

## THE LAST DAY

BY GLENN KLEIER

At a remote research facility in the Negev Desert, a meteor wreaks massive destruction. Meanwhile, at midnight on New Year's Eve, 1999, in Jerusalem, a young and mysterious woman appears who seems to have a powerful gift. She calls herself Jeza, and soon every-one wonders whether she is a prophetess, the Messiah, or the Antichrist. On hand is Jon Feldman, a skeptical reporter for the World News Network. Beset by his own doubts and lack of strong faith, Feldman is nevertheless fascinated and attracted by the mysterious Jeza. Is she truly a manifestation of God, or is she simply the result of a bizarre experiment of bio-engineering? Feldman won't rest until he finds out the truth.

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## FINER END

BY DEBORAH CROMBIE

Superintendent Duncan Kincaid and Sergeant Gemma James of Scotland Yard must penetrate the perils that shadow everyone in Glastonbury—an ancient place linked to Druid magic and the great Abbey renowned as Christendom's first church.

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## OVERSEER

BY JONATHAN RABB

When a document containing a master plan for world domination falls into the hands of the ruthless Overseer cabal and they launch a campaign of world terror, a beautiful government agent joins forces with a brilliant young political theorist to stop them.

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## THE SIXTEEN PLEASURES

BY ROBERT HELLENGA

In 1966, Margot Harrington, a book conservator, goes to Florence to help after the Arno River floods, and when she finds a rare manuscript of erotica in a convent, the mother superior wants to sell it to raise money for their library.

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## BEYOND SUSPICION

BY JAMES GRIPPANDO

Believing himself settled into a quiet life, lawyer Jack Swytek is horrified when a former client turns up dead, placing Jack under suspicion and forcing him to find the real killer before he becomes the next victim.

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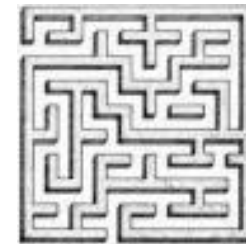
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BY JOHN CASE

A doctor's confession to an Italian priest is so disturbing that the priest refuses to absolve him, then closes his church and waits four days for an audience with a cardinal in the Vatican. A few months later, a woman and her young son are gruesomely murdered and their house set on fire. The brother and main character, Joe Lassiter, is determined to find out why. He's pleased that the man who did the killings is in custody in the hospital, badly burned. Then the impossible happens: the killer escapes. So begins a compelling and suspenseful first novel about murder and religious fanaticism.

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## DAY OF CONFESSION

BY ALLEN FOLSOM

After receiving word that his brother, a Vatican priest, has been killed in a bus explosion in Italy, entertainment lawyer Harry Addison heads to Italy, only to discover that his brother is the prime suspect in the murder of a leading cardinal and that he himself is believed to be an accomplice.

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## FOOTPRINTS OF GOD

BY GREG ILES

Resisting those who would use a revolutionary new technology for unethical purposes, doctor David Tennant and psychiatrist Rachel Weiss run for their lives from ruthless NSA agents and turn to David's unusual dreams for guidance.

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## VATICAN

BY MALACHI MARTIN

The subject of this intriguing novel is the Vatican's elaborate bureaucracy, in particular its powerful financial network, headed by a mysterious figure known as the Keeper. Another central character is American Richard Lansing, who joins the Vatican as a young monsignor in 1945, and becomes the confidant of five successive popes. When he reaches the apex of his career, he staunchly opposes any Church bargain with Mammon. This tale encompasses the fall of Mussolini, the penetration of the Vatican by a Soviet mole, the murder of a pope in the Soviet interest (with help from Vatican officials), and other major events real or imagined. Vatican is not unlike a bureaucracy itself: intricate, far from iconoclastic, and impeded in its forward progress by obsessive attention to detail.

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## CONFESSOR

BY DANIEL SILVA

The leaders of the Crux Vera, a church within the Catholic Church devoted to reversing the effects of the Reformation and the Enlightenment, are uneasy about Paul VII, the new pope. Hard on the heels of the conservative Pole, he causes tremendous consternation when he perseveres in a search for the facts about Pius XII's role in the Holocaust. Gabriel Allon, a master art restorer and part-time Israeli agent, has an old friend whose research is getting close to the truth. When he is murdered, Gabriel is reactivated and joins battle with an assassin nicknamed the Leopard.

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## PROPHETESS

BY BARBARA WOOD

In December 1999, Catherine Alexander discovers six ancient papyrus scrolls that reveal a hidden history of the world and its religions, but a seventh scroll, containing unimaginable power, is missing and Catherine must dodge government agents, Vatican operatives, and more to locate it.

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