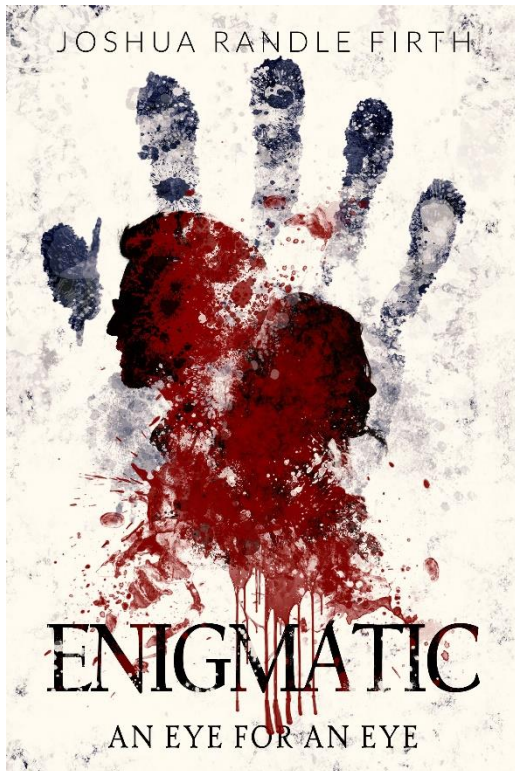


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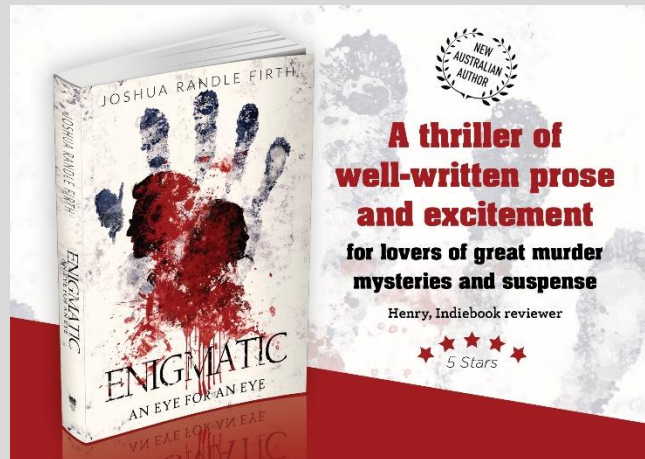
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Joshua has several years working in the entertainment industry, working as an Associate Producer on reality televisions such as MasterChef and Married at First Sight. Joshua has always been a creative person, writing short stories in his younger years, and as a toddler Joshua would entertain himself for hours with stories he would create. Throughout his life he always has wanted to entertain people. Whilst he loves his career in the entertainment industry, he felt like he wanted to give more to people in the form of murder mystery set to the backdrop of a lifestyle we know all too well but turn a blind eye to.

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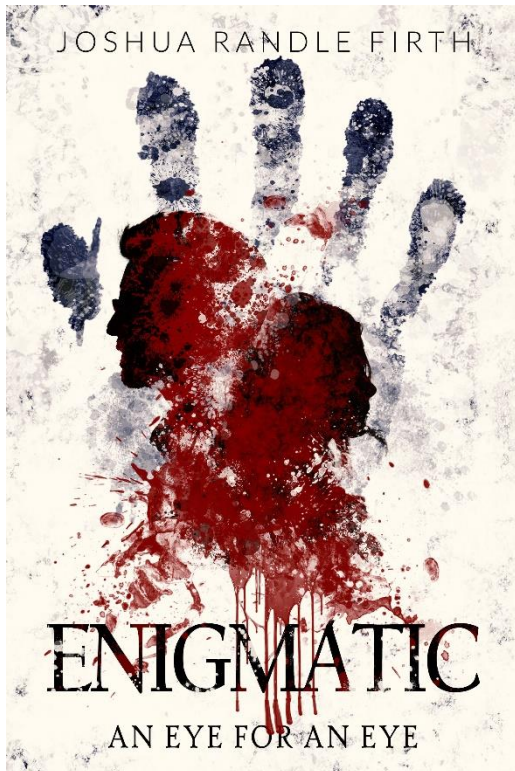
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### A CONVERSATION WITH THE AUTHOR

#### WHY DID YOU WRITE 'ENIGMATIC'? WHAT WERE YOUR INSPIRATIONS?

*My inspiration was drawn from where I was living. There were a lot of drug users and sex workers on the streets, and I wondered about what their life must have been like to get them to where they are now. I began to see them as humans and not simply addicts or prostitutes.*

*I'd already had the idea of a writer who was struggling to get published and the unpublished book becoming involved in a murder investigation. Enigmatic came from combining that idea with what I was seeing on the streets around me.*

#### WHAT WAS YOUR BIGGEST CHALLENGE WHEN WRITING 'ENIGMATIC'?

*The biggest challenge was remembering every little detail of the timeline when this book actually takes place. It jumps back and forth through time at every chapter, and sometimes even during a chapter so I needed to remember all the details for each time.*

#### WHAT DREW YOU TO THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THE BOOK?

*I was drawn to the strength of my female characters. I have always loved writing female characters and have a lot of fun when doing so, in particular when making them strong. I'm drawn to making each of my characters stand out but must admit to Megan being my own favourite character.*

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