



FICTION

A MOST WANTED MAN

John Le Carré

Fic, Q, CD, Cass

A Chechen torture survivor and possible Islamic terrorist ignites a conflagration of needs and desires. Those around him – a veteran German spy, Scots money-laundering banker, and idealistic radical lawyer – crave clarity in a murky world where the bureaucratic spy apparatus ruthlessly prosecutes the War on Terror.. Le Carré is back!

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY UNDERCOVER

Ed Garman

SC Blue

Belle Boyd's beauty deceives for the South, Elizabeth Van Lew's eccentricity for the North. Daring double agent Timothy Webster infiltrates the notorious "Knights of Liberty". Short stories of Civil War courage and cold-hearted betrayal challenge our deepest notions of right and wrong.

MOSCOW RULES

Daniel Silva

Fic, Q, CD, Cass

Gabriel Allon, art restorer and Israeli agent, quickly learns the "Moscow rules" as he pursues a neo-Stalinist oligarch and arms dealer. A fast-paced thriller with unexpected plot twists, evil and the potential for global war are juxtaposed with the yearning of characters on both sides for normal family lives.

(GABRIEL ALLON MYSTERY #8)

MRS. POLLIFAX UNVEILED

Dorothy Gilman

M, Q, CD, Cass

Emily Pollifax, housewife and sometime CIA operative, searches for a young girl who vanishes after thwarting hijackers on a flight to Damascus. Racing through the city's suqs and into the desert, Mrs. Pollifax discovers a plot to destabilize the Middle East. This cozy mystery marries armchair travel and espionage with wry humor.

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THE QUIET AMERICAN

Graham Greene

Fic, Cass, DVD, VID

A jaded British journalist struggles to remain aloof from the Vietnam he sees while a naïve American CIA agent fails to see the consequences of his actions. The young Vietnamese girl for whom they vie focuses on survival as does her country, torn between the failure of colonialism and illusion of democracy. A murder proves nothing is clear and no one is innocent. From the undisputed master of the spy novel.

THE SECRET HISTORY OF THE PINK CARNATION

Lauren Willig

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Richard Selwick, an aristocratic spy in Napoleonic France, meets his match in Englishwoman Amy Belcourt. Who saves England from invasion—the Purple Gentian (Richard), or an unknown agent called the Pink Carnation? A contemporary doctoral student uncovers the answer while experiencing her own adventures with Selwick's descendants in a tongue-in-cheek romance.

SECRET AGENT

DVD Secr

James bond is frumpy and MacGyver unimaginative compared to M9 agent John Drake. He pops up at political hotspots, fends off lethal ladies, and is drugged, beaten or shot at in the sophisticated British television series.

NONFICTION

WASHINGTON'S SPIES: THE STORY OF AMERICA'S FIRST SPY RING

Alexander Rose

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Kidnapping, dead drops and invisible ink. The Soviets? No, George Washington, spymaster. The Culper Ring included a farmer, barkeep, and young Quaker torn between principle and family. This is an illuminating look at Washington, the realities of revolution, and people risking their lives for an idea.

THE BUREAU AND THE MOLE: THE UNMASKING OF ROBERT HANSEN, THE MOST DANGEROUS DOUBLE AGENT IN FBI HISTORY

David A. Vise

B, Q Hans

A religious family man with none of the usual vices, straight-arrow FBI agent Robert Hansen hated Communists. Yet he was the most damaging spy in American history, so clever the Russians didn't know his identity. Exploring Hansen's psyche yields tantalizing clues to his motivation in a portrait of calculated, passionless betrayal.

FEMME FATALE: LOVE, LIES AND THE UNKNOWN LIFE OF MATA HARI

Pat Shipman

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Research suggests that far from wicked seductress and enemy of the state, Margarethe Zeller was a woman who liked pretty things and wanted desperately to control her own life. Was she a spy or political scapegoat of WWI rivals France and Germany.

SPY HANDLER: MEMOIR OF A KGB OFFICER: THE TRUE STORY OF THE MAN WHO RECRUITED ROBERT HANSEN AND ALDRICH AMES

Victor Cherkashin with Gregory Feifer

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Only since the fall of the Soviet Union can a KCG agent reveal this much and live. Insight into motivations for treason and the inner workings of a spy service, with a personal history spanning 70 years of tumultuous change, characterize the reminiscences of a second generation spy and unrepentant Communist.

SECRET WARS: ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF BRITISH INTELLIGENCE INSIDE MIS AND M16

Gordon Thomas

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Tidbits for this lively tome come from inside on-the-record sources. Kermit Roosevelt bought America's 'special relationship' with Egypt from Nasser. The British class system fed the failure to expose atomic spy Klaus Fuchs. By 2007, 4.2 million CCTV cameras were trained on Britons by their government, 20% of those in world use.

PERFECT SPY: THE INCREDIBLE DOUBLE LIFE OF PHAM XUAN AN, TIME MAGAZINE REPORTER AND VIETNAMESE COMMUNIST AGENT

Larry Berman

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Friend to CIA chief William Colby and close to journalist David Halberstam, popular Reuters and Time reporter An spied undiscovered for the North Vietnamese. Interviews build a portrait of a man who loved his country, but also saved some of the Americans he betrayed.

AGENT 146: THE TRUE STORY OF A NAZI SPY IN AMERICA

Erich Gimpel

940.5487 Gimp

Double-crossed by an American collaborator, Gimpel's undercover mission resulted in capture, interrogation, trial and near-execution. Details of plans to land by U-boat, blow up the Panama canal, destroy factories, and collect intelligence on the Manhattan Project provide suspenseful history.