

Harry Fisher – Biography

In March 2019, Harry self-published his debut crime thriller: *Way Beyond A Lie*. The themes are bang up to date for today's online world: identity theft and cybercrime. Currently, the book has an Amazon rating of 4.8 stars from 96 reviews. Harry hadn't written a single line of fiction before *Way Beyond A Lie*, and is entirely self-taught.

Harry arranged and hosted the launch event, and ninety people came along.

In February 2020 he was chosen to speak at Aberdeen's *Granite Noir* crime festival, under the *Locals in the Limelight* banner.

In August 2020 he finished his second novel: *Six Six Six* - a crime thriller set in Edinburgh in the present time. The story concerns Six events ... suffered by Six people ... leaving Six lives destroyed. It is currently out on submission to literary agents.

Many readers of *Way Beyond A Lie* said two of the police characters were strong enough to lead in their own book. So DS Mel Cooper is the central character in *Six Six Six*, and DC Andrew Young is her sidekick.

Harry is now working on the plot for his third book (working title: *Yes, I Killed Her*), a continuation of the Mel and Andrew series.

Harry writes because he finds it tremendous fun and incredibly satisfying, but his aspirational goal is to become a notable contributor to Scottish crime fiction.

He lives in Aberdeen with his wife, Shiona. They are both into travel, outdoor activities, wine and food - and if all four can be aligned then so much the better.

Harry Fisher's debut crime thriller – *Way Beyond A Lie*

Way Beyond A Lie is a crime thriller that's bang up to date for today's online world. It involves identity theft and cybercrime. The story alternates between Edinburgh and Prague with a tragic and bloody climax in a peaceful New Forest village.

Ross McKinlay is an ordinary man facing an extraordinary situation. His new wife, **Carla**, has disappeared with £600,000 of his savings.

"If your wife disappeared, and you didn't know why, would you try to find her?"

Damn right you would.

Ross McKinlay is doing exactly that. He's searching for his missing wife, Carla. But he's completely unaware that a hired assassin is also hunting her down.

And this man takes his job very seriously".

Currently, *Way Beyond A Lie* has an Amazon rating of 4.8 stars from 96 reviews.

During a price promotion in April 2020 (free charts) it ranked:

#2 in Crime Fiction

#12 in the overall Top 100.

During a price promotion in July 2020 (free charts) it ranked:

#1 in both Scottish Crime and International Mystery & Crime

#3 in British & Irish Crime

#4 in Crime Thriller

#8 in Crime Fiction.

The author can provide signed personalised copies of the book for £8.00 each (RRP £8.99) or £7.50 per copy for two or more copies.

Harry Fisher's follow-up crime thriller

Six Six Six is set in Edinburgh in the present time. It's not a sequel but many readers of *Way Beyond A Lie* said two of the police characters were strong enough to lead in their own book. So DS Mel Cooper is the central character in *Six Six Six*, and DC Andrew Young is her sidekick.

Six events ... suffered by Six people ... leaving Six lives destroyed.

"Someone is hell-bent on revenge. The lives of six individuals and their families have been destroyed. And a serial blackmailer has pushed one of his victims to breaking point.

DS Melissa (Mel) Cooper is doing her damndest to find out how and why they are all connected.

If only her bosses weren't desperate to stop her."

Six Six Six is currently out on submission to literary agencies.

Harry Fisher's third crime thriller

Harry is currently storyboarding his third book - working title: *Yes, I Killed Her*.

It's a continuation of the DS Mel Cooper series.

Harry says: "I'm fascinated by the concept of the perfect (unsolvable) murder but in these days of omnipresent CCTV, electronic footprints that are incredibly difficult to erase, and scientific advances in forensic detection – it will not be easy to craft a realistic plot. That, and the theme has probably been done to death already.

But I'm going to give it a go."

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