LEAD FICTION

James Grady

Last Days of the Condor

The Condor returns in this sequel to James Grady's bestselling *Six Days of the Condor* and *Shadow of the Condor*

It's difficult to escape the notice of every assassin in America when you're branded an enemy of the largest secret national security apparatus in America's history. But life has never been easy for the man they call The Condor. With all assassins' guns fixed on him, Condor must outrun their bullets long enough to uncover the truth he so desperately seeks.... If only it were possible to distinguish his allies from his killers.

*Last Days of the Condor* is a breakneck saga of America's secrets by muckraking investigative reporter and novelist James Grady.

**KEY SELLING POINTS:**

* Grady's novel *Six Days of the Condor* was made into a film starring Robert Redford in 1975 (renamed *Three Days of the Condor*)
* *Last Days of the Condor* is a sequel to this novel, bringing back a beloved character from both the page and the screen for another intrigue-filled adventure
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"Forty years ago, Grady introduced Condor (*Three Days of the Condor*), and a year later Robert Redford brought him to memorable large-screen life... [Condor's] facing a now nearly omniscient surveillance state... Cynical fans of spook fiction will love this one." --*Booklist* (starred review)

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"A page-turning, ultra-modern, sexy spy thriller... Terrific!" --St...
Renee Graziano

Playing with Fire

From the star of Mob Wives, the number one show on VH1

Reign Grazi is no stranger to dangerous men. Her whole life, they’ve been there. Grandfathers, uncles, cousins...she knows the difference between people who made the rules and those who broke them. But she has no idea why someone might want her dead.

Nick Fattelli is handsome, sophisticated, and...an assassin. He doesn't know who hired him to take out Reign, but after they meet and sparks fly, he vows to protect her. Unless it's really him they are after...

Thus begins Playing with Fire, a sexy thriller by Renee Graziano, star of VH1's hit show Mob Wives.

The author knows this lifestyle firsthand: She is the daughter of one of the most famous mobsters of our day, with an ex-husband now in witness protection, and a trail of "connected" boyfriends a mile long.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

* Mob Wives is the #1 show on VH1, with 2 million+ viewers. It has been sold into 120+ countries, and Renee has been a leading character on the show since its inception
* Renee has 360,000+ Twitter followers and 180,000 Facebook fans. She also blogs for The Huffington Post
* Will appeal to a wide range of readers: Mob Wives fans, reality TV show/celebrity fans, fans of sexy thrillers, readers with Mafia interest

MARKETING

* Digital outreach through Twitter, Facebook, and the Tor/Forge blog
* National print advertising in genre publications

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Greg Bear

Halo: Cryptum

Continuing the New York Times bestselling series based on the blockbuster video game Halo

Bornstellar Makes Eternal Lasting is a young rebellious Forerunner. He is a Manipular, untired-yet to become part of the adult Forerunner society where vast knowledge and duty wait. He comes from a family of Builders, the Forerunners' highest and most politically powerful race. It is the Builders who create the grand technology that facilitates Forerunner dominance over the known universe. It is the Builders who believe they must shoulder the greatest burden of the Mantle-as shepherds and guardians of all life.

Bornstellar is marked to become a great Builder, just like his father. But this Manipular has other plans.

On a Lifeworker's experimental planet, Bornstellar's rebellious course crosses the paths of two humans, and the long lifeline of a great military leader, forever changing Bornstellar's destiny... and the fate of the entire galaxy.

This is a tale of life, death, intergalactic horror, exile, and maturity. It is a story of overwhelming change—and of human origins. For the Mantle may not lie upon the shoulders of Forerunners forever.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

* The first novel of the Forerunner trilogy, Halo: Cryptum explores the most enigmatic portion of the Halo storyline, continuing the New York Times bestselling series based on the blockbuster video game
* Greg Bear is a multiple Hugo and Nebula Award-winning author
* The newest video game, Halo 5: Guardians, will be released in fall 2015
* This trilogy appeals not only to Halo fans, but to science fiction fans in general. No thorough knowledge of the Halo universe is needed to enjoy these books as the events in the trilogy occur thousands of years before the games
* Halo 3 grossed $300 million its first week and made entertainment history with record sales which marked not just the biggest videogame launch, but the biggest day-one entertainment launch in history

"Bear takes a profound and unusual approach to hard SF."—Los Angeles Times

"Bear is one of our very best."—New York Daily News

"If anyone is the complete master of the grand scale SF novel, it's Bear."—Booklist

"Bear, who's won two Hugos and four Nebulas, should rack up nominations if not wins
LEAD FANTASY

L. E. Modesitt, Jr.

Heritage of Cyador

From *New York Times* bestselling author L. E. Modesitt comes the new novel in the Saga of Recluce, the sequel to *Cyador's Heirs*

Scarcely a year after the events of *Cyador's Heirs*, Lerial uses his mastery of Order and Chaos, the competing natural forces that shape his world and define the magic that exists within it, to utterly destroy an Afritan military force crossing into Cigoerne.

Five years later, Lerial, now an overcaptain and a field commander of Cigoerne's Mirror Lancers, must lead three companies of troops into Afrit on a mission of mutual interest: neighboring Heldya is threatening to invade Afrit, and if that nation falls, Cigoerne is certain to be next.

The mission is both delicate and dangerous; Lerial's value in the effort to repelling Heldya is undeniable, but his troubled history with Afrit may reopen old wounds that will never truly heal.

**KEY SELLING POINTS:**

* Modesitt's Recluce series is his most popular series
* This novel is the direct sequel to *Cyador's Heirs* (May, 2014)
* Like all the Recluce books, this is YA-OK
* *Natural Ordermage* was a *New York Times* bestseller
* Modesitt is a strong self-promoter for his bestselling fantasies
* Modesitt enjoys a strong crossover romance audience
* Sub-genre: epic fantasy
* www.lemodesittjr.com

For the Saga of Recluce

"Astonishingly relevant. A classic tale of good versus evil, a subject that will never be obsolete." --*San Francisco Book Review on The Magic of Recluce*

"I especially enjoy the type of series which builds upon itself, going backward and forward in time, changing perspectives and viewpoints. A fine example of this type of fiction is L. E. Modesitt, Jr.'s Recluce series."--Alexce Douville, *Sun Herald* (North Port, Florida)

"My favorite thing about L. E. Modesitt's books is that they don't go stale. I enjoy
Gillian Philip

Icefall

The final installment in critically acclaimed author Gillian Philip's fantasy series

Death stalks Seth MacGregor's clan in their otherworld exile. Kate NicNiven is close to ultimate victory, and she is determined that nothing will keep her from it. Not even the thing that took her soul: the horror that lurks in the sea caves. But Kate still needs Seth's son Rory, and his power over the Veil. And she'll go to any lengths to get him. Seth's own soul is rotting from the wound inflicted by Kate, and survival for his loved ones seems all he can hope for. But might a mortal threat to his brother's daughter force him to return to his own world to challenge Kate? And will Rory go with him? Because Rory suspects there's a darkness trapped in the Veil, a darkness that wants to get out. But only one Sithe knows how near it is to getting its way: Seth's bound lover, the witch Finn. Nobody gets forever, but some are willing to try....

From critically acclaimed author Gillian Philip, Icefall is the final installment in the Rebel Angels series.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

* This is the fourth and final novel in Gillian Philip's Rebel Angels series. It was published in the UK by Strident Publishing to great reviews
* The first novel in the series, Firebrand, reached #16 on Amazon UK's fantasy chart, with only Stephenie Meyer, Terry Pratchett, Stephen Donaldson, Robert Jordan, George Orwell, Charlaine Harris, and J. K. Rowling titles ahead of it
* Gillian Philip is the Carnegie Medal-nominated author of Crossing the Line and multi-award nominated Bad Faith, and Firebrand has received rave reviews in the UK
* Philip also writes the New York Times bestselling middle grade series Survivors as Erin Hunter

""Once again Philip ramps up the intensity...what with the unrelenting tangle of passions, alliances and viciousness expressed through multiple narrators and viewpoints.... It's the formula that series regulars know and relish."--Kirkus Reviews on Icefall

"A force to be reckoned with...a stirring tale of loyalty and love."--Publishers Weekly on Firebrand

"This new world is made more familiar with the return of self-deprecating Seth and his adored older brother Conal and their snappy dialogue, but a whole new younger generation makes the family drama even funn..."
LEAD SCIENCE FICTION

Lowball

The latest Wild Cards novel, edited by New York Times #1 bestselling author George R. R. Martin and Melinda M. Snodgrass

Decades after an alien virus changed the course of history, the surviving population of Manhattan still struggles to understand the new world left in its wake. Natural humans share the rough city with those given extraordinary--and sometimes terrifying--traits. While most manage to co-exist in an uneasy peace, not everyone is willing to adapt.

Down in the seedy underbelly of Jokertown, residents are going missing. The authorities are unwilling to investigate, except for a newly minted detective looking to prove himself and a collection of unlikely jokers forced to take matters into their own hands—or tentacles.

Edited by #1 New York Times bestselling author George R. R. Martin and acclaimed author Melinda M. Snodgrass, Lowball is the latest mosaic novel in the Wild Cards universe, featuring original fiction by Carrie Vaughn, Ian Tregillis, David Anthony Durham, Melinda M. Snodgrass, Mary Anne Mohanraj, David D. Levine, Michael Cassutt, and Walter Jon Williams.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

* Martin's Song of Ice and Fire series is a #1 New York Times bestseller and is an award-winning series for HBO
* Time magazine lauded Martin as "The American Tolkien"
* Martin has been devoted to the Wild Cards project for over twenty years; he has stuck with it through thick and thin, and he will promote it with all the energy for which he's famous
* The Wild Cards books are all readable as single books, with Martin and Snodgrass assigning specific sections to specific authors. Martin is the overall series editor. Lowball features New York Times bestselling author Carrie Vaughn

"Lowball starts off small but in the end, this promises to be a storyline that reshapes the entire Wild Cards universe.... Readers eager to find the very best in superhuman storytelling cannot afford to pass up the Wild Cards books—they're simply too important to the genre. Lowball has the hallmarks of being the start of a major turning point in this ongoing alternate history...." -- SFRevu

"New readers and fans of the long-running series will both love the fast-paced plotting and the ever-expanding history of the Wild Card virus on this alternate Earth, w...
Larry Niven, Jerry Pournelle, Steven Barnes

Beowulf's Children

An epic story featuring the descendents of Beowulf fighting a new generation of monsters

A new generation is growing up on the island paradise of Camelot, ignorant of the Great Grendel Wars fought when their parents and grandparents first arrived on Earth. Setting out for the mainland, this group of young rebels feels ready to fight any grendels that get in their way. On Avalon, however, there are monsters which drawf the ones their parents fought, and as the group will soon learn, monsters also dwell in the human heart.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

* The book is penned by three masters of the science fiction genre
* Was a New York Times bestseller

Praise:

"Strongly defined characters and intriguing, speculative science make this novel an example of panoramic science fiction adventure at its best." -Library Journal

"Few writers have a finer pedigree than those here . . . As one might suspect, Beowulf's Children is seamless . . . An absorbing, substantial, and finally rather masterful novel." -Los Angeles Times

ALSO AVAILABLE:
Zane Grey

Riders of the Purple Sage and Rainbow Trail

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

Riders of the Purple Sage

Zane Grey’s most enduring classic—the book that invented the myth of the American West. In the little village of Cottonwoods, Utah, Mormon rancher Jane Witherspoon endures persecution, religious zealots, and cattle rustlers trying to prey on her land. Aided by Lassiter, the famous gunman, Jane and her friends must escape the clutches of her most dangerous enemies.

The Rainbow Trail

John Shefford rode into Utah in search of a new life, and when he met Fay Larkin, a beautiful woman charged with murder, he knew he had found it. Breaking her out of jail was the easy part. Now he has a posse and violent bands of Indians to outrun; a murderous trek through a trackless waste; and a brutal passage through white-water hell.

KEY SELLING POINTS:

* This edition features two novels by Zane Grey for the price of one
* Zane Grey was the bestselling author of sixty-five western novels. His works have been translated into twenty-three languages and have been made into more than one hundred movies
* Grey was one of the most recognized and respected writers of western fiction
* From 1910 to 1925, his books appeared regularly on bestseller lists. Even today, in both hardcover and paperback, his fiction remains extremely popular

Praise for Zane Grey

"[Zane Grey is] an amazingly significant literary phenomenon." --Hamlin Garland

"Poignant in its emotional qualities." --The New York Times on Riders of the Purple Sage

"[A] well-handled melodramatic story of hairsbreadth escapes." --Booklist on Riders of the Purple Sage
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