It all started with a whisper of an idea, a fleeting image, or perhaps a nagging question that wouldn't let me go. For my debut novel, **Mystery of Wicker Wood**, the inspiration sprang from... Inspired by my love of history and local myth and legend, I wanted to create a timeless story that will leave all readers feeling enchanted. I remember sitting down, the words flowing almost effortlessly as the characters began to take shape, each twist and turn of the plot revealing itself with a thrilling sense of discovery. It was an exhilarating journey into the heart of a small community, unraveling secrets hidden beneath a seemingly tranquil surface.

After the captivating experience of Wicker Wood, I found myself drawn to a different kind of mystery, one steeped in history and the echoes of the past. **The Broughty Souls** emerged from the longing to share a personal experience that I had during childhood. Some of the novel has been inspired by real-life events. This novel allowed me to delve deeper into themes of legacy and the profound impact of past events on the present. It was a challenging yet incredibly rewarding process, weaving together intricate timelines and developing characters who grappled with the weight of generations. Both novels have been a labour of love, born from a passion for storytelling and a desire to create worlds that readers can get lost in.