



# Chilly Scenes of Murder

## Scandinavian Mysteries

### **The Demon of Dakar by Kjell Eriksson**

While probing the brutal murder of one of the owners of Dakar, a fancy restaurant, detective Ann Lindell discovers that her suspects include his partner in the establishment, as well as everyone else who works there. First in series: **The Princess of Burundi.**

### **The Water's Edge by Karin Fossum**

When a couple discovers the body of a boy and sees a man limping away from the scene, Inspectors Konrad Sejer and Jakob Skarre make inquiries throughout the community of Solberglia and find the case complicated by another boy's disappearance. First in series: **Don't Look Back**

### **What Never Happens by Anne Holt**

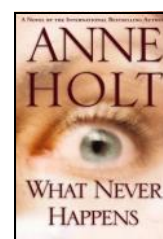
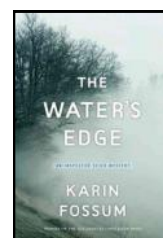
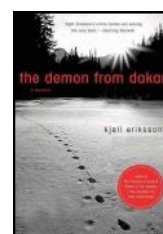
In the cold of an Oslo winter, celebrities have been turning up dead in the most macabre of positions: a talk show host has her tongue cut out, a politician is crucified with a copy of the Koran shoved inside her, and a literary critic is stabbed in the eye. Husband and wife police detectives Adam Stubo and Johanne Vik, busy caring for their newborn child, are reluctantly pulled into the investigation. First in series: **What is Mine**

### **Arctic Chill by Arnaldur Indridason**

On an icy January day, the Reykjavik police are called to a block of flats where a body has been found in the garden: a young, dark-skinned boy, frozen to the ground in a pool of his own blood. The boy's Thai half-brother is missing. Is he implicated, or simply afraid for his own life? The investigation soon unearths tensions simmering beneath the surface of Iceland's outwardly liberal, multicultural society. First in series: **Jar City**

### **The Ice Princess by Camilla Läckberg**

Winner of the 2008 Le Grand Prix de Littérature Policière, France's most prestigious award for crime fiction. The dark secrets of a small community are revealed as a woman returns to her hometown after the death of her parents and the suicide of a childhood friend.

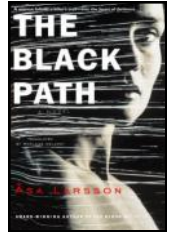


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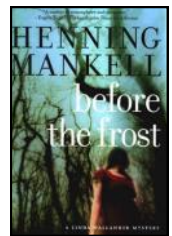
### **The Black Path by Asa Larsson**

In Swedish author Larsson's superb, gut-wrenching police procedural, Insp. Anna-Maria Mella and her longtime partner, Sven-Erik Stålnacke, investigate the brutal torture-murder of Inna Wattrang, head of information for Kallis Mining, whose body is found in an ark, a small cabin on runners, on a frozen lake.



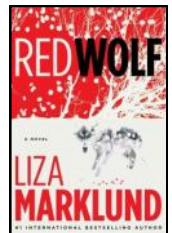
### **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo by Stieg Larsson**

Forty years after the disappearance of Harriet Vanger from the secluded island owned and inhabited by the powerful Vanger family, her octogenarian uncle hires journalist Mikael Blomqvist and Lisbeth Salander, an unconventional young hacker, to investigate.



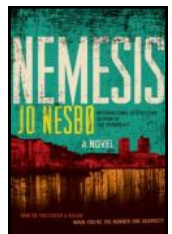
### **Before the Frost by Henning Mankell**

Taking a position with the Ystad police force shortly after graduating, Linda Wallander, the daughter of veteran inspector Kurt Wallander, struggles with their contentious relationship before becoming embroiled in the case of a childhood friend, who has inexplicably disappeared.



### **Red Wolf by Liza Marklund**

A spate of killings that began with the murder of a Swedish journalist prompts crime reporter Annika Bengtzon to look into the deaths, in an investigation that forces her to question her own husband's honesty.

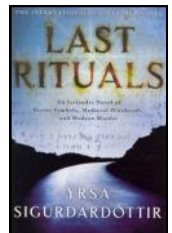


### **Nemesis by Jo Nesbo**

Waking up with no memory of the dinner he had shared with a former girlfriend, investigator Harry Hole is shocked to learn that the woman had committed suicide after their evening together and pursues a suspicion that foul play is involved. First in series: **The Redbreast**

### **Three Seconds by Anders Roslund**

Ex-convict Piet Hoffman--a family man, a rising member of Stockholm's Polish mafia, and an undercover police informant--is sent to a maximum security prison to make himself the boss of the amphetamine trade so the police can shut it down.



### **Last Rituals by Yrsa Sigurdardottir**

Attorney Thora Guomundsdottir and her new partner, Matthew Reich, journey to a remote corner of Iceland to investigate how the murder of a German student may be connected to the victim's interest in witchcraft.

### **Roseanna by Maj Sjowall and Per Wahloo**

The discovery of the body of an unknown rape and murder victim sends Detective Inspector Beck of the Stockholm Homicide Squad on a six-month search to determine the identity of the victim and her killer from among dozens of suspects.

