

Following a young lady's abduction, former FBI agent Brad Walker is forced into a race against time if her life is to be spared. In a dramatic encounter with the single person who holds a key to deciphering the abductor's deranged mind, Walker enters the shadowed chambers of religious fundamentalism and polygamy. A woman who came from this world must be convinced to resurrect tortured memories and re-live a life she had courageously managed to escape. Life-long convictions of love and loyalty become clouded in an eye-to-eye collision with hatred and betrayal.

*And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.
Sadly, the truth is sometimes a dungeon.*

The solace of fly-fishing in wilderness waters, the magnificence of New Mexico's landscape, and the history of the Southwest become threads of a canvas that portrays a twisted criminal mind, human courage, and hope for new beginnings. Unending devotion to his deceased wife and a new love who has miraculously entered his life are Brad Walker's source of strength as he confronts the epitome of evil in a remote corner of New Mexico.

Stars, Storms, and the River of Life is the fourth Brad Walker novel of suspense. Colorado Humanities, Center for the Book, selected the second novel, *Strangers, Lovers and the Winds of Time*, as a finalist for the 2015 Book of the Year, Mystery Category.

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