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Women's Fiction



Summer at the Little French Café

Karen Clarke

Chick Lit

Previous series has sold over 130,000 copies to date. Amazon UK top 100 author

Retail Description

Thirty-year-old Elle Matheson has decided it's finally time to find the mother who gave her up as a baby. With a faded postcard from the Café Belle Vie in hand – one of the very few things she has from her mother – she heads straight to the Île de Ré to begin her search. With only the postcard and the ivory shawl she was wrapped in as clues, finding her mum is like trying to find a needle in a haystack, even with the help of friendly – and gorgeous – café-owner Charlie. And since Elle hasn't exactly told her younger sister what she's up to, the little white lies about where she is are starting to add up. But Elle is really starting to feel at home on the beautiful island. The locals are welcoming, the café is homely, and Charlie is always there with a helping hand, a listening ear, and a pain au chocolat. Is Elle about to discover not just where she came from – but where she belongs?

Reviews for Karen Clarke

'I about fell out of my chair laughing.... It was hysterical... One of my favorite authors to turn to when I need a pick me up... Perfect... So many laughs my sides were sore after reading!... Hilarious' Novel Gossip, 5 stars

'Words cannot express how much I enjoyed this novel... hilarious... I couldn't put it down... I would 110% recommend this book. It's the perfect story to get you excited for summer... left me feeling all warm inside' The Cosiest Corner, 5 stars

Author Biography

After giving up her job as a library assistant, Karen now writes full-time. She's had over 300 stories published in women's magazines in the UK and abroad, and has written three paranormal romantic comedies, published by Little, Brown/Corsair. When she's not writing she reads avidly, walks dogs at her local rescue centre, and is eagerly awaiting the next season of The Walking Dead. She lives in Buckinghamshire with her husband and three grown-up children.

OPTIONS

Audible

COVER ART
PENDING

Little French Cafe Book 3

Karen Clarke

Chick Lit

Previous series has sold over 150,000 copies to date. Amazon UK top 100 author. Escape to the Little French Cafe and Summer at the Little French Cafe are also available

Retail Description

Twenty-nine-year-old Kat Bailey loves Christmas. Except this year, because this is the year she was supposed to be getting married in a festive ceremony in the snow – until the relationship broke down and she found herself alone.

She's not really in the mood to be jolly or sing carols – in fact, what Kat really wants is to avoid the whole thing. So she's come to the charming village of Chamillon to stay with her Aunt Dolly at the Café Belle Vie.

But Kat's not the only person trying to ignore the festivities. Ryan Sadler is also hiding out at the café, and though there's a spark between them, Kat is determined to get through Christmas with no tinsel, no fuss – and definitely no romance.

With fairy lights covering every wall, a tree to equal the Rockefeller Center and, yes, mistletoe above every doorway, is Kat about to find that you just can't ignore Christmas spirit – and love – when it comes to call?

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Audible



A Summer Escape and Strawberry Cake at the Cosy Kettle

Liz Eeles

Chick Lit

Author's previous series sold over 20,000 copies

Retail Description

Flora has always lived in her handsome husband's shadow, and when she finds him entwined with a waitress half his age, she decides to escape. Leaving her hubby for good and investing in The Cosy Kettle café in the charming village of Honeyford is a leap into the unknown. But as the locals welcome her with open arms, Flora is proud that she made her escape and is following her own dreams.

She's soon growing close to café regular Daniel. As they share strawberry cake on walks together through the blossom-scented woods of Honeyford, both start to open up about past hurts, and the way his smile lights up his face makes Flora forget all her troubles.

But when Daniel goes silent, Flora is confused, and starts to wonder if he's hiding something. And with her ex turning up at the café, begging for her to come home and putting off customers, Flora feels torn. Should she return to the comfortable, safe life she had before? Or, this summer, should she escape for good?

Reviews for Liz Eeles

'I laughed my head off... Brilliant!... A touching, laugh out loud novel which is full of surprises, humour, but most importantly – the strength of those you love.'
The Writing Garnet

'I absolutely adored this book and I definitely feel it is now one of my favourites of all time... brilliant from start to finish' 5 stars – Goodreads Reviewer

Author Biography

Liz began her writing career as a journalist for newspapers and magazines before moving into the health sector as a communications manager and press officer. The low point of her career was abandoning an interview with Cliff Richard after two questions because she was about to faint – her excuse is that she was newly pregnant at the time. Liz lives by the sea in West Sussex with her husband and grown-up daughter. She spends a lot of time meaning to meditate, avoiding exercise, and missing her son who lives in London.

OPTIONS

Audible, Rowohlt

COVER ART
PENDING

A Christmas Wish and a Cranberry Kiss at the Cosy Kettle

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Chick Lit

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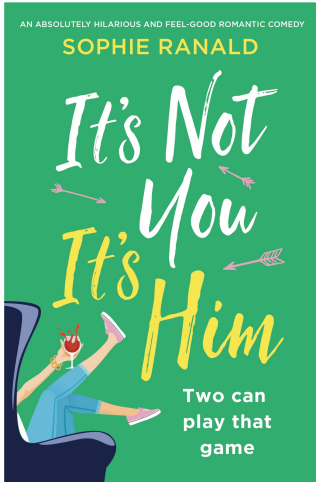
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Audible, Rowohlt



It's Not You It's Him

Sophie Ranald

Chick Lit

Previous title SORRY NOT SORRY has sold over 54,000 copies and reached the top 15 on Amazon UK

Retail Description

It's been ten days, two hours and forty-three minutes since Tansy got dumped.

Since then, she's spent every evening scrolling through their old photos, drunk texted Renzo twenty-six times (he stopped reading after five), and lost count of how many packets of Kleenex she's cried her way through.

That's where Operation Get Renzo Back comes in. She ropes in a new wing-woman, maxes out her credit card and accidentally-on-purpose bumps into him at every opportunity. Oh, and she finds a fake boyfriend, as you do...

But while she's busy pretending, Tansy's plan is thrown a major curveball. She has to learn the hard way that it's not her, it's him – and that sometimes, a break-up can end up being the making of you.

Reviews for Sophie Ranald

'Absolutely brilliant... I devoured it in a few hours because it was impossible to put down... Be prepared for a rollercoaster of emotions... Had me laughing all the way through... Perfect.' Goodreads Reviewer

'OMG THIS IS ONE OF THE BEST ROMANCE BOOKS I'VE EVER READ... I literally laughed out loud because it is just too relatable and too funny... Reminds me of Sophie Kinsella... CANNOT wait to read more books from this author!!' Bookish Bibliophile, 5 stars

Author Biography

Sophie Ranald is the youngest of five sisters. She was born in Zimbabwe and lived in South Africa until an acute case of itchy feet brought her to London in her mid-20s. As an editor for a customer publishing agency, Sophie developed her fiction-writing skills describing holidays to places she'd never visited. In 2011, she decided to write full-time. She became part of the Bookouture family in 2018. Sophie also writes for magazines and online about food, fashion, finance and fitness. She lives in south-east London with her amazing partner Hopi and Purrs, their adorable little cat.



A Very French Affair

Sue Roberts

Chick Lit

Previous title MY BIG GREEK SUMMER sold 51,000 copies and reached the top 30 on Amazon UK

Retail Description

Life just got a whole lot more complicated for thirty-eight-year-old single mum Liv. Her son Jake is practically perfect in every way, but he's started asking some difficult questions, and the answers lie in a holiday romance twenty years ago. Back when Liv was staying with her aunt on the French Riviera...

Returning to the Cote d'Azur, with its white sandy beaches, her supportive aunt, and exquisite wine and cheese is harder than it sounds though. Because – if she's going to give Jake the answers he needs – Liv knows she has to hunt down her first love Andre. And since she's a professional baker rather than a professional investigator, she doesn't even have a clue where to start.

At first, finding the one that got away proves even trickier than she thought. And if she succeeds, how will he take the bombshell secret Liv has been keeping? Liv has to do the best thing for her family, but does that mean closing the door on this very French affair?

Reviews for Sue Roberts

'I absolutely LOVED, no make that ADORED reading it... I was hooked... I stayed up reading the book until the early hours of the morning.' Ginger Book Geek, 5 stars

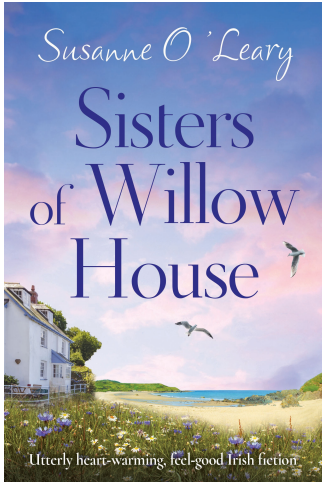
'A fantastic story... laugh-out-loud... I literally flew through the pages... I loved every minute.' The Cosiest Corner

Author Biography

I live in Lancashire with my long term partner Derek and have had a lifelong love of writing, encouraged by winning a school writing competition at the age of 11. I always assumed that 'one day' I would write a book, always having a busy household and a job, the idea remained firmly on the back burner but never forgotten. The inspiration for my first novel came to me on a holiday to a Greek village. My daughters had left home and suddenly the time had come to write that book!

OPTIONS

Newton Compton, Goldmann Verlag, Świat Książki, Audible



Sisters of Willow House

Susanne O'Leary

Chick Lit

Previous titles have sold 16,000 copies to date

Retail Description

Roisin McKenna and her husband Cian are taking time apart. Unsure of what she wants, Roisin's prayers are answered when she receives a call from her sister Maeve who's desperate for her help. Will she go to Sandy Cove to help Maeve restore their aunt's gorgeous tumble-down mansion Willow House?

When Roisin arrives she only has time to focus on the crumbling walls, the smell of fresh paint and the sea breeze whipping along the shore. Despite a shocking announcement from Maeve, hidden secrets in the house's lofty rafters and the impossible task of managing a crew of laid-back Irish builders, Roisin begins to feel a sense of self she's been missing for years.

The ties that bind Roisin to her husband seem to be unfurling in the Irish wind, when she unexpectedly stumbles into a mysterious man on the beach. Suddenly, she's swept up in the idea of another life she could lead...

The restoration may have brought the sisters back together, but as a storm rolls over the coast Roisin feels sure she must make a choice. Will her time at Willow House teach her the precious lessons she needs to return home or has the cove called to her in ways she'd never imagined it could?

Reviews for Susanne O'Leary

'I really wish I was still reading this book... I suppose I had to run out of pages at some point, at the rate I was devouring them... Perfect for these hot summer days... A pure joy to read... fabulous' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'Delightful... I would love to see this made into a movie! I enjoyed every page I read... it was just the escape I needed. I loved it... I laughed through so many scenes' Escape with a Book!, 5 stars

Author Biography

Susanne O'Leary is the bestselling author of more than 20 novels, mainly in the romantic fiction genre. She has also written three crime novels and two in the historical fiction genre. The wife of a former diplomat, she has also been a fitness teacher and a translator. She now writes full-time from either of two locations, a rambling house in County Tipperary, Ireland or a little cottage overlooking the Atlantic in Dingle, County Kerry. When she is not scaling the mountains of said counties, or doing yoga, she keeps writing, producing a book every six months.

OPTIONS

Audible

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PENDING

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Susanne O'Leary

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OPTIONS

Audible



Accidental Lies

Dana Mason

Romance

Retail Description

Three blissful weeks on the beautiful island of Maui are exactly what I need... Hula dancers, Mai Tais with cocktail umbrellas, and golden beaches – what more could I want?

Then I see her, and I realize she's exactly what I want. I couldn't help noticing the pain behind her eyes... four Mai Tais later, the chemistry between us is hotter than the Hawaiian sun, and we decide to spend the rest of our vacation unwinding, undressing, and getting to know each other a little better...

We have just two rules:

- 1) No talking about our lives outside Maui.
- 2) This is just a vacation fling.

When our trip comes to an end, can I say goodbye to this gorgeous blue-eyed beauty? Or am I going to be tempted to break the rules? And if I do, will she even want me when she finds out who I really am?

Reviews for Dana Mason

'Out-of-this-world amazing.' ★★★★★

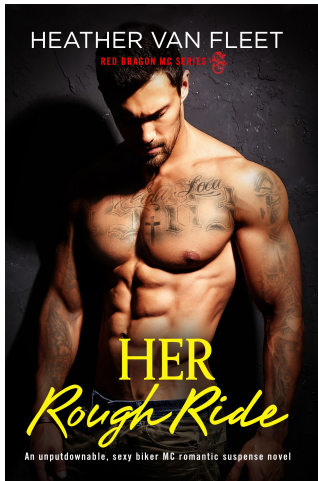
'I was absolutely hooked.' ★★★★★

'SEXY!!!!... I'm obsessed.' ★★★★★

'I just loved everything about this book.' ★★★★★

Author Biography

Dana Mason started writing ten years ago after being overwhelmed by a story that wouldn't let her sleep until she started writing. The story, *Dangerous Embrace*, was published in 2012 and won Best Mystery/Suspense from eFestival of Words Best of Independent eBook Awards. *Dangerous Embrace* is the first book in her Embrace Series. The second book in the series, *Precious Embrace*, was Runner-Up for Best Hero from eFestival of Words Best of Independent eBook Awards. Her third book, *Broken Embrace*, was awarded Best Indie Book in 2015 in the Romance Category. Dana lives in Northern California with her husband, children, and her writing companion/mighty protector, Mia the Chihuahua.



Her Rough Ride

Heather Van Fleet

Romance

Retail Description

My name was Sebastian. But now they call me Slade. I've reinvented myself, become a man, been sworn into the Red Dragon MC. I've got tattooed and ripped to hell, I've cut my hair and my face now bears the scars of all the fights I've seen. The last thing I need is to face her again... It's been eight years since Maya ran away from the club. Sweet, beautiful Maya. My first love. Why do I have to ride halfway across the country to pick her up? Because the club is at war, she's the niece of our President and I'm the only brother who can be trusted to protect her. She broke my heart, but I still want her. Do I ever. This woman is my goddess. She's also my curse. I need to focus on getting her home. But as soon as our eyes lock, she's looking at me all kinds of ways. Like I'm the sexiest, most perfect stranger she's ever seen. And then I realise, I look completely different to the boy she once knew and she doesn't even recognise me. I could tell her who I am. Or I could have a little fun with her first...

Reviews for Heather Van Fleet

'Kept me glued to my Kindle!' ★★★★★
 'Favourite read of 2019!' ★★★★★
 'A perfect smokin' hot sizzling read!!' ★★★★★
 'Oh my god. This. Was. Wonderful' ★★★★★

Author Biography

Heather Van Fleet is a stay-at-home-mom turned book boyfriend connoisseur. She's married to her high school sweetheart, a mom to three girls, and in her spare time you can find her with her head buried in her Kindle, guzzling down copious amounts of coffee. Heather graduated from Black Hawk College in 2003 and currently writes New Adult and Adult Contemporary Romance.



No Time to Say Goodbye

Kate Hewitt

Women's Fiction

Previous titles by Kate have sold over 136,000 copies, and have been top 30 in UK and US Amazon charts

Retail Description

Nathan Ross loved his wife Laura with all his heart. But now she is gone. Taken from them in a seemingly-random act of violence. She was the glue that held their family together. And for Nathan, life without her feels almost meaningless.

As he tries to find hope in the darkness, and their three daughters fight to express their grief in different and challenging ways, he reaches out to others who had known Laura. Including her new friend Maria, whose light and warmth is exactly what their desperately grieving family needs, and who is soon helping out and providing emotional support for them all.

But the picture Maria paints of Laura feels unfamiliar to Nathan, and he struggles to reconcile it with his own memories of the woman he loved. Is it possible he didn't know his wife after all? And can he trust Maria? He can't escape the feeling that she's keeping something from him.

What he doesn't know is it's a secret with the power to rock his family to its core. Because it is about the day that Laura died...

Reviews for Kate Hewitt

'THE book of the year!... I don't think I have ever cried as much' Sinfully Wicked Book Reviews, ★★★★★

'Never has any book been able to just wipe me out with such gut-wrenching sadness... BEAUTIFULLY DONE' Goodreads Reviewer, ★★★★★

Author Biography

Kate Hewitt is the author of many romance and women's fiction novels. A former New Yorker and now an American ex-pat, she lives in a small town on the Welsh border with her husband, five children, and their overly affectionate Golden Retriever. Whatever the genre, she enjoys telling stories that tackle real issues and touch people's lives.

OPTIONS

Ikar, Publish and More, Newton Compton



The Beekeeper's Cottage

Emma Davies

Women's Fiction

106,000 copies of Emma Davies' books sold to date. Previous title THE LITTLE COTTAGE ON THE HILL reached Amazon UK and Amazon CA top 70

Retail Description

Sweet-natured beekeeper Grace thought throwing out her cheating husband would be the hardest thing she ever did. But when she opens the door to an estate agent one morning, it's clear that keeping the beautiful home and garden – her only sanctuary throughout her miserable marriage – will be the greatest challenge of all... Fleeing to the flower farm next-door for help, Grace meets Amos, a handsome drifter in bright red DocMartins who offers to stay at Hope Corner and help her turn her beloved home into a guest house in return for lessons in beekeeping.

Amos is sensitive and secretive, never staying long in the same place after an incident in his past involving a mysterious woman named Maria. But as their eyes lock over a jar of the sweetest homemade honey, Grace can't help feeling that she'd really like him to stay...

The guest house complete, Grace's wakes to find Amos is gone. Determined not to let him go, she goes in search of Maria. But once Grace finds out the truth, will she still want Amos to put down roots at Hope Corner? Will they even have a home there to return to?

Reviews for Emma Davies

'Simply brilliant... hooked from the first page and wanted to give it far more than the five stars... so heart-warming and romantic and uplifting and such a delight to read... has you in tears... An amazing read and so uplifting. I highly recommend I couldn't put it down at all.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

'A heart-warming, feel-good tale that will have you staying up all night to finish... A wonderful read.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Emma once worked for a design studio where she was asked to provide a fun, humorous, and not necessarily true anecdote about herself for their website. She wrote the following: 'I am a bestselling novelist currently masquerading as a thirty something mother of three.' Well the job didn't work out but she's now a forty something mother of three and happy to report the rest of her dream came true. She now lives in rural Shropshire with her husband, three children, and two guinea pigs where she writes full time from a shed in the garden.

OPTIONS

Fortuna, Newton Compton, Bastei Lübbe, Audible

COVER ART
PENDING

The Shop on Silver Linings Lane

Emma Davies

Women's Fiction

106,000 copies of Emma Davies' books sold to date. Previous title THE LITTLE COTTAGE ON THE HILL reached Amazon UK and Amazon CA top 70

Retail Description

Thirty-two-year-old Daisy Turner has worked as an assistant at Buchannan's Family Jewellers for what feels like forever. Despite her amazing talent for finding the unique sparkle in every customer, she's full of self-doubt after escaping a troubled home. Without complaint she lovingly polishes the shine back into each stunning creation every morning, and safely locks them away at night.

But everything changes the day the owner announces she is retiring and leaving the shop to whichever of her three sons creates the perfect piece of Christmas jewellery for Daisy.

Much to her embarrassment, each of the Buchanan brothers plan to sweep Daisy off her feet and find out what her heart truly desires. In between ice-skating, sleigh-riding dates and cosy candle-lit dinners, it's only quiet, youngest brother Kit who really seems to be listening. Because Daisy has a secret. When the shop is closed, she makes jewellery too...

As Christmas Day approaches, Daisy's growing feelings for Kit fill her with a confidence she never knew she had. But as each of the brothers present their elaborate Christmas masterpieces, her dream of entering her own creation and running Buchannan's herself melts as quickly as a snowflake in a hot cup of cocoa.

Reviews for Emma Davies

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OPTIONS

Fortuna, Newton Compton, Bastei Lübbe, Audible

COVER ART
PENDING

Summer at Firefly Beach

Jenny Hale

Women's Fiction

Author has sold over 651,000 copies. Top 15 Amazon US and UK author

Retail Description

Darcy Bennett's favourite place in the world is her great Aunt Pearl's beautiful beach side house, with its inviting wraparound porch and enchanting views across the sparkling turquoise ocean. For Darcy, going to the house on Firefly Beach, filled with magical childhood memories, feels like coming home. But all that is about to change.

In one moment Darcy's world is turned upside down. She's left broken-hearted when her adored Aunt Pearl passes away.

But as always, Aunt Pearl has thought of everything. She has left Darcy one last letter including a request for her to fulfil before she receives her inheritance. Reading the familiar ink-stained writing, Darcy realises this is a bucket list she wrote when she was twelve. But for once, Darcy decides not to hesitate. Stepping away from her dead-end job and predictable schedule, she embraces Aunt Pearl's last wishes.

As she spends the summer at Firefly Beach, Darcy encounters old friends and begins to rediscover the person she once was. And all the time Ben is there, supporting her every step of the way. But following the bucket list isn't an easy journey. And if that wasn't all, a run in with wealthy Blake McGuire, who is on vacation in Firefly Beach, leaves her heart hammering for reasons she'd rather not admit to.

Reviews for Jenny Hale

'I loved it so much. 5 stars just doesn't seem enough. I can honestly say it had me hooked from the first few lines. I could barely put the book down... the best book I have read in a long time.' 5 stars – Goodreads Reviewer

'An uplifting, feel good summer romance... I became seriously addicted to reading this book and the time passed in a blur... The author's writing style is such that she captures the reader from the first word on the first page and before you know what is happening, you are hooked... left me with a smile on my face and

Author Biography

Jenny Hale is a USA Today and Amazon best-selling author of romantic women's fiction. The film adaptation of her novel *Coming Home for Christmas* will air on the Hallmark Channel in 2018. Her stories are chock-full of feel-good romance and overflowing with warm settings, great friends, and family. Grab a cup of coffee, settle in, and join the fun!

OPTIONS

Fanucci, Pegasus Yayinlari, Hermes Publishing, Lubbe Bastei, Bastei Lübbe, Audible, Weltbild Verlag, Bladkompaniet AS, Newton Compton

COVER ART
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Christmas with You

Jenny Hale

Women's Fiction

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Hattie's Home for Broken Hearts

Tilly Tennant

Women's Fiction

Top 20 Amazon CA and top 30 Amazon UK author. Author has over 185,000 backlist sales

Retail Description

Escape to the daisy-strewn windswept Dorset cliffs, to the donkey sanctuary at Sweet Briar Farm, where Hattie Rose is about to find, that in this world, the most unlikely opposites can sometimes attract ...

Hattie was once thrilled to call the beautiful city of Paris her home. But when her heart is broken by her boyfriend and she loses her dream job, she bids farewell to the city of love and hurries home to Gillypuddle, a sleepy village on the Dorset coast. But as she returns home she finds her parents struggling to cope with a terrible family tragedy.

In a desperate search for a new start, Hattie takes a job at the donkey sanctuary nearby on Sweet Briar Farm where Jo, the taciturn owner, certainly loves her animals far more than humans. Hattie can't help but fall in love with the donkeys (and the opportunity to get close to dreamy Canadian vet Seth) but Jo is harder to get to know and when she finds her boss sobbing in her sleep one stormy night, she knows that her new friend is hiding a dark secret.

And when handsome newspaper reporter Owen does some digging into Jo's past he finds something that connects her to Hattie on a whole new level. Can Hattie trust what Owen says, especially when he seems intent on standing in the way of her blossoming romance with Seth? And can Hattie help Jo to start healing and the donkeys of Sweet Briar Farm?

Reviews for Tilly Tennant

'A fabulous, feel good book. That will make you go through every single emotion possible. It's an absolute gem of a book and one simply not to be missed.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

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Author Biography

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OPTIONS

Lighthouse Pictures

COVER ART
PENDING

The Garden on Sparrow Street

Tilly Tennant

Women's Fiction

Top 20 Amazon CA and top 30 Amazon UK author. Author has 200,000 backlist sales.

Retail Description

Snow has been forecast in the sleepy northern town of Wrenwick and as a bitter wind blows through Sparrow Street's gardens, grieving widow Nina is having a hard time of it. She's just lost her job and with Christmas approaching without her beloved husband Gray, it's hardly the most magical time of the year.

But when she hears that Sparrow Street's Community Garden is to be put up for sale, Nina is determined to turn bad into good, and she gathers the residents of Sparrow Street around her to make the neglected patch of land into a Garden of Memories. Because Nina isn't the only lonely soul on Sparrow Street- and as the community come together - Nina meets new neighbours and friends and begins to develop feelings for Irish gardener Colm with his sparkling blue eyes and musical accent.

But just as Colm and Nina grow closer, and he opens up to her about his own secret loss, their beautiful garden is vandalised and Colm's estranged wife Jane returns from Scotland, wanting to try again. Nina knows she should let the man she's falling for go - it's the right thing to do. But what if fate has other plans in store?

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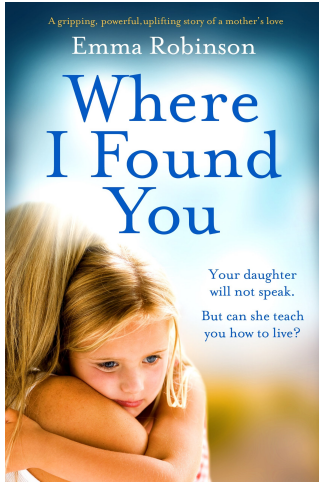
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OPTIONS

Lighthouse Pictures



Where I Found You

Emma Robinson

Women's Fiction

Author has sold over 27,000 copies to date

Retail Description

Sara knows her little girl Ruby isn't like everyone else's child. Of course Sara realises that every parent sees their own child as special, but ever since Ruby was a baby, she has felt unique. She likes things done in a certain way, and it makes Sara smile every day... even on days when it feels exhausting.

Not everyone understands Ruby like Sara though. Not Sara's husband, and certainly not her disapproving mother-in-law, Ivy. So when circumstances force their family to move in with Ivy, Sara knows it's going to make motherhood – already challenging – even harder still.

When Ruby's pre-school suggest that her particularity might be a sign of autism, in the same week that Sara's husband walks out for good, Sara's world is blown apart.

There is someone she can ask for help. But is Ivy actually on her side? And what secrets of her own is she hiding from Sara?

Reviews for Emma Robinson

'Made me laugh and cry all in one go... A beautiful feel-good book of friendship and love which had me chuckling to myself one minute then wiping away tears the next.' Stardust Book Reviews

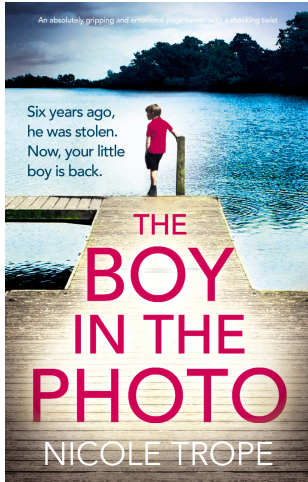
'I absolutely loved this book... It is so much fun... Do yourself a favour and get lost in this story!!!' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Emma Robinson thinks of herself as one of the 'Bridget Jones generation' – who are now grown up and having children – and writes novels for women who feel the same. She also has a blog, Motherhood for Slackers, which takes a humorous look at parenthood, and includes poems such as 'Dear Teacher' about her son starting school which has been shared around the world. Emma is an English teacher and lives in Essex with a patient husband and two children who are an endless source of material.

OPTIONS

Audible



The Boy in the Photo

Nicole Trope

Women's Fiction

Retail Description

Megan waits at the school gates for her six-year-old son, Daniel. As children come and go, the playground emptying, panic bubbles inside her. Daniel is nowhere to be found.

According to his teacher, Daniel's father, Greg, has picked up his son. Except Greg and Megan are no longer together. After years of being controlled by her cruel husband, Megan has finally found the courage to divorce him. Hands trembling, she dials his number, but the line is dead. Six years later

Megan is feeding baby daughter, Evie, when she gets the call she has dreamt about for years. Daniel has walked into a police station in a remote town just a few miles away. Her son is alive – and he's coming home.

But their joyful family reunion does not go to plan. His room may have been frozen in time, with his Cookie Monster poster and stack of Lego under the bed, but Daniel is no longer the sweet little boy Megan remembers.

Cold and distant, Daniel is grieving the death of his father, blaming Megan for his loss and rejecting his family. And as Megan struggles to connect with the son she no longer recognises as her own, she begins to realise that Daniel has a secret. A secret that could destroy their family and put them in terrible danger.

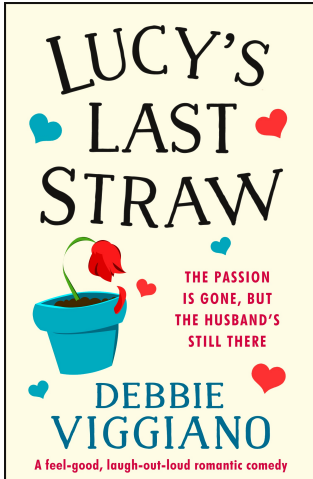
Reviews for Nicole Trope

'Wow! Wow! Wow!... This book is ahhmazing!... I literally couldn't put it down!... WOW!' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'What a heartbreaking story!... It had me gripped from the first chapter... Make sure you have tissues to hand!' Stardust Book Reviews

Author Biography

Nicole Trope Nicole Trope went to university to study Law but realised the error of her ways when she did very badly on her first law essay because, as her professor pointed out, 'It's not meant to be a story.' She studied teaching instead and used her holidays to work on her writing career and complete a Masters' degree. In between raising three children, working for her husband and renovating houses, she has published six novels. She lives in Sydney, Australia.



Lucy's Last Straw

Debbie Viggiano

Women's Fiction

Top 20 Amazon UK author, with 53,000 copies sold to date

Retail Description

It was the toothpaste smeared around the sink that broke my marriage. As I rubbed it away AGAIN, I was reminded of everything else I've tidied up these twenty-five years. Dropped boxer shorts, inside-out socks, the toilet seat... small things, but the realisation was huge.

Lucy and Leo Jones are about to have their marriage screech to a halt over toothpaste. Of course, it isn't really just toothpaste... it's everything! No sex life, adult children who keep pinging back, and a house down-size to Rose Cottage, a tumble-down affair with a seriously neglected garden. Add the menopause and a naughty pooch, and it's no wonder that Lucy feels stressed.

And then along comes gorgeous builder Will, ten years younger and constantly under Lucy's feet while he does up the house. His twinkly eyes and blow-torch smile are causing Lucy to break out in a hot sweat – but is it love, lust or simply dodgy hormones that are causing her heart to flutter? Everyone knows that little things build up. And then they explode. Lucy's last straw might not be something she's able to get over...

Reviews for Debbie Viggiano

'OMG this book had me rolling around on the floor before I'd even finished the first page!... I absolutely loved this book and couldn't put it down. I recommend you stop what you're doing and go and buy this book now!' Literature Love, 5 stars

'Well I simply loved this... there were a few surprises in there too! Thank you to Debbie Viggiano for bringing these characters to life and making me laugh so hard.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Prior to turning her attention to writing, Debbie Viggiano was, for more years than she cares to remember, a legal secretary. She lives with her Italian husband, a rescued pooch from Crete, and a very disgruntled cat. Occasionally her children return home from uni bringing her much joy... apart from their gifts of dirty laundry.

OPTIONS

Audible

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The Golden Oldies Guesthouse

Dee MacDonald

Women's Fiction

Top 50 Amazon UK author

Retail Description

This story follows an older couple – Tess and Simon Sparrow – have married in their twilight years and decide to say goodbye to responsibilities and escape to country life in a picturesque village in Cornwall.

There they impulsively buy a huge, tumble-down house and set about restoring it. They get themselves into all sorts of hilarious scenarios and eventually run out of money – and that's when their luck turns around!

Ever-resourceful, the two older lovebirds begin to rent out the rooms in the half-finished house to an eclectic mix of older people – all with fascinating stories of their own.

The sprawling house ends up becoming a retirement home for the lost and lonely – bringing together a fantastic cast of characters who all begin to realise it's never too late to find happiness.

Reviews for Dee MacDonald

'I was totally hooked and struggled to put the book down... really tugged on my emotions... a feel good, fun and fabulous read. I absolutely adored it and was so sad to get to the end... Brilliant!' By the Letter Book Reviews, 5 stars

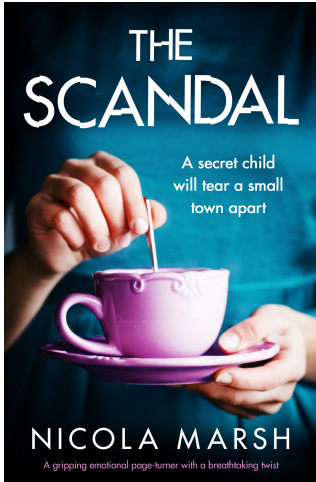
'I ADORED The Silver Ladies of Penny Lane!! It was brilliantly funny, entertaining and Orla and Tess I was so connected with, I felt tears as well as laughter... a thought-provoking good time.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Aged 18, Dee arrived in London from Scotland and typed her way round the West End for a couple of years before joining BOAC (forerunner of British Airways) in Passenger Services for 2 years and then as a stewardess for 8 years. She has worked in Market Research, Sales and at the Thames TV Studios when they had the franchise. Dee has since relocated to Cornwall, where she spent 10 years running B&Bs, and only began writing when she was over 70! Married twice, she has one son and two grandsons.

OPTIONS

Audible



The Scandal

Nicola Marsh

Women's Fiction

USA Today bestselling author

Retail Description

Marisa is the town busybody in the affluent suburb of Gledhill in the Hamptons. She gave up everything to be Mrs Avery Thurston, and now that her twin girls have left home her life lacks a purpose; coffee and gossip with her best friends Elly and Claire are all she has left.

When Jodi, a vulnerable, pregnant girl turns up at her doorstep, Marisa is quick to act: abandoning hosting duties at the fancy party she's throwing to come to the young girl's aid. Marisa realises that this helpless girl might be the answer to her prayers, and Jodi might need someone to care for her baby.

But Jodi isn't just an innocent young girl. The father of her unborn child is someone the women know very well.

Rather than solving Marisa's problems, Jodi's arrival is about to break her life apart...

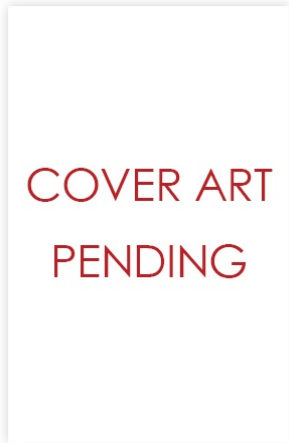
Reviews for Nicola Marsh

'I could not put this book down, several times dropping my kindle as I fell off to sleep. It intrigued me, every time I thought I knew where the story was going it took a different curve.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

'LOVED IT!!!! AGAIN you've blown me away Nicola!!!' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

USA TODAY bestseller and multi-award winner Nicola Marsh writes feel-good fiction...with a twist! She has published 68 novels and sold over 8 million copies worldwide. She currently writes rural romance for Harper Collins Australia, emotional domestic suspense for Bookouture and contemporary romance for Harlequin Dare. She's also a Waldenbooks, Bookscan, Amazon, and Barnes & Noble bestseller, a RBY (Romantic Book of the Year) and National Readers' Choice Award winner. A physiotherapist for thirteen years, she now writes full time, raises two dashing young heroes, and her favorite, curls up with a good book!



Nicola Marsh Book 2

Nicola Marsh

Women's Fiction

USA Today bestselling author

Retail Description

Reviews for Nicola Marsh

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Single All the Way

Karen King

Women's Fiction

Readers love Karen's stories! Her previous titles *Snowy Nights at the Lonely Hearts Hotel* and *The Year of Starting Over* both have average ratings of 4.7/5 on Amazon UK

Retail Description

I can see Mum calling me. I pick up the phone, with tears in my eyes, knowing I will have to tell her that Oliver and I are breaking up. But before I can, she announces 'I'm leaving your father, Meg. And I'm not going back.'

When Meg feels her marriage crumbling, she knows the only person she can talk to about it is her mum, Emma. But before she has even said the words, Emma announces that Christmas is cancelled this year. Because she's leaving her husband – Meg's dad.

What's more, Emma is taking off to a tiny cottage on the Cornish coast, which has a special, and secret, place in her heart... She was going to go alone. But now she thinks Meg should join her.

What neither of them know is that by the time the new year rolls around, one marriage will be on the road to recovery, and one will be over for good...

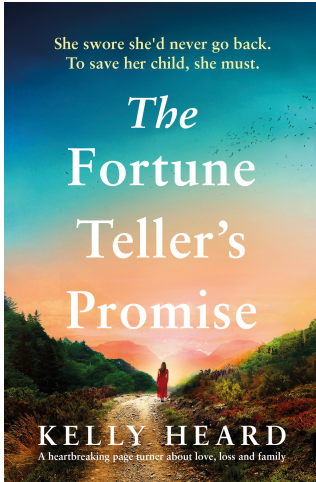
Reviews for Karen King

'A pure pleasure to devour this book, I just didn't want it to end... a wonderful Christmas book... a really sweet story with so many good parts... Definitely my new favourite book.' Rachel's Random Reads, 5 stars

'I was utterly charmed... a totally heart-warming and fun story... love and romance galore... made me smile often, but made my eyes tear up sometimes as well. A perfect combination for a feel-good book.' B for Bookreview, 5 stars

Author Biography

Karen King was born in Birmingham and has always enjoyed reading and writing. A multi-published author of children's books and romantic fiction, her rom-com *The Cornish Hotel by the Sea* became an international Amazon bestseller. She is delighted to now be part of the Bookouture team. She now lives in Spain and intends to spend her time writing romances while her husband, Dave, grows vegetables and tends to the zillions of fruit trees on their land – when she isn't sunbathing or swimming in the pool, that is.



The Fortune Teller's Promise

Kelly Heard

Women's Fiction

Retail Description

Nestled within the sprawling valleys and forests of her picture-perfect hometown, beautiful young Dell dreams of escaping her alcoholic father and narcissistic mother, but she's as rooted to Blyth as the juniper trees growing outside of her bedroom window. One hot summer afternoon, in the stormy height of an argument, Dell's mother betrays her in the most painful way possible. The bond between mother and daughter is shattered forever, and Dell resolves to flee Blyth, promising never to return...

Ten years later...

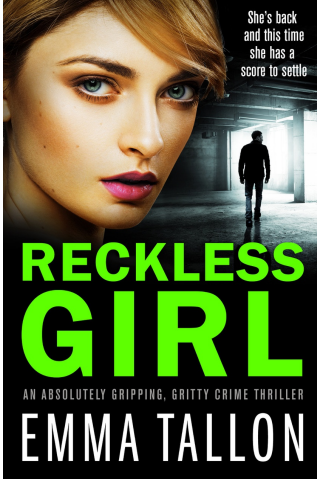
Counting things in threes usually calms Dell's crippling anxiety—the passionflower vines along the shop wall, the jimsonweed by the roadside, the sleeping valley in the distance—but the screech of tyres as her mother's car crashes into another, the devastating news about Dell's missing child still fresh on her lips, stops time completely.

As her mother's life hangs in the balance, Dell knows she must do the one thing she promised she never would. She must return to Blyth...

Reviews for Kelly Heard

Author Biography

Crime Thriller



Reckless Girl

Emma Tallon

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have reached the top 100 in Amazon UK chart. Over 50,000 copies sold of series to date

Retail Description

Anna Davis and Freddie Tyler are finally getting their lives back on track when an unexpected face turns up on Freddie's door step. A face from the past. And she delivers news that will tear their lives apart.

Reeling from the news, Anna throws herself into her work. Her clubs are doing well and she's opening a new business venture with best friend, Tanya. But she's worried that her relationship with Freddie could be about to fall apart.

Meanwhile, Freddie's got big problems with the business. A new gang is in town, and they're muscling in on Tyler turf and need to be dealt with. Plus he's still be closely watched by a Met detective determined to bring him down.

As Freddie plots to take out his rivals, tensions between him and Anna grow. Could this spell the end of their relationship? And will the rogue detective finally get the chance to arrest Freddie and see the empire he has built from scratch fall to the ground?

Reviews for Emma Tallon

'WOW.....Emma you have done it again... just brilliant and a fantastic, roller coaster read that will leave you guessing... If you love Martina Cole, Kimberley Chambers, Casey Kelleher and Jessie Keane, you'll love Emma Tallon's book.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

'Absolutely brilliant and had me hooked from the first page... Fast paced and full of action. It's gritty, raw and had my heart pounding so many times I lost count.' Stardust Book Reviews, 5 stars

Author Biography

Emma Tallon is a British writer and mother to a young son. She started her writing career several years ago, as a freelance ghostwriter. Behind the scenes she has crafted some of the most adventurous, edgy and heart-wrenching stories you will find in bookshops today. More recently, Emma decided to step out of the literary shadows and launch the first novel under her own name, Life Game. Emma is deeply passionate about her writing and often finds herself typing away into the early hours, as new ideas come to her. With a number of story lines and characters in the pipeline, Emma has plans for several more books in the London Underworld series.

OPTIONS

Audible



Child's Play

Angela Marsons

Crime Thriller

The Kim Stone Series has sold over 3m copies to date, with every title charting in Amazon UK's top 10

Retail Description

Late one summer evening, Detective Kim Stone arrives at Haden Hill Park to the scene of a horrific crime: a woman in her sixties tied to a swing with barbed wire and an X carved into the back of her neck.

Then two more bodies are found bearing the same distinctive markings, and Kim knows she is on the hunt for a ritualistic serial killer. Linking the victims, Kim discovers they were involved in annual tournaments for gifted children and were on their way to the next event.

With DS Penn immersed in the murder case of a young man, Kim and her team are already stretched and up against one of the most ruthless killer's they've ever encountered. The clues lie in investigating every child who attended the tournaments, dating back decades.

Faced with hundreds of potential leads and a bereaved sister who is refusing to talk, can Kim get inside the mind of a killer and stop another murder before it's too late?

Reviews for Angela Marsons

'Marsons for me is the QUEEN of this genre. She knows how to add the human touch to each story and I just adore her. Bloody FABULOUS.' Postcard Reviews

'I absolutely loved it!...This one is one of the best crime thrillers I've read in a long time, and that includes mainstream authors such as James Patterson! I would seriously put this book in the same league.' Fiona's Book Reviews

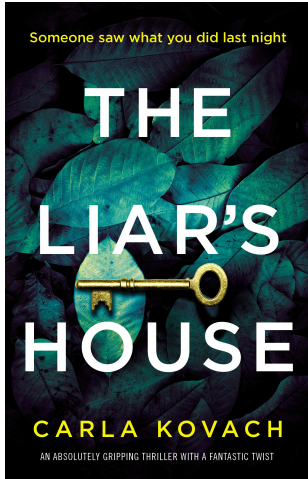
Author Biography

Angela lives in the heart of the Black Country with her partner, bouncy puppy and potty mouthed parrot.

It has taken many novels to find that one character who just refused to go away. And so D.I. Kim Stone was born. The D.I. Kim Stone series has now sold over 2 million copies.

OPTIONS

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The Liar's House

Carla Kovach

Crime Thriller

Over 190,000 copies sold in series to date. Top 30 Amazon UK author

Retail Description

Samantha stumbled out of the party and on to a busy street only ten minutes away from her home. But she never made it home... Seven years after Samantha's disappearance, on what would have been her thirty-fifth birthday, her best friend Diane is shocked to find a letter addressed to Samantha on her doorstep. Opening the envelope, Diane pulls out a birthday card and a finger nail painted in dusky pink nail polish. The same shade Samantha always wore. The same shade she was wearing the night she went missing. When police analyse the nail, they don't get the result they expected. Instead of linking them to Samantha, the nail belongs to another woman, Jade Ashmore. And Jade was murdered the night before the envelope was delivered...

Reviews for Carla Kovach

'Absolutely the best thriller I've read this year!' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

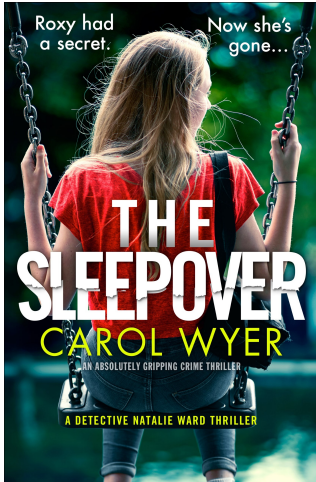
'I am hooked on this series... If you love a good detective series with plenty of twists and turns, you really need to put Carla Kovach on your list, you won't be disappointed!' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Carla started writing more seriously ten years ago after having flirted with musical theatre and occasional writing in her youth. Since then she has written & produced several stage plays, has four self-published books, has acted in several independent films and is currently in the final stages of production of her feature horror film, Penny for the Guy. She now writes full time as well as co-owning a film, photography & video production company located in the heart of Redditch town centre.

OPTIONS

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The Sleepover

Carol Wyer

Crime Thriller

Carol's crime thriller debut, *LITTLE GIRL LOST*, was #2 in Amazon UK and top 50 in Amazon US. Author's titles have sold over 575,000 copies

Retail Description

When fourteen year old Roxy Curtis says she's going for a sleepover at her best friend Ellie's house, Roxy's mother Cathy sees no reason to check where her daughter is going. It turns out to be a decision Cathy would always regret. Twenty-four hours later, Roxy is found murdered in a house across town in exclusive Linnet Lane and Detective Natalie Ward is called to lead the investigation.

As Natalie begins to look closely at Roxy's family and friends, she discovers that her brother Seth, doesn't have an alibi for the night his sister was killed. Then Cathy disappears. When her body is discovered in the canal, close to Linnet Lane, Roxy's toy cat clutched in her arms, Natalie is forced to face the grim fact that they are dealing with a serial killer.

Should Natalie be looking closer to home for this sadistic serial killer? But as her work life consumes her she takes the eye off her precious family, in particular her beloved son Josh whose own life is in terrible danger...

Reviews for Carol Wyer

'Just wow! This book was absolutely amazing I loved it. I was hanging on to every word, it was thrilling straight out of the gate and kept going with the punches right to the end. It had me totally captivated. Carol Wyer sure knows how to write a story that sucks you in and makes you feel like you are there living it. It's tense, emotional and deeply disturbing in places. And boy that ending! ...I'm giving it a very well deserved 5 stars.' Bonnie's Book Talk, 5 stars

'I'm buzzing from this book. I LOVED it. I don't think I have been this gripped by a book, ever. ...Totally terrifying, this addictive read will keep you gasping,

Author Biography

Carol Wyer garnered a loyal following as an author of romantic comedies, and won The People's Book Prize Award for non-fiction (2015). In 2017 she stepped from comedy to the "dark side" and embarked on a series of thrillers, featuring the popular DI Robyn Carter, which earned her recognition as a crime writer. The Staffordshire-based writer now has more crime novels in the pipeline, although she can still sometimes be found performing her stand-up comedy routine *Laugh While You Still Have Teeth*.

OPTIONS

Piper, Ivrit, Amber publishing, Euromedia, Ikar, Könyvmolyképző, Cappelen Damm, Profil Kitap, Hope Edizioni, Proszynski Media



Whisper in the Night

D.K. Hood

Crime Thriller

Over 250,000 copies sold in series so far. Top 40 Amazon US author

Retail Description

Fifteen-year-old Lindy Rosen has been having nightmares for weeks, waking in a panic, screaming that there's a man in her room watching her sleep. Her parents assumed it was her overactive imagination, but when one morning they find Lindy missing from her bedroom, they're not so sure. Detective Jenna Alton is called in to investigate.

Within hours of the schoolgirl going missing, the kidnapper reaches out to Jenna with a video of Lindy bound and tied to a chair, crying to be set free. And a simple message – you've got 24 hours to find her or I kill her.

Jenna's team work around the clock to try to find Lindy before the deadline, but time runs out, and Jenna receives a devastating message. The killer has made good on his promise. He's playing a dangerous game. And no one knows what his next move will be.

But just two days later, one of Lindy's school friends is taken in the middle of the night and the countdown begins again.

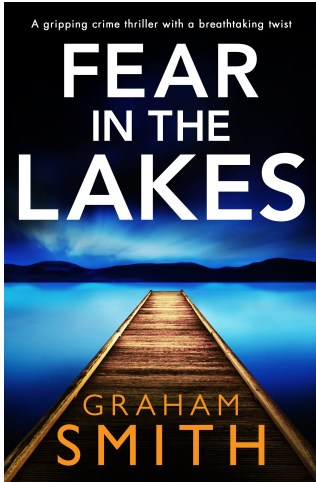
Reviews for D.K. Hood

'WOW WOW WOW!!!! ABSOLUTELY AMAZING!!... From literally the first page you're hooked and gripped!! Kept on the edge of my seat throughout I just couldn't put it down... my new all time favourite author!!... I just wish I could've given it more than five stars!!!' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'WOW!!! I read this book in one sitting... gripping... I was swept away... I simply can't wait for the next book.' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Born in London, D.K. traveled extensively before settling in sunny Australia. Her interest in the development of forensic science to solve crime goes back many years. She is an avid reader of crime, mystery and thrillers. Writing in this genre has been an exciting adventure for her but nothing could top the thrill of receiving a proposal for her first submission, 'Don't Tell a Soul' from commissioning editor Helen Jenner at Bookouture. D.K. looks forward to sharing her spine tingling stories with you.



Fear in the Lakes

Graham Smith

Crime Thriller

Author's previous title WATCHING THE BODIES spent over two weeks at #1 in the Amazon UK and Amazon CA charts

Retail Description

When Laura Sinclair arrives home, she is horrified to discover her sweet, kind, husband James lying battered nearly to death. But this is no robbery gone wrong. There are over 200 breaks to his bones, each applied carefully, symmetrically, methodically...

Laura insists that James is a man with no enemies. But how much does she know about her husband? And what secrets are hidden in the email account she discovers, filled with cryptic messages?

When two bodies are then pulled from Lake Windermere exhibiting similar injuries – as well as carvings to their skulls, apparently inflicted with a chisel – it becomes clear that the killer they are calling the Sculptor is on a mission.

But Detective Beth Young is too. She knows that if she can work out the secrets of James's past, she has a chance of locating The Sculptor's next victim... and maybe the killer too.

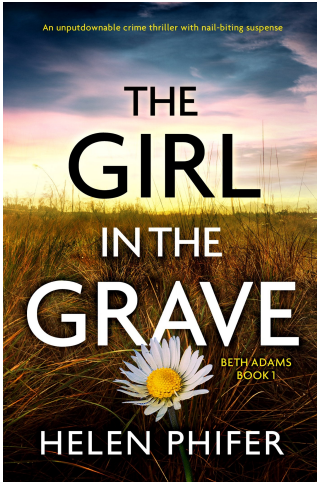
Reviews for Graham Smith

'Boy did I love every minute of it!... Everything that a true crime junkie wants and needs to satisfy that craving of thrills and chills... A Body In The Lakes is a dark and brooding read that totally held me captive. Parts chilled me to the core whilst other parts caught me off guard, causing an array of emotions. British crime writing at its best.' By the Letter Book Reviews, 5 stars

'If I was to sum up in 3 words: Exciting, spine-tingling and unpredictable. It had me on the edge of my seat at times, especially when we got a glimpse into the

Author Biography

After serving my time as a joiner, I have dug drains, slated roofs and built bridges to put food on the table. Since 2000 I have run a busy hotel and wedding venue near Gretna Green. I have a teenage son and when not working, reading or writing, I enjoy socialising with family and friends.



The Girl in the Grave

Helen Phifer

Crime Thriller

Over 79,000 copies of previous titles sold to date. Top 50 Amazon US and UK author

Retail Description

When a straightforward exhumation becomes a tragic and disturbing crime scene in a small-town cemetery in The Lake District, an urgent call is made to Forensic Pathologist Elizabeth Adams to attend the scene. A teenage runaway from a local authority care home has been buried alive in the bottom of someone else's grave.

Throwing herself into her work, Beth discovers DNA beneath the fingernails of both victims that sets the team on the trail of their killer – and into an abandoned cellar plastered with photos of Beth. Is Beth the killer's latest obsession, or his next victim? Can she stay alive long enough to stop another vulnerable girl's life being taken?

Reviews for Helen Phifer

'I devoured it over 2 evenings... and I stayed up until WAY past my bedtime on the first night because I didn't want to put it down!' Urban Sapphire 5★

'What a book!... I found myself holding my breath and having to read the last few chapters on into the early hours of the morning because I just needed to find out what happened.' Mrs Bloggs' Books, 5 stars

Author Biography

Helen Phifer's love of reading began with Enid Blyton, before progressing on to Laura Ingalls Wilder and scaring herself with Steven King. If she can't write for any particular reason she finds herself getting itchy fingers and really irritable. She loves reading as much as writing and is also very fond of chocolate, Prosecco, The Lake District, New York, white Zinfandel wine, my children and grandchildren, my friends, porn star martini cocktails, Stephen King, watching scary films, Marilyn Monroe, Melissa McCarthy, Idris Elba, Simon Baker, Spandau Ballet, The Munsters and coffee. In no particular order.

OPTIONS

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Little Girl Missing

J.G. Roberts

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

How can a little girl vanish into thin air?

Five-year-old Cassie Bailey disappeared from her bed overnight. Her parents swear the doors were locked tight, and no one saw or heard a thing. DCI Rachel Hathaway knows that the first few hours after a child goes missing are the most crucial, and that the Baileys are living every parent's worst nightmare.

Rachel knows, because as a child she saw her parents live through it too, when her sister was taken.

But are the holes in the Baileys' stories because they're out of their minds with panic – or because they're lying?

Someone knows where Cassie is, but they're not telling. Can Rachel work out who is telling the truth and who isn't, and save the lost little girl?

Reviews for J.G. Roberts

'Amazing... I laughed, cringed, cried, gasped, and screamed... I read the whole book in one sitting!! Every page leaves you wanting more and more... a page turner from beginning all the way to end.' Goodreads Reviewer, ★★★★★

'I was literally holding my breath and tapping my kindle faster. A real page turner... another MUST READ author to add to my list. An easy five stars and SO highly recommended.' Goodreads Reviewer, ★★★★★

Author Biography

Julia was born in West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire, and began her career as a professional singer/dancer, storing up experiences she has since included in her writing. Following roles as a hostess on The Price is Right and a member of the Beadle's About 'hit squad' in the 1980s, she became a TV Presenter and filmed features for Sky Sports before launching the QVC shopping channel in 1993 where she still presents today. Having always wanted to write, she penned her first book, a memoir sold on QVC, in 2013 and has since written four full length novels, two novellas and several short stories.

COVER ART
PENDING

What He Did

J.G. Roberts

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

When university student Abi knocks on her friend Hannah's door to pick her up for their regular run together, Hannah's not there. But Abi soon finds her – hanging in the woods near her home. It looks like Hannah killed herself, and when it's revealed a colleague in the bar she and Abi both work in had been bullying her, it seems like case closed. Then forensics reveal that Hannah didn't kill herself at all. There are fingerprints on her neck, and it's clear someone was trying to cover up a murder.

Reviews for J.G. Roberts

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Book 2

Jennifer Chase

Crime Thriller

Jennifer's previous title LITTLE GIRLS SLEEPING has sold over 10k copies since its publication at the end of May.

Retail Description

Reviews for Jennifer Chase

'Advise your family that you are not to be disturbed, under penalty of your wrath if they do disturb you. Then prepare yourself for an emotional roller coaster that will challenge your stamina. This is a story you will not soon forget' 5 Stars: Readers' Favorite on Dead Burn

'Plot twists that literally take your breath away to a new level of thrills and intensity' Writers in the Sky on Dark Mind

Author Biography

Jennifer Chase is a multi award-winning and best-selling crime fiction author, as well as a consulting criminologist. Jennifer holds a bachelor degree in police forensics and a master's degree in criminology & criminal justice. These academic pursuits developed out of her curiosity about the criminal mind as well as from her own experience with a violent psychopath, providing Jennifer with deep personal investment in every story she tells. In addition, she holds certifications in serial crime and criminal profiling. She is an affiliate member of the International Association of Forensic Criminologists, and member of the International Thriller Writers.

COVER ART
PENDING

Safe Home

Kerry Watts

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

When Darren Lucas returns home from work, he finds an unusual silence in his normally loud and chaotic family home. His wife Clare sits in unwashed pyjamas, surrounded by piles of washing. But the silence doesn't come from her. It comes from their two-year-old son Finlay's room. There are no shrieks of laughter coming from the toddler's bedroom, no calls for Daddy as the front door closes. Instead, as Darren peers into his son's bed, he sees nothing except Finlay's favourite teddy bear. There's no sign of Finlay at all. Detective Jessie Blake rushes to the family home and soon senses something isn't right with the couple. Darren is avoiding making eye contact and Claire seems totally disconnected and she's unable to explain the last few hours of her afternoon. As friends rally around the young family, searches of the small Scottish town begin and it's not long before they make a devastating find. Buried deep in the undergrowth of a local woodland, lies Finlay's tiny body. And as Jessie begins to piece together the last few hours of little Finlay's life, she uncovers some big secrets in the small community. Who took the little boy? And is anyone telling the truth about what happened that day?

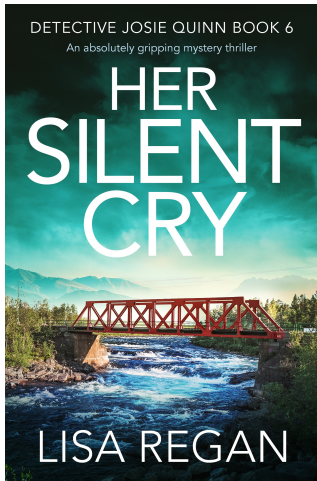
Reviews for Kerry Watts

'Totally captivating and addictive read. I loved this book!... This has to be on your 2019 TBR list!' Bookedup Girl, 5 stars

'I was absolutely hooked from page one... I had to rush back to it every time I had to put it down. An ending you won't see coming.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Kerry Watts was born and raised in Perth where she can still be found today scribbling words on paper that she hopes people will enjoy reading. Now that her daughter has moved out, she lives with her long suffering husband and son. Her family also consists of a blind and deaf elderly border collie called Misty. Domino, the rabbit, hops around under her feet when she's writing at the kitchen table. The final character in her story is Buttercup, the friendliest hamster on the planet. She's been writing for over twenty years but only recently decided to share her scribbles with the world.



Her Silent Cry

Lisa Regan

Crime Thriller

Series has sold 747,000 copies to date. USA Today and Wall Street Journal bestselling author

Retail Description

When seven-year-old Lucy Ross is snatched from the carousel in Denton city park, Detective Josie Quinn joins the frantic search. She's the one who finds Lucy's red ladybug backpack abandoned by the ticket booth, a note with a devastating message stuffed inside: follow instructions, or your sweet little darling will die...

The next day, Lucy's parents are hopeful when they pick up a call from their babysitter, but it's a male voice at the end of the line. Tracking the phone to a wooded area on Denton University campus, Josie arrives to find the babysitter fatally stabbed, the discarded cell phone beside her.

Now on the hunt for a dangerous killer, Josie is faced with the most high-stakes case of her career as each phone call from someone connected to the family ends with the discovery of another body. This twisted killer wants revenge, and he won't stop until the Ross family are in pieces...

Something is telling Josie that Lucy's parents aren't telling the whole truth, but digging deeper into their lives will force her to confront a life-changing secret of her own. It will take everything Josie has to stay focused on the case, but she has no choice if she's going to bring Lucy home alive...

Reviews for Lisa Regan

'I'm in awe. Seriously!... I was so engrossed... flipping pages like a mad woman. I immediately turned back to page one to read it again when I was finished... Best. Book. Ever.' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'A 5★ masterpiece!... kept me enthralled from first page to last... this has tension on every page... a haunting storyline that stays with you long after the final chapter... an edge of your seat, gripping, thriller... Fantastic!' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

Lisa Regan is an Amazon bestselling crime novelist. She has a Bachelor's Degree in English and Master of Education Degree from Bloomsburg University. She is a member of Sisters In Crime, Mystery Writers of America and International Thriller Writers. She lives in Philadelphia with her husband and daughter.

OPTIONS

Weltbild, Könymolyképző, Grada

Book 7

Lisa Regan

Crime Thriller

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Retail Description

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OPTIONS

Weltbild, Könymolyképző, Grada



The Child Before

Michael Scanlon

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

On a cold morning a cyclist finds the brutally slaughtered body of a woman in her car, on a remote lane leading to the long-abandoned Irish village of Kelly's Forge.

But when Detective Finnegan Beck arrives from the nearby town of Cross Beg to investigate he notices something the first officers on the scene did not. There's a baby's seat in the back of the car. A bottle of baby formula lying in the footwell. And no child.

Someone has killed a mother, that much is clear. But who, and why? And where is her missing baby? What too of another child, one who was taken from that same remote location more than fifty years before?

Beck claims he does not want to stay in Cross Beg. His heart is back in Dublin, with the woman he loves. But, knowing that a child's life depends on him changes things. He knows he has to find the missing baby girl. Because if he doesn't, nobody will.

Reviews for Michael Scanlon

'I couldn't tear my eyes away' ★★★★★

'A wonderful debut' ★★★★★

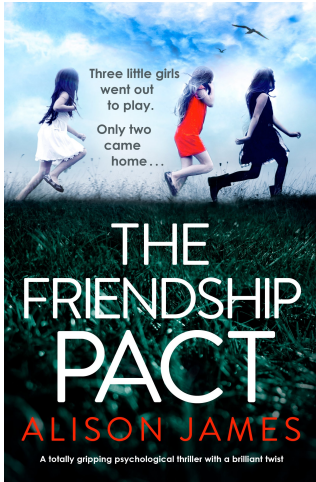
'You will be up all night' ★★★★★

'I can't recommend this book highly enough!' ★★★★★

'An awesome detective thriller' ★★★★★

Author Biography

I am a civilian employee of the An Garda Síochána (the Irish police force), but a life threatening undiagnosed illness that struck while travelling in Spain in 2014 has rendered me on long term sick leave. I am married to Eileen and have a daughter, Sarah. I live in the countryside outside the town of Ballina in County Mayo. The town has arguable the best salmon river in Europe, called the Moy.



The Friendship Pact

Alison James

Crime Thriller

Series sales over 105,000 copies to date. Top 50 Amazon US author

Retail Description

Laura Williams and Adele Parker may have been worlds apart in their upbringings but the two little girls did everything together. Growing up they were closer than sisters. They shared everything. Until one sickly hot summer's day when it all went wrong.

One girl took a prank too far. One girl lied. And one girl died.

And now someone is about to get their revenge.

Reviews for Alison James

'I held my breath all the way through, wanting, yet not wanting to know the outcome. Spectacular read.' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'I was hooked from page one and couldn't put it down until I'd reached the end. The twists and turns just keep coming... will have you gasping in surprise.' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

I was born in the Cotswolds but spent most of my formative years abroad. I studied languages at Oxford, then became a journalist and author, returning to university after my two children to take a law degree. After a three-year stint as a criminal paralegal, I worked as a commercial copywriter and then a TV storyliner, before coming full circle to write fiction again.

OPTIONS

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COVER ART
PENDING

Perfect Stranger

Jake Cross

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

When a beautiful girl, Katie, turns up on the Redferns' doorstep, claiming to be Chris Redfern's long-lost daughter, the family dynamic is forever changed. Only nineteen, she says she lost her home to a fire and her terminally-ill mother died a few days before. She says they're her only hope.

The family wants to believe she's telling the truth and welcome her in, but can't figure out why can't she get her story straight about her past.

Just as Katie begins to bond with the Redferns, it becomes clear that she's far more troubled than they know. What will be left of their precious family by the time they work out what Katie's really hiding?

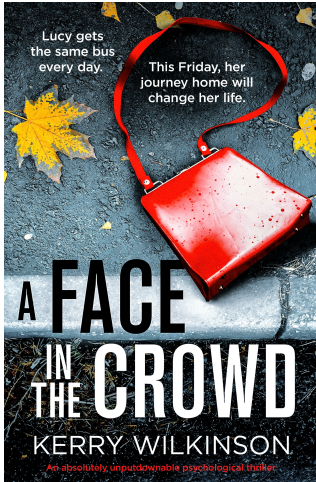
Reviews for Jake Cross

'Brilliant... Chock full of twists... Compulsive and very clever... The pace doesn't let up at all, right until a thrilling end.' Goodreads Reviewer

'A rollercoaster ride of twists and turns... Compulsively readable.' Goodreads Reviewer

Author Biography

As a kid, Jake chose to write fantasy because there was no research needed for an invented world. Early short stories covered probably every genre except dieselpunk-romcom. Although he now writes thrillers, Jake's reading love is true crime. He thinks he'd make a good detective, but his partner points out that he can't even decide if it was the three kids or the two cats who broke something in the house. His excuse: kids won't sit still for a polygraph, and cats know their right to remain silent.



A Face in the Crowd

Kerry Wilkinson

Crime Thriller

Top 20 Amazon US and UK author. Previous titles have sold over 340,000 copies

Retail Description

Lucy gets the same bus home every day.

She hopes to get a seat to herself, tries to avoid eye contact, and, if she's really lucky, reads a chapter of her book.

But it's a Friday – and the bus is always crammed at the end of the week. Personal space doesn't exist. She keeps her elbows close and clings to a pole at every juddering stop.

When she gets off, something feels different.

An envelope stuffed with thousands of pounds is in her bag. Is it the answer to her prayers, or the beginning of a nightmare?

Because, in the end, everything has a price.

Reviews for Kerry Wilkinson

'OMG this book is so damn good... gripped from the very first page... I freaking loved it!... an utterly sensational page turner. I literally couldn't put this down and devoured it in one afternoon.' Chelle's Book Reviews 5 stars

'Throws you straight into the action from page one... will hook you right away... I stayed up way too late tearing through the pages... I gasped out loud... settle in and get ready, because this is one twisty ride!!' Beyond the Pages

Author Biography

Kerry Wilkinson is from the English county of Somerset but has spent far too long living in the north. It's there that he's picked up possibly made-up regional words like 'barm' and 'ginnel'. He pretends to know what they mean. He's also been busy since turning thirty: his Jessica Daniel crime series has sold more than a million copies in the UK; he has written a fantasy-adventure trilogy for young adults; a second crime series featuring private investigator Andrew Hunter and the standalone thriller, Down Among The Dead Men.

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Laura Elliot Book 8

Laura Elliot

Crime Thriller

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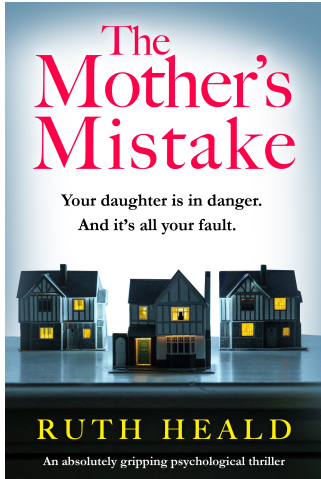
Reviews for Laura Elliot

Author Biography

Laura Elliot has written six novels which have been widely translated. Under the pseudonym June Considine, she has written twelve books for children and young adults. She has also worked as a journalist and magazine editor. She is a full-time writer, living in Dublin, Ireland, where she lives with her husband, Sean. After serving on the Board of the Irish Writers Centre, she established WORD, a group that connects professional writers. She is also one of the founder members of the Freedom to Write Campaign, which advocates on behalf of imprisoned writers around the world.

OPTIONS

Newton Compton, Computer Media



The Mother's Mistake

Ruth Heald

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

Everyone makes mistakes. But does everyone deserve to be forgiven?

She runs past the tinkling of children's laughter that fills the park. Heart hammering, she reaches the riverbank, breath catching in her throat as her eyes take in the small body, tangled in the reeds, pale and lifeless.

Three years later.

Claire's life is picture perfect. A new home in the countryside. A new-born baby. A doting husband by her side.

But behind closed doors, her life is falling apart.

And when a threatening note is posted through her letterbox, saying she doesn't deserve her daughter, it's clear that someone knows about her past... ..

Someone knows that Claire doesn't deserve her perfect life. Someone's going to do everything in their power to destroy it.

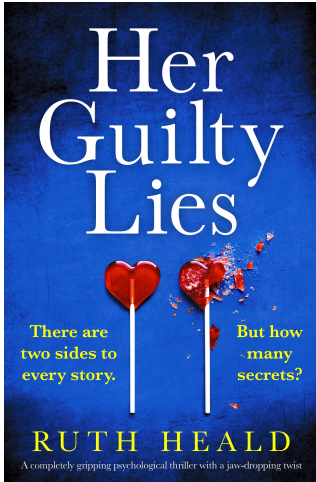
Reviews for Ruth Heald

'What a fantastic book, I loved every word on every page... A brilliantly addictive psychological thriller, full of twists and turns and it kept me on the edge of my seat throughout.' Netgalley Reviewer, ★★★★★

'A heart-racing, stomach-knotting tale that has you on the edge of your seat throughout... Not once did it slow down, if anything it got faster and faster... Super chilling from the start you won't be able to put it down.' Goodreads Reviewer, ★★★★★

Author Biography

Ruth Heald is a psychological thriller writer from a suburban Buckinghamshire town. She studied Economics at Oxford and then worked in an eclectic mix of sectors from nuclear decommissioning to management consulting. Seeking a more creative environment, she found a role at the BBC and worked there for nine years before leaving to write full time. She's married with one daughter and her novels explore our greatest fears in otherwise ordinary, domestic lives.



Her Guilty Lies

Ruth Heald

Crime Thriller

Retail Description

Katie can't believe her luck. Pregnant with twins, Frances and Alice. A beautiful, ivy-covered, red-brick home on tree-lined Adelaide Road. A property-developer boyfriend who she adores. But Katie's luck soon runs out...

On the inside, the house is falling down around her. Her partner isn't there for the birth of their baby girls, and goes missing for days on end.

The one person keeping her going is Paula, a friend from the neighbourhood. Paula keeps the place spotless, wakes up for the twins in the middle of the night, changes their nappies when their screams echo around the house. Katie would be lost without her.

But despite having Paula by her side, Katie cannot feel at content at 67 Adelaide Road. The old building groans and creaks, as if the walls themselves hold secrets, and neighbours keep talking about the house needing a fresh start. Worrying about her twins in the house, Katie suspects that Paula knows more than she is letting on.

And when she discovers sinister children's drawings hidden behind faded, peeling wall paper, Katie knows that something awful happened in this place she is meant to call home... She knows that her baby girls are in danger.

Reviews for Ruth Heald

'WOW, what a story... Utterly hooked from page one, so glad it was a weekend and I could binge read!... An absolute must-read!! 5 huge stars from me.'

Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'I absolutely loved it... Kept me guessing until the end... The best book I have read in ages.' NetGalley Reviewer, 5 stars

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The Liar's Sister

Sarah A. Denzil

Crime Thriller

Sarah A. Denzil is a million-copy bestselling author. Her runaway bestseller SILENT CHILD hit #1 in both the UK & US charts

Retail Description

Ten years ago Samuel Murray went missing from the close-knit village of Buckthorpe and was never found again. A mysterious boy who loved animals and walking in the woods, someone must know what happened to him...

Rosie Sharpe cried for weeks after. But her little sister Heather knows her tears hide the truth. Because the night Samuel was last seen, Heather saw her older sister climbing back into the window of their childhood bedroom. Her dress torn, her eyes wild and her body trembling with fear.

Heather has never told anyone what she saw, but secrets can't stay buried forever...

When the sisters are forced to return to Buckthorpe, to spend the last days with their dying mother, they must confront what really happened a decade ago. And the lies of the past have the power to put them both in terrible danger.

Reviews for Sarah A. Denzil

'I couldn't put it down!... it had me glued to the pages! There aren't many books which have me in big sobbing tears and then biting my nails in anticipation, but this was one of them!... Brilliant writing, gripping story, well worthy of its 5 stars!' Stardust Book Reviews, 5 stars

'Oh. My. God. This thriller was chilling, twisted, and an absolute page-turner...filled with so many twists, turns, and shocks that had me hanging off of every page.' The Reading Chemist

Author Biography

Sarah A. Denzil is a Wall Street Journal bestselling thriller author from Derbyshire. Her books include number one ebook bestseller Silent Child, as well as Saving April, The Broken Ones and One for Sorrow. Sarah lives in Yorkshire with her husband, enjoying the scenic countryside and rather unpredictable weather. She loves to write moody, psychological books about ordinary people in extraordinary situations.

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The Marriage Betrayal

Shalini Boland

Crime Thriller

Shalini was Bookouture's bestselling psychological fiction author for 2018 and has now sold over 560,000 copies. Previous titles have reached #2 Amazon US and #4 Amazon UK

Retail Description

Maggie is sat at the kitchen table when her little boy utters the words every mother dreads. She doesn't know where six-year-old Dylan has heard this, but the scared expression on his face tells her it's the truth. But just as Maggie starts to untangle her husband Jake's lies, the unimaginable happens: her husband and son go missing. And Maggie knows she must uncover the secrets of Jake's past, to save her son.

Reviews for Shalini Boland

'This book had me ready to dive in head first from page one... I LOVED, LOVED this book. It had twists, turns, crazy and drama all in one. This one will make your head spin... 10 stars!!!!!!' Goodreads, 5 stars

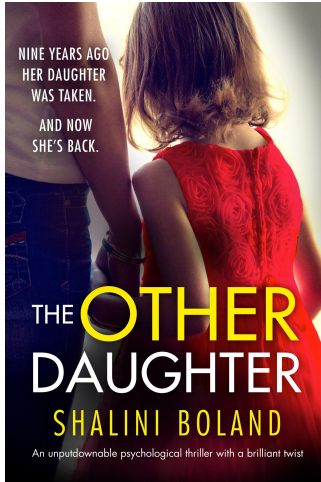
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Author Biography

Shalini lives in Dorset, England with her husband, two children and Jess their cheeky terrier cross. Before kids, she was signed to Universal Music Publishing as a singer songwriter, but now she spends her days writing suspense thrillers (in between school runs and hanging out endless baskets of laundry).

OPTIONS

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The Other Daughter

Shalini Boland

Crime Thriller

Shalini was Bookouture's bestselling psychological fiction author for 2018 and has now sold over 560,000 copies. Previous titles have reached #2 Amazon US and #4 Amazon UK

Retail Description

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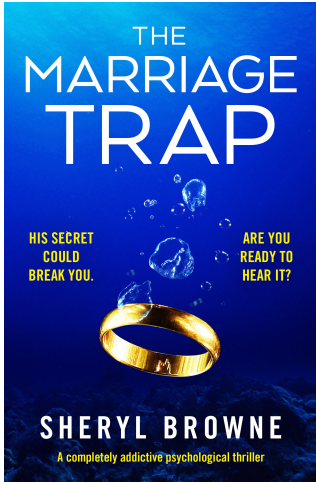
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The Marriage Trap

Sheryl Browne

Crime Thriller

Sheryl's previous psychological thrillers have sold over 265k copies and reached top 10 in the UK and US Amazon charts.

Retail Description

My husband has been keeping secrets for a long time. He thinks I don't know what he does outside of this house. But I know everything...

Karla watches silently as Jason hurriedly packs his belongings into a suitcase. She knows that her stillness is unnerving him as she watches his every move from the doorway of their bedroom.

Clothes are screwed up and packed into the case, along with a watch she bought him for his last birthday and his precious laptop. He takes everything from his bedside table. Everything except the framed wedding photo, which now stands alone. Karla strains to see the smiling faces in the photo. If only she knew then what she knows now.

'I've fallen in love with someone else,' he'd said to her, just moments earlier. The brutality of those words hit Karla hard and she struggled to breathe as she took in each word in turn.

You may think you know what Karla will do next. But you'll be wrong. Because Karla isn't who you think she is. Only she knows what's about to happen. And you will never see it coming.

Reviews for Sheryl Browne

★★★★★ 'I absolutely loved this... I was hooked from the first page... Thrilling – a real page-turner... A fantastic 5-star read.' Netgalley reviewer

★★★★★ 'Wow, wow, wow. What a great thriller with tons of twists that keep you on the edge of your seat!' Goodreads reviewer

Author Biography

Sheryl Browne writes psychological thriller and edgy contemporary fiction. A member of the Crime Writers' Association, Romantic Novelists' Association and awarded a Red Ribbon by The Wishing Shelf Book Awards, Sheryl has several books published and two short stories in Birmingham City University anthologies, where she completed her MA in Creative Writing.

OPTIONS

Euromedia, Garzanti, Grupa Wydawnicza Foksal

COVER ART
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The Empty Nest

Sue Watson

Crime Thriller

Over 84,000 ebook and 30,000 audiobook copies sold of previous title OUR LITTLE LIES.
Top 10 Amazon UK and Top 30 Amazon US author

Retail Description

Her daughter Alice is Kat's whole world. A longed-for baby who then made a near-miraculous recovery from a serious childhood illness, she is the only person who Kat loves absolutely unconditionally. Even her adoring second husband Richard knows he can't ever compete.

But now Alice is grown up, and with her mum's reluctant but loving support, she is headed to university for the first time, in a town more than an hour's drive away.

She always known that one day she'd have to let Alice go, but Kat's life – and home – feel emptier than ever before. And before long she finds herself leaning on the two other people her daughter was closest to – Alice's boyfriend Josh, and best friend, Lucy.

But then Alice misses their daily phonecall, and Kat knows right away something is wrong. She would never forget to call her own mother. She would never just disappear... Would she?

Reviews for Sue Watson

'Tense, atmospheric psychological thriller with more twists and turns than a rollercoaster. Impeccably written and a big fat 5***** from me. Awesome!' No. 1 bestselling author, Angela Marsons

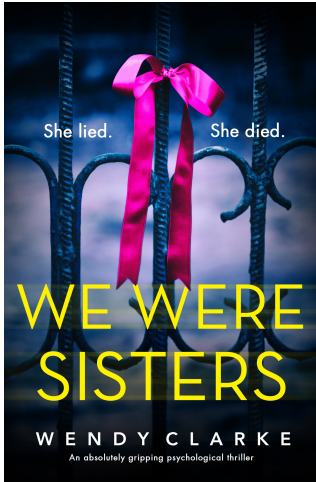
'Gripping tension that builds and builds... I kept thinking I knew where she was going only to be knocked sideways... An absolute page turner of a read that sent my heart racing. Bravo to the new queen of psychological thrillers.' By the Letter Book Reviews, 5 stars

Author Biography

Sue Watson was a journalist on women's magazines and national newspapers before leaving it all behind for a career in TV. As a producer with the BBC she worked on garden makeovers, kitchen takeovers and daytime sofas – all the time making copious notes so that one day she might escape to the country and turn it all into a book. After much deliberation and copious consumption of cake, Sue eventually left her life in TV to write. After a very successful debut novel, *Fat Girls and Fairy Cakes* Sue signed a deal with Bookouture.

OPTIONS

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We Were Sisters

Wendy Clarke

Crime Thriller

Author won the Flash 500 writing competition

Retail Description

I turn to where I left my baby in his pushchair and pull up short. With a racing heart, I look around wildly, fear gripping my stomach. I only looked away for a moment. The pushchair and my baby are gone.

Kelly is taking her twin daughters to their first day of school, ushering them into the classroom, her heart breaking to think they might not need her any more, when she turns around and sees that her newborn baby is gone.

As a desperate search ensues, baby Noah is quickly found – parked in front of a different classroom. But when Kelly reaches forward to comfort him, she finds something tucked beside his blanket. A locket that belonged to her sister Freya. A locket Kelly hasn't seen since the day Freya died.

And then Kelly's perfectly-ordered life begins to unravel...

We Were Sisters is a heart-pounding suspense thriller that will grip you until the very last page. Fans of Behind Closed Doors, Gone Girl and The Girl on the Train won't be able to stop reading this incredible book.

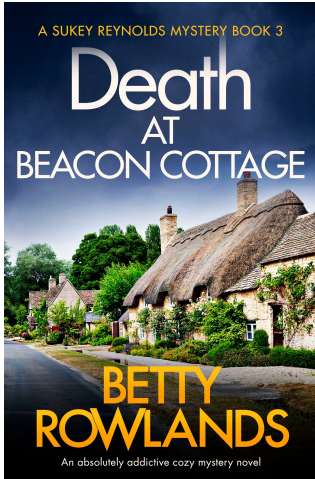
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'The twists in this were U-N-B-E-L-I-E-V-A-B-L-E! I've read many thrillers in fact that's my main genre and this one blew them all out of the water... so suspenseful, action packed, dynamic that I stayed up till almost 3am to finish it.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

'Had me flying through the pages to find out what happens... I cannot praise this book enough! I finished it in a matter of days... My heart was racing as I was reading. It kept hitting me with twist after twist... I have to say it's the best thriller I've read this year.' Ramblings of the Book Addict, 5 stars

Author Biography

Wendy Clarke was a teacher until the small primary school where she worked closed down. Now she is a writer of psychological suspense but is also well known for her short stories and serials which regularly appear in national women's magazines. Wendy has two children and three step-children and lives with her husband, cat and step-dog in Sussex. When not writing, she is usually indulging in her passion for dancing, singing or watching any programme that involves food!



Death at Beacon Cottage

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have sold over 184,000 copies

Retail Description

Police photographer Sukey Reynolds is looking forward to a quiet weekend gardening at home, when she gets a call that there has been a shocking break-in at a local manor house. Once she begins to gather evidence, Sukey realises that this is the latest in a spate of well-crafted burglaries in the Cotswolds. Someone is targeting expensive houses with valuable art collections...

Thankfully, the police soon have a suspect in custody. But, during questioning, he suddenly catches a glimpse of Sukey, turns deathly pale and calls out to her. Sukey is sure she has never met this man before... Is this a bizarre joke, or is there a stranger out there who is Sukey's perfect double in every way?

Just as Sukey begins to suspect she's being followed, the police are baffled by a spate of local murders. With the body count rising, and the police unsure of where to turn, is Sukey herself a clue in this strange case? Can she unmask the killer before she becomes the next victim?

Reviews for Betty Rowlands

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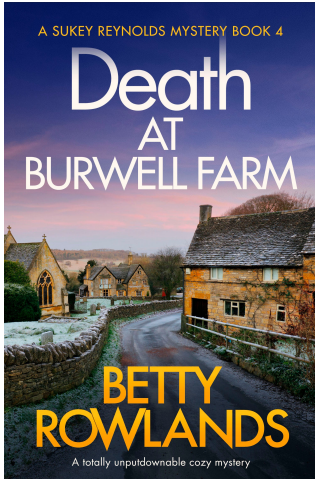
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Death at Burwell Farm

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have sold over 184,000 copies

Retail Description

Sukey Reynolds is photographing the scene of a burglary at Burwell Farm for the police, when she finds herself drawn to the crumbling building and peaceful surroundings. Burwell Farm doesn't grow crops or raise animals, but as a retreat, the owners do make some extraordinary claims about healing the soul...

But before Sukey can get too intrigued, she's called to another break-in at the house of a young widow, whose husband spent a great deal of time at... Burwell Farm. Sukey starts to wonder if there is something more sinister going on behind the perfectly manicured lawns...

After her police colleagues refuse to take her suspicions seriously, Sukey decides the time has come to do some sleuthing on her own. But who is the thorn in the rose garden? Is it the beautiful receptionist, the gardener with a secret to hide, or perhaps the leader who inspires such devotion?

Then someone is murdered in the garden of Burwell Farm while she is there and Sukey realises she has landed herself in deep water. Can Sukey solve the mystery that has blighted this stunning house? And can she catch the killer before they turn on her?

Reviews for Betty Rowlands

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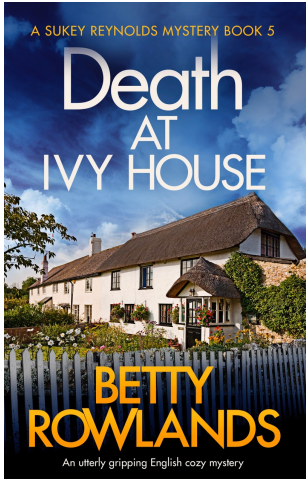
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Death at Ivy House

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have sold over 184,000 copies

Retail Description

Sukey Reynolds is enjoying a quiet period at work, taking time to get her garden in hand, catch up on some cooking and spend time with her son. Murder is the last thing on her mind...

But when she is called to the charming Ivy House to photograph the dead body of a young woman, Sukey feels compelled to drop everything and do all she can to shed light on this baffling mystery. And whilst collecting evidence at a nearby hotel which had a break-in around the same time as the murder, she starts to wonder if the two cases might be linked.

The manager just happened to let slip that one of her guests went white as a sheet after reading about the death and disappeared shortly afterwards. The very same guest whose room was broken into... Sukey has a shrewd suspicion about who this man might be, and she fears he too could be in danger.

Although she voices her theories, her detective colleagues are in no mood for any more of her amateur sleuthing. Sukey realises that if she wants to pursue her lead, she'll have to do it alone. When Sukey agrees to a secret meeting by a remote river, has she made a terrible mistake? Has the killer lured her into the woods and into a trap?

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Death on a Summer Morning

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have sold over 184,000 copies

Retail Description

Sukey Reynolds is delighted that summer has arrived, her garden is in glorious form, and the long, warm days give her a chance to enjoy the countryside, and even play a bit of tennis. The only digging she plans to do is in her flowerbeds.

But then Sukey is called to photograph the scene of what appears to be a tragic accident. Arthur Soames, a retired school teacher, fell to his death from the ornate iron staircase above his perfectly manicured lawn. But when the police notify his family, they are adamant that this is no accident...

Is this summer's day turning out to be curiously chilly?

When Arthur's daughter won't leave the police in peace, Sukey reluctantly agrees to help put her mind to rest. As she starts to poke about in the dead man's past, she realises he was keeping secrets, and several people might well have wanted him dead. But who would resort to murder? Could it have been Arthur's enchanting fiancée, a sullen ex-student or maybe a nettled neighbour?

An old address written on a small piece of paper is the clue that Sukey needs, but can she convince her police colleagues that this death on a summer morning was no accident and solve this baffling mystery at last?

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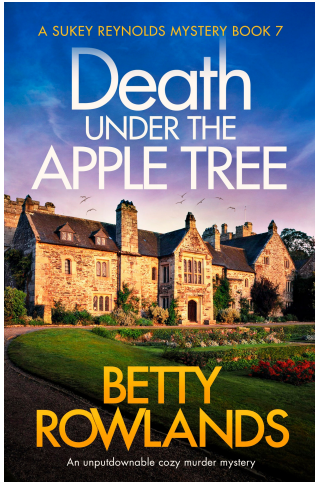
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Death under the Apple Tree

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have sold over 184,000 copies

Retail Description

Sukey Reynolds is treasuring the late summer sun, taking long walks in the countryside, and enjoying the golden views across the Cotswold hills. At home, she's busy cooking up feasts for her growing teenage son – amateur sleuthing is definitely off the menu.

When she is called to photograph a crumbling manor, the day suddenly turns cold. In the charming garden, the body of beautiful Una May has been discovered, and all fingers are pointed at the tempestuous owner of the house, who was overheard arguing with Una that morning...

But who is the rotten apple in this beautiful orchard?

The party was supposed to celebrate a painting of the residents and staff. When the picture is found slashed, the police close in on the landowner, but Sukey is sure they are barking up the wrong tree, and she decides to do a bit of snooping. Which likeness hides a villain? Could it be the lustful lord, the aloof artist or perhaps the heartbroken housekeeper?

Despite her sleuthing, Sukey is no closer to catching Una May's killer, until she finds a pair of shoes covered in mud from the orchard. With the police convinced they've caught the right man, Sukey must solve this baffling case alone. But to find the killer holding the poisonous fruit, she may have to delve deep into the garden...

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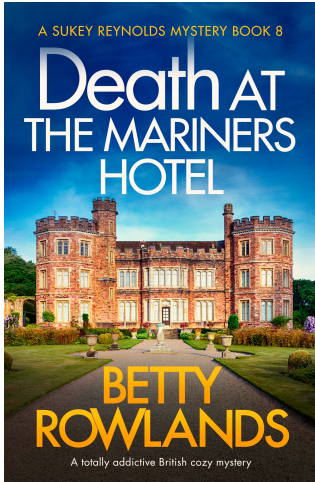
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Death at the Mariners Hotel

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

Previous titles have sold over 184,000 copies

Retail Description

Sukey Reynolds has finally realised her ambition to become a fully-fledged detective, earning her stripes and joining the police force. After years as an amateur sleuth, she is now a proper investigator. But will she do it by the book? Can she resist a bit of extra snooping?

When Sukey receives news of her first murder case at the elegant Mariners Hotel, she is intrigued. Who could possibly have wanted to hurt Dr Whistler, a shy and retiring archaeology professor? The dusty documents he was carrying couldn't possibly be of value, could they?

You would never expect this sophisticated establishment to be home to murder. What secrets are hiding inside the charming Mariners Hotel?

Sukey's superiors are convinced that Dr Whistler's visitor is his killer, but Sukey isn't so sure and decides to do a little side-sleuthing. Someone in the hotel has a secret, but who is it? The bewildered bellboy, the meddlesome manager or the reclusive receptionist?

A mysterious phone call leads Sukey to the truth, but as the rookie detective, will anyone believe she has what it takes to solve this baffling mystery?

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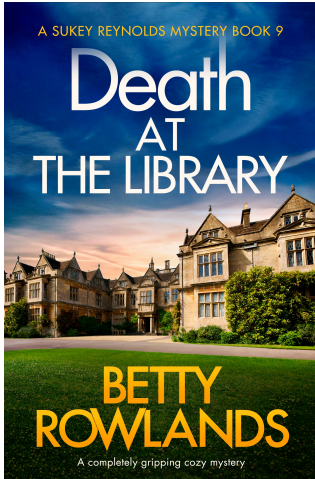
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Death at the Library

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

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Retail Description

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COVER ART
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Death on Clevedon Beach

Betty Rowlands

Crime Thriller

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Death in the Village

Betty Rowlands

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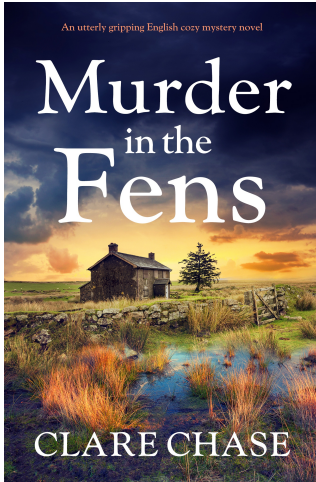
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Murder in the Fens

Clare Chase

Crime Thriller

Author has sold over 42,000 copies to date. Top 15 Amazon US and CA author

Retail Description

When the body of nineteen-year-old Julie Cooper is found – her pockets stuffed full of wilting flowers – in an iron-age stone circle on the edge of the fens, Detective Tara Thorpe and her team are called in to investigate. The evidence points to an illicit affair gone wrong... but is there more to the story?

As always at the Cambridge constabulary, the case turns personal. Detective Blake is exhausted after the arrival of a new baby with wayward wife Babette, and Tara is keen to put as much distance between herself and Blake as she can – both at the station and on the hunt for the killer. Charming rookie officer Jez is the perfect distraction... but is he a little too good to be true?

Then Tara makes a startling breakthrough when she finds an unsettling family heirloom hidden in the late victim's bedroom – a golden statue of a sinister-looking cat with emerald eyes. As she traces its origins, Tara begins to realise that Julie's murder is no one-off crime, but a sinister plot with its roots in a terrible secret that was covered up decades earlier.

Reviews for Clare Chase

'Literally couldn't put it down!! This was an excellent thriller with well-developed characters and great twists!! From the first page until the end... a great ride of mystery, suspense and murder... Excellent thriller and crime read!!' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

'Wow what a book! One of the best mysteries I have read! Loved it from start to finish and couldn't put it down! A masterpiece! Plotting perfection! The writing is brilliant and flows off the page, the characters stay with you. A thoroughly satisfying, absolutely stunning book! I cannot wait to read more by this amazing

Author Biography

Clare Chase writes mysteries set in her home city of Cambridge and is fascinated by the location's contrasts and contradictions. She's worked in diverse settings – from the 800-year-old University to one of the local prisons – and lived everywhere from the house of a Lord to a slug-infested flat. The terrace she now occupies presents a good happy medium. As well as writing, Clare loves family time, art and architecture, cooking, and of course, reading other people's books. She lives with her husband and teenage children, and currently works at the Royal Society of Chemistry.

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A Whisker in the Dark

Leighann Dobbs

Crime Thriller

USA Today bestselling and award-winning author of the Mystic Notch series.

Retail Description

Discovering the 300-year-old skeleton of shipping tycoon Jedediah Biddeford in the ballroom wall is a big old hassle for Josie Waters, owner of the Oyster Cove Guesthouse. Especially when Biddeford's descendants turn up, certain that a family legend about treasure buried nearby must be true.

Josie is too busy dreaming up the perfect cake for the Oyster Cove's 250th anniversary celebration to worry about the Biddeford family – plus half the town – digging up her yard... until one of her guests is murdered in the guesthouse garden.

With worries that her guesthouse will get a reputation for being the kind of place you only leave in a body bag, Josie must put her detective skills to work to find the killer. Lucky for her, Nero and Marlowe and their gang of cat sleuths are also on the case.

From the old wharf, to the town common, to the guesthouse itself with its many nooks and crannies, the cats are sure to sniff out the killer... but can they help Josie stop the person behind the mysterious murder before they strike again?

A fantastic page-turner from a bestselling author, purrfect for fans of Agatha Christie, Adele Abbott, cat lovers and everyone in between!

Reviews for Leighann Dobbs

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A Purrfect Alibi

Leighann Dobbs

Crime Thriller

USA Today bestselling and award-winning author of the Mystic Notch series.

Retail Description

Fortune tellers and mediums have descended on the Oyster Cove Guesthouse, determined to solve the mystery of local seafarer Jedediah Biddeford's murder 300 years ago... especially if it leads them to the treasure he buried on the guesthouse grounds. New owner Josie Waters has suddenly got bigger problems than burning the breakfasts: she's up to her elbows in tarot cards and tea leaves...

When one of the mediums is found dead with an ominous note nearby, everything points to Jedediah's ghost being the culprit. Suddenly, Josie finds that the fate of her guesthouse depends on solving not one murder but two, and she's not going to rely on a crystal ball for answers. Despite the fact that cookbooks and candlesticks keep mysteriously falling off tables, Josie is sure there's no such thing as ghosts. But guesthouse cats Nero and Marlowe know better...

Aided by her mom and eccentric family friend Millie, Josie sets out to prove the identity of the killer without summoning any spirits. Luckily Nero and Marlowe know the truth about ghosts, ghouls and things that go bump in the night and they are on the case! Can they make Josie realize she is scratching up the wrong tree before the killer strikes again?

Reviews for Leighann Dobbs

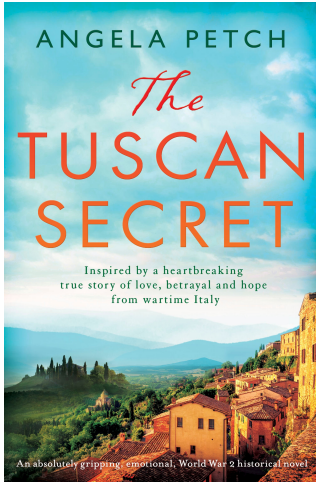
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Historical



The Tuscan Secret

Angela Petch

Historical

Retail Description

As World War Two shatters Europe, Ines is a young girl caught up in the Italian Resistance. With her brother and best friend sacrificing everything to fight the Nazis, Ines hides deep in the Tuscan mountains, tending the wounds of the fallen fighters – including an escaped British prisoner-of-war who captures her heart.

Forty-five years later, an elderly lady in an English nursing home passes away, dreaming of Italy in her dying hours. To her youngest daughter Anna, she leaves a battered box of letters, their pages yellowed with age, and a promise that the truth about what really happened to her in the war lies within.

Anna's English father forbade her from learning her mother's beautiful language. So to translate the handwritten diaries, she resolves to visit Tuscany for herself. As she explores the sun-kissed olive groves and stunning mountain landscapes of the homeland she's never known, Anna uncovers a shocking secret about her mother's past that will uproot everything she's ever believed.

In this small Tuscan community, some wartime secrets were never meant to be uncovered...

Reviews for Angela Petch

'Excellent book!... will grab you and hold onto you long after you put it down.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

'This beautifully woven story had me captivated from the start... I could not help but LOVE the descriptions of Tuscany, the countryside, the people and the food.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars

Author Biography

I'm an award winning writer of fiction – and the occasional poem. Every summer I move to Tuscany for six months where my husband and I own a renovated watermill which we let out. When not exploring our unspoilt corner of the Apennines, I disappear to my writing desk at the top of our converted stable.

In my Italian handbag or hiking rucksack I always make sure to store notebook and pen to jot down ideas. The winter months are spent in Sussex where most of our family live. When I'm not helping out with grandchildren, I catch up with writer friends.

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Daniela Sacerdoti Book 1

Daniela Sacerdoti

Historical

Over one million copies of Dani's women's fiction novels have been sold in eBook and her debut novel, *Watch Over Me*, was named the eighth bestselling Kindle book of all time in 2017.

Retail Description

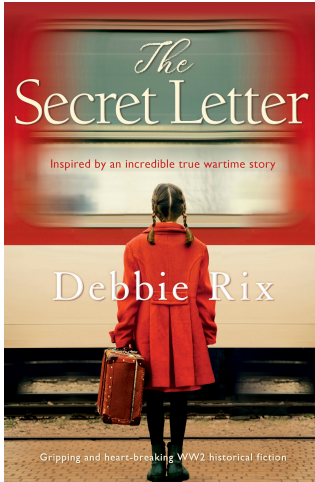
November 1938, Montevino, Italy. With Mussolini's announcement of the Radical Laws that forbid Jews to marry gentiles ringing in their ears, a young couple cling to each other in the corner of a dappled orchard. They vow to stay together, no matter what, and hatch a plan to wed in secret before fleeing to join the resistance.

2019, Brianna Cavalli, a lawyer from Alder Springs, Pennsylvania, still reeling from the discovery that she was adopted, arrives in Montevino in search of answers. In her mother's bedroom, untouched since the day she died, grief-stricken Brianna finds a diary wrapped in pale blue ribbon. The diary belonged to Elisa Stella, one of Italy's first ever female students of neurology, a passionate young nurse who risked everything to marry her Jewish sweetheart. Betrayed one night by her own neighbours, her whole family is captured and she is forced into hiding as Montevino is invaded. Devastated and alone, Elisa makes the dangerous decision to set up a camp hospital for partisans in the mountains, determined to save lives and survive against all the odds to see her loved ones again. But history has other plans...

As the lives of these two women collide under the walnut tree in Montevino's cobbled village square, a startling revelation offers a chance for Brianna to heal past wounds and spark a new future. But is she brave enough to take it?

Reviews for Daniela Sacerdoti

Author Biography



The Secret Letter

Debbie Rix

Historical

Author has sold over 78,000 copies. #1 Amazon CA and top 50 Amazon UK author

Retail Description

Germany, 1939: When eleven-year-old Fran's brother writes to her and tells her of the unspeakable crimes the Nazi are committing against the Jewish people, Fran knows she has to do something. And when an English RAF pilot lands in a field nearby her family's home, Fran makes a decision that will change everything.

England, 1939: Twelve-year-old Imogen is torn from her family and evacuated to the Lake District. At first, the horrors of battle seem far from home, but as the conflict continues, Imogen involves herself in the war effort. And on the other side of the enemy line, the actions of one girl will change her life forever...

Reviews for Debbie Rix

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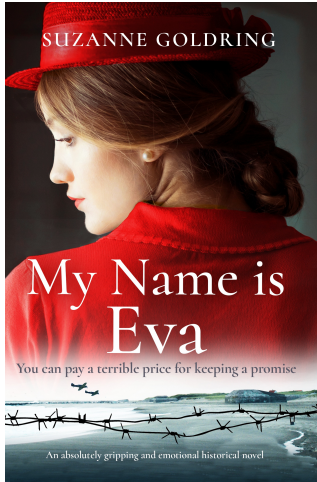
'Oh how my heart broke... magnificent... I was truly enthralled with this captivating story.' Robin Loves Reading, 5 stars

Author Biography

Debbie Rix has had a long career in journalism, including working as a presenter for the BBC. Her first novel, *The Girl with Emerald Eyes* was set around the building of the tower of Pisa and she has since released *Daughters of the Silk Road* and *The Silk Weaver's Wife*. Debbie writes heartbreaking historical novels about love, tragedy and secrets.

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My Name is Eva

Suzanne Goldring

Historical

Retail Description

One woman behind enemy lines. A mission to find the truth, no matter where it leads her.

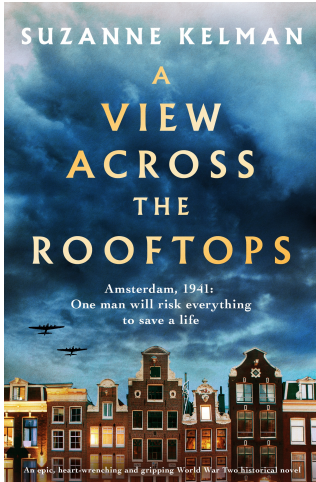
Evelyn Taylor- Clarke sits in her chair at Forest Lawns care home surrounded by residents with minds not as sharp as hers. It would be easy to dismiss Evelyn as a muddled old woman, but her lipstick is applied perfectly, and her buttons done up correctly. Because Evelyn is a woman of secrets and Evelyn does not forget.

When Evelyn's niece Pat discovers a photo in an old biscuit tin of a small girl with a red ball entitled 'Liesel, 1949' she has some questions for her aunt. And Evelyn is transported back to a time of secrets and spies, a place in Germany known as 'The Forbidden Village' and a woman known as Eva, who went where no one else dared to, to avenge the lives of those she had loved.

Reviews for Suzanne Goldring

Author Biography

Following an eventful career as a public relations consultant, specialising in business and travel, Suzanne Goldring turned to writing the kind of novels she likes to read, about the extraordinary lives of ordinary people. Whether she is working in her thatched cottage in Hampshire or her seaside home in North Cornwall, Suzanne finds inspiration in the secrets hidden by everyday life.



A View Across the Rooftops

Suzanne Kelman

Historical

Retail Description

1941, Nazi-occupied Amsterdam. Professor Joseph Held appears to live a quiet, solitary life. That is, until he meets Hannah, an enigmatic woman with whom he shares an undeniable connection. But with treachery and betrayal at every turn, he wonders if he can trust her. Because he has a powerful reason to remain reclusive. The truth is that Joseph isn't the gentle widower others see him as. Nor is he alone in his house. Because on the night that the Nazis came for the Jews, he impulsively offered his student Michael Blum refuge in his attic. It is an act of bravery and resistance that changes the course of his life. But as the war rages on, and his relationship with Hannah deepens, what price will Joseph pay for the secrets he is keeping?

Reviews for Suzanne Kelman

Author Biography

Suzanne Kelman is a 2015 Academy of Motion Pictures Nicholl Finalist, Multi-Award-Winning Screenwriter and a Film Producer. As well as working in film she is also an International Amazon Bestselling Fiction Author of the Southlea Bay Series – The Rejected Writers' Book Club, Rejected Writers Take the Stage and The Rejected Writers' Christmas Wedding. Born in the United Kingdom, she now resides in Washington State.

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Planeta – Portuguese



The Nurses of Lark Lane

Pam Howes

Historical

Author has sold over 111,000 copies and has been in the Amazon top 30 in both the UK and CA

Retail Description

Liverpool, 1956. With her abusive husband drinking all her wages, Alice faces a daily struggle to provide for her family. Her eldest daughter Cathy has always longed to be a nurse, but when the family's poverty means she's forced to leave school and get a job – without the qualifications she needs – it looks like her dreams are over.

But Cathy isn't willing to give up without a fight, and with the support of old friend – and new love – Gianni, she manages to secure a place as a cadet nurse, learning as she works.

Cathy knows that without her around, her mam must stand up to her violent husband alone – and that with less money coming in, Alice will be in danger of losing everything. Cathy must decide whether to follow her dream, or protect her family.

And since nursing students must be unmarried, and Gianni is desperate to settle down, it's not just her mam who hopes that Cathy will come home. Can Cathy find a way to have it all, or will becoming a nurse mean leaving her family – and love – behind her?

Reviews for Pam Howes

'WOW what a fabulous book!!... Loads of laughter and tears – it is absolutely a book you will not be able to put down until you finish it, for that reason I had sleepless nights!! I can't recommend it highly enough' Goodreads Reviewer, 5 stars

'Oh what a corker... fantastic... Tissues ready though, okay?... I am flabbergasted... literally moved me to tears, filled my arms with goosebumps... truly spell-

Author Biography

Pam is a retired interior designer, mum to three daughters, grandma to seven assorted grandchildren and roadie to her musician partner. The inspiration for Pam's first novel came from her teenage years, working in a record store, and hanging around with musicians who frequented the business. The first novel evolved into a series about a fictional band The Raiders. She is a fan of sixties music and it's this love that compelled her to begin writing.

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