



BOOK ANNOUNCEMENT

Acclaimed Author Patrick Carr Offers an Epic Biblical Novel

- A fast-paced and action-packed journey of the last of the magi
- Gives a unique look into the true history of the magi— from the historical underpinnings in Daniel to their arrival in Bethlehem
- Carr has won numerous awards for his writing and turns his world-building gifts to a tale that will thrill men and women

Following his vision of the coming Messiah, the prophet Daniel creates a select group of men who will count down the calendar to the arrival of Israel's promised king. Centuries later, as the day nears, Myrad, a young magi acolyte, flees for his life when his adoptive father and others are put to death by a ruthless Parthian queen.

Having grabbed only a few possessions, Myrad escapes the city, and searching for a way to hide from the soldiers scouring the trade routes, he tries to join the caravan of the merchant Walagash. The merchant senses that Myrad is hiding secrets, but when the young man proves himself a valuable traveler, an epic journey filled with peril, close escapes, and dangerous battles begins.

With every day that passes, the calendar creeps closer to the coming Messiah. And over everything shines the dream of a star that Myrad can't forget and the promise that the world will never be the same.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR:



Patrick W. Carr is the author of the acclaimed fantasy series *THE DARKWATER SAGA* and *THE STAFF AND THE SWORD*. *A Cast of Stones* won the 2014 Carol Award for Speculative Fiction and the 2014 Clive Staples Award. *The Shock of Night* won the 2016 INSPY Award for Speculative Fiction. Patrick teaches high school math and makes his home in Nashville, Tennessee, with his wife, Mary, and their four sons. Learn more at patrickwcarr.com.

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