# Acts of Allegiance

# Peter Cunningham

### **ABOUT THIS BOOK**

Senior Irish diplomat, Marty Ransom, is torn between duty to his country and loyalty to the Anglo-Irish tradition in which he was raised. In a land divided into north and south, Planter and Gael, Catholic and Protestant, Marty's life has been spent walking a tightrope. When he meets Alison, a Home Office employee now transferred to the British embassy in Dublin, Marty's fidelities are once again split. Lured ever deeper into the lethal world of counter-espionage, he finds himself in fatal conflict with his cousin and childhood friend. As this deadly endgame unfolds, Marty must choose between all which he loves and holds dear, and his allegiance to a past that remains just beyond his reach.

#### **ABOUT THE AUTHOR**

Peter Cunningham is from Waterford in the south east of Ireland. He is the author of the Monument series, widely acclaimed novels set in a fictional version of his home town. His novel, The Taoiseach was a controversial best seller; The Sea and the Silence won the prestigious Prix de l'Europe. He is a member of Aosdána, the Irish academy of arts and letters, and lives with his wife, not far from Dublin.

## **AUTHOR LOCATION**

Waterford, Ireland

#### PRAISE FOR ACTS OF ALLEGIANCE

'It's a sharp reminder of what evil can be done in the name of good, and how condescension and arrogance can lead to disaster. - The Irish Times

'Acts of Allegiance, manages to convert what could have been a bleak and familiar tale into an exciting one of espionage, infidelity, family secrets and betrayal.' - Irish Independent

#### SALES AND MARKETING HIGHLIGHTS

- B-format release following the successful publication in 2017.
- Peter Cunningham is author of The Taoiseach series, soon to be a major TV show.
- The Sea and the Silence won the prestigious Prix de l'Europe

#### OTHER TITLES BY THE AUTHOR



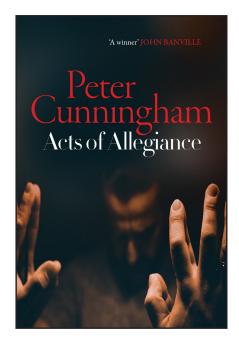
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