

Media Kit



Tracy Krauss
Author- Artist- Playwright

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Tracy is a multi-published and award-winning author of contemporary Christian romance with a twist of suspense and a touch of humour. Her stage plays have been performed across North America, and she has contributed to several anthologies, devotional books, and illustrated children's books. Tracy has lived in many unique and remote areas of Canada's far north, and has taught Art, Drama, and English in five provinces and territories.

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What Reviewers Have to Say...

"An eerie sensation stole over me in the opening pages of *Wind Over Marshdale*, which I'm sure was the intent of author... it felt all too real, downright creepy even. And I couldn't wait to read more."

Amazon Reviewer

"Cleverly crafted and quite the satisfying read... Krauss successfully engages the imagination while simultaneously provoking higher thought... sure to provoke many a heated discussion throughout the faith community and beyond."






Apex Reviews

"Tracy is a vibrant and energetic speaker who knows how to inject little bits of humor to keep it light."








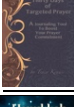



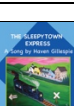
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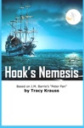



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	FICTION
	THREE STRAND CORD – ISBN: 978-1-988447-343 Three women discover that true friendship is stronger than the most dangerous web of international espionage and intrigue. (Novel: paperback & ebook)
	BLOOD TIES – ISBN: 978-1-988447-469 Family blood runs deep, but only one blood can transform. The story continues in Book 2 of the <i>THREE STRAND CORD</i> Series. (Novel: paperback & ebook)
	TEMPEST TOSSED – ISBN: 978-1-988447-476 Diamond smuggling, insider corruption, suspicious deaths, and a reporter's obsession. What could possibly go wrong? Book 3 in the <i>THREE STRAND CORD</i> Series. (Novel: paperback & ebook)
	NEIGHBOURS Series 1 – ISBN: 978-1-988447-124 Follow a cast of quirky characters living in the same Calgary apartment building with mix-ups, foibles, romance and intrigue. You just never know who might move in next door! (Novel: paperback, ebook)
	KEEPING UP WITH THE NEIGHBOURS Series 2 - ISBN: 978-1-988447-315 The Malloys are back! The series continues when Jed and his raucous siblings from 'the rock' make a new life out west. Calgary will never be the same! (Novel: paperback, ebook)
	WIND OVER MARSHDALE – ISBN: 978-1-988-447-940 Beneath the quaint façade of a small prairie town, hidden evil surfaces as one man pits his faith against the ancient medicine of his ancestral roots. (Novel: paperback, ebook, & audio)
	LONE WOLF – ISBN: 978-1-988-447-964 Thomas Lone Wolf survived a brush with death, but can he survive a broken heart? This novella length sequel picks up where <i>WIND OVER MARSHDALE</i> leaves off. (Novella: ebook)
	WHISPERING WINDS – ISBN: 978-1-990871-245 A First Nations woman traumatized by the past finds healing from an unexpected source. (paperback, ebook)
	CONSPIRACY OF BONES – ISBN: 978-1-988447-353 When an archaeologist finds dinosaur and human remains buried together, his career and his very life are in danger as unseen forces try to hide the truth. (Novel: paperback, ebook, & hardcover)
	PLAY IT AGAIN – ISBN: 978-1-988447-384 Sparks fly when an ex-rock and roll junkie and a stuffy accountant rendezvous at a local resort, but neither are prepared for the emotional complications or danger from the past that resurfaces. (Novel: paperback & ebook)
	MY MOTHER THE MAN-EATER – ISBN: 9781609765859 A forty-something 'cougar's' search for fulfillment keeps getting foiled when her prospects fall for one of her daughters instead. (Novel: paperback & ebook)
	THE ALIEN NEXT DOOR - ISBN: 978-1-988-447-872 An unlikely teenager turns super-hero in this coming of age romantic Sci-fi action-adventure. (Novel: paperback & ebook)
	COLONY ZERO - ISBN: 9781622085569 (contributing author) In the future, criminals and misfits are sent to die on a penal colony far away from Earth. However, a routine mission discovers a thriving colony instead. (Novel: Paperback. Ebook no longer available)
	THE BEST BLUE CHRISTMAS - ISBN: 978-1-988-447-636 When a disgruntled insurance worker finds an unlikely sympathizer in her good-looking neighbour, she realizes Christmas isn't all bad. (Novella: ebook only)
	FRAYED STRANDS – ISBN: 978-1-988447- Revenge. Bitterness. Envy. Three vices brought on by betrayal of the worst kind. Follow three characters from the <i>Three Strand Cord</i> Series as they discover God's grace and forgiveness is even for the imperfect. (ebook, pk)

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	NON-FICTION & CHILDREN'S BOOKS
	DIVINE APPOINTMENTS: One Year Devotional Based on God's Calendar - ISBN: 978-1-988447-827 Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Jewish months. This complete collection contains one full year of readings. <i>(ebook only)</i>
	DIVINE APPOINTMENTS: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar: SPRING – ISBN: 978-1-988447-65-0 Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrews calendar. This book contains readings for the spring months. <i>(paperback, hardcover & ebook editions)</i>
	DIVINE APPOINTMENTS: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar: SUMMER - ISBN: 978-1-988447-698 Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar. This book contains readings for the summer months. <i>(paperback, hardcover & ebook editions)</i>
	DIVINE APPOINTMENTS: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar: AUTUMN - ISBN: 978-1-988447-742 Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar. This book contains readings for the autumn months. <i>(paperback, hardcover & ebook editions)</i>
	DIVINE APPOINTMENTS: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar: WINTER - ISBN: 978-1-988447-789 Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar. This book contains readings for the winter months. <i>(paperback, hardcover & ebook editions)</i>
	LIFE IS A HIGHWAY: Advice & Reflections On Navigating the Road of Life - ISBN: 9781491223741 Hope and guidance are within reach when God is life's tour guide. Using Biblical examples sprinkled with personal anecdotes, this little book offers sound advice and is sure to lift your spirits. <i>(paperback & ebook)</i>
	ANGELS WATCHING OVER ME: The Memoirs of Gilles Goddard - ISBN: 978-1-988447-50-6 Gilles is a long-haul trucker, former marine, and devout Christian who, despite great personal tragedy, continues to persevere through life with a smile on his face and a story to tell. <i>(paperback & ebook)</i>
	THIRTY DAYS OF TARGETED PRAYER: A Journaling Tool to Boost Your Prayer Commitment - ISBN: 9781988447131 This easy to use journal will help you pray more efficiently and effectively whether you are a seasoned prayer warrior or a new Christian. <i>(paperback only)</i>
	Hanukkah For Jesus Followers - ISBN: 978-1-990871-177 Have fun and be inspired as you incorporate Hanukkah celebrations into your holiday season. <i>(paperback, ebook)</i>
	Simply Advent - 978-1-990871-191 Use this little booklet as a jumping-off place to delve further into the rich traditions of Advent. <i>(paperback, ebook)</i>
	THE SLEEPYTOWN EXPRESS: A SONG BY HAVEN GILLESPIE - ISBN: 978-1-988447-14-8 Soda pop pools, lemonade streams and other tasty delights await when you hop on board the Sleepytown Express, an illustrated children's book based on the song by Haven Gillespie, author of 'Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town'. <i>(hardcover, paperback, & ebook)</i>
	THE SLEEPYTOWN EXPRESS: A SONG BY HAVEN GILLESPIE "BLUE" edition - ISBN: 978-1-988447-902 The same classic book with a blue cover! Perfect for a baby gift! <i>(Hardcover only)</i>
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	<i>Stage Plays</i>
	<i>Mutiny On Mount Olympus</i> Poseidon and Hades have had enough of Zeus in this hilarious medley of Greek myths suitable for all ages.
	<i>A Midterm Eve's Phantasm</i> Based on Shakespeare's "A Mid-Summer Night's Dream" this modern remake in a high school setting is full of surprises. Suitable for all ages.
	<i>King William Travels the World</i> A pompous and narcissistic monarch decides to travel the entire world in this hilarious 'Monty-Python-esque' comedy suitable for all ages.
	<i>Ebenezer's Christmas Carol</i> Comedy and fun characterize this retelling of Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol' suitable for all ages.
	<i>Ali & the Magic Lamp</i> Ali is a skateboarding girl in this twisted retelling of Aladdin, complete with dragons, video games, and more! Suitable for all ages.
	<i>Dorothy's Road Trip</i> A modern twist on the classic "Wizard of Oz" suitable for all ages.
	<i>Hook's Nemesis</i> Blame it on mother! Captain Hook is a neurotic female in this hilarious adaptation of Peter Pan suitable for all ages.
	<i>Little Red In the Hood</i> A fun filled cast of characters and some unlikely heroes prove that you can't judge a book by its cover. Especially good for a younger cast.
	<i>The Western Tale</i> The Bard goes western in this dark comedy about jealousy, revenge and ultimate restoration based on "The Winter's Tale".
	<i>Snow White & The Dwarves' Revenge</i> Expect the unexpected in this mash-up of fairy tales where no one is who they seem to be...
	Visit: tracykrauss.com for pricing and other details!

Bios for Tracy Krauss

X bio: (126 characters)

Tracy Krauss is a multi-published author, artist, and playwright known best for her no-nonsense approach to Christian fiction.

Short Bio: (less than 50 words)

Tracy Krauss has more than thirty novels, books and stage plays in print. Her work resonates with readers looking for thought-provoking faith-based romance with a twist of suspense and a touch of humour. <https://tracykrauss.com> *"Fiction on the edge without crossing the line."*

Medium Bio: (less than 100 words)

Tracy Krauss is an award-winning and best-selling novelist, playwright, and artist with more than thirty works in print. Her work resonates with readers looking for thought-provoking faith-based fiction laced with romance, suspense, and humour. She has a B.Ed from the University of Saskatchewan and has lived in many remote and interesting places in Canada's far north. She and her husband currently reside in beautiful Tumbler Ridge, BC where she continues to pursue all of her creative interests.

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Long Bio: (350 words)

Tracy Krauss is an award-winning author, artist, playwright, pastor, teacher, mother, and grandmother -- not necessarily in that order! She writes contemporary Christian romance with a twist of suspense and a touch of humour. Her books resonate with readers looking for thought-provoking faith-based fiction. Her work has won multiple awards and has been on Amazon's bestsellers' lists. She also writes stage plays tailored to a high school audience and has contributed to several anthologies, devotional books, and one illustrated children's book.

She has served on the executive of ICWF (Inscribe Christian Writers Fellowship), a Canada-wide organization for writers of Christian faith. She is also a member of The Word Guild, The Playwrights Guild of Canada, and ACFW (American Christian Fiction Writers). An avid reader, Tracy reviews books and posts most of these online at amazon, goodreads, and on her blog.

Originally from the small prairie town of Mossbank, Saskatchewan, Tracy received her Bachelor's Degree from the University of Saskatchewan in Saskatoon and taught Secondary School English, Drama and Art for many years. She was also involved in the homeschool movement for several years and now works for an independent distributed learning school. She has been involved in local theatre for more than thirty years and has written and directed dozens of stage plays, several of which have found homes with well-known US play publishing houses and have been performed all across North America.

She is credentialed for ministry with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada and has co-pastored with her husband, preaching, teaching, and leading worship, as well as other activities. She and her husband, a pastor and adventurer, have lived in five provinces and territories including many remote and unique places in Canada's far north such as Churchill, Manitoba – polar bear capital of the world; the Yukon – home of the Klondike Gold Rush; and the North West Territories. They have four grown children and now reside in beautiful Tumbler Ridge, waterfall capital of British Columbia, where she continues to pursue all of her creative interests.

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Wind Over Marshdale



ISBNs: 978-1-988-447-957 (epub)
978-1-988-447-940 (paperback)
Fictitious Ink Publishing 2022
(First edition: Astraea Press 2012)
Audio book: 978-1522679677
406 pages.

Tagline: Beneath the quaint facade of a small prairie town, hidden evil resurfaces as one man pits his faith against the ancient medicine of his ancestral roots.

Synopsis: Marshdale. Just a small farming community where nothing special happens. A perfect place to start over... or get lost. There is definitely more to this prairie town than meets the eye. Once the meeting place of aboriginal tribes for miles around, some say the land itself was cursed because of the people's sin. But its

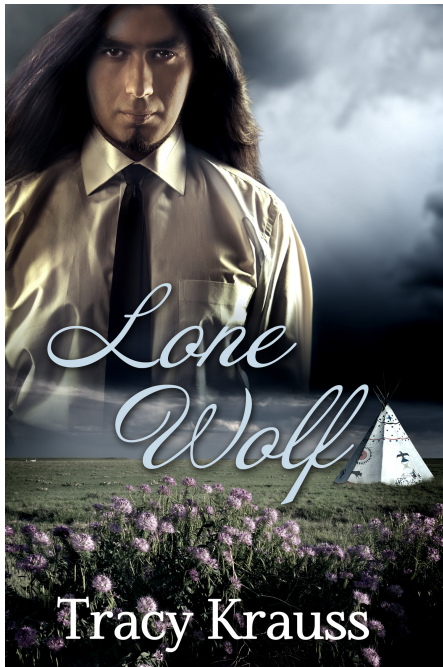
history goes farther back than even indigenous oral history can trace and there is still a direct descendant who has been handed the truth, like it or not. Exactly what ties does the land have to the medicine of the ancients? Is it cursed, or is it all superstition? *Wind Over Marshdale* is the story of the struggles within a small prairie town when hidden evil and ancient medicine resurface. This suspenseful story is one of human frailty - prejudice, cowardice, jealousy, and greed – magnified by powerful spiritual forces that have remained hidden for centuries, only to be broken in triumph by grace.

For reviews, book trailers, videos, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/wind-over-marshdale/>

Prices subject to change

Lone Wolf (Wind Over Marshdale Book 2)



ISBN: 978-1-988-447-964 (ebook)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2022

(first edition: Astraea Press/CleanReads, 2014)

74 pages.

Tagline:

Thomas Lone Wolf survived a brush with death. But can he survive a broken heart? This novella length sequel picks up where ***Wind Over Marshdale*** leaves off.

Synopsis:

Thomas Lone Wolf has recovered from a brush with death – and from a broken heart. His work of opening a First Nations cultural center at an archaeological site near the town of Marshdale is almost complete. Once his son graduates from high school, he and his

daughter will have to move on to the next project. Just when he has resigned himself to being a single dad for the rest of his life, he meets a woman who seems perfect. But can his wounded heart take a chance on love again? ***Lone Wolf*** is a novella length sequel to ***Wind over Marshdale***.

For press release, reviews, book trailer, videos and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/lone-wolf>

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Whispering Winds



ISBN: 978-1-990871-245 (paperback);
978-1-990871-238 (ePub)
Fictitious Ink Publishing 2024
232 pages

Tagline: Can Tanzi undo the shackles of her childhood trauma and allow love in?

Synopsis: Tanzi Lone Wolf is a strong independent woman, at least on the surface. Part of her armor includes never letting anyone get close. But fate has other ideas. A chance meeting with a handsome stranger turns her world upside down, while increasing family struggles, including her brother's wrongful imprisonment, have her living on a knife's edge. Can she undo the shackles of her childhood trauma and allow love in?

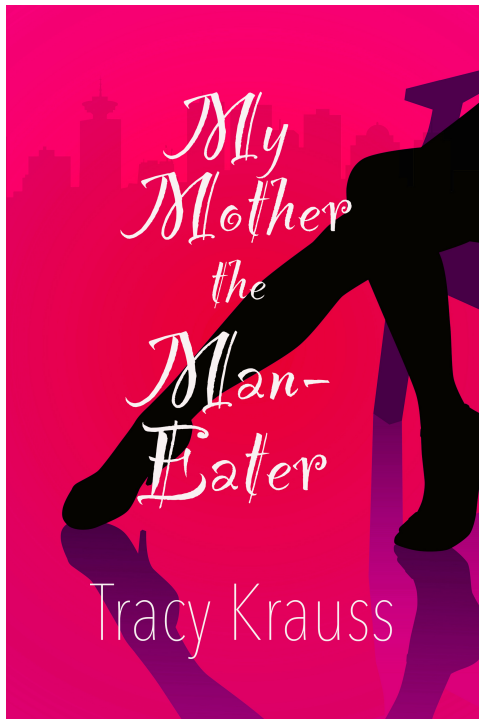
WHISPERING WINDS is the third book in the *WIND OVER MARSHDALE* Series, following Tanzi Lone Wolf's journey of healing and her quest for the acceptance that only God can give.

For reviews, book trailers, videos, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/whispering-winds/>

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My Mother the Man-Eater



ISBNs: 9781988447933 (paperback)

978-1-988447-926 (ebook)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2022

(First edition: Eloquent Books 2010)

426 pages

Tagline: A cougar bites off more than she can chew when she dates five men at once while also dodging her vindictive ex.

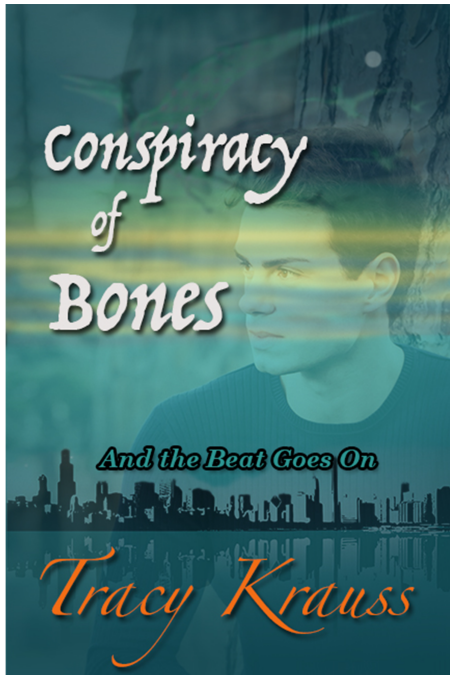
Synopsis: A forty-something cougar's search for fulfillment keeps getting foiled when her prospects fall for one of her daughters instead. Meanwhile, her vindictive ex-husband, fresh out of prison, will stop at nothing—even murder—to get revenge. Laced with humor, grit, action, and plenty of plot twists, *My Mother the Man-Eater* is the story of a woman whose search for meaning in life sends her straight into the arms of God.

For press releases, reviews, book trailers, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/my-mother-the-man-eater>

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CONSPIRACY OF BONES: And the Beat Goes On



ISBNs: 9781988447353 (paperback)
9781988447360 (epub0)
Fictitious Ink Publishing 2017
(First edition: Strategic Book, 2009)
365 pages.

Tagline: When an archaeologist finds dinosaur and human remains buried together, his career - and his life - are in danger as unseen forces try to hide the truth.

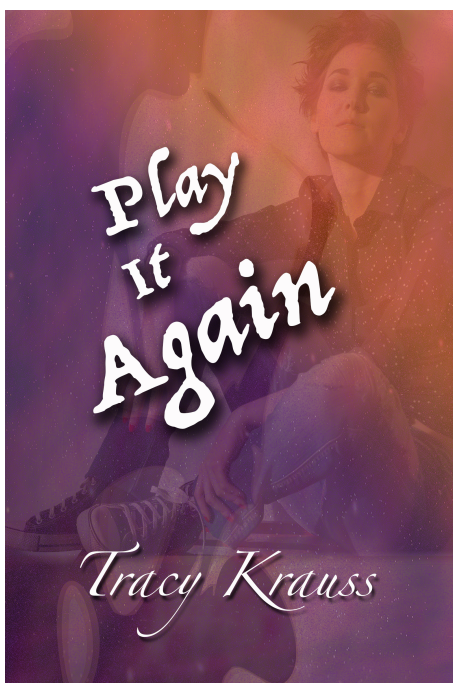
Synopsis: Archaeologist Mark Graham finds pterodactyl and human remains buried together in the mountains of Zimbabwe which seem to suggest the existence of the mythical race called 'Nephilim' mentioned in the Bible. Despite Mark's scepticism, the find also seems to favor a creationist model of the universe and the probability of a worldwide flood.

Sabotage and even murder follow, leaving Mark and his team scrambling to preserve the evidence and make their find public before would be conspirators ruin the site and their reputations. Loaded with action, plot twists and a touch of romance, this book is sure to spark debate, no matter one's religious views.

For press releases, reviews, book trailers, videos, excerpts, and all purchase links:
<https://tracykrauss.com/books/conspiracy-of-bones>

Prices subject to change

Play it Again



ISBNs: 9781988447384 (paperback)

9781988447-391 (epub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2018

(First edition: Strategic Book, 2011)

237 pages.

Tagline: Sparks fly when an ex-rock and roll junkie and a stuffy accountant rendezvous at a local resort, but neither are prepared for the emotional complications or danger from the past that resurfaces.

Synopsis:

Sparks fly when an ex-rock and roll junkie and a stuffy accountant rendezvous at a local resort, but neither are prepared for the emotional entanglements, family complications, and threat from the past that unexpectedly resurfaces. Set in the 1980s, this story

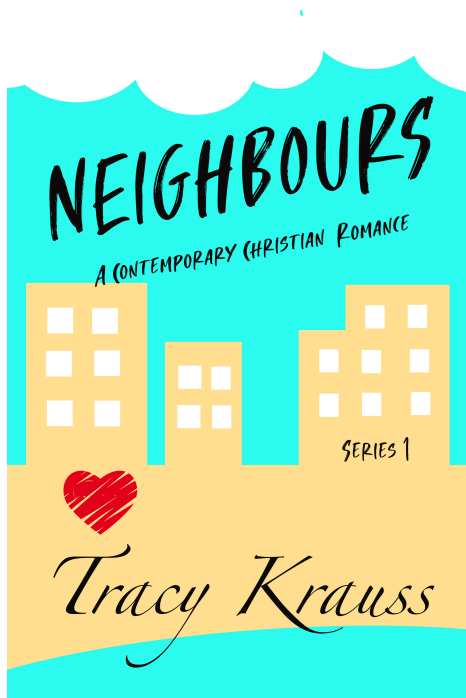
brings two opposing forces together in a clash of romance and danger, while its musical undertones highlight the theme that God can turn anything into beautiful music. ***Play It Again*** is the prequel to ***Conspiracy of Bones***. Find out where Mark Graham's journey began in this, the story of his parents.

For press releases, reviews, book trailers, excerpts, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/play-it-again>

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Neighbours – A Contemporary Christian Romance: Series 1



ISBNs: 978-1-988-447-124 (paperback)

978-1-988-447-10-0 (epub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2016

(First edition: Helping Hands Press 2014)

308 pages. (Includes bonus recipes.)

Tagline: Nine novella length stories follow a cast of quirky characters living in the same Calgary apartment building. Mix ups, foibles, romance and intrigue finally bring them all together for the final episode. You just never know who might move in next door...

Synopsis: Lester Tibbett has to leave his farm in Southern Alberta for the big city. It means starting over in an unfamiliar environment - a heavy burden for the guardian of a teenage sister full of angst. The apartment complex to which they relocate is a far

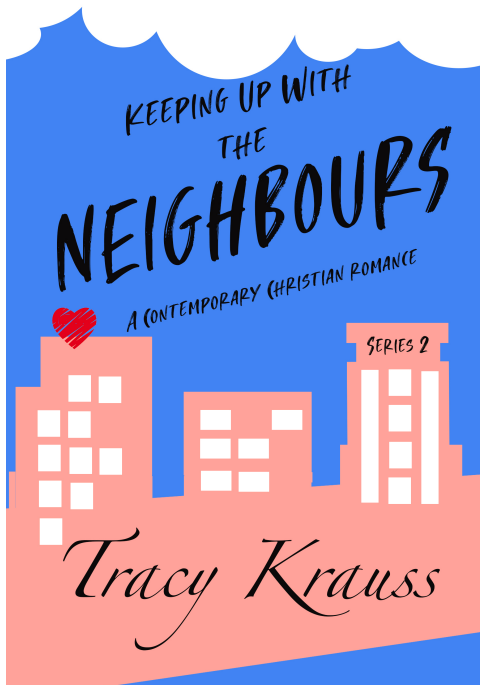
cry from their spacious farmhouse and offers little anonymity for a man used to doing things his own way. During the process, he pushes his own loneliness aside in favor of looking after his sister. As Lester struggles to find a church that will meet both their spiritual needs, he quickly learns that neighbors come in many forms, some of them quite meddlesome. Still, he is happy to accept help from an overtly friendly neighbor named Jed who also happens to work for the same construction company. The two soon become friends, despite Jed's habit of trying to set Lester up with every available single female, and end up frequenting a local pub where Lester is surprised to discover an 'old school' mechanical bull just waiting to be ridden. The former rodeo cowboy in him rises up, but not before he meets a mysterious woman who is out of his reach. **'New In The Neighborhood'** is the first in a nine part series of novella length installments.

For press releases, reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/neighbours>

Prices subject to change

Keeping Up With the Neighbours - A Contemporary Christian Romance: Series 2



ISBN: 978-1-988-447-315 (paperback)

978-1-988447-30-8 (epub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2017

385 pages

Tagline: The Malloys are back! The series continues when Jed and his raucous siblings from 'the rock' make a new life out west. Calgary will never be the same!

Synopsis: Look out! The Malloy family have taken over the neighbourhood, starting with Jed, whom we met in Neighbours Series 1. Jed is a downhome boy from Newfoundland who's a bit rough around the edges, but he's the first to lend a helping hand when needed. His colourful and sometimes raucous siblings – Bo, Reba, Pip, Will, and Zeb – join him one by one in the western city of Calgary, Alberta.

There's plenty of laughter, romance, and a few surprises, as the Malloy clan get together. In the midst of the surprises, a greater love than any one of them ever expected comes to call: The love that only God can give. This complete series contains all episodes from *Neighbours Series Two* with a distinct Canadian flair. It's more contemporary Christian romance from award winning author Tracy Krauss.

For press releases, reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/keeping-up-with-the-neighbours>

Prices subject to change

Three Strand Cord



ISBNs: 978-1988447-438 (paperback)

978-1988447-41-4 (epub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2018

314 pages

(Book 1 in Series)

Tagline: Three women discover that true friendship is stronger than the most dangerous web of international espionage and intrigue.

Moral or spiritual lesson:

No matter where you are on your spiritual journey, God is a friend that sticks closer than a brother.

Synopsis: Tempest. Stella. Cherise. Fate brought them together, but can their friendship survive the tangled web of danger and deception that threatens their lives? When Cherise convinces Tempest to

pretend to be her so that she can sneak out of the country to be with her dashing Italian boyfriend, she is inadvertently implicated in an international drug ring. An unexpected complication forces Tempest to prolong the charade and she finds herself attracted to the very man who might be out to cause her harm. Meanwhile, Stella's high ideals are met with suspicion and disdain at her father's Texas ranch, until she uncovers a dangerous secret that could put all their lives in jeopardy. At the same time, her own errant emotions take over as she falls in love with two brothers at the same time. Things heat up when Cherise is kidnapped and the three friends must turn to one another – and God - to get out of harm's way. *Three Strand Cord* is a story of intrigue and romance told from three different points of view, all coming together to prove that when it comes to true friendship, 'a three strand cord is not easily broken'.

For reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/three-strand-cord>

Prices subject to change

BLOOD TIES (Three Strand Cord Book 2)



ISBNs: 978-1988447-469 (paperback)

978-1988447-44-5 (epub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2019

317 pages

(Three Strand Cord Series - Book 2)

Tagline: Family blood runs deep, but only one blood can transform.

Moral or spiritual lesson: Human love is no substitute for the love of God.

Synopsis: Socialite Cherise Hillyer has a terrible track record with men. When she falls for cowboy Blue Shepherd, she knows it will only be a matter of time before her wandering eye turns elsewhere, so she abruptly ends the relationship. Blue's rebound turns out to be a vengeful woman who threatens to ruin his life when he doesn't reciprocate her feelings.

Meanwhile, Cherise and her brother Dirk get drawn into a drug smuggling operation while volunteering at an orphanage in Mexico. Through their trials, all three learn that human love is no substitute for the unconditional love of God. BLOOD TIES is the sequel to THREE STRAND CORD, following the lives of three people tied by blood as they search for true love amidst danger, intrigue, and their own human frailty.

For reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/blood-ties/>

Prices subject to change

Tempest Tossed (Three Strand Cord Book 3)



ISBNs: 978-1-988447-476 (paperback)

978-1-988-447-483 (epub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2020

290 pages

(Three Strand Cord Series - Book 3)

Tagline:

Diamond smuggling, insider corruption, suspicious deaths, and a reporter's obsession. What could possibly go wrong?

Moral or spiritual Lesson:

The unconditional love of God is worth more than diamonds

Synopsis:

When journalist Tempest Ross uncovers suspicious circumstances surrounding her parents' death, she must find the truth before deadly forces take her own life. FBI agent Ryan O'Toole has survived

many dangerous missions, but this time the stakes are even higher as he tries to crack a diamond smuggling operation amidst insider corruption. Anne-Marie is a capable nurse, but her personal insecurities make her run away to the NWT, where she inadvertently gets mixed up in the diamond heist. Follow the lives of three separate, but connected people as they navigate danger, corruption, and international intrigue. Book 3 reacquaints readers with characters from Books 1 and 2, bringing their story arcs to a close while reaffirming that unconditional love – including that of the heavenly Father – is worth far more than diamonds.

For reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/tempest-tossed/>

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The Alien Next Door



ISBNs: 978-1-990871-146 (epub)

978-1-990871-153 (paperback)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2023

236 pages

Tagline: An unlikely teenager turns super-hero in this coming of age romantic Sci-fi action-adventure.

Book blurb: Trust your instincts. It just might save the planet.

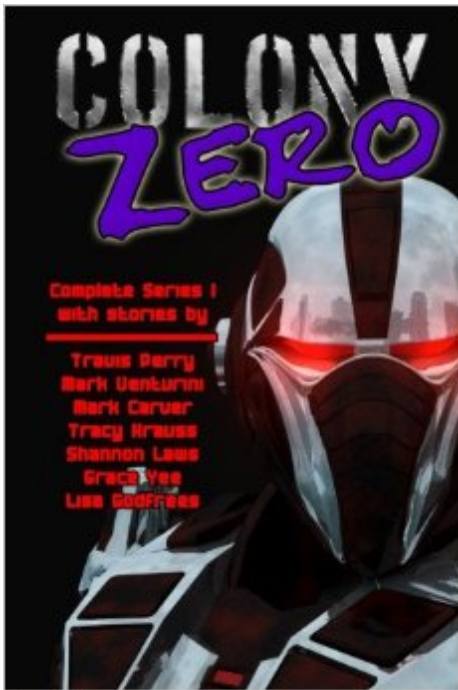
Francis Greenwater has a crush on the new girl - until he finds out she's an alien! But before he can sort out his feelings, he must save the planet from impending doom as another of their kind goes rogue.

For reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/the-alien-next-door/>

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Colony Zero



Colony Zero – The Complete Series 1

ISBN: 9781622085569

(Helping Hands Press 2014)

Co-written by several authors

(paperback, ebook, audio) 158 pages.

Tagline: In the future, criminals and misfits are sent to die on a penal colony far away from Earth. However, a routine mission discovers a thriving colony instead.

Synopsis: In 2810, they're called Zeroes. Some Zeroes are born, somehow slipping through the genetic screening and purification tests in utero mandated by an overpopulated Earth. Others become Zeroes later, the worst murderers and thieves and abusers, despite the same genetic screening. Whether born or made, they are Earth's outcasts, the dregs, sent to a

perpetually dark rock orbiting a Y-class brown dwarf star by a society without the patience or desire to deal with them. The Relocation Ministry cites the humanity of the process, offering the Zeroes a chance at a new life. Yet the overcrowded world secretly knows with silent approval that they're sent to Colony Zero for one reason: to die. That is until the RM ship Valkyrie 2 arrives on a routine survey mission to retrieve core samples. It is on that dark wind-swept planet that the crew discovers a far different secret.

Purchase Options:

Chapters: <https://www.chapters.indigo.ca/en-ca/books/colony-zero/9781622085569-item.html?ikwid=colony+zero&ikwsec=Home&ikwidx=2>

Amazon: https://www.amazon.com/Colony-Zero-Complete-Travis-Perry/dp/1622085566/ref=asap_bc?ie=UTF8

The Best Blue Christmas



ISBN: 978-1-988-447-636

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2020

(1st edition: Helping Hands Press 2014)

Novella length ebook

Tagline: Christmas isn't all bad--depending on who you're with!

Book blurb: Cassidy hates Christmas. It's why she fled to the Yukon in the first place. To her surprise, her good-looking outdoorsy neighbor also dislikes the holidays. They make a pact to help one another get through the season but discover Christmas might not be so bad depending on who you're with.

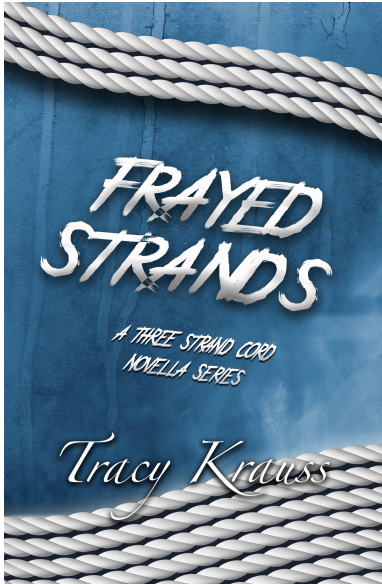
Short description: When a disgruntled insurance worker finds an unlikely sympathizer in her good-looking neighbour, she finds out that Christmas isn't all bad.

For reviews, excerpts, videos, and all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/the-best-blue-christmas/>

Prices subject to change

FRAYED STRANDS
A Three Strand Cord Novella Series



ISBNs: 978-1-990871-009 (epub)
978-1-990-871-016 (paperback)
Fictitious ink Publishing 2022
Pages 173

Tagline:

Revenge. Bitterness. Envy. Three vices brought on by betrayal of the worst kind. Follow three characters from the *Three Strand Cord* Series as they discover God's grace and forgiveness is even for the imperfect.

Book blurb:

Revenge. Bitterness. Envy. Even the nicest people can succumb to these vices when they are allowed to take root. Follow the lives of three characters from the *Three Strand Cord* Series tied by circumstances and fate as they navigate

unforeseen circumstances following the betrayal of trusted friends and colleagues. *Frayed Strands* includes three novella-length stories that highlight God's grace and forgiveness—even for the imperfect.

For reviews, excerpts, book trailer, videos, and all purchase links:

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Also available in separate novella length volumes:

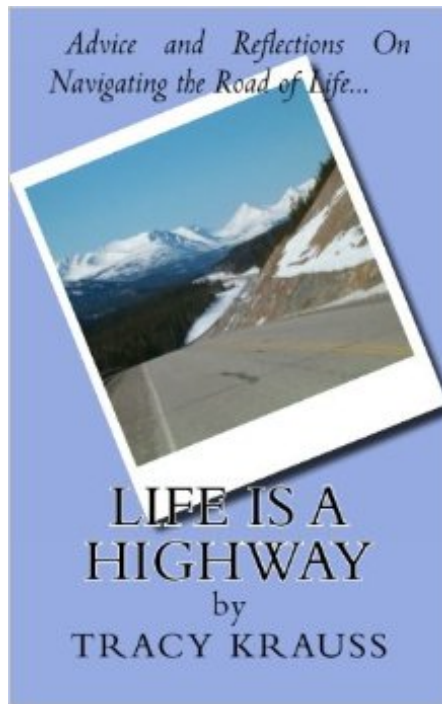
A Thread of Revenge – <https://tracykrauss.com/books/a-thread-of-revenge>

A Strand of Bitterness - <https://tracykrauss.com/books/a-strand-of-bitterness>

A Cord of Envy - <https://tracykrauss.com/books/a-cord-of-envy>



LIFE IS A HIGHWAY:
Advice and Reflections On Navigating the Road of Life



ISBN: 9781491223741 (paperback)
978-1-988447-34-6 (epub)
Fictitious Ink Publishing 2014
96 pages

Hope and guidance are within reach when God is life's tour guide. Using Biblical examples sprinkled with personal anecdotes, this little book offers sound advice and is sure to lift your spirits.

Suitable as a stand-alone or for small group study. Book includes questions at the end of each chapter.

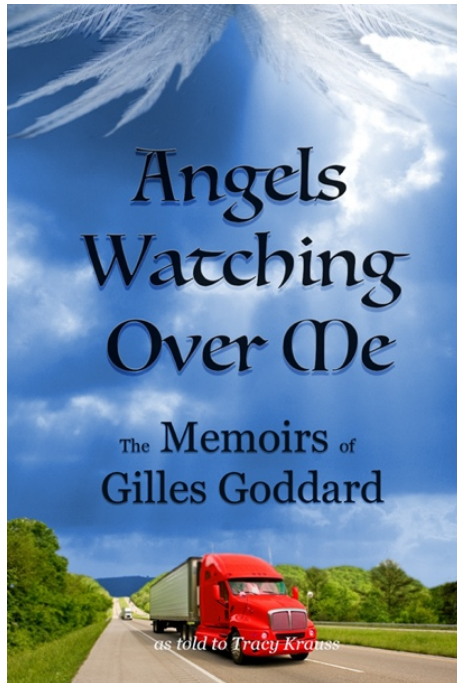
For excerpts, reviews, videos and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/life-is-a-highway>

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***Angels Watching Over Me:
The Memoirs of Gilles Goddard***

By Tracy Krauss and Gilles Goddard



ISBN: 978-1-988447-50-6 (Paperback)

ISBN: 978-1-988447-51-3 (ebook)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2020

90 pages

Short Description:

Gilles is a long-haul trucker, former marine, and devout Christian who, despite great personal tragedy, continues to persevere through life with a smile on his face and a story to tell.

Back Cover:

Gilles Goddard, a long-haul trucker and former marine, persevered through life with a smile on his face and a story to tell. His extraordinary faith produced a generosity and kindness of heart not often seen, even in the midst of great personal tragedy. He survived five heart attacks, almost died while serving in the navy, and has experienced more

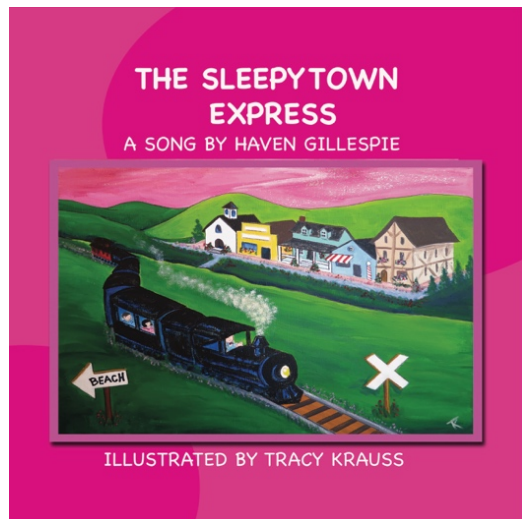
than his share of heartbreak. One son committed suicide due to drug use; another was hit by a car when he was only six years old and died. But according to Gilles, "We don't have to live there, even if we never forget." Fifty years on the highways of North America taught him many lessons about life, love, and the pursuit of happiness – all recounted in a delightful, yet candid narrative sure to touch your heart.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

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The Sleepytown Express
A Song by Haven Gillespie



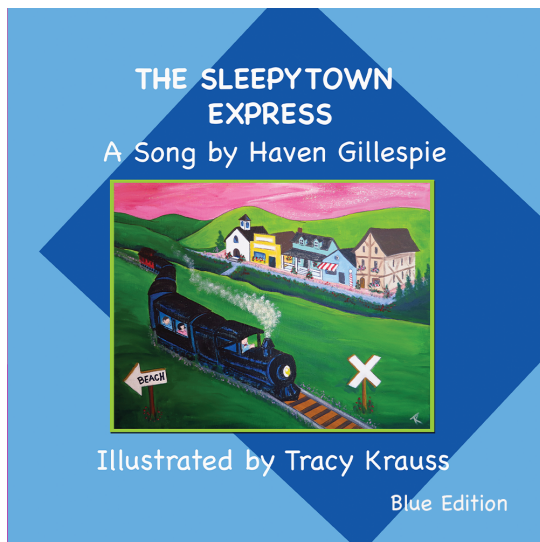
ISBN: 978-1-988447-14-8
Fictitious Ink Publishing 2016
(hardcover, paperback, ebook)

Synopsis:

Soda pop pools, lemonade streams and other tasty delights await when you hop on board the Sleepytown Express, an illustrated children's book based on the song by Haven Gillespie, author of 'Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town'. (Illustrated children's book- hardcover, paperback, ebook) 26 pages.

For more information and all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/the-sleepytown-express/> (original edition)



The Sleepytown Express – Blue Edition

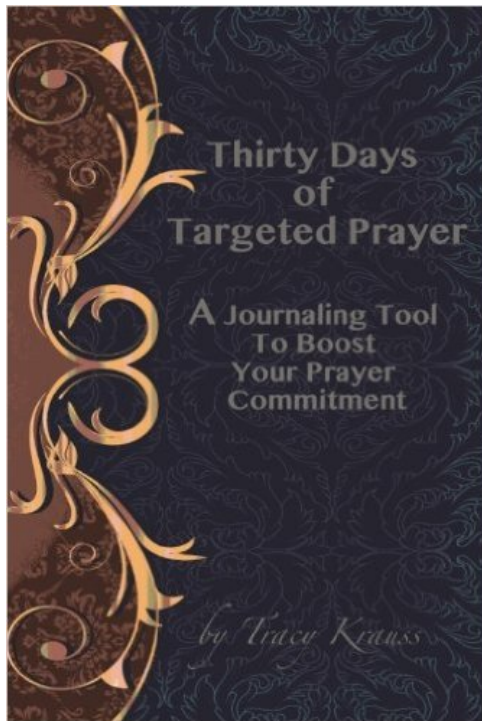
ISBN: 978-1-988447-902 (Fictitious Ink 2021)
(hardcover only)

The same classic book with a blue cover! Perfect for a baby gift!

For all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/the-sleepytown-express-blue-edition/> (blue edition)

*Thirty Days of Targeted Prayer:
A Journaling Tool to Boost Your Prayer Commitment*



ISBN: 9781988447131 (paperback only)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2016

72 pages – (consumable)

Synopsis: This easy to use journal will help you pray more efficiently and effectively whether you are a seasoned prayer warrior or a new Christian. Divided into 30 days for ease of use, the journal also features space for a yearly theme, monthly prayer focus, and weekly reminders.

Amazon: <https://www.amazon.com/Thirty-Days-Targeted-Prayer-Journaling/dp/1988447135>

Divine Appointments: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar – SPRING



ISBNs: 978-1-988447-65-0 (ebook)

978-1-988447-650 (paperback)

978-1-988447-681 (hardcover)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2021

Short description:

Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar.

Back cover blurb:

God gave us instructions for celebrating certain days, weeks, and special occasions – His appointed times. This daily devotional series walks readers through each season of the year by following the Hebrew months. Each day contains a short devotional, scripture, and prayer. The intent is not to take up a burden of tradition, but rather to enhance our heritage as children of God. Enjoy these daily devotionals as we celebrate together.

This is the first book in a four-part series.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/divine-appointments-spring/>

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Divine Appointments: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar – SUMMER



ISBN: 978-1-988447-698 (ebook)
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978-1-988447-728 (hardcover)
Fictitious Ink Publishing 2021

Short description:

Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar.

Back Cover Blurb:

God gave us instructions for celebrating certain days, weeks, and special occasions – His appointed times. This daily devotional series walks readers through each season of the year by following the Hebrew months. Each day contains a short devotional, scripture, and prayer. The intent is not to take up a burden of tradition, but rather to enhance our heritage as children of God. Enjoy these daily devotionals as we celebrate together. The summer edition takes up where the spring edition left off.

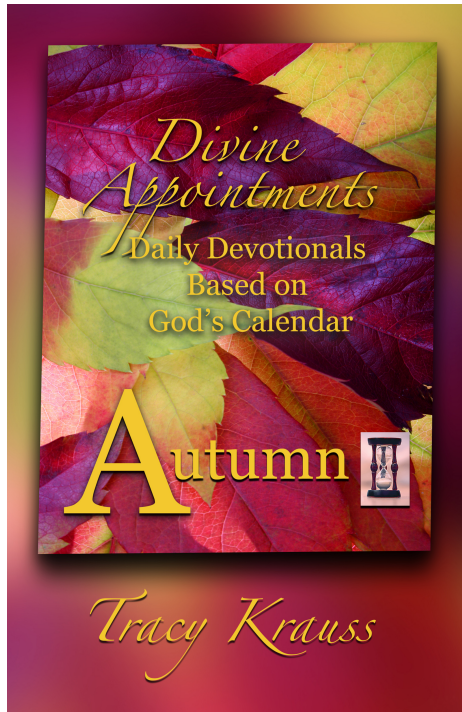
This is Book 2 in a four-part series.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

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Divine Appointments: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar – AUTUMN



ISBN: 978-1-988447-742 (ebook)

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978-1-988447-766 (hardcover)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2021

Short description:

Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar.

Back Cover Blurb:

God gave us instructions for celebrating certain days, weeks, and special occasions – His appointed times. This daily devotional series walks readers through each season of the year by following the Hebrew months. Each day contains a short devotional, scripture, and prayer. The intent is not to take up a burden of tradition, but rather to enhance our heritage as children of God. Enjoy these daily devotionals as we celebrate together. The autumn edition takes up where the summer edition left off.

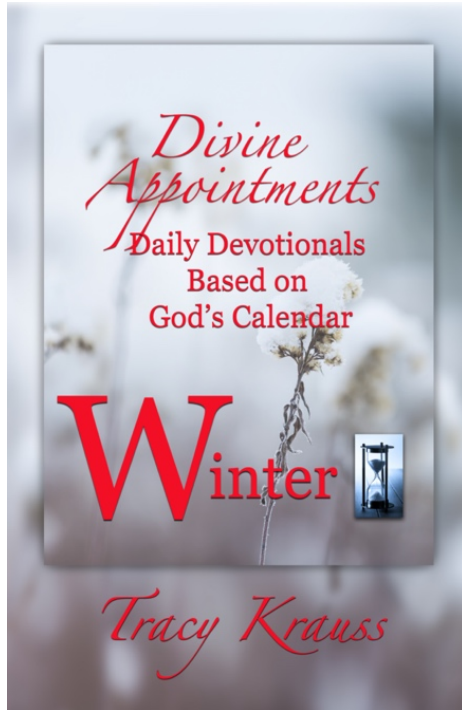
This is Book 3 in a four-part series.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/divine-appointments-autumn/>

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Divine Appointments: Daily Devotionals Based on God's Calendar – WINTER



ISBN: 978-1-988447-780 (ebook)

978-1-988447-773 (paperback)

978-1-988447-803 (hardcover)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2021

Short description:

Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar.

Back Cover Blurb:

God gave us instructions for celebrating certain days, weeks, and special occasions – His appointed times. This daily devotional series walks readers through each season of the year by following the Hebrew months. Each day contains a short devotional, scripture, and prayer. The intent is not to take up a burden of tradition, but rather to enhance our heritage as children of God. Enjoy these daily devotionals as we celebrate together. The winter edition takes up where the autumn edition left off.

This is Book 4 in a four-part series.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/divine-appointments-winter/>

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Divine Appointments: One Year Devotional Based on God's Calendar



ISBN: 978-1-988447-827 (ebook)

Fictitious Ink Publishing 2021

Short description:

Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with daily devotionals based on the Hebrew calendar.

Description:

Discover the joy of following God's appointed times with one full year of daily devotionals based on the Jewish calendar. Each day contains a short devotional, scripture, and prayer.

Why follow the Jewish calendar? God gave us instructions for celebrating certain days, weeks, and special occasions – His appointed times. Some Christians feel these celebrations are not relevant, or that the New Testament did away with these traditions, but both Jesus and the early church observed this yearly cycle. We could argue they did

so because they were Jewish, but Christians have been 'grafted in' to that very tree, so they are ours to celebrate, too! Observing God's calendar is *not* the same as taking up a burden of tradition and is not necessary for salvation. Instead, it is a way to enhance our heritage as children of God. Enjoy these daily devotionals as we celebrate together.

This ebook version contains all four volumes of the series.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/divine-appointments-one-year-devotional/>

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Simply Advent



ISBN: 978-1-990871-191 (paperback)
978-1-990871-184 (ePub)
Fictitious Ink Publishing November, 2023
26 pages

Use this little booklet as a jumping-off place to delve further into the rich traditions of Advent.

Advent is a special season for many Christians around the world and marks a time of anticipation leading up to the celebration of our Savior's birth. Traditions and variations abound when it comes to celebrating this momentous occasion. This little booklet is not meant to be an exhaustive treatise on the subject. Rather, it is a very simple introduction meant to encourage participants to incorporate Advent into their other seasonal celebrations. Use it as a jumping-off place to delve further into this rich tradition.

Each day's reading has a devotional, scripture, prayer, and a suggested Christmas carol.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/simply-advent/>

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Hanukkah For Jesus Followers



ISBN: 978-1-990871-177 (paperback)

978-1-990871-160 (ePub)

Fictitious Ink Publishing November, 2023

Have fun and be inspired as you incorporate Hanukkah celebrations into your holiday season.

Why celebrate Hanukkah as a Christian? Isn't it a Jewish holiday? In the apostle Paul's letter to the Romans, he goes into detail about how Christians have been "grafted in" to the root. We have an inheritance along with our Jewish brothers and sisters and can partake of all the good gifts God has for us, which includes celebrations such as Hanukkah! Why *not* celebrate? Have fun and be inspired during this holiday season.

Each day contains a short devotional, scripture, and prayer.

For reviews, excerpts, and all purchase links:

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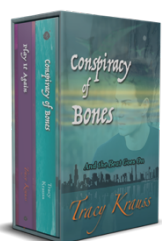
"Boxed Sets"



***Three Strand Cord Complete Series Omnibus* - 978-1-988447-896 (ebook)**

Fate brought them together, but can their friendship survive the tangled web of danger and deception that threatens their very lives? In this omnibus edition, follow the lives of Tempest, Stella, and Cherise as they navigate international espionage, kidnapping, murder, diamond smuggling, and more. From Europe to the far north, these three face life, love, and loss head-on.

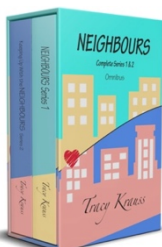
All purchase options and more: <https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/three-strand-cord-boxed-set/>



***Play It Again & Conspiracy of Bones Set* - 978-1-988447-889 (ebook)**

In *Play It Again*, an unlikely meeting between two polar opposites leads to more than either bargained for. Set in the rockin' 1980s. *Conspiracy of Bones* continues the story with their son, archaeologist Mark Graham, who discovers pterodactyl remains and giant human bones buried together, putting Mark's life in danger.

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***Neighbours Omnibus: Complete Series 1 & 2* - 978-1-988447-919 (ebook)**

With romance, intrigue, humor and a touch of the unexpected, the twists and turns just keep coming in this combined collection from the *NEIGHBOURS* Series. Set in Calgary, Alberta a quirky cast of characters from the same apartment building get entangled in one another's lives. Multi-cultural and interracial relationships smash any stereotypes, while the underlying faith-based message confirms people are just people no matter their background.!

All purchase options and more: <https://www.tracykrauss.com/books/neighbours-boxed-set-series-1-2/>



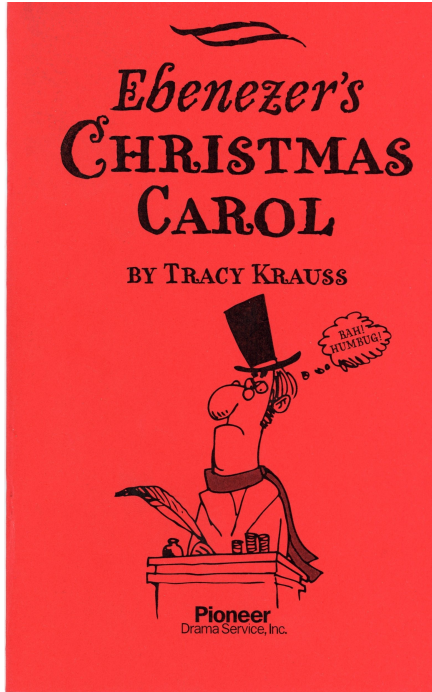
***Marshdale Complete Series* - 978-1-990871-25-2 (ebook)**

Sometimes innocence is just a cover for secrets. This collection contains all three books. *WIND OVER MARSHDALE* follows the lives of the town's residents, uncovering some unexpectedly dark secrets. Thomas Lone Wolf, a Cree man new to town, discovers all is not as innocent as it appears. Thomas's story continues in book two, *LONE WOLF*, forming a bridge to book three, *WHISPERING WINDS*, which features his niece Tanzi Lone Wolf. In each story, human frailty comes face to face with the healing power of God's grace.

All purchase options and more:
<https://tracykrauss.com/books/marshdale-complete-series/>

Stage Plays by TRACY KRAUSS

Ebenezer's Christmas Carol



(Pioneer Drama, 2010)
(paperback script) 18 pages
Running time: 45 minutes

Tagline: Comedy and fun characterize this retelling of Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol'.

Synopsis:

Enjoy a twist of 'fate' as Ebenezer Scrooge finds himself on a journey of discovery via Spirits with attitude. This adaptation of Dickens' classic tale stays true to the original 'moral' but spices things up with lots of humor and relevant, unique characters. For instance, the Spirits, all played by one actor, like to banter back and forth and don't take flack from anyone. Tiny Tim's propensity to annoy could be a bigger problem than his crippled leg. And Ebenezer himself surprises us with his cryptic sense of humor.

Available through Pioneer Drama:

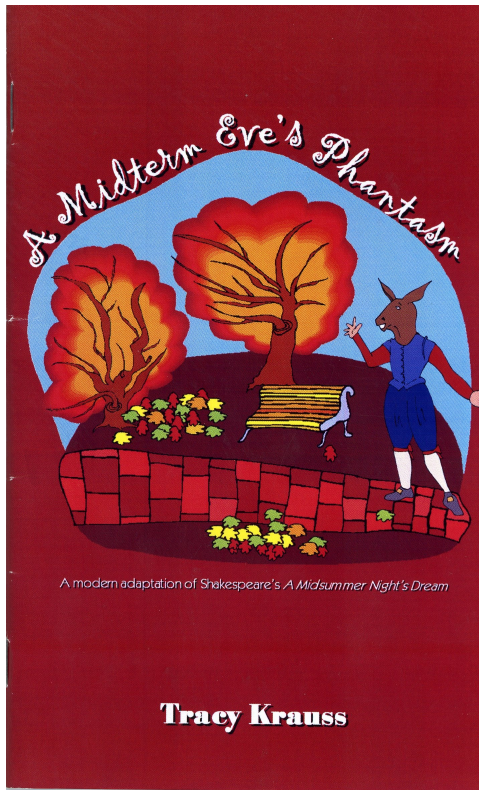
<https://www.pioneerdrama.com/SearchDetail.asp?pc=EBENEZERSC&id=4&qa=1#nb>

See website for more:

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A Midterm Eve's Phantasm



(Big Dog Plays, 2012)
(paperback script) 59 pages
Running time: 90 minutes

Tagline: Based on Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream* this modern remake in a high school setting, is full of surprises.

Synopsis:

Audiences will love this madcap, modern adaptation of Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. Denny, the captain of the football team, has his sights set on taking Mia to Stratford High's spring dance, but Mia has fallen head over heels in love with Lyle, a new student with a shady reputation. Determined to break up the couple, Mia's father makes plans to send Mia away to live with her aunt. Not wanting to be separated, Mia and Lyle decide to meet that night at the park and run away together. However, the unsuspecting couple encounter a band of troublemaking fairies that have congregated at the park and are eager to create a bit of mischief. Chaos

ensues when Puck, an impish sprite, casts a spell causing the fairy queen to fall in love with a student actor who has been transformed into a donkey. And to make matters worse, Puck casts a spell that makes both Denny and Lyle fall madly in love with Mia's best friend. After all, "The course of true love never did run smooth"!

Available through Big Dog Plays:

Big Dog Plays: <http://www.bigdogplays.com/playdisplay.asp?playid=369>

See website for more:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/a-midterm-eves-phantasm/>

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Mutiny on Mount Olympus



(Big Dog Plays, 2015)
(paperback script) 81 pages
Running time: 90 minutes

Tagline: Poseidon and Hades have had enough of Zeus in this hilarious medley of Greek myths.

Synopsis:

Poor Hades! Being the god of the underworld stinks! Hades is lonely, but the girls aren't exactly dying to go out with him. After all, it's difficult to find a girl who likes to live in damp, dark places and hang out with dead people all the time. And Hades doesn't want to just settle down with any girl like Arachne, who has been turned into a spider, or the snake-haired Medusa, who turns a man to stone if he looks at her. To help Hades find a wife, Zeus elicits the help of Aphrodite and her son, Cupid. The only problem is that Cupid is a horrible archer with extremely bad aim. There's plenty of Greek "drama" in this rollicking romp!

Available through Big Dog Plays:

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See website for more:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/mutiny-on-mount-olympus/>

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King William Travels the World



(2018 - Big Dog Plays)
(paperback script) 38 pages
Running time: 80 minutes

Tagline: A pompous and narcissistic monarch decides to travel the entire world in this hilarious 'Monty-Python-esque' comedy suitable for all ages.

Synopsis: The laughs never end in this zany Monty Python-esque farce. The pompous, narcissistic King William II has decided to travel the world accompanied by a snarky liege, a ridiculous yes-man with terrible pick-up lines, and an overzealous executioner who inexplicably shows up at the most opportune times. Along the way, the travelers meet a generic Canadian Prime Minister, some American gun-toting hillbillies, a penguin in Antarctica, a Vegemite-eating crocodile hunter in Australia, and the Supreme Ruler of Korea in the North who likes to brag about his golf game and his cardboard missiles. Trip "highlights" include hitting an iceberg

at sea, mistaking baguettes for swords in France, eating raw food in Tokyo, drinking turpentine-tasting coffee in Russia, and the unexpected arrival of a zombie horde in England. Easy to stage with scene-stealers for everyone in the cast!

Available through Big Dog Plays:

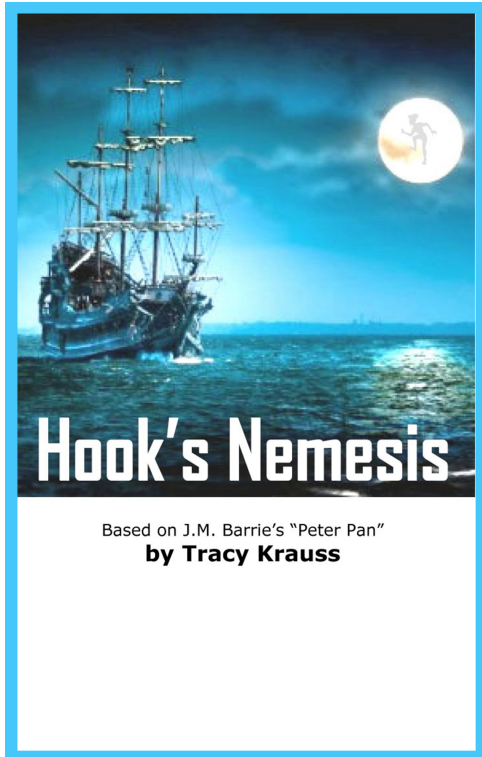
<http://bigdogplays.com/playdisplay.asp?playid=572>

See website for more:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/king-william-travels-the-world/>

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Hook's Nemesis



(JAC Publishing, 2013)

ISBN: 9781605132426

(paperback script, ebook) 76 pages

Running time: 90 minutes

Tagline: Blame it on mother! Captain Hook is a neurotic female in this hilarious adaptation of Peter Pan.

Synopsis:

So... you think you know Captain Hook? Well, think again! Hook is actually a neurotic female. Her personal psychiatrist, Dr. Anna Lize, is on board and ready to take on Hook's tantrums, not to mention mediate between Hook and her manipulative cougar of a mother. Add to the cast a ridiculous crew including a 'Three Stooges' style trio who bumble their way through multiple foibles; Antonio, Hook's personal French chef who feels his culinary skills are going to waste; Chief Ooga Booga, the object of Mama Hook's desire; and a bored but capable modern

Wendy, and you've got a recipe for madcap fun. And what about Peter? He saves the day, of course, but not without the help of Super Nanny, the Darling family's quirky babysitter who turns out to be a super hero. Expect the unexpected in this full-length play based on the classic "Peter Pan". Running time: 90 minutes

Purchasing Options:

No longer available through publisher. Contact Tracy for purchasing options:

tracy@tracykrauss.com

See website for more:

<https://tracykrauss.com/books/hooks-nemesis/>

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Ali and the Magic Lamp



(JAC Publishing, 2014)
ISBN: 9781605132527
(paperback script, ebook) 48 pages
Running time: 90 minutes

Tagline: Ali is a skateboarding girl in this twisted retelling of Aladdin, complete with dragons, video games, and more!

Synopsis:

Put a fresh, modern spin on the classic tale. In this comedic version, Ali is a skateboarding girl who just wants to be treated like an equal. Unfortunately, her mother has other plans. On her way to the market to pick out a new dress for Prince Rashid's upcoming ball, Ali inadvertently frees Genie – a rambling fashionista with attitude. Meanwhile, Prince Rashid, obsessed with his gaming habits, is also tired of living up to other people's expectations. He runs away and meets Ali, who promises to help him on his 'quest' – a series of tests he must pass before becoming the next Sultan. The plot

twists just keep coming as the evil Morgiana infiltrates the palace, the street waif Haroun and her cruel master Houssein try to steal the lamp, the Oracle reveals some surprising family revelations, and the bumbling palace servants – Calliel and Cassim – risk their lives to save the Prince. Other than the 'Genie in the lamp', this play is unique in its plot, characters and outcome, while addressing relevant issues.

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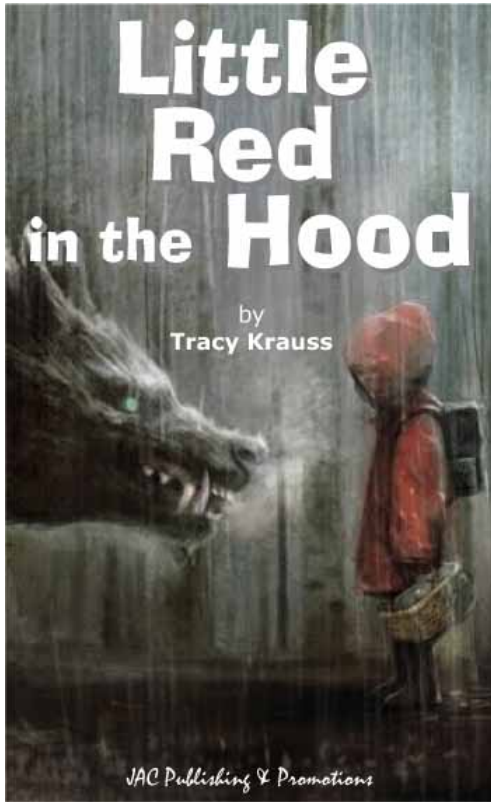
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Little Red in the Hood



(JAC Publishing, 2012)
ISBN: 9781605131733
(paperback script, ebook) 24 pages
Running time: 40 minutes

Tagline: A fun filled cast of characters and some unlikely heroes prove that you can't judge a book by its cover.

Synopsis:

Little Red, an adventurous girl with a mind of her own, takes on the task of befriending Mildred, the social outcast at school. On her way to Grandmother's house, she encounters the Swine brothers who warn her about a possible predator, BB Wolf, and his nephew/apprentice, who are on the prowl. Little Red also meets up with a gang of tough 'hooligans' led by someone known as 'The Man'. Fortunately for Little Red, when these ruffians find out who her grandmother is (the coolest old lady around) they escort her right to Granny's door. Naturally, BB and Co. are waiting. After a series of mix-ups and close encounters, it's revealed that the Swine brothers are really in cahoots with BB Wolf, and are involved in an

insurance fraud scam. Granny saves the day with her karate moves and all is well... or so we think. In the end, everyone learns a lesson about honesty and staying true to oneself.

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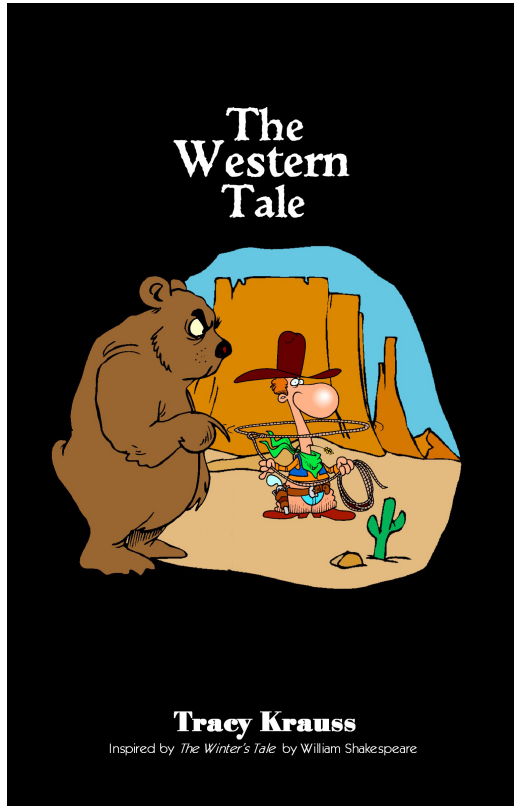
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The Western Tale



Bog Dog Plays 2023 (2nd edition)
(1st edition: JAC Publishing, 2012)
(paperback script) 60 pages.
Running time: 80 minutes

Tagline: The Bard goes western in this dark comedy about jealousy, revenge and ultimate restoration.

Synopsis:

This tragi-comedy is loosely based on William Shakespeare's "The Winter's Tale." Set in the Wild West, Big Leo, a wealthy rancher, has "gone madder than a dog" with jealousy. Big Leo thinks his best friend, Doc Xavier, has stolen his wife's heart. Not wanting to be the laughingstock of the county, Big Leo publically accuses his pregnant wife of adultery and takes her to court, where she collapses, apparently dead. Big Leo then orders his newborn baby girl to be abandoned in the Badlands, but his loyal ranch hand secretly saves the child, who is raised by some local squatters. Fast forward 16 years and Big Leo's deserted daughter and

Doc Xavier's son meet and fall in love. Can what starts as a sad, gloomy winter's tale blossom into a happy one? With Western flair, this adaptation includes Shakespeare's famous bear scene, and Father Time has been transformed into a traveling snake oil salesman, who functions as the narrator. Audiences will love this Wild West version of the Shakespeare classic complete with mistaken identities, a spring festival, comedic twists, and even a little romance.

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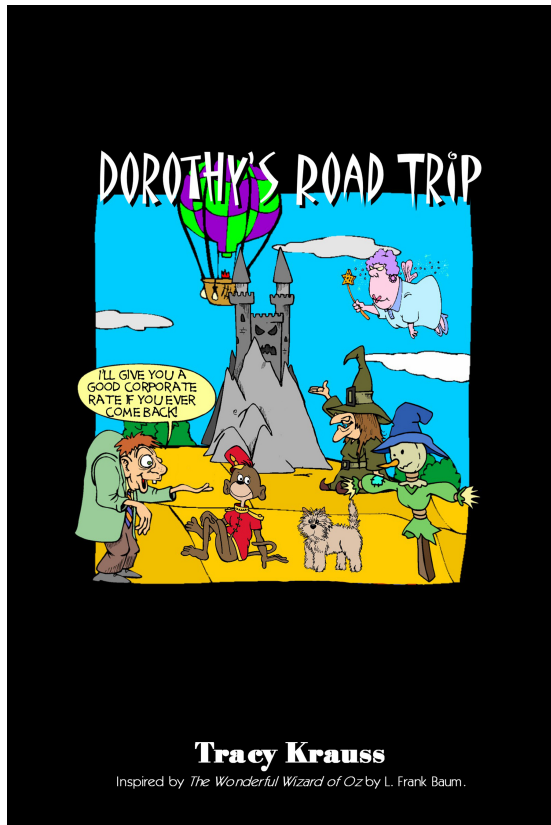
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Dorothy's Road Trip



Big Dog Plays, 2024 (2nd edition)
(1st edition: JAC Publishing, 2012)
(paperback script) 66 pages.
Running time: 60 - 75 minutes

Tagline: A modern twist on the classic 'The Wizard of Oz' suitable for all ages.

Synopsis:

COMEDY. Inspired by The Wonderful Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum. After Dorothy and Toto crash-land in Munchkinland, the Police Chief tries to arrest Dorothy for "flying" without a license, but she is heralded as a hero by the Mayor for landing on the Wicked Witch of the East. Eager to return home, Dorothy journeys to the Emerald City to seek the assistance of the Great and Terrible Wizard of Oz. When Dorothy, the Scarecrow, Tin Man, and Lion reach the Wizard's palace and finally meet the Wizard, he calls the Scarecrow "nothing but a poor excuse for a crow's nest," the Tin Man an "overgrown tea kettle," and deems the Lion "the

most pathetic yet." After suffering the Wizard's insults, Dorothy and her friends are tasked with journeying to the Wicked Witch's castle to steal her magic wand and bring it back to the Wizard. Bored with turning princes into frogs and visiting torture chambers, the Wicked Witch and her bumbling minion, Watson, are happy to "host" the new arrivals. Easy to stage and perfect for teen actors.

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Snow White and The Dwarves' Revenge



Big Dog Plays, 2024

Paperback script – pages

Running time: approximately 60 minutes

Tagline: Expect the unexpected in this mash-up of fairy tales where no one is who they seem to be...

Synopsis:

COMEDY/MURDER-MYSTERY. Expect the unexpected in this comical whodunit, where all the fairytale characters are not who they seem. On the run from the Queen, Snow White hides out at the Seven Dwarves' cottage. But after Snow White arrives, the Dwarves begin to drop dead one by one. It's up to Prince Charming to find the killer before Cinderella cancels the royal wedding. Suspects include a lurking "ghost," a witch out for revenge, and even some of the dwarves themselves! Audiences will love all the twists and turns, red herrings, diabolical plots, and mistaken identities. Perfect for teen actors and easy to stage.

Purchasing Options:

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Author Photos – Tracy Krauss



Sample Interview Questions for Tracy Krauss

1. Tell us about your most current title.
2. Which is the favourite book you've written so far and why?
3. Your work has been called 'edgy' as far as Christian fiction goes. What is it about your writing that makes it potentially 'edgy'?
4. What is your main motivation for writing the kind of fiction that you do?
5. Who would you say is your target audience?
6. You are also a playwright. How do you balance these very different streams of writing?
7. Are there any past experiences or important mentors in your life that have influenced your writing?
8. What is your involvement with the writing community at large?
9. What are you working on now?
10. You say you've lived and taught in five Canadian provinces and territories, some of them in the far north. Can you talk about any particularly unique experiences? What was it like moving so often?
11. Is there anything that people might be surprised to learn about you?
12. Where do you get your ideas? What inspires you?
13. What is your connection to the visual arts?
15. Where can we buy your books?
15. How can people keep in touch or stay connected?