

Full Circle: Lucia's Story by Robert J. Saniscalchi

Robert's exciting new story is about faith, family and Lucia's struggle from the depths of darkness and despair.

Find out what happens as Lucia and her family try to find peace and pray for a better life for themselves. The author brings us into the personal life of Lucia, the excitement and drama that unfolds on her journey.

Things happen in life; does fate and luck come into play? Come along for the ride as Lucia starts a new life with her family and meet the new friends she finds along the way.

Review From Deacon Tom: 4.0 out of 5 stars Powerful. A tremendous story is about faith and family. Great character development. In particular, the main character, Lucia, who fights bad experiences and the despair that accompanies it. Finally she begins a new journey with her family. She meets new people during this process to find peace. A strong story with a fast moving plot. I highly recommend. I received an advance review copy for free, and I am leaving this review voluntarily.

Review From Janet: 5.0 out of 5 stars Touching family drama, A feel good read! I loved this book, It was easy to read, and very enjoyable. The author brought the characters to life. It is refreshing to read a book

that deals with such critical issues and still ends in a happy way. I highly recommend this book! You won't be disappointed.

Review by Mary Lehnertz: 5.0 out of 5 stars Wonderfully written. I am so glad I had the opportunity to read and review this book. The author was impeccably descriptive giving a visual of the the characters and situations that this family faced.

Review by Kathryn: 5.0 out of 5 stars Lucia was a great main character. Robert J. Saniscalchi's writing style really works well in this story. I enjoyed getting to know Lucia and her story. It was a great concept and I really had a great time reading this. I received a free copy of this book via Booksprout and am voluntarily leaving a review.

Review by Samfreene: VINE VOICE. 5.0 out of 5 stars Full Circle:Lucia. The circle of life has no beginning and no end. The paths we take often have many cracks, streaks and holes with the smooth circle that helps us understand life, the sadness, the tragedies and the joys in different ways. Families react to tragedies in different ways. Some unite and form an alliance while others disappear and refuse to become part of the healing process.

How do you deal with experiences that are unexpected, life's surprises both good and bad and what happens when the person that has kept you at bay, destroyed your morale and used you for a punching bag, a person to criticize finally disappears? Lucia Rossi lived in fear of her abusive husband, Vincent for many years. Never able to keep a job, drunk on the job, leaving his family with little money for food or anything else, this man hid his wealth, his belongings and more in a secret and private room that only he had access to. Why?

Getting work would not be easy for him and yet Sam, Lucia's brother-in-law made sure he got something with the threat he'd better not drink or even think about abusing his wife ever again. But some people never change, and gambling and alcohol would be his downfall getting into his vehicle he crashes into another and is killed. Reactions vary but no one seems overwhelmingly upset. His two children handle it well and with Sam and her sisters, Lucia pulls it together but when she and Sam enter the private room shock waves go right through Lucia, and a harsh reality sets in. Life would be hard, but Sam would be there to help financially and emotionally for her and her two children, Anna and Mario. Plus, her sister Maria had a huge house and would welcome the company in more ways than one.

Going to stay with her sister they run into a huge snowstorm and Lucia does not know how she is going to be able to get the car out of the snowbank, keep the children safe and go for help. Leaving them in the car, braving the elements she falls prey to the dangers of the snow and is lucky that Luke, the young man that will become a part of all their lives in the future, comes and saves them.

Luke works on a ranch for Bob Flanagan who treats him like a son. The respect is huge, and Luke tends to the horses, stables, and more while taking care of his grandfather, Jake. A town filled with love, hope, and friendship, and a family that needs to find its way back to being whole. Lives are impacted and Anna and Mario must deal with changes in life and Lucia must decide where hers is going. With a certain amount in her bank account, she must decide, where they will live and how they will manage. Family ties are strong, and Sam is a blessing to Lucia as well as Bob to Luke when for the second time his grandfather has a heart attack, and this time does not make it. Both Luke and Anna bond in many respectful ways, Bob

understands that Luke has no one else but him and offers to let him live in his house and continue to work on the ranch.

Learning to ride a horse, Anna was a natural and Mario enjoyed it too. The ranch and Luke provided friendship and emotional support for both as well as Lucia making a huge life's decision to sell their home and move up to Sable town as their new permanent place of residence. Both Anna and Mario had their own feelings about it but because their mother thought this was best they supported her in every way. Luke and Anna seemed to bond, Bob was more than happy to have Luke with him, and for the most part at least for a little while, things went well. Lucia got a job in a restaurant and then as a teller in a bank. But, life handed them some tragedies when Luke's grandfather dies, then Sam is worried about Annette, Lucia's sister and decides to make a deal with Bob, to sell his home in his town, and buy Jake's home using Bob as the contact to help him sort it all out. Now, that Sam will be there all the time, Annette they hope will be fine Luke and Anna are now a couple to a point and Lucia realizes that certain conversations are at hand.

Life is great, holidays are filled with family, friends and love but as things progress another tragedy falls.

With another tragedy her sister, passing, then the horror that takes place in the bank, when a man comes in, wants to rob the bank, Bob had a weapon but gets off the shots, but somehow the killer manages to get him. Lives are in jeopardy, everyone is tense, Lucia must make a statement to the police, and once again Anna is there for Luke, as he now has no one on his side as true family when Bob's injuries take his life, and the doctors did not see the gravity of them all.

Another funeral, another life gone, as Sam comes to comfort Lucia and Anna, Luke. But, shocks happen as Luke is contacted by David, who handles Bob's finances, businesses and more, what he learns will change his life forever, but will it change him? Time does not stand still anywhere even in Sable town. The weather changes, the seasons move on and then Luke has to make decisions that will affect not only him but someone else too. How do you react when your world is about to change and your circumstances too? What about past relationships, what about you? Sam becomes a strong part of Lucia's life, abuse, darkness, despair and a shadow of blackness will it be lifted? An ending filled with surprises, twists and serious turns as Sam, Lucia, Anna, Luke, Mario and Maria must decide whether they will allow that veil to be lifted, where will their lives go, what about Luke and Anna? How do you take your life and bring it back to where it was before it changed? Can you take it from where it started, where the changes began and bring back Full Circle?

Author Robert Saniscalchi brings to light the importance of love, trust, honesty, hope, family loyalties and much more as the journey goes from start to finish where will they all wind up next? the experiences are invaluable and the ties tight as the author reminds us of the importance of how the circle of life is fragile, filled with broken paths and more and yet somehow we all just might survive. A story that everyone needs to read and embrace as the author reminds us life might be fragile, but family ties are stronger. When the darkness is strong make sure you let the sunlight back in!

Review by Jennifer W.: 5.0 out of 5 stars I couldn't put this book down! It was a really compelling read, engaging from the start.

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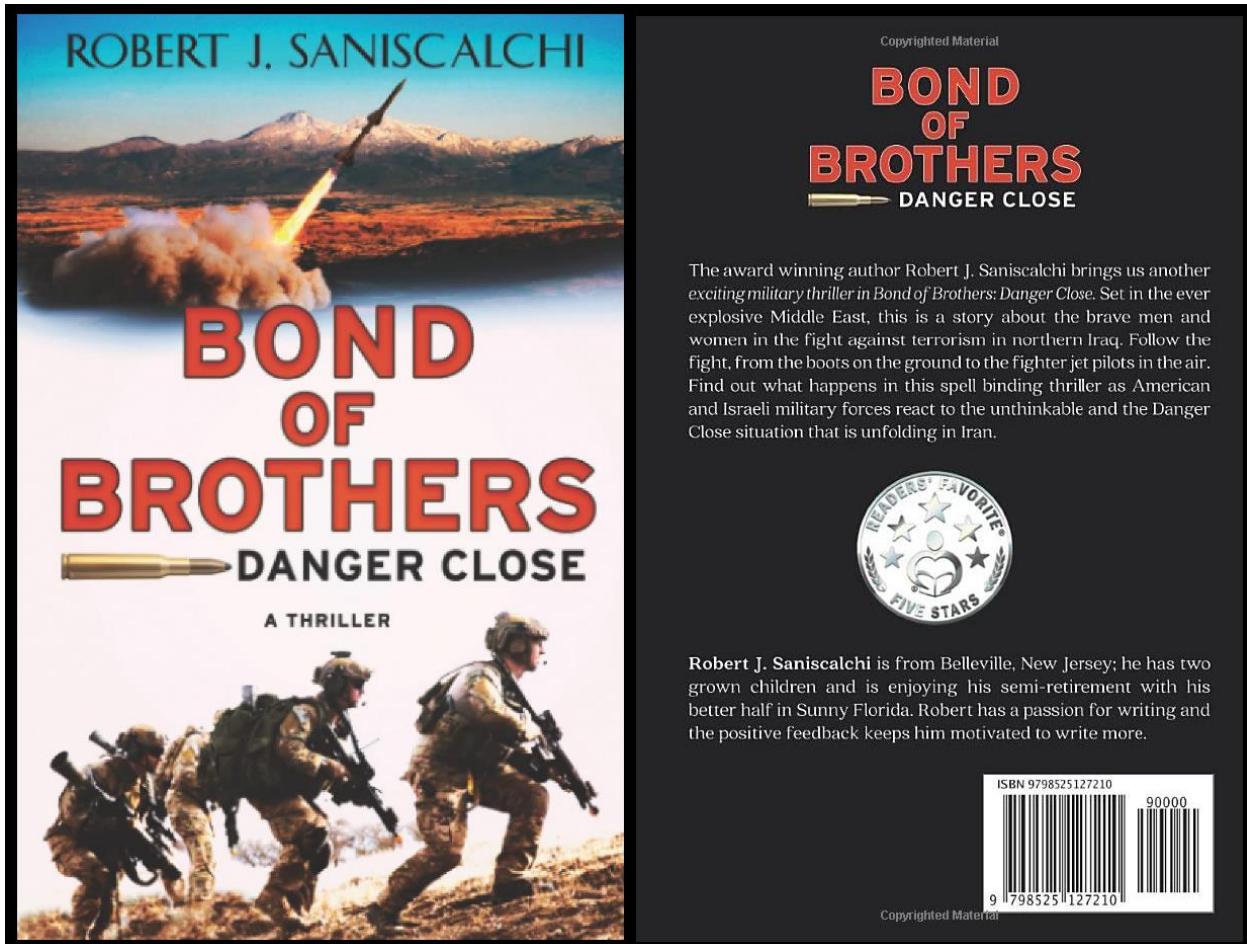
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BOND OF BROTHERS: DANGER CLOSE (Thriller) by Robert J. Saniscalchi

Bond of Brothers: Danger Close is a Military thriller about the men and women in uniform, from the boots on the ground to the fighter jet pilots in the air. A victory over ISIS and the control of northern Iraq is a stake. Find out what happens in this action-packed story that takes the reader to the ever-volatile Middle East and the nightmare about to unfold in Iran. From the office of the President to the sands of Iraq, meet the men and women who fight for our freedom, everyone is involved in this action-packed, military Thriller.

From The Author: This story comes from my thoughts and research as I'm concerned with the ever-present dangers of terrorism and the volatile situation in the Middle East. While a work of fiction, I tried to keep the story as relevant as possible without clogging it up with too many military details and protocol. **Bond of Brothers: Danger Close** was written with full respect and honor for our military.

About The Author: Robert J Saniscalchi, is the author of five published novels to date, his latest work- **Danger Close**, is another military thriller. He's grateful for the positive feedback on his writing, it helps keeps him motivated. Robert is semi-retired and loving life in Sunny Florida.



5 Stars: Ever Present Danger!

Author Robert J. Saniscalchi begins his novel '**BOND OF BROTHERS: DANGER CLOSE**' with a little US Military History lesson (U.S. Army, U.S. Navy, U.S. Air Force, U.S. Marines, U.S. Special Forces and the turmoil in Iraq) which I enjoyed reading.

Saniscalchi put his research to work developing an amazing cast of characters and real-life scenarios that draws the reader into the fight. The language is exact, the mission is real and the danger is close. You will want to read this military action-packed suspense thriller. Robert is a suburb story teller and adds a touch of romance to lighten the burden. Let me bring you into the story.

The story opens with seventeen-year-old Emma Sincol from Brookeville, Maryland wondering whether to follow some of her friends to Penn State or St. John's College in Annapolis. Her next thoughts turned to the military. What if I join the Navy? Or maybe the Air Force? To her surprise, she found out that she could go to St. John's, to get into the R.O.T.C. program. She could hang out with Linda and learn to fly.

"THE GATHERING STORM": Back at the White House, at the cabinet meeting, the president and Secretary of Defense Lindsey Braham agreed, and the order was given: the United States of America was placed on defense alert status Defcon 1. The military was put on a readiness posture, for immediate response to threats or attacks.

"THE GOOD AND THE BAD": In the early morning hours, just past 0400, the operator of the new Q-West Patriot Missile Defense System had noticed something on the edge of his screen. He dismissed it at first, but then it came again: a faint blip far on the outer limit of the radar. He estimated it to be in Iranian airspace, but heading in their general direction. It didn't take long before the Patriot system was on full

lock and tracking the inbound target. The experienced operator initiated the base alarm immediately, as he noticed the familiar high speed and trajectory of the object heading toward them: it was an inbound missile.

"INTO THE FIGHT": Jason jumped into the night sky, the wind slamming him hard. He looked over and watched Stavos fall in, close to him. Momentarily, the whole Delta team was clear of the aircraft and freefalling, feeling almost weightless as they moved downward, like birds on the wing. At the right altitude, they pulled their chutes open.

"WIN OR LOSE?": Back in Washington, the president was in the situation room, looking at a video of a radar screen, showing the missile and its flight path from the southwestern border area of Iran. "How long do we have before it reaches Israel?" he asked.

"WHAT HAPPENS": You will need to read this intense story to find out what happens. I hope I have given you enough information to set the stage for 'Bond Of Brother-Danger Close' by Robert J Saniscalchi. Please pick up Robert's other books: 'Bullets and Bandages', 'Butterfly Lake', 'Freedom's Light' and 'My Life For Her'.

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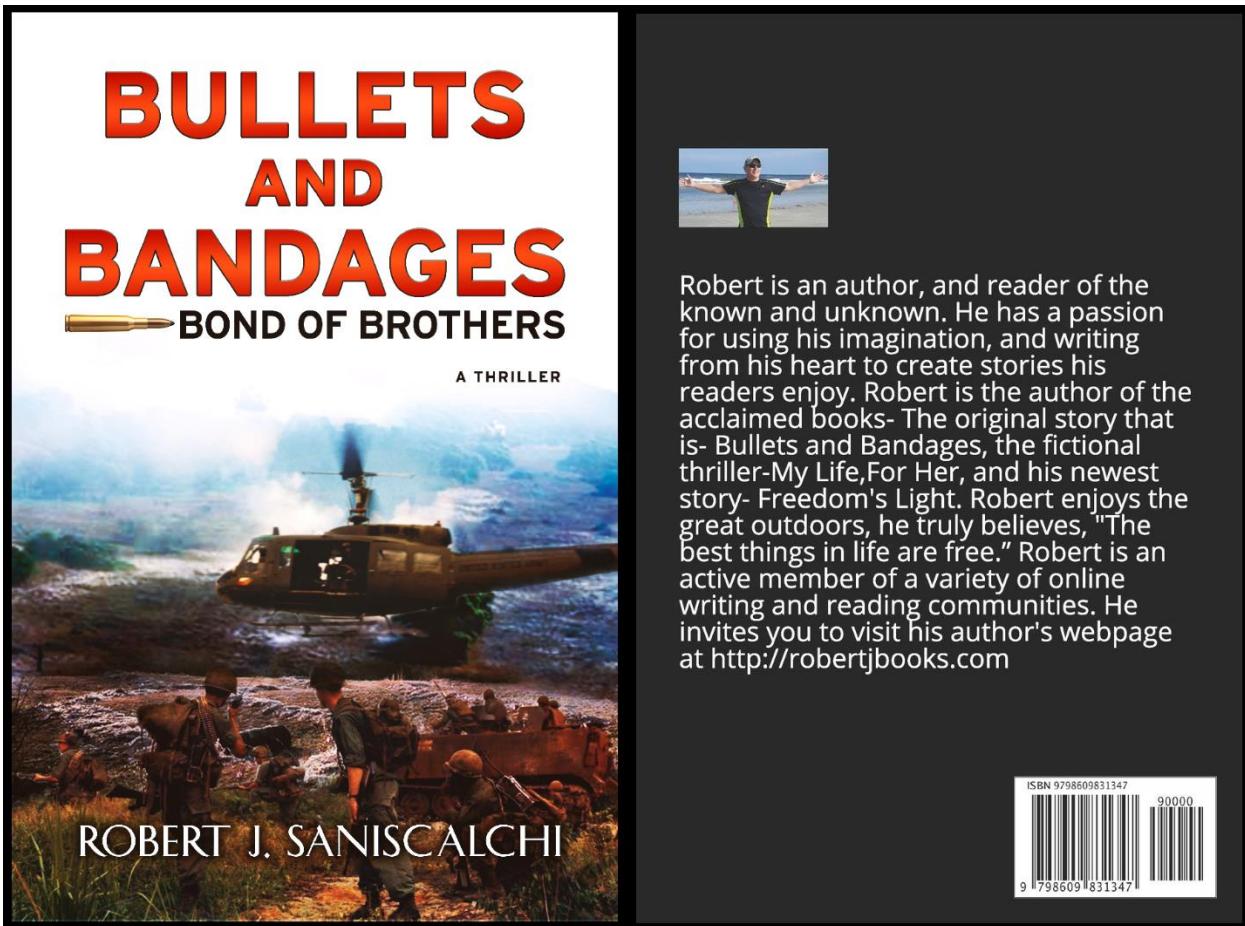
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Robert is an author, and reader of the known and unknown. He has a passion for using his imagination, and writing from his heart to create stories his readers enjoy. Robert is the author of the acclaimed books- The original story that is- Bullets and Bandages, the fictional thriller-My Life,For Her, and his newest story- Freedom's Light. Robert enjoys the great outdoors, he truly believes, "The best things in life are free." Robert is an active member of a variety of online writing and reading communities. He invites you to visit his author's webpage at <http://robertjbooks.com>



Bullets and Bandages: Bond of Brothers by Robert J. Saniscalchi

Raw and Powerful! Bullets and Bandages, was inspired by the stories of a US Army Field Medic, Vietnam 68-69. Through those stories, the author was given the unique insight into the Bullets and Bandages of war. Parts of this book are also about the author's own experiences, and that time period in our history. This is a work of fiction, a realistic story about the men in war and the bond between them, it is not filled with details and statistics that get in the way of the story. The trials and victories of Rob and his comrades pull you into a world of survival through willpower, tenacity, and wit. Bullets and Bandages, a story of love, faith, friendship, and humanity. What was it like for our military, and their time of war, as they fought together to survive in the Jungles of Vietnam?

Booksiren's Review 5-Stars. Feb 15, 2020. It was amazing. Inspired by his own brother's journey in Vietnam war, Saniscalchi's military action tells the story of nineteen-year-old Patrick, who flew into Vietnam as a US Army Field Medic in January 1968 and went through ordeals of war exercising his tenacity, willpower, and wit. The remarkable quote: "Courage is fear holding on a minute longer," begins the narrative and paves the way for a fascinating military action tale that explores the deeper meaning of courage and friendship. Saniscalchi's hero is an ordinary teenager who is barely trying to survive through tenures of war and that's what gives authenticity to his voice. Saniscalchi writes in a simple prose and successfully combines the pace and tension of an action thriller with thought-provoking examination of true faith, bonds of friendship, enduring family ties, and what it means to be human. The book will appeal to a wide array of readership, including those uninterested in military action. Thoroughly engrossing!

“Five Stars” Review by Bruce Miller (Team Golfwell Reviews): I was given a complimentary copy of this book. However, that does not in any way influence this review of “Bullets and Bandages: Bond of Brothers” which in my opinion is an excellently written and intriguing story. I enjoyed reading “Bullets and Bandages: Bond of Brothers” which is the 3rd Edition of this exceptional and extremely realistic story by Robert Saniscalchi, who in my opinion, is one of the best historical fiction writers about the real horrors of war. The author writes a fast-paced story putting the reader right into the war and all its horrors. I felt the writing was incredibly realistic, frightening and very honestly portrayed the intensity and immediacy of guerrilla warfare with much more drama than if you watched it all happening on a movie screen. Here is a brief excerpt, “I rolled away, as quickly as possible, and most of the explosion went over me, though I felt a sting in my buttocks and arm; I couldn’t hear anything, except the ringing in my ears. I stayed low, in firing position, with my rifle at the ready, and as I turned in the direction the grenade had come from, I could see the V.C., looking to see if he had got me. I fired a burst and he went down. “Their heavy machine-gun fire started again, and I knew we had to take it out. I had the best chance, from my location, so I started to crawl my way to their flank. I found a small ravine and worked around it, drawing closer and closer. When I felt close enough, I pulled the pin on one grenade, then another. Then, I tossed them both and hit the dirt.” In my opinion, I was refreshed to read the way this brilliant author didn’t overdramatize or exaggerate. It was a unique experience for me to read the realism in this author’s style. He ingeniously and very effectively makes you “Walk the walk” in the same intense manner of many very courageous men whose lives were on the line every second of each patrol. All in all, I liked this book very much and the way this brilliant author simply tells the story created a very lasting impression with me. I give this book loud applause for a story well told and recommend it highly. Very well done!”

Matt McAvoy Rated It 5-Stars. It Was Amazing. Robert has clearly put a huge amount of work into this Vietnam war drama. For somebody who never fought himself, but has written this book as a clear tribute to the brave men who fought and died, with help from his veteran brother, the research and passion he has applied to it is admirably on show for all to see. I have read many Vietnam war memoirs, and I can truly say that this is as authentic an account as you will read from an author who was not present; the terminology, feelings of fear and anger of the men thrown into a strange jungle environment, battle procedure and knowledge are collectively a vast and admirable feat, and I respect Robert hugely for the sheer work ethic which I know has gone into writing it. Robert clearly has a great story to tell, which continues even after the principal character’s tour is over – I have not read a war book written from the viewpoint of the field medic, and it was an interesting and welcome approach. This is an honest book – an important book – highlighting the impact of the horrific and hard-hitting realities of war, which Robert so vividly and artfully depicts. There is exciting action in this book, incredibly well written, with some great set-pieces. The author has created a potential ongoing narrative, suggesting that there is real legroom with this cast of characters to continue their exploits after the Vietnam war – I’d even go as far as to say that the potential of their adventures makes for a promising sequel, which I believe Robert has written, with several other books in the series, which I look forward to reading with anticipation. Robert constructs a good story and develops an endearing lead well – for pure hard work, research ethic and attention to detail, there are not many as conscientious as Robert, and I respect and applaud him sincerely for what he has achieved with Bullets and Bandages.

Comments and Praise from Readers: “The action is constant and Saniscalchi’s work, as a result, is an action-packed war story, suited to the silver screen.” By Catherine Perkins of the Historical Novel Society. “I believe this book brings honor and glory to those who served in this war (especially the field medics)” by Wayne A. Whitehead.

From the Author: I remember those long rides to my brother's cabin and his stories about his time as a field medic in Vietnam 68-69. When he finished talking, I thanked God, for he had to have been watching over my brother. Through his stories, I was given the unique insight into the bullets and bandages of war.

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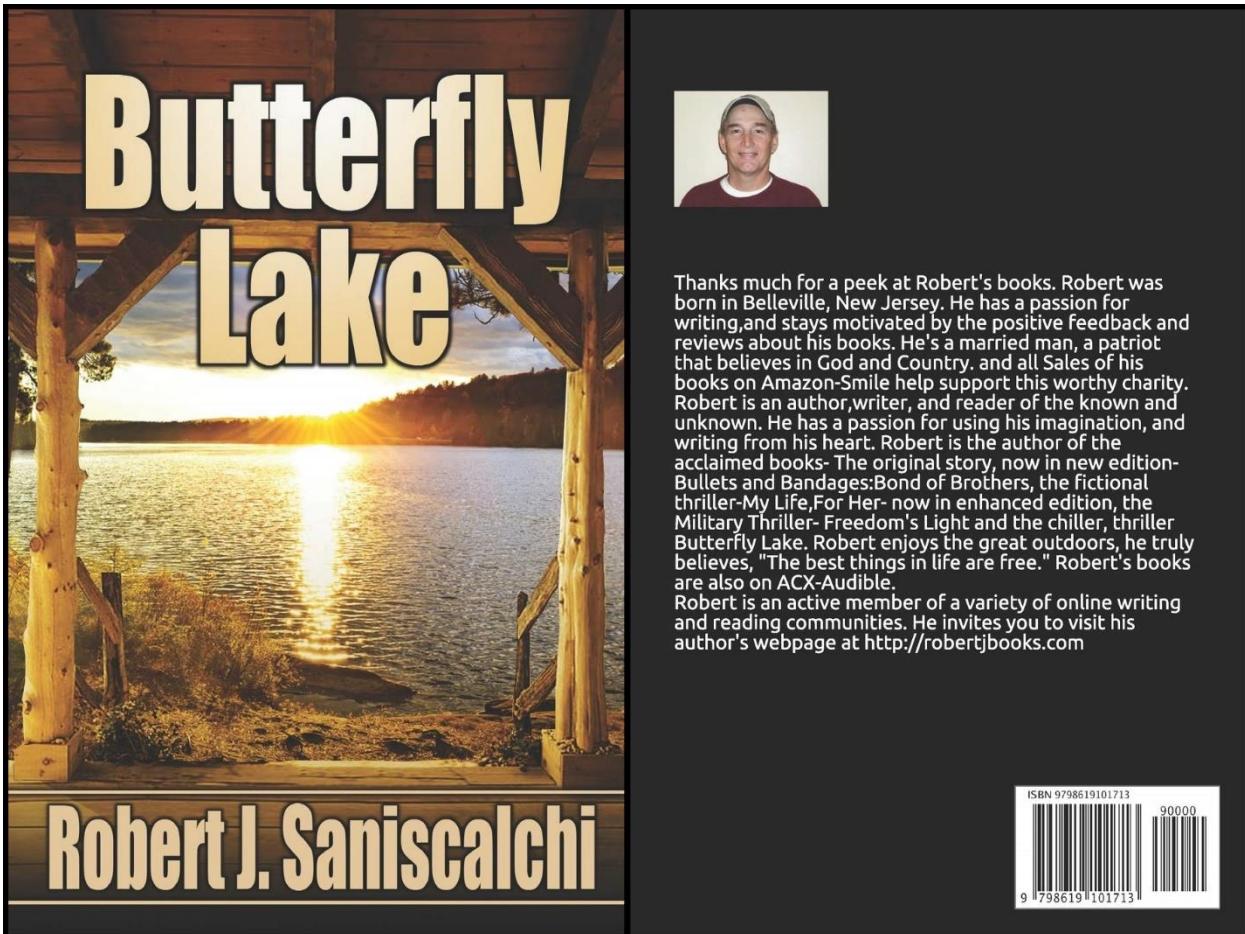
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Butterfly Lake by Robert J. Saniscalchi

Butterfly Lake features our man Rob Marrino, and his adventures; it's a thrilling story about the bonds of enduring friendship, faith, and family. What starts off as a well-deserved family vacation on the pristine waters of a mountain lake community, leads the reader into the unthinkable and something the peaceful town of Pinecrest, Pa. will not soon forget. Find out what happens when Rob and Tex find themselves in the thick of things once more in this chilling and thrilling tale of action and adventure.



5 Stars: Action Adventure That Will Keep You Turning The Page.

This book opens with main character, Rob Marrino (decorated Army field medic) arriving in the resort town of Pinecrest, Pennsylvania. Rob's family cabin is nestled in an "ancient forest" filled with pine and hemlock trees. The cabin sits at the edge of "spring-fed" Butterfly Lake. Rob is preparing for his best friend

Tex (decorated Marine sniper), and his family to arrive. A relaxing, reinvigorating vacation is what they are all looking forward to.

After some fun on the lake, the adults busy themselves with grilling and preparing lunch. As big black and yellow butterflies flutter on the purple blooming shrubs, Lori is so intent on catching a butterfly in her butterfly net, she is unaware that she is being watched.

Vacation suddenly turns into a parent's worst nightmare.

Let me bring you into the story (Chapter 8) as Rob and Tex had to sleep overnight on the trail.

... "Early the next morning, Rob woke to Tex mumbling, loudly, in his sleep. He couldn't make out what his friend was trying to say, as he nudged him awake: "Hey, buddy, hey, you okay?"

... Tex sat up and blinked at Rob, with a strange, scared look in his eyes. "That damn crazy dream again!" he fumed. "My Lori, calling me from the woods."

... Rob grabbed his pack. "Partner, it's going to be light soon – in a half-hour or so. Let's see what we've got to eat – I've got a feeling we're going to need it."

... Tex stood and stretched. "Good idea, Doc: I feel a little famished, myself."

... The two shared some beef jerky and trail mix, finished one of two canteens of water, and readied themselves to take to the trail again.

... Tex smiled at his friend. They'd been through a lot together, but nothing as tough as this one was for him. He tried to stay calm, as he prayed continuously for his daughter, but it was getting harder by the minute.

... Rob cleaned up the campsite, loaded his pack and checked his shotgun.

... "She's out there, buddy," Tex said, clutching his rifle in one hand and pointing with his knife, in the other. "We're close. I can feel it."

... Rob felt for him. He saw the strain in his friend's face, in his eyes. The incident was wearing him down, but Tex was not alone in it; the big man had helped Rob through more than one problem, and Rob would do anything to make it right for his friend.

... "I feel it my man," Rob replied: "we're going to find her."

... "Yep, today is the day! I can't wait to get my hands on those creeps." Tex added, as he started walking across the small clearing. It was the time when night gave way to day, and the woods began coming to life. The birds were up, fluttering around the trees and chirping serenades, while a few bushy-tailed gray squirrels scurried about, looking for their breakfast.

... Tex looked and listened, moving on point, as the two slowly made their way back onto the overgrown trail."

...This is tale of two friends, determined to put their military training and skills to the test in a dense, dark, mountainous terrain.

I encourage you thrill seekers to pick up this book. Realistic characters, great dialog and a well written action adventure will keep you turning the page. You will not want to put this book down. I am looking forward to the next book in this adventure series.

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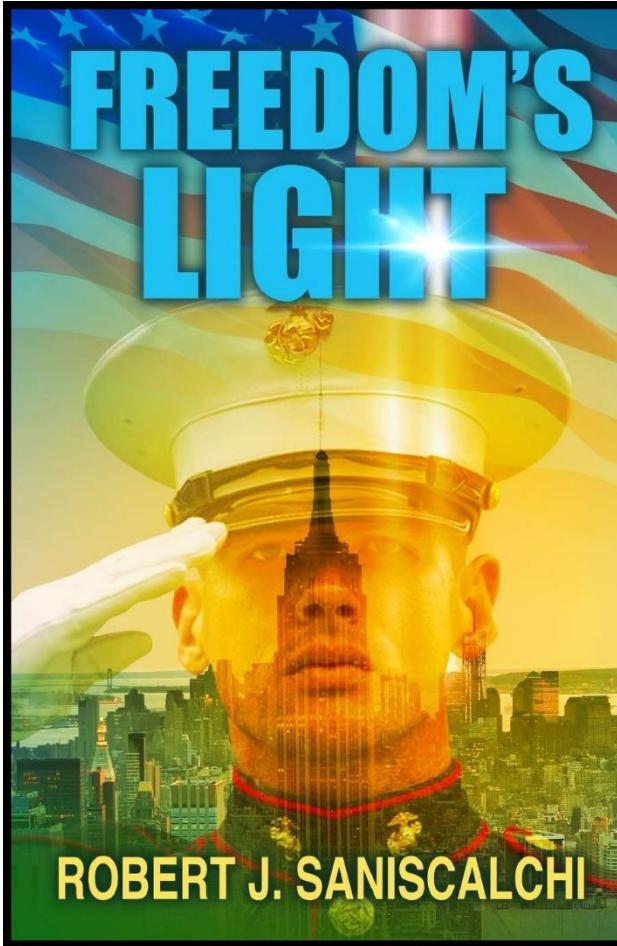
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Robert is an author, writer, and reader of the known and unknown. He has a passion for using his imagination, and writing from his heart. Robert is the author of the acclaimed books- The original story, now in new edition- Bullets and Bandages: Bond of Brothers, the fictional thriller- My Life, For Her- now in enhanced edition, the Military Thriller- Freedom's Light and the chiller, thriller Butterfly Lake. Robert enjoys the great outdoors, he truly believes, "The best things in life are free." Robert's books are also on ACX-Audible.

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Freedom's Light

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"Author Robert Saniscalchi has penned down a masterful fictitious narrative based on the bitter past of U.S. by reconstructing the tragic event of 9/11.

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Action oriented, tense and dramatic, author Robert Saniscalchi's fictional thriller is a captivating modern-day parable that is relate-able and entertaining. Those looking for a powerful reality based page turner are sure to be intrigued by 'Freedom's Light'. at Midwest Book Review"



Freedom's Light: A Rob and Tex Adventure by Robert J. Saniscalchi

Once again into the fray we must go to stand firm in the goodness of the light-Freedom's Light- against those that hide in the dark shadows of evil.

From the streets of NYC, to the remote badlands of Iraq, the world finds itself against an enemy as evil and ruthless as ever before.

Follow Rob and Tex as you are pulled into an action-packed story of love, loss, faith, and enduring friendship.

Reviewed by Enas Reviews: December 16, 2016. Author Robert Saniscalchi has penned down a masterful fictitious narrative based on the bitter past of U.S. by reconstructing the tragic event of 9/11.

Featuring a snappy relationship of three brothers (Paul, Roy & Rob) engaged in hearty leisure time of a hunting expedition, author skillfully highlights and brings out the character of 28-year-old Rob, a U.S. army veteran, and a team member of 'Special Operations Delta Force' where during a casual chitchat Rob updates his brother about his livelihood and hardship at the military and a silent war being waged against terrorism.

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Review Brittany Dalton, Author's Den: Author Robert J Saniscalchi brings us fictional tale, Freedom's Light, in a very real, honest exploration of good and evil as related to the harrowing events of 9/11--and the aftermath left in its wake.

Saniscalchi's story introduces us to his protagonist, Rob, embarking on a family hunting expedition within the quiet wilderness of New York State. The peaceful outing filled with brotherly bonding and banter is short-lived, however, as the characters are soon thrown into the horror of the 9/11 attacks and a subsequent military operation. This is all unfortunately foreshadowed by Rob's warnings, who understands the fragility of freedom and how it must be protected (or the light will be extinguished). A soldier and patriot, Rob becomes deeply entrenched within an elite team called Light Force. The object of the military operation: To identify the source (a terrorist base in Afghanistan) of another possible attack on US soil, and stop it in its tracks.

The characters are portrayed in a realistic and relatable manner, and the action is well depicted as the reader is soon caught up in the emotion and intensity. Although I don't usually follow war books, shows, and movies, I particularly enjoyed this book and highly recommend it to anyone who does enjoy the genre. Saniscalchi clearly demonstrates a thorough knowledge of his subject matter, and his story does not disappoint. Everyone I know was in some way impacted by the events of 9/11, and I can still recall the exact moments in which I came to learn about what had happened. This is a story of bravery and pays tribute to the men and women who selflessly fought to protect the United States from terrorism--and continue to do so today.

"This is an amazing book; it caught my attention from the very first page. It's about 9 11 and the terrorist that attacked the twin towers and the army that went to battle against them. While I was reading this book a song popped into my head and it is where were you when the world stopped turning by Allen Jackson. That song describes parts of this book. It is well written and I loved the main character. I never knew exactly what happens that day but now I have more knowledge of what happened. I will recommend this book to my friends and family."

Review by Pattimari, Therapist, Author, VP of PnP Authors: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Reviewed in the United States on May 16, 2019. This story begins in the mountains of Afghanistan where a group of extremists gathers to plan a shocking attack. By Chapter two, titled Bond of Brothers, which immediately brought my mind to Band of Brothers, however, as I read on the chapter took me to upstate NY. By chapter three, I was drawn into wanting to read more and more. The author, even though it is a harsh terrorizing story, the writer does have scenes that are tender and what it does is allows the reader to relax a bit from all harsh terrorizing scenes. I liked the book. I recommend it to all who like a well-written story with good descriptions.

From The Author: I am happy everyone is enjoying the story that is Freedom's Light, thanks much.

From The Inside Flap: This story is dedicated to our Veterans and to all those that serve in the US. Military today.

About The Author: Robert J Saniscalchi is the Author of Bullets and Bandages: Bond of Brothers." His first book has received endorsements from the Vietnam Veterans of America. Robert also is the Author of the thriller- My Life For Her, the military and historical story- Freedom's Light. and the new chiller- Butterfly Lake. Full reviews on his work can be found on his website. Robert is a member of various writing and reading communities. Robert is a retired Electrician, Author/ Writer, and reader of the known/unknown. Robert became interested in writing after he attended English and writing classes at college. Robert loves the great outdoors, reading, writing, and working on his cars.

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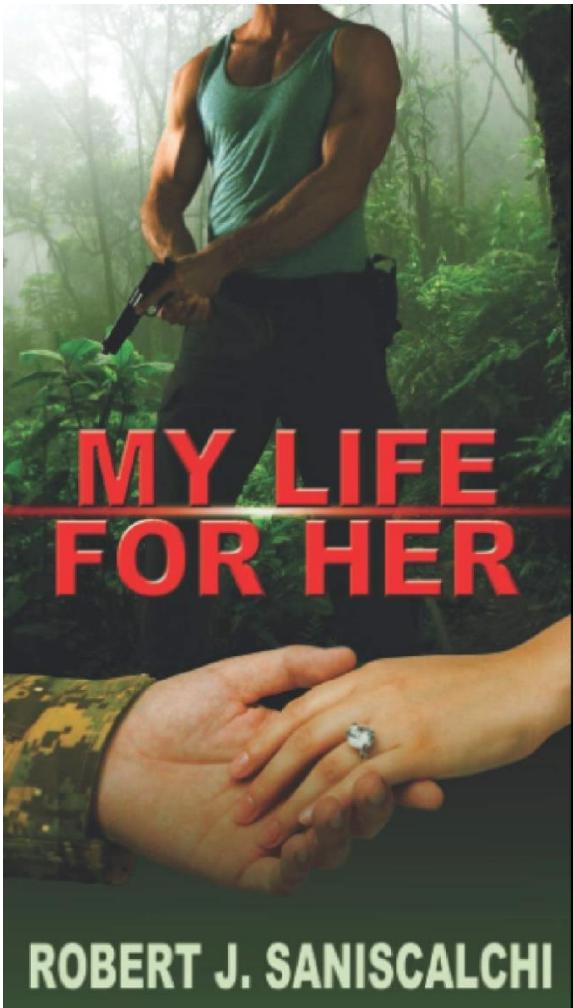
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Don't be confused by the slow family life atmosphere that starts *My Life, For Her* by Robert J Saniscalchi. Because before long you will be caught up in the real-life thriller that Rob Marrino faces. Many of you will remember him as the medic in Saniscalchi's first novel, *Bullets and Bandages*.

New Jersey born author Robert Saniscalchi returns to his 2010 debut novel with editorial enhancement by Autumn Conley and Matt McAvoy, with portions of the book embellished for the progress of the story. He subsequently published *BULLETS AND BANDAGES* (inspired by his older brother who was a field medic Vietnam 68-69) and *FREEDOM'S LIGHT* (addressing the wars in Afghanistan). Now *MY LIFE FOR HER* is placed before readers as a more polished novel that reflects the impact of the Vietnam War and the interaction of a veteran as a policeman fighting the drug cartels. Robert lives in both Pennsylvania and Florida.



My Life For Her: Enhanced Edition by Robert J. Saniscalchi

My Life For Her is a thrilling new story about the Vietnam veteran Rob Marrino, his family, and his partner in adventure Tex Larson. Everything is peaceful in the sleepy little town of Pikeville, but in the blink of an eye, Rob and Tex find themselves in the thick of things once more. This book is not only an action-packed thriller, it is also a story of love, undying faith, drama and humanity. "We fade in like a fly on the wall watching the typical American family. Robert J Saniscalchi, has used a clever ruse here, the slow beginning is very deceptive. This fast-paced action novel is filled with drug cartels, kidnappings, torture murder and other sorts of mayhem, everything you'd expect from a crime thriller."

Review by V.E. Feb. 2019: THRILL RIDE

Review by Grady Harp Feb 2019: "Overall, an interesting book with good characters, a fast pace and a story that keeps you interested until the end. A must read not only for its compelling story but for the focus on Vietnam veterans and the bond they share. Solid recommendation."

Review by Ann Keller: Rated it 5 stars.

Review by Grady Harp, February 19: "Now MY LIFE FOR HER is placed before readers as a more polished novel that reflects the impact of the Vietnam War and the interaction of a veteran as a policeman." Not having read the original book, which apparently cried for a rewrite, this reader found the story intense and involving and a fine speedy read. Will we ever reach a period when previous wars do not permanently impact both veterans and their families as in PTSD et al? Likely not until wars go away. We go on.

Review by THE PRAIRIES BOOK REVIEW on MARCH 6, 2019: "My Life, For Her gathers momentum like a huge locomotive, gathering speed with each page and thundering toward an explosive climax."

Review by Matt McAvoy at MJV Literary Group on Oct 07, 2020: An absorbing, entertaining action thriller...Rob Marrino, the highly decorated ex-army veteran is happy to be working as a small-town cop after returning from the Vietnam war. A major drug bust throws him in the path of a dangerous Columbian drug cartel. Rob turns to his friend from Vietnam days, Richard Larson aka Tex, a retired Sergeant with the First marines. Wary of bullets and violence, Rob knows the only way to take down the bad guys is to use their collective combat skills. Rob is the main protagonist, but it's Tex who steals the show. Saniscalchi expertly provides him a brusque, confident persona. Tex's clever analytical mind under duress will delight readers. Saniscalchi neatly weaves a deceptively simple plot into a fast-paced action thriller and delivers a tense, satisfying finale. A delight to read!

Review by robertjbooks.com: "Another high action, gung-ho suspense thriller from Robert, featuring his favourite characters, veteran soldiers Rob and Tex. In this, the second instalment in their superb series, set ten years after the two friends met in the jungles of Vietnam, they now find themselves embroiled in a nightmare closer to home. Rob, now working as a cop in a small town, is involved in a drug-related shooting, which sees his wife taken hostage in retaliation, by a vicious cartel. With time running out, it is left to our two veterans to again head into the jungle - this time the merciless environment of Colombia - to rescue her. Robert's books always read as a flag-waving testament to the armed forces and authoritative administrations of the United States, for whom the author has unwavering respect and admiration. The pride and affection for his country shines through in everything Robert writes, and in these days of political correctness and fashionable national self-deprecation, it is wonderfully refreshing to see - you will rarely come across a more genuinely patriotic writer. But his work is not simple chest-thumping - this author knows his military procedure and terminology, as well as the agencies which coordinate operations. A recurrent trademark of Robert's writing is his ability to infuse his knowledge of his country's defenses with rousing, gripping and hugely entertaining books in the action-thriller genre. The tale is a simple one, but its quality is in the epic scale of its character cast, including the combined efforts of the police, F.B.I., U.S. Navy and even the president himself - think a little of Clancy meets Schwarzenegger's Commando, and you have typical Saniscalchi, which My Life For Her most certainly is. This should give you some idea what to expect from this great value instalment to a superbly entertaining, good quality series."

From The Back Cover: My Life For Her is a story about Vietnam veteran Rob Marrino, who becomes a small-town cop. Everything is peaceful in his sleepy little town until in the blink of an eye, Rob finds himself back in the thick of things once again with his friend Tex Larson. This book is not only an action-packed thriller; it is also a story of love, undying faith, drama, and humanity. The new Enhanced Edition has some new content that adds to the adventure.

From The Author: I am very excited about the new enhanced edition of My Life For Her, it was a lot of hard work with my editor, and it came out better than I dreamed. Already some nice reviews. I hope you all enjoy my little story. I have some more coming your way. Keep reading, it's good for you.

About The Author: Robert J Saniscalchi is an author, and reader of the known and unknown. He has a passion for using his imagination, and writing from his heart to create stories his readers enjoy. Robert is the author of the acclaimed books- The original story that is- Bullets and Bandages, the fictional thriller- My Life, For Her- now in enhanced edition, and his newest story-Freedom's Light. Robert enjoys the great outdoors, he truly believes, "The best things in life are free." Robert is an active member of a variety of online writing and reading communities.

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About The Author: Robert James Saniscalchi was born in Belleville, New Jersey. He has a passion for writing, and stays motivated by the positive feedback and reviews about his books. He's a married man, a patriot that believes in God and Country. Robert's roots go back to Italy, no wonder he likes Italian food and good wine. All Sales of his books on Amazon-Smile help support this worthy charity.

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