



DEATH PENALTIES

Paula Gosling

A man dies in a bedsit; another, Roger Leland, is killed in a car crash . . . Detective-Sergeant Nightingale's instinct tells him there is a link between the two seemingly unconnected deaths. His enquiries lead him to Leland's widow, Tess, frightened and confused by a series of inexplicable threats. Concerned for her safety and that of her young son Max, Nightingale presses ahead with his investigations. But the questions just seem to multiply. What is it that Tess's tormentor so badly wants?

A sinister, gripping mystery from crime writer Paula Gosling.



RIVER GOD

Wilbur Smith

City of Thebes. The Festival of Osiris. Loyal subjects of Pharaoh gather to pay homage to their leader. Among them: Losiris, the beautiful daughter of Lord Intef; Tanus, the young army officer she loves; Taita, her father's slave and her dearest friend. As the sumptuous festival continues, only the perceptive Taita can see that despite the splendour Egypt's greatness is crumbling. Yet not even he can imagine how dramatically their lives will be changed by the cataclysmic events that lie ahead.

A magnificent epic about Ancient Egypt—from a master storyteller.



NOVEMBER OF THE HEART

LaVyrle Spencer

In the summer of 1895 yacht racing is all the rage at White Bear Lake. For penniless Jens Harken, this is the opportunity to fulfil his dream—to design and build the fastest sailing boat ever. The future looks clear until Lorna Barnett comes into his life, promising him love and happiness beyond his wildest imaginations. But Lorna is the daughter of the yacht club's commodore and belongs to a world which Jens can never enter . . .

LaVyrle Spencer combines the exhilaration of sailing with a passionate story of star-crossed lovers.



NO PICNIC ON MOUNT KENYA

Felice Benuzzi

In January 1943 three Italian POWs in a prison camp in British-occupied East Africa made an extraordinary resolution. They decided to escape in order to climb to the summit of nearby Mount Kenya. The odds were stacked against them: even if they could get out, they had only makeshift equipment, meagre rations, a very basic map, and one of them had never climbed before. Yet, undaunted, they set out to fulfil their dream.

This true-life story stands as a powerful testimony to man's indomitable spirit and determination.