

THE DEVIL MAY DANCE

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THE HUSBAND-AND-WIFE HEROES OF THE BESTSELLING THRILLER *THE HELLFIRE CLUB* HEAD TO HOLLYWOOD TO INVESTIGATE FRANK SINATRA—AND BECOME MIRED IN A WORLD OF BLACKMAIL, THE MOB, AND HOLLYWOOD SCANDAL.

Charlie and Margaret Marder, political stars in 1960s Washington, DC, know all too well how the tangled web of power in the nation's capital can operate. But while they long to settle into the comforts of home, Attorney General Robert Kennedy has other plans. He needs them to look into a potential threat not only to the presidency but to the security of the United States itself.

The Marders quickly find themselves on a flight to sunny Los Angeles, where they'll face off against a dazzling world of stars and studios. At the center of their investigation is Frank Sinatra, a close friend of President John F. Kennedy and a rumored Mob crony, whom Charlie and Margaret must befriend to get the inside scoop. But in a town built on illusion, where friends and foes all look alike, nothing is easy—drinks by the pool at the Sands and late-night adventures with the Rat Pack soon lead to a body in the trunk of their car. Before they know it, they are being pursued by sinister forces from Tinseltown's stages to the newly founded Church of Scientology, and must confront the darkest and most secret side of Hollywood's power.


As the whole town gathers to celebrate the Academy Awards, Charlie and Margaret find the clock is running out. Someone out there knows what they've uncovered and can't let them leave LA alive. Corruption and ambition form a deadly mix in this thrilling sequel to *The Hellfire Club*.

CNN anchor and chief Washington correspondent **JAKE TAPPER** joined the network in January 2013. Tapper anchors a weekday program, *The Lead with Jake Tapper*, which debuted in March 2013 and expanded from one to two hours in April 2021. He has hosted CNN's Sunday-morning show *State of the Union* since June 2015. In April 2021, Tapper also became the lead anchor for CNN for Washington, DC, events. He is the author of *The Outpost* and *The Hellfire Club*, and lives in Washington with his wife, daughter, and son. JAKETAPPER.COM

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