



Twilight Times Books
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Twilight Times Books was established January 1999 as an Internet epubliher. In 2004, we expanded our operations and evolved into a small trade publisher. Due to an exceptional front list of books, all with four star reviews, the print division of Twilight Times Books launched twenty-one titles in trade paperback in 2004. An additional twelve titles were released in print in 2005.

Our books are distributed internationally through BCH, Florida Academic Press (FAP Books, Inc.) and selected titles are distributed by Midpoint Trade Books. Members of the media, booksellers and retailers can download flyers, sell sheets, reviews and chapter excerpts from our media room. <http://twilighttimesbooks.com/media-room/>

Paladin Timeless Books

An imprint of Twilight Times Books, a traditional small trade publisher. "Tomorrow's *classics* today..." <http://www.paladintimelessbooks.com>

Magazines

Futures Mystery Anthology Magazine (FMAM)

"FUTURES Magazine is a welcome member to the small number of gallant publications open to the new and the more established mystery writers and artists. The magazine is well worth reading carefully. Every issue has gems that I would have been sorry to have missed. May they keep up the solid, supportive work of love." -- Stuart M. Kaminsky
<http://www.fmam.biz>

Twilight Times ezine

An award winning digital journal of speculative fiction, fantasy artwork and poetry. Online since July 1998. Twilight Times pays \$5.00 for original fiction, artwork, articles or poetry. Check submission guidelines.
<http://www.twilighttimes.com/>

Web Mystery Magazine

A free on-line quarterly dedicated to investigating the mysterious genre in print, in film, and in real-life. *WMM* welcomes well-researched, well-written articles, reviews, and mystery fiction.
<http://www.webmysterymagazine.com>

Electronic Publishing

Download versions of our books are available in PDF, HTML or Palm formats. LIT, RB or Hiebook formats are available as a special order. Selected titles are also available on diskette or CD-Rom in PDF or HTML format approximately two weeks after release date. Most of our ebooks are also available for purchase via Fictionwise.

Paperback Publishing

TT Books is a traditional small trade publisher. By traditional we mean our books have national distribution and the author pays nothing for publication of his/her book.

We currently publish literary works that are exemplary, that transcend genres and/or are beautifully written. We are *highly* selective as to what we will accept for publication.

Marketing

We feel the most important marketing tool is to publish first-rate books. Our books have been professionally edited and display attractive cover artwork by professional artists.

Twilight Times Books is currently listed in the Literary Market Place. We have been accepted into the Cataloguing-in-Publication program of the Library of Congress.

Over the past couple of years, we have accumulated info on several hundred independent bookstores that are willing to carry books from small press publishers and have been sending out targeted mailings. We fully support independent bookstores and our marketing efforts include targeted mailings to independent bookstores and follow-up with phone calls.

We have an online media room where members of the media, booksellers and retailers can download flyers, sell sheets, reviews and chapter excerpts in pdf files formatted for print. Our catalogue is also available as a download.

Media kits and press releases are sent to major publications and galleys/advance review copies sent to top reviewers such as School Library Journal, American Library Journal, Booklist, NYT Book Review, Publishers Weekly, Kirkus, Horn Book, Washington Post, Boston Globe, Chicago-Sun Times, Kliatt, WSJ, Oregonian, Seattle Times, etc.

We gather names and contact info for the Community Relations Managers for the Barnes & Noble bookstores in regions where our authors reside and send them targeted promo packets.

We have been sending postcards, flyers and/or brochures to targeted specialty shops and various book catalogues. Press releases and news stories are sent to the author's local and regional newspapers, libraries, bookstores, associations and etc. News stories are posted online to newsgroups, readers' bulletin boards and appropriate readers email lists.

Twilight Times Books is a member of Publishers Association of the South, Authors and Publishers Association, EPIC, Small Publisher's Association of North America, the Speculative Literature Foundation Small Press Co-operative and The Writer's Collective.

Submission Guidelines

Twilight Times Books will present the works of those writers whose stories blend genres, are too literary for other publishers or seem too mainstream or “quirky” in tone. The requirement for consideration at Twilight Times Books is your novel must be entertaining; your non-fiction book must be informative. Both fiction and non-fiction book submissions must be professionally written and you must have a comprehensive marketing plan.

First consideration will be given to authors previously published by Twilight Times Books, Paladin Timeless Books, Futures Mystery Anthology Magazine (FMAM), Twilight Times ezine and/or Web Mystery Magazine. Our current response time is four weeks to two months. Simultaneous submissions are frowned upon. We offer a standard publishing contract.

<http://twilighttimesbooks.com/subs.html>

Send a cover letter, synopsis, first chapter and marketing plan in the body of an email message to publisher@twilighttimes.com. *Your email message MUST begin the subject line with **ttbooks** or **ttb** or your message will be deleted.*

Purchase a book or read the stories in Twilight Times ezine to determine the type of writing we're interested in seeing.

Resources

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Freebies page where you can download free e-books, short stories, fiction and non-fiction from various publishing companies.

<http://www.twilighttimesbooks.com/freebies.html>

Small Publisher's resource page with a sampler of the useful links you'll find in “Practical Tips for Small Press Publishers,” a handy ebook for independent, small press and self-publishers.

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