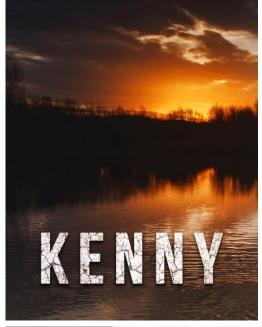


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#### **AUTHOR BIO**

It was always going to happen but it took a while for John Camillo to take up the craft seriously. Free at last to test himself in the crucible of moulded inspiration, his first work was a collection of poems, 'Tangled Twine', followed by his first novel, 'Bullseye', then an adaptation of Coleridge's 'Rime of the Ancient Mariner'. His learning curve is steep, benefits obvious in improved editing skills and story crafting. He is driven by the idea the more he writes, the sharper his skills become.

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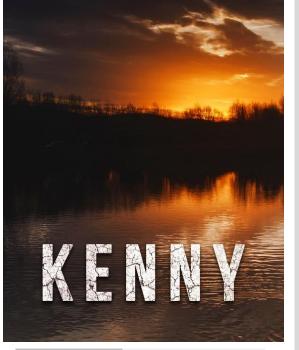
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#### A CONVERSATION WITH THE AUTHOR

#### WHAT LITERARY PILGRIMAGES HAVE YOU GONE ON?

The desire to write percolated until I had time. The first collection was one of poems about observations, experiences and responses to places and memories. I called it 'Tangled Twine' because I believe a writer needs to have the patience of a fisherman faced with a ball of tangled fishing line that he wants to untangle. The flash of inspiration is a common phenomenon for most people, but it takes patience and persistence to turn an inspiration into a work of art.

#### DOES A BIG EGO HELP OR HURT WRITERS?

We tend to be suckers for the idea of fame and seeking it is a dangerous thing to do because art is about clarifying worthwhile ideas within a form of expression that works for the observer not about shining a light on oneself. The trick is to get the '1' out of ego.

#### WHAT DREW YOU TO THE SUBJECT MATTER OF 'KENNY'?

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