

JEFF BERNEY STORIES THAT THRILL

Jeff Berney is an award-winning author who has lived in the Kansas City area since high school. He graduated from the University of Missouri with degrees in advertising and marketing and for nearly 30 years has worked his way up through local, national and global ad agencies.

Although he counts himself lucky enough to make a living with his creative writing, several years ago he decided it was time to finally write that novel.

So he did. And now he's written another one. Which is a feat in itself considering he and his wife still have four of their seven kids living (rather noisily) in their house. Not to mention their three doodles, three cats, and the occasional fish or rabbit.

EXPERT TOPICS

- Living a creative life
- · Writing as a side hustle
- The writing process
- Self publishing
- Marketing and promotion

PODCAST APPEARANCES





















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ARTICLES

- VoyageKC Magazine







THE FALL OF FAITH

If Hell had love stories, this would be one of them.

"The Fall of Faith" is Romeo and Juliet for a new era. This gritty thriller explores lust, love, faith and the consequence's of doing whatever it takes to survive.

When a trucker gets stranded in the small, forgotten town of Eden, Missouri, he finds himself surrounded by deceit and danger even as he falls into a love like he's never known. Who can he trust? And how far will he go to regain his faith in something bigger than himself?

Brace yourself.

This is an intensely dark tale that will rip your heart out and have you rethinking everything you thought you knew about faith, love and human depravity.

MEDIA REVIEWS

"Dark, twisted humor punctuates a weirdly gratifying story."

-Indies Today Review

"An interesting premise with a fresh twist."

- Publishers Weekly

"Heartbreaking and satisfying at once."

-Prairies Book Review

"Berney's story is anything but the usual genre read."

-Midwest Book Review

"This book is exemplary. Twists and turns keep the reader guessing."

-Writer's Digest Review

AWARDS

- American Fiction Awards Finalist
- National Indie Excellence Finalist
- Thorpe Menn Literary Excellence Finalist

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Jeff Berney is a Kansas City native, a

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BOOK DETAILS

GENRE:

ISBN:

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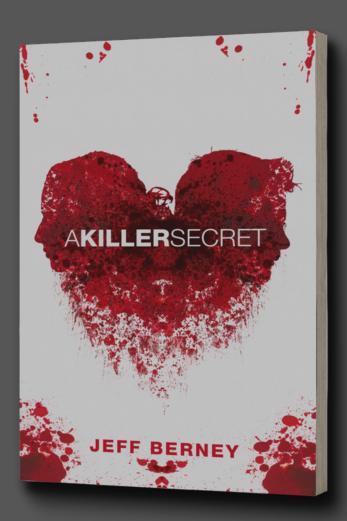
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A KILLER SECRET

Would you kill to keep a secret?

That's the question haunting three people whose lives become inescapably intertwined by the secrets that define them and ultimately threaten to tear them apart.

A disgraced professor, a disenchanted psychologist and a deceitful patient are about to learn more than they expected about each other and themselves. Will their relationships survive their secrets? Will they?

Everyone has secrets.

Some are just darker than others.

And some, well, they're worth killing to keep.

"A Killer Secret," the debut novel by Jeff Berney, is a character study in good and evil, and the large swath of gray area in between where most of us live. That is, unless our secrets kill us first.

MEDIA REVIEWS

"The first thing to note about A Killer Secret is that absolutely nothing is predictable....Jeff Berney knows how to craft a suspense story that is as compelling as any Alfred Hitchcock could have shaped. As events in multiple lives move forward in a chess match-style of intrigue, readers should be advised that if it's chosen for late night reading, dawn might arrive before the story's completed."

-Midwest Book Review

"An addictive, devour-in-one-sitting psychological thriller....Berney is effortless when it comes to exploring his characters' inner turmoil while infusing themes of trauma, physical and psychological abuse, revenge, and violence into the tension-filled narrative. With its darkly intriguing, fully fleshed-out characters, taut pacing, and relentless suspense, the novel makes for a winner."

-The Prairies Book Review

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Jeff Berney is a Kansas City native, a lucky husband and a father to seven. His day job is advertising, but his passion is writing twisted thrillers. "A Killer Secret" is his debut novel.

BOOK DETAILS

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