

Love Letters To Bookworms | Liebesbriefe an Bücherwürmer

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Hello, my lovely Bookworm!

Everyone loves intimate stories — from time to time.

Sometimes sharing your raw, honest truths can feel so liberating and purifying.

But at what price does this come?

What happens, when you share your innermost thoughts with someone you don't know quite well?

Unguided. Unsupported. Without being fully in the know, if they have your best interest at heart and what will happen next.

Can it backfire terribly? Can you be exploited? Could it be a hurting belly whopper?

Most of you might think of the infamous BBC interview with Princess Di in 1995, which shocked the British Royal Monarchy as well as the world.

Or most recently, like a 'Déjà-vu' of Princess Diana's story, Prince Harry's tellall memoire "SPARE" along with the "Harry & Meghan" Netflix docu.

Explosive — and deeply damaging.*

Despite Prince Harry's book has become the UK's biggest-selling memoir ever in its first week of publication as well as the sixth fastest-selling book of all time.



(Parody Movie Poster: "Harold Markle in 'Harry Kiri. Death Of A Reputation' Based on 'SPARE' " by Meira Erler, 10.01.2023 at Twitter handle <u>@Saerdnaya</u>)

My mum's first reaction: "How much money can I make selling a book with all our dirty family secrets?" <u>Here's what I replied</u>. (It's a poem of Christian Morgenstern 'Fisches Nachtgesang' | 'Fish's lullaby')

We all know deep down to talk/write about *those* topics openly is like walking on broken glass, even if you're not famous.

While Di looked in the interview like a deer caught in headlights when unpleasant questions slid in there. Live on TV.

Her youngest son Henry Charles Albert David, fell prey to his obsessive oversharing and for the money. Penguin Random House reportedly paid an advance amount of \$20 million to Prince Harry.

(BTW, What the heck does he think will be the cliffhanger for the other 3 books he signed up for to bag those big bucks? I don't guess and remain silent.)

Everyone has the right to tell (and sell) their story. History shows these vendettas put them and their families' safety and life at risk.

No one you work with, talk to or buy your story, should ever make you feel that way — like a cornered animal.

Yet day in and day out I see entrepreneurs like you cold pitching to people they barely know.

Journalists, bloggers, influencers, podcasters, and entrepreneurs in book publishing like agents, publishers, service providers and foreign rights licensing people they have ZERO clue about.

It makes me shiver because NO ONE talks about this in the book publishing

business world.

"More. More. More!" they chant. "Get more visibility!"

Some bare all – just to become mincemeat.

But you NEED to be guided through it.

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Claudia — your global book publishing co-pilot

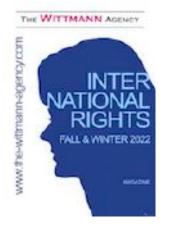
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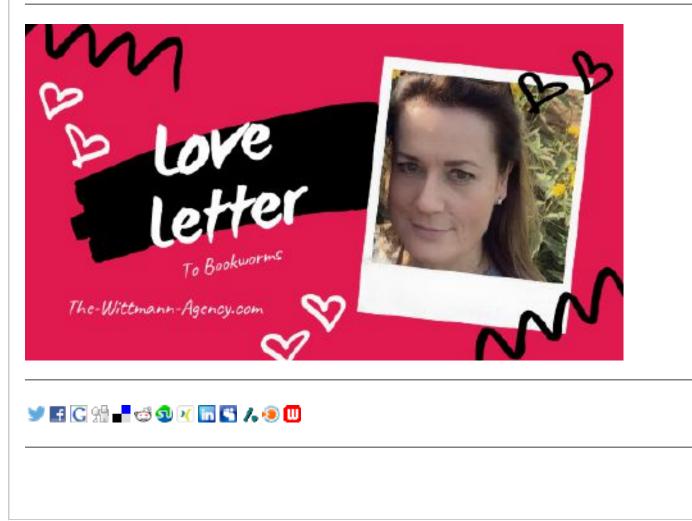
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