

## A Soul For Vengeance Paperback

The Vengeance Game is a tradition as old as time. Right now, three monsters and three humans have been pitted against one another in a battle of good and evil. In a normal world, now completely turned upside down, Eric Denari, Trisha Ivering, and Devlyn Logan must square off against deadly and dangerous enemies from their past and fight for a chance at survival. As legends of the Underworld, Vlad Craft, Wesley Renwick, and Vitz Venentile are a force to be reckoned with and hell bent on making their victims pay. Who will win in this demon's game of revenge?

My name is Dagan. There are few alive with more blood on their hands than me. I was there when magic was restored to this world. If I'd been born in a different age, I would have been the greatest sorcerer known to man. My name is Dagan. This is my tale.

\*\*\* 4 1/2 STARS from RT Book Reviews\*\*\* When you're a witch named Trouble, chaos follows. Arden Lesstymine (known to everyone as Trouble) likes attention as much as the next girl, but this is getting ridiculous. When an insane stranger is murdered at the inn where she works, Trouble becomes the next Soulbearer for the disembodied god of chaos, Loku. Yes, it comes with the ability to channel the god's limitless power, but at the cost of her sanity — literally. Now she has a sexy but cynical knight claiming to be her protector, a prince trying to seduce her to his cause (and his bed), and a snarky chaos god who offers a play-by-play commentary on it all, whether she wants to hear it or not. To make matters worse, a necromancer wants to capture the soul of Loku for his own dark purposes, and the only way he can get it is by killing her first. Freebie / free book Recommended for those who enjoy: Epic fantasy romance, sword and sorcery, plucky heroines, witches, elves, magic, and the occasionally lewd chaos god.

"J. D. Cooper had left no stone unturned when investigating a cold case that hit much too close to home. Or so he'd thought. Thanks to small-town deputy Natalie Becker, new evidence had surfaced that might lead J.D. closer to the truth. But Natalie had a stake in this situation, too, and claimed that joining forces was their best strategy - and their best hope. Problem was, after years of working alone to solve a seemingly unsolvable crime, J.D. found himself distracted by his beautiful partner and her passion for doing the right thing. He'd never met anyone like her and that scared him as much as this unidentifiable madman ... until Natalie was made his next target" --P. [4] of cover.

A madman brutally murders two men--both with ties to an ugly secret shared by Eve's new husband, Roarke.

A Warriors In Love Novel - book 1 Forced to marry Lord Aymon to ensure her young nephews survival, English Lady Laila vows undying hatred for the Norman she holds responsible for the deaths of so many innocents. Discovering Aymon has committed an act of treason gives her the chance to seek vengeance he deserves. But can Laila let Aymon die at the hands of the king once she learns the truth? A hardened Norman warrior, Lord Aymon has lived through atrocities no man ever should. With the invasion of England over, all he wants is a quiet life and a wife who will give him heirs and obey his every command. Instead, he finds himself wed to feisty and outspoken Laila. But when she learns the truth of his treasonous act, can Aymon count on her to keep his secret?

If you call the light, you will inevitably battle the darkness. Brady is a high school senior, the champion of the outcast and bullied, who becomes the unwitting recipient of a gift that is both beautiful and terrifying. He discovers he can talk to angels and draw down a magnificent and mysterious light from the Blessed Virgin. However, Brady soon realizes that such power comes at a price: If you call the light, you will inevitably battle the darkness. Indeed, a malevolent darkness is racing toward a small town outside of Dayton, Ohio - transported in a rusted, white conversion van. Its driver brings a palpable evil, unique in its seemingly aimless cruelty. Arrogant and vicious, Ray has no idea of the role he plays in his Master's plan. This evil has the purpose of snuffing out a holy foe before it grows stronger. 1970s Beavercreek, Ohio is a small, Air Force base town. With lots of folks continually moving in and out, the community is slow to take notice when teenage girls start disappearing. However, as darkness descends and violence intensifies around him, Brady realizes that he is in a life-and-death struggle - not against school bullies, nor merely flesh and blood - but against a strange man with a leering smile who carries Satan in his soul. In an epic battle of good versus evil, Brady will fulfill a prophecy that is hidden in the vaults of the Vatican...but only if he follows the laws of the Prayer of Vengeance.

I was born with noble blood in my veins. Heir to a powerful dynasty. Wealth. Power. Aristocracy. Temptations too dangerous to resist. Until someone tried to steal it all. Scarred and broken, I emerged from the flames. Now I've returned to take what's mine. Revenge. The first item on my agenda? Make Ivy Moreno my wife. Second? Bend her until she breaks.

The age of Nore. A time of hardship, war, enchantment, and evil. These events lead of to the story of Tecoco's Earth, where the inhabitants within the world of Tecoco are embroiled in a tide of suffering and terrible predicament. A brother swears vengeance on the suffering of a populace. A wicked king seeks the world for his own. A chief makes a decision that will decide the fate of his people. This is the age of Nore. I knew I'd never have the luxury of choosing my own wife. An arranged marriage was a sacrifice men in my position had to make for their families. It wasn't something I looked forward to, but it had to be done. I just never imagined my father would choose her to be my bride. Daniela Moretti, the daughter of my enemy...and I intended to treat her as such. But since the day she set foot in my house as my wife, my loathing of her turned into something deadlier than hate. Her strength intrigued me. Her fight seduced me. And I started seeing more in her than just dirty, filthy Moretti blood. Now...she's gone. Kidnapped. Vanished without a trace. But the devil always finds what's his, and when I do, my thirst for vengeance will be sated by blood.

A cop with an axe to grind. An FBI agent with attitude. Will their immediate attraction turn their vigilante case cold? Police Detective Cal Rylan swore an oath to protect the innocent. So when a sniper shoots his witness dead and clips his partner in the crossfire, Cal's sense of justice goes into overdrive. After he's teamed up with a brilliant, beautiful FBI agent, he vows to not let his new partner suffer the same fate. Eve Sands has endured her fair share of setbacks, including the leering eye of her boss at the FBI. But after losing her key witness, she knows it's time to take matters into her own hands. With false leads and body bags piling up, Eve can't help but find comfort in her new partner and the potential spark of passion under fire. With the city of New Haven in the crosshairs, can Cal and Eve turn the heat up on the investigation before the killer orders their execution? Pure Vengeance is the first book in the Sutton Capital On the Line series of romantic suspense

novels. If you like tense action, surprising twists, and sizzling chemistry, then you'll love New York Times bestselling author Lori Ryan's thrilling tale.

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Spencer Bishop's past was nothing more than a falsified case of fake memories. Every birthday, holiday, and special moment was changed in order to protect her from evil. Aiden, the lover who was erased with her other memories, came back into her life and caused her to question reality and figure out who she was. After an act of bravery, Spencer was granted her memories back. Aiden, her true love and the Angel's in Heaven desired for her to see her true destiny and fight evil. Can Spencer defeat the evil before it destroys her and Heaven?

Leon I earned my reputation among magicians for a reason: one wrong move and you're dead. Killer, they called me, and killing is what I'm best at. Except her. The one I was supposed to take, the one I should have killed - I didn't. The cult that once controlled me wants her, and I'm not about to lose my new toy to them. Rae I've always believed in the supernatural. Hunting for ghosts is my passion, but summoning a demon was never part of the plan. Monsters are roaming the woods, and something ancient - something evil - is waking up and calling my name. I don't know who I can trust, or how deep this darkness goes. All I know is my one shot at survival is the demon stalking me, and he doesn't just want my body - he wants my soul. Her Soul to Take is book 1 in the Souls Trilogy. Although all the books are interconnected, they are stand-alone and can be read in any order. Content Note This book contains sexual scenes, kink/fetish content, horror elements, drug use, and depictions of hard kink/edgeplay. Reader discretion is advised.

1000 Years for Revenge is a groundbreaking investigative work that uncovers startling evidence of how the FBI missed dozens of opportunities to stop the attacks of September 11, dating back to 1989. Award-winning journalist Peter Lance explains how an elusive al Qaeda mastermind defeated the entire American security system in what the author calls "the greatest failure of intelligence since the Trojan Horse." Threading the stories of FBI agent Nancy Floyd, FDNY fire marshal Ronnie Bucca, and bomb-maker Ramzi Yousef, Lance uncovers the years of behind-the-scenes intrigue that put these three strangers on a collision course. An unparalleled work of investigative reporting and masterful storytelling, 1000 Years for Revenge will change forever the way we look at the FBI and the war on terror in the twenty-first century.

A dark, twisty thriller about a centuries-old, ivy-covered boarding school haunted by its history of witchcraft and two girls dangerously close to digging up the past. The dangerous romance and atmospheric setting makes it a perfect read for fans of dark academia. Felicity Morrow is back at the Dalloway School. Perched in the Catskill Mountains, the centuries-old, ivy-covered campus was home until the tragic death of her girlfriend. Now, after a year away, she's returned to finish high school. She even has her old room in Godwin House, the exclusive dormitory rumored to be haunted by the spirits of five Dalloway students—girls some say were witches. The Dalloway Five all died mysteriously, one after another, right on Godwin grounds. Witchcraft is woven into Dalloway's past. The school doesn't talk about it, but the students do. In secret rooms and shadowy corners, girls convene. And before her girlfriend died, Felicity was drawn to the dark. She's determined to leave that behind now, but it's hard when Dalloway's occult history is everywhere. And when the new girl won't let her forget. It's Ellis Haley's first year at Dalloway, and she has already amassed a loyal following. A prodigy novelist at seventeen, Ellis is a so-called method writer. She's eccentric and brilliant, and Felicity can't shake the pull she feels to her. So when Ellis asks Felicity to help her research the Dalloway Five for her second book, Felicity can't say no. Given her history with the arcane, Felicity is the perfect resource. And when history begins to repeat itself, Felicity will have to face the darkness in Dalloway—and herself.

Life is dull without a little Chaos. Trouble is more than just a nickname for Arden Soulbearer. It seems to follow her wherever she goes. And no one knows this better than her protector, Devarius Tel'Brien. Dev thought that by moving Arden to Gravaria so she could learn how to control Loku, the chaos god whose soul inhabits her body, life would be simpler. Wrong. Not only is he continually torn between his duty and his growing feelings for the Soulbearer, but he also has to contend with the rival prince who wishes to claim her heart. Adding to his problems, a group of powerful mages have banded together to rid the world of the disembodied chaos god once and for all. Of course, that means they have to destroy Arden in the process. Winner of the Daphne du Maurier Award and the Bookseller's Best Award Arden Soulbearer has fought a god, defeated a necromancer, and driven enemy invaders out of her homeland. Now, the only reward she desires is to marry the man who's been by her side through it all—her knight protector, Dev. But with her happy ending almost in reach, an ancient crime returns to haunt them... and the punishment is Dev's death. A century ago, a Soulbearer stole a sacred relic from the Ornathians, and now their king demands a sacrifice of Dev's blood to lift the blight cursing his people. Arden's only hope to free Dev from the king's prison is to find the relic. But first, she must outwit the one person who knows where the relic is—Loku, the God of Chaos whose soul resides within her.

The Iipian Empire was once a land that welcomed dragons and spirits alike, but a century of war and bloodshed saw them all but vanish. Now, the lost things are returning and the Onryo have gathered. Five legendary spirits with mysterious powers, bent on freeing an ancient evil that would wreak havoc on humanity. Haruto swore his soul to the God of Death for the chance to hunt down the vengeful ghost of his wife. Now an onmyoji, he's tasked by the Imperial Throne to hunt down monsters and malicious spirits. But he knows not all spirits are evil and not all deserve the peace of the sword. Kira is a student at Heiwa, an academy for children with dangerous techniques. But she has a secret, she's not like the other students. When the school is attacked, she flees with one of the tutors, determined to hide both from those who would kill

her, and those who would use her. As a plague of spirits sweeps across the land, the Onryo leave a bloody trail for Haruto to follow. But who's hunting who?

I may have escaped Cail's delusions ..... But my world is still on fire. It was a miracle when Ilyan pulled me from Cail's mind. Too bad the creepy bleeding walls, and broken bathroom from hell followed me back into reality. Now everything is so mixed with the twisted, haunted house that you would think I was losing my mind. Walls are moving, people are screaming and Ryland is right there, just begging me to kill him. Which is great, cue the sarcasm, I get my best friend back, and now I want to rip him to pieces. Being trapped inside Cail's insanity has turned me into just as much of a weapon as Ryland. Both of us, broken little pawns, trapped in an old abbey in the middle of Spain, surrounded by Edmund's army, just waiting for the 'war to end all wars' to begin. You know, the one that I am supposed to die in order to save the world. Hopefully it won't be impossible. I may be battling with my mind, but my trip into insanity has woken up my powers, and now there is no stopping me. Even Ilyan isn't ready to lose. Which is probably why on the night of the battle that is supposed to be my last, he does something that will impact us forever. Hopefully for the best. Just when you think it can't get any better, Ilyan had to go and do that?! I guess you better dive right in and find out what that is. Enjoy!" Brilliantly Written--You're Left Burning in Need to Find Out What Happens Next" - Let The Ink Run Free ??????"I was totally captured from beginning to end. Twists and turns and amazing love! So swoon worthy." -Jeni, Amazon Review ??????"Can this series get any better The pages just keep sucking you in more and more and it gets harder to stay away, so if you have something to do do not start and read this book.... you will not be able to put it down" - B.M. Warner, Amazon Review ??????"Get Lost in This Complete Series Today! ✦ Kiss of Fire, Book One ✦ Eyes of Ember, Book Two ✦ Scorched Treachery, Book Three ✦ Soul of Flame, Book Four ✦ Burnt Devotion, Book Five ✦ Brand of Betrayal, Book Six ✦ Dawn of Ash, Book Seven ✦ Crown of Cinders, Book Eight ✦ Ilyan, Book Nine Honour, duty, vengeance... The way of the Samurai. A thrilling new adventure from a bold new voice in historical fiction, for fans of Conn Iggulden Scholar. Warrior. Samurai. His name was Bennosuke, son of the great Munisai Shinmen, known throughout the empire as one of the greatest warriors who ever lived. His destiny was to become a great warrior like his father - a Samurai, one of the most feared and respected in the world. But before fame comes action, and Bennosuke must prove himself on the battlefield before he can claim his inheritance. And in his way stands the vengeful Hayato, son of Lord Nakata, the face of the enemy, a man who is determined to kill Bennosuke. It is a battle between honour and vengeance, pride and reputation. And Bennosuke must look death in the eye before he can call himself a warrior. Before he can call himself Musashi, the greatest warrior of all time... 'A fascinating, exciting book, beautifully observed. Kirk creates characters of great depth. An absolute gem' Conn Iggulden 'Mr Kirk restores my faith in historical fiction to bring lost worlds to life. Bravo! The keenest and most vivid evocation of the inner life of the East since James Clavell's Shogun' Steven Pressfield, author of Gates of Fire

When Kate Thompson's father is killed by the notorious Rose Riders for a mysterious journal that reveals the secret location of a gold mine, the eighteen-year-old disguises herself as a boy and takes to the gritty plains looking for answers and justice. What she finds are devious strangers, dust storms, and a pair of brothers who refuse to quit riding in her shadow. But as Kate gets closer to the secrets about her family, she gets closer to the truth about herself and must decide if there's room for love in a heart so full of hate. In the spirit of True Grit, the cutthroat days of the Wild West come to life for a new generation.

A GOOD MORNING AMERICA BOOK CLUB PICK "Meet Tomi Adeyemi—the new J.K. Rowling. (Yep, she's that good)." —Entertainment Weekly After battling the impossible, Zélie and Amari have finally succeeded in bringing magic back to the land of Orisha. But the ritual was more powerful than they could've imagined, reigniting the powers of not only the maji, but of nobles with magic ancestry, too. Now, Zélie struggles to unite the maji in an Orisha where the enemy is just as powerful as they are. But when the monarchy and military unite to keep control of Orisha, Zélie must fight to secure Amari's right to the throne and protect the new maji from the monarchy's wrath. With civil war looming on the horizon, Zélie finds herself at a breaking point: she must discover a way to bring the kingdom together or watch as Orisha tears itself apart. Children of Virtue and Vengeance is the stunning sequel to Tomi Adeyemi's New York Times–bestselling debut Children of Blood and Bone, the first book in the Legacy of Orisha trilogy. Praise for Children of Blood and Bone: "Poses thought-provoking questions about race, class and authority that hold up a warning mirror to our sharply divided society." —The New York Times

In a world where magic reigns supreme, nineteen-year-old R. Morcen is the seventh Soul-Wizard of the Arcane Academy, essentially the most powerful being on the Lost Continent. Promoted to the highest wizarding rank in the Academy, he begins to discover that the daily life at the Academy as he knew it was but a smiling facade, with deep dark secrets being covered up and whispered to one another behind the backs of the others. Simultaneously, in the condemned half-elf city of Edgewood, Xero Batlissa lives the way of the sword, having such skill and speed with the blade that he is often referred to as the golden ghost of the Edgewood. However, since the half-elf race have been scorned and held in contempt from time immemorial, his feats gather no fame and recognition outside his sheltered community. Life, however, is not all song and dance, as the two come to realise quickly under completely different circumstances and when their peaceful world of the Lost Continent suddenly turns chaotic, the all-important questions that surface up are but simple ones. In this epic tale of snow and flame; steel and shadow; the orcs and the undead; dragons, demons and eternal darkness, is there really any hope left at all for the goodly races? If society is supposedly governed by wisdom, then why is it that the clueless broken world is deemed right in our logical stead? What is good any longer, if another's perspective of the same good is evil? What is real anymore; and what then is not?

This captivating tale centers on the Duke's rebellious daughter, Abigail past marriageable age and yearning for adventure. One black night the fortunes of the Rutland family are changed forever; Kidnapped, Abigail awakens to find her hair shorn; breasts bound, dressed like a boy and locked in a hold of a ship by her father's enemy. When her ship is captured by notorious American Privateer, Captain Jacob Thorne her troubles really begin. Falling in love with an enemy of her country is a thing she cannot do. Captain Jacob Thorne, set on revenge against England, will do anything to get his cousin released from a British prison. He raids the British coasts, plundering any quarry ripe for his choosing. He's stunned to discover his new cabin boy is a ravishing beauty. From that first stolen sensuous kiss, a wild fire is ignited and he swears to possess her; When he learns she is none other than the Duke of Rutland's daughter, and cousin to the King, will he really be able to give her up; or will his newfound love for her rule?

Call Me...Vengeance Boss and Beth's story Book 1 in the BRAND NEW Vengeance MC series Plagued by demons long since dead, Jackson 'Boss' Carr has worked tirelessly to steer his MC away from the illegal guns and drug trade, but it was proving to be difficult to say the least. All Boss wanted was for his brothers was for them to have a future paved in gold, not bathed in the blood of innocents. He'd spent years saving his family from the wreckage and devastation of rival MC's. With plans to move his MC out of the past and into the future, Boss refused to allow his goals to be compromised, regardless of the cost to him personally. As far as he was concerned it was time to usher in a new era...The era of the newly overhauled, Vengeance MC. Bethany Leanne Miller hated the life she led before taking steps to break free of her parent's suffocating hold over her. Lured to, Furnace, Colorado by her old friend and fellow tattooist, Jonas, with the promise steady work and a whole new way of life, Bethany in under the delusion that things might just be starting to look up. That is until she realizes that, Furnace is not your normal sleepy mountain town, and the man she meets within days of arriving isn't only handsome, charming, and powerful, but capable of turning her life upside down in an instant. Faced with a choice between the people he's obligated to love, and the woman who owns his heart, Boss is caught in a classic game of tug of war involving his family, and the woman he believes has committed the ultimate betrayal against him. However, nothing is what it seems when you begin with an MC on the verge of changes the likes they have never seen, and you add to that a rival MC who would like nothing more than to see them fail. When you throw in a woman who unintentionally ends up

impacting everything and everyone around her, and you have a recipe for disaster that has, Boss and Vengeance MC scrambling to make headway through the obstacles they are now faced with. \* \*COMING SOON\* \* Fury Jonas Gage Cash Sly Dirty \*\*\*This book is intended for readers over the age of 18. It contains coarse language, mature content, sex scenes, material and situations that may offend some readers. \*\*\*

Vampires learn from Serella Stone, a witch from the 13th century, that energy in any form can only be restructured, but never destroyed. That becomes the basis for how it is possible that Audra Trivette and Gaetano Minotti are still very much in existence and out for revenge. Audra seeks to destroy Christian by taking his one love through a debilitating disease, while Gaetano seeks his revenge on Jesse Nestarius, the angel who fought him for Serella centuries ago. Only Serella seems to have the key to unite both sides in the ultimate battle between good and evil, but this time the battle grounds are on both sides of the line between heaven and earth. Spiritual Vengeance is Rosemarie's finest triumph in depicting how closely related both sides of existence can actually be, and what it might take to effect the desired results in both. Fionn Mór has waited to centuries to take his revenge against the Fae Queen and Rose Kelly is the sacrificial key to his vengeance. He just never expected to fall in love with her...

Nothing stirs up Chaos like Vengeance... When Prince Kell returns to Ranello, he finds his homeland in ashes. The invaders from Thallus destroyed everything he held dear, leaving him heir to a throne he can't claim. The thirst for vengeance consumes him and drives him right into the arms of the most unlikely of rebel leaders. Zara has fought for months to keep the hopes of the Ranellian people alive. Finding Kell is just the thing their dying rebellion needs. But as she tries to soothe Kell's bitterness and turn him into the leader he's meant to be, she finds herself desiring the one man she believes she'll never have. A man whose heart was broken by a yellow-haired witch named Arden Soulbearer.

When 11-year-old April joins a group of kids living at Winterborne Home she doesn't expect to be there for very long. But she soon learns that this home isn't like any of the others - especially when she unearths the secret of the missing-and-presumed-dead billionaire, Gabriel Winterborne, who is neither missing nor dead but is actually living in a basement lair, sharpening his swords and looking for vengeance. Now that April knows Gabriel Winterborne is alive, she must turn to the other orphans to keep him that way. As a looming new danger threatens to take Gabriel down once and for all, they must use their individual talents to find a way to make sure this home for misfits isn't lost to them for ever. Because at the Winterborne Home, nothing is what it seems, no one is who they say they are and nowhere is safe. And now a ragtag group of orphans must unravel the riddle of a missing heir, a supposed phantom and a secret key, all without alerting the adults of Winterborne House that trouble is afoot. The first book in a captivating new series from the bestselling author of Gallagher Girls.

Since its publication in 1842, *Dead Souls* has been celebrated as a supremely realistic portrait of provincial Russian life and as a splendidly exaggerated tale; as a paean to the Russian spirit and as a remorseless satire of imperial Russian venality, vulgarity, and pomp. As Gogol's wily antihero, Chichikov, combs the back country wheeling and dealing for "dead souls"--deceased serfs who still represent money to anyone sharp enough to trade in them--we are introduced to a Dickensian cast of peasants, landowners, and conniving petty officials, few of whom can resist the seductive illogic of Chichikov's proposition.

A glorious, bloody, perfect Viking saga of honour, courage, blood feud and revenge from the Sunday Times bestselling author of *Lancelot*, Giles Kristian. Perfect for fans of Bernard Cornwell and *Games of Thrones*. "Unrelenting pace, brilliant action and characters. A masterwork." - CONN IGGULDEN "Action-packed storytelling which stirs the blood and thrills the soul" - WILBUR SMITH "Easily one of the best books I've had the pleasure to read" - \*\*\*\*\* Reader review. \*\*\*\*\* IT BEGAN WITH THE

BETRAYAL OF A LORD BY A KING... Norway 785 AD. When King Gorm puts Jarl Harald's family to the sword, he makes one fatal mistake - he fails to kill Harald's youngest son, Sigurd. His kin slain, his village seized, his taken as slaves, Sigurd wonders if the gods have forsaken him. Hunted by powerful men, he is unsure who to trust and yet he has a small band of loyal followers at his side. With them - and with the help of the All-Father, Odin - he determines to make a king pay for his treachery. Using cunning and war-craft, Sigurd gathers together a fellowship of warriors - including his father's right-hand man Olaf, Bram (who men call Bear), Black Floki who wields death with a blade, and the shield maiden Valgerd, who fears no man - and convinces them to follow him. For, whether Ódin is with him or not, Sigurd WILL have vengeance. And neither men nor gods had best stand in his way . . . Sigurd's story continues in *Winter's Fire*.

Rebecca has been captured and awakens alone in the dark, not knowing where she is. She can feel that Llyr is alive, but cannot contact him through the soul link. Chained to a wall and without magic, she must find a way to survive and escape. Llyr was defeated by his brother and witnessed the fall of the tower on Avalon. Being separated from Rebecca has created a problem: the soul link is draining his body of all strength. Despite not being able to stand on his own, he's determined to return to his world and save Rebecca from the Archwizard. Without Havaar to guide him, he must rely on the ghosts of Havaar's school to find a way home.

Naples, March 1931: a bitter wind stalks the city streets, and murder lies at its chilled heart. As one of the world's greatest tenors, Maestro Vezzi, is found brutally murdered in his dressing room at Naples' famous San Carlo Theatre, the enigmatic and aloof Commissario Ricciardi is called in to investigate. Arrogant and bad-tempered, Vezzi was hated by many, but with the livelihoods of the opera at stake, who would have committed this callous act? Ricciardi, along with his loyal colleague, Maione, is determined to discover the truth. But Ricciardi carries his own secret: will it help him solve this murder?

When past pain remains with a soul, and taints its very existence in such a way time just cannot wash off. When hurt from loved ones becomes the essence upon which a life is built and is lived, then the seed of such pain never truly leaves. When life has been nothing but one big ball of turmoil for a soul, then it becomes lost in seek of vengeance against the elements that brought it such unfair circumstances. A man born and raised in Germany, by the name Jack would come to see life like no ordinary child his age ever could. At a tender age, his life's unforgettable nightmare started. His face scarred badly and rendered unfit to ever be looked upon again, he would wear a mask to cover his physical scars, while the unseen ones continue to grow. Jack would see life as nothing but dark and hope with each passing day for something better than the pain he felt. A few years later, his miracle comes, but with it would have been years of unjust, hate, disdain and constant belittling from those around him. He had become a scourge in the eyes of those who knew him. He was seen as nothing but a good for nothing plague who could never amount into anything. He was never regarded to be anything in form of a human while he managed to survive through life by struggling through times others will definitely have given up. Finally he found the woman of his life, the woman he could do everything and sacrifice everything, just for her, but nothing would be enough to appease the man who felt like he was nothing but a living dead. Becoming a scholar, and assisted to pursue his dreams as a lawyer wouldn't be enough to cure the hate in his heart. He just couldn't find appease in anything until he healed the hearty wounds he felt. Finally, he decided to leave, his everything. ... and 7 years later ... Now a fulfilled man with the world at his feet, his insatiable hunger for revenge would spur on a series of revenge seeking events against seven people in his past that brought him nothing but pain. Will Jack succeed in what is an elaborately planned scheme to bring his enemies down and under through years of meticulous planning? Will Jack find peace in the vengeance he seeks, or will his revenge seeking desire become his own undoing? Jack is a man on a mission, and he would use the perfect weapon as a

lawyer... the law.

Bloody war rages across the Forgotten Realms world in the third book of the Companions Codex, the latest series in R.A. Salvatore's New York Times best-selling saga of dark elf Drizzt Do'Urden. In the evolving world of the Forgotten Realms setting, the Sundering has given way to months of cloud-cloaked darkness, and war rages under that oppressive sky. The orcs have broken a hard-fought treaty that's held, however tentatively, for a hundred years, and the time to settle old scores has devolved into an all-out brawl for control of the ancient realms of the North.

Something terrifying has awakened in the bayou... When a pair of moonshiners out on an illicit midnight delivery disappear, no one pays much attention. Until their truck is found abandoned on a lonely back road, and not far away, their mutilated bodies.

Stumped, the local police chalk it up to a wild animal. But the killer isn't done. Another attack swiftly follows. A pair of teenagers at a popular swimming hole. But this time there is a survivor, and she tells of a monstrous beast with yellow eyes and sharp teeth. A creature that should not exist. Now, with the townsfolk up in arms and fearing yet more deadly attacks, Sheriff John Decker must hunt this impossible creature and bring it down before it can kill again. Because if he doesn't, the next victim might be someone he loves. Part thriller, part supernatural horror, you won't want to stop reading until the very end. ?

Dani Jillson, a young woman trapped in the daily grind of life, is looking for a way out. She happens upon such an opportunity during a particularly brutal attack one night, when an entity offers to intervene on her behalf if Dani will act as the entity's Avatar.

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