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Pointing from the Grave Jul 11 2021 A true scientific and legal thriller with a perfect twist. In April 1984, a young British DNA scientist was sexually assaulted in her San Francisco cottage. A year later, and hundreds of miles away, she was brutally murdered. The alleged rapist, an American financial analyst, was the only suspect. Police and forensic experts, however, failed to link him to the crime; the case was filed unsolved. Fifteen years later, a detective reopens the case, and using the newest DNA techniques, she finds a vital clue...

Blood Will Out Mar 07 2021 A Slate, San Francisco Chronicle, Amazon, and BookPage Best Book of 2014 A USA Today Top 10 Best Book of Winter 2014 An In Cold Blood for our time, a chilling, compulsive story of a writer unwittingly caught in the wake of a grifter-turned-murderer. In the summer of 1998, Walter Kirn—then an aspiring novelist struggling with impending fatherhood and a dissolving marriage—set out on a peculiar, fateful errand: to personally deliver a crippled hunting dog from his home in Montana to the New York apartment of one Clark Rockefeller, a secretive young banker and art collector who had adopted the dog over the Internet. Thus began a fifteen-year relationship that drew Kirn deep into the fun-house world of an outlandish, eccentric son of privilege who ultimately would be unmasked as a brazen serial impostor, child kidnapper, and brutal murderer. Kirn's one-of-a-kind story of being duped by a real-life Mr. Ripley takes us on a bizarre and haunting journey from the posh private clubrooms of Manhattan to the hard-boiled courtrooms and prisons of Los Angeles. As Kirn uncovers the truth about his friend, a psychopath masquerading as a gentleman, he also confronts hard truths about himself. Why, as a writer of fiction, was he susceptible to the deception of a sinister fantasist whose crimes, Kirn learns, were based on books and movies? What are the hidden psychological links between the artist and the con man? To answer these and other questions, Kirn attends his old friend's murder trial and uses it as an occasion to reflect on both their tangled personal relationship and the surprising literary sources of Rockefeller's evil. This investigation of the past climaxes in a tense jailhouse reunion with a man whom Kirn realizes he barely knew—a predatory, sophisticated genius whose life, in some respects, parallels his own and who may have intended to take another victim during his years as a fugitive from justice: Kirn himself. Combining confessional memoir, true crime reporting, and cultural speculation, Blood Will Out is a Dreiser-esque tale of self-invention, upward mobility, and intellectual arrogance. It exposes the layers of longing and corruption, ambition and self-delusion beneath the Great American con.

Drei Söhne Jun 17 2019 »Ich sah es in den Nachrichten. Nacht. Gebüsch. Wasser, verschwommene Lichter, ein Hubschrauber. Männer mit Warnwesten und Schutzhelmen. Hier war etwas Entsetzliches passiert...« Robert Farquharson bekommt sein Leben einfach nicht auf die Reihe. Seit einiger Zeit lebt er getrennt von seiner Familie. Am Abend des Vatertags im Jahr 2005 fährt er die drei Söhne zurück zuseiner Exfrau Cindy, als sein Wagen von der Straße abkommt und in einen See stürzt. Nur er kann sich aus dem Auto befreien ... Tragischer Unfall oder Racheakt – diese Frage wird die australische Justiz und Öffentlichkeit in den folgenden Jahren beschäftigen – und sie wird für Helen Garner geradezu zur Obsession. Sie verfolgt den Prozess durch alle Instanzen und erzählt die Geschichte eines Mannes und seines kaputten Leben und das unerhörte und unvorhersehbare Gerichts-Drama auf der Suche nach Gerechtigkeit.

Murder in a Coastal Town and Other Stories Nov 22 2019 In his second book, Eric Lee features nine fast-paced, short mystery and suspense stories. In the short story, Murder in a Coastal Town, a homicide detective, is overcome with grief at the murder of his eight-year-old son. The only witness to the murder is his eleven-year-old daughter. How does he extract detailed information about the murder from a witness who is desperately trying to forget? Will the detective ever be able to catch the murderer and what emotional price is he willing to pay? In another story, the reader is dropped in the jury box of a high profile murder case. The senator's husband could be facing the death penalty if found guilty. The courtroom drama is followed by an intense jury deliberation. Private eye and jury member Robert Douglas is used to solving cases, but how will he sort through the evidence and then be able to convince eleven others to adopt his perspective on the case?

An Hour to Kill Jun 10 2021 "The true behind-the-scenes story of the crime, the lives destroyed by the murder and the two mothers who fought for the children they loved; Bonnie Faye Todd, whose horrible premonition that something had happened to her daughter was heartbreakingly realized. And Shirley Register, who to this day refuses to acknowledge that her son was capable of murder, and enlisted the help of famous writer Mickey Spillane to help prove his innocence"--Jacket.

Murder Mayhem Short Stories Aug 24 2022 Following the great success of 2015's Gothic Fantasy, deluxe edition short story compilations, Ghosts, Horror and Science Fiction, this latest in the series is packed with hard-boiled detectives, monsters, psychopaths and a high body count. Tales of death and destruction from classic authors are cast with previously unpublished stories by exciting contemporary hardcore crime writers.

Das Parfum Sep 25 2022

Die Schatten von Edinburgh Sep 01 2020 Edinburgh, 1888. Der begnadete Ermittler Ian Frey wird von London nach Schottland zwangsversetzt. Für den kultivierten Engländer eine wahre Strafe. Als er seinen neuen Vorgesetzten, Inspector McGray, kennenlernt, findet er all seine Vorurteile bestätigt: Ungehobelt, abergläubisch und bärbeißig, hat der Schotte seinen ganz eigenen Ehrenkodex. Doch dann bringt ein schier unlösbarer Fall die beiden grundverschiedenen Männer zusammen: Ein Violinist wird grausam in seinem Heim ermordet. Sein aufgelöstes Dienstmädchen schwört, dass es in der Nacht drei Geiger im Musikzimmer gehört hat. Doch in dem von innen verschlossenen, fensterlosen Raum liegt nur die Leiche des Hausherrn ...

Murder on the Florida Frontier: The True Story behind Sanford's Headless Miser Legend Dec 24 2019 Archie Newton stepped off the river steamer in 1880 with a letter of introduction and a secret. Seeking refuge, the young Newton hoped for a new life on the Florida frontier. Samuel McMillan was a miserly Sanford bachelor who carried large sums of "greenbacks" and trusted no one. The ambitious Newton had his eye on purchasing McMillan's profitable orange grove. But on his way back from Newton's home one evening, McMillan disappeared, and he wasn't seen again until his headless, mutilated corpse was pulled from a nearby lake. Newton's trial was sensational and the evidence gruesome, and local legends grew of a headless ghost rising from the lake. Author Andrew Fink chronicles the twists and turns of this shocking story.

Covered with Night Apr 20 2022 In the winter of 1722, on the eve of a major conference between the Five Nations of the Haudenosaunee (also known as the Iroquois) and Anglo-American colonists, a pair of colonial fur traders brutally assaulted a Seneca hunter near Conestoga, Pennsylvania. Though virtually forgotten today, the crime ignited a contest between Native American forms of justice—rooted in community, forgiveness, and reparations—and the colonial ideology of harsh reprisal that called for the accused killers to be executed if found guilty. In *Covered with Night*, historian Nicole Eustace reconstructs the attack and its aftermath, introducing a group of unforgettable individuals—from the slain man's resilient widow to an Indigenous diplomat known as "Captain Civility" to the scheming governor of Pennsylvania—as she narrates a remarkable series of criminal investigations and cross-cultural negotiations. Taking its title from a Haudenosaunee metaphor for mourning, *Covered with Night* ultimately urges us to consider Indigenous approaches to grief and condolence, rupture and repair, as we seek new avenues of justice in our own era.

Blut will reden Jul 31 2020 Ein echter Mr. Ripley, der sich mit Mord und Maskerade seine eigene Realität erschaffen hat – das ist Clark Rockefeller. Doch davon ahnt Walter Kirn nichts, als er ihn in Manhattan kennenlernt. Er fällt auf ihn herein und gerät immer tiefer in die Phantomwelt des Multimillionärs und Kunstsammlers, der sich am Ende als Hochstapler, Kidnapper und eiskalter Mörder erweist. In der literarischen Tradition von F. Scott Fitzgerald, Truman Capote und Patricia Highsmith erzählt Kirn die Geschichte vom Mann, der sich selbst erfand, als dunkle Parabel. Ein brillant geschriebener, hypnotischer Thriller über den Hunger nach Aufstieg, die Macht des Geldes und den schmalen Grat zwischen Lüge, Illusion und Wirklichkeit. «Eine unheimliche und absolut faszinierende Lektüre.» T.C. Boyle

Mayhem and Murder Jul 19 2019 Both detective and reader attempt to solve the crimes in detective novels, relying on the same motifs but employing different narrative interpretations to do so. A unique and lucid examination of a complex genre.

The Death of Innocence Oct 02 2020 The parents of JonBenet Ramsey present their side of the story of their daughter's murder

Engaged to Murder May 09 2021 Tells the story of a Philadelphia schoolteacher and her two children who were callously murdered apparently as part of an insurance scheme

Party Monster Aug 12 2021 The author reveals the New York Club scene at its worst as he relates his involvement with Michael Alig, a Midwest nerd who became a leading club promoter and eventually found trouble after killing a drug dealer.

Severed May 21 2022 Offers a documented and reasoned solution to one of the strangest of all unsolved murders in the annals of modern crime, the murder of aspiring starlet Elizabeth Short in Los Angeles in 1947.

Call Me Cruel Dec 04 2020 A searing portrait of an unusually cruel killer and the devastating impact of his crime and manipulations on the family of the victim, Kylie Labouchardiere, his own wife and child, and an innocent policeman and his wife. The investigation into the murder of Kylie Labouchardiere has been described by one of the state's most experienced Crown prosecutors as among the most complex and bizarre in his experience. Kylie Labouchardiere disappeared in 2004. Her killer was convicted in April 2009. Her body has never been found. Michael Duffy approaches the murder from the viewpoint of four of those most affected by it and who are still alive. The lives of Kylie's long-separated parents, Wilkinson's wife, and a policeman caught up in the events entirely by accident, have been shattered by the act of murder. Whatever sentence is given to Paul Wilkinson for murdering my daughter will never compare with the life sentence of grief he has given to me. - Carol Edwards, Kylie's mother. This is a book about cruelty and suffering, novel-like in its depth of characterisation and psychological insight, in the style of American true crime books by authors such as Norman Mailer and Truman Capote.

Gone Forever Feb 24 2020 Susan McFarland was a vivacious, successful mother of three young sons. On November 25, 2002, she disappeared. Three days later, her car was found, keys in the ignition. Later that day, her husband reported her missing—and a desperate search began. Her friends and family hoped against hope that Susan was not gone forever. But investigators became increasingly suspicious of Richard McFarland. When the charred, decomposed body of Susan McFarland was finally discovered at an overgrown farmstead outside of San Antonio, a new hunt began—for justice. McFarland maintained his innocence, and investigators only had circumstantial evidence against him. While headlines screamed out new details in the case, and police tried to gather more evidence, a blockbuster trial was about to begin. Then, Richard McFarland finally spoke...and a terrifying, chilling truth came out...

A Stranger in the Family Nov 15 2021 Who would ever connect this handsome, charming, straight-arrow son of a perfect all-American family with the gruesome crimes of a serial killer? Richard Daniel Starrett was the dangerous visitor for too many unlucky young women in Georgia and South Carolina in the late 1980s. Answering "for sale" ads in the classifieds, he was a buyer hunting for victims, not bargains, and he paid in grim coin: rape, kidnapping, murder. Because of his articulate intelligence and prestigious job, no one suspected this "golden boy" of such heinous acts. This gripping, intimately detailed account by Pulitzer Prize-winning author probes every tortured thought and twisted urge of a "boy-next-door murderer"—as well as the dynamics of the model family that shaped him. The result is both a stunning portrait of a diseased mind and the moving story of a loving family's emotional nightmare and painful disintegration.

Violette Nozière Apr 08 2021 On an August evening in 1933, in a quiet, working-class neighborhood in Paris, eighteen-year-old Violette Nozière gave her mother and father glasses of barbiturate-laced "medication," which she told them had been prescribed by the family doctor; one of her parents died, the other barely survived. Almost immediately Violette's act of "double parricide" became the most sensational private crime of the French interwar era—discussed and debated so passionately that it was compared to the Dreyfus Affair. Why would the beloved only child of respectable parents do such a thing? To understand the motives behind this crime and the reasons for its extraordinary impact, Sarah Maza delves into the abundant case records, re-creating the daily existence of Parisians whose lives were touched by the affair. This compulsively readable book brilliantly evokes the texture of life in 1930s Paris. It also makes an important argument about French society and culture while proposing new understandings of crime and social class in the years before World War II.

UNHOLY MATRIMONY A TRUE STORY OF MURDER AND OBSESSION Mar 27 2020

Almost Midnight Sep 13 2021 Presents the story of the slaying of a drug kingpin, his wife, and their grandson by Darrell Mease, an aspiring drug dealer who was sentenced to death for the crime, but who was saved from death row by the intervention of the pope.

The Daughters of Juárez Oct 22 2019 For more than twelve years the Mexican border city of Juarez has been the center of an epidemic of horrific crimes against women and girls: kidnappings, rape, mutilation, and murder, with most of the victims conforming to a specific profile--young, slender

Into the Water Jul 23 2022 To authorities she spilled the shocking details of a night of horror. It was the lead they'd been desperate for in a multi-state manhunt for an elusive serial killer. Where the witness took them was to the last man anyone would have suspected. Richard Marc Evonitz was beloved by friends and family. He was handsome, intelligent, and compassionate. Serving a spotless eight years in the U.S. Navy, he was a town hero who lived in harmony in an exclusive South Carolina neighborhood. The only ones who saw Evonitz's dark side were his victims. They were helpless teenage girls who, one by one, were subjected to his twisted sexual fantasies of kidnap, rape, and murder-until his double life came undone by the brave cunning of his last young victim. But as authorities and the media descended upon him, Evonitz had one more shocking surprise in store for everyone—a stunning final act of violence and reckoning that would turn a bright sunlit morning blood red.

The Zodiac Killer Feb 06 2021 This is a book about the infamous serial killer - Zodiac Killer. This book describes the way he thought out his murders, a police chase that was neverending, and the psychic evaluation that helped us understand his mind, but also the mind of similar serial killers.

There Are No Dead Here Aug 20 2019 The bloody story of the rise of paramilitaries in Colombia, told through three characters—a fearless activist, a dogged journalist, and a relentless investigator—whose lives intersected in the midst of unspeakable terror. Colombia's drug-fueled cycle of terror, corruption, and tragedy did not end with Pablo Escobar's death in 1993. Just when Colombians were ready to move past the murderous legacy of the country's cartels, a new, bloody chapter unfolded. In the late 1990s, right-wing paramilitary groups with close ties to the cocaine business carried out a violent expansion campaign, massacring, raping, and torturing thousands. *There Are No Dead Here* is the harrowing story of three ordinary Colombians who risked everything to reveal the collusion between the new mafia and much of the country's military and political establishment: Jesús María Valle, a human rights activist who was murdered for exposing a dark secret; Iván Velásquez, a quiet prosecutor who took up Valle's cause and became an unlikely hero; and Ricardo Calderón, a dogged journalist who is still being targeted for his revelations. Their groundbreaking investigations landed a third of the country's Congress in prison and fed new demands for justice and peace that Colombia's leaders could not ignore. Taking readers from the sweltering Medellín streets where criminal investigators were hunted by assassins, through the countryside where paramilitaries wiped out entire towns, and into the corridors of the presidential palace in Bogotá, *There Are No Dead Here* is an unforgettable portrait of the valiant men and women who dared to stand up to the tide of greed, rage, and bloodlust that threatened to engulf their country.

My Story, My Song: Daughter of a Murder Victim: Grief, Grace, and Growth After Loss Jan 05 2021 On February 11, 1972, Wanda arrived home at 11:30 p.m. She was the charge nurse at a local nursing home. What she did not know was by 3:00 a.m. February 12, her life would be irrevocably changed by the unexpected violent death of her mother. Walk with Wanda through the cycles of homicidal loss. See how she was spiritually transformed. Allow her to help you regain hope and healing as she gently accompanies you in the aftermath of a loved one's murder. *My Story, My Song: Daughter of a Murder Victim* is Wanda's story of her transition from devastation to spiritual transformation after the loss. Her story is an intimate and inspirational portrayal of how one can be transformed through grief and mourning while experiencing divine and human grace.

Cruel Deception Feb 18 2022 From Gregg Olsen, bestselling author of *If You Tell*, comes the heartbreaking true story of a mother's darkest secrets coming to light in *Cruel Deception*. In and out of hospitals since birth, angelic nine-month-old Morgan Reid finally succumbed to what appeared to be Sudden Infant Death Syndrome. Morgan's Texas-born mother Tanya, a nurse and devoted wife, pulled up stakes with her grieving husband Jim, and moved on. It was the best way to put the past behind them. Until their son Michael, a boy who by all accounts was terrified of his mother, began showing signs of the same affliction that stole the life of his baby sister... First, the suspicion: Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy. Then, Tanya was charged and convicted with felony child abuse of her son. She was later tried and ultimately convicted for first degree murder of Morgan. It would become a landmark trial that unfolded in a series of reversals and bizarre twists of fate as it gradually revealed another side of Tanya Reid—of her own troubling childhood and the dark secrets that drove a woman to the cruelest deception of all.

A Simple Murder Oct 14 2021 New York Times bestselling author Linda Castillo is known as a “master of the genre” (People) for her pulse-pounding mystery series set in Amish country. Now, together for the first time in print, here are six original short stories starring whip-smart chief of police, Kate Burkholder. In *IN PLAIN SIGHT*, Kate investigates what she believes is a straightforward hit-and-run accident—but soon uncovers a story of teenage passion that may have led to attempted murder. *IN DARK COMPANY* is the story of an injured woman with amnesia who seeks Kate's help in trying to remember her attacker's identity...and her own. In the midst of a power outage in *Painters Mill*, a teenage girl is attacked at an Amish party in *ONLY THE LUCKY*. *SEEDS OF DECEPTION* unearths the secrets of Kate Burkholder's own Amish past—and lays the groundwork for her future career in law enforcement. An abandoned baby is discovered on the Amish bishop's front porch in *A HIDDEN SECRET*, and Kate is called in to investigate. While on vacation with her partner John Tomasetti in *LONG LOST*, Kate discovers that the old house where they're staying is haunted by a girl who disappeared decades before...

Shattered Sep 20 2019 Hero, Husband, Father . . . Monster? In Creekstone, Texas, a small, quiet suburb of Houston, football was king . . . and David Temple was a prince. A former high school and college gridiron star-turned-coach, he had a fairy-tale marriage to bright, vivacious Belinda Lucas, a teacher at the local high school who was so warm and popular her colleagues called her “The Sunshine Girl.” The fairy tale ended savagely on January 11, 1999, when Belinda's lifeless body was discovered in a closet. Her skull had been shattered by a shotgun blast at close range. She was eight months pregnant. There was no damning evidence directly linking the brutal murder to husband David, who stood by emotionless and dry-eyed as police searched the crime scene. But a dogged eight-year investigation would expose a shocking history of cruelty and domination, infidelity and rage—ultimately resulting in an epic courtroom battle for the ages—as the scandalous truth was revealed about love betrayed and innocent lives . . . shattered.

Shake the Devil Off Jun 22 2022 A charismatic young soldier meets a tragic end in this moving and mesmerizing account of the war in Iraq, Hurricane Katrina, and no-safety-net America Zackery Bowen was thrust into two of America's largest recent debacles. He was one of the first soldiers to encounter the fledgling insurgency in Iraq. After years of military service he returned to New Orleans to tend bar and deliver groceries. In the weeks before Hurricane Katrina made landfall, he met Addie Hall, a pretty and high-spirited bartender. Their improvised, hard-partying endurance during and after the storm had news outlets around the world featuring the couple as the personification of what so many want to believe is the indomitable spirit of New Orleans. But in October 2006, Bowen leaped from the rooftop bar of a French Quarter hotel. A note in his pocket directed the police to the body of Addie Hall. It was, according to NOPD veterans, one of the most gruesome crimes in the city's history. How had this popular, handsome father of two done this horrible thing? Journalist Ethan Brown moved from New York City to the French Quarter in order to investigate this question. Among the newsworthy elements in the book is Brown's discovery that this tragedy—like so many others—could have been avoided if the military had simply not, in the words of Paul Sullivan, executive director of Veterans for Common Sense, “absolutely and completely failed this soldier.” *Shake the Devil Off* is a mesmerizing tribute to these lives lost.

True Story Mar 19 2022 “True Story” is the remarkable account of the relationship between a man accused of killing his entire family, and of the “New York Times Magazine” writer he impersonated while on the run.

Murder at 40 Below Jan 25 2020 Drawn from police files, eyewitness accounts, and news reports, these stories introduce extreme criminals in an extreme land.

Murder by Family Dec 16 2021 One fateful evening, the Whitaker family walked into their house to discover a gunman waiting for them. He opened fire on the family, killing the wife and one son. Mr. Whitaker and his other son were airlifted to a local hospital and survived the deadly attack. While lying in the emergency room, Mr. Whitaker learned of his wife and son's deaths and had to decide whether to forever hate their killer or forgive him. Mr. Whitaker chose the path of forgiveness. . In the weeks following the murder, the police learned that the attack had been orchestrated by the son who survived—Mr. Whitaker had unknowingly forgiven his own son for destroying their family. That son was eventually arrested and convicted of the crime, and now he sits on death row. Murder by Family is the story of Kent Whitaker's forgiveness in the face of the ultimate betrayal. .

A Good Girl's Guide to Murder Nov 03 2020 TikTok made me buy it! Der erste Band der preisgekrönten Krimireihe rund um Pip Fitz-Amobi Der New-York-Times-Bestseller, bekannt aus der Netflix-Serie Heartstopper »Es geht um das, was vor fünf Jahren passiert ist.« »Warum?«, fragte er. »Weil ich nicht glaube, dass es dein Bruder war - und ich will versuchen, es zu beweisen.« Vor fünf Jahren wurde die siebzehnjährige Andie Bell ermordet. Der Fall ist längst abgeschlossen, denn alle sind sich sicher, dass ihr Freund Sal Singh die Tat begangen hat. Nur Pippa glaubt nicht daran und will den Fall für ein Schulprojekt noch einmal aufrollen. Sie beginnt nachzuforschen und Fragen zu stellen. Aber was ist, wenn der Mörder noch frei herumläuft? Wie weit wird er gehen, um Pippa davon abzuhalten, die Wahrheit ans Licht zu bringen? Packend und nervenaufreibend bis zur letzten Seite Für alle Fans von One of Us Is Lying, We Were Liars und Riverdale

Please... Don't Kill Me Apr 27 2020 Follows the bizarre murder case of businessman Dean Milo, in which eleven individuals were convicted and the victim was linked with many illicit activities

Murder in the Age of Enlightenment May 29 2020 A stylishly original collection of seven newly translated stories from the iconic Japanese writer The stories in this fantastical, unconventional collection are subtly wrought depictions of the darkness of our desires. From an isolated bamboo grove, to a lantern festival in Tokyo, to the Emperor's court, they offer glimpses into moments of madness, murder, and obsession. Vividly translated by Bryan Karetnyk, they unfold in elegant, sometimes laconic, always gripping prose. Akutagawa's stories are characterised by their stylish originality; they are stories to be read again and again.

Finding Amy Jan 17 2022 A dedicated policeman and a former assistant attorney general unveil a woman's murder-and the investigation that changed one Maine city forever.

The Ring Jun 29 2020 Longman Originals is a series of graded readers. All the stories are specially written for EFL students and follow internationally established language guidelines.

Perfume Oct 26 2022 INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLER • Set in eighteenth-century France, the classic novel that provokes a terrifying examination of what happens when one man's indulgence in his greatest passion—his sense of smell—leads to murder. In the slums of eighteenth-century France, the infant Jean-Baptiste Grenouille is born with one sublime gift—an absolute sense of smell. As a boy, he lives to decipher the odors of Paris, and apprentices himself to a prominent perfumer who teaches him the ancient art of mixing precious oils and herbs. But Grenouille's genius is such that he is not satisfied to stop there, and he becomes obsessed with capturing the smells of objects such as brass doorknobs and fresh-cut wood. Then one day he catches a hint of a scent that will drive him on an ever-more-terrifying quest to create the "ultimate perfume"—the scent of a beautiful young virgin. Told with dazzling narrative brilliance, Perfume is a hauntingly powerful tale of murder and sensual depravity. Translated from the German by John E. Woods.

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