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**AUTHOR CLINT ADAMS TURNS ‘REAL-LIFE’ MURDER INTO FICTION WITH THE
RELEASE OF HIS NEWEST NOVEL, *THE SEVENTH RITUAL*, ON JULY 04, 2009.**

Cover-ups of all kinds occur every day and take place everywhere. Murder, abuse, and much more. ‘THE SEVENTH RITUAL: a race for survival’ by Clint Adams is a novel for adults based on a true story and will be released on July 04, 2009 (American Independence Day). First-edition hardcovers will be published by Credo Italia/S.F. in the United Kingdom, and in the U.S., simultaneously.

San Francisco, California – June 26, 2009 – “The truth will set you free.” But what if you can’t prove it? What if you’ve gathered a long laundry list of evidence and hard facts, yet a major (U.S.) metropolitan police department does nothing...because *they’re* the ones that have covered it up? What if the murder was committed by a police officer against his very own partner on the force? What if the murderer is *your father* and he was protecting *you* from abuse carried out by his partner?

Complicated. Next to impossible to substantiate, don’t you think? After all, 1959 was a long time ago...although no statute of limitations exists for first degree murder. Instead, you let eighteen years pass after having discovered an entirely unimaginable scenario, knowing that there will *never* be an easy solution. Then you write a book about it that comes out on the 4th of July...so you can finally celebrate your own independence day. Time heals absolutely, but you’ve still got to do your part...so you can help the next person down the line who has suffered unjustly.

Although unexplainable, maybe devil worship, and the abuse that accompanies it, can be rationalized as being no more than a bizarrely gruesome trend of the times in the Bay Area. This unique topic, these out-of-this-world experiences, along with the acceptance and evolution of his own personal story, gave Clint Adams something more than meaningful to write about. Fiction based on reality.

Creating and completing *THE SEVENTH RITUAL: a race for survival* has been a much-anticipated catharsis for its author. More than all else though, this novel aspires to become a vehicle that will hopefully inspire others to recognize their own truth...while being unafraid to do something about it. Clint Adams believes, “There’s no greater power in the world than speaking the truth and living it.”

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