



About the Author

James J Valko is a writer, author, philosopher, copywriter musician and businessman.

Born in Evanston Ill, James spent his youth playing baseball, reading Marvel comics, sitting in the principal's office, playing drums, and asking himself the big questions of life: "Where did we come from?" "What are we doing here?" "Where are we going?" "Would Mary Sue go out with me, if I asked her?"

James worked as a free lance advertising copywriter and TV commercial producer for many years. In 2006 he started NuLean Inc., a company that manufactures and distributes a natural detoxification cleanse. Jim helped co-develop the NuLean products to allow people to gain control of their lives and become healthier by naturally cleansing toxins out of their body.

Still intrigued with the "big questions" about life, James wrote his first novel, The Find, to address those questions. The Find is a work of fiction that mixes romance, philosophy, quantum physics and adventure. It's a story about a group of archeologists that are murdered after they discover time capsules buried in the Grand Canyon, left behind by an ancient civilization (far more spiritually and technologically advanced than our present one) that once inhabited the earth.

James lives in Clearwater, Florida and is presently finishing his second novel, Ironwood, a love story.

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Ambitious and beautiful archeologist, Megan Eastwood, embarks on an excavation in the Grand Canyon with her mentor, Dr. Jensen Reinhardt, along with thirteen college students. An ancient map leads them to believe Egyptian artifacts are buried in a remote section of the canyon. What they unearth there instead is far more enigmatic and shocking: four artifacts that resemble something from another world. Forty-eight hours later Megan finds the students dead, Dr. Reinhardt missing, and the artifacts gone, as if they had never existed.

Even more bizarre, she finds herself hunted by the FBI for the murder of the archeology crew.

Clueless and confused, Megan enlists the help of Bruce Brackin, a photographer who's visiting the Grand Canyon for a little "R&R." They embark on a desperate hunt for Dr. Reinhardt and the missing artifacts, and soon find themselves caught up in a vortex of mystery and danger, illusion and betrayal. They are pursued through granite catacombs and underground rivers by a ruthless and unseen enemy that must capture Megan in order to unlock the secrets of THE FIND--secrets so powerful that can change the course of mankind forever.

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