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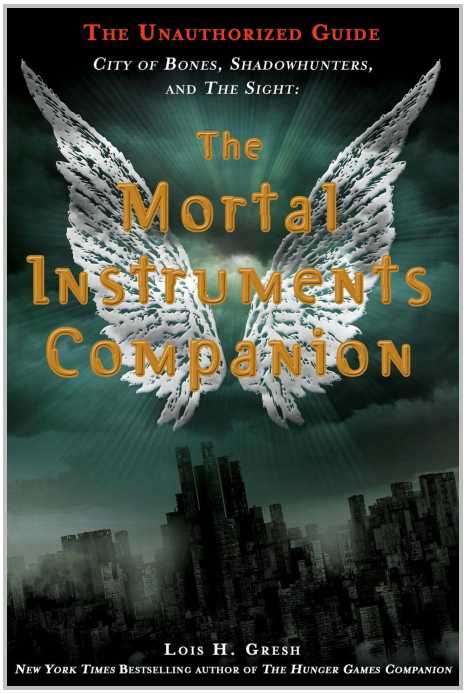


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# The Mortal Instruments Companion

## *City of Bones, Shadowhunters, and the Sight: The Unauthorized Guide*

Lois H. Gresh

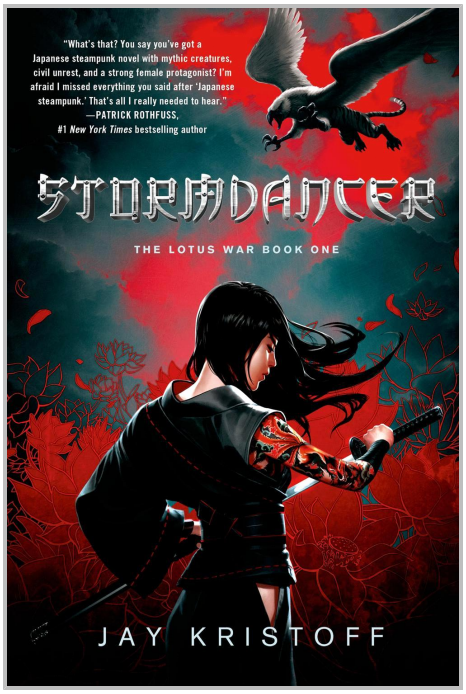
### The first companion guide to the blockbuster bestselling *Mortal Instruments* series—soon to be the major motion picture, *City of Bones*

Written by the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Twilight Companion* and *The Hunger Games Companion*, the book takes fans deeper into the world of the Shadowhunters created by Cassandra Clare—a gritty urban fantasy world full of demon hunters into which Clary Fray, a Brooklynite previously unaware of the magical world, is suddenly and inexplicably pulled.

*The Mortal Instruments Companion* includes fascinating background facts about the action in all six books, a revealing biography of the author, and amazing insights into the series' major themes and features—from the nature of evil and the Downworlders, to the power of the Sight, to the Mortal Instruments themselves. It's everything fans have been hungering for since the very first book! This book is not authorized by Cassandra Clare, Margaret K. McElderry Books, or anyone involved in the *City of Bones* movie.

*The Mortal Instruments Companion Guide* is a must-read and a terrific gift for the millions of fans both young and old—especially with the Sony Pictures film version of *City of Bones*, the first book in the series, hitting theaters in August 2013.

LOIS H. GRESH is the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Twilight Companion*, *The Hunger Games Companion*, and more than twenty other books. She lives in New York.

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# Stormdancer

Jay Kristoff

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**“An intoxicating joyride [with] . . . a top-notch brassy heroine who rivals Katniss Everdeen of *The Hunger Games*.”**
***—Huffington Post***

With *Stormdancer*, Jay Kristoff came roaring onto the fantasy scene—he has been praised as “the master of unique and intense plots and huge twists” (USAToday.com), while critics raved about the novel, calling it “[A] fast-paced, fantastical adventure [that] is sharp as a Shogun's sword.” (*The LA Times*). And with healthy sales in hardcover and electronic—fueled by Jay’s inventive, enthusiastic, and relentless promotion on his website, Facebook, Twitter, and the blogosphere—we know readers agree.

Griffins are supposed to be extinct. So when Yukiko and her father are commanded to capture one for the murderous Shogun of the Shima Isles, they fear their lives are over. After disaster befalls the mission, Yukiko finds herself stranded: a young woman alone in Shima’s last wilderness, with only a furious, crippled girffin for company. Even though she can hear his thoughts, even though she saved his life, all she knows for certain is he’d rather see her dead than help her. But together, the pair will form an indomitable friendship, and rise to challenge the might of an empire. An exciting, vivid debut from a startling new talent, *Stormdancer* is sure to electrify the growing numbers of steampunk fans as well as lovers of classic fantasy.

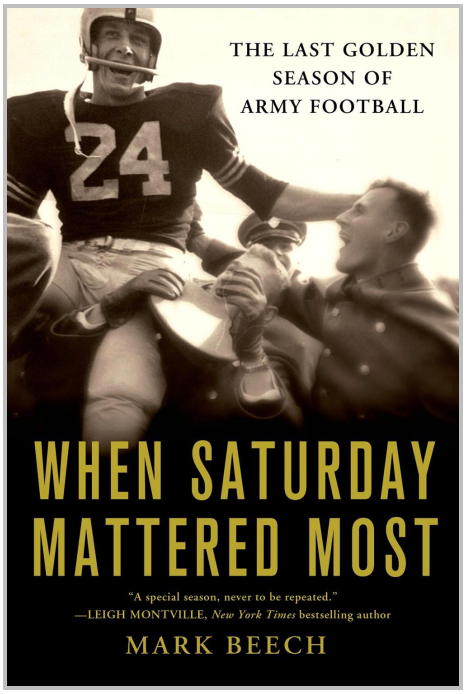
PRAISE

**"What's that? You say you've got a Japanese Steampunk novel with mythic creatures, civil unrest, and a strong female protagonist? I'm afraid I missed everything you said after "Japanese Steampunk." That's all I really needed to hear." —Patrick Rothfuss, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Wise Man’s Fear***

**“The innovative setting, fast-moving plot, vivid descriptions, and thrilling action scenes make this a refreshing addition to the steampunk canon.” —*Publishers Weekly* (starred)**

**“Japanese Steampunk unafraid to engage with the dark side of the subgenre. The Lotus must bloom!” —SF Signal**

JAY KRISTOFF lives in Melbourne with his wife.

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# When Saturday Mattered Most

## *The Last Golden Season of Army Football*

Mark Beech

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It was the end of an era, the last season before the surge of professional football began to lure the nation's best young student-athletes away from the military academies. That fall, the Black Knights of Army were the class of the nation. Mark Beech, a second-generation West Pointer, recounts this memorable and never-to-be-repeated season with:

- Pete Dawkins, the Heisman Trophy winner who rose to the rank of Brigadier General
- The long-reclusive Bill Carpenter, the fabled "lonesome end" who earned the Distinguished Service Cross for saving his company in Vietnam
- Red Blaik, who led Army back to glory after the cribbing scandal and had the field at Michie Stadium named in his honor

Combining the triumph of *The Junction Boys* with the heroics of *The Long Gray Line*, Beech captures a unique period in the history of football, the military, and mid-twentieth-century America.

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**"If you like football history, get ready . . . Beech tells a good story with style and efficiency." —ESPN.com**

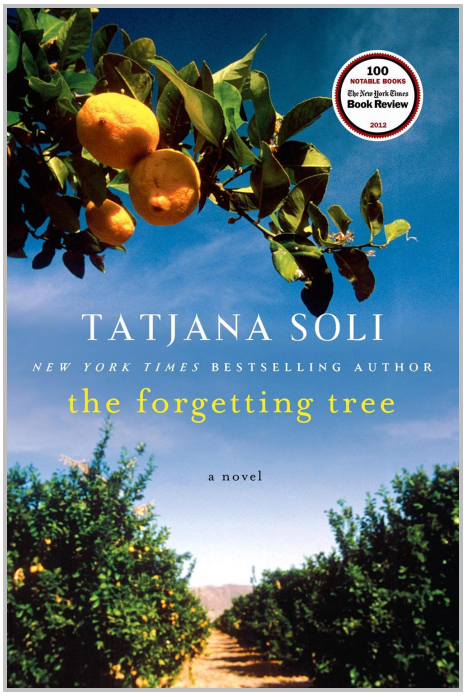
**"A memorable account of a bygone era." —*Booklist***

**"A grand homage to the hard-nosed tradition of Army football." —*Publishers Weekly***

**"An eloquent yarn that makes compelling reading from beginning to end of that memorable season." —William Nack, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Secretariat***

**"Take the drive with Mark Beech…and watch the best football player in the country play on the best football team in the country for the best football coach in the country." —Leigh Montville, author of *Ted Williams: The Biography of An American Hero***

MARK BEECH has worked as an editor and writer at *Sports Illustrated* for twelve years. He lives in Larchmont, New York.

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# The Forgetting Tree

*A Novel*

Tatjana Soli

**A *New York Times* Notable Book of 2012 from the bestselling author of *The Lotus Eaters*, a novel of a California ranch family and the enigmatic caretaker who may destroy them**

When Claire Nagy marries Forster Baumsarg, the only son of prominent California citrus ranchers, she knows she's consenting to a life of hard work, long days, and worry-fraught nights. But her love for Forster is so strong, she turns away from her literary education and embraces the life of the ranch, succumbing to its intoxicating rhythms and bounty until her love of the land becomes a part of her. Not even the tragic, senseless death of her son Joshua at kidnappers' hands, her alienation from her two daughters, or the dissolution of her once-devoted marriage can pull her from the ranch she's devoted her life to preserving.

But despite having survived the most terrible of tragedies, Claire is about to face her greatest struggle: An illness that threatens not only to rip her from her land but take her very life. And she's chosen a caregiver: the enigmatic Caribbean-born Minna, who may just be the darkest force of all.

Haunting, tough, triumphant, and profound, *The Forgetting Tree* explores the intimate ties we have to one another, the deepest fears we keep to ourselves, and the calling of the land that ties every one of us together.

PRAISE

**"Daring . . . haunting . . . A remote citrus ranch can be a crossroads where cultures collide, and those collisions can be life-changing for everyone involved." —Jane Smiley, *New York Times Book Review***

**"The story here is complex and expansive, and Soli's prose is reminiscent of Eudora Welty's. Soli's sentences are tied to the land . . . This is a story about people, it is also a story about place and the imprint that each makes on the other." —*The Daily Beast***

**"A lush, haunting novel for readers who appreciate ambiguity, this work should establish Soli as a novelist with depth and broad scope." —*Library Journal***

TATJANA SOLI lives in Southern California. Her *New York Times* bestselling debut novel, *The Lotus Eaters*, won the 2011 James Tait Black Prize, was a finalist for the *Los Angeles Times* Book Prize, and a *New York Times* Notable Book. Her stories have appeared in *Boulevard, The Sun, StoryQuarterly, Confrontation, Gulf Coast, Other Voices, Third Coast, Sonora Review* and *North Dakota Quarterly*. Her work has been twice listed in the 100 Distinguished Stories in Best American Short Stories.

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# Paranoia (movie tie-in edition)

Joseph Finder

## "*Paranoia* is a knock–out–a fresh, original and compelling novel that is impossible to put down."—Daniel Silva

Adam Cassidy is twenty-six and hates his job as a low level employee at a high-tech corporation. When he manipulates the system to do something nice for a friend, he finds himself charged with a crime. Corporate Security gives him a choice: prison— or become a spy in the headquarters of their chief competitor, Trion Systems.

They train him and feed him inside information. Now at Trion, he's a star, skyrocketing to the top. He finds he has talents he never knew he possessed. He's rich, drives a Porsche, lives in a fabulous apartment, and works directly for the CEO. He's dating the girl of his dreams. His life is perfect. All he has to do to keep it that way is betray everyone he cares about and everything he believes in.

But when he tries to break off from his controllers, he finds himself in way over his head, where nothing is what it seems and no one can really be trusted.

PRAISE

**"Combines a fresh voice, terrific characters, and high-octane suspense. Finder catapults himself into the front ranks of contemporary writers." —Harlan Coben**

**"A sleek, hip and fast-paced thriller that gets its hooks in you from the very first page. It's a terrific combination of nail-biting suspense, great characters with depth and real heart and a fresh, original voice." —Lisa Scottoline**

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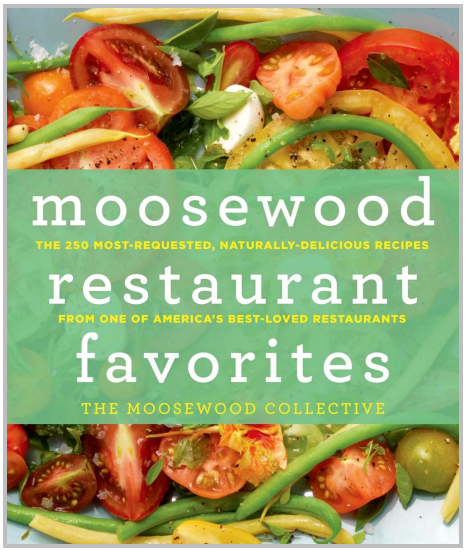
JOSEPH FINDER has a B.A. in Russian studies from Yale, a master's degree from Harvard and taught on the Harvard faculty. Finder is also the author of of the *New York Times* bestselling thrillers *High Crimes*, *Buried Secrets*, and *Vanished*, among others.He lives in Boston, Massachusetts.

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# Moosewood Restaurant Favorites

## *The 250 Most-Requested Naturally Delicious Recipes from One of America's Best-Loved Restaurants*

Moosewood Collective

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### A delicious collection of classic recipes, in brand new versions, from forty years of Moosewood Restaurant

Moosewood Restaurant, founded in 1973, revolutionized vegetarian cooking by introducing delicious soups, satisfying sandwiches, warming casseroles, zesty entrees, spiffy salads, and divine desserts. *Moosewood Restaurant Favorites* contains 250 of their most requested recipes completely updated and revised to reflect the way they're cooked now—increasingly vegan and gluten-free, benefitting from fresh herbs, new varieties of vegetables, and the wholesome goodness of newly-rediscovered grains.

This mouthwatering cookbook includes favorites like:

- Red Lentil Soup with Ginger and Cilantro
- Sweet-Potato and Black Bean Burrito
- The Classic Moosewood Tofu Burger
- Carmelized Onion Pie
- Peruvian Quinoa Salad
- Confetti Kale Slaw
- Vegan Chocolate Cake
- Moosewood Restaurant Brownies
- Apple Spice Cake with Sesame Seeds

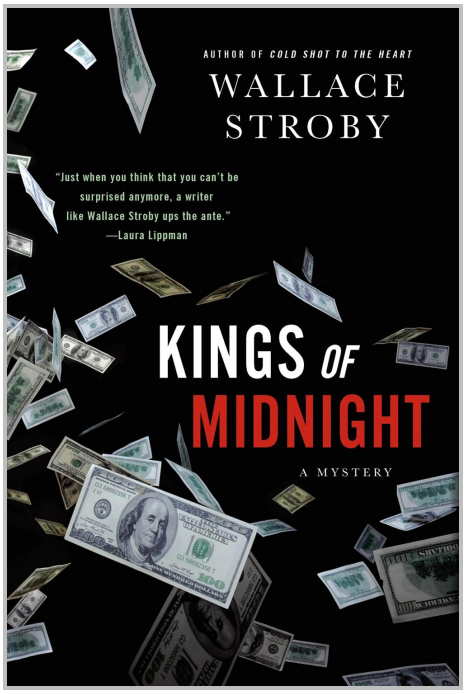
Including a guide to natural-cooking techniques, *Moosewood Restaurant Favorites* is the next classic book on their much-loved cookbook shelf.

PRAISE

**"Well-done, Moosewood!...*Moosewood Restaurant Favorites* will introduce a new generation to a beloved institution and call up happy memories of meals and recipes over the years."—Nancy Harmon Jenkins, author of *The New Mediterranean Diet Cookbook* and many others**

**"This thorough book will delight vegetarians and non-vegetarians alike and will become a cornerstone in any cook's library...Moosewood has elevated meatless cooking to the level of great cuisine and artfully showcases vegetarian cooking at its finest."—James Peterson, author of 15 cookbooks and winner of 7 James Beard Awards**

THE MOOSEWOOD COLLECTIVE has nineteen members who share responsibilities and participate in the various jobs necessary to run what has grown from a very small natural foods restaurant to a larger and more diversified company. Some members have worked for the restaurant since it was founded in 1973.

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# Kings of Midnight

Wallace Stroby

**"Plenty of excitement and plot twists, a solid body count, and vividly drawn characters. Crissa is crime fiction's best career criminal since Richard Stark's Parker." —*Booklist* (starred)**

Career criminal Crissa Stone has pulled some impressive heists by keeping her mouth shut and her temper in check. Still, as good as she is, she wants out of the life. All she needs is one last big score, enough to bribe her lover's way out on parole and get her daughter back. However, things keep going wrong, like when her last two partners lost their cool and fought over the take instead of walking away $150K richer. The mess they made of the job and each other has put her on the run again.

She's not the only one. Benny Roth, a former mobster, has been straight for years, but now he has his own problems. A face from the past has popped up to tell him that boss Joey Dio is finally dead and to ask about the five million dollars that Joey is rumored to have stashed away years ago. Benny denies knowing anything about it and claims he's out of the business. But he might be willing to risk almost everything for one last shot.

With the law and mobsters on the lookout and five million dollars on the line, it isn't long before Crissa and Benny find themselves on a collision course that neither can avoid. This hard-boiled world, where the stakes—and the risks—are always high, unfolds at breakneck speed in *Kings of Midnight*, another dark and thrilling masterwork of crime fiction from Wallace Stroby.

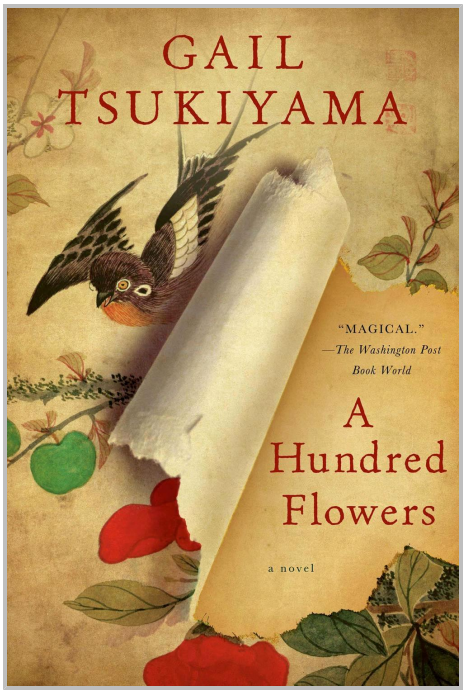
PRAISE

**"[The] power lies in Wallace Stroby's uncannily exact imagery, precise language, and narrative credibility . . . There's not a word out of place, no detail that isn't essential to the story . . . Stroby has risen to the top of his field." —*Los Angeles Review of Books***

**"As coolly efficient and professional as its heroine, this thriller evokes Donald Westlake's Parker novels with lean storytelling that pauses only for meticulously detailed descriptions of criminals at work or in conflict." —*Publishers Weekly***

**"Once again Stroby demonstrates how adept he is at making readers empathize with the essentially unworthy." —*Kirkus Reviews***

WALLACE STROBY is an award-winning journalist and a former editor at *The Star-Ledger* in Newark, New Jersey. This is his fifth novel, following the acclaimed *Cold Shot to the Heart*. He lives in New Jersey. The Crissa Stone novels are in development for a TV series by Showtime.

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# A Hundred Flowers

*A Novel*

Gail Tsukiyama

**Critically acclaimed and a reading group favorite Gail Tsukiyama brings us a powerful novel of ordinary people facing extraordinary circumstances at the start of the Chinese Cultural Revolution**

China, 1957. Chairman Mao has declared a new openness in society: “Let a hundred flowers bloom; let a hundred schools of thought contend.” Many intellectuals fear it is only a trick, and Kai Ying’s husband, Sheng, a teacher, has promised not to jeopardize their safety or that of their young son, Tao. But one July morning, just before his sixth birthday, Tao watches helplessly as Sheng is dragged away for writing a letter criticizing the Communist Party and sent to a labor camp for “reeducation.”

A year later, still missing his father desperately, Tao climbs to the top of the hundred-year-old kapok tree in front of their home, wanting to see the mountain peaks in the distance. But Tao slips and tumbles thirty feet to the courtyard below, badly breaking his leg.

As Kai Ying struggles to hold her small family together in the face of this shattering reminder of her husband’s absence, other members of the household must face their own guilty secrets and strive to find peace in a world where the old sense of order is falling.

PRAISE

**"Tsukiyama’s ability to transform a dark and complex story into a work about human dignity and love is magical. Her writing flows with the grace of calligraphy, revealing the thoughts, motivations and emotions of her characters with just the right strokes. Both poetic and powerful, each sentence seems to illuminate the hearts and souls of these unforgettable characters." —*The Washington Post Book World***

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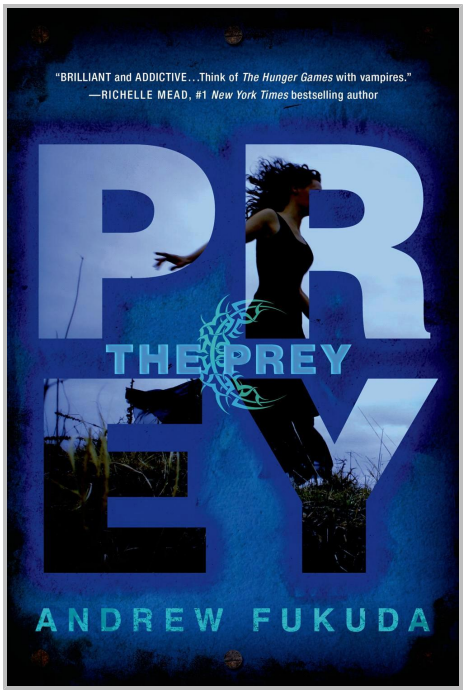
GAIL TSUKIYAMA is the bestselling author of six previous novels, including *The Street of a Thousand Blossoms*, *Women of the Silk* and *The Samurai’s Garden*, as well as the recipient of the Academy of American Poets Award and the PEN Oakland/Josephine Miles Literary Award. She lives in El Cerrito, California.




# The Prey

Andrew Fukuda

## The second book in the electrifying Hunt trilogy—available for the first time in paperback!

For Gene and the remaining humans, death is just a heartbeat away. On the run and hunted by society, they must find a way to survive in The Vast . . . and avoid the hungry predators tracking them in the dark. But they're not the only things following Gene. He's haunted by the girl he left behind and his burgeoning feelings for Sissy, the human girl at his side.

When they discover a refuge of exiled humans living high in the mountains, Gene and his friends think they're finally safe. Led by a group of intensely secretive elders, the civilization begins to raise more questions than answers. A strict code of behavior is the rule, harsh punishments are meted out, young men are no where to be found--and Gene begins to wonder if the world they've entered is just as evil as the one they left behind. As life at the refuge grows more perilous, he and Sissy only grow closer. In an increasingly violent world, all they have is each other . . . if they can stay alive.

### PRAISE

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Born in Manhattan and raised in Hong Kong, ANDREW FUKUDA currently resides on Long Island, New York. After earning a bachelor's degree in history from Cornell University, Fukuda went on to work as a criminal prosecutor in New York City. He now writes full time.

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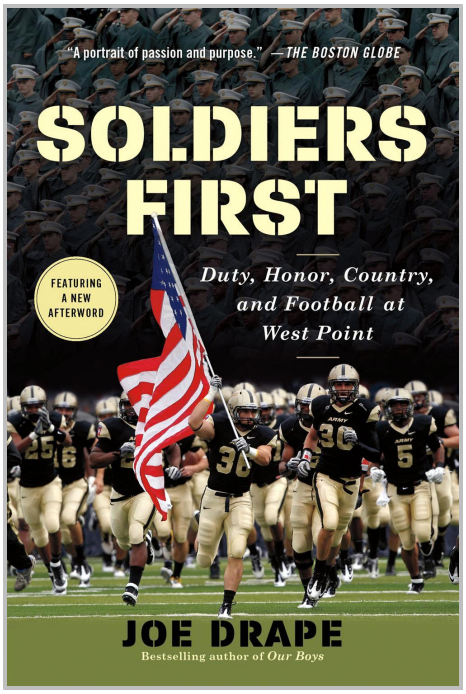


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# Soldiers First

## *Duty, Honor, Country, and Football at West Point*

Joe Drape

### "A portrait of passion and purpose."—*The Boston Globe*

To be a football player at the U.S. Military Academy is a formidable commitment. The players carry the same arduous load as their fellow cadets, shouldering an Ivy League–caliber education and year-round military training. After graduation they are not going to the NFL but to danger zones halfway around the world. These young men are not simply football players, they are soldiers first.

*New York Times* sportswriter Joe Drape takes us inside the world of Army football, as the Black Knights and their coach, Rich Ellerson, seek to turn around a program that had recently fallen on hard times, with the goal to beat Navy and "sing second" at the Army-Navy game in December. Drawing on extensive and unfettered access to the players and the coaching staff, Drape introduces us to this special group of young men and their achievements on and off the field. His inspiring account shows how they embrace the demands made on them and learn crucial lessons that will resonate throughout their lives—and ours.

PRAISE

**"A can't-miss book for Army fans and anyone with a general interest in life at the service academies." —*MilitaryTimes.com***

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**"What does it take to succeed with honor in America? *Soldiers First* answers that vital question in a compelling and entertaining way." —Bill O'Reilly, Anchor, Fox News Channel**

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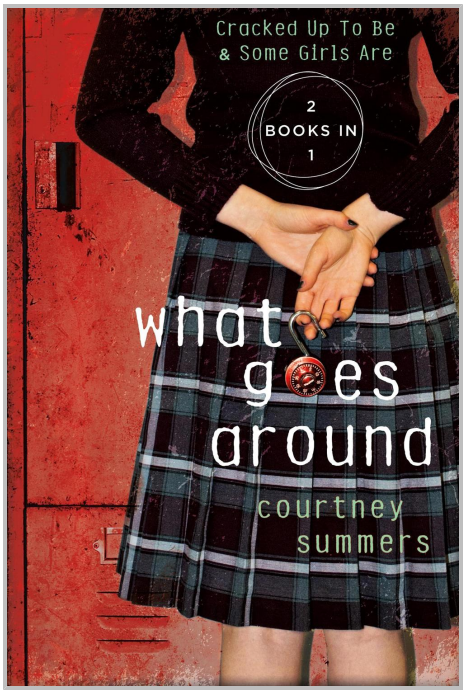
JOE DRAPE is the author of the *New York Times* bestseller *Our Boys: A Perfect Season on the Plains with the Smith Center Redmen*, *The Race for the Triple Crown*, and *Black Maestro*. He is an award-winning reporter for *The New York Times*, having previously worked for the *Dallas Morning News* and the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*. A graduate of Southern Methodist University, he lives in New York City with his wife and son.

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# What Goes Around

*Two Books In One: Cracked Up to Be & Some Girls Are*

Courtney Summers

## A beautifully repackaged two-in-one reissue of *Cracked Up To Be* and *Some Girls Are* by Courtney Summers

Courtney Summers fans are in for a treat! Two of her most critically acclaimed titles bound together for the price of one. In *Cracked Up To Be*, Perfect Parker Fadley isn't so perfect anymore. She's quit the cheerleading squad, she's dumped her perfect boyfriend, and she's failing school. Her parents are on a constant suicide watch and her counselors think she's playing games… but what they don't know, the real reason for this whole mess, is that a horrible thing has happened and it just might be her fault. In *Some Girls Are*, climbing to the top of the social ladder is hard--falling from it is even harder. Regina Afton used to be a member of the *Fearsome Fivesome.* And just like the other members of this all girl clique, she was both feared and revered by the students of Hallowell High . . . that is until vicious rumors about her and her best friend's boyfriend start going around.

PRAISE

**"Frightening and effective. Regina's every emotion is palpable, and it's impossible not to feel every punch—physical or emotional." —*Publishers Weekly* (starred) on *Some Girls Are***

**"This story takes an unflinching look at the intricacies of high school relationships and how easily someone's existence can change. Fans of the film *Mean Girl* will enjoy this tale of redemption and forgiveness." —*School Library Journal* (starred) on *Some Girls Are***

**"Summers is one to watch." —*Romantic Times* book review on *Cracked Up To Be***

COURTNEY SUMMERS lives and writes in Canada

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# And Then Life Happens

*A Memoir*

Auma Obama; Translated by Ross Benjamin

## President Barack Obama's sister's moving memoir of her life in Africa and Europe, and her relationship with her brother

While her younger brother Barack grew up in the U.S. and Indonesia, Auma Obama's childhood played out at the other end of the world in a remote village in Kenya, the birthplace of the siblings' shared father. Barack and Auma met for the first time in the 1980s, and they built a lasting relationship which led to travels together in Kenya, research into their family history, and Auma's support for her brother's political career and eventual bid for the U.S. presidency.

Auma spent sixteen years studying and living in Germany, moved to England for love, and gave birth to a daughter there. The tension between her original and chosen worlds and cultures was a constant challenge, and eventually Auma returned to Africa and worked to support young men and women in shaping their futures.

In this candid and emotional memoir, Auma shares her own story as well as recollections of and experiences with her famous brother, who says about their first encounter: "I hugged her, we looked at each other, and laughed. I knew right then that I loved her."

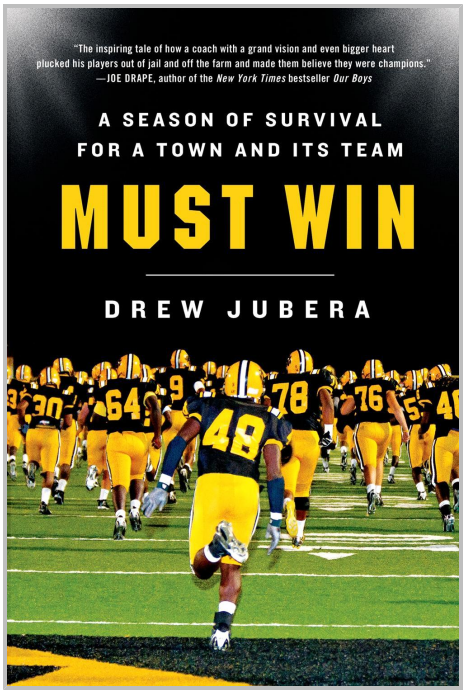
PRAISE

**"A burnished look at a difficult, ruptured childhood in Kenya. . . . [A] delicate, emotional work. . . . Enlightens and deepens the public's understanding of the president." —*Kirkus Reviews***

**"Engrossing. . . . Especially poignant. The prose is simple, and Auma's honest, straightforward storytelling makes her an instantly likeable narrator." —*Publishers Weekly***

***"*Genuine. . . . Vivid. . . . As a thoughtful tale of a strong woman negotiating complex family dynamics, bridging two cultures, and working for social justice." —*Library Journal***

AUMA OBAMA was born in Kenya right after the country gained its independence. She grew up first with her mother and paternal grandparents, and later with her (and President Obama's) father and American step-mother. She now works in Nairobi and runs the Sauti Kuu Foundation, which means "strong voices", an organization dedicated to helping children and young Africans have a say in their own lives.

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# Must Win

## *A Season of Survival for a Town and Its Team*

Drew Jubera

**"A must-read . . . The story of how even winners can become underdogs in post-crash America, and how even underdogs can find a way to beat the odds and win again." —Tom Junod, *Esquire***

Valdosta, Georgia, is home to the winningest high school football team in America and for decades has drawn the spotlight of national media—including *Sports Illustrated*, *The New York Times*, and *ESPN*, which christened the South Georgia city "Title Town, U.S.A." To be in Valdosta is to be reminded of the continuity of dominance: sons still play in front of fathers and grandfathers, creased old men in pickup trucks still offer steak dinners to seventeen-year-olds as reward for gridiron glory, and Friday nights in the 11,000-seat stadium known as Death Valley still hold a central role in the town's social fabric.

Now that place is in peril. As much as Valdosta is a romantic symbol of traditional American values (excellence, God, and football), things are changing here just as they are in small towns across the country. In *Must Win*, author Drew Jubera chronicles the country's most famous high school football team's 2010 season, a quest to regain past glory for not only the team, but also the town it represents. This town, this school, and these people have been rocked by forces that have hit the entire country, but they're a long way from giving up. They still believe in the power of a game to overcome all. With a new coach, a new optimism, and a new season, these Wildcats have been given one more chance. A real life *Friday Night Lights*, *Must Win* is the American story written across a bright, green playing field.

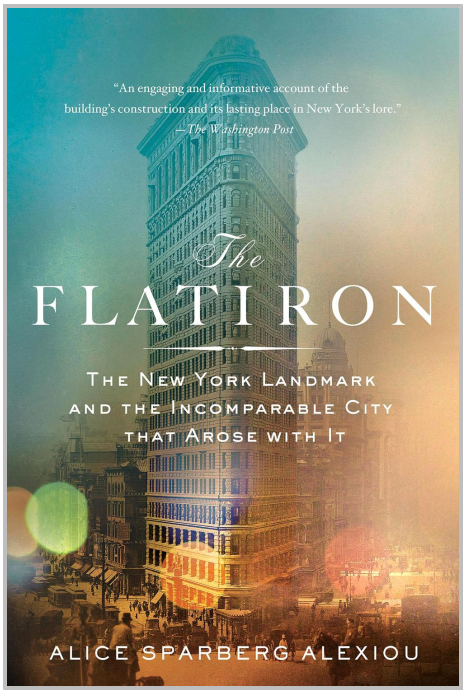
PRAISE

**"The inspiring tale of how a coach with a grand vision and even bigger heart plucked his players out of jail and off the farm and made them believe they were champions." —Joe Drape, bestselling author of *Our Boys***

**"I can think of very few books about high school football that I would lay in the hands of anyone, from a fruit vendor in Delhi to a grandma in Des Moines. In fact, maybe only one: this one." —Gary Smith, *Sports Illustrated***

**"Skillfully reported." —*Atlanta Journal-Constitution***

DREW JUBERA is a five time Pulitzer-nominated journalist and has been a staff writer for *Texas Monthly*, *The Washingtonian*, and *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, where he was the national correspondent for nearly a decade. His pieces have appeared in *The New York Times*, *ESPN The Magazine*, and *Esquire*. He lives in Atlanta, Georgia.

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# The Flatiron

## *The New York Landmark and the Incomparable City That Arose with It*

Alice Sparberg Alexiou

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**"An engaging and informative account of the building's construction and its lasting place in New York's lore."**
***—The Washington Post***

Critics hated it. The public feared it would topple over. Passersby were knocked down by the winds. But even before it was completed, the Flatiron Building had become an unforgettable part of New York City.

This marvelously written book chronicles not just the construction of the building, but the changing technology and culture that characterized New York at the dawn of the twentieth century: Madison Square Park shifted from a promenade for rich women to gay prostitutes, photography became an art, motion pictures came into existence; jazz came to the forefront of popular music—and all within steps of one of the city's best loved buildings.

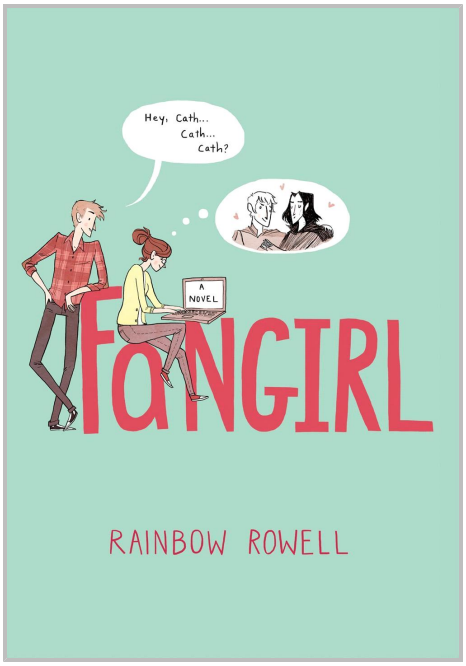
"Alice Sparberg Alexiou's *The Flatiron* joins such books as Jill Jonnes's *Conquering Gotham*, about Pennsylvania Station, and Gail Fenske's *The Skyscraper and the City*, about the Woolworth Building, in a budding genre that we might call biographies of buildings." *—The Wall Street Journal*

PRAISE

**"Though she ends on a note of permanence, as the landmarked and restored Flatiron is here to stay, Ms. Alexiou's book is ultimately about the never-ending change that rushes by in the city, and, in evoking that, she succeeds." *—The New York Observer***

**"Alice Sparberg-Alexiou brings the building alive by profiling not only its owners and tenants but also the city's mixed reaction to it." *—The Christian Science Monitor***

ALICE SPARBERG ALEXIOU is the author of *Jane Jacobs: Urban Visionary*. She has been an editor of *Lilith* magazine and written for *The New York Times* and *Newsday*, among others. She is a graduate of Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism and has a Ph.D. in classics from Fordham University. She lives in New York.




# Fangirl

Rainbow Rowell

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## A coming-of-age tale of family, first love, and fan fiction from the talented author of *Eleanor & Park*

Cath is a Simon Snow fan. Okay, the whole world is a Simon Snow fan, but for Cath, being a fan is her life—and she's really good at it. She and her twin sister, Wren, ensconced themselves in the Simon Snow series when they were just kids; it's what got them through their mother leaving.

Reading. Rereading. Hanging out in Simon Snow forums, writing Simon Snow fan fiction, dressing up like the characters for every movie premiere.

Cath's sister has mostly grown away from fandom, but Cath can't let go. She doesn't want to.
Now that they're going to college, Wren has told Cath she doesn't want to be roommates. Cath is on her own, completely outside of her comfort zone. She's got a surly roommate with a charming, always-around boyfriend, a fiction-writing professor who thinks fan fiction is the end of the civilized world, a handsome classmate who only wants to talk about words . . . And she can't stop worrying about her dad, who's loving and fragile and has never really been alone.

For Cath, the question is: Can she do this? Can she make it without Wren holding her hand? Is she ready to start living her own life? Writing her own stories? Open her heart to someone?
Or will she just go on living inside somebody else's fiction?

### PRAISE

**Praise for *Eleanor & Park*:**

**"This sexy, smart, tender romance thrums with punk rock and true love. Teen readers—not to mention their Gen X parents—will swoon for *Eleanor & Park*."**
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**"A breathless, achingly good read about love and outsiders." —Stephanie Perkins, author of *Anna and the French Kiss* and *Lola and the Boy Next Door***

**"Sweet, gritty and affecting...an unforgettable story about two misfits in love."**
**—Courtney Summers, author of *This is Not a Test* and *Cracked Up To Be***

**"Rowell shows us the beauty in the broken." —Stewart Lewis, author of *You Have Seven Messages***

RAINBOW ROWELL lives in Omaha, Nebraska, with her husband and two sons. She's also the author of *Attachments*.

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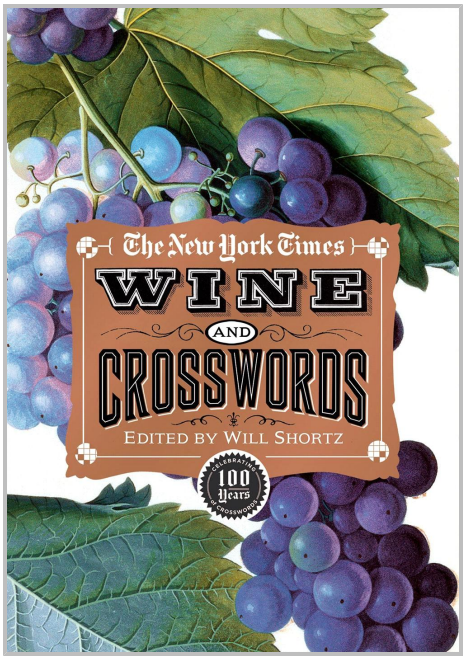


# The New York Times Wine and Crosswords

*Easy to Hard Puzzles*

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WILL SHORTZ has been the crossword puzzle editor of *The New York Times* since 1993. He is also the puzzlemaster on NPR's *Weekend Edition Sunday* and is founder and director of the annual American Crossword Puzzle Tournament. He has edited countless books of crossword puzzles, Sudoku, KenKen, and all manner of brain-busters. Shortz lives in Pleasantville, New York.

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# Mindful Parenting

*Simple and powerful solutions for raising creative, engaged, happy kids in today's hectic world*

Kristen Race, Ph.D.

## A mindful approach to parenting that helps children (and their parents) feel happier, healthier, calmer, and less stressed in our frenetic era

Rooted in the science of the brain, and integrating cognitive neuroscience and child development, *Mindful Parenting* is a unique program that speaks directly to today's busy families who make up what Dr. Race calls "Generation Stress." Research has shown that mindfulness practices stimulate the prefrontal cortex of the brain. Regular stimulation of this part of the brain helps us feel happier, healthier, calmer, less anxious, less stressed, and makes it easier for us to concentrate and think clearly—the very behavior we are hoping our children will display.

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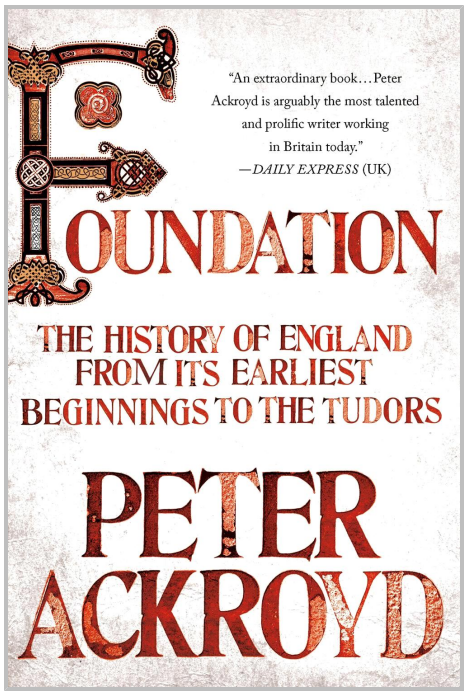
*Mindful Parenting* understands the realities of raising a family in our fast paced and often-frenetic world and provides hundreds of easy-to-implement solutions, both for parents and their children, to help them manage stress, create peace, and live happier lives.

KRISTEN RACE, Ph.D. is an expert in child, family and school psychology and the founder of Mindful Life. Dr. Race speaks regularly at national conferences and for many community groups. Her print articles have appeared in *Kiwi* magazine, *Denver Life,* and *Colorado Business Magazine* among others, and she has appeared on the *CBS Morning* Show and *Everyday Colorado* as a parenting expert. She currently resides in Steamboat Springs, Colorado with her family.

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# Foundation

## *The History of England from Its Earliest Beginnings to the Tudors*

Peter Ackroyd

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**A massive bestseller in England, one of Britain's most popular and esteemed historians tells the epic story of the birth of the country**

The first in an extraordinary six-volume history, *Foundation* takes the reader from the primeval forests of England's prehistory to the death, in 1509, of the first Tudor king, Henry VII. Peter Ackroyd guides readers from the building of Stonehenge to the founding of the two great glories of medieval England: common law and the cathedrals. He shows glimpses of England's most distant past— a Neolithic stirrup found in a grave, a Roman fort, a Saxon tomb, a medieval manor house—and describes in rich prose the successive waves of invaders who made England English, despite being themselves Roman, Viking, Saxon, or Norman French.

With his accomplished skill for evoking time and place and his acute eye for the telling detail, Ackroyd recounts the story of warring kings, of civil strife and foreign wars. But he also gives a vivid sense of how the people lived in the country's early days: the homes they built, the clothes they wore, the food they ate, even the jokes they told. All are brought vividly to life through the narrative mastery of one of England's finest writers, calling to mind the absorbing royal portraits of Alison Weir and the revealing everyday details of Bill Bryson.

PRAISE

**"The hugely popular Ackroyd's ease of erudition ought not to be missed." —*Booklist* (starred)**

**"Ackroyd's trademark insight and wit, and the glorious interconnectedness of all things, permeate each page." —*Observer* (UK)**

**"Ackroyd brings delightful but revealing details of the lives of the people from the past into the present." —*Sunday Express* (UK)**

**"Once again, Ackroyd exhibits his magic touch with the written word, this time with the first in a six-volume history of England." —*Kirkus Reviews***

**"An extraordinary book . . . Peter Ackroyd is arguably the most talented and prolific writer working in Britain today." —*Daily Express* (UK)**

PETER ACKROYD is an award-winning novelist, as well as a broadcaster, poet and historian. He is the author of the acclaimed *Thames: Sacred River* and *London: The Biography*. He holds a CBE for services to literature and lives in London.

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Hardback | 144 pages | Carton Qty: 32
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# Apples

## *From Harvest to Table*

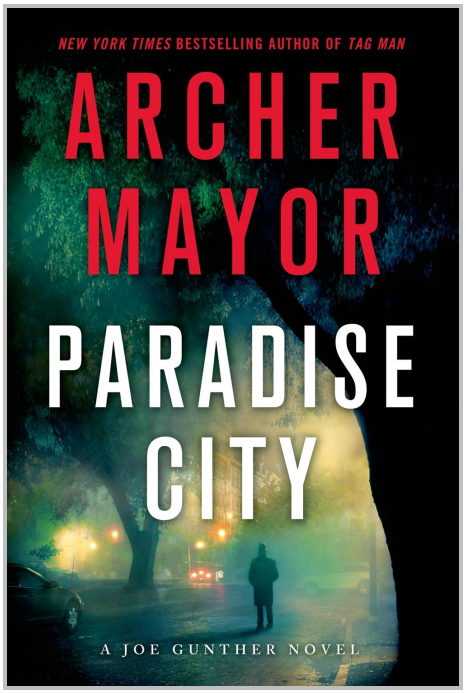
Amy Pennington

### Fifty recipes, plus lore and activities starring the tried-and-true favorite—the apple

Celebrate the variety of apples from the orchard to the kitchen with recipes for both sweet and savory dishes. *Apples: From Harvest to Table* is a wonderful collection of over 50 seasonal, easy-to-follow recipes for all kinds of delicious apple-based treats. The recipes run the spectrum from breakfast and brunch, salads, starters and mains, to pies, crumbles and cakes, and relishes and chutneys.

In addition to the recipes, there is information on apple varieties, both heirloom and modern, apple lore and history, and even some fun family-friendly activities and recipes to make with the kids. A handy illustrated chart organizes the apple varieties so it's easy to choose which is the right one for any recipe you make. With full-color photographs and charming botanical illustrations throughout, this beautiful book is both entertaining to read and practical to follow. So whether you are new to cooking with apples or a seasoned pro, it is sure to be a sweet and savory addition to your cookbook shelf.

AMY PENNINGTON is a cook, author, and urban farmer. She is the author of *Urban Pantry: Tips and Recipes for a Thrifty, Sustainable and Seasonal Kitchen* and *Apartment Gardening*. Pennington has been featured in *Bon Appetit*, *Wall Street Journal*, the *Huffington Post*, GOOP.com, and Apartment Therapy. She runs GoGo Green Garden, an urban farming service specializing in organic edible gardens for homes and businesses. Pennington lives in Seattle.

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*MINOTAUR*

# Paradise City

*A Joe Gunther Novel*

Archer Mayor

**"Even in beautiful Vermont, Archer Mayor finds shadows . . . and his detective, Joe Gunther, finds a way to beat them back" —NPR**

Joe Gunther and his team at the Vermont Bureau of Investigation are alerted to a string of unrelated burglaries across Vermont. Someone, in addition to flatscreens, computers, and stereos, has also been stealing antiques and jewelry.

Meanwhile, in Boston, an elderly woman surprises some thieves in her Beacon Hill home and is viciously murdered. The Boston police find that not only is the loot similar to what's being stolen in Vermont, but it may have the same destination. Word is out that someone powerful is purchasing these particular kinds of items in the "Paradise City" of Northampton, Mass.

Gunther, the Boston Police, and the vengeful niece of the murdered old lady convene on Northampton, eager to get to the bottom of the mystery and find the "responsible parties"—although each is motivated to mete out some very different penalties.

PRAISE

**"Understated, occasionally very funny . . . and very intelligent . . . . *The Sage of Brattleboro* remains as appealing as ever." —*Kirkus Reviews***

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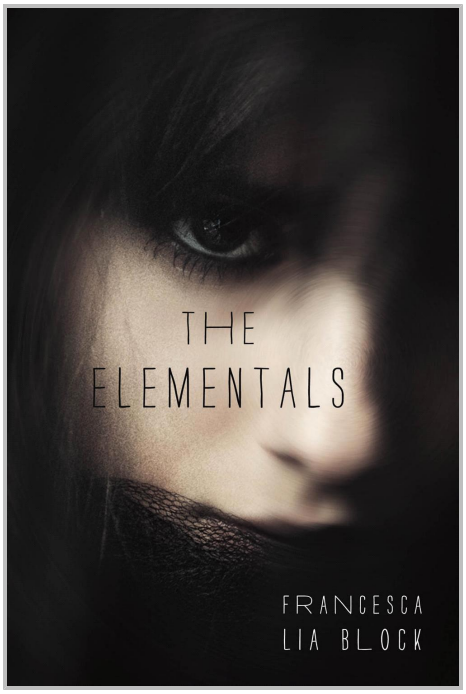
**"Archer Mayor's Vermont police procedurals are the best thing going." —Marilyn Stasio, *The New York Times Book Review* on *The Price of Malice***

ARCHER MAYOR is a death investigator, a sheriff's deputy, and a volunteer firefighter and EMT in addition to being a *New York Times* bestselling novelist. He lives in Newfane, Vermont.




# The Elementals

Francesca Lia Block

**From a star YA author—an adult novel about a student, haunted by the disappearance of a friend, who must face the truth**

Ariel Silverman is a normal girl, making plans for college, when her mother reveals she has breast cancer. On top of this Ariel is still recovering from the loss of her best friend Jeni who vanished on a school trip. As she tries to adjust to college life in a new city, Ariel cannot let the mystery of Jeni's disappearance rest and takes the now-dormant investigation upon herself. Her journey will take her into a world of astonishing beauty, sexual discovery, and danger.

## PRAISE

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**"A compelling and quick read... will keep readers engaged and guessing as the pages fly by." —*Publishers Weekly***

FRANCESCA LIA BLOCK is the author of twenty-eight books, with four more forthcoming. She is the recipient of the ALA Lifetime Achievement Award, among other awards, and is published all over the world.

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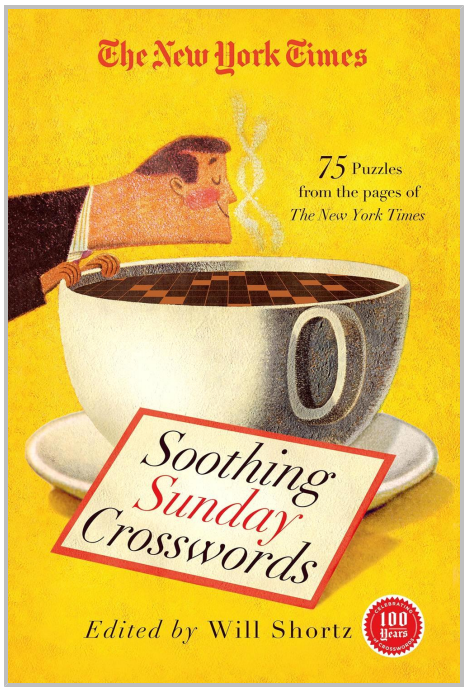


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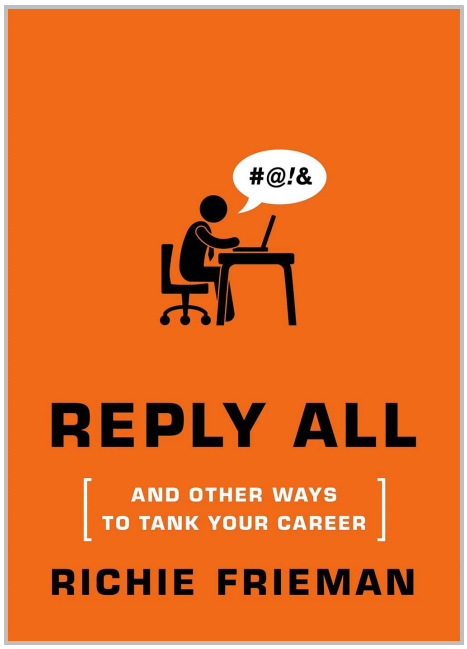
WILL SHORTZ, puzzle editor of The New York Times since 1993, is the only academically accredited "enigmatologist" in the world. He founded and directs the American Crossword Puzzle Tournament, held annually in Brooklyn, New York, as well as the World Puzzle Championship. He also serves as Puzzlemaster on NPR's *Weekend Edition Sunday*. Will lives in Pleasantville, New York.

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# REPLY ALL...And Other Ways to Tank Your Career

Richie Frieman

## A fun, fresh take on workplace etiquette for young professionals.

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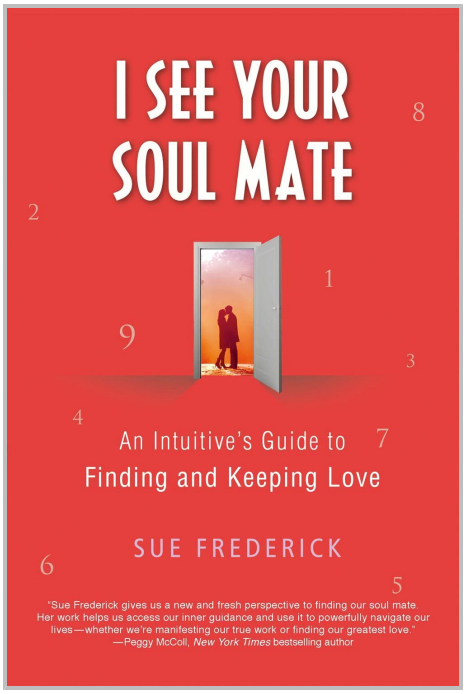
- How to make a great first impression and land the job
- How to deal with the Cubicle Invader
- How to navigate the office party
- What to do if you encounter your boss at the gym, naked
- Relationships on the job—fact or fiction?

With his signature wit and unique insight, Richie reveals the best ways to handle every sticky situation with aplomb and class. Case studies, chapter quizzes, and even cartoons all help to deliver actionable, easy-to-use tips to help young professionals navigate the minefield of their workplace and come out on top.

RICHIE FRIEMAN is the host of the popular Modern Manners Guy podcast on the Quick and Dirty Tips network (with 6.6 million podcast downloads, and counting!). He is routinely featured on FOX News, *Huffington Post*, *Shape*, *FHM*, *Sharp Magazine*, *Baltimore Sun*, and many other media outlets.The founder/CEO of the award-winning music and lifestyle magazine *Pens Eye View* and the author of several childrens' books, Frieman lives in Baltimore with his wife and two children.

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# I See Your Soul Mate

Sue Frederick

## Let Sue Frederick, author of *I See Your Dream Job,* show you how to use your own intuitive skills to find that special someone

This remarkable step-by-step guide to finding your soul mate brings a fresh perspective to love.

According to author Sue Frederick, an intuitive since childhood, we've all come here to accomplish a great mission. Honoring who we came here to be opens the door to allow our soul mate to stand beside us. Frederick teaches how to use intuitive recognition to guide you flawlessly to love through your own powerful reinvention. In this book, you'll find ways to:

- Discover why you are not attracting the right kind of person and how to remedy that
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- Hone your intuition to make better choices for your love life in the future
- Immerse yourself in accomplishing your soul mission so that you're naturally attractive to the right person
- See your future soul mate by accessing powerful dream guidance
- Find true love!

PRAISE

**"Sue's work is uniquely insightful and accurate. She's right on target & continues to inspire me!" —Ingrid Johnson, founder of The Baby Parenting Coach Institute**

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**"My work with Sue changed my life!! I simply cannot thank her enough for the new perspective she brought to my life story." —Heather Hans, MSW, Psychotherapist**

SUE FREDERICK is an intuitive who has been called the "Emeril of Enlightenment." She's a frequent guest on radio shows and has presented workshops at venues such as The Crossings Retreat Center, New Hope, The Omega Institute, American Business Women's Association and the National Career Development Association. She's a regular contributor to Astrology.com. She lives in Colorado with her soul mate and their two kids.

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# The Magic of Shetland Lace Knitting

*Stitches, Techniques, and Projects for Lighter-than-Air Shawls & More*

Elizabeth Lovick

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## Shetland lace knitting made easy

The ethereal beauty and intricacy of Shetland lace knitting might seem beyond the powers of the everyday knitter, but the skills needed are within the reach of everyone who can knit, purl, cast on, and bind off. *The Magic of Shetland Lace Knitting* is designed to take the novice knitter from their first "yarn over" through the steps needed to master the more complex patterns. The techniques are introduced with clear step-by-step instructions, charts, and detailed photographs of knitted samples. Aimed primarily at beginners, more experienced knitters will also appreciate the way the book organizes the stitches, allowing for easy substitution of patterns. Those interested in different lace traditions will be excited by the collection of specifically-Shetland stitches. And as more knitters want to stretch themselves and learn new techniques, this book will be a useful guide aimed at helping these knitters take their first steps in making a Shetland lace project. Included are all the traditional Shetland motifs, patterns, and insertions including Cat's Paw, Candlelight, Horse Shoe, and many more. With suggestions for how to work the different stitches into elegant and traditional Shetland Lace accessories such as scarves, hats, and shawls.
Atmospheric photographs taken in the wild Scottish landscape and historical information about the development of Shetland lace are sure to delight all knitters and textile lovers.

ELIZABETH LOVICK has spent many years researching and knitting Shetland lace. A teacher by nature, she enjoys giving knitters the help they need to expand their horizons. She regularly contributes patterns and articles to knitting and spinning magazines in the US and UK. Elizabeth lives in the United Kingdom and frequently travels to the Shetland Isles.

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# A Fatal Winter

*A Max Tudor Novel*

G.M. Malliet

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**"For Louise Penny fans...This series shines for its wit, well-drawn characters, pitch-perfect dialogue, and intricately structured puzzle." —*Library Journal* (starred)**

G. M. Malliet charmed mystery lovers, cozy fans, and Agatha Christie devotees everywhere with *Wicked Autumn*, the critically-acclaimed mystery that introduced former spy turned cleric Max Tudor. Now, Max returns to the small English village of Nether Monkslip, where out-of-control relatives cause a murderous ruckus in Max's otherwise placid parish.

When nearby Chedrow Castle is the scene of suspicious events, Max must once again put aside his job guarding the souls of his small flock and turn his attention to solving a baffling case of murder. A raucous group of long-lost, greedy relatives of Lord Footrustle and Lady Baynard have recently arrived at the castle, and each and every one of them has a motive for murder. Meanwhile, Max's attraction to a local lady complicates everything as he struggles to pit his own contradictory impulses against the cunning guile of a sophisticated killer.

With a cozy setting, intricate puzzles, and a handsome vicar doing the sleuthing, *A Fatal Winter* and the Max Tudor series are destined to become instant classics in the mystery world.

PRAISE

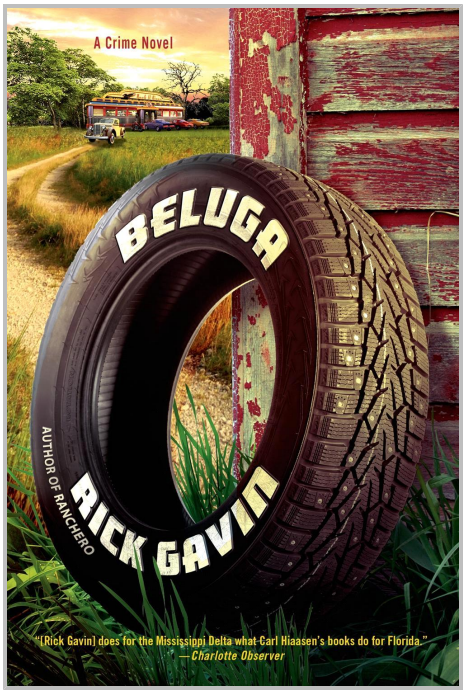
**Praise for *Wicked Autumn*:**
**A *Today* show "Sizzling Summer Reads"**

**"There are certain things you want in a village mystery: a pretty setting, a tasteful murder, an appealing sleuth . . . Malliet delivers all that." —Marilyn Stasio, *The New York Times***

**"Malliet has mastered the delights of the cozy mystery so completely that she seems to be channeling Agatha Christie." —*Booklist* (starred)**

**"Malliet, like Louise Penny, brings a contemporary freshness to the traditional mystery." —*Library Journal* (starred)**

Winner of the Agatha Award for *Death of a Cozy Writer*, G. M. MALLIET attended Oxford University and holds a graduate degree from the University of Cambridge. She lives in the Washington, D.C. area.

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# Beluga

Rick Gavin

**"Stellar . . . a captivating and frequently hilarious series."**
**—*Publishers Weekly* (starred)**

A few months ago Nick Reid and his compadre Desmond liberated some money from a nasty meth dealer, and now they need to launder it. After lending out a couple of thousand here and there, with hopes of getting a small return, all kinds of "investment opportunities" are coming out of the woodwork. And one of them has trouble written all over it.

The brother of Desmond's ex-wife wants a small sum to set up a scheme involving a trailer full of stolen tires. Which sets off all kinds of alarm bells, but Shawnica insists that Nick and Desmond help him out. In the next few days, they are set upon by a ninja schoolgirl assassin and a couple of Delta gangsters. Soon all thought of recouping their investment goes out the window, and they'll settle for staying alive.

The twists and turns and the dry wit that made *Ranchero* a delight are all on display once again in Rick Gavin's latest crime novel set in the Mississippi Delta.

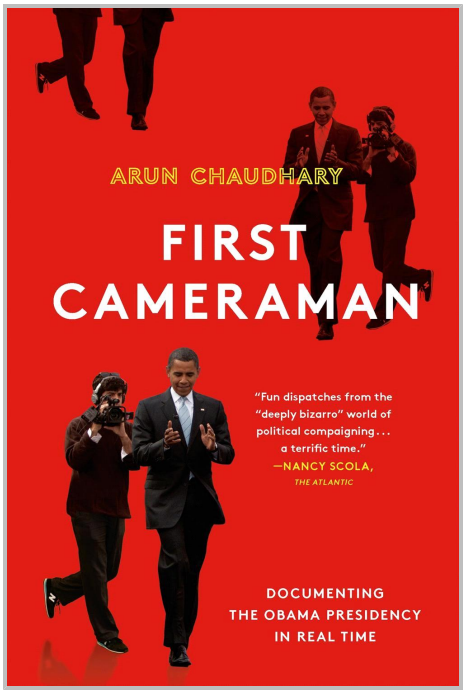
PRAISE

**"Exciting, violent, gritty, and often very funny, and the knowing portrait of a region largely unknown to most readers is almost revelatory." —*Booklist* (starred)**

**"Gavin updates the good-old-boy charm of the Smokey and the Bandit movie series but adds some sharp narration by a hero who's still plenty dumb enough to get into some seriously funny trouble." —*Kirkus Reviews***

**"Gavin turns out phrase after phrase of ear-pleasing insight into the Delta and those who live there, and dialogue that sounds just right . . . And when Gavin waxes funny, he really is funny." —The Associated Press on *Ranchero***

When he's not writing, RICK GAVIN frames houses and hangs sheetrock in Ruston, Louisiana. This is his second novel.

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# First Cameraman

## *Documenting the Obama Presidency in Real Time*

Arun Chaudhary

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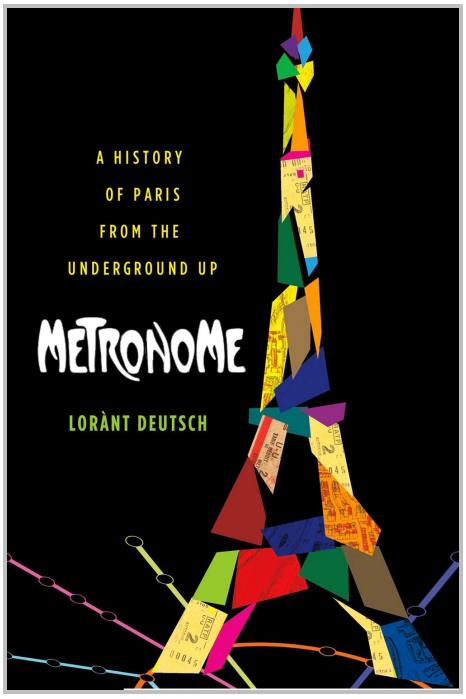
### The first official White House videographer chronicles his time capturing behind-the-scenes moments of the president and his administration

From the early months of the 2008 campaign and through the first two and a half years of the Obama administration, Arun Chaudhary had a unique perspective on the president of the United States. "I'm sort of like President Obama's wedding videographer," he explains, "if every day was a wedding with the same groom but a constantly rotating set of hysterical guests."

Some of the moments Chaudhary captures are small, like the president throwing warm-up pitches deep inside Busch Stadium in St. Louis before the All-Star game. Some are intensely emotional, as when Obama comforts a grieving teenager whose father had died in a devastating tornado. And some are just plain bizarre—like being trapped in a White House bathroom while Obama conducts a YouTube town hall on the other side of the door.

With the advent of new technologies and a new public that is hungry for images of their leaders, Chaudhary has been in the right place at the right time to participate in the interplay of film and politics at the very highest level. His entertaining and eye-opening book—which includes stories and images of key players such as Barack and Michelle Obama, Joe Biden, and Hillary Clinton, among others—gives readers a unique view of their government and their president in these historic and challenging times.

ARUN CHAUDHARY served as the first official White House videographer from 2009 to 2011 and was also a key member of Obama's new media team during the 2008 campaign. He received his MFA in filmmaking from NYU and his BA in film theory from Cornell and was a memeber of the NYU Graduate Film Department faculty. Chaudhary has been profiled by *The New York Times*, the BBC, *National Journal*, *Politico*, *Fortune*, and many political websites. He lives in Washington, D.C., with his wife and two children.

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# Metronome

## *A History of Paris from the Underground Up*

Loránt Deutsch

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### A phenomenal bestseller in France, *Metronome* presents a fascinating history of Paris through the lens of the city's iconic Metro system

Did you know that the last Gallic warriors massacred by the Romans lie beneath the Eiffel Tower? That the remains of Paris's first cathedral are under a parking lot in the Fifth District? Metronome follows Loránt Deutsch, historian and lifelong Francophile, as he goes on a compelling journey through the ages, treating readers to Paris as they've never seen it before. Using twenty-one stops of the metro system as focal points—one per century—Deutsch shows, from the underground up, the unique, often violent, and always striking events that shaped one of the world's most romanticized city. Readers will find out which streets are hiding incredible historical treasures in plain sight; peer into forgotten nooks and crannies of the City of Lights and learn what used to be there; and discover that, however deeply buried, something always remains.

PRAISE

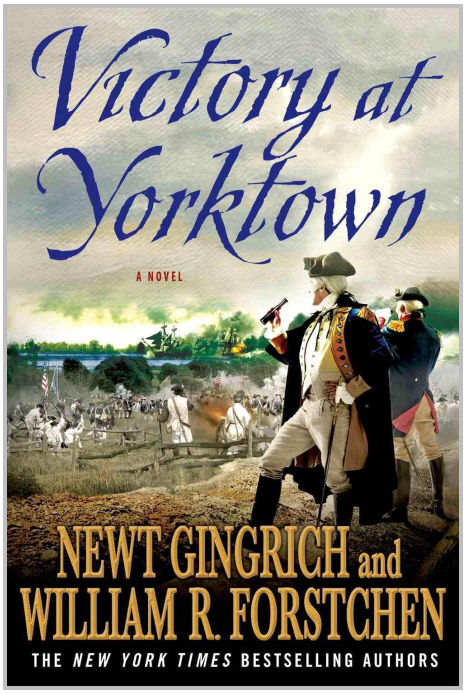
**"A delightful read, and one that has opened the history of Paris to thousands of people who would never ordinarily open a history book." —Stephane Kirkland, author of *Paris Reborn***

**"An entertaining guide, full of anecdotes about the hidden treasures of the capital." *—Livres Hebdo***

**"Lively and fun, [*Metronome* tells] the story of the City of Lights in chronological order with little expense." *—Le Figaro Literary***

**"I loved this book . . . [It] invites you to go and see what remains of Parisian history in the Paris of today." *—Art Souilleurs* (5 Stars)**

A comedian and bestselling author in France, LORÁNT DEUTSCH has always had a passion for history and his native Paris.

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# Victory at Yorktown

*A Novel*

Newt Gingrich and William R. Forstchen

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**_New York Times_ bestselling authors Newt Gingrich's and William R. Forstchen's George Washington series continues—a novel about faith, leadership, and the triumph of the American cause**

1781:Washington and his army have spent three years in a bitter stalemate. At last, he learns that the French have briefly committed a fleet to the American coast, and that British General Cornwallis has decided to withdraw into Yorktown. Washington decides to embark on one of the most audacious moves in American military history. He will force march nearly his entire army more than three hundred miles in complete secrecy. He must pray that the French navy is successful in blockading Chesapeake Bay, so that he can lay seige to Cornwallis and capture his entire force. The stalemate must be broken, otherwise the American spirit will crumble.

American Sergeant Peter Wellsley is tasked with neutralizing any loyalists who might provide warning. On the other side, Allen Van Dorn receives bits and pieces of reports that something is afoot. When one of the former friends is captured, both must decide where their true loyalties lie during the heat of the Battle of Yorktown as Washington's professional army, once a "rabble in arms," executes the war's most decisive contest. With *Victory at Yorktown*, critically acclaimed authors Newt Gingrich and William R. Forstchen have reached the pinnacle of their talents in a tour de force narrative of one of America's most important heroes.

PRAISE

**"Colorfully and accurately portrays Washington and other figures . . . Exciting historical fiction, offering insight into just how close George Washington and the Americans came to losing the war." —*Publishers Weekly***

**"Augmented with character sketches of lesser-known patriots, the book brings Washington to life as a resolute and bold general. The authors shine brightly in describing the depth of his emotion flowing from the victory at Yorktown." —*Kirkus Reviews***

NEWT GINGRICH, recent Presidential Candidate and former Speaker of the House, is the longest serving teacher of the Joint War Fighting Course for Major Generals at Air University and is an honorary Distinguished Visiting Scholar and Professor at the National Defense University. He resides in Virginia with his wife, Callista.

WILLIAM R. FORSTCHEN is the *New York Times* best selling author of *One Second After*. He lives near Asheville, North Carolina.

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# Modern Calligraphy

*Everything You Need to Know to Get Started in Script Calligraphy*

Molly Suber Thorpe

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## Learn script calligraphy from an in-demand calligrapher and wedding invitation designer

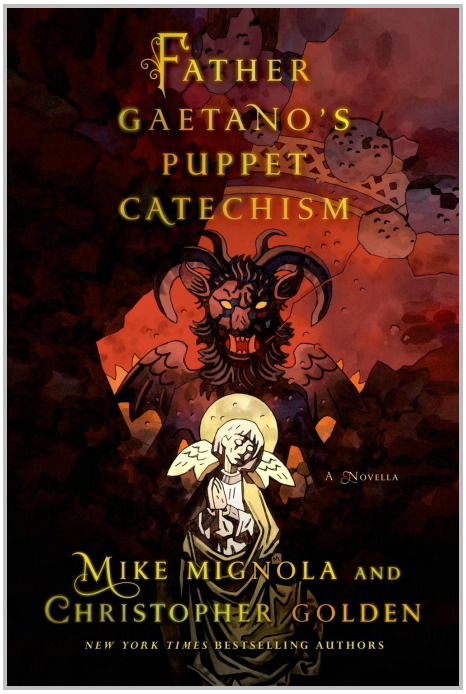
Calligraphy is about creating something uniquely beautiful, whether to celebrate a special occasion like marriage or to use every day in the form of stationery. Author Molly Suber Thorpe, an award-winning designer and calligrapher based in Los Angeles, works closely with her international clients to give them the distinctive products they're looking for. Now you can learn from this experienced expert how to master this fresh modern lettering style. The first book to teach this bold new style breaks the calligraphy process down into simple steps so anyone can learn to create their own stunning wedding invitations, thank you cards, gift tags, and more. Starting with an overview of the supplies—from paper to ink to pens—you will learn how to form letters, words, and then phrases by following Molly's clear step-by-step instructions, and by practicing with the provided templates. After mastering letter forms using a pointed pen and ink you can take it to the next level by learning how to use watercolor and gouache, or how to digitize your calligraphy. The twenty projects in the book provide lots of inspiration for making your own and are grouped into three sections: weddings, entertainment, and personal stationery. With loads of ideas, practice exercises, and helpful tips, soon you will be turning out gorgeous script calligraphy pieces like the ones featured in wedding magazines and popular websites like Pinterest!

PRAISE

**"Molly has reinvented the art of calligraphy! There is nothing more exciting than receiving an envelope in the mail that was calligraphed by Molly. Her playful and charming script makes such a statement and her envelopes instantly become treasures (not trash)!" —Cheree Berry, Cheree Berry Paper and former Kate Spade designer**

**"Molly Suber Thorpe is a marvel: her work is creative, fun, full of energy, and marked with personal style." —Ashley Maddox of Where I'd Stay blog**

MOLLY SUBER THORPE is the award-winning designer and calligrapher behind Plurabelle Calligraphy. She is known for her original, contemporary lettering styles and unique, nontraditional letterforms, combined with modern layouts and bold color palettes. Molly's calligraphy has appeared in such publications as *Martha Stewart Weddings*, *Country Living Magazine*, *C Magazine*, *The Guardian*, and *I Heart Stationery*, as well as on hundreds of blogs and in dozens of weddings. Molly lives in Los Angeles.

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# Father Gaetano's Puppet Catechism

*A Novella*

Mike Mignola and Christopher Golden

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## From the creator of *Hellboy*, an illustrated novella that brings Twilight Zone originality to the written page

In the aftermath of a critical World War II battle, Father Gaetano is assigned as the sole priest at the Church of San Domenico in the small, seaside Sicilian village of Tringale. The previous pastor has died and there is a shortage of clergy at the moment, so until another can be spared, the young priest must say all of the masses himself.

Mass is not Father Gaetano's only responsibility, however. The war has created many orphans, and thus the San Domenico rectory has been converted into an orphanage which is also his domain. The children are a joy to him, but they have lost so much, and many have begun to question their faith and their God, and his attempts to teach them catechism are in vain . . . until he finds an old puppet theatre and an ornate box of puppets in the basement. Handcrafted by the building's former caretaker, now absent, the puppets seem the perfect tool to get the children to pay attention to their lessons. But after dark the puppets emerge from that ornate box, without their strings. While the children have been questioning their faith, the puppets believe Father Gaetano's Bible stories completely. But there is such a thing as too much faith. And the children's lives will never be the same again.

PRAISE

**"Golden's text and Mignola's illustrations bring their characters to life, allowing the reader to get emotionally invested." —*Publishers Weekly***

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**"Unique and inventive…. Recommended for fans of *Hellboy*, dystopian novels, and those who like a little horror with their action stories." —*Library Journal***

**"Holy moley. What an elegant, subtle and riveting piece of storytelling." —Jonathan Maberry, *New York Times* Bestselling Author**

MIKE MIGNOLA is best known as the award-winning creator/writer/artist of *Hellboy*. Mignola lives in southern California with his wife, daughter, and cat.

CHRISTOPHER GOLDEN is the award-winning, bestselling author of such novels as *The Myth Hunters*, *The Boys Are Back in Town*, *Strangewood*, and Of *Saints and Shadows*. He co-wrote the lavishly illustrated novel *Baltimore, or, The Steadfast Tin Soldier and the Vampire* with Mike Mignola, and the comic book series featuring the same character.

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# A Gift from Tiffany's

Melissa Hill

## New York City at Christmas and a visit to Tiffany's is a recipe to sweep a girl off her feet—unless fate has other plans . . .

When Ethan Greene lost his wife to cancer, he never thought he would be able to love again… until one woman stepped in and showed him how to be happy. Now, on a romantic Christmas trip to New York City, he has a plan to show Vanessa just how important she is to him, and maybe even give his daughter, Daisy, a complete family again. He's going to propose with a perfect ring from Tiffany's.Gary Knowles and his girlfriend Rachel are on the trip-of-a-lifetime in New York, at the most magical time of year. The only thing missing is Gary's gift for Rachel. On a last-minute Christmas Eve visit to Tiffany's, he quickly picks out a charm bracelet for her, and heads back to their hotel. But, in a moment, one small mistake changes everything.

PRAISE

**"A blissfully escapist romp, with a hint of mystery." —*Marie Claire***

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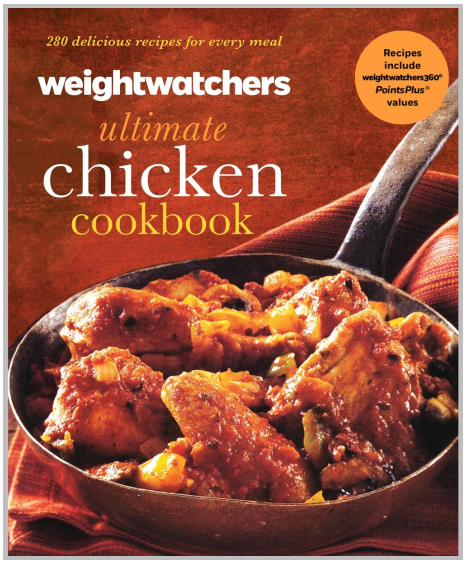
MELISSA HILL is the #1 international bestselling author of ten novels, including *The Truth About You*, *Please Forgive Me*, *Before I Forget* and *The Last to Know*. Her books have been translated into 18 different languages. She lives with her husband Kevin, daughter Carrie, and dog Homer in South Dublin.

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# Weight Watchers Ultimate Chicken Cookbook

*More Than 250 Delicious Family-Friendly Meal Ideas*

Weight Watchers

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**In a handsome, four-color 250-recipe volume, here is a complete compendium of Weight Watchers® best-ever recipes for America's favorite dinner: chicken**

Everyone loves chicken—it's delicious, versatile, economical, and perfect for everything from quick weekday dinners to leisurely weekend meals. It's also a go-to ingredient for anyone trying to lose weight.

These chicken recipes are loved by Weight Watchers members and anyone interested in cooking (and eating) delicious, satisfying dishes. The best are all here, in easy-to-use categories, including:

- Tasty small bites, from Chicken Skewers with Spicy Peanut Dipping Sauce to Chicken and Cheddar Quesadillas
- Salads, both classic and thoroughly modern, like Chicken, Mango, and Black Bean Salad or Grilled Chicken Sausage with Roasted Potato Salad
- Tempting soups and stews, such as Mexicali Chicken Soup with Lime and Chicken Stew with Dumplings
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- Grilled main dishes, like Chicken Under a Brick and Tequila-Citrus Chicken
- Slow-cooker favorites including Chicken and Ham Cassoulet and Meatballs in Cinnamon-Tomato Sauce
- Dishes ready in 20 minutes, like Chicken and Edamame Stir-Fry and Chicken Caesar Pitas

Each of the 250 recipes includes complete nutritional information, as well as Weight Watchers *PointsPlus*® values adhering to the new Weight Watchers 360° program. Also highlighted are countless substitution suggestions, cooking and portioning tips, and much, much more.

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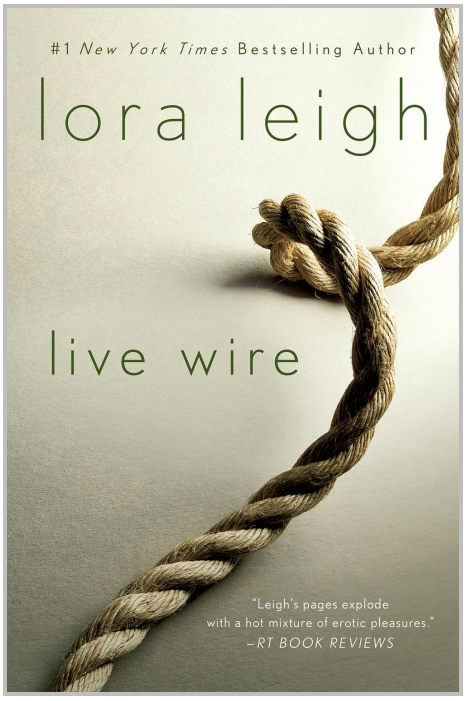


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# Live Wire

Lora Leigh

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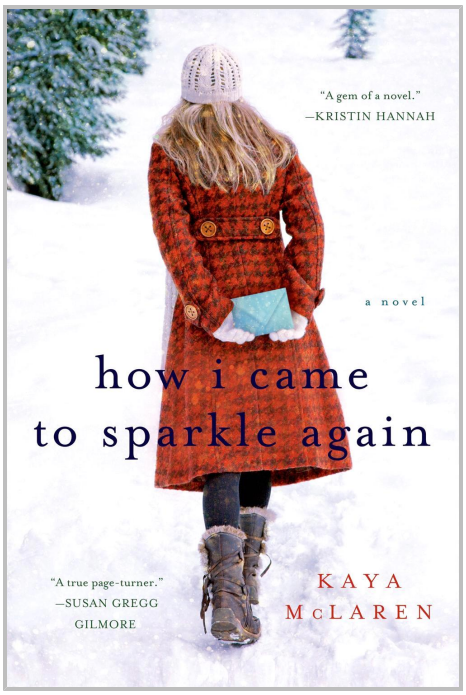
PRAISE

**"Lora Leigh writes compelling, red-hot romance." —*Sacramento Book Review***

#1 *New York Times* bestseller LORA LEIGH is the author of the Navy SEALS, the Breeds, the Elite Ops, the Callahans, the Bound Hearts, and the Nauti series.

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# How I Came to Sparkle Again

Kaya McLaren

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## Set in a Colorado ski town, this remarkable breakout novel chronicles three people and their journey from loss to love; heartbreak to hope

Jill Anthony spent her youth in the ski town of Sparkle, Colorado, but more than a decade has passed since she left. When a devastating tragedy, coupled with the worst kind of betrayal, makes her want to run away, the only place she knows to go is *home:* Sparkle.

Lisa Carlucci looks in the mirror one morning and realizes that she no longer wants to treat her body like a Holiday Inn. She's going to hold out for love. The only problem is, love might come in the form of her ski-bum best friend, who lives next door with his ski-bum friends in a trailer known as "The Kennel."

Cassie Jones, at age ten, has lost her mother and no longer believes in anything. Her only solace comes from the messages she believes her deceased mother is sending her through the heart-shaped rocks they once collected in the streams and hills of Sparkle.

Three people at the crossroads of heartbreak and healing. Three lives that will be changed one winter in Sparkle, Colorado. One tender, funny, tear-jerking novel you won't soon forget.

PRAISE

**"A gem of a novel. . . . like a perfect run down a black diamond slope—fun and fast-moving and invigorating." —Kristin Hannah, bestselling author of *Night Road***

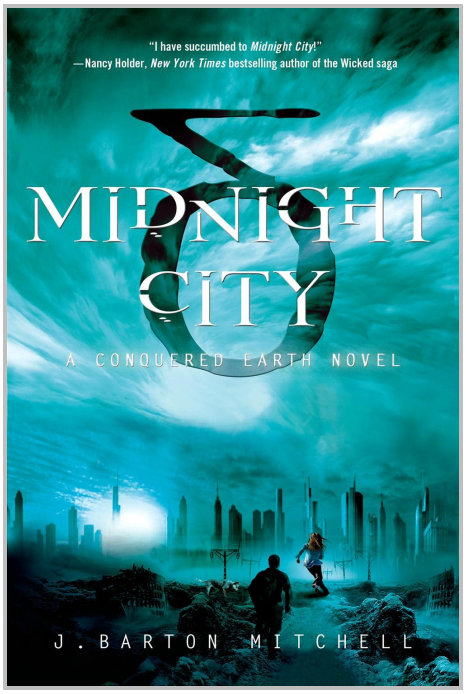
**"A compelling read for anyone who enjoys Luanne Rice, Sarah Addison Allen, or Jacquelyn Mitchard." —*Booklist***

**"Not to be missed!" —Susan Wiggs, bestselling author of *The Lakeshore Chronicles***

**"McLaren's intimate portrait of a seasonal town and its colorful characters makes for an entertaining ride." —*Publishers Weekly***

**"Reads as fast as a run down the slopes!" —Susan Gregg Gilmore, bestselling author of *Looking for Salvation at the Dairy Queen***

KAYA MCLAREN is also author of *On The Divinity of Second Chances* and *Church of the Dog*. She lives and teaches third and fourth graders on the east slope of Snoqualmie Pass in Washington State. When Kaya's not working, she likes to telemark ski, sit in hot springs, moonlight hike, and play in lakes with her dog, Big Cedar.

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# Midnight City

## *A Conquered Earth Novel*

J. Barton Mitchell

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**"Mitchell's prose debut, the first in a dystopian sci-fantasy series, is an imaginative mix of danger and humor . . . The action will keep readers turning the pages." *—Kirkus Reviews***

Earth has been conquered by an alien race known as the Assembly. The human adult population is gone, having succumbed to the Tone—a powerful, telepathic super-signal broadcast across the planet that reduces them to a state of complete subservience. But the Tone has one critical flaw. It only affects the population once they reach their early twenties. Which means that there is one group left to resist: Children.

Holt Hawkins is a bounty hunter, and his current target is Mira Toombs, an infamous treasure seeker with a price on her head. It's not long before Holt bags his prey, but their instant connection isn't something he bargained for. Neither is the Assembly ship that crash-lands near them shortly after. Venturing inside, Holt finds a young girl who remembers nothing except her name: Zoey.

As the three make their way to the cavernous metropolis of Midnight City, they encounter young freedom fighters, mutants, otherworldly artifacts, pirates, feuding alien armies, and the amazing powers that Zoey is beginning to exhibit. Powers that suggest she, as impossible as it seems, may just be the key to stopping the Assembly once and for all.

*Midnight City* is the breathtaking first book of the Conquered Earth series.

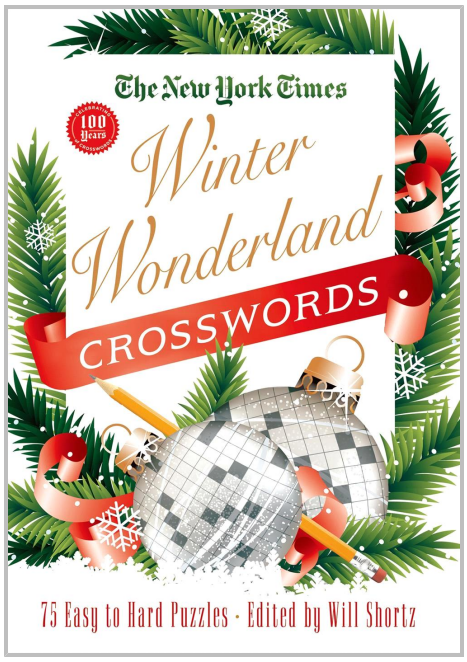
PRAISE

**"Comic-book author Barton's first prose novel offers a bold narrative style, strong characters, and fast-paced action that will appeal to genre fans." *—Booklist***

**"I have succumbed to *Midnight City*! . . . After all, J. Barton Mitchell wrote this novel. I have hope of another. As soon as possible." —Nancy Holder, *New York Times* bestselling author of the Wicked Saga**

**"A riveting post-apocalyptic tale . . . *Midnight City* hurtles you into a story teeming with frightening monsters, bizarre techno-magic and edge-of-your-seat action." —Jana Oliver, award-winning author of *The Demon Trapper's Daughter***

J. BARTON MITCHELL is a screenwriter, comic book writer, and author. He studied creative writing at the University of Houston before going on to receive a B.S. in Film Studies from the University of Texas. After selling screenplays to Warner Bros. and 20th Century Fox, he created and wrote the comic book series *Poe*, published by Boom! Studios in 2009. Mitchell's *Midnight City*, the predecessor to *The Severed Tower*, published in October 2012. Mitchell lives in the Los Feliz area of Los Angeles.

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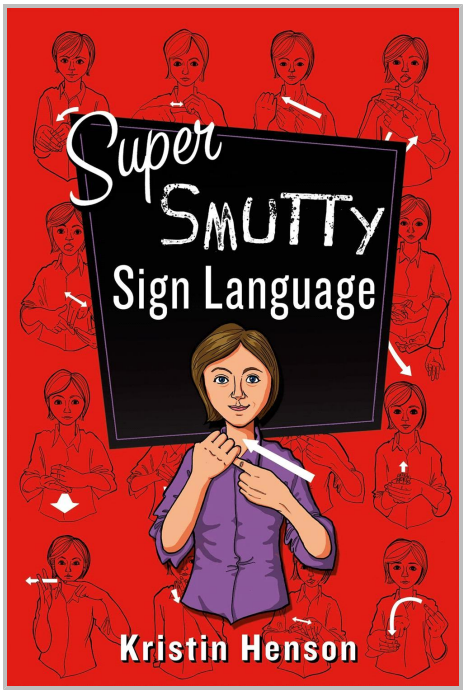
WILL SHORTZ has been the crossword puzzle editor of *The New York Times* since 1993. He is also the puzzlemaster on NPR's *Weekend Edition Sunday* and is founder and director of the annual American Crossword Puzzle Tournament. He has edited countless books of crossword puzzles, Sudoku, KenKen, and all manner of brain-busters. Shortz lives in Pleasantville, New York.

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# Super Smutty Sign Language

Kristin Henson

**A book of truly obscene and offensive insults, sex terms, and pop culture phrases translated into American Sign Language—from the YouTube sensation with more than 1.5 million views and counting**

Have you ever been in a noisy bar and wanted to insult or pick up someone? Now you can say:

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- Cum dumpster
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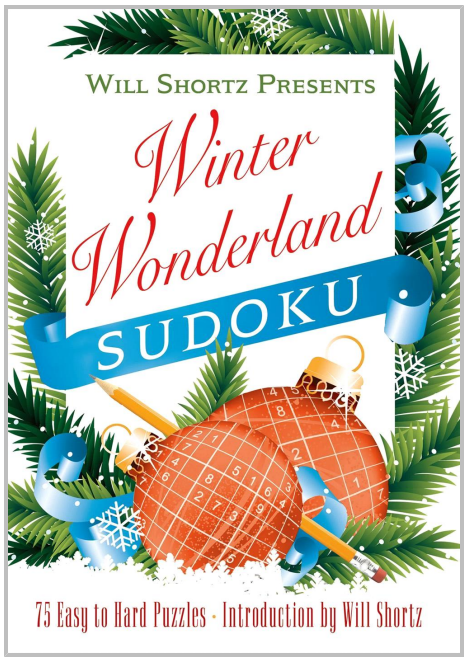
- Does the carpet match the curtains?
- Gargle my balls
- Was that a queef?
- You cum-guzzling ass-pirate!
- Sperm burper
- Let's play leap-frog naked!

There are plenty of books and Websites that teach you basic sign language phrases like "Hello," "I love you," and some even cross the line into crass with "fuck you," "asshole," or "bite me," but *Super Smutty Sign Language* is the *only* book that delivers truly obscene and offensive insults, sex terms, and pop culture phrases including "Suck a bag of dicks," "Bitch, please!" "You motorboating son of a bitch!" and "Blumpkin". Kristin Henson, creator of the YouTube channel *Dirty Signs with Kristin*, presents over 350 dirty, vulgar, foul, and disgusting words and phrases guaranteed to make you blush.

KRISTIN HENSON first started learning American Sign Language when she was a student at Rochester Institute of Technology, which has a significant deaf population. Her dorm mates were more than happy to “help” her out. She once signed “I want a large pizza” to the worker at the school’s dining hall, only discover that her friends had taught her to sign “I want lesbian vagina”. Since then, Henson has become fascinated with learning dirty phrases in ASL and sharing them with the world at large.

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Edited by Will Shortz

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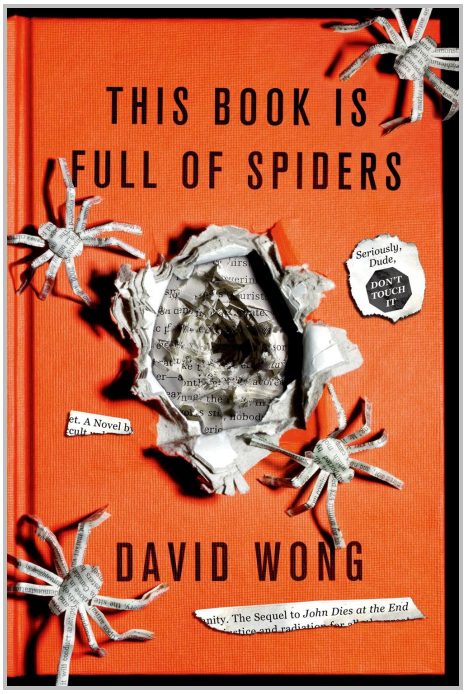
**"The newest puzzle craze to sweep the country." —CBS News**

WILL SHORTZ has edited *The New York Times* crossword puzzles since 1993. He founded and directs the American Crossword Puzzle Tournament and captains the U.S. team in the World Puzzle Championship. He is also Puzzlemaster for "Weekend Edition Sunday"on NPR. He lives in Pleasantville, New York.

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# This Book Is Full of Spiders

## *Seriously, Dude, Don't Touch It*

David Wong

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**The *New York Times* bestselling novel that reads "like an episode of AMC's *The Walking Dead* written by Douglas Adams of *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*" (*Washington Post*)**

Originally released as an online serial where it received more than 70,000 downloads, *John Dies at the End* has been described as a "Horrortacular", an epic of "spectacular" horror that combines the laugh out loud humor of the best R-rated comedy, with the darkest terror of H.P. Lovecraft. The book went on to sell an additional 90,000 copies in all formats and is now a major motion picture from cult director Don Coscarelli starring Paul Giamatti.

As the sequel opens, we find our heroes, David and John, again embroiled in a series of horrifying yet mind-bogglingly ridiculous events caused primarily by their own gross incompetence. The guys find that books and movies about zombies may have triggered a zombie apocalypse, despite a complete lack of zombies in the world. As they race against the clock to protect humanity from its own paranoia, they must ask themselves, who are the real monsters? Actually, that would be the shape-shifting horrors secretly taking over the world behind the scenes that, in the end, make John and Dave kind of wish it had been zombies after all.

Hilarious, terrifying, engaging and wrenching, *This Book Is Full of Spiders* takes us for a wild ride with two slackers from the midwest who really have better things to do with their time than prevent the apocalypse.

PRAISE

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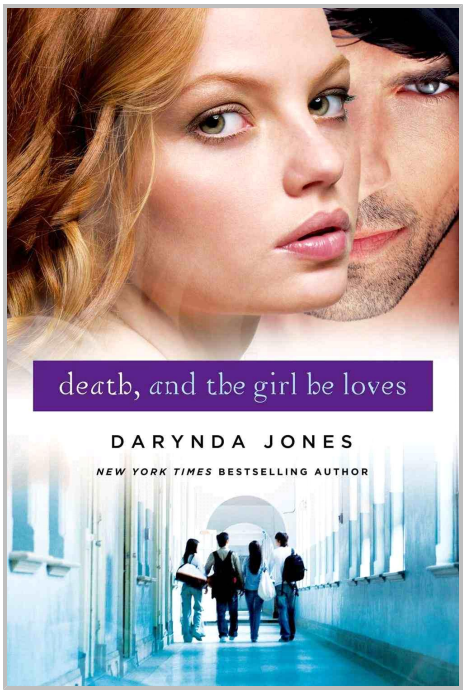


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PRAISE

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As if that weren't hard enough on their relationship, Adam and Amelia are both keeping secrets from each other, the kinds of secrets that could change everything if revealed. As they grow farther apart, others grow closer together. Patty finds a new boyfriend—and a fascinating new job—to distract her from Chad; Adam becomes involved with an older woman who seems to be as interested in Doreye as he is; and TJ starts to notice that Amelia is more than just a computer nerd with the tensions running high, Adam makes a decision that topples Amelia's carefully constructed life and sets off a chain of events that could threaten the future of Doreye. Can Amelia find a way to save their company before it's too late?

PRAISE

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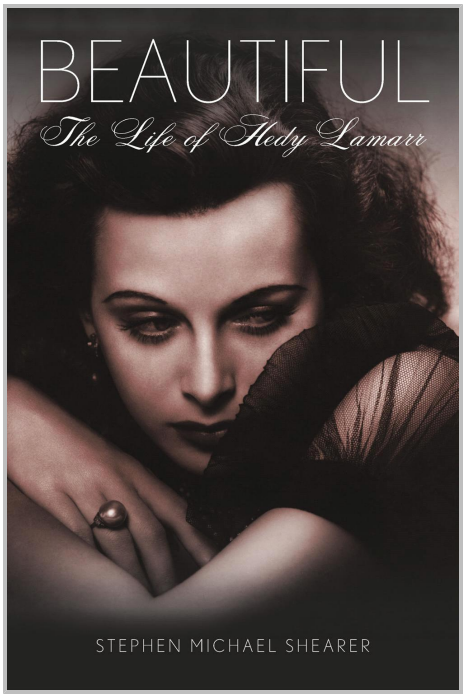


# Beautiful

## *The Life of Hedy Lamarr*

Stephen Michael Shearer

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### Much more than a standard Hollywood biography." —*Edge Magazine*

Hedy Lamarr's exotic beauty was heralded across Europe, but she became infamous for her nude scenes in the scandalous film *Ecstasy*. She became trapped in a marriage to Austria's munitions baron, a man who befriended Mussolini and hid his Jewish heritage to become an "honorary Aryan," at the beginning of World War II.

She fled Europe for Hollywood, where she became one of its most glamorous stars, appearing opposite actors such as Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, and James Stewart. But as her beauty faded and she went from one husband to the next, her personal troubles and legal wranglings cast a shadow over her former image and phenomenal intelligence.

Stephen Michael Shearer's *Beautiful* separates the truth from the rumors about the life of Hedy Lamarr, and highlights her astonishing role as inventor of a technology that has become an essential part of everything from military weaponry to our cellphones.

PRAISE

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STEPHEN MICHAEL SHEARER is the author of *Gloria Swanson: The Ultimate Star* and *Patricia Neal: An Unquiet Life*. He has written for the *Las Vegas Review-Journal* and is also a former model and actor, having appeared on stage, television, and in film. Shearer currently resides in Minnesota and New York City.

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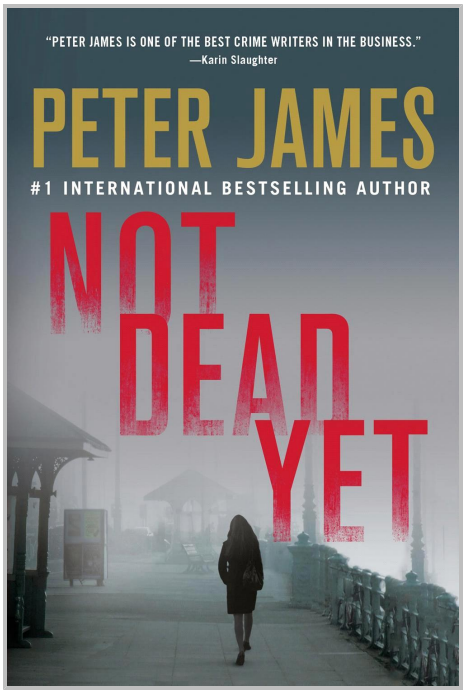


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# Not Dead Yet

Peter James

## Roy Grace tracks a stalker obsessed with a Hollywood starlet in the latest from #1 international bestselling author Peter James

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PRAISE

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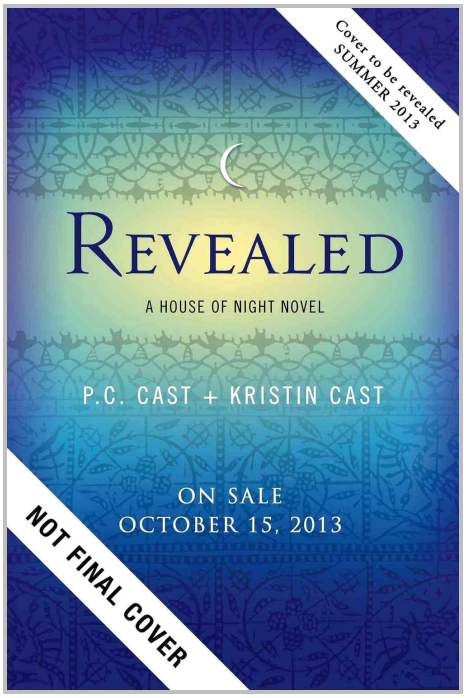
PETER JAMES is the #1 international bestselling author of the Roy Grace series with more than 13 million copies sold all over the world. His novels have been translated into thirty-five languages; three have been filmed, and two are currently in development. All of his novels reflect his deep interest in the world of the police, with whom he does in-depth research. He lives in England.

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PRAISE

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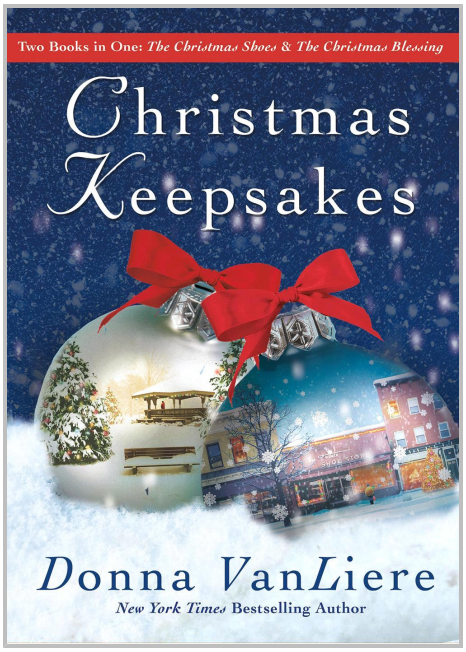
P. C. CAST is a #1 *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author whose novels have been awarded the prestigious Oklahoma Book Award, as well as the PRISM, Booksellers Best, Holt Medallion, and more. She lives in Oklahoma with lots of dogs, cats, horses, and a burro. KRISTIN CAST teams up with her mother to write the House of Night series. She has stories in several anthologies, as well as editorial credits and is currently working on her first stand-alone novel, a dark, mysterious fairy tale.

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# Christmas Keepsakes

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Donna VanLiere

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PRAISE

**Praise for *The Christmas Shoes:***
**"A heartwarming story." —*Publishers Weekly***

**"Heart-tugging...an inspiring Christmas story." —*BookPage***

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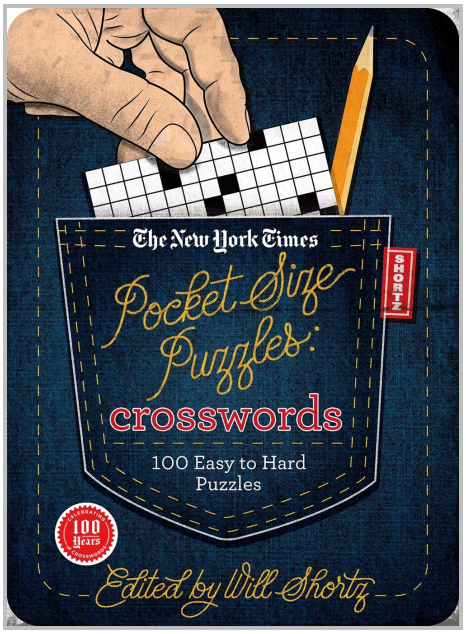
DONNA VanLIERE is *The New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of *The Good Dream*, *Finding Grace*, *The Angels of Morgan Hill* and seven Christmas books, including the perennial favorites *The Christmas Shoes* and *The Christmas Hope.* She lives in Franklin, Tennessee, with her husband and three children.

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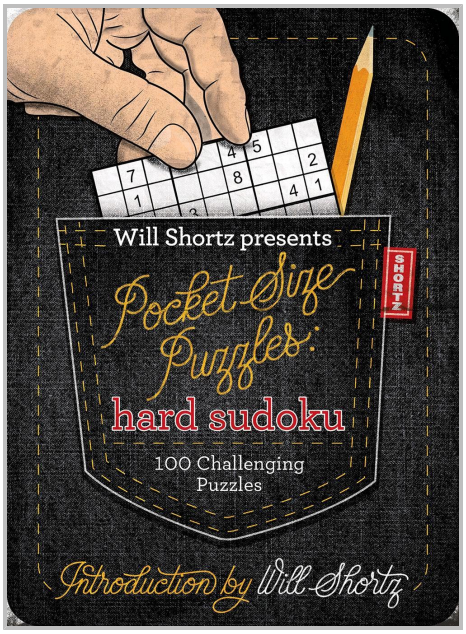


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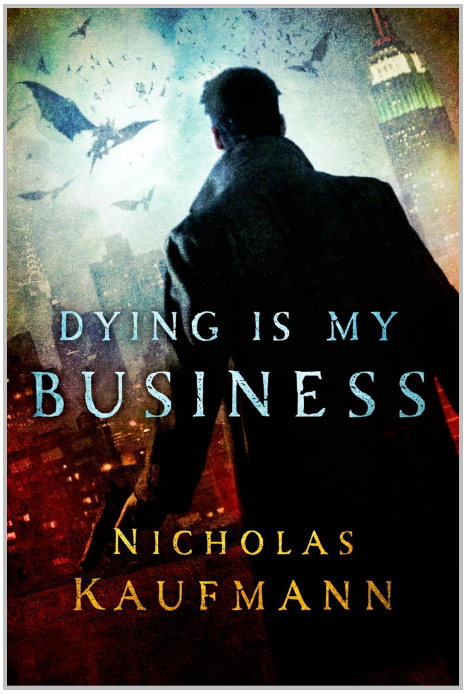


# Dying Is My Business

Nicholas Kaufmann

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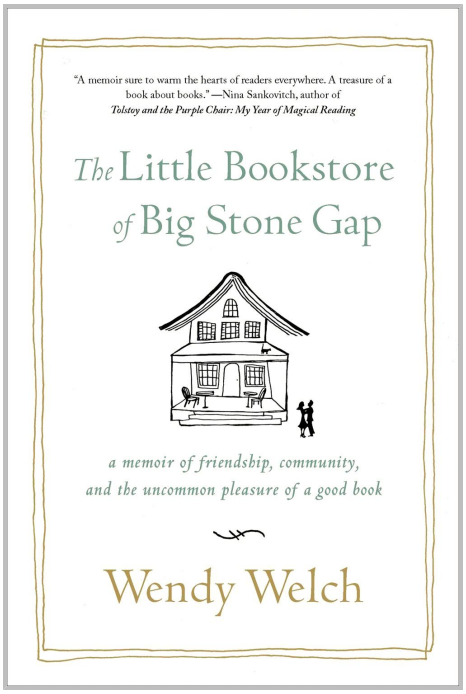
NICHOLAS KAUFMANN lives in Brooklyn, New York with his wife and two cats—one of which has special needs, the other of which only pretends to.

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# The Little Bookstore of Big Stone Gap

## *A Memoir of Friendship, Community, and the Uncommon Pleasure of a Good Book*

Wendy Welch

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Wendy Welch and her husband had always dreamed of owning a bookstore, so when they left high-octane jobs for a simpler life in an Appalachian coal town, they seized an unexpected opportunity to pursue their dream. The only problems? A declining U. S. economy, a small town with no industry, and the advent of the e-book. They also had no idea how to run a bookstore. Against all odds, but with optimism, the help of their Virginia mountain community, and an abiding love for books, they succeeded in establishing more than a thriving business—they built a community.

*The Little Bookstore of Big Stone Gap* is the story of the little bookstore that could: how two people, two cats, two dogs, and thirty-eight thousand books helped a small town open its heart. It is an inspiring true story about losing your place, finding your purpose, and building a community one book at a time.

PRAISE

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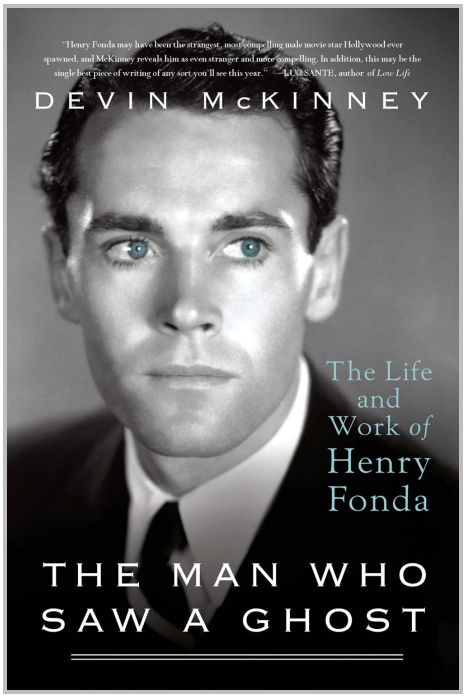
WENDY WELCH and her husband, Scottish folksinger Jack Beck, own and operate Tales of the Lonesome Pine Used Books in Big Stone Gap, Virginia. Wendy has a Ph.D. in ethnography, fosters shelter animals, and is one of the world's fastest crocheters. This is a good thing because it means she is able to sneak in some crafting time between teaching college courses on culture and public health, running special events at the shop, writing about stuff, and chasing kittens out of roads.

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# The Man Who Saw a Ghost

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Devin McKinney

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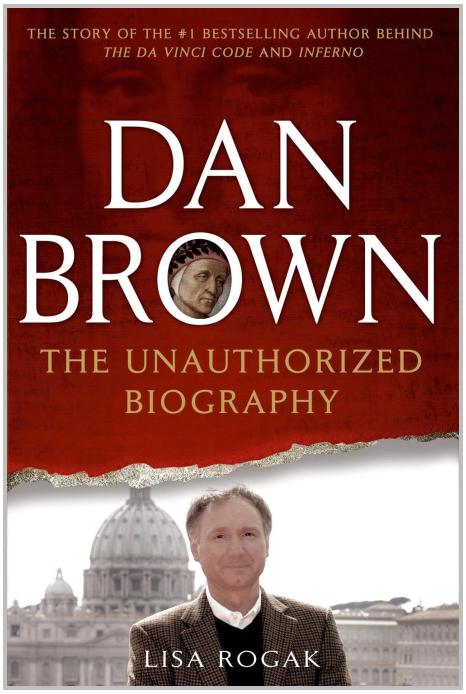
DEVIN MCKINNEY, author of *Magic Circles: The Beatles In Dream And History*, has written for *The Village Voice*, *The Oxford American*, *The Guardian*, *The American Prospect*, and *Film Quarterly*. He lives in central Pennsylvania.

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Published to coincide with the release of *Inferno*, the newest thriller starring Robert Langdon, *Dan Brown* offers fans a chance to learn more about the secretive man who outsold the Bible.

PRAISE

**Praise for Lisa Rogak:**
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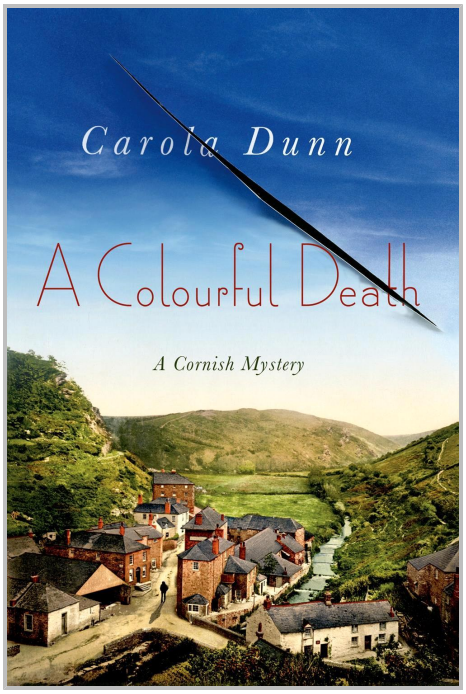
LISA ROGAK is the author of more than forty books. Her most recent biographies are *And Nothing But the Truthiness: The Rise (and Further Rise) of Stephen Colbert*, the Edgar- and Anthony-nominated *Haunted Heart: The Life and Times of Stephen King* and *A Boy Named Shel: The Life and Times of Shel Silverstein.* She is also the editor of the New York Times bestselling *Barack Obama in His Own Words*. She lives in Charleston, South Carolina.

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Eleanor Trewynn is a recently retired widow who has moved to the small village of Port Mabyn in Cornwall. Neither frail nor retiring, after a lifetime of traveling the world, she's ready for an uneventful life with her dog and friends in this quiet town. Unfortunately, excitement seems to happen around her.

Her friend and neighbor, artist Nick Gresham, returns from a trip only to find several of his paintings slashed, reportedly by rival local artist Geoffrey Clarke. When Nick goes to have it out with him, with Eleanor in tow, they find Clarke's body in his studio, fatally stabbed in the back. Accused of the crime, Nick ends up in jail, while Detective Inspector Scumble and DS Megan Pencarrow, Eleanor's niece, investigate. But Eleanor isn't leaving anything to chance—she starts doing a little investigating of her own, and soon learns that Nick is far from the only one with a compelling motive for murder.

PRAISE

**Praise for Carola Dunn's Cornish Mysteries:**
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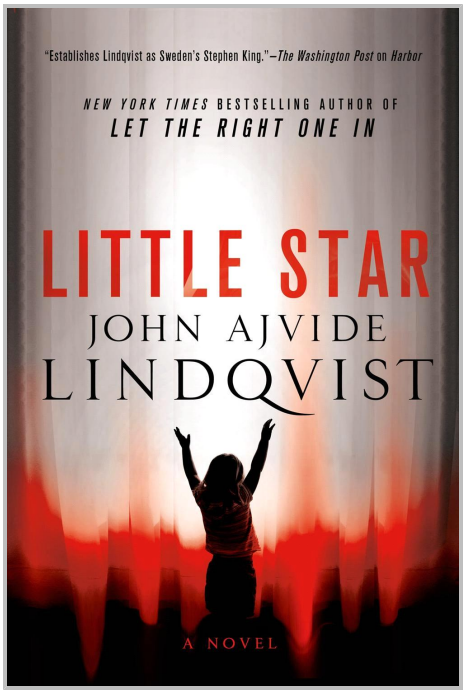
CAROLA DUNN is the author of more than fifty books, including the previous mystery featuring Eleanor Trewynn, *Manna from Hades*, as well as the much loved Daisy Dalrymple novels. Born and raised in England, she lives in Eugene, Oregon.

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# Little Star

*A Novel*

John Ajvide Lindqvist

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## A terrifying modern–day *Carrie* from Sweden's Stephen King." —*The Washington Post*

John Ajvide Lindqvist has been crowned the heir apparent to Stephen King by numerous sources, and he is heralded around the globe as one of the most spectacularly talented horror writers working today. With *Little Star*, his most profoundly unsettling book yet, Lindqvist treads previously unmarked territory. A man finds a baby in the woods, left for dead. He brings the baby home, and he and his wife raise the girl in their basement. When a shocking and catastrophic incident occurs, the couple's son Jerry whisks the girl away to Stockholm to start a new life. There, he enters her in a nationwide singing competition. Another young girl who's never fit in sees the performance on TV, and a spark is struck that will ignite the most terrifying duo in modern fiction. *Little Star* is an unforgettable portrait of adolescence, a modern-day *Carrie* for the age of internet bullies, offensive reality television, and overnight You Tube sensations.

PRAISE

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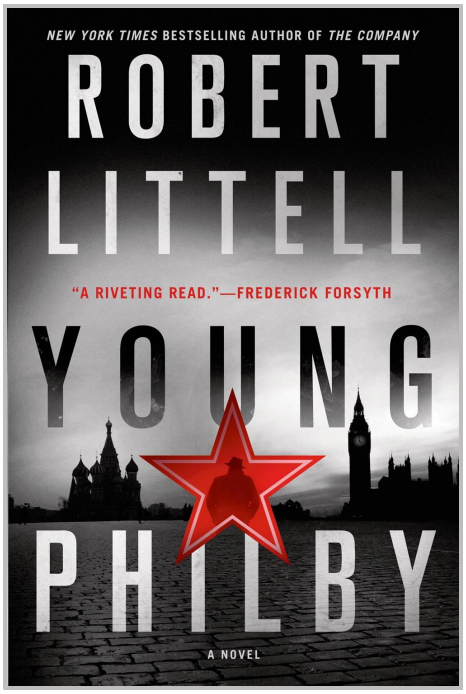
JOHN AJVIDE LINDQVIST is the author of *Let the Right One In (Let Me In), Handling the Undead*, and *Harbor*. *Let the Right One In* has been made into critically acclaimed films in both Sweden and the United States. Stephen King called the American remake, "A genre-busting triumph. Not just a horror film, but the best American horror film in the last twenty years."

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# Young Philby

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Robert Littell

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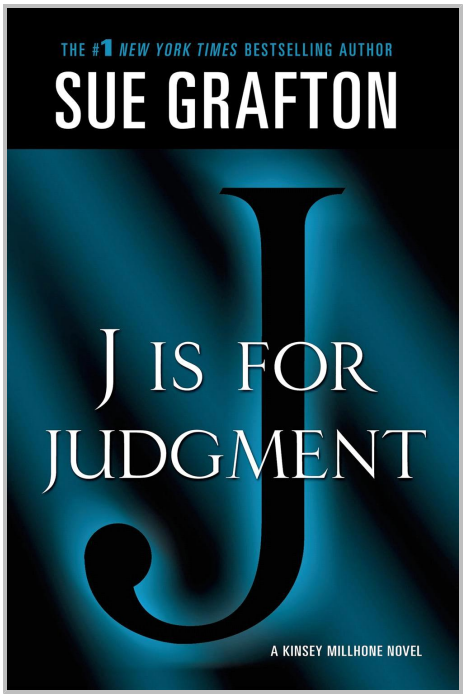
ROBERT LITTELL is the author of sixteen previous novels and the nonfiction book *If Israel Lost the War*, written with Shimon Peres, President of Israel. He has been awarded both the Gold Dagger and the *Los Angeles Times* Book Prize for his fiction. His novel *The Company* was a *New York Times* bestseller and was adapted into a television miniseries. He lives in France.

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But Jaffe wasn't quite without assets. There was the $500,000 life insurance policy made out to his wife and underwritten by California Fidelity. With no corpse to prove death, however, the insurance company was in no hurry to pay the claim. Dana Jaffe had to wait out the statutory five years until her missing husband could be declared legally dead. Just two months before Wendell Jaffe was sighted in that dusty resort bar, California Fidelity finally paid in full. Now they wanted the truth. And they were willing to hire Kinsey Millhone to dig it up.

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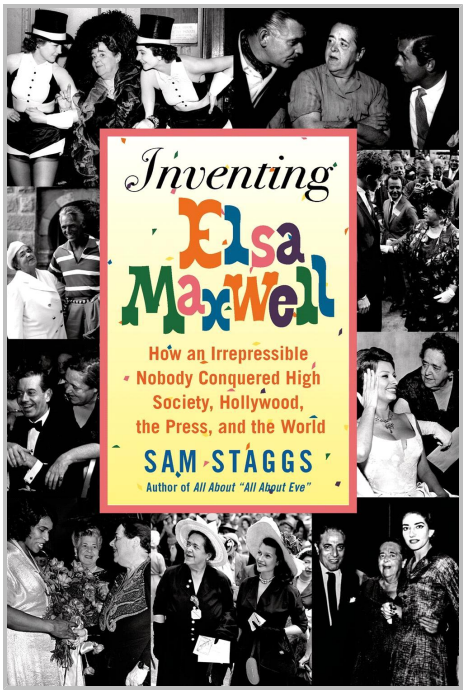
SUE GRAFTON is the *New York Times* #1 bestselling author for the alphabet series. She has been working on this series since 1982. *V is for Vengeance* was a major *New York Times* bestseller in hardcover in November 2011. The next book in the series, *W is for . . .*, will come out in the fall of 2013. She currently lives in Louisville, Kentucky.

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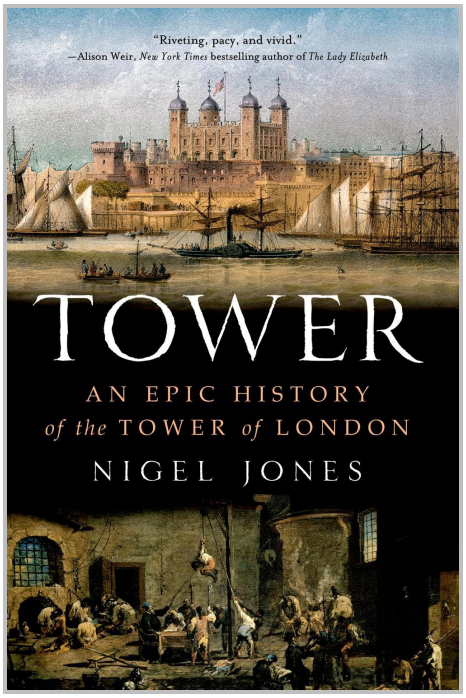
SAM STAGGS is the author of five books, including four biographies of movies: *All About All About Eve*, *Close-Up on Sunset Boulevard*, *When Blanche Met Brando*, and *Born to be Hurt*. He has written for publications including *Vanity Fair* and *Architectural Digest*. He lives in Dallas, Texas.

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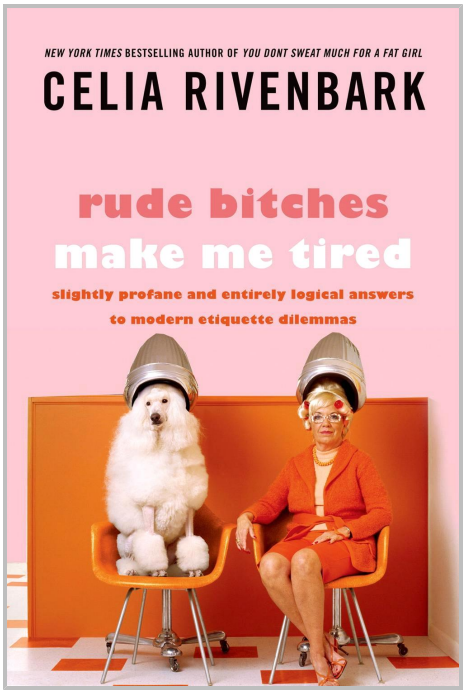
NIGEL JONES is a historian, journalist, and biographer, covering subjects ranging from Nazi Germany to the lives of British writers. He has written for the *Cambridge Evening News*, the Press Association News Agency, and has been an editor on BBC and independent radio, as well as for *History Today* and *BBC History* magazines.

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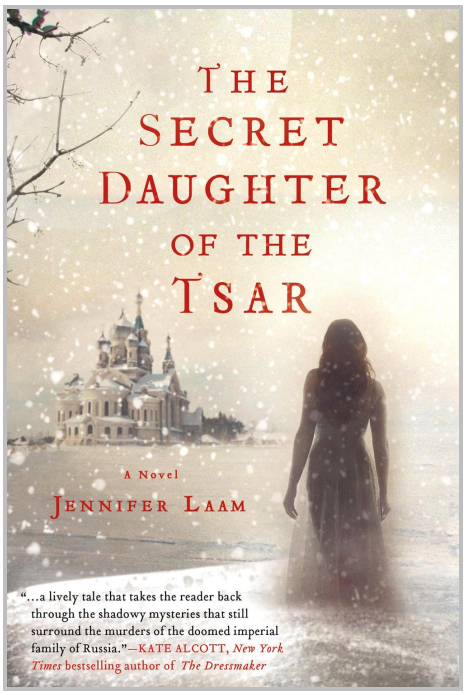
CELIA RIVENBARK is the author of *You Don't Sweat Much for a Fat Girl; Belle Weather; Stop Dressing Your Six-Year-Old Like A Skank; We're Just Like You, Only Prettier; Bless Your Heart, Tramp;* and *You Can't Drink All Day If You Don't Start In The Morning.* She lives in Wilmington, North Carolina

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# The Secret Daughter of the Tsar

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# Little Aran and Celtic Knits for Kids

*25 Designs for Babies and Young Children*

Martin Storey

**Rowan Yarn's master knitwear designer Martin Storey shares twenty-five beautiful patterns for babies and toddlers**

Featuring soft colors, a mixture of traditional Aran patterns, touches of intarsia colorwork, and sweet knitted pattern motifs that both children and parents will love, the projects in this book will make the perfect addition to your little one's wardrobe or room decor. Traditional cabled and Celtic patterns, plus rabbits, cats, anchors, hearts, and birds adorn a wide range of garments and accessories from cardigans, sweaters, dresses, and skirts, to blankets, scarves, socks, and gloves.

All the designs are knit in Rowan's cozy and comfortable natural wool yarns—and range from simple to challenging—so there's something for every knitter to enjoy. The twenty-five adorable designs in this book are sure to become special keepsake handknits that will be treasured for years to come.

MARTIN STOREY is the author of *Aran Knits*, *Nordic Knits*, and the coauthor of *Knitting Goes Large*. Renowned for his truly elegant knitwear designs, he worked for the trendsetting company Artwork after college and since then has been a major force at Rowan Yarns, designing for their Classic Range. Martin lives in the United Kingdom.

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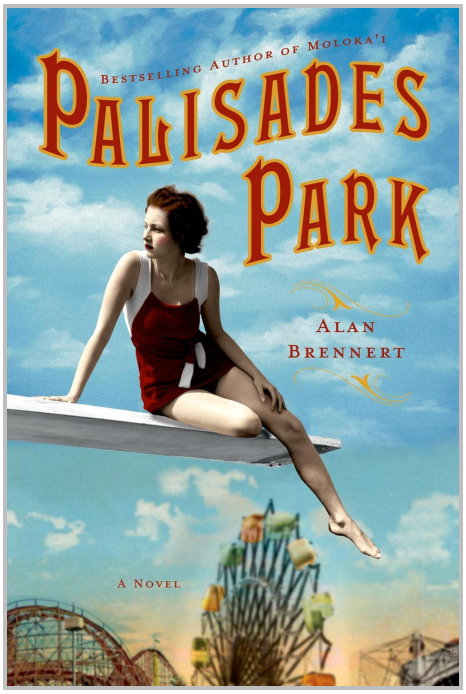


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# Palisades Park

Alan Brennert

## Bestseller Alan Brennert's spellbinding story about a family of dreamers and their lives within the legendary Palisades Amusement Park

Growing up in the 1930s, there is no more magical place than Palisades Amusement Park in New Jersey—especially for seven-year-old Antoinette, who horrifies her mother by insisting on the unladylike nickname Toni, and her brother, Jack. Toni helps her parents, Eddie and Adele Stopka, at the stand where they sell homemade French fries amid the roar of the Cyclone roller coaster. There is also the lure of the world's biggest salt-water pool, complete with divers whose astonishing stunts inspire Toni, despite her mother's insistence that girls can't be high divers.

But a family of dreamers doesn't always share the same dreams, and then the world intrudes: There's the Great Depression, and Pearl Harbor, which hits home in ways that will split the family apart; and perils like fire and race riots in the park. Both Eddie and Jack face the dangers of war, while Adele has ambitions of her own—and Toni is determined to take on a very different kind of danger in impossible feats as a high diver. Yet they are all drawn back to each other—and to Palisades Park—until the park closes forever in 1971.

Evocative and moving, with the trademark brilliance at transforming historical events into irresistible fiction that made Alan Brennert's *Moloka'i* and *Honolulu* into reading group favorites, *Palisades Park* takes us back to a time when life seemed simpler—except, of course, it wasn't.

PRAISE

**"Brennert...creates a real emotional pull in his evocative description of the eccentric, hardworking people who made up the Palisades family in good times and in bad." —*Publishers Weekly***

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**"A literate, thoughtful saga….Brennert's tale is a universal one [and] a pleasure to read." —*Kirkus Reviews***

ALAN BRENNERT grew up in Cliffside Park and Edgewater, New Jersey, always living within a mile of Palisades Amusement Park. He calls *Palisades Park* "a love letter to a cherished part of my childhood." He won an Emmy Award for his work on the television series *L.A. Law* and a Nebula Award for his short story "Ma Qui." The author of the bestselling novel *Moloka'i* and *Honolulu*, named one of the best books of 2009 by *The Washington Post*, he lives in Los Angeles, California.

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# Habits of the House

Fay Weldon

**From the award-winning novelist and writer of *Upstairs Downstairs,* the first book in a brilliant trilogy about what life was really like for masters and servants before the world of *Downton Abbey***

As the Season of 1899 comes to an end, the world is poised on the brink of profound, irrevocable change. The Earl of Dilberne is facing serious financial concerns. The ripple effects spread to everyone in the household: Lord Robert, who has gambled unwisely on the stock market and seeks a place in the Cabinet; his unmarried children, Arthur, who keeps a courtesan, and Rosina, who keeps a parrot in her bedroom; Lord Robert's wife Isobel, who orders the affairs of the household in Belgrave Square; and Grace, the lady's maid who orders the life of her mistress.

Lord Robert can see no financial relief to an already mortgaged estate, and, though the Season is over, his thoughts turn to securing a suitable wife (and dowry) for his son. The arrival on the London scene of Minnie, a beautiful Chicago heiress with a reputation to mend, seems the answer to all their prayers.

As the writer of the pilot of the original *Upstairs Downstairs*, Weldon brings a deserved reputation for magnificent storytelling. With wit and sympathy—and no small measure of mischief—*Habits of the House* plots the interplay of restraint and desire, manners and morals, reason and instinct.

## PRAISE

**"Good fun from start to finish, thanks to breezy storytelling and witty social observations." —*The Washington Post***

**"Weldon brilliantly captuures the rituals above stairs and the gossip below stairs...*Habits of the House* is an absorbing and worthwhile read." —*Star Tribune***

**"Before there was *Downton Abbey*, there was *Upstairs Downtstairs* and, having written the first episode of that iconic television series, it is only fitting that Weldon now returns to the scene of the crime to further explore the disparate worlds of 'them that has and those what serve 'em.'" —*Booklist***

FAY WELDON is an English novelist and screenwriter who, at sixteen, lived in a grand London townhouse as the daughter of the housekeeper. She won a Writers' Guild Award for the pilot of *Upstairs Downstairs*. A Commander of the British Empire, her books include *Praxis*, shortlisted for the Booker Prize; *The Heart of the Country*, winner of the *Los Angeles Times* Fiction Prize; *Worst Fears*, shortlisted for the Whitbread Novel Award; and *Wicked Women*, which won the PEN/Macmillan Silver Pen Award.

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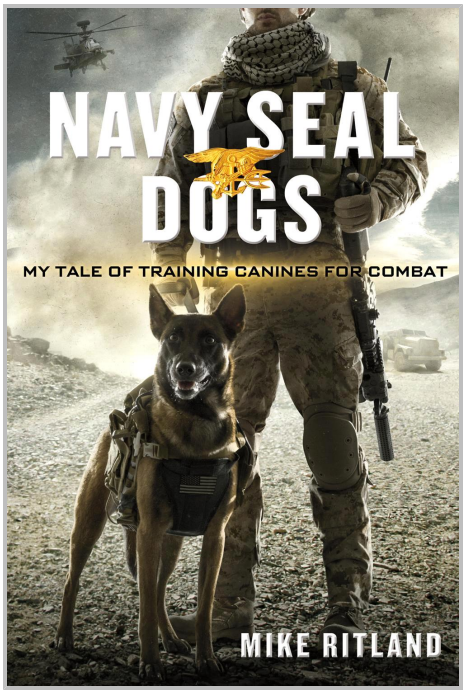


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# Navy SEAL Dogs

## *My Tale of Training Canines for Combat*

Michael Ritland

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### For young readers a special edition of *Trident K9 Warriors*—the first book to take readers inside the world of elite Navy SEAL working dogs

*Trident K9 Warriors* gave readers an inside look at the SEAL teams' elite K9 warriors—who they are, how they are trained, and the extreme missions they undertake to save lives. From detecting explosives to eliminating the bad guys, these powerful dogs are also some of the smartest and highest skilled working animals on the planet. Mike Ritland's job is to train them.

This special edition re-telling presents the dramatic tale of how Ritland discovered his passion and grew up to become the trainer of the nation's most elite military working dogs. Ritland was a smaller-than-average kid who was often picked-on at school—which led him to spend more time with dogs at a young age. After graduating BUD/S training—the toughest military training in the world—to become a SEAL, he was on combat deployment in Iraq when he saw a military working dog in action and instantly knew he'd found his true calling.

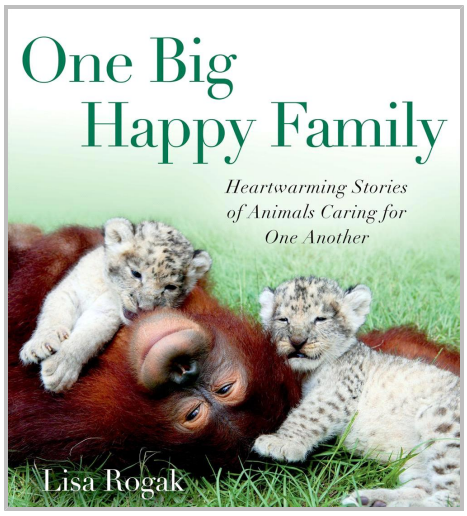
Ritland started his own company to train and supply working and protection dogs for the U.S. Government, Department of Defense, and other clients. He also started the Warrior Dog Foundation to help retired Special Operations dogs live long and happy lives after their service.

This is the true story of how Mike Ritland grew from a skinny, bullied child, to a member of our nation's most elite SEAL Teams, to the trainer of the world's most highly skilled K9 warriors.

PRAISE

**"After a stellar career in the Teams, Mike Ritland has gone on to train working K9's for some of the most elite units in the U.S. Special Operations community. These dogs are integrated into Special Operations at all levels of mission planning. They HALO parachute from high altitude, chase enemy squirters, and detect explosive booby traps, to name just a few tasks. If you want to learn about these amazing animals, the sacrifices they've made, and their effectiveness in combat, then read *Navy SEAL Dogs*."**
**—Brandon Webb, Former Navy SEAL, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Red Circle,* and Editor-in-Chief SOFREP.com**

MIKE RITLAND joined the Navy in 1996 and graduated with BUD/S class 215. After years as a member of SEAL Team 3, he became a BUD/S instructor and then started his own company to train dogs for the SEAL teams. Today he continues to supply working and protection dogs to a host of clients, including the U.S. government and Department of Defense. He also started the Warrior Dog Foundation to help retired Special Operations dogs live long and happy lives after their service.

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# One Big Happy Family

## *Heartwarming Stories of Animals Caring for One Another*

Lisa Rogak

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**An irresistible collection of photos and stories of the animals who have felt the parental instinct and cared for little ones of every stripe**

For all those touched by the stories in the bestselling book *Unlikely Friendships, One Big Happy Family* celebrates the intimacy and emotional connections of parenthood. Whether it's the border collie and the piglets, the cat and the ducklings, or even the golden retriever and the baby hippo, these are poignant, charming tales of animal moms and dads whose nurturing instinct overrides their species instinct.

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PRAISE

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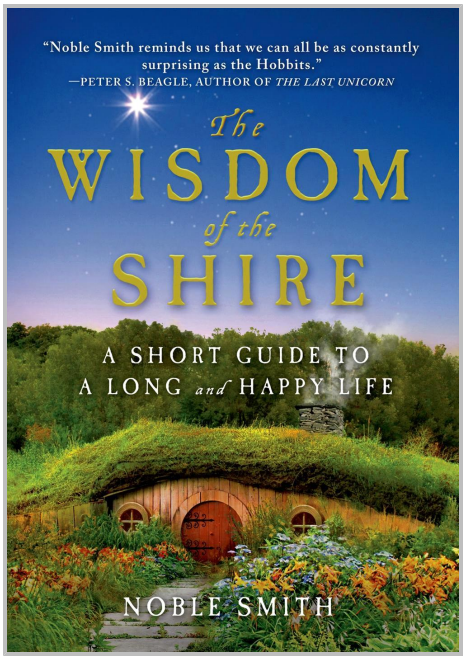
LISA ROGAK is author of *The Dogs of War: The Courage, Love, and Loyalty of Military Working Dogs; The Dogs of Courage: The Heroism and Heart of Working Dogs Around the World;* and editor of *The New York Times*-bestselling *Barack Obama in His Own Words.*

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# The Wisdom of the Shire

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Noble Smith; Foreword by Peter S. Beagle

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With hundreds of millions of copies of Tolkien's works in print and Peter Jackson's film adaptations continuing to build a whole new fan base, Noble Smith has created a self-help guide that will appeal to legions of devotees of Middle-earth.

PRAISE

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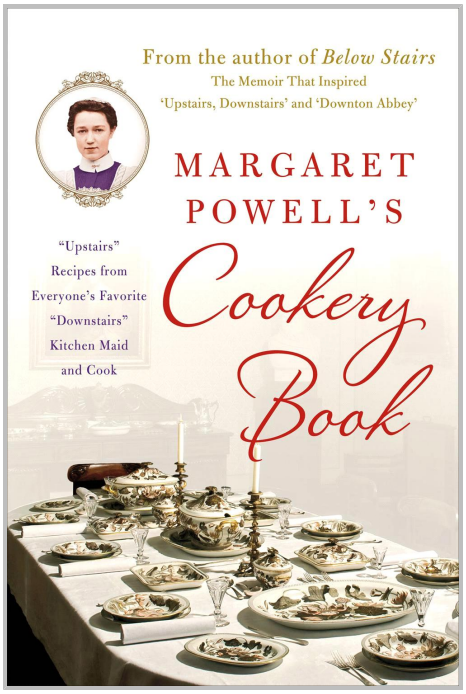
**"*The Wisdom of the Shire* is an idea whose time has unquestionably come." —Peter S. Beagle, author of the introduction to *The Lord of the Rings***

NOBLE SMITH is an award-winning playwright who has worked as a video game writer, a documentary film executive producer and the media director of an international human rights foundation. He lives in the Pacific Northwest with his wife and children.

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# Margaret Powell's Cookery Book

## *500 Upstairs Recipes from Everyone's Favorite Downstairs Kitchen Maid and Cook*

Margaret Powell

**A treasure trove of classic English recipes from the bestselling author of *Below Stairs*.**

In *Below Stairs*, Margaret Powell told readers what it was like to work in the great houses of England. In her *Cookery Book*, she takes us inside her vast kitchen. "Upstairs" demanded the best and cooking downstairs, Powell obliged. Her cookery book is a firsthand account of how people cooked and dined in the early twentieth century when houses like Downton Abbey were fully staffed. Giving away the secrets of the manor, she presents more than five–hundred recipes from the simple to the sophisticated: Shepherd's Pie, Roast Chicken Stuffed with Herbs, Potatoes ala Florence, Rabbit Pilau, Compote of Snipe, and Queen Mab Pudding. Behind every well-fed family like the Crawleys of Downton Abbey was a cook like Margaret Powell who now invites us all to feast.

PRAISE

**Praise for *Below Stairs*:**

**"I suspect the real story of the relationship of servants to their masters is more accurately told by Margaret Powell in her simple and quite brilliant *Below Stairs*."**
**—*The New York Times***

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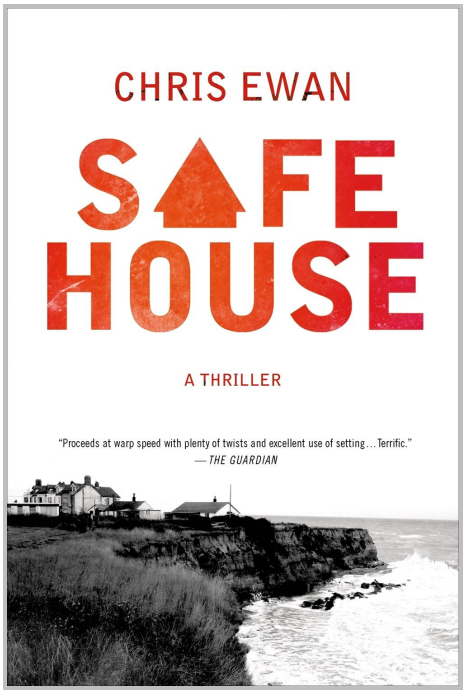
MARGARET POWELL was born in 1907, left school at the age of thirteen and, at fourteen, went into service as a kitchen maid. In 1968 the first volume of her memoirs, *Below Stairs*, was published and turned her into a celebrity. She died in 1984.

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# Safe House

*A Thriller*

Chris Ewan

## A brilliant thriller from the author of the acclaimed Good Thief's Guide series asks, how can a beautiful woman simply vanish?

When Rob Hale wakes up in the hospital after a motorcycle crash on the Isle of Man, his first thought is for Lena, the gorgeous blonde who was on the back of his bike. But the doctors and the police insist that he was found alone at the scene and don't believe she exists. The woman he describes bears a striking resemblance to his late sister, Laura, but did he really just imagine her?

Convinced that Lena is as real as he is and that someone took her from the crash site, Rob sets out to uncover the truth behind her disappearance. He is aided by Rebecca Lewis, a London-based PI who has a mysterious connection to his sister. As they follow the clues to discover Lena's fate, they realize that even on an island where most people know each other, everyone has a secret, and that sometimes your best option isn't to hide but to stay and fight.

PRAISE

**"Beautifully plotted." —*Publishers Weekly (starred),* Pick of the Week**

**"A tightly focused story about love and corruption, about rural character versus big-city arrogance, and a rollicking adventure scaled down for your above-average plumber." —*The Boston Globe***

**"Both an emotional story of a family dealing with a tragedy and an action-packed tale of a young man caught up in an elaborate kidnapping." —*Sun Sentinel***

**"Ewan has . . . elevated the everyman thriller into a compelling, contemporary read . . . An exciting, well crafted thriller, with flashes of real humour and insight." —S. J. Bolton**

CHRIS EWAN, who lives on the Isle of Man, began his crime-writing career with the *Good Thief's Guide to Amsterdam,* which was called one of the "best books for grownups" by *Publishers Weekly* and *AARP The Magazine,* and one of the best thrillers of the year by the *London Times. The Huffington Post* also named Ewan one of America's favorite British authors.

# King's Man

## *A Novel of Robin Hood*

Angus Donald

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**"A rip-roaring tale . . . A fast-moving, thoroughly enjoyable yarn." —*Kirkus Reviews***

1192 A.D.: Robin Hood has returned from the Third Crusade with army in tatters to find his castle under siege by his enemies. But even those are the least of his problems—on his journey back to England, Richard the Lionheart is betrayed, captured, and held for ransom. Suddenly the fate of the greatest warrior in Christendom lies in the hands of a renegade earl and former outlaw: Robin Hood.

The mission is deadly, the enemies powerful and numerous, as Robin and his loyal lieutenant Alan Dale, set out to free the Lionheart. Trying to thwart them are a powerful array of enemies, as the princes of Europe have united against Richard and, back in England, his brother, Prince John, seeks to take his kingdom for himself. Blood-soaked battlefields, deadly assassins and treacherous foes line the road that Alan and Robin must travel as they fight to rescue Richard and restore his crown.

### PRAISE

**"A rip-roaring tale . . . inspired by but not slavish to historical events of the Dark Ages, this book is full of twists and turns . . . A fast-moving, thoroughly enjoyable yarn." —*Kirkus Reviews* on *King's Man***

**"Makes everyone's favorite outlaw a lot more interesting. *Outlaw* is as fast-paced as a charging war-horse. Superb!" —Nelson Demille**

**"A rousing yarn!" —*Publishers Weekly* on *Outlaw***

**"Lively and enjoyable." —*The Daily Mail* on *Holy Warrior***

ANGUS DONALD was born in 1965 and educated at Marlborough College and Edinburgh University. He has worked as a fruit-picker in Greece, a waiter in New York and as an anthropologist studying magic and witchcraft in Indonesia. For the past fifteen years, he has been a journalist in Hong Kong, India, Afghanistan, and London.

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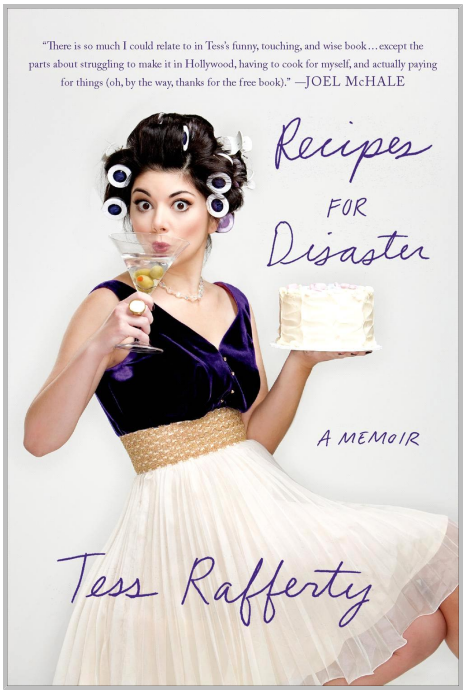


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# Recipes for Disaster

## *A Memoir*

Tess Rafferty

**From a former writer of E!'s *The Soup* comes this "part entertaining manual, part memoir of the entertainment industry that will please entertainment junkies and foodies alike" (*Booklist*)**

Starting with the Thanksgiving turkey that never quite finishes cooking, then moving to the polenta that unceremoniously goes runny; from the guests that arrive a day early to the ones who audaciously bring an ill-flavored casserole to the dinner party you've expertly crafted—there is no topic Tess Rafferty fails to encounter, or hilariously recount. *Recipes for Disaster* is as though Bridget Jones wrote a culinary narrative—the most pristine of intentions slowly disappear, as does the wine along with any hope of a seamless and well-orchestrated dinner party.

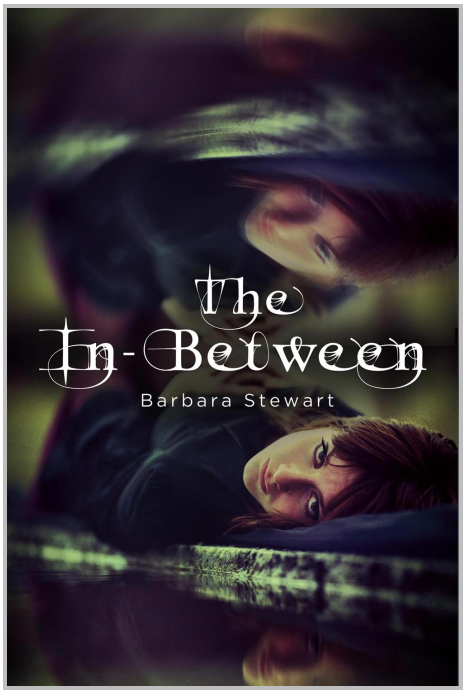
Told with heart, humor and honesty; this memoir goes beyond culinary catastrophe and heartwarmingly unveils the lengths we go to in order to please our family, friends, and ourselves—and proves that it's not the food that counts, but the memories.

PRAISE

**"Runny gravy, watery polenta and a cranky boyfriend running on empty are all included in a hodgepodge of memories . . . Energetic account of a comedienne's mishaps in the kitchen as she prepares meals for family and friends." —*Kirkus Reviews***

**"Not since the disastrous dinner parties of the classic *Mary Tyler Moore* show has a sultry brunette more adorably fumbled her way through the kitchen." —Cathryn Michon, author of *The Grrl Genius Guide to Life***

TESS RAFFERTY has spent over seven years writing for *E! Entertainment's* cult comedy show, *The Soup*. She can be seen regularly discussing pop culture on the TV Guide Channel and VH1. A drinking "enthusiast," Rafferty enjoys wine, specifically good wine—from Napa to Long Island, and at every airport bar in between. Her travels have led to an appreciation for good food, which she attempts to bring home and recreate for her friends, with varying degrees of success. She lives in Los Angeles.

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# The In-Between

Barbara Stewart

## When Elanor's near-death experience opens a door to a world inhabited by bold, beautiful Madeline, she finds her life quickly spiraling out of control

Fourteen-year-old Elanor Moss has always been an outcast who fails at everything she tries—she's even got the fine, white scars to prove it. Moving was supposed to be a chance at a fresh start, a way to leave behind all the pain and ugliness of her old life. But, when a terrible car accident changes her life forever, her near-death experience opens a door to a world inhabited by Madeline Torus . . . Madeline is everything Elanor isn't: beautiful, bold, brave. She is exactly what Elanor has always wanted in a best friend and more—their connection runs deeper than friendship. But Madeline is not like other girls, and Elanor has to keep her new friend a secret or risk being labeled "crazy." Soon, though, even Elanor starts to doubt her own sanity. Madeline is her entire life, and that life is drastically spinning out of control. Elanor knows what happens when your best friend becomes your worst enemy. But what happens when your worst enemy is yourself?

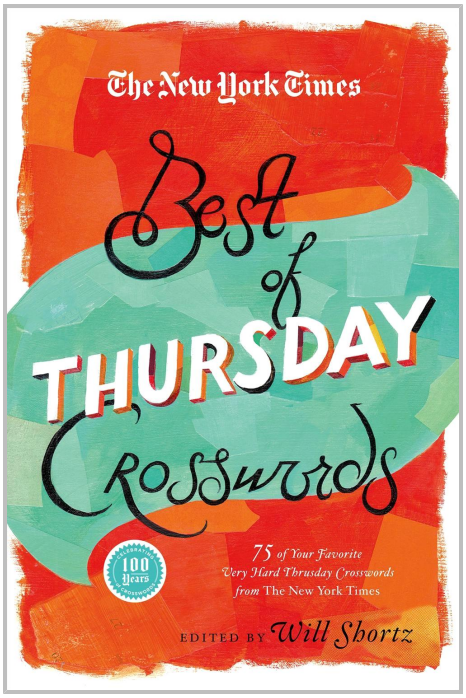
PRAISE

**"Creepy and addictive, . . . left me with both an acute distrust of what my eyes see, and an overwhelming fear of falling asleep. This psychological thriller definitely thrilled me." —Jodi Meadows, author of the *Incarnate* trilogy**

**"Compelling and addictive, hands-down my favorite YA read of the year. I was in the story's grip from beginning to end." —Jennifer Brown, author of *The Hate List***

**"Terrifying, in the best possible way. Keeping all the lights on and reading in the daytime won't save you from goose bumps and shivers." —Tiffany Schmidt, author of *Send Me a Sign***

BARBARA STEWART earned an M.F.A. in creative writing from Wichita State University. *The In-Between* is her first novel. She lives with her husband in the Catskill Mountains of New York.

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# The New York Times Best of Thursday Crosswords

*75 of Your Favorite Tricky Thursday Puzzles from The New York Times*

Edited by Will Shortz

## A collection of witty Thursday *Times* crosswords

You know you're a seasoned puzzle solver when you can crack the tricky, outside-the-box *New York Times* Thursday crossword. This latest volume of our favorite day series collects all your favorite Thursday puzzles.

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- Seventy five of the *Times*'s quirky Thursday crosswords
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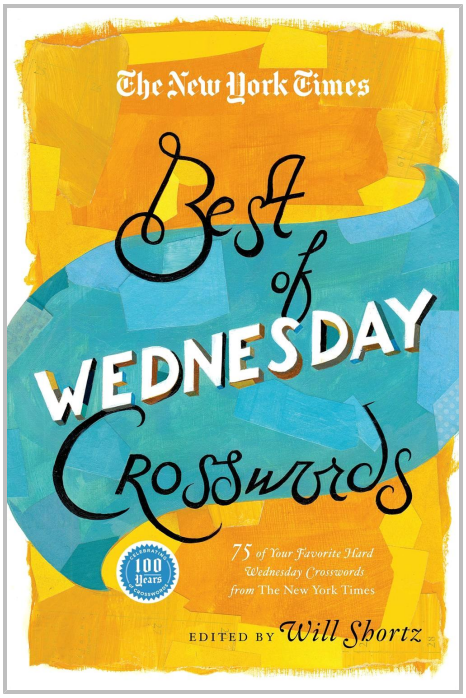
- Edited by Will Shortz.

WILL SHORTZ has been crossword editor of *The New York Times* since 1993. He founded the American Crossword Puzzle Tournament and the World Puzzle Championship. He is also Puzzlemaster for "Weekend Edition Sunday"on NPR. Shortz lives in Pleasantville, New York.

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# The New York Times Best of Wednesday Crosswords

*75 of Your Favorite Medium-Level Wednesday Crosswords from The New York Times*

Edited by Will Shortz

## The *Times* popular Wednesday puzzles!

Wednesday might be humdrum in the office but if you're a crossword solver, a Wednesday puzzle will always keep you on your toes. This next volume in our new day of the week series collects all your favorite medium level Wednesday puzzles in one attractive, portable package.

Features:

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PRAISE

**"[*The New York Times* crossword] is an iconic manifestation of civilization." —Ken Burns**

**"Will Shortz is [the crossword book world's] John Grisham." —Martin Arnold**

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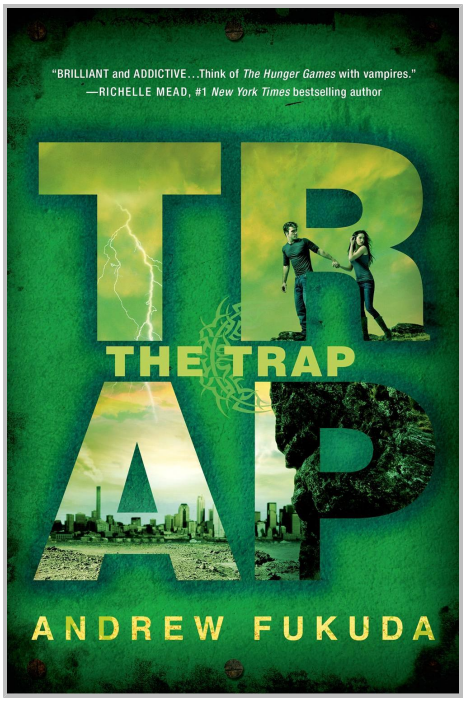


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# The Trap

Andrew Fukuda

## The explosive finale to The Hunt trilogy—perfect for fans of *The Hunger Games*!

After barely escaping the Mission alive, Gene and Sissy face an impossible task: staying alive long enough to stop an entire world bent on their destruction. Bound on a train heading into the unknown with the surviving Mission girls, Gene, Sissy, David, and Epap must stick together and use everything they have to protect each other and their only hope: the cure that will turn the blood-thirsty creatures around them into humans again. Now that they know how to reverse the virus, Gene and Sissy have one final chance to save those they love and create a better life for themselves. But as they struggle to get there, Gene's mission sets him on a crash course with Ashley June, his first love . . . and his deadliest enemy.

PRAISE

**Praise for *The Hunt*:**

**"With an exciting premise fueled by an underlying paranoia, fear of discovery, and social claustrophobia . . . in this terrifying and inventive adventure, Fukuda turns the vampire novel inside out." —*Publishers Weekly***

**"Fukuda takes the feeling of isolation that dominates adolescence and builds a world around it in a novel where the tension rarely slackens . . . and language that is as graphic as it is eloquent." —*Maximum Shelf***

**"Action-packed, heart-pounding, page-flipping action. I'm thoroughly in love. *The Hunt* is a riveting, thrilling read—definitely one of my favorite books of the year." —*YA Reads***

ANDREW FUKUDA worked as a criminal prosecutor in New York and studied history at Cornell. His first novel, *Crossing*, was selected by Booklist in 2010 as a Top Ten First Novel and Editors' Choice for Best Adult Book for Young Adults. He now writes full time in Long Island.

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# Before I Die

Candy Chang

## Fans of PostSecret will love this beautifully designed book that asks the question, "What do you want to do before you die?"

*Before I die I want to . . . sing for millions, see my daughter graduate, eat a salad with an alien, see the leaves change many times, be someone's cavalry, see what I'm like as an old man, tell my mother I love her, evaporate into the light . . .*

In the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina, artist Candy Chang turned the side of an abandoned building in her New Orleans neighborhood into a worldwide phenomenon with some chalkboard paint, the words "Before I Die, I want to . . ." and a little help from her community. The project allowed people to share their hopes, dreams, and aspirations, reminding them what's really important in life. Since then more than one hundred walls have been installed all over the world, from Amsterdam, San Diego, and Brooklyn to Kazakhstan, South Africa, and New Jersey. Now these inspirational stories are being shared with the world for the first time in print with *Before I Die*.

Funny, heartwarming, touching, and dynamic, Candy Chang's book is filled with colorful photographs that share the hopes and dreams of real people, making readers ask: just what do I want to do before I die?

### PRAISE

**Praise for Candy Chang's "Before I Die" project:**
**"Through a series of large-scale projects that combine installation art with social activism, Chang has encouraged people to engage with public spaces to let their voices be heard." —*O, The Oprah Magazine***

**"They're the stuff of everyday life from people of all walks of life . . .Young or old, rich or poor, the [Before I Die] wall does make you think as you walk by." —*NBC's Rock Center with Brian Williams***

**"*Before I Die* is merely one of the most creative community projects ever." —*The Atlantic***

CANDY CHANG is an artist, designer, and urban planner who likes to make cities more comfortable for people. She's a TED Fellow, Urban Innovation Fellow, and co-founder of Civic Center and Neighborland. She created *Before I Die* as an interactive public art project dedicated to promoting community. This is her first book with St. Martin's Press. She lives in New Orleans.

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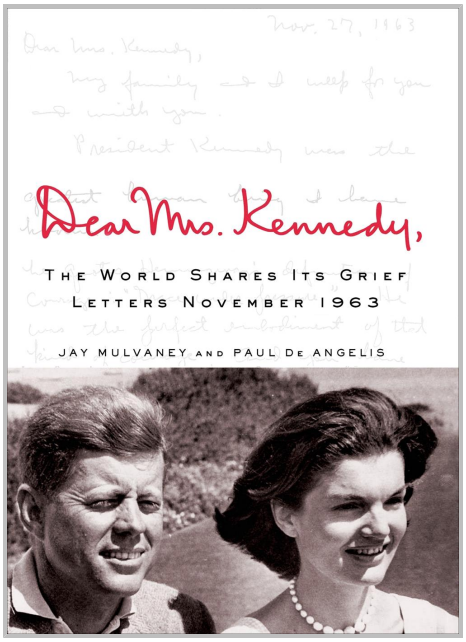


# Dear Mrs. Kennedy

## *The World Shares Its Grief, Letters November 1963*

Jay Mulvaney and Paul De Angelis

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**On the fiftieth anniversary of John F. Kennedy's assassination comes a powerful and moving collection of condolence letters sent to Jacqueline Kennedy from around the world**

In the weeks and months following the assassination of her husband, First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy received more than one million letters. The impact of President Kennedy's death was so immense that people from every station in life wrote to her, sharing their feelings of sympathy, sorrow, and hope.

With letters from political luminaries such as Winston Churchill, Martin Luther King Jr., and Charles De Gaulle; Hollywood stars like Lauren Bacall, Vivian Leigh, and Gene Kelly; foreign dignitaries including Queen Elizabeth II, the King and Queen of Greece, and the Prince of Monaco; and celebrities like Ezra Pound, Noel Coward, Babe Paley, Langston Hughes, Oleg Cassini, Josephine Baker. This is more than just a compendium of letters. *Dear Mrs. Kennedy* uses these many voices to tell the unforgettable story of those fateful four days in November, when the world was struck with shock and sadness. Filled with emotion, patriotism, and insight, the letters are a poignant time capsule of one of the seminal events of the twentieth century. *Dear Mrs. Kennedy* offers a diverse portrait not only of the aftermath of the assassination, but of the Kennedy mystique that continues to captivate the world.

### PRAISE

**"The correspondence gathered in this book testifies to the impact of Kennedy's life, and also offers, as the editors correctly observe, 'a glimpse into the lost art of letter-writing.'" —*New York Times Book Review***

**"I thought I would never read another Kennedy book.... Anyone who cares about American history and the heart of the American people will want to read *Dear Mrs. Kennedy*." —Laurence Leamer, bestselling author of *The Kennedy Women* and *Sons of Camelot***

**"A book for every bedside...These carefully selected letters of condolence take us back to a moment in history we would do well to revisit." —Frances Kiernan, author of *The Last Mrs. Astor***

JAY MULVANEY, the author of *Kennedy Weddings* and *Diana and Jackie* and an Emmy Award-winning writer and producer, was once an office boy for Senator Edward M. Kennedy. PAUL DE ANGELIS has been an Editor, Editorial Director, and Editor-in-Chief at such publishing companies as St. Martin's Press, E.P. Dutton, and Kodansha America.

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# The Glamorous Life 2

## *All That Glitters Isn't Gold*

Nikki Turner

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### From *New York Times* bestselling author Nikki Turner comes the long awaited sequel to *Glamorous Life*

At the top of her game, Bambi built EventsRUS, from the ground up, doing high end events for anybody who was somebody. Bambi's main goal was to stack more than enough money to ensure that her husband, Lynx, would never have to distribute illegal narcotics another day in his life.

But once Lynx is released from prison, all her high hopes and dreams turn into a horrible nightmare. She sadly learns that Lynx has an insatiable love and growing appetite, for his mistress: gambling, that threatens to bring both of them to ruin.

Caught between the venture capitalist bankers, the underground financers and having loyalty and love to her man, Bambi has to make life changing decisions and deceptions. And the wrong move could cost her everything.

PRAISE

**"Nikki puts a new twist on an old favorite. As thought provoking and witty as it is hood, *Project Chick II* is a great read." —K'wan**

**"Few writers working in the field today bring the drama [like] Nikki Turner. . . . [She's] a master at weaving juicy, 'hood-rich sagas of revenge, regret, and redemption." —*Vibe* on *Forever a Hustler's Wife***

NIKKI TURNER is the author of *The New York Times* bestseller *Black Widow*, the #1 *Essence* bestseller *Forever a Hustler's Wife*, and the *Essence* bestsellers *A Hustler's Wife*, *The Glamorous Life*, and *Riding Dirty on I-95*.

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# 75 Exquisite Trims in Thread Crochet

*For Edgings, Corners, Crescents & More*

Caitlin Sainio

**Author of the bestselling *100 Snowflakes to Crochet,* Caitlin Sainio, is back with seventy-five gorgeous edging and trims**

From airy geometric patterns, delicate eyelets and fringes, to gossamer calligraphic borders, lush floral chains, and charming motifs that children will love—the possibilities for making stunning decorative edgings are endless. This collection of delicate edgings and trims has both written directions and easy-to-follow charts, plus gorgeous full-color photographs. Detailed information is provided for the finished dimensions, thread required, and the number of colors needed for each trim. For beginners there is a comprehensive review of crochet basics and for experts a wide variety of edgings, some more complicated, and an easy-to-use cross-reference format. All the designs are organized by theme and once you find the perfect trim for a project, you can easily locate the pattern and start crocheting. *75 Exquisite Trims in Thread Crochet* also offers plenty of ideas for using your edgings to customize your projects or embellish store-bought items. From adding elegant trims to cardigans, lacy fringe to table runners and curtains, or embellishing adorable gifts and accessories like pincushions, you can be sure you will find the perfect trim in this delightful reference.

CAITLIN SAINIO is also the author of *100 Snowflakes to Crochet* and *100 Lace Flowers to Crochet*. She originally trained as a mechanical engineer, but turned her engineering talents to crochet design, concentrating particularly on snowflakes, flowers, and other beautiful patterns found in nature. Caitlin lives in Marlborough, Massachusetts.

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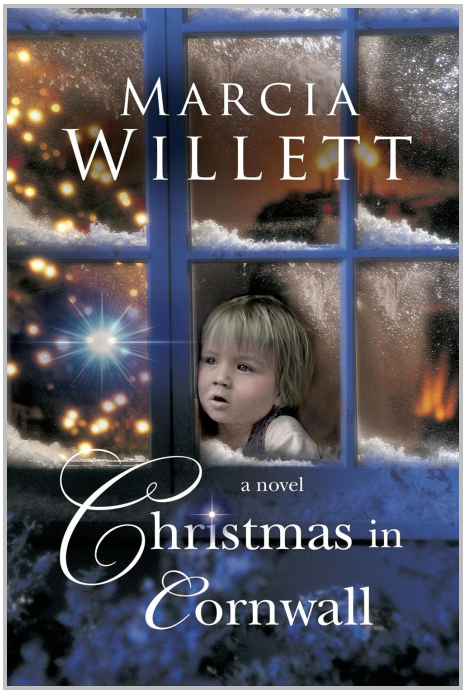


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# Christmas in Cornwall

*A Novel*

Marcia Willett

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**The tender story of a boy, his father, his grandmother, and the bond they form over Christmas—an instant holiday classic**

Countless readers around the world have been captivated by Marcia Willett's inspiring novels about family, friendship, and love. Now, in this timeless and heartwarming novel set in Cornwall, England, Willett illuminates the strength of the families we choose and the power that Christmas has to change us all.

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PRAISE

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*Christmas in Cornwall* is MARCIA WILLETT's thirteenth novel to be published in the U.S. Her novels are available in seventeen countries around the world. She lives in Devon, England.

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# Horizon

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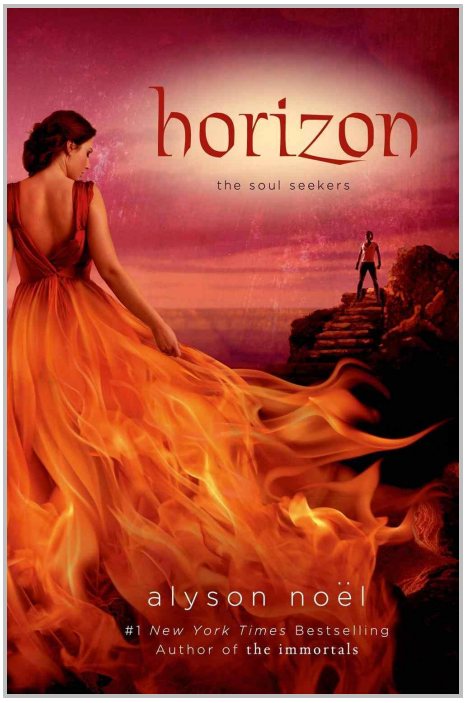


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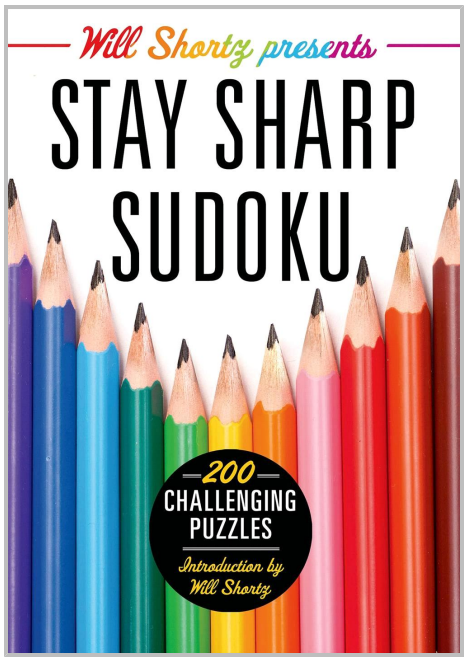


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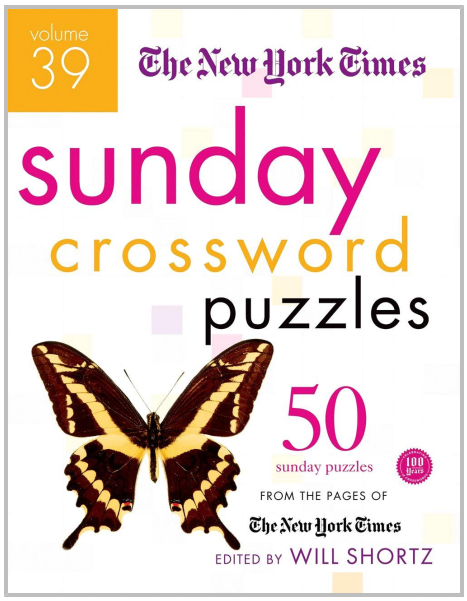


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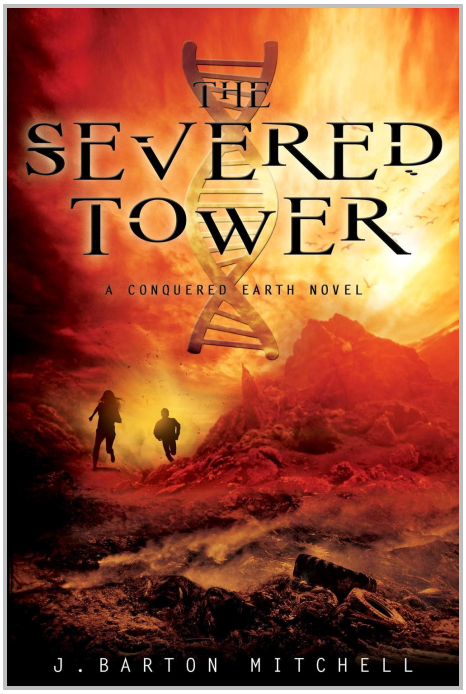


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# The Severed Tower

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**The sci-fi tour de force series set in an alien-invaded post-apocalyptic world returns as the children forge deeper into the most dangerous lands in search of The Severed Tower**

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Then there's the Strange Lands themselves. They have inexplicably begun to grow, spreading outwards, becoming more powerful. Somehow, it all seems tied to Zoey herself, and the closer she gets to the Tower, the weaker she becomes.

PRAISE

**Praise for *Midnight City*:**

**"Mitchell's prose debut, the first in a dystopian sci-fantasy series, is an imaginative mix of danger and humor . . . The action will keep readers turning the pages." —*Kirkus Reviews***

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**"I have succumbed to *Midnight City*!" —Nancy Holder, *New York Times* bestselling author of the Wicked Saga**

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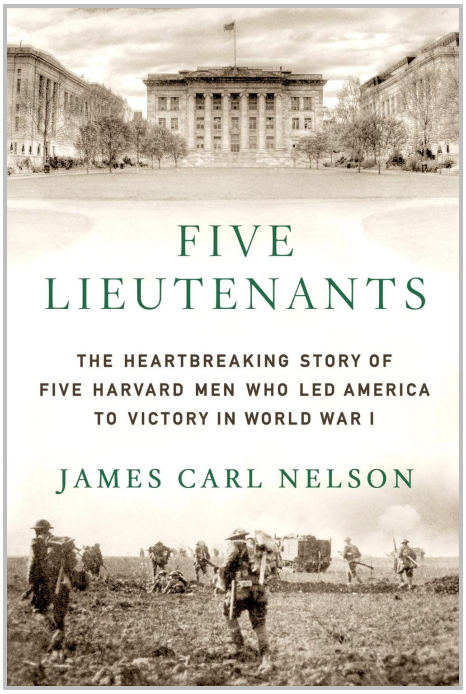


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# Five Lieutenants

## *The Heartbreaking Story of Five Harvard Men Who Led America to Victory in World War I*

James Carl Nelson

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### The dramatic true story of five brilliant young soldiers from Harvard, a thrilling tale of combat and heroism

*Five Lieutenants* tells the story of five young Harvard men who took up the call to arms in the spring of 1917 and met differing fates in the maelstrom of battle on the Western Front in 1918. Delving deep into the motivations, horrific experiences, and ultimate fates of this Harvard-educated quintet—and by extension of the brilliant young officer class that left its collegiate and post-collegiate pursuits to enlist in the Army and lead America's rough-and-ready doughboys—*Five Lieutenants* presents a unique, timeless, and fascinating account of citizen soldiers at war, and of the price these extraordinary men paid while earnestly giving all they had in an effort to end "the war to end all wars."

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PRAISE

**"Writing with great knowledge of and sensitivity for his subject, Nelson ensures that the experiences, thoughts and aspirations of the young Harvard men of 1918 are not lost to future generations." —*Publishers Weekly***

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# How to Hang a Picture

## *And Other Essential Lessons for a Stylish Home*

Jason Sacher and Suzanne LaGasa

### A charming illustrated guide to the art of hanging, displaying, and framing pictures

Like tying a Windsor knot or brewing a perfect cup of coffee, knowing how to hang art on your wall is a hallmark of everyday style and nuts-and-bolts know-how. The where, what, and whys of hanging art are an overlooked, under-appreciated line of inquiry. Most of us simply wing it with a quick eyeball and a swing of the hammer. *How hard can it be?* we think. *What can go wrong?* The answer, of course, is plenty: crumbling plaster, ruined antique laths, mismatched art hung too-close together, or a poorly-mounted photograph warping in its frame. But beyond the technical mishaps, there is a more essential lesson to be learned: The skill and consideration with which you hang your art makes an aesthetic statement about the world you inhabit—and more importantly, when it's done right, it very clearly looks *a whole lot better*.

Slim and stylish, *How to Hang a Picture: And Other Essential Lessons for a Stylish Home* is a user-friendly guidebook that details *everything* you need to know about hanging, framing, and displaying art. If Strunk & White's *Elements of Style* was crossed with a no-nonsense how-to manual, you will have captured the tone and immediacy of *How to Hang a Picture*: simple rules and essential information presented with charm and intelligence.

JASON SACHER is a writer, illustrator, and a founding member of the celebrated independent comics collective, Meathaus. He is a former editor at Chronicle Books and the author of *How to Swear Around the World* and *The Amazing Story Generator*.

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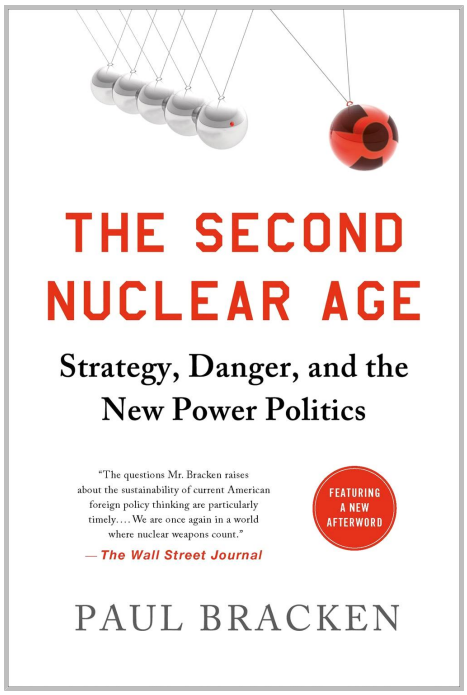


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# The Second Nuclear Age

## *Strategy, Danger, and the New Power Politics*

Paul Bracken

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**A leading international security strategist offers a compelling new way to "think about the unthinkable," named one of the "Best Books of 2012" by *Foreign Affairs***

The cold war ended more than two decades ago, and with its end came a reduction in the threat of nuclear weapons—a luxury that we can no longer indulge. It's not just the threat of Iran getting the bomb or North Korea doing something rash; the whole complexion of global power politics is changing because of the reemergence of nuclear weapons as a vital element of statecraft and power politics. In short, we have entered the second nuclear age.

In this provocative and agenda-setting book, Paul Bracken of Yale University argues that we need to pay renewed attention to nuclear weapons and how their presence will transform the way crises develop and escalate. He draws on his years of experience analyzing defense strategy to make the case that the United States needs to start thinking seriously about these issues once again, especially as new countries acquire nuclear capabilities. He walks us through war-game scenarios that are all too realistic, to show how nuclear weapons are changing the calculus of power politics, and he offers an incisive tour of the Middle East, South Asia, and East Asia to underscore how the United States must not allow itself to be unprepared for managing such crises.

Frank in its tone and farsighted in its analysis, *The Second Nuclear Age* is the essential guide to the new rules of international politics.

PRAISE

**"This is an important book, necessary reading for anyone looking to understand nuclear weapons and how they might be used, directly or indirectly, in future conflicts around the world." —George Friedman, author of *The Next 100 Years*, CEO of Stratfor**

**"Bracken draws effectively on his considerable experience of military war games to illustrate the many ways a regional rivalry might play out in a 'nuclear context.' " —Bill Keller, *The New York Times Book Review***

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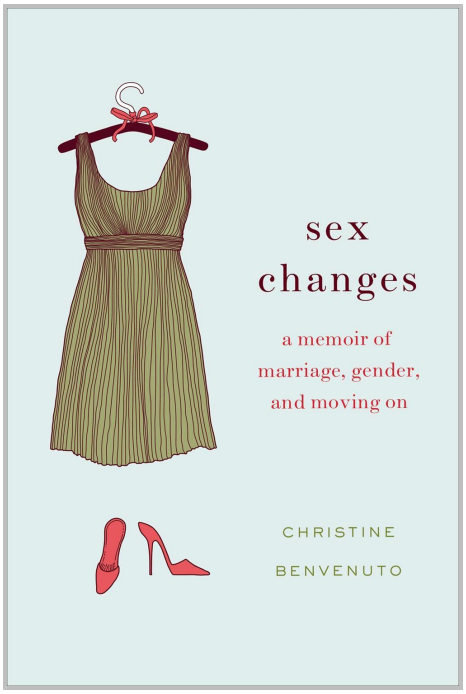


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# Sex Changes

## *A Memoir of Marriage, Gender, and Moving On*

Christine Benvenuto

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**"A refreshingly gutsy narrative that offers a compelling view of sexual maturity and a sexual coming-of-age at midlife."**
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What do you do when the other woman is your husband?

Christine Benvenuto and her husband had been married for more than twenty years and were raising their three young children in a beautiful New England town. One night in bed he turned to her and said, "I'm thinking constantly about my gender," adding that he was unhappy in his body and wanted to become a woman.

Part memoir, part voyeur's glimpse into a relationship, *Sex Changes* is a journey through the end of a marriage and out the other side. Christine, desperate to save her family and shelter her children, discovers a well of strength and resilience she never knew she had. She learns what to tell the neighbors when your husband starts accenting his shirts and ties with heels. She discovers how to manage as a single mother. And she opens herself up to a group of friends who travel with her through her darkest times—and who show her the love and support of true friendship.

Fiercely funny, self-lacerating, and not entirely politically correct, *Sex Changes* is a journey of love and anguish told with hilarity, heartbreak and a lot of soul-searching. It is about the mysteries in every marriage, the secrets we choose to keep, and the freedom that the truth can bring.

PRAISE

**"Pulls us into the eddies of heartbreak, confusion, anger, and epiphany that swirl in the wake of her shattered marriage. Benvenuto, like the best of memoirists, has that clear, true voice that transforms her story into my story. This is the power of storytelling at its best." —Sally Ryder Brady, author of *A Box of Darkness: The Story of a Marriage***

**"A long overdue book: the story of [Benvenuto's] experience with her husband's gender transition is complex and questioning, and always honest. It suggests how deeply transformative recovering from the loss of a marriage can be." —Helen Boyd, author of *She's Not the Man I Married***

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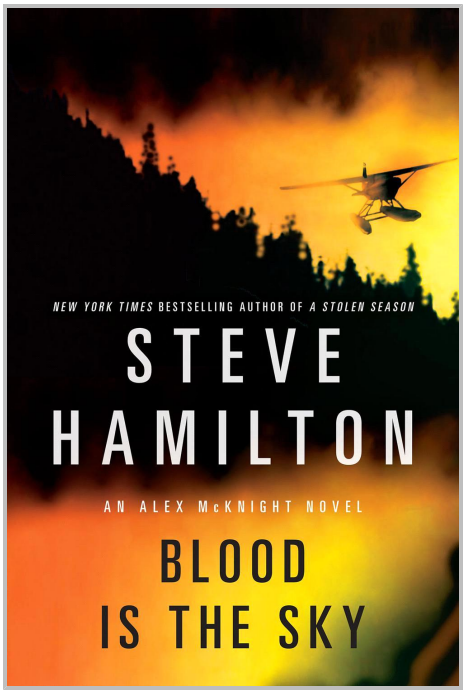


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*An Alex McKnight Novel*

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Alex McKnight isn't a man with many friends, but the few he has know they're never alone in a fix. So when Vinnie LeBlanc asks for his help in taking a trip deep into Canada in search of his missing brother, the Ojibwa Indian knows he can count on Alex. Tom LeBlanc had taken a job as hunting guide for a rough crew of Detroit "businessmen." The group was due back days ago, yet there's been no sign of them, and there's mounting evidence of something odd about their disappearing act. The trackless forests of northern Ontario keep many secrets, but none more shocking than the one that Alex is about to uncover. And the more closely Alex looks for answers, the more questions there become.

"Easily Steve Hamilton's best novel so far—therefore an automatic book of the year. Everything is here—his trademark sense of place, vivid, resonant characters, and a plot that will break your heart." —Lee Child

PRAISE

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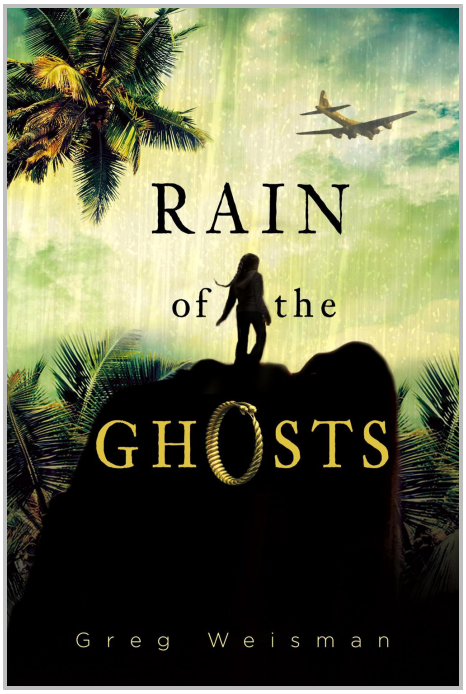


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# Rain of the Ghosts

Greg Weisman

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Welcome to the Prospero Keys (or as the locals call them: the Ghost Keys), a beautiful chain of tropical islands on the edge of the Bermuda Triangle. Rain Cacique is water-skiing with her two best friends Charlie and Miranda when Rain sees her father waiting for her at the dock on the pier. SEBASTIAN BOHIQUE, her maternal grandfather, has passed away. He was the only person who ever made Rain feel special. The only one who believed she could do something important with her life. The only thing she has left to remember him by is the armband he used to wear: two gold snakes intertwined, clasping each other's tails in their mouths. Only the armband . . . and the gift it brings: Rain can see dead people. Starting with the Dark Man: a devilishly handsome World War II fighter pilot who looks more than a little familiar: 'Bastian's spirit. It turns out granddad's armband wasn't just for show. It was a *ZEMI*. A talisman of power created by the Arawak Taino Indians who originally inhabited these islands. When Rain's grandfather died, his spirit passed into the *zemi*. Now her grandfather's ghost is determined to prove to her just how special she is by revealing the Ghost Keys' hidden world of mystery and mysticism, intrigue and adventure.

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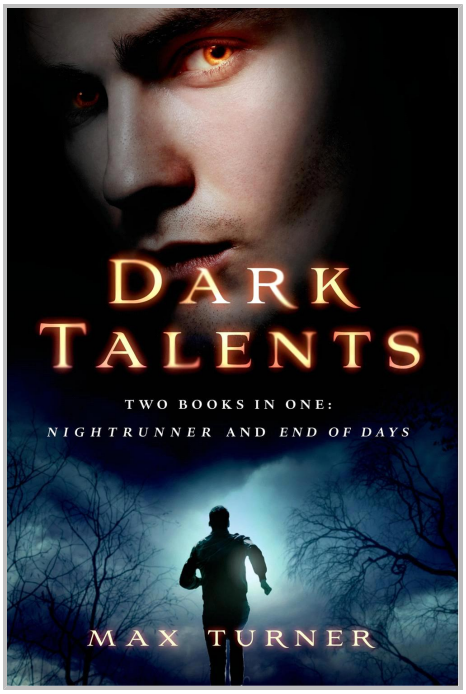
GREG WEISMAN is an American comic book and animation writer and producer, best known as the creator of *Gargoyles* and as the Supervising Producer of *The Spectacular Spider-Man*. Weisman is currently a writer and producer on the *Young Justice* animated series. He has been nominated for a number of Emmy Awards for his writing.

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# Dark Talents

*Two Books in One: Nightrunner and End of Days*

Max Turner

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## A 2-in-1 bind-up of *Night Runner* and *End of Days* by Max Turner—a fast paced exciting addition to the vampire genre

Night Runner: For Zack Thomson, living in the Nicholls Ward isn't so bad. After his parents died, he developed strange and severe allergies, and the mental institution was the only place where he could be properly looked after. As strange as it was, it was home. He could watch as much television as he wanted; his best friend Charlie visited him often enough; and Nurse Ophelia—the prettiest no-nonsense nurse ever—sometimes took him bowling. Of course, that didn't mean he had it easy. His allergies restricted his diet to strawberry smoothies, and being the only kid at the hospital could get lonely. But it never once crossed Zack's mind to leave . . . until the night someone crashed through the front doors and told him to run. Now he's on a race for answers—about his past, his parents, and his strange sickness--even as every step takes him closer to the darkest of truths.

End Of Days: While Charlie struggles with his vampirism, he, Zack, and their friends are pulled into a conflict with the mysterious Mr. Hyde, a creature who hunts vampires. As the story unfolds, and the ties between Zach and his girlfriend Luna intensify, the network of support around them collapses, forcing them to redefine their notions of good and evil and find a way forward.

PRAISE

**"*Night Runner* is a fast paced, page turner, full of surprising twists and clever turns that'll have you on the edge of your seat wondering what could possibly happen next! Max Turner had me from the very first paragraph and is definitely one to watch!"**
**—Alyson Noel, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *Evermore***

**"An exciting addition to the vampire genre that left me guessing and hoping every step of the way." —Brian James, author of *Zombie Blondes***

**"Max Turner has written a gothic fantasy full of surprises—and bite!"**
**—Katherine Marsh, Edgar-award winning author of *The Night Tourist***

Max Turner has been a high school science teacher for seven years. He lives in Ottawa with his wife and two children.

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# Travels with Lizbeth

*Three Years on the Road and on the Streets*

Eighner, Lars

**"Lars Eighner is the Thoreau of the Dumpsters. Comparisons to Defoe's Robinson Crusoe and Hamsun's Hunger leap to mind. A classic of down-and-out literature." —Phillip Lopate**

When *Travels with Lizbeth* was first published in 1993, it was proclaimed an instant classic. Lars Eighner's account of his descent into homelessness and his adventures on the streets has moved, charmed, and amused generations of readers. As Lars wrote, "When I began writing this account I was living under a shower curtain in a stand of bamboo in a public park. I did not undertake to write about homelessness, but wrote what I knew, as an artist paints a still life, not because he is especially fond of fruit, but because the subject is readily at hand."

Containing the widely anthologized essay "On Dumpster Diving," *Travels with Lizbeth* is a beautifully written account of one man's experience of homelessness, a story of physical survival, and the triumph of the artistic spirit in the face of enormous adversity. In his unique voice—dry, disciplined, poignant, comic—Eighner celebrates the companionship of his dog, Lizbeth, and recounts their ongoing struggle to survive on the streets of Austin, Texas, and hitchhiking along the highways to Southern California and back.

## PRAISE

**"The most eloquent description to date of what it is like to be homeless." —*San Diego Union-Tribune***

**"Compelling…Mr. Eighner [is] a quirky guide into the homeless condition as he plunges on, through Miracle Miles, desert flea markets and dusty truck stops." —*The Wall Street Journal***

**"If there's any justice in the world, [this book] should guarantee its author a roof over his head for the rest of his days." —*The New York Times Book Review***

LARS EIGHNER was born in Corpus Christi, Texas. In 1988 he and his dog Lizbeth became homeless, and their experiences over the following three years were recorded in *Travels with Lizbeth*, which became a *New York Times Book Review* Editor's Choice, and includes the often-cited essay "On Dumpster Diving." His other works include numerous story collections and a comic novel. He now lives in Austin with his partner.

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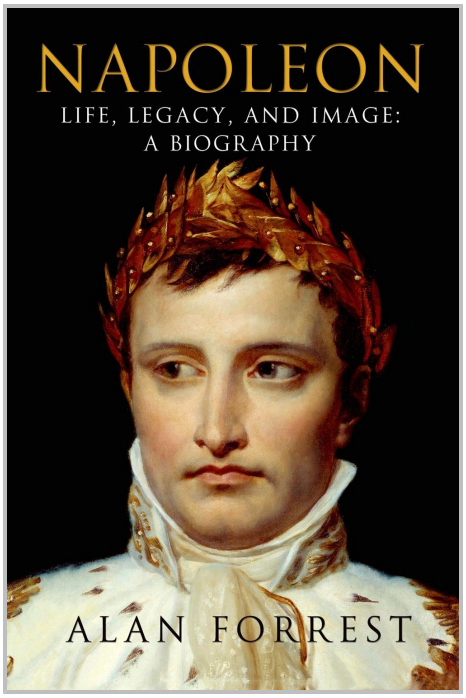


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# Napoleon

## *Life, Legacy, and Image: A Biography*

Alan Forrest

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**Now in paperback, an exceedingly readable account of the man and his legend from preeminent British scholar Alan Forrest**

On a cold December day in 1840 Parisians turned out in force to watch as the body of Napoleon was solemnly carried on a riverboat from Courbevoie on its final journey to the Invalides. The return of their long-dead emperor's corpse from the island of St. Helena was a moment that Paris had eagerly awaited, though many feared that the memories stirred would serve to further destabilize a country that had struggled for order and direction since he had been sent into exile.

In this book Alan Forrest tells the remarkable story of how the son of a Corsican attorney became the most powerful man in Europe, a man whose charisma and legacy endured after his lonely death many thousands of miles from the country whose fate had become so entwined with his own.

Along the way, Forrest also cuts away the many layers of myth and counter myth that have grown up around Napoleon, a man who mixed history and legend promiscuously. Drawing on original research and his own distinguished background in French history, Forrest demonstrates that Napoleon was as much a product of his times as their creator.

PRAISE

**"With his emphasis on the construction of the Napoleonic myth, Forrest offers an introduction to a fascinating figure that should whet readers' appetites for more." —*Publishers Weekly***

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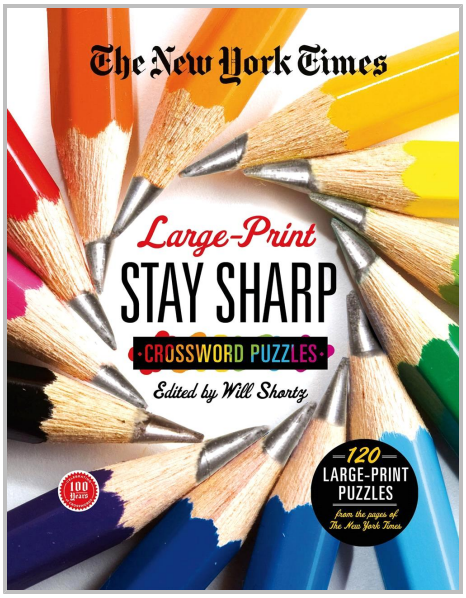
ALAN FORREST is a professor of modern history and director of the Centre for Eighteenth Century Studies. He works on modern French history, especially the period of the French Revolution and Empire, and on the history of modern warfare. He serves on the editorial boards of *French History* and *War in History*, and is a member of the advisory committee for *Annales Historiques de la Revolution Francaise*. He lives in York, UK.

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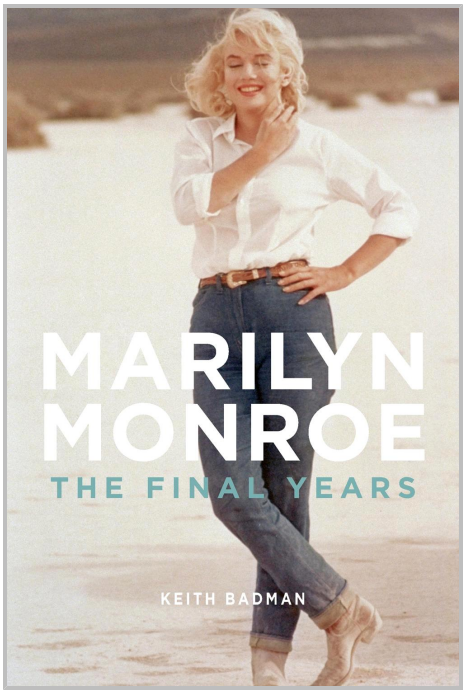
WILL SHORTZ, puzzle editor of *The New York Times* since 1993, is the only academically accredited "enigmatologist" in the world. He founded and directs the American Crossword Puzzle Tournament, held annually in Brooklyn, New York, as well as the World Puzzle Championship. He also serves as Puzzlemaster on NPR's *Weekend Edition Sunday*. Shortz lives in Pleasantville, New York.

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# Marilyn Monroe

## *The Final Years*

Keith Badman

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**"A meticulously detailed look at the year and a half leading up to Marilyn's death." —*The Huffington Post***

Keith Badman delves into the reality of Monroe's last days in this surprising, and painstakingly researched biography. Dispelling some of the most pervasive beliefs as well as bringing light to others, Badman reveals that:

- Monroe had a one-night stand with JFK at Bing Crosby's house, but the rumors about her on-going affairs with JFK and RFK were untrue
- Her father was not Martin Edward Mortensen but a man named Charles Stanley Gifford, who abandoned Marilyn's mother when she was three months pregnant
- Monroe was tricked into admitting herself into a psychiatric institute where she was treated like a prisoner in a mental asylum until Joe DiMaggio pulled strings for her release
- A drunken Monroe was sexually exploited by mobsters at a Lake Tahoe hotel co-owned by Frank Sinatra, who had photos of the incident destroyed

Badman sifts the truth from the gossip to provide a perfect companion to the hugely successful book, *Fragments*. For those who think they know the truth about Marilyn Monroe, think again.

PRAISE

**"He painstakingly examines day-to-day events, sorting through fact and myth to uncover the real story." —*Library Journal***

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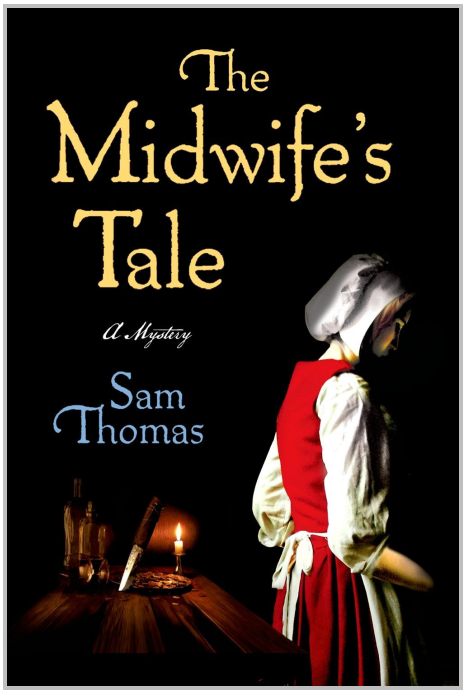
KEITH BADMAN is the author of several pop culture books, including *The Beach Boys, Beatles Off the Record* and *Good Times and Bad Times: The Definitive Diary of the Rolling Stones 1960–1969*. He lives in England.

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# The Midwife's Tale

*A Mystery*

Sam Thomas

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**In the tradition of Arianna Franklin and C. J. Sansom comes Sam Thomas's remarkable debut, *The Midwife's Tale*, now in paperback**

It is 1644, and Parliament's armies have risen against the King and laid siege to the city of York. Even as the city suffers at the rebels' hands, midwife Bridget Hodgson becomes embroiled in a different sort of rebellion. One of Bridget's friends, Esther Cooper, has been convicted of murdering her husband and sentenced to be burnt alive. Convinced that her friend is innocent, Bridget sets out to find the real killer.

Bridget joins forces with Martha Hawkins, a servant who's far more skilled with a knife than any respectable woman ought to be. To save Esther from the stake, they must dodge rebel artillery, confront a murderous figure from Martha's past, and capture a brutal killer who will stop at nothing to cover his tracks. The investigation takes Bridget and Martha from the homes of the city's most powerful families to the alleyways of its poorest neighborhoods. As they delve into the life of Esther's murdered husband, they discover that his ostentatious Puritanism hid a deeply sinister secret life, and that far too often tyranny and treason go hand in hand.

PRAISE

**"Everything rings true in historian Thomas's superb first mystery. . . . Authentic details of life in seventeenth-century York complement the whodunit's intelligently concealed clues."—*Publishers Weekly* (starred)**

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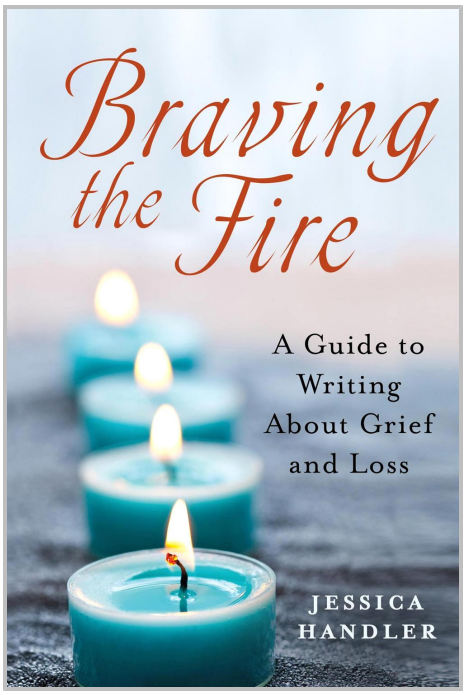


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## *A Guide to Writing About Grief and Loss*

Jessica Handler

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Loosely organized around the familiar Kübler-Ross Five Stages of Grief, the book uses these stages to help the reader-writer though the emotional and writing tasks before them, incorporating interviews and excerpts from other treasured writers who've done the same. Each section also includes advice and wisdom from leading doctors and therapists about the physical experience of grieving. Each chapter ends with a selection of intriguing, enjoyable writing exercises that focus on the chapter content. It's *On Death and Dying* meets *Bird By Bird*, presented in the spirit and format of *Reading Like a Writer*.

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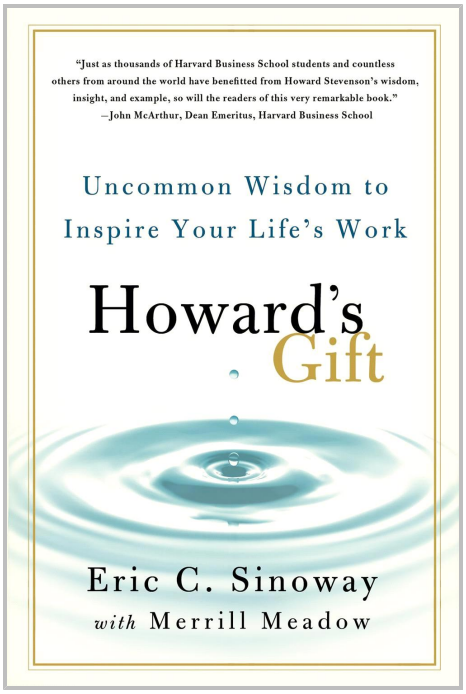
JESSICA HANDLER has written on the topic of writing through grief for *The Writer* magazine and *Psychology Today* online, and has been a featured speaker in grief and writing workshops. Her first book, *Invisible Sisters: A Memoir* has been named by the Georgia Center for the Book as one of the "Twenty Five Books All Georgians Should Read," and is one of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution's* "Eight Great Southern Books in 2009." She lives in Atlanta, Georgia.

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With forty years at Harvard Business School, Howard Stevenson is renowned as an entrepreneur and business strategist, author, philanthropist, and professor. He has mentored more than ten thousand business founders, CEOs, professionals, and top business school faculty around the world.

Written by his student and successful entrepreneur Eric Sinoway, *Howard's Gift* offers Stevenson's timeless lessons on life and career. Full of personal and professional insight, this guide presents savvy practical strategies that can be applied to professional decisions on any scale. Through warm and engaging conversations with Sinoway, Stevenson focuses not just on business success, but on deep personal satisfaction through self-defined benchmarks for development and accomplishment. Stevenson's lessons include:

- Create a vision of your own legacy through a process called "business planning for life."
- Be entrepreneurial in driving your career ahead (even if you're not an entrepreneur).
- Exploit the inflection points in your life—whether "friend," "foe," or "silent."
- Cut risk in tough career and life decisions by shining the "light of predictability" on them.
- Plan for the ripples, not just the splash from your actions and choices.

PRAISE

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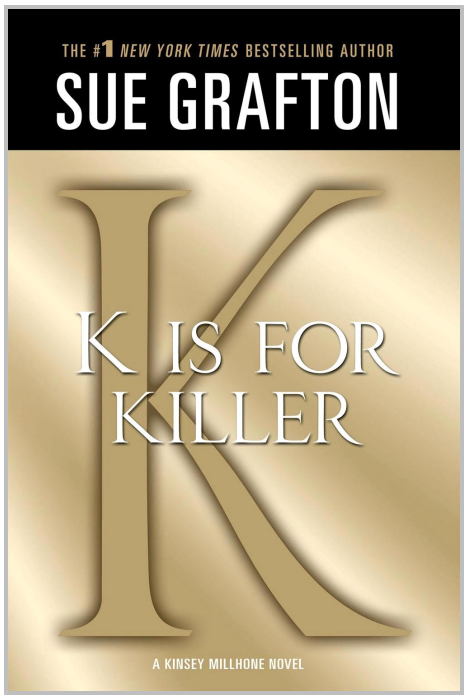


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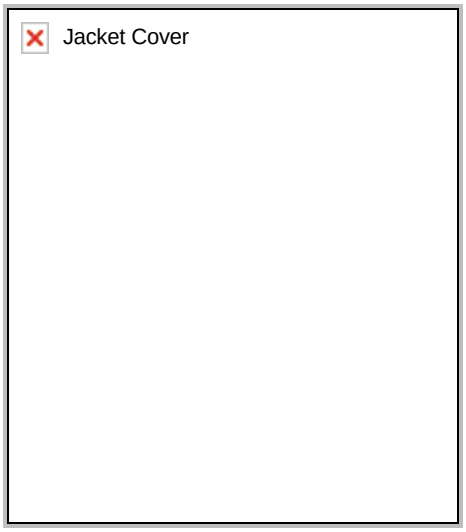


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# The Guardian of All Things

## *The Epic Story of Human Memory*

Michael S. Malone

**"Ingenious, richly complex account of how humans exchange, record, preserve and manipulate information." —*Kirkus Reviews* (starred)**

Memory makes us human. No other animal carries in its brain so many memories of such complexity nor so regularly revisits those memories for happiness, safety, and the accomplishment of complex tasks. Human civilization continues because we are able to pass along memories from one person to another, from one generation to the next.

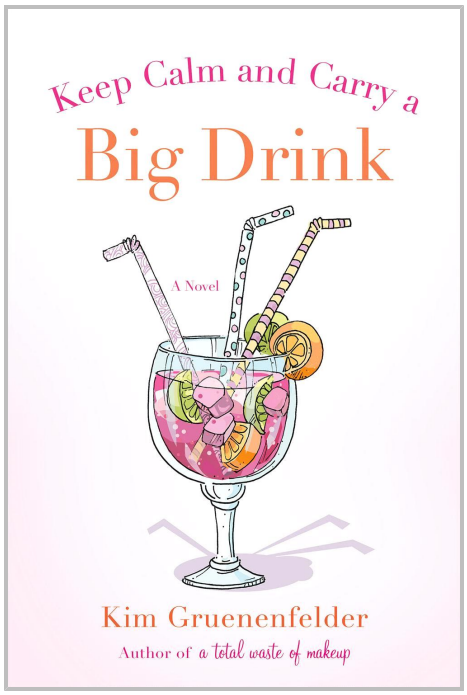
*The Guardian of All Things* is a sweeping scientific history that takes us on a 10,000-year-old journey replete with incredible ideas, inventions, and transformations. From cave drawings to oral histories to libraries to the internet, *The Guardian of All Things* is the history of how humans have relentlessly pursued new ways to preserve and manage memory, both within the human brain and as a series of inventions external to it. Michael S. Malone looks at the story of memory, both human and mechanical, and the historic turning points in that story that have not only changed our relationship to memory, but have also changed our human fabric.

Full of anecdotes, history, and advances of civilization and technology, *The Guardian of All Things* is a lively, epic journey along a trajectory of history no other book has ever described, one that will appeal to the curious as well as the specialist.

PRAISE

**"In this sweeping and ambitious story . . . Malone celebrates the power of memory and the freedom it provides us while at the same time cautioning us to guard our memories and protect the record of our time in the world." —*Publishers Weekly***

MICHAEL S. MALONE is the current ABCNews.com "Silicon Insider" columnist and editor-in-chief of the Silicon Valley new site, Edgelings.com. A former *New York Times* columnist, Malone has also contributed numerous articles and editorials to *The Wall Street Journal, The Economist*, and *Fortune*. and has authored and co-authored more than a dozen books, notably the bestselling *Virtual Corporation, Bill & Dave* and *The Future Arrived Yesterday*. Malone holds an MBA from Santa Clara University.

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# Keep Calm and Carry a Big Drink

Kim Gruenenfelder

**In this delicious follow-up to *There's Cake in My Future*, Seema, Nic and Mel are back, adjusting to their new lives as a bride-to-be, a mother-to-be, and a recently single girl looking for love**

It's been about a year since Mel, Nic and Seema pulled their magical charms out of the cake at Nic's bridal shower and each of their happily-ever-afters seemingly came true. Now, Seema is about to marry Scott in an elaborate three-day affair that's stressing out everyone, including her Maid of Honor, Mel. Nic is glowingly pregnant, and Mel... well, Mel feels as if she accidentally veered off the rails of her life at some point and isn't sure how to get back on. On top of the possible threat of a layoff from her teaching job, she is single yet again, and has to find her own place now that Scott's moving in with her roommate, Seema.

Nic thinks Mel just needs a little something to help her figure it all out . . . and believes a cake pull at Seema's bridal shower will be just the thing. Since she's poured so much attention into building a career, never making time for travel, Mel decides to ask for the passport charm. But once again, the cake proves to have a mind of its own, giving her yet another unrequested charm. Mel decides it's time to take matters into her own hands. A spur of the moment decision leads her to Paris and then Maui, where she finds herself on an adventure that she never could have imagined, experiencing the trials and tribulations of a life suddenly and perfectly unplanned. And she begins to learn that, however nonsensical it may seem, the cake is never wrong.

PRAISE

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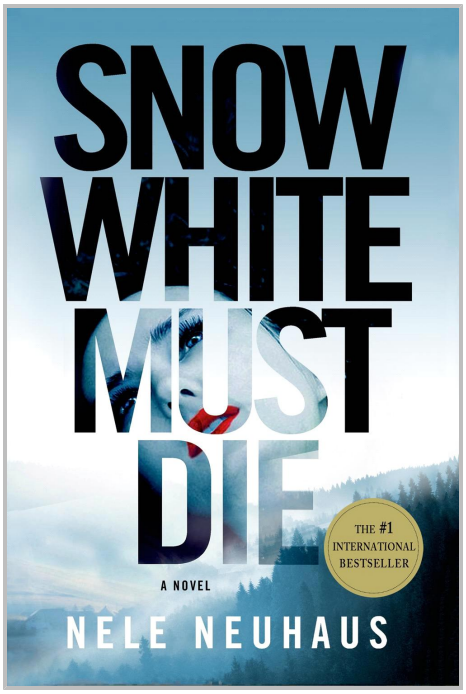
**"[Gruenenfelder's] women are smart, likable and good to each other." —*Kirkus Reviews***

KIM GRUENENFELDER lives in Los Angeles with her husband and son, and continues to avoid anything even remotely resembling a real job. In addition to her books, including *A Total Waste of Makeup*, *Misery Loves Cabernet*, and *There's Cake in My Future*, she has written feature films, episodic teleplays and two stage plays.

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On a September evening eleven years earlier, two seventeen-year-old girls vanished from the village without a trace. In a trial based only on circumstantial evidence, twenty-year-old Tobias Sartorius, Rita Cramer's son, was sentenced to ten years in prison. Bodenstein and Kirchhoff discover that Tobias, after serving his sentence, has now returned to his home town. Did the attack on his mother have something to do with his return?

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NELE NEUHAUS is one of the most widely read German mystery writers. More than 3.5 million copies of her books are currently in print. She lives near Frankfurt, Germany.

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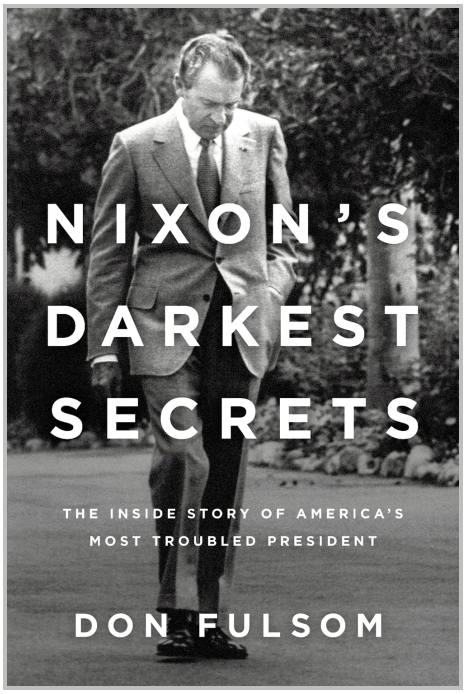


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# Nixon's Darkest Secrets

## *The Inside Story of America's Most Troubled President*

Don Fulsom

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**"Bristles with revelations about the most disgraced American leader in history."—Muriel Dobbin, author and former White House correspondent**

While Richard Nixon left the White House as our most disgraced president, the American people never knew the full extent of his demons, paranoia, prejudices, hatreds, and chicanery. Calling on his work in covering Nixon in the White House, as well as scores of interviews and invaluable, newly declassified documents and recordings, reporter Don Fulsom sheds new light on "Tricky Dick" by revealing:

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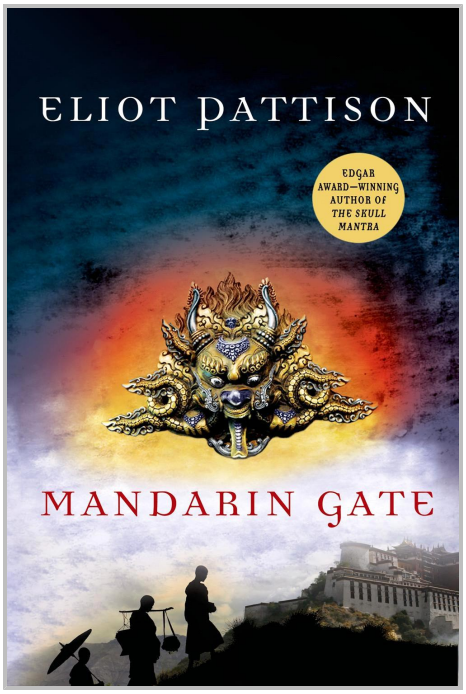


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# Mandarin Gate

Eliot Pattison

## Edgar Award–winner Pattison brings Shan back in a thriller that navigates the explosive political and religious landscape of Tibet

Shan was once an Inspector stationed in Beijing, but he lost his position, his family and his freedom when he ran afoul of a powerful figure high in the Chinese government. Shan has since been living among outlawed Buddhist monks, without status, official identity, or the freedom to return to his former home in Beijing.

While settling into a menial job as an inspector of irrigation and sewer ditches in a remote Tibetan township, he encounters a grotesque crime scene: the bodies of two unidentified men and a Tibetan nun are found on the grounds of an old Buddhist convent. Shan quickly realizes that the murders pose a riddle the Chinese police seem to be covering up. When the evidence leads to a new internment camp for Tibetan dissidents arrested in Beijing's latest pacification campaign, Shan recognizes the dangerous landscape he has entered. To find justice for the victims and to protect a terrified American woman who witnessed the murders, Shan must navigate through the treacherous worlds of the internment camp, the local criminal gang, and the government's rabid pacification teams, while coping with growing doubts about his own identity and role in Tibet.

Set against the astonishing landscape of this beleaguered Himalayan country and the epic struggle of the Tibetan people, Shan's difficult and twisted journey to the truth becomes a passage through the many layers of tragedy inflicted by China on Tibet and its people.

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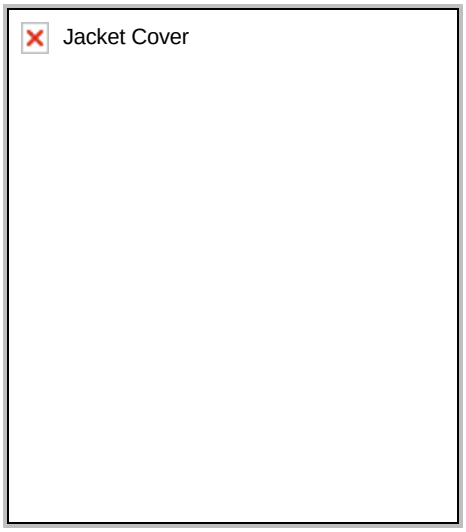
ELIOT PATTISON is the Edgar Award-winning author of six previous Shan novels. A frequent visitor to China, his books and articles on international policy issues have been published around the world. He lives in Oley, Pennsylvania.

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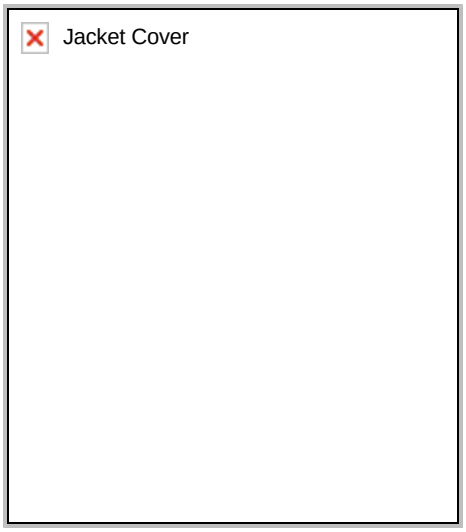


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# Will Shortz Presents The Stunning Book of Sudoku

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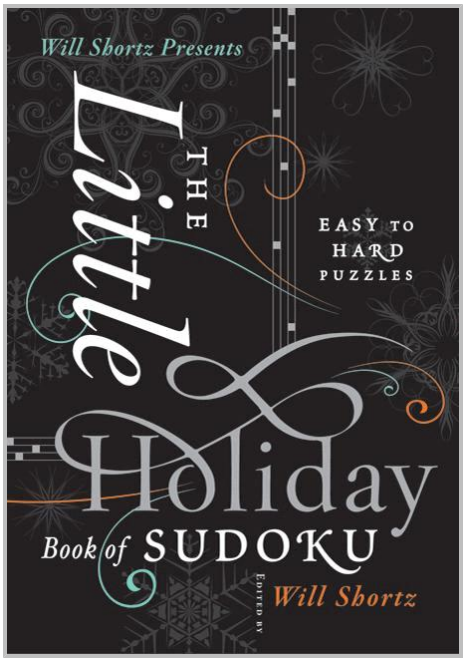


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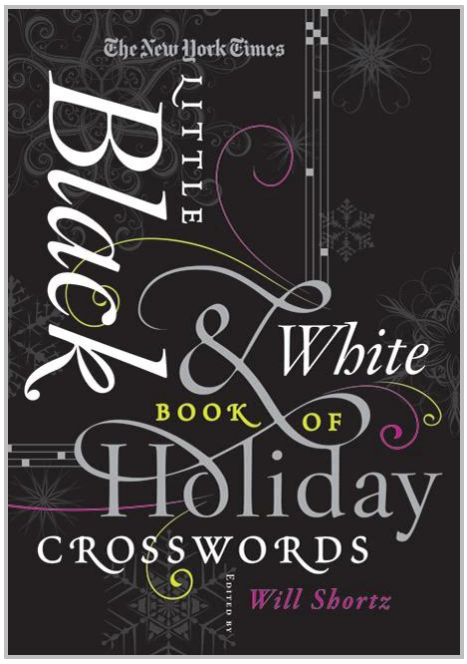


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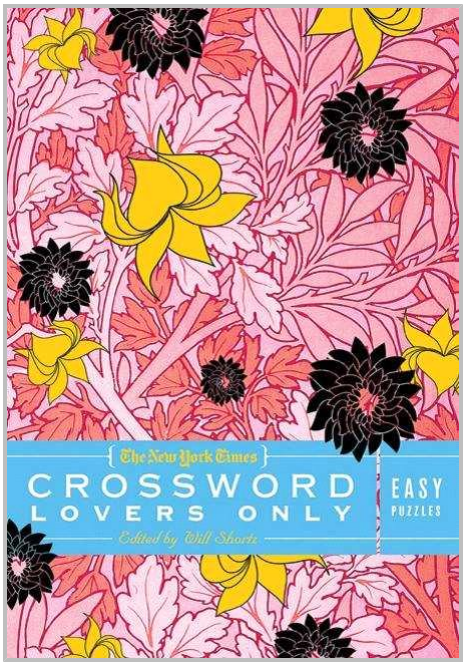


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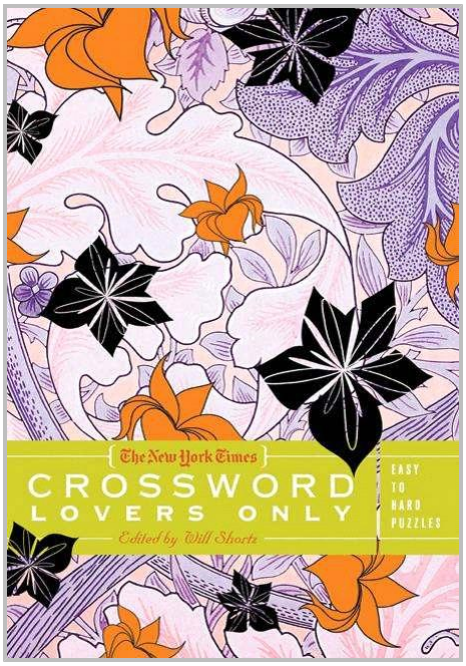


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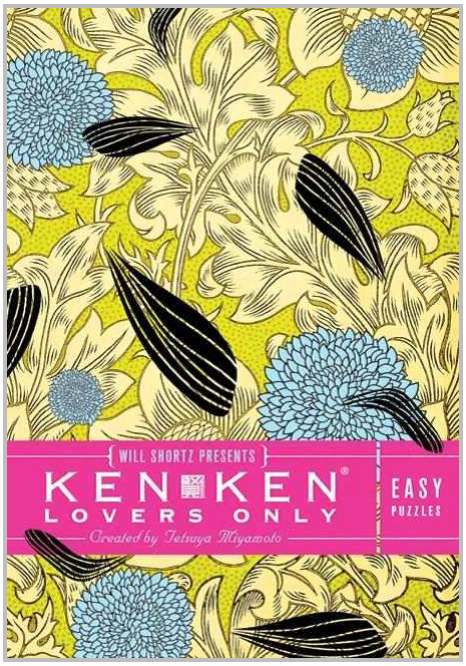


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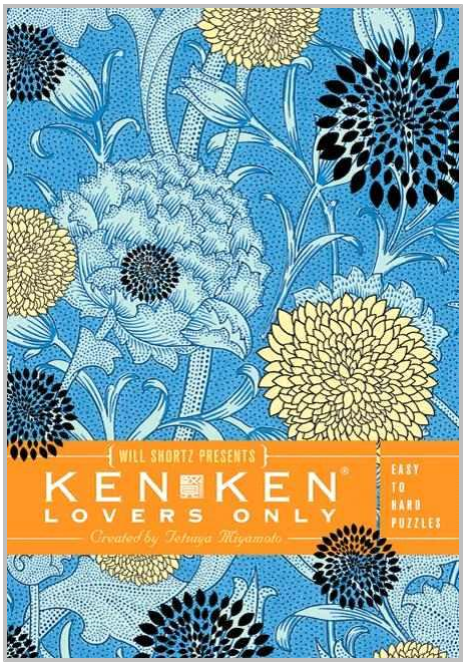


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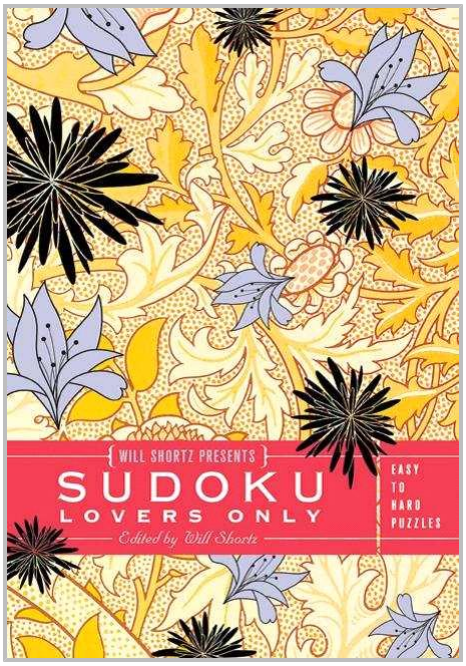


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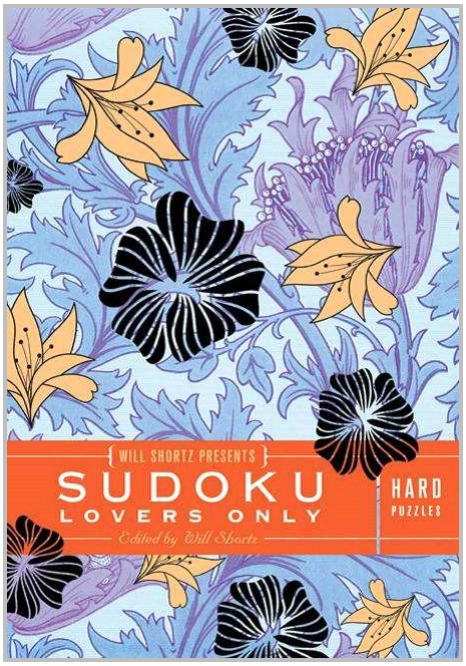


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## *Inside the Lyme Epidemic*

Pamela Weintraub

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### The groundbreaking, award-winning investigation into Lyme disease—the science, history, medical politics, and patient experience—now with a brand new chapter

When Pamela Weintraub, a science journalist, learned that her oldest son tested positive for Lyme disease, she thought she had found an answer to the symptoms that had been plaguing her family for years—but her nightmare had just begun. Almost everything about Lyme disease turned out to be deeply controversial, from the microbe causing the infection, to the length and type of treatment and the kind of practitioner needed.

On one side of the fight, the scientists who first studied Lyme describe a disease transmitted by a deer tick that is hard to catch but easy to cure no matter how advanced the case. On the other side, rebel doctors insist that Lyme and a soup of "co-infections" cause a complicated spectrum of illness often dramatically different – and far more difficult to treat – than the original researchers claim. Instead of just swollen knees and a rash, patients can experience exhaustion, disabling pain, and a "Lyme fog" that leaves them dazed and confused. As patients struggle for answers, once-treatable infections become chronic.

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PAMELA WEINTRAUB is the executive editor of *Discover* magazine. She has covered science and biomedicine for national media for more than twenty-five years. She lives in Brooklyn, NY.

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