

Synopsis

Yes, I Killed Her – book two in the DI Melissa (Mel) Cooper series - publishing Spring 2022.

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Philip Walker commits the perfect murder when he kills his wife then gets off scot-free. All according to plan. So why then, would he deliberately place himself back under investigation?

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Set in Leith in the present time *Yes, I Killed Her* is the second crime thriller starring DI Melissa (Mel) Cooper. She takes no crap, not even from the bad guys.

In this electronic age, is the perfect murder even remotely possible? Philip Walker is convinced it is, so he devises a carefully orchestrated plan - then kills his wife.

DI Mel Cooper and her team investigate, uncover an overwhelming array of forensic evidence, and arrest the killer – but it's not Philip Walker.

Case closed.

Or is it?

Because when events don't pan out how Walker envisaged, he goes spectacularly off the rails and deliberately places himself back in Mel's sights.

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Features Angle

Historically, readers have lapped up thrillers set in Edinburgh. But could they name a contemporary crime series set in Leith? My research shows there have been standalone books set in Leith but this, to my knowledge, is the first series.

Readers are also keen on the concept of the perfect murder because they want to find the flaw in the story. What's different about my story is the reader finds out who did it on page two, then they have 260 pages more to discover if he really did get away with it.

Harry Fisher is a native of Leith. I attended Leith Academy Primary School and have set the ending of *Yes, I Killed Her* in the building (now Leith Primary School). Other settings in the books include the Water of Leith, Newhaven, Gayfield Square, Queen Charlotte Street and Inverleith.

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