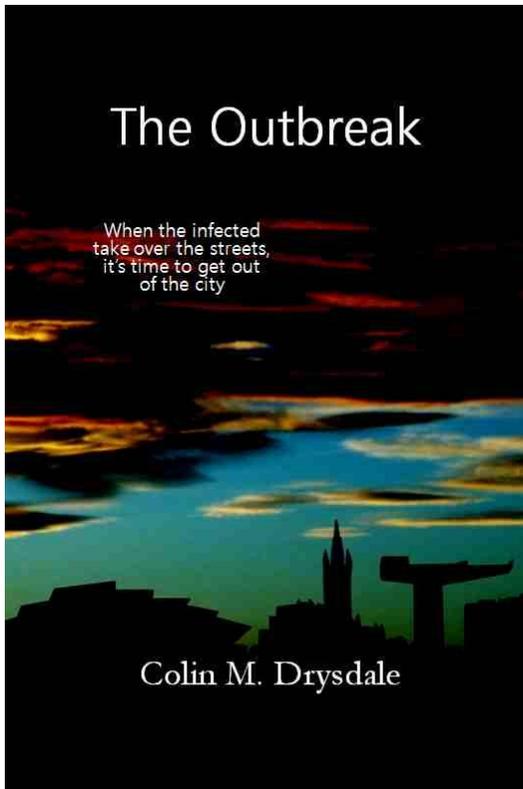


The Outbreak

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Starting in Glasgow, this book weaves its tale of post-apocalyptic survival into the varied landscapes and cultures of western Scotland, ranging from bustling city streets to remote island communities. It evocatively uses real locations, on both land and at sea, to create atmospheric depictions of the trials faced by those trying to survive as their world falls apart around them. In this, his second novel, Colin M. Drysdale expands the new and unusual take on the traditional post-apocalyptic genre first introduced in his debut novel *For Those In Peril On The Sea*. This was published in 2013 to much acclaim from both critics (it was selected as a finalist in the Horror category of *ForeWord Review's Book of the Year Award 2013* and as the gold medal winner in the First Novel (>80,000 words) category of the 2014 *Next Generation Indie Book Awards*) and readers (Amazon rating: 4.5/5).

About The Author: Colin M. Drysdale lives in Glasgow, but as a marine biologist, he has spent plenty of time at sea. He has used this extensive experience to great effect to create a world where the land is no longer safe and people must struggle against the odds just to survive.

From The Back Of The Book: He was only in the city to meet an old friend, but within hours of his return, Ben's running for his life ...

As the world watches in horror, Miami falls to the infected, and with it America. Britain seals its borders, hoping to prevent the newly mutated Haitian Rabies Virus reaching its shores, but it's too late; somewhere in Glasgow is the man who started it all and coursing through his veins is the virus he accidentally created. When he finally turns, the city doesn't stand a chance.

Minutes later, a small group of survivors find themselves trapped between the ever-increasing hordes of infected and the soldiers seeking to contain them. The roads are barricaded, the skies patrolled, and the only way out is the river which leads from the heart of the city to the safety of the sea.

Join Ben, Tom, Daz, Claire and Sophie as they flee from the infected, first by land, then by sea. Where will they go? How will they survive? Only time will tell.

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