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Fiction:

New Titles/Authors

- Jane Adams
- Taylor Adams
- Nancy Barone
- Veronica Black
- Kerry Buchanan
- Judi Daykin
- Victoria Dowd
- Renita D'Silva
- Helen Durrant
- Jackie Elliott
- Joy Ellis
- Lisa Hobman
- Jemma Hatt
- Holly Martin
- Carol Mason
- Nicola May

- · Rick Mofina
- Francesca Scanacapra
- Matt Stanley
- John Steele
- Josie Williams

Selected Backlist includes:

- Ingrid Alexandra
- TJ Brearton
- Ruth Dugdall
- Ker Dukey
- Janice Frost
- Charlie Gallagher
- Robert Goddard
- Michael Hambling
- Sibel Hodge
- David Hodges
- · Sophie Jackson
- Ana Johns

- Julie Lancaster
- · Roy Lewis
- Sharon Maas
- Stefan Malmström
- Faith Martin writing as Maxine Barry
- Nisha Minhas
- Dreda Say Mitchell
- Kristy Moseley
- Gretta Mulrooney
- Margaret Murphy
- · Steve Parker
- Katie Stephens
- John Sweeney
- Susie Tate
- Kerry Tombs
- Victoria Van Tiem
- D.E. White

Selected Bookouture authors:

(no new submissions, handling existing deals/renewals only):

- Mandy Baggot
- Robert Bryndza
- · Colleen, Coleman
- Jenny Hale
- Arlene Hunt
- Louise Jensen

- Anna Mansell
- Angela Marsons
- Helen Phifer
- Helen PollardKelly Rimmer
- Claire Seeber

- Rebecca Stonehill
- Fiona Valpy
- Sue Watson
- Carol Wyer

Non-Fiction:

Lars Brownworth

New Titles/Authors

- Andy Lopata
- Susie Pearl

Selected Backlist

- Hira Ali
- Rafael Badziag
- Nick Baldock/Bob Hayward
- Ralph Barker
- Bruno Bara
- E.C.R. Baker
- Elmer Bendiner
- Bonini, Delia, Sweeney
- Kasey Carlin
- Annalisa Coppolaro-Nowell

- Sally Corner
- Marcus Ferrar
- Tamsen Garrie
- Girl on the Net
- Christopher Lascelles
- Jeremy Leggett
- William Little
- Chris Merrington
- Sandro Monetti
- Marina Pearson
- Sergio Pistoi
- Gerald Posner

Patricia Posner

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- Tam Rodwell
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- Dominic Selwood
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- Monica-Maria Stapelberg
- Peter Townsend
- Justine Trueman
- Peter Wright

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CRUX PUBLISHING (UK) <u>www.cruxpublishing.co.uk</u>

LOUISE GREENBERG BOOKS (UK)

JOFFE BOOKS (UK) <u>www.joffebooks.com</u>

MIRROR BOOKS (UK) <u>www.mirrorbooks.co.uk</u> (Selected titles)

PANOMA PRESS (UK) www.panomapress.com
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LEGEND PRESS (UK) www.legendpress.co.uk

We handle English language (UK & Commonwealth and/or World English) rights for:

FICTION:

- Jennifer Armentrout/JLynn (UK & Comm: Hodder & Stoughton)
- Karen Dionne (UK & Comm: LittleBrown)
- Carrie Elks (UK/Italy; selected titles; Atlantic Books)
- Val Emmich (UK & Comm: Picador)
- Erica Ferencik (UK & Comm: Bloomsbury)
- Emily Giffin (UK & Comm: RH/Orion/Hodder & Stoughton)
- Jenny Han/Siobhan Vivian (UK & Comm; selected: Simon & Schuster)
- Helena Hunting (UK/Italy; selected titles: Orion)

- Eowyn Ivey (UK & Comm: Headline Group)
- Tanen Jones (UK & Comm: Harvill Secker/PRH)
- Susan Mihalic (UK & Comm: Welbeck Publishing; audio: WF Howes)
- Rhiannon Navin (UK & Comm: Mantle/Macmillan)
- Judy Nunn (UK; selected titles: Piatkus)
- Lara Prescott (UK & Comm: Hutchinson/PRH)
- Sheila Roberts (UK & Comm: Piatkus/Mira UK)
- Ethel Rohan (UK & Comm: Atlantic Books)
- SJ Sindu (UK & Comm: Legend Press)
- Dr Nick Trout (ANZ: Allen & Unwin)

NON-FICTION

- Matt Alt (UK/Comm: Constable/LB)
- Gabriella Bernstein (UK & Comm: Hay House)
- Michael Bess (UK & Comm: Icon Books)
- Susan Brackney (UK & Comm: Hay House)
- Gesine Bullock-Prado (UK/Comm: Allison&Busby)
- Misty Copeland (UK & Comm: LittleBrown/Sphere)
- Kent Greenfield (UK & Comm: Biteback)
- Lauren Hough (UK & Comm: Coronet/Hodder & Stoughton)
- Edward Kritzler (UK & Comm: Robson Press)
- Dr Linda Lancaster (UK & Comm: Hay House UK)
- Stephanie Land (UK & Comm: Trapeze/Orion)
- Lisa Levitt Gainsley (UK & Comm: Yellow Kite/Hodder
 & Stoughton)
- Daniel Goleman (UK & Comm)
- Diane/Bernie Lierow (UK & Comm: Penguin UK)
- Caroline Maguire (UK & Comm: Vermillion/Penguin Random House)

- Elisabetta Minervini (World: Bloomsbury)
- Alanna Mitchell (UK & Comm: Oneworld Publications)
- Angela Murrills & Peter Matthews (UK/Comm: Allison & Busby)
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- Burt Reynolds (UK & Comm: Blink Publishing)
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- Shawn Tassone (UK & Comm: Hay House)
- Diana Winston (UK & Comm: Perigee)
- Prof. Chris Winter (UK & Comm: John Murray Publishers/Hachette)
- Carol Wright (UK & Comm: Blue Guides)

FICTION

New Titles/Authors

JANE ADAMS

Over 55,400 copies of her books sold in English

Think Joy Ellis and Angela Marsons meet Bernard Cornwell and Conn Iggulden in this intriguing mix of crime and historical fiction!

BURY ME DEEP Standalone crime/thriller

Who would want to kill Charlie Higgins? Charlie was a man you'd pass on a narrow staircase and still not see. Nonetheless, someone has gone to the trouble not just of killing him, but of dumping his body in a newly excavated grave on an Anglo-Saxon dig. Stranger still was their choice of murder weapon, an antique spear, contemporary with the dig, but definitely not from the site.

DI Rozlyn Priest takes Charlie's murder personally. Charlie had been an informant of hers since Rozlyn's early days in the police force and she feels insulted by this untimely removal. As she investigates and learns more about the Charlie Higgins she didn't know, her sense of outrage deepens, as does her realisation that Charlie was poking his nose – on her behalf-into something far bigger than Rozlyn would ever have supposed possible.

Soon, Rozlyn is in as deep water as Charlie Higgins ever was and she is in danger of drowning. She has never had any truck with ghosts or even ghostly echoes and atmospheres, but strange things are certainly happening to her now.

Theadingford, 878. After being given the land by King Aelfred, Treven must find a way to dispense justice in his own rapidly changing world. A noblewoman has been killed. Could it have been her temperamental husband, or the womanizing Hugh de Vries, Treven's friend from the battlefields? Set apart by a thousand years of history, Rozlyn and Treven are facing very similar dilemmas. How will their story end?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books Publication April 2021

THE OTHER WOMAN

Standalone psychological thriller

Marcie never wanted to feel this way about her grandfather. Uneasy, resentful, afraid.

She's always been his favourite, his Bird — the helpless little thing who stole his heart at birth.

Now he is dying and Marcie can't stand to be around him.

Day and night, he raves of Rebekkah, a raven-haired beauty who never leaves his side.

She is not his wife.

She is not the mother of his children.

She is not to be silenced.

Is she a fragment of a dying man's fevered imagination? Or something more?

Marcie vows to help her grandfather pull the truth from his nightmares. But the deeper she digs the more she regrets her promise. Is she ready for the killer secret she's about to expose?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books Publication May 2021

DETECTIVE RAY FLOWERS SERIES: Mystery/thriller

THE APOTHECARY'S DAUGHTER (Book 1)

Two shattered lives. Centuries apart. Bound by a secret that could kill them both.

One February afternoon, Detective Ray Flowers' life is blown apart by a petrol bomb attack. No one can tell him who did it. Or why. Anchorless and alone, he moves to his aunt's country cottage. What he needs is perspective.

But the past isn't done with him yet. Instead, he is tormented by visions of Kitty Hallam, a troubled young woman accused of witchcraft. Back in 1643. Is she a figment of Flowers' imagination or something more? Whatever the truth, Flowers can't

help but be drawn into Kitty's world, sensing their stories are intertwined somehow. But will their unlikely connection prove to be Kitty's undoing?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (December 2020); Audio: Tantor Media

THE UNWILLING SON (Book 2)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (January 2021); Audio: Tantor Media

THE DROWNING MEN (Book 3)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (February 2021); Audio: Tantor Media

THE SISTER'S TWIN (Book 4)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (April 2021)

MERROW AND CLARKE SERIES:

Crime/thriller

SAFE (Book 1)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (June 2020)

DETECTIVE MIKE CROFT SERIES:

Psychological thriller

THE GREENWAY (Book 1)

AUGUST 1975: Cassie Maltham's life changes forever one scorching day. She and her twelve-year-old cousin Suzie take a shortcut through the Greenway, an ancient pathway steeped in Norfolk legend. Somewhere along this path Suzie simply vanishes...

TWENTY YEARS LATER: Cassie is still tormented by nightmares, parts of her memory completely erased. With her husband Fergus and friends Anna and Simon, she returns to Norfolk, determined to confront her fears and solve a mystery that won't let her rest. Then another young girl goes missing at the entrance to the Greenway, and Cassie is pushed once more into the darkest recesses of her mind. John Tynan, the retired detective who'd been in charge of Suzie's case, is still haunted by her disappearance. He offers his help to Detective Inspector Mike Croft who is leading the increasingly frantic search for the missing child. Has evil returned? And what really happened all those years ago and who can be believed? **Rights:** World English: Joffe Books (March 2019)

THE SECRETS (Book 2)

THEIR FINAL MOMENTS (Book 3)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (April 2019)

THE LIAR (Book 4)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books (November 2019)

TAYLOR ADAMS

Over 300,000 copies sold in English

For fans of Dean Koontz, Stephen King, Gregg Hurwitz, John Marrs, James Patterson

HAIRPIN BRIDGE Thriller

• #37 AUS

Three months ago, Lena Nguyen's estranged twin sister, Cambry, drove to a remote bridge sixty miles outside of Missoula, Montana, and jumped two hundred feet to her death. At least, that is the official police version.

But Lena isn't buying it.

Now she's come to that very bridge, driving her dead twin's car and armed with a cassette recorder, determined to find out what really happened by interviewing the highway patrolman who allegedly discovered her sister's body.

Corporal Raymond Raycevic has agreed to meet Lena at the scene. He is sympathetic, forthright, and professional. But his story doesn't seem to add up. For one thing, he stopped Cambry for speeding a full hour before she supposedly leapt to her death. Then there are the sixteen attempted 911 calls from her cell phone, made in what was unfortunately a dead zone. But perhaps most troubling of all, the state trooper is referred to by name in Cambry's final enigmatic text to her sister: *Please Forgive Me. I couldn't live with it. Hopefully you can, Officer Raycevic.*

Lena will do anything to uncover the truth. But as her twin's final hours come into focus, Lena's search turns into a harrowing, tooth-and-nail fight for her own survival—one that will test everything she thought she knew about her sister and herself...

<u>Rights</u>: English NA: William Morrow (in a six-figure deal); UK and Comm.: Joffe Books, Audio: Jentas; Brazil: Faro Editorial; Denmark: Jentas; Lithuania: Balto Trader; Russia: AST; Sweden: Jentas

Publication 15th June 2021

"A shot of adrenaline straight to the heart! Propulsive and unpredictable, *Hairpin Bridge* will have you on edge from the first page to the last." — <u>Riley Sager</u>, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Home Before Dark*

"Taylor Adams creates a heart-pounding masterpiece in Hairpin Bridge. From the first page to the last, this book will grab a reader's complete attention." –Mystery & Suspense Magazine

"The author of No Exit is back with another bone-chilling, pulse-pounding feat that'll leave the hair standing up on the back of your neck." –Newsweek ("21 Enticing Books to Take Along This Summer")

"Adams follows his debut, 2019's No Exit, with another dazzling thriller... Adams is a writer to watch." – Publishers Weekly (Starred Review)

"Hairpin Bridge reads like a Stephen King novel and is especially reminiscent of Misery in how the characters shape-shift as the narrative progresses, leaving the reader wondering who is more dangerous – and more importantly, which one will prevail." –<u>Bookpage</u>

"Haunting, disturbing... As layer after layer of this stunningly crafted story are peeled back, readers will be shocked by the devastating twists. No one is what they seem; what appears to be true is often false. This is a strange and powerful tale of justice, mercy, revenge, and regret, with a dramatic and unexpected ending. A must-read for genre fans and those looking for a unique, if troubling, read." —<u>Booklist</u>

NO EXIT Thriller

- Film rights in a pre-empt by 20th Century Fox (Scott Frank, producing: Minority Report, Wolverine, Get Shorty)
- NA rights sold to William Morrow in a mid-six figure deal
- #5 USA #10 hardback charts Canada #20 UK
- Over 254,500 copies sold sold in 33 territories

"What a box of tricks! This full-throttle thriller, dark and driving, rivals Agatha Christie for sheer ingenuity and James Patterson for flat-out speed. Swift, sharp, and relentless."

— A. J. Finn, #1 New York Times bestselling author of The Woman in the Window

"No Exit is everything I want in a thriller: ingeniously crafted, unapologetically relentless, and shamelessly suspenseful. The twists go off like a series of expertly planted detonations and the tension never lets up. I was blown away. No Exit is a damn good time." - Joe Hill, #1 New York Times bestselling author

Rights: English North America: William Morrow/HC USA; English UK & Commonwealth: Joffe Books; English ANZ: Booktopia; Audio: Brilliance Publishing at auction; Arabic: Noon Publishing; Azerbaijan: Teas Press; Brazil: Faro Editorial; Bulgaria: Ciela Norma; China (Traditional): Sun Color Culture; Croatia: Znanje; Czech: Euromedia Group; Denmark: Jentas; Estonia: Pegasus; Germany: Wilhelm Heyne Verlag (Verlagsgruppe Random House); Greece: Klidarithmos; Hungary: Tericum; Indonesia: Bentang Pustaka; Iran: Koolehposhti Book Publishing; Israel: Ivrit Publishing; Italy: De Agostini Planeta at auction; Japan: Hayakawa Publishing; Korea: Balgunsesang Publishing Co.; Lithuania: Balto Trader; Macedonia: Toper Dooel; Netherlands: Luitingh-Sijthoff; Poland: Otwarte at auction; Portugal: Topseller at auction; Romania: Editura Art; Russia: AST; Serbia: Vulkan; Slovakia: Ikar pre-empt; Slovenia: Ucila; Spain: Ediciones B; Sweden: Jentas; Thailand: Amarin; Turkey: Pena Publications; Ukraine: Hemiro

EYESHOT

• 35,800 copies sold Thriller

<u>Rights</u>: World English: Joffe Books; ANZ: Booktopia; Audio: Tantor Media; Bulgaria: Ciela Norma; Croatia: Znanje; Czech: Euromedia Group; Germany: Wilhelm Heyne Verlag (Verlagsgruppe Random House); Italy: De Agostini at auction;

Lithuania: Balto Trader; Netherlands: Luitingh-Sijthoff; Poland: Otwarte at auction; Portugal: Topseller at auction; Russia: AST; Serbia: Vulkan; Slovakia: Ikar pre-empt; Turkey: Pena Publications.

OUR LAST NIGHT

Over 8,400 copies sold
 Thriller/paranormal elements

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Brilliance Publishing at auction

NANCY BARONE Contemporary romance

For fans of Holly Martin, Philippa Ashley, Jenny Hale, Tilly Tennant, Mandy Baggot and Nicola May

NEW HOPE FOR THE LITTLE CORNISH FARMHOUSE

• #6 Amazon AUS #2 British Travel

• #25 Amazon UK #1 Continental Europe Travel, #2 Travel

- #58 Amazon Italy Narrativa Mashup
- Over 37,500 copies sold

Nina Conte has written three novels and lives in a rambling farmhouse on the outskirts of a beautiful Cornish seaside village with her family and German Shepherd Minnie.

Nina's life sounds great on paper. Or, more precisely, in her author bio. But, in reality, the farmhouse is crumbling, her gambling ex-husband has run away with all their money, and Nina is just about keeping their (leaking) roof over her children's heads. The only people she has to count on are her friends, Jack and Emma, the neighbours who live in the houses on either side.

But then her agent and best friend Alice gives her some life-changing news: her very first novel, Written in the Stars, has been picked up by a film producer in Hollywood. And before she knows it, she's flying her out to LA – kids in tow – to meet the producers! To Nina's surprise, Luke O'Hara, Hollywood heartthrob and dashing single dad, is head of the project and he insists on having it his way, or the entire deal goes up in smoke. He wants her to co-write the screenplay with him – and he'll move to Cornwall with his daughter to do it. All of Nina's wildest dreams have come true. But is this new life what she really wants?

'I thoroughly enjoyed this utterly lovely story. Touching, heartwarming and a joy to read' Holly Martin

Rights: World English: Aria, July 2020

NO ROOM AT THE LITTLE CORNISH INN

• #1 Amazon AUS #1 British Travel, Satire

#1 Amazon UK Travel #3 Continental Europe Travel

• Over 18,200 copies sold

Rights: World English: Aria, November 2020

DREAMS OF A LITTLE CORNISH COTTAGE

Will Natalia Amore get the new start she truly desires? Or will fate step in the way?

In her huge mansion overlooking Wyllow Cove, you'd be forgiven for thinking that Natalia Amore had everything she could possibly want. But having kicked out her adulterous ex-husband, her house is filled with nothing but echoes and Nat yearns for the cosiness and bustle of seaside living. In particular, the rundown Lavender Cottage that has gone up for sale.

But when her mother has a fall, Nat's dream of a quiet new life crumbles as she instantly brings her into her home to care for her. With her two energetic nieces then dumped on her doorstep and her recently heartbroken daughter moving back into the nest, Nat can't possibly abandon her family... Lavender cottage will just have to wait. That is until Irishman Connor enters Nat's life and makes her realise that it's okay to put herself first, and she's allowed to wish for more.

Rights: World English: Aria, 1st July 2021

VERONICA BLACK

Over 21,300 copies sold in English

Perfect for fans of Black Narcissus, Daphne du Maurier, Margaret Frazer, Ellis Peters and Cora Harrison

A VOW OF SILENCE (Book 1)

#71 Amazon AUS

#94 Amazon UK

1988. Order of the Daughters of Compassion, Bodmin, Cornwall.

The sisters at a lonely Cornish convent share a chilling secret they cannot confess... Sister Sophia is dead.

One nun is dead.

Another disappears.

And a mysterious last letter from a dying nun is sent to the prioress.

Sister Joan has faced her own demons. Now she is sent to the convent to investigate, as well as teach the local children. What's going on with the nuns? There are whispers of virgin sacrifice and suicide, and the mother prioress certainly wears pink nail varnish. And who is the young man hiding in the bracken?

Meet Sister Joan, a rebel nun who vows to find out the truth.

Publication January 2021

A VOW OF CHASTITY (Book 2)

A VOW OF SANCTITY (Book 3)

A VOW OF OBEDIENCE (Book 4)

A VOW OF PENANCE (Book 5)

A VOW OF DEVOTION (Book 6)

A VOW OF FIDELITY (Book 7)

A VOW OF ADORATION (Book 8)

Publication January 2021

Publication March 2021

Publication February 2021

Publication April 2021

Publication May 2021

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: W.F. Howes

A VOW OF POVERTY (Book 9)

A VOW OF COMPASSION (Book 10)

A VOW OF EVIL (Book 11)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

Publication May 2021

KERRY BUCHANAN

Fans of Lynda La Plante, Tana French, Patricia Gibney, Brian McGilloway and Helen Durrant will devour this electrifying crime series by one of Northern Ireland's newest talents.

DETECTIVE HARVEY & BIRCH SERIES:

Crime/thriller

KNIFE EDGE (Book 1)

Nic always hated clubbing.

She only went out that night because she'd promised a friend. She wakes up, naked and bound in an abandoned cottage in the middle of nowhere. Dappled light comes in through a dirty window. Her body is covered in cuts. Across the room her friend groans in pain.

A shadow passes the window. He's back.

He picks up a knife. He begins to cut her friend. In that moment of bloody frenzy, Nic wrenches free and runs. She's finally safe. But this is only just the beginning. Detectives Asha Harvey and Aaron Birch arrive at the scene hours later. There is no body, there is no sign of the killer. It's as if it never happened. You think you know how it ends? Think again.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, April 2021

SMALL BONES (Book 2)

• #22 Amazon AUS #1 Hot New Releases in Women's Detective Fiction

#85 Amazon UK
 #2 Serial Killer Thrillers
 #5 Crime Thrillers, Murder Thrillers

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, 3rd June 2021

JUDI DAYKIN

Longlisted for the CWA John Creasey New Blood Dagger 2021 award Over 12,900 copies sold in English

Perfect for fans of Joy Ellis, JM Dalgliesh or Angela Marsons, this explosive debut will have you turning the pages till the stunning end

Detective SARA HIRST series:

Crime/thriller

UNDER VIOLENT SKIES (Book 1)

#55 Amazon Australia #92 Amazon UK Over 9,500 copies sold

Detective Sara Hirst has moved from London to Norfolk Police's Serious Crimes Unit. She wants to know the truth about her father, who has connections to the area. Her mother won't tell her the real story.

A new job. A new place. Same old problems.

Sara's first call-out is to a decomposing body discovered in a ditch on a local farm. How does the murder relate to a recent spate of thefts? Who wanted the victim dead?

Paperback 318 pages

Then the case grows very personal...

Publication September 2020

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Tantor Media

INTO DEADLY STORMS (Book 2)

#28 Amazon Australia #69 Amazon UK

Publication March 2021 Paperback 302 pages

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Tantor Media

VICTORIA DOWD

For fans of Josephine Tey, Agatha Christie, Dorothy L. Sayers, Susan Hill, Faith Martin and Lucy Foley

THE SMART WOMAN SERIES: Cosy crime thriller/mystery

THE SMART WOMAN'S GUIDE TO MURDER (Book 1)

Fiction Winner of the People's Book Prize 2020/2021

A faded country house in the middle of nowhere. The guests are snowed in. The murders begin.

Withering and waspish, Ursula Smart (not her real name) gate-crashes her mother's book club at an isolated country house for a long weekend retreat. Much to Mother's chagrin. Joining them are Mother's best friend, Mirabelle, Aunts Charlotte and Less, and Bridget with her dog Mr Bojangles. It doesn't matter that they've read Gone Girl three times this year already, this retreat is their chance to escape bustling suburbia. But someone has other ideas.

A body is found in the grounds. Is a lone killer hunting them? Or has one of their own group embarked on a killing spree? What they need is to stop sniping at each other long enough to solve the mystery before the killer strikes again. What they need is a guide to survive.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, May 2020; Audio: Tantor Media; Estonia: Eesti Raamat; Sweden: Lind & co

BODY ON THE ISLAND (Book 2)

#80 Amazon Australia #85 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, February 2021; Audio: Tantor Media; Estonia: Eesti Raamat; Sweden: Lind & co

UNTITLED BOOK 3

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, October 2021; Audio: Tantor Media

RENITA D'SILVA Women's fiction/historical

Over 241,000 copies of her titles sold in English

Renita combines the great tradition of Indian fiction with the emotional story-telling of authors like Jodi Picoult, Diane Chamberlain. If you enjoy Kathryn Hughes, Dinah Jefferies, Lucinda Riley, Santa Montefiore and Kristin Hannah

THE WAR CHILD

Orphan Clara Knight is haunted by the memory of her house being bombed during the First World War – she was miraculously pulled from the rubble, finding herself all alone in a dark world. In the years that followed, she struggled to rebuild her life, desperately scarred by her childhood, finding solace in nursing and helping others. When a tragically injured soldier arrives from Europe, hospital staff are fearful and will not touch him. But Clara grew up listening to her father's memories of his time in India and offers to nurse him back to health. Day and night she cares for Anand Goel alone, and as they begin to share stories of each other's lives, she starts to fall for him.

London, 1940. As war returns in earnest, Clara realises she is pregnant and the new life growing inside her provides a glimmer of hope. When her son is born, Clara sees her mother at last in his deep brown eyes. But as bombs begin to fall on the city, she cannot let history repeat itself. To save her son, can Clara let him go? And will she ever find him again in this world on fire?

<u>Rights</u>: World English: Bookouture, August 2021, Audio: Bolinda.

THE ORPHAN'S GIFT

• #1 Historical Asian Fiction Amazon UK

She allows herself to kiss her perfect child just once. She wraps the baby in her last gift: a hand-knitted cardigan, embroidered with a water lily pattern. 'You're better off without me,' she whispers and although every step breaks her heart, she walks away.

A stunning and heart-breaking novel about how a forbidden love can echo through the generations.

Rights: World English: Bookouture, April 2020, Audio: Bolinda.

THE GIRL IN THE PAINTING Over 13,400 copies sold

Before she goes, there's something she must do. She fingers the letter in her pocket. She thinks of the painting that was created beside the stream. A painting of a girl, with sadness in her eyes.

Rights: World English: Bookouture, April 2019; Audio: Bolinda; Macedonia: Kultura Publishing House; Norway: Strawberry

BENEATH AN INDIAN SKY 23,600 copies sold

In colonial India a young woman finds herself faced with an impossible choice, the consequences of which will echo through the generations...

Rights: World English: Bookouture, March 2018; Bulgaria: SBB Media; Russia: Hemiro

A DAUGHTER'S COURAGE 14,600 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bookouture, May 2017; Bulgaria: SBB Media; Norwegian: Cappelen Damm

THE STOLEN GIRL Over 21,700 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bookouture; Bulgaria: SBB Media

THE FORGOTTEN DAUGHTER Over 53,300 copies sold Top 50 Amazon UK

• Top 100 Amazon US and Canada #1 Amazon UK Women's Literary Fiction **Rights:** World English: Bookouture, excluding India (English); Audio: Tantor Media

MONSOON MEMORIES Over 21,000 copies sold

Rights: World English: Bookouture; excluding India (English): Harlequin MIRA (Top 10)

HELEN DURRANT Crime/Thriller

Over 1,265,800 copies sold of her books in English!

For fans of Rachel Abbott, Angela Marsons, Joy Ellis, Patricia Gibney, LJ Ross and Robert Bryndza

LENNOX & WILDE SERIES:

Book 1: THE GUILTY MAN

• **#2** Amazon Australia

- #24 Amazon UK
- Over 17,100 copies sold

A little girl, presumed dead, turns up playing happily in the park. She is barefoot but otherwise unharmed. The child's mother, who lives on a notorious local estate, doesn't seem bothered that her daughter has returned alive. Meanwhile, a man is tortured by a ruthless criminal. The victim's severed hand is left on his wife's doorstep.

Detective Harry Lennox and DI Jess Wilde investigate. How do the cases connect and who is using threats to drive people out of their homes? Harry Lennox is battling his own demons, trying to bury a secret from his past with alcohol. He stays in a rundown campervan on a friend's driveway. Jess wants to know why he's living like this, but he refuses to tell her anything. What's he hiding? A mystery full of stunning twists which you won't want to put down. Will Harry's past tear the detectives apart?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, October 2020; Audio: Bolinda

Book 2: THE FACELESS MAN

• #17 Amazon Australia

• #25 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, February 2021; Audio: Bolinda

UNTITLED BOOK 3

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Bolinda

RACHEL KING SERIES:

Book 1: NEXT VICTIM

• Over 79,100 sales #1 Amazon Australia #7 Amazon UK

Book 2: TWO VICTIMS

Over **36.100** sales #16 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Audible; Czech Republic: Moba; Hungary: Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima

(IPC Konyvek)

Book 3: WRONG VICTIM

Over 34,600 sales #22 Amazon UK #22 Amazon Australia

Book 4: FORGOTTEN VICTIM

Over **116,950** sales **#16** Amazon UK **#21** Amazon Australia **#34** Audible UK **Rights**: World English: Joffe Books, 29th December 2020; Audio: Audible, 28th Aug 2020 (Audible Original)

DI MATT BRINDLE SERIES:

Book 1: HIS THIRD VICTIM

Over 45.700 sales #19 Amazon UK

Book 2: THE OTHER VICTIM

• Over 50,100 sales # 20 Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, August 2018; World English Audio: Audible; Russia: Eksmo

THE CALLADINE & BAYLISS SERIES:

Book 1: DEAD WRONG Over 122,250 sales UK #2

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible; Italian: Newton & Compton; German: Amazon Crossing; Russia:

Eksmo

Book 2: DEAD SILENT Over 94,300 sales UK #6

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English; Audio: Audible; Italian: Newton & Compton

Book 3: DEAD LIST Over 78,600 sales UK #19

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Audible; Italian: Newton & Compton

Book 4: DEAD LOST Over 79,850 sales UK #13
Book 5: DEAD & BURIED Over 64,500 sales UK #19
Book 6: DEAD NASTY Over 64,750 sales UK #17
Book 7: DEAD JEALOUS Over 63,000 sales UK #14

Book 8: DEAD BAD Over 59,850 sales UK #5
Book 9: DEAD GUILTY Over 48,950 sales UK #11

Book 10: DEAD WICKED Over 16,900 sales UK #33 AUS #53

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Audible

Book 11: DEAD SORRY UK #23, #1 English Crime AUS #7

Twenty-five years ago, a schoolgirl was attacked. Ambushed by three bullies at her home where she lived alone with her granny. Now, the mother of one of those bullies is found murdered on the Hobfield housing estate. Written on the wall in the victim's blood is the word "sorry".

Detective Tom Calladine and his partner DS Ruth Bayliss discover a link to some bones found at an old house up in the hills. It was the home of the teenage girl who was attacked. The detectives have more than this puzzling case on their hands. Arch-villain Lazarov is threatening Calladine's granddaughter, and a valuable hoard of Celtic gold is coming to a local museum. The pressure is on, and this time Calladine is cracking . . .

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, June 2021

THE DCI GRECO SERIES:

Book 1: DARK MURDER

• Over 73,200 sales UK #17 Published: November 2015, 229 pages

Book 2: DARK HOUSES Over 54,800 sales UK #35
Book 3: DARK TRADE Over 42,300 sales UK #2
Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: WF Howes

Book 4: DARK ANGEL Over 34,500 sales

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

JACKIE ELLIOTT

THE COFFIN COVE SERIES:

Cosy crime thriller/mystery

For fans of Murder, She Wrote, Joy Ellis, L.J. Ross, Peter Robinson, Louise Penny and Shari Lapena

COFFIN COVE (book 1)

#47 Amazon Australia

A new life.

A new town.

A dead body.

Andrea "Andi" Silvers needs a fresh start. Once a star reporter, she's been dumped by her lover and by the paper they both worked at.

Andi moves to the tiny fishing village of Coffin Cove, on the Vancouver coast, where she lands a job at the local Gazette. Expecting bake sales and unpaid parking tickets to be the biggest news items, she quickly discovers the small town holds dark secrets. Two sea lions wash up on the shore. They've been shot dead. Activists point the finger at local fishermen. Then things get far worse... A dead body turns up.

How does it all relate to a fifteen-year-old girl's tragic death twenty years ago? The girl was found drowned with her arms and legs tied together. The deeper Andi digs, the more dirt she finds.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, April 2021

HELL'S HALF ACRE (book 2)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, May 2021

Originally from the UK, **Jackie Elliott** has made her home on Vancouver Island, Canada since 2004. In her experience, small coastal towns 'with a heart' have claws and teeth as well and that makes the perfect back drop for a good murder!

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• Over 80,900 audiobooks sold #14 on Amazon Top 20 Most Sold Fiction books

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Arabic: Dar Oktob; Audio: Audible; Czech: Euromedia; German: Piper; Swedish: Lind

& Co.

THEIR LOST DAUGHTERS (book 2)

• 213,000 copies sold #1 Amazon UK #1 Audible UK

• Over 175.500 audiobooks sold #3 Amazon US

• Shortlisted Best Audiobook of the Year British Book Awards 2019: narrated by Richard Armitage

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible; Czech: Euromedia; German: Piper; Swedish: Lind & Co.

THE FOURTH FRIEND (book 3)

• #1 Amazon UK for 15 days #1 Amazon Australia #20 Amazon US

Over 170,600 copies sold
 Over 46,700 audiobooks sold

<u>Rights:</u> World English: Joffe Books, August 2017; World English Audio: Audible at auction; Czech: Euromedia; German:

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THE GUILTY ONES (book 4)

• #1 Amazon UK Over 142,900 copies sold Over 40,300 audiobooks sold

<u>Rights:</u> World English: Joffe Books, March 2018; World English Audio: Audible UK in a five-figure deal at auction; German:

Piper; Turkey: Parola

THE STOLEN BOYS (book 5) Over 91,800 copies sold Over 28,300 audiobooks sold #1 AUS #3 Amazon UK



THE PATIENT MAN (book 6) Audible Original

Shortlisted for British Book Awards Crime & Thriller Book of the Year 2020

Over 38,200 copies sold
 Over 27,200 audiobooks sold

#1 Audible UK Crime and Thrillers
 #4 Audible UK

#5 Amazon Kindle UK
 #9 Amazon Kindle Australia

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, June 2020; Audio: Audible, February 2020

THEY DISAPPEARED (book 7) Audible Original

• Over 30,600 copies sold

Over 20,800 audiobooks sold

#11 Amazon Kindle UK
 #15 Amazon Kindle Australia

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, November 2020; Audio: Audible, July 2020

THE NIGHT THIEF (book 8) Audible Original

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, October 2021; Audio: Audible, August 2021

UNTITLED BOOK 9 Audible Original

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible

THE MATT BALLARD SERIES: BEWARE THE PAST (book 1)

#1 Amazon UK
Over 268,950 copies sold
Amazon US
Over 18,300 audiobooks sold

Can you trust a killer to help stop a killer?

Detective Matt Ballard's last case might be the one that finally breaks him. Grace Repton, a beautiful older woman, walks into the police station to tell Matt she has information that could stop a murder. Her fiancé, the infamous serial killer Jeremy Reader, has told her that he has a disciple who is going to kill using Reader's horrific methods. Reader murdered five women and was finally brought to justice by Detective Ballard. Reader is safely imprisoned in a high security prison, and claiming to be a reformed man who wants to help the police. But can Matt believe the serial killer or his peculiar wife to be? Can the love of a good woman really change a serial killer? And the Fenland police also have another investigation on their hands. A Lithuanian migrant worker is found dead on the fens. There is no ID on him, but he has a Tree of Life tattoo. The third body to be found with this distinctive tattoo. Is this gang war or something even more sinister? The police are stretched to breaking point with multiple copycat murders. And Matt and his girlfriend Liz will fight for everything they care about in a heart-stopping conclusion that will have you on the edge of your seat.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, December 2017, 369 pages; Audio: Tantor Media; Croatia: Sonatina; Estonia:

Pegasus; Hungary: Alexandra Kiado; Russia: Eksmo

FIVE BLOODY HEARTS (book 2)

#1 Amazon AU
Over 77,600 copies sold
#3 Amazon UK
Over 8,200 audiobooks sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, 2019; Audio: Tantor Media; Estonia: Pegasus; Hungary: Alexandra Kiado

THE DYING LIGHT (book 3)

#11 Amazon AU #13 Amazon UK Over 29,200 copies sold since publication in July 2020

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Tantor Media

MARSHLIGHT (book 4)

Amazon UK Top 100 already on pre-orders

Matt and Liz may have retired from the police, but that doesn't mean a guiet life.

An old friend's sister disappears without a trace. There's no sign of foul play, but she'd been acting very peculiarly . . .

Meanwhile, Liz's cousin Christie comes to stay. She takes an immediate — and uncharacteristic — dislike to the local bookshop owner, Gina. Why does everyone put up with her awful behaviour?

Hunting will-o'-the-wisps on the marshes can be a very dangerous hobby.

Christie is convinced that Gina is manipulating everyone around her. Is she onto something dangerous or just pushing her new friends away?

No one believes her suspicions until another friend goes missing late at night on the misty Fen marshes.

Can Matt and Liz uncover the truth in time to save lives?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, 8th July 2021

THE NIKKI GALENA SERIES:

CRIME ON THE FENS (book 1) Over **157,800** copies sold #5 on Amazon UK **Over 33,600** audiobooks sold **Rights**: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor; Arabic: Noon Publishing; Italian: Newton & Compton **SHADOW OVER THE FENS** (book 2) Over **123,400** sales #8 on Amazon UK **Over 15,700** audiobooks sold **Rights**: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor; Italian: Newton & Compton 15

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Over 50,400 copies sold Over 11,000 audiobooks sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor

SECRETS ON THE FENS (book 12) #1 on Amazon UK #1 on Amazon AUS

Over 46,200 copies sold since publication on 18th February 2021

One moonlit night, the bodies of two young people are discovered lying entwined on a blanket in the woods. The young man is clutching a red rose. It appears to be a lovers' suicide pact . . .

Until Detective Nikki Galena and DS Joseph Easter look more closely. Romeo and Juliet, as they decide to call them, were murdered somewhere else and brought to the woods. But why?

Then another young couple are found dead, again beautifully posed as lovers. And Nikki knows they have a twisted serial killer on their hands. Who are the next victims?

Everyone has secrets. But some people will kill to keep them. **Rights**: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor

GUIDE STAR

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; World English Audio: Tantor stand alone

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THE ADVENTURERS SERIES

Children's books

THE ADVENTURERS AND THE CURSED CASTLE (Book 1)

- Chosen by young readers as the Gold Award winner of the 2019 Wishing Shelf Book Awards for ages 9-12
- Winner of the 2020 Children's Selfies Award
- #1 Amazon AUS Mysteries & Detective Stories for Children
- #3 Amazon UK Children's Mystery & Detective Adventure
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A mysterious curse has stricken Kexley Castle for generations ever since Egyptian treasure was transported to Cornwall by a 19th Century explorer. Can four young adventurers reveal the secrets that have been hidden for over a hundred years? Join Lara, Rufus, Tom and Barney in their first exciting adventure together as they unravel the mystery and race to find Captain Jack Kexley's hiding place. To succeed, they must discover and solve a series of clues left by their ancestor, ahead of two unwelcome visitors from the British Museum who are determined to get there first.

Publication January 2019 196 pages

Rights: Estonia: Eesti Raamat; Finland: Kumma

THE ADVENTURERS AND THE TEMPLE OF TREASURE (Book 2)

Publication June 2019 192 pages

Rights: Estonia: Eesti Raamat; Finland: Kumma

THE ADVENTURERS AND THE CITY OF SECRETS (Book 3)

- #1 Amazon UK Children's Mystery & Detective Adventure
- #1 Kobo Canada Kids Mysteries and Detective Stories

- #2 Amazon AUS Children's Mystery & Spy Stories, Mystery & Detective Stories for Children
- #5 Amazon US Children's Mystery & Detective Adventure
- #5 Amazon CA Children's Mystery & Espionage
- Shortlisted for the 2021 Children's Selfies Award

Two master criminals are on the run with ancient treasure, using London's web of hidden trails and passages to conceal their loot. The Adventurers must track them down using their wits, Uncle Logan... and a stolen red bus.

Join Lara, Rufus, Tom, Daisy and Barney as they race to uncover the City of Secrets!

Publication April 2020 194 pages

THE ADVENTURERS AND THE CONTINENTAL CHASE (Book 4)

• #1 Amazon UK Children's Mystery & Detective Adventure

A kidnap in Paris... a chase across Europe... one epic road trip.

The Adventurers are on holiday when Maye warns of suspicious activity in Paris. Join them as they race from the French Alps to the ancient ruins of Rome on the trail of a dangerous gang with a legacy of secrets.

Publication November 2020

THE ADVENTURERS AND THE JUNGLE OF JEOPARDY (Book 5)

A TV show has turned into a dangerous game... can six young challengers succeed against the odds?

Join Lara, Rufus and the gang on their most perilous adventure yet. Travelling across the Costa Rican rainforest, they must stay ahead of menacing TV executives and elite adventuring teams from around the world. The race is on to discover Teo's treasure, but the jungle has obstacles to overcome!

Publication 12th August 2021

Text available mid July

LISA HOBMAN

For readers of Nicola May, Mandy Baggot, Sarah Morgan, Shari Low, Holly Martin, Josie Silver, Sue Moorcroft, Miranda Dickinson

UNDER A SICILIAN SKY

Romance standalone

Global box office sensation, Ruby Locke, is a long way from her Yorkshire roots. Together with her fiancé, movie heartthrob Tyler Harrison, they are Hollywood's new glitterati.

Overnight, however, Ruby's life implodes when her social media accounts are hacked with a multitude of vile posts, turning her into an international pariah. Even Tyler breaks off their engagement.

Confused and heartbroken, Ruby escapes to the beautiful island of Sicily to avoid the media scrutiny and clear her name. With only a Yorkshire Terrier to comfort her, Ruby is befriended by a handsome neighbour and slowly begins to heal. But who is this mysterious man and what are his intentions? When her Sicilian hideaway is compromised, Ruby is once again forced to relocate, this time to the stunning Isle of Skye. In the tranquil cove of Glentorrin, Ruby is left questioning not only who wants to destroy her career, and why but also if celebrity lifestyle is really for her...

Rights: World English: Boldwood Books Publication 8th July 2021

DREAMING UNDER AN ISLAND SKYE

Romance standalone

- #13 Amazon UK #1 Women's Fiction, #2 Contemporary Fiction
- Over 1,000 4.5 out of 5 stars average rating customer reviews
- #23 Amazon Canada #1 Romantic Comedy, Contemporary Women's Fiction
- Over 18,000 copies sold

Is there really such a thing as a second shot at true love?

After three wonderful years of marriage, librarian Juliette Fairhurst's heart is shattered when her husband, Laurie, is taken from her much too soon.

Devasted, Juliette decides to take a sabbatical and reconnect with her mother's birthplace, the village of Glentorrin on the picturesque Isle of Skye.

Welcomed by most of the villagers, Juliette throws herself into an idyllic community life, taking on the role of temporary summer guardian at The Lifeboat House Museum.

During her time on the island, Juliette clashes with brooding single dad and artist, Reid Mackinnon and is befriended by his son Evin and dog Chewie. It's clear that divorced Reid is struggling and scarred by his own painful experiences.

Can these two lost souls find a lifeline to rescue each other?

Or will their pasts scupper their second chance at real happiness?

Rights: World English: Boldwood Books Publication 23th February 2021

THROUGH THE GLASS THE STAR ATTRACTION

Rights: World English: Boldwood Books

Other titles by Lisa published by Head of Zeus/Aria (translation rights available) include:

A SEASIDE ESCAPE

Published 2017

All work and no love can make for a dull life. But cupid's arrow has a habit of striking when you least expect it... A heartwarming, feel-good romance to curl up with. Perfect for the fans of Marian Keyes and Veronica Henry.

Mallory Westerman is the successful proprietor of Le Petit Cadeau, a gift shop extraordinaire in thriving Leeds.

Concentrating solely on her business, she has almost given up on finding someone to love. That is until she literally falls into the arms of a handsome, intriguing stranger who becomes her Knight in shining armour.

The whirlwind romance that ensues changes her life-path irrevocably. However, the road to true love is never smooth and things don't always turn out how you expect...

WHAT BECOMES OF THE BROKEN HEARTED

A YEAR OF FINDING HAPPINESS

A SUMMER OF NEW BEGINNINGS

Published 2018

Published 2019

HOLLY MARTIN

For fans of Sophie Kinsella, Jill Mansell, Sarah Morgan, Lindsey Kelk, Katie Fforde and Mandy Baggot

Over 1.3 million copies sold in English!

SUNRISE OVER SAPPHIRE BAY (Book 1)

Romance

Part of a series set in Jewel Island, but can be read as a standalone

• Over 56,300 copies sold

#17 Amazon Kindle UK

Aria Philips has lived on Jewel Island all of her life. Even when her sisters Clover and Skye left its stunning shores for bigger and better things, Aria stayed to help her father run their family hotel.

A year after her father's death Aria's done everything she can to keep things afloat but the hotel has long been struggling to make a profit. With so few guests Aria risks losing the only home she's ever had.

Noah Campbell earned his fortune from making hotels a success, and he also just happens to be staying on Jewel Island this summer. Could he be the answer to Aria's problems? If only he hadn't kissed her under the willow tree the year before and never called her again. It had been the most incredible kiss of her life, but clearly business and pleasure should never be mixed. As gorgeous and charming as Noah may be, Aria vows to keep things professional while she seeks his help. But for the past year Noah has been keeping a secret and his return to Jewel Island is about to change Aria's life forever...

Rights: Bulgaria: ERA; Czech Republic: Moba; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

AUTUMN SKIES OVER RUBY FALLS (Book 2)

Set in Jewel Island, but can be read as a standalone

• Over 33,900 copies sold

#20 Amazon Kindle UK

Publication September 2020

Rights: Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

ICE CREAMS AT EMERALD COVE (Book 3)

Publication March 2021

Set in Jewel Island, but can be read as a standalone

- #17 Amazon Kindle UK
- Over 26,700 copies sold

Rights: Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

SUNLIGHT OVER CRYSTAL SANDS (Book 4)

Set in Jewel Island, but can be read as a standalone

- #24 Amazon Kindle UK #1 Holiday Fiction, #2 Romantic Comedy
- Almost 7,000 copies sold since publication on 16th June 2021

Skye Philips and Jesse Hamilton have a complicated relationship. They've been neighbours, best friends and even briefly married. But ever since Skye returned to the beautiful shores of Jewel Island to help her sisters Aria and Clover run their family hotel, she doesn't know where she stands with Jesse.

When they're together the chemistry between them sizzles, but with Jesse living in Canada and Skye on the Cornish island she calls home, they've kept things casual. Till now...

Jesse is coming to Jewel Island for the annual Pudding Parade and Skye knows this is her chance to tell him how she really feels. But putting her heart on the line isn't easy when it's been broken in the past. Will Jesse return her love? Or will she lose him for good? Everything she's ever wanted can be hers if she's willing to take the chance, but is Skye brave enough to risk her heart once again?

Rights: Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

MISTLETOE AT MOONSTONE LAKE (Book 5)

Publication Autumn 2021

Set in Jewel Island, but can be read as a standalone

Rights: Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

THE LITTLE VILLAGE OF HAPPINESS (Book 1)

Standalone, but features the same setting as in The Gift of Happiness

• #9 Amazon Kindle UK Over 63.900 sales

Publication July 2019

Rights: Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning; Russia: Exmo

THE GIFT OF HAPPINESS (Book 2)

Standalone, but features the same setting as in The Little Village of Happiness

• #15 Amazon Kindle UK **#1** Romantic Comedy Amazon UK Over 62,100 sales

Publication October 2019

Rights: Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

THE SUMMER OF CHASING DREAMS (standalone) #29 Amazon Kindle UK

Over 64,600 copies sold

Publication March 2019

Rights: Bulgaria: ERA; Estonia: Pegasus; Hungary: Tericum; Russia: Exmo

WHITE CLIFF BAY SERIES:

CHRISTMAS AT LILAC COTTAGE (Book 1)

#3 Amazon Kindle UK #10 Amazon UK Over 150,000 copies sold

Publication September 2015

Rights: UK & Commonwealth English pb: Zaffre: ebook: Bookouture; Germany: AmazonCrossing; Italy: Leone Editore

SNOWFLAKES ON SILVER COVE (Book 2)

Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture; Germany: AmazonCrossing

SUMMER AT ROSE ISLAND (Book 3)

Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: pb Zaffre; ebook: Bookouture; Italy: Leone Editore

FAIRYTALE BEGINNINGS Standalone Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture; Italy: Leone Editore

JUNIPER ISLAND SERIES:

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Publication September 2016 Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: pb Zaffre; ebook: Bookouture; Bulgaria: ERA

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SPRING AT BLUEBERRY BAY (Book 1)

Publication April 2017 Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture

SUMMER AT BUTTERCUP BEACH (Book 2)

Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture, paperback: Sphere

CHRISTMAS AT MISTLETOE COVE (Book 3)

Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture, paperback: Sphere; Italy: Leone Editore

SANDCASTLE BAY SERIES:

THE HOLIDAY COTTAGE BY THE SEA #3 Amazon Kindle Germany

Publication Apr 2018 Rights: UK & Comm English: Bookouture, paperback: Sphere; Germany: AmazonCrossing

THE COTTAGE ON SUNSHINE BEACH

Publication June 2018 Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture, Germany: AmazonCrossing

COMING HOME TO MAPLE COTTAGE

Rights: UK & Commonwealth English: Bookouture, paperback: Sphere; Germany: AmazonCrossing

CAROL MASON

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Is her new husband really who she thinks he is?

When young doctor Lauren Matheson meets Joe, an older divorced businessman, at a glittering poolside in California, it's a chance encounter that seems life-changing for them both. Back home in London, their feelings only strengthen. But Lauren soon discovers that building a happy future with Joe is going to be an uphill struggle...

She's determined to be a good stepmother to his children, four-year-old Toby and complicated teen Grace. But under the watchful eye of Meredith, Joe's intimidating ex-wife, Lauren can't seem to do a thing right. Why won't Joe ever take her side against Grace? And what really happened between him and Meredith?

As her husband retreats into a cold, secretive version of the dashing man she met in California, Lauren starts to wonder if she's made a costly mistake. Was Joe ever the man she thought she married?

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing) in a six figure deal; Audio: Brilliance Publishing

LITTLE WHITE SECRETS

Psychological suspense/Women's fiction

- #1 Amazon US in Women's Fiction
- #3 Amazon UK Almost 4,000 4.5 out of 5 stars average rating customer reviews
- #3 Amazon AUS
- #7 Amazon US
- Over 65,900 copies sold

A daughter pushing the limits. A marriage ready to crack. A secret that can break them.

For Emily Rossi, life may not be perfect, but it's pretty close. She has a great career, a house in the country, a solid marriage to Eric and two wonderful children—tennis superstar Daniel and quiet, sensitive Zara. But when her fourteen-year-old daughter brings home a toxic new best friend, Emily's seemingly perfect family starts to spiral out of control.

Suddenly Zara is staying out late, taking drugs and keeping bad company. And just when Emily needs Eric to be an involved father, he seems too wrapped up with his job in London to care. What's more, he's started drinking again.

When a dark secret from the past emerges, Emily's life is turned upside down. Struggling to protect the people she loves, can she save her damaged family? Doing so may mean keeping a secret of her own...

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing); Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Farsi: Koolehposhti Book Publishing

THE SHADOW BETWEEN US

Women's fiction

- #16 Amazon AUS
- Over 31,400 copies sold

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing) March 2019

THE LAST TIME WE MET

• Over 42,300 copies sold

Rights: World English: Lake Union (Amazon Publishing), October 2018; Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Czech: Euromedia

Group; Slovak: Fortuna Libri

AFTER YOU LEFT

Psychological suspense/ romance

- Over 337,000 copies sold
- #1 Amazon UK
- #1 Amazon Australia
- #3 Amazon US

• #9 Amazon Canada

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Part domestic thriller, part gripping romance, for anyone who loved THE NOTEBOOK, THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY and for fans of Dorothy Koomson, Nicholas Sparks, Lucie Whitehouse, Lisa Jewell and Liane Moriarty.

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THE SECRETS OF MARRIED WOMEN

Over 122,300 copies sold

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Falling in love is easy. Staying in love is harder.

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Over 800,000 copies sold in English!

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THE FERRY LANE MARKET SERIES:

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WELCOME TO FERRY LANE MARKET (Book 1)

Although thirty-three-year-old Kara Moon loves her hometown of Hartmouth in Cornwall, she has always wondered if she should have followed her dream of going off to study floristry. But she couldn't bring herself to abandon her emotionally delicate single father, and has worked on Ferry Lane Market's flower stall ever since leaving school.

When her good-for-nothing boyfriend cheats on her and steals her life savings, she finally dumps him and rents out her spare room as an Airbnb. Gossip flies around the town as Kara welcomes a series of foreign guests to her flat overlooking the estuary.

Then an anonymous postcard arrives, along with a plane ticket to New York. And there begins the first of three trips of a lifetime, during which she will learn important lessons about herself, her life and what she wants from it - and perhaps find love along the way.

Rights: World English: Hodder & Stoughton, 22nd July 2021; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

STARRY SKIES IN FERRY LANE MARKET (Book 2)

Rights: World English: Hodder & Stoughton, November 2021; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

UNTITLED BOOK 3

Rights: World English: Hodder & Stoughton; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

THE COCKLEBERRY SERIES:

Contemporary romance

#2 most sold ebook in the UK in 2019!

UK #1 Kindle bestseller for over 1 month

THE CORNER SHOP IN COCKLEBERRY BAY (Book 1)

- #2 most sold ebook in the UK 2019. #7 in 2020
- #1 Amazon Kindle UK for over a month
- #1 Amazon RomCom for two months
- #3 Most Sold Fiction book 2019 Amazon charts
- Sold in 14 languages

- Over 300,000 copies sold
- Over 7,000 4.5 out of 5 stars average rating customer reviews

<u>Rights</u>: Audio: WF Howes; Print rights: Lightning Books, February 2019; Croatia: V.B.Z.; Czech Republic: Albatros Media; Denmark: Alpha (Bonnier Books); Estonia: Pegasus Publishers; Finland: Minerva Kustannus; Germany: AmazonCrossing; Hungary: Pioneer Books (Alexandra); Italy: Newton Compton; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning; Russia: AST; Slovenia: DESK; Spain: Algaida (Grupo Anaya); Sweden: Nona; Turkey: Orman Kitap

MEET ME IN COCKLEBERRY BAY (Book 2)

Over 102,500 copies sold 2,531 4.5 out of 5 stars average rating customer reviews

• #10 Amazon Kindle UK #2 in Holiday Fiction

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Over 58,500 copies sold #12 Amazon Kindle UK 1574 4.5 out of 5 stars rating customer reviews

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Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

CHRISTMAS IN COCKLEBERRY BAY (Book 4)

#16 Amazon Kindle UK

Rights: Denmark: Alpha (Bonnier Books); Estonia: Pegasus Publishers; Netherlands: Uitgeverij Zomer & Keuning

Publication December 2020

THE SCHOOL GATES THE BOOK WOW CLUB

Published 2017

LOVE ME TINDER

Published 2016

Published 2013

Published 2013

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BETTER TOGETHER

SAVING GRACIE AT THE WINDMILL

CAFE

Published 2015

CHRISTMAS EVIE

Published 2013

Published 2011

Published 2011

Published 2011

Published 2011

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RICK MOFINA

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Rick's books have sold over 1.75 million copies in English

SEARCH FOR HER (Standalone)

Thriller/crime

- #1 Canadian Original Fiction bestseller
- #29 Amazon Australia
- #74 Amazon UK #2 Heist Crime
- Over 11,600 copies sold

A story written in the best-selling tradition of James Patterson, Harlan Coben, Linwood Barclay and Shari Lapena that will appeal to fans of domestic suspense and psychological thrillers alike.

A missing daughter, a family with secrets, a race for the truth...

At a truck stop near Las Vegas, fourteen-year-old Riley Jarrett vanishes from her family's RV, turning their cross-country dream of starting over into a nightmare.

Investigators have their work cut out for them. The massive, bustling truck plaza in the desert is the perfect place for someone to disappear—or be taken.

Detectives pursue every chilling lead as all eyes fall to the newly blended family with a tragic past. With the clock ticking down on the likelihood that Riley's alive, suspicions run deep. Everyone—from Riley's mom to her stepdad to her stepbrother and her ex-boyfriend—has something to hide. And their secrets could prove deadly.

<u>Rights:</u> UK & Comm (excl. Canada): Joffe Books, Audio: Jentas; North America: Mira Books, 9th March 2021; Czech Republic: Euromedia; Denmark: Jentas

JASON WADE TRILOGY:

THE DYING HOUR (Jason Wade 1) Nominated for Best Paperback Original at the International Thriller Award

• 72,000 copies sold

EVERY FEAR (Jason Wade 2) 62,000 copies sold A PERFECT GRAVE (Jason Wade 3) 59,000 copies sold

Rights: UK: MIRA; US: Pinnacle/Kensington; France: Alire; Germany: Weltbild;

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TOM REED SERIES:

IF ANGELS FALL (Tom Reed 1) **80,000** copies sold

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COLD FEAR (Tom Reed 2) 110,000 copies sold

Rights: France; Alire; Russia: Eksmo; Rights reverted: Norway: Bladkompaniet AS;

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NO WAY BACK (Tom Reed 4) 48,000 copies sold

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BE MINE (Tom Reed 5) **56,000** copies sold

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French rights only available for:Standalone thrillersTHEIR LAST SECRETPublication Mira/HarperCollins August 202026,000 copies soldTHE LYING HOUSEPublication Mira/HarperCollins December 201935,000 copies soldMISSING DAUGHTERPublication Mira/HarperCollins March 201956,000 copies sold

Winner 2020 Barry Award for Best Paperback Original Mystery/Crime Novel

#95 USA Today Bestseller list

#19 Apple Books US Bestseller List - Mysteries & Thrillers

LAST SEEN

Publication Mira/HarperCollins March 2018

51,000 copies sold

'Echoing Ludlum and Forsythe... (a) big international thriller that grabs your gut - and your heart - and never lets go', <u>Jeffrey Deaver</u>

'Six Seconds should be Rick Mofina's breakout thriller. It moves like a tornado', James Patterson

'Classic virtues but tomorrow's subjects -- everything we need from a great thriller', Lee Child

'Starts scary and ends scary ... You'll be craving Mofina's next novel', Sandra Brown

'Swiftly paced, entertaining', Dean Koontz

'My kind of novel – a tough, taut thriller', Michael Connelly

'A lightning-paced thriller with lean, tense writing . . . Mofina really knows how to make the story fly', Tess Gerritsen

FRANCESCA SCANACAPRA

For fans of Elena Ferrante, Sebastian Faulks, Fiona Valpy, Santa Montefiore, Irene Nemirovsky, Dinah Jeffries, Victoria Hislop, Heather Morris, The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society.

THE PARADISO NOVELS:

Historical/WWII/Coming-of-age

PARADISO (Book 1)

#2 Hot New Releases Amazon UK

#11 Italian Historical Fiction

Italy, 1937. In a tiny village in rural Lombardy, Graziella Ponti is born into a loving family.

Though they are not rich and life is full of challenges, they are content and safe, surrounded by the tightly-knit community of Pieve Santa Clara.

But when the shadow of World War Two falls across the village with the arrival of Nazi soldiers, nothing in young Graziella's life will ever be the same again.

PARADISO is Graziella's story. It charts her loves, losses and triumphs as she grows up in post-war Italy, a country in transformation, freed from the shackles of dictatorship yet still gripped by the restraints of the Catholic church.

PARADISO is inspired by true stories told to Francesca Scanacapra by her Italian family and set in locations where she spent much of her childhood. It is a deeply affecting novel which sheds light on the complexity and trauma of Italy's past and weaves it into the epic tale of an ordinary woman compelled to live in extraordinary times.

'A charming portrait of a child's life in Italy in the aftermath of WW2: fascinating, heart-breaking and uplifting in equal measure.' - Chrissie Manby

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books, May 2021

RETURN TO PARADISO (Book 2)

#1 Hot New Releases Historical Italian Fiction Amazon UK

Italy, 1950. The hardships of war are being consigned to the past and the dawn of a new decade brings with it the promise of lasting peace and prosperity.

In Pieve Santa Clara, a tiny village in rural Lombardy, Graziella Ponti, now a teenager, lives a simple life with her widowed mother and aunt. But Italy is transforming around Graziella at great speed and, as her childhood gives way to the start of her womanhood, she must learn to navigate this ever-changing new world.

RETURN TO PARADISO is a story of love, hope and tragedy set in Italy at a time when the Economic Miracle was in full swing, the grip of the Catholic Church was loosening, and the role of women in society was progressing.

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books, June 2021

UNTITLED BOOK 3 UNTITLED BOOK 4

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books

MATT STANLEY

For fans of Ian McGuire, Andrew Michael Hurley, Jennifer McMachon, Robert Dugon and Edgar Allan Poe

I AM THE SEA

Upmarket psychological suspense standalone

1870. Apprentice lighthouseman James Meakes joins two others at the remote offshore rock of Ripsaw Reef – replacement for a keeper whose death there remains unexplained.

Meakes' suspicions grow as he accustoms himself to his new vertical world. He finds clues, obscure messages and signs that a fourth occupant may be sharing the space, slipping unseen between staircases.

With winter approaching, the keepers become isolated utterly from shore. Sea and wind rage against the tower. Danger is part of the life. Death is not uncommon. And yet as the storm builds, the elements pale against a threat more wild and terrifying than any of them could have imagined.

Rights: World English: Legend Press

Publication 17th August 2021

Matt Stanley was born in Sheffield and achieved a first class degree in English and American Literature from the University of East Anglia. He is the author of a number of detective novels for Macmillan and has previously taught an MA in Creative Writing at Sheffield Hallam University. *I am the Sea* is Matt's eleventh novel.

JOHN STEELE

For fans of Don Winslow, Steve Cavanagh, Michael Connelly, John Sandford and Richard Price CALLUM BURKE SERIES:

Crime/thriller

RAT ISLAND (Book 1)

A raw, dark and morally complex novel which presents a searing portrait of mid-1990s New York

New York, 1995. Cop Callum Burke arrives in New York from Hong Kong, drafted in as part of an international investigation into organised crime.

With the handover of Hong Kong to China only a couple of years away, gangsters are moving their operations out of the territory and into New York ahead of the looming deadline.

Burke's experiences with East Asian crime and the Triads' links to the Irish Mob make him the perfect man to send in undercover. But as he infiltrates these vast and lethal criminal networks, bodies start to pile up in his wake and his conscience threatens to send him over the edge.

And when Burke's NYPD handlers push him to continue the investigation at all costs, he may have to cross the line from cop to criminal just to stay alive....

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books, 22nd July 2021

'After RAT ISLAND, I'll be reading John Steele from now on. You should too!' Garth Ennis

'John Steele writes with grit, pace, and authenticity - fans of Don Winslow will love this' Claire McGowan

'RAT ISLAND builds on the great promise of Ravenhill and the Jackie Shaw series, and then some, going toe-to-toe with your Winslows and McKintys to give us a real contender for Crime Book of the Year.' <u>David Peace</u>

'John Steele's Rat Island is a nonstop thrill ride through the little known world of Triads and Chinese gangsters. The crime bosses in RAT ISLAND rival at every stage the power and evil of South American cocaine cartels. But in Steele's lyrical

storytelling they are much more than simply another tale of mob bosses stashing away huge profits with a growing criminal empire. The Hong Kong Triad bosses, their American Chinatown counterparts, and a group of hardened Irish criminals, mix seamlessly with an addictive cast of characters from the Hong Kong and New York police and the DEA. RAT ISLAND is a super read filled with plenty of intrigue, action and suspense and sent against an exotic and seldom explored corner of crime fiction.' Gerald Posner

'RAT ISLAND speeds and thrashes with the dangerous energy of the Manhattan streets which are so vividly recalled. John Steele is the undisputed champion of the modern metropolitan thriller' <u>Gary Donnelly</u>

'A writer of huge promise' Irish Independent

THE SKY TURNED BLACK (Book 2)

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books, 2022

Also by John Steele:

JACKIE SHAW SERIES:

For readers of Lee Child, Mark Dawson, Adrian McKinty and David Baldacci

RAVENHILL (Book 1)

Longlisted for a CWA Debut Dagger Award

Twenty years have passed since undercover agent Jackie Shaw vanished from his home city in mysterious circumstances after a horrific bomb attack. He vowed to never return, to leave that part of his life behind forever. But when Jackie's father dies, his loyalty to his family means he must go back to pay his respects, regardless of the danger he will face. He wants to come and go quickly and quietly, to do his duty then disappear again. But Jackie's dark past soon catches up with him and he finds himself pursued by ruthless gangsters and terrorists who have waited two decades for revenge.

Jackie is a trained killer, a man accustomed to using violence, and he is prepared to break laws and bones in his fight for survival. But with so many dark forces set on destroying him, will that be enough?

Publication August 2017

SEVEN SKINS (Book 2) Publication June 2018
DRY RIVER (Book 3) Publication August 2019

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books

JOSIE WILLIAMS

For those who love romances and all things spooky, this YA novel about a 'wanderer' in love is a must read. GHOST meets ROMEO AND JULIET meets CITY OF GHOSTS (Victoria Swarb), readers of Jennifer Armentrout and Nicola Yoon will also love this contemporary teenage romance.

THE WANDERER Young Adult romance

Nothing can stand in the way of love, not even death.

Alone in the world, Maggie only has her visits to her nan to look forward to. When the most popular boy in school saves her life she has no idea why he is suddenly acting like a different person.

Stuck between life and death, Ryder spends his days wandering around unseen by the living. When the girl he loves walks into danger, Ryder breaks the number one Wanderer's rule: he saves her life.

But how can a Wanderer and a living girl ever reach their happily ever after?

For those who enjoy heart-wrenching teenage romance with a touch of the paranormal, *The Wanderer* is a moving and compelling YA romance dealing with first love and growing up.

Rights: UK and Commonwealth (excluding Canada and audio): Firefly Press, publication 7th October 2021; World English

Audio: Tantor Media

SELECTED BACKLIST

INGRID ALEXANDRA

For readers of Erin Kelly, Teresa Driscoll, KL Slater, PJ Delaney, Shalini Boland, Louise Jensen and AJ Finn

ACROSS THE WATER Psychological thriller

Everyone has secrets. But what happens when yours pull you under...

In a remote, boat-access only house, Liz Dawson's lifeline to the real world is her window, where she watches the people who live in the three identical houses that sit side by side across the creek. But it's the middle house Liz finds herself drawn to most: the beautiful young mother, Delilah Waters, and her baby.

When Dee and her baby go missing, last seen by the murky waters of Oyster Creek, it is a suspected murder-suicide. After all, it's no secret that Dee Waters never wanted children. She wasn't coping with the baby. Everyone in the town believes she leapt to her death, taking her child with her. Everyone except Liz. Wrestling with her own demons, Liz risks everything to uncover a truth that becomes more complex with every twist. Of all people, Liz knows that just because someone is a reluctant mother, it doesn't mean they don't love their child. And it doesn't mean they're capable of murder... does it? THE WOMAN IN THE WINDOW meets THE HAND THAT ROCKED THE CRADLE, ACROSS THE WATER explores the darker side of motherhood, the pressure to conform, and how women's choices shape their fate.

Rights: World English: Avon (HarperCollins) July 2020; ANZ HarperCollins Australia: July 2020.

THE NEW GIRL

S. J. Watson's BEFORE I GO TO SLEEP meets cult frenemy film *Single White Female* in this gripping and creepy psychological thriller set in Australia. It delves into what lies behind toxic relationships and their disturbing – and sometimes deadly – consequences.

Rights: World English: Avon Books (HarperCollins), October 2018; ANZ: HarperCollins Australia; Czech: Euromedia

T J BREARTON

Over 255,270 copies sold in English

For fans of Jeffery Deaver, Stuart McBride and Linwood Barclay

NORTH COUNTRY SERIES: (set in the same area but all standalones)

GONE (Book 1) #3 Amazon UK #21 Amazon US Over 69,390 copies sold

DARK KILLS (Book 2) Over 7,900 copies sold Over 14,140 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

TITAN SERIES:

HABIT (Book 1)

Over 30,500 copies sold SURVIVORS (Book 2) Over 16,600 copies sold DAYBREAK (Book 3) Over 8,300 copies sold **Rights**: World English: Joffe Books;

Audio: Tantor Media **BLACK SOUL** (Book 4) **Over 3,380** copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books

TOM LANGE SERIES:

DEAD GONE (Book 1)

Over 14,000 copies sold

• USA #30

TRUTH OR DEAD (Book 2)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Findaway

Over 4,800 copies sold DEAD OR ALIVE (Book 3) Over 8,000 copies sold

RUTH DUGDALL Psychological thriller

For readers of Elizabeth Haynes, Sharon Bolton, Erin Kelly, B.A. Paris and Louise Doughty.

MY SISTER AND OTHER LIARS

The bold first stand-alone novel by the CWA award-winning novelist

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• top 50 Amazon for over a month

• **52,200** copies sold

GIRL, INTERRUPTED (Susanna Kaysen) meets WE WERE LIARS (E. Lockhart) in this domestic noir crime novel, told from the unusual perspective of a teenage anorexic, where layers are pulled away until the family home is revealed as the most dangerous place of all.

What happens if you forget your own secrets?

Sam is 17, starving herself and longing for oblivion; Jena is 30, left brain-damaged and desperate to remember. This is the story of two sisters and the secrets and lies at the heart of their world. Piecing Jena's fragmented words together, sneaking looks into police evidence, Sam resolves to find her sister's attacker. At any cost. A chocolate box full of old photos forces her to speak and to remember. But this journey of discovery also means a loss of innocence for Sam, with devastating consequences.

<u>Rights</u>: World English: Thomas Mercer/Amazon Publishing (print and digital), 2017; Audio: Brilliance Publishing; Czech: Mlada Fronta; Greece: Iviskos

THE THINGS YOU DIDN'T SEE

• 14.200 copies sold

A sleepwalker can't be guilty of anything they do whilst they dream. Can they?

Rights: World English: Thomas Mercer/Amazon Publishing (print and digital), 2018; Audio: Brilliance Publishing

KER DUKEY

Over 292,000 copies of her books sold in English

A dark captivating suspenseful romance for fans of Jennifer L. Armentrout, Anna Todd, Jennifer Probst, Pepper Winters, Helena Hunting, Christina Lauren and Alessandra Torres.

Six authors. Seven books. Seven deadly sins.

THE ELITE SEVEN SERIES:

Dark romance

LUST by Ker Dukey (Book 1)

PRIDE by J.D. Hollyfield (Book 2)

WRATH by Claire C. Riley (Book 3)

ENVY by M.N. Forgy (Book 4)

GLUTTONY by K Webster (Book 5)

SLOTH by Giana Darling (Book 6)

GREED by Ker Dukey and K Webster (Book 7)

Rights: Audio: Tantor Media

THE V GAMES SERIES: 13,200 sales, 14.6 million pages read

Dark romance

VLAD; VAN; VAS Published January 2019

Rights: Israel: Sifrut Shenogaat

I SEE YOU 8,800 sales, 1.2 million pages read (5,000 ebooks equivalent)

Rights: Poland: Napoleon V

PRETTY LITTLE DOLLS SERIES:

Psychological thriller

33,000 sales, 4.5 million pages read (19,000 ebooks equivalent)

PRETTY STOLEN DOLLS (Book 1)

Benny loves his pretty little dolls. As long as they do exactly as they're told. He keeps them perfect by brushing their hair and gives them pretty dresses to wear. He likes to toy with them late at night. One so timid but the other likes to fight. When his favourite doll runs away...his heart becomes broken and he can't help but cry. He wants her back home or his pretty little doll must die.

Have you ever had to make a decision that haunts you every single day for the rest of your life...The life you stole back? I ran for my survival, rocks and twigs cutting into the soles of my feet, my lungs burning and screaming for rest, every muscle tensed and fighting along with me for existence. I ran, ran, ran – from Benny and his lone pretty dolls – until I couldn't remember where to find them again. I'm sorry.

Rights: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo; Poland: Napoleon V

PRETTY LOST DOLLS (Book 2)

Rights: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo; Poland: Napoleon V

PRETTY NEW DOLL (Book 3) (July 2017)

<u>Rights</u>: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo; Poland: Napoleon V PRETTY BROKEN DOLLS (Book 4) (September 2017) <u>Rights</u>: Hungary: Konyvmolykepzo; Poland: Napoleon V

Standalones:

DEVIL (July 2017)

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A dark sexy suspenseful romance for fans of Jennifer L. Armentrout, Anna Todd, Jennifer Probst, Pepper Winters, Helena Hunting, Christina Lauren and Alessandra Torres.

EMPATHY (EMPATHY series, book 1)

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DESOLATE (EMPATHY series, book 2) **VACANT** (EMPATHY series, novella 1) **DEADLY** (EMPATHY series, novella 2) **55,000** sales, **2.5** million pages read

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JANICE FROST Crime series

Over 291,800 copies sold in English

For fans of Angela Marsons, Joy Ellis, Rachel Abbott, LJ Ross, Helen Durrant, Helen Fields

MERRY & NEAL SERIES

DEAD SECRET (book 1)Over 83,200 sales#13 on Amazon UKDARK SECRET (book 2)Over 44,900 sales#10 on Amazon UKHER HUSBAND'S SECRET (book 3)Over 38,400 sales#22 on Amazon UKTHEIR FATAL SECRETS (book 4)Over 20,970 sales#49 on Amazon UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: WF Howes

DIRTY SECRETS (book 5) Over 32,100 sales
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<u>Rights</u>: World English: Joffe Books

CHARLIE GALLAGHER Crime thriller

Over **523,900** copies sold in English

For fans of Rachel Abbott, Ian Rankin, Karin Slaughter, Patricia Gibney, Robert Bryndza and Mark Billingham

MADDIE IVES SERIES:

HE IS WATCHING YOU (Book 1)

• #9 Australia • #10 UK • **Over 69,700** sales

A young woman's body is left in a metal container in a remote location. The killer is careful to position her under a camera that links to his smartphone. He likes to look back at his work. He is watching her. But she isn't dead. So he will return to finish the job. He can barely contain his excitement at the thought of getting to do it all over again. But he must be careful. He cannot rush. Rushing makes you careless. Detective Maddie Ives is new to the area. She is handed a missing person report: a young woman with a drink problem who's been reported missing fifteen times. It looks like a waste of time. But DS Ives has a bad feeling about the woman's disappearance. DI Harry Blaker is called to a hit and run of an elderly man left to die on a quiet country road. There is no motive and it looks like a tragic accident. But he's been working Major Crime long enough to know that something isn't quite right. The two officers find their investigations intertwine and they will need to work together. But they must work fast.

Time is running out for the woman in the container. And the killer has already identified his next target.

HE WILL KILL YOU (Book 2)

#8 Australia
 #9 UK
 Over 60,300 sales

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Bolinda; Czech: Euromedia, Portugal: Alma Dos Livros

HE FILL FIND YOU (Book 3) Over 29,000 sales #42 Australia #63 UK
HE KNOWS YOUR SECRETS (Book 4) Over 18,350 sales #7 Australia #50 UK
HE WILL GET YOU (Book 5) Over 9,700 sales #8 Australia #81 UK

THE DEADLY HOUSES (Book 6) Over 10,700 sales since publication in July 2020 #56 AUS #74 UK

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Bolinda

HER LAST BREATH Standalone, but features the same detectives as in Langthorne Series

• #4 UK Over 84,290 copies sold

THEN SHE RAN

#1 Australia
 #14 UK
 Over 80,800 copies sold

LANGTHORNE SERIES:

BODILY HARM (book 1)

UK #39
 PANIC BUTTON (book 2)
 BLOOD MONEY (book 3)
 END GAME (book 4)
 Over 26,600 copies sold
 Over 19,100 copies sold
 Over 13,500 copies sold
 Over 25,400 copies sold

MISSING (Standalone, but features the same detectives as Langthorne Series) 20,500 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Tantor Media

RUTHLESS (Standalone) 12,200 copies sold

ROBERT GODDARD

PAST CARING Standalone thriller

Over 26,900 copies sold in English

For readers Val McDermid, Peter James, Ann Cleaves, Peter Robinson, Peter May, Ken Follett, Elly Griffiths

'The expert suspense manipulation skills of a Daphne DuMaurier romance combined with those of a John Le Carré thriller', *New York Times*

The Award-winning novelist's Booker Prize nominated first novel has soared into the bestseller charts yet again – thirty-four years after it was first published and became an instant bestseller!

- #43 Amazon UK
- #79 Amazon Australia

At a luxurious villa on the sun-soaked island of Madeira, unemployed historian Martin Radford is given a second chance. Martin is shown the leather-bound journal of another ruined man, former British cabinet minister Edwin Strafford. Martin is offered a job—to return to England and investigate the rise and fall of Strafford, an ambitious young politician whose downfall, in 1910, is as mysterious as the strange deaths that still haunt his family.

Martin is intrigued. Strafford resigned at the height of his career, disappearing from the public eye. The woman he loved, for whom he was willing to sacrifice everything, suddenly and coldly rejected him. All the reasons for his fall from grace are shrouded in darkness. Martin's investigations trigger a violent series of events, throwing him straight into the path of those who believed they had escaped punishment for crimes long past but never paid for... And Martin himself may find that he must risk his life to discover the truth.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, September 2020; Audio: Audible

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"A wonderful read...the satisfying climax weaves together the strands of past and present....A poised telling of a complex tale." Publishers Weekly

"One of the best novels I've read in a long time... I loved every one of its 500 pages" Washington Post

"A hornet's nest of jealousy, blackmail and violence. Engrossing" Daily Mail

"A complex trail of blackmail and murder. Recommended" Daily Express

MICHAEL HAMBLING

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For fans of Angela Marsons, Rachel Abbott, Colin Dexter, Ruth Rendell or Mark Billingham

DETECTIVE SOPHIE ALLEN SERIES:

Crime/thriller

DARK CRIMES (Book 1)

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A young woman's body is discovered on a deserted footpath in a Dorset seaside town late on a cold November night. She has been stabbed through the heart.

It seems like a simple crime for DCI Sophie Allen and her team to solve. But not when the victim's mother is found strangled the next morning. The case grows more complex as DCI Sophie Allen discovers that the victims had secret histories, involving violence and intimidation. There's an obvious suspect but Detective Allen isn't convinced. Could someone else be lurking in the shadows, someone savagely violent, looking for a warped revenge?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, March 2016; Audio: Tantor Media

DEADLY CRIMES (Book 2)

• Over 28,800 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, April 2016; Audio: Tantor Media

SECRET CRIMES (Book 3)

• Over 27,600 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, June 2016; Audio: Tantor Media

BURIED CRIMES (Book 4)

Over 30,100 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, July 2016; Audio: Tantor Media

TWISTED CRIMES (Book 5)

• Over 29,500 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, January 2017; Audio: Tantor Media

EVIL CRIMES (Book 6)

• Over 17,600 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, November 2017; Audio: Tantor Media

SHADOW CRIMES (Book 7)

• Over 21,500 copies sold

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, October 2018; Audio: Tantor Media

SILENT CRIMES (Book 8)

- Over 15,400 copies sold
- #66 Amazon UK
- #35 Amazon Australia

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, October 2019; Audio: Tantor Media

RUTHLESS CRIMES (Book 9)

- Over 14,000 copies sold
- #52 Amazon UK
- #39 Amazon Australia

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, September 2020; Audio: Tantor Media

UNTITLED BOOK 10

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Tantor Media

DAVID HODGES Police procedural/crime

Over 186,500 copies sold in English

For readers of Faith Martin, Joy Ellis, LJ Ross, Helen Durrant, Patricia Gibney

KATE HAMBLIN SERIES:

MURDER ON THE LEVELS (Book 1) Over 32,900 copies sold

THE DETECTIVES: Kate Hamblin is a feisty, young police detective, with a dynamic approach to her job. She is plucky and tenacious, but prone to being impetuous and headstrong, which often lands her in tight spots and does not exactly endear her to her crusty boss, DI Ted Roscoe. In stark contrast to Kate, her detective partner, Hayden, is an overweight, untidy expublic schoolboy, with a pompous, laid-back attitude, which drives her to distraction. But he is also highly intelligent, with a keen, analytical mind and a practical, reasoned approach to everything, which often acts as a brake on some of his partner's more impulsive actions.

REVENGE ON THE LEVELS (Book 2)

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KILLER ON THE LEVELS (Book 4)

SECRETS ON THE LEVELS (Book 5)

DEATH ON THE LEVELS (Book 6)

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WITCH FIRE ON THE LEVELS (Book 8)

Over 25,700 copies sold

Over 20,600 copies sold

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Over 10,900 copies sold

Over 7,500 copies sold

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Published October 2020

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible

SOPHIE JACKSON Romance/Women's fiction

A POUND OF FLESH (book 1)

Originally published as a work of fan fiction on www.ff.net,APoF has gone on to become an online phenomenon and an award-winning internet sensation. It has won a host of awards and attracted a staggering 4.5 million online reads.

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A MEASURE OF LOVE (Book 3): simultaneous US and UK publication in June 2016

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LOVE AND ALWAYS (novella 1) simultaneous US and UK publication in June 2015

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BBC Radio 4 Book Pick

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THE WOMAN IN THE WHITE KIMONO 小さい鳥

Historical fiction

OCEANS AND DECADES APART, TWO WOMEN ARE INEXTRICABLY BOUND BY THE SECRETS BETWEEN THEM. Japan, 1957. Seventeen-year-old Naoko Nakamura's prearranged marriage to the son of her father's business associate secures her family's status in their traditional Japanese community, but Naoko has fallen for another man, an American sailor. When it's learned Naoko carries the sailor's child, she's cast out in disgrace and forced to make unimaginable choices with consequences that will ripple across generations.

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A poignant, sweeping novel of spirit and love that travels the difficult road to acceptance through secrets, sacrifice, and lies as both women, past and present, confront social stigmas, secret burial grounds, exiled communities, and the gut-wrenching consequences of their own choices.

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THE WEIGHT OF SMALL THINGS

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Nine-year-old Frankie Appleton likes to count gates.

One day she hopes to design the perfect gate - a gate to keep the bad things out.

Little does she know that the bad things have already got in.

Now her mother is dead, and the only other person with a house key has disappeared.

Frankie thinks she knows who it is. But first she has to prove it.

A delicately brutal exploration of what lies behind closed doors, and of the secrets and lies that form the fabric of every family, THE WEIGHT OF SMALL THINGS is as charming as it is chilling.

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INSPECTOR CROW SERIES:

Crime thriller/mystery

A LOVER TOO MANY (BOOK 1)

#10 Australia

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Peter Marlin's wife is found strangled and he becomes the prime suspect. She'd only just returned from an unexplained absence of several months. And during that time, Peter had found a new lover. Everything points to the husband but there's no real proof.

Inspector John Crow is called in to help the local police. But his new colleagues aren't keen on an outsider. And Crow must solve the case before anyone else dies.

Set in England in the late 1960s, this is the first book to feature Inspector John Crow.

Published September 2018

ERROR OF JUDGMENT (BOOK 2)	#5 Australia	Published October 2018	Over 22,370 copies sold
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MURDER FOR MONEY (BOOK 4)	#16 Australia	Published November 2018	Over 12,800 copies sold
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Rights: World English: Joffe Books

ARNOLD LANDON SERIES:

MURDER IN THE BARN (Book 1) Published April 2021 MURDER IN THE MANOR (Book 2) Published May 2021 MURDER IN THE FARMHOUSE (Book 3) Published May 2021 MURDER IN THE STABLEYARD (Book 4) Published June 2021

STEFAN MALMSTRÖM

For fans of TV series THE KILLING and THE BRIDGE, of Lars Kepler, Jo Nesbø, Ragnar Jónasson, Samuel Bjork, Will Dean, Camilla Läckberg and Jussi Adler-Olsen

KULT Thriller

#18 Australia

A dark and gripping crime thriller inspired by shocking and tragic true events in the Church of Scientology

When a four-year-old girl and her father are found dead in the Swedish city of Karlskrona, the police quickly conclude it was a murder-suicide, a tragedy requiring no further investigation.

But Luke Bergmann, a reformed criminal still haunted by his violent past, believes they are wrong. The dead man, Viktor, was his best friend, and Luke knows he would never commit such a horrific crime.

When more bodies turn up. Luke embarks alone on an investigation which reaches back through decades to his friend's involvement with a sinister cult - the Church of Scientology. And when Luke finds himself in a killer's sights, his search for the truth becomes the fight of his life.

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AUS #19

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Oriana Foster spent thirteen years in prison for a murder she didn't commit. Now she's out and returns to her home village in Oxfordshire. She has one goal: to find the real killer of Rollo Seton.

While inside, a mysterious benefactor has put £2 million in trust for her. She uses the money to buy the Manor House in Nether Dene, the tiny village she grew up in. The village doesn't want her back. She hires Connor O'Dell, a good-looking bodyguard. He's there in case things get rough. But it's Lowell Seton, the younger brother of Rollo and the love of Oriana's life, who quickly becomes the greatest danger... to her heart. And when Connor falls for Mercedes Seton, Oriana's former best friend, things threaten to totally fall apart. The real killer will strike again to protect their secrets. Publication 3rd April 2020

AN OXFORD REVENGE (Book 2)

Publication 26th May 2020 Over 14,600 copies sold UK #79 AUS #21

Over **10,200** copies sold **AUS #47**

AN OXFORD SCANDAL (Book 3)

Publication 14th July 2020

AN OXFORD ENEMY (Book 4) AN OXFORD SECRET (Book 5) Publication 27th July 2020 Publication 26th August 2020

AN OXFORD FRAUD (Book 6)

Publication 27th October 2020 **UK #77**

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NISHA MINHAS Romantic comedy

TALL, DARK AND HANDSOME, Pocket Books THE MARRIAGE MARKET, Pocket Books **BINDIS & BRIDES**, Pocket Books

PASSION & POPPADOMS, Pocket Books

SARI & SINS. Pocket Books

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Psychological thriller

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SPARE ROOM

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"The scariest, creepiest and best psychological suspense you'll read this year" - Lee Child

Home Is Where The Nightmare Is. Beautiful double room to let to single person.

Lisa, a troubled young woman with a past, can't believe her luck when she finds a beautiful room to rent in a large house. The live-in owners are a kind and welcoming couple.

Everything is fine until she finds a suicide note hidden in her room. But when the couple insist this man didn't exist and that Lisa is their first tenant, Lisa begins to doubt herself. Compelled to uncover the secrets of the man who lived in the room before her, Lisa is alarmed when increasingly disturbing incidents start to happen. Someone doesn't want Lisa to find out the truth. As the four walls of this house and its secrets begin to close in on Lisa, she descends into a hellish hall of mirrors where she's not sure what's real and what's not as she claws her way towards the truth...

This room has already claimed one victim? Is it about to take another?

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STAND-IN SATURDAY romantic comedy

Standalone, but features the same setting as in Man Crush Monday

Two broken hearts. One fake dating agreement. What could go wrong?

Lucie thought she had it all--a loving fiancé, a nice apartment, and a job she was great at. But that all changed the day she walked in on her perfect fiancé screwing his personal trainer on her newly purchased dream sofa. Three months later, she's bunking with her best friend and scrambling to make sense of her life sans cheating ex.

Theo is about to jet off for a long weekend in picturesque Scotland to be the best man at his brother's wedding. With stunning views and nothing but free food and drinking ahead, he should be more excited than he is. If only he didn't have feelings for the damn bride. When fate throws Lucie and Theo together under unlikely circumstances, they bond over doughnuts and their mutually disastrous love lives... and it seems like they might be able to help each other out. As long as they both stick to the rules, there's nothing that can go wrong.

Contract in place? Check. Hot, fake dates? Check.

Sexual chemistry steamy enough to scorch sheets? Double che--

Wait, what? That wasn't in the agreement...

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MAN CRUSH MONDAY

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New Adult Romance

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THE BOY WHO SNEAKS IN MY BEDROOM WINDOW

Young Adult

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POLES APART (stand alone; over 49,500 copies sold)

THE BEST FRIEND SERIES:

ALWAYS YOU (218,500 copies sold)

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THE GUARDED HEARTS SERIES:

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TYRONE SWIFT DETECTIVE SERIES: Crime thriller/suspense

THE LADY VANISHED (Book 1)

How did she vanish without a trace?

Carmen Langborne is a woman who no one seems to like very much, and now she's gone missing. But there is no body, no leads and no real suspects. And the police have given up.

Carmen's stepdaughter Florence hires private detective Tyrone Swift to find the missing woman. If the body is found, Florence will inherit half of a very valuable house. As Swift delves deeper into the family's affairs, he discovers dark family secrets that threaten the reputations of powerful people. Will Swift get to the truth before those with much to hide stop him?

Rights: World English: Joffe Books Publication December 2015

BLOOD SECRETS (Book 2) Publication May 2016
TWO LOVERS, SIX DEATHS (Book 3) Publication November 2016

WATCHING YOU (Book 4) Publication June 2017
LOW LAKE (Book 5) Publication March 2018

Over 16,900 copies sold

YOUR LAST LIE (Book 6) Publication February 2019

Over 14,400 copies sold

HER LOST SISTER (Book 7) Publication March 2020

MURDER IN PEMBROKESHIRE (Book 8) #64 Amazon UK #33 Amazon AUS

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Rights: World English: Joffe Books Publication March 2021

MARGARET MURPHY

Over 67,800 copies sold in English

Detective CASSIE ROWAN series: Crime/thriller

BEFORE HE KILLS AGAIN (Book 1)

Shortlisted for the 2021 TCK Publishing Reader's Choice Favourite Thriller Award

Over 10,750 copies sold

A serial predator on the prowl in Liverpool. Seven victims so far. And he's already chosen his next one. The police can't catch him. He leaves no trace. No one has been able to provide a reliable description.

Detective Cassie Rowan goes undercover in a dangerous game of cat and mouse through the teeming backstreets of Liverpool. But how long will it be before he turns the tables and begins hunting her?

DC CASSIE ROWAN is a young policewoman who has been the main carer for her younger brother, Neil, since their parents died. She has to balance this role with her demanding job. She is working undercover on the streets of Liverpool trying to find the 'Furman', a man who has been brutally assaulting sex workers. Cassie blames herself and another detective, Wicks, for not catching him sooner. Forensic scientist Dr Ian Chan is on her side, but her boss Detective Chief Inspector Pat Warman thinks she is uncooperative and needs to work as part of a team.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, July 2020 359 pages

CLARA PASCAL series: Crime/thriller

DARKNESS FALLS (Book 1) #80 Amazon AUS Publication April 2020

Clara Pascal had it all. Now she faces her worst nightmare.

She's a successful lawyer, beautiful and a devoted mother. People want to be her.

Then Clara's abducted in broad daylight as she takes her daughter Pippa to school. The only witness is her daughter and all she can describe is a man bundling her mummy into a white van. Now, robbed of everything that gives her life meaning, she lies chained to the stone wall of a dark cellar – without food, warmth, or sleep, without even the most basic communication. Why has he taken her?

As the police team frantically investigates, knocking on doors, following up wisps of leads, bullying, cajoling, begging witnesses for help, it seems that Clara Pascal has disappeared without trace. Meanwhile, in her dark prison, Clara begins to suspect why her kidnapper has kept her alive. And the reason is terrifying.

WEAVING SHADOWS (Book 2)

Publication June 2020

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Germany: dotbooks

Detective JEFF RICKMAN series:

Crime series

Book 1. SEE HER BURN (Previously published as THE DISPOSSESSED)

A woman's body is found stuffed inside a wheelie bin. Stripped of her clothes. Drained of her blood. Thrown out with the rubbish.

Detective Jeff Rickman is on the case. Within hours, the police have their prime suspect. And it's Rickman himself. Elsewhere, a cruel prank ends with four innocent people burnt to death. Rickman's convinced there's a connection with his murdered Jane Doe. But can he unravel the truth and clear his name before anyone else dies?

Book 2. SEE HER DIE (Previously published as NOW YOU SEE ME)

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, July 2020; Germany: dotbooks

DEAR MUM Standalone crime/thriller

(Previously published as GOODNIGHT, MY ANGEL)

Shortlisted for the First Blood Award

A Sunday Times 'Christmas Cracker'

A mother's worst nightmare — just got worse.

Six months ago, Kate's twelve-year-old daughter Melanie disappeared. It's been six long months since Kate identified her battered, lifeless body. Kate is only just beginning to come to terms with her daughter's murder when a sinister message appears on her computer screen: WHY DID YOU LET HIM HURT ME, MUMMY?

More horrifying messages follow. Only one person could be doing this to Kate — Melanie's murderer.

Chief Inspector Harmon focuses his enquiries on Kate's abusive ex-husband David and her colleague, computer whizz-kid Adam Shepherd. Kate has already lost the one thing that gave her life meaning. So, now she decides to fight, but can she unmask the killer before he wrecks what's left of her life?

Publication August 2020

HER HUSBAND'S KILLER

(Previously published as CAGING THE TIGER)

Standalone crime/thriller
Publication September 2020

THE DESIRE OF THE MOTH

PAST REASON DYING EMBERS

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STEVE PARKER

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For fans of Kimberley Chambers, Damien Boyd, Rachel Abbott, Patricia Gibney or Martina Cole.

RAY PATTERSON SERIES: Crime thriller

THEIR LAST WORDS (Book 1) UK #31 Over 34,400 copies sold

A VICTIM. A MUTILATED BODY. A SINGLE WORD. This is the first in a series of action-packed, edge-of-your-seat crime thrillers, set in London on the banks of the River Thames.

THE LOST CHILDREN (Book 2) UK #30 Over 30,700 copies sold

THE BURNING MEN (Book 3) AUS #3 Over 10,500 copies sold

YOU CAN'T HIDE (Book 4)

THEIR DYING BREATH (Book 5) UK #74 AUS #47

Rights: World English: Joffe Books, Audio: Audible

CHILD BEHIND THE WALL (Book 6) 19,800 copies sold since publication in September 2020

• UK #46 AUS #57

4 a.m. on the outskirts of London. A police squad descend swiftly on a house, eager to exploit the rare opportunity of catching a burglar in the act. Nothing could have prepared them for what they find.

From inside a room on the ground floor, comes the eerie sound of a woman singing, 'the childmaker... the childmaker... beware the childmaker'.

Four officers break down the door to enter a darkened room. Their flashlights illuminate the body of a man with a knife in his chest and a bloody mess where his face should be. Nearby, stands a small, thin woman. In her hand is a kitchen knife... By the time, Detectives Ray Paterson and Johnny Clocks arrive at the scene, there is carnage. But what is bricked up behind the wall is far. far worse.

Rights: World English: Joffe Books; Audio: Audible.

KATIE STEPHENS Women's fiction

CATCHING LIGHTNING

A modern day OUT OF AFRICA in reverse story, CATCHING LIGHTNING provides the kind of realist escapism which would appeal to readers of Jill Mansell, Erica James and Santa Montefiore, Belinda Jones.

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The No. 1 Kindle bestseller and self-published sensation in 2011, over 60,000 copies sold.

JOHN SWEENEY

For fans of Robert Harris, Frederick Forsyth, Ken Follett, John le Carré, Tom Rob Smith, Lara Prescott

THE USEFUL IDIOT

Historical thriller

Based on the terrifying and tragic true story of Gareth Jones, the Welsh journalist who first told the world about the famine in the Soviet Union in 1933.

Moscow, 1932. Gareth Jones is a young Welsh reporter who has developed Communist sympathies following the Miners' Strike in 1926, where he witnessed a young boy crushed to death by a police van. He wants to write about what he saw, but the district editor of his paper won't run the story. Looking for a fresh start and eager to make his name in journalism, he arrives in the Soviet Union, excited to see for himself the new system being forged by Josef Stalin.

Johns meets American and British journalists who acclaim Stalin's great experiment, among which the cynical but savvy Walter Duranty of the New York Times, and he falls madly in love with the beautiful and mysterious Ukrainian translator Evgenia.

When Jones starts to realise that behind the happy façade put up by the Russian government lies the horror of collective starvation, his admiration for Duranty withers and his belief in the revolution is shattered. He must decide whether to do his

job and write honestly about what he sees, or become yet another 'useful idiot', saying only what the Communist Party allows and smothering the evidence of his own eyes.

It's January 1933 and in Berlin Hitler has been appointed Chancellor. Jones watches and mingles with other western journalists, corrupted by sex and power, not questioning Stalin's man-made famine. But if he tells truth to power, will he too be silenced forever? He learns there is a small group of underground resistance amongst the foreign expats of Moscow. But whose side is Evgenia really on? Is she a spy? Is her attraction to him just an act?

In a harrowing and dangerous journey escaping Moscow and through Ukraine, Jones will risk everything, and the woman he loves, to carry a film reel, the only evidence of the terrible truth to be revealed to the world – or it will be his word against the Soviet Union...

<u>Rights:</u> World English: Silvertail Books, January 2020; Audio: Tantor Media; Hungary: Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima; Romania: Rao

Praise for THE USEFUL IDIOT:

'Dramatic...enthralling' The Observer

'THE USEFUL IDIOT is a rare find: an insightful, frighteningly intelligent thriller that cuttingly exposes the way we're all complicit in our governments' lies - and that fake news isn't merely a modern phenomenon. A gem of a novel.' **Robert Dinsdale**

'A cracking read... deserves high sales and equal praise' *Financial Times*

ELEPHANT MOON Historical

• 205,000 copies sold

Burma, 1940. As the Second World War rages, the Japanese Imperial Army enters Burma and its British rulers prepare to flee, leaving behind their human legacy -- sixty-two children born to local women after affairs with foreign men.

Disowned by both sides, the children are to be abandoned with no one to protect them. But their teacher, Grace Collins, a young Englishwoman, refuses to leave the orphans and instead, with the help of a man who loves her deeply, sets out to guide them to the safety of India. They face impossible odds, because between the group and India lie one thousand miles of jungle, mountains, rivers and the constant, unseen threat of Japanese soldiers.

With the enemy chasing them down, the group's chances of survival look bleak -- until they come across a herd of fifty-three elephants who, with their awesome strength and kindness, quickly become the orphans' only hope.

<u>Rights:</u> World English: Silvertail Books, September 2014; Croatia: Znanje; Serbia: Laguna (rights reverted); Thailand: Sanskrit (rights reverted)

SUSIE TATE

For readers of Lauren Landish, Nick Spalding, Lucy Score, Shari Low, Holly Martin.

Think GREY'S ANATOMY, THIS IS GOING TO HURT and LOVE, ACTUALLY, if written by Mhairi McFarlane!

ANYTHING BUT EASY Romantic comedy

ANYTHING BUT EASY is what happens when an unconventional sexual health doctor bursts into the perfectly structured life of a Tory cabinet minister. Love and Politics are the main ingredients of this hugely entertaining, sometimes heart-breaking but ultimately feel-good contemporary romance. Seriously funny, actually.

Kira Murphy is a liability: always has been. She might be small but her personality and heart are not: a sexual health doctor with a foul mouth, pink streaks in her hair, a bizarre world view, a reputation for being 'pathologically social', and a huge crush on the current Minister of State for Business, Energy and Clean Growth . . . she's weird and lovable in equal measure. The last thing Barclay Lucas needs is a liability. He's made it into the cabinet with single-minded determination, sheer grit, and serious conservatism. But then a crazy, pink-haired, tiny dynamo turns his life upside-down and serious for Barclay is a thing of the past.

But he's never liked feeling out of control – something he experiences with Kira on a daily basis. So he pushes her away when she needs him the most, and unfortunately for him she retreats at head-spinning speed. It's only then he realizes that although being with Kira is anything but easy, the grey, boring alternative is far worse. He'll have to use all his hard-earned

political negotiating and maneuvering skills to get her back. Because after being dragged from black and white into full Technicolor with Kira, Barclay knows that, however serious and worthy his life is, he can't live it without her.

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Lars Brownworth is an author, speaker, broadcaster, and teacher based in Maryland, USA. He has written for the *Wall Street Journal* and been profiled in the *New York Times*, who likened him to some of history's great popularizers.

ANDY LOPATA

JUST ASK

Self-development/soft business

Why Seeking Support is Your Greatest Strength

The challenges of recent years have brought to the forefront the need to allow others to support us, both personally and professionally. But it still isn't easy or natural for many.

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A specialist in professional relationships and networking for over 20 years, **Andy Lopata** was called 'one of Europe's leading business networking strategists' by the Financial Times and 'a true master of networking' by The Independent and forbes.com. A very experienced international speaker, Andy is the author of five books, has been quoted in a number of other business books and regularly quoted in the international press. Andy is a Fellow and a board member of the Professional Speaking Association UK & Ireland (PSA) and a Fellow of the Learning and Performance Institute as well as a master of the Institute for Sales Management. He is also one of just 26 recipients of the PSA's top honour, the Award of Excellence. Andy is based in Herts.

...AND DEATH CAME THIRD

The Definitive Guide to Networking and Speaking in Public

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SUSIE PEARL

THE ART OF CREATIVITY

Self-development/creativity

7 Powerful Habits to Unlock your Full Potential

An inspiring, accessible and practical guide to tapping into unlocking the daily habits of highly creative people - the modern take on The Artist's Way.

What do most highly creative people have in common? What are the habits they cultivate? What is 'the flow' and how do you get into it? THE ART OF CREATIVITY is a practical guide to help you unlock your creative potential and find fulfilment and happiness in the process. After 20 years working with some of the most creative people on the planet, writer and business coach Susie Pearl has unearthed the habits of highly creative people and takes you on a journey to unlock your

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Susie Pearl is a writer, mentor and holistic coach for companies such as MTV, *Huffington Post*, Google and Sony. She is the author of *Instructions for Happiness and Success* (2012). She has been involved in writing and collaborating on international bestselling titles including *The Art of Eating Well* with Hemsley & Hemsley, and contributed to research for Paul McKenna's *I Can Make You Rich*. She is part-owner of a celebrity PR agency in London, and lives between London and Ibiza. www.susiepearl.co.uk

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HIRA ALI

HER WAY TO THE TOP: The glass ceiling is thicker than it looks

Soft-business/self-development

Award-winning Hira Ali examines the myriad of challenges women face on their road to professional success. Informed by her 13 years of coaching experience and survey responses from 300 working women, she reveals the universal internal and external roadblocks that can impede a woman's climb to the top, regardless of her culture or geography. This go-to guide for working women explores FOMO (the Fear of Missing Out), Imposter Syndrome, perfectionism and sexual harassment, among other issues.

Hira Ali is a Leadership Trainer, Motivational Speaker, Writer, Executive Career Coach and Licensed Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP) Practitioner. Her widely acclaimed leadership and coaching articles have been featured across a variety of leading outlets.

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RAFAEL BADZIAG

THE BILLION DOLLAR SECRET:

Business/self-development

20 Principles of Billionaire Wealth and Success

- Sold in 13 languages
- 14,600 copies sold in English

There are thousands of books on millionaire thinking. The knowledge they offer isn't enough to get you to the highest ranks of wealth. The richest people of our times are billionaires. Only one in five million world citizens belongs to this group. Billionaires are extremely rare, and their mindset differs hugely from ordinary millionaires.

This book offers first-hand knowledge of billionaire entrepreneurs told in their own words. Never before has someone interviewed 20+ self-made billionaires across the world for a book project. The author worked for years with some of the very best entrepreneurs on the planet and distilled their secrets into 20 mental principles that enabled them to start from zero and create billions of dollars in value during one life span.

Rafael Badziag is a global entrepreneur, top TED speaker and an award-winning author. As an expert in psychology of entrepreneurship specializing in self-made billionaires, he was featured on NBC, ABC, CBS and FOX as well as in USA Today, Wall Street Journal and other national newspapers and TV networks in several countries. In the nineties, he built his first multi-million dollar business, pioneering ecommerce in Europe. Rafael has given some of the most successful

TED talks in history. In recent years, Rafael has been working with over two dozen self-made billionaires around the world, to find out what made them so extremely successful in business. He is known as the first man in history to win that many billionaires for a book project on a global scale and is called The Billionaire Magnet.

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THE HURRICATS

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DREAMS

Popular psychology/self-help

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Rights: China (Simplified): YUEHUA Culture; India: Prakash Books; Italy, Mondadori

E.C.R. BAKER

ACE OF ACES

History/ biography

The Incredible Story of Pat Pattle - the Greatest Fighter Pilot of WWII #1 WWII History Amazon US #3 Milit

#3 Military History Amazon UK

In terms of enemy aircraft shot down or destroyed, Squadron Leader Thomas 'Pat' Pattle was the greatest fighter pilot of the Second World War. A South African who flew with the RAF, Pattle was an airman of outstanding skills and leadership who became the Allies' top-scoring fighter pilot after winning scores of stunning victories in deadly aerial combat. But for years after the war ended, Pattle was virtually an unsung hero because the records of his extraordinary achievements were destroyed amid the turmoil of war. Compiled with the help of surviving pilots and members of the squadrons with which Pattle fought in the air over Greece, ACE OF ACES is a gripping and authoritative account of his amazing flying career, and the book which finally brought Pattle the recognition he so richly deserved.

'Pat Pattle was a legend in the RAF ... he was far and away the greatest ace the Middle East was ever to see, with an astronomical number of victories to his credit' - Roald Dahl

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books, publication 24th September 2020; Audio: Tantor Media

FIGHTER ACES OF THE R.A.F.

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books; Audio: Tantor Media

ELMER BENDINER

THE FALL OF FORTRESSES

History/ biography

The Classic Account of One of the Most Daring and Deadly Air Battles of WWII

- #92 Amazon Kindle US
- #1 American Military History Amazon US
- #1 World War II History Amazon US

On an August morning in England in 1943, a group of American airmen were told that before the day was out they would deliver the blow that would win the war. Flying the legendary B-17 Flying Fortress, their mission was to destroy the industrial facilities that kept the Nazi war machine in business – Schweinfurt's ball-bearing factories. But a determined and ferocious defense awaited the bomber crews of the USAAF's Mighty 8th. Somehow, Navigator Elmer Bendiner and his crew survived, their faithful B-17, Tondelayo, carrying them home. Hundreds of their young compatriots did not. Vivid, powerful and often viscerally engaging, THE FALL OF FORTRESSES is a stunning testament to the skill, courage and sacrifice of the men who fought in WWII's deadliest campaign.

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books, publication October 2020; Audio: Tantor Media

'A shining accomplishment. A classic' - New York Times

'Ranks among the outstanding air memoirs of the war' - Max Hastings

'Masterly and moving' - Sunday Telegraph

'An enduring classic' - Daily Beast'

'Exceptional. It'll stay with you long after you've turned the final page' - Rowland White

CARLO BONINI, MANUEL DELIA, JOHN SWEENEY

MURDER ON THE MALTA EXPRESS Who Killed Daphne Karuana Galizia?

True Crime/ Current Affairs

Major TV series in the works

She was Malta's most fearless journalist until someone with money and power decided that she should be silenced forever. Her assassination on 16th October 2017 was a brutal blow to anyone who cares about the truth. MURDER ON THE MALTA EXPRESS: Who Killed Daphne Caruana Galizia? is an investigation into Daphne's murder by three highly regarded journalists, including former BBC journalist **John Sweeney**. The other two authors are a well-known Italian journalist, **Carlo Bonini**, and a Maltese blogger whose blog is known round the world for publishing anti-corruption stories about Malta, **Manuel Delia**.

The book tells the story of why Daphne was assassinated. It's a powerful, riveting and important look into how international organised crime has taken over Malta and works globally. The case has captured headlines around the world. Google turns up literally millions of results for Daphne's name. She was praised for her anti-corruption work and people who have spoken publicly about her include Margaret Atwood and Meryl Streep. Daphne is very widely known of in the media, not to mention admired, and the book contains lots of new information, never shared before.

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books; Italy: Mondadori at auction Publication November 2019

KASEY CARLIN

THE MIRACULOUS LIFE OF MAGGIE THE WUNDERDOG The true story of a little street dog who learned to love again

Pets/biography

Maggie is an Instagram sensation, with over 445k followers!

Maggie the dog is a walking miracle.

With her boundless energy, inquisitive snout and huge smile, Instagram sensation Maggie is the most recognisable rescue dog online.

But her warm, playful nature masks a traumatic past. Maggie was shot 18 times and subjected to cruelty and torture, before being rescued from Lebanon and brought to live in the UK by a determined and loving young woman called Kasey. As Maggie struggled to overcome her injuries, every day was a fight to rehabilitate her. But Kasey was convinced that what she had found in this little dog was someone just as determined to live and love as she was.

This is the incredible story of their journey together: a story of hope, unconditional love and never giving up.

<u>Rights:</u> World English: Mirror Books (major marketing/publicity campaign); Czech Republic: SiMonaLisa; Czech Audio: Tympanum

Publication June 2020

ANNALISA COPPOLARO-NOWELL

Lifestyle/current affairs/Italy

HOW TO LIVE LIKE AN ITALIAN: A User's Guide to La Dolce Vita

Rights: World English: Portico/Anova; Poland: JK Publishing; Hungary: Tericum Kiado

SALLY CORNER Lifestyle/self-help/travel

THE SENSIBLE GIRL'S GUIDE TO EMIGRATING ELEGANTLY Rights: UK: A&C Black

MARCUS FERRAR Popular history/memoir

THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Rights: World English: Crux Publishing, 2016, Turkey: Profil Kitap

BUDAPEST HOUSE: Leaving Home, Leaving your Pas

For those who enjoyed Edmund de Waal's THE HARE WITH AMBER EYES and Eva Hoffmann's LOST IN

TRANSLATION.

Rights: World English: Crux Publishing

A FOOT IN BOTH CAMPS: A German Past for Better and for Worse

Rights: World English: LBLA Digital

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TAMSEN GARRIE

THE ACT OF ATTRACTION Self-development/business

Rights: World English: Panoma Press; Arabic: Nour Elmaaref

Chinese language rights not available

GIRL ON THE NET

Memoir/sexuality

UNTITLED

Rights: World Audio: Audible
HOW A BAD GIRL FELL IN LOVE

A love story for people who don't believe in love stories!

Rights: World English: Blink Publishing, 2016

Film rights: optioned by Filmauro S.r.l.(http://www.filmauro.it/it/corporate/index.html)

'GIRL ON THE NET', MY NOT SO SHAMEFUL SEX SECRETS

Rights: World English: Carina/Harlequin

Film rights: optioned by Filmauro S.r.I. (http://www.filmauro.it/it/corporate/index.html)

Girl on the Net is a London-based award-winning sex blogger and bestselling author, covering topics like erotica, feminism, popular culture and body confidence. She has written for the *Guardian* and the *New Statesman*, as well as sex sites, dating sites and mainstream online magazines. Her blog gets over 120,000 visits each month.

CHRISTOPHER LASCELLES

Popular history

PONTIFEX MAXIMUS: A SHORT HISTORY OF THE POPES.

Rights: World English: Crux Publishing, 2017

A SHORT HISTORY OF THE WORLD

Popular history

• Over 48,100 copies sold

<u>Rights</u>: World English: Crux Publishing, 2014; India: Bloomsbury; Japan: JMA; Korea: Writing House; Portugal: Alma Dos Livros; Turkey: Tuti Kitap. <u>Rights Reverted</u>: Brazil: Edições de Janeiro; China: Chongqing Zven Culture (Simplified characters only); Czech Republic: Euromedia; Slovakia: Ikar

JEREMY LEGGETT Environment/green Living

THE WINNING OF THE CARBON WAR

Humanity is in a race, a kind of civil war.

'Entertaining, informative and almost impossible to put down.' Nicci Talbot, Huffington Post

'We can rely on Jeremy Leggett to provide an interesting and insightful perspective.' Richard Branson, Virgin Group

' 'Great fun to read; kind, tough, and often very funny.' Lord Nicholas Stern, London School of Economics

Rights: World English: Crux Publishing, February 2018, 384 pages

WILLIAM LITTLE Popular psychology

THE PSYCHIC TOURIST: A Voyage into the Curious World of Predicting the Future

Rights: UK: Icon Books; Japan: Hankyu Communications Co (reverted); Russia: Lomonosov Publishing

CHRIS MERRINGTON

Business

WHY DO SMART PEOPLE MAKE SUCH STUPID MISTAKES

Rights: World English: Panoma Press; Arabic: Noon Publishing

Chinese language rights not available

SANDRO MONETTI Biography/cinema

COLIN FIRTH: The Man Who Would Be King

Rights: World English: LBLA Digitalan Amazon bestseller; Germany: Schwarzkopf&Schwarzkopf; Hungary:

Athenaeum Kiado Kft; Poland: Foksal (WAB)

MICKEY ROURKE: Wrestling with Demons

Biography/cinema

Rights: UK: JR Books; World English: LBLA Digital

MARINA PEARSON Self-help/relationship

GOODBYE MR EX

Rights: World English: Panoma Press; Spain: Livros De Seda; Poland: Foksal

Chinese language rights not available

SERGIO PISTOI

DNA NATION Popular science

How the Internet of Genes is Changing your Life

- #1 in the Evolution, Genetic Science and Sociological Study of Medicine categories on Amazon US
- #50 Barnes & Noble bestseller

Millions of people have done it: with a few clicks and some spit, and at less than the cost of a fancy dinner, you can buy a reading of your DNA online. With this in hand, you can find out where you came from, trace relatives around the world and find new friends on a genetic social network. You can learn about your predisposition to disease, get a genetically

tailored diet, understand the sports to which you or your children might be more suited, and even find a date. It's the dawn of consumer genomics, where the progress of biology meets the power of the Internet and big data.

But do these applications work? Can we really prevent diseases based on what we read in our DNA? What do scientists say? And crucially, do we really understand the implications? What happens if things go wrong and the data is misused or the trust abused?

The first book to investigate the enormous and widespread impact of DNA social networks on every single aspect of our lives, it will do so by balancing well-researched information and engaging first-person narrative. It will steer away from technicalities and focus on issues that will make a big, timeless story. Can you imagine a book on computers, media or communication that does not mention the internet and social networks? Of course not. And yet, the existing books about personal genomics have a similar limitation. This book will address the topic with a completely new angle. It will deal with genetic technologies in our homes and that fact that online DNA tools have become mainstream.

Sergio Pistoi, a science writer and an award-winning book author with a PhD in molecular biology whose journalistic credits include Scientific American, Reuters, the New Scientist, Nature and many others, investigates this brave new world first-hand by interrogating his own genes, and has provided a practical, informative and thought-provoking survival guide to online genetic testing. In it he conveys the hopes and the risks of coming face-to-face with our own genetic profile. From medicine to food, from social networking to genealogy, this book will show you how the DNA revolution is beginning to have such a profound impact on our daily lives and why it will influence the choices we make.

<u>Rights</u>: UK and Commonwealth: Crux Publishing; Chinese Complex: Business Weekly Publications at auction; Russia: Portal Books; Slovak: Ikar

GERALD POSNER

History/ biography

HITLER'S CHILDREN

(Revised and updated edition)

• Over 11,400 copies sold

Sold in 12 languages

<u>Rights</u>: New updated edition: World English, Crux Publishing, May 2017; Brazil: Grupo Pensamento; Czech Republic: Partner Technic; Finland: Minerva Kustannus Oy; Poland: Znak at auction; Slovakia: Partner Technic <u>Rights reverted</u>: Belgium: Kritak Uitgeverij Verspreidingscentrum, 1991; Czech: NLN S.R.O, 1992; France: Editions Albin Michel, 1990; Germany: Eulenspiegel – Das Neue Berlin Verlagsgesellschaft, 1994; Iceland: Fjolvi Publishers, 1991; Japan: Holp Shuppan Publishers, 1991; Portugal: Editorial Noticias, 1995; UK: Random House, 1991 (William Heinemann, hardcover, Mandarin paperback); USA: Berkeley

MENGELE: The Complete Story By Gerald Posner with John Ware

History/ biography

<u>Rights:</u> English: Crux Publishing; Brazil: Grupo Pensamento June 2017; Finland: Minerva Kustannus Oy; Czech/Slovak: Citadella Publishing; Poland: Znak; Spain: Esfera dos Livros; Turkey: Andante

<u>Rights reverted</u>: Germany: Aufbau-Verlag (1993 hardcover, 1999 paperback); Poland: Universitas Publishers; Portugal: Esfera Dos Livros (Unipessoal LDA); UK: MacDonald/ Queen Anne Press; USA: McGraw-Hill

PATRICIA POSNER

THE PHARMACIST OF AUSCHWITZ: THE UNTOLD STORY

Popular history/biography

• sold in **16 territories** • Over 33,000 copies sold

THE PHARMACIST OF AUSCHWITZ is the story of Victor Capesius, a Bayer pharmaceutical salesman from Romania who, at the age of 35, joined the Nazi SS in 1943 and quickly became the chief pharmacist at the largest death camp, Auschwitz. Based in part on previously classified documents, Patricia Posner exposes Capesius's reign of terror at the camp, his escape from justice, fueled in part by his theft of gold ripped from the mouths of corpses, and how a handful of courageous survivors and a single brave prosecutor finally brought him to trial for murder twenty years after the end of the war. This is much more, though, than a personal account of Capesius. It provides a spellbinding glimpse inside the devil's pact made between the Nazis and Germany's largest conglomerate, I.G. Farben, and its Bayer pharmaceutical subsidiary. The story is one of murder and greed with its roots in the dark heart of the Holocaust. It is told through Nazi

henchmen and industrialists turned war criminals, intelligence agents and zealous prosecutors, and intrepid concentration camp survivors and Nazi hunters. Set against a backdrop ranging from Hitler's war to conquer Europe to the Final Solution to postwar Germany's tormented efforts to confront its dark past, Posner shows the appalling depths to which ordinary men descend when they are unrestrained by conscience or any sense of morality.

<u>Rights</u>: World English: Crux Publishing, 2017; Brazil: Globo Editora at auction; China: Grand China Publishing House; Czech: Albatros at auction; Estonia: Pegasus; Finland: Minerva Kustannus; Hungary: Nouvion Trade Sociedad Anonima; Italy: Newton Compton in pre-empt; Korea: JIHAKSA; Netherlands: Omniboek/VBK Media; Poland: Uniwersytet Jagiellonski at auction; Portugal: Alma dos Livros; Slovakia: Ikar at auction; Romania: Rao at auction; Russia: AST; Serbia: Publik Praktikum; Spain: Planeta

MATT POTTER

OUTLAWS INC

True Crime/History/Current Affairs

Now in production as a Hollywood movie!

In the world's most dangerous and war-torn trouble spots, you will find a small band of men risking their lives to fly the planes that bring in desperately needed aid and supplies. But they're not heroes. These combat-hardened veterans fly giant Soviet-era superplanes which carry a dark secret: 15 tonnes' worth of secret compartments which they fill with illicit payloads. Their hidden cargo is virtually impossible to detect, and these cowboys of the air will carry anything, from drugs, guns, diamonds and money to people - whatever you've got, to anywhere you want them to take it. But they pay a heavy price: crews routinely lose their lives to gun-toting pirates, terrorists, hostile state forces, jealous competitors and alcohol.

Journalist **Matt Potter** has flown with these men, and in OUTLAWS INC. he follows their incredible, action-packed story around the world. On the way he discovers a secret society populated by mecenaries, dictators, secret policemen, gangsters, businessmen and real-life Bond villains, and finds a story that is all the more terrifying for being true. OUTLAWS INC. is the result of nearly 20 years of work, and a journey that took its author from the mafia badlands of the disintegrating Soviet Union to the black-market warehouses of Afghanistan, the cocaine coast of Central America and the last bolthole of Slobodan Milosevic's Serbia. It combines first-person action-adventure with true crime and political analysis.

<u>Rights:</u> UK and Commonwealth: Pan Macmillan; US and Canada: Bloomsbury USA; Chinese complex: Marco Polo Press; Germany: Ullstein; Italy: Einaudi; Finland: Tammy; Romania; Film and TV: Thunder Road Studio

Matt Potter is a journalist, editor and broadcaster, writing and presenting on global politics, security and crime for the *Washington Post*, the BBC and more. He is also a contributor to the *Telegraph, London Evening Standard, Men's Journal*, Hollywood movies, and Discovery Channel. He has reported for the BBC from Russia, the Balkans, the USA, Afghanistan, Japan, China and Southeast Asia, has won two Sony Awards for radio, and his stories on organised crime, dirty conflict and arm and drug trafficking have been published in 29 languages.

ROBERT J RAY

Writing/reference

THE WEEKEND NOVELIST REWRITES THE NOVEL

Rights: US: Watson-Guptill; UK: A&C Black Publishers

THE WEEKEND NOVELIST

Rights: US: Dell, 1994, (9 reprints); UK: A&C Black Publishers; Arabic: Nour El Maaref; Korea: DASAN BOOKS CO

THE WEEKEND NOVELIST WRITES A MYSTERY (with Jack Remick)

Rights: Dell Publishing

TAM RODWELL

DAREDEVIL DADS I & II Action/adventure

Publication June 2018 (vol 1), Sept 2018 (vol 2) Rights: World English: Crux Publishing; Viet Nam: Ho Chi

Minh City General Publishing House

SUZANNE ROYNON

WELCOME HOME

Lifestyle/self-help

How Stuff Makes or Breaks your Relationship

Are your possessions trashing your love life?

In this book, Suzanne Roynon shows you how stuff can trap you in relationship misery.

If you're single or your romantic relationship simply isn't working out, using the Interiors Therapy process will transform your experience. Suzanne explains:

- How certain possessions impact on love
- Evaluating clutter is only part of the problem
- Activating change in nine key parts of your life
- Recognising the power of positive intention
- ▼ Transforming romance with your Manifesto for Love™

Become enlightened both physically and emotionally to inspire the loving relationship you deserve.

Rights: English World: Panoma Press Publication June 2020

Suzanne Roynon is 'The UK's leading Interiors Therapist'. Suzanne is a speaker, author and coach. In 2019, national newspaper features about her powerful new Interiors Therapy method explained a home could be a 'Manrepeller' or 'Womanrepeller' preventing the occupant from enjoying a healthy, balanced, loving relationship. The articles became click-bait worldwide, generating media interest, interviews and an international client base. The need for Interiors Therapy became abundantly clear. Suzanne is based in Hertfordshire.

JONATHAN SACKS Religion/science

THE GREAT PARTNERSHIP, RELIGION, SCIENCE AND THE SEARCH FOR MEANING

'One of the most engaging thinkers of our time', The Times

'Britain's most authentically prophetic voice', Daily Telegraph

Rights: UK: Hodder and Stoughton; Serbia: under offer; Slovenia: Druzina; US: Random House (Schocken imprint)

GRACE SAUNDERS Women's lifestyle/parenting

TO FAMILY LIFE/ FAMILY LIFE MADE EASY

Rights: UK: Century/Random; Serial: Daily Mail; Turkey: ARTEMIS/ALFA

THE FABULOUS MUM'S HANDBOOOK The Sunday Times bestseller

<u>Rights</u>: UK: Century/Random; Serial rights: The Daily Telegraph; Czech: CP Books; Estonia: Eesti Ekspressi Kirjastuse; Germany: Campus; Romania: CURTEA VECHE Publishing; Spanish: Ediciones B; Turkish: ALFA/Artemis

DOMINIC SELWOOD Popular history

SPIES, SADISTS AND SORCERERS

• 17,300 copies sold

<u>Rights</u>: World English: Crux Publishing, January 2016; China (Simplified): China Renmin University Press; China (Complex): China Times Publishing Company

F. SPENCER CHAPMAN

History/biography

THE JUNGLE IS NEUTRAL

The classic account of one soldier's epic three-year jungle war against the Japanese

When the Japanese overran Malaya in 1942, army officer and survival expert F. Spencer Chapman was trapped behind enemy lines in the deep tropical jungle. His response was to unleash a commando campaign of such lethal effectiveness that the Japanese deployed an entire regiment in a desperate effort to hunt him down.

For the next three years and four months, Chapman was cut off from friendly forces. He was wounded, often starving and racked by tropical disease, while many of his companions were killed or captured and then beheaded. But he held out. *The Jungle is Neutral* is Chapman's riveting account of his heroic guerrilla campaign and a war story without rival, an unforgettable tale of endurance and survival against all the odds.

'A thrilling chapter of a brave man's life ... fascinating' The New York Times

'As a tale of endeavour and endurance it will not be surpassed ... Merely to read his book is a profound experience' Sunday Times

'An extraordinary life ... For over three years in the Second World War, he blew up trains, bridges and enemy soldiers in the jungles of Malaya all the while studying birdlife and collecting seeds to send back to Kew Gardens ... Quite why Chapman hasn't found Lawrence of Arabia's fame is anyone's guess' *The Guardian*

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books

MONICA-MARIA STAPELBERG

Cultural history/pop culture

STRANGE BUT TRUE

Rights: World English: Crux Publishing; China simplified characters: Beijing Paper Jump Cultural Development

Company

PETER TOWNSEND History/ biography

TIME AND CHANCE

Viewers of The Crown will love this heartfelt and sincere life story which shows another side of a tragic love story.

The romance between Princess Margaret and Group Captain Peter Townsend in the 1950s rocked the British Establishment, pulled at the heartstrings of a nation and brought sorrow to two intensely human individuals. In Time and Chance, Peter Townsend tells his side of the story in intensely personal terms, and places the episode within the whole context of his full and varied life, a story which includes great heroism in World War II as well as his part in one of the most publicised love stories of the twentieth century.

Townsend was a professional airman, and one who adored his work. When World War II came, he proved himself a brilliant fighter pilot who was as effective at planning the battles of others as he was at fighting his own. A distinguished career in the post-war air force seemed his destiny until, in February 1944, it was decided to widen the range from which the royal equerries were selected. Group Captain Townsend, desperately in need of a rest from flying, was put forward for the job. His assignment was for three months. In the event it lasted for eight years, destroyed his marriage and his career and changed the course of his life forever.

Peter Townsend describes his life in the royal household in vivid detail, taking in his admiration and affection for the King and Queen, the quirks and qualities of his colleagues, the comradeship, the jokes and jollities, the occasional disasters, the pompous and the absurd. Above all, he describes his feelings for Princess Margaret with honesty and dignity. It is a sad, perhaps even tragic story – the love between two sincere and warm-hearted people in conflict with the demands of the Establishment. Townsend does not hesitate to apportion blame where he feels it is merited but he writes without bitterness or self-pity as an intense period of his life is viewed through the lens of a subsequent long and happy marriage.

'A Royal fairy tale' Sunday Telegraph

'One of the saddest love stories of modern times' The Scotsman

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books (August 2021)

DUEL OF EAGLES

Peter Townsend – himself a veteran and ace of the RAF – traces the development of the Royal Air Force and the Luftwaffe from the primitive but ferocious dogfights of 1917 to their decisive confrontations in the Battle of Britain in World

^{&#}x27;There is much frankness and honesty, much modesty and common sense' Economist

^{&#}x27;Brilliantly sincere and eminently moving' Edinburgh Evening News

^{&#}x27;A war hero – dashing and distinguished' New York Times

^{&#}x27;Townsend was always considered to be the great love of Princess Margaret's life' Vanity Fair

War II. To tell the story, Townsend interviewed hundreds of men who fought on both sides of the battle – German and British pilots, the commanders and planners who directed the battle, the scientists and aircraft designers whose machines helped determine the outcome.

None of the many books about the Battle of Britain rival Duel of Eagles which conveys vividly the drama of that battle as it was for the men who fought it. Rich in human detail and full of surprising revelations, this is the finest book we are likely to have on the greatest air battle of World War II.

'A remarkable exercise in research at air-crew levels. He writes of air combat with verve and at times almost with poetry' Sunday Times

'If I were going to choose a single book to cover the Battle of Britain in a comprehensive manner I would choose DUEL OF EAGLES' <u>Daily Telegraph</u>

'Lively and well written ... encompasses moments of exhilaration and terror' Kirkus Reviews

'A fine book' Len Deighton, New York Times

DUEL IN THE DARK

The follow up to the magisterial DUEL OF EAGLES, DUEL IN THE DARK tells the story of how London was defended from the Luftwaffe's terrifying night-time attacks. Peter Townsend – a pilot during the Battle of Britain who was part of London's night defence force – tells how he and his comrades tried against all odds to defend the city from the Germans' nine-month long night-time assault. This was the 'Night Blitz', when Britain, alone with her loyal Commonwealth and the few brave, invaluable remnants of her allied forces, kept fighting on at home as well as on many foreign fronts. Interweaving the experiences of a typical London family during the Blitz with his own first-hand story of the battle from the air, Peter Townsend dramatically portrays the courage and fighting spirit which saved Britain.

Rights: World English: Silvertail Books (June 2021)

JUSTINE TRUEMAN Personal finance/self-help

DETOX YOUR FINANCES: The Ultimate Book of Money Matters for Women Rights: UK: Allison and Busby; Brazil: Editora Gente; Indonesia: Gading Inti Prima

PETER WRIGHT
Pets/memoir

THE YORKSHIRE VET: In the Footsteps of Herriot Publication 2018

A warm and engaging memoir from the star of UK Channel 5's popular series, 'The Yorkshire Vet'

MY YORKSHIRE GREAT AND SMALL Publication 2019

Rights: World English: Mirror Books