

Life Between the Lines

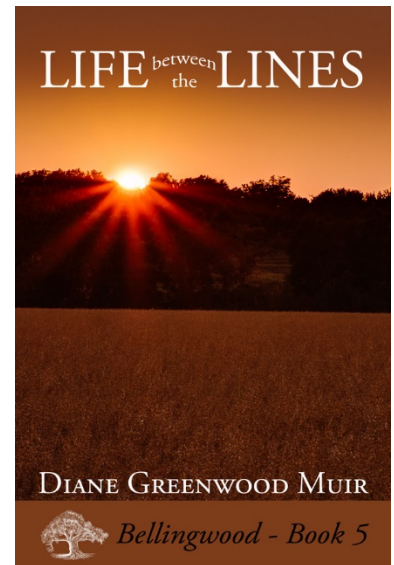
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Notes & Characters

Book 5 – Bellingwood series

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Polly Giller

Marie Elmwood – Polly’s childhood. Lived down the road from her home. Cookies in coffee cans in freezer.

Gladys Black – Boston. Lived next door to Polly. Mean old lady whom she befriended while there.

Got a new hat from Eliseo for her birthday

Obiwan working at library as a therapy dog. Going to Des Moines for training

Dress for the ball. Deep, midnight blue gown. Low-cut velvet bodice, lace trim at bottom, satin bow at back.

Steampunk identity for ball: Local school mistress – Miss Pollyanna Percival

Henry Sturtz

Starts out in Ann Arbor with Lonnie.

Won the latest pool at the Elevator - \$50

Starts calling Polly ‘Pretty Girl’

Gives her a S.H. first anniversary gift – framed Masquerade Ball invitation

Andy Saner (Andrea)

Beryl Watson

Lydia Merritt

Sylvie Donovan

Jason detention for protecting Andrew from three kids.

Sal Kahane

Coming to surprise Mark Ogden at the Masquerade Ball.

Nate and Jocelyn (Joss) Mikkels

Nate has twin sisters – 15 years older. They live near his mother, tons of kids to keep her occupied

Jeff Lyndsay

Law Enforcement

Aaron Merritt – County Sheriff

Stu Decker – Deputy Sheriff

EMTs – Sarah, Young un-named man

Anita Banks – at sheriff’s office. Computer whiz. The Giller file is ‘red-flagged.’ Bouncy brunette. Loves wild colors.

Family has two Labradors – Bo & Luke. Steampunk costume: Aviatrix. Claire Astleberry (Anita’s grandmother’s name – came from England in late 1800s). Flies a dirigible.

Ken Wallers – Bellingwood Chief of Police

Bert Bradford – deputy. Lisa and Paul Bradford.

Mindy – works at police station

Local Residents

Mrs. Mulberry – neighbor of Eliseo. Cleaned her pond and gutters. She feeds him pie.
Jimmy Rio – works for Henry, comes to help clean S.H.
Sam Terhune – works for Henry, comes to help clean S.H.

Percherons – Halloween costumes

Blue and black brocade forehead coverings
Matching blankets
Nan – loose black fabric on head – looks like leather
Cape like a Ring Wraith's horse

Black muslin to mute the glossy paint of the wagon
Mark Ogden – dressed as a mortician
Henry – Grim Reaper
Polly – blue brocade gown, five layer black tulle cape

Beryl – creepy clown
Aaron Merritt – Frankenstein's monster
Eliseo – headless horseman. Jason is the dead body
Rachel - vampire

Thomas Zeller

Author
Going to Hollywood next month
Information on a USB drive
Wrote the Eddie Powers book series – love: Annie, Edgar & Annabel
Affinity for Edgar Allan Poe
Writing desk in his room smashed
Natalie Dormand – his agent, stayed in room in addition
Jeremy Swanson – snooty man at publishing house

Nelly (Eleanor Marie Farber) – woman in San Francisco. She left in 1969. Maybe 68 years old
She bailed Thomas out of jail - drugs
Implicated in murder of a police officer – Bartholomew Andrew Davidson
Son born in 1969

Kevin Campbell

Wife Sonya
Daughters – Ellie / Ann
Nelly is now Genie Campbell

Guests at Sycamore House

Lila Fletcher – red hair
Grey Linder – drunk, heart attack
Douglas Winters
Leo Evans – in the addition
Myron Biller – in the addition

Ben Seafold

Big man, thick brown curly hair, full beard. Jeans and flannel shirt
Gertrude - dachshund
Seafold Publishing – has rights to Eddie Powers mysteries
Vermont
Comes to Bellingwood

Sylvie has a little crush on him

Vandalism

Paint splatter on front of S.H.

Broken glass – kitchen window

Threatening emails

Knew name 'Pretty Girl'