

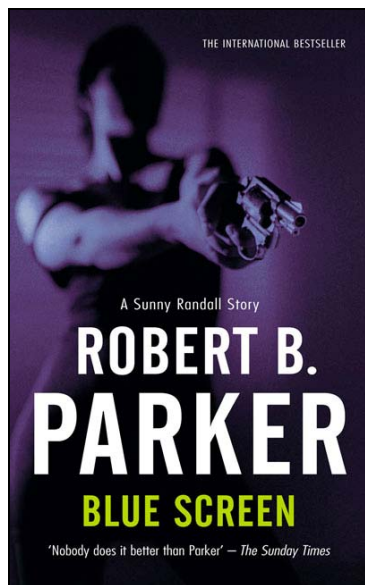
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more than just the usual suspects

BLUE SCREEN

ROBERT B PARKER

new title



SALES POINTS:

- Every new Parker sells 150,000 hb's in the US and is a NY Times Top 10 bestseller
- Excellent new title and stock sellers in the UK with a strong backlist
- Combines two of the rising stars in the Parker pantheon: Sunny Randall AND Jesse Stone

MARKET:

Crime fiction, fiction

DESCRIPTION:

Buddy Bollen is a C-list movie mogul who made his fortune producing films of questionable artistic merit. When Buddy hires Sunny Randall to protect his rising star and girlfriend, Erin Flint, Sunny knows from the start that the prickly, spoiled beauty won't make her job easy. And when Erin's sister, Misty, is found dead in the lavish home they share with sugar daddy Bollen, there doesn't seem to be a single lead worth pursuing. But then Sunny meets Jesse Stone, chief of police in Paradise, Massachusetts, under whose jurisdiction the case falls.

It immediately becomes clear that Jesse and Sunny have much in common.

While searching for the killer, they learn an awful lot about each other-and themselves. Tracking Misty's murderer reveals a host of seedy complications behind Erin's glamorous lifestyle as well as Buddy Bollen's entertainment empire, made up of shady film deals and mobsters out for revenge. But in a world where there's little difference between the good guys and the bad, exposing the killer could prove to be Sunny's undoing.

REVIEW COVERAGE:

Praise for Robert B Parker:

"...Parker packs more meaning into a whispered "yeah" than most writers can pack into a page....." - *The Sunday Times*

"...Parker can spin a tale with the best of them -most of the time, he is the best of them. He riffs smoothly off Sunny's blue mood...." - *New York Times Book Review*

AUTHOR BIOGRAPHY:

Robert B Parker is the best-selling author of over 50 books, including *Small Vices*, *Sudden Mischief*, *Hush Money*, *Hugger Mugger*, *Potshot*, *Widows Walk*, *Night Passage*, *Trouble in Paradise*, *Death in Paradise*, *Family Honor*, *Perish Twice*, *Shrink Rap*, *Stone Cold*, *Melancholy Baby*, *Back Story*, *Double Play*, *Bad Business*, *School Days*, *Cold Service* and *Sea Change*. He lives in Boston.

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