

Greeley author John A. Daly returns with second thriller

by John A. Daly

By the time John Daly's first novel, "From a Dead Sleep," was released in 2013, he had already written several chapters of his next thriller. Though it was of the same genre, "Blood Trade" was always meant to be a standalone story with different characters and a different setting.

That's when John began hearing from reader after reader who would ask him questions like: What's next for Sean? What about Lisa and Lumbergh? This has to be a series, right? The sentiment was nearly unanimous.

"People really connected with the characters, more so than I could have ever imagined," says Daly, who crafted the many flawed and quirky citizens of Winston, CO, a fictitious rural mountain town in his book. "I wanted to write about real people with real problems, who drove the story not just through their actions but also through their internal struggles. It appears I succeeded."

Daly decided that his unlikely protagonist, security guard Sean Coleman (a bully, drunk, and crime-show addicted armchair detective with an overactive imagination), needed to return; as did the rest of the cast. He began re-writing "Blood Trade" and realized almost immediately that the book was always meant to

be a Sean Coleman Thriller.

"Things just fell into place," says Daly. "The plot quickly tightened, the story took on new depth, and the characters progressed in ways that surprised even me."

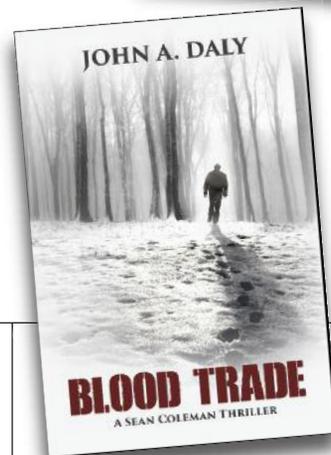
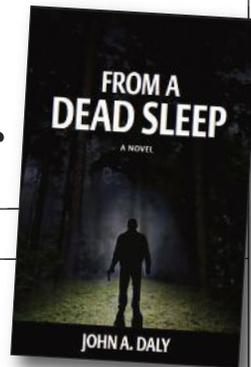
About the book:

"Blood Trade," the second installment in the Sean Coleman Thriller series, takes place six months after the murder of Sean's uncle. Sean has stopped drinking, he's taking better care of himself, and he's working hard to keep his fledgling security business afloat. At a blood plasma bank Sean frequents to earn extra income, he meets the distraught relative of Andrew Carson, a man who went missing weeks earlier on the other side of the state, with a pool of blood in the snowy driveway of his home as the only clue to the man's fate.

Sean decides to help in the search for Carson and quickly finds himself immersed in a world of desperation and danger—a world in which nothing is what it seems, and few can get out of with their lives.



Author John A. Daly with the covers of his two books.



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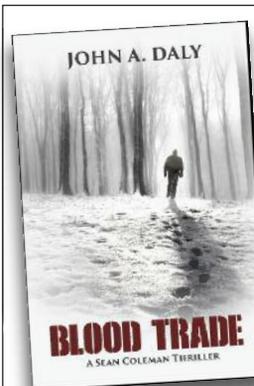
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With a thirst for creative expression that went beyond the logic and absolutes of computer programming, John developed an interest in writing. His early work included newspaper editorials and film and television reviews for entertainment websites. He later became drawn toward more substantive commentary on world events. He currently writes political, cultural,

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His books are available through Amazon, Barnes & Noble, iTunes and all other major retailers. More information on John and the Sean Coleman Thrillers can be found on his website: <http://www.johndaly-books.com> 



“This book has so many twists, turns, mis-directions and layers of plot that I even forgot to eat.”

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Security guard Sean Coleman (a bully, drunk, and crime-show addicted armchair detective with an overactive imagination) decides to help in the search for a Greeley man and quickly finds himself immersed in a world of deception, desperation, and danger — a world in which nothing is what it seems, and few can get out of with their lives.

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