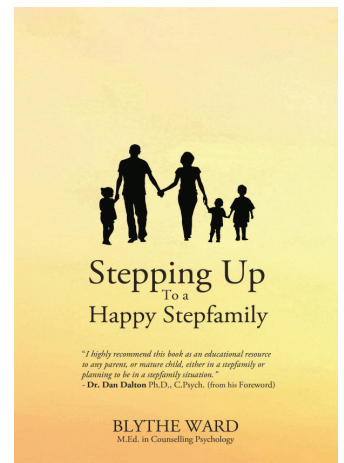
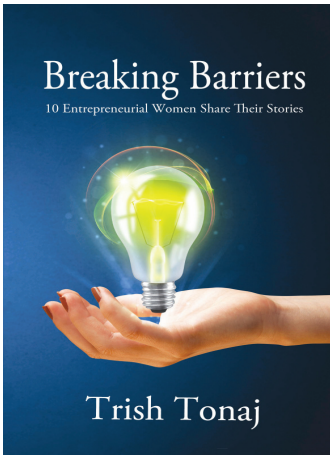
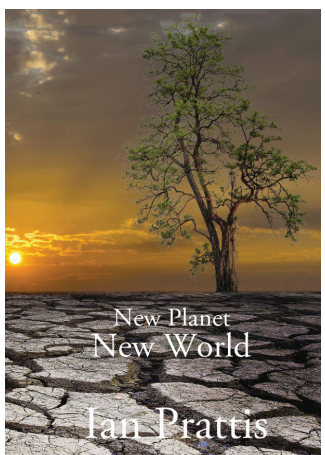
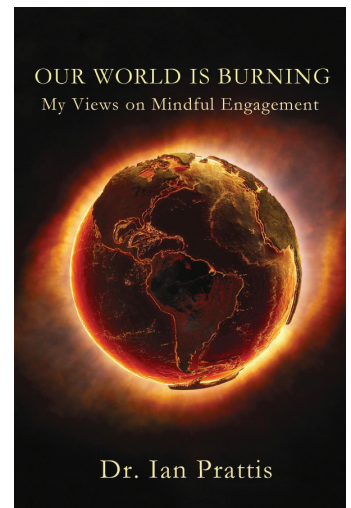
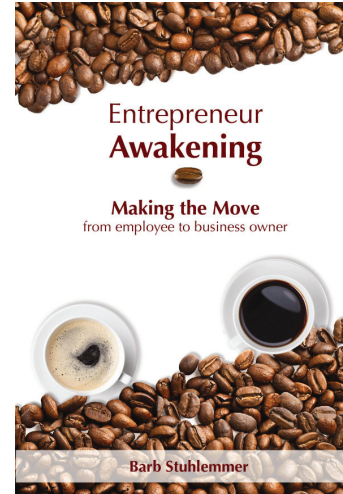
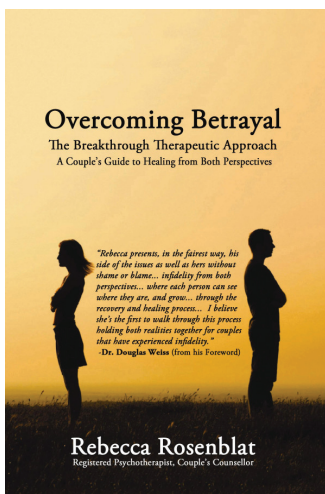
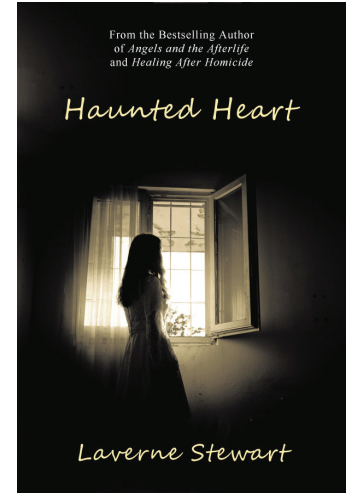
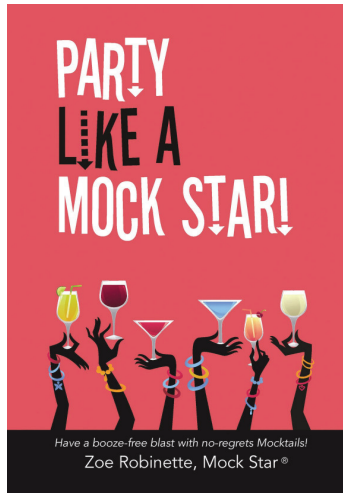
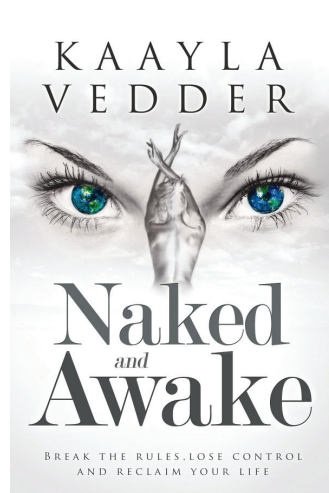
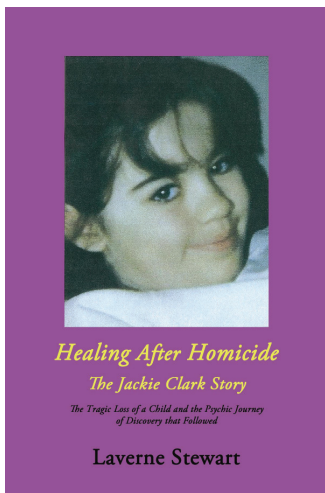


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# *Coven of the Soul Sisters*

Laverne Stewart

Best-selling author Laverne Stewart (*Angels and the Afterlife*; *Healing After Homicide*, *Haunted Heart*) offers a gripping new read with *Coven of the Soul Sisters*. Her novel chronicles the plight of those accused of witchcraft and sentenced to death in 1690s New England. Then, this intriguing novel catapults forward into current times where reincarnated victims and persecutors of the past find themselves again grappling with religious beliefs and zealots inflicting suffering on non-believers – and witchcraft to some remains an unforgivable sin punishable by death.

“Eloquent, well written and researched... Stewart draws you in and holds you captive... you cannot help but hold your breath knowing what may lie ahead. The fictionalized account of one of the darker periods in American history seems more real than dramatized. A stunning achievement.” - **Tracy Riva**, Midwest Book Review

“... *Coven of the Soul Sisters* ... was almost a memory of sorts. This could have been one of my past lives. Laverne Stewart weaves a story that brings emotions to the surface and makes you feel that you are one of the characters. You just need to keep reading to see what will happen next.” - **Patti LeBlanc**, Spiritual intuitive.



“Being of Irish decent and living in Atlantic Canada, I dove into *Coven of the Soul Sisters* with anticipation of reading a story about my people from afar and the First Nations communities that welcomed us to this beautiful land. Author, Laverne Stewart was clever to keep me wondering the country origin of the Celtic couple that boarded the ship in the 1600’s, as they fled witch hunts to the New England states of America. Curiosity taunted me to the end...”

- **Julia Bannister**, Director, Ceili Kids of Canada, English Major, Social Worker, Irish Dance Teacher

**Laverne Stewart**, best-selling author of non-fiction titles *Angels and the Afterlife*, and *Healing After Homicide*, first turned her hand to fiction with *Haunted Heart*, an historical romance novel set in past and present periods in her hometown of Fredericton, New Brunswick. With *Coven*, she further explores the realm of fiction and the supernatural. The critically acclaimed author is also a former award-winning career journalist of 30 years, with major newspapers, radio and CTV television.

**Marketing:** Book trailer and book, signings, events TV-radio-print media interviews in works, author has large following: Prior book, *Angels & The Afterlife*, in 2010 was top bestseller in Atlantic Canada, June-October 2010 – and *Healing After Homicide* sold over 1,000 copies within days of its 2017 release.

**Book Launch Event:** TBA (likely Fredericton and signings to follow in other centers, such as Toronto)

**Title:** *Coven of the Soul Sisters* / **Laverne Stewart**  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-36-8 / **\$19.95 CDN**  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-37-5 / **\$39.95 CDN**  
**Manor House / Rights Agent:** Nigel Yorwerth  
**Release:** Oct. 15 / 2018 **Stats:** 288 pages, 6x9”  
**Fiction:** Novel / Historical Romance / witchcraft  
**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

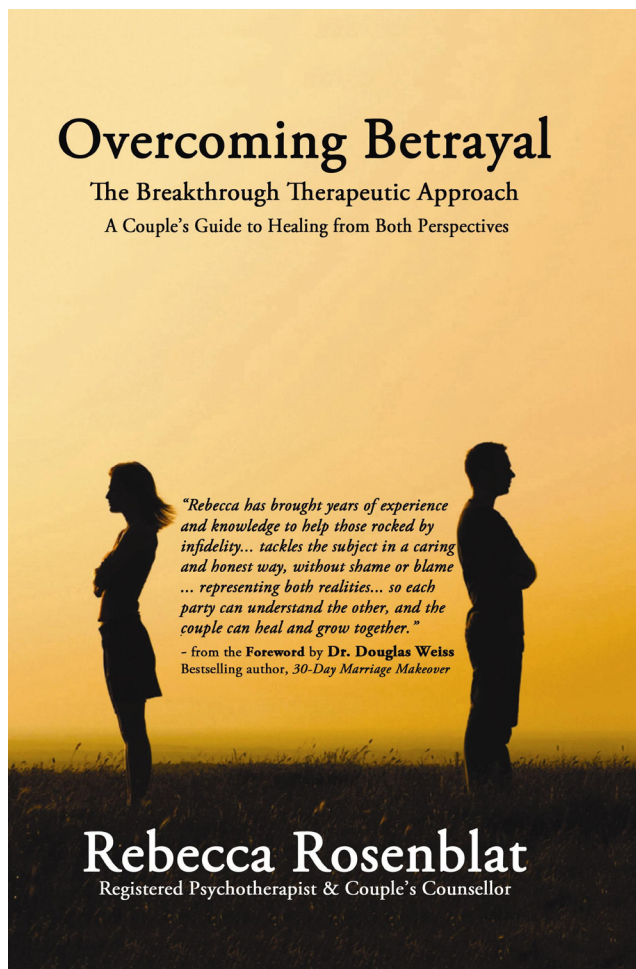
# Overcoming Betrayal

*The Breakthrough Therapeutic Approach  
A Couple's Guide to Healing from Both Perspectives*

Rebecca Rosenblat

*"When a betrayal rocks a relationship – be it due to an affair or sex addiction – the couple needs to work together to get through it. But feeling hurt, upset, and afraid dissuades both parties from being exposed and vulnerable to each other – the very ingredients that are critical to healing. This book is intended to bring both parties together, by understanding each other's mindset, feeling each other's pain, and finding the answers that couples look for when their world has been blown apart."*

- **Rebecca Rosenblat**, psychotherapist, relationship-sexuality therapist, best-selling author and TV host.



**Title:** *Overcoming Betrayal* by Rebecca Rosenblat  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-26-9  
**Softcover SRP:** \$19.95 US / \$24.95 CDN  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-25-2  
**Hardcover SRP:** \$39.95 USD / \$49.95 CDN  
**Release:** July 15 / 2017 **Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth  
**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing  
**Non-Fiction:** Self-help; Overcoming Infidelity  
**Contact:** 905-648-2193 mbdavie@manor-house.biz  
**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

## About the Author of *Overcoming Betrayal*:

**Rebecca Rosenblat**, Registered Psychotherapist, Life Coach, Certified Sex Addiction & Trauma Counselor, and Sex Therapist, is a relationship & sexuality expert. Rebecca has reached millions as host of TV-radio shows (out-draws David Letterman) and as the author of seven books and hundreds of advice columns and articles. She's also a clinical associate and private practitioner helping people heal.

*"I believe she's the first to walk through the process of holding both realities together, while doing an amazing job informing couples of issues to address."*  
~ **Dr. Douglas Weiss**, President of the American Association for Sex Addiction Therapy (AASAT)

*With Overcoming Betrayal, Rebecca provides a look at infidelity in a committed relationship, examining both sides with intelligence and compassion... a recipe for healing and rebuilding relationship trust."*  
~ **Robert Weiss**, Author of *Sex Addiction 101*.

*"Rebecca captures the true essence of infidelity from both sides. She unfolds the personal stories of pain, sadness, grief, healing-rebuilding. This book is a gift to all couples working through infidelity."*  
~ **Debbie Allen**, Certified Sex Addiction Therapist

*"... a bridge of peace and hope. An intelligent read for therapists and a must-read for couples who find themselves in this situation."*  
- **Mark Laing**, Psychotherapist

**Marketing:** Media outreach re book, signings, events  
Sold out of all copies at advance Arizona symposium  
major TV-radio interviews confirmed, author also has large following, hosts popular TV shows, workshops.  
**Launch:** Indigo Yonge-Eglinton Sun July 21, 1-4 pm



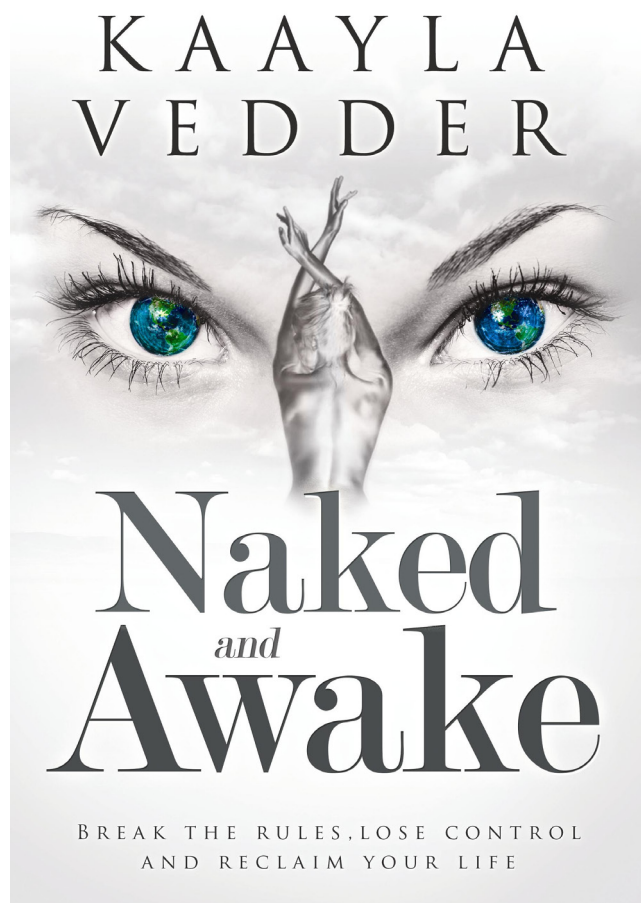
The Sensational Upcoming New Release – Soon to be a Major Bestseller!

# *Naked and Awake*

*Break the Rules, Lose Control and Reclaim Your Life*

**Kaayla Vedder**

*“... I’ve realized who I am; I am a seer and energy conduit and a guide for people to remember who they really are, and live out their purpose. I know that I am here to assist people who know they too have a purpose, but they don’t know how to get past the stuff that stops them... and they’ve tried. I am inspired to use what I have learned and the abilities I was given to help others to thrive instead of just survive. So, read this book, embrace who you are... Release your fear, release your anxiety and let this book help you come home to who you truly are. Namaste,” – Kaayla Vedder (excerpt from the Foreword)*



*“Naked and Awake is full of pearls of wisdom; it is a reminder for some, and an awakening for others that we are all Creators and Divine Beings in a human body. Kaayla is witty, charming, authentic and fun. Her sharing is heartfelt, her intention to raise consciousness is evident, and her desire for the liberation of humanity comes forth in her writing.”*

– **Bonnie Serratore**, Spiritual Acceleration

*“Kaayla Vedder serves up opportunities for readers to see their lives in new and empowering ways while opening a doorway into the mysterious dimensions that lay beyond the everyday. Written with warmth and compassion for our human journey, Naked and Awake is the perfect kick-start for anyone yearning to reclaim the amazing life that awaits, just beyond the rules they are using to keep joy confined.”*

– **Susan Crossman**, Crossman Communications

*“... Kaayla uncovered limiting beliefs that I'm not deserving of abundance and acknowledgement. Now I can dissolve these beliefs and enjoy a balanced rich life... Kaayla has a profound connection to energy, spectrums and entities that allow her to see things most of us cannot. I'm so grateful for what she does and for the wisdom she channels into our world.”*

– **Justin McMakin**, Vision Discovery Facilitator

**Audience:** Wide general audience, with particular interest to the burgeoning self-improvement market.

**Sales / Marketing:** Author signings events and book tour TBA. Author is also a frequent guest on radio-TV-Internet programs and is the host-speaker at workshops, seminars – her book is expected to draw strong media interest and sales. She'll also be engaging in Web promos, blogging and interviews.

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-22-1

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-23-8

**Author:** Kaayla Vedder (Vancouver)

**Trim:** 6x9” **Publisher:** Manor House Publishing

**Softcover List:** \$24.25 Page Count: 192

**Website:** [www.manor-house.biz](http://www.manor-house.biz)

**Terms:** Standard trade terms/discounts apply.

**Contact:** 905-648-2193 [mbdavie@manor-house.biz](mailto:mbdavie@manor-house.biz)

**Canada Distribution:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

**World Distribution:** Ingram **Release:** Oct 15/17

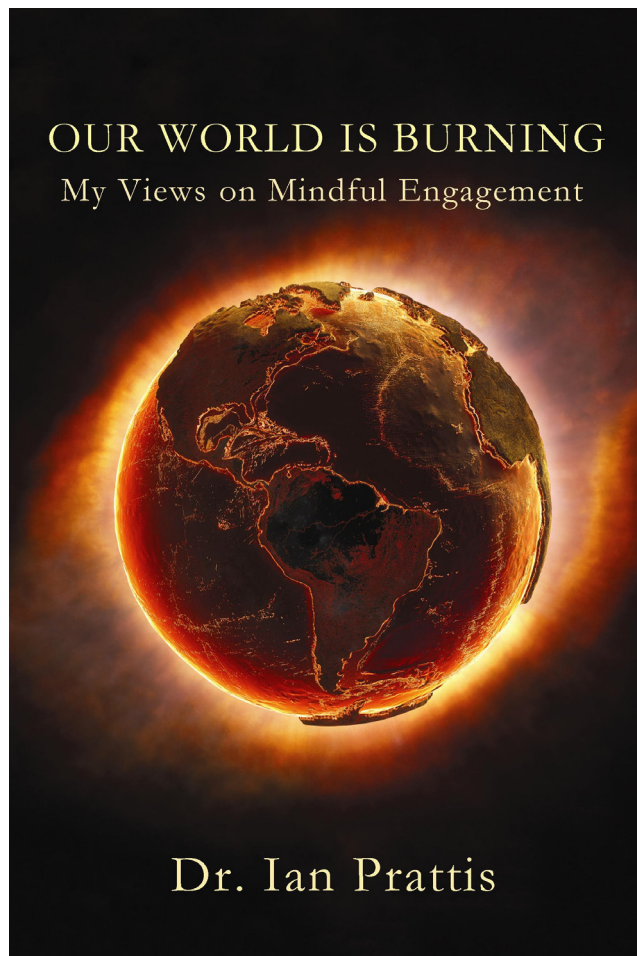
# *Our World is Burning*

*My Views on Mindful Engagement*

Dr. Ian Prattis

Dr. Ian Prattis looks at the state of our world through expert eyes and shares his views on climate change, over-development and short-term thinking that have placed our fragile planet in considerable danger - then he prescribes the actions needed to save our embattled world.

"I have eternal admiration for the wisdom, abilities and vision of Ian Prattis, amazed by his continuous supply of such great works. *Our World is Burning* is so poignant and necessary for the state of our world. This new book celebrates one of the great visionaries of our times," - **Allan Green**, Spiritual Facilitator



**Title:** *Our World is Burning* by Dr. Ian Prattis  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-24-5  
**Softcover SRP:** \$17.95 US / \$19.95 CDN  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-27-6  
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**Release:** Nov. 15 / 2017 (192 pages)  
**Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth, Yorwerth Associates  
**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing  
**Non-Fiction:** Environmental Protection, Buddhism  
**Contact:** 905-648-2193 mbdavie@manor-house.biz  
**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

"*Our World is Burning* is an inspiring and informative read... we are living in challenging and perilous times. Ian Prattis offers us valuable insight, wisdom and perspective in finding our way to a healthier world, one based on compassion and commitment, mindful of how everything we do impacts the whole."

- **Laurence Overmire**, Author, *The One Idea That Saves The World*

"Ian Prattis provides a conscious-raising framework for responsible living. *Our World is Burning* also challenges one to become a leader for change instead of a passive bystander. For this personal transformation to occur we must examine our values, behaviours and consumption patterns. This book shows us thought-provoking evidence that we are, in fact, our environment and therefore we are responsible to change it."

- **Dawn James**, Conscious Living Advocate

*Our World is Burning* is both a cry from the heart and a call to action. In clear, compelling prose, Dr. Ian Prattis, Zen teacher, ecologist and peace activist, outlines the urgent challenge of climate change and the prevailing attitudes that have enabled it to threaten life on planet Earth.

- **Susan Taylor Meehan**, author, *Maggie's Choice*

## **Marketing:**

Book-signings, events plus videos media interviews-features and online promotions and public speaking engagements, seminars etc.

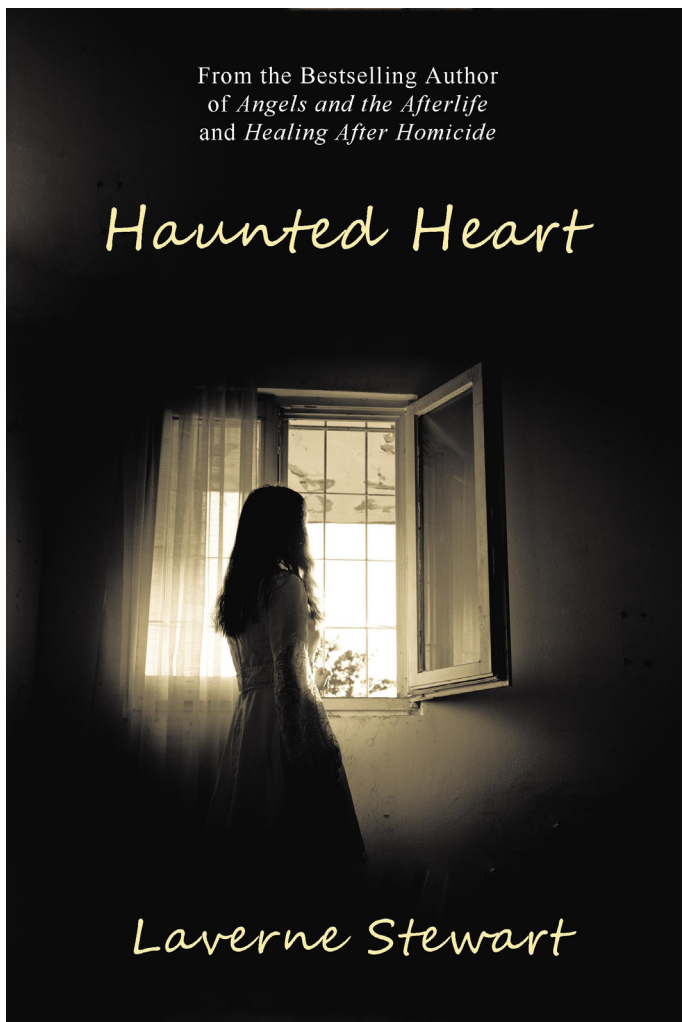
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# Haunted Heart

Laverne Stewart

*“When I began reading **Haunted Heart** I knew right away I was going to love it! Laverne Stewart weaves her stories in a way that brings them to life and attaches them to the reader – heart and soul. Knowing the other side as I do, and how persistent Spirit can be, this book highlights an incredible story of love that withstands every mortal test in its path. The main character of Sarah Harrison is especially endearing. After losing her loving father and then a mother who doesn't know how to love, Sarah begins a journey that is more than just inheriting a home from an aged quirky cousin; it's a journey of understanding that love is timeless, and love that is meant to be will endure all that life can throw at it. Guided by the wisdom and humour of Hannah Sullivan, Irish housekeeper extraordinaire, colourful insightful tours of New Brunswick landmarks and icons, Stewart captures the essence of love through the ages East Coast style; an incredible story of timeless attraction.” – Suzanne Riley, Psychic Medium*



*“**Haunted Heart** is a book for everyone. It's easy to read and the storyline flows well. It is funny at times but not comical. It is a love story, which will make you smile while you try to foresee what's coming right until the end. There are also a few delightful surprises. All the characters are enjoyable but two favourites are Chaz and Hannah. Chaz is a good friend to Sarah. He is flamboyant, yet very practical and nonsensical. Hannah is entertaining with her no-nonsense dialogue. She believes in spirits and is in cahoots with Sarah's dead ancestor to bring a romance to fruition.”*

**- Patricia Anne McKay**, book reviewer / editor.

## About the Author of **Haunted Heart**:

**Laverne Stewart**, best-selling author of non-fiction titles *Angels and the Afterlife*, and *Healing After Homicide*, has now turned her talented hand to fiction with *Haunted Heart*, an historical romance novel set in past and present periods in her hometown of Fredericton, New Brunswick. In addition to being a critically acclaimed author, Laverne Stewart is an award-winning career journalist of 30 years. The reporter for major newspapers across the province, is also a former radio news anchor and CTV reporter.

**Title:** *Haunted Heart* **Author:** Laverne Stewart  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-30-6  
**Softcover SRP:** \$19.95 USD / \$24.95 CDN  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-31-3  
**Hardcover SRP:** \$34.95 USD / \$39.95 CDN  
**Manor House:** mbdavie@manor-house.biz  
**Release:** Nov. 15 / 2017 **Stats:** 240 pages, 6x9”  
**Fiction:** Novel / Historical Romance / ghost story  
**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

**Marketing:** Book trailer and book, signings, events TV-radio-print media interviews in works, author has large following: Prior book, *Angels & The Afterlife*, in 2010 was top bestseller in Atlantic Canada, June-October 2010 – and *Healing After Homicide* sold over 1,000 copies within days of its 2017 release.

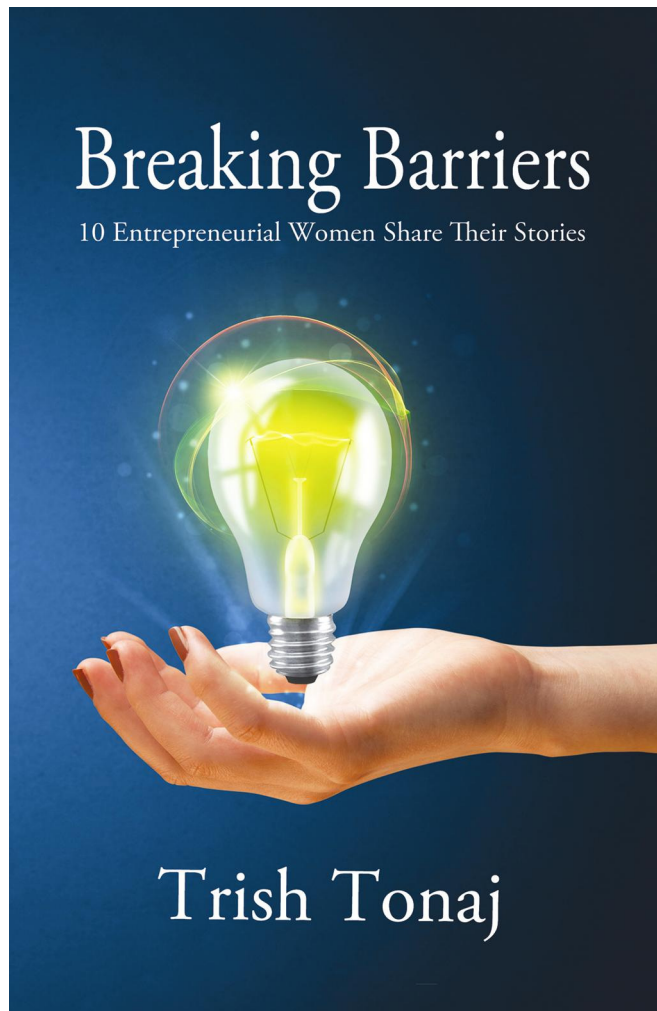
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# Breaking Barriers

10 Entrepreneurial Women Share Their Stories

Trish Tonaj

**Trish Tonaj**, author, health and wellness coach, and entrepreneurial mentor, shares her formula to achieve a healthy and active lifestyle with work-life balance. She's also an expert at breaking the barriers blocking a path to success. In her insightful book *Breaking Barriers*, Trish creates a foundation of mentorship by sharing her advice and that of nine other highly successful female entrepreneur-leaders, including:



**Title:** Breaking Barriers  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-13-9  
**Softcover List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-14-6  
**Hardcover List:** \$39.95  
**Author:** Trish Tonaj (Toronto, Ontario, Canada)  
**Non Fiction:** Self-help / Business advice  
**Release/Ship Date:** Available Now  
**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing Inc.  
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**Martha Henderson** / Arbonne: She provides “opportunities for people to do spectacular things,” via world’s leading health/cosmetics marketer.

**Sharon Gilmour-Glover** / Light-Core: Business Consultant specializing in leadership, strategy, and change management-transformation advice.

**Erin Dunham** / The Other Bird: A restaurateur with culinary experiences that take you out of your comfort zone in a relaxed, easygoing way.

**Karin Schuett** / Circle of Life Cremation and Burial Services: As an industry leader, she offers families dignified, caring, cost-effective services.

**Jennifer Kelly** / New Initiatives Marketing: She’s ‘Duct Tape Marketing’ certified and skilled at delivering solid marketing plans with great results.

**Odile Bougain Nasri** / ca va de soi: French for “It Goes Without Saying,” is a manufacturer-retailer of knitwear, based on a “couture fashion” model.

**Lee Helkie** / Helkie Financial & Insurance Services: Helping you create a plan and workbook to build upon your financial success.

**Gloria MacDonald** / Life Alchemy: Certified “Dream Builder” coach and “Life Mastery” consultant shares her experiences.

**Virginia Burt** / Virginia Burt Designs: Award-winning, international firm, recognized for design of healing gardens, labyrinths and sacred spaces.

## Marketing/Promotions

Speaking events at business seminars directing audience to stores carrying the book. Promotions via radio/TV-print media, social media (Facebook, LinkedIn, Youtube, Twitter, etc.) plus author book signing events across North America.



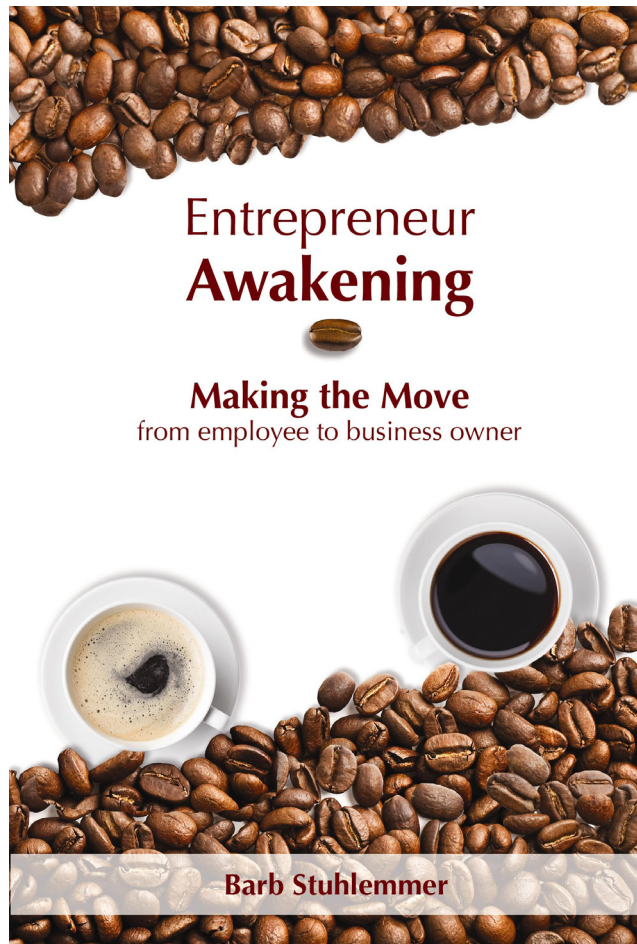
# Entrepreneur Awakening

*Making the Move from Employee to Business Owner*

Barb Stuhlemmer

“Awakening is an opening up to an understanding that was once unknown. It really refers to change. Accepting the change from employee to business owner is your first step in an entrepreneurial awakening. As I became more awake, the rate of change in my understanding increased. There is no cap on knowledge. Although I have come a long way from those first days of business ownership I can see there is much I have yet to experience, and I accept that there are things I do not know that I do not know.”

- Barb Stuhlemmer



**Title:** *Entrepreneur Awakening* by Barb Stuhlemmer

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**World:** Ingram

“Barb Stuhlemmer's *Entrepreneurial Awakening* is the guide book every entrepreneur should have. Barb states that being an entrepreneur is the brave choice, and with the steps, strategies and tools featured in this book, the road to happiness and success is achievable.”

- **Charmaine Hammond** – five-time bestselling author, speaker, Co-founder of Raise a Dream, President of Hammond International Inc.

“It’s about focus, targeting what's important in the now, and building for a brilliant future. I liken the decision to veer from employee to entrepreneur to moving from the passenger seat, simply along for the ride, to taking control of the wheel and making decisions on where you're going, and what you'll see. It's about chasing your passion instead of simply earning a pay cheque. You need to get this book.”

- **Brian Trainor**, retired Police Sgt, Cyberbully Prevention expert, Elder Fraud Prevention expert

“Life is short so you need to love what you do... This ‘Runway of Life’ we’re on has a beginning, a middle and an end – how we live it is totally up to us. Are you excited? Passionate? Turned on by your business? *Entrepreneur Awakening* is perfect for your runway of life. I recommend you read it and apply the philosophy to your business and life. You might fall in love all over again.”

- **Dr. Peter Legge**, O.B.C., CSP, CPAE, HoF Chairman/CEO/Publisher, Canada Wide Media

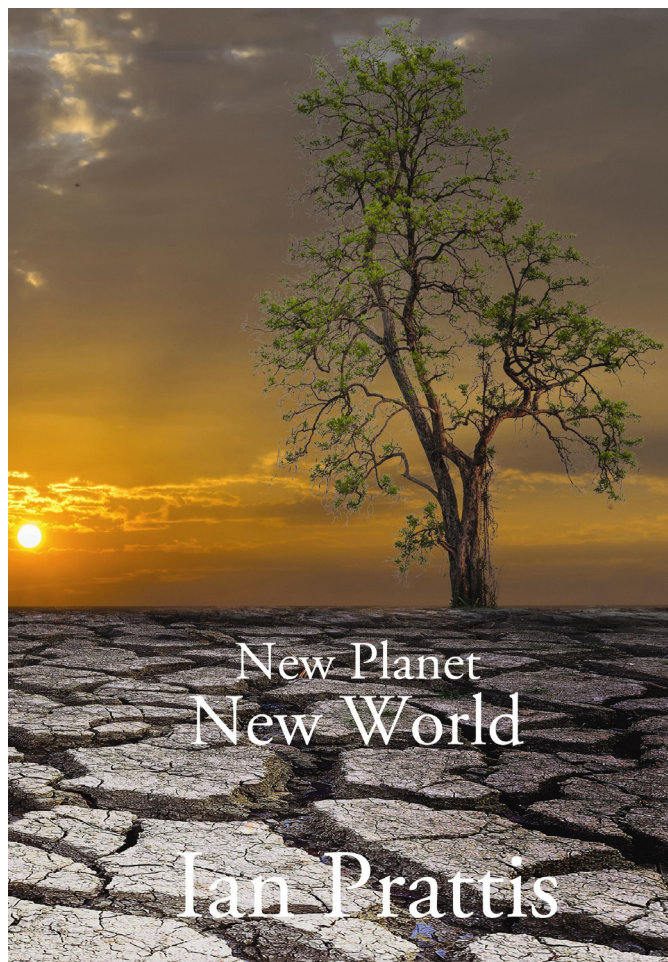
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# New Planet New World

Ian Prattis

**Ian Prattis** transports you to a faraway world free of Earthly problems - or so it seems. Earth in the near future is dying due to Humankind's damage to the environment. Children are sent via spacecraft to a distant planet to escape Earth and restart Humanity. Red-haired Catriona is astonished to find raven-haired Rising Moon already lives on the planet via ancient shamanic means. A sharing of cultures and technologies ensues as they join other Earth refugees to form a caring community – but can they withstand the dark threat of invaders from Earth bringing very Earthly traits of treachery, rape, violent power struggles and murder?



*"Ian Prattis' admirable command of language brings to every scene a striking visual clarity."*

- **Julia Ann Charpentier**, Literary Critic

*"Ian Prattis has been gifted with the ability to move, encourage and inspire others through his books. He writes about ethics, religion, personal experiences... and excels at it... celebrate his many accomplishments with this literary masterpiece."*

- **Joslyn Wolfe**, Focus on Women Magazine

*"New Planet, New World" is a powerful novel which explores an alternative to the destructive path civilization is presently on."*

- **Anita Rizvi**, Therapist

## About the Author

**Ian Prattis** is an award-winning author of fourteen books. Awards include Gold for fiction at the 2015 Florida Book Festival (*Redemption*), 2015 Quill Award from Focus on Women Magazine (*Trailing Sky Six Feathers*) and Silver for Conservation from the 2014 Living Now Literary Awards (*Failsafe: Saving the Earth From Ourselves* – Foreword by David Suzuki). The former Carlton University Anthropology and Religion Professor is founder of Friends for Peace Canada coalition of meditation, peace, activist and environmental groups working for peace, planetary care and social justice.

## Marketing/Promotions

Canada-wide promotions via media-online promos, and social media (Facebook, LinkedIn Twitter, etc)

**Title:** *New Planet, New World*

**Author:** Ian Prattis (Ottawa, Ontario, Canada)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-15-3 **List:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-16-0 **List:** \$39.95

**Fiction:** Novel (Sci-fi-fantasy)

**Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth, Yorwerth Associates

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# Healing after Homicide

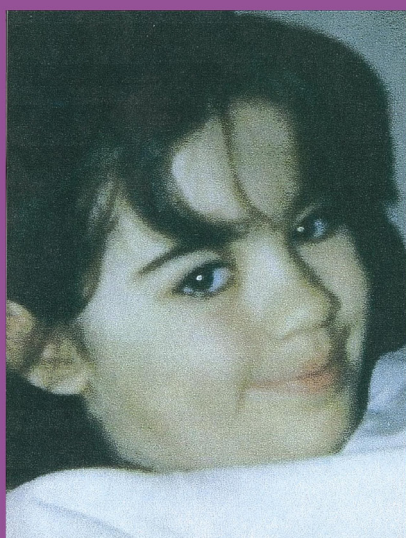
## The Jackie Clark Story

*The Tragic Loss of a Child and the Psychic Journey of Discovery that Followed*

Laverne Stewart

*“Laverne Stewart relates the riveting, true story of how a community worked with psychics to heal from the abduction, rape and murder of eight-year-old Jackie Clark. Years later, the girl’s teachers, friends, parents, police and searchers were still struggling to cope...” - Michael B. Davie, author, Winning Ways*

*“I was convinced by a psychic medium that the little spirit girl was reaching out from the other side, wanting to contact her mother and others stuck in a place of deep grief. One-by-one I found the grieving... Messages were given. Deep emotional wounds started to heal.” – Laverne Stewart*



### Healing After Homicide

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#### About the Author of *Healing after Homicide*:

**Laverne Stewart**, best-selling author of *Angels and the Afterlife*, a top bestseller, is a Fredericton, New Brunswick-based, award-winning journalist of 30 years. The reporter for major newspapers across the province, is also a former radio news anchor and CTV reporter. She’s donating her royalties to the Jackie Clark Fund aiding youth in crisis, child abuse victims and young aspiring writers (honoring Jackie’s desire to become a published writer).

*“I was part of the search effort, hoping all the while to find her yet at the same time dreading that possibility... This event rocked not only myself but the whole community, city and province to the core. I found the book to be very factual and accurate. It brought back so many feelings that I'd suppressed, but as Jackie would have wanted, it's promoted healing within me as well...”*

- **Frank K. Paul**, retired Fredericton Police Officer, and president, Guardians of the Children, Fredericton

*“There was a visceral fear and horrible realization this terror could happen to any family. Jackie, in the midst of the searching, became everyone's daughter, everyone's child. This book has shown me...how light and love can come from such darkness...”*

- **Connie ‘Sunshine’ LeBlanc**, secretary and media representative, Guardians of the Children Fredericton

**Marketing:** Book trailer and book, signings, events Strong pre-sales at author-organized fund-raising events re Jackie Clark Scholarship fund. TV-radio interviews in works, author also has large following, Prior book, *Angels & The Afterlife*, in 2010 was top bestseller in Atlantic Canada, June-October 2010.

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**Title:** *Healing after Homicide* by Laverne Stewart

**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-19-1

**Softcover SRP:** \$19.95 US / \$24.95 CD

**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-20-7

**Hardcover SRP:** \$39.95 USD / \$39.95 CDN

**Release:** Available now **Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth

**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing

**Non-Fiction:** Mental Healing, crime, Kidnapping

**Contact:** 905-648-2193 mbdavie@manor-house.biz

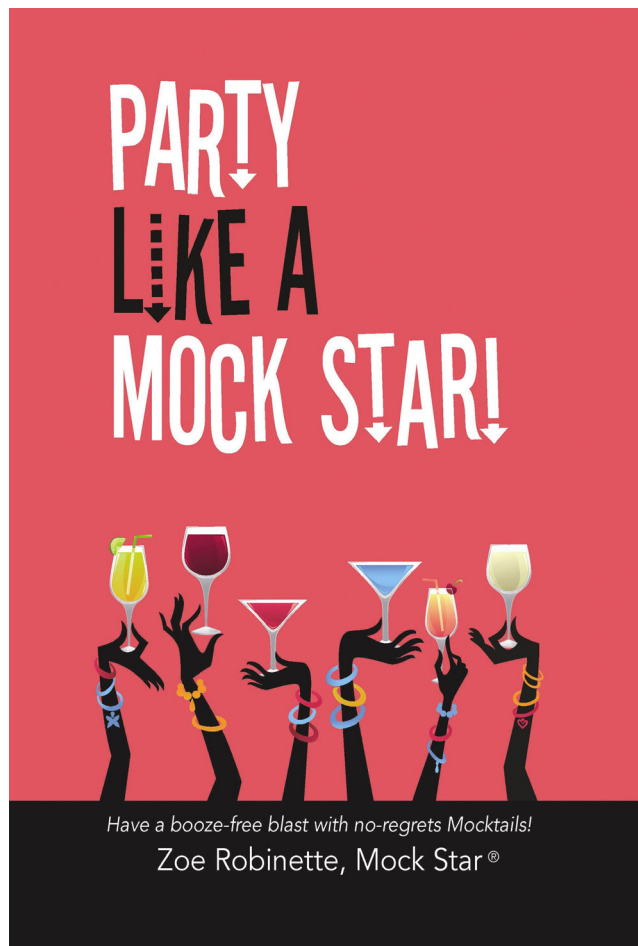
**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

# Party Like A Mock Star!

*Have a Booze-free blast with no-regrets Mocktails!*

Zoe Robinette

“This is not a typical self-help book. This is a freaking virtual women’s chat session... This guide will show you how to take part in the dozens of events on your social calendar spiked with libations and entertainment and go home completely sober for a change... learn to mock your way through life with class, and self-confidence. A Mock Star is born!” – **Zoe Robinette**, author, *Party Like A Mockstar!*



"Far too many of us are prone to having one drink too many - and then enduring morning-after regrets over our embarrassing behavior - Party Like A Mock Star! puts you back in the driver's seat in a sober fashion thanks to alcohol-free no-regrets 'mocktails'. Tired of having to explain your regrettable behavior after a night partying? This book is for you! *Party Like A Mock Star* is filled with great advice, terrific Mocktail recipes and lists of prime venues in the US, Canada and Europe offering tasty alcohol-free drinks. The book also shares some of Robinette's adventures with such stars as Cheech and Chong, ZZ Top rocker Billy Gibbons, actors Martin Sheen and Jacqueline Bisset and more."

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*

“... What I finally had to do to save my sanity and my social grace, was to perfect the art of pretending to drink alcohol, while not taking a sip of the amazing brain altering nectar. I used these mocking techniques while out with associates, and friends at various venues and functions without just settling for the cola in the soft drink glass. Yes, the art of mocking has been tested and proven.” - **Author Zoe Robinette**

**Title:** *Party Like A Mock Star* by Zoe Robinette

**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-17-7

**Softcover SRP:** \$19.95 US / \$19.95 CDN

**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-18-4

**Hardcover SRP:** \$39.95 USD / \$39.95 CDN

**Release:** Available Now (192 pages)

**Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth, Yorwerth Associates

**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing

**Non-Fiction:** Self-help, advice, alcohol-free drinks

**Contact:** 905-648-2193 mbdavie@manor-house.biz

**US/ World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

**Marketing:** Book-signings at top California stores/venues and many leading licensed establishments. Extensive print-electronic media coverage and social media promotions in works, including TV shows / radio appearances, media interviews, speaking engagements, book fairs, exhibitions, YouTube videos, webinars, websites, and special events (including some featuring A-list movie stars).

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Book has gone into multiple printings and is approaching Bestseller status

# *Little Sister*

A Novel

Vince Fernandez

Mila Mirkin and John Lister want success any way they can get it. For Mila, that means working as an escort to finance grad school. For John, it means getting his hedge fund on track even if he breaks a basic moral tenant: thou shalt not kill. Following the mysterious death of Toronto's top financial prosecutor, Vitaly Mirkin is transferred to the role. His first case is against John Lister. Mila's brother is prosecuting her primary client. As John's ruthless plan unfolds, he pulls Mila ever closer, leaving her in a terrible quandary: tell her brother what she knows and expose her secret life, or pretend innocence and put the lives of others in mortal danger...



*“...medical devices can be hijacked with a few keystrokes.... the sooner the deaths of the insured, the better the financial returns of investors... This alarming reality is why Vince Fernandez wrote **Little Sister**. His chilling debut novel... puts a new spin on an old question: How far will you go to get what you want? I find few things more riveting than a good story that peels back the professional veneer of financial power brokers and exposes the underbelly of their corruption, greed, sexual predation, and revenge. With **Little Sister**, Vince succeeds in doing just that.”*- from the Foreword by **Norb Vonnegut**, author of thrillers **Top Producer**, **Gods of Greenwich Village**, and **The Trust**, columnist, Wall Street Journal online, and brother of Kurt Vonnegut. For a Vonnegut family member to endorse another writer's book – let alone write the Foreword – is high praise indeed.

*“Vince Fernandez has crafted a superb thriller taking readers inside the very possible, dark realm of remote-control murder for profit...”*

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, **The Late Man**

## About the Author

Vince Fernandez is a financial professional with more than 20 years experience investing in capital markets. In zen moments, when he's not typing with two fingers, he enjoys sabre fencing, fishing, and carving kayak paddles. He resides in Toronto with his family. *Little Sister* is his first novel.

## Marketing/Promotions

Social media (Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter); radio-TV-print; Signing Events: Ongoing National Book Tour.

**Title:** *Little Sister* / **Available:** Now

**Author:** Vince Fernandez (Toronto)

**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-09-2 **List:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-10-8 **List:** \$39.95

**Fiction:** Novel / crime / psychological thriller

**Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth, Yorwerth Associates

**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing Inc.

**Page Count:** 384 **Trim:** 6x9”

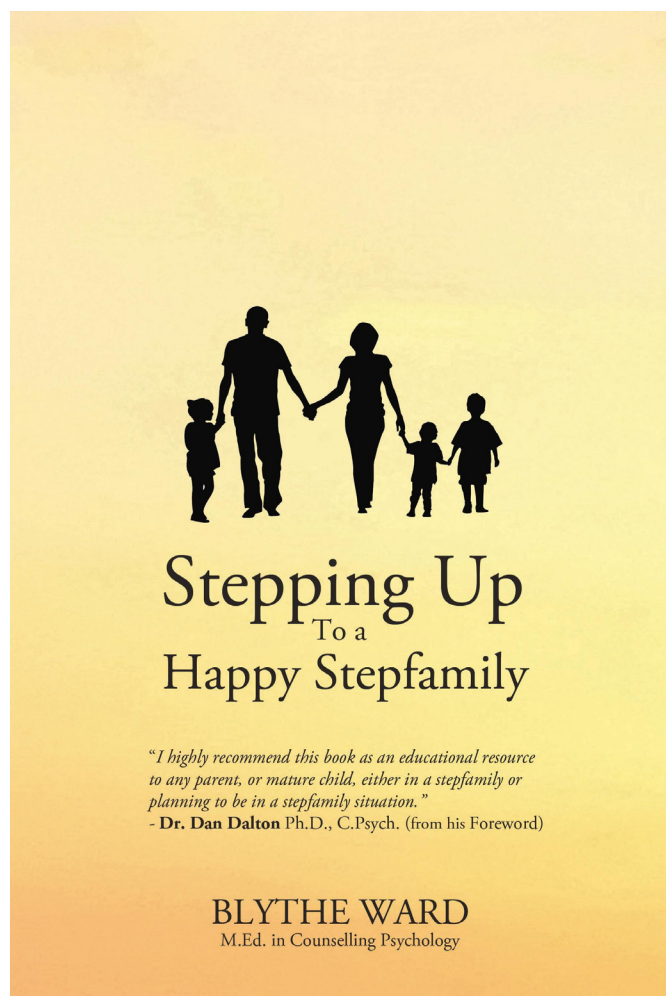
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**US/ World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

# Stepping Up to a Happy Stepfamily

Blythe Ward

*"If you want to feel more confident as a stepparent and learn how to develop practical skills to address daily challenges, this book is for you! Blythe has "cut to the chase" in delivering a book that will truly raise your awareness about how successful stepfamilies work... breathes refreshing, loving, and positive insight into the world of stepfamilies."* – **Patrice McKenzie M.S., Ed. C.N.H.P.** Therapist, Mother, Step Mother



*"... the book the growing number of stepfamilies have been waiting for. It's the one book they need to help them navigate the complexities of this family structure. Blythe's book is a must read, practical guide that provides refreshing perspective and essential advice. Her focus on play, connection, communication and inclusion gives hope for readers and a helpful tool for one of the biggest balancing acts of your life. Enjoyable!"*

- Liana Palmerio-McIver, R.P. OACCPP, Mother, Step Mother and Psychotherapist

*"...the most detailed and practical guide... I highly recommend this book as an educational resource to any parent, or mature child, that is either in a stepfamily or planning to be in a stepfamily situation... an excellent resource for stepfamilies."*

(from the Foreword by Dan Dalton Ph.D. C.Psych)

## About the Author

Blythe Ward brings more than 20 years experience to her work as an expert in the art and science of building happy stepfamilies. *Stepping Up to a Happy Stepfamily*, is the culmination of a heartfelt focus on the topic that has endured for many years. As a stepmother, therapist and researcher, Blythe has a profound understanding of the challenges stepfamilies face and she is determined to share her message of hope with people struggling with the demands of managing an "instant family."

## Marketing/Promotions

Canada-wide promos radio/TV-print media, social media (Facebook, LinkedIn, Youtube) National tour.

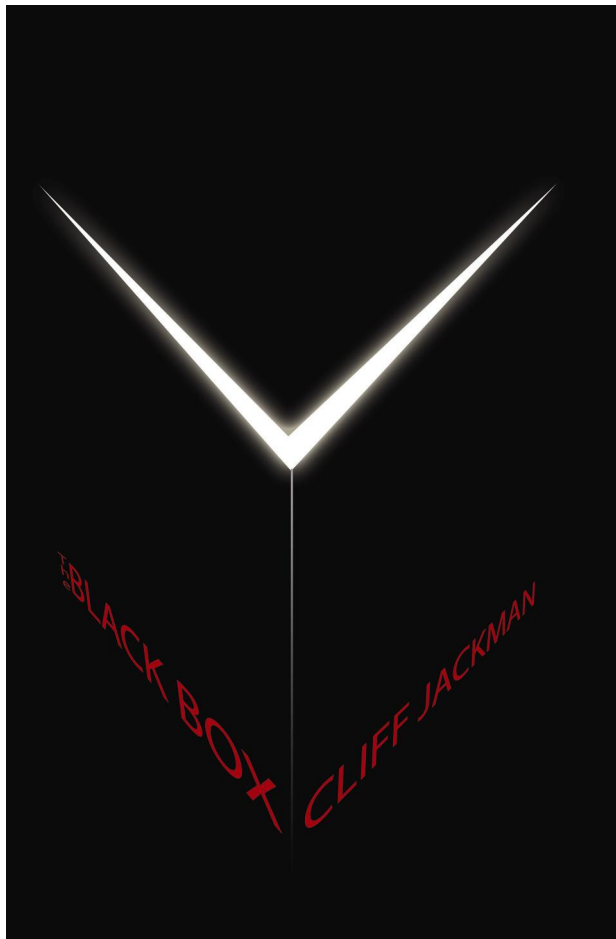
**Title:** *Stepping Up to a Happy Stepfamily*  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-988058-11-5  
**Softcover List:** \$14.95 USD / \$19.95 CDN  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-12-2  
**Hardcover List:** \$39.95 (all currencies)  
**Author:** Blythe Ward (Oakville, Ontario, Canada)  
**Non Fiction:** Self-help / step families  
**Rights:** Nigel Yorwerth, Yorwerth Associates  
**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House Publishing Inc.  
**Page Count:** 144 **Trim:** 6x9"  
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**US/ World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

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# *The Black Box*

Cliff Jackman

*Cliff Jackman draws readers deep inside **The Black Box**, into an intriguing mystery in which a Toronto teenager deemed to have committed suicide is instead a possible homicide victim whose love for comic books and a Russian prostitute lead into a murky world of forgery, deception and murder... Jackman breathes life into his characters, making you feel as if you truly know them... The author is a major literary find whose debut book, **Deeper**, a collection of short stories, fascinated readers and drew comparisons with Stephen King ... with **The Black Box**, Jackman proves he's also a master of the novel, with a story that is instantly captivating and enthralling..." - Michael B Davie, author, **The Late Man***



*The Black Box* author **Cliff Jackman** is also the author of *Deeper*, a superb collection of short stories probing beneath the surface of our ordinary lives and unthinking assumptions to the startling hidden truth. As well, Jackman is author of a second outstanding collection of critically acclaimed short stories – *Jackman's Cliff*.

Considered by some to be Canada's answer to Stephen King, Jackman is an important literary discovery who brings well drawn characters into stories that contain more than a few sinister twists and turns and unexpected outcomes.

Jackman was born in Deep River, Ontario, and raised in Ottawa, Canada's capital. He received a Bachelor's in English from York University, a Master's in English from Queen's University, and a Bachelor of Laws from Osgoode Hall Law School. The writer and practicing lawyer lives in Guelph and works in Toronto where he finds no end of inspiration for the colourful characters that populate his books (discovered by Manor House, Cliff Jackman had his first three books published by our publishing house before he was picked up by industry giants Random House, Bantam and Doubleday).

**Marketing:** Author book-signing events, media interviews, social media promotions-events

**Title** *The Black Box* **Fiction** novel Murder Mystery  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-23-0 **SRP:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-78-0 **SRP:** \$39.95  
**Author:** Cliff Jackman (Guelph & Toronto ON)  
**Manor House:** 192 pages (hardcover = case-laminate)  
**US/ World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

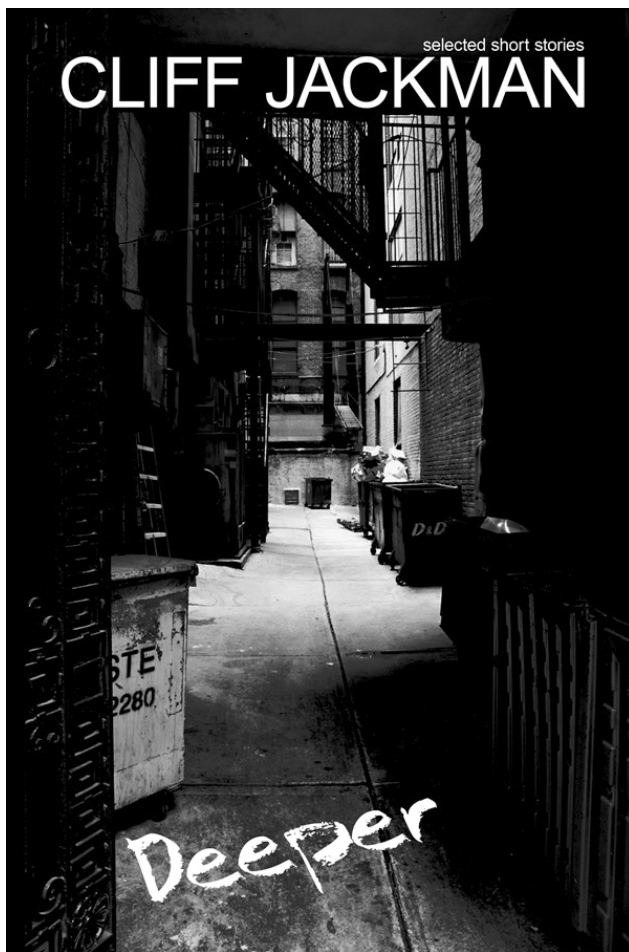


# Deeper

*Selected Short Stories*

Cliff Jackman

*"Nothing is what it seems in these intriguing short stories exploring plausible dark scenarios in gripping detail ... Jackman expertly pulls the reader into nightmare worlds blending the banal with the truly terrifying... easily one of the best collections of short stories I've ever read ... Jackman is a major find – I look forward to reading more of his work..." - Michael B Davie, author, **The Late Man***



**Title:** Deeper

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-34-6 **SRP:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-68-1 **SRP:** \$39.95

**Author:** Cliff Jackman (Guelph & Toronto ON)

**Fiction:** Collection of superb short stories

**Manor House:** 144 pages (hardcover = case-laminate)

**US/ World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

## About the Author and *Deeper*:

**Clifford Jackman**, hailed by critics as Canada's answer to Steven King, was born in Deep River and raised in Ottawa. He received a Bachelor's in English from York University, a Master's in English from Queen's University, and a Bachelor of Law from Osgoode Hall Law School. The practicing Toronto lawyer resides in Guelph (discovered by Manor House, Cliff Jackman had his first three books published by our publishing house before he was picked up by industry giants Random House, Bantam and Doubleday).

*Deeper* is a collection of short stories probing beneath the surface of our ordinary lives and unthinking assumptions to startling hidden truths

## Featured stories:

*Escape to Parry Sound* – A man struggles to keep his family safe after society's collapse.

*Treading Water* – A bestselling author, with an unexplainable bout of depression, suddenly finds himself alone in dangerous waters.

*Nothing to Worry About* – Prisoners in a concentration camp in Northern Ontario ponder the nature of resistance and learn exactly how far they'll go to stay alive

*Natural and Unnatural Animals* – An unusually clever mouse takes on a remorseless housecat.

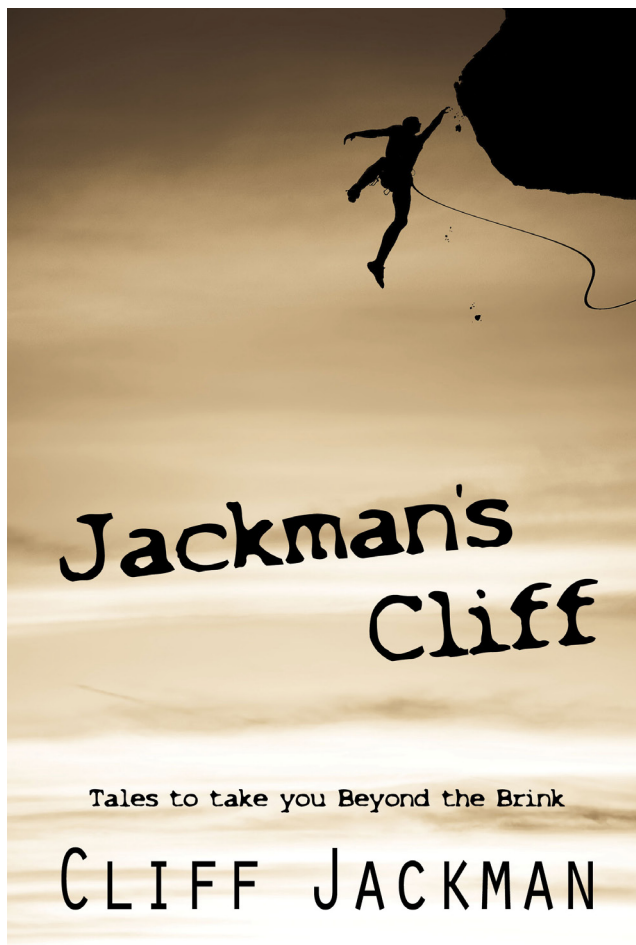
**Marketing:** Author book-signing events, media reviews-coverage, social media promotions-events.

# *Jackman's Cliff*

*Tales to take you Beyond the Brink*

Cliff Jackman

*Be prepared to be taken down some dark twisting roads as you journey through the mind of Cliff Jackman. This engaging set of six short stories is filled with thought-provoking surprises and numerous twists and turns. No surprise that Jackman has been called Canada's answer to Stephen King. Jackman masterfully takes you to the edge of madness - then invites you to join him on the other side - highly recommended" – Michael B. Davie, author *The Late Man**



**Title** Jackman's Cliff - Tales to Take You Beyond the Brink

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-39-1 **SRP:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-83-4 **SRP:** \$39.95

**Author:** Cliff Jackman (Guelph & Toronto ON)

**Fiction:** Collection of superb short stories

**Manor House:** 144 pages (hardcover = case-laminate)

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

A superb collection of a half-dozen intriguing short stories from one of Canada's best new writers, who has deservedly drawn favourable comparisons with Stephen King. *Deeper* is a true captivating offering and an absolute joy to read.

**Cliff Jackman** first captured international attention with the 2010 release of his first book, *Deeper*, a critically acclaimed collection of intriguing short stories that had critics favourably comparing him to Stephen King. Jackman followed this success with the release of his widely praised debut novel, *The Black Box*, and has now returned to the world of short stories with what is perhaps his finest work to date: *Jackman's Cliff*. Jackman was born in Deep River and raised in Ottawa. He received a Bachelor's in English from York University, a Master's in English from Queen's University, and a Bachelor of Laws from Osgoode Hall Law School. The writer and practicing lawyer lives in Guelph and works in Toronto where he finds no end of inspiration for the colorful characters that populate his books (discovered by Manor House, Cliff Jackman had his first three books published by our publishing house before he was picked up by industry giants Random House, Bantam and Doubleday).

**Marketing:** Author book-signing events, media coverage, social mediation promotions-events.

# Bequest

A Novel

Ian Thomas

A Canadian-American university professor is beset with visions of dire things past, present and future; of death and tragedy and dark secrets hidden in the American countryside – including a ruthless waste management firm that finds toxic garbage is gold and no amount of environmental damage or loss of life is too high a price to pay for massive profits. With touches of humour and personal observations on the human condition, Thomas breathes life into his characters and keeps our heart rates soaring as he skilfully takes the plot through unexpected twists and turns and masterfully builds tension to the breaking point.

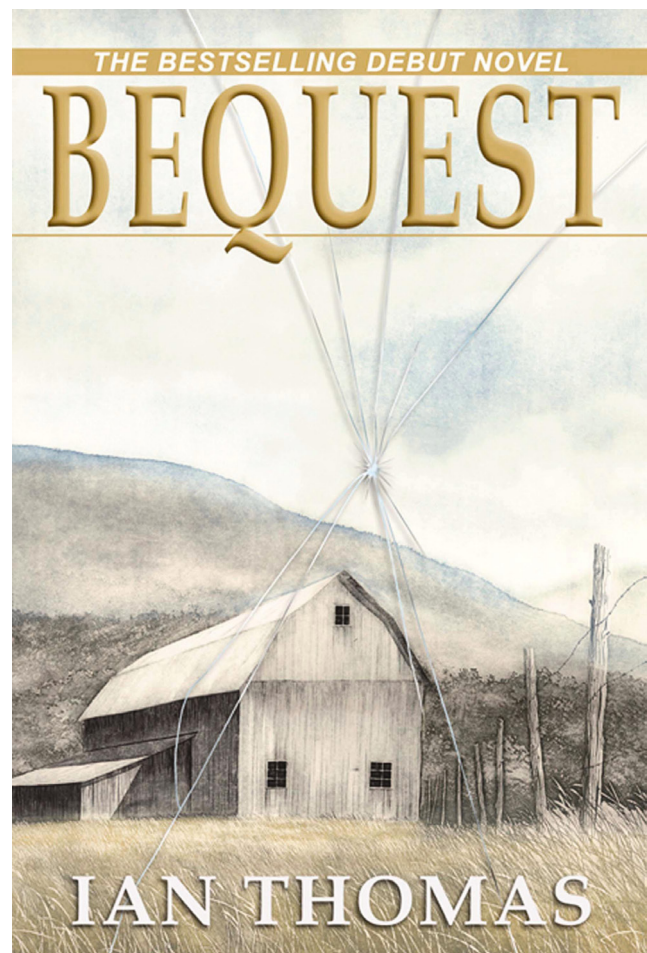
**Ian Thomas** is beloved around the world as the singer/songwriter of smash hits *Painted Ladies*; *Hold On*, *Come the Sun*, and *Right Before Your Eyes*, plus hit songs for Manfred Mann, Santana, Chicago, America, etc. *Bequest* went into multiple printings and was paired by Amazon with Cormac McCarthy's *The Road*.

*"... a page-turner of a first novel... death, murder, corruption and metaphysics ... George Moss is gifted – or cursed – with 'The Sight', premonitions of the future and the ability to get inside the minds of those close to him who have died... then his psychic powers reveal disturbing suggestions about how his father died and grim consequences in terms of the environment ... at times philosophical, at times amusing... always a gripping read as the danger unfolds..."*

**- The Toronto Sun**

*"I couldn't put the damn thing down... tightly crafted... lots of pithy observations on life, sexual relations, ethics, morality and politics... fast-moving... I wish I owned the movie rights."*

**- Murray McLauchlan**



**Title:** *Bequest* / **Author:** Ian Thomas (Dundas ON)  
**Fiction:** Novel (paranormal) Hardcover: Case-laminate  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-0-978107-01-7 **List:** \$24.95  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-48-3 **List:** \$39.95  
(Hardcover = case-laminate – no dust jacket)  
**Manor House:** 288 pages, 6x9”  
**US /World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside



# *The Lost Chord*

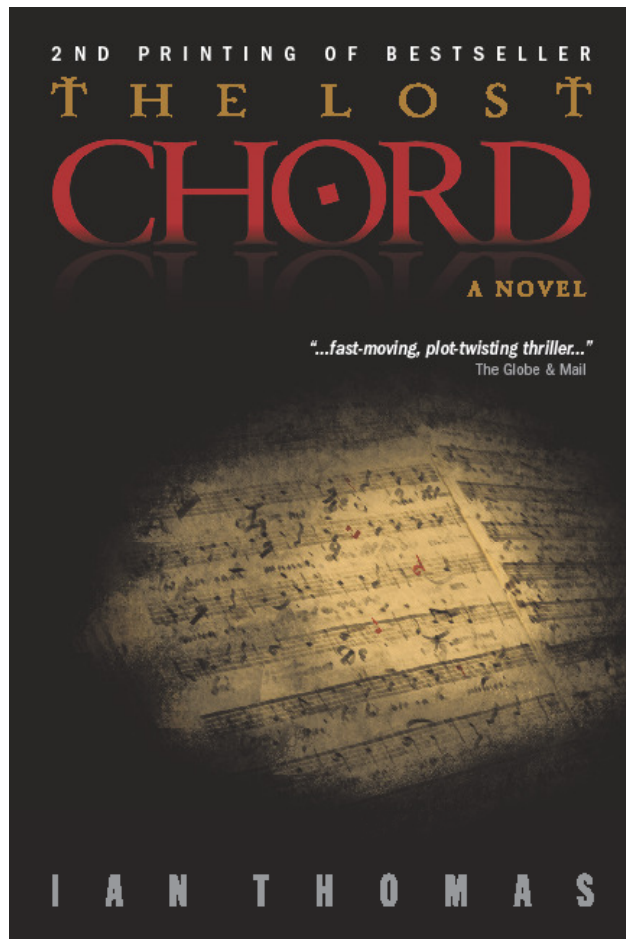
Ian Thomas

*"...fast-moving, plot-twisting thriller... also an aspiring novel of ideas, in which the writer... chastises religious intolerance...and envisions in detail a 'life after life'... Ian Thomas has created a fascinating world and a worthy page-turner for a winter's night."* - Peter Feniak, *The Globe & Mail*

*"...Thomas finds himself in **The Lost Chord**... a perfect combination of musical notes... to send a spirit to the heavens... a portal to another world or spiritual parallel... gothic thriller in a **Da Vinci Code** sense... confronting all the big issues – religion, spirituality, love, death, life and the reasons for our very existence..."*

- Graham Rockingham, *The Hamilton Spectator*

*"Ian Thomas's **Lost Chord** is a metaphysical nail-biter... kept me engaged emotionally and intellectually without food or drink for about 20 hours... unusual and thought-provoking... deserves huge attention from readers with a taste for unconventional thinking..."* - Mag Ruffman, *The Globe & Mail*



**Title** The Lost Chord

**Author** Ian Thomas (Hamilton ON)

**SC ISBN** 978-1-897453-14-8 **List:** \$19.95

**HC ISBN** 978-1-897453-58-2 **List:** \$39.95

**Fiction: Novel**, (New Age, Mind, Body and Spirit genre)

**Manor House** 384 pages 6x9" (hardcover: case-laminate)

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

*The Lost Chord* is the eagerly awaited second novel by singer-songwriter-author Ian Thomas. With a storyline that crosses into the realm of the otherworldly, *The Lost Chord* is certain to captivate the reading public with a compelling story of murder and madness, ancient secrets and modern day intrigue. *The Lost Chord* is an incredible journey into the uncharted waters that reside on the other side of physical existence. To return to an earthly plane from such a journey is to face the daunting struggle of learning to live with a knowledge no human being should possess. In 1847, a Franciscan monk, stumbles on a musical means facilitating consciousness leaving the body. The problem is ... getting back! Not only does his work place many lives in jeopardy in his own time, but when his manuscript surfaces in 1989 the trouble begins all over again. There is a good reason why some of the greatest minds from Plato to Shakespeare have pondered the spiritual nature of music.

**Ian Thomas**, singer/songwriter of such smash hits as *Painted Ladies*; *Hold On*, and *Right Before Your Eyes*, (plus songs written for America, Chicago, Manfred Mann, Santana, etc.) arrived on the literary scene in 2006 with the release of his bestselling debut novel *Bequest* relating the story of a professor beset with visions of dire things past, present and future; of death and tragedy and dark secrets hidden in the American countryside. Hailed by the *Toronto Sun* as a "gripping page-turner," *Bequest* won the author a wide audience. Bestseller *The Lost Chord* went into a 2<sup>nd</sup> printing – further evidence of the Thomas touch.

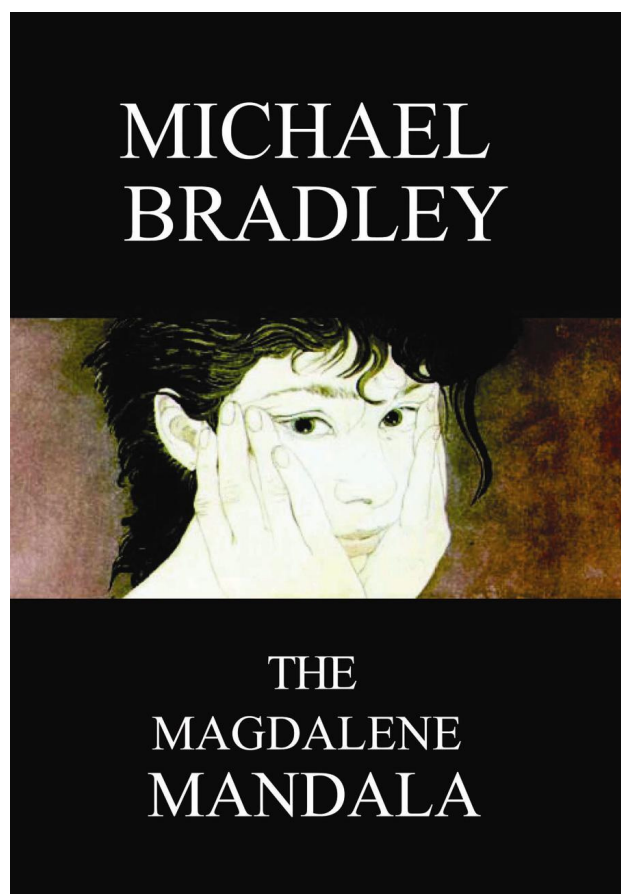
Best-selling Author's Literary Comeback: Holy Grail Adventure Novel

# *The Magdalene Mandala*

Michael Bradley

*"...a desperate journey...to protect a priceless parchment and its shocking secrets. In hot pursuit: sadistic forces determined to destroy all evidence of the truth behind the Western World's oldest religious heritage. At risk: the lives of Canadian-American adventurer Marc Rennsalaer and the two women he loves. Intriguing, pulse-pounding adventure at its best... think: James Bond meets Da Vinci Code... The Magdalene Mandala is an original in every sense of the word."*

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, *The Late Man*



**Title:** The Magdalene Mandala / All Rights Available

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-973647-79-2 **SRP:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-65-0 **SRP:** \$39.95

**Author:** Michael Bradley (Toronto, ON)

**Fiction / Novel / Holy Grail / New Age**

**Manor House:** 336 pages

**US / World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

**Available now** (Hardcover = Case-Laminate)

**Michael Bradley**, author of dozens of critically acclaimed non-fiction bestsellers, is a Holy Grail expert who served as a researcher for *The Da Vinci Code* movie and his non-fiction work *Swords at Sunset* completed a breakthrough non-fiction trilogy tracing the Grail to North America.

Fans of Bradley's *fictional* work have been pining since the 1970s for a third novel, following bestsellers *Imprint* and *The Mantouche Factor*, which sold half-a-million copies.

The fiction drought has ended with *The Magdalene Mandala*. This Collector's First Edition Marc Rennsalaer Debut Adventure novel draws on Bradley's Grail expertise to lend authenticity and reality to a plot that moves at a rapid pace, bringing together murder and intrigue, survivalist weaponry technology, political cover-ups, Jesus, Mary Magdalene... and the Holy Grail.

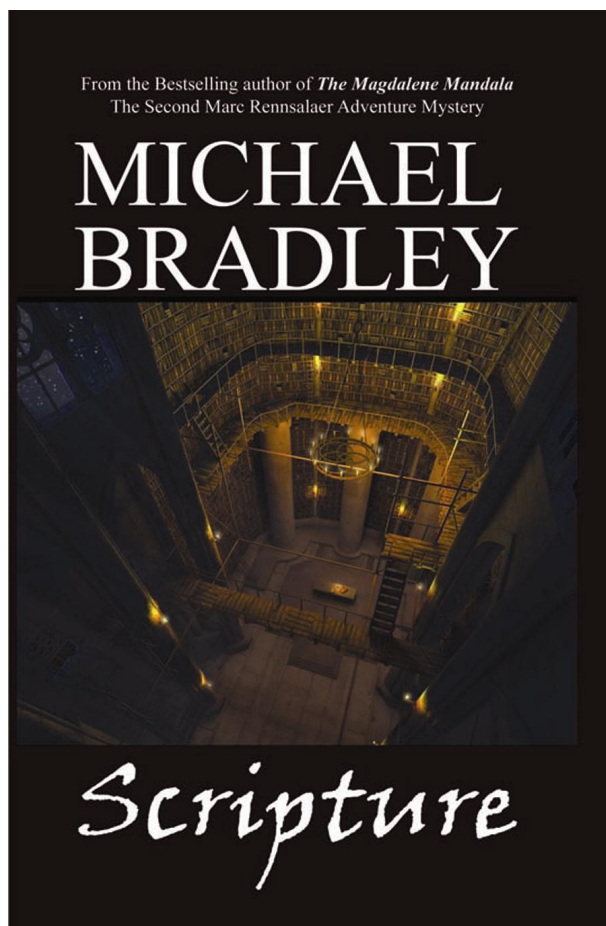
**Michael Bradley** is the bestselling author of *The Iceman Inheritance*, and *Swords at Sunset* (Manor House) and other non-fiction books on the Holy Grail, and is author of bestselling novels *Imprint*, *The Mantouche Factor*, *The Magdalene Mandala* (Manor House) and *Scripture* (Manor House) – and both of his Manor House novels were paired by Amazon with Dan Brown's *The Da Vinci Code*.

Best-selling Author's Follow-up Holy Grail Adventure Novel

# Scripture

Michael Bradley

Bradley is back! If *The Magdalene Mandala* wasn't evidence enough of his triumphant return as a novel writer, we now have **Scripture** – the second Mark Rennsalaer adventure mystery. **Michael Bradley** is the bestselling author of more than 20 critically acclaimed books and a Holy Grail expert who served as a researcher for *Da Vinci Code* and *National Treasure* movies. His first 2 novels sold half-a-million copies. Then came the novel *The Magdalene Mandala*, paired by Amazon with *Swords at Sunset*, the author's non-fiction book employing archeological evidence to trace the Grail to North America – and now we have **Scripture**, second in a series critics have likened to *James Bond* meets *The Da Vinci Code*.



*“Civic upheaval and riots rocking the French countryside, gunmen with silencers, a bag lady Druid, a mysterious parchment, a damsel in danger, kidnappings, murders, high-tech weaponry, political intrigue and dark visions of death and destruction... Welcome to **Scripture**, the second enthralling novel chronicling the Holy Grail exploits of Canadian-American adventurer Marc Rennsalaer. **Scripture** continues the compelling exploration into secretive religious organizations and hidden truths that began with *The Magdalene Mandala*...*

*The story: Still nursing wounds from his last great adventure, Rennsalaer finds his dreams of a peaceful life are again swept aside as he becomes drawn into a deadly game pitting his wits, survivalist gadgetry and trusty Walther PPK against a determined and organized assault. Bradley slowly, masterfully builds tension to the breaking point as he takes us deep into a clandestine world where nothing is as it seems, a world controlled by dark forces determined to keep the true origins of the world's major religions forever concealed from prying eyes. With **Scripture**, Michael Bradley has crafted another gripping and suspenseful thriller – and a worthy successor to his critically acclaimed *Magdalene Mandala*.”*

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, *The Late Man*

**Title:** Scripture / **Ordering:** Available to order now

**Author:** Michael Bradley (Toronto, ON)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-978107-08-6 **SRP:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-66-7 **SRP:** \$39.95  
(Hardcover = Case-Laminate – no dust jacket)

**Manor House:** 336 pages

**Fiction / Novel / Holy Grail / New Age**

**US / World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

**Michael Bradley** is author of bestsellers *The Iceman Inheritance*, and *Swords at Sunset* (Manor House) bestselling novels *Imprint*, *The Mantouche Factor*, *The Magdalene Mandala* (Manor House) and *Scripture* (Manor House) – both Manor House novels were paired by Amazon with *The Da Vinci Code*.

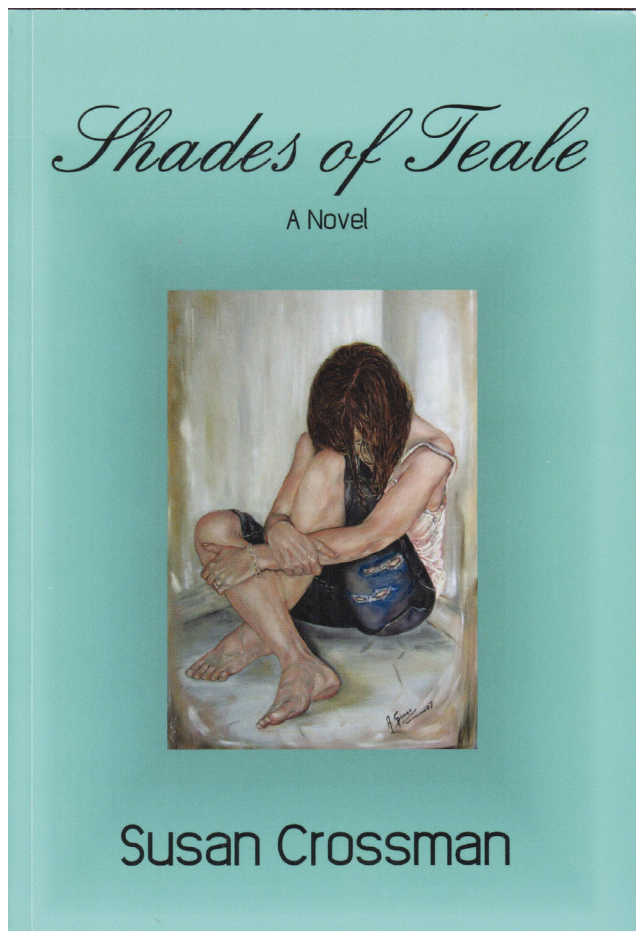


# *Shades of Teale*

A Novel

Susan Crossman

*A lot of people get pushed around and take it – it's safer than confrontation. But Teale was finding too much was being taken away from her – her once seemingly secure life was a sham – and it was all beginning to cost her dearly... something had to be done – but the answers were hidden in a veil of lies... She began searching, in hidden places, for someone she'd lost, a long time ago...*



*“Susan Crossman is a breakthrough writer who probes deep into the psyche of her readers, taking them on a journey of self discovery... that is both intensely personal and revealing...”*

- **Michael B Davie**, author, *The Late Man*

*“The murder of women by their intimate partners occurs on a daily basis in America. And every day, you can also find thousands of women and their children living in emergency shelters and safe houses to escape domestic violence... As someone who has never been in an abusive relationship, I was intrigued by the dynamic of abuse. What would make a woman choose to involve herself with a man who appears to despise her? I began to ask such questions while working for a women's shelter where I met some amazing women who shared their stories with me... This has been a sad but enlightening journey. But out of all of those fascinating and heart-breaking pieces of tragedy I was able to weave together the purely fictional story of Teale's escape from abuse to freedom... It is my hope that this fictional story leads to a deeper understanding of a very real problem that causes untold pain to women every day.”*

- **Susan Crossman**

**Title:** Shades of Teale / **Ordering:** Available now

**Author:** Susan Crossman (Oakville, ON)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-16-2 **SRP:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-79-7 **SRP:** \$39.95

(Hardcover = Case-Laminate – no dust jacket)

**Fiction:** Novel (woman's self-enlightenment journey)

**Manor House:** 288 pages

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

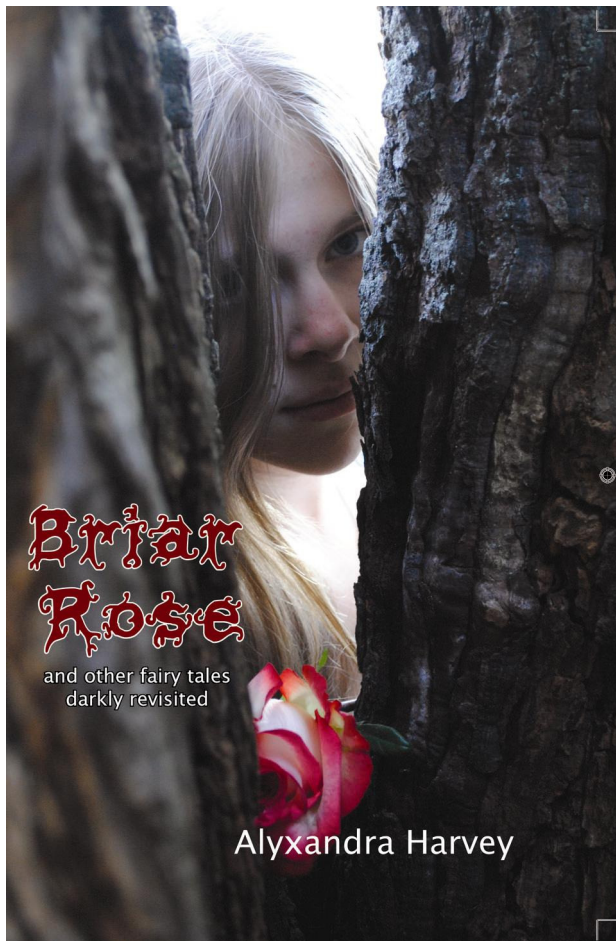
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# Briar Rose

*And other Fairy Tales Darkly Revisited*

Alyxandra Harvey

*“Think you know the classic fairy tales of yore? You’re about to encounter some unexpectedly dark and intriguing passages revealed by **Alyxandra Harvey**, the bestselling author of **Haunting Violet**, **Stolen Away** and hugely popular **The Drake Chronicles** vampire novels. **Briar Rose**, a collection of superbly crafted epic poem-short stories, revisits familiar tales from antiquity to open up new mystical realms of strange, unsettling possibilities and surprises. One thing is for certain – you’ll never, ever look at classic fairy tales the same way again...” - **Michael B Davie**, author, **Poetry for the Insane: The Full Mental***



*“Fairy tales didn’t begin as children’s stories. They were originally oral folktales thought to belong to the ‘peasant’ class, until the literary salons of the 17<sup>th</sup> Century adopted them as their own. They have been retold countless times and hundreds of years later they still resonate. They are a guide through the dark woods of life and a conversation with our mythic selves... Take another look: The witch, the wolf and the wonder await.” – **Alyxandra Harvey***

## About the Author

Alyxandra Harvey lives in an old Victorian stone house with her husband, dogs, and a few friendly ghosts. She loves medieval dresses, used to be able to recite all of *The Lady of Shalott* by Tennyson, and has been accused, more than once, of being born in the wrong century. She believes this to be mostly true, except for the fact that she really likes running water, women’s rights, and ice cream. She also likes cinnamon lattes, tattoos and books.

**Audience:** The bestselling author’s legions of fans that eagerly embrace her bestselling novels and outstanding titles, now including, ***Briar Rose and Other Fairy Tales Darkly Revisited!***

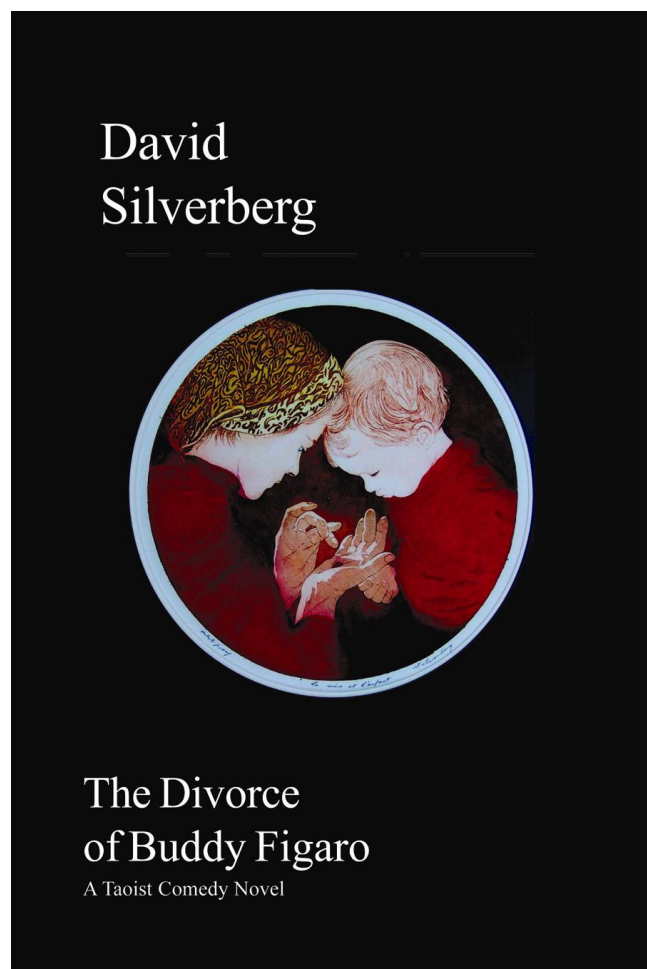
**Title:** Briar Rose / **Ordering:** Available now  
**Author:** Alyxandra Harvey (Guelph ON)  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-18-6 **SRP:** \$14.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-81-0 **SRP:** \$29.95  
(Hardcover = Case-Laminate – no fiddly dust jacket)  
**Fiction:** Collection of superb poetic short stories  
**Manor House:** 144 pages  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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# *The Divorce of Buddy Figaro*

A Novel

David Silverberg

As if a pending divorce, emotional turmoil and life changes were not enough to deal with; Buddy Figaro is visited by an alien the size of a housefly. Buddy then learns an invasion of Earth from a distant star is coming unless Buddy can successfully argue the world deserves another chance despite its history of war and its violent nature deemed to threaten the galaxies. Hitch a ride to a distant galaxy – *The Divorce of Buddy Figaro* is about to begin.



*“Know Buddy Cares – yes, Buddy Figaro really does care – and he’s out to save the world from an alien invasion in this funny, touching and insightful novel that’s also a profound journey of self discovery... fascinating storyline combining an ordinary man’s struggles with divorce, along with heroic intergalactic adventures, a fetching damsel in distress... and the possible annihilation of Earth... intriguing insight into Tao, touches of humour, and a plot that relentlessly twists and turns... challenges the reader to think in new ways...”*

- **Michael B Davie**, author, *The Late Man*

*The Divorce of Buddy Figaro*, a Taoist Comedy Novel, appeals to a general audience, but in particular fantasy/science fiction followers will enjoy this book. As well, Taoism and Mind, Body, Spirit fans who enjoy novels that take the reader on spiritual/mystical and real-world journeys of adventure, intrigue and self-discovery. Interesting storyline combines alien invasion with central character’s emotional turmoil and Taoism. Followers of Tao and science fiction/fantasy fans alike will love this truly unique genre crossing novel providing several different ways to look at life and cope with constant changes. **David Silverberg** is a medical doctor who now resides in Prince Edward Island. He is also an avid follower of Tao and incorporates Taoist teachings in his novels.

**Title** Divorce of Buddy Figaro **Release** Available now  
**Author:** David Silverberg (Charlottetown, PEI)  
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**Fiction:** Novel / Fantasy-Humour / New Age-Taoism  
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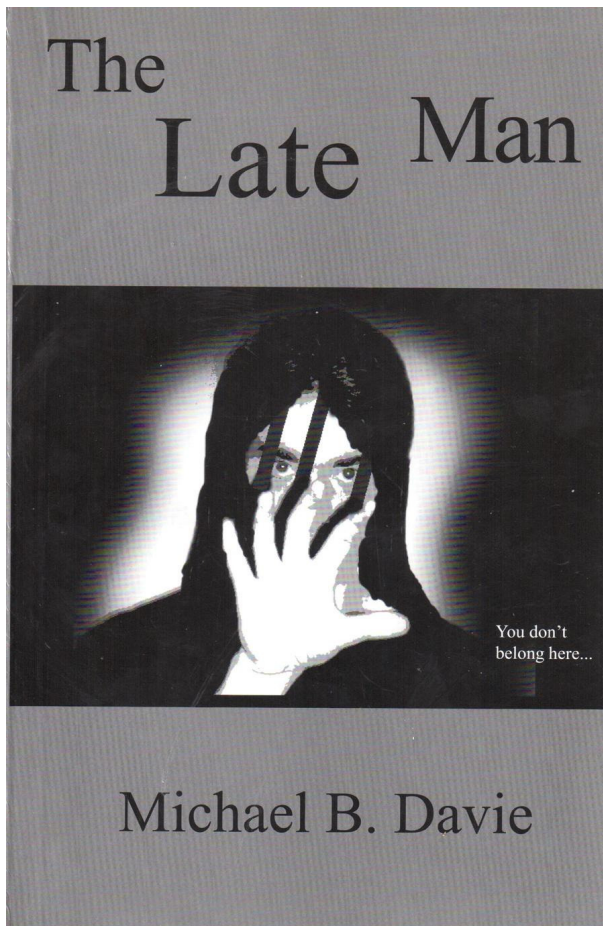


# *The Late Man*

A Novel

Michael B. Davie

After years in a mental institution, 1960s flower-child Jay Emerson escapes and 'awakens' in a world he no longer understands. Like a modern-day Rip Van Winkle, he finds everything and everyone around him has changed: 'Message' songs have been replaced by meaningless disco dance tunes; boxy econo-cars travel roads previously dominated by muscle cars; anti-establishment friends are now materialistic 9-to-5 strangers - and they refuse to reveal the fate of his former girlfriend...



“...gives new perspective to the 'Sixties Era... destined to become a cult classic...”

- **Amanda Hyde**, author, *Broken Dreams*

“...a spell-binding psychological adventure tale ... The Late Man brings back the 'Sixties with a vengeance!”

- **Deborah Morrison**, author, *Mystical Poetry*

“...I highly recommend *The Late Man* by Michael B. Davie. Why? Unlike a lot of novels that give superficial treatment to the 1960s-1970s era or present it in idealistic terms, *The Late Man* offers a compelling story that pulls the petals off "flower power." In this so-called age of free-expression, the novel's main character spends most of his time trying to fit in and conform with a set of rules that may differ from mainstream society - but are rules all the same. He discovers he's not as free as he thinks he is and he's duped into making bad decisions while trying to be cool. This work of fiction will make you think long and hard about your perception of reality during a time of life that continues to influence generations...”

- **Martin Davidson** (Amazon top reviewer)

**Title:** The Late Man / **Ordering:** Available Now

**Author:** Michael B. Davie (Hamilton, ON)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-968580-36-3 **SRP:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-92-6 **SRP:** \$24.95

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**Fiction:** Novel (journey to self-discovery)

**Manor House:** 384 pages

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

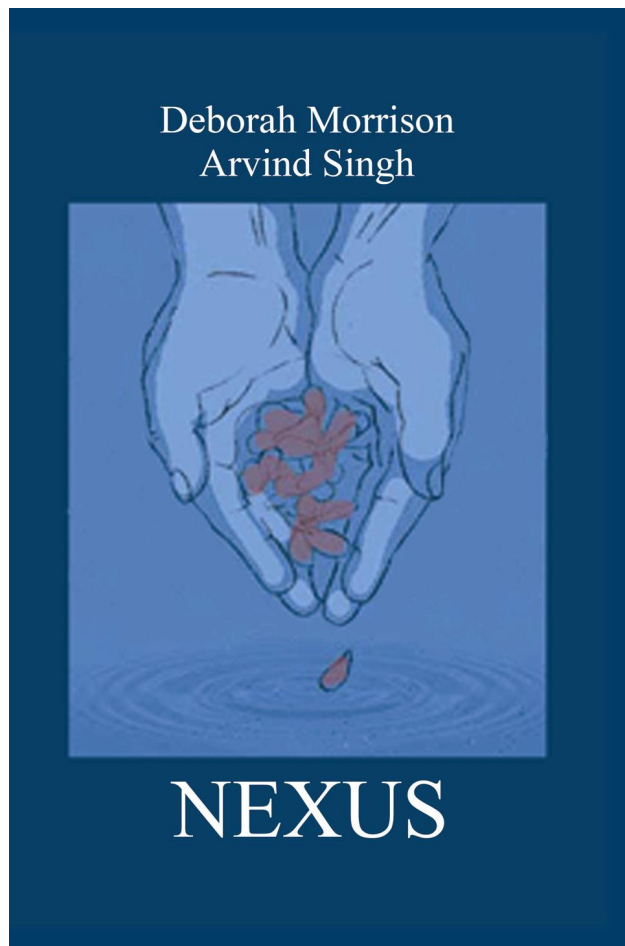
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# NEXUS

Deborah Morrison  
& Arvind Singh

*“Well written... Great Story... Held my interest from start to finish...Descriptive Landscape ...interesting integration of varied locations... takes you on a visual journey as well as internal journey... a wonderful healing story relevant to many people’s personal experience in the world we live in today ... heart-warming, informative, endearing, adventurous and delightfully humorous and intriguing. A MUST READ...”* - **Elizabeth T. Munro** (published review on Amazon.com)

“I’ve read many spiritual books but this one succeeds where others fail... successfully combines poignant story fraught with true human emotions of personal pain along with remarkable spiritual insights... a novel that moves you with reflective & meditative qualities ” – **James Bertrand** (Amazon.com review)



**Title:** NEXUS / **Ordering:** Available Now  
**Authors:** Deborah Morrison & Arvind Singh  
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**Fiction:** Novel / New Age / Self Discovery (present tense)  
**Manor House:** 192 pages  
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*NEXUS* went into multiple printings and was paired by Amazon with bestsellers *The Secret* and *The Law of Attraction*, giving the authors a global following. With its brilliant blending of spiritual teachings in a fictional storyline, *NEXUS* was soon selling very well on its own as a growing audience soon came to embrace it.

*Nexus* is one of the most unusual novels ever written – and one of the most spiritually fulfilling and enjoyable. Written mainly in the present tense, and incorporating spiritual teachings and *Mystical Poetry* selections, *Nexus* follows the soul-searching journey of an odd mix of people at a spiritual retreat designed to help them cope with pain and find the centre of their being, the Nexus.

*“Can suicidal Logan Andrews break free of the inner demons pushing him to self-destruction? Logan is guided in a dream to a spiritual retreat where he meets his lost love Sarah, two insightful teachers, an arrogant millionaire, and a grandmotherly lady... problems soon arise for Logan and the others... the depth of each character’s experience makes Nexus a journey of transformation... and a compelling and captivating read.”*

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, *The Late Man*

# *The Mystery of Hedgehog Hill*

*Adventures in Shroomville*

Ron Dennis

Wrote this book

*The Mystery of Hedgehog Hill*, a Children-Young Adults novel, has earned many accolades and is honoured to be chosen by educators as an important featured part of the national Newspapers in Education program. (it was serialized by *The Hamilton Spectator*, other newspapers, throughout the fall).



**The Mystery of Hedgehog Hill**  
Adventures in Shroomville  
Ron Dennis  
wrote this book

**Title:** Adventures in Shroomville /

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-32-2 **SRP:** 14.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-62-9 **SRP:** 24.95

(Hardcover = Case-Laminate – no fiddly dust jacket)

**Author:** Ron Dennis (Burlington / Stoney Creek ON)

**Fiction:** Novel / Children-Young Adults

**Manor House:** 144 pages

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

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## **About the Author/ *Mystery of Hedgehog Hill***

Shroomville had been a happy little village, tucked away deep in a vast boreal forest whose bristling green canopy stretched beyond forever... Oh, one little detail makes this village stand out. You see, these villagers are tiny... about as tall as a typical adult's size-nine shoe. And they live peacefully and happily in mushroom houses. Large, living mushroom houses... For Marshall Shroom, growing up here had been happiness itself - until his 13th year that is! Responding to a telepathic cry for help, Mars sets out on a quest to rescue his father and his best friend Portia from the clutches of the evil Maliset. With emerging new powers and the help of strange new friends, will Marshall succeed in his mission in time?

**Ron Dennis** was once young himself and has never fully recovered from that experience. Writing remarkably enjoyable books for children and young adults is his own form of therapy.

The Hamilton Spectator serialized chapters from the book twice-weekly throughout the fall as one of the major newspapers participating in the highly praised national Newspapers in Education program fostering strong reading habits in young folk – a wonderful, gentle, fun adventure story.

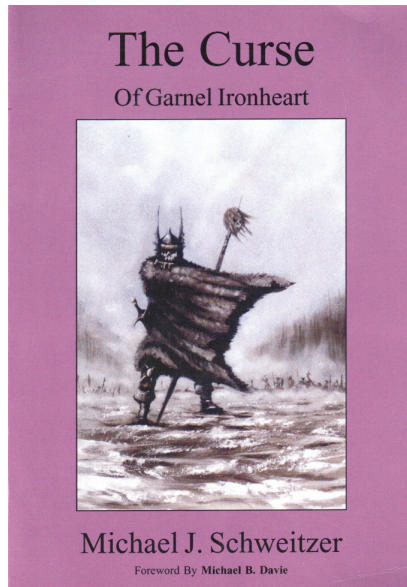


# *The Unending War*

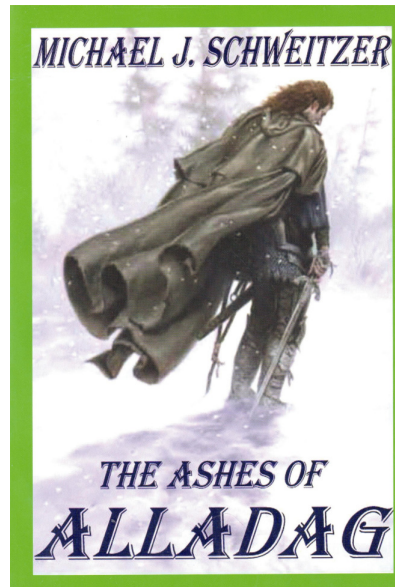
A fantasy trilogy

Michael J. Schweitzer

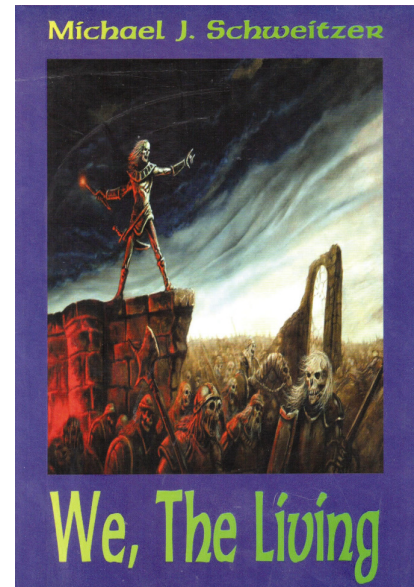
*The Unending War*, a well written, engaging trio of books with well drawn characters, many touches of humour, wonderful morals, subtle lessons on life, love and friendship; an intriguing story line and lots of action – but no profanity or adult situations, making the trilogy ideal for all ages.



***The Curse of Garnel Ironheart***  
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**Author:** Michael J. Schweitzer  
**Fiction:** Novel / Fantasy / Book 1  
**Manor House** / 384 pages  
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***The Ashes of Alladag***  
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**Author:** Michael J. Schweitzer  
**Fiction:** Novel / Fantasy / Book 2  
**Manor House** / 384 pages  
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***We, The Living***  
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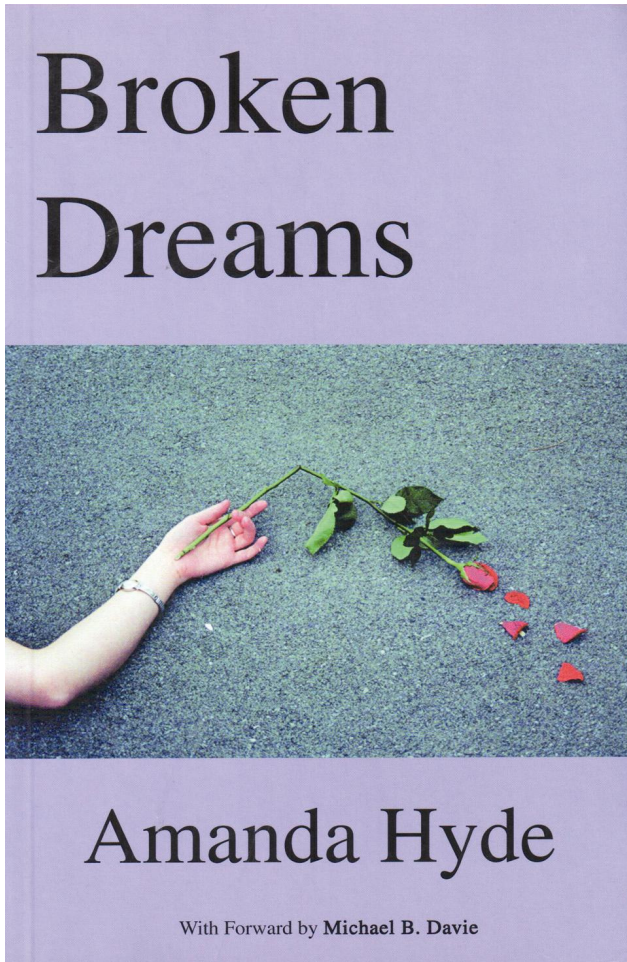
**Book 1: *The Curse of Garnel Ironheart*:** Enthralling fantasy novel certain to delight readers of all ages, particularly Lord of the Rings fans. Book One of The Unending War trilogy is steeped in the lore of ancient legends, the Curse of Garnel Ironheart is indeed a curse borne of an historic error in judgement. That curse now haunts the diminutive Don-zee as he joins forces with other misfits on a quest where nothing is as it seems. The fate of a ravaged world is in the hands of these outcasts as they battle ghosts, ogres, vampires and the Undead in an effort to retrieve magical, mysterious items. But what is the true purpose of their mission? Are the misfit companions mere pawns in a game of almost unimaginable evil?

**Book 2: *The Ashes of Alladag*:** Follows The Curse of Garnel Ironheart, reuniting key characters and pitting them against fearsome enemies on a new quest with more twists and turns than the last.

**Book 3: *We, The Living*:** Within weeks, an Empire, which ruled the world for a thousand years, is swept away. The Undead now rise and exert control. And so begins the Book 3 in The Unending War trilogy!

## More great novels...

*Broken Dreams* (Young Adult) & *Creep* (Adult-Psychological Horror-Crime)

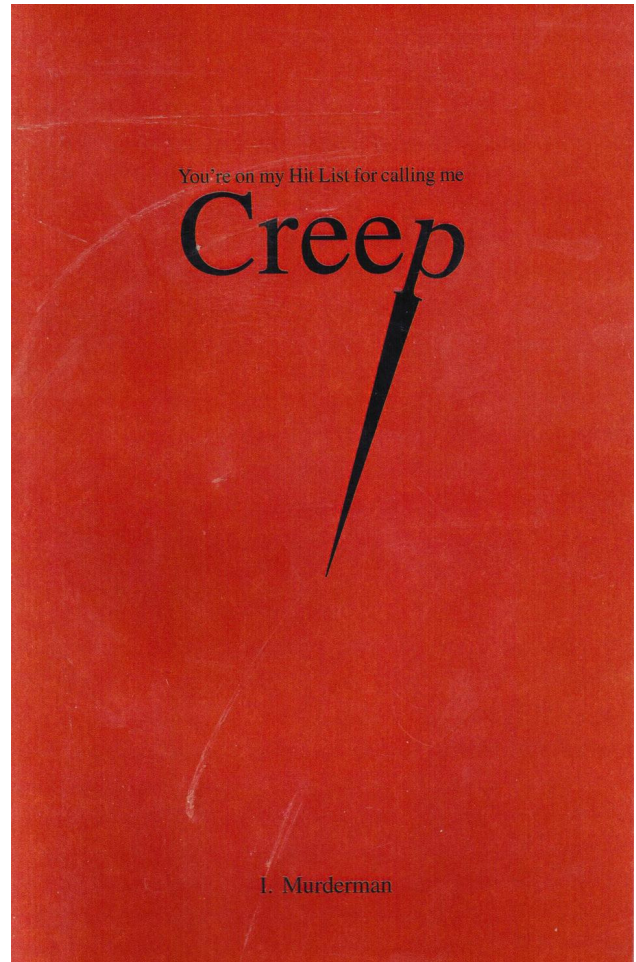


**Title:** Broken Dreams / **Fiction:** Novel / Young Adult  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-968580-35-6 **List:** \$19.95  
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**Author:** Amanda Hyde (Burlington, ON)  
**Manor House:** 224 pages (Hardcover = case laminate)  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

Jody fell hard for new boyfriend Andy. They also shared the nightmare experience of having a loved one struck by a drunk driver and both were against excessive drinking. Despite Andy's cheerful reassurances, Jody had a bad feeling about attending a party where booze and drunken teenagers were in no short supply. But on leaving the party, Jody would soon fall into a nightmare of her own: A pair of car headlights were speeding straight at her!

*"Broken Dreams carries a powerful message certain to resonate with a whole generation. Unfortunately for some, the message that drinking and driving don't mix is learned too late... an intriguing and compelling story..."*

– **Michael B. Davie**, author, *The Late Man*



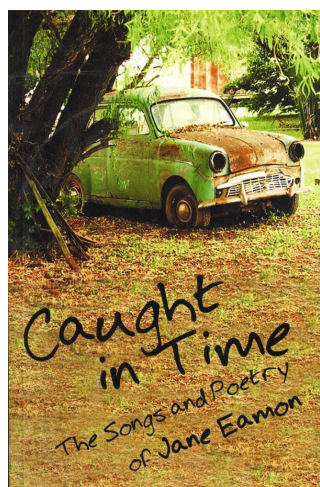
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**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-94-0 **List:** \$29.95  
**Author:** I. Murderman (Undisclosed location)  
**Manor House:** 100 pages (Hardcover = case laminate)  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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*"It's no accident that you've picked up this book. It's fate. You were meant to read it. This book is about me and you and the nasty way you treated me, to shatter my self-esteem, to ruin my life. You were there, laughing with the others. You took part by joining the group. By laughing at me. Most of the others are dead now. I've completed them. I've made them pay with their lives for what they did to me. Now it's your turn. Go ahead. Read through the pages and see if you can figure out a way to save yourself, see if you can remember who I am... see if you can stop me, before I reach you and end your life... only a few more people to track down and kill. I'm working down my Hit List. I've found you now. I know where you live. I'm watching you read this. You're next..."* – **I. Murderman**



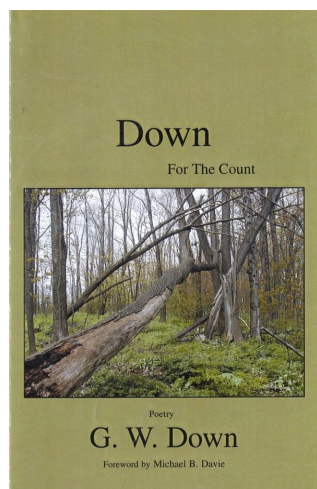
## Fiction / Poetry

*Caught in Time*  
Songs and poetry



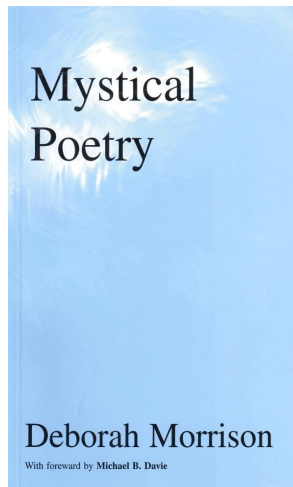
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**Manor House /** 100 pages  
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*Down for the Count*  
A poetic journey



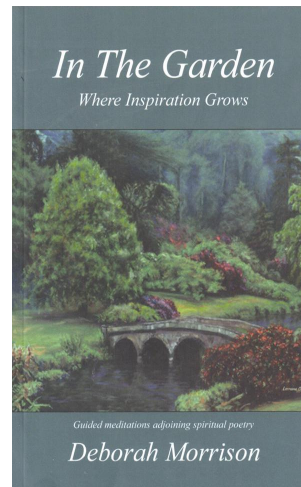
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*Mystical Poetry*  
Spiritual poetry



***Mystical Poetry***  
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**Fiction:** Spiritual Poetry  
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*In The Garden*  
Meditative poetry



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***Caught in Time – The Songs and Poetry of Jane Eamon:*** Award-winning singer-songwriter-storyteller Jane Eamon has long captivated audiences with heartfelt songs exploring the frailties of human experience. ***Caught in Time*** is a superb collection of song lyrics – some from her CD album of the same name, others from upcoming releases – along with revealing and thought-provoking selected poems.

***Down for the Count*** – by **G. W. Down:** “... interesting poems that take you to unusual places, captivate the imagination... clever use of imagery and poetic rhythm...” – **Deborah Morrison**, author, *Mystical Poetry*  
“...poems engage the reader with clarity and colourful imagery...” – **Elizabeth Grandbois**, author *In Dreams*

***Mystical Poetry*** – by **Deborah Morrison:** “A superb collection of poems with a spiritual/mystical theme. Deborah Morrison has produced an exceptional offering of soul-enriching poetry. A must-read for those interested in tapping into their subconscious.” – from Foreword by **Michael B. Davie**, author, *The Late Man*.

***In The Garden – Where Inspiration Grows*** – by **Deborah Morrison:** “It’s rare that a book can help you achieve a state of bliss and heightened consciousness... innovative aide to enlightenment utilizes guided meditations and poems... altering the selection of poems accompanying each guided meditation changes the experience and allows you to travel new pathways to understanding. So let your mind freely wander through Deborah's beautiful Garden and discover its many treasures...” – **Michael B Davie**, author, *Poetry for the Insane: The Full Mental*



## *The Unforgiving Tides*

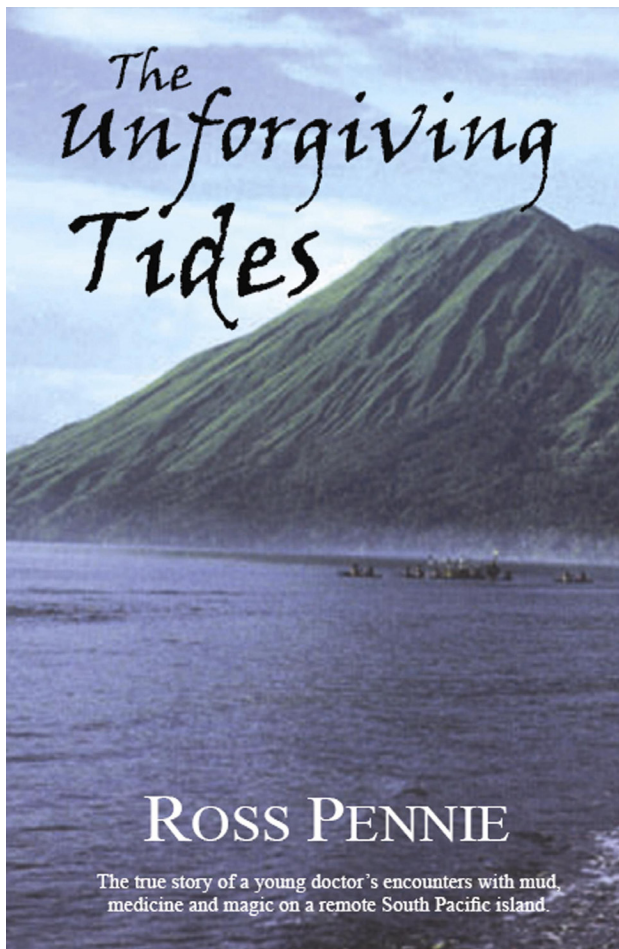
Ross Pennie

*"Pennie's descriptions are vivid, his characters alive. You feel as though you are by his side as he negotiates with the Catholic nursing sisters, comforts mothers camped out with their entire families beneath their children's hospital beds, and wrestles with self-doubt ..."*

- **Primrose Ketchum**, *Canadian Family Physician* magazine

*"A born storyteller, Pennie deftly transports the reader to the South Pacific where the young doctor receives a harsh initiation into the world of medicine."*

**Cathy Vasas-Brown**, author, *Every Wickedness* and *Some Reason in Madness*



**Title:** The Unforgiving Tides

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-24-7 **List:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-0-973647-70-9 **List:** \$39.95

**Author:** Ross Pennie (Ancaster, ON)

**Non-fiction**, Biography / true medical adventure story

**Manor House:** 240 pages (Hardcover = case laminate)

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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*"...captivating adventures... humorous"*

- **The Toronto Sun**

*"...powerful writing... deeply touching."*

- **Brian Henry**, Ryerson University

*The Unforgiving Tides* tells Dr. Ross Pennie's true adventures as a medical volunteer on a remote South Pacific island. At age 25, fresh out of medical school, Pennie arrives in Papua New Guinea to find tribal magic, jungles, muddy terrain and the ire of Sister Pirmina. Soon the good *Dokta* is facing crisis after crisis.

**Pennie** writes in an engaging style reminiscent of James Herriot – except Pennie examines the most intriguing creatures of all: fellow humans on a remote, exotic island. Pennie is a professor at McMaster University, Hamilton, and a practising physician at Brant Community Health System. He's also a nationally renowned expert specialist in the treatment of infectious diseases.

**Audience:** General audience and of added interest to New Age sector due to author's encounters with tribal magic. It's a terrific tale of triumph over adversity, including an appendectomy during an earthquake, the amputation of a woman's leg with a hacksaw, transforming the hospital into a tavern to treat alcohol poisoning victims, and much more.

# Perfect Prey

*Surviving a Cyber Shark's Romantic Fraud*

Liz Cole

*"Millions use Internet-dating sites to look for love. Some find their mates, some find disappointment. And some find something far more dangerous - con artists and sex predators lurking in the shadows of cyberspace."* – CTV's W-Five

*"What do you do when your charming knight on a white horse turns out to be Satan in a tuxedo? (this is the true story of how one woman fought back)"* – Canadian Living Magazine



**Liz Cole**, author, was victimized by an online career con artist - but she turned the tables to expose the con man on national television. Her story was featured on CTV Television's W5 program and a tell-all blog.

Cole had just gone through a painful divorce and her self-esteem and confidence were at an all time low. On the advice of friends she tried online dating and soon met up with a charmer who fed her lies about his life of wealth and privilege in Ireland. Marriage proposals followed, along with requests for short-term loans – just until his rich relatives came through.

By the time she saw through his fraud, he'd already won the affection of her family with promises of gifts to come – then his selfish world of make-believe ended and he vanished. While many victims would be too distraught to think, Cole fought back, tracking the 'Irish Lad' down and exposing the Quebec resident's fraudulent lifestyle on national television.

Cole's true story is a wake-up call to online daters and others seduced by Internet 'lovers' who are not what they appear to be. This timely, provocative and informative book is a certain hit in the Internet Age. National TV and other national media have focussed heavily on Cole's story and her book offers insightful timely advice on how to deal with online con artists.

**Title:** Perfect Prey / **Author** Liz Cole (Toronto ON)  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-10-0 **List:** \$19.95  
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**Non-Fiction:** Biography / True Crime / Dating Sites  
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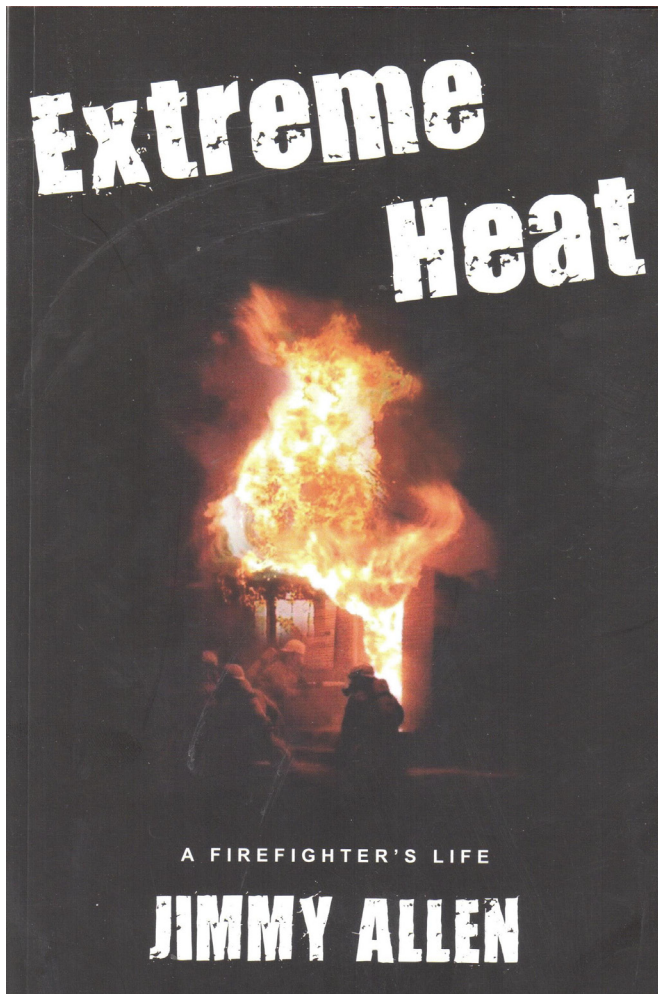


# Extreme Heat

*A Firefighter's Life*

Jimmy Allen

*"I heard one strange, disembodied voice say: 'Hit the pedal – we're losing this guy!' I kept looking around, wondering who they were talking about. It was me! I was on my way to the hospital in an ambulance... After 30 years and a multitude of injuries, dealing with fires, explosions, burn victims and cave-ins, your head becomes so messed up. We all deal with death differently. For quite a while, I drank too much... We responded to a fire call at 3 am. We lost a mother and five little children because the drunken scumbag of a husband upset a petro-fired space heater. When I thought of those poor little innocent kids, my heart began to crack... Firefights who don't cry, who can't cry, die!" – Jimmy Allen, author, *Extreme Heat – A Firefighter's Life**



**Title:** Extreme Heat

**Author:** Jimmy Allen (Ottawa, ON)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-978107-07-9    **List:** \$24.95

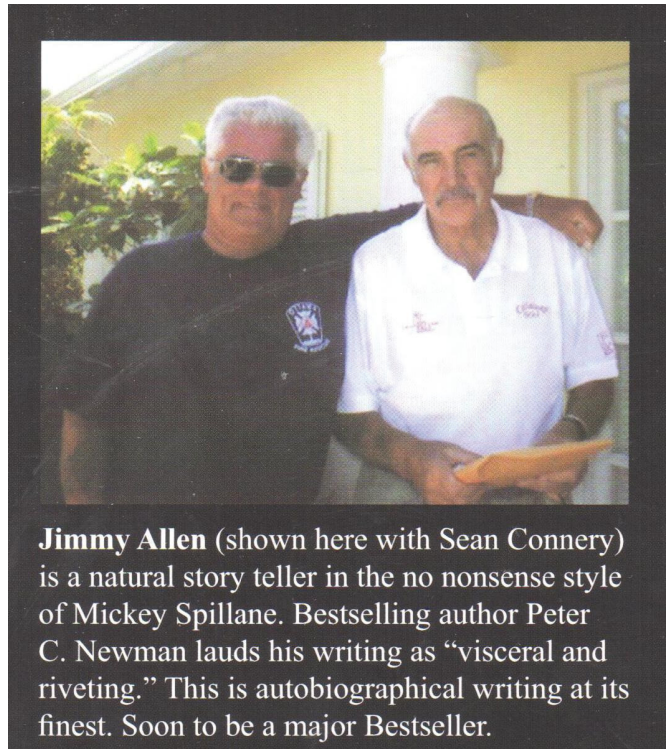
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**Non-fiction,** (Biography / true story / Firefighter)

**Manor House:** 176 pages / (Hardcover: case laminate)

**US/World:** Ingram    **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

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**Jimmy Allen** (shown here with Sean Connery) is a natural story teller in the no nonsense style of Mickey Spillane. Bestselling author Peter C. Newman lauds his writing as "visceral and riveting." This is autobiographical writing at its finest. Soon to be a major Bestseller.

*"Jimmy Allen doesn't pull any punches. From the moment you begin reading this autobiography you're immediately captivated by Allen's earthy and blunt writing style. His gift for taking you to the scene to live through the horror is evident throughout... Allen relates gut-wrenching moments with clarity and unprecedented realism – this is likely the first time a firefighter's autobiography has offered such gripping detail. Admiration for firefighters only intensified during and after Sept. 11 – this book reaches out to a wide audience and takes you into the depths of hell and back". – Michael B. Davie, author, *Winning Ways**



# *Growing Up With The Hits!*

*Reliving the Best Time of Your Life 1955-1989*

Nevin Grant

“**Nevin Grant**, avid record collector and musician, left law school in the 1960s to pursue a career in radio – and became part of music history, leading one of the nation’s most influential stations to become an acclaimed hit-maker on Top 40 CKOC radio. *Growing up with the Hits!* offers his insightful recollections on the music, times, books, movies, fads, fashions and pop culture icons of 1955-1989 – a must read!”

– **Michael Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*



**Title:** Growing Up with the Hits!

**Author:** Nevin Grant (Hamilton ON)

**SC ISBN** 978-1-897453-98-8 **List: \$24.95**

**HC ISBN** 978-1-897453-99-5 **List: \$39.95**

**Manor House:** 288 pages hardcover: case laminate

**Non-Fiction:** Popular Music History / Biography

**Page Count:** 288 **Trim:** 6” by 9”

**Contact:** 905-648-2193 mbdavie@manor-house.biz

**Website:** www.manor-house.biz

**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

## **Nevin on Nevin – and the times of our lives:**

“I became a serious collector of 45 rpm recordings in the mid-Fifties. I tried to collect every hit single... I’d also buy any recording I really liked, whether a hit or not. Add on my Rhythm and Blues collection ... and you can see how I amassed a major collection with close to 15,000 45 rpm singles... I owe my parents very much for providing the magic of a background in music... I was always the flamboyant one attacking works by my favourite composers, Chopin and Rachmaninoff... I played piano in a Combo... You almost had to be there to imagine the impact of Elvis Presley on the world of pop music... My father always said my high school years would be the best years of my life – was he ever right!... Motown would soon be taking a major chunk of the music market... The British invasion... was a positive thing as it shook up the establishment... Collectively we held our breath as Kennedy stared down Russian Premier Krushchev in a scary game of nuclear roulette... Over the years CKOC would earn the reputation of being “the Hitmaker,” a leader in breaking new hits and new artists as more than 25 framed gold and platinum record awards would attest...”

– **Nevin Grant**, author, *Growing Up With The Hits! Reliving the Best Time of Your Life - 1955-1989*

## **Marketing/Promotions**

National author fall tour with book-signings plus extensive print-electronic media coverage and social media promotions in works, including TV shows / radio appearances, media interviews.

# *Spoonfed*

*My Life with The Spoons*

Gord Deppe

*“With a string of smash hits – Nova Heart, Tell No Lies, Old Emotions, Romantic Traffic – the Spoons redefined the musical landscape and captured the hearts of fans everywhere. The Spoons toured extensively, playing sold-out shows with an array of fellow icons including Talking Heads, Police, Culture Club, Simple Minds and many more, during a decades-long journey-adventure that continues to this day. The Spoons gold album Arias & Symphonies was named one of the 20 Most Influential Albums of The ‘80s by The Chart Magazine and Nova Heart was named one of The Top 100 Canadian Singles. SpoonFed is the compelling life story of Spoons frontman Gord Deppe, whose creative vision defined one of the most influential, original bands of the ‘80s and beyond.”*

From the Foreword by **Michael B Davie**, President/CEO, Rockport Records International Corp.



**Title:** Spoonfed – My Life With The Spoons  
**Author:** Gord Deppe (Burlington/GTA ON)  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-43-8 **List:** \$24.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-51-3 **List:** \$39.95  
**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House  
**Non-Fiction:** Auto-Biography (Musician)  
**Pages:** 240 / 6x9” / Standard trade terms  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
 (Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

## **About the Author: *SpoonFed***

As singer, guitar player and songwriter for the Canadian new wave band the Spoons, Gord Deppe has been in the music business for over thirty years. Born in Vancouver, B.C., his family moved back and forth between Canada and Germany several times before finally settling in Burlington, Ontario. There, in 1980, fresh out of high school, Gord, Sandy Horne, Rob Preuss and Derrick Ross would go on to make Spoons a different kind of household word. The young band would also catch the wave of a brand new video-driven phenomenon that was about to hit TV screens nationwide. The video for their hit *Nova Heart* would be aired on the very first broadcast of MuchMusic. *Romantic Traffic*, shot in the subways of Toronto, remains as one of the most iconic Canadian music videos of all time.

## **Audience:**

- Wide general audience but with particular interest to fans of the Spoons and those who enjoy musician biographies.

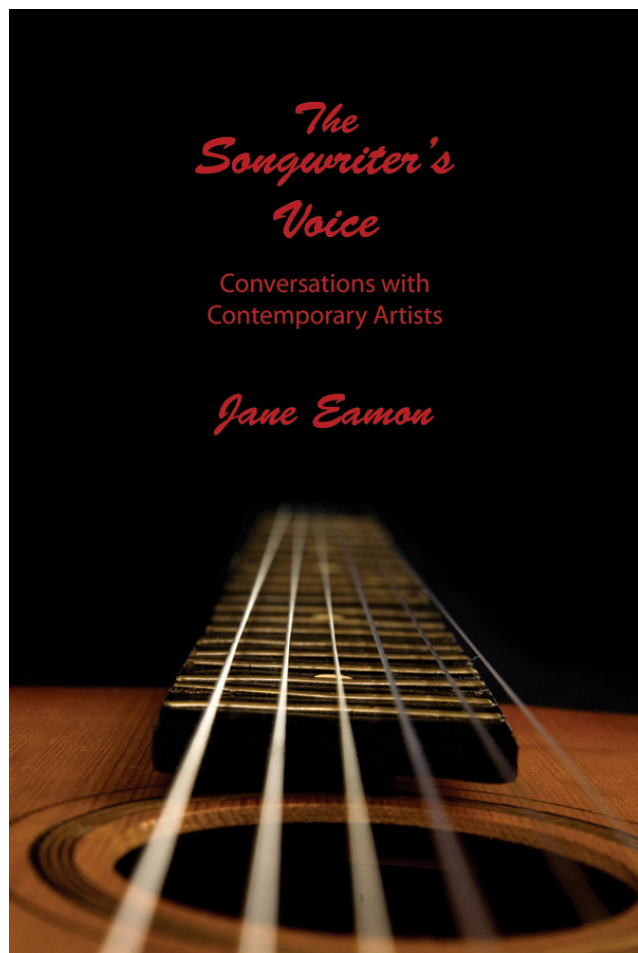
## **Sales / Marketing / Author-Spoons Tour:**

- Canada-wide ongoing Spoons tour
- Numerous book-signing events have already taken place at major Indigo and independent stores. More TBA
- Cross Canada Author book signings.
- Hot topic attracting media interest.
- Author is also doing ongoing blogging, and media interviews, etc.



## More great Musician Biographies...

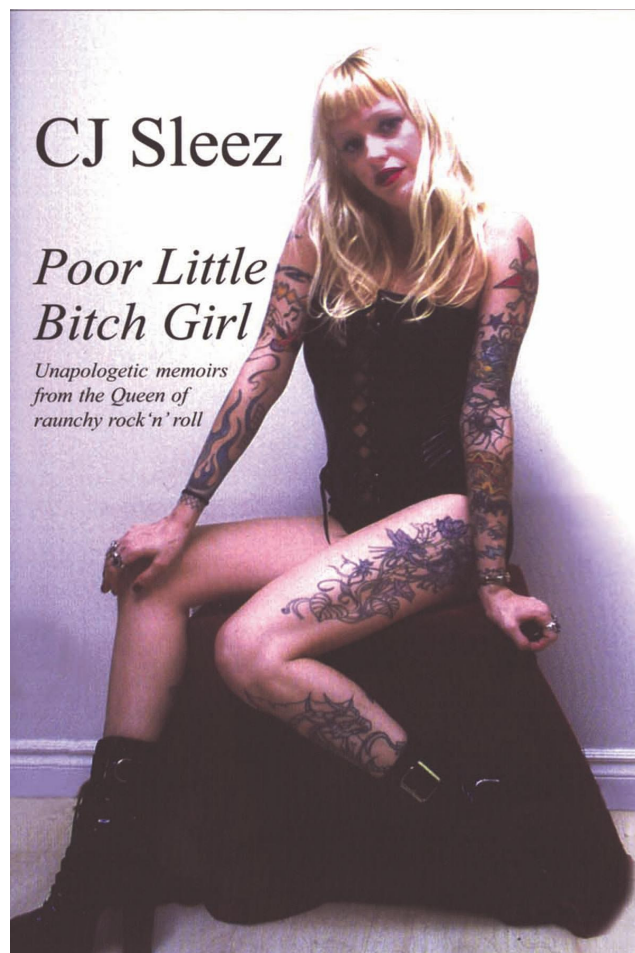
*Insightful stories of songwriters – and a punk-rock star's true life journey*



**Title:** Songwriter's Voice / **Jane Eamon** (Vancouver)  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-36-0 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-69-8 **List:** \$39.95  
(Hardcover = case laminate)  
**Non-fiction:** Biography / Musicians on song-writing  
**Manor House:** 178 pages / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

*"An absolutely superb book - Jane Eamon, Ian Thomas, Shari Ulrich, Stephen Fearing, Mae Moore, David Essig and many more songwriters - share their thoughts on what it means to be a songwriter... filled with insightful comments on their lives and love for their craft - a truly engaging and captivating read - highly recommended."*

- **Michael B Davie**, author, *Poetry for the Insane - The Full Mental*.



**Title:** Poor Little Bitch Girl / **CJ Sleez** (Toronto, ON)  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-0-973647-76-1 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-86-5 **List:** \$39.95  
(Hardcover = case laminate)  
**Non-fiction:** Biography / Punk star's rocky life story  
**Manor House:** 144 pages / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

*"CJ Sleez. The name evokes fantasies of the slender blonde writhing on stage to a driving rock beat punctuating songs she belts out with screaming intensity. Poor Little Bitch Girl is a raw recounting of pain, loss, and hard times from the Queen of Raunchy Rock 'n' Roll. Don't look for sugar-coating. CJ's memoirs are as hard and rough as they come. CJ states: 'within these pages I have bled.' Read her raw memoirs and let her bleed - all through your mind." – from the Foreword by Michael B. Davie*



# Carolyn & Cancer

*"Some Days I Don't Feel Like Slaying Dragons"*

Carolyn Schreuer

*"When I started this journey I had no idea what I was about to face. It is my hope, if you find yourself faced with some daunting battle, that you too, will find your own silver lining. Here is my bent, twisted, and at times unexpectedly humorous, brutally honest account of what I experienced."* – Carolyn Schreuer



## About the Author of *Carolyn & Cancer*:

The late Carolyn Schreuer, devoted wife, mother, and teacher, was in her mid-40s when diagnosed with breast cancer. Before succumbing, she'd spend several years putting her valuable advice into *Carolyn & Cancer: Some Days I Don't Feel Like Slaying Dragons*, an insightful must-read for anyone facing serious, even terminal, illness.

## From the Foreword...

*"I was one of the lucky people to have shared my life with this awesome lady for over thirty years. Carolyn wanted to be a published author, so we're posthumously fulfilling her dream and helping others on their journey. This is her story, advice and observations on the toughest part of her life."*

– Wayne Schreuer

## Audience:

This book will appeal to a very wide general audience but with particular interest to anyone facing serious illness or who is helping to care for someone with serious or terminal illness. This book contains a wealth of helpful advice and effective coping strategies. It is also of great benefit as a resource for healthcare professionals.

**Title:** Carolyn & Cancer / **Author:** Carolyn Schreuer

**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-45-2 **List:** \$24.95

**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-61-2 **List:** \$39.95

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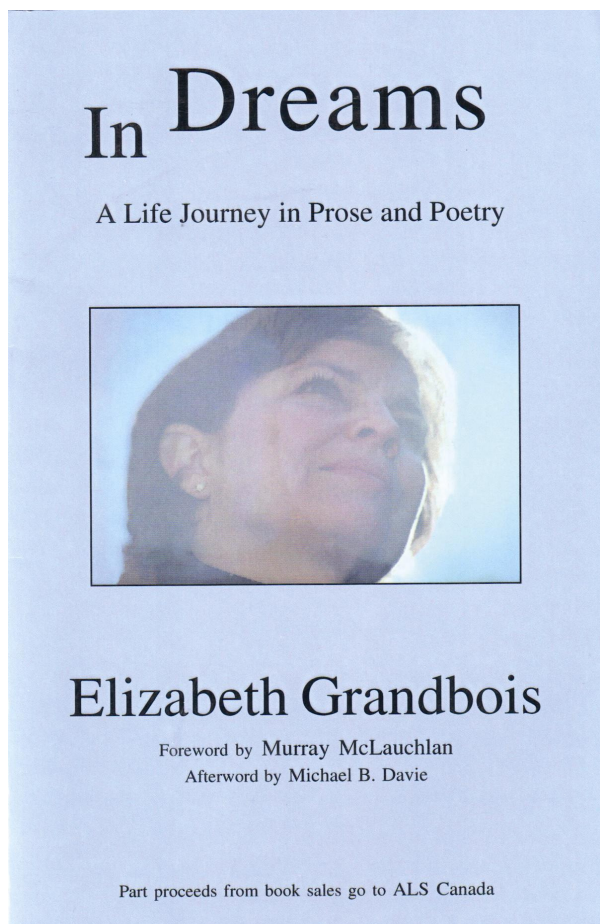
**Non-Fiction:** Biography / Healthcare, cancer advice

**Manor House:** 192 pages / 6x9"

**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

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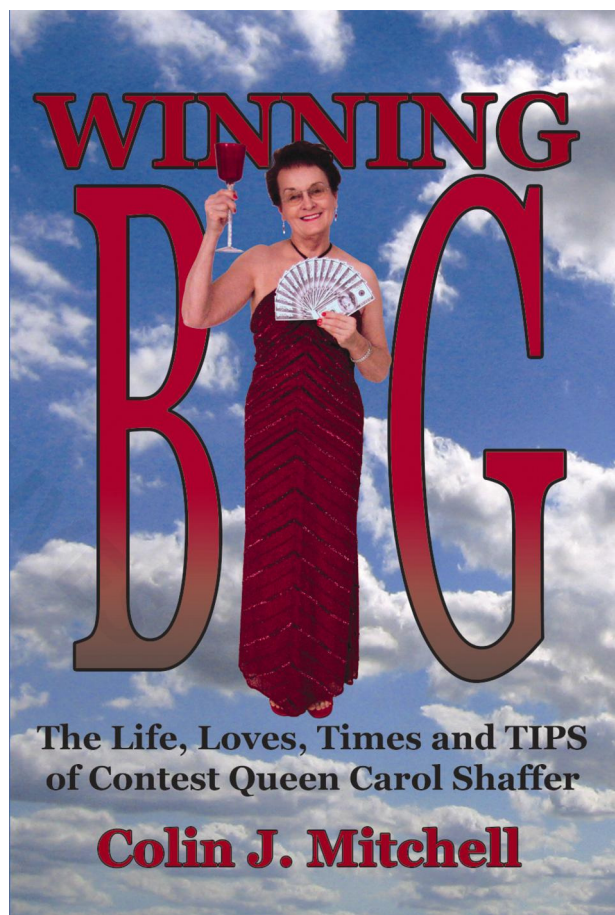
## Inspiring biographies – *In Dreams* and *Winning Big*



**Title:** In Dreams / **Elizabeth Grandbois** (Burlington)  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-0-973195-60-6 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-88-9 **List:** \$29.95  
(Hardcover = case laminate)  
**Non-fiction:** Biography / poetry  
**Manor House:** 130 pages / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

*"Elizabeth Grandbois is terminally ill with ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease). Her fragile health caused her to reflect on her life with a sense of immediacy that lends a vibrant tension to her prose and poetry. In Dreams presents her life story and a truly superb collection of her finest poems. It is her legacy and her gift to readers everywhere. Elizabeth's poems skilfully paint pictures in your mind, confront your emotions, invade your thoughts, touch your soul..."*

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*



**Title:** Winning Big / **Colin Mitchell** (Ancaster, ON)  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-02-5 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-59-9 **List:** \$39.95  
(Hardcover = case laminate)  
**Non-fiction:** Biography / true story / Contest tips.  
**Manor House:** 192 / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell this title)

*Winning Big* is the candid and thought-provoking story of Carol Shaffer's rise from impoverished beginnings and child abuse to become the foremost winner of contests in America. Shaffer has won literally hundreds if not thousands of prizes, amounting to many hundreds of thousands in value. She's travelled the world, dined with Oprah Winfrey and other celebrities and won so many prizes she's taken to giving away TV sets and contributing heavily to charities. She's also a media magnet who's drawn interest from *Montel* and other shows prior to the book's release – and the book includes winning tips!

# Connecting

*Rewire Your Relationship-Culture*

Victoria Lorient-Faibish

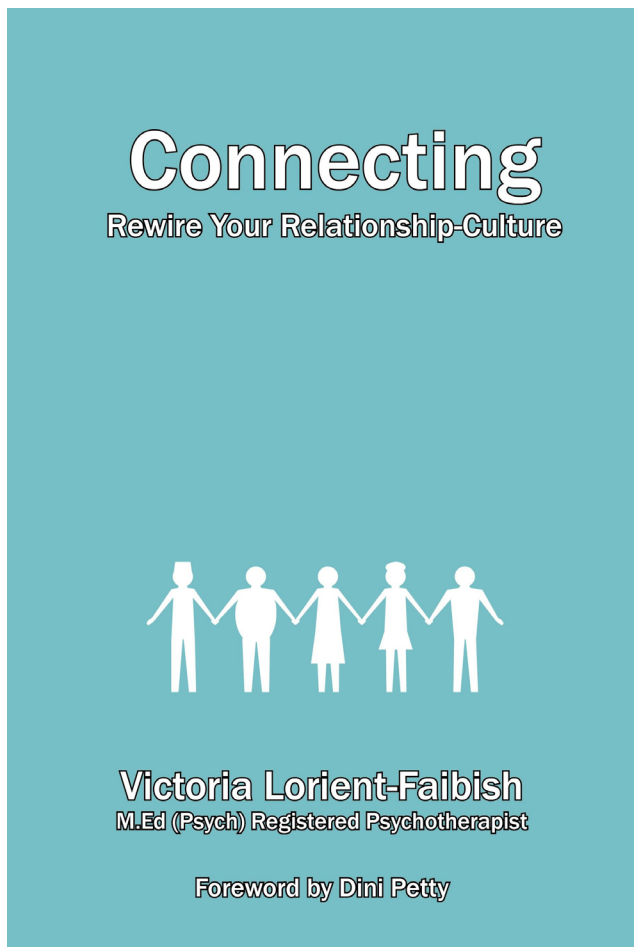
M.Ed (Psych) Registered Psychotherapist

Foreword by Dini Petty

Victoria Lorient-Faibish would like to help create healthy relationships now! *Connecting: Rewire Your Relationship-Culture* is about changing what isn't working to create a new, unique, personalized, choice-filled relationship-culture that you consciously bring into your adult relationships.

*"If you wish to transform your life and your relationships, the path lies within these pages."*

- **Dini Petty**, Television/radio talk show host



## Victoria on rewiring relationships:

"Rewiring your relationship-culture involves understanding that your brain forms new neural pathways every time you develop a new way of doing something, especially if you practice the new behaviour often. It's nature's way of supporting us when we try to make positive changes. By rewiring your relationship-culture, you'll be able to: move past multi-generational dysfunction; know and honour yourself fully; understand all the rules for dating in a healthy, empowering way; spot relationship dysfunction such as co-dependency, commitment phobia and narcissism; set good boundaries; utilize my pre-marital checklist; and learn the fundamentals for long-term, passionate relationships!"

As a registered psychotherapist, keynote speaker, author, relationship expert and life and wellness coach with a master's degree in educational psychology and a Toronto practice, Victoria has spent the past 25 years inspiring people to find their self-culture, rewire relationships; step into their personal power / embrace their life purpose. She's a registered member of the College of Psychotherapists of Ontario, certified member of the Canadian Counselling and Psychotherapy Association, a reiki master, and a board-certified polarity therapy practitioner and teacher.

**Marketing:** Nation-wide radio interviews author tour plus print-electronic media promos.

**Title:** Connecting / **Victoria Lorient-Faibish** (Toronto)  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-06-1 **List:** \$24.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-07-8 **List:** \$39.95  
**Publisher/Imprint:** Manor House /240 pages/ 6x9"  
**Non-Fiction:** Self Help / Improving Relationships  
**US/World:** Ingram **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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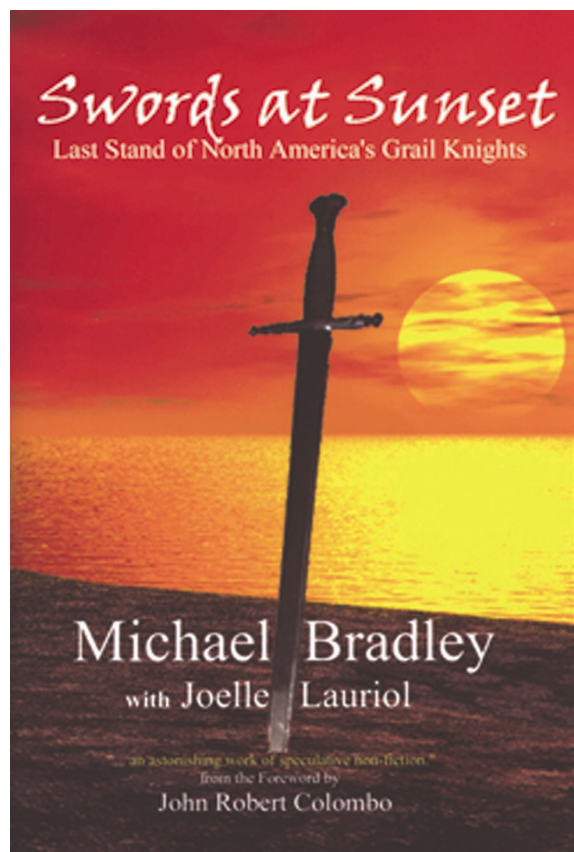
# *Swords at Sunset*

Michael Bradley

Foreword by  
John Robert Colombo

*Swords at Sunset. Last stand of North America's Grail Knights*, is by bestselling author **Michael Bradley**, a recognized expert on the Holy Grail and author of literally dozens of critically acclaimed books, who has also served as a researcher for major Hollywood movies *National Treasure* and *The Da Vinci Code*.

*Swords at Sunset* cites historical/archaeological evidence to support Bradley's contention that descendents of Jesus Christ and their protectors, the Knights Templar, fled the Inquisition in Europe in the 1300s for North America. In *Swords at Sunset*, Bradley contends they met their end in what is now Niagara (Canada) and Vermont (USA) in conflicts with Native tribes. Photographs of ancient European weaponry found near Beaver Creek, alongside numerous Indian arrowheads and other archaeological evidence support this intriguing and compelling theory.



**Title:** Swords at Sunset / **Michael Bradley** (Toronto)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-973647-74-7 **List:** \$24.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-60-5 **List:** \$39.95

(Hardcover = Case-Laminate)

**Non-fiction** / Mind-Body-Spirit / Holy Grail

**Manor House:** 240 pages / 6x9"

**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

(Other distributors may also source/supply/sell title)

*"A Grail tale to beat them all..."*

- The Toronto Sun

*"Astonishing work of speculative non-fiction."*

- (from the Foreword by bestselling writer  
and historian John Robert Colombo)

**Michael Bradley** is the bestselling author of *The Iceman Inheritance*, and *Swords at Sunset* (Manor House) and other non-fiction books on the Holy Grail, and is author of bestselling novels *Imprint*, *The Mantouche Factor*, *The Magdalene Mandala* (Manor House) and *Scripture* (Manor House).

*Swords at Sunset* also features essays on the origins of man and religion. Widely regarded as an important, ground-breaking book, *Swords at Sunset* has attracted numerous rave reviews and critical acclaim and was paired by Amazon with non-fiction bestseller *Holy Blood, Holy Grail* and fiction bestseller *The Da Vinci Code*.

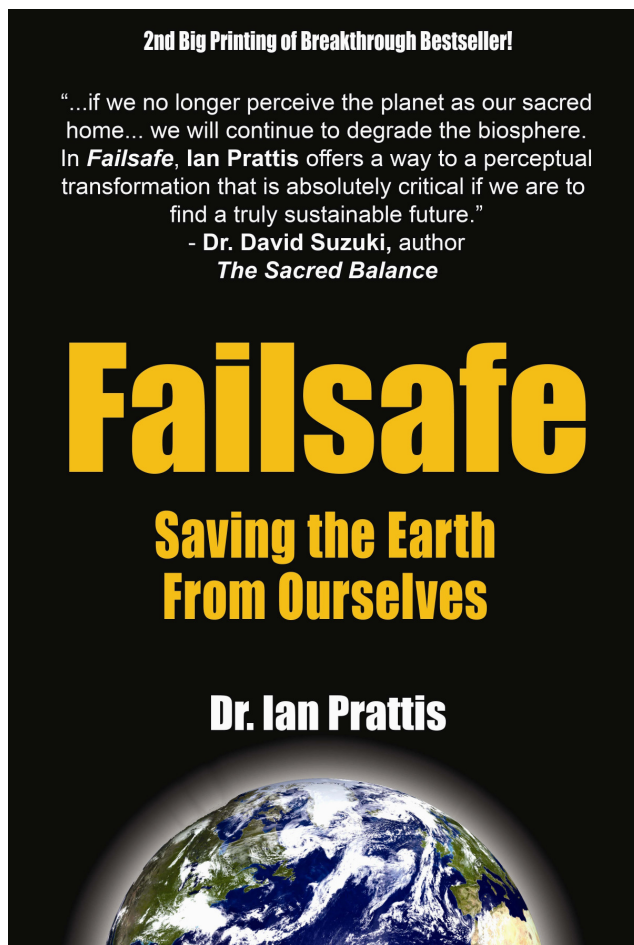
# *Failsafe*

*Saving the Earth from Ourselves*

Dr. Ian Prattis

Foreword by Dr. David Suzuki

"If we no longer perceive the planet as our sacred home... we will continue to degrade the biosphere. In *Failsafe*, Ian Prattis offers a way to a perceptual transformation that is absolutely critical if we are to find a truly sustainable future." (from the Foreword by **Dr. David Suzuki**, author, *The Sacred Balance*, and host, CBC Television's national award-winning and long-running series *The Nature of Things*)



**Title:** Failsafe/ **Author:** Dr. Ian Prattis (Ottawa ON)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-08-7 **List:** \$19.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-57-5 **List:** \$39.95  
(Hardcover = Case-Laminate)

**Non-Fiction:** Environmentalism / nature protection

**Manor House:** 200 pages / 6x9"

**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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***Failsafe:*** Silver Medal winner, Living Now Awards

**Ian Prattis**, award-winning writer, scholar, peace-environmental activist and ordained Dharmacharya in Engaged Buddhist tradition of Thich Nhat Hanh, gives dharma talks and retreats around the world. He's trained with Masters in Buddhist, Vedic and Shamanic traditions and helps people find their true nature, so humanity and the world may be renewed. A Professor of Religion and Anthropology, he's taught courses on Ecology, Symbols, Engaged Buddhism and Meditation Systems and is resident teacher of Pine Gate Sangha meditation community in Ottawa. *Failsafe* is of great interest to environmentally aware readers as it answers questions raised in Al Gore's *An Inconvenient Truth*.

*"Just what have we done with the garden bequeathed to us? From outer space our beautiful blue planet has no divisions, pandemics or degradation. On the ground, the same blue planet is torn asunder by violence, greed and reckless disregard for planetary care. Can we fix the planet? This is the wrong question... We remain ignorant to the consequences of the fact that everything interconnects. The right question is can we fix ourselves? Can we change the mindset that has created the global ecological emergency? We must embark on a different kind of human journey – different to the crazed ego, greed and power traits that characterize our collective and presently mindless sojourn. We are neglectful of the fact that we depend on this tiny planet for everything. I give the reader a promise: This book provides understanding; issues a call for changing the world order by arriving at a deep understanding of what needs to be done in terms of changing our minds; and provides guidelines for action." – Ian Prattis*

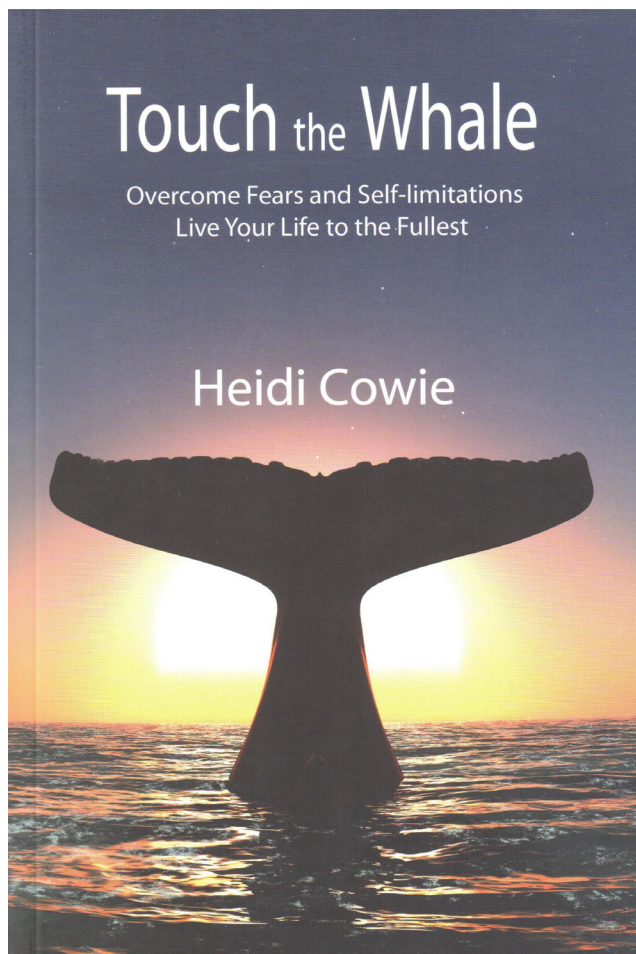
# *Touch the Whale*

*Overcome Fears and Self-limitations*

Heidi Cowie

*"Touch the Whale is a graceful adventure into the many aspects of embracing uncertainty while letting go of fear. In a series of witty and at times harrowing vignettes, the book traces author Heidi Cowie's growing understanding of how her fears had been holding her back from living the abundant and joyful life she desired. Step by riveting step, Cowie describes how she was able to release her worries and begin embracing uncertainty in the story of an evolution that has had dramatic benefits... Cowie's writing style is lively and refreshing; her wisdom is timeless and entertaining. An irresistible read!"*

-**Susan Crossman**, author, *Passages to Epiphany*; *The Write Way*; and, *Content Marketing Made Easy*



**Title:** Touch the Whale/ **Heidi Cowie** (Burlington)  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-35-3 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-70-4 **List:** \$39.95  
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**Non-Fiction:** Self Help / Self Esteem

**Manor House:** 100 pages / 6x9"

**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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Join stress management expert **Heidi Cowie** as she shines a glowing light on the bumpy path to a brilliant and fearless life in *Touch the Whale*. It's an inspiring, often hilarious collection of stories about the adventures and mishaps that helped Heidi become more courageous and resilient. Her gentle lessons and ironic insights are delivered with compassion, honesty and the knowledge that change is possible for each of us.

Each chapter contains exercises and meditations to help readers extend their "safety zones" while dissolving stress-inducing beliefs; the book is guaranteed to help readers develop attitudes that create more happiness, achieve greater success and control the annoying "little voice" that prevents dreams from becoming realities.

**Heidi Cowie**, motivational Speaker and host of Heidi Radio reaching thousands of listeners, is now author of the remarkable breakthrough book *Touch the Whale*. Cowie has, for over a decade, worked as a therapist. She's coached, educated, inspired, and counselled thousands of people to move from a state of struggle to state of peace, acceptance, and hope. She's been quoted as a relationship expert in The Hamilton Spectator, Toronto Sun, Readers Digest, Parenting Magazine, CHCH Television and Rogers Daytime. Prior published books include *Overgivers* - *Walking the Tightrope Between Love and Guilt*.



# Boomerville

*Musings on a Generation that Refuses to Go Quietly*

Rosa Harris

Forward by Douglas Coupland

*“Rosa Harris has assembled a series of very thought-provoking aperçus of her times and generation. They are all from different angles and none is ponderous or over-long. The result is a very pleasing, very easy, and often poignant, read.” – Conrad Black*



*“I’ve known Rosa Harris for 25 years, starting when she worked at a city magazine in Montreal. It was in the final few months before Generation X was published and there was no awareness in the culture that something, anything, might want to cleave away from the baby boomer’s stranglehold on all things generational... She’s one of the few boomers who is fully aware of just how annoying and self-absorbed her generation really is... fully aware of the historical forces that had to align to create the most... narcissistic birth cohort in the history of our planet, yet she can really tap into this awareness to create something sensitive and smile-inducing. I think you’ll enjoy this book.” (from the Foreword by Douglas Coupland, author, Generation X, and several other top international bestsellers)*

*“Rosa Harris, renowned national award-winning journalist, editor, talk show host and journalism professor, has crafted a collection of insightful, humorous and touching essays on the baby boomer generation that will leave you smiling, laughing and reminiscing on the times of your life. Baby boomers will see themselves in many of Rosa’s musings on the most amazing generation ever!”*

*– Michael B Davie, author Poetry for the Insane*

**Title:** Boomerville / **Author:** Rosa Harris (Victoria BC)

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-01-6 **List:** \$24.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-01-6 **List:** \$39.95

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**Author:** Rosa Harris (Victoria BC)

**Non-Fiction:** Humorous insightful essays/ opinion

**Manor House:** 240 pages / 6x9”

**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

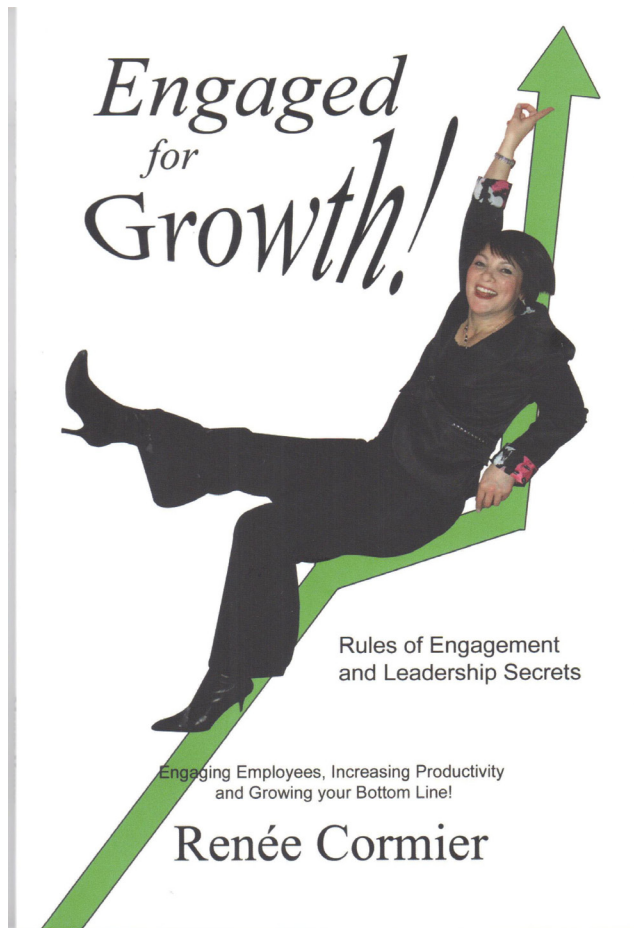
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# Engaged for Growth!

*Rules of Engagement and Leadership Secrets*

Renée Cormier

*"I am passionate about working with business leaders to create work environments that drive positive business results... Given the statistics and the state of the economy, I feel there is a strong need for businesses to work toward changing their corporate culture... I get enormous satisfaction from providing meaningful guidance to leaders at all levels of an organization and from watching them create powerful teams that get things done and contribute to the bottom line. It absolutely thrills me to hear my clients tell me I made a difference in the way they work with their employees and that the results of the changes they made are very favourable." - Renée Cormier, author, **Engaged for Growth!***



**Renée Cormier's** easy-to-follow breakthrough book has detailed advice on engaging employees, increasing productivity and growing your bottom line – a must-read for any business desiring greater growth!

*"Throughout Canada, the United States, Europe and the developed world, disengaged employees pull down profits and productivity and cost their employers and the global economy hundreds of billions of dollars every year. Studies show more than 70% of the employees at most companies do the absolute bare minimum – or less, depriving employers of any meaningful contribution, creativity, exemplary conduct or enthusiasm..."*

**Engaged for Growth!** author **Renée Cormier** pinpoints the cause of this widespread worker malaise – leadership – and offers easy-to-follow, low-cost solutions to improve leadership, workforce engagement, productivity – and profits! This is a must-read for everyone desiring superb leadership and a motivated, inspired, workforce. Serious about boosting your bottom line today? You need Cormier's advice. Now!"

- **Michael B Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*

**Title:** Engaged for Growth / **Renée Cormier**  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-28-5 **List:** \$14.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-54-4 **List:** \$29.95  
**Non-Fiction:** Business / Leadership / Engagement  
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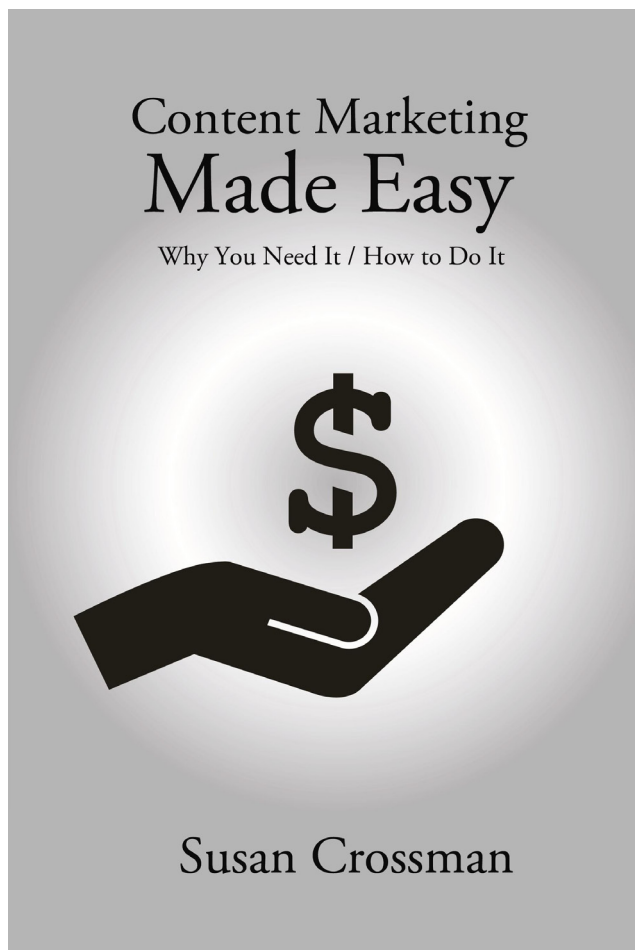
# Content Marketing Made Easy

Why You Need It / How To Do It

Susan Crossman

*“Susan Crossman, marketing expert and author of several critically acclaimed books, offers clear, easy-to-follow advice to make anyone – even a complete novice – a content-marketing pro in no time... great tips and techniques to give you the edge you need.”*

– Michael Davie, author, *Winning Ways*



*“We are moving towards a world where a huge percentage of business is done online and if you are not playing in that field, eventually you aren’t going to have a business... the revolution has only just begun... the only constant in our world is change itself... Pretending these changes aren’t happening won’t make them go away. I believe that developing and polishing our online content is the key to the kingdom... it is a process that can be taught, learned and duplicated. Once you have a program up and running, it’s a straightforward way to generate more business... Online marketing can be intimidating, no doubt about it, and I spend my days simplifying it for business people so they can generate more revenue as a result of their online activities. We focus on a subset of online marketing that currently flies under the label of “content marketing.” By the end of this book I aim to help you figure out what that is, why it’s important and how it works, and hopefully I’ll be able to crack open a door to the future for you and your business that is filled with possibility.”*

– Susan Crossman, author, *Content Marketing Made Easy – Why You Need It / How To Do It; The Write Way; Shades of Teale; and, Passages to Epiphany.*

**Title** Content Marketing Made Easy / Susan Crossman

**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-02-3 **List:** \$24.95

**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-988058-03-0 **List:** \$39.95

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**Non-Fiction:** Business/ Marketing, self-help advice

**Manor House:** 240 pages / 6x9”

**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

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# *The Servant Warrior Leader*

*Mastering Authentic Business Leadership*

Phil Johnson

*“With The Servant Warrior Leader, Phil Johnson has encapsulated what true leadership is all about: An authentic leader motivates, inspires, empowers others to take leadership responsibility for themselves individually to achieve results profoundly rewarding to the individual and the organization... Like a Samurai warrior, the true leader is a servant to the process, a facilitator, a general among generals, helping others succeed. Phil Johnson will change the way you think, change your approach for the better – and help you develop the leader within you.”* - **Michael B Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*



**Title:** Servant Warrior Leader **Author:** Phil Johnson  
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*“Most important, Servant Warrior Leader concepts are actionable and I can attest that they work!”*

- **Kim Kaminski**, SVP Global Marketing, Infogix

*“Authentic leadership is self-empowering – yielding greater personal and organizational results. The truth is, results come from people, and fully engaged people deliver better results. Engaged people are highly motivated-inspired by authentic leadership. Phil Johnson’s MBL program is a unique, brilliantly straightforward approach to leadership that’ll raise your awareness of what may be holding you back and help you strive to be the only servant warrior leader you should ever be waiting for - You!”*

- From the Foreword by **Jeff Hayward**, VP of marketing for a Fortune 500 software company

**Phil Johnson**, highly sought-after business leadership coach, is founder of the Master of Business Leadership (MBL) program credited with helping Fortune 500 company clients increase their revenue by tens of millions of dollars. The author’s large corporate clients have until now been the primary beneficiaries of Johnson’s breakthrough approach to mastering business leadership. Now the MBL program approach is available for the first time to businesses of all sizes. For the first time, start-ups and entrepreneurs can access the same advice that propelled Johnson’s clients to greater profits. *The Servant Warrior Leader* offers low-cost advice and revolutionary approach to success that really works.

# *Grab Success by the Horns*

## *The Proven Proactive Approach*

*Get what You Want in Business and Life*

**Barbara Siskind & Barry Siskind**

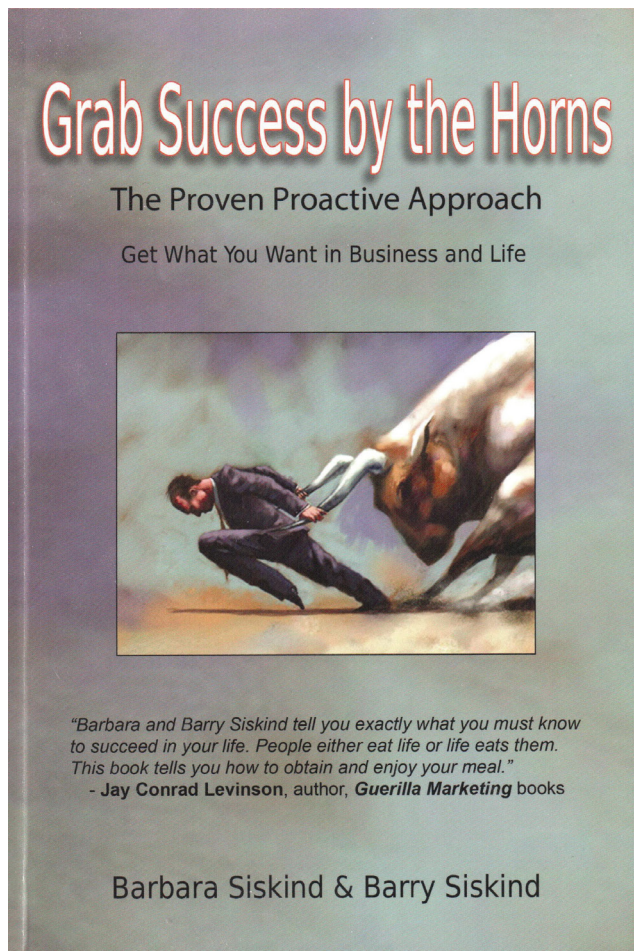
Foreword by **Jay Conrad Levinson**, author, *Guerrilla Marketing*

“Barbara and Barry Siskind tell you exactly what you must know to succeed in your life. People either eat life or life eats them. This book tells you just how to obtain and enjoy your meal.”

- **Jay Conrad Levinson**, author, the *Guerrilla Marketing* series of books

“My parents brought me up to believe we could all change the world.”

- **Richard Branson**, CEO, Virgin companies, as quoted in *Grab Success by the Horns*



*“This book is for those people who want to take charge of their career in sales... I have based my career success, which has spanned 40 years, on pro-activity. Not only does taking action give me what I want, it gives me a daily semblance of control. It’s not always easy and it certainly isn’t always safe, but those that don’t take action view the world with bewilderment, unsure of where they fit in and willing to settle for second best. Not me and not the readers who take the steps they learn in **Grab Success by the Horns**. We are people of action who are prepared to step up to the plate and have the career in sales we want... Knowing that we are in control is the first step towards becoming great in the sales arena. It’s a scary world we live in, yet I continue to find relief by taking control through action. I think that many other people might also find this solution. Building a successful career in sales through action is the focus of **Grab Success by the Horns**. It is an opportunity for readers to learn that nothing is impossible — if you do something about it...”*

From the Overview by **Barry Siskind**, author, *Bumblebees Can’t Fly: 7 Simple Strategies for Making the Impossible Possible*, and, *The Power of Exhibit Marketing*, and, co-author, *Grab Success by the Horns*

**Title:** Grab Success by the Horns / **Manor House:** 240 pages

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**Author:** Barbara and Barry Siskind (Toronto ON)

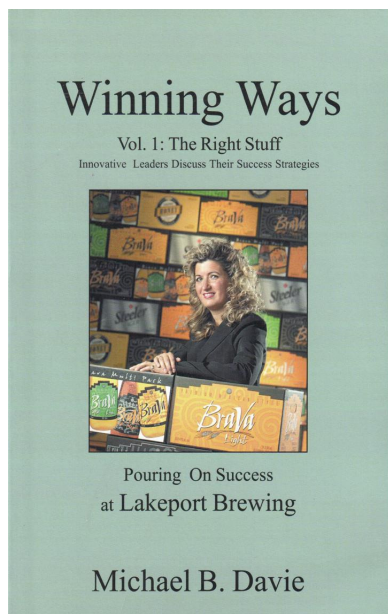
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**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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## Winning Ways and Flying High

A trio of top Business books with inspiring stories



### **Winning Ways V. 1 The Right Stuff**

**Author:** Michael B. Davie

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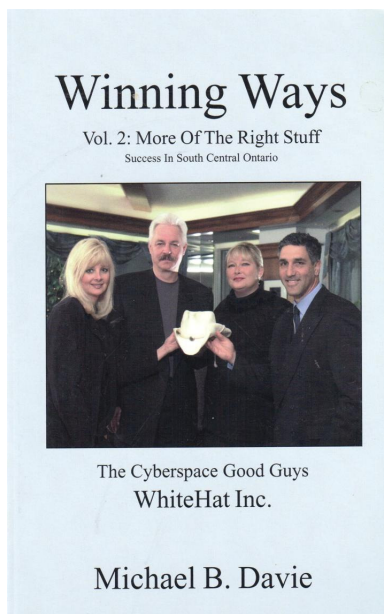
**Non-Fiction:** Business Biographies

**Manor House** / 224 pages / 5x8"

**US/World:** Ingram/ any distributor

**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside

**Winning Ways Vol 1:** Why do some people achieve impressive success while others reach for the brass ring only to see it slip from their grasp? Join Michael B. Davie as he examines success strategies employed by some truly innovative business leaders. Read the life stories and success tips of today's most successful people including Teresa Cascioli, who rescued Lakeport Brewing from near bankruptcy and returned it to profitability; Michael DeGroot, who rose from humble beginnings to become one of the world's richest men and an inspiration to generations; and how Rudy Reimer fled Nazi Germany to become a leading developer of office towers.



### **Winning Ways V. 2 More of the ...**

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**Winning Ways Vol. 2:** This book explores success strategies and tips employed by innovative business leaders, including CARSTAR, today one of the world's most successful vehicle repair businesses. Also learn how and why the WhiteHat company is today a leading Information Technology security provider; how Dr. Antonio Mancuso creates perfect smiles; how realtor John DiLiberto sold \$100-million worth of real estate; how Mortgage Financial enjoys 30 per cent growth and how Junior Achievement creates new generations of goal-oriented business leaders – life stories and tips from some of today's most successful people!



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**Author:** Greg McMillan

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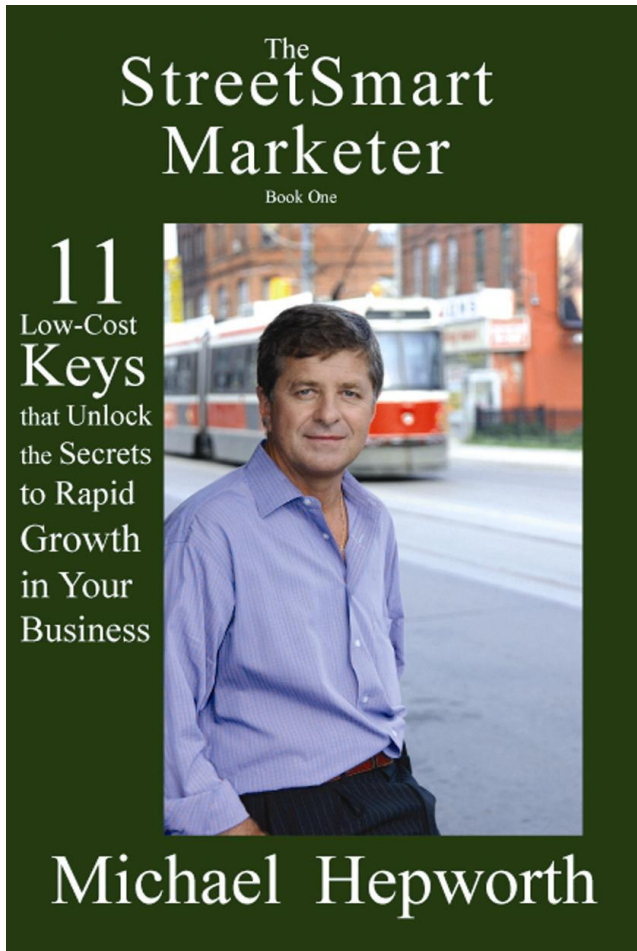
**Flying High:** Inspiring business biographies and airport stories!

"Flying High" is indeed an appropriate title for a book on Hamilton's international airport. Hamilton has benefited from the growth of the airport in the past 10 years... Hamilton is now connected by air to the rest of Canada, North America and the world. That's a remarkable achievement... Now, more than 600,000 business and pleasure travelers fly from Hamilton... as our airport further develops its role as Hamilton's economic engine, more flights, more jobs, more investments... more opportunities to explore the open skies..." - **Richard Koroscil**, CEO, Hamilton International



## *More insightful Business books...*

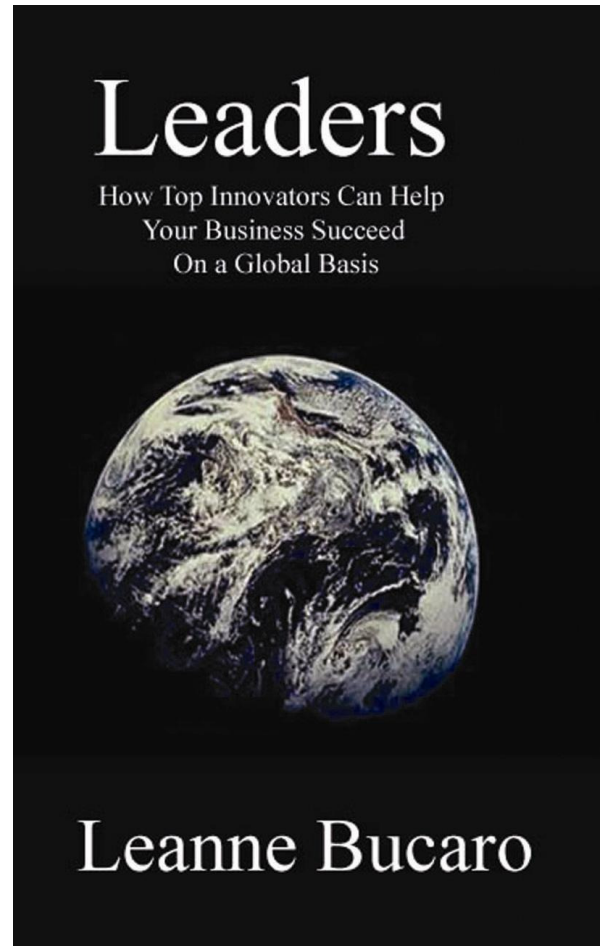
*The StreetSmart Marketer & top business Leaders share their advice!*



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*"Where else can you get 30 years of marketplace wisdom and rubber-meets-the-road experience, condensed into one package you can hold in your hand? In **The StreetSmart Marketer**, **Michael Hepworth** has identified the 11 most important elements of business growth, put a handle on each one and is handing them to you. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from one of the masters."*

- **Jim Blasingame**, host *The Small Business Advocate*



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**Non-fiction:** Business/ Leadership Advice  
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*"Author Leanne Bucaro adds another dimension to an outstanding array of biographies on successful entrepreneurs - **Leaders** focuses on highly successful firms that help other businesses succeed. This focus is certain to appeal to the millions of small business owners and entrepreneurs who drive the economy and are always looking for helpful advice and low-cost ways to attain greater levels of success."*

- **Michael B Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*

# *You're NOT Broken*

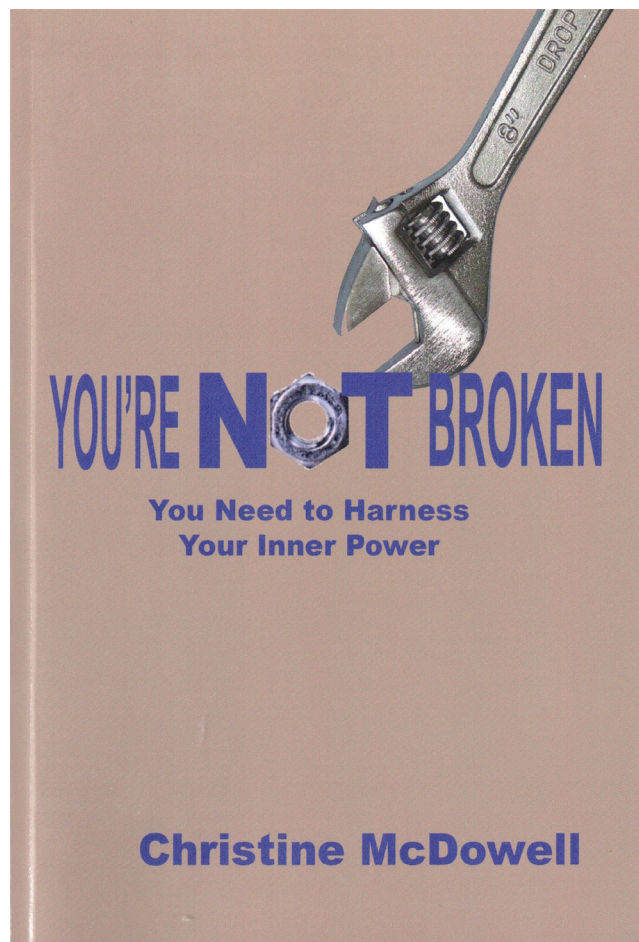
*You Need to Harness Your Inner Power*

**Christine McDowell**

The new Breakthrough Self-Help book by Christine McDowell will assist anyone with self-esteem issues, to conquer their limitations and confidently achieve success in their life.

“You’ve read every self-help book; gone to more workshops than anyone you know and still you feel nothing has really helped you figure out what you want to figure out. Deep inside you know something’s missing; you have to keep looking. You can’t give up – on yourself, your plight, your life, your soul...”

- **Christine McDowell**, author, *You're Not Broken – You Need to Harness Your Inner Power*



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“...we need to let go of what we thought was strong enough to support us and find the power to stay afloat on our own ... My hopes are that this book will help you achieve your goal of swimming safely on your own strengths so you never give up on your spirit, your life and yourself ...” – **Christine McDowell**

Christine McDowell, one of the top West Island Realtors in Montreal, had a sales performance that ranked her within the top 5% of all realtors in the province. But something was missing. In 1995 Christine left her six-figure real estate income behind and began the search for true happiness. Along the way she earned a Doctoral in Clinical Hypnosis and certification as a Practitioner of both NLP and Time Line Therapy™. In 1998, Christine opened a private practice as a Life Skill/Style Coach and helped hundreds of people identify and achieve their goals, overcome stress and begin the process of reconnecting with their true identity.

Christine later returned to real estate, a people business she's long loved, a transition made easy due to her extensive training and knowledge of personal development. With her expertise on many levels, clients soon discover they've hired much more than a Realtor. Christine knows from experience how challenging life can be. She also knows how to turn challenges into satisfying results – and she shares her expertise throughout *You're Not Broken*.

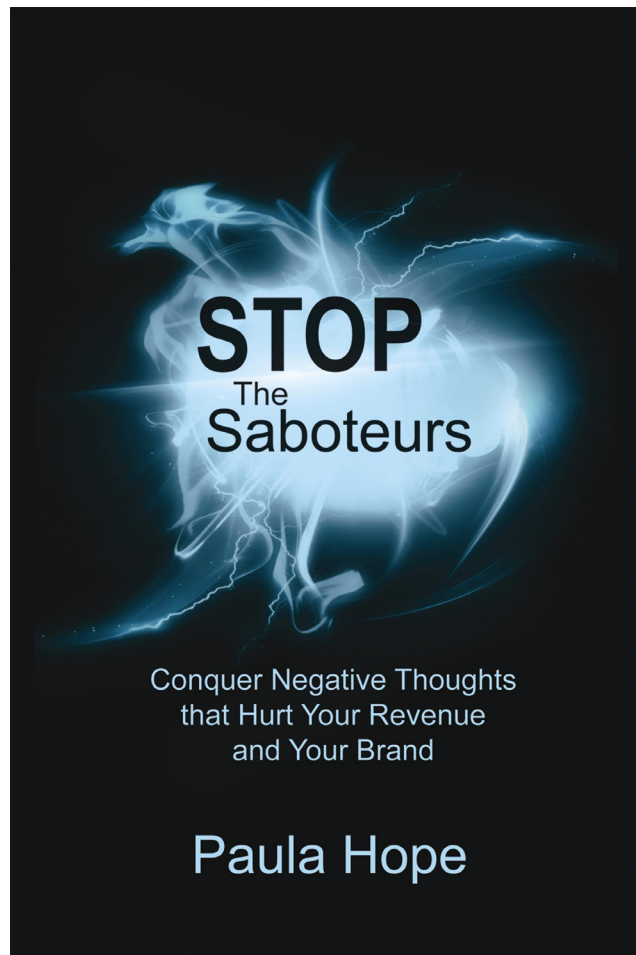
# *Stop The Saboteurs*

*Conquer Negative Thoughts that Hurt Your Revenue and Your Brand*

Paula Hope

*“Paula Hope’s breakthrough book helps readers identify and overcome self-defeating negative thoughts - the Saboteurs - that all too often invade our minds, undermine our ability to create the revenue we deserve and damage the brand we’re trying to build. Stop the Saboteurs provides solutions towards conquering these self-destructive fears that get in the way of our new business growth. Want to end self-limitations and achieve great success? This is the book you need.”*

- **Michael B. Davie**, author, *Winning Ways*



*“Paula Hope is the public voice of the private hell of business owners who struggle with new business growth challenges.”*

- **Susan Crossman**, author, *The Write Way*

## About the Author and *Stop The Saboteurs*

Paula Hope helps business professionals create the revenue they deserve. She speaks, writes, trains and coaches business professionals to conquer their Saboteurs by growing their networking, referral-building and sales process skills. She is a leading expert on referral marketing and strategic networking, owning her own business, aptly named "Booked Solid." Via her company, Booked Solid, Paula draws on several decades of sales/marketing experience, employing her sales wisdom and compassion for those on the front lines of new business development. With *Stop The Saboteurs*, her first book, Paula offers solutions towards conquering the self-destructive fears and self-limitations that can impede success. This breakthrough book provides invaluable advice previously only available to her many clients, for whom she has worked wonders in helping them overcome negative thoughts to turn failure into triumph.

**Marketing:** Author book-signing events, media coverage, social media promotions-events.

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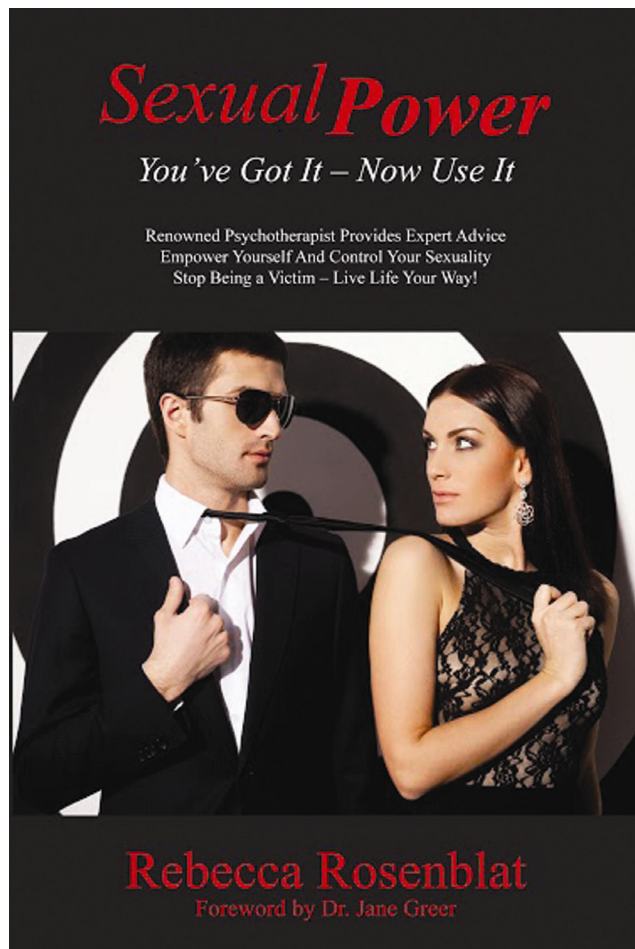
# *Sexual Power*

*You've Got It – Now Use It*

Rebecca Rosenblat

Foreword by **Dr. Jane Greer**

**Rebecca Rosenblat**, psychotherapist, relationship-sexuality therapist, best-selling author and TV host, asks: Are you in charge of your life and living out your dreams; or are you giving into others' rules and expectations? It's time to take control, without anyone holding you back. This book will help you succeed at everything. You'll learn to connect with yourself, find meaning, build self-esteem, harness your power and become unstoppable! Sexual power is the true equalizing force that'll empower you to achieve all you've longed for in love, work and life: You've got it, now use it!



**Rebecca Rosenblat**, is host of highly rated TV show *Sex @ 11 with Rebecca*, certified psychotherapist, relationship & sexuality therapist, sex addiction therapist, life coach, educator, critically acclaimed author, advice columnist, and motivational. Through her shows, monthly advice columns, and dating, relationship, sexuality, and self-esteem books and seminars, she's advised/helped millions of people.

*"Rebecca Rosenblat presents a unique, uncompromising woman's viewpoint on sexual behaviour. Using popular culture, recent research, her personal history and therapist experience, she confronts/debunks antiquated assumptions and gives savvy practical advice. Refreshingly unashamed, unapologetically unconventional, sometimes shocking, this book should be an eye-opener for any woman or man who suffers under the delusion that women are the weaker sex."*

- Dr. Bruce Herzog, psychoanalyst

*"Ignorance is not bliss when it comes to our Sexuality. We must claim and own our needs and desires. Sexual freedom is born when we can communicate our needs and desires to others; sexual power is born when we can communicate these things to ourselves. Rebecca helps you achieve both."*

- Mercedes Jones, TV Host, Bringing Sexy Back

*"Sexual Power fully engulfs you with its raw, honest brilliance."*

Jaime Silk, self-esteem therapist

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**Author:** Rebecca Rosenblat (Burlington ON)  
**Non-Fiction:** Self-help; Self-esteem; Sexual esteem  
**Manor House:** 144 pages / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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From the bestselling author of *Living Without Limitations*

# *Absolutely You!*

*Overcome False Limitations & Reach Your Full Potential*

Anita Sechesky

**Anita Sechesky**, international best-selling author, Certified Life Coach, Registered Nurse, and sought-after consultant, wants to help *you* become *Absolutely YOU!* Anita will guide you to overcome the self-imposed limitations that have held you back in life. As you read each chapter, you'll find the confidence and motivation within yourself to reach your full potential. Anita shares solutions she's successfully applied in her own life and lives of her clients. She'll help you to understand why it's important to shift your mind-set to achieve your goals in life – follow her advice and see how empowering it can be!



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## About the Author of *Absolutely You!*

Anita Sechesky, Life Coach, International Best-Selling Author, Keynote Speaker and consultant, has been a practicing Registered Nurse for more than a decade, gaining extensive knowledge and skills caring for people facing an array of medical challenges. She's worked in hospitals and nursing homes and specialized in Trauma Nursing as an Emergency Room nurse. Her role as a skilled Certified Life Coach has broadened her ability to help others improve their lives.

*"What I love about this book: Anita acknowledges all the demeaning comments we all tell ourselves... but then gives us definitive examples of how we can change these thoughts in our minds. The affirmations Anita gives you are ones you should repeat daily... Anita wants you to follow your dreams and shows you the steps to get there!"*

- Randi Goodman - CEO Toronto Women's Expo

*"A must-read for anyone desiring a more satisfying, successful life... Why not become all that you can be?"*

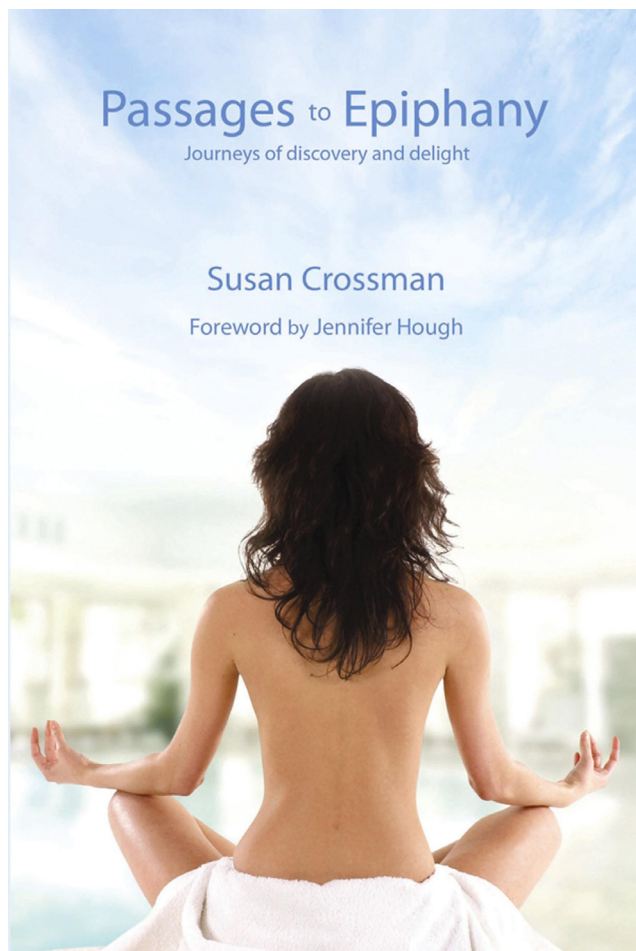
Michael B Davie, author, Winning Ways

# *Passages to Epiphany*

*Journeys of Discovery and Delight*

Susan Crossman

*"Susan Crossman has that innate ability to communicate far beyond words on paper... The beauty of epiphanies is that the old perspective can never hold the same power, because our minds have been shown a more resonant way of seeing our lives. Epiphanies are a glorious form of delicious relief from the chains of the past... By allowing that greater truth to permeate the core of our cells, it displaces our old tired perspective and in an instant, we are freed from our ancestry, identities and unseen veils. I felt that newly found freedom was handed to me over and over again as I turned the pages of Susan's book. I'm in awe of her innate ability to bring readers to the brink of pure potential, and then walk us right through the door..."* – From the Foreword by **Jennifer Hough**, author, *Awakenings*



*"Susan Crossman shares personal true-life inspiring and enlightening experiences of epiphany - that moment of absolute clarity, realization and understanding. Also included are a few fictional stories by Crossman that also carry messages of epiphany. A very insightful and enlightening book that will help readers gain a better appreciation and understanding of themselves and the world around them. An absolutely superb read – highly recommended."*

– **Michael B. Davie**, author *Winning Ways*

*"I put together this collection of stories as an exploration of spirit and discovery and it's been an interesting journey to say the least... I've included short fictional stories about people I've never met with personal accounts of the path I myself have tread over the past few years... some of the real-world journeys of the spirit I've taken and, voilà, Passages to Epiphany... I wish you all the best for interesting journeys of your own. May you live, learn and grow in joy and comfort."*

– **Susan Crossman**, author, *Passages to Epiphany*

**Title:** Passages to Epiphany/ **Susan Crossman** (Oakville)

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**Non-fiction:** Self-help / personal enlightenment-power

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# *The Law of Attraction*

## *Making it Work for You!*

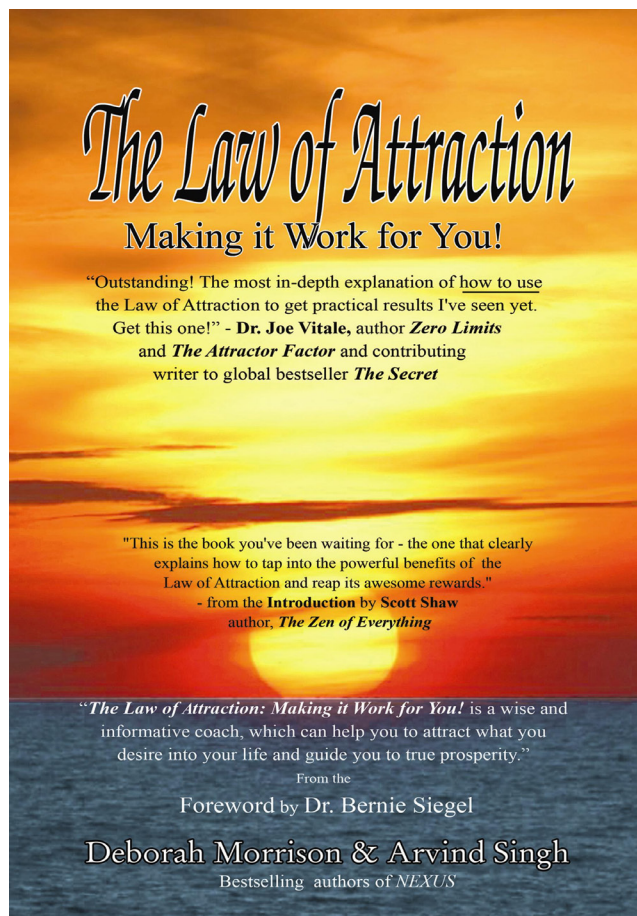
Deborah Morrison & Arvind Singh

Foreword by Dr. Bernie Siegel

“Outstanding! The most in-depth explanation of how to use the Law of Attraction to get practical results I've seen yet. Get this one!” - **Dr. Joe Vitale**, author, *The Attractor Factor* and *Zero Limits* and contributor to *The Secret*

“*The Law of Attraction: Making it Work for You!* is a wise and informative coach... help you to attract what you desire into your life and guide you to true prosperity.” From **Foreword** by **Dr. Bernie Siegel**

“This is the book you've been waiting for... clearly explains how to tap into the powerful benefits of the Law of Attraction and reap its awesome rewards.” - From **Introduction** by **Scott Shaw**, author, *The Zen of Everything*



**Title:** The Law of Attraction – Making it Work for You!

**Authors:** Deborah Morrison & Arvind Singh

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**Non-fiction:** Self Help /Mind, Body, Spirit /New Age

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In *The Law of Attraction – Making it Work for You*, Morrison and Singh delve deeply into spiritualism of the Law of Attraction as a means to achieving happiness and contentment that goes beyond amassing wealth. It's a breakthrough, enlightening, insightful book that truly explains how you can utilize the Law of Attraction to achieve a lasting, successful life – not just financially, but on many different levels. The success of *The Secret* and the *Law of Attraction* books had an unexpected negative result – it left some people believing the power of positive suggestion is so powerful, anyone not successful only has their self to blame. As expert spiritualists, Morrison and Singh knew there was more to the Law of Attraction than wishful thinking.

Their prior book *NEXUS* was paired by Amazon websites with *The Secret* and *The Law of Attraction* and both writers were taken aback by the backlash to these bestsellers, including testimonials from those who lost friends to the pursuit of materialism. As their contribution to the genre, Morrison and Singh have created a bridge toward deeper understanding with their own insightful breakthrough bestseller.

**Audience:** Fans of *NEXUS*, who helped propel that book high in amazon.com rankings are sure to embrace *The Law of Attraction – Making it Work for You!* And strong interest from anyone interested in practical ways to utilize the Law of Attraction to attain positive life transformations. This book was also paired by Amazon with *The Secret* and *The Law of Attraction* titles and it went into multiple printings.

**Marketing:** Book-signing events, TV, Radio, Print interviews, social media promotions-events.

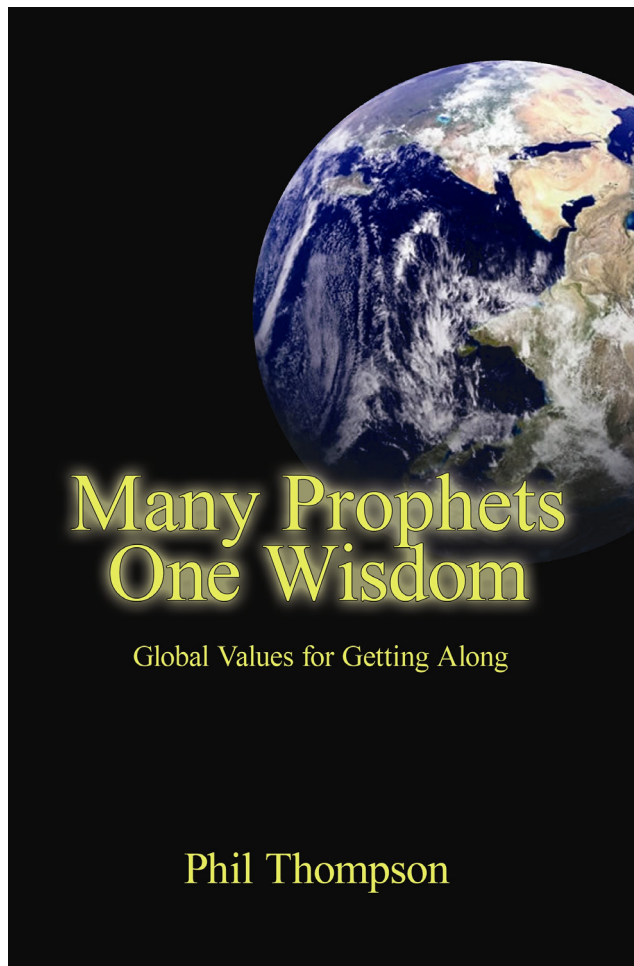
# *Many Prophets, One Wisdom*

*Global Values for Getting Along*

Phil Thompson

*“Many Prophets, One Wisdom is truly a book whose time has come. It could not possibly be any more needed and timely. This is the way to move forward to the next level of tolerance and understanding, the way to advance the globalization of human values... via the teachings of some of our greatest prophets”*

- From the **Foreword** by **Michael B Davie**, author, **Winning Ways**



## About the Author and *Many Prophets*:

“People, I just want to say, you know, can we all get along?” That question, was posed by African American Rodney King following race riots sparked by his videotaped unprovoked beating by police. It’s a simple yet compelling question that continues to resonate in today’s world of global conflicts and strife. Can our world find common ground to live together in mutual respect and harmony? Can we all get along?

Lawyer-philosopher **Phil Thompson** explores that question in his remarkable, insightful book *Many Prophets, One Wisdom*. Thompson has studied the teachings of our greatest prophets from varied cultures, nations and religions. All of these prophets find enormous value and merit in peaceful coexistence with others. Collectively their words of wisdom provide common values and attitudes that cross time and ideology and can guide humanity toward a world free of the wars and conflicts that have been so costly in terms of loss of life, freedom, dignity, and hope.

**Audience:** Wide general audience but with particular interest to Baby Boomers, New-Age followers, peace advocates and environmentalists.

**Title:** Many Prophets, One Wisdom

**Author:** Phil Thompson (Toronto ON)

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**Non-Fiction:** Wisdom, self-help-enlightenment

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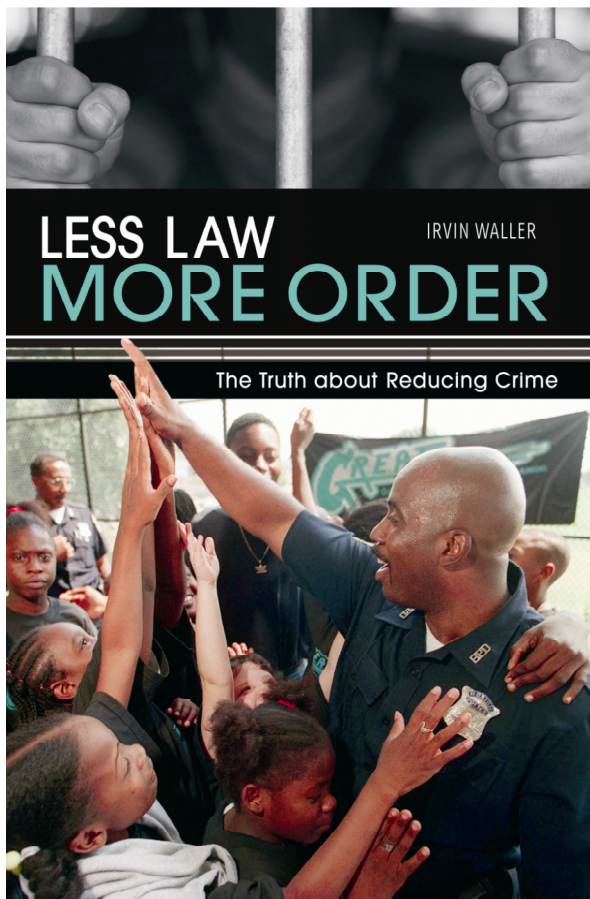
# *Less Law More Order*

## *The Truth About Reducing Crime*

Irvin Waller

“...challenges conventional practices of law enforcement in reacting to crime... details programs that have proven successful in reducing crime by helping at-risk youth to complete school and get job training, preventing family violence, restricting hand guns, and addressing drug abuse...” **BOOKLIST**

“...demonstrates how the punitive approach is actually tough on victims and taxpayers and produces questionable outcomes... offers a series of policy proposals addressing known causes of conventional crime, starting with programs to invest in more effective parenting and schooling... a useful overview of the case for an alternative to the current crime-fighting public policies. Recommended...” **CHOICE**



**Audience:** General trade audience across North America – also strong academic audience and law enforcement and judicial system audience. Author Irvin Waller is an expert on crime reduction via more efficient policing and crime prevention programs – solving the problems that lead to crime before crime occurs, an approach that saves lives, time and money. Book is of particular interest to anyone interested in learning more about effectively tackling crime. This book will find a wide and appreciative audience and has strong potential to become an international bestseller.

**Irvin Waller** is a controversial public speaker, who is invited across the world to explain the truth about preventing violence and protecting victims. The Ottawa resident is Professor of Criminology and founding director of the Institute for the Prevention of Crime at the University of Ottawa. He is also vice-president of the International Organization for Victim Assistance based in Portland Oregon.

**Sales/Marketing:**

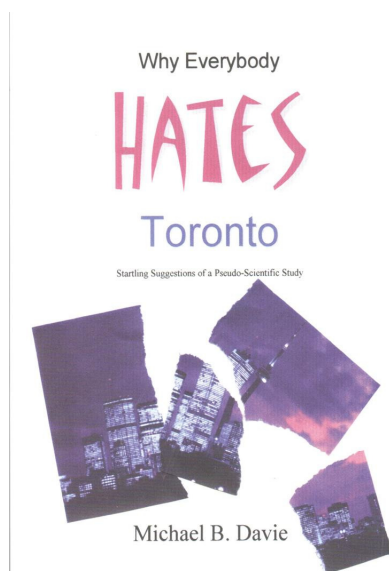
- International marketing campaign, trade publications, amazon.com, other websites.
- Author has hired publicist to promote book and arrange speaking tours.
- Press releases, review copies. Author is doing radio, print, TV interviews and promoting book at events on ongoing basis. This Hot Topic is a media magnet.
- Author holds numerous seminars across North America and is a sought-after public speaker and expert on crime prevention.

**Title:** Less Law, More Order / **Irvin Waller**  
**Softcover ISBN** 978-1-897453-03-2  
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**Manor House:** 176 pages / 6x9”  
**Non-fiction:** Crime Prevention  
**Publisher:** Manor House Publishing Inc.  
**Format:** Paperback, **Page Count:** 176.  
**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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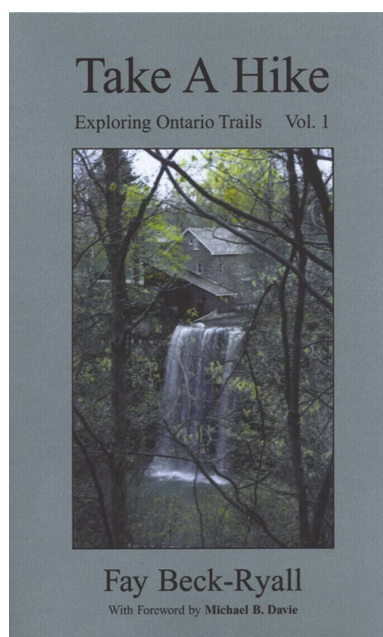
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### ***Why Everybody HATES Toronto***

received extensive national interest on its release, including CBC Radio author interviews in every major city, coast to coast, plus TV coverage and print media features across Canada. The book was also turned into a movie – Let's All Hate Toronto, starring the author. Tired of Toronto's pretentiousness and pomposity? This book is for you. *Why Everybody Hates Toronto* is an insightful, witty, informative and wonderful look at one of the world's great cities. Despite the book's flippant tone and very funny overall approach, It also contains some surprising depth and insight concerning key Toronto issues – a content-rich, humorous, must-read!



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**Non-Fiction:** Nature, hiking trails

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(from Foreword by Michael B. Davie)

## *Following The Great Spirit*

Exploring Aboriginal Belief Systems



Michael B. Davie

### ***Following The Great Spirit***

**Author:** Michael B Davie

**Softcover List:** \$19.95

**Soft ISBN:** 978-0-968580-38-7

**Hardcover List:** \$29.95

**Hard ISBN:** 978-1-897453-26-1

**Non-Fiction:** Aboriginal magic

**Manor House** / 120 pages / 5x8"

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***Following The Great Spirit:*** In crisis situations, aboriginal peoples in North America and the world have turned to belief systems for spiritual guidance to help them cope with great change. *Following The Great Spirit* examines the ways in which these peoples have looked to their tribe's 'Great Spirit' to deal with disruption. Author Michael B. Davie explores the Ghost Dance practiced by natives in the United States and Canada to overcome the onslaught of change brought by European settlement. Also explored are the supposedly bullet-proof Ghost Shirt; and the rise and fall of native influence in the fur trade - an insightful look at belief systems that guide and shape societies.

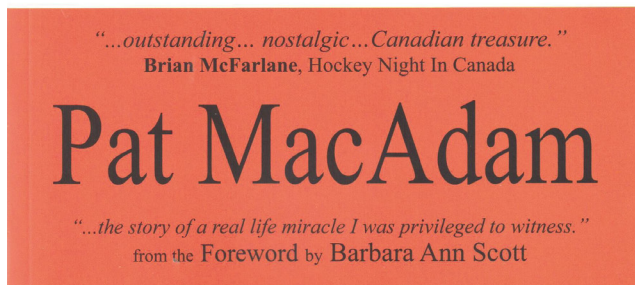
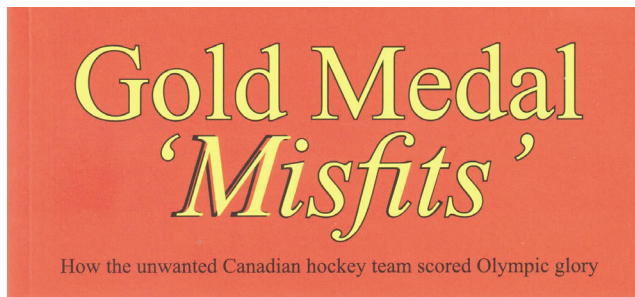
# Gold Medal 'Misfits'

*How the Unwanted 1948 Flyers Scored Olympic Glory*

Pat MacAdam

Foreword by **Barbara Ann Scott**

The late-great **Pat MacAdam** was a renowned bestselling author and columnist for the Ottawa Sun with a natural gift for story-telling that won the writer widespread critical acclaim. The author was also a meticulous researcher who spent literally years digging into the story behind **Gold Medal 'Misfits': How the unwanted Canadian hockey team scored Olympic glory**. Rare photos and interviews with the original players and key people behind the scenes are skilfully woven into a breathtaking story of scorn, triumph and redemption. This is sports writing at its finest. MacAdam breathes life into a never-before-told story and keeps our heart rates soaring as he skilfully helps us relive hockey history!



**Title:** Gold Medal Misfits **Author:** Pat MacAdam  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-0-978107-06-2 **List:** \$24.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-29-2 **List:** 39.95  
**Non-fiction,** (Sports- Olympics-Hockey History)  
**Manor House:** 240 pages / 6x9"  
**Canada:** Fitzhenry & Whiteside **World:** Ingram

*"...the best storyteller I have ever encountered and I have met and read the best..."*

- **Mordecai Richler**, author, *Barney's Version*

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- **Brian McFarlane**, *Hockey Night In Canada*

*"a real life miracle I was privileged to witness..."*

From the **Foreword by Barbara Ann Scott**

*"Pat MacAdam combines the warm skills of a born storyteller with the cold eye of a stubborn investigative reporter... Cinderella story of one of Canada's most successful and least known hockey teams... a great sports saga... a tale of human achievement against impossible odds..."*

- **Peter C. Newman**, *Canadian Establishment*

**Audience:** Sports fans everywhere. It's the untold story of a team cobbled together at the last minute that was so severely trounced in an exhibition match that many Canadians were against sending them to the Olympics for fear of embarrassment. With little financial support, the team stayed in fleabag hotels and were widely ridiculed – until they hit Olympic ice and made hockey history – a timeless story that continues to resonate with readers everywhere!

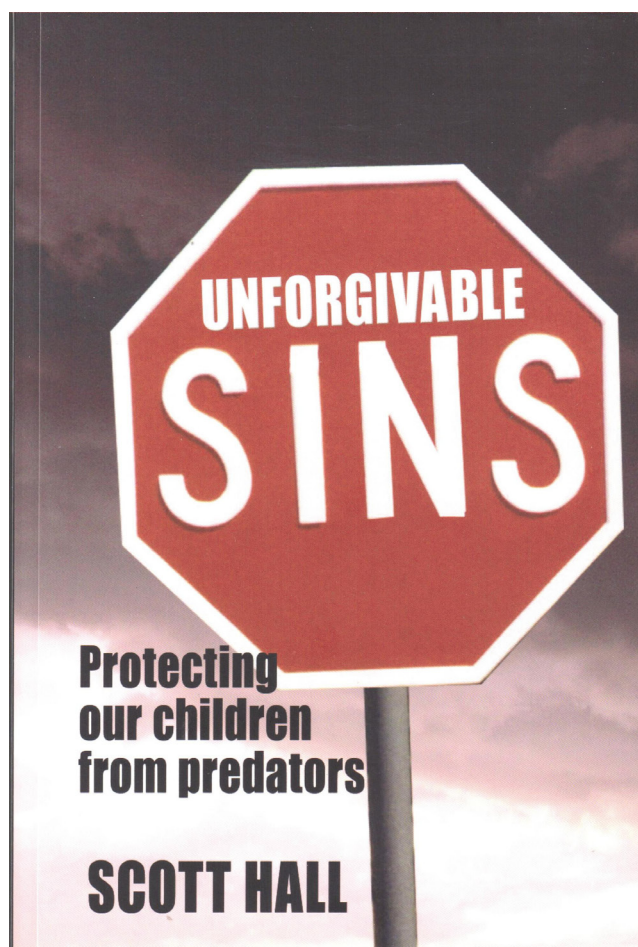


# *Unforgivable Sins*

*Protecting Our Children from Predators*

Scott Hall

*"This book is for the children past who were sexually abused and for the children of the certain future where sexual abuse has been banished from society... It is my belief, based on having heard the stories of over one thousand victims of sexual abuse, approximately one in every five children in North America has been sexually abused... Fortunately, through a combination of education and awareness programs at home and at school, children are now being taught to be more assertive the second they are touched improperly... If this book is about nothing else, it is about the vital importance of teaching children about abuse at an early age. Knowledge prevents sexual abuse. The best people to deliver this knowledge are mothers. The best time to deliver this knowledge is today." – Scott Hall, author, Unforgivable Sins*



**Title:** Unforgivable Sins / **Scott Hall** (Victoria BC)  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-06-3 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-72-8 **List:** \$39.95  
(hardcover = durable, dust-jacket-free case laminate)  
**Non-Fiction:** Preventing Child Abuse  
**Manor House:** 336 pages / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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*Unforgivable Sins* offers unforgettable advice in dealing with sexual abuse of children. This breakthrough book is a 'must-read' for mothers of young children, survivors of sexual abuse, teachers, counsellors, doctors, anyone nurturing children. The Courts have now come to recognize sexual abuse can have devastating psychological effects on a child in later years.

**Scott Hall**, a lawyer based in Victoria, BC, was under contract with the British Columbia government in the 1980s when he first became aware of large numbers of sexual abuse complaints from youth at Native Indian residential schools. Hall came to devote much of his professional career representing abused children and bringing their abusers to justice. Hall has advice on how to prevent our children from being raped, and how the children who have been sexually assaulted can begin to heal.

**Audience:** Certain to appeal to general audience but of particular interest to anyone who has directly experienced – or knows of someone who has experienced – child sexual abuse. This book is also of certain interest to the legal/judicial professions.



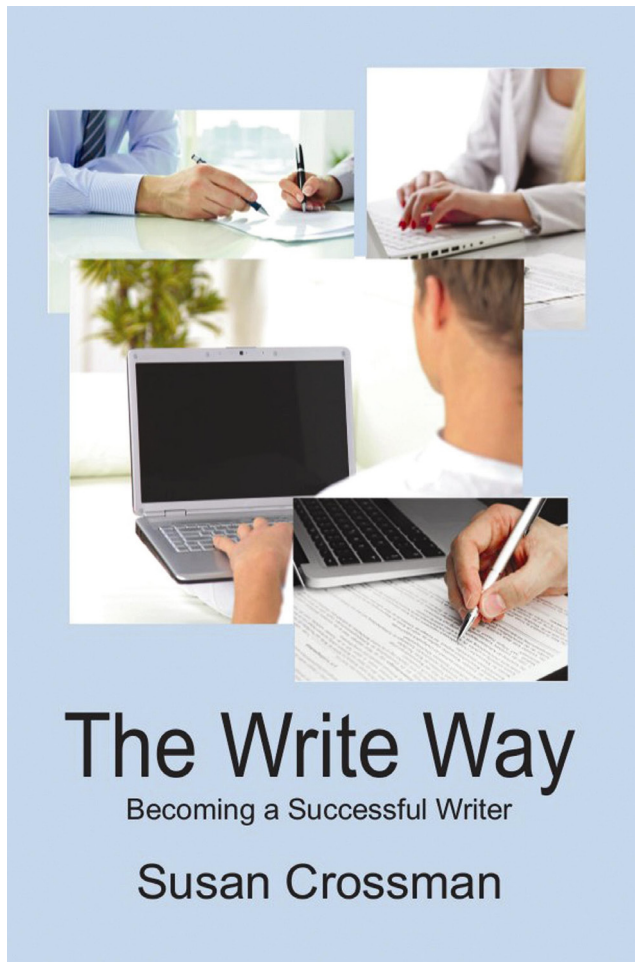
# *The Write Way*

*Becoming a Successful Writer*

Susan Crossman

*"Susan Crossman has created one of the most comprehensive books on writing ever written. Whether you're writing a business report, an essay or a full-length novel, Crossman offers invaluable advice on making the process move more smoothly and efficiently. She also provides insightful tips on avoiding writer's block. If you want to be a truly effective and successful writer, this is the book you need."*

– **Michael B. Davie**, author *Winning Ways*



Solid, expert advice from a professional writer and author of several critically acclaimed books. From tips on overcoming writer's block and engaging your audience to focusing on specific markets, Susan Crossman delivers insightful commentary that will help anyone become a more efficient, effective and successful writer. Of tremendous benefit to business writers - and to anyone crafting works of fiction and non-fiction - a must-read!

## **Susan Crossman** on *The Write Way*:

*"We all recognize that writing is a creative process but we also tend to think of the physical process of writing as a mechanical skill that takes good grammar and a decent vocabulary and somehow blends them all together to create clear communication. That's not a bad start but decades of experience have taught me that writing with impact is much more complex. This book provides tips on: - How to structure your written work - How to write with style and - How to engage an audience - Avoiding and overcoming writer's block - Writing for key markets and marketing your writing in a highly effective manner I hope The Write Way will help you write with more clarity and conviction and I also hope that it will make the task of writing that much more enjoyable."*

**Title:** The Write Way / **Author:** Susan Crossman  
**Softcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-40-7 **List:** \$19.95  
**Hardcover ISBN:** 978-1-897453-42-1 **List:** \$39.95  
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**Non-fiction:** Self-help / developing writing skills  
**Manor House:** 144 pages / 6x9"  
**US/World:** Ingram / **Canada** Fitzhenry & Whiteside  
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## Non-Fiction / Politics

### *Political Losers* In Canada, U.S...

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Michael B. Davie

### *Distant Voices* Canadian Politics...

Distant Voices  
Canadian Politics On The Outside Looking In



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### *Canada* *Decentralized*

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Decentralized

Can our nation survive?  
Examining the dire implications  
of stripping away federal powers



Michael B. Davie

### *Quebec* *and Section 33*

Quebec  
and Section  
33



Why the  
Notwithstanding Clause  
Must Not Stand

Michael B. Davie

#### ***Political Losers***

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**Hardcover List:** \$29.95

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**Author:** Michael B. Davie

**Non-Fiction:** Political loss

**Manor House** / 112 pages

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#### ***Distant Voices***

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#### ***Canada Decentralized***

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**Non-Fiction:** CDN Politics

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#### ***Quebec and Section 33***

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**Non-Fiction:** CDN Politics

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***Political Losers – In Canada, U.S., Ukraine:*** History is invariably written from the perspective of the winners. But losers also have stories to tell. And there are valuable lessons to be learned from the defeated. Join author Michael B. Davie as he examines the meaning and significance of such diverse events as the 1700s Acadian expulsion in Canada; Vietnam War and the defeat of Walter Mondale to Ronald Reagan in the United States; and the forced famines of the Ukrainian Holocaust. It's a fascinating look at those who faced life's trials - and came in second.

***Distant Voices – Canadian Politics on the Outside, Looking In:*** The government of the day enjoys enormous freedom to enact legislation and exert its will on the population. On the sidelines of political power are other players who struggle to make their voices heard. This book looks at three groups on the outside looking in: the media, the opposition Canadian Alliance Party and its forerunners; and women. The author examines the contribution made by each of these outsiders, the challenges they face and the limitations they encounter. He also explores the circumstances and conditions needed to increase their influence and ensure their distant voices are heard.

***Canada Decentralized: Can our Nation Survive?:*** “Formerly able to over-rule provincial laws, Canada is now helpless to stop Quebec and other provinces from acting against national interests. The author examines the high cost of decentralisation and its dire implications for Canada's future.

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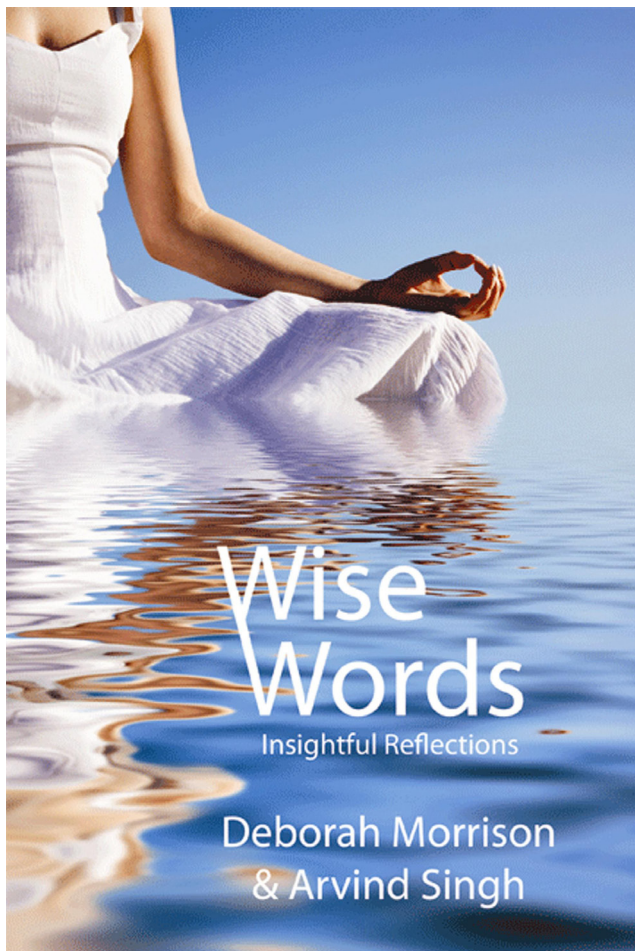
# Wise Words

*Enlightening Reflections*

Deborah Morrison & Arvind Singh

*“Deborah Morrison and Arvind Singh, co-authors of The Law of Attraction – Making it Work for You! now offer a new breakthrough book – Wise Words offers the authors’ own compelling thoughts, interwoven with the inspiring stories and thoughts of others, including truly enlightening quotations and expressions from some of the world’s most influential thinkers of all time. All of this is of tremendous value to readers seeking to broaden their own appreciation and understanding of themselves and the world around them. Wise Words is more than food for thought – it’s a feast of insightful reflections.”*

– from the Foreword by **Michael B Davie**, author, **Winning Ways**



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- **James Deahl**, author, *Rooms the Wind Makes; North of Belleville; and Opening the Stone Heart*

**Title:** Wise Words / **Manor House:** 176 pages / 6x9”

**Author:** Deborah Morrison & Arvind Singh

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