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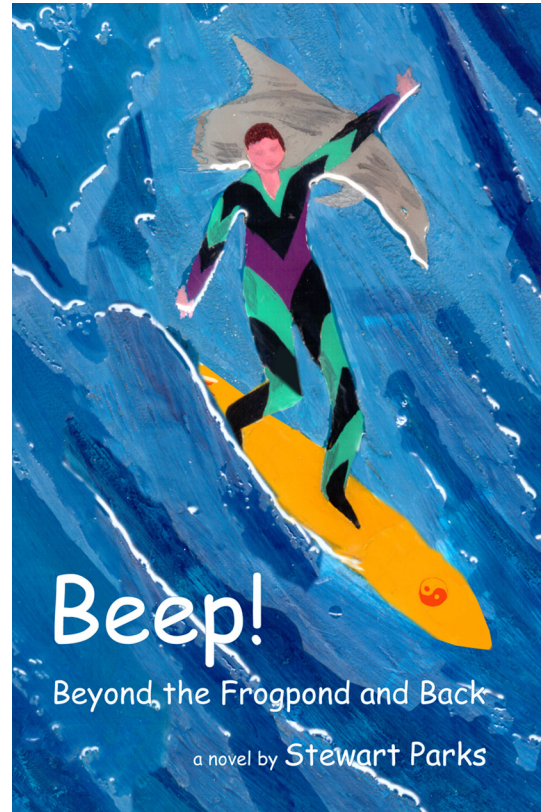
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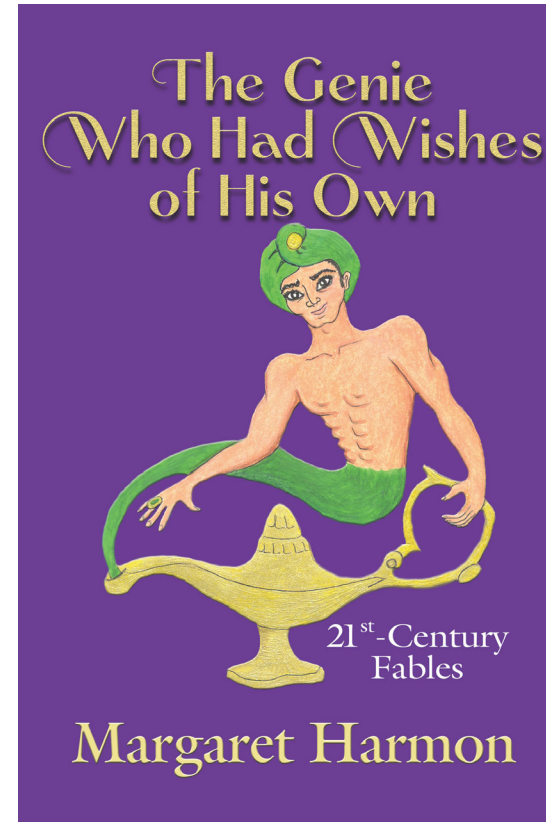
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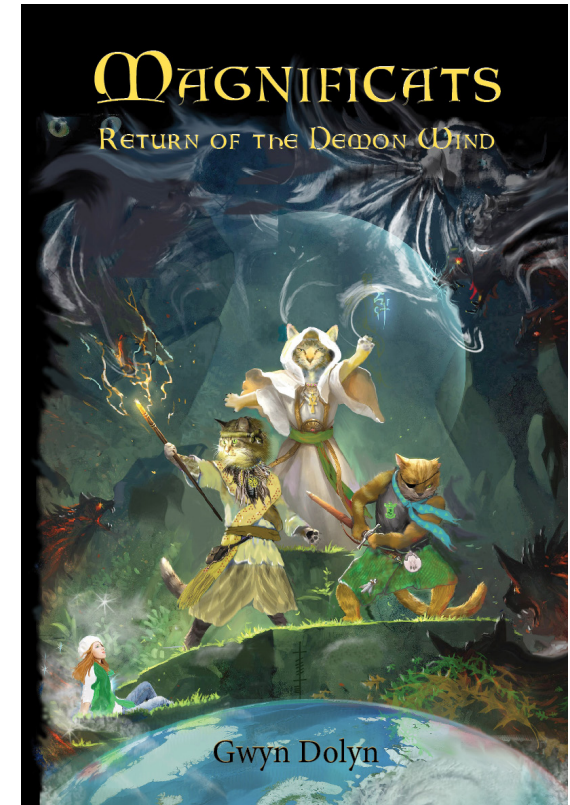
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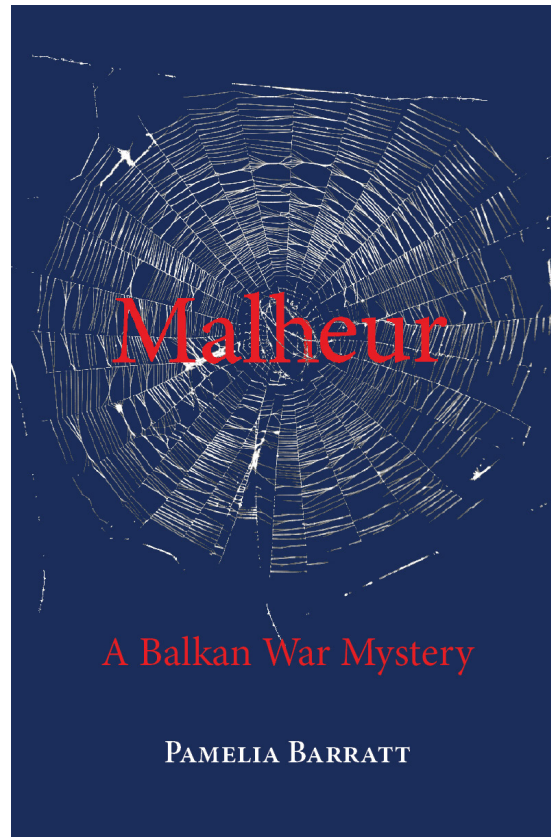
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When a gwyllion wind engulfs a 13-year-old outside her Irish middle school, the veil between everyday reality and an unseen world is momentarily torn away. She catches a glimpse into an ether-world, locking eyes with the leader of a clandestine order of numinous nine-lived cats, known by tree folk & fey alike as Magnificats. Thus begins an amazing adventure, which ultimately brings her a new understanding of courage, purpose, loyalty, & family.



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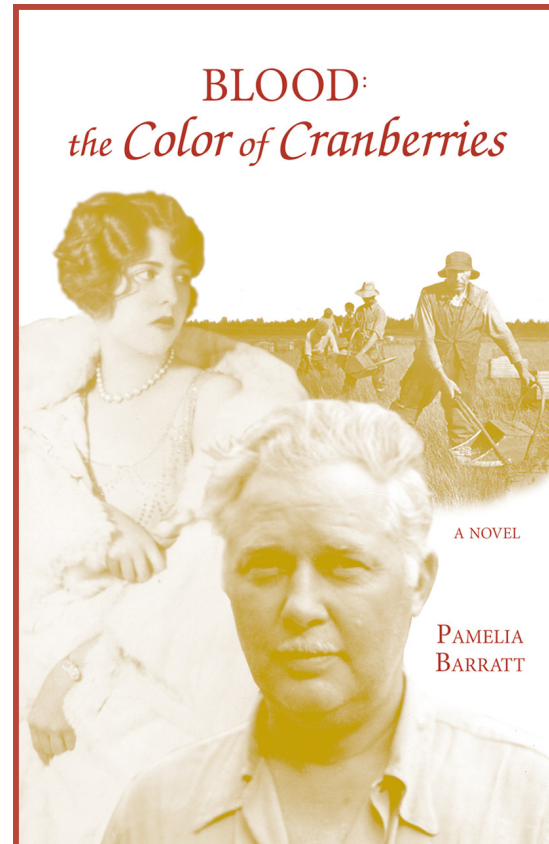
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A story of international intrigue following the historical events of the breakup of Yugoslavia in the 1990s. Through a mix of romance, assassin's bullets, and Balkan/cowboy culture clashes, young untrained and unauthorized survivors of the Balkan wars of secession work independently to collect incriminating evidence to help bring war criminals to justice.



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BLOOD: *the Color of Cranberries*

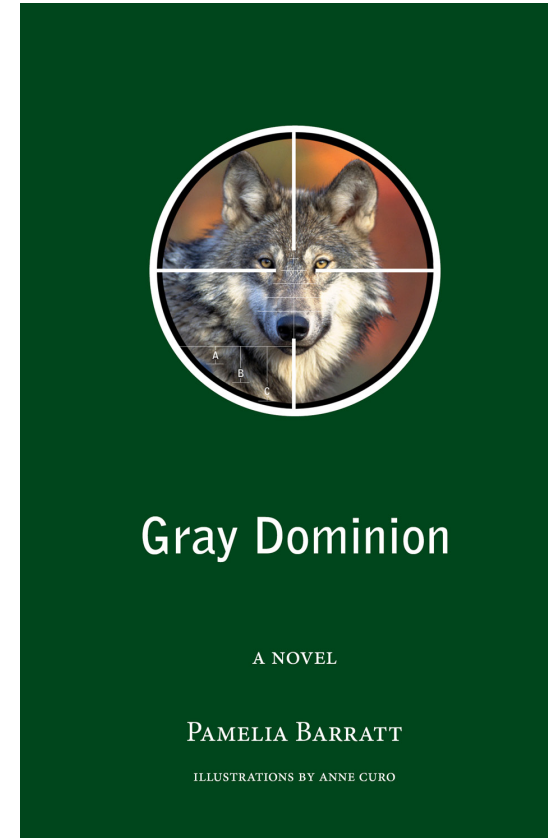
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A sweeping chronicle of the Milton family, sophisticated Chicagoans, forced to move to a small, northern Wisconsin peat bog in 1920, due to an unexpected death in the family. Twisting interplays of personalities, each with their own secrets, delay the unraveling of this "accident" for forty years. Through the narrative, a history of Indianhead country, early Wisconsin North Woods communities, and cranberry cultivation in America prior to 1960 are introduced.



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BY PAMELIA BARRATT

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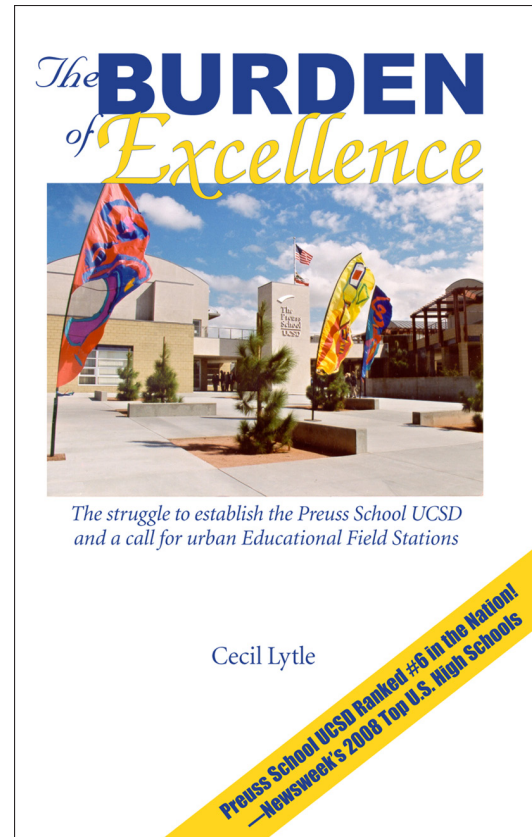
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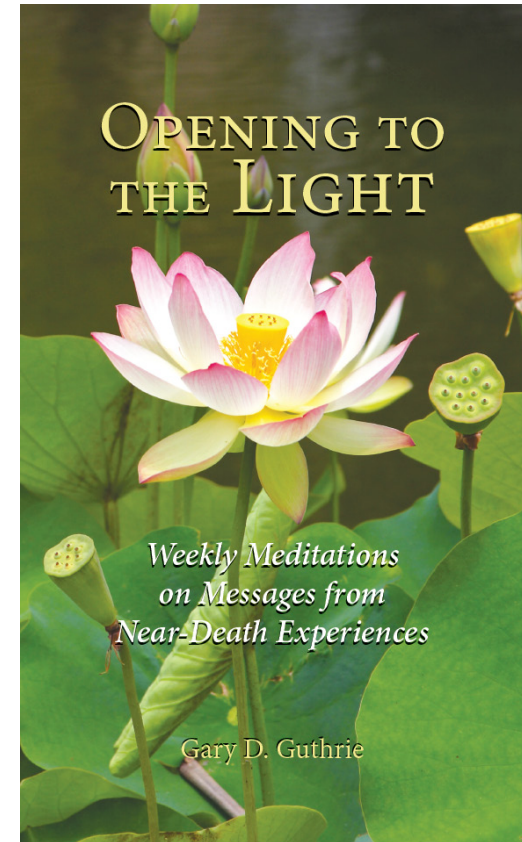


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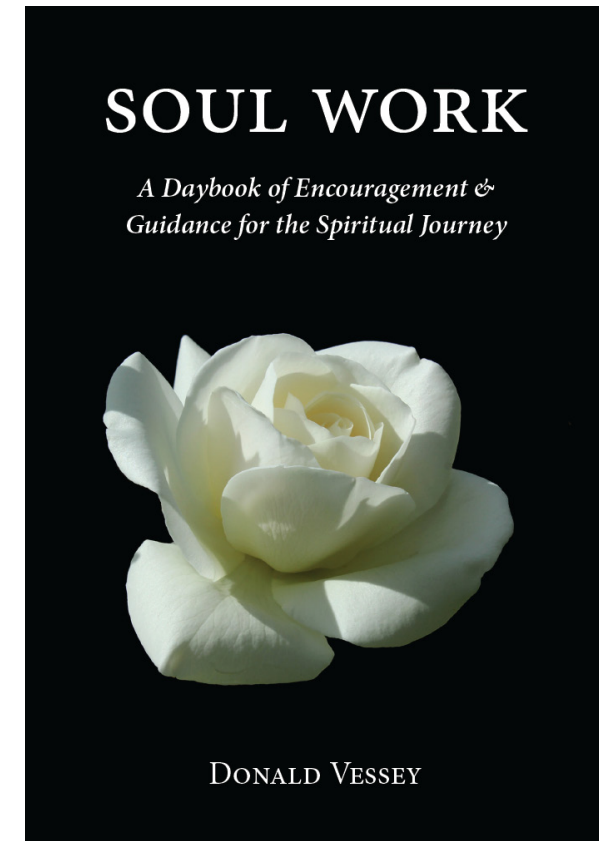


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