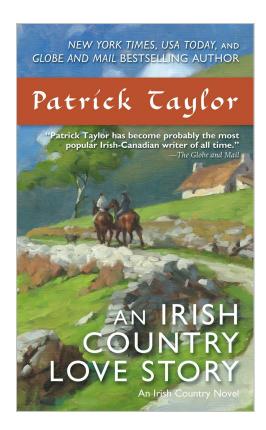


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AUTHOR HOME: SALTSPRING ISLAND, BRITISH COLUMBIA,

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Patrick Taylor

An Irish Country Love Story

The eleventh heartwarming installment in Patrick Taylor's beloved and bestselling series!

It's the winter of 1967, and snow is on the ground in Ballybucklebo. For decades, ever since the War, Number One Main Street, Ballybucklebo, has housed Dr. Fingal O'Reilly and his practice. In recent years, it has also opened its doors to O'Reilly's wife, Barry Laverty, and a new addition to the practice, Doctor Nonie Stevens, a sultry and occasionally prickly young woman who may not be fitting in as well as she should. It is to Number One that patients young and old come when they need a doctor's care, for everything from the measles to a rare and baffling blood disease.

An unexpected turn of events threatens to drive O'Reilly from his home for good, unless the entire village can rally behind their doctor and prove that love really can conquer all.

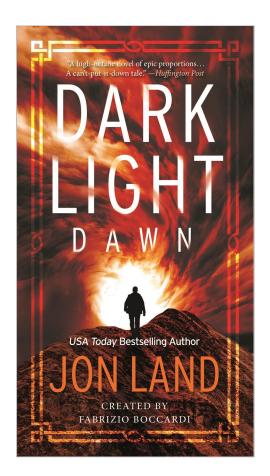
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- * BESTSELLING BELOVED SERIES: This stand-alone is the 11th book in the *New York Times*, *USA Today*, and *Globe and Mail* bestselling Irish Country series which has netted more than 1.7 million sales across all formats.
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"Gentle humor, deeply emotional stories drawn from everyday life...."—Kirkus Reviews on An Irish Doctor in Love and at Sea

"Deeply steeped in Irish country life and meticulous in detail, the story is the perfect companion for a comfy fire and a cup of tea or a pint of bitter. A totally wonderful read!"—*Library Journal*, starred review, on *An Irish Doctor in Peace and at War*

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AUTHOR HOME: PROVIDENCE, RI

Jon Land

Dark Light: Dawn

A heart-pounding supernatural thriller about a deadly, global epidemic and the man who can save the world or destroy it.

With an uncanny ability to survive any combat situation, Max Younger has built a good life for himself as a Navy SEAL. That is, until a rogue rescue operation plunges him back into the past he thought he'd escaped forever. Max finds himself ensnared in a sinister plot involving nothing less than the biblical apocalypse.

The explosive conflagration of events reunites him with the only woman he ever loved: Victoria Lewin, a brilliant expert in infectious diseases who may be the only one who can stop the spread of a deadly pestilence threatening the planet.

Max desperately seeks to discover whether he is fated, under the shadow of the Medusa Strain, to help save the world...or destroy it.

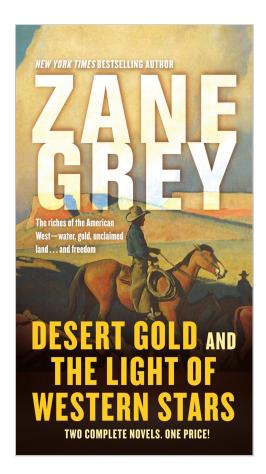
KEY SELLING POINTS:

- * UNIQUE BLEND OF SCIENCE AND SUPERSTITION: There are lots of "Armageddon," end-of-the-world-as-we-know-it stories focusing on science and still more that center around the paranormal and superstition. This book marries the two by providing a compelling scientific explanation for apparently paranormal events.
- * PAGE-TURNING READ: This book is a true horror-thriller, *World War Z* mixed with elements of *Rosemary's Baby* and topped off with the more traditional thriller elements of high action, biotechnology, astrophysics, and geological mystery.
- * PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITY: Strong marketing and promotional opportunities center around creator Fabrizio Boccardi, who plans on actively contributing to our efforts with funds of his own.

"A rip-roaring story grounded in science. If you like my books, or Michael Crichton's, or similar science-based thrillers, then this is the book for you. A terrific read!" —Douglas Preston, #1 New York Times bestselling author and co-creator of the Pendergast series

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Desert Gold and The Light of Western Stars

From the legendary writer of the west: two complete novels in one low-priced edition.

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While rescuing a lovely Spanish maiden from Mexican rebels, former Union soldier Dick Gale partners up with a pair of rough-hewn cowboys. The three men take refuge on the ranch of Al Belding, where Gale finds a new mission helping breed fine horses and carving a settlement out of the wild landscape. But angry, greedy men have their eyes on the rich ranchlands—and the beautiful women who live there.

The Light of Western Stars

Searching for her brother Al, Maddie Hammond gets off the transcontinental railroad in the middle of the night, in a New Mexico town full of drunken, dangerous men. A hard-bitten cowboy drags her before a priest and insists that they be married—until he hears her name. Al Hammond, a ranch foreman, holds the loyalties of many cowboys and ranchers, whom he defends from cruel lawmen and Mexican rebels alike. Maddie eagerly joins the struggle for freedom.

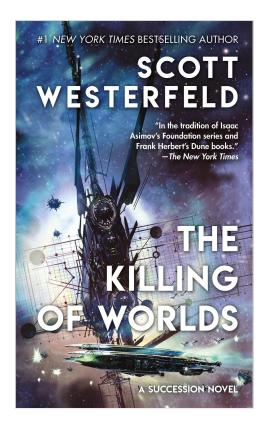
KEY SELLING POINTS:

for film four times

- * TWO COMPLETE NOVELS: Includes the full text of *Desert Gold* and *The Light of Western Stars*.
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"No man has employed the Western story formula with better results."

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Scott Westerfeld

The Killing of Worlds

The dazzling conclusion of the story begun in The Risen Empire

From Scott Westerfeld, the acclaimed author of the Leviathan trilogy and the Uglies series comes the conclusion to sweeping space opera.

The immortal Emperor unchallenged for 1600 years. The only thing he fears are the Rix, machine-augmented humans dedicated to replacing his prolonged rule with an eternal cybernetic dynasty of their own.

Having failed the emperor once, brilliant tactician Captain Laurent Zai now faces a suicide mission: stopping the Rix invasion with only one ship. Meanwhile, Zai's lover, Senator Nara Oxham, is caught in a deadly political game with the Emperor himself.

The Emperor has a terrible secret—a secret for which he would countenance the killing of worlds.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

- * DUOLOGY: The reissue *The Killing of Worlds*, the second book in Westerfeld's Succession duology, follows the June 2018 reissue of book one, *The Risen Empire*.
- * MAJOR WRITER: Westerfeld has established a reputation as a notable, bestselling writer, especially in YA genre fiction with his Leviathan and Uglies series.
- * CROSSING GENRES: In addition to his two bestselling YA series, Westerfeld has started gaining a foothold in graphic novels with his series *Spill Zone* further widening his audience.

Praise for The Risen Empire

"Westerfeld's exceptionally smart and empathetic novel, the first of two in a series, confirms the buzz that space opera is one of the most exciting branches of current SF.... Keeping the reader constantly off-balance, Westerfeld skillfully integrates extreme technologies with human characters."

-Publishers Weekly, Starred Review

"Proof that space opera can be as complex and sophisticated as any other form of literature. Doc Smith would barely recognize it."

-Mike Resnick

"In Westerfeld's hands, science fiction's cutting edge is wield...

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