

About *The Falling Woman*

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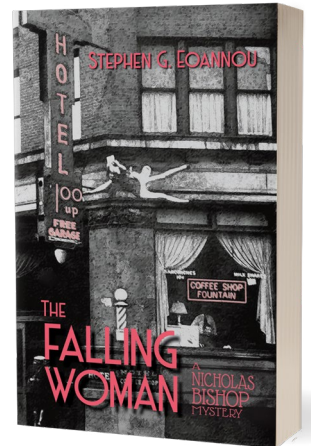
In 1942, as war rages across the globe, a woman's fatal leap from a hotel ledge captivates Buffalo, NY. Mary Miller left no note, no explanation—her last seconds of life caught in a haunting front-page photograph.

Enter Nicholas Bishop, an alcoholic private eye who's trying to rebuild his life. Hired by a ruthless mob boss, Bishop must unravel the mystery leading up to Miller's final moments. But the ghosts of his past won't stay buried: a mentor resurfaces with a shady proposition, his long-lost mother returns claiming to converse with the dead, and his uncle has a suspicious connection to Miller's sister.

As Bishop and his partner Gia Alessi delve deeper into Miller's life, a diamond merchant's murder raises the stakes. Are these cases intertwined, or is Bishop just chasing ghosts?

The Falling Woman—the second in the Nicholas Bishop Mystery Series—plunges readers into a world where every shadow conceals a secret and the past refuses to die. Prepare for a noir thriller that will keep you guessing until the very last page...

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About Stephen G. Eoannou



Stephen G. Eoannou is the author of the award-winning short story collection *Muscle Cars*, and the novel *After Pearl*, *Yesteryear*, and *Rook*. He holds an MFA from Queens University of Charlotte and an MA from Miami University. *Yesteryear* was awarded the 2021 International Eyelands Award for Best Historical Novel, The Firebird Book Award for Biographical Fiction, and Shelf Unbound's Notable Indy Books of 2023. *After Pearl*, the first in The Nicholas Bishop Mystery Series, was awarded the The BookFest Award for Best Detective Novel.

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Praise for *The Falling Woman*

“ Los Angeles had Philip Marlowe, New York City Matt Scudder, and San Francisco Sam Spade. Now, thanks to Eoannou, Buffalo has a hard-boiled detective to call its own. Say hello to the irrepressible Nicholas Bishop. ”

—Tim Wendel, author of *Rebel Falls*

“ Mickey Spillane and Dashiell Hammett would be proud of this next generation author who takes their styles and not only matches them but adds his own unique flair and voice to the genre. This is a novel dying to be made into a movie. ”

—Historical Fiction Company 5 Star Review

“ A wonderfully rendered hard-boiled historical mystery reminiscent of Chandler's Marlowe novels. Eoannou has an innate ability to whisk the reader to another place and time while drawing the reader in through the eyes of his train wreck of a private investigator, Nicholas Bishop. Fantastic read! ”

—Bruce Robert Coffin, international bestselling author of *The Turner and Mosley Files*