socialite's murder and the scandalous secret she died trying to reveal.**

When veteran New York news producer Clyde Shaw is called to the **scene of a grisly murder on the Upper East Side, she thinks it's just another high-profile crime, the kind she's built her career on. But this time the victim is Olivia Kravis, her childhood best friend and the daughter of her media-mogul billionaire boss, Charles Kravis.**

As a high-stakes network-ratings war begins, **Clyde's own troubled past comes back to haunt her. With her job already on the line, she risks losing everything—including her life—to track down her best friend's killer.**

**In the public eye and with Kravis's millions at stake, will Clyde uncover long-guarded secrets before it's too late?**

Jeff Bradley Thrillers



5/19/2015

The Field of Blackbirds  
(Book One)

Thomas Ryan

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Audio

Former SAS soldier Jeff Bradley thought he had left war zones behind when he inherited a vineyard in rural New Zealand. But now his vineyard manager, Arben Shala, has gone missing in his native Kosovo. An enigmatic message tells Jeff that his friend is in grave danger.

Determined to find Arben and bring him home, Jeff travels to Kosovo and finds a lawless state in the grip of criminal gangs. Corrupt officials obscure every lead. With the help of USAID director Morgan Delaney, **Jeff delves into the province's seedy underworld and uncovers a conspiracy of terrifying scale. A web of dark connections links the captors with a terrorist bombing campaign across Europe, and now it is no longer just Arben whose survival is at stake.**

Double-crossed by allies, watched at every turn, can Jeff get to the heart of the conflict before the warlords get to him?

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, *The Mark of Halam*, which will be released in Fall 2015!



5/19/2015

Woman Without Fear:  
A Novella

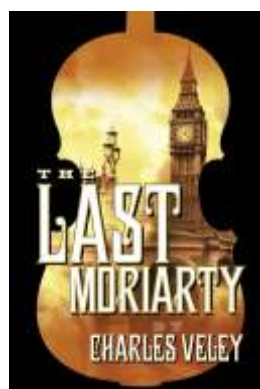
J. P. Touzeau

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Trinity Silverman has wasted too much of her life worrying. **She's successful, she's financially secure, and she's beautiful. It appears that she has everything a person could want, but despite all this, Trinity just can't seem to get rid of her constant, nagging anxiety.**

That is, until the day she meets a renowned researcher doing **groundbreaking work for a powerful pharmaceutical company. He's willing to give her a vial of pills—for a price—that he guarantees will eradicate all her fears and doubts. Trinity thinks she's found what she's always been looking for: the key to unwavering self-confidence. But when her newfound poise spurs her to take uncharacteristic action, she gets caught up in more danger than she can handle.**

*Woman Without Fear* was originally written in French, and will be translated into English by Sarah Christine Varney.



5/19/2015

The Last Moriarty

Charles Veley

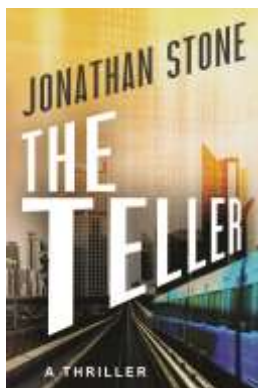
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On a cold November morning, a young American actress visits 221B Baker Street, desperate for Sherlock Holmes to protect her from the threats of a mysterious, menacing man who has recently appeared in her life.

Holmes agrees to help, even though he has just promised the prime minister to solve the murder of John D. Rockefeller's security agent before the incident can derail an upcoming British-American summit. **To find the agent's killer—and help the young actress—Holmes will need all his talents for both deduction and deception. But when another lovely woman, this one from Holmes's past, reappears and clues to the murder point to the late Professor Moriarty, the famously analytical detective must also look inward.**

Can Holmes prevent chaos on both sides of the Atlantic and unmask **his newest client's shadowy antagonist? For Holmes and Watson, this is the case that will change everything.**

The Detective Lavender Mysteries



5/12/2015

**The Teller**

Jonathan Stone

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**Acclaimed author Jonathan Stone's pulse-pounding thriller takes readers from the darkest corners of New York's financial empire into a shadowy hierarchy of wealth and power. *The Teller* follows the money—and takes readers along for the wild ride.**

Twenty-three-year-old Elaine Kelly doesn't earn much as a bank teller, and most of her salary goes toward caring for her terminally ill mother. When a lonely old man who deposits money at her bank every week gets hit and killed by a delivery truck, Elaine—a good Irish girl from Queens—thinks she's found the answer to her problems. She'll just transfer \$1 million from the dead man's account into hers.

Except that the lonely old man may not have been who he seemed. **And when you take \$1 million that isn't yours, it can cost you . . . way more.**



6/9/2015

**The Heiress of Linn Hagh (Book One)**

Karen Charlton

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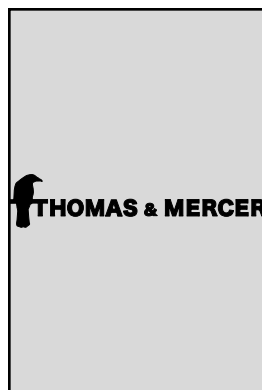
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Taut, wry, and delightful, *The Heiress of Linn Hagh* is a rollicking tale featuring Lavender and Woods—a double act worthy of Holmes and Watson.

Northumberland, 1809: A beautiful young heiress disappears from her locked bedchamber at Linn Hagh. The local constables are baffled and the townsfolk cry “witchcraft.” The heiress's uncle summons help from Detective Lavender and his assistant, Constable Woods, who face one of their most challenging cases: the servants and local gypsies aren't talking; Helen's siblings are uncooperative; and the sullen local farmers are about to take the law into their own hands.

Lavender and Woods find themselves trapped in the middle of a simmering feud as they uncover a world of family secrets, intrigue, and deception in their search for the missing heiress.

Stay tuned for the next book in the series, *The Sans Pareil Mystery*, which will be released in Fall 2015!



6/9/2015

**Bum Rap**

Paul Levine

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NFL linebacker-turned-lawyer Jake Lassiter has had it with shifty clients, dirty prosecutors, and a legal system out of whack. **It's enough to make a man want to leave Miami and never look back—until he gets a call from Victoria Lord, the better half of hot local legal team Solomon & Lord. Her partner in life and law has been arrested for murder. What's worse: the only person who can clear him has fled the city.**

Now it's up to Jake and Victoria to track down the witness—a stunning “bar girl”—before she's roped in by the feds . . . or eliminated by the Russian mob.

Jake knows that if he doesn't get to the witness first, his client's case is lost. Luckily, he's got some good advice from his college football coach: “Buckle your chin strap and hit somebody.” And sometimes, the only way to win a tough case is to do just that.



5/26/2015

**Drop Dead Perfect**

Rick Murcer

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

A disturbing and gruesome serial killer is on the loose with a distinct calling card: after every murder, he stages his victim's body with meticulous attention to detail—perfectly dressed, perfectly made-up, and pinned with the disconcerting message “NOT HER.” **This serial killer won't settle for anything less than perfection.**

Forensics expert Ellen Harper is assigned to investigate the bizarre string of crimes. Reeling from a recent divorce, she channels her emotions and energy into protecting the women of Chicago from the deranged killer. To complicate matters, Brice Rogers, a good-looking detective with some issues of his own, is working the case at her side.

As the body count climbs, Ellen must attempt to conquer her own demons, piece together the workings of a mind born of hate, and find the murderer before he kills again. And again.



5/26/2015

**Cold Fire**

Dustin Stevens

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

**As a DEA agent, Jeremiah “Hawk” Tate was one of the best at taking down drug traffickers. Then the cartels struck back—and destroyed everything he held dear.**

Five years later, Hawk has retreated from society and is living a quiet life as a Montana wilderness guide. He’s done with the DEA, done with the criminals, and done with the pain left over from his past. But his past isn’t done with him.

When a mysterious woman offers him an enormous amount of money to find her lost brother, Hawk knows he should walk away. He doesn’t . . . and in a flash of gunfire, he gets pulled back into the vicious world of drug cartels and law enforcement. Surrounded by old enemies, allies, and a new player planning to flood the market with a lethal drug, Hawk knows this may be the chance for revenge he never thought he’d get. But can he destroy his past before it destroys him?



4/1/2015

**Younger**

Suzanne Munshower

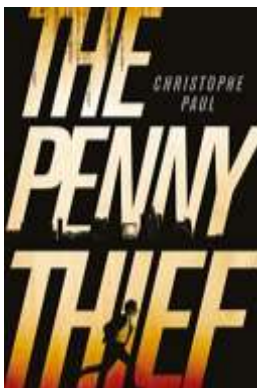
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**When PR pro Anna Wallingham gets dumped by her last client, she finds herself running out of options in Los Angeles, where looks trump experience.**

Desperate to prove she is still relevant, the fiftysomething accepts a shady job offer from Pierre Barton, secretive billionaire owner of Barton Pharmaceuticals. Isolated in a facility outside London, she agrees to test a new top-secret product guaranteed to make her look thirty years younger. Anna is starting to look on the outside the way she feels on the inside: ageless. But she soon discovers that her predecessor died under mysterious circumstances, leading her to research just who stands to gain—and lose—with this miraculous product. When Pierre drops dead in front of her, she takes off on a dangerous journey across Europe hoping to stay alive long enough to uncover the truth.

With the hard-won knowledge that younger isn’t always better, Anna is determined to escape and reclaim her life before it’s too late.



4/21/2015

**The Penny Thief**

Christophe Paul

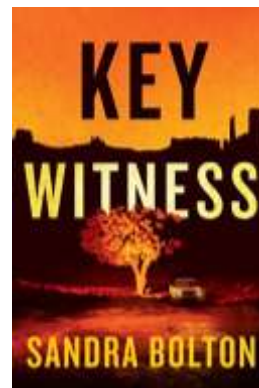
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Henri Pichon is in a coma after a chance accident. His boss’s son-in-law, Pierre-Gabriel, takes over for him in the IT department of a major French bank, where he makes a very interesting discovery: for the past twenty years, **Henri’s been running a program that has been quietly transferring a fortune to hidden accounts, cent by cent.** Now Pierre-Gabriel will do anything to find the accounts and claim the money for himself.

Tash, Pierre-Gabriel’s wife, is devastated upon learning of Henri’s accident—she has never forgotten their love affair fifteen years ago, and even though she is married, for her Henri has always been the one who got away.

**If Henri recovers, he’ll find a dangerous game awaiting him—and he’ll have to play it well if he wants to keep the money and win back the woman he loves.**

*The Penny Thief* was originally written in French and will be translated into English by Jennifer Adcock.



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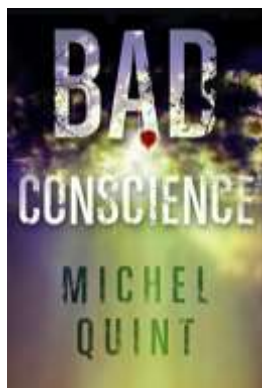
**Key Witness**

Sandra Bolton

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Heading west for the serene deserts of New Mexico with his three-legged dog, Patch, Abe Freeman hopes to escape the **memories of his girlfriend’s lost battle with cancer. He** expects his cross-country journey to be healing, not life-threatening. **And he definitely doesn’t plan to wind up as** the main suspect when a drifter he meets along the way, Easy Jackson, gets murdered.

**When Abe’s lost knife turns up at the crime scene and Easy’s key appears in Abe’s backpack, Abe finds himself hunted by the police, biker gangs, and drug dealers, all of whom are determined to get their hands on that key.** Caught up in the violence, Abe becomes desperate to prove his innocence. With help from Navajo Police Officer Emily Etcitty, he just might survive . . . and his heart just might find another reason to keep on beating.



4/21/2015

**Bad Conscience**

Michel Quint

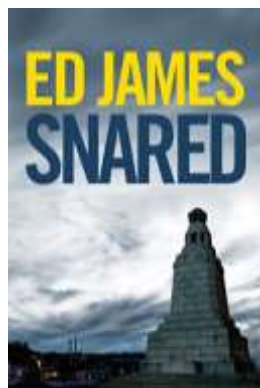
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One morning a devastating earthquake shakes the residents of Aix-en-Provence, France, out of their beds. When a group of college students decides to take advantage of the ensuing chaos by looting a destroyed jewelry store, they are quickly in over their heads. One by one people around them are dying.

Bitter and desperate, survivors are fleeing town in search of a safe haven, complicating the escape path of these unlucky petty thieves.

What started as a get-rich-quick scheme reveals the complex plans of a dangerous criminal mastermind who has evaded capture for years. Professional criminals, amateur thieves, and deranged cops are all racing after jewels. With all their lives in the balance, who will be the last one standing?

*Bad Conscience* was originally written in French and will be translated into English by Alexis Pernsteiner.



4/28/2015

**Snared**

Ed James

Rights Available: All Languages, Audio

From the acclaimed author of the Scott Cullen series, *Snared* is an unyielding police procedural that fearlessly examines the uncomfortable gray areas between right and wrong, and between “us” and “them.”

Vicky Dodds—single mother, commitment-phobe, detective sergeant—is adding Dundee, Scotland, to the Tartan Noir map. When a dog breeder in and around Dundee disappears, DS Dodds and her team are tasked with finding out who is behind the attacks. But as the crimes escalate, and the attacker’s message becomes clearer, Vicky begins to question where her own sympathies lie.



4/28/2015

**Mortom**

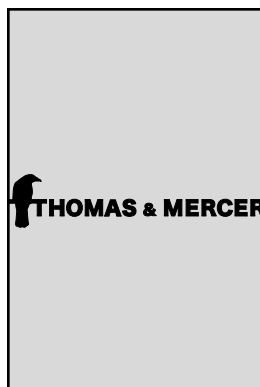
Erik Therme

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Andy Crowl barely knew his recently deceased cousin, Craig Moore, so he’s especially surprised to be named as the sole beneficiary in Craig’s will. Not that there’s much to inherit: just an empty bank account and a run-down house.

Once Andy arrives in the town of Mortom, however, he’s drawn into his puzzle-obsessed cousin’s true legacy: a twisted and ominous treasure hunt. Beckoned by macabre clues of dead rats and cemetery keys, Andy jumps into the game, hoping to discover untold wealth. But unsavory secrets—and unanswered questions about Craig’s untimely demise—arise at every turn, leading Andy to wonder if he’s playing the game . . . or if the game is playing him.

Something’s rotten in Mortom. And this dead man’s game might not be all that Andy is doomed to lose.



8/25/2015

**Broken Grace**

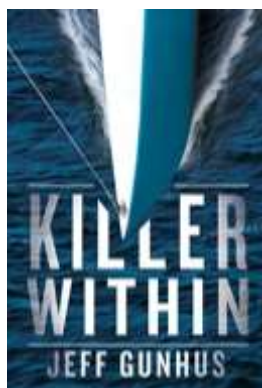
E. C. Diskin

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Grace Abbott has broken ribs, a punctured lung, and a traumatic brain injury, but she doesn’t know why. She can’t remember the day of the accident or any day before it.

Released from the hospital to a sister she doesn’t know and a house that’s only vaguely familiar, Grace’s desire for a past grows desperate when she learns that her ex-boyfriend has been murdered and it appears she had motive. Can she piece together her past in time to clear her name? Can she handle what she learns?





2/17/2015

**Killer Within**

Jeff Gunhus

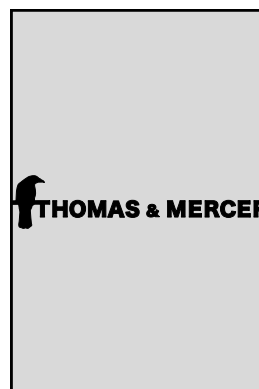
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Serial killer Arnie Milhouse may be ready to end his thirteen-year killing spree, but he wants one last victim before leaving Annapolis—and the sexy new photographer in town promises to be his most satisfying score yet.

Arnie develops plans to seduce the mysterious Allison by luring her out to sea aboard his luxury catamaran for a secluded weekend he won't forget . . . and one she won't survive.

But Arnie's latest mark is more than just another pretty face. Allison McNeil has her own secret agenda, and enough insider information to connect Arnie's long string of seemingly unrelated murders. But hunting down serial killers is more than just a hobby for Allison: she's ready to face down her personal demons and take down this vicious predator once and for all.



10/20/2015

**No Straight Thing**

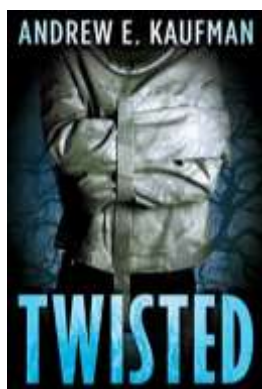
Tyler Dilts

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Former US Army Ranger Sniper Timothy Murphy is having trouble adjusting to civilian life. After two deployments in **Afghanistan and three in Iraq, he's struggling to find his place at home until his brother-in-law offers him an usual job.**

Tim and his wife Hannah arrive in Punta Mina, an enclave of very expensive resorts just up the coast from Puerto Vallarta. Tim is there to provide security for his brother-in-law's **oil exploration company.** Hannah is there to tutor her two young nephews.

But when Hannah and the boys are kidnapped and held for ransom, Tim begins to suspect that the company that employs him has some **dark secrets.** With the kidnapper's demands escalating, **Tim will stop at nothing to get his family back—and Hannah will use everything she's learned from her husband to escape.**



4/7/2015

**Twisted**

Andrew E. Kaufman

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In this taut psychological thriller from Andrew E. Kaufman, bestselling author of *The Lion, the Lamb, the Hunted*, a tormented man must face his fear and enter the mind of a killer to find the truth . . . even if it costs him his sanity.

The psychologist with a troubled past . . . Dr. Christopher Kellan spends his days at Loveland Psychiatric Hospital, overseeing a unit known as Alpha Twelve, home to the most deranged and psychotic killers imaginable. His newest patient, Donny Ray Smith, is accused of murdering ten young girls and making their bodies disappear. But during his first encounter with Donny, Christopher finds something else unsettling: the man looks familiar.

The killer with a secret . . . Donny Ray knows things about Christopher—**things he couldn't have possibly learned at Loveland.** As the psychologist delves deeper into the mysterious patient's case, **Christopher's life whirls out of control.** The contours of his mind are rapidly losing shape, and his grasp on reality is slipping even faster. Is he going mad, or is that what Donny Ray wants him to think?

The terror that binds them . . .

**The Sean Drummond Series**



3/10/2015

**The Night Crew**

Brian Haig

Rights Available: English, Portuguese, French, Chinese, German, Italian, Spanish and Japanese

When cocky Lieutenant Colonel Sean Drummond, an army JAG lawyer, is reassigned from his new role in the CIA to the defend the soldier who is the face of the worst atrocity of the Iraq War—the torture, abuse, and murder of prisoners at the Al Basari prison, complete with photos that have been seen all around the world—**he isn't happy about it.**

Not only does it seem like career suicide, but he is working for a client who did something totally abhorrent. To top it off, someone has **murdered his client's previous lawyer and the lawyer of a codefendant.** As he digs deeper into the sticky, twisted mess of this case, Drummond finds that the conspiracy to cover up what really happened and those responsible reaches from the CIA to the very top of the government. His moral quandary only deepens when it becomes clear that defending his client could reveal secrets that could upset the balance of the war and impact thousands of lives on both sides.

*The Night Crew* is the sixth book in a gripping series by Brian Haig. Information about translation rights to books 1–5 is available upon request.



Zons Crime Series



1/1/2015

**Fatal Puzzle (Book One)**

Catherine Shepherd

Rights Available: All Languages excluding German

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**It's 1495, and in the peaceful medieval city of Zons, on the banks of the Rhine, a young woman is found hanging from a parapet, raped and mutilated.**

A month later, another maiden falls prey. Bastian Mühlenberg, head of the city guard, is determined to decipher the murderer's gruesome code, unaware that he and the woman he loves are in the killer's sights. With the help of an old psychic, a priest, and the stars above, Mühlenberg must solve the "fatal puzzle" before it's too late.

**Present day: the journalist Emily Richter is thrilled when she's assigned a series of articles about the historic Zons killings. However, right before her stories are to be published, a young woman's body is found hanging from a city tower—grossly maimed and wearing a linen gown, like her medieval predecessors. Detective Oliver Bergmann leads the investigation, tapping the knowledge of the attractive young journalist. Working together—and using Mühlenberg's old notes—they race to stay one step ahead of the copycat killer.**

*Fatal Puzzle* was originally written in German, and has been translated into English by Julia Knobloch.



2/1/2015

**Everything Burns**

Vincent Zandri

Rights Available: All Languages

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**When Reece Johnston was a boy, a fire destroyed his home, killing his mother and brothers while leaving him scarred for life. It also kindled something dark inside him: an irresistible attraction to flames in all their terrifying, tantalizing power.**

But after two failed arson attempts—and two trips to the mental ward—he was finally able to put down the matches and pick up the pieces.

With a career as a bestselling crime writer going strong, Reece is working to fix his broken marriage to Lisa and be there for their preteen daughter, Anna. **He's not just dealing with his own demons; there's a world of deadly hurt bearing down on him in the form of the jealous rival he's bested in literature and love, who's determined to see Reece crash . . . and burn.** But a guy like Reece knows how to take the heat. And thanks to his lifelong friendship with fire, he also knows how to bring it.



1/27/2015

**Never Smile At Strangers**

Jennifer Jaynes

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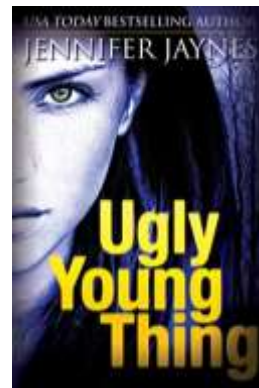
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**In this nationally bestselling thriller, debut novelist Jennifer Jaynes delivers a psychologically riveting page-turner that is packed with surprises and will have readers guessing to the very last page.**

When nineteen-year-old Tiffany Perron vanishes without a trace, the residents of rural Grand Trespas, Louisiana, launch a desperate search to find her. But few clues are unearthed, and before long another young woman disappears.

As locals continue to vanish, residents begin to discover that they might not know those closest to them as well as they had thought. Lies quickly surface, leading everyone to question one another . . . and their involvement in the disappearances.

Meanwhile, a twisted killer is hiding quietly in their midst. Ever since **his mother's murder four years earlier, he's been forced to raise his disturbed teenage sister. He's terrified of her**—and of women in general—and his world revolves around his fear of and obsession over them.



3/3/2015

**Ugly Young Thing**

Jennifer Jaynes

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**Sixteen-year-old Allie has already experienced a lifetime of horror, having lost her mother and serial killer brother to mental illness.**

Returning to her childhood home in Louisiana, Allie ends up in foster care and is placed with Miss Bitty, an eccentric but kindly older woman who shows her a new direction and a brighter future.

**But Allie's new life takes a devastating turn when young women in the area start turning up dead, and she discovers someone lurking outside her bedroom. As Miss Bitty grows inexplicably distant, Allie begins to wonder if death has found her yet again . . . or if it never really left her at all.**



1/27/2015

**Through the Fog**

Michael C. Grumley

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Two weeks after his eighteenth birthday, everything changes for Evan Nash.

When he injures his head after being run down on his bicycle, he begins having strange, harrowing visions whenever he tries to sleep. He turns to psychiatrist Shannon Mayer for help.

Mayer has troubles of her own: her daughter has been kidnapped, and she's desperate for answers. Though she's at first skeptical of Evan's accounts, it quickly becomes clear that his mysterious ailment may be the key to finding her child. Soon Evan's visions prove essential to the case but at a terrible cost. Evan and Shannon face an agonizing decision: Should he risk himself to save the girl?



10/28/2014

**The Carnage Account**

Ben Lieberman

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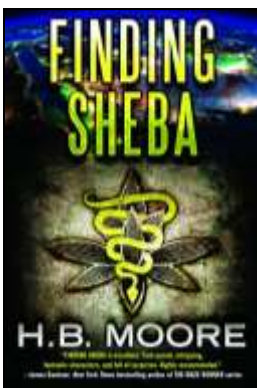
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The acclaimed author of *Odd Jobs* returns with a twisted romp through the dark side of Wall Street.

Hedge fund manager Rory Cage has almost everything: piles of cash, his own NBA team, and a thrilling new profit center that turns murder into money.

He's investing heavily in so-called "death bonds," which allow investors to purchase cut-rate life insurance policies from the living, collecting the full amount when they die. Rory, a true entrepreneur, takes matters—and lives—into his own hands, ensuring a faster payout and sending him down a rabbit hole of sociopathic amusements.

But even murderous madmen want love, and Rory has his heart set on impressive public-relations expert Dawn Knight. There's just one problem: Clay Harbor, a navy SEAL turned doctor who has been carrying a torch for Dawn, is back in town. Clay has chosen to put his energies toward saving lives for the moment, but deep down, he is as skilled and ruthless a killer as Rory.



2/3/2015

**Finding Sheba (An Omar Zagouri Thriller)**

H. B. Moore

Rights Available: All Languages

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An ancient legend is reborn . . . one that might prove the Bible false.

For centuries, historians have theorized the Queen of Sheba as only a seductive legend, and scholars have debated over the legitimacy of King David or King Solomon. When undercover Israeli agent Omar Zagouri stumbles onto a tomb in Northern Jerusalem he unknowingly finds the final clue that threatens to overthrow government claim to the Holy Land, pits wealthy collectors against one another, and sends ruthless archaeologists scrambling to find the queen's secret burial place. An assassination attempt on the Coptic Pope, His Holiness, Patriarch Stephanus II, is only the first in the chain of lethal crimes. Omar must find a way to prevent the greatest discovery of the century from becoming the most deadly.



3/1/2015

**The One That Got Away**

Simon Wood

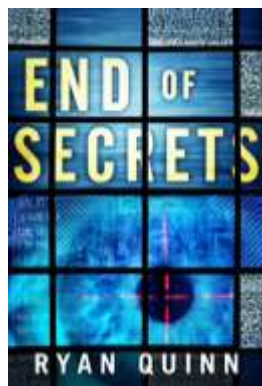
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With an unforgettable heroine, a chillingly disturbed psychopath, and a story that moves at breakneck speed, *The One That Got Away* is thriller writer Simon Wood at his finest.

Graduate students Zoë and Holli only mean to blow off some steam on their road trip to Las Vegas. But something goes terribly wrong on their way home, and the last time Zoë sees her, Holli is in the clutches of a sadistic killer. Zoë flees with her life, changed forever.

A year later and still tortured with guilt, Zoë latches on to a police investigation where the crime eerily resembles her abduction. Along with a zealous detective, she retraces the steps of that fateful night in the desert, hoping that her memory will return and help them find justice for Holli. Her abductor—labeled the "Tally Man" by a fascinated media—lies in wait for Zoë. For him, she is not a survivor but simply the one that got away.

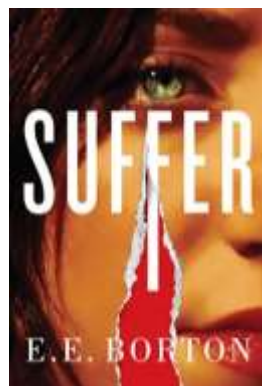


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**End of Secrets**  
 Ryan Quinn  
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A smartly suspenseful and timely thriller, *End of Secrets* dives into the depths of our culture's two most relentless obsessions: entertainment and profit.

Though her specialty is foreign cyber terrorism, CIA agent Kera Mersal finds herself plunged into a bizarre domestic case. Singers, writers, and artists are disappearing, leaving no trace in a world where everyone leaves a digital footprint. Posing as a journalist, Kera attempts to track the artists' last-known movements.

On a hunt that takes her from the underground art scene to a rogue domestic spying program, Kera finds her investigation on a deadly collision course with ONE Corp., the world's largest multimedia conglomerate. As she's drawn deeper into the investigation, she discovers that an enigmatic young ad exec, a wealthy playboy, and a mysterious website may connect the missing artists and ONE's growing power. And with each discovery comes confirmation of a terrifying truth—no one's secrets are safe.



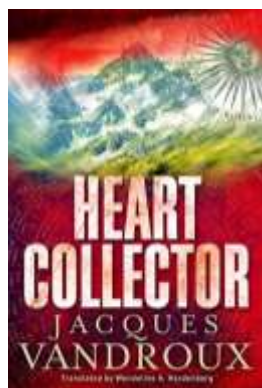
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**Suffer**  
 E. E. Borton  
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Crime meets brutal punishment in this riveting tale of death and revenge.

Kate Freeman opened the front door of her vacation villa to a wolf in sheep's clothing. When instinct made her turn to put her eyes on her son, her world went dark. She awoke disoriented and unable to move. Sitting a few feet away and bound to a chair, her young son sat quietly staring at her. It was only the beginning of a mother's worst nightmare.

After months of agonizing physical therapy to heal the vicious wounds to her body, the Kate who emerged was no longer the loving mother, sister, and friend from before the brutal attack. The Kate that survived was something much different. Something much darker.

Without hesitation or remorse, she will hunt down the man who destroyed her life even if it means destroying her humanity. She will not be deterred. She will not be stopped.



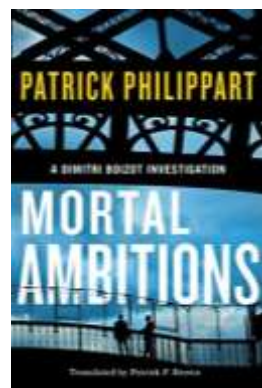
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**Heart Collector**  
 Jacques Vandroux  
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Finding murderers is just a day on the job for police captain Nadia Barka. But when a mutilated corpse is discovered in an old baptistery, she's faced with some difficult questions: Who left a young woman's body in a high-security museum in the middle of the night? And where is the victim's heart?

Barka has no leads, until several days later when unassuming computer technician Julien Lombard comes forward, claiming to have had a premonition of the woman's abduction and murder. The ensuing investigation turns up nothing, however, and Julien is just as skeptical about his intel as the police are. But, after another woman goes missing, Barka decides to take a chance and trust in Julien's gift.

Does Julien hold the key to preventing another gruesome crime? Working together, can they find the murderer before he steals another heart?

*Heart Collector* was originally written in French, and has been translated into English by Wendeline A. Hardenberg.



12/9/2014  
**Mortal Ambitions  
 (A Dimitri Boizot  
 Investigation)**  
 Patrick Philippart  
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*Mortal Ambitions* is a breathtaking, fast-paced thriller starring the lovable antihero Dimitri Boizot, a man who is both tenacious and defeatist.

A July night in Batz-sur-Mer, not far from La Baule. All is quiet, when suddenly a gunshot rips through the silence.

At first glance, the case seems simple: the occupant of one of the villas along the Wild Coast has just killed a burglar in legitimate self-defense. The police and examining magistrate sent to the scene discover that the owner of the villa is none other than a high-profile deputy from Paris. They thus have no desire to be overzealous in their investigation, and take the deputy's statements at face value.

But Dimitri Boizot, a depressive, alcoholic journalist vacationing in the region, senses that something is not quite right. He launches his own investigation, which will lead him from La Baule to Paris by way of Biarritz on the trail of a terrible conspiracy.

*Mortal Ambitions* was originally written in French, and has been translated into English by Patrick F. Brown.

## Jeri Halston Series



1/13/2015

### Ice Man Cometh (Book One)

C. T. Wenthe

Rights Available: All Languages

Jeri Halston should be working on Wall Street, not in a forgotten old bar in Flagstaff. But the brilliant, gorgeous twenty-six-year-old prefers bartending at Joe's Last Stand Saloon to climbing the corporate ladder.

When Jeri starts receiving love letters from an anonymous admirer, she's amused by their far-flung postmarks and coy Polaroids that never quite show the writer's face. Their postscripts are even more intriguing: "Don't order dog." Hilarious but harmless, the letters don't raise any red flags to Jeri—until a hypervigilant homeland security agent discovers that the letters are originating from places where the world's top energy researchers keep turning up dead.

As the mailed missives turn from tame to threatening, Jeri realizes that her nameless, faceless pen pal just might have dragged her into an international terrorism plot. And there's no marking "Return to Sender" on this nightmare.



11/25/2014

### The Neon Lawyer

Victor Methos

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With money and hope in short supply, newly minted attorney Brigham Theodore decides it's time to lower his standards. He joins a seedy fly-by-night firm in Salt Lake City out of desperation. After he loses his first case—a speeding ticket—he's convinced his career is over. But to his shock, his boss hands him a slightly more complex case: capital murder.

Brigham's new client is Amanda Pierce, a lost, exhausted woman who gunned down the man who tortured and killed her six-year-old daughter. A jury may prove sympathetic to her unbearable pain, but the law is no fan of vigilante justice—and neither is Vince Dale, the slick and powerful prosecutor who's never lost a murder case. There's no question that Amanda pulled the trigger—she did it in front of five witnesses. If she pleads guilty, she will avoid a death sentence, but saving her life this way comes with an admission that what she did was wrong. However, if she refuses the "guilty" label, Brigham will have no choice but to fight for his career—and Amanda's life.



12/16/2014

### Bad Blood

Casey Kelleher

Rights Available: All Languages

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Blood makes you related. Loyalty makes you family.

In the underbelly of Soho's organized crime ring, everyone knows that retired boxer Harry Woods is not one to mess with. And that goes double for his family.

Harry has it all: the big house, the flashy cars, and an abundance of wealth. As much as money talks in his world, Harry knows deep down the only thing that really counts is family. Haunted by the sudden death of his wife, he'll do anything to protect his children, but truth is a heavy burden and hidden secrets can unravel even the strongest of bonds . . .

Without loyalty, family are bound together only by blood. Bad blood.



11/25/2014

### Underwater

Julia McDermott

Rights Available: All Languages

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After years of guilt over a long-ago tragedy, Candace Morgan is finally poised for success.

The CEO of her own women's shapewear company, Candace is about to launch a new swimsuit line—and make a fortune. When she is guilted into loaning her brother a huge sum of money for real estate, she believes she's simply fulfilling a family promise. In reality, she's enabling a devious sociopath . . . and now, she's roped into the renovation from hell.

For years, Monty Carawan has envied his sister's wealth. Spiteful and self-centered, he's convinced that her success came at the expense of his own future. But when the housing market plunges and Candace attempts to disentangle herself from Monty's mess, her brother's malicious streak brings the family tension to a dangerous boiling point.



## Elise Sandburg Series



2/25/2014

### Play Dead (Book One)

Anne Frasier

Rights Available: All Languages  
excluding German

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**No one is more familiar with Savannah's dark side than homicide detective and native resident Elise Sandburg.**

She's been haunted for years by her own mysterious past: she was abandoned as a baby in one of the city's ancient cemeteries, and it's rumored that she is the illegitimate daughter of an infamous Savannah witch doctor. The local Gullah culture of voodoo and magic is one that few outsiders can understand, least of all Elise's new partner. Now someone is terrorizing the city, creating real-life zombies by poisoning victims into a conscious paralysis that mimics death. As the chilling case unfolds, Elise is drawn back into the haunted past she's tried so hard to leave behind.



4/22/2014

### Stay Dead (Book Two)

Anne Frasier

Rights Available: All Languages

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Bestselling author Anne Frasier takes readers back to her dark, enchanting Savannah—a place as terrifying as it is mesmerizing.

Homicide detective Elise Sandburg is traumatized after her run-in with a madman the press has dubbed "The Organ Thief." As Elise takes refuge in her deceased aunt Anastasia's abandoned plantation to investigate and recover from her ordeal, she begins to question everything—from her dangerous line of work to her complex relationship with her handsome, tortured partner, David Gould. But with a madman on the loose, and her mother's claims to still hear from Aunt Anastasia, she may have more immediate problems on her hands. In Elise's world, where cold hard crime mixes with the local Gullah culture, nothing is ever what it seems, and no one is above suspicion—not even the dead.

Stay tuned for the third book in the series, *Pretty Dead*, which will be released in Summer 2015!



11/13/2013

### The Fifth Knight (Book One)

E. M. Powell

Rights Available: All Languages

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To escape a lifetime of poverty, mercenary Sir Benedict Palmer agrees to one final, lucrative job: help King Henry II's knights seize the traitor Archbishop Thomas Becket at Canterbury Cathedral. But what begins as a clandestine arrest ends in cold-blooded murder.

And when Fitzurse, the knights' ringleader, kidnaps Theodosia, a beautiful young nun who witnessed the crime, Palmer can sit silently by no longer. For not only is Theodosia's virtue at stake, so too is the secret she unknowingly carries—a secret he knows Fitzurse will torture out of her. Now Palmer and Theodosia are on the run, strangers from different worlds forced to rely only on each other as they race to uncover the hidden motive behind Becket's grisly murder—and the shocking truth that could destroy a kingdom.



12/9/2014

### The Blood of the Fifth Knight (Book Two)

E. M. Powell

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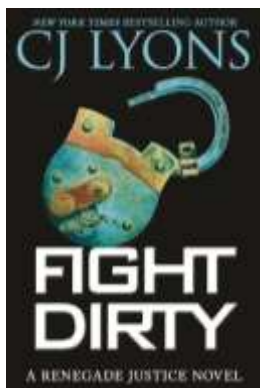
*The Blood of the Fifth Knight* is an intricate medieval murder mystery and a worthy sequel to E. M. Powell's acclaimed historical thriller *The Fifth Knight*.

England, 1176. King Henry II has imprisoned his rebellious queen for attempting to overthrow him. But with her conspirators still at large and a failed assassination attempt on his beautiful mistress, Rosamund Clifford, the king must take action to preserve his reign.

Desperate, Henry turns to the only man he trusts: a man whose skills have saved him once before. Sir Benedict Palmer answers the call, mistakenly believing that his family will remain safe while he attends to his king.

As Palmer races to secure the throne for the king, neither man senses the hand of a brilliant schemer, a mystery figure loyal to Henry's traitorous queen who will stop at nothing to see the king defeated.





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## Fight Dirty

C. J. Lyons

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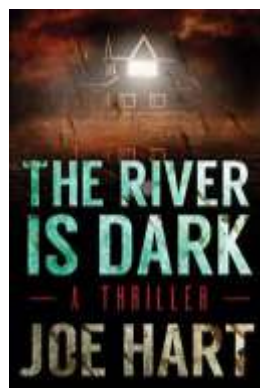
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**Raised to kill by her father, a convicted serial killer, Morgan's problems aren't those of the average teen.**

Morgan wants only one thing: to protect her freedom and not get locked away. So, despite ongoing temptation and a bloody past, she swears off murder.

Seeking to tame her sociopathic instincts, Morgan cons her way into working with security consultants Jenna Galloway and Andre Stone. For their first case, Morgan goes undercover to infiltrate ReNew, a treatment center for troubled teens, to investigate the suicide of a fourteen-year-old girl sent there by her wealthy parents.

While Jenna and Andre search for evidence from the outside, Morgan endures her own worst nightmare posing as an inmate. It isn't long before she discovers that ReNew's unstable patients are the ones who are really in charge—and that some of their psychopathic tendencies rival her own.



9/23/2014

## The River Is Dark

Joe Hart

Rights Available: All Languages

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**In a small town along the Mississippi River, separate but nearly identical attacks have left two married couples brutally murdered in their homes.**

A young boy—the lone survivor of the killings—now lies comatose in the hospital. And the police's only lead is the boy's terrified description of the assailant: a "monster."

Enter former homicide detective Liam Dempsey, whose estranged brother fell victim to the killer. Dragged into the investigation as a suspect, Dempsey vows to solve the case and clear his name. But two things stand between him and the truth: a web of local politics, and the grim secrets the victims held close. All the while, a murderer with boundless hatred continues to raise the body count.

As the troubled ex-cop tries to pull justice from the town's emotional wreckage, he realizes that his could be the next life lost to the killer's ruthless, twisted plan for revenge.



11/4/2014

## No Strings

Mark SaFranko

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**Richard Marzten thinks he's getting away with the perfect affair—his wife will never suspect, and he'll continue his luxurious lifestyle with the addition of afternoon trysts.**

But cheaters never prosper, and, in Richard's case, they may not even live. His lies begin to unravel, and his fling with Gretchen turns from a dream to a nightmare. The man who had it all soon realizes that his foolish foray could cost him everything, and a desperate man is a dangerous man.

Lust, murder, panic, anger . . . where will it end?



11/11/2014

## Hold Still

Lisa Regan

Rights Available: All Languages

**Award-winning author Lisa Regan's *Hold Still* is a captivating thriller that crackles with intensity.**

After years as a patrol cop, detective Jocelyn Rush is almost immune to the depravity that stalks the meaner streets of Philadelphia . . . almost.

After saving her three-year-old daughter from a carjacking, she ends up in the emergency room—and discovers that Anita, a former prostitute and acquaintance from her old days on the beat, has been hideously mutilated in a brutal assault.

With the help of her partner and Philadelphia's Special Victims Unit, Jocelyn discovers that Anita isn't the first victim of these attacks and it looks like she won't be the last. When the violence hits closer to home, Jocelyn knows she must do whatever it takes to stop the sadistic attacker—even if it means confronting a terrible secret from her painful past.

## The Alex Novalis Novels



8/6/2013

### Good Girl, Bad Girl (Book One)

Christopher Finch

Rights Available: All Languages

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Smart and sophisticated, *Good Girl, Bad Girl* provides a rare, fascinating snapshot of late 1960s New York City—a glimpse into the forbidden sex, politics, art, drugs, and counterculture violence that ran rampant in its once gloriously gritty streets.

In May 1968, New York City is broke and on the skids, and private eye Alex Novalis is hard up for gigs. So when he's offered a case from wealthy construction mogul Gabriel Kravitz, he can't refuse. Kravitz's eighteen-year-old daughter Lydia has gone missing. Though she's presumed to be with Jerry Pedrosian, the radical middle-aged artist and known womanizer she'd been sleeping with, there are few clues. Information is hard to come by: everyone seems to be hiding something. And then there's Andrea Marshall, Lydia's miniskirted and vinyl-booted best friend, who Novalis is deeply distrustful of . . . and unfortunately attracted to. But as Novalis traverses the city, tracking Lydia from scummy artists' lofts in pre-gentrified SoHo to luxury penthouses overlooking Central Park, he'll face threats deadlier than any he signed on for.



9/16/2014

### The Girl From Nowhere (Book Two)

Christopher Finch

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**Christopher Finch's sophisticated sequel to *Good Girl, Bad Girl* unfolds against the background of a volatile era of social upheaval.**

"I'm being followed," she said. "I think he wants to kill me."

When a panicked young woman slips her hand into his in 1960s Chinatown, just before a knife-wielding stalker attacks, private eye Alex Novalis finds his cherished hard-boiled persona threatened by a romantic streak that has a habit of getting him into trouble. Sandy Smollett is triple trouble—a stripper who comes on like the girl next door and has a way of bending the truth to suit any occasion. Novalis finds her irresistible.

**It doesn't help that her mobster boss, a sleazy politico, and an attorney brandishing an envelope stuffed with cash all warn Novalis that Sandy is strictly off limits. Things don't get easier when Novalis finds a dead man in her apartment, or when they both are kidnapped by homicidal thugs. Who is Sandy Smollett? For once she tells the truth when she tells Novalis, "I'm the Girl from Nowhere."**

## The Chris Bruen Novels



8/6/2013

### The Adversary (Book One)

Reece Hirsch

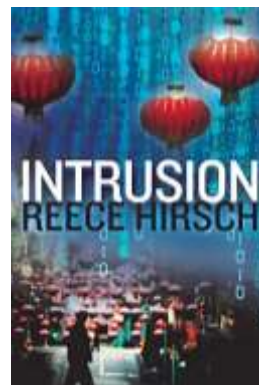
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Former DOJ cybercrimes prosecutor Chris Bruen walks into a dark apartment in Amsterdam to confront a hacker known as Black Vector.

**The hacker has stolen the source code for the world's most ubiquitous operating system, which powers everything from personal computers to the NSA's data centers. This should have been a routine assignment for Bruen, but instead of obtaining a confession, Bruen finds the hacker's dead body and uncovers a hidden flash drive that contains the code for a remarkably sophisticated computer virus known as Lurker.**

Upon his return home to San Francisco, Bruen finds himself the target of a shadowy group of hackers who plan on unleashing Lurker, which will bring a major US city to its knees in seven days. Suddenly, Bruen is framed as the planner of the cyberattack, making him the top suspect in an international manhunt. Bruen must stay ahead of the FBI and CIA in a race across Europe while he tries to decode the virus, find the hackers, and clear his name.



12/9/2014

### Intrusion (Book Two)

Reece Hirsch

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**When a powerful client summons him for a midnight meeting, lawyer Chris Bruen knows something is very wrong. Zapper, the world's most popular search engine, has been compromised and its most valuable asset—search algorithms—stolen. The company suspects that this most recent instance in a wave of high-tech crimes originated in China, and that the government itself is behind the systematic theft of US intellectual property.**

Chris travels to China to search for evidence that will link the intrusion to the People's Liberation Army. With remote assistance from Zoey Doucet, the head of his firm's computer forensics lab and his maybe-girlfriend, Chris uncovers information that takes him even deeper into the shadowy world of cybercrime. Now he is trapped in a foreign land with a hard drive containing information that puts his life in jeopardy. In this secretive world of Big Data, Chris will risk everything to fight an elusive enemy as far-reaching as the Internet itself.

Stay tuned for the third book in the series, *The Watchers*, which will be released in Spring 2016!

## Help Innocent Prisoners Project



11/12/2013  
**Unintended Consequences (Book One)**  
 Marti Green  
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Nineteen years ago, Indiana police found the body of a young girl, burned beyond recognition and buried in the woods.

They arrested George Calhoun for murdering his daughter, and his wife testified against him at the trial. **George maintains he didn't do it. That the body isn't his little Angelina. But that's all he's ever said**—no other defense. The jury convicted him. Now his appeals have been exhausted, and his execution is just six weeks away.

Dani Trumball, an attorney for the Help Innocent Prisoners Project, wants to believe him. After all, there was no forensic evidence to prove that the body in the woods was **George's daughter. But if the girl isn't Angelina, then who is it?**



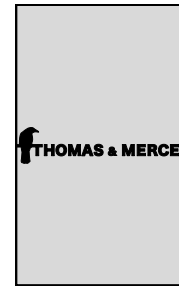
11/4/2014  
**Presumption of Guilt (Book Two)**  
 Marti Green  
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Twelve years ago, teenager Molly Singer was tried and convicted for murdering her parents.

Molly was sentenced to two consecutive life terms in prison, torn away from her newborn daughter, and forsaken by those closest to her. But now, a series of anonymous letters proclaim her innocence—and point a finger at a deadly conspiracy.

Attorney Dani Trumball specializes in defending the wrongfully imprisoned at the Help Innocent Prisoners Project. But taking **Molly's case means taking on a hard-hearted justice system that doesn't like do-overs . . .** and a merciless killer who will do anything to keep a secret history of dirty deals buried.

Only the truth will set Molly free and reunite her broken family. And only Dani has any chance of finding it in a showdown that will push her legal talents—and her survival skills—to the very edge.



7/21/2015  
**The Price of Justice (Book Three)**  
 Marti Green  
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*The Price of Justice* is the third book in the gripping Help Innocent Prisoners Project.

Praise for *Unintended Consequences* (Book One):

*"Unintended Consequences is an engrossing, well conceived legal thriller. Most enjoyable."*  
 —Scott Turow, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Presumed Innocent* and *Innocent*

## The Shipwreck series

The Shipwreck Trilogy blends seafaring adventure and far-flung exotic settings with dashes of local history and romance.



2/19/2013  
**Circle of Bones (Book One)**  
 Christine Kling  
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Sex and adventure meet history and intrigue in this breathless nautical thriller that spans decades to imagine a fascinating answer to the real-life mystery of the vanished French sub, *Surcouf*.

When Maggie Riley sets sail for the Caribbean, all she wants is a little R&R before starting a work assignment in Dominica. The last thing Maggie expects is to rescue Cole Thatcher, a sexy—but possibly nuts—conspiracy-spouting archaeologist found swimming nude off the island of Guadeloupe. It turns out Cole is searching for the wreckage of a vanished World War II submarine, claiming it holds millions in gold coins and classified documents from a powerful inner circle of the secret society Skull and Bones.

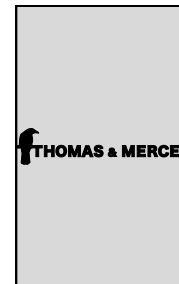
Maggie has enough skeletons to deal with. But when she learns her own past may intersect this inner circle of Bonesmen, she realizes Cole might not be so crazy after all . . .



6/1/2014  
**Dragon's Triangle (Book Two)**  
 Christine Kling  
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Searching for her missing grandfather, Maggie Riley discovers lost love and embarks on a voyage to find World War II treasure hidden in the Philippines.

Maggie Riley and Cole Thatcher reunite in **their search for Yamashita's gold in the sequel** to *Circle of Bones*. Maggie Riley has settled into her new life in Thailand, working aboard her sailboat and doing her best to leave the past behind. When she receives an unexpected letter from an old World War II vet, claiming to have served with her grandfather who went missing in action, Riley is once again pulled into the intrigue that tore her family apart and led to the disappearance of Cole Thatcher, her former search partner—and love of her life. **With her grandfather's gold Tibetan prayer gau and the secret code it contains, Riley must head to the Philippines to hunt for a mysterious shipwreck, uncover the truth of Yamashita's gold, and find the answers to old** questions about her own family.



10/27/2015  
**Knight's Cross (Book Three)**  
 Christine Kling  
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 Audio

The third and final book in the Shipwreck Trilogy follows Maggie Riley on another adventure to explore sunken ships in exotic locales.

Mixing historic intrigue and contemporary thrills with a thread of romance, this book provides a satisfying finale to an exciting trilogy.

## Long Beach Homicides



7/29/2010  
**A King of Infinite Space (Book One)**  
 Tyler Dilts  
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*A King of Infinite Space* is a riveting crime novel that serves as a memorable introduction for Danny Beckett to the ranks of fiction's favorite hardened detectives.

Long Beach, California, homicide detective Danny Beckett is pouring the weekend's first shot of vodka when the call comes in: Elizabeth Williams, a teacher at nearby Warren High School, has been brutally murdered in her classroom. When Danny arrives at the school, the blood-spattered crime scene turns even his veteran stomach. What could this young woman have done to make her the target of such a violent attack? And what is the significance of the victim's left hand, taken by the killer as a grisly trophy?

Beckett delves into the case with his usual tenacious cool, yet as he pieces together the facts, long-suppressed anguish from his own past rises up with stunning force. His hunt for the murderer soon morphs into a personal quest for atonement as he struggles to come to terms with the loss of his wife and family.



10/30/2012  
**The Pain Scale (Book Two)**  
 Tyler Dilts  
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Detective Danny Beckett returns from a year-long medical leave badly scarred and in constant pain, yet determined to prove he still has what it takes to do the job.

He gets his chance when a call comes in that shocks even the toughest guys in the squad room: **A California congressman's daughter-in-law** and grandchildren have been brutally murdered in their upscale home. At first glance, it looks like a robbery gone wrong, but Danny's not so sure. **Something doesn't quite add up.**

With state and local law enforcement in an uproar and the media circling like vultures, the pressure's on for Danny and his partner, Jennifer Tanaka, to solve this one. Too much is at stake . . . and not just politically. Even if they manage to crack the case, **there's no guarantee the stress won't derail Danny's recovery. Because while the doctors can treat his physical pain, no one can erase the agony of the past that haunts every step he takes—and threatens to destroy his career once and for all.**



9/1/2014  
**A Cold and Broken Hallelujah (Book Three)**  
 Tyler Dilts  
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On a sweltering September night, Detective Danny Beckett is called to a grisly crime scene at the mouth of the Los Angeles River. A defenseless homeless man has been burned to death by three teenagers with gang ties.

The suspects are already in custody, and the evidence is overwhelming—but when one suspect's brother is targeted for murder, Danny starts to think there may be more to this seemingly clear-cut case. Obsessed with discovering the true identity of the victim, a gentle vagrant who may have been hiding a tortured past, Danny and his team start to uncover a high-reaching conspiracy that puts them all at risk—and threatens to open new wounds that could cut even deeper than Danny's old ones.

## Red Cell Series

For freedom's ultimate defenders, there can be no fear, no mercy . . . and no rules.



10/9/2012  
**Arctic Fire (Book One)**  
 Stephen Frey  
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An adrenaline-pumping tale of one man's descent into a hellish underworld populated by terrorists, assassins, and very bad "good guys"

Troy Jensen could do it all: he conquered the Seven Summits, sailed solo around the world twice, and even fought a bull in a Mexican slum on a dare. So when word comes that a rogue wave has swept Troy off a crab-fishing boat in the Bering Sea and into a watery grave, his brother, Jack, doesn't buy it. Against his better judgment, Jack decides to quit his job as a Wall Street trader and head to Dutch Harbor, Alaska, to investigate. Minutes after revealing his plan in his father's New York City office, Jack is nearly run down in the street. He doesn't think much of it at the time, but as he digs deeper into Troy's disappearance, Jack unearths information about Red Cell Seven (RCS), a supersecret American intelligence group that has operated for forty years in almost total secrecy and with complete impunity—and its leaders intend to keep it that way at any cost.



1/21/2014  
**Red Cell Seven (Book Two)**  
 Stephen Frey  
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The sequel from the bestselling author of *Arctic Fire*, *Red Cell Seven* delivers edge-of-your-seat action.

Created more than forty years ago by secret executive order, Red Cell Seven is a highly classified intelligence agency tasked with protecting America from the most catastrophic of terrorist attacks. But in the aftermath of a string of deadly terrorist attacks across the nation, Red Cell Seven finds itself drawn into a conspiracy that threatens to tear the organization apart. The president himself calls on Troy Jensen, a high-level clandestine operative and the son of Red Cell Seven's current leader, to spearhead the hunt for the terrorists—even though Troy is still reeling from the murder of his brother. The deeper Troy digs, the clearer it becomes that the "Holiday Mall Attacks" are just the opening salvo in fiendishly complex plot.

Powerful forces are working to undermine Red Cell Seven, and Troy will have to risk everything to uncover the truth and protect what's left of his family.



9/30/2014  
**Kodiak Sky (Book Three)**  
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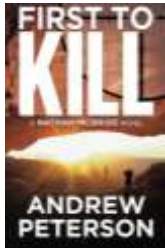
For decades, the top-secret Red Cell Seven unit has operated beyond the reach of the law—defending the United States by any means necessary, with absolute impunity. But the tables have turned, and the untouchable anti-terror squad is under attack.

Determined to end Red Cell Seven's ruthless, lawless existence, the US president has tapped military assassin extraordinaire Skylar McCoy to lead a covert search and destroy mission. But McCoy isn't the only one gunning for Red Cell Seven. A vengeful drug lord has dispatched his own hired killers to eliminate the elite commandos as the first step in the ultimate terrorist plot: exterminating the highest echelons of American government. Caught in the middle, the agents of RC7 must fight their dirtiest, most devastating battle—and dare to decide who will be saved or sacrificed for the greater good.



## Nathan McBride Series

A bestselling thriller series—part Jack Reacher, part Jason Bourne—featuring former military sniper and covert CIA operative, Nathan McBride.



8/21/2012

**First to Kill (Book One)**

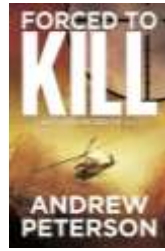
Andrew Peterson

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Ten years ago, a botched mission in Nicaragua ended covert ops specialist **Nathan McBride's CIA career**. Now he utilizes his unique skill set in the private sector—until the night Frank Ortega, former director of the FBI, calls in a favor.

A deep-cover federal agent has vanished, along with a ton of Semtex explosives, and Ortega needs them found—fast. Because for him, this mission is personal: the missing agent is his grandson. And Nathan McBride is the only man he trusts to save him. But it quickly becomes clear that something bigger than even Ortega could have imagined is at stake.



8/21/2012

**Forced to Kill (Book Two)**

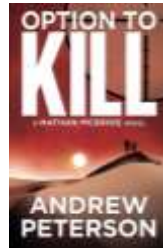
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Trained marine sniper Nathan McBride is the sole survivor of Montez de Oca, the brutal Nicaraguan interrogator who tortured countless souls to death before vanishing fourteen years ago.

**Though McBride's body**—as well as his soul—still bear the scars from the interrogator's blade, he dares to hope the worst is behind him. But when the FBI recovers a mutilated body from a remote Utah lake, McBride needs just one glimpse to know the truth: Montez de Oca has resurfaced, this time on American soil. And McBride will be damned if he lets him escape again.



9/6/2012

**Option to Kill (Book Three)**

Andrew Peterson

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**Nathan McBride, "the most brutally effective thriller hero to appear in years" (Ridley Pearson, author of *Killer Weekend*)**, returns in the third installment of one of the best new series in thriller fiction.

When Nathan McBride receives a text message from someone who claims **she's been kidnapped, it triggers a deadly chain of events** that has the potential to haunt him for the rest of his life. Nathan will soon learn that nothing from his past could ever **prepare him for the crisis he'll soon be facing**.



4/29/2014

**Ready to Kill (Book Four)**

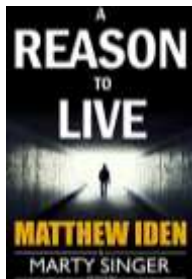
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When a mysterious note referencing a top-secret US operation is tossed over the wall of the embassy in Nicaragua, Nathan McBride and his old pal Harv are called out of retirement by CIA Director Rebecca Cantrell and sent to Central America. Cantrell wants the situation resolved quickly and knows that Nathan is the man to do it—after all, he has a history with the place. To make it out alive a second time, Nathan will have to face down his own demons and square off with a ruthless killer who learned from the best: Nathan himself.

Stay tuned for the next book in the Nathan McBride series, *Willing to Kill*, which will be released in Spring 2015!

## Marty Singer Mysteries



12/16/2014

**A Reason to Live (Book One)**

Matthew Iden

Rights Available: All Languages

In the late nineties, a bad cop killed a good woman and DC Homicide Detective Marty Singer got to watch as the murderer walked out of the courtroom a free man.

**Twelve years later, the victim's daughter comes to Marty begging for help: the killer is stalking her now.**

**There's just one problem: Marty's retired . . . and he's retired because he's battling cancer. But with a second shot at the killer—and a first chance at redemption—Marty's just found *A Reason to Live*.**



12/16/2014

**Blueblood (Book Two)**

Matthew Iden

Rights Available: All Languages

Four unrelated murders. Nothing special in Washington, DC. Not even good enough to make the evening news. But then a concerned police lieutenant approaches retired homicide Detective Marty Singer with a simple fact that changes everything.

They were all cops.

In a race to stop the killings, Marty tackles the homicide investigation from the outside, chasing the killer from deadly Southeast DC to the heart of the Virginia gangland, on a mission to stop the spilling of yet more *Blueblood*.



12/16/2014

**One Right Thing (Book Three)**

Matthew Iden

Rights Available: All Languages

Retired DC Homicide Detective Marty Singer is driving through rural Virginia when he sees a billboard by the side of the road with the picture of a man and a simple, stunning question:

J. D. HOPE WAS MURDERED ON MAY 6TH. DO YOU KNOW WHY?

To most, the message means nothing. But Marty stops the car, turns around, and rushes headlong into a deadly mix of drugs, lies, and double-crosses.

**Because Marty's got his own history with the man on the sign . . . and he needs to find out who murdered J. D. Hope and why if he wants to do *One Right Thing*.**



12/16/2014

**The Spike (Book Four)**

Matthew Iden

Rights Available: All Languages

Retired DC Homicide Detective Marty Singer witnesses a horrific murder and the family of the victim hires him to find the killer. But when he peels back the cover on the case, Marty discovers a rotten core of corruption, graft, and violence that runs from the lowest city street to the top of the political food chain. The only way to catch the killer is to dive right in—and stay alive long enough to find out who or what is *The Spike*.



12/16/2014

**The Wicked Flee (Book Five)**

Matthew Iden

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A late-night knock on his door pulls retired DC Homicide Detective Marty Singer out of a sound sleep and drops him into a desperate hunt to find Lucy Rhee, the kidnapped sister of his friend, Chuck Rhee. With no clues, no leads, and almost no hope, they've only got guts and instinct to discover where *The Wicked Flee*—and save **Lucy before she's gone forever**.





12/9/2014  
**A Density of Souls**  
 Christopher Rice  
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*A Density of Souls* is a stunning debut novel that uncovers the darker side of the teenage psyche.

Four childhood friends in present-day New Orleans are torn apart by envy, passion, and a secret murder.

Five years ago, Meredith, Brandon, Greg, and Stephen quickly discover the fragile boundaries between friendship and betrayal as they enter high school and form new allegiances. Meredith, Brandon, and Greg gain popularity, while Stephen is viciously treated as an outcast. Then two violent deaths destroy the already delicate bonds of their friendship.

When the friends are drawn back together, new facts about their mutual history are exposed and what was held to be a tragic accident is revealed as murder. As the true story emerges, other secrets begin to unravel with more dangerous, far-reaching consequences.



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**Light Before Day**  
 Christopher Rice  
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In this supercharged modern noir tale of sex, drugs, and revenge from nationally bestselling author Christopher Rice, getting to the bottom of a scandalous story can be dangerous... if not downright fatal.

Adam Murphy wants to be a serious journalist. Unfortunately, he spends his days writing copy about underwear and abs for a gay lifestyle magazine. When a troubled young porn star brings him a tip about a recently deceased marine's secret visit to an infamous pimp for underage boys, Adam is determined to break the story... until someone starts threatening his life.

Undeterred, Adam begins to unravel a deadly conspiracy involving runaway sugar daddies, salacious A-list parties, and three handsome young men who have vanished without a trace. Now he must enter the seedy underbelly of Los Angeles to find the truth behind their disappearances, as well as the disappearance of his ex-lover, Corey—who may have some deadly secrets of his own.



12/9/2014  
**The Snow Garden**  
 Christopher Rice  
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In this emotionally gripping tale, the past may seem buried, but it can come back with a deadly vengeance.

A shocking death exposes dangerous forces of seduction, obsession, and vengeance lurking beneath the idyllic surface of a prestigious New England university.

It is more than just the late November weather that has cast a chill over the campus of Atherton University. When the wife of respected professor Eric Eberman is killed in a tragic accident, his secret student lover, Randall Stone, fears the professor tried to avert career suicide by committing homicide. **Or do the dead woman's haunting last words** point to an even more damning crime?

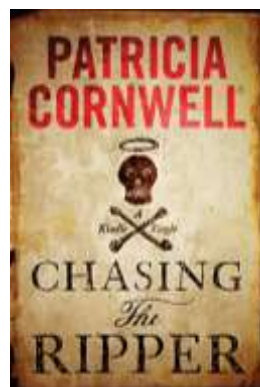
**Fearing the truth, Randall digs into his lover's** hidden history. But what he finds draws him and everyone he cares for into a dark dance of sexual manipulation, twisted retribution, and murderous rage where nothing is as it seems. And no one will escape from it unscathed... if they escape at all.



7/22/2014  
**Because We Are: A Novel of Haiti**  
 Ted Oswald  
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*Because We Are* is a profound and mesmerizing tale of a young girl's search for justice in an unjust world, set against the vivid and tumultuous backdrop of modern-day Haiti.

Ten-year-old orphan Libète has been hardened by the daily struggle to survive in Cité Soleil, Haiti's most infamous slum. But when she and her best friend, Jak, discover a young mother and her baby brutally murdered in a nearby marsh, it's unlike anything she's encountered before. Though initially shocked, the adults of Cité Soleil move on quickly from the event; after all, death is commonplace in this community. Undaunted, Libète takes action with Jak in tow, plunging herself into a dangerous, far-reaching plot that will change her irrevocably and threaten everything she holds dear.



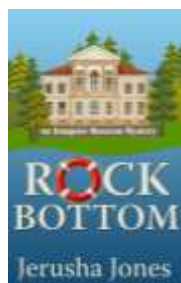
11/25/2014  
**Chasing the Ripper**  
 Patricia Cornwell  
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In 2001, nationally bestselling crime novelist Patricia Cornwell was pulled into a real-life investigation of her own—the long-unsolved and deeply unsettling “**Jack the Ripper**” murders that mesmerized London in the late 1800s.

Applying modern science and forensic techniques to a century-old crime, Cornwell's research led to the publication of *Portrait of a Killer*, in which she identified the renowned British painter Walter Sickert as the Ripper. The book became a bestseller but also embroiled Cornwell in controversy as Ripperologists dismissed her claims and her credibility. But for Cornwell, the book was only the beginning.

For more than a decade, Cornwell has devoted countless hours and invested millions in her pursuit of new evidence against Sickert. Now, twelve years later, Cornwell revisits the most notorious unsolved crime in history—determined to solve the mystery once and for all.

## The Imogene Museum Mysteries



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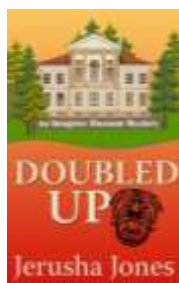
### Rock Bottom (Book One)

Jerusha Jones

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Audio

Meredith Morehouse, curator of the eclectic Imogene Museum, is suddenly short-staffed. Her favorite (and only) graduate student intern, Greg, is missing—without leaving behind so much as an empty pizza box, to say nothing of a note.

Plus, a prowler has been rearranging the **museum's brand new chamber pot exhibit**. When Meredith's nighttime vigil to flush out the intruder results in witnessing a murder, she calls in Sheriff Marge Stettler. Soon nearly all the other inhabitants of the small town of Platts Landing, Washington (including hunky tugboat captain Pete Sills), are in on the hunt—for the killers and a body that's drifting down the Columbia River. Is the dead man her intern or somebody else? And if it's somebody else, where on earth is Greg?



12/16/2014

### Doubled Up (Book Two)

Jerusha Jones

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All Languages,  
Audio

Museum curator Meredith Morehouse stumbles upon the remnants of a stolen shipment of scary-looking wood **figurines, but she can't tell if they are** smuggled national treasures or clever fakes.

While Meredith is sucked into the secret federal probe of the fishy figurines and their importer, her ex-fiancé—a man so annoyingly arrogant he could easily drive someone to murder—returns for another round of **marriage proposals, and he won't take no for an answer**. Just when her friendship with tugboat captain Pete Sills might be heating up . . . **What's a girl to do?**



12/16/2014

### Sight Shot (Book Three)

Jerusha Jones

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When asked to research old documents for a local family, Meredith Morehouse, curator of the eclectic Imogene Museum, jumps at the chance. As if she **didn't already have enough to do**.

**She's trying to hire a new gift shop manager** while also keeping tabs on Rupert Hagg, the eccentric museum director who is remarkably blind to the wiles of a persistent, gold-digging newcomer. And she still needs to find time to see Pete Sills, the hardworking tugboat captain **she's just started dating**. Then Meredith's research unearths hints that a decade-old suicide might not have been suicide after all. So many secrets in the small, riverside town of Platts Landing, Washington. Will someone kill again to hide the truth?



12/16/2014

### Tin Foil (Book Four)

Jerusha Jones

Rights Available:  
All Languages,  
Audio

When Meredith Morehouse and her fisherman friend, George, narrowly **miss death via explosion, Meredith's** curiosity instinct kicks in.

**The explosion could've been accidental . . . but** Meredith is about to take the witness stand in Sockeye County's trial of the decade. And George's earlier hint that he needs to talk to Meredith's new beau, tugboat captain Pete Sills, about something he's seen indicates not all is peaceful along the Columbia River.

**Can Meredith and Pete sort out George's** frightening suspicions before someone puts one or all of them out of commission?



12/16/2014

### Faux Reel (Book Five)

Jerusha Jones

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All Languages,  
Audio

Someone has broken into the Imogene Museum.

Curator Meredith Morehouse finds an empty ornate frame, the still-life painting hurriedly sheared from its moorings, and calls in Sheriff Marge Stettler as she scrambles to identify the burglar. Not because his taste in art is **questionable but because the thief's intimate** knowledge of the museum and its collections indicates much more is at stake.

**Is the thief a friend or stranger? It doesn't help** that the population of Platts Landing, Washington, has just blossomed with the influx of Hollywood movie-types roaming the countryside in search of the perfect setting for **their next documentary**. Nor that Meredith's boyfriend, Pete, has just spotted his ex-girlfriend among the production crew.

**Can Meredith protect Sockeye County's iconic** cultural institution and her beloved employer, Rupert Hagg, from the thief's sinister intent?



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### Shift Burn (Book Six)

Jerusha Jones

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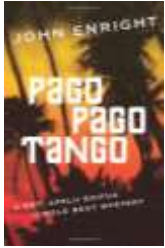
After weeks of fire danger warnings and several wildfire flare-ups, the residents of Sockeye County, Washington, are on edge. When a fire threatens the Imogene Museum, curator Meredith Morehouse realizes the frequency and increasing size of the conflagrations **aren't as random as they seem**.

Meredith already has her hands full with a brand new endowment for shoring up the **Imogene's crumbling foundation, plus the** imminent arrival of the most valuable collection that the museum has scored to date. **And Meredith's significant other, the rugged** Pete Sills, wants another kind of date—a nonnegotiable wedding date.

Can Meredith and Pete and Sheriff Marge Stettler stop the arsonist before their tinder-dry community goes up in flames?

## Jungle Beat Mystery Series

Detective Sergeant Apelu Soifua spends his days solving white men's crimes in American Samoa, where the clash of native and colonial cultures makes for uniquely challenging—and complicated—police work.



10/23/2012

**Pago Pago Tango**

John Enright

Rights Available: All Languages

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Detective Sergeant Apelu Soifua spent seven years in the San Francisco Police Department, where the job was just a job and solving crimes required cool detachment. But back home on American Samoa, life is personal—especially for a cop. Because on a small island where no one is a stranger and secrets are widely known but never discussed, solving crimes requires a certain . . . finesse. Here, Apelu must walk the line between two cultures: Samoan versus American, native versus new. And that gulf never yawns wider than **when a white family's home in Pago Pago is burglarized.**



5/21/2013

**Fire Knife Dancing**

John Enright

Rights Available: All Languages

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Samoan detective Apelu Soifua lives on the knife edge of two disparate cultures, navigating a perilous dance between native and new that, over the years, has landed him in his fair share of trouble. So when a routine patrol on a remote jungle estate uncovers an **interisland smuggling ring, it doesn't take long for Apelu to realize there's more than just cigarettes and bootleg CDs at stake. Someone in Apelu's corner of paradise is trafficking humans—and they won't think twice about setting up a cop to take the fall.**



3/25/2014

**The Dead Don't Dance**

John Enright

Rights Available: All Languages

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Rumored to hold more spirits than people, the remote tropical paradise **To'aga frightens many Samoan locals—but not Detective Apelu Soifua.** Reeling from the loss of his daughter, Apelu retreats to the island for a self-imposed exile.

But after a crew of surveyors arrives, Apelu makes a disturbing discovery: foreign investors plan to build a resort hotel on the coast, a project **sure to destroy the To'aga coral reef and shatter the island's peaceful way of life.** When tensions rise and someone—or something—commits a gruesome murder, Apelu must force himself out of retirement to solve the case.



12/2/2014

**Blood Jungle Ballet**

John Enright

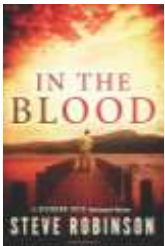
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A disquieting string of murders terrorizes the remote, lush island of Samoa. Detective Sergeant Apelu Soifua has seen a lot in his time with the police force, but even he is unsettled by the bodies that have started piling up. At first, the **murders don't seem connected—a local transvestite found castrated and brutalized, a visiting politician who drops dead on the dance floor, a prison guard and an inmate who kill each other—but as Apelu works with the hospital's new medical examiner to find out who is behind the killings, a disturbing pattern emerges.** And the closer they get to the killer, the more destructive he becomes.

## The Jefferson Tayte Genealogical Mystery Series

Engrossing, highly readable epic tales that follow family histories and dark secrets, royal conspiracies and heir hunts, starring American genealogist Jefferson Tayte, something of a modern Sherlock Holmes.



3/18/2014

**In the Blood (Book One)**

Steve Robinson

Rights Available: All Languages

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Two hundred years ago a loyalist family fled to England to escape the American War of Independence and seemingly vanished into thin air. American genealogist Jefferson Tayte is hired to find out what happened, but it soon becomes apparent that a calculated killer is out to stop him.

*In the Blood* combines a centuries-old mystery with a present-day thriller that brings two people from opposite sides of the Atlantic together to uncover a series of carefully hidden crimes.



11/24/2013

**To the Grave (Book Two)**

Steve Robinson

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

**A curiously dated child's suitcase** arrives, unannounced and unexplained, in a modern-day Washington suburb. A week later, Jefferson Tayte is sitting in an English hotel room, staring at the wrong end of a loaded gun.

In his latest journey into the past, Tayte lands in wartime Leicestershire, England. With *To the Grave*, Steve Robinson confirms his status as a master of the taut and delicately constructed historical thriller.



3/18/2014

**The Last Queen of England (Book Three)**

Steve Robinson

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

While on a visit to London, Jefferson **Tayte's old friend and colleague dies** in his arms. Before long, Tayte and a truth-seeking historian, Professor Jean Summer, find themselves following a corpse-ridden trail that takes them to the Royal Society of London, circa 1708. What to make of the story of five men of science, colleagues of Isaac Newton and Christopher Wren, who were mysteriously hanged for high treason?

As they edge closer to the truth, Tayte and the professor find that death is once again in season.



10/21/2014

**The Lost Empress (Book Four)**

Steve Robinson

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

On a foggy night in 1914, the ocean liner *Empress of Ireland* sank en route to England and now lies at the **bottom of Canada's Saint Lawrence River.** The disaster saw a loss of life comparable to the *Titanic*, and yet her tragedy has been forgotten.


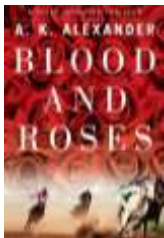
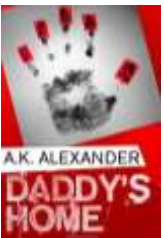
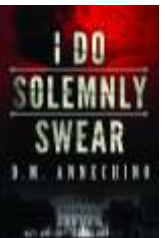






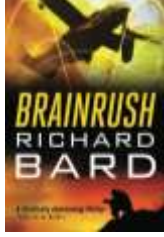
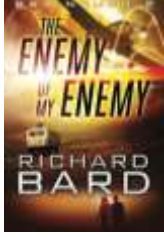
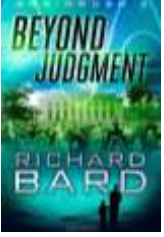


When Tayte is shown a locket belonging to one of the *Empress's* victims, a **British admiral's daughter** named Alice Stilwell, he must travel to England to understand the course of events that led to her death.

In *The Lost Empress*, Tayte is drawn to one of the greatest tragedies in maritime history.



Backlist Titles



 <p>11/27/2012</p> <p><b>The Neighbors</b></p> <p>Ania Ahlborn</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>At the intersection of <i>Blue Velvet</i> and <i>Basic Instinct</i> lies <i>The Neighbors</i>, an insidiously entertaining tale of psychological suspense and mounting terror by the boldest master of the form, Ania Ahlborn.</p>	 <p>8/20/2013</p> <p><b>Blood and Roses (Holly Jennings Thriller)</b></p> <p>A. K. Alexander</p> <p>Rights Available: English, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Spanish Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Someone is torturing and killing high-stakes players in the horse-racing world, deliberately mimicking equine injuries. Legs shattered, knees hobbled, shot point-blank between the eyes, all signs point to an animal activist gone rogue. But San Diego CSI Holly Jennings knows better.</p>	 <p>3/26/2013</p> <p><b>Daddy's Home</b></p> <p>A. K. Alexander</p> <p>Rights Available: Italian, Spanish, French, Japanese Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>A national bestseller, this edgy page-turner is guaranteed to keep readers riveted into the wee hours of the morning.</p>	 <p>10/16/2012</p> <p><b>I Do Solemnly Swear</b></p> <p>D. M. Annechino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>A traitor lies in wait as a widespread conspiracy infiltrates the highest level of government in <b>D. M. Annechino's third novel</b>, a bold, fast-paced political thriller.</p>	 <p>10/11/2011</p> <p><b>Resuscitation</b></p> <p>D. M. Annechino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Two years ago, Detective Sami Rizzo narrowly escaped a brush with death at the hands of a serial killer. After apprehending the killer and bringing him to justice, this life-changing event compels her to resign from the police force. In her heart of hearts, however, she struggles with the decision.</p>
 <p>12/18/2012</p> <p><b>Opal Fire (The Stacy Justice Mysteries, Book One)</b></p> <p>Barbra Annino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>With its strong, sexy heroine and her razor-sharp wit, and its collection of eccentric small-town characters, <i>Opal Fire</i> introduces a bewitching new mystery series.</p>	 <p>12/18/2012</p> <p><b>Bloodstone (The Stacy Justice Mysteries, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Barbra Annino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Picking up where <i>Opal Fire</i> left off, the second book in the spellbinding Stacy Justice series dazzles with even more magic, mystery, and mayhem—revealing the dark secrets of the Geraghty clan.</p>	 <p>12/18/2012</p> <p><b>Tiger's Eye (The Stacy Justice Mysteries, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Barbra Annino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Continuing the thrilling Stacy Justice saga, <i>Tiger's Eye</i> drives the reluctant witch deeper into <b>the mysteries of her family's</b> past . . . and the darker regions of her soul.</p>	 <p>7/2/2013</p> <p><b>Emerald Isle (The Stacy Justice Mysteries, Book Four)</b></p> <p>Barbra Annino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Stacy Justice may be a witch, but she still wants a nice, normal twenty-ninth birthday. Unfortunately, Stacy rarely gets normal.</p>	 <p>5/13/2014</p> <p><b>Obsidian Curse (The Stacy Justice Mysteries, Book Five)</b></p> <p>Barbra Annino</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>This fifth book in the Stacy Justice series offers more of the dazzling magic and heart-stopping thrills that have left readers spellbound.</p>
 <p>4/30/2013</p> <p><b>Brainrush (Brainrush, Book One)</b></p> <p>Richard Bard</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German, Hungarian, Russian</p> <p>Before he slid into the MRI machine, Jake Bronson was just an ordinary guy with terminal cancer. But when an earthquake hits during the procedure, Jake staggers from the wreckage a profoundly changed man, now endowed with uncanny mental abilities. An ocean away, Luciano <b>Battista wants a piece of Jake's</b> talent.</p>	 <p>4/30/2013</p> <p><b>The Enemy of My Enemy (Brainrush, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Richard Bard</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Bestselling author Richard Bard returns with his highly rated Brainrush thriller series, pitting hero Jake Bronson against his jihadist nemesis—and a new bioweapon that threatens the soul of every mother in America.</p>	 <p>7/2/2013</p> <p><b>Beyond Judgment (Brainrush, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Richard Bard</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><i>Beyond Judgment</i> sees hero Jake Bronson at the mercy of his hidden past. After waking up with amnesia from a six-year coma, <b>Jake Bronson's past is lost to him. But that doesn't mean the past hasn't been looking for him</b>—or that it will let him live when it finally catches up.</p>	 <p>6/24/2014</p> <p><b>Games Divas Play</b></p> <p>Angela Burt-Murray</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>When entertainment writer Nia Bullock loses her job and her live-in boyfriend, she flees Los Angeles for Manhattan and a gig as editor-in-chief of the hot new magazine <i>DivaDish</i>. But all that glitters is not gold.</p>	 <p>11/12/2013</p> <p><b>Defection Games (Dan Gordon Intelligence Thrillers)</b></p> <p>Haggai Carmon</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A spellbinding and authentic view into the world of covert intelligence operations that is sure to have readers on the edge of their seats, questioning everything they thought they knew.</p>





9/10/2013

**The Black Song Inside**

Carlyle Clark

Rights Available: All Languages  
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A vivid crime thriller rife with murder and madness, melded with gallows humor and the heroism of two flawed and compelling protagonists who, if they can save themselves, may learn the nature of redemption and the ability to forgive.



1/15/2013

**Moon Underfoot (A Jake Crosby Thriller)**

Bobby Cole

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

This riveting follow-up to Bobby Cole's heart-stopping thriller *The Dummy Line* deftly explores the perils of revenge . . . and the profound power of a husband and father's love.



3/1/2014

**The Rented Mule**

Bobby Cole

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

Cooper Dixon should have it made, with a beautiful wife, Kelly; two great kids; and a thriving business, the Tower Agency. But for Cooper, things aren't turning out how he expected.



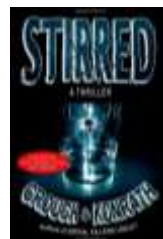
9/17/2013

**What Doesn't Kill Her**

Max Allan Collins

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Jordan Rivera was an ordinary kid with an ordinary family. Until a vicious killer took it all away from her, sparing her and leaving her broken.



11/22/2011

**Stirred (Jacqueline "Jack" Daniels/Luther Kite Thriller)**

Blake Crouch and J. A. Konrath

Rights Available: All Languages  
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It's J.A. Konrath's greatest heroine versus Blake Crouch's greatest villain in *Stirred*, the stunning conclusion to both Konrath's Lt. Jacqueline "Jack" Daniels thriller series and Crouch's Andrew Z. Thomas series. Only one can survive. And it won't be who you think.



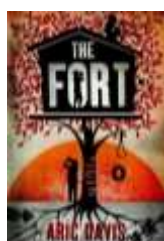
8/28/2012

**The Spy Lover**

Kiana Davenport

Rights Available: All Languages  
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A novel of extraordinary scope that will stand as a defining work on the Chinese immigrant experience, *The Spy Lover* is a paean to the transcendence of love and the resilience of the human spirit.



6/11/2013

**The Fort**

Aric Davis

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

A perfect rendering of a coming-of-age story in the 1980s, in those final days of childhood independence, discovery, and paradise lost.



7/9/2013

**This Is How You Fall**

Keith Dixon

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

Part heist, part love story, and part literary noir thriller, it's a moody rumination on identity and loyalty, with dazzling plot twists that lead to an inevitable, destructive conclusion.



9/19/2013

**The Magpies**

Mark Edwards

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio, German, Turkish

Meet the neighbors from hell, in the gripping thriller that reviewers and readers describe as "fast-paced," "chilling," and "impossible to put down."



6/24/2014

**What You Wish For**

Mark Edwards

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

Marie Walker has vanished from the face of the earth. Her besotted boyfriend, newspaper photographer Richard Thompson, vows to find her, convinced that Marie's unusual beliefs hold the key.



5/31/2012

**The Khmer Kill**

Barry Eisler

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio, German, French, and Spanish

For former marine sniper Dox, a long-range hit in Cambodia was supposed to be just business as usual. But when you find yourself mixed up with rogue intelligence operations, gorgeous bar girls, and the world's worst human-trafficking heart of darkness, business is anything but usual. And making it personal is the most dangerous business of all.



7/17/2012

**Thicker Than Water (Leo Waterman Mysteries)**

G. M. Ford

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Hard living collects its fair share of casualties, but somehow Leo Waterman avoided becoming one of them.



7/17/2012

**Who In Hell Is Wanda Fuca? (Leo Waterman Mysteries)**

G. M. Ford

Rights Available: All Languages  
Rights Sold: Audio

When an old gangster friend of Leo's father makes a request he "can't refuse," Leo and his band of drunks delve into the world of environmental politics.



7/17/2012

**Cast In Stone (Leo Waterman Mysteries)**

G. M. Ford

Rights Available: All Languages  
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Leo's boyhood hero, Henry "Heck" Sundstrom, was larger than life.



7/17/2012

**The Bum's Rush (Leo Waterman Mysteries)**

G. M. Ford

Rights Available: All Languages  
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When a homeless woman says she's the mother of a deceased rock idol, private eye Leo Waterman takes it upon himself to investigate the lady's claim.



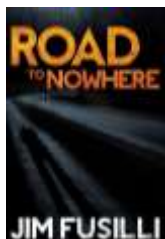
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**Slow Burn (Leo Waterman Mysteries)**  
 G. M. Ford  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
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Anticipating problems, a prestigious global restaurant convention hires Leo as Special Security Officer.



4/15/2014  
**Chump Change (Leo Waterman Mysteries)**  
 G. M. Ford  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio

Sometimes it's the things you don't do that come back to haunt you, just as surely as some questions are best left unanswered.



11/13/2012  
**Road to Nowhere (The Samaritan, Book One)**  
 Jim Fusilli  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio

By turns violent and insightful, this suspenseful novel from acclaimed journalist and author Jim Fusilli introduces an unforgettable hero to the ranks of contemporary American fiction.



9/3/2013  
**Billboard Man (The Samaritan, Book Two)**  
 Jim Fusilli  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio

The second novel in the Sam series, Jim Fusilli's *Billboard Man* pulls the drifter off the long, dark road once again—long enough for him to find that the world is small when so many people want him dead.



7/16/2013  
**Mystery Girl: A Novel**  
 David Gordon  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio, German, Japanese, Korean

A thriller about the dangers of marriage and a detective story about the unsolvable mysteries of love, art, and other people.



1/21/2014  
**Love Kills (The Max Segal Series, Book One)**  
 Dan Greenburg  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio

*Love Kills* is a terrifyingly realistic, darkly humorous, startlingly sexual, street-tough page-turner with a surprising climax.



1/21/2014  
**Exes (The Max Segal Series, Book Two)**  
 Dan Greenburg  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio

A series of successful professional men are found slashed to death in their beds, apparently during sex, the presumed victims of a gay murderer. Homicide detective Max Segal is on the case.



1/21/2014  
**Fear Itself (The Max Segal Series, Book Three)**  
 Dan Greenburg  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio

Why would a nurse's aide terrified of heights hurl herself from a twentieth story rooftop in Queens? A sadistic ex-con who masquerades as a shrink is seducing phobic women into psychic hell and literally scaring them to death.



5/22/2012  
**Macbeth: A Novel**  
 A. J. Hartley and David Hewson  
 Rights Available: All Languages

This is not your parents' *Macbeth* or the one you read in high-school English class. A dark and bloody tale of a Scottish lord and his beloved wife, *Macbeth: A Novel* hurtles toward readers in gripping contemporary prose.



6/10/2014  
**Look Behind You**  
 Sibel Hodge  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio, German

From internationally bestselling and award-winning author Sibel Hodge, *Look Behind You* is a chilling, edge-of-your-seat psychological thriller. A must read for fans of Gillian Flynn's *Gone Girl*, SJ Watson's *Before I Go To Sleep*, and Elizabeth Haynes's *Into the Darkest Corner* . . .



4/2/2013  
**Angel Wings**  
 Howard Kaminsky  
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As a veteran member of the Providence police department's elite homicide squad, Detective Danny Martell has seen his fair share of dead bodies. But he's never seen anything quite like this.



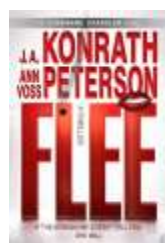
4/23/2013  
**The Lion, The Lamb, The Hunted (Patrick Bannister Psychological Thrillers, Book One)**  
 Andrew E. Kaufman  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
 Rights Sold: Audio, German

SHE ONLY STEPPED OUTSIDE FOR A MINUTE. . . but a minute was all it took to turn Jean Kingsley's world upside down—a minute she'd regret for the rest of her life. Because when she returned, she found an open bedroom window and her three-year-old son, Nathan, gone.



10/22/2013  
**Darkness & Shadows (Patrick Bannister Psychological Thrillers, Book Two)**  
 Andrew E. Kaufman  
 Rights Available: All Languages  
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In *The Lion, The Lamb, The Hunted*, Andrew E. Kaufman thrilled readers with a bestseller of psychological suspense. In *Darkness & Shadows*, he ratchets up the tension, weaving a masterful web of intrigue.



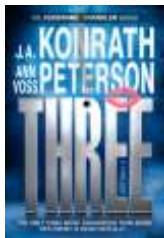
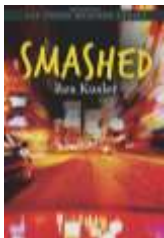


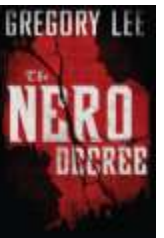
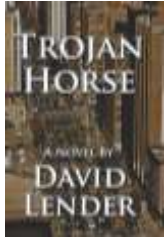


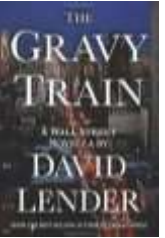

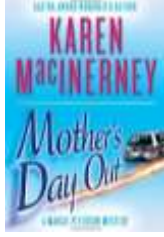



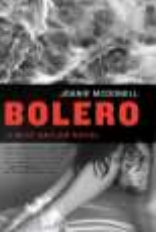
10/30/2012  
**Flee (Chandler Series)**  
 J. A. Konrath and Ann Voss Peterson  
 Rights Available: All Languages

Chandler isn't a person; it's the code name for a woman who was shaped from a raw military recruit into a living weapon. She's an assassin without remorse or fear, doing the bidding of an agency so secret that only three people know of its existence.

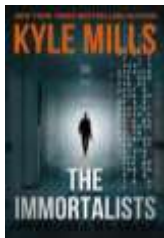
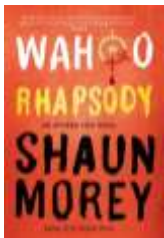
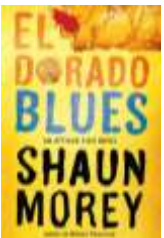
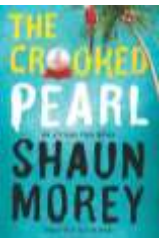

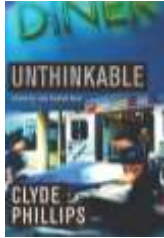


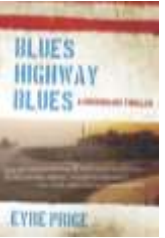

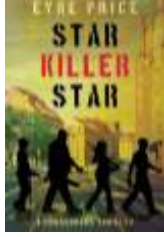






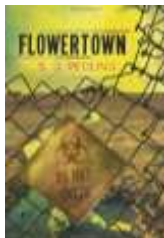

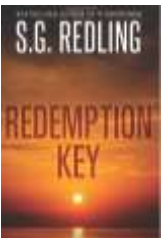

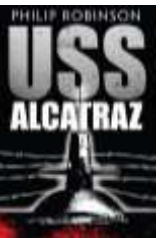
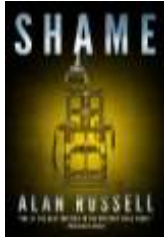

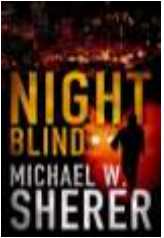






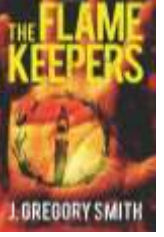
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**Spree (Chandler Series)**  
 J. A. Konrath and Ann Voss Peterson  
 Rights Available: All Languages

Super spy and assassin Chandler has just barely averted nuclear annihilation when the very organization she works for has her brought in on treason charges, trussed up for interrogation. After a run-in with Chicago Homicide Cop Jack Daniels, Chandler discovers one of her sisters, Fleming, has been transferred to a black ops site where the modus operandi is torture and death.

 <p>6/25/2013</p> <p><b>Three (Chandler Series)</b> J. A. Konrath and Ann Voss Peterson Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: All Languages</p> <p>Time is running out for Chandler, the elite assassin whose mission to rescue her sister from a notorious black ops prison landed her at the <b>top of the nation's most-wanted list.</b></p>	 <p>5/6/2014</p> <p><b>Smashed (Las Vegas Mystery)</b> Rex Kusler Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Private eyes Jim Snow and Alice James are baffled by their new client, Cassie Lane, a buxom casino slot technician who hires them to investigate the murder of her ex-lover, Billy Ryan.</p>	 <p>5/14/2013</p> <p><b>The Accounting</b> William Lashner Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Jon Willing was just a teenager when he and his pals Augie and Ben stole a fortune in drug money. Brazen with youth and stoned out of their gourds, they thought they had the perfect plan for getting away with it. They were wrong.</p>	 <p>11/29/2011</p> <p><b>The Basement</b> Stephen Leather Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Bulgarian, Italian, and Complex Chinese</p> <p>Fusing shifting viewpoints with a growing sense of dread and almost unbearable suspense, the <b>UK's thriller master, Stephen Leather</b>, arrives on the shores of the United States with <i>The Basement</i>, his most terrifying work to date.</p>	 <p>11/5/2013</p> <p><b>The Nero Decree</b> Gregory Lee Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>As the Nazis come to power in Germany, a violent argument over a secret key causes young Johann to lose the only parent he has left. Worse, it is his half-brother, Dieter, who commits this horrific act of betrayal. Although their fragile family bonds are irrevocably destroyed, the <b>brothers' paths are destined to cross again.</b></p>
 <p>11/22/2011</p> <p><b>Trojan Horse (A Sasha Del Mira Thriller)</b> David Lender Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: German</p> <p>Daniel Youngblood is a world-weary oil and gas investment <b>banker who's ready to hit the beach, when he's hired by a Saudi Prince</b> for an OPEC deal where he can net himself \$25 million as a swan song.</p>	 <p>1/22/2013</p> <p><b>Arab Summer (A Sasha Del Mira Thriller)</b> David Lender Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Newlywed Sasha Del Mira thinks <b>she's left her harrowing past with the CIA</b> behind her . . . until her husband is murdered.</p>	 <p>11/22/2011</p> <p><b>Vaccine Nation</b> David Lender Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, Bulgarian</p> <p>Dani North is a filmmaker who just won at the Tribeca Film Festival for her documentary <i>The Drugging of Our Children</i>, a film critical of the pharmaceutical industry. When she is handed <b>"whistleblower" evidence about the US vaccination program</b>, she has to keep herself alive long enough to expose it before a pharmaceutical company CEO can have her killed.</p>	 <p>11/22/2011</p> <p><b>The Gravy Train</b> David Lender Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Polish</p> <p>Finn Keane is a novice investment banker who helps an aging chairman try to buy his company back, while the ruthless Wall Street sharks who drove it into bankruptcy do all they can to stop them so the Wall Streeters can carve it up for themselves.</p>	 <p>1/7/2014</p> <p><b>After Shock: A Novella</b> C. J. Lyons Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>As head of the FBI's Sexual Assault Felony Enforcement Squad</b>, Agent Lucy Guardino has made a name for herself bringing the lowest of lowlives to justice.</p>
 <p>4/15/2014</p> <p><b>Mother's Day Out (The Margie Peterson Mysteries)</b> Karen MacInerney Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Margie Peterson is a typical stay-at-home mom until she trades dishes for detective work to <b>become Austin's least likely PI. Soon she's knee-deep in cheating husbands, transvestites, and trouble</b> in a laugh-out-loud new mystery from award-winning author Karen MacInerney.</p>	 <p>8/21/2012</p> <p><b>The Colonel's Mistake (The Mark Sava Spy Novels, Book One)</b> Dan Mayland Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>From the shadows of the world's most volatile region to the highest levels of Washington politics</b>, <i>The Colonel's Mistake</i> takes readers on an unforgettable ride where the good, the bad, and the brutal play a deadly chess game of global espionage.</p>	 <p>5/7/2013</p> <p><b>The Leveling (The Mark Sava Spy Novels, Book Two)</b> Dan Mayland Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Filled with the espionage intrigue and pulse-pounding action that made <i>The Colonel's Mistake</i> a runaway hit, <i>The Leveling</i> brings to life in electrifying detail one of the most dangerous regions of the globe.</p>	 <p>2/18/2014</p> <p><b>Spy for Hire (The Mark Sava Spy Novels, Book Three)</b> Dan Mayland Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A kidnapped orphan triggers an intelligence war in the Middle East, catapulting top-spy Mark Sava into a desperate race against friend and foe alike.</p>	 <p>3/5/2013</p> <p><b>Bolero (A Nick Saylor Novel, Book One)</b> Joanie McDonell Rights Available: All Languages Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>This is one of those rare thrillers <b>you truly can't put down.</b> Introducing noir detective Nick Saylor, <i>Bolero</i> is a nonstop ride to a twist ending.</p>



 <p>12/6/2011</p> <p><b>The Immortalists</b></p> <p>Kyle Mills</p> <p>Rights Available: French, Spanish, Italian, Japanese</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Dr. Richard Draman is trying desperately to discover a cure for a disease that causes children to age at a wildly accelerated rate—a rare genetic condition that is killing his own daughter.</p>	 <p>7/5/2011</p> <p><b>Wahoo Rhapsody (An Atticus Fish Novel, Book One)</b></p> <p>Shaun Morey</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Fans of Carl Hiaasen and Elmore Leonard will relish this rollicking satirical adventure from award-winning writer Shaun Morey.</p>	 <p>11/6/2012</p> <p><b>El Dorado Blues (An Atticus Fish Novel, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Shaun Morey</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A delightfully offbeat mystery adventure brimming with colorful characters and local atmosphere, <i>El Dorado Blues</i> will charm readers.</p>	 <p>9/24/2013</p> <p><b>The Crooked Pearl (An Atticus Fish Novel, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Shaun Morey</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>A raucous romp through beautiful, lawless Baja, California, this third installment of the Atticus Fish series will leave even the most seasoned adventurers breathless.</p>	 <p>12/20/2011</p> <p><b>Liquid Fear</b></p> <p>Scott Nicholson</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>When Roland Doyle wakes up in an unfamiliar motel room with a <b>strange man's wallet in his pocket and a woman's dead body in the bathroom</b>, he fears the worst . . . <b>and that's before he finds the vial of pills labeled "take one every 4 hrs or else."</b> Or else what?</p>
 <p>8/13/2013</p> <p><b>Unthinkable (The Detective Jane Candiotti Series)</b></p> <p>Clyde Phillips</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>For homicide lieutenant Jane Candiotti, stress is part of the job. But now that she and her husband are expecting their first child, Jane is under strict instructions to take it easy—even when a mass shooting at a local restaurant claims six victims, including her teenaged nephew.</p>	 <p>9/6/2012</p> <p><b>Downward-Facing Death (A Matt Bolster Yoga Mystery)</b></p> <p>Neal Pollack</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Blessed with uncanny deductive skills and a blasé disregard for authority, Matt Bolster was a rising LAPD homicide detective by the age of thirty-five. He was also overworked, divorced, near-alcoholic, and miserable. Then, to impress a girl, he agreed to try yoga. And with a single savasana, everything changed.</p>	 <p>9/11/2012</p> <p><b>The Shadow Hunter</b></p> <p>Michael Prescott</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p>Bestselling author Michael Prescott takes readers on an adrenaline-pumping thrill ride packed with ingenious twists and gut-churning suspense.</p>	 <p>6/26/2012</p> <p><b>Blues Highway Blues (The Crossroads Thrillers, Book One)</b></p> <p>Eyre Price</p> <p>Rights Available: English</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>Winner of the Best Book of the Year awarded by Blues411</b></p> <p><b>Eyre Price's debut novel is a compelling and unique combination: part edge-of-your-seat road trip across America and part examination of the music that comprises its soundtrack.</b></p>	 <p>6/25/2013</p> <p><b>Rock Island Rock (The Crossroads Thrillers, Book Two)</b></p> <p>Eyre Price</p> <p>Rights Available: English, German</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><i>Rock Island Rock</i> is the pulse-pounding second act in the evolution of the Crossroads series, which began with <i>Blues Highway Blues</i>.</p>
 <p>6/24/2014</p> <p><b>Star Killer Star (The Crossroads Thrillers, Book Three)</b></p> <p>Eyre Price</p> <p>Rights Available: English, German</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>Record producer Daniel Erickson and his sidekick, Moog (once a blood-thirsty hit man), pursue <b>cases that involve Erickson's past in the rock 'n' roll business.</b></p>	 <p>8/27/2013</p> <p><b>Out of the Black</b></p> <p>John Rector</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio, German</p> <p><b>To keep the light of his life, he'll have to do some dark things.</b> After Matt Caine loses his wife in a car accident, all he has left is his daughter, Anna. But just as the little girl—who survived the accident—finally starts thriving, <b>Matt's former in-laws</b> threaten to take her away via a bitter custody battle.</p>	 <p>7/10/2012</p> <p><b>Lost Things: A Novella</b></p> <p>John Rector</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio, German, Spanish</p> <p><b>2013 International Thriller Award Winner</b></p> <p><i>Lost Things</i> is a taut, suspenseful tale of secrets, lies, and murder that builds to a shattering, surprising climax.</p>	 <p>10/25/2011</p> <p><b>Already Gone</b></p> <p>John Rector</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p><b>2012 International Thriller Award Nominee</b></p> <p>As the intensity becomes almost unbearable, the pace quickens and the suspense applies an unrelenting, vice-like grip, as <i>Already Gone</i> hurtles toward an ultimate, explosive climax.</p>	 <p>11/2/2010</p> <p><b>The Grove</b></p> <p>John Rector</p> <p>Rights Available: All Languages</p> <p>Rights Sold: Audio</p> <p>In this gritty noir novel, John Rector weaves an intensely sinister tale that pits reality against hallucination, truth against improbability. What really happened that night in <i>The Grove</i>?</p>

 <p>6/19/2012  <b>Flowertown</b>                      S. G. Redling                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio, German  <i>Flowertown</i> is a high-intensity conspiracy thriller that brings the worst-case scenario vividly to life and will keep readers riveted until the final haunting page.</p>	 <p>1/1/2014  <b>The Widow File (A Dani Britton Thriller)</b>                      S. G. Redling                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      Dani, a data analyst with an elite security firm, possesses the unnerving ability to read people by the trash they leave behind.</p>	 <p>6/10/2014  <b>Redemption Key (A Dani Britton Thriller)</b>                      S. G. Redling                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      Her narrow escape from blue-eyed assassin Tom Booker has made former data analyst Dani Britton question all of her choices—like trusting “good guys” who carry badges.</p>	 <p>11/13/2012  <b>The Devil's Waters (The USAF Pararescue Thrillers, Book One)</b>                      David L. Robbins                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio, Polish                      A giant freighter in the Gulf of Aden holds secret cargo that could bring down the governments of four nations. When Somali pirates grab the ship, the order comes down: get the freighter back, at all costs.</p>	 <p>12/11/2012  <b>USS Alcatraz (Locust Trilogy)</b>                      Philip Robinson                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      Author Philip Robinson blends reality with a dose of the outlandish in this fast-paced thriller.</p>
 <p>12/11/2012  <b>Shame</b>                      Alan Russell                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio, German                      Brutal and unapologetic, <i>Shame</i> draws you into the mind of a serial killer with no chance of escape until the last page is turned.</p>	 <p>9/25/2012  <b>Big Maria</b>                      Johnny Shaw                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      2013 Anthony Award Winner                      Imagine Chuck Palahniuk and Don Winslow's love child—and that would be ribald author Johnny Shaw. His novel <i>Big Maria</i> is an unfiltered, wild romp in which three men get one chance to find a lost gold mine: the only problem is the Big Maria Mine is right in the middle of a US Army artillery range.</p>	 <p>10/23/2012  <b>Night Blind</b>                      Michael W. Sherer                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio, German                      2013 International Thriller Award Nominee                      On the run from the police and murderers, Blake finds a chance to heal his grief and reclaim his life—if he can stay alive long enough to unearth the truth.</p>	 <p>12/3/2013  <b>PRIMAL Origin (The PRIMAL Series, Book One)</b>                      Jack Silkstone                      Rights Available: All Languages, excluding German                      Rights Sold: Audio                      They are a team of highly trained operatives who've gone rogue and formed PRIMAL, a global vigilante unit. They protect the innocent, punish the guilty, and wage war against terrorism, all in the name of justice.</p>	 <p>12/3/2013  <b>PRIMAL Unleashed (The PRIMAL Series, Book Two)</b>                      Jack Silkstone                      Rights Available: All Languages, excluding German                      Rights Sold: Audio                      The mission began, in 1989 Afghanistan, when a Russian platoon battled Afghan warriors—and raced to bury forever a devastating secret worth the greatest sacrifice.</p>
 <p>12/3/2013  <b>PRIMAL Vengeance (The PRIMAL Series, Book Three)</b>                      Jack Silkstone                      Rights Available: All Languages, excluding German                      Rights Sold: Audio                      From desolate Sudan to downtown Shanghai and back, PRIMAL will go blow for blow with a merciless enemy that's begging for a lesson in double-barreled diplomacy.</p>	 <p>3/4/2014  <b>PRIMAL Fury (The PRIMAL Series, Book Four)</b>                      Jack Silkstone                      Rights Available: All Languages, excluding German                      Rights Sold: Audio                      Beautiful young women are being kidnapped and sold into sexual slavery by a ruthless crime syndicate that the law can't—or won't—touch. But after years of terror and abuse, one victim manages to strike back . . . with the help of PRIMAL.</p>	 <p>3/19/2013  <b>Invitation to Die (Emily Castles Mysteries, Book One)</b>                      Helen Smith                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      Offbeat and engaging, this entertaining comic mystery is the first full-length novel featuring amateur British sleuth Emily Castles.</p>	 <p>1/28/2014  <b>Beyond Belief (Emily Castles Mysteries, Book Two)</b>                      Helen Smith                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      When famed psychic Perspicacious Peg predicts a murder will occur at England's Belief and Beyond conference, her science-minded colleagues recruit twenty-six-year-old budding sleuth Emily Castles to attend the event as a “future crimes investigator.”</p>	 <p>5/27/2014  <b>The Flamekeepers</b>                      J. Gregory Smith                      Rights Available: All Languages                      Rights Sold: Audio                      A former SEAL is tasked with infiltrating a doomsday cult whose members may be doing more than just preparing for the apocalypse—they might be trying to start it themselves.</p>





7/24/2012

**Old Gold (Eoin Miller Mysteries, Book One)**

Jay Stringer

Rights Available: English and German

Rights Sold: Audio

Half-gypsy detective Eoin Miller finds people for a living—usually people who would do anything to remain hidden. Ironic considering Eoin has done all he can to lose himself in a downward spiral that has cost him his job, his respect, his wife, and anything else that ever mattered.



3/26/2013

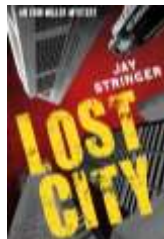
**Runaway Town (Eoin Miller Mysteries, Book Two)**

Jay Stringer

Rights Available: English and German

Rights Sold: Audio

After narrowly surviving a vicious knife attack, gangland detective **Eoin Miller thinks he's earned a break** from hunting down thieves, runaways, and stolen drug money.



1/14/2014

**Lost City (Eoin Miller Mysteries, Book Three)**

Jay Stringer

Rights Available: English and German

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In the third book of the gritty Eoin Miller trilogy, nobody walks away unscathed.



4/30/2013

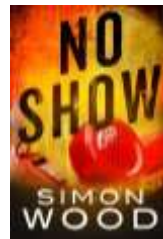
**Blood Makes Noise**

Gregory Widen

Rights Available: All Languages

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Based on a little-known yet fascinating true story, *Blood Makes Noise* is a brilliant examination of the power of the dead over the lives of the living.



6/25/2013

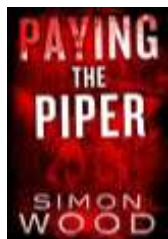
**No Show**

Simon Wood

Rights Available: All Languages

Rights Sold: Audio

Englishman Terry Sheffield has just arrived in San Francisco to start his new life with Sarah, the investigative journalist he married after a transatlantic love affair. But Sarah never shows up at the airport . . .



11/13/2012

**Paying the Piper**

Simon Wood

Rights Available: All Languages

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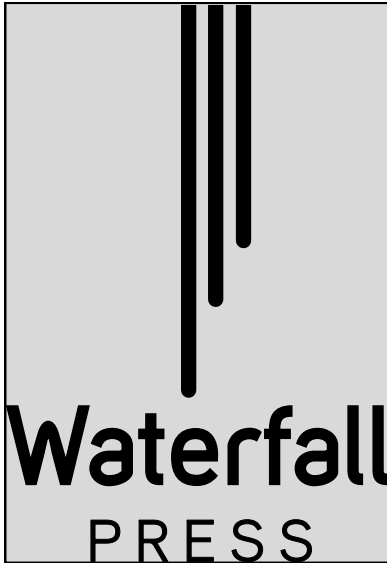
In the tradition of Harlan Coben and Gregg Hurwitz, Simon Wood weaves a plot thick with suspense and heavy with action. *Paying the Piper* grabs hold from page one **and doesn't let go until new debts** are paid and old scores settled.



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A New Regency Romance Series by award-winning author Melanie Dickerson



2/2/2016

## A Spy's Devotion (Book One)

Melanie Dickerson

Fiction

Regency Romance

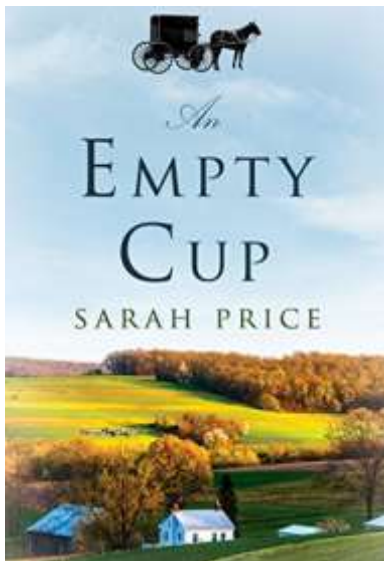
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A romance with classic Regency style and a heavy dose of danger, *A Spy's Devotion* launches a series that is unlike any other in the Christian market.

Juliana Grey, an orphan with no prospects, becomes embroiled in the dangerous activities of her uncle and guardian when Nicholas Langford, a handsome army lieutenant and the man she and her cousin Phoebe are both in love with, begins to suspect her uncle of treason. Juliana must quickly decide who she is most loyal to—her uncle who raised her and her cousin Phoebe, who is closer and **more beloved than a sister, or her country and the man she can't help but love.**

As the danger around them draws closer and embroils them both, Juliana and Nicholas must both overcome the shadows of their pasts and the dangers of the present in order to secure a love that will last forever.

Stay tuned for the next two books in the series, which will be released in Fall 2016 and Spring 2017!



4/14/2015

## An Empty Cup

Sarah Price

Fiction

Amish

Rights Available: All Languages

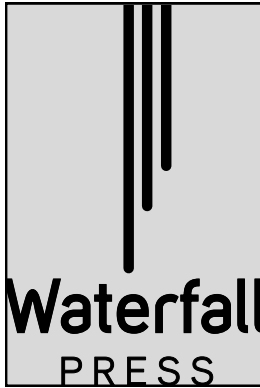
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Young Amish mother Rosanna Zook lost her self-confidence within the confines of a loveless and abusive marriage.

In the years spent quietly dealing with her burdens and dutifully caring for others, she forgot her sense of self and the ability to feel. But after her first **husband's untimely death, she gets a second chance with Reuben Troyer, a godly man who welcomes Rosanna and her two children into his life.**

Despite the love and respect she finds in her new marriage, Rosanna soon learns that juggling the demands of her family and church community is more than she can handle. When Rosanna becomes ill, she is forced to confront a hard truth: one empty cup cannot fill another. For a woman who has spent her life giving, will Rosanna finally be able to let go and receive?

## The Plain Fame Series



8/25/2015

### Plain Fame (Book One)

Sarah Price

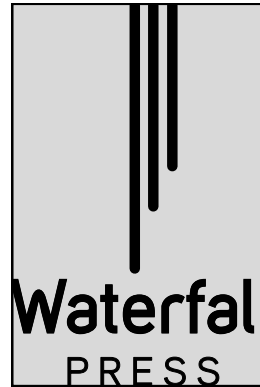
Fiction

Amish

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

What happens when that bridge is crossed between two very conflicting worlds and two extremely different cultures?

Amanda Beiler is a young Amish woman traveling back to Pennsylvania from a visit in Ohio. Alejandro Diaz is a famous Cuban singer living the life in the limelight of international media. Their worlds collide on the streets of Manhattan, an accident that brings them together and, despite their efforts, will not let them be apart.



9/8/2015

### Plain Change (Book Two)

Sarah Price

Fiction

Amish

Rights Available: All Languages,  
Audio

After being forced to leave the farm, Amanda Beiler, a young Amish woman from Lititz, Pennsylvania, finds herself immersed into the world of Alejandro Diaz, a famous Cuban singer living the life in the limelight of international media.

As Amanda travels with Alejandro, she begins to see more of the world and, despite the apparent differences, also recognizes that their lives are more similar than she thought.



9/22/2015

### Plain Again (Book Three)

Sarah Price

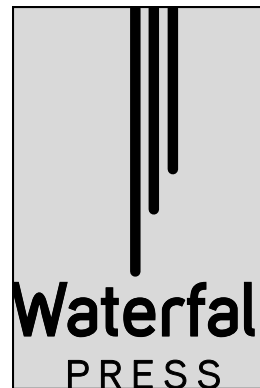
Fiction

Amish

Rights Available: All Languages,  
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Only weeks after being married, Amanda is back at her **parents' farm in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, to tend to her ailing father** while Alejandro is back on the road performing for his adoring fans.

How will time and distance impact their relationship? Will the demands of his fans overshadow his love for Amanda? And how will **the Amish community react to Amanda's presence (along with the return of the paparazzi)** in their community?



10/13/2015

### Plain Return (Book Four)

Sarah Price

Fiction

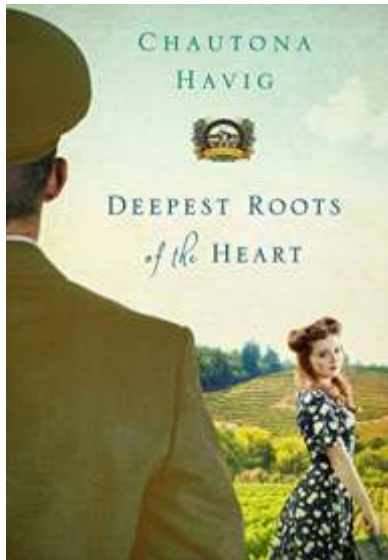
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The highly anticipated follow-up to *Plain Again*, *Plain Return* is the fourth book in the Plain Fame series, an Amish Christian romance series that will leave you breathless and wanting more.

Sarah Price, bestselling author of Amish Christian romances, brings her twenty-five years of experience living among the Amish and growing up Mennonite to the pages of her novels and novellas, presenting a truly authentic Amish experience just for her readers.

## Legacy of the Vines Series



1/20/2015

### Deepest Roots of the Heart (Book One)

Chautona Havig

Fiction

Historical Romance

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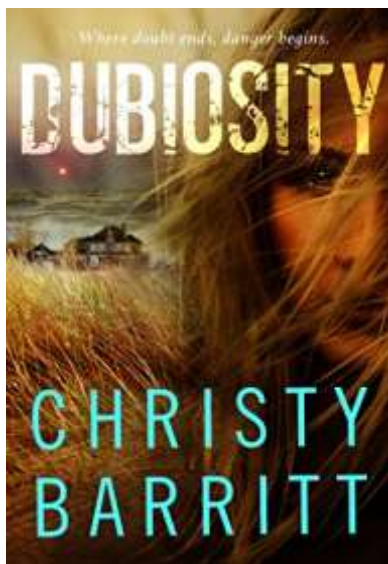
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During World War II, Avelino Carrillo spent four harrowing years in the South Pacific with one thought driving his survival: to return to his beloved home in Napa Valley.

The Carrillos have a history in the valley that stretches deep, like grapevine roots in the soil. For a century, they worked the vineyard at their family home, la Casa de los Sueños, until they lost the property to a wealthy land baron.

Now, Avelino is determined to reclaim the land and home he loves so much. When he meets Amelia, a young woman who lives at the vineyard with her father, he finds that regaining his birthright isn't his only struggle—he battles the longing of his heart as well.

Can Avelino overcome the local bigotry and personal demons that face him to create the life he desires?



1/13/2015

### Dubiosity

Christy Barritt

Fiction

Mystery

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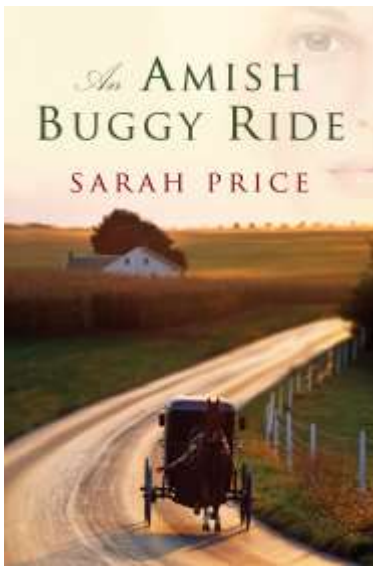
Savannah Harris vowed to leave behind her old life as an intrepid investigative reporter. But when a friend raises suspicions about two migrant workers who've gone missing from the sleepy coastal town Savannah calls home, her curiosity spikes.

As ever more eerie incidents begin afflicting the area, each works to draw Savannah out of her seclusion and raise the stakes—for both Savannah and the surrounding community. Even as Savannah's new boarder, Clive Miller, makes her feel things she thought long forgotten, she suspects he's hiding something too, and he's not the only one. Doubts collide in Savannah's mind: Who can she really trust?

As secrets emerge and danger closes in, Savannah must choose between faith and uncertainty. One wrong decision might spell the end . . . not just for her, but for everyone around her.

Will she unravel the mystery in time, or will doubt get the best of her?





11/4/2014

## An Amish Buggy Ride

Sarah Price

Fiction

Amish

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Quiet and soft-spoken, Kate Zook is the responsible eldest daughter in an Amish family and prides herself on fulfilling her role. Then, one fateful snowy night, she uncharacteristically speaks her mind—and unwittingly plays a part in a horrible accident.

Wracked by guilt over her role in the tragedy that left her brother David injured, Kate devotes herself to his care, going so far as to take on his chores in the fields. **Even so, her brother's resentment toward her grows, and David torments Kate,** making her increasingly isolated life even more difficult.

**Though Kate's parents have emotionally withdrawn, someone outside the home** takes an interest in Kate and notes her clear grief. Samuel, a local boy, has recently returned from a wild rumschprunge—the Amish term for exploring the wider world—and recommitted to his community. **Intrigued by Kate's gentle yet loyal ways, he begins to fall in love with her. But tensions rise as he refuses to put up with David's rage.**

**As Kate's heart begins to stir and cry out for happiness, she must rely on faith to find forgiveness or risk losing out on love.**



10/7/2014

## A Cliché Christmas

Nicole Deese

Fiction

Contemporary Romance

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Writing happy endings is easy. Living one is the hard part.

Georgia Cole—known in Hollywood as the “Holiday Goddess”—has made a name for herself writing heartwarming screenplays chock-full of Christmas clichés, but she has yet to experience the true magic of the season. So, when her eccentric grandmother volunteers her to direct a pageant at Georgia's hometown community theater, she is less than thrilled. **To make matters worse, she'll be working alongside Weston James, her childhood crush and the one man she has tried desperately to forget.**

Now, facing memories of a lonely childhood and the humiliation of her last onstage performance seven years ago, Georgia is on the verge of a complete mistletoe meltdown. As Weston attempts to thaw the frozen walls around her heart, Georgia endeavors to let go of her fears and give love a second chance. If she does, will she finally believe that Christmas can be more than a cliché?



8/19/2014

## Mercy's Fight

Tammy L. Gray

Fiction

Contemporary Romance

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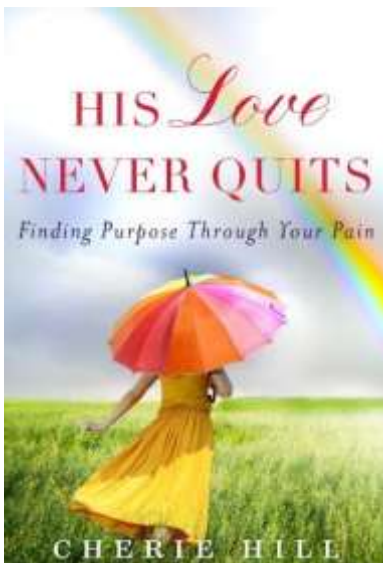
**"Mercy's Fight** is a mix of unforgettable characters, nail-biting conflict, and off-the-charts chemistry!" —Nicole Deese, Kindle bestselling author of the Letting Go series

He feared no one . . . but himself.

Recovering from a past shaped by violence, Matt Holloway has sworn to live a different life than his parents did. Matt has found a purpose that keeps his lingering pain and fear at bay: helping others to heal. Yet the nightmares continue to haunt him.

**Grace has lived a life of luxury, sheltered by her family's money and connections.**

When a betrayal forces her to question everything, she leaves her family and accepts an ambitious position in a career for which she may not be ready. When the two first meet, they cannot deny their instant, intense attraction. While Grace is willing to take another risk with her heart, Matt remains chained by his past and struggles to trust their future together. Fighting to save the children **they've pledged to help, Matt and Grace must learn to overcome the pain in their past and find their true courage.**



1/6/2015

## His Love Never Quits: Finding Purpose Through Your Pain

Cherie Hill

Nonfiction

Christian Living—Inspirational

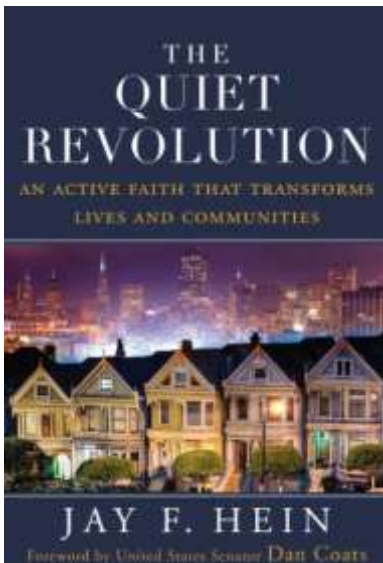
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Join bestselling author Cherie Hill as she reveals the good news that life may not go according to your plan, but it does go according to His.

**Like many people, you've done your best to gain control of your life—to force reality to fit into the confines of your high expectations. Reality, though, has a way of repeatedly dashing your hopes and crushing your dreams. You've been told to believe God is in control, but countless dark and painful circumstances have your mind filled with questions that desperately beg answers: Why can't life ever go according to my plan? How do I trust God in the midst of chaos? Does He really know what's best for me?**

**You might survive on your own for a season, but sooner or later you'll be forced to admit you can't make it alone. Yet you fear that letting God take control will take you places you're not ready or willing to go. But it's in times of desperation and uncertainty that your faith has the opportunity to grow, leading to what you desperately need the most: the peace of God which surpasses all understanding.**



6/3/2014

## The Quiet Revolution: An Active Faith That Transforms Lives and Communities

Jay F. Hein, with a foreword by Senator Dan Coats

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Christian Living—Social Issues

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American citizens have always been the backbone of ambitious **solutions to the world's most pressing problems.** The twenty-first century has seen an unprecedented rise in generosity and a steep decline in global poverty. In *The Quiet Revolution*, readers are invited inside the White House to see how presidents have aided in this success by rallying Americans to serve their nation by volunteering in their local communities and around the world.

**President George W. Bush's Faith-Based and Community Initiative** was a catalyst for many of these dramatic social improvements. Yet, the big story is not what happened in Washington, DC, but rather what takes place in countless communities across the nation. There is not a social problem in America that is not being addressed by a faith-based or community group every day.

*The Quiet Revolution* is about championing the unsung work of ordinary volunteers spurred by faith and simple goodwill to roll up their sleeves in order to care for their neighbors in need.



5/20/2014

## Billy Graham: Leading with Love: 5 Timeless Principles for Effective Leaders

General Editor Matt Woodley and Christianity Today International

Nonfiction

Christian Living—Personal Growth

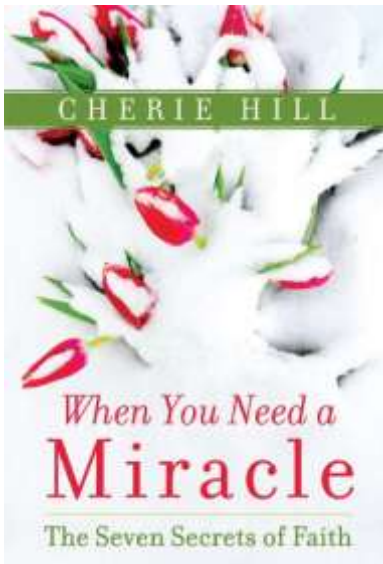
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**Based on interviews with Graham's colleagues, associates, and friends, this unique insight into Graham's life and ministry offers behind-the-scenes glimpses of his courageous leadership style and core beliefs.**

Throughout Billy Graham's evangelical ministry, his roles as an evangelist and as "America's pastor" have been well documented. However, the story that remains untold is the story of his leadership—both publicly and in private—as a minister and as a CEO.

For more than fifty years, Graham was CEO of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association (BGEA) and oversaw its worldwide gatherings and diverse media divisions. In addition, he was at the forefront of the robust "evangelical movement" that rose from obscurity in the 1940s to become a prominent social and political force fifty years later. *Time* magazine named Graham one of the top ten leaders of the twentieth century. Graham's passionate leadership style has been an inspiration to many, and now, in *Billy Graham: Leading with Love*, it is condensed into five principles.



4/29/2014

## When You Need a Miracle: The Seven Secrets of Faith

Cherie Hill

Nonfiction

Christian Living—Inspirational

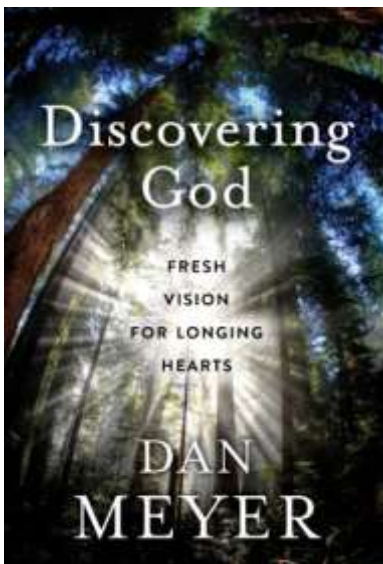
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Through a decade of pain and suffering, bestselling author Cherie Hill discovered how God meets her exactly where she needs Him. **Now it's your turn to learn how life's trials are just an overture to His miracles.**

Life often feels full of impossible tasks—needs you can't meet, wrongs you can't forgive, obstacles you can't overcome. And in the midst of these crushing challenges, you're supposed to have faith in a God you cannot see? Yet, if you walk in faith, you'll find God paving a path full of miracles and blessings through all of your trials—if you trust Him, no matter what.

However fearful or horrible your situations become, remember God has allowed them—or even placed you within them—for a reason: to give you an **opportunity to ground your faith in Him. It is only when you're at a total loss, only when you have no recourse but to fall to your knees and cry out for His intervention, that's when miracles happen.**



4/8/2014

## Discovering God: Fresh Vision for Longing Hearts

Dan Meyer

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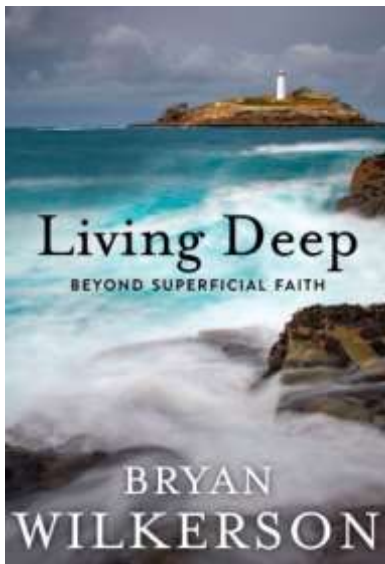
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**A life-changing journey of knowing God, through exploration of seven of his most essential attributes.**

Many of us have a faulty understanding of who God is. Our misconceptions color every aspect of our lives—how we view ourselves, how we relate to others, and how we perceive the world around us. In this 15,000-word book, **Dan Meyer takes us on a journey to discover God. It's a life-changing journey of knowing God as he is revealed to us in the Bible while releasing false ideas and stale understandings of who we think God is.**

Meyer explores seven of the most essential attributes of God found throughout the Bible, all the attributes that are embodied in the person of Jesus Christ: his self-sufficiency, goodness, trustworthiness, holiness, self-sacrificial nature, power and presence, and worthiness. When you look at God through these attributes, your relationship with him will deepen, your perspective will be transformed, and your life will change for the better.





3/11/2014

## Living Deep: Beyond Superficial Faith

Bryan Wilkerson

Nonfiction

Christian Living—Inspirational

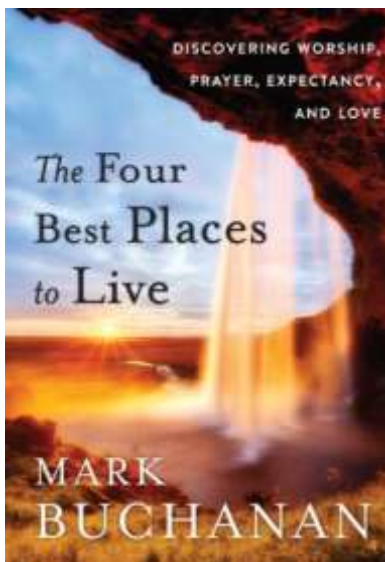
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Using John as a guide, *Living Deep* explores what it means to live **deeply in and through Christ. In just 22,000 words, you'll discover** that you too can live a life of depth and substance.

**Theologian Richard Foster once said that superficiality is the “curse of our age.”** Of course, none of us set out to live a superficial, shallow life. Most of us yearn for the opposite—to live profound and significant lives. As Christians, we seek lives of that reflect the depth and breadth of our faith in Jesus Christ.

During his personal quest for a more profound faith, Pastor Bryan Wilkerson discovered the book of 1 John to be a rich resource for living with depth. This ancient Christian letter revolves around a few essential themes, themes that the apostle John explored from various angles with great focus and intensity.



2/11/2014

## The Four Best Places to Live: Discovering Worship, Prayer, Expectancy, and Love

Mark Buchanan

Nonfiction

Christian Living—Inspirational

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In *The Four Best Places to Live*, Mark Buchanan evaluates the four best places to live—not according to the United Nations, *Money*, or *Forbes*—but according to God and Scripture.

Of all the places to live on Earth, what are the best? Every year, the United Nations determines which countries answer this question. *Money* magazine asks the same question about cities across the United States. *Forbes* magazine completed a similar assessment on a global scale.

Where do we find the greatest joy, peace, and wisdom? Where can we go to experience the deepest sense of belonging? Is there a place that abounds with adventure where we can also feel safe, refreshed, and joyful? With compelling insight, and in just 12,000 words, Buchanan explores what God has revealed in His Word about where we become most alive, become most fully ourselves, and can dwell most closely with Him.