

Scarecrow And The Army Of Thieves Paperback

Having met the girl of his dreams, Alan Grendigh a soldier in the British Army is thrown into a very real nightmare of deception, betrayal, violence and ultimately killing. He moves from being a man on the mend after being wounded on deployment to being sort after when he goes on the run to find Susie. But he is only the bait in a game of high stakes played by the British Establishment and the British Underworld. They think that with only one man to pursue it should be easy But Alan Grendigh isnt an easy bloke and doesnt give in without a fight, and the street war that they have brought to people in the suburbs of the country is suddenly turned on themselves!

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A prequel to his major new novel THE TOURNAMENT, this is an exclusive ebook short story from bestselling author Matthew Reilly. February 1546. Roger Ascham, tutor to the young and headstrong Princess Elizabeth, is called before the king during a royal visit to Cambridge. Henry has a pressing problem and he needs Ascham to investigate. His favourite girl, the beautiful Isabella, is missing and his best man, sent in pursuit of her, has met a grisly end. Now it's up to Ascham to piece together the fragments of clues at his disposal and restore Isabella to the king. But as he delves deeper into the case, Ascham discovers that Isabella is just one of many missing women and the clock is ticking to save her life.

Can Jack West unravel the ancient secrets of the Five Greatest Warriors and save the world? With the end of the world fast approaching, Jack West must rebuild the final pieces of the fabled, ancient 'Machine' - the only thing that can prevent global catastrophe. But he is out of clues . . . until he is presented with an ancient text about five unnamed warriors, great historical figures who were all in some way connected to the mysterious Machine. And so, Jack and his loyal team set out to discover their identities - and their secrets. Soon Jack is on the trail of a legendary list of greats: from Moses to Genghis Khan and Napoleon, and finally to one most unlikely warrior, the unknown 'Fifth', who, it is said, will be there 'at the end of all things . . . ' * * * * *

READERS LOVE THE JACK WEST THRILLERS 'Indiana Jones in a book . . .

Immensely entertaining' 'Gripping and full of twists' 'Heart-pounding stuff' 'A first class all-action historical thriller' 'Another sensational adventure to take you away'

THE END IS HERE Jack West Jr has made it to the Supreme Labyrinth. Now he faces one last race - against multiple rivals, against time, against the collapse of the universe itself - a headlong race that will end at a throne inside the fabled labyrinth. AN IMPOSSIBLE MAZE But the road will be hard. For this is a maze like no other: a maze of mazes. Uncompromising and complex. Demanding and deadly. A CATAclysmic CONCLUSION It all comes down to this. For it ends here - now - in the most lethal and dangerous place Jack has encountered in all of his many adventures. And in the face of this indescribable peril, with everything on the line, there is only one thing he can do. Attempt the impossible.

A Scarecrow novella from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Jack West Jr series and new novel The Three Secret Cities. It is an island that doesn't appear on any maps. A secret place, where classified experiments have been carried out. Experiments that have gone terribly wrong. Four crack special forces units are dropped in. One of them is a team of Marines, led by Captain Shane Schofield, call-sign: SCARECROW.

Nothing can prepare Schofield's team for what they find there. You could say they've just entered hell. But that would be wrong. This is much, much worse. Fans of Clive Cussler, Tom Clancy and Michael Crichton will love Matthew Reilly. **GET MORE SCARECROW IN: ICE STATION, AREA 7, SCARECROW AND SCARECROW AND THE ARMY OF THIEVES**

No. 1 bestselling action author Matthew Reilly continues his explosive Jack West series. New novel *The Two Lost Mountains* also out now. A **SHADOW WORLD** When Jack West Jr won the Great Games, he threw the four legendary kingdoms into turmoil. **BEHIND THE REAL WORLD** Now these dark forces are coming after Jack...in ruthless fashion. **CRASHING INTO OUR WORLD** With the end of all things rapidly approaching, Jack must find three incredible lost cities of legend. It's an impossible task by any reckoning, but Jack must do it while he is being hunted... 'One of the best action-thrillers published in the past few years' *Washington Post* 'An ending that will perhaps make you rethink everything you took for granted about his books' *Sunday Age* From Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Scarecrow series and the Jack West Jr series with new novel *The Three Secret Cities* out now. A dauntless young hero. An army of brutal monsters. An impossible quest. Journey to the mountain ... In an isolated valley, a small tribe of humans is dying from a terrible illness. There are rumors, however, that the trolls of Troll Mountain, the valley's fearsome overlords, have found a cure for the illness: a fabulous elixir. When his sister is struck down by the disease and his tribal leaders refuse to help him, an intrepid youth named Raf decides to defy his tribe and do the unthinkable: he will journey alone to Troll Mountain and steal the elixir from the dreaded trolls. But to get to Troll Mountain, Raf will have to pass through dangerous swamps and haunting forests filled with wolves, hobgoblins and, worst of all, the ever-present danger of rogue trolls ... The journey to the mountain has begun. **IN THIS, THE FIRST OF THREE SERIALIZED EPISODES, MATTHEW REILLY TAKES YOU ON HIS WILDEST RIDE YET: A HEADLONG QUEST TO THE DARK HEART OF THE KINGDOM OF THE TROLLS.**

A night of fun turns into a night of fear when Scarecrow takes over the corn maze at the Gotham City Harvest Festival. Now it's up to Batman and Robin to rescue a group of teens including the Governor's daughter from the nightmare maze. Can the Dynamic Duo capture Scarecrow in the twisting labyrinth without giving in to their worst fears?"

The edge-of-your-seat bestseller from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Jack West Jr series and new novel *The Three Secret Cities*. "Reilly's admirers will love this one, and anyone interested in the outer limit of action writing should check it out." *Publishers Weekly* **BOOK 3 IN THE SCARECROW SERIES** It is the greatest bounty hunt in history. There are 15 targets. And they must all be dead by 12 noon, today. The price on their heads: \$20 million each. Among the names on the target list, one stands out. An enigmatic Marine named Shane Schofield, call-sign: SCARECROW. And he's about to be hunted by gangs of international bounty hunters, including the 'Black Knight', a ruthless hunter who seems intent on eliminating only him. He led his men into hell in *Ice Station*. He protected the President against all odds in *Area 7*. This time it's different. Because this time SCARECROW is the target. Fans of Clive Cussler, Tom Clancy and Michael Crichton will love Matthew Reilly.

An ebook-exclusive short story from bestselling author Matthew Reilly featuring Jack West, before he returns in a new adventure *The Four Legendary Kingdoms*. Includes an extract from the thrilling new novel. Late on Christmas Eve, decorated SAS officer and Egyptologist Jack West Jr is about to make a discovery that could rewrite history. In the ancient Temple of Dendur, housed in New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, a legendary weapon has lain

hidden for millennia. But Jack is not the only person who knows about the artefact's existence. As Jack examines the temple in the deserted museum, he is watched by a mysterious figure. A man intent on stopping him at any cost.

'The windows on all the skyscrapers are smashed...No power, no lights, no people...It's a parallel New York of some kind.'**THE COMING END**When Skye Rogers and her twin brother Red move to Manhattan, rumours of a coming global apocalypse are building. But this does not stop the young elite of New York from partying without a care.**CAN YOU KEEP A SECRET?**And then suddenly Skye is invited to join an exclusive gang known as the Secret Runners of New York. But this is no ordinary clique - they have access to an underground portal that can transport them into the future. And what Skye discovers in the future is horrifying.**RUN! AS FAST AS YOU CAN!**As society crumbles, Skye and Red race to figure out how to use their knowledge to survive the impending annihilation, they soon discover that the chaotic end of the world is perfect time for revenge...

The Army of Children which besieged the Postoffice, conquered the Postmen and delivered to me its imperious Commands, insisted that Trot and Cap'n Bill be admitted to the Land of Oz, where Trot could enjoy the society of Dorothy, Betsy Bobbin and Ozma, while the one-legged sailor-man might become a comrade of the Tin Woodman, the Shaggy Man, Tik-Tok and all the other quaint people who inhabit this wonderful fairyland.It was no easy task to obey this order and land Trot and Cap'n Bill safely in Oz, as you will discover by reading this book. Indeed, it required the best efforts of our dear old friend, the Scarecrow, to save them from a dreadful fate on the journey; but the story leaves them happily located in Ozma's splendid palace and Dorothy has promised me that Button-Bright and the three girls are sure to encounter, in the near future, some marvelous adventures in the Land of Oz, which I hope to be permitted to relate to you in the next Oz Book.

Moan Mona has long suspected the Wicked Sorcerer, is wishing to claim both worlds for himself. The realm is in trouble. But she knows there is more than one means of extracting a sore tooth. And discovers herself boldly confronting a traitor fouler than any Wicked Twig. The edge-of-your-seat bestseller from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Jack West Jr series and new novel *The Two Lost Mountains*. "An exciting romp. The action is nonstop." Library Journal "Reilly has a gift for sustaining momentum that never lets up." Publishers Weekly **BOOK 2 IN THE SCARECROW SERIES** It is America's most secret base, hidden deep in the Utah desert, an Air Force installation known only as Area 7. And today it has a visitor: the President of the United States. He has come to inspect Area 7, to examine its secrets for himself. But he's going to get more than he bargained for on this trip. Because hostile forces are waiting inside... Among the President's helicopter crew, however, is a young Marine. He is quiet, enigmatic, and he hides his eyes behind a pair of silver sunglasses. His name is Schofield. Call-sign: Scarecrow. Rumour has it, he's a good man in a storm. Judging by what the President has just walked into, he'd better be... Fans of Clive Cussler, Tom Clancy and Michael Crichton will love Matthew Reilly.

At an abandoned Soviet base in the Arctic, a battle to save all life on Earth is about to begin... When Dragon Island, a top-secret base that houses a weapon of terrible destructive force is seized by a brutal terrorist force calling itself the Army of Thieves, the fate of the world suddenly hangs in the balance. But there are no crack units close enough to get to Dragon in time to stop the Army setting off the weapon. Except, that is, for a small equipment-testing team up in the Arctic led by a Marine captain named Schofield, call-sign **SCARECROW**... Please note that the content of this book primarily consists of articles available from Wikipedia or other free sources online. Commentary (novels not included). Pages: 23. Chapters: Area 7 (novel), Contest (novel), Hell Island (novella), Hover Car Racer, Ice Station (novel), Scarecrow (novel), Scarecrow and the Army of Thieves, Seven Ancient Wonders, Temple (novel), The Five Greatest Warriors, The Six Sacred Stones. Excerpt: The Six Sacred Stones is a novel by

Australian thriller author Matthew Reilly. It is a sequel to *Seven Ancient Wonders* (released as *Seven Deadly Wonders* in the United States of America) and *The Five Greatest Warriors* is its sequel. The novel was released on 23 October 2007 in most bookstores in Australia (though some stores released it later on 1 November) and was released in January 2008 in the US and UK. This novel is a sequel to Matthew Reilly's previous novel, *Seven Ancient Wonders*, which ended with the Golden Capstone reassembled atop the Great Pyramid at Giza, and the ritual of power performed to grant one nation a thousand years of unchallenged power - invincibility, as shown by the end of the book, which is won, unknowingly, by Australia. *The Six Sacred Stones* picks up eighteen months later - 20 August 2007 - on Easter Island, the geographical opposite of the Great Pyramid, when seven men use a second Capstone to nullify the power of the Tartarus sunspot and remove Australia's invincibility. In China, Professor Max Epper (known as Wizard) is investigating the tomb of Chinese Philosopher Laozi, owner of the Philosopher's Stone. With his research partner, Yobu 'Tank' Tanaka, Wizard discovers the cryptic message referring to the Tartarus Sunspot and the use of the Sa-Benben, or Firestone, the top piece of the Capstone from the previous book. They find another message, saying that the first pillar must be laid 100 days before the Return. Wizard sends a coded message to Jack West in Australia, just before a contingent of Chinese...

We ran headlong across the fields. Minie balls filled the air with that strange, buzzing sound. Every now and again I could feel the air whip my neck as one flew close by. One of the balls ripped a chunk out of my left ear. Dirt flew up all around us where balls struck the ground. Men were dropped everywhere, most dead where they fell. A peaceful hill country farmer from North Carolina, Francis Marion Yelton, is torn from his beloved family and thrust into the barbarity of America's deadliest conflict: the War Between the States. Forced to become a soldier and fight a war in which he has no stake, Francis struggles to come to grips with his new role. Blood and battle threaten to transform Francis from a man of peace to a brutal warrior, and he struggles to hold on to his ideals. Wracked with doubt and guilt, tormented by the violent acts he has been forced to commit, Francis looks to his faith in God and to the memory of his devoted wife and loving children to sustain him through the dark night of war's insensate butchery. Battle after battle, through hailstorms of lead and waves of cold steel, Francis fights to survive. Will he ever see home again?

Eigentlich wollte die CIA Captain Shane Schofield, genannt Scarecrow, loswerden. Zu oft hat er sich mit seinen unkonventionellen Arbeitsmethoden Feinde gemacht. Doch jetzt droht die Vernichtung der gesamten nördlichen Halbkugel durch eine Superwaffe mit einem Kern aus rotem Uran – noch viel schlimmer und gefährlicher als eine Atombombe. Nur Scarecrow kann die Katastrophe verhindern. Ihm bleiben ganze fünf Stunden, um in der eisigen Kälte der Arktis die Terroristen aufzuspüren und zu besiegen.

The breakout edge-of-your-seat bestseller from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Jack West Jr series and new novel *The Three Secret Cities*. "Some of the wildest and most sustained battles in an action thrilled in a long time...non-stop action, lots of explosions--and a little bit of conspiracy." *Chicago Tribune* BOOK 1 IN THE SCARECROW SERIES At a remote ice station in Antarctica, a team of US scientists has found something buried deep within a 100-million-year-old layer of ice. Something made of metal. In a land without boundaries, there are no rules. Every country would kill for this prize. A team of crack United States marines is sent to the station to secure the discovery. Their leader - Lieutenant Shane Schofield, call-sign: SCARECROW. They are a tight unit, tough and fearless. They would follow their leader into hell. They just did... Fans of Clive Cussler, Tom Clancy and Michael Crichton will love Matthew Reilly.

The bestselling historical mystery from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Scarecrow series and the Jack West Jr series with new novel *The Three Secret Cities* out now. "Reilly's concoction makes for a cracking read." *Sun Herald* "a fast-paced and exhilarating romp"

Weekend Australian "... the best novel that Reilly has written" The Age Even a pawn can become a queen. The year is 1546. Suleiman the Magnificent, the powerful and feared Sultan of the Ottoman Empire, issues an invitation to every king in Europe: YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND YOUR FINEST PLAYER TO COMPETE IN A CHESS TOURNAMENT TO DETERMINE THE CHAMPION OF THE KNOWN WORLD. The English delegation - led by esteemed scholar Roger Ascham - journeys to the glittering city of Constantinople. Accompanying Ascham is his pupil, Bess, who is about to bear witness to events she never thought possible. For on the first night of the tournament, a powerful guest of the Sultan is murdered, and against the backdrop of the historic event, Ascham is tasked with finding the killer. Barbaric deaths, unimaginable depravity and diplomatic treachery unfold before Bess's eyes, indelibly shaping her character and determining how she will perform her future role...as Queen Elizabeth I. Shortlisted for the ABIA General Fiction Book of the Year 2014 MORE ROGER ASCHAM IN: ROGER ASCHAM AND THE KING'S LOST GIRL

The thrilling international bestseller from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Scarecrow series and Jack West Jr series with new novel The Three Secret Cities out now. "Reilly hurls readers into an adrenaline-drenched thrill ride ... impossible to put down." Orlando Sentinel "Reilly ... can inspire awe. Speed demons, take note." Publishers Weekly The New York State Library. A silent sanctuary of knowledge; a 100-year-old labyrinth of towering bookcases, narrow aisles and spiralling staircases. For Doctor Stephen Swain and his eight-year-old daughter, Holly, it is the site of a nightmare. For one night, the State Library is to be the venue for a contest. A contest in which Stephen Swain is to compete - whether he likes it or not. The rules are simple: seven contestants will enter, only one will leave. With his daughter in his arms, Swain is plunged into a terrifying fight for survival. He can choose to run, to hide or to fight - but if he wants to live, he has to win. Because in a contest like this, unless you leave as the victor, you do not leave at all. Fans of Clive Cussler, Tom Clancy and Michael Crichton will love Matthew Reilly.

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A special prequel to The Two Lost Mountains from Australia's favourite novelist and the author of both the Jack West Jr and Scarecrow series. When a satellite

hunter intercepts a top-secret transmission from the Moon, his old friend Jack West Jr is his only hope...

The edge-of-your-seat bestseller from Australia's favourite novelist, author of the Jack West Jr series and new novel *The Three Secret Cities*. "Matthew Reilly is the king of hard-core action." Brad Thor, New York Times bestselling author of *Full Black* BOOK 4 IN THE SCARECROW SERIES A former Soviet base known only as Dragon Island houses a weapon of terrible destructive force ... that has just been re-activated. The island has been seized by a brutal terrorist force calling itself the Army of Thieves, and the fate of the world hangs in the balance. There is an equipment-testing team up in the Arctic. It does not have the weaponry or strength to attack a fortified island held by a vicious army. But it is led by a Marine captain named Schofield, call-sign: SCARECROW. And Scarecrow will lead the team in anyway, because someone has to. Fans of Clive Cussler, Tom Clancy and Michael Crichton will love Matthew Reilly.

'Jurassic Park with dragons' NEIL OLIVER 'Completely believable'
WASHINGTON POST GET READY FOR ACTION ON A GIGANTIC SCALE The Chinese government has been keeping a secret for forty years: they have found a species of animal no one believed even existed. Now the Chinese are ready to unveil their astonishing discovery within the greatest zoo ever constructed. A small group of VIPs and journalists has been brought to the zoo deep within China to see its fabulous creatures for the first time. Among them is Dr Cassandra Jane 'CJ' Cameron, a writer for NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC and an expert on reptiles. The visitors are assured by their Chinese hosts that they will marvel at these beasts, that they are perfectly safe, that nothing can go wrong . . . READERS LOVE THE GREAT ZOO OF CHINA 'A thrill-a-minute rollercoaster ride' 'Reilly delivers every time' 'Sit back and escape into the world of Matthew Reilly' 'Reads like a Hollywood blockbuster from start to finish' 'The master of high octane thrillers' 'Strap yourself in and enjoy the ride!'

"As a rookiecrime reporter, Jack McEvoy stumbled onto a story that made his name - and almost got him killed - When he helped track down a serial killer nicknamed The Poet. Twelve years later, the former hot-shot is about to become the latest victim of budget cuts at the LA times - but Jack is determined to go out in a blaze of glory, with one last big story.

A DANGEROUS WORLD When his sister falls ill to a deadly disease, a brave teenaged hero named Raf discovers that the trolls of Troll Mountain possess an elixir that will cure the terrible illness. A SINISTER MOUNTAIN And so Raf embarks on a heroic quest: to penetrate the dark lands of the trolls and get to the highest, most securely-guarded tower of Troll Mountain. THE JOURNEY OF A HERO Only one thing stands between Raf and the object of his quest: an entire mountain full of trolls.'The perfect bedtime read that would sit on the shelf next to the fantastical journeys of Bilbo Baggins and Harry Potter.' - The Daily Telegraph'pure escapism, it is also a thoughtful comment about societal decay.' - Toowoomba Chronicle

1The Wonderful Wizard of Oz Dorothy and her little dog, Toto, get swept into the Land of Oz by a cyclone. She meets a living Scarecrow, a man made entirely of tin, and a Cowardly Lion while trying to get to the Emerald City to see the great Wizard. Also reprinted by various publishers under the names The New Wizard of Oz and The Wizard of Oz with occasional minor changes in the text. It was originally written as a one-shot book. 2The Marvelous Land of Oz1904 A little boy, Tip, escapes from his evil guardian, the witch Mombi, with the help of a walking wooden figure with a jack-o'-lantern head named Jack Pumpkinhead (brought to life with the magic Powder of Life Tip stole from Mombi), as well as a living Sawhorse (created from the same powder). Tip ends up on an adventure with the Scarecrow and Tin Woodman to help Scarecrow to recapture his throne from General Jinjur's army of girls. 3Ozma of Oz1907 While traveling to Australia with her Uncle Henry, Dorothy is swept overboard with a hen named Billina. They land in Ev, a country across the desert from Oz, and, together with new-found mechanical friend Tik-Tok, they must save Ev's royal family from the evil Nome King. With Princess Ozma's help, they finally return to Oz. 4Dorothy and the Wizard in Oz1908 On her way back from Australia, Dorothy visits her cousin, Zeb, in California. They are soon swallowed up by an earthquake, along with Zeb's horse Jim and Dorothy's cat Eureka. The group soon meets up with the Wizard and all travel underground back to Oz. 5The Road to Oz1909 Dorothy meets the Shaggy Man, and while trying to find the road to Butterfield, they get lost on an enchanted road. As they travel they meet the rainbow's daughter, Polychrome, and a little boy, Button-Bright. They have all sorts of strange adventures on the way to Oz. 6The Emerald City of Oz1910 Dorothy Gale and her Uncle Henry and Aunt Em come to live in Oz permanently. While they tour through the Quadling Country, the Nome King is tunneling beneath the desert to invade Oz. This was originally intended to be the last book in the series. 7The Patchwork Girl of Oz1913 A Munchkin boy named Ojo must find a cure to free his Uncle Nunkie from a magical spell that has turned him into a statue. With the help of Scraps, an anthropomorphic patchwork doll, Ojo journeys through Oz to save his uncle. 8Tik-Tok of Oz1914 Betsy Bobbin, a girl from Oklahoma, is shipwrecked with her mule, Hank, in the Rose Kingdom of Oz. She meets the Shaggy Man there and the two try to rescue the Shaggy Man's brother from the Nome King. This book is partly based upon Baum's stage musical, The Tik-Tok Man of Oz, which was in turn based on Ozma of Oz. 9The Scarecrow of Oz1915 Cap'n Bill and Trot journey to Oz and, with the help of the Scarecrow, the former ruler of Oz, overthrow the villainous King Krewl of Jinxland. Cap'n Bill and Trot had previously appeared in two other novels by Baum, The Sea Fairies and Sky Island

This second Oz story brings us further adventures of the Scarecrow (who has succeeded the Wizard as ruler of Oz) and the Tin Woodman. Furthermore we are introduced to some delightful new characters, including Jack Pumpkinhead, the Saw-Horse and the Gump, all of whom have been animated by the magic

Powder of Life. We also meet Professor H. M. Woggle bug, T. E. (both Highly Magnified and Thoroughly Educated), who because of his inescapable erudition later becomes the Dean of the Royal College of Oz. There are some exciting moments during which the Scarecrow is overthrown by an army of revolutionary girls, but in the end Princess Ozma, the rightful ruler of Oz, succeeds to the throne.

'THE HOTTEST ACTION WRITER AROUND' EVENING TELEGRAPH THE LATEST ADVENTURE IN THE WILDLY ENTERTAINING, ACTION-PACKED JACK WEST SERIES Former SAS soldier Jack West is on a mission to save the world, no matter what - or who - it might cost him. Still reeling from the loss of his daughter, and with his rivals far ahead of him, Jack must race across the globe to complete the ancient Trial of the Mountains. With the odds already against them, Jack and his crew will soon discover that a new player has entered the race, a general so feared that he had been locked away in the deepest of dungeons.

Only now this general has escaped and he has a horrifying plan of his own... * * *

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Pitted against a large and secretive terrorist group that has seized control of an island in the Arctic, Marine captain Shane Schofield and his ragtag crew are ordered by the President to stop the organization's zealous plot to destroy the planet. By the author of 7 Deadly Wonders.

A special sequel to The Tournament from Australia's favourite novelist and the author of both the Scarecrow and Jack West Jr series. When her life is threatened by an anonymous assassin, the newly crowned Queen Elizabeth I knows there is only one man she can trust to find the killer before he strikes: her unorthodox childhood tutor and mentor, Roger Ascham.

There are sixteen contestants, but only one will survive. The last thing Jack West remembers is arriving for a meeting at a top-secret military base with his family in tow. Now he awakes to find himself in a hellish scenario. Jack has been selected to take part in The Games, a series of deadly challenges designed to fulfil an ancient ritual. If

he chooses not to compete, both he and his daughter will be killed. With the fate of the Earth at stake, Jack will have to traverse diabolical mazes, fight ruthless assassins and face unimaginable horrors that will test him to the limit. In the process, he will discover the mysterious and powerful group of individuals behind it all: the four legendary kingdoms. * * * * READERS LOVE THE JACK WEST THRILLERS 'A super duper kick ass soldier' 'Electrifying' 'Enjoy the rollercoaster ride' 'You won't be able to put it down' 'I'm "Team Jack" all the way'

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A hungry villain has returned to feed on the city's fear! It's up to the All-New Captain America and Nomad to curb the Scarecrow's appetite...a task that might be easier if the dysfunctional duo weren't always at each other's throats! While the Scarecrow and his army of terror crows do their worst, Cap and Nomad find themselves separated, one step behind the villain's fearsome plans. But when the Scarecrow's terror pheromone takes Captain America's mind, it's Nomad's last stand! What does it take to scare a man who grew up in a dimension of boogeymen? And can he bring Cap back to his senses before his mind is lost to fear forever? Plus: classic tales of terror starring the Scarecrow and Sam Wilson! COLLECTING: All -New Captain America Fear Him 1-4, Captain America (1968) 280, Avengers (1998) 64

A RUTHLESS KIDNAPPING Jack West Jr has been brutally kidnapped. He awakes in a cell to find a masked attacker charging at him with a knife. THE GREAT GAMES Jack has been 'chosen' to compete in a series of deadly challenges designed to fulfil an ancient ritual. He will have to traverse diabolical mazes, fight cruel assassins and face unimaginable horrors if he - and the world - is to survive. TO HELL AND BACK In the process, he will discover the mysterious and powerful group of individuals behind it all: the four legendary kingdoms. He might also discover that he is not the only hero in this place ...PRAISE FOR THE FOUR LEGENDARY KINGDOMS "If you thought [the previous Jack West novels] were page-turners, wait until you read The Four Legendary Kingdoms" West Australian "A thrilling, action-packed adventures from cover to cover" The Guardian

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