

## Midnight Magic (A Ghost Abby Mystery Book 1)

Everyone has secrets. Escaping the clutches of a mobster, art forger Harley Davis dives off a yacht in the middle of the night and swims ashore to Sunset Cove, a small town in the Pacific Northwest, where the only light she sees comes from inside a haunted teahouse. Soaking wet and shaking, she pauses at the door. No one in their right mind would enter such a creepy place, but she has no choice. She needs to hide. Pirate ghost, Three-Sheets, enjoys his extended life on earth, gambling and flirting with the ladies, but when he meets Harley, he discovers he wants more out of death than a good gambling hand. As the charming Three Sheets woos Harley, her former boss puts a contract on her head. What do you get when you mix a saucy thief, a pirate ghost and an angry godfather? Another fun, Gambling Ghost story.

Karen thinks the ghost of Ben Brewer lives in her house but she's never really seen him until now. Karen and her stepsister have found out that Ben and his spooky friends are going to have a party in her attic.

Dial Sorcery Trouble brews when a powerful enchantress fights a curse. When Grigoire the gargoyle asks the enchantress Jane Black to break a curse, her successful storefront for all-things witchy runs into trouble. Using arcane scripts, Jane casts intricate spells to shatter the web of black magic entrapping Grig, but as they work through the process together, Jane's sorcery creates unexpected consequences in town. While the local wizards, shifters, and mages turn against her, her usual allies offer their assistance. There is Leos a drool-worthy dragon enforcer who is too hot to handle, Alessandro a blackmailing vampire with his own agenda, and her loving family of witches and warlocks who take great delight in swishing their brooms and swords in her business whenever they can. Adding to this pandemonium, her snarky familiar, isn't talking to her. Jane, true to her personal code, is determined to make things better for everyone, or die trying. Is Jane's magic strong enough to crack the curse, and mend the town's mojo? Will her full-service sorcery, survive this scandal? Read the Dial Sorcery to find out. Dial Sorcery is the second book in the Dial Witch trilogy, set in the Mystic Keep world, which chronologically follows The Perfect Brew trilogy. It can easily be read as a standalone story.

In the vein of *The Time Traveler's Wife* and *Life After Life*, *The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue* When Addie La Rue makes a pact with the devil, she trades her soul for immortality. But there's always a price - the devil takes away her place in the world, cursing her to be forgotten by everyone. Addie flees her tiny home town in 18th-Century France, beginning a journey that takes her across the world, learning to live a life where no one remembers her and everything she owns is lost and broken. Existing only as a muse for artists throughout history, she learns to fall in love anew every single day.

Her only companion on this journey is her dark devil with hypnotic green eyes, who visits her each year on the anniversary of their deal. Alone in the world, Addie has no choice but to confront him, to understand him, maybe to beat him. Until one day, in a second hand bookshop in Manhattan, Addie meets someone who remembers her. Suddenly thrust back into a real, normal life, Addie realises she can't escape her fate forever.

Dial Sorcery

A Cornish Christmas Carol

The Works of Thomas Love Peacock: Preface. Biographical notice. Headlong hall. Melincourt. Nightmare abby

Lucy's Magic Journal

The 100 Most Popular Young Adult Authors

**Moving house is always an adventure but Abby and Chris get more than they bargained for when their parents take them to their new home. The garden, with its playhouse and old tree, promises them hours of fun but soon strange events turn fun into danger... Who are the two spooky old women from down the road and why are they so keen to befriend the children? Where have the cat and dog come from that nobody but Abby and Chris can see? Is their garden with its gnarled old tree an innocent space in which to spend long, summer days - or does it conceal something darker? When the children's mother disappears, the children are forced to confront an ancient evil. Can they defeat the Fairy King through a series of dangerous challenges - or will he destroy them before they can rescue their mother and escape?**

**Abigail's relationship with her boyfriend, Seth, is teetering on the edge of self-destruction. The recent lack of communication and cold shoulder has become unbearable. So, when Seth's ghost hunting job takes him on a trip to South Carolina, Abigail decides to join, and use the down time to hopefully rekindle their flame. When they arrive at the historical antebellum house—which is allegedly haunted—Abigail quickly learns there is more to it than meets the eye, and within the walls there is a dark story, and presence, threatening to pull her under, especially when a mysterious stranger shows up. If Abigail can't find a way to survive the eerie house, then she may have more to worry about than the possibility of a broken heart.**

**A Cornish Christmas Carol is a festive delight to enjoy with a hot cup of mulled wine, perfect for fans of Jenny Colgan and Karen Swan. Joy to the world? Not if Abigail Scorrer has anything to do with it. She's spent most of her adult life trying to avoid the festive frenzy. She loved Christmas as a child in Cornwall: the colourful stockings hanging above a crackling fire, the excitement of what will be waiting for her the next morning. But ever since her life took a heart-breaking turn, she's buried those memories and done everything she can to avoid her past, her family and most of all, the Christmas**

season. But on Christmas Eve, Abigail will have three visitors she can't ignore, and what they reveal about her past, present and future might just change her life - and mend her heart... Your favourite authors love A Cornish Christmas Carol! 'Lock yourself in, break out the mulled wine and mince pies and fall into this lovely Christmas story' Milly Johnson 'A magical, heartrending take on A Christmas Carol. I loved it!' Julia Williams 'This heart-warming festive tale is about the true meaning of Christmas: loved ones, family and coming home' Cathy Bramley 'Both heart-warming and poignant, a wonderful tale about the power of Christmas, and all that it means' Fiona Harper 'A moving Christmas story about love and redemption that would melt even Scrooge's heart' Phillipa Ashley

Dial Witch Trouble brews when a psychic enchantress shares her magic. When the sorceress Jane Black offers spells, potions, and tarot readings to the regular folk in her small town, she finds herself in a cauldron of hot water. Despite her good intentions, spells spiral out of control, potions backfire, and people turn against her. As Jane's problems multiply, a drool-worthy dragon enforcer, arrives on her doorstep and gives her an ultimatum. While the universe stacks impossible odds against her, a hot dragon breathes down her neck, and Vixen, her snarky familiar, harangues her every move, Jane refuses to give up. She's determined to make things better for everyone, or die trying. Is Jane's magic strong enough to heal the town's problems? Will her full-service sorcery store, survive? And what exactly will Leos the dragon set on fire? Dial Witch is the first book in the Dial Witch trilogy, set in the Mystic Keep world. It chronologically follows The Perfect Brew trilogy, but can easily be read as a standalone story.

**A Viking Ghost for Valentine's Day**

**Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books**

**Essentials of Children's Literature**

**The Crossroads at Midnight**

**A Triple Shot of Trouble**

A very special Stardust book, Lucy's Magic Journal lets you read all Lucy's most secret thoughts, dreams and wishes, as well as letting you discover all the exciting things that you never knew about the magical Stardust world! A must-have book for all Stardust fans and a delightful introduction to the world of Stardust for new readers to the series.

The only thing Abigail Donovan wants in life is to escape her grandmother and magic. Is that too much to ask? When Abby inherits a house from a great aunt she never knew, she takes the opportunity and runs with it. However, Abby's attempt to escape magic and all things witches doesn't take her far. Not only is the house plagued with magical residue, but Abby's not the only witch in town. Oh, and there's a ghost in her new house. His name is Thorn Alexander. As Abby's friendship with Thorn grows and evil comes knocking at her door, Abby is torn. If she wants to save Thorn, she'll have to use magic. If Abby uses magic, she'll tie herself to a new coven. Only one of them can be free in the end. Magic, curses, and a love beyond time all contained in one haunted house Abby never expected to inherit.

Offers brief biographies, annotated listings of each author's works, and suggestions for additional reading

Midnight Magic Jo-Ann Carson Terpstra

The Junior Bookshelf

Earth Day ... and the Recycling Fashionista

French Ghost

Death by Seance

Confessions of a Pirate Ghost

**Ghost-writer Melody Layne is stranded in Paris when the over-sexed but unloved French movie star who hired her to produce his memoir accidentally drowns before the interviews begin. It's a major financial relief when his enigmatic Spanish son re-hires her, but the seductive Carlos Ortega is strangely silent about his reasons for funding a feel-good bio about a father that he clearly despised. There's enough amour in the air for Melody to ignore this apparent paradox... at least until she uncovers a hidden cache of death threats addressed to the actor. For the French police, the sexy, secretive Spaniard - and sole heir to the actor's immense fortune - is suddenly a prime murder suspect. Can Melody's research into the Ghosts of Carlos-Past be enough to save her lover from prison?**

**It is time for the Earth Day celebration, and it seems like all of Abby's great ideas keep turning into chaos. Join Abby as she learns about the real process of turning plastic bottles into clothing and stuns the class with her Earth Day project, while also learning an important lesson of persevering, even when being mocked for her efforts. This book is a wonderful teaching tool for recycling units, with a truly tangible tale of what every child can do to improve the planet**

**Five complete sweet to sensual romances from five multi-talented authors in settings that are sure to warm the heart. There's a story for everyone from historical to contemporary. Let the magic of myths and legends sweep you away to where dreams of midnight kisses spark an unforgettable romance. Included in this Halloween Collection: Legacy by Gerald Costlow It's 1956 Appalachia, and Jeremiah Jack is a young man making a life for himself in the holler. Then one autumn morning Susie, his old sweetheart returns from college with her Professor to ask him for his help investigating the legend of how his grandfather, Crazy Jack, came to be born on the mountain. Thus begins an adventure that will take our group on a journey into a world of legend and myth, and cause Jeremiah to confront a dark legacy from his family's**

past. All while trying to convince Susie that the biggest mistake he ever made was letting her go and to give him another chance. **The Haven** by Barbara Miller Katrina Haven's bed and breakfast had been struggling even before her mother died, but Kat is determined not to sell the only home she has ever known even if the locals regard it as haunted. Then she has the brilliant idea of making it a pet friendly B&B. Now she has guests almost every weekend, including Will Boyer who stops by with his dog Boo on his way to visit his parents. But this trip, he brings along soap star Fallon Malone who tells Kat privately she is Will's fiancée. Unaware of this, Will regrets allowing Fallon to come on the trip with him. Somehow a suggested change to the storyline of the soap he writes turned into a PR trip with Will as Fallon's unwilling escort. He'd much rather be with Kat than the drama queen Fallon. He wonders how the New York soap star will handle staying in a haunted bed and breakfast. Maybe if the ghost can dislodge Fallon, he can finally make some progress with Kat.

**Pennytook** by Sarah J. McNeal Myths are supposed to be false...but some are terrifying and true. Pennytook is a war weary Gypsy who longs for peace from the past and wants something meaningful in his life. Esmeralda, a Gypsy trick rider, has harbored a deep affection for the chieftain, Pennytook, for many years. But her dark secret will never allow him into her life. A mythological creature is about to unleash its horror and change the destinies of Esmeralda and Pennytook.

**Lovely Lottie's Treasure** by Rebecca J. Vickery Dani Adair travels to Seattle at the request of her best friend Abby to help unravel notes from an old journal. The Legend of Lovely Lottie's Treasure has existed for years, but is there a real treasure in Old Seattle? With the help of Abby and the journal, Dani should be able to use her special talents to find out. Hunter works with Dani's half-brother who asks him to find her and keep her safe. Hunter discovers the favor a bit more than he bargained for when Dani proves to be independent, rebellious, and attractive. Keeping up with both Dani and Abby when they are in danger is enough to give any man nightmares. Why are they being followed and who is breaking in? Are they after the women, the journal, or the legendary hidden treasure? Will the growing attraction between Dani and Hunter hinder or help their efforts?

**Abraham's UN-DEAD** by Karen Michelle Nutt Adryanna and Bram Graystone encounter the Cantwells, another vampyre couple, who question their motives when their actions spark a legend about angels and

**miracles. It all began when they saved Abraham, a young lad, who would later become the author of the UN-DEAD."**

**Abby just learned she can do Magic and hear people's thoughts. That's a thrill for a girl who's never done anything more exciting than getting into a good college-until she's forced to go to Cantamen for school and realizes she's still just one in three and a half billion. She's supposed to be in the safest place in the world, protected by powerful witches, but when she and a classmate start to fall ill every time they use their Magic, Abby learns some frightening truths about her new world and all the ways Magic can be a curse. Power makes people greedy, and when she becomes the target of a sinister plot to resurrect someone who would rather stay dead, Abby must find a way to save her new life before she loses it too.**

**Pure-bred Dogs, American Kennel Gazette**

## **Children's Books in Print 1998**

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#### **Paranorthern**

It takes a graveyard to raise a child. Nobody Owens, known as Bod, is a normal boy. He would be completely normal if he didn't live in a graveyard, being raised by ghosts, with a guardian who belongs to neither the world of the living nor the dead. There are adventures in the graveyard for a boy—an ancient Indigo Man, a gateway to the abandoned city of ghouls, the strange and terrible Sleer. But if Bod leaves the graveyard, he will be in danger from the man Jack—who has already killed Bod's family.

~ triple trouble, boil, and bubble~ Can an enchantress stop evil from taking over the world? In the third book in the Perfect Brew trilogy, Cassie Black, a powerful witch with a serious caffeine addiction, faces Erebus, The Lord of Darkness. With the help of a sexy warlock, a vampire who doesn't understand the word "no," and a very-human detective, she searches for a way to banish the dark overlord forever. It's been months since the Erebus raised his head, but when an artist in town is murdered, Cassie knows the beast is back. Using all her resources, she searches for her friend's murderer knowing her efforts will lead to the source of all evil. Will the body count rise before Cassie catches the killer? Will she vanquish Erebus once and for all? Will her love-life settle down? There's a lot of drama stewing in Cassie's caldron. A Triple Shot of Trouble is the third and final book in the critically acclaimed Perfect Brew trilogy. It can be read as a stand-alone or as part of the series. If you like magical cozies with strong characters, romance, and humor, you'll love this novel. Buy A Triple

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Shot of Trouble, today, and enjoy a fun, heart-warming story filled with intrigue, sweet romance, and a touch of magic.

A thrilling supernatural adventure: dark, funny, with twists at every turn. Shortlisted for the Waterstones Children's Prize 2016. When Luke Manchett's estranged father dies suddenly, he leaves his son a dark inheritance. Luke has been left in charge of his father's ghost collection: eight restless spirits. They want revenge for their long enslavement, and in the absence of the father, they're more than happy to take his son. It isn't fair, but you try and reason with the vengeful dead. Halloween, the night when the ghosts reach the height of their power, is fast approaching. With the help of school witchlet Elza Moss, and his cowardly dog Ham, Luke has just thirteen days to uncover the closely guarded secrets of black magic, and send the unquiet spirits to their eternal rest. The alternative doesn't bear thinking about.

Death by Séance (A Ghost & Abby Mystery, Book 3) Love, Lies & Lust to Die For Single Mom Abby Jenkins hunts for a murderer in Sunset Cove, the small Pacific Northwest town famous for all things that go bump in the night. Abby is the night janitor in the haunted teahouse and only private detective in town. She's also a reluctant witch with major man-trouble. Blackmailed into attending a séance, she expects to wrestle with a cranky ghost or two, but instead finds herself in the middle of a murder. Seven people attend the event; some human, some not so much. They have one thing in common: a murky past. After Abby washes blood off her hands, she's left with her first whodunit. With the help of her partners in crime: Eric, the Viking ghost with existential issues; Dante, the local Casanova-man-witch; and Sparky, her snarky familiar, she digs into the secrets of the cove. Will she survive to tell the tale?

The Perfect Brew

Preface. Biographical notice. Headlong hall. Melincourt. Nightmare abby

What's a Witch to Do?

Abby's Adventures

The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue

**Mona McGregor, a witch who is head of a coven and owner of a magic shop, is pursued by two eligible men, one, a young doctor, and the other, a handsome werewolf, who claims he is trying to protect her from a demon.**

**When evil rises, one witch must save the world. Cassie Black is a sorceress struggling with her growing powers and chaotic love life. As the guardian of a portal, she must stop a dark force spreading its influence in her small Pacific Northwest town. Cassie's friend Larry is shot twice in an alley. Clenched in his hand is a note, which reads, "BEWARE BLACK WITCH." The note could mean many things, and none of them are good. As Cassie unravels the mystery of his death, someone tries to murder her. Being a beautiful enchantress, Cassie attracts interesting men, who complicate her life. The very human detective, Gavin McGregor, suspects Cassie is the cause of all the unusual happenings in his own and watches her every move. Her former boyfriend, Alessandro, the vampire, wants her back in his life, alive or dead. Sanjay Kahn, a wickedly handsome, rogue warlock, vies for her attention and her heart. A murder to solve, a force of darkness to wrestle with, and a full dance card ... what**

more could a good witch want? **A Double Shot of Magic** is the second book in the critically acclaimed Perfect Brew trilogy. It can be read as a stand-alone or as part of the series. If you like magical cozies with strong characters, romance, and humor, you'll love this novel. It has a happy ending. Buy **A Double Shot of Magic** today and enjoy a fun, heart-warming story filled with intrigue and sweet romance.

When her grandfather, the owner of a haunted Savannah tavern built in the 1750s, is murdered, Abigail works with Agent Malachi Gordon, a member of the FBI's paranormal investigation unit, to solve the murder.

**The Perfect Brew** When a witch inherits trouble ... When evil rises one clumsy witch must save the world. Cassie Black is a sorceress who can't even boil water. She inherits a sentient coffee-house, complete with an inter-dimensional portal and a side of ancient curse from her great-aunt Ophelia. When Cassie attends her funeral, she discovers her aunt's death is suspicious. Cassie hunts for the murderer. There are many unusual suspects, and some tempting hurdles. A tall, dark and annoying detective keeps getting in her way, and a seductive warlock offers his assistance. Will Cassie catch the villain before he kills again? Can she protect the portal and still free herself from the curse? Will Sid, her snarky cat familiar, convince her to play dirty with the boys? This is the first story in **The Perfect Brew** series, which can be read as a stand-alone. If you like stories with quirky characters, cozy-styled mystery and humor, you'll love this one. There's no sex or violence on the page, but be prepared for some serious romance, mystery, and magic. Buy **The Perfect Brew** today to start your own magical adventure in the small Pacific Northwest town of **Mystic Keep**.

**The Curse of Thorn**

**The Graveyard Book**

**Book 1**

**The Night Is Alive**

**Midnight Magic**

*Death by Tarot* When the cards are stacked against you, run. Who would be crazy enough to send death cards to people in Sunset Cove, a small, Pacific Northwest town famous for things that goes bump in the night? Single mom, Abby Jenkins is hired to find the culprit, and while she is a witch and private detective, she hasn't a clue about who would deal such a gruesome hand. Unease settles into the town as tarot cards arrive on doorsteps. No one knows who stacked this deck. Everyone waits for the next card to drop. That is until the first recipient drops dead. Are all the death cards harbingers of murder? With the help of a Viking with existential issues, a Casanova man-witch and Spark her snarky familiar Abby unravels a deadly deck of secrets. Can she catch the murderer before the dealer turns another card?

□ *As the janitor in a haunted house, single mom Abby Jenkins has many contacts with the living and the dead in the small Pacific Northwest town of Sunset Cove, which puts her in a perfect position to solve local mysteries. Or so she thinks. Hired to find diamonds hidden in a haunted manor she gets help from a Viking ghost with existential issues. Will she survive? This book contains bad-boy ghosts, mischievous magic, and a woman who knows what she wants in a Viking hayloft.*

*A masterful collection of tales from the faded border between our day-to-day world and the horrifying unknown on the other side of midnight. An old woman living alone on the edge of a bog gets an unexpected -- and unsettling -- visitor, throwing her quiet life into a long-buried mystery. An isolated backwoods family stumbles into good fortune for a time with a monstrous discovery in the lake behind their house, but that time is running short. And a misfit little girl, struggling to make*

*friends, meets an understanding soul one day at the beach: but why will he only play with her alone at night? All these lonely souls -- and more -- have reached out into the darkness, not knowing what they might find. Around the dark edges of reality lurk unknown beings with unknowable intentions -- ordinary objects can become cursed possessions, entities who seem like friends can become monstrous, and those who seem monstrous can become the truest companions. In this collection of evocative, unnerving slice-of-life horror, five stories explore what happens when one is desperate enough to seek solace in the unnatural, and what might be waiting for us at the Crossroads at Midnight.*

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*Dial Witch*

*Biographical Sketches and Bibliographies*

*Cantamen*

*Trouble brews when a psychic enchantress shares her magic.*

*Ghost called Dog*

To feed her three children, Widow Abigail Jenkins takes the only job available in Sunset Cove: night cleaner in the notorious, haunted tea-house. She figures the wild, supernatural rumors about the place are pure fiction. After all, ghosts don't exist. Eric Eklund a sexy spirit from Sweden is over a thousand years old. Having missed his chance at Valhalla, the Viking spends his time roaming the world and gambling. That is until he sees Abby whose feisty earthly-spirit turns his ghostly world upside down. When the two meet sparks fly, but their romance is interrupted by a poltergeist hunting children. What happens when you mix a naughty, Viking ghost built like a Norse god, a strong woman who suffers no fools and a nasty poltergeist? Answer: another fun, Gambling Ghost story. A Viking Ghost for Valentine's is a lighthearted novella filled with love, laughter and just enough ghouliness to thrill and chill you to the bone.

Collects ten years of the "Popular Paperbacks for Young Adults" and "Quick Picks for Reluctant Readers" lists, organized by both author and theme.

The sixth edition "Essentials of Children's Literature" offers a concise, straightforward presentation of children's literature that engages students and motivates them to share literature with children. Written with a comprehensive, "facts-only" approach, this lucid resource offers an abundance of examples to illustrate how to use children's literature in the classroom.

"In this middle-grade graphic novel, a witch named Abby and her three friends—a wolf-girl, a ghost, and a pumpkinhead—band together to try and save their supernatural town from an invasion of rabid (but adorable) chaos bunnies"--

*Five Goofy Ghosts*

*Karen's Ghost (Baby-Sitters Little Sister #12)*

*The Ghost in the Graveyard*

Die From A Broken Heart

Thirteen Days of Midnight

Sam Sloane, a new boy in town, turns to Jessica and Elizabeth Wakefield for help when eerie feelings of deja vu and an encounter with a ghost who bears a striking resemblance to Sam overwhelm him.

Quick and Popular Reads for Teens

How Media Attract and Affect Youth

Subject Guide to Children's Books In Print, 1996

Death by Tarot Card

Stardust