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Pantera Press — taking on the world...

Pantera Press is a young and enthusiastic Australian book publisher, created to champion writing culture and literacy in Australia with a clear community and cultural purpose.

We discover and nurture talented Australian writers who are *great storytellers*. We also publish non-fiction *books that matter*, and have a quirky imprint designed for millennials, *Lost the Plot*. From our Australian origins we are now also publishing titles that fit our criteria from around the world. As a social purpose business, we use our profits to fund charities and not-for-profits that encourage reading and work to close the literacy gap in Australia.

We released our first titles in 2010 and were short-listed in 2013, 2014, 2018 and 2019 for the Australian Book Industry's (ABIA) Small Publisher of the Year Award. In 2015 we were short-listed for the ABIA Innovation Award. In 2018 we were identified by Nielsen BookScan as the top 'Heatseeker', the indie publisher showing the highest short-term and long-term growth. We have a team of seasoned industry professionals fast developing a list of award-winning and critically acclaimed authors and titles across a range of genres.

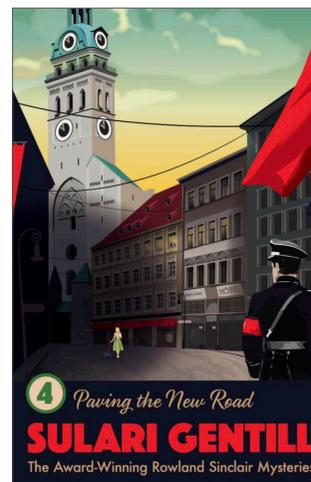
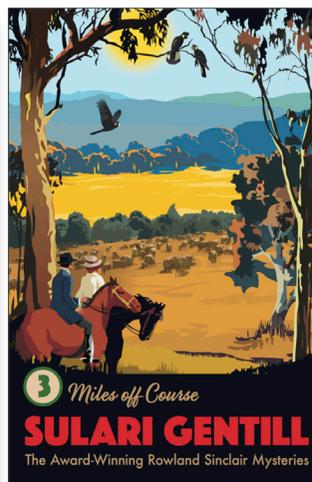
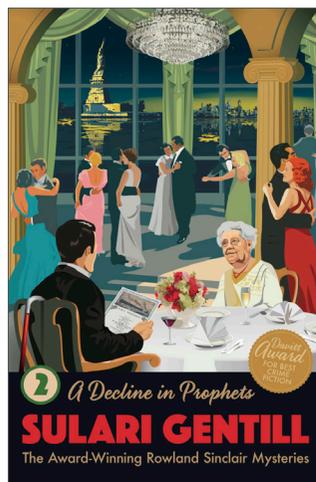
Our books are distributed in Australia and New Zealand by Bloomsbury, and we hold world rights to most of our titles. We would love to introduce you to our list.

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Adult Fiction

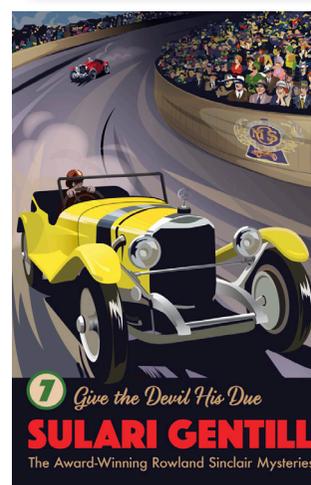
THE ROWLAND SINCLAIR MYSTERIES | Sulari Gentill



Rowland Sinclair, the black sheep of a wealthy Australian rural grazing family, and his loyal and endearing companions, artist Clyde, poet Milton and the beautiful sculptress Edna, find themselves repeatedly in the wrong place at the wrong time, embroiled in murder and mayhem.

This award-winning gentleman detective series offers a tantalising insight into the people and politics that shaped 1930s Australia and the world, including a fascinating array of real characters, many of whom changed the course of history.

Rowland Sinclair and his friends are guaranteed to charm you against the very real backdrop of the tensions of the Great Depression and the rise of fascism, solving crimes from Australia to London and Germany in their inimitable style.



Category: Historical Crime Fiction
Rights Held: World
Rights Sold: North America (Poisoned Pen Press); UK and Commonwealth (Oldcastle Books); Audio (Wavesound)

THE ROWLAND SINCLAIR MYSTERIES | Sulari Gentill

AWARD WINNING SERIES

A FEW RIGHT THINKING MEN
Shortlisted for the Commonwealth
Writers Prize,
2011

A DECLINE IN PROPHETS
Winner of the Davitt Award for
Best Crime Fiction,
2012

PAVING THE NEW ROAD
Shortlisted for the Davitt Award
for Best Crime and Mystery,
2013

A MURDER UNMENTIONED
Highly Commended, Best Adult
Crime Fiction, Davitt Awards,
2015

Shortlisted for the Best Crime
Novel, Ned Kelly Awards,
2015

Shortlisted for the Australian Book
Industry Awards Small Publisher Adult
Book of the Year,
2015

APPA Platinum Award for
Promotional Excellence,
2015

Praise for Sulari Gentill and The Rowland Sinclair Mysteries

"With her amateur detective, Sulari has brought back the gentlemen sleuth but with a difference: he's a larrikin Lord Peter Wimsey, with a penchant for living la vie de boheme."
The Canberra Times

"An elusive killer, a charming sleuth and a historical setting... glossy and original." The Australian Women's Weekly

"Sparkling crime series... There's an Evelyn-Waugh-meets-Agatha-Christie feel about the series..." The Age

"Stylish, well-paced murder mystery... cheeky plotline... this tale is told with such flair and feeling for those extraordinary times... Verdict: Thrilling." The Herald-Sun

"Sulari Gentill likes to tease, blithely slotting real people and events into a crime series set in the 1930s relating the fictional adventures of artist and gentleman of leisure, Rowland Sinclair... Once again, telling the fictional from the real is part of the fun... Clever Gentill. Investigating the past has never been more fun."
The Sydney Morning Herald

"... strong plots, and wonderful characters... The humour is perfect, the situations believable, and the clues to solving the mystery are there for anyone who wants to play along... there is so much wonderful reading in the entire series."
AustCrimeFiction

"... my absolute favourite Australian historical crime series... Rowly Sinclair, gentleman, adventurer, artist, detective and reluctant hero! ... Perfect for fans of classic crime writers like Agatha Christie, Dorothy L Sayers and Ngaio Marsh, I truly adore the Rowland Sinclair series and cannot recommend it highly enough!"
Booktopia

"Fans of Sherlock Holmes and Agatha Christie will love Gentill's novel(s)...in the intelligent and amusing Rowland Sinclair series set in 1930s Australia."
Herald Sun, Recommended Crime Novel of the Year

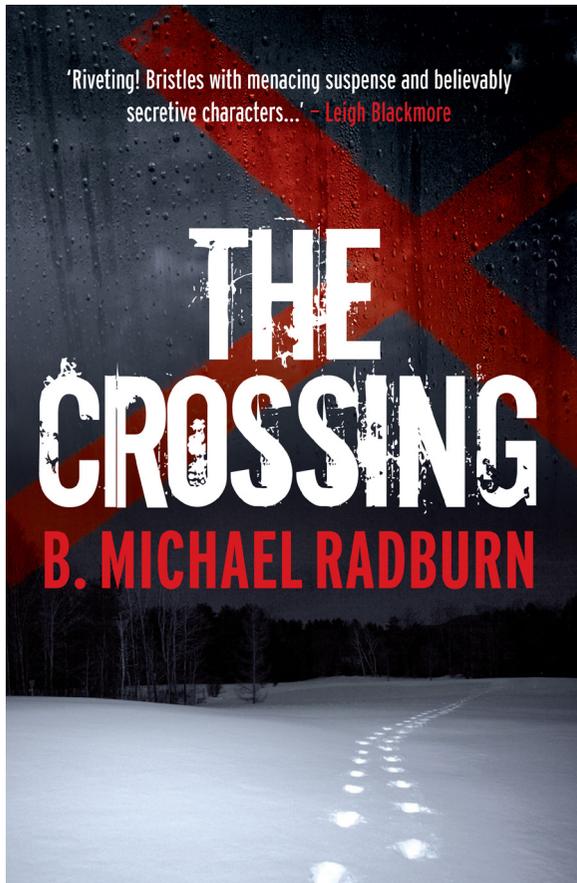
About the Author



Award-winning author Sulari Gentill set out to study astrophysics, graduated in law, and then abandoned her legal career to write books instead of contracts. Born in Sri Lanka, Sulari learned to speak English in Zambia, grew up in Brisbane and now lives in the foothills of the Snowy Mountains of NSW where, with her historian husband, she grows French black truffles, cares for a variety of animals and raises two wild colonial boys. Sulari also paints, but only well enough to know she should write — preferably in her pyjamas.

Sulari is the author of eight books in the award-winning and best-selling Rowland Sinclair Mysteries as well as the Greek mythology adventure series The Hero Trilogy.

THE CROSSING | B. Michael Radburn



ISBN: 9780980741872

Category: Mystery/Crime

Format: Paperback C 234mm x 153mm

Extent: 336pp

Rights Held: World

Rights Sold: Audio (Wavesound); French (Editions Le Seuil);

Film Option (James Khehtie)

Traumatized by the disappearance of his daughter Claire, Taylor Bridges' marriage breaks down and he exiles himself to Glorys Crossing in Tasmania. Taylor is the only ranger in this isolated town. A town dying a slow death as the rising waters of the new dam project slowly flood it.

Struggling with the guilt of Claire's disappearance, Taylor is a chronic sleepwalker. When another young girl the same age goes missing, Taylor begins to question himself... uncertain of what happens when he sleepwalks.

It's a race against time not just to find the missing girl, but in Taylor's search for redemption and a past better left lying at the bottom of the new lake.

About the Author



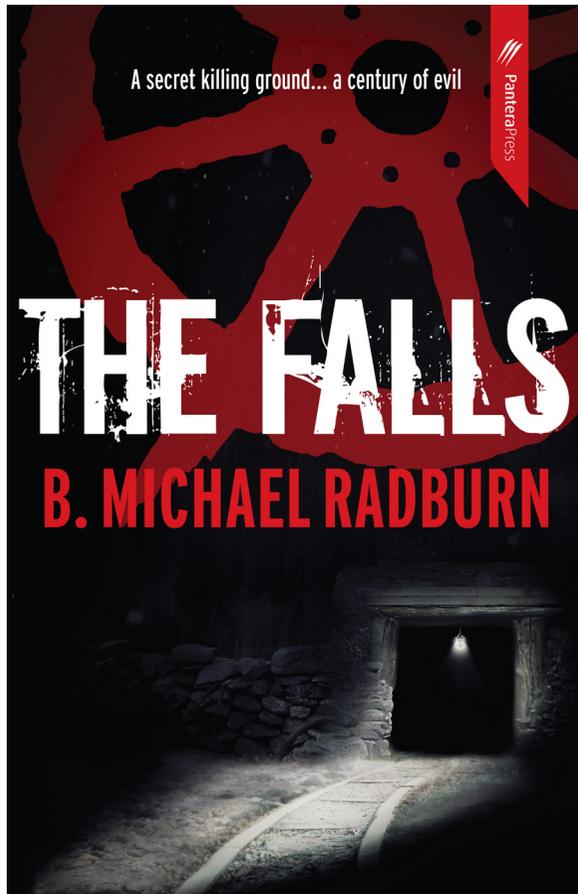
Between road trips on his Harley Davidson, B. Michael Radburn is a family man. The hauntingly beautiful surrounds of his rural Southern Highlands holding inspire his stories. Radburn was an award-winning short-story teller before a move to novels. This freed him to explore his characters, as well as the natural and supernatural environs in his work. He enjoys farming his small property and possesses a deep passion for music. Radburn treasures the time he spends jamming on guitar, banjo and harmonica.

"A novel guaranteed to send shivers down spines"
Sunday Tasmanian

"This innovative thriller is gripping throughout... fast pace and three-dimensional characters gave it a great momentum"
Good Reading Magazine

"A riveting tale of deception and desperation... an impressive Australian thriller, full of anxious anticipation and simply tinfiling with tension. One for the dark, cold winter nights ahead." ABC Radio

THE FALLS | B. Michael Radburn



A week of despair... A century of evil.

Damaged but not yet broken after his ordeal in Tasmania's wilderness, park ranger Taylor Bridges believes his ghosts are in the past — until a raging forest fire in an isolated canyon of The Falls lays bare the remains of a young woman... and a decade-old killing ground.

After the police enlist Taylor in their investigation, the evidence bizarrely points to a deranged preacher who reigned over The Falls a century ago.

But when a crucial witness and a policewoman disappear, it's clear that a disciple of The Falls' dark history is on the loose.

About the Author



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"... a gripping novel written in multiple perspectives during the investigation with one in particular causing the hairs on your arms to stand in attention... incredibly imaginative storyline." Better Reading

"... a gripping, page-turning adventure... Radburn is a master storyteller, slowly etching out his plot with deliberate patience while never slowing the pace." Glam Adelaide

ISBN: 9781921997429

Category: Mystery/Crime

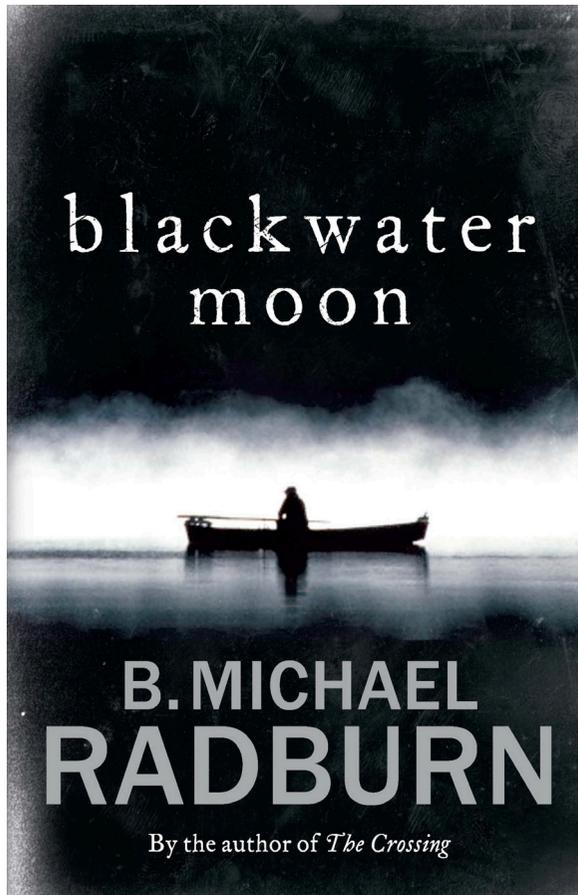
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Extent: 250pp

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Rights Sold: Audio (Wavesound)

BLACKWATER MOON | B. Michael Radburn



Andy Walker, son, lover and ex-soldier, knows tragedy is only ever a heartbeat away. As a child he lost his innocence; as an adult the repercussions of the Vietnam War has led to the loss of his family.

Back in Blackwater, Walker has vowed to protect his friend's son Nathan at all costs after losing his own son years before. But when an inmate escapes from the prison farm upriver and abducts Nathan, Walker discovers the escapee is a dark figure from his own past, the devil who changed his life forever, the man who introduced him to 'The Game'.

Blackwater may keep just one more secret.

About the Author



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Disturbingly dark, with brilliantly-created characters, it builds with great tension to a gripping climax. A wonderfully intelligent storyline, the tension is both palpable and profound. With echoes of Stephen King's horror and all the ingredients of first class crime fiction, Blackwater Moon is a superb tale of secrets and redemption, and of the choices we make out of desperation, fear or just plain, simple bravery." ABC Brisbane

"it has suspense in spades, but what most comes through is physicality, and place." Sydney Morning Herald

ISBN: 9781921997099

Category: Mystery/Thriller

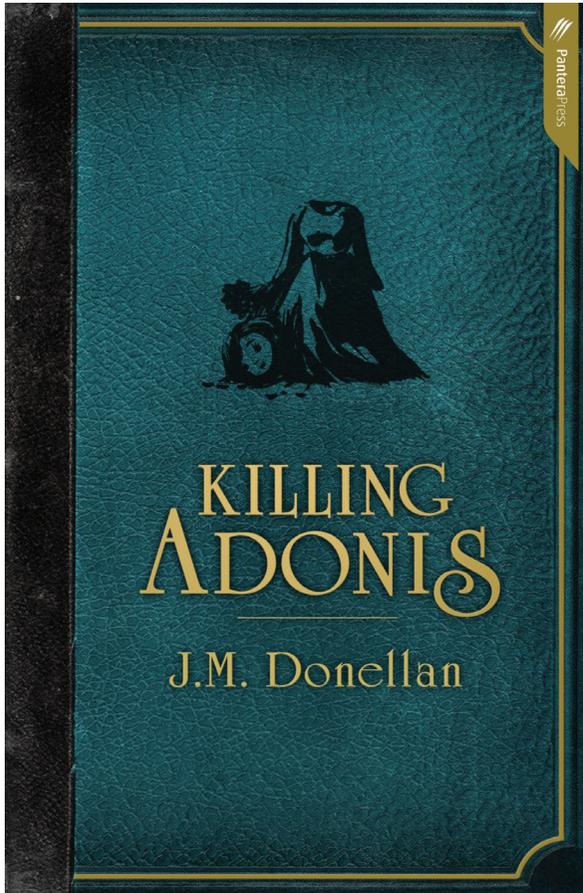
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Rights Held: World

Rights Sold:

KILLING ADONIS | Josh Donellan



ISBN: 9781921997099

Category: Indie Comedy

Format: Paperback B+ 210mm x 135mm

Extent: 436pp

Rights Held: World

Light duties - large pay - no questions asked - or answered...

After seeing a curious flyer, Freya takes a job caring for Elijah, the comatose son of the eccentric Vincetti family. She soon discovers that the Vincetti's labyrinthine mansion hides a wealth of secrets, their corporate rivals have a nasty habit of being extravagantly executed, and Elijah is not the saint they portray him to be.

As well, Marilyn Monroe keeps showing up, unaware that she's very much deceased. And there's something very strange about the story that Elijah's brother Jack is writing...

Killing Adonis is a tragicomic tale about love, delusion, corporate greed and the hazards of using pineapple cutters while hallucinating.

"A Wes Anderson movie waiting to happen."

"Farcical plotlines, secrets, surreal moments and eccentric characters... satire explorations run far deeper than the words on the page... A writer with a deft handle on his craft. Killing Adonis is an immensely pleasurable read and will have appeal to fans of Wes Anderson's films and readers looking to be entertained by something a little off-the-wall"

Books + Publishing

"Quirky, satirical and amusing, Killing Adonis also managed to be amazingly suspenseful, and I was hooked right to the end as Donellan's surprises and twists revealed themselves." Good Reads

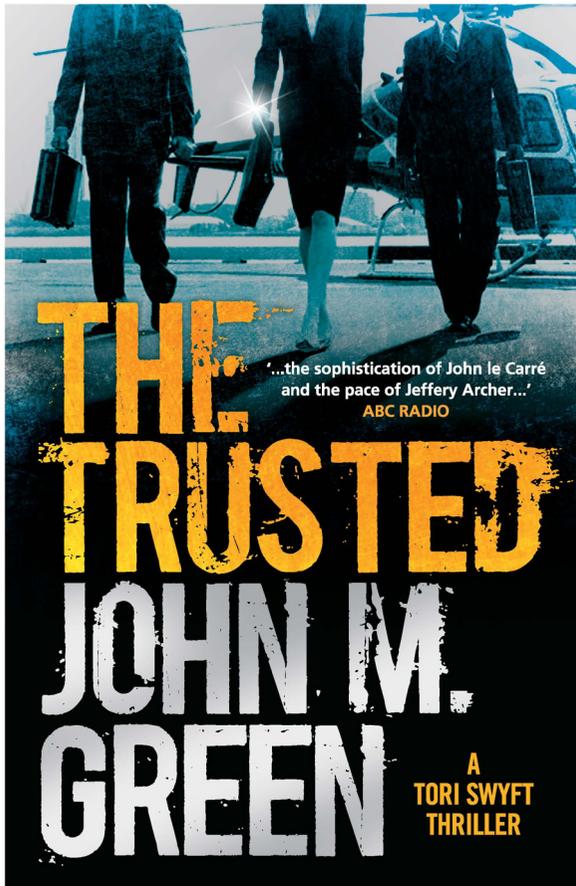
About the Author



J. M. Donellan is a teacher, slam poet, DJ, musician, collaborator and writer. Brisbane based, he believes the measure and cadence of language is important and has been known to replace a word because the rhythm is not quite right. Medical absurdities that co-exist with real life intrigue him.

He was almost devoured by a tiger in the jungles of Malaysia, nearly died of a lung collapse in the Nepalese Himalayas, fended off a pack of rabid dogs with a guitar in the mountains of India and was sexually harassed by a half-naked man visiting Oscar Wilde's grave in Paris.

THE TRUSTED | John M. Green



ISBN: 9780980741834

Category: Thriller

Format: Paperback C 234mm x 153mm

Extent: 400pp

Rights Held: World

Rights Sold: AUdio (Wavesound)

How far would you go to save the planet? Would you destroy it?

Imagine a global depression caused, not by greed or stupidity, but by a secret band of brilliant and radical environmentalists, 9S, using cyber-terror to slash the world's population and smash its resource-hungry economy.

Members of 9S have spent ten years secretly infiltrating industry and government, working themselves into the most trusted jobs in the world... sleepers ready to act.

When the first global catastrophe erupts, the finger points at Australian-born Dr Tori Swyft, a former 9S member recently forced out of the CIA. Trying to clear her name, she uncovers the dark conspiracy — but is there enough time to expose and stop them?

They are the most trusted... until they betray their trust.

About the Author



When it dawned on John M. Green that the reason he got up in the morning was to write, he quit his job. He spent 30 years as executive director in a leading investment bank and partner in two law firms. A well-known business writer and commentator, his insightful observations are sought after locally and internationally.

As a co-founder of Pantera Press, John serves on the governing body of the National Library of Australia, and is a board member of two stock-exchange-listed corporations and not-for-profits.

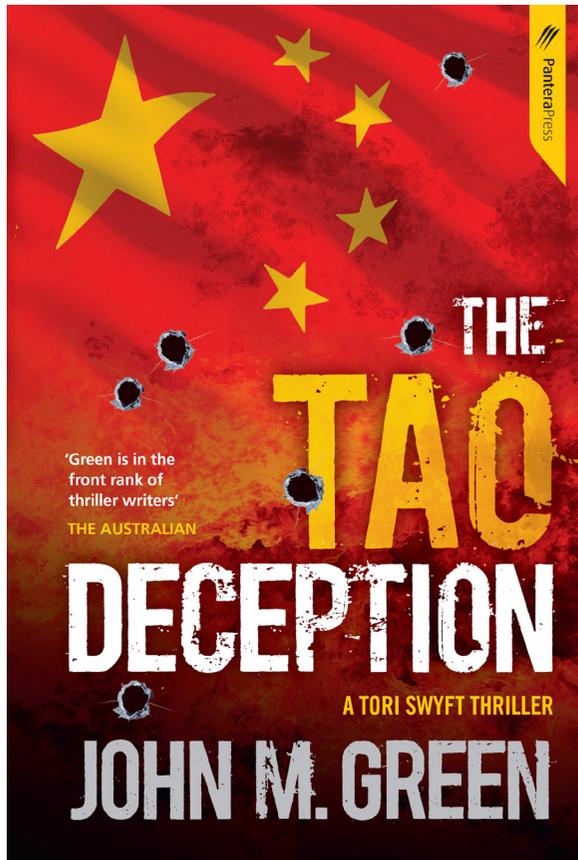
"...Green's brilliant and provocative new eco-thriller... delivers a chilling prophesy of what could really happen if extremists turned technology against itself... its terrifying political edge makes it all too plausible."

ABC Radio

"... as good as John Grisham, Robert Ludlum, Lee Child or Jonathan Kellerman ... knife-edge plot, sophisticated themes and empathetic characters put Green in the front rank of Australian thriller writers."

The Australian

THE TAO DECEPTION | John M. Green



ISBN: 9781921997464

Category: Thriller

Format: Paperback C 234mm x 153mm

Extent: 420pp

Rights Held: World

Rights Sold: Audio (Wavesound)

World leaders are being systematically assassinated by toxic gas delivered by drone, and more are threatened with the same fate.

An obscure band of Chinese terrorists is claiming responsibility. But The Ten Brothers, a secret circle of China's political, military and business elite, are using the terrorists as a cover to justify the assassination of China's President and the overthrow of Beijing. The plot is part of their blueprint to forge a new China, and the rebirth of their nation.

Their next step is designed to smash America's dominance, with an audacious plan to destroy the power grid and send the country into deep freeze.

While negotiating a business deal with their leader, Wang Bo, ex-CIA operative Dr Tori Swyft inadvertently stumbles across the plot. Can she survive long enough to thwart The Ten Brothers and their aims?

About the Author



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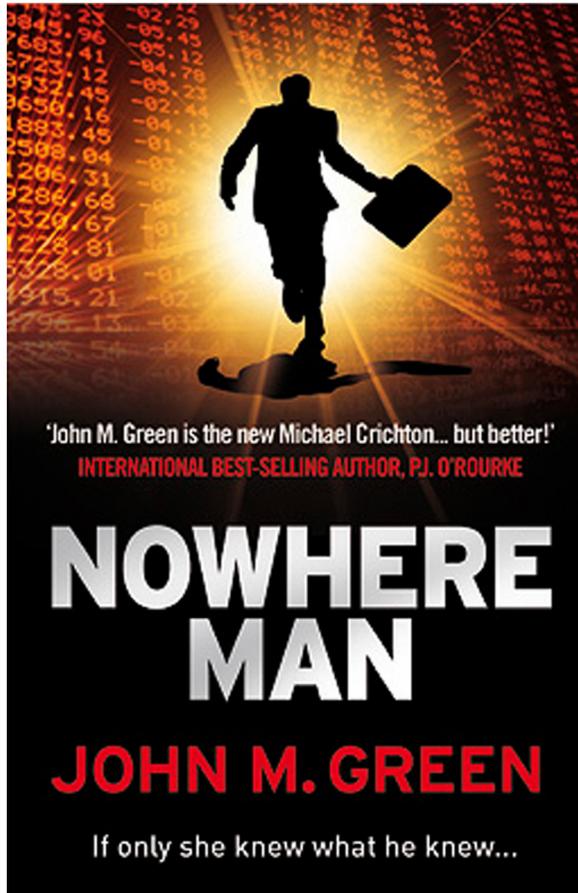
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"The Tao Deception defines Green as one of the most inspiringly creative novelists writing today. It's a fast paced thriller with larger-than-life characters, cliff-hanging scenarios and a tempo which should come with a medical warning on the front cover for people with breathing difficulties." The Australian

"A really good thriller writer is someone who looks at what's happening in the world today and manages to create a totally believable tomorrow... [The Tao Deception is] brilliantly conceived, it's incredibly realistic and it's got amazing pace... It's slick. It's entertaining. And it's extremely clever...Australian thriller writing at its best."

ABC

NOWHERE MAN | John M. Green



ISBN: 9780980741834

Category: Thriller

Format: Paperback C 234mm x 153mm

Extent: 384pp

Rights Held: World

Wealthy stock trader Michael Hunt is a secretive man with a past. When he suddenly goes missing, his wife Sonya is left with millions in debt and many unanswered questions. And when the global financial crisis erupts, her world becomes even bleaker.

There seems to be no end in sight, until she stumbles upon some strange files, which may be the clue to repaying her debts, to finding Michael, and discovering why he left. Risking everything, Sonya embarks on a white-knuckled ride through reeling stock markets, a love-triangle murder and a conspiracy which eventually lead her to a famous physicist who may be able to help her unlock the mystery.

Sonya's hunt for Michael becomes a search for herself.

About the Author



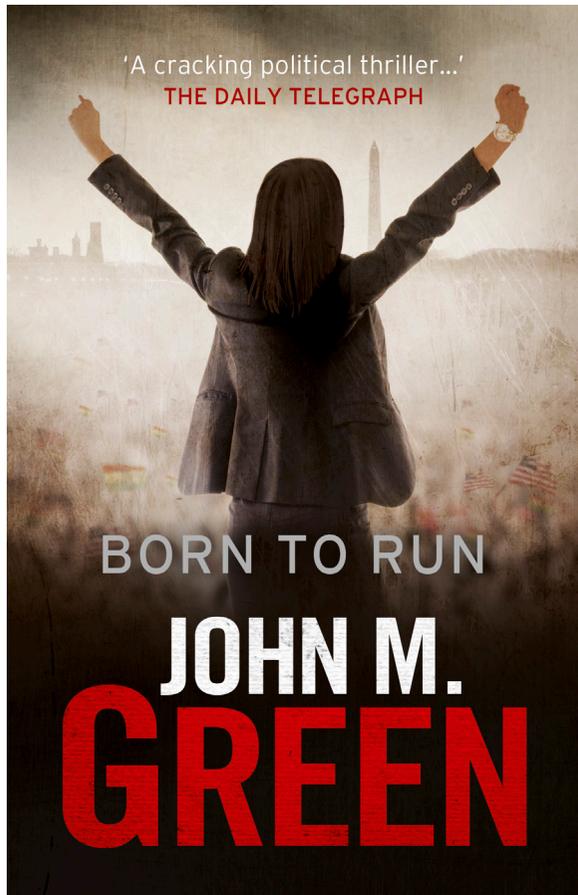
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"...a fast-paced, slightly futuristic thriller...mainstream airport fiction but the ideas, story and characters demand attention."
The Sydney Morning Herald

"A highly polished debut novel... a clever, interesting novel that delivers a stunning mid-book twist and a totally unexpected ending." Canberra Times

"...a gripping thriller which will literally have you on the edge of your seat!" ABC Perth



ISBN: 9780980741889

Category: Thriller

Format: Paperback C 234mm x 153mm

Extent: 400pp

Rights Held: World

Isabel Diaz is set to be the first woman to win the Presidential race to the White House — her rags to riches story an inspiration to the American people. But her chances plummet when a young Muslim protégé is accused of syphoning funds to terrorists, and are then shattered when a TV journalist digs up a dark secret from her past.

Meanwhile, seemingly unrelated, a young Australian software expert is tossed off a London skyscraper, and a program he is developing is used to launch a daring terrorist attack on New York. Will the resulting panic be enough to draw the voters back to the Republican cause? And who is behind the plot to ensure that Isabel has another chance to secure victory?

About the Author



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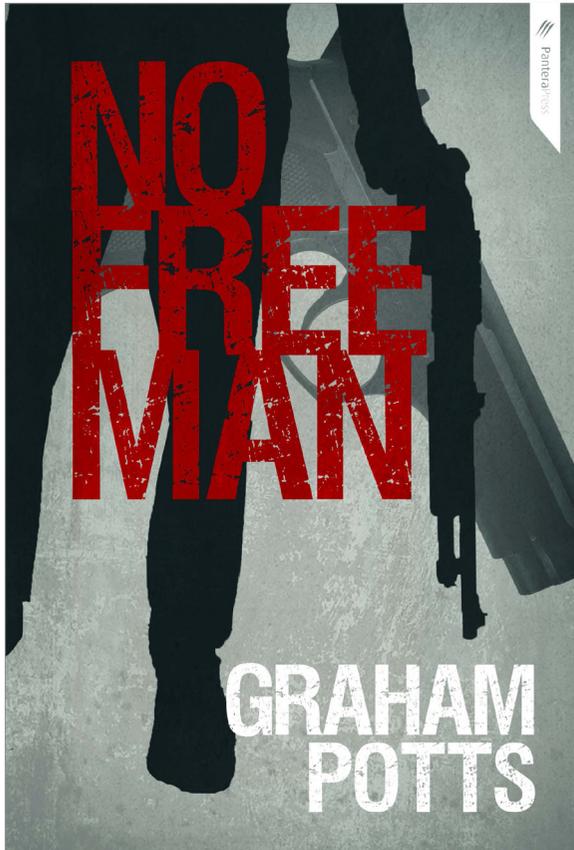
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"...it is a gripping political thriller which moves at a cracking pace and is, quite simply, impossible to put down... a suspenseful and thrilling page-turner." The Australian Financial Review

"...a tour de force of blind alleys and intrigue. It defines the best tradition of thriller writing, with knife-edge moments and arresting prose, a cut above the usual airport novel." The Australian

"...a naked grab for power is turned into a superb piece of drama and political intrigue...well-crafted as it is eminently believable. With the sophistication of John le Carré and the pace of Jeffrey Archer... a 21st century story of treason and betrayal." ABC Radio

NO FREE MAN | Graham Potts



Stepan Volkov forfeited his future when he was paid to forget his past.

As a tool of the Organizatsiya, a Russian crime syndicate, he is forged into 'The Wolf', the world's most meticulous killer – feared, vicious and brutal. Pursued by American spies and Australian agents, torn between his need to survive and his desire to be free.

When a shock encounter in Australia unearths forgotten secrets and challenges his loyalty, Volkov suddenly sees a choice – one he'd thought would never again be his to make.

With a billion-dollar international oil deal threatening to shift the global balance of power, will Volkov return to Moscow to wage war for the Organizatsiya, or will he find the courage to escape with the vengeful thief whose life he destroyed?

About the Author



War defines the first decade of Graham Potts's adult life. Always on the move, he has lived in almost every state in Australia. After challenging assignments with the Royal Australian Air Force, his inner strategist acknowledged the truth: writing is his true passion. His action-packed style throws you into international conflicts closer to home than you think.

Graham has a fondness for literature and an appetite for intrigue. He tells stories that captivate, thrill and touch on the truth. And if you buy him a scotch, he might tell you a tall one or two.

"... an action-packed espionage thriller in the mould of Robert Ludlum or Lee Child... taut and suspenseful and skillfully plotted... there's no question Potts is the real thing." Sydney Morning Herald

"Short. Sharp. Chapters. If that is the way you like your spy thrillers you will welcome a new player in the field of literary secrets and lies... could be the next Tom Clancy. Or Robert Ludlum. Or Matthew Riley... a punchy thriller that keeps the readers guessing." The Courier Mail

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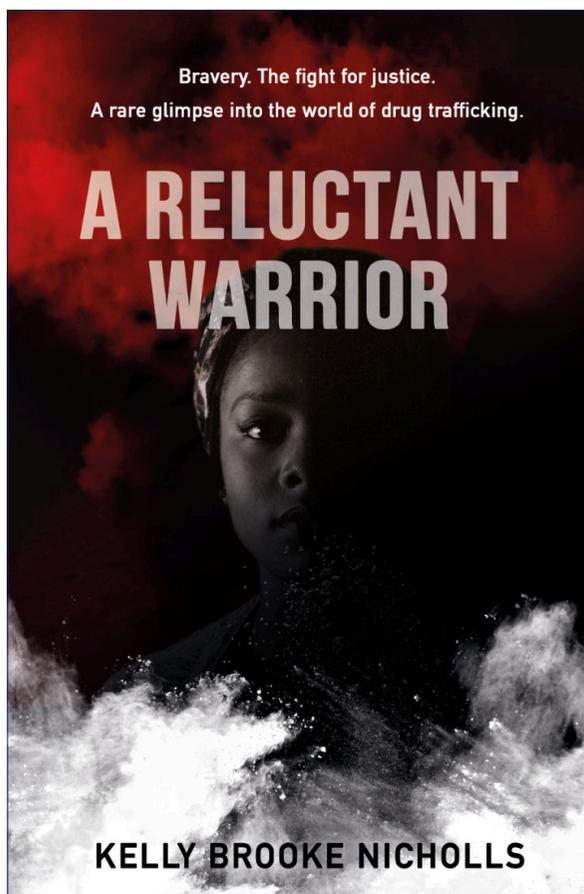
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A RELUCTANT WARRIOR | Kelly Brooke Nicholls



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Category: Contemporary Fiction

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Extent: 230pp

Rights Held: World

A gripping novel that gives readers a rare glimpse into Colombia's notorious drug wars, told by someone who knows the landscape intimately.

When Luzma's brother Jair unwittingly uncovers the plan by Colombia's most notorious drug cartel to smuggle an unprecedented cocaine shipment into the US, it puts their family in grave danger.

Jair's kidnapping by the cartel forces Luzma to go face-to-face with vicious paramilitary leader, El Cubano, and General Ordonex, ruthless head of the military — men who will stop at nothing to protect their empires.

But for Luzma, nothing is more important than saving her family — not even her own life.

The perfect companion for audiences that loved *Narcos*.

About the Author



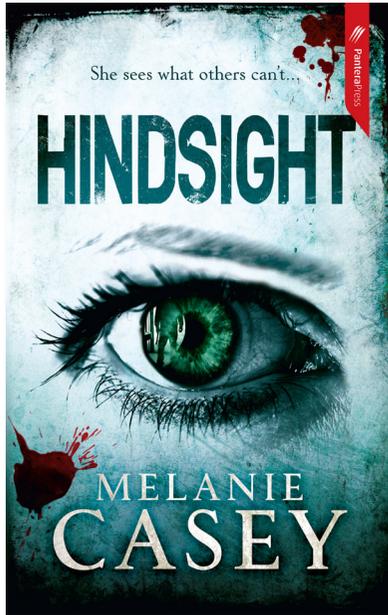
Kelly Brooke Nicholls' fascination with other cultures was instilled in her early years growing up on a boat in the South Pacific islands. She's been passionate about human rights from an early age and has over 15 years' senior leadership experience working for NGOs, including an extended period living and working in Colombia, which has left an indelible mark.

She has travelled extensively to places few foreigners have been, researching and documenting the impact of the ongoing war on ordinary citizens and the horrendous human rights abuses inflicted on them.

Kelly lives on the Northern beaches of Sydney with her Colombian husband and two sons.

While the story and characters in A Reluctant Warrior are fictitious, they are based on events Kelly Brooke Nicholls witnessed first hand and her interviews with thousands of victims of paramilitaries, guerrillas and drug cartels. She wrote this book to celebrate, support and amplify the message of the brave people who risk their lives to protect and make a difference to others.

THE CASS LEHMAN MYSTERIES | Melanie Casey



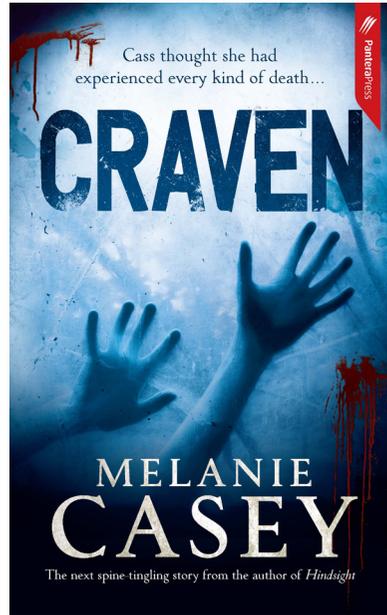
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Category: Thriller

Format: Pb C 234mm x 153mm

Extent: 384pp

Rights Held: World

Born into a family of extraordinary women with psychic abilities, Cass Lehman has the 'gift' of retrocognition — the ability to spontaneously re-live a person's dying moments. Offering her services to the local police force, she expects to be welcomed with open arms. But can she overcome the general scepticism of her family's abilities to build a successful professional relationship with Detective Ed Dyson?

And while solving the crimes of three different serial killers that place both their lives and those of their loved ones at risk, can they also put aside their personal differences to contemplate a future together?

About the Author



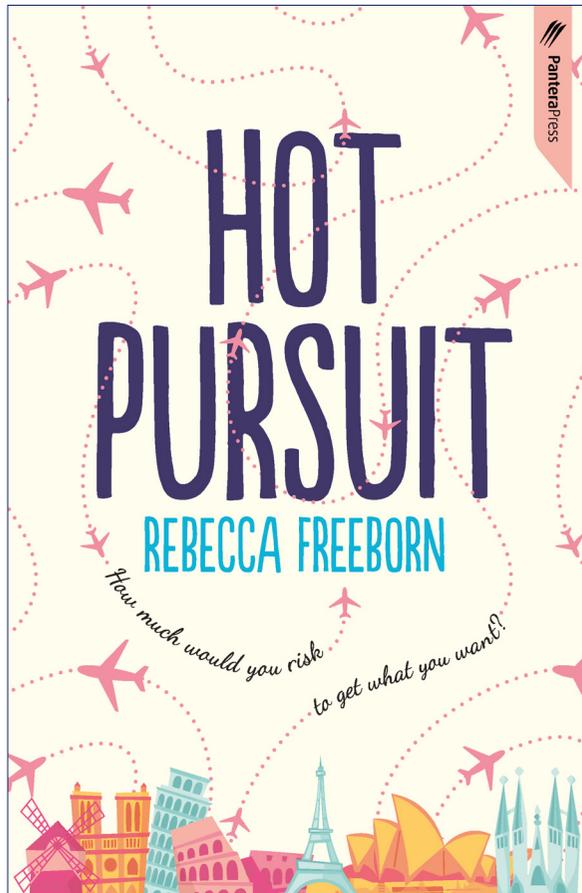
Despite the cats (and more recently a dog) sitting on her keyboard, Melanie Casey is determined to write. She studied English literature, classical studies and law, and has forged a career as a senior leader in a busy Commonwealth Government Department.

In 2005, a chance encounter with a high school English teacher made her realise she'd neglected her creativity. Inspired (and slightly chastened), Melanie honed her skills at The Professional Writing School at Adelaide's College of the Arts. She now teaches there. Born in South Australia, Melanie juggles her day job, a demanding writing and teaching schedule, and a family.

"Building to a tense finale... an entertaining read... suggests that future adventures for Cass should be nicely mind-bending" Rip It Up

"Take a touch of CSI, a dash of Supernatural... and you've got Craven... an entertaining read."
The Daily Mail

HOT PURSUIT | Rebecca Freeborn



Sarah Burrowes is left with a shattered heart and a hefty mortgage after the love of her life runs out on her.

An aspiring journalist, Sarah spends her days slaving away at a gossip magazine where she is tormented by her colleague, Nick, whose charm is only surpassed by his ego, and who just happens to be her ex's best friend.

When Sarah decides to take her career by the reins and tricks her boss into sending her on an assignment to Europe, there's only one catch — her boss pairs her with photographer Nick, and sends them on the story of a lifetime.

A missing rockstar, a suspected murderer on the run and a chase through some of the world's most romantic destinations... but when their lives are threatened, Sarah discovers that there's more to this story than meets the eye.

Can she solve the case and navigate her complex love life, or will she get burned?



About the Author



Rebecca Freeborn has been writing compulsively since she was old enough to wield a pen, both for her work in media and communications and for pleasure.

She has had several short stories published and has several manuscripts under development, both literary fiction and contemporary women's fiction.

She lives in Adelaide with her husband, three children and three very entitled pets.

A Better Reading 'Rising Star' for 2018

"Hot Pursuit was a real delight to read; full of humour and adventure, with a spirited protagonist that's definitely bitten off more than she can chew."
Good Reads

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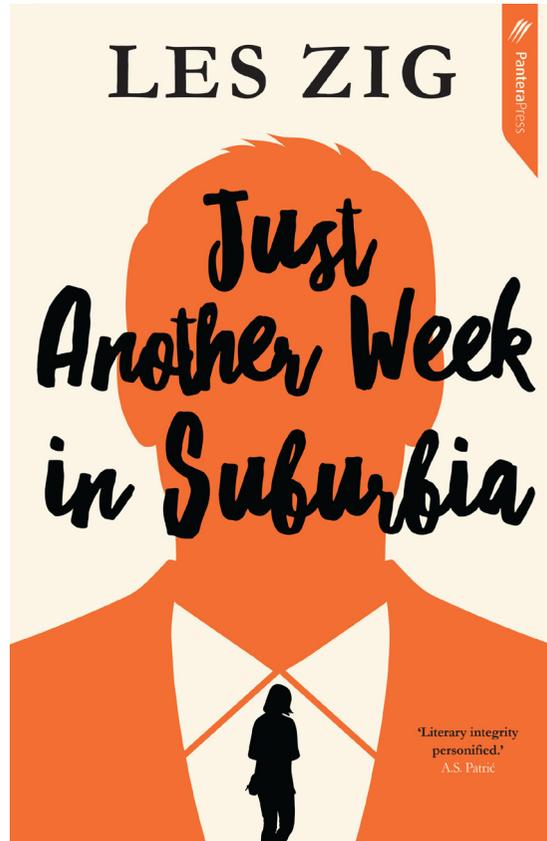
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Casper Gray is happy with his idyllic life. Sure, there are problems, like his buffoon of a neighbour, the pedantic vice principal at the high school where he works, and the fact that he and his wife are still trying for a baby after seven years. But it's all normal for suburbia... until one night, Casper makes an accidental discovery. A condom. Lying in the contents of his wife's handbag.

As Casper's fears grow into obsessions, his world unravels and he is faced with the conflict between logic and doubt.

Just Another Week in Suburbia is a psychological drama about trust and fidelity, fears and insecurities, and the question of whether you can ever really know another person.

"Literary integrity personified." A.S. Patric, author of *Black Rock White City*

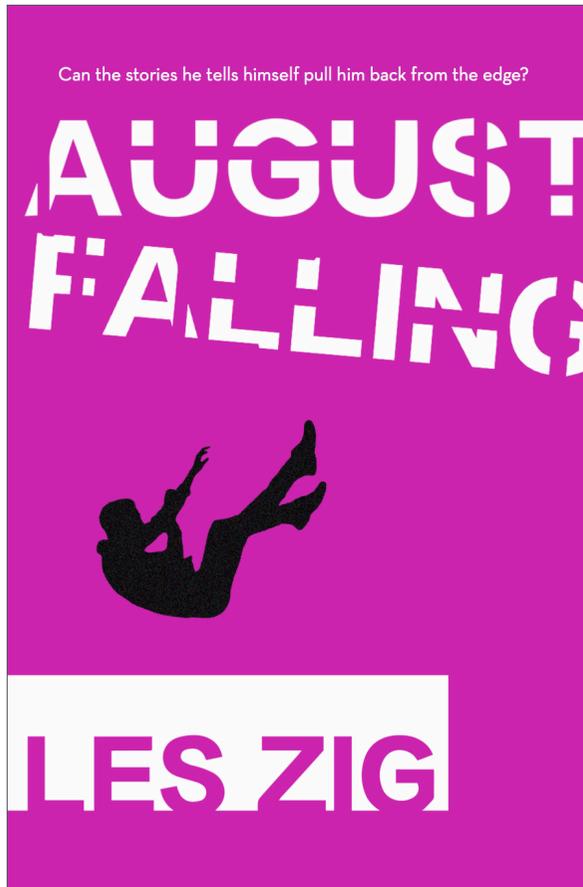
"... fabulous deliciously naughty book... he does it with such humour and with such grace and with such powers of beauty and observation that I really really enjoyed it." ABC Radio

About the Author



Les Zig is the author of young adult novel Pride and the adult novel Just Another Week in Suburbia, which was originally shortlisted for the 2013 Hachette Manuscript Development Program. His memoir Overload was also shortlisted for the 2012 Finch Prize. He is also a playwright and his short stories and articles have been published SQ Mag, Tincture, Little Raven Two, Thirteen Stories, Crack the Spine, Fiction Vortex, Furia, Etchings, fourW, Windmills and more.

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A story about love, acceptance, the dilemma of loneliness and finding yourself in the modern world.

After a bad relationship, August is trying to piece his life back together. It's not perfect – his flat is small, he works in a call centre, he can't finish the book he's working on, and he's socially challenged when it comes to women.

When August meets Julie, he finds she's everything he isn't – confident, composed, and purposeful, despite her troubled childhood. With her, August finally begins to feel he can be himself. But Julie has a secret – one that threatens to plummet August right back into the miseries of his past.

August Falling isn't a love story, but one about acceptance, choices, and finding a way to be ourselves.

*"Literary integrity personified." A.S. Patric, author of
Black Rock White City*

*"His writing amply displays the rare combination
of natural talent and extraordinary hard work
characteristic of those who succeed in the industry."*

Andrew Morgan, Good on Paper

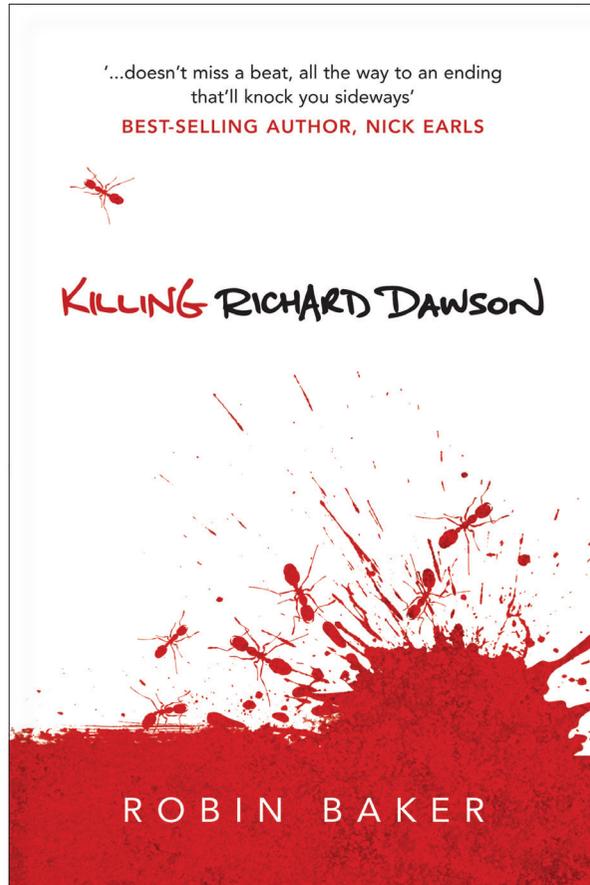
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KILLING RICHARD DAWSON | Robin Baker



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"The phone rings. It's Jesus. I listen to him speak and then hang up..."

In this darkly comic, slow-burn thriller, reality is blurred... nothing can be taken for granted.

A gripping and poignant black comedy about love, friendship, booze, morality, death... and a generation's casual dissatisfaction with modern life. Sometimes, redemption lies in the darkest of places.

Killing Richard Dawson is a brilliant fast-paced story with a shocking twist. The reader is sucked into the uni student narrator's inner and outer worlds as he navigates his way with wit and humour, through the minefields of loss, friendship and unrequired love. Death is the only constant in his life, yet Robin Baker deals with it with an irreverence echoing Evelyn Waugh's classic *staire*.

About the Author



Robin Baker knows death.

A young ex-English teacher-turned-funeral-director, Robin spends his days lecturing and tutoring at a local Perth university. He also writes book reviews for the local papers while working on his next darkly comic coming-of-age tale.

He studied creative writing alongside a raft of pure humanities subjects, which help him delve into the minds of his often quirky and morbid characters. After a post-graduate degree in secondary teaching, a predictable career was sidetracked by a six-year stint as a funeral director.

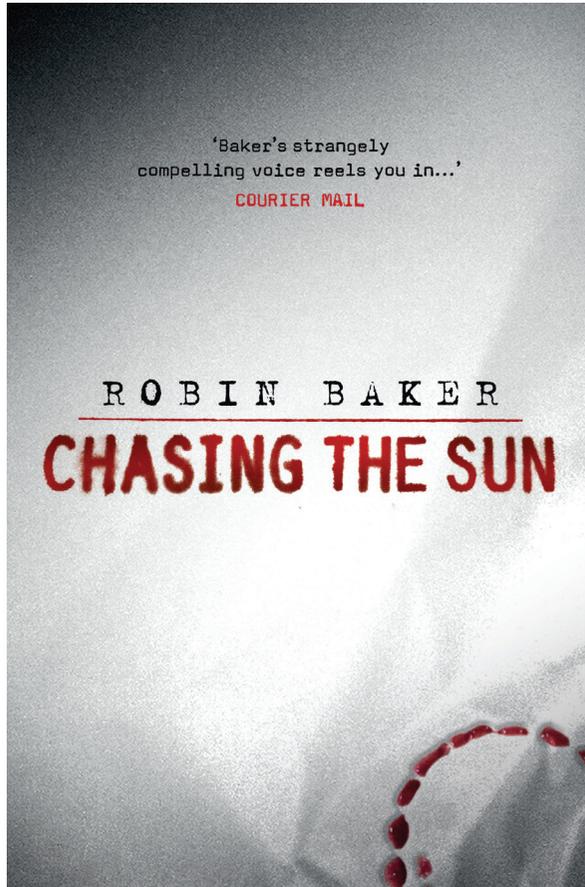
He is a likeable character who creates decidedly unlikeable ones.

"...doesn't miss a beat, all the way to an ending that'll knock you sideways."

Nick Earls, Award-Winning Author

"...a dark, simmering tale...black humour, moments of wit and horror simultaneously thrown into the mix"

The West Australian



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The best way to blend in is to stand out.

A twisted story about Feng Shui, vampires, drinking, pet psychiatry, genocide, belief and mortality...

In this darkly comic, slow-burn fantasy thriller, nothing is as it seems. A nightclub opening becomes a fight for life and the discovered fountain of youth hides a movement to exterminate a race.

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"... tight and fast-paced...a darkly comic take on contemporary society. It will appeal to lovers of urban fantasies who like moral questions that stay with them long after the book is finished."

Bookseller + Publisher

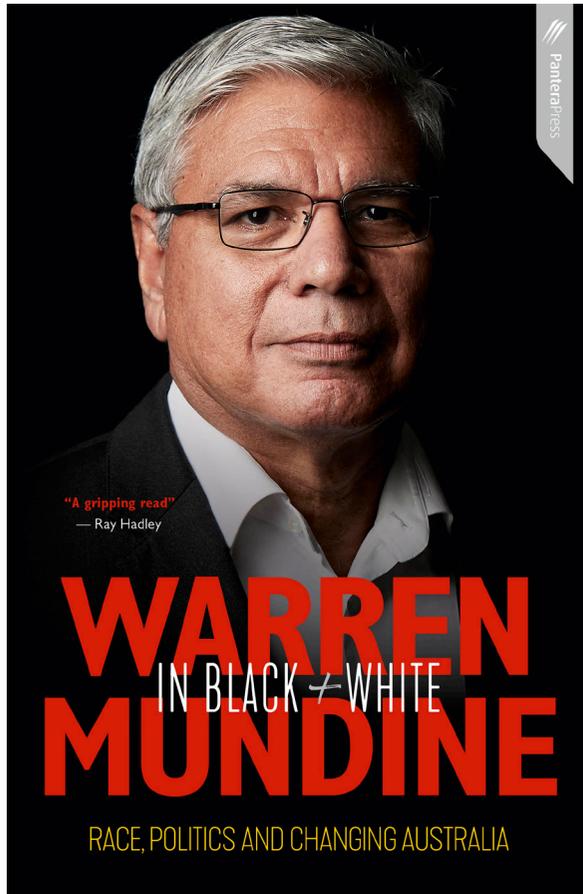
"A darkly comic, slow-burn fantasy thriller... superbly brilliant... Robin's clever with also had me highly amused."

Dymocks Perth



Non-Fiction

WARREN MUNDINE: IN BLACK AND WHITE



A great and untold story of Australia: from the poverty of a family living in a tent beside a river, to the heights of political power as National President of the Australian Labor Party and advisor to five prime ministers, this is a moving story of an Indigenous life woven into the very fabric of Australian politics.

One of 11 children in a poor Catholic family, it's been a remarkable journey for Warren from his early life in country NSW to his life today where he frequents the highest echelons of power and business and is widely regarded as one of Australia's national treasures.

Warren is a man who, for his entire life, has been fighting against racism and discrimination. He is one of Australia's most recognised, respected and revered activists and agents for improving his people's standing. He is the most engaging personality in today's political spectrum, a man who never ever holds back from telling those in power precisely what they should – or shouldn't – be doing.

Many have written – kindly and abusively – about Warren, but now, for the first time, Warren Mundine brings his own life into vivid perspective, telling behind-the-scenes stories of racism and hardship as well as what really goes on inside the closed rooms of Australia's political machine.

About the Author



Warren Mundine needs no introduction to Australians. An adviser to Prime Ministers and senior business figures, even billionaires, an opinion writer for Australia's top broadsheets and opinion magazines and a highly sought after public speaker and media identity, his analysis and foresight on Indigenous affairs and Australian politics is without parallel.

In politics, Warren rose to be the National President of the Australian Labor Party. He was also appointed by three Liberal Prime Ministers to their Indigenous advisory bodies, most recently chairing the Prime Minister's Indigenous Advisory Council since 2013. Warren's vision for Australia's First Nations is one of pride, prosperity and optimism. He is one of the most significant ethical leaders of Aboriginal lifestyle and wellbeing Australia has ever witnessed.

ISBN: 9781921997877

Category: Political Memoir

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Extent: 528pp

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"A gripping read written by an outstanding Indigenous Australia – both confronting and inspiring."

Ray Hadley, broadcaster and commentator

"His autobiography is a ripping yarn about Australians coming to a sense of belonging with each other across the barriers of racism and dispossession. At home in his own skin, Mundine offers all readers a sense of what it is to be a reconciled nation." Fr Frank Brennan SJ AO

Young Adult Fiction

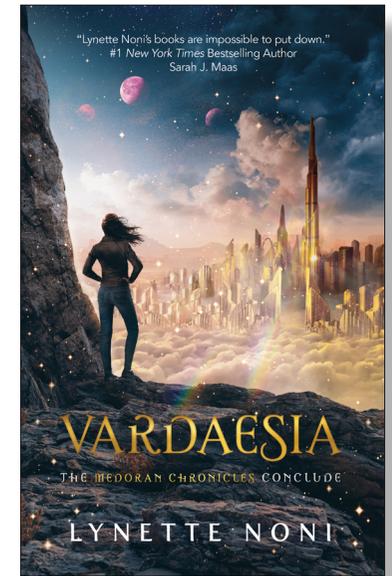
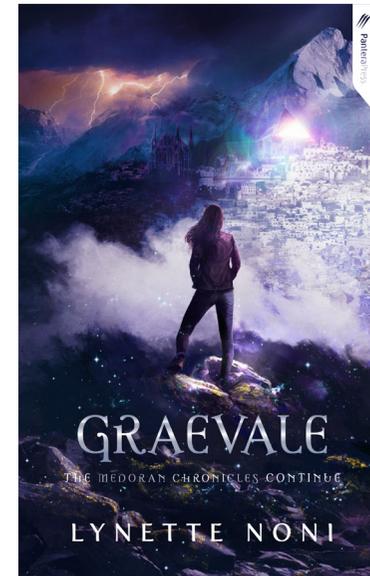
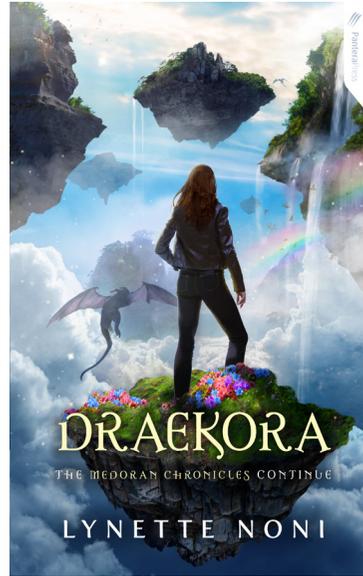
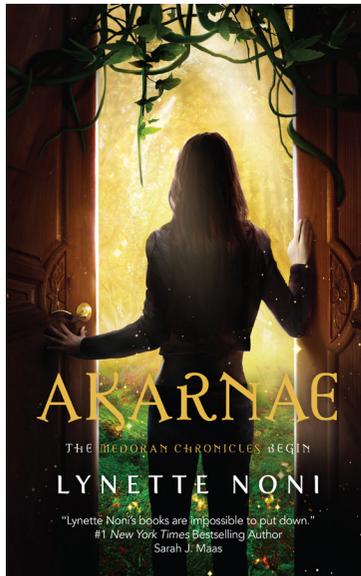
The Medoran Chronicles is an addictive five-book fantasy series set in a unique parallel world. A wondrous exploration of friendship and belief in oneself, it is set against the backdrop of an ancient betrayal and eternal war.

Sixteen-year-old Alexandra Jennings finds herself stranded in Medora, a fantasy world full of impossibilities. As she explores Akarnae Academy, a school for teenagers with extraordinary gifts, she is embraced by colourful new friends who accept her as one of their own.

But Alex soon discovers that she is an unwilling pawn in a deadly game, and the weight of an entire race's survival rests on her shoulders. She must find a way to protect the Medorans

from Aven Dalmarta, the banished Prince from the Lost City of Meya, who is on a quest to reclaim his birthright.

This refreshingly innocent YA journey emphasises the values of friendship and loyalty while offering a new slant on high school fantasy. There are authority figures who aren't quite what they seem, unconventional magic influenced by futuristic technology, and an omniscient library that can influence and guide Alex through the insecurities and uncertainties of her new world – and hopefully towards an understanding of the strength of her own willpower and an assured future for Medora.



"Lynette Noni is a marvelous and inventive storyteller, whose books are absolutely impossible to put down. I can't wait to see what she comes up with next!"
Sarah J Maas, #1 New York Times bestselling author of *The Throne of Glass* and *A Court of Thorns and Roses* series

"Lynette Noni is a master at her craft. The Medoran Chronicles have richly developed characters, superb world-building that makes you feel like you're actually there, and stories that pack a punch, full of emotion and thrills. Highly recommended!"
James Dashner, #1 New York Times bestselling author of *The Maze Runner* series

SALES HIGHLIGHTS

Sales of Lynette's books have increased by 450% from 2017 to 2018, from 10,607 units to 45,926 units

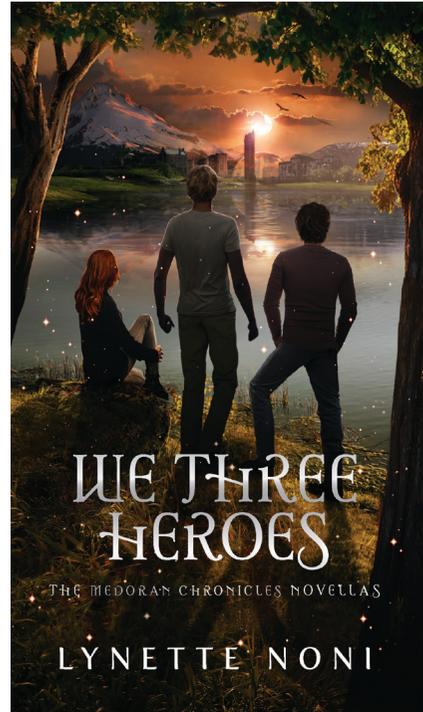
Lynette was the bestselling Australian YA author in 2018.

All of her books occupied the top 5 spots in the Australian bestseller charts for July 2018.

THE MEDORAN CHRONICLES series was voted Number 3 in the Dymocks Kids' Top 51 in 2018

WE THREE HEROES was the bestselling YA book in Australia in the week of its release.

There are over 55,000 copies of Lynette's books in print in Australia and New Zealand.



A companion volume to THE MEDORAN CHRONICLES

WE THREE HEROES contains three novellas which tell the stories of DC (Crowns and Curses), Jordan (Scars and Silence) and Bear (Hearts and Headstones).

While they may be considered sidekicks in THE MEDORAN CHRONICLES, to Alex they are her heroes — her strength, her hope and the reason she never gives up. Here are their stories — their trials and triumphs — proving that they are actually the heroes of their own stories.

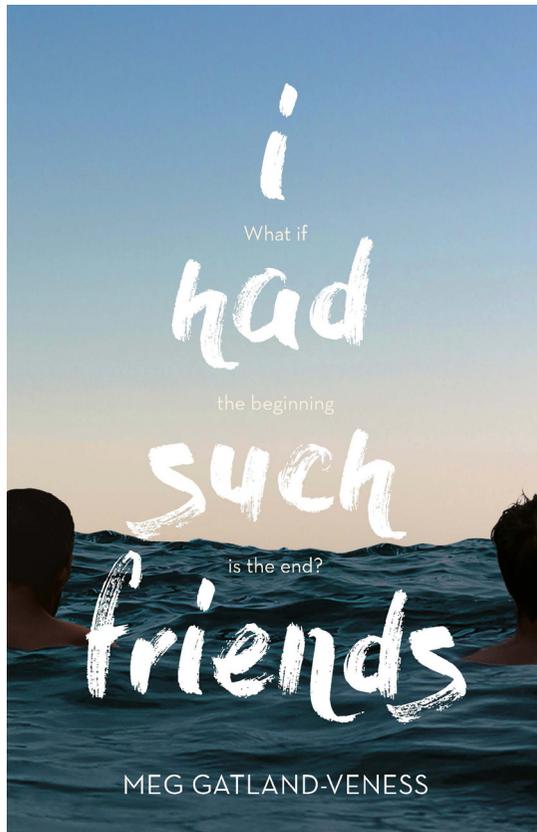
About the Author



Lynette Noni loves getting lost in stories – both the ones she creates, and those created by others. Lynette grew up on an outback farm and now lives behind the sun-swept beaches of the Sunshine Coast. Devastated when her Hogwarts letter didn't arrive, she consoled herself by looking inside every wardrobe she could find, and is still determined to find her way to Narnia. Bursting with novel ideas, Lynette is a reader who writes and a writer who reads. She has a worldwide blog-following where she enthusiastically shares her devotion to books and her unashamed Disney animation addiction.

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I HAD SUCH FRIENDS | Meg Gatland-Veness



When Charlie Parker, the most popular boy in school, dies it affects everyone who knew him. Everyone, that is, except for Hamish Day, the boy with only one friend, who lives on a cabbage farm.

After the tragic car accident leaves his school in grief, Hamish finds himself pulled into the lives of the people left behind. He tries his best to thread them back together again, even though he is pretty sure he's the least qualified person for the job.

Set in rural Australia and touching on the themes of unrequited love, abuse, neglect, sexuality, bullying, prejudice, death and suicide, this is a story about learning to heal from past traumas and embracing the hidden truths of the people around you.

Reminiscently capturing the warm and raw voice of Charlie Kelmeckis from *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* and Clay Jensen from *13 Reasons Why*, this is a powerful story about self-discovery, grief and finding your voice.

About the Author



Meg Gatland-Veness is a powerful emerging voice in the YA space. Born in a small country town called Milton, she grew up on the Central Coast before going to the University of Newcastle to study a Bachelor of Arts, majoring in English and Drama, as well as a Bachelor of Secondary Teaching.

When she's not writing novels, she channels her unending creativity into choreographing and directing musicals, writing poetry, singing and ballet, as well as playing tennis, volleyball and soccer.

Meg currently works as a Drama teacher on the Central Coast of NSW.

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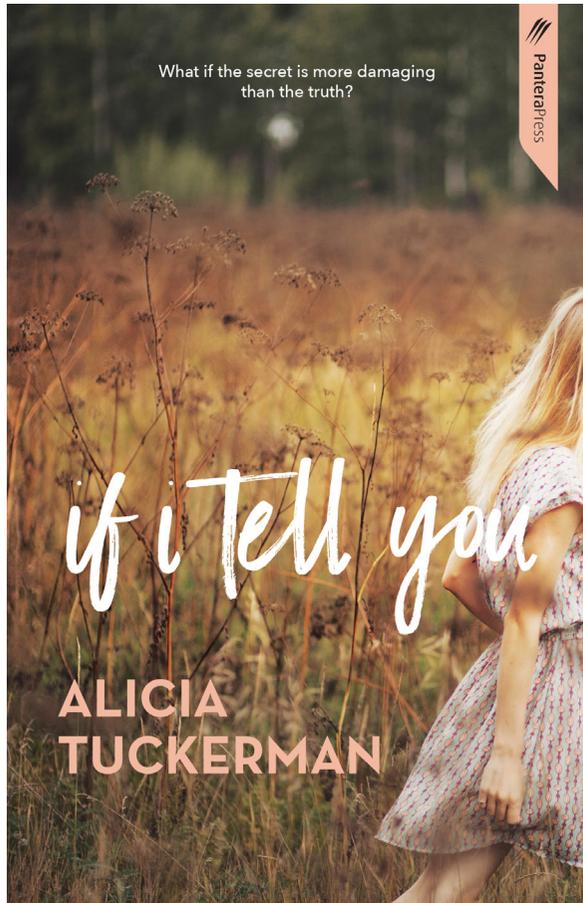
Extent: 288pp

Rights Held: World

Shortlisted for the ABIA Small Publisher Children's Book of the Year 2018

"...author Meg Gatland-Veness has first-hand experience with teenagers and it really shows in this, her impressive debut novel, I Had Such Friends. This is apparent in the authentic voice of Hamish that provides insight into a multitude of teen struggles. Isolation, bullying, grief and self-discovery, are just a few of the areas that she explores." Better Reading

"...a thought-provoking novel that ...provides many unexpected twists and a surprisingly emotive finale"
Glam Adelaide



ISBN: 9780646961255

Category: Young Adult Fiction

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Extent: 320pp

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"The second our eyes lock in the dark is all the time I need to know that whatever happens next, my life will never be the same."

Girls in Two Creeks go out with boys. They don't go out with other girls, even if they want to.

Seventeen-year-old Alex Summers lives with her secret and the constant fear someone will find out. But when a new family moves to town, they bring with them their teenage daughter, Phoenix Stone. When Alex falls for Phoenix, there is no warning.

Life and love don't wait until you're ready, but is Alex ready to risk it all?

In fear there is bravery — you can either cling to the edge or have the courage to jump. But what do you do when you're left spiralling through the freefall?

This is a heart-wrenching story of love in an unloving Australian landscape.

About the Author



Alicia Tuckerman was raised in rural NSW before she left home at the age of sixteen to accept a position at the Hunter School of Performing Arts.

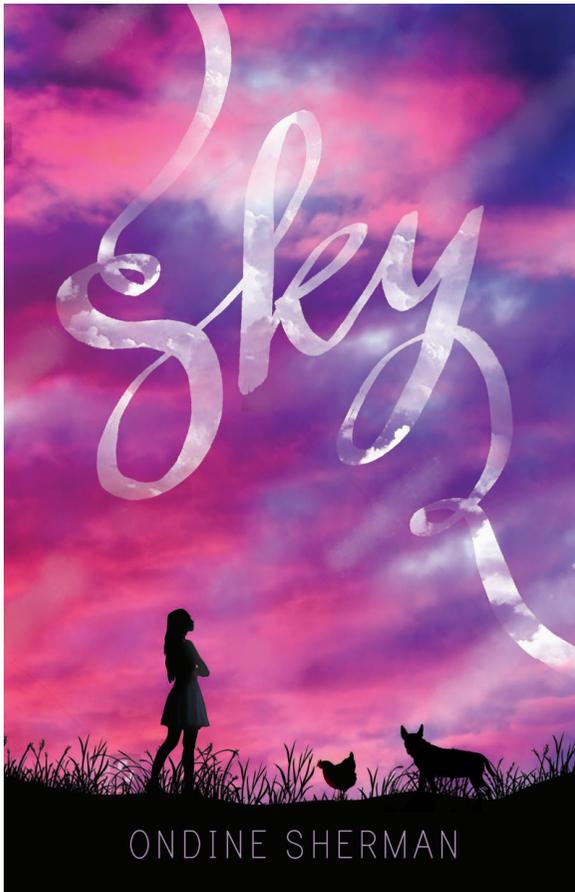
Described as having an overactive imagination as a child, Alicia has been writing stories her entire life. She attributes surviving her teenage years to the comfort, release, and escape writing offered and she hopes to inspire the next generation of readers and writers to embrace their passions.

Alicia draws on her own life experiences to explore the joys, triumphs and cruelties of modern day adolescence and considers there is no fantasy world she could create that is more terrifyingly beautiful than the one we're expected to live in.

Alicia now lives in the Swan Valley region of Perth with her partner and two children and does most of her writing in the small hours before the kids wake up, or on her daily commute to the office.

"It's such a well written novel with plenty of substance and Alex is a worthy hero of her own story. A novel of great authenticity. Sharp dialogue, a strong sense of place, and a character you'll come to care for deeply."
Melina Marchetta, author of *Looking for Alibrandi*

"The issues in Alicia Tuckerman's first book are many and immense. The fragility of life, the isolation of small-town living, dreams and travails of the artist and teen drama all feature in the young adult novel If I Tell You."
The West Australian



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Category: YA Fiction (12 +)

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135mm

Extent: 200pp

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Friendship can be found in the unlikeliest of places.

After her mother's death, Sky leaves her city life to move in with her aunt and uncle in a small Australian town. Life in a new place isn't easy, and Sky finds comfort in the friendship of a stray dog she meets along the way.

But her new friends at school are another story, and as Sky struggles to fit in, she finds herself doing things that go against everything she believes in.

When Sky stumbles on a case of animal cruelty, she is forced to question what's really important to her and who she wants to be.

"When I was a teen, I was extremely passionate about helping animals. However, all the materials, films and books about animal protection were focused on adults and learning about the issues was often a difficult and even traumatic experience for me. With Sky, I wanted to make a safe space for teenagers to learn and think critically about animal protection."

Ondine Sherman

Sky and Snow are the first in The Animal Allies series - books in which Ondine Sherman tackles different aspects of the animal welfare movement. The first two books deal with battery farming and animal hunting for pleasure, while future books will tackle kangaroo culling in Australia, marine parks and poaching in Africa — all set against Sky's growing acceptance of herself and her place in the world.

About the Author



Ondine Sherman is a life-long animal advocate, and is passionate about promoting respect and compassion for all creatures. In 2004, she and her father, Brian Sherman AM, founded Voiceless; the organisation is now one of Australia's leading animal protection groups. And Ondine's social-media platform, Franimals, has become a popular community for animal-loving teens across the globe.

Ondine grew up in Sydney and now lives in Tel Aviv with her husband and three children. Her three mischievous street cats, two loyal dogs and a sweet ex-battery chicken all keep her extraordinarily entertained.



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Romance Fantasy

THE BETROTHED SERIES | Wanda Wiltshire

The Betrothed Series is a beautifully written six-book fantasy romance series set in two worlds: Earth and the enchanting land of Faera in the Kingdom of Telophy. The series weaves a spellbinding story of forbidden love, belonging and unforgivable betrayal.

Seventeen-year-old Amy Smith has always known she was different. Her fragile health and the taunts of her school peers make her life an endurance test. But when a breathtakingly gorgeous male calls to her in her dreams, she discovers who she really is: Marla, his betrothed, and he is Leif, a faery prince of a kingdom under threat. Marla has been hidden on Earth for her own protection, but Leif urges her to embrace her true identity and help him resolve the threat to his homeland. But although enamoured by her prince and enchanted by Faera, Marla's encounters with Leif's terrifyingly powerful father, King Telophy, leave her shaken.

Betrothed takes readers to the idyllic land of Faera, luring Marla away from her best friend, Jack, to be with Leif. Allegiance and Confused, the next two books in the series, ask fundamental questions of Marla: who should she be and who should she be with? And in Telophy, the fourth book, Marla accepts who she was born to be, taking control of her destiny and stepping into life instead of stepping away.

As Marla embarks on a path of self-discovery, she must navigate her own place in both worlds and make choices that will affect those she loves on Earth and the beguiling characters she meets in Faera. The Betrothed Series speaks to the turmoil and insecurities of many young people on a journey towards self-assurance and maturity, against a refreshingly innocent YA love story.

About the Author

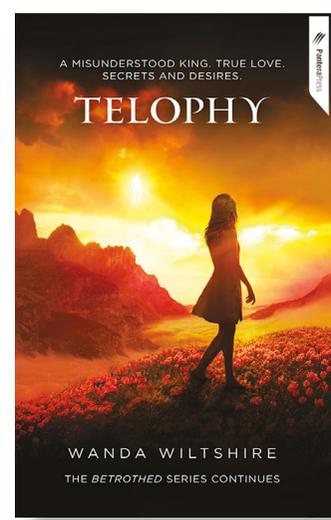
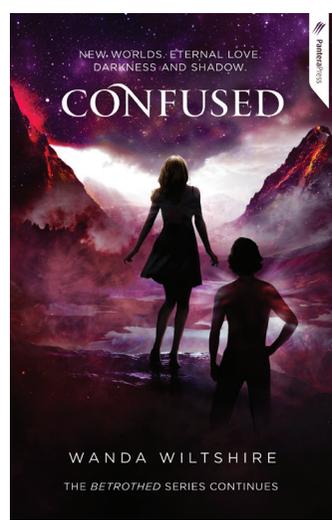
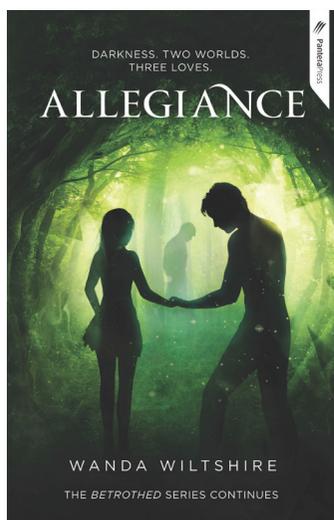
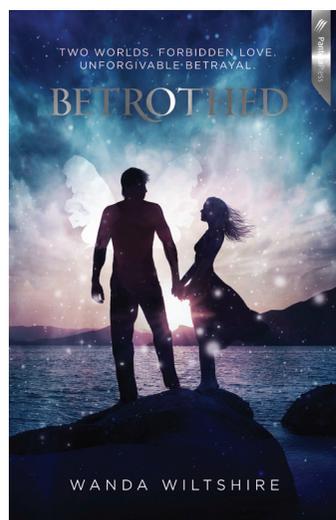


Wanda Wiltshire is a passionate, romantic dreamer. After spending her school days penning poetry and sneaking novels into class, she later questioned the direction her life could have taken as she watched her own children learn to read. Wanda finally realised her own talent for writing could no longer be ignored and now creates characters full of inner strength, fuelled by her limitless imagination.

Wanda draws inspiration from where the mountains meet the great Southern Ocean near her family's Sydney home.

She creates vivid worlds where her characters challenge themselves, and the charmed creatures they encounter.

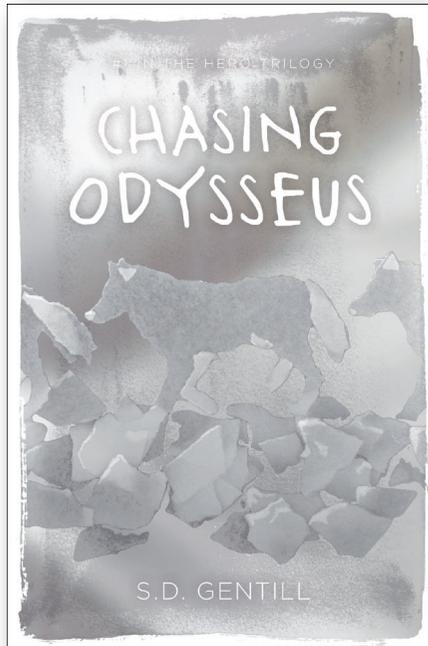
"If you have a young book worm in the family who loves stepping into the world of pure fantasy, then they'll definitely want to read Betrothed."
ABC Radio



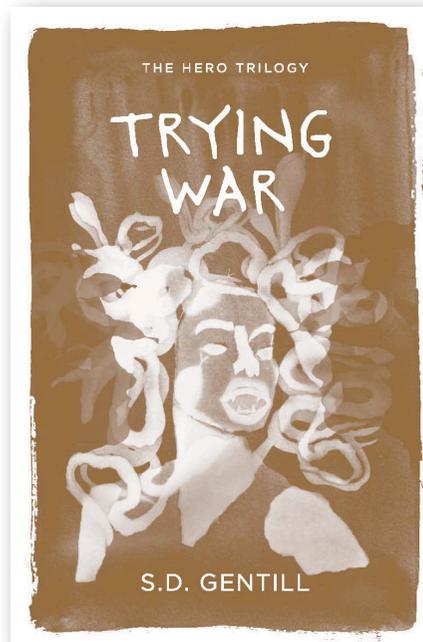


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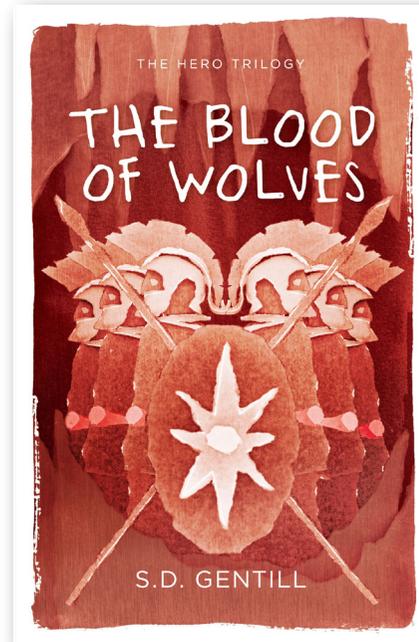
THE HERO TRILOGY | S. D. Gentill



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Hero and her three brothers, Mac, Cad and Lycon, embark on a dangerous quest to reinstate their murdered father's honour, prove his betrayal at the hands of King Odysseus and regain the loyalty of their own people to the conquered city of Troy. A thrilling adventure of ancient myth, monsters, sorcerers, sirens, magic and warring gods, and a desperate chase across the seas in a magical ship...

The four young heroes are caught in an unfolding legend, facing monsters, murderers and the gods at war, in a desperate attempt to challenge what the fates have decreed.



About the Author

Award-winning author Sulari Gentill set out to study astrophysics, graduated in law, and then abandoned her legal career to write books instead of contracts. Born in Sri Lanka, Sulari learned to speak English in Zambia, grew up in Brisbane and now lives in the foothills of the Snowy Mountains of NSW where, with her historian husband, she grows French black truffles, cares for a variety of animals and raises two wild colonial boys. Sulari also paints, but only well enough to know she should write — preferably in her pyjamas.

"A gripping fantasy-adventure series... completely and utterly enthralling"
The Sun Herald

"Brilliantly complex and insightful..."
Australian Book Review

"Beautifully written work... packed with gods, magic, mythical creatures and heroic deeds."
Daily Telegraph

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Space is Cool as Fuck is a coffee table book you won't be able to put down.

Visually stunning with its finger on the pulse and a wide view of hip, contemporary art – from street art, to 8-bit, to the psychedelic.

Co-Author Kate Howells is both a space fanatic and the Global Community Outreach Manager of the Planetary Society, an organisation empowering the world's citizens to advance space science and exploration. With a little help from her friends in the community (including legendary Bill Nye the Science Guy), she has put together this kid's book for adults, where everything you thought you could never understand about the universe is explained in plain-old filthy English, just like talking to an old friend for hours after everybody's left the party, only stocked with actual, scientifically valid information.

No book can tell you everything you need to know about space, but this one tells you what you want to know – all the coolest shit out there.

Over 50 chapters on subjects including:

- aliens
- black holes
- the degenerate astronomer who drank all night and died from holding his bladder... and also lost his nose in a duel
- the things you take for granted until you really think about them; like matter – what the fuck is all this shit that we are?

With a brief history of the whole universe, you'll be left scratching your head and gazing up in absolute wonder.

Space is Cool as Fuck features an in-depth and illuminating interview with famous '90s television scientist Bill Nye the Science Guy, Head of the Planetary Society, who believes that, no, we are not fucked and this planet and our people have a future.

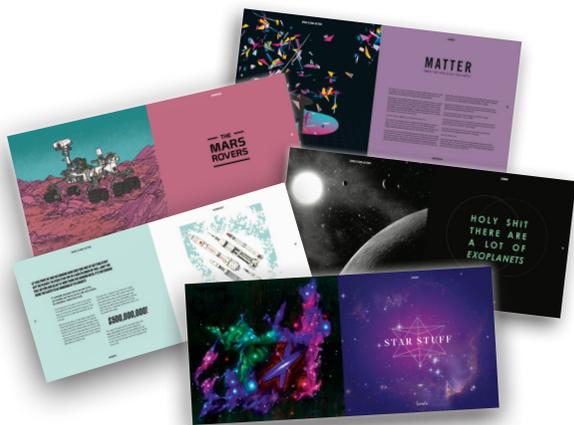
Taking all the best bits of science and squishing it all together for the ADD generation, *Space is Cool as Fuck* will be finding a permanent home on living room tables around the world.

Space is Cool as Fuck features more than 100 wild artworks, photographs and illustrations from 40 international young artists curated by brilliant designer Cynthia Larenas. From hand-picked unknowns like Kate Kurucz and Adrian du P.B. through up-and-comers like Aida Azin, Waiton Fong, and Chrissie Abbott, to the more established Joel Vans, Kareena Zerefos, James Reka, Regan Tanamui (Ha Ha) and Marina Zumi, each artist brings their own aesthetic to the majesty and wonder of space giving the book its exquisitely eclectic style.

Page Size: 14 in x 14 in

Extent: 270 pages

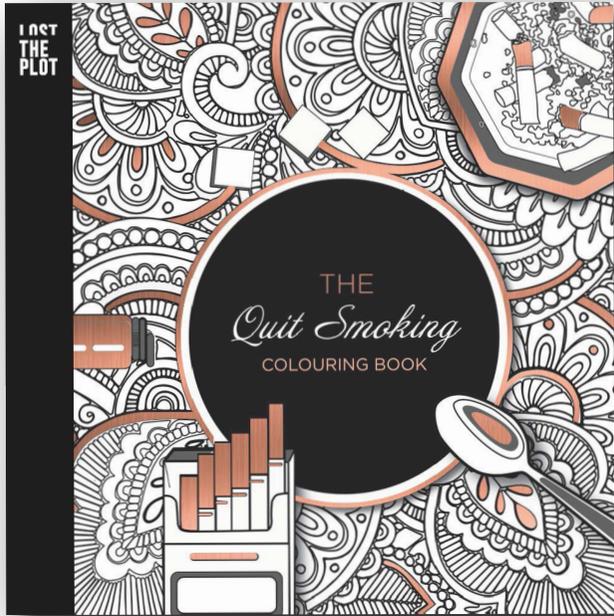
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“Bill Nye meets *Space Jam* and the Wu Tang Clan”

A highly designed book exploring the idea of the magical, wonderful infinity and possibility of space.

A newcomer to the craze that just won't die



The Quit Smoking Colouring Book is equal parts disgusting, insulting, offensive and confronting.

Why smoke when you can while-away the time colouring in these beautiful zen-style doodles by artist Yjulia Gramotneva.

'Delightful' illustrations to colour in; like tongue cancer or a beautifully detailed hole in the throat.

Along with humorously impolite prose, *The Quit Smoking Colouring Book* is also littered with confronting facts, like how smoking can waste 7200 hours in five years.

It is also filled with inspiring information and delightful poetry, for example:

*'If your teeth are quite brown and smell like a bum,
If you're down in the dumps 'bout your bloody gums,
If you're sick of your mouth looking like an ass,
Then tell the next ciggie, "Thanks, but I'll pass.'*

The Quit Smoking Colouring Book is the perfect gift for that friend or loved one that just won't give up the death sticks. A funny take on a perilously unfunny situation.

Designed by up-and-coming Australian artist Aga Makowiecka. This book cover is printed on a matt stock with stunning copper-coloured metallic foil to accent the intricate illustrations.

Page Size: 234 mm x 234 mm

Extent: 84 pages

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Dating in the 21st century is *rough*

From bad pick-up lines to death threats and awkward sex-capades, *#single* is a hilarious snapshot of some of the most ridiculous real-life online dating conversations.

This book is a must read if you match *any* of the below criteria:

- You are currently online dating
- You have online dated
- You will online date in your future
- You are a smug couple
- You worry your child is a spinster/bachelor for life
- You like to laugh
- You are a Jewish mother
- You like to breathe and live and stuff

#single is based on the popular blog TinderTuesday.com with 20,000 weekly visitors and a large Instagram following of 70,000+. The top 10 countries' visitors are from, in order:

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| 1. Australia | 6. Ireland |
| 2. Canada | 7. Brazil |
| 3. United Kingdom | 8. Germany |
| 4. United States | 9. Netherlands |
| 5. New Zealand | 10. Hong Kong |

#single is designed by up-and-coming Australian artist Anthony Skujins.

Page Size: 198mm x 128mm

Extent: 168 pages

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"The perfect book to shove in the face of anyone who has ever asked 'Why are you still single?'"

– *My next door neighbour, Fran*

"Definitely giving this to all my friends who have (or, are) suffering through online dating"

– *Everyone I've ever met*

Let's ask the experts sexperts...

Sex tips for chicks by gay dudes!

Ever wondered:

- When hand jobs became uncool?
- How to give the perfect blow job?
- Where a guy should blow his load?
- What sleep chemistry is?

You are not alone.

So we went directly to the experts on everything “man-junk” to bust some myths, get some tips and learn a lot more.

Just the Tip is a funny, dirty, light-hearted yet informative book full of sex tips for women, inspired by advice from an international panel of gay men in their twenties to thirties (aka the “sexperts”).

The target audience is women 20–60 (predominantly 20–40). However, the tips have relevance for a gay audience, and also apply to a heterosexual male audience.

Featuring many tips from mild to wild, a nice take-home message from the book is that at the end of the day everything comes back to the importance of chemistry.

Nothing is off limits. This book covers a range of basic, interesting and taboo topics, including:

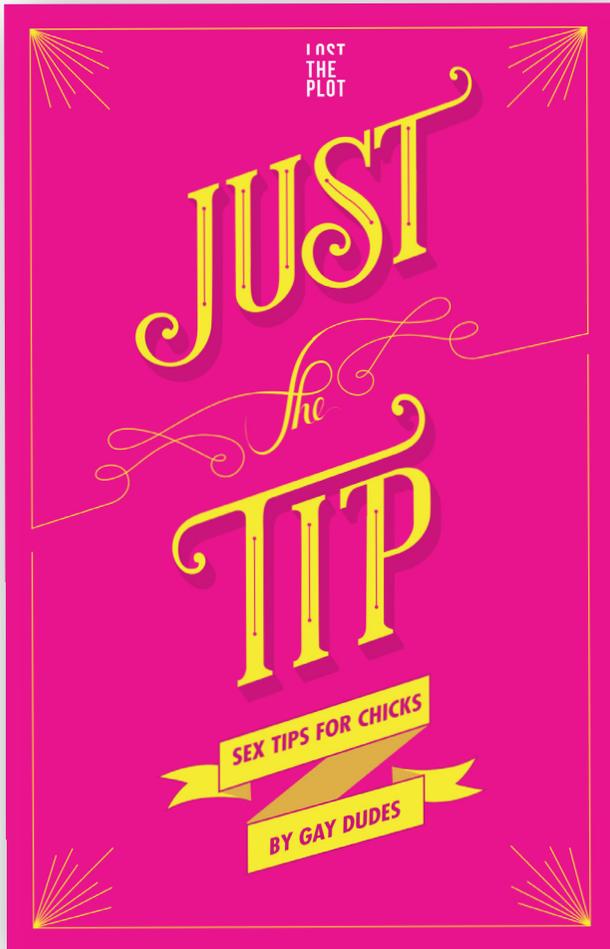
- Etiquette
- Kissing
- Spooning
- The Penis
- Hand Jobs
- Balls
- Blow Jobs
- The Perineum
- Butt Play
- Sex
- Anal Sex
- Play Time

Just the Tip is designed by up-and-coming Australian artist Aaron Barnes (Madebya).

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This must-have book is the perfect spontaneous purchase.

It is an informative read, and a truly great gift for a friend (or a hilariously cruel gift for an ex-lover).



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