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**The Spy and the Traitor** 2019-08-06 new york times bestseller the celebrated author of double cross and rogue heroes returns with his greatest spy story yet a thrilling americans era tale of oleg gordievsky the russian whose secret work helped hasten the end of the cold war the best true spy story i have ever read john le carré named a best book of the year by the economist shortlisted for the bailie giffords prize in nonfiction if anyone could be considered a russian counterpart to the infamous british double agent kim philby it was oleg gordievsky the son of two kgb agents and the product of the best soviet institutions the savvy sophisticated gordievsky grew to see his nation s communism as both criminal and philistine he took his first posting for russian intelligence in 1968 and eventually became the soviet union s top man in london but from 1973 on he was secretly working for mi6 for nearly a decade as the cold war reached its twilight gordievsky helped the west turn the tables on the kgb exposing russian spies and helping to foil countless intelligence plots as the soviet leadership grew increasingly paranoid at the united states s nuclear first strike capabilities and brought the world closer to the brink of war desperate to keep the circle of trust close mi6 never revealed gordievsky s name to its counterparts in the cia which in turn grew obsessed with figuring out the identity of britain s obviously top level source their obsession ultimately doomed gordievsky the cia officer assigned to identify him was none other than aldrich ames the man who would become infamous for secretly spying for the soviets unfolding the delicious three way gamesmanship between america britain and the soviet union and culminating in the gripping cinematic beat by beat of gordievsky s nail biting escape from moscow in 1985 ben macintyre s latest may be his best yet like the greatest novels of john le carré it brings readers deep into a world of treachery and betrayal where the lines bleed between the personal and the professional and one man s hatred of communism had the power to change the future of nations

De spion en de verrader 2019-11-19 het beste waargebeurde spionageverhaal dat ik ooit las john le carré superspannend over de buitenlandse betrekkingen tussen de verenigde staten engeland en rusland en botsende ideologieën ben macintyre is een gelauwerd historicus en auteur dit is zijn beste boek tot nu toe dit is het waargebeurde verhaal van een van de meest buitengewone spionnen uit de geschiedenis in 1968 kreeg oleg gordievsky zijn eerste post voor de kgb en binnen een paar jaar werd hij de topman van de sovjet unie in londen waar hij vanaf 1973 stiekem werkte voor mi6 geen enkele andere spion heeft de kgb meer beschadigd en de loop van de koude oorlog voor altijd zo veranderd de cia wilde koste wat het kost weten wie deze bron was die overduidelijk op het hoogste niveau opereerde en de cia officier die was aangesteld om hem te identificeren was aldrich ames de man die zelf berucht zou worden omdat ook hij een dubbelspion was en in het geheim voor de sovjets spioneerde maar oleg gordievsky speelt de hoofdrol in een gehaaid spel tussen amerika groot britannië en de sovjet unie dat zijn climax vindt in een filmische ontsnapping uit moskou in 1985 adembenemend spannend én allemaal waargebeurd de pers over de spion en de verrader oleg gordievsky was de belangrijkste britse agent van de koude oorlog een oogverblindende non fictiethriller een intiem portret van spionage op het hoogste niveau the guardian macintyre is de meest vooraanstaande schrijver geworden van de britse inlichtingengeschiedenis omdat hij de essentie begrijpt van spionage het gaat over wachten plannen schaduwen verbergen the washington post bloedstollende en waargebeurde spionagegeschiedenis uit de meest wanhopige jaren van de koude oorlog kirkus reviews een dubbelportret van twee van de meest succesvolle dubbelagenten van de koude oorlog the new york times

**Best of Enemies** 2018-10-02 the thrilling story of two cold war spies cia case officer jack platt and kgb agent gennady vasilenko improbable friends at a time when they should have been anything but in 1978 cia maverick jack platt and kgb agent gennady vasilenko were new arrivals on the washington dc

intelligence scene with jack working out of the cia's counterintelligence office and gennady out of the soviet embassy both men already notorious iconoclasts within their respective agencies were assigned to seduce the other into betraying his country in the urgent final days of the cold war but instead the men ended up becoming the best of friends blood brothers theirs is a friendship that never should have happened and their story is chock full of treachery darkly comic misunderstandings bureaucratic inanity the russian mafia and landmark intelligence breakthroughs of the past half century in best of enemies two espionage cowboys reveal how they became key behind the scenes players in solving some of the most celebrated spy stories of the twentieth century including the crucial discovery of the soviet mole robert hansen the 2010 spy swap which freed gennady from soviet imprisonment and how robert de niro played a real life role in helping gennady stay alive during his incarceration in russia after being falsely accused of spying for the americans through their eyes we see the distinctions between the russian and american methods of conducting espionage and the painful birth of the new russia whose leader vladimir putin dreams he can roll back to the ideals of the old ussr

**The Story of Secret Service** 1937 why has the spy story become such a popular form of entertainment in our time in this fascinating account of the genre's evolution john g cawelti and bruce a rosenberg explore the social political and artistic sources of the spy story's wide appeal they show how in a time of bewildering political and corporate organization the spy story has become increasingly relevant the secret agent hero expressing the feelings of divided and ambiguous loyalties with which many individuals face the modern world in addition to a general history of the genre cawelti and rosenberg present in depth analyses of the work of certain writers who have given the spy story its shape among them john buchán eric ambler graham greene ian fleming and john le carré the spy story also includes an extensive appendix featuring a literary and historical bibliography of espionage and clandestinity a list of the best spy novels and films a catalog of major spy writers and their heroes and a selection of novels on espionage themes written by major twentieth century authors and public figures written in a lively style that reflects the authors enthusiasm for this intriguing form the spy story will be read with pleasure by devotees of the genre as well as students of popular culture

**The Spy Story** 1987-05 the imperfect spy is the inside story of george trofimoff an american civil servant and army reserve colonel convicted in 2001 of spying for the soviet union throughout the cold war it is a story of betrayal greed and treachery at an almost incomprehensible level it begins with trofimoff's early years as a russian refugee living in pre world war ii germany and continues throughout the remarkable series of coincidences that converged to give him a new life and made him an american citizen it follows trofimoff's life as he advanced in the american intelligence community through positions of increasing responsibility and his unlikely recruitment by a russian orthodox priest trofimoff's stepbrother as a spy for the soviet union it ends with his arrest trial and conviction for espionage the imperfect spy is a remarkably complete look at the life of a spy told from both trofimoff's point of view and from the trial record the author's observations of trofimoff over a five year period combine with the author's unique access to trofimoff's writings create a remarkably intimate look at a very public event

**The Imperfect Spy** 2005 in his four decades as a kgb officer victor cherkashin was a central player in the shadowy world of cold war espionage from his rigorous training in soviet intelligence in the early 1950s to his prime spot as the kgb's head of counterintelligence at the soviet embassy in washington cherkashin's career was rich in episode and drama in a riveting memoir cherkashin provides a remarkable insider's view of the kgb's prolonged conflict with

the cia playing a major role in global espionage for most of the cold war cherkashin was posted to stations in the united states australia india and lebanon he tracked down u s and british spies around the world but it was in 1985 that cherkashin scored two of the kgb s biggest ever coups in april of that year he recruited disgruntled cia officer aldrich ames and became his principal handler six months later fbi special agent robert hansen contacted cherkashin directly eventually becoming an even bigger asset than ames in spy handler cherkashin offers the complete account of how and why both americans turned against their country and addresses the rumors of an undiscovered kgb spy another hansen or ames still at large in the u s intelligence community full of vivid detail and dramatic accounts that shed stark new light on the inner workings of the kgb spy handler is a major addition to cold war history told by one of its major players

**Spy Handler** 2005-11-01 introduces the history of espionage and discusses world war i spies who were caught and executed agents who worked with the resistance in occupied france the breaking of the enigma code espionage during the cold war and spy technology

*The Secret World of the Spy* 1994 national bestseller a washington post notable book of the year drawing on previously classified cia documents and on interviews with firsthand participants the billion dollar spy is a brilliant feat of reporting and a riveting true story of intrigue in the final years of the cold war it was the height of the cold war and a dangerous time to be stationed in the soviet union one evening while the chief of the cia s moscow station was filling his gas tank a stranger approached and dropped a note into the car the chief suspicious of a kgb trap ignored the overture but the man had made up his mind his attempts to establish contact with the cia would be rebuffed four times before he thrust upon them an envelope whose contents would stun u s intelligence in the years that followed that man adolf tolkachev became one of the most valuable spies ever for the u s but these activities posed an enormous personal threat to tolkachev and his american handlers they had clandestine meetings in parks and on street corners and used spy cameras props and private codes eluding the ever present kgb in its own backyard until a shocking betrayal put them all at risk

**The Story of Spying** 2007 from the bestselling author of the spy and the traitor a spy among friends and rogue heroes a fascinating work of popular history that vividly recreates the vast web of deception spun by spies in order to conceal d day on june 6 1944 150 000 allied troops landed on the beaches of normandy and suffered an astonishingly low rate of casualties a stunning military achievement it was also a masterpiece of trickery operation fortitude which protected and enabled the invasion and the double cross system which specialized in turning german spies into double agents tricked the nazis into believing that the allied attacks would come in calais and norway rather than normandy it was the most sophisticated and successful deception operation ever carried out ensuring allied victory at the most pivotal moment in the war this epic event has never before been told from the perspective of the key individuals in the double cross system who together made up one of the oddest and most brilliant military units ever assembled until now

**The Billion Dollar Spy** 2016-05-10 this is the autobiography of john cairncross the man who gave the russians the decrypt of the enigma code thus enabling them to win the battle of kursk and turning the war against the germans it reveals why he turned to espionage what data he passed on and how mi5 finally tracked him down

Red Spy at Night 1977 this title comes from the political extremism and radicalism digital archive series which provides access to primary sources for academic research and teaching purposes please be aware that users may find some of the content within this resource to be offensive

Double Cross 2020-09-01 drawing on the group's surviving letters, poems, and Dorothy's diaries, Worthen throws new light on many old problems. He examines the pre-history of the events of 1802, the dynamics of the group between March and July, the summer of 1802 when Wordsworth and Dorothy visited Calais to see his ex-mistress and his daughter Caroline, and the wedding between Wordsworth and Mary in October of that year. In an epilogue, he looks forward to the ways in which relationships changed during 1803 and in the years to come. Book jacket.

Target Tokyo 1985 on the trail of Soviet infiltrator agent Bl Riot Svetlana Likhova takes the reader on a thrilling journey through Stalin's most audacious intelligence operation. On a sunny September day in 1931, a Soviet spy walked down the gangplank of the luxury transatlantic liner SS Europa and into New York, attracting no attention. Stanislav Shumovsky had completed his journey from Moscow to enroll at a top American university; he was concealed in a group of 65 Soviet students heading to prestigious academic institutions, but he was after far more than an excellent education. Recognizing Russia was 100 years behind the encircling capitalist powers, Soviet leader Joseph Stalin had sent Shumovsky on a mission to acquire America's vital secrets to help close the USSR's yawning technology gap. The road to victory began in the classrooms and laboratories of MIT. Shumovsky's destination soon became the unwitting finishing school for elite Russian spies. The USSR first transformed itself into a military powerhouse, able to confront and defeat Nazi Germany, then in an extraordinary feat that astonished the West in 1947, American ingenuity and innovation exfiltrated by Shumovsky made it possible to build and unveil the most advanced strategic bomber in the world. Following his lead, other MIT-trained Soviet spies helped acquire the secrets of the Manhattan Project. By 1949, Stalin's fleet of Tu-4s, now equipped with atomic bombs, could devastate the US. On his command, appropriately codenamed Bl Riot, Shumovsky was an aviation spy. Shumovsky's espionage was so successful that the USSR acquired every US aviation secret from his network of agents in factories and at top-secret military research institutes. In this thrilling history, Svetlana Likhova takes the reader on a journey through Stalin's most audacious intelligence operation. She pieces together every aspect of Shumovsky's life and character using information derived from American and Russian archives, exposing how even Shirley Temple and Franklin D. Roosevelt unwittingly advanced his schemes.

**The Enigma Spy** 1997 Pan Am flight attendant Natalie is the only thing that stands between the KGB and their attempt to steal submarine secrets from the United States Navy and alter the course of the Cold War. She and her naval submarine suitor Max find their budding romance plunged into the international intrigue of the 1970s when she discovers her roommate Mia is an East German spying for the Soviets to complicate matters. Max's submarine mate Peter has fallen in love with Mia. When Mia is ordered to turn Peter into a Russian spy, the result is a sexy espionage thriller that pits the creativity of the CIA against the treachery of the KGB. A page-turning Cold War thriller, the book boasts a solid, well-written plot, a believable story line, and credible characters. It is easy to read and so gripping as to make it almost impossible to put down. The author has drawn on his own considerable experience with the nuclear navy, a vivid imagination, and a logical thought train to produce a novel that will rival the best of Clancy, Flynn, and other contemporary writers of adventure fiction. The scary thing is that it doesn't seem like fiction.

**The Soviet Spies** 1947 the shocking true story of international intrigue, a highly detailed engrossing work. Kirkus reviews involving the 1993 murder of CIA officer Freddie Woodruff by KGB agents and the extensive cover-up that followed in Washington and in Moscow. In a post-truth era, we need a lot more fearless writers like Michael Pullara. Robert Baer, author of *See No Evil*, on August 8, 1993, a single bullet to the head killed Freddie Woodruff, the Central Intelligence Agency



s station chief in the former soviet republic of georgia within hours police had a suspect a vodka soaked village bumpkin named anzor sharmaidze a tidy explanation quickly followed it was a tragic accident us diplomats hailed georgia s swift work and both countries breathed a sigh of relief yet the bullet that killed woodruff was never found and key witnesses have since retracted their testimony saying they were beaten and forced to identify sharmaidze but if he didn t do it who did those who don t buy the official explanation think the answer lies in the spy games that played out on russia s frontier following the 1991 collapse of the soviet union woodruff was an early actor in a dangerous drama american spies were moving into newborn nations previously dominated by soviet intelligence russia s security apparatus resentful and demoralized was in turmoil its nominal loyalty to a pro western course set by president boris yeltsin shredded by hardline spooks and generals who viewed the americans as a menace at the time when woodruff was stationed there georgia was a den of intrigue it had a big russian military base and was awash with former and not so former soviet agents shortly before woodruff was shot veteran cia officer aldrich ames who would soon be unmasked as a kgb mole visited him on agency business in short order woodruff would be dead and ames in prison for life buckle up because the spy who was left behind reveals the full throttle little known thrilling tale

**Under the Molehill** 2001 cassidy s run is the riveting story of one of the best kept secrets of the cold war an espionage operation mounted by washington against the soviet union that ran for twenty three years at the highest levels of the government its code name was operation shocker lured by a double agent working for the united states ten russian spies including a professor at the university of minnesota his wife and a classic sleeper spy in new york city were sent by moscow to penetrate america s secrets two fbi agents were killed and secret formulas were passed to the russians in a dangerous ploy that could have spurred moscow to create the world s most powerful nerve gas cassidy s run tells this extraordinary true story for the first time following a trail that leads from washington to moscow with detours to florida minnesota and mexico based on documents secret until now and scores of interviews in the united states and russia the book reveals that more than 4 500 pages of classified documents including u s nerve gas formulas were passed to the soviet union in exchange for hundreds of thousands of dollars an armageddon code a telephone call to a number in new york city was to alert the sleeper spy to an impending nuclear attack a warning he would transmit to the soviets by radio signal from atop a rock in central park two fbi agents were killed when their plane crashed during surveillance of one of the soviet spies as he headed for the canadian border secret drops for microdots were set up by moscow from new york to florida to washington more than a cloak and dagger tale cassidy s run is the spellbinding story of one ordinary man sergeant joe cassidy not trained as a spy who suddenly found himself the fbi s secret weapon in a dangerous clandestine war advance praise for cassidy s run cassidy s run shows once again that few writers know the ins and outs of the spy game like david wise his research is meticulous in this true story of espionage that reads like a thriller dan rather the master hsa done it again david wise the best observer and chronicler of spies there is has told another gripping story this one comes from the cold war combat over nerve gas and is spookier than ever because it s all true jim lehrer

**The Americans: the Untold Story of How Soviet Spies Stole America's Greatest Secrets** 2018-05-21 ursula kuczynski burton was a spymaster saboteur bomb maker and secret agent codenamed agent sonya her story has never been told until now born to a german jewish family as ursula grew so did the nazis power as a fanatical opponent of the fascism that ravaged her homeland ursula was drawn to communism as a young woman motivated by the promise of a fair and peaceful society from planning an assassination attempt on hitler in switzerland to spying on the japanese in manchuria to preventing nuclear war or so she

believed by stealing the science of atomic weaponry from Britain to give to Moscow Ursula conducted some of the most dangerous espionage operations of the twentieth century in Agent Sonya Britain's most acclaimed historian Ben Macintyre delivers an exhilarating tale that's as fast paced as any fiction it is the incredible story of one spy's life a life that would alter the course of history

**Spy in the Sky** 2018-11-30 for readers of World War II history espionage fans of John Le Carré and Alan Furst and of Ben Macintyre's more recent books Eddie Chapman was a charming criminal a con man and a philanderer he was also one of the most remarkable double agents Britain has ever produced in 1941 after training as German spy in occupied France Chapman was parachuted into Britain with a revolver a wireless and a cyanide pill with orders from the Abwehr to blow up an airplane factory instead he contacted M15 the British Secret Service and for the next four years Chapman worked as a double agent a lone British spy at the heart of the German Secret Service inside the traitor was a man of loyalty inside the villain was a hero the problem for Chapman his spymasters and his lovers was to know where one persona ended and the other began based on recently declassified files Agent Zigzag tells Chapman's full story for the first time it's a gripping tale of loyalty love treachery espionage and the thin and shifting line between fidelity and betrayal

*The Man with the Poison Gun* 2017-08 the faux memoir of William Weber a spy in Hitler's house

The Spy Who Was Left Behind 2018-11-13 integrates the diverse details of Alger Hiss's life from his upper middle class upbringing and Harvard success to his role as a martyr to McCarthyism to present intriguing evidence that Hiss contrary to popular opinion was indeed a Soviet spy limning a remarkable portrait of a man whose life was devoted to perpetuating a lie

**Cassidy's Run** 2000 Colonel Alexandr Sasha Katsanov the loyal and dedicated Soviet GRU espionage agent is challenged once again when KGB operatives attempt to kill him but instead brutally murder his wife Katiya following the botched event he is sent to the United States as an attaché assigned to the Soviet Embassy for protection he quickly discovers that espionage is a two edged sword Soviet agents and Americans alike fall prey to greed and ideological motivations to sell out their governments Chris Adams latest work is another high quality spy story the exceptional realism of the plot sequences resemble all too clearly many of actual events that occurred during the Cold War period of anxiety written with expertise Lt Gen Lincoln D Faurer USAF Ret former Director National Security Agency Adams exceptional knowledge of Cold War history and the internal operations of the vast Soviet espionage agencies have led to the creation of another captivating story that leaves one spellbound with anticipation of the unexpected Ronald Huffstutler PhD Texas A M University Commerce once again Chris Adams has provided us with a credible adventure story which takes us on a realistic journey into the shadowy realm of the cruel ruthlessness of the Soviet Union's Cold War spy agencies Lt Gen Warren D Johnson USAF Ret former Director Defense Nuclear Agency

*Agent Sonya* 2021-05-27 the astonishing true story of the Berlin Tunnel one of the West's greatest espionage operations of the Cold War and the dangerous Soviet mole who betrayed it its code name was Operation Gold a wildly audacious CIA plan to construct a clandestine tunnel into East Berlin to tap into critical KGB and Soviet military telecommunication lines the tunnel crossing the border between the American and Soviet sectors would have to be 1 500 feet the length of the Empire State Building with state of the art equipment built and operated literally under the feet of their Cold War adversaries success would provide the CIA and the British Secret Intelligence Service access to a vast treasure of intelligence exposure might spark a dangerous confrontation with the Soviets yet as the allies were burrowing into the German soil a traitor code named Agent Diamond by his Soviet handlers was burrowing into the operation itself betrayal in Berlin is

steve vogel's heart pounding account of the operation he vividly recreates post war berlin a scarred shadowy snake pit with thousands of spies and innumerable cover stories it is also the most vivid account of george blake perhaps the most damaging mole of the cold war drawing upon years of archival research secret documents and rare interviews with blake himself vogel has crafted a true life spy story as thrilling as the novels of john le carré and len deighton betrayal in berlin includes 24 photos and two maps

*Agent Zigzag* 2020-09-01 international bestseller james bond has nothing on dusko popov a double agent for the abwehr mi5 and mi6 and the fbi during world war ii popov seduced numerous women spoke five languages and was a crack shot all while maintaining his cover as a yugoslavian diplomat on a cool august evening in 1941 a serbian playboy created a stir at casino estoril in portugal by throwing down an outrageously large baccarat bet to humiliate his opponent the serbian was a british double agent and the money which he had just stolen from the germans belonged to the british from the sideline watching with intent interest was none other than ian fleming the serbian was dusko popov as a youngster he was expelled from his london prep school years later he would be arrested and banished from germany for making derogatory statements about the third reich when world war ii ensued the playboy became a spy eventually serving three dangerous masters the abwehr mi5 and mi6 and the fbi on august 10 1941 the germans sent popov to the united states to construct a spy network and gather information on pearl harbor the fbi ignored his german questionnaire but j edgar hoover succeeded in blowing his cover while mi5 desperately needed popov to deceive the abwehr about the d day invasion they assured him that a return to the german secret service headquarters in lisbon would result in torture and execution he went anyway into the lion's mouth is a globe trotting account of a man's entanglement with espionage murder assassins and lovers including enemy spies and a hollywood starlet it is a story of subterfuge and seduction patriotism and cold blooded courage it is the story of dusko popov the inspiration for james bond includes photographs

*In Hitler's House Book Two* 2018-03-15 from the newbery honor and schneider award winning author of the war that saved my life comes for freedom the thrilling true story of one of france's youngest spies during world war ii and perfect for fans of code name verity and the diary of anne frank suzanne david's everyday life is suddenly shattered in 1940 when a bomb drops on the main square of her hometown the city of cherbourg france killing a pregnant neighbor right in front of her until then the war had seemed far away not something that would touch her or her teenage friends now suzanne's family is kicked out onto the street as german soldiers take over their house as a barracks suzanne clings to the one thing she really loves singing her voice is so amazing that she is training to become an opera singer as suzanne travels around for rehearsals costume fittings or lessons she learns more about what the nazis are doing and about the people who are disappearing her travels are noticed by someone else an organizer of the french resistance soon suzanne is a secret courier a spy fighting for france and risking her own life for freedom star this taut engrossing world war ii novel instantly immerses readers but the real focus however is the skin crawling suspense story about one of france's youngest spies each chapter brings new intrigue and often shocking revelations resonating with authenticity excitement and heart booklist starred star this suspenseful novel based on a true story moves swiftly into action filled but not laden with the events of the war and peppered with french language and the culture of music this novel will appeal to readers who enjoy history and espionage slj starred star based on bradley's interviews with the real suzanne this is an exciting account of a girl's coming of age in a scary time the historical context is neatly woven into the story kirkus reviews starred the action will have readers on the edge through the tense conclusion and the epilogue is not to be missed the bulletin a highly

compelling look at the covert battle for freedom publishers weekly an ira teachers choice an ala amelia bloomer selection a voya top shelf fiction selection a new york public library book pick a bank street college best book of the year

**Alger Hiss's Looking-glass Wars** 2004 a new york times best seller she was beautiful she was ruthless she had a steel trap for a mind and a will of iron born vera maria rosenberg in bucharest she became vera atkins legendary spy and holder of the legion of honor recruited by william stevenson the spymaster who would later come to be known as intrepid when she was only twenty three vera spent much of the 1930s running countless perilous espionage missions when war was declared in 1939 her fierce intelligence blunt manner personal courage and knowledge of several languages quickly propelled her to the leadership echelon of the highly secretive special operations executive soe a covert intelligence agency formed by and reporting to winston churchill she recruited and trained several hundred agents including dozens of women whose objectives were to penetrate deep behind enemy lines the stirring exploits and the exemplary courage of the soe agents and the french resistance fighters who in the words of general dwight d eisenhower together shortened the war by many months are justly celebrated but the central role of vera atkins has until now been cloaked in silence william stevenson was the only person she trusted to record her life he kept his promise that he would not publish her story until after her death here is the extraordinary account of the woman whose intelligence beauty and unflinching dedication proved key in turning the tide of world war ii skyhorse publishing along with our arcade good books sports publishing and yucca imprints is proud to publish a broad range of biographies autobiographies and memoirs our list includes biographies on well known historical figures like benjamin franklin nelson mandela and alexander graham bell as well as villains from history such as heinrich himmler john wayne gacy and o j simpson we have also published survivor stories of world war ii memoirs about overcoming adversity first hand tales of adventure and much more while not every title we publish becomes a national bestseller we are committed to books on subjects that are sometimes overlooked and to authors whose work might not otherwise find a home

*The Betrayal Mosaic* 2004-03 een briljante misleidingsoperatie die het verloop van de oorlog drastisch veranderde op 30 april 1943 ziet een visser vlak voor de spaanse kust een lijk drijven eenmaal aan land gebracht wordt het lichaam geïdentificeerd als de britse officier william martin van de royal marines een leren aktetas die aan zijn riem is vastgemaakt bevat zeer geheime documenten over de invasieplannen van de geallieerden majoor martin heeft echter nooit bestaan het lichaam was van een overleden zwerver uit wales en alle documenten zijn vervalst operatie mincemeat vertelt het ongelooflijke verhaal van een uitzonderlijke misleidingsoperatie waar de Duitsers met open ogen intrapten dankzij deze briljante leugen slaagde de geallieerde landing op sicilië en werd een begin gemaakt met de bevrijding van west europa ben macintyre 1963 is historicus en columnist bij the times zijn zeer succesvolle geschiedenis thrillers worden in meer dan 15 landen gepubliceerd waaronder spanje Duitsland en de Verenigde Staten in Nederland verscheen ook agent zigzag ben macintyre woont en werkt in Londen grandioos prachtig verteld meeslepend en vaak zeer aangrijpend john le carré macintyre's Neus voor een fantastisch verhaal is die van de journalist zijn verteltechniek is die van de romanschrijver mail on sunday briljant en bijna belachelijk onderhoudend malcolm gladwell the new yorker *Betrayal in Berlin* 2020-09-15 return to berlin is the long awaited sequel to noel hynd's classic million selling espionage novel flowers from berlin it is early 1943 and the united states has been at war for more than a year william cochrane an agent of the federal bureau of investigation who was the central character in flowers from berlin has enlisted in the united states army he has the commission of a major and is at fort monmouth new jersey training for combat

suddenly his military orders are countermanded by washington he is ordered to report immediately to general william donovan the office of strategic services in new york city at oss headquarters cochrane recently married receives an assignment more perilous than combat he is recruited into the fledgling wartime spy agency and assigned to travel to europe he is to make his way to switzerland to meet with alan dulles the director of the oss in switzerland there if cochrane is lucky enough to arrive he will receive the second part of his orders an espionage assignment under an assumed identity cochrane will make a heart pounding return visit to berlin where he lived for a while in the 1930s there is an assignment vital to the battle against nazi germany that only he with his prior knowledge of people and places in germany can complete if he eludes capture by the ever vigilant gestapo or with the odds heavily against his success in this assignment will the assignment cost him his life rich in accurate historical detail heavily evocative of the terrifying era return to berlin is a fast moving action packed thriller that will be one of the top american spy novels of fall 2019 noel hynd is a few notches above the ludlums and clancys of the world booklisttraves for flowers from berlin this espionage thriller follows fbi agent william cochrane s efforts to stop a nazi spy from assassinating fdr toss in a love affair with a british secret service operative and you have the makings of a page turner complex in characterization crisp in dialogue and thorough in its background library journal first rate the cleveland plain dealer a chiller los angeles times a super spy novel the savannah news presse

**Into the Lion's Mouth** 2016-06-14 the full story of the anglo american intelligence relationship ranging from the deceits of world war i to the mendacities of 9 11 now told for the first time

*For Freedom* 2005-01-11 from the capture of sidney reilly the ace of spies by lenin s bolsheviks in 1925 to the deportation from the usa of anna chapman the redhead under the bed in 2010 kremlin and western spymasters have battled for supremacy for nearly a century in deception edward lucas uncovers the real story of chapman and her colleagues in britain and america unveiling their clandestine missions and the spy hunt that led to their downfall it reveals unknown triumphs and disasters of western intelligence in the cold war providing the background to the new world of industrial and political espionage to tell the story of post soviet espionage lucas draws on exclusive interviews with russia s top nato spy herman simm and unveils the horrific treatment of a moscow lawyer who dared to challenge the ruling criminal syndicate there once the threat from moscow was international communism now it comes from the siloviki russia s ruthless men of power

**Spymistress** 2011-11-01 with an epilogue on recent russian spying a page turner of a memoir publishers weekly about an american civilian with a dream who worked as a double agent with the fbi in the early 2000s to bring down a russian intelligence agent in new york city for three nerve wracking years from 2005 to 2008 naveed jamali spied on america for the russians trading thumb drives of sensitive technical data for envelopes of cash selling out his beloved country across noisy restaurant tables and in quiet parking lots or so the russians believed in fact jamali was a covert double agent working with the fbi the cold war wasn t really over it had just gone high tech a classic case of american counterespionage from the inside a never ending game of cat and mouse the wall street journal how to catch a russian spy is the story of how one young man s post college adventure became a real life intelligence coup incredibly jamali had no previous counterespionage experience everything he knew about undercover work he d picked up from tv cop shows and movies yet he convinced the fbi and the russians they could trust him with charm cunning and bold naiveté he matched wits with a veteran russian military intelligence officer out maneuvering him and his superiors along the way jamali and his fbi handlers exposed espionage activities at the russian mission to the united nations jamali

now reveals the full riveting story behind his double agent adventure from coded signals on craigslist to clandestine meetings at hooters to veiled explanations to his worried family he also brings the story up to date with an epilogue showing how the very same playbook the russians used on him was used with spectacularly more success around the 2016 election cinematic news breaking and an entertaining and breezy read the washington post how to catch a russian spy is an armchair spy fantasy brought to life

Operatie mincemeat 2012-10-04 was ian fleming a master spy after years of serving in the intelligence community ian fleming retired and soon thereafter created james bond that debonair dashing hero of countless novels and films but what if fleming never really retired from spying what if his position as an international journalist was really a cover for cold war cat and mouse games in death to spies ian fleming master operative steps out from the shadow of his creation to take his rightful place in the pantheon of fictional spies fleming's idyll on the island of jamaica is disrupted when a ranking member of british intelligence shows up with a wild story of purloined nuclear secrets and moles within british intelligence then mysteriously disappears apparently the victim of foul play investigating fleming faces hostility in los alamos where anyone not american is automatically suspect meets a glamorous sexy woman with few scruples and narrowly survives several attempts on his life

*The Spy who Got Away* 1989

Return To Berlin 2019-12-04

**The Game of the Foxes** 1972

**In Spies We Trust** 2013-06-13

**Spy Overhead** 1971

Deception 2012-03-15

*How to Catch a Russian Spy* 2015-06-23

Escape Into Espionage 1987

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