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#### **Book Releases**

## You Are Beautiful, O Woman! by Shekher Srivastava

Since time immemorial, the woman has stood the testimony of time. As a mother, as a wife and as a daughter, she has untiringly continued to fulfil her role as defined by God. She has always been man's beautiful companion and the quite sentinel of his aspirations and ambitions. She has nurtured hope, walking hand-in-hand in every downturn, lending him unwavering support and encouragement, applauding every milestone, big or small. In return, she has never yearned for any appreciation or praise. However, being human, she would be happy to be acknowledged and appreciated, even if they are two kind words. This book is an attempt to write an ode to all women acknowledging them for who they are, why they are and what they are. Towards giving her the pedestal she deserves, the book describes and explains "Wumanity" as the basis of love and life as the basis that has forever fostered a benevolent, humane and socially responsible society. It recognizes that there was a purpose why God created the woman.



Title: You Are Beautiful, O Woman!

Author: Shekher Srivastava ISBN-10: 8193186109 ISBN-13: 978-8193186107 Paperback: 248 pages Publisher: Leaf Press Year: Second Edition, 2016

Language: English

You Are Beautiful, O Woman! by Shekher Srivastava is available at Leaf Press.

### Call to Valor — A novel by Gary Beck

Call to Valor is a sweeping story of war, love and courage, as determined Americans face the war on terror, in a world of increasing nuclear threats. A dedicated doctor and a resourceful Marine join forces to prevent a terrorist group from detonating a dirty nuclear bomb in New York City.

Gary Beck has spent most of his adult life as a theater director, and as an art dealer when he couldn't make a living in theater. He has 11 published chapbooks and 3 more accepted for publication. His poetry collections include: *Days of Destruction* (Skive Press), *Expectations* (Rogue Scholars Press). *Dawn in Cities, Assault on Nature, Songs of a Clerk, Civilized Ways, Displays, Perceptions* (Winter Goose Publishing). *Fault Lines, Tremors, Perturbations, Rude Awakenings* and *The Remission of Order* will be published by Winter Goose Publishing. *Conditioned Response* (Nazar Look). *Resonance* (Dreaming Big Publications). His novels include: *Extreme Change* (Cogwheel Press) and *Flawed Connections* (Black Rose Writing). *Call to Valor* (Gnome on Pig Productions) and *Acts of* 

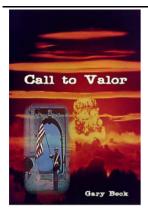


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Defiance will be published by Dreaming Big Publications. His short story collection, A Glimpse of Youth (Sweatshoppe Publications). Now I Accuse and other stories will be published by Winter Goose Publishing. His original plays and translations of Moliere, Aristophanes and Sophocles have been produced Off Broadway. His poetry, fiction and essays have appeared in hundreds of literary magazines. He currently lives in New York City.

Gnome On Pig Productions works with authors, artisans and illustrators to achieve the common goal of success and have expanded into an international publisher.



Title: Call To Valor Author: Gary Beck ISBN-10: 1365244989 ISBN-13: 978-1365244988 Paperback: 352 pages

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Language: English

Product Dimensions: 6 x 0.9 x 9 inches

Call To Valor by Gary Beck is available at Amazon.

#### The Poetry of Mahendra Bhatnagar: Realistic & Visionary Aspects

On this earth only we will live.

The followers of our religion, people of our caste, citizens of our state those who speak our language and know our script only constitute our country and form our universe.

-Invoking Modern Men

Overcast today; again
Are clouds of doom,
the sun of culture and civilization Again is eclipsed
Conspiracies beleaguered this country of mine!
Today again is wounded to the core!

-Inhuman

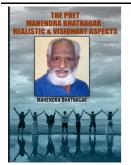
Dr. Mahendra Bhatnagar has a significant place in post-independence Indian poetry in English. He is a prolific poet who has produced eleven volumes of poetry in English. Some of the volumes have appeared bilingual (English and Hindi), while some have been translated into French. Through his poetry he raises voices pertinent to modern age. Being born in



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British India and having experienced the complexity of life of that time, he envisions an India free from injustice, inequality, inhuman practices and all kinds of corruption. The present situation of India does not make him believe independent in its true sense. What disparity and cruelty he perceived in British India, he sees them still continuing after independence in different forms. Yes, one difference is that earlier these practices were carried out by the aliens and today by the mighty and influential people in power.



Title: The Poetry of Mahendra Bhatnagar:

Realistic & Visionary Aspects Author: Dr. Mahendra Bhatnagar ISBN: 978-93-86163-46-2

Paperback : 214 pages Publisher : Onlinegatha Language : English

The Poetry of Mahendra Bhatnagar: Realistic & Visionary Aspects by Dr. Mahendra Bhatnagar is available at Onlinegatha.

#### My Dream Man by Aditi Bose

I don't know if I can do a story like this once again or not.

**Ajopa Ganguly**, a struggling writer, is reeling from the pains of her manuscript having been rejected by all publishers. She knows that making cupcakes and embroidering handkerchiefs is not her true calling. However, she is scared to write anymore and is losing focus.

**Aniket Verma**, is the professor of economics who was also Ajopa's tuition teacher once. Despite their twelve years age gap, with time, they forge a special bond of friendship.

Then a misunderstanding!

Now Aniket is back and it feel just like old times. With a challenge of finishing a new manuscript in record time and a promise that he will help her to get it published if she does, he asks her to meet him at the publisher's office two days later.

Does she write?

Does she go to the publisher's office?

At what moment does their friendship change?

Do they fall in love?

My Dream Man, a let-me-tell-my-friends and an I-need-to-finish-this story, is an insightful examination of how forces beyond our control help us make decisions. As Ajopa says, it is all about 'deep choosing'.

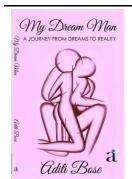


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#### **Author Bio**

A content writer and the author of an e-book for children, Aditi Bose is based in Delhi. She completed her MBA from the International Management Institute and is an alumna of Loreto House and St. Xaviers College. Hailing from a family of judges and lawyers, she is the first to pick up the pen. Stories her parents told her as a child and her passion for maintaining a personal diary and a travel journal inspired her to take up writing.



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Language : English Publication Year: 2016

My Dream Man by Aditi Bose is available at Amazon.

#### Pandora's Box by Tushar Sen

Pandora's Box is a collection of tales that have woven reality and fiction together to serve to the reader spine chilling narratives and jaw dropping climaxes. Most of the stories are inspired by real life incidents and characters – like Saddam Hussein's CIA connection, the secret army of the Indian prime minister, Hitler's biggest mass murderer, strangest rains where frogs fell from the sky, heroism of Moldof, terrorist funding in Columbia, NASA's controversial moon landings and so on.

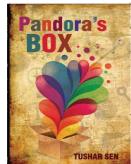
Some stories are inspired by characters around you who touch your lives in so many ways yet go unnoticed. Some climaxes will urge you to read the story again with a new perspective.

If imagination is more powerful than knowledge then here is a book that invites you to join the author in the most powerful imaginative endeavors you may have ever undertaken till now . . . in a literary environment of course.



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