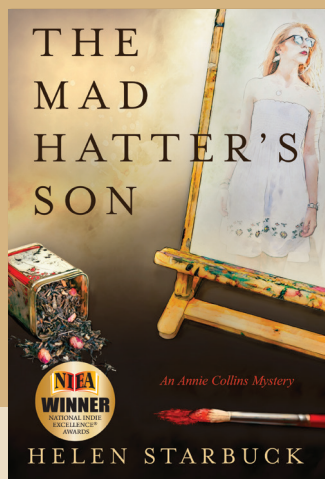


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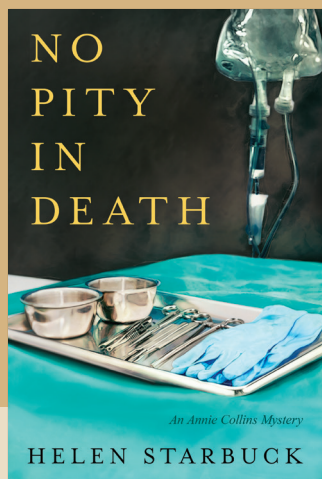
The Mad Hatter's Son is a tale of love, friendship, and betrayal. Annie Collins a nurse used to caring for others both inside the OR and in her personal life is drawn—albeit unwillingly—into the chaos that is her long-time friend Libby Crowder Matheisen's life. Faced with Libby's apparent suicide, Annie is beside herself with guilt and unable to stop asking questions to uncover the truth. But the answers to these questions don't come without a price and pursuing the mystery of Libby's illness threatens to derail Annie's life as well.

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Struggling to put her life back together after almost being murdered, OR nurse Annie Collins agrees to help homicide Detective Alex Frost investigate a troubling number of patient deaths in the ICU step down unit at her hospital. The deaths are not unexpected, but Annie and Frost wonder whether someone is helping patients die.

Assistant district attorney Angel Cisneros, Annie's close friend and neighbor, worries about her involvement with Frost's investigation after all she's been through. His worry escalates after a person from her past contacts her.

Angel and another ADA are the targets of tire slashing, vandalism, and harassment that may or may not be related to a trial and its verdict. Is it juvenile payback for the verdict or is it more deadly than that?

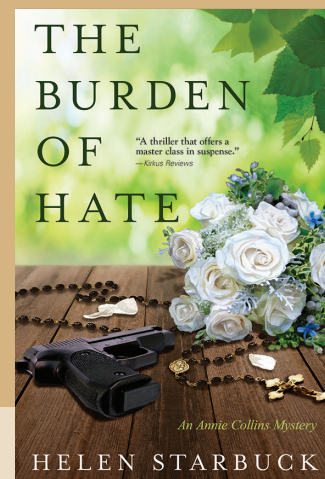
As both Annie and Angel discover, paybacks are hell.

“No Pity In Death ...will certainly pique [mystery fans'] interest and provide rewards throughout.”

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Revenge. Hate. Fear. Not exactly traditional wedding gifts. But when convicted killer Ian Patterson escapes from prison, operating room nurse Annie Collins and fiancé assistant district attorney Angel Cisneros are forced to face these realities head on.

The wedding plans are in motion but when events begin to unravel, including the mysterious disappearance of the priest, questions and fears begin to rise.

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