

"Why do people choose to make their mark on the world with an ugly scar instead of a beautiful rainbow?"

Native American artifacts become items of barter for sex trafficking, forcing former FBI Agent Brad Walker into a dark world where the sacredness of history and dignity of human life are not recognized. Only by listening to the echo of ancient voices within centuries-old Native American cliff dwellings of New Mexico is he able to see a way out. Following a twisting path of tragedy, Walker comes face to face with the very essence of evil in an encounter that is terrifying beyond anything he has ever before experienced.

Walker is also forced to deal with echoes that resonate within his own heart as he reconciles the death of his wife and newly found love for a woman who is as mysterious as the voices within the cliff dwellings.

Trout streams of the Rocky Mountains, grandeur of the Southwest and the art of listening to subtle murmurs become characters that transform repugnance to enchantment and horror to love.

*Waltzing with an Echo* is the third Brad Walker novel of suspense, following *The Mirror in the River* and *Strangers, Lovers and the Winds of Time*. Colorado Humanities, Center for the Book, selected *Strangers, Lovers and the Winds of Time* as a finalist for The 2015 Book of the Year, Mystery Category.

The stories draw upon the author's career as an agent with the FBI.

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