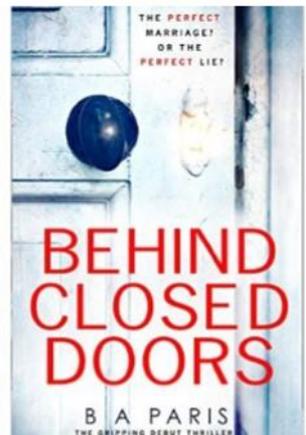
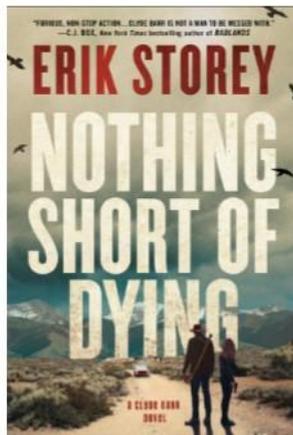
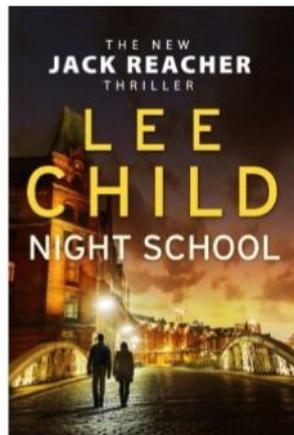
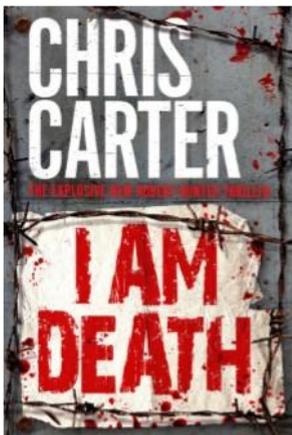
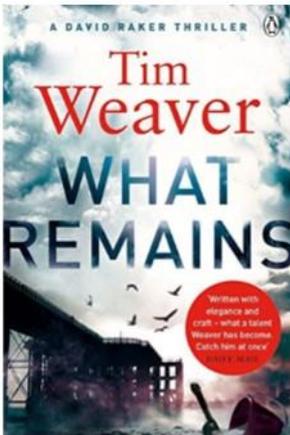
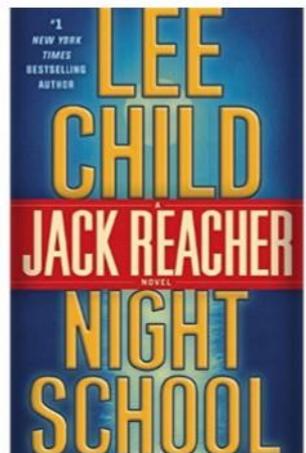
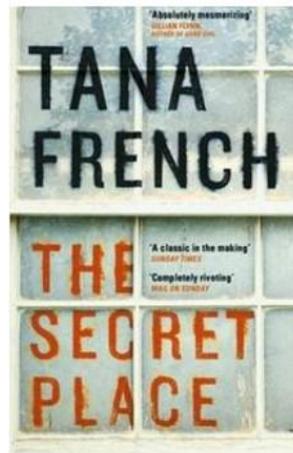
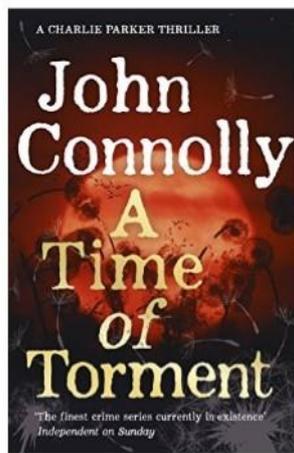
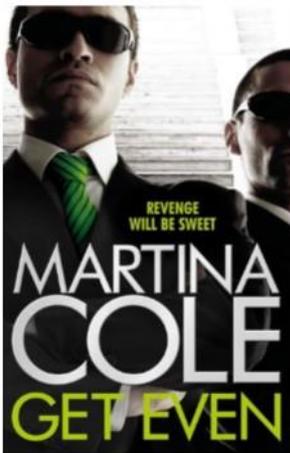
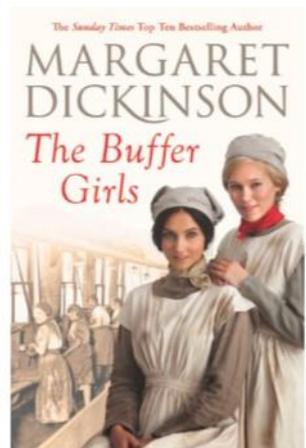
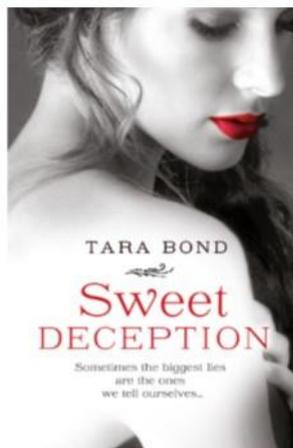
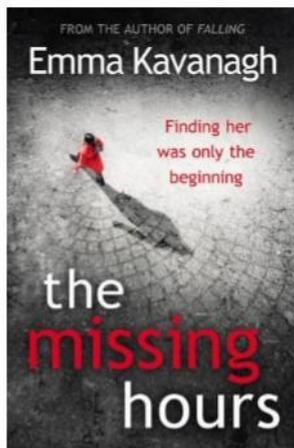
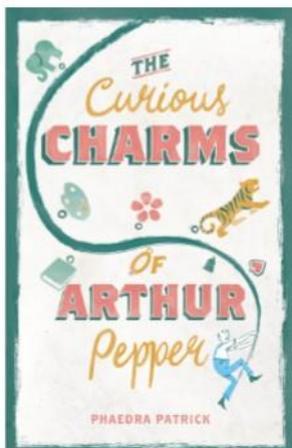
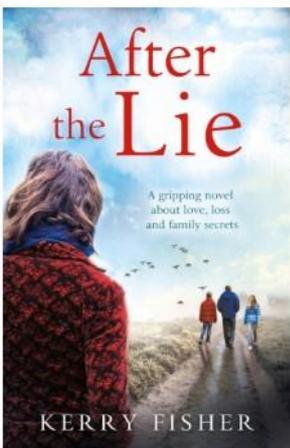


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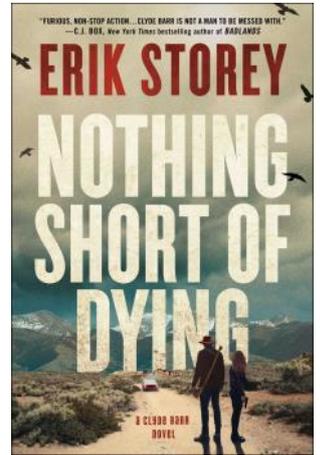
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THRILLER

DÉBUT



Erik Storey **NOTHING SHORT OF DYING**

A PROPULSIVE ACTION-DRIVEN THRILLER

INTRODUCING CLYDE BARR, A MODERN-DAY HIGH PLAINS DRIFTER; A MULTI-FACETED AND COMPLEX HERO

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'A SINGULAR NEW TALENT! STOREY'S NOTHING SHORT OF DYING IS NOTHING SHORT OF BRILLIANT. THIS MAN IS A BORN STORYTELLER!'

Jeffery Deaver

Barr's most powerful life-long instinct has been to right wrongs, a compulsion fed by a childhood tainted by domestic violence, a young adulthood working as a Third World gun for hire, and a recent stint in a Mexican prison that he barely survived.

So when, only a week after his release, Barr receives a panicked, abruptly ended call from his older sister Jen, pleading with him to 'come get her', he's grimly determined to do just that. Nothing short of dying will prevent him from keeping his promise.

Even though he has no idea where Jen is or who has taken her.

Violence immediately erupts as a succession of hard men block Barr's path. Helping the ex-mercenary run his gauntlet is an unlikely ally named Allie, whose moxie and uncanny ability to read people has made her a survivor. Now, the two of them are on a furious race against the clock to find Jen before the unthinkable happens...

US publication: 16th August 2016 UK publication: 25th August 2016

www.erikstoreybooks.com

320 pages

Praise for NOTHING SHORT OF DYING:

'Very, very good. It's all here. Reacher is keeping an eye on this guy'

Lee Child

'Gritty...authentic...a terrific page-turner'

Howard Roughan, author of *Truth or Die*

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)
NORTH AMERICAN: Scribner (Rick Horgan)
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Simon & Schuster (Ian Chapman)

BULGARIAN: Obsidian
GERMAN: Piper Verlag
SERBIAN: Evro-Giunti

Erik Storey is an outdoor guide from Colorado and, with his evocative writing, paints vivid images of Colorado landscapes. He's 36 and lives in the Colorado High Desert with his wife and two daughters. He is currently writing book two in the Clyde Barr series.

ADVENTURE THRILLER

DÉBUT

Jack Ford

THE KILLING GROUNDS

AN EXHILARATING RIDE: THIS IS THE BEGINNING OF A MULTI-LAYERED THRILLER SERIES

THOMAS COOPER IS AN INTREPID NEW HERO YOU'LL WANT TO MEET AGAIN AND AGAIN

PERFECT FOR FANS OF JACK HIGGINS AND CLIVE CUSSLER

Cooper is ex-military and the illegitimate son of the President of the United States.

Now working as a high asset recovery operator, he finds himself in the heart of the Democratic Republic of Congo to recover a plane.

His investigation into the whereabouts of the aircraft has Cooper uncovering an unethical but highly profitable trade in minerals. And the abuse of local cultural beliefs in witchcraft and the spirit world has allowed a giant US electronics company to manipulate a whole community through fear, intimidation and murder.

Cooper is pushed to the edge as he battles unspeakable horrors and his own inner demons due to the loss of his childhood sweetheart.

But James Bond and Jack Reacher like, he triumphs in the end.

UK publication: 20th May 2016

471 typescript pages

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Mira UK (Sally Williamson)

Jack Ford is a novelist and former prison worker. He is the author of six gritty British crime novels published by Avon (HarperCollins). He lives in London with his children.

POPULAR FICTION

DÉBUT

Gilly McAllister **EVERYTHING BUT THE TRUTH**



**PROVOCATIVE CONTEMPORARY WOMEN'S FICTION
PERFECT FOR FANS OF LIANE MORIARTY**

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DEAL**

***'SUCH AN EXCITING ACQUISITION FOR THE MICHAEL JOSEPH LIST,
EVERYTHING BUT THE TRUTH IS AN INCREDIBLE NOVEL AND A COMPLETE
PAGE-TURNER'*** **Kimberley Atkins, Michael Joseph**

Newly pregnant ex-doctor Rachel is happy with her boyfriend Jack. Until she discovers an email not meant for her, which she unthinkingly opens in the middle of the night.

The email changes everything; in it lies evidence that Jack committed a crime. Not only that, but the jury at his trial returned a rare verdict, rendering Jack not quite guilty, but not quite innocent either.

The discovery of the email begins a journey for Rachel that starts with wanting to find out what he did, but ends with discovering that we are all - like it or not - culpable for a thousand tragedies and accidents over our lifetimes.

UK publication: Spring 2017

320 typescript pages

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Michael Joseph / Penguin Random House (Kimberley Atkins)

DUTCH: Ambo Anthos

POLISH: Proszynski

RUSSIAN: AST

Gilly McAllister graduated with an English degree in 2006 and is now a lawyer with a large law firm. She has been blogging for ten years at www.billygean.co.uk and she and her blog have been featured in various publications including *Company* magazine. She lives in Birmingham with her boyfriend and cat.

THRILLER

DÉBUT



Tim Utton **LIES**

A TIGHTLY-PLOTTED DOMESTIC THRILLER TOLD FROM THE POINT OF VIEW OF THE HUSBAND

A DECADE OF MARRIAGE REVEALED TO BE BUILT ON LIES AS HE BECOMES ENTANGLED IN HIS WIFE'S DANGEROUS WEB OF DECEIT

COMPULSIVE AND UNPUTDOWNABLE FICTION AT ITS BEST

I often wonder what would have happened if I hadn't seen her car that day. If the light had been green instead of red.

Joe Lynch has a happy life; he enjoys his job as a teacher, adores his young son and is still head over heels in love with his wife after ten years of marriage. He's never been in trouble with the police, he's never even had a parking ticket, and he's certainly never had to lie to his wife. But then his four year old son, William, sees something which changes everything.

On a normal drive home from school, William spots Joe's wife's car pulling in to a hotel car park. But it can't be her... She's supposed to be playing tennis across town, isn't she? The decision Joe makes to follow the car sets in motion a series of events Joe never could have foreseen.

As his regular life of contentment crumbles against a backdrop of deception and betrayal, Joe is drawn into a game without any rules, against a smart and sophisticated opponent who always seems to be one step ahead. It's not long before Joe realises he stands to lose everything unless he can work out where the truth lies...

UK publication: on submission

409 typescript pages

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

Tim Utton is former *Daily Mail* science reporter, covering stories on new developments in a wide variety of scientific fields. He is Deputy Director of Communications at the University of Nottingham and lives in Nottinghamshire with his wife and two children. Tim is currently working on his next stand-alone thriller.

THRILLER

DÉBUT



G.X. Todd **DEFENDER**

TIPPED AS THE BREAKOUT UK DÉBUT OF 2017, AN IMAGINATIVE THRILLER DRAWING ON INFLUENCES FROM STEPHEN KING AND NEIL GAIMAN

UK & COMMONWEALTH RIGHTS SOLD IN A STUNNING SIX-FIGURE PRE-EMPT; BRAZILIAN TRANSLATION RIGHTS WON AT AUCTION

'TRANSPORTS READERS IMMEDIATELY TO A WORLD IN WHICH SOCIETY HAS BEEN DECIMATED. IT CALLS TO MIND THE EPIC ARCHITECTURE OF THE STAND. A GENUINE TALENT' **Mari Evans, Managing Director at Headline**

The voices in your head will either save or slaughter you.

In a world where long drinks are in short supply, a stranger listens to the voice in his head telling him to buy a lemonade from the girl sitting on a dusty road.

That moment locks them together.

Here and now it's dangerous to listen to your inner voice. Those who do, keep it quiet.

These voices have purpose.

And when Pilgrim meets Lacey, there is a reason. He just doesn't know it yet.

UK publication: 12th January 2017

451 pages

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Headline (Mari Evans)

POLISH: Filia
PORTUGUESE (BRAZIL): Record

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COURTROOM DRAMA

DÉBUT



Imran Mahmood **WHERE THE SKY IS GREEN**

A SEARCH FOR THE MEANING OF TRUTH, JUSTICE AND REDEMPTION

A YOUNG DEFENDANT GIVES HIS OWN DEFENCE SPEECH IN THIS IS MOVING AND POWERFUL DRAMA

PERFECT FOR FANS OF TRUE CRIME AND TOP-SELLING PODCASTS *SERIAL* AND *CRIMINAL*

An unnamed defendant stands in the dock accused of murder. Abandoned by his lawyer for refusing to go along with a guilty plea, he is now representing himself.

This is the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. Or is it?

A member of an opposing gang has been killed - evidence has mounted and the defendant was witnessed arguing with the dead boy weeks before he was killed. And a handgun was subsequently found in his flat and then blood was found under his nails.

An open and shut case. Or is it?

But what would you do if you took all that evidence, looked inside it, turned it around in your hands to see what the facts were really made of. To see if the truth stands up in court. To see what separates guilty and not guilty. Because how can you ever *really* judge what's right and wrong?

Is he guilty? You decide.

UK publication: Spring 2017

309 typescript pages

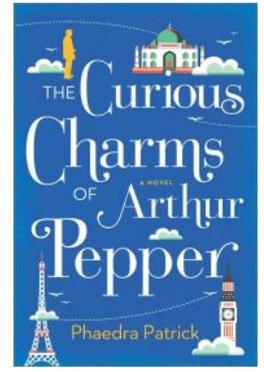
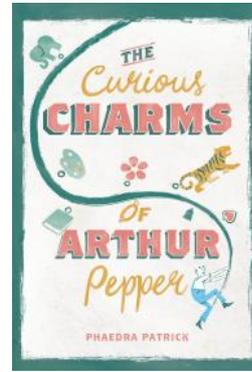
WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Michael Joseph / Penguin Random House (Emad Akhtar)

Imran Mahmood was born in Liverpool in 1969 to first generation Pakistani parents. He has been working at the criminal bar in London for over 20 years and regularly appears in jury trials across the country dealing in serious and complex criminal cases. He lives in South East London with his wife and is plotting a second novel.

POPULAR FICTION

DÉBUT



Phaedra Patrick **THE CURIOUS CHARMS OF** **ARTHUR PEPPER**

TOLD WITH ASSURED SIMPLICITY AND POIGNANCY, THIS IS UPLIFTING AND QUIRKY COMMERCIAL WOMEN'S FICTION

SOLD IN 17 LANGUAGES

'NOT JUST FOR THOSE WHO ARE MOURNING OVER LOVE OR THE PAST. THIS BOOK WILL ILLUMINATE YOUR HEART'
Nina George

Having been married for over 40 years, 69-year-old Arthur Pepper is mourning the loss of his wife. On the anniversary of her death, he finally musters the courage to go through her possessions, and happens upon a charm bracelet that he has never seen before.

What follows is a surprising adventure that takes Arthur from London to Paris and India in an epic quest to find out the truth about his wife's secret life before they met, a journey that leads him to find healing, self-discovery, and love in the most unexpected of places.

UK hardback publication: 7th April 2016 US publication: 31st May 2016

www.phaedra-patrick.com

384 pages

Praise for THE CURIOUS CHARMS OF ARTHUR PEPPER:

'Patrick's début evokes whimsy and poignancy...this is a sweet story'

[Publishers Weekly](#)

'Tender, insightful, and surprising...wonderful debut novel'

[Library Journal](#)

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Mira (Sally Williamson)

NORTH AMERICAN: Mira (Erika Imranyi)

BULGARIAN: Ciela

COMPLEX CHINESE: Delight Press

CZECH: Mlada Fronta

DUTCH: Luitingh-Sijthoff

FRENCH: Bragelonne

GERMAN: Btb Verlag

HUNGARIAN: Muvelt Nep

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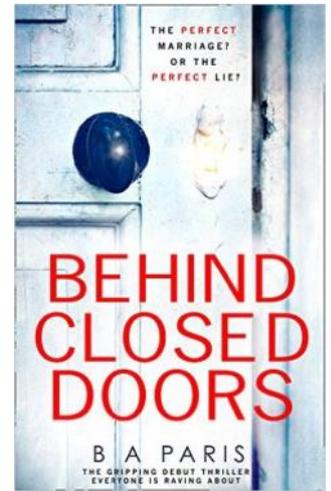
SWEDISH: Forum

TURKISH: Arkadya

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PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLER

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Some might call this true love. Others might ask why Grace never answers the phone. Or how she can never meet for coffee even though she doesn't work. How she can cook such elaborate meals but remain so slim. And why there are bars on one of their bedroom windows.

Sometimes the perfect marriage is the perfect lie.

UK publication: 11th February 2016

384 pages

Praise for BEHIND CLOSED DOORS:

'If you like fast and frantic stories, you'll love this'

The Sun

'Brilliant, chilling, scary and unputdownable'

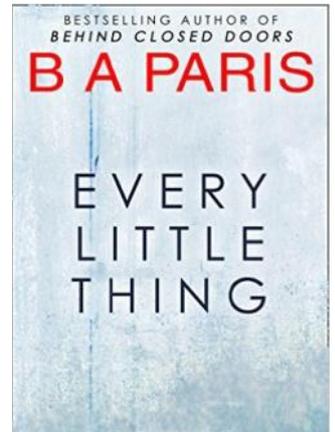
Lesley Pearce

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UK & COMMONWEALTH: Mira (Sally Williamson)
NORTH AMERICAN: St. Martin's Press (Jennifer Weis)
ALBANIAN: Living Publishing House
COMPLEX CHINESE: Crown Culture
SIMPLIFIED CHINESE: Zito Books
CROATIAN: Mozaik Knjiga
CZECH: Albatros Media
ESTONIAN: Under offer
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ICELANDIC: Under offer

ITALIAN: Editrice Nord
JAPANESE: Under offer
KOREAN: Book21
MACEDONIAN: Sakam Knigi
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THAI: Jamsai

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PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLER



B.A. Paris

EVERY LITTLE THING

THE SECOND STAND-ALONE THRILLER FROM THE BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

WE FORGET LITTLE THINGS ALL THE TIME BUT COULD FORGETTING ONE LITTLE THING LEAD TO MURDER?

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As her memory begins to fail, the only things she can't forget are the woman she passed in her car - and the fear she feels every time the phone rings.

Who is behind the calls? And why does Cass keep forgetting every little thing?

From the bestselling author of BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, don't miss B.A. Paris' second book EVERY LITTLE THING.

UK publication: 3rd November 2016

384 pages

Praise for BEHIND CLOSED DOORS:

'This outstanding novel will leave you breathless'

Bella

'My heart was pounding'

The Sun

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)
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CRIME/THRILLER

Lee Child **NIGHT SCHOOL**

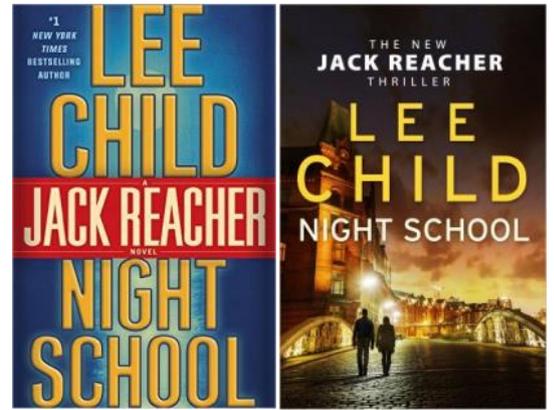
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NIGHT SCHOOL takes Reacher back to his army days, but this time he's not in uniform. With trusted sergeant Frances Neagley at his side, he must carry the fate of the world on his shoulders, in a wired, fiendishly clever new adventure that will make cold sweat trickle down your spine.

UK publication: 8th November 2016 US publication: 8th November 2016

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432 pages

Praise for MAKE ME:

'Superb 20th Jack Reacher...Child's complete command of the story makes this thriller work brilliantly' Publishers Weekly

'Jack Reacher is the coolest continuing series character now on offer'

Stephen King

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

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Previous titles:

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ECHO BURNING: a *New York Times* and *UK Sunday Times* bestseller; NZ No.1 bestseller. **US:** Putnam. Rights sold in **22 countries**.

THE VISITOR / RUNNING BLIND: a *New York Times* and *UK Sunday Times* bestseller; NZ No.1 bestseller. **US:** Putnam. Rights sold in **25 countries**.

TRIPWIRE: a *New York Times* and *UK Sunday Times* bestseller; NZ No.1 bestseller. **US:** Putnam. Rights sold in **26 countries**.

DIE TRYING: a *UK Sunday Times* bestseller; NZ No.1 bestseller. **US:** Putnam. Rights sold in **30 countries**.

KILLING FLOOR: a *UK Sunday Times* bestseller; NZ No.1 bestseller. **US:** Putnam. Rights sold in **35 countries**.

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New York Times

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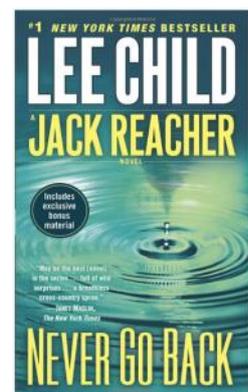
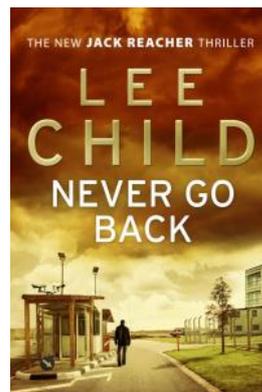
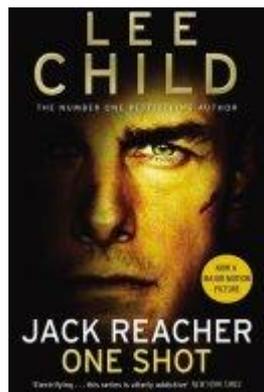
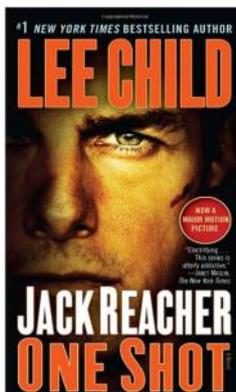
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496 pages

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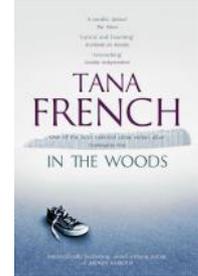
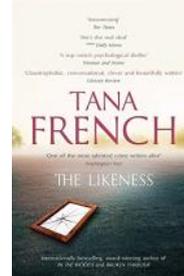
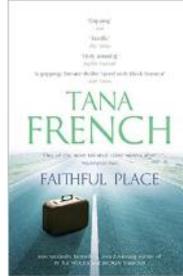
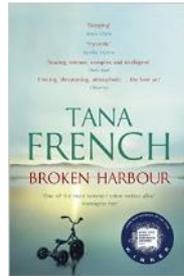
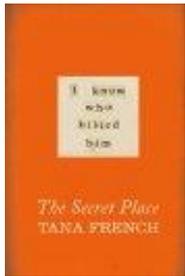
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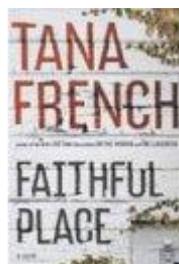
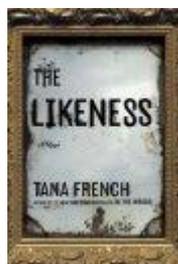
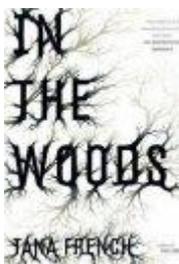
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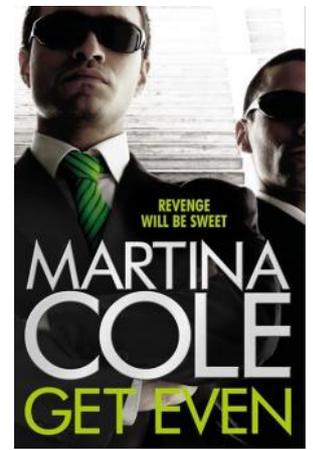
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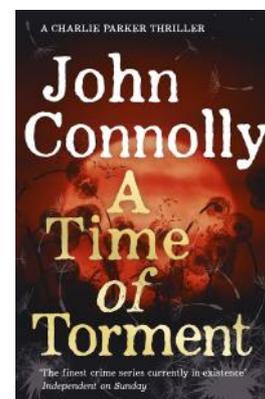
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NORTH AMERICAN: Atria / Emily Bestler Books (Emily Bestler)

John Connolly was born in Dublin in 1968. His debut, EVERY DEAD THING, swiftly launched him into the front rank of thriller writers, and all his subsequent novels have been *Sunday Times* bestsellers. He is the first non-American writer to win the US Shamus Award (for EVERY DEAD THING).

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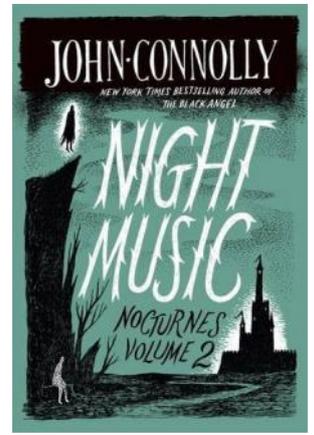
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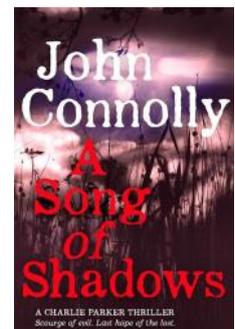
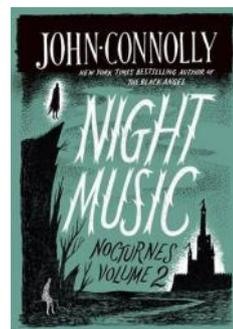
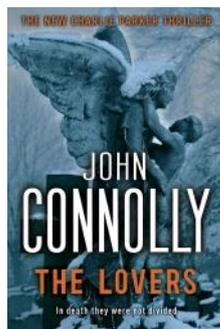
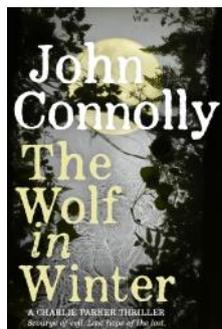
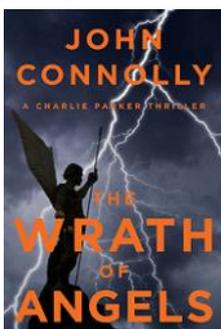
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UK publication: 28th July 2016

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416 pages

Praise for WHAT REMAINS:

'It's a dark, complex and visceral read'

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WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

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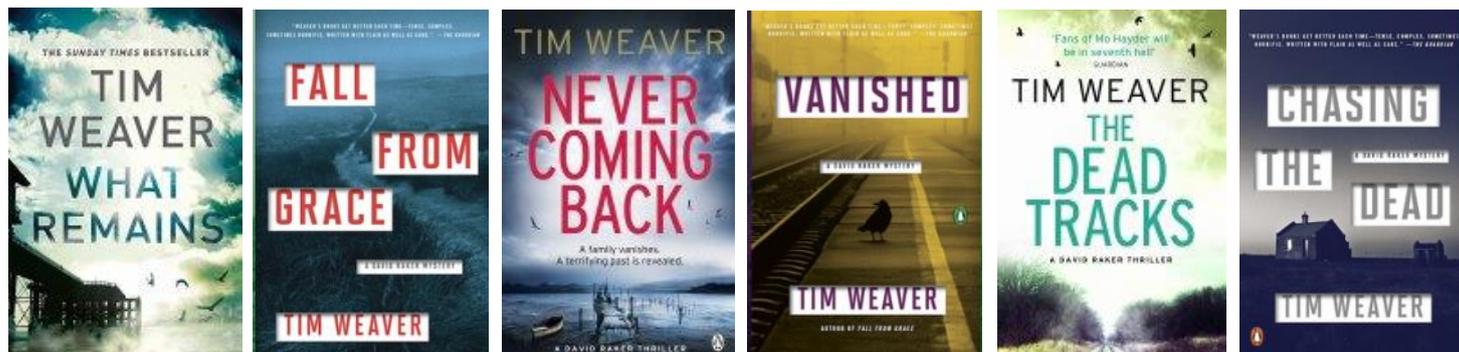
Tim Weaver worked in journalism before becoming a full-time author. NEVER COMING BACK was selected for the Richard and Judy Book Club 2013, and won the Apple iBookStore's Best British Crime Novel of 2013 and FALL FROM GRACE was a No.2 *Sunday Times* bestseller. It was also nominated for the Specsavers National Book Award 2013. He is married with a young daughter, and divides his time between the UK and his wife's native South Africa. He is currently writing the eighth David Raker thriller.

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THE DEAD TRACKS NO.1 KINDLE BESTSELLER

Seventeen-year-old Megan Carver was an unlikely runaway. A straight-A student from a happy home, she studied hard and rarely got into trouble. When David Raker is hired by Megan's parents to find out what happened, he recognises their pain, but knows that the darkest secrets can be buried deep. And Megan's secrets could cost him his life.

Rights sold in **NORTH AMERICA; CROATIA; GERMANY; ISRAEL; ITALY; POLAND; RUSSIA; TURKEY**

CHASING THE DEAD TOP 35 BESTSELLER

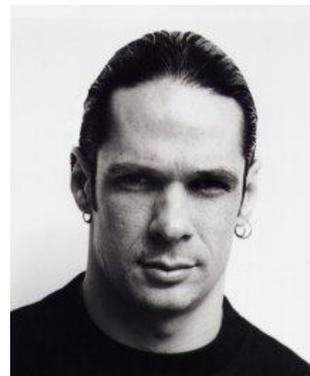
A year to the day of his wife's death he is visited by an old friend of hers, Mary, whose son went missing six years before and five years later he turned up dead. Already reluctant to take on a new case, David is stunned when Mary tells him she thinks she's seen her son - alive.

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Visit the author's website at www.timweaverbooks.com

SERIAL KILLER THRILLER

Chris Carter **ANSWER ME**



**EIGHTH SERIAL KILLER THRILLER FROM INTERNATIONALLY
BESTSELLING CREATOR OF ROBERT HUNTER**

I AM DEATH WAS A NO.5 UK *SUNDAY TIMES* HARDBACK BESTSELLER

**OVER ONE AND A HALF MILLION COPIES SOLD WORLDWIDE; SOLD IN 15
LANGUAGES**

'CARTER IS NOW IN THE JEFFERY DEEVER CLASS - A MASTER OF MONSTERS'
Daily Mail

After a tough week, Tanya Kaitlin is looking forward to a relaxing night in, but as she steps out of her shower, she hears her phone ring. The video call request comes from her best friend, Karen Ward. Tanya takes the call and the nightmare begins.

Karen is gagged and bound to a chair in her own living room. If Tanya disconnects the call, if she looks away from the camera, he will come after her next, the deep, raspy, demonic voice at the other end of the line promises her.

As Hunter and Garcia investigate the threats, they are thrown into a rollercoaster of evil, chasing a predator who scouts the streets and social media networks for victims, taunting them with secret messages and feeding on their fear.

UK publication: 28th July 2016

www.chriscarterbooks.com

432 pages

Praise for I AM DEATH:

'Carter brings a profound understanding of psychopaths to his novels. Chilling and compulsive'

Daily Mail

'Punchy and fast-paced'

Sunday Mirror

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

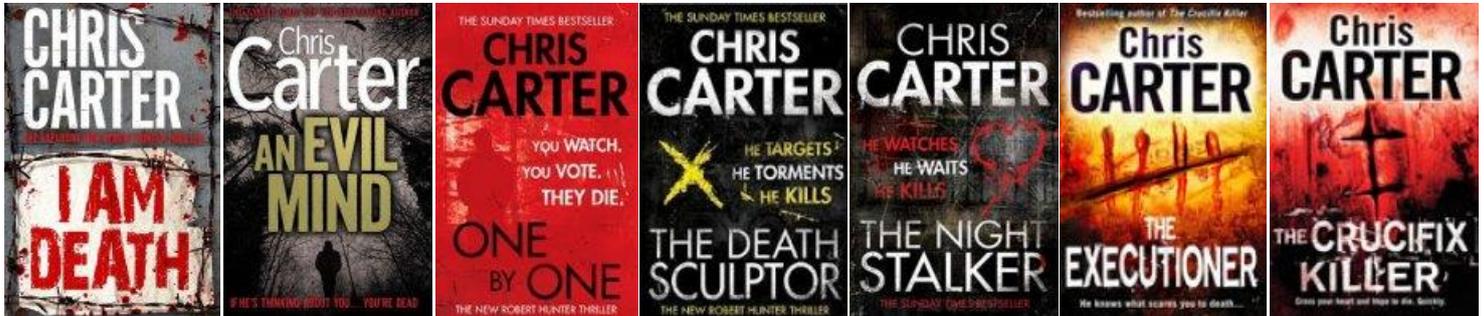
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Simon & Schuster (Jo Dickinson)

Chris Carter was born in Brazil. After graduating high school he moved to the USA where he studied psychology and worked as a Criminal Psychologist for several years. His novels have been met with wide acclaim and he is a consistent bestseller in Germany and Denmark. He lives in London and is currently writing the ninth Robert Hunter novel.

Chris Carter - SOLD IN 15 LANGUAGES

'THERE'S A TOUCH OF THE PATRICIA CORNWELL ABOUT CHRIS CARTER'S PLOTTING'

Mail on Sunday



Previous titles:

I AM DEATH NO.5 ON THE SUNDAY TIMES HARDBACK BESTSELLER LIST

The body of a young woman is found on grass beside Los Angeles International Airport - her body stretched into a five-point human star. Hunter soon finds himself chasing a monster who cannot be quenched because he is death. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; GERMANY; POLAND; SLOVENIA**

AN EVIL MIND NO.5 ON THE SUNDAY TIMES HARDBACK BESTSELLER LIST

A freak accident in rural Wyoming leads to the discovery of a serial killer who has been torturing victims for 25 years. Detective Robert Hunter must find the identity of a killer so elusive no-one had any idea he existed. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; GERMANY; POLAND; SLOVENIA; THAILAND**

ONE BY ONE NO.10 ON THE SUNDAY TIMES HARDBACK BESTSELLER LIST

Detective Robert Hunter receives an anonymous call asking him to access a website - his own private broadcast. The caller doesn't just want Hunter to watch, he wants him to participate and refusal is not an option. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; GERMANY; POLAND; SLOVENIA; THAILAND**

THE DEATH SCULPTOR TOP 10 SUNDAY TIMES PAPERBACK BESTSELLER

Detective Robert Hunter is called into a case when a student nurse finds her patient, a well-known LA prosecutor, murdered in his bed. Hunter is immediately drawn to the killer's calling card. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; GERMANY; POLAND; RUSSIA; SLOVENIA; THAILAND**

THE NIGHT STALKER

An unidentified female body is brought into the Los Angeles County morgue with the cause of death unknown. Hunter is pulled onto the case when it becomes clear something has been stitched inside her. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; GERMANY; POLAND; RUSSIA; SLOVENIA**

THE EXECUTIONER

Inside an LA church, the body of a priest is found. Hunter believes, at first, this to be a ritualistic killing but as more bodies surface, he is forced to reassess. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; FRANCE; GERMANY; HUNGARY; ITALIAN; POLAND; PORTUGAL; RUSSIA; SLOVENIA; THAILAND; TURKEY**

THE CRUCIFIX KILLER

The body of a young woman is found in Los Angeles National Forest with a strange double-cross carved onto her neck: the signature of a psychopath known as the Crucifix Killer. But two years ago, the Crucifix Killer was caught and executed. Rights sold in **BULGARIA; CROATIA; CZECH REPUBLIC; DENMARK; THE NETHERLANDS; FRANCE; GERMANY; HUNGARY; INDONESIA; POLAND; PORTUGAL; RUSSIA; SLOVENIA; THAILAND; TURKEY**

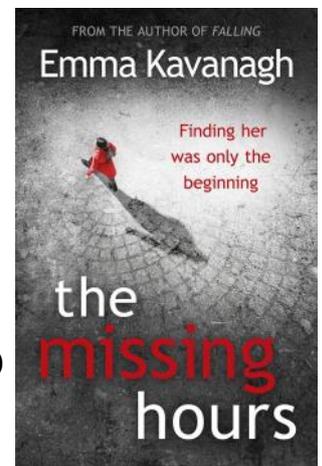
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PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLER

Emma Kavanagh **THE MISSING HOURS**

**PSYCHOLOGICAL MYSTERY THRILLER BY HIGHLY ACCLAIMED
FORMER POLICE AND MILITARY PSYCHOLOGIST**

**TV RIGHTS UNDER OPTION TO AWARD-WINNING DRAMA
PRODUCER**



'PACKED WITH HIGH EMOTION, THIS NOVEL REVEALS A BORN STORYTELLER'
Publishers Weekly

A woman disappears

One moment, Selena Cole is in the playground with her children and the next, she has vanished without a trace. DC Leah Mackay is called to investigate. The missing woman is a well respected business woman, who has dealt with some of the toughest cases the kidnap and ransom industry has to offer.

Then, on a mountain road outside of Hereford, a body is discovered. It is obvious then, what has happened. Selena Cole is dead. Or is she?

A woman returns

20 hours later, Selena is found safe and well, but with no memory of where she has been.

DS Finn Hale, Leah's younger brother, is desperate to prove himself on the force. And murders take priority. As Finn attempts to pull all resources into finding the killer, the matter with Selena is deemed resolved.

But Leah cannot shake it off. Why would a mother leave her children, vanish, only to reappear? As she continues to dig into just what became of Selena in those missing hours, she will come to realise that people are rarely as they first seem...

UK publication: 21st April 2016

336 pages

Praise for Emma Kavanagh:

'We predict big things for Emma Kavanagh. Addictive'

Good Housekeeping

'Very tense. Hard hitting, and with real heart. This is a fantastic thriller'

Sunday Mirror

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Arrow (Jenny Geras)

Previous titles:

HIDDEN: ITALIAN: Newton Compton; **TV RIGHTS:** Under option; **FALLING:** NORTH AMERICAN: Sourcebooks;
NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm; **TV RIGHTS:** Under option

Emma Kavanagh worked as a psychology consultant, specialising in human performance in extreme situations; providing training and consultation for police, military forces and NATO throughout the UK and Europe. She lives in South Wales with her husband and their two sons. She is working on her fourth novel and an original series for television.

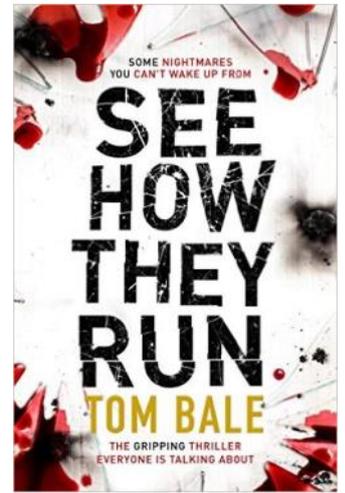
PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLER

Tom Bale **SEE HOW THEY RUN**

HEART-POUNGING NEW STAND-ALONE THRILLER FROM
THE AUTHOR OF SKIN AND BONES AND THE CATCH

***'ONE OF THE MOST ADDICTIVE THRILLERS I'VE EVER READ.
A TRUE 'UP-ALL-NIGHT, JUST-ONE-MORE-PAGE' NOVEL'***

Keshini Naidoo, Bookouture



How far would you go to save your family?

In the dead of night, new parents Alice and Harry French are plunged into their worst nightmare when they wake to find masked men in their bedroom. Men ruthless enough to threaten their baby daughter, Evie.

This is no burglary gone wrong. The intruders know *who* they're looking for – a man called Edward Renshaw. And they are prepared to kill to get to him.

When the men leave empty handed, little do Alice and Harry realise that their nightmare is just beginning. Is it a case of mistaken identity? Who is Renshaw? And what is he hiding?

One thing is clear – they already know too much.

As Alice and Harry are separated in the run for their lives, there is no time for breathe in their fight to be reunited. And with their attackers closing in, there is only a choice:

STAY ALIVE. OR DON'T.

UK e-book publication: 6th May 2016

www.tombale.net

411 pages

Praise for Tom Bale:

'This is a neat British gangster thriller written with elan and substance'

Daily Mail

'With strong characters, a fast pace and lots of twists and turns, this is a satisfying read, right to the shocking end'

Peterborough Evening Telegraph

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

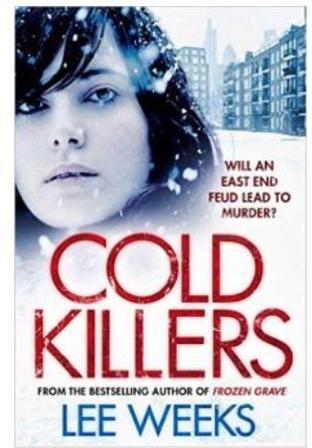
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Bookouture (Keshini Naidoo)

Tom Bale was born in Sussex in 1966. While pursuing his lifelong ambition to be a writer, he worked in a variety of jobs, but none was as exhausting – or as rewarding – as the several years he spent as a househusband with two pre-school children. His first novel, *SINS OF THE FATHER*, was published in 2006 under his real name, David Harrison. With his next book, *SKIN AND BONES*, he acquired an agent, a pseudonym and a publishing deal that enabled him to write full-time. A keen cyclist and sea swimmer, he lives in Brighton with his family.

CRIME/THRILLER

Lee Weeks **COLD KILLERS**

BAD BLOOD TURNS TO MURDER IN THE FIFTH HEART-POUNING CHILLER THRILLER FROM THE BESTSELLING DI CARTER AND WILLIS MURDER SQUAD SERIES



'A GRITTY ATMOSPHERIC READ'

Clouser Magazine

Eddie Butcher, from a notorious East End family, is tortured and brutally murdered while visiting London from his home in Marbella. DI Carter and DI Willis monitor his extravagant funeral in case Eddie's violent brother Terry, wanted for robbery, drug trafficking and murder, tries to make an appearance. The police strongly suspect he is even prepared to kill his own family to maintain his power.

What Carter hasn't told all of his colleagues is that this family's history is personal to him. More than ten years earlier, he was part of an operation that tried to trap Terry as he made his first big drugs deal.

Carter was an undercover agent then, along with a female operative, Della. She and Carter were an item until she fell for Eddie Butcher and the case collapsed. She became Della Butcher - and now, a widow at the mercy of the remaining Butcher brothers, her life is in danger.

When Della offers Carter a chance to finally catch Terry, he knows he cannot refuse. But his reunion with Della comes at a heavy personal, and professional, cost - and Willis must protect them all as the Butcher family's enemies close in, wanting money and revenge.

UK publication: 17th November 2016

www.leeweeks.co.uk

400 pages

Praise for Lee Weeks:

'A fast-moving thriller'

Eastern Anglian Daily Times

'Highly recommended'

Eurocrime

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Simon & Schuster (Emma Lowth)

Previous titles:

COLD JUSTICE; FROZEN GRAVE

COLD AS ICE; BULGARIAN: Press Publishing House; **DEAD OF WINTER; BULGARIAN:** Press Publishing House;

DEATH TRIP; BULGARIAN: Press Publishing House; **KISS & DIE; BULGARIAN:** Press Publishing House; **THE**

TRAFFICKED; DUTCH: Luitingh-Sijthoff; **RUSSIAN:** AST; **THE TROPHY TAKER; DUTCH:** Luitingh Sijthoff;

GERMAN: Goldmann; **RUSSIAN:** AST; **TURKISH:** Pegasus

Lee Weeks was born in Devon. As a child she was a victim of abuse and she started writing as a way to find solace. She spent her younger years travelling and ended up working within the Hong Kong hostess world where she found herself part of a Triad debt. She escaped that world and now lives in Exeter with her son and daughter.

THRILLER

J.S. Carol

TICK TICK BOOM



STAND-ALONE NOVEL FROM THE CREATOR OF THE BESTSELLING JEFFERSON WINTER SERIES, JAMES CAROL

'WITH A PLOT THAT COULD HAVE BEEN TAKEN FROM A HOLLYWOOD BLOCK-BUSTER, TICK TICK BOOM IS A REAL READ-IN-ONE-SITTING, ADDICTIVE THRILLER THAT PLAYS OUT IN REAL TIME. I'M SO EXCITED TO BE PUBLISHING THIS'
Keshini Naidoo, Bookouture

'What's the price of a life?'

For Hollywood media agent J.J. Johnson, a run-of-the-mill business lunch turns into a nightmare when a masked man wearing a bomb vest comes crashing through the restaurant doors. But this is no terrorist attack. As the body count rises, it becomes clear that the bomber has his own agenda, but what has driven him to take such extreme measures?

The bomber isn't the only one who has secrets: J.J. has her secrets too. Could it be that the past has finally caught up with her? As events unfold, she is forced to confront her own history and see how decisions made years ago finally return to haunt you.

Written in real time over one afternoon and set in Los Angeles, TICK TICK BOOM explores what happens when the A-list is faced with a scenario that should only ever happen in films.

UK publication: June 2016

www.james-carol.com

390 pages

Praise for James Carol:

'Visceral and gripping, BROKEN DOLLS made me gasp in horror. Jefferson Winter is a welcome new genius, and I can't wait to meet him again'
Neil White

'James Carol makes a solid entry into the serial killer stakes with his first novel BROKEN DOLLS...a grisly read'
Sydney Morning Herald

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Bookouture (Keshini Naidoo)

CHINESE (COMP): Eurasian
GERMAN: Aufbau

J.S. Carol is the pseudonym of British crime writer James Carol. He is currently working on his second stand-alone title as well as the next instalment in the internationally bestselling Jefferson Winter series.

James Carol - SOLD IN 12 LANGUAGES

'IT LEAVES YOU DESPERATE FOR MORE'

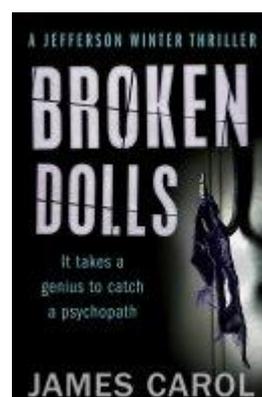
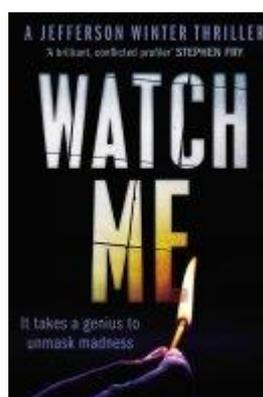
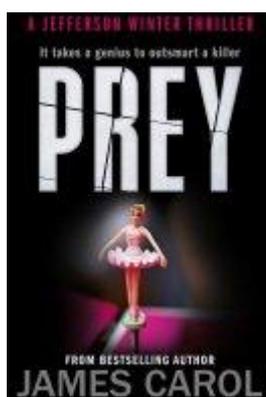
Daily Mail

'THIS PROMISES GREAT AND GRISLY THINGS'

Sunday Mirror

'IT'S THE PERFECT CRIME THRILLER'

Irish Examiner



Previous titles:

PREY

Six years ago a married couple were found murdered. Police arrested a suspect who later committed suicide: what if the police got it wrong? Jefferson Winter finds himself drawn into a deadly cat-and-mouse game with a mysterious female psychopath.

Rights sold in **GERMANY; RUSSIA; THAILAND**

WATCH ME

Jefferson Winter takes a new case in Louisiana, a killer is on the loose in small-town Eagle Creek and a prominent lawyer has been burned alive. Enter Winter to solve the case, in a town where secrets are rife, before someone else dies.

Rights sold in **CZECH REPUBLIC; GERMANY; RUSSIA; SLOVENIA; THAILAND**

BROKEN DOLLS

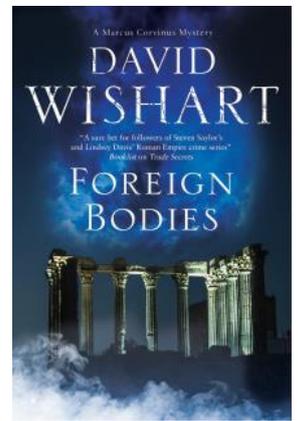
Jefferson Winter is no ordinary investigator: the son of one of America's most renowned serial killers, former FBI rising star turned consultant he accepts a particularly disturbing case in London where he must use all his extraordinary skills to catch the killer before he strikes again.

Rights sold in **CHINA (COMP); CZECH REPUBLIC; ESTONIA; GERMANY; ITALY; POLAND; RUSSIA; SPAIN; THAILAND; TURKEY**

Film and TV rights under option

Visit the author's website www.james-carol.com

James Carol lives in Hertfordshire with his wife and two children. He also writes pulp stand-alone thrillers under J.S Carol. When he's not writing, he spends his time training horses and riders. He is currently writing the fourth Jefferson Winter novel.



David Wishart **FOREIGN BODIES**

**THE EIGHTEENTH ABSORBING MARCUS CORVINUS MYSTERY
SET IN ANCIENT ROME**

***‘WITTY, ENGROSSING AND RIBALD. IT MISSES NOTHING IN ITS EVOCATION OF
A BYGONE TIME AND PLACE’*** The Independent

June, AD 42

The emperor Claudius himself has requested Corvinus' help in investigating the murder of a Gallic wine merchant, stabbed to death as he was taking an afternoon nap in his summer-house at Lugdunum.

Not especially happy at being despatched to Gaul, and even less enamoured of his enforced travelling companion, the insufferable Domitius Crinas, Corvinus is increasingly frustrated as it becomes clear that the dead man's extended family and friends are hiding something from him.

Unused to strange Gallic customs and facing an uphill struggle getting anyone to talk freely to a Roman, Corvinus is convinced that there's more to this murder than meets the eye - but, a stranger in a strange land, how is he going to prove it?

UK publication: 31st May 2016

www.davidwishart.com

240 pages

Praise for David Wishart:

‘There's lots of action and a nice plot, full of suspense, to keep you going’

Sunday Telegraph

‘Another solid entry into a popular series’

Booklist

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Severn House (Kate Lyall Grant)

Previous titles:

ILLEGALLY DEAD: TURKEY: Pegasus; **IN A DEATH:** CZECH: Oldag; **GREEK:** Kalendis; **HEBREW:** Kinneret; **RUSSIAN:** Armada; **FOOD FOR THE FISHES; PARTHIAN SHOT; A VOTE FOR MURDER; WHITE MURDER; LAST RITES:** CZECH: Perseus; **OLD BONES:** CZECH: Perseus; **THE HORSE COIN; THE LYDIAN BAKER:** CZECH: Perseus; **SLOVENIAN:** Ikar; **SEJANUS:** CZECH: Perseus; **GERMANICUS: NORTH AMERICAN:** Felony & Mayhem; **CZECH:** Oldag; **GERMAN:** Luebbe; **SERBIAN:** Laguna; **OVID: NORTH AMERICAN:** Felony & Mayhem; **CZECH:** Oldag; **GERMAN:** Luebbe; **ROMANIAN:** Nemira; **SERBIAN:** Laguna; **NERO:** CZECH: Oldag; **ROMANIAN:** Nemira; **I, VIRGIL:** CZECH: Oldag

David Wishart studied Classics at Edinburgh University and spent several years teaching in schools and at University. He then retrained as a teacher of English as a Foreign Language and worked abroad for eleven years, in Kuwait, Greece and Saudi Arabia. He now lives with his family in Carnoustie, mixing writing with teaching EFL and study skills at Dundee University.

Lesley Pearse

DEAD TO ME

**A HEART-WRENCHING NEW WOMEN-IN-JEOPARDY NOVEL
FROM ONE OF THE UK'S BEST-LOVED AUTHORS**



**OVER TEN MILLION COPIES SOLD; NO.1 MEGASELLER IN PORTUGAL;
TRANSLATED INTO 20 LANGUAGES**

***'THIS IS QUINTESSENTIAL PEARSE THAT WILL DELIGHT HER ARMY OF
READERS'*** **Daily Mail**

Ruby and Verity are two young girls who come from different worlds. Verity, privately educated, living in a beautiful Hampstead home, and Ruby struggling by in extreme poverty. And yet, despite all that keeps them apart, they forge a firm friendship.

However, fortunes are not set in stone and soon the girls find their situations reversed. As Ruby grows and moves up in the world, Verity encounters more and more tragedy, but through it all they remain a large part of each other's lives.

Until one day in 1938 when Ruby says the terrible words *'You're dead to me'* and it looks like their friendship might be over for good...

UK paperback publication: 14th July 2016

www.lesleypearse.co.uk

416 pages

Praise for WITHOUT A TRACE:

'Epic romantic drama set in post-war London'

Heat Magazine

'Heart-warming and evocative tale that is a delight to read'

The Sun

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Penguin (Louise Moore)

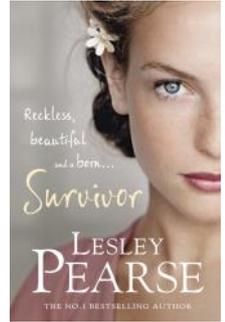
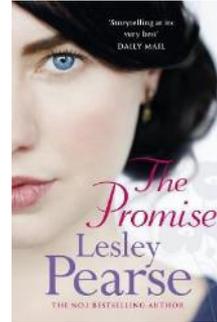
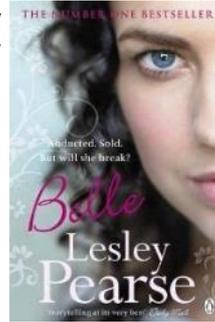
Lesley Pearse is the author of 23 novels. She lives in South West England, and has three daughters and three grandchildren. When she isn't writing, Lesley loves gardening and walking her dogs.

Lesley Pearse

THE COMPLETE BELLE COLLECTION

THE COMPLETE BELLE COLLECTION is a sweeping love story that spans generations and continents. This bestselling trilogy comprises three titles: BELLE; THE PROMISE and SURVIVOR.

Belle is brave, strong and passionate. She is proud and defiant. She is a heroine for our times: a strong woman who stands up for right in a world turned bad. She is unquestionably one of Lesley Pearse's greatest creations.



BELLE

Belle is raised in a London brothel under the loving, but strict, hand of Mog, the housekeeper. With no understanding of what goes on upstairs, fifteen-year-old Belle spends her days with her best friend Jimmy, exploring their neighbourhood of Seven Dials - the dirty and seedy underworld of London's West End in 1910.

Belle's innocence is shattered when she witnesses the murder of one of the girls. Then she is snatched by the killer and sold into prostitution in Paris. There Belle is kept prisoner at the hands of men who will decide her fate. From Paris she is taken across the ocean by the handsome and gentle Etienne, to New Orleans. There, as a courtesan, Belle is desired by men who crave her beauty and attention.

She enjoys life as the golden girl but thoughts of home compel her to break free and return to England. Her escape is threatened by the dangerous and desperate men who yearn for her devotion. But Belle's courage and resourceful spirit sustain her. Finally bringing her safely home to Jimmy and Mog.

THE PROMISE

Belle and Jimmy marry and Belle starts her own business: a hat shop. She couldn't be happier. But as the storm clouds of World War One gather, everything changes. Jimmy is enlisted in the army and he and Belle are torn apart once again.

Not able to just stand by, Belle volunteers. Her work as an ambulance driver takes her to France, and into the path of Etienne, the enigmatic man who cared for her on her journey to New Orleans. Belle is torn between forbidden passion and her loyalty to Jimmy.

Tragedy strikes Belle's life as World War One ends: Jimmy comes home from war a changed man and is soon killed by the Spanish influenza; their unborn child does not survive a bomb blast and Belle's beautiful shop is destroyed.

With nothing to keep them in London, Mog and Belle sail to New Zealand to start a new life.

Unbeknownst to Belle, Etienne follows. He has loved her since the first day he saw her. And Belle has always loved him.

They marry and have three children. Mariette is their first child and only daughter.

SURVIVOR

In 1938, Mariette is eighteen-years old. Like her mother, Mariette is defiant and strong-willed and Belle and Etienne fear for her reputation in their small gossipy town.

With the world on the brink of another catastrophic war, Mariette leaves home, bound for London. Armed with the freedom she has longed for, she falls for Morgan, a handsome steward.

Mari loves her new life, her sophisticated friends and her adoring aunty and uncle. Caught up in a whirl of dances and parties in the glittering West End and earning her own money as a typist, she feels free. She has it all. Until the war hits London.

Mari's new life is devastated by the Blitz and she's forced to leave her loving home and take a room in London's East End. Like her mother, the only way Mari can survive is to fight, with all her strength, selflessness and compassion. Amidst the destruction and despair, she finds a way that she can help.

She and Morgan support each other through loss and grief and together they survive the war. Finally returning home to New Zealand, Mari is pregnant. Belle and her family can at last look forward to a future together again, full of peace, stability and love.

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson); UK & COMMONWEALTH: Michael Joseph (Louise Moore)

Lesley Pearse - SOLD IN 20 LANGUAGES

WITHOUT A TRACE: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 3 countries.**

A heart-wrenching story about the lengths a friend will go to, to discover the truth.

SURVIVOR: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 4 countries.**

Mariette, Belle's headstrong daughter, must learn to survive in the most difficult of circumstances.

FORGIVE ME: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 6 countries.**

When Eva's world is turned upside down, she embarks on a journey to find a place she can truly call home.

THE PROMISE: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 9 countries.**

Belle finally has everything she ever dreamed of but when war breaks out, nothing can ever be the same again.

BELLE: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; No.1 in Ireland, New Zealand and South Africa; **Rights sold in 11 countries.**

Belle's story of abduction and her treacherous journey home. Will courage be enough to sustain her?

STOLEN: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 8 countries.**

A moving story of identity, friendship and making sense of the past.

GYPSY: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 8 countries.**

Orphans Beth and Sam leave for New York and join up with gambling man, Theo, in search of gold in the Klondike.

FAITH: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 3 countries.**

Is faith alone enough to overcome the worst injustice?

HOPE: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 7 countries.**

A portrait of a remarkable woman whose life has been built on lies and scandal.

A LESSER EVIL: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 6 countries.**

A passionate story of love and heartbreak. A lesson that some things in life just can't be fixed.

SECRETS: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 8 countries.**

An unloved child runs from insanity and cruelty to find her grandmother on the Sussex marshes.

REMEMBER ME: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 12 countries.**

A remarkable woman's struggle for survival against insuperable odds based on a gripping true story of human endeavour.

TILL WE MEET AGAIN: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 8 countries.**

A powerful story of love and justice and the ties of friendship that can never be broken.

FATHER UNKNOWN: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 7 countries.**

Is the future worth sacrificing for the dark secrets of the past?

TRUST ME: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 3 countries.**

A shocking and insightful story based on the plight of British children sent to Australia for a supposedly happy new life.

NEVER LOOK BACK: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 4 countries.**

Matty's heartwrenching story of migration to America and the perilous trail to Oregon to forge a new life.

CHARLIE: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 2 countries.**

A heartbreaking tale of one girl's determination to save a family ripped apart by loss.

ROSIE: a UK *Sunday Times* bestseller; **Rights sold in 3 countries.**

A fight against evil and cruelty and learning the hardest lesson of all: how to forgive.

CAMELLIA: **Rights sold in 4 countries.**

A story of passion sexuality, danger and self-discovery.

ELLIE: **Rights sold in 2 countries.**

A wonderful story of friendship, sacrifice and unending ambition.

CHARITY: **Rights sold in 2 countries.**

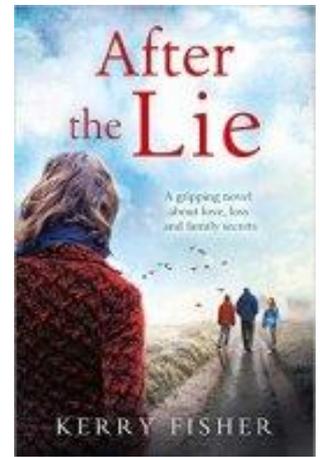
An unputdownable tale of an orphan's triumph over loneliness, suffering and adversity.

TARA: **Rights sold in 2 countries.**

A powerful story of unconditional love and the search for freedom from the past.

GEORGIA: **Rights sold in 5 countries.**

A young girl's story of determination and her fight to succeed against all odds.



Kerry Fisher AFTER THE LIE

A GRIPPING READ ABOUT LIFE, LOVE AND LIVING A LIE

PERFECT FOR FANS OF JANE GREEN

'KERRY HAS A REAL TALENT FOR CREATING WONDERFUL CHARACTERS AND COMPELLING STORYLINES. AFTER THE LIE HAD ME GRIPPED FROM THE VERY FIRST PAGE'
Lydia Vassar-Smith, Bookouture

One little lie can make one big difference...

Lydia has the 'right' kind of friends, her children are at the 'right' kind of school and she's married to the 'right' sort of man: kind, steady, reliable Mark. Her wedding business is flourishing and even though she is at loggerheads with her mother, she couldn't ask for anything more from life.

But the truth is that Lydia has been lucky. She has been living a lie for years and Mark has no idea who he is really married to. But nothing lasts forever and the past has a funny way of catching up with the present. When the person who knows all of Lydia's dark little secrets turns up at the school gates, his presence threatens to blow Lydia's life apart.

Once the secret is out, you can't put it back...

UK publication: 29th April 2016

www.kerryfisherauthor.com

289 pages

Praise for Kerry Fisher:

'Well-written and pacey, stuffed full of characters you'll warm to'

Daily Mail

'A perfect summer read'

Hello! Magazine

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Bookouture (Lydia Vassar-Smith)

Previous titles:

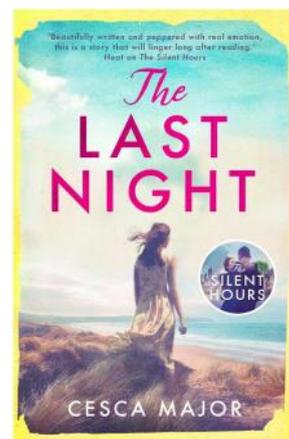
THE ISLAND ESCAPE: GERMAN: Goldmann; PORTUGUESE (BRAZIL): Bertrand Brasil

THE SCHOOL GATE SURVIVAL GUIDE: GERMAN: Goldmann; PORTUGUESE (BRAZIL): Bertrand Brasil

Kerry Fisher was born in Peterborough and studied French and Italian at Bath University. She lived and worked abroad as an English teacher, a holiday rep and grape picker before succumbing to getting a 'proper job' and returning to England. She studied Periodical Journalism and started at *Essentials Magazine* in London. She now lives in Surrey with her husband, teenage children and a very naughty labrador/schnauzer called Poppy. She is currently working on her fourth stand-alone novel.

ACCESSIBLE LITERARY

Cesca Major **THE LAST NIGHT**



STUNNING SECOND NOVEL FROM ACCLAIMED AUTHOR OF THE SILENT HOURS

A HEART-BREAKING MYSTERY TO SOLVE, A LOVE STORY TO BE DISCOVERED

***'THIS IS ASSURED WRITING AND MAJOR IS A TALENT TO WATCH'* The Times**

In a quiet coastal village, Irina spends her days restoring furniture, passing the time in peace and hiding away from the world. A family secret, long held and never discussed, casts a dark shadow and Irina chooses to withdraw into her work.

When an antique bureau is sent to her workshop, the owner anonymous, Irina senses a history to the object that makes her uneasy. As she investigates the origins of the piece, Irina unearths the secrets it holds within.

Decades earlier, there was another young woman who kept secrets. Her name was Abigail. Over the course of one summer, she fell in love. But Abigail could not know that a catastrophe loomed, and this event would change the course of many lives.

UK publication: November 2016

www.cescamajor.com

234 typescript pages

Praise for THE SILENT HOURS:

'A stunningly accomplished and unforgettable read'

Heat Magazine

'Major deftly entwines their stories in this moving début'

Woman & Home

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)

WORLD ENGLISH: Corvus Atlantic (Louise Cullen)

Previous title:

THE SILENT HOURS: SPANISH: Circulo de Lectores

Cesca Major's first writing success came in 2005 when she was runner-up in the annual *Daily Mail* Writing Competition for the best opening paragraph to a novel. After studying History at Bristol University, Cesca went on to work in television as a runner, researcher and presenter. She now teaches History at a secondary school in Berkshire. She lives in Pangbourne with her husband and their brood of ex-battery chickens.



Jo Platt

IT WAS YOU

SECOND STAND-ALONE NOVEL FROM AUTHOR OF READING UPSIDE DOWN

READING UPSIDE DOWN SOLD OVER 100,000 COPIES IN ALL FORMATS

TOUCHING AND FUNNY, CHARTING ONE WOMAN'S HAPHAZARD JOURNEY TO SELF-DISCOVERY, PERFECT FOR FANS OF RICHARD CURTIS

Alice Waites has been single for almost two years. After suffering a loss that threatened to pull her apart, she has preferred to keep things simple. But when her close friends in The Short Book Group gently question her distinct lack of interest in dating, she decides the time has come to deal with the past and open herself up to new possibilities.

Along the way, she discovers that her friends are hiding their own secrets and, alongside their well-meaning matchmaking, Alice begins to realise that nothing is ever as it seems. Especially when she begins to realise the devastating truth, a secret that she has kept hidden from herself: her true feelings for a man so close but so out of reach...

When life falls apart, friendship will keep you together.

UK publication: on submission

www.joplatt.co.uk

206 typescript pages

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

GERMAN: Rowohlt

ESTONIAN: Varrak

Previous title:

READING UPSIDE DOWN: CZECH: Euromedia; **ESTONIAN:** Varrak; **GERMAN:** Rowohlt; **ITALIAN:** RCS Libri; **PORTUGUESE (BRAZIL):** Rocco; **SLOVAK:** Ikar

Jo Platt was born in Liverpool in 1968 and, via the extremely winding route of rural Wiltshire, London, Seattle and St Albans, is now settled, with a husband and two children, in Bristol. Jo is currently working on her third novel.

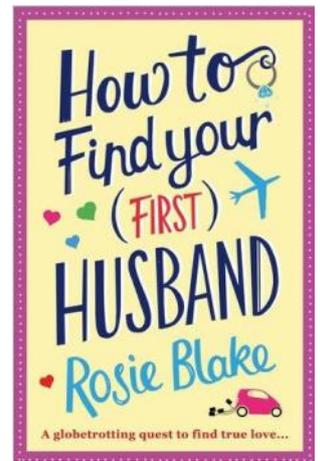
Rosie Blake

HOW TO FIND YOUR (FIRST) HUSBAND

A FUNNY, FEEL-GOOD GLOBETROTTING ROMANTIC COMEDY

PERFECT FOR FANS OF LUCY ROBINSON AND LINDSEY KELK

'WONDERFULLY LIKEABLE CHARACTERS AND A REALISTIC PLOT - THERE IS NOTHING NOT TO LIKE'
The Sun



Isobel Graves moved to LA determined to be the Next Big Thing. Instead, she is dressed as a giant prawn handing out fliers promoting a fish market. Rather than attending the glamorous parties and dating exciting men, her evenings consist of watching box sets with her sort-of boyfriend, whose idea of romance is a late-night drunken text.

Where did it all go wrong?

When Isobel catches sight of Andrew Parker, her childhood sweetheart, in the background of a TV news story she feels it's a sign. If she'd stuck with Andrew everything would have turned out better. Now she just needs to find him...

Join Isobel on a whirlwind adventure as she travels from LA to Devon, and to a remote Malaysian island in search of true love.

UK publication: 2nd June 2016

www.rosieblake.co.uk

400 pages

Praise for Rosie Blake:

'Rosie captures worst-case-scenarios and turns them into hilarious anecdotes'

[Hello! Magazine](#)

'Brilliantly fun'

[Heat](#)

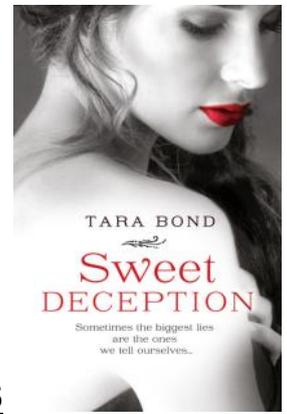
WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Corvus (Louise Cullen)

GERMAN: Egmont/Lyx

Previous titles:

HOW TO STUFF UP CHRISTMAS; HOW TO GET A (LOVE) LIFE: **GERMAN:** Egmont/Lyx; **ITALIAN:** De Agostini

Rosie Blake spent her university years writing pantomimes based on old classics. Rosie went on to write a winning short story in the La Senza/Little Black Dress Short Story Competition, wrote a feature for *Cosmopolitan* magazine and started writing books. Rosie has also contributed to short story anthologies SUNLOUNGER and SUNLOUNGER 2 alongside some of the biggest names in women's fiction.



Tara Bond **SWEET DECEPTION**

THE SECOND SCINTILLATING STAND-ALONE NOVEL FROM
BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF DAUGHTERS OF FORTUNE AND SINS
OF THE MOTHER

A HEART-STOPPING STORY OF LOSS, PASSION AND THE SWEETEST OF SINS

'A FAST-PACED, DRAMA-FILLED TALE'

Woman Magazine

Sometimes the biggest lies are the ones we tell ourselves...

Eight years ago, Charlie lost her brother in a mountaineering accident. She's come a long way since, or rather has fallen a long way down... A drop out, an alcoholic and promiscuous to boot, she is a constant disappointment to her family.

Eight years ago, Richard Davenport watched his best friend die. Now a successful businessman, he's never forgotten the promise he made to Charlie's brother that he would keep her safe. But how do you go about saving someone hell-bent on self-destruction?

One night Charlie goes too far and Richard is her only option for help. Can he break through and stop her lying to herself? Or will Charlie finally succeed in tumbling over the edge...

UK publication: ebook: 29th October 2015 paperback: 28th January 2016

www.tarahyland.com

400 pages

Praise for Tara Bond:

'Sex, glamour and fashion-perfect'

The Sun

'Sparkling with Gossip Girl sizzle and Barbara Taylor Bradford melodrama'

Publishers Weekly

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Simon & Schuster (Clare Hey)

BULGARIAN: Hermes

Previous titles:

BEAUTIFUL LIAR: BULGARIAN: Hermes

FALLEN ANGELS: NORTH AMERICAN: Atria; BULGARIAN: Hermes; CROATIAN: Znanje; ESTONIAN: Varrak; GERMAN: Blanvalet; ITALIAN: Arnoldo Mondadori; LATVIAN: Kontinents; PORTUGUESE (BRAZIL): Novo Conceito; PORTUGUESE: Porto; SERBIAN: IP Jovan; SPANISH: Esfera de los Libros; TURKISH: Altin Kitaplar

DAUGHTERS OF FORTUNE: NORTH AMERICAN: Atria; BULGARIAN: Hermes; CROATIAN: Znanje; CZECH: Euromedia; DANISH: Lindhardt & Ringhof; ESTONIAN: Varrak; GERMAN: Blanvalet; HUNGARIAN: Ulpius; ITALIAN: Arnoldo Mondadori; LATVIAN: Kontinents; POLISH: Ksiaznica; PORTUGUESE (BRAZIL): Novo Conceito; PORTUGUESE: Porto; RUSSIAN: AST; SERBIAN: IP Jovan; TURKISH: Altin Kitaplar

Tara Bond is the pseudonym of British writer Tara Hyland. She studied History at Cambridge and is the author of **DAUGHTERS OF FORTUNE** and **FALLEN ANGELS**. She writes full-time and lives in London with her husband.

Samantha Tonge

GAME OF SCONES

FUN, LIGHT-HEARTED ROMANTIC NOVEL SET ON A BEAUTIFUL GREEK ISLAND

PERFECT FOR FANS OF DEBBIE JOHNSON AND MIRANDA DICKINSON

'I WAS HOOKED FROM THE START'



ChickLit Club

Pippa Pattinson's summers were spent in the idyllic Greek island fishing village of Taxos. There she spent many long hazy days determinedly ignoring thoughts of the life her parents had mapped out for her (a dreary-but-secure accounting job and obligatory sensible husband).

Instead she daydreamed of running her own tea shop - serving the perfect scones - with mocha-eyed childhood friend Niklaus by her side.

Arriving back in Taxos for the first time in years, with suave boyfriend Henrik, Pippa barely recognises the tired little town but is relieved to catch glimpses of the quaint, charming village she's always loved. Together Niklaus and Pippa put together a proposal to save Taxos from tourist-tastic ruin, and at the heart of their plan is Pippa's dream project: The Tastiest Little Tea Shop in Taxos.

It's time for Pippa to leave her London life behind and dust off her scone recipe that's guaranteed to win over both locals and visitors.

And amidst the rolling pins and raisins, it seems romance is blossoming where she's least expecting it...

UK publication: 20th April 2015

www.samanthatonge.co.uk

240 pages

Praise for GAME OF SCONES:

'An enjoyable summer read with a good story and good characters'

ChickLit Central

'A gloriously fun read which does not disappoint'

Book Addict Shaun

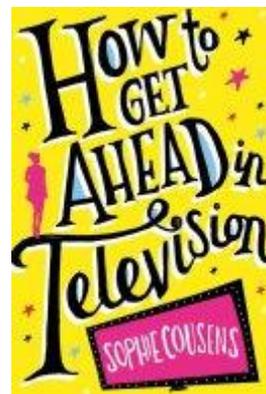
WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Carina UK / Harlequin

Previous titles:

DOUBTING ABBEY; FROM PARIS, WITH LOVE; MISTLETOE MANSION; MY BIG FAT CHRISTMAS WEDDING

Samantha Tonge has sold over 80 short stories to mainstream women's magazines. Her début romantic comedy from Carina UK, best-selling DOUBTING ABBEY, was shortlisted for the Festival of Romantic Fiction Best Romantic Ebook category. Her new novel, BREAKFAST AT POLDARK'S, is out in June 2016. She lives in Cheshire with her husband and children.



Sophie Cousens

HOW TO GET AHEAD IN TELEVISION

FRESH, FUNNY AND FABULOUS! A DELIGHTFUL NEW ARRIVAL IN COMMERCIAL WOMEN'S FICTION FROM COMPETITION WINNER

THE JOB, THE MAN, THE DREAM: WHAT LENGTHS WILL POPPY GO TO GET ALL THREE?

'A FAST-PACED, LAUGH OUT LOUD, ROMP THROUGH AN EMBARRASSINGLY ACCURATE TALE OF TELE-FOLK'

Graham Norton

Poppy Penfold desperately wants a career in television. After months of dead-end applications, she gets her big break with a temporary job as a runner for RealiTV. But to land a permanent role, Poppy will need to go head-to-head with fellow runner Rhidian: arrogant, highly competitive and ridiculously good looking.

Poppy goes all out to impress, but somehow things don't go to plan. Whether failing to prevent a washed-up soap star from becoming roaring drunk during Scottish game show *Last Clan Standing*, or managing to scare the horses during the filming of *Strictly Come Prancing*, Poppy gets noticed for all the wrong reasons.

With highly strung presenters and distractingly handsome producers in the mix, it's Poppy's determination that will see her win or lose her dream job, and maybe her dream man too...

UK publication: 3rd September 2015

312 pages

Praise for HOW TO GET AHEAD IN TELEVISION:

'Absolutely amazing'

LoveReading

'Highly recommended'

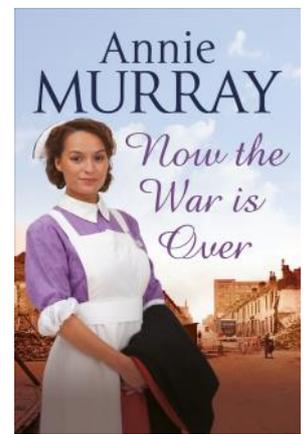
Chick Lit Club

AGENT: Darley Anderson Agency (Clare Wallace)

WORLD: Corvus (Louise Cullen)

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Sophie Cousens has worked in television for over twelve years, working her way up from Runner to Series Producer. She has produced, among other things, *The Graham Norton Show*, *Big Brother*, *Ant and Dec*, *Russell Howard's Good News* and most recently *Murder in Successville* for BBC3. Sophie recently won the LoveAtFirstWrite 2014 competition, run in partnership with Corvus and LoveReading. She currently splits her time between London and Jersey and lives with her husband.



Annie Murray

NOW THE WAR IS OVER

THE HEART-BREAKING TWENTIETH NOVEL FEATURING THE CHARACTERS FROM WAR BABIES

OVER ONE MILLION COPIES OF ANNIE'S BOOKS SOLD WORLDWIDE; A NO.7 UK SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLER

'THIS EPIC SAGA WILL HAVE YOU GRIPPED FROM START TO FINISH'

Birmingham Evening Mail

Rachel Booker struggled to keep her family together throughout the uncertain war years. Now her husband has returned home safely to her but life couldn't be more different.

Melly, Rachel's daughter, is a child of the war. She grew up in the bombed out streets of Birmingham and has never known anything other than the hungry ration years. But times are changing and Melly now has a fresh future ahead of her. She's determined to make the most of life and her greatest wish is to become a nurse.

As the gloom of the 1940s pass by and the promise of the 1950s dawn, a whole new world of opportunity opens up for Rachel and Melly but with this comes new challenges and tough choices. They will each have to decide whether their loyalties still lie with the family and friends they clung to throughout the war years or if it's time to move on.

UK publication: 7th April 2016

www.anniemurray.co.uk

352 pages

Praise for Annie Murray:

'A tender romance with a warm heart...guaranteed to delight Murray's ever-growing army of fans' [Lancashire Times](#)

'These superbly drawn characters will live with you long after you've finished reading'

[Margaret Dickinson](#)

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Pan Macmillan (Caroline Hogg)

Previous titles:

THE WOMEN OF LILAC STREET; MY DAUGHTER, MY MOTHER: MARATHI: Mehta; TURKISH: Yediveren

ALL THE DAYS OF OUR LIVES: TURKISH: Yediveren

CHOCOLATE GIRLS: PORTUGUESE: ASA; TURKISH: Yediveren

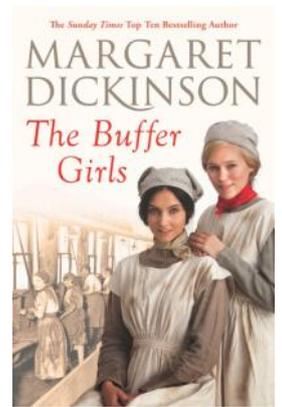
THE BELLS OF BOURNVILLE GREEN: PORTUGUESE: ASA

Annie Murray read English at St. John's College Oxford where she is currently writing her 21st novel. Annie has four children and lives in Reading.

HISTORICAL ROMANTIC FICTION

Margaret Dickinson **THE BUFFER GIRLS**

**NEW HEART-RENDING NOVEL FROM NO.7 UK SUNDAY TIMES
BESTSELLING AUTHOR SELLING OVER 42,000 COPIES**



'THE QUEEN OF SAGA WRITERS'

Daily Mail

It is 1920 in the Derbyshire dales. The Ryan family are adjusting to life now that the war is over. Walter has returned home a broken man and so it falls to his son and daughter, Josh and Emily, to keep the family candle-making business going.

The Ryan children grew up with Amy Clark, daughter of the village blacksmith, and Thomas 'Trip' Trippett, whose father owns a cutlery business in Sheffield. Romance blossoms for Josh and Amy while Emily falls in love with Trip, but she is unsure if the feeling is mutual.

Martha Ryan is fiercely ambitious for her son and so she uproots her family to Sheffield, but all Josh wants is to continue the family business and marry Amy. As the Ryans do their best to adapt to city life, their friendly neighbour, Lizzie, helps Emily find employment as a Buffer Girl polishing cutlery at a local factory.

It turns out that it is Emily who is best equipped to forge a career but, as time goes on, problems and even dangers arise that the Ryan family could not possibly have foreseen.

UK publication: 11th February 2016

www.margaret-dickinson.co.uk

352 pages

Praise for Margaret Dickinson:

'A gripping family saga full of heart-rending drama'

Yours Magazine

'Packed with intrigue, suspense, humour and romance'

Grantham Journal

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

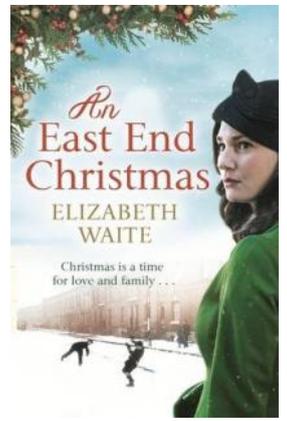
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Pan Macmillan (Trisha Jackson)

Previous titles:

FAIRFIELD HALL: GERMAN: Weltbild; **THE CLIPPIE GIRLS;** **JENNY'S WAR:** LATVIAN: Kontinents;

FORGIVE AND FORGET: TURKISH: Yediveren

Margaret Dickinson was born and brought up in the county of Lincolnshire. At the age of 25 she wrote her first novel. She has subsequently written 30 more, all set either in or around her beloved Lincolnshire or its neighbouring counties.



Elizabeth Waite **AN EAST END CHRISTMAS**

AN EMOTIONAL, COMPELLING AND PAGE-TURNING CHRISTMAS STORY

PERFECT FOR FANS OF KATIE FLYNN, ANNIE GROVES AND ANNIE MURRAY

'FAMILY, FRIENDSHIP AND HOPE ALL FEATURE IN THIS CHARMING, LIFE AFFIRMING STORY. THE PERFECT ESCAPE FOR ALL TRUE ROMANTICS'

The Star

Christmas is a time for love and family.

Carla Scofield has looked after her family since she was a teenager but it's never been a bother because there isn't anything she wouldn't do for those closest to her. Warm, friendly, and with the ability to make everyone around her laugh, she carries her burden proudly.

As the years roll past, Carla sees life around her change dramatically. Wartime brings new challenges and a new job for Carla in a sewing factory, and she shines. It also brings with it love and Carla has a chance at real happiness - but not everyone is rooting for her.

With Christmas ahead of her, and her sights set firmly on love and the future, will she be too distracted to sense the danger before it's too late?

UK publication: 19th November 2015

272 pages

Praise for Elizabeth Waite:

'If you like your heroines pure, beautiful and universally beloved and sentiment rather than emotion, look no further'

Historical Novels Review

'Full of warmth and domestic detail'

Keighley News

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Darley Anderson)

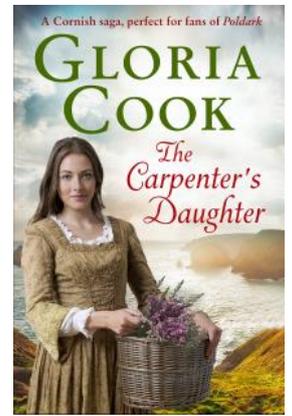
UK & COMMONWEALTH: Sphere (Manpreet Grewal)

Elizabeth Waite was born in Tooting, South London, and lived there until she was 34. During the war she worked as a bus conductress at Merton Garage and in 1956 she and her husband moved to Devon and bought their first guesthouse. She started writing when she retired.

HISTORICAL ROMANTIC FICTION

Gloria Cook **THE CARPENTER'S DAUGHTER**

**THE FIRST IN A COMPELLING AND BEAUTIFULLY DRAWN
CORNISH SAGA**



PERFECT FOR FANS OF *POLDARK*, *DILLY COURT* AND *VAL WOOD*

'COMPELLING AND DRAMATIC'

Booklist

In the small mining village of Meryen, a dark secret lurks...

Amy Lewarne finds her life changed forever when she finds her brother, Toby, dead. And troubles follow when Titus Kivell, the head of a powerful yet belligerent family, puts his son Sol in Toby's place.

Despite his wild and formidable nature, Amy is inexplicably drawn to Sol, as he is to her. But will his family ties be the ruin of her?

UK publication: 28th February 2016

336 pages

Praise for Gloria Cook:

'Gloria Cook's loyal readers will be queuing up for this fast-paced, tapestry of human emotions'

Historical Novel Society

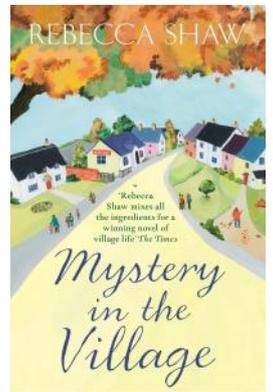
'You'll love Gloria Cook!'

LoveReading.co.uk

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray)

UK & COMMONWEALTH: Ebury (Emily Yau)

Gloria Cook is the author of well-loved Cornish novels, including the Pengarron and Harvey family sagas. She is Cornish born and bred, and lives in Truro.



Rebecca Shaw MYSTERY IN THE VILLAGE

THE LAST DRAMA IN THE BESTSELLING TURNHAM MALPAS NOVELS

OVER ONE MILLION COPIES SOLD OF 19 BOOK SERIES

'REBECCA SHAW MIXES ALL THE INGREDIENTS FOR A WINNING NOVEL OF VILLAGE LIFE ' The Times

Peter and Caroline Harris live a comfortable life at the rectory, but their cosy world is shaken up when Caroline's old flame Morgan Jefferson appears. He's intent on convincing her to pursue a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity - in America. What's more, it looks like Caroline's career isn't the only thing Morgan is interested in.

Newlyweds Chris and Deborah Templeton seem to be the perfect union. The old, unpredictable Chris has been replaced by a kinder and gentler man, yet he's still plagued by doubt. Where does Deborah disappear to for days on end? Why won't she tell her husband?

After the tragic death of his young grandson, Ron Bissett is further devastated when he loses his wife. Sheila Bissett has taken her own life, and no one can fathom why. But when an unexpected letter is received, it soon becomes clear that Sheila was hiding far darker secrets than anyone ever knew.

UK publication: 28th July 2016

www.rebeccashaw.co.uk

256 pages

Praise for Rebecca Shaw:

'The Archers meets Midsomer Murders'

The Telegraph

WORLD: Darley Anderson Agency (Camilla Wray) **UK & COMMONWEALTH:** Orion (Kate Mills)

Previous titles:

TURNHAM MALPAS SERIES:

VILLAGE FORTUNES; A VILLAGE IN JEOPARDY; A VILLAGE DECEPTION; THE NEW RECTOR: GERMAN: Ullstein;

DANISH: Cicero; HUNGARIAN: Ulpius-Haz; NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

TALK OF THE VILLAGE: GERMAN: Ullstein; HUNGARIAN: Ulpius-Haz; NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

VILLAGE MATTERS: GERMAN: Ullstein; HUNGARIAN: Ulpius-Haz; NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

THE VILLAGE SHOW: GERMAN: Ullstein; NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

VILLAGE SECRETS: GERMAN: Ullstein; NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

SCANDAL IN THE VILLAGE: GERMAN: Ullstein; NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

VILLAGE GOSSIP: NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

TROUBLE IN THE VILLAGE: NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

A VILLAGE DILEMMA: NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

INTRIGUE IN THE VILLAGE: NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

WHISPERS IN THE VILLAGE: NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

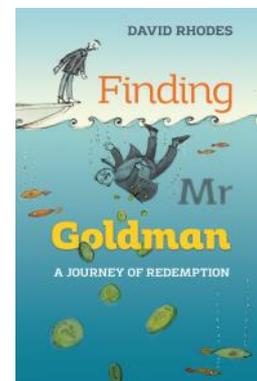
A VILLAGE FEUD: NORWEGIAN: Cappelen Damm

THE VILLAGE NEWCOMERS

Rebecca Shaw was a school teacher in a beautiful Dorset village, in the South West of England, and the bestselling author of 28 novels.

INSPIRATIONAL/HUMOROUS

David Rhodes
FINDING MR GOLDMAN:
A JOURNEY OF REDEMPTION



AN INSPIRING RE-TELLING OF PILGRIM'S PROGRESS IN MODERN FORM

THE EPIC BATTLE OF GOOD AND EVIL PLAYED OUT IN THE LIFE AND SUDDEN DEATH OF A WICKED MAN

'THIS SPARKLINGLY WELL-WRITTEN FICTION ENTERTAINS UNERRINGLY AT THE FRONT DOOR WHILE THE TRUTH SLIPS IN THROUGH A SIDE WINDOW'

Adrian Plass

Had he known the hour of his death, the wealthy Harry Goldman might have arranged his day differently.

Instead he finds himself plunged into a nightmare in which his life of violence and ruthless greed is laid bare before him.

Accompanied by a disreputable looking but likeable tramp, who bears a striking resemblance to Jesus, Goldman sets out on a quest to save his soul.

But confronted by the shattering reality of hell, he realises all is lost. It is only then that he discovers the redeeming love of God...

UK publication: 19th February 2015

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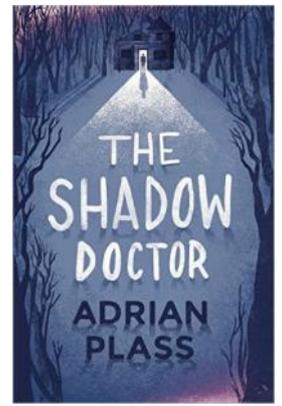
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