

# Nowhere Child: A Short Novel (Kindle Single)

Jack Reacher (novel series)

Jack Reacher is a series of novels, novellas and short stories by British author Jim Grant under the pen name Lee Child. As of October 2024, the series - Jack Reacher is a series of novels, novellas and short stories by British author Jim Grant under the pen name Lee Child. As of October 2024, the series includes 29 books and a short story collection. The book series chronicles the adventures of Jack Reacher, a former major in the United States Army Military Police Corps now a drifter, roaming the United States taking odd jobs and investigating suspicious and frequently dangerous situations, some of which are of a personal nature. The Reacher series has maintained a schedule of one book per year, except for 2010, when two installments were published.

The character was portrayed by Tom Cruise in a 2012 film and 2016 sequel as well as Alan Ritchson in a streaming television series which premiered on Amazon Prime Video in 2022.

The settings for...

Liaden universe

earlier novels in omnibus trade paperback editions. As of 2024, the Liaden Universe includes 26 novels, short stories, and chapbooks. All the novels are currently - Liaden Universe ( lee-AY-den or ) is an ongoing science fiction series written by Sharon Lee and Steve Miller. The books are primarily space operas with elements of Regency romance, novels of manners, and supernatural abilities.

As of July 2024, the series comprises 26 novels and 33 chapbooks. The 25th Liaden Universe novel was released in July 2023.

Eclipse (horse)

&quot;Eclipse first, the rest nowhere&quot; entered the English vernacular as an expression of dominance. After retiring from racing, he became a very successful sire - Eclipse (1 April 1764 – 26 February 1789) was an undefeated 18th-century British

Thoroughbred racehorse who won 18 races, including 11 King's Plates. He raced before the introduction of the British Classic Races, at a time when four-mile heat racing was the norm. He was considered the greatest racehorse of his time and the expression, "Eclipse first, the rest nowhere" entered the English vernacular as an expression of dominance.

After retiring from racing, he became a very successful sire, whose offspring included three Epsom Derby winners: Young Eclipse, Saltram and Serjeant. He was also a successful sire of sires, and his sire line has become dominant in the modern Thoroughbred worldwide through descendants such as Northern Dancer, Mr. Prospector and Sunday Silence.

## Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

author. In 2016 the novel topped the list of Amazon's best-selling children's books by Dahl in Print and on Kindle. In 2023, the novel was ranked by BBC - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory is a 1964 children's novel by British author Roald Dahl. The story features the adventures of young Charlie Bucket inside the chocolate factory of eccentric chocolatier Willy Wonka.

The story was originally inspired by Roald Dahl's experience of chocolate companies during his schooldays at Repton School in Derbyshire. Cadbury would often send test packages to the schoolchildren in exchange for their opinions on the new products. At that time (around the 1920s), Cadbury and Rowntree's were England's two largest chocolate makers and they each often tried to steal trade secrets by sending spies, posing as employees, into the other's factory—inspiring Dahl's idea for the recipe-thieving spies (such as Wonka's rival Slugworth) depicted in the book. Because of this...

## Vita Sackville-West

000 Famous Persons, 3d ed.: 2 (Kindle Locations 41300-41301). McFarland & Company, Inc., Publishers. Kindle Edition. "A happy return to manure". The Economist - Victoria Mary, Lady Nicolson, CH (née Sackville-West; 9 March 1892 – 2 June 1962), usually known as Vita Sackville-West, was an English author and garden designer.

Sackville-West was a successful novelist, poet and journalist, as well as a prolific letter writer and diarist. She published more than a dozen collections of poetry and 13 novels during her life. She was twice awarded the Hawthornden Prize for Imaginative Literature: in 1927 for her pastoral epic, *The Land*, and in 1933 for her *Collected*

Poems. She was the inspiration for the protagonist of *Orlando: A Biography*, by her friend and lover Virginia Woolf.

She wrote a column in *The Observer* from 1946 to 1961 and is remembered for the celebrated garden at Sissinghurst in Kent, created with her husband, Sir Harold Nicolson.

## A Song of Ice and Fire

just came to me out of nowhere. I was...at work on a different novel, and suddenly I saw that scene. It didn't belong in the novel I was writing, but it - *A Song of Ice and Fire* is a series of high fantasy novels by the American author George R. R. Martin. Martin began writing the first volume, *A Game of Thrones*, in 1991, and published it in 1996. Martin, who originally envisioned the series as a trilogy, has released five out of seven planned volumes. The most recent entry in the series, *A Dance with Dragons*, was published in 2011. Martin plans to write the sixth novel, titled *The Winds of Winter*. A seventh novel, *A Dream of Spring*, is planned to follow.

*A Song of Ice and Fire* depicts a violent world dominated by political realism. What little supernatural power exists is confined to the margins of the known world. Moral ambiguity pervades the books, and many of the storylines frequently raise questions concerning loyalty, pride, human sexuality...

## Joe Eszterhas

2008, ISBN 978-0-312-38596-5, OCLC 213300974. *Heaven and Mel*, Amazon Kindle Single, 2012, ASIN B0087PTQ96 *Dominus*, Susan (March 4, 2007). "The last king - József Antal Eszterhás (Hungarian: [ˈjoːʒɛf ɒntɒl ˈɛstɛrhaːʃ]; born November 23, 1944), credited as Joe Eszterhas, is a Hungarian-American writer. Born in Hungary, he grew up in Cleveland, Ohio, in the United States. After an early career as a journalist and editor, he entered the film industry. His first screenwriting credit was for the film *F.I.S.T.* (1978). He co-wrote the script for *Flashdance*, which became one of the highest-grossing films of 1983, and set off a lucrative and prolific run for his career. By the early 1990s, he was known as the highest-paid writer in Hollywood, and noted for his work in the erotic thriller genre. He was paid a then-record \$3 million for his script *Love Hurts*, which was produced as *Basic Instinct* (1992), and following its success, news outlets reported he...

## On the Road (2012 film)

(French: *Sur la route*) is a 2012 adventure drama film directed by Walter Salles. It is an adaptation of Jack Kerouac's 1957 novel *On the Road* and stars an ensemble cast featuring Garrett Hedlund, Sam Riley, Kristen Stewart, Alice Braga, Amy Adams, Tom Sturridge, Danny Morgan, Elisabeth Moss, Kirsten Dunst, and Viggo Mortensen. The executive producers were Francis Ford Coppola, Patrick Batteux, Jerry Leider, and Tessa Ross. Filming began on August 4, 2010, in Montreal, Quebec, with a \$25 million budget. The story is based on the years Kerouac spent travelling the United States in the late 1940s with his friend Neal Cassady and several other Beat Generation figures who would go on to fame in their own right, including William S. Burroughs and Allen Ginsberg. On May 23, 2012, the...

Brian Epstein

Than 14,000 Famous Persons, 3d ed.: 2 (Kindle Locations 14267-14268). McFarland & Company, Inc., Publishers. Kindle Edition. Coleman 1989, p. 374. "Bee Gees - Brian Samuel Epstein ( EP-styne; 19 September 1934 – 27 August 1967) was an English music entrepreneur who managed the Beatles from 1961 until his death in 1967.

Epstein was born into a family of successful retailers in Liverpool, who put him in charge of their music shop, where he displayed a gift for talent-spotting. He first met the Beatles in 1961 at a lunchtime concert at Liverpool's Cavern Club. Although he had no experience of artist management, Epstein put them under contract and insisted that they abandon their scruffy image in favour of a new clean-cut style. He also attempted to get the Beatles a recording contract, eventually securing a deal with EMI's Parlophone label.

Within months, the Beatles were international stars. Some of Epstein's other young discoveries had also prospered...

Jack Kerouac

and purportedly without edits, he primarily wrote autobiographical novels (or *roman à clef*) based upon actual events from his life and the people with whom - Jean-Louis Lebris de K  rouac (; March 12, 1922 – October 21, 1969), known as Jack Kerouac, was an American novelist and poet who, alongside William S. Burroughs and Allen Ginsberg, was a pioneer of the Beat Generation.

Of French-Canadian parentage, Kerouac was raised in a French-speaking home in Lowell, Massachusetts. He "learned English at age six and spoke with a marked accent into his late teens." During World War II, he served as a United States Merchant Mariner; he completed his first novel at the time, which was published more than 40 years after his death. His first published book was *The Town and the City* (1950), and he achieved widespread fame and notoriety with his second, *On the Road*, in 1957. It made him a beat icon, and he went on to publish 12 more novels and numerous poetry volumes...

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