

# THE GRIEF NURSE

## ANGIE SPOTO



### ABOUT THIS BOOK

*Imagine you could be rid of your sadness, your anxiety, your heartache, your fear.*

*Imagine you could take those feelings from others and turn them into something beautiful.*

Lynx is a Grief Nurse. Kept by the Asters, a wealthy, influential family, to ensure they're never troubled by negative emotions, she knows no other life.

When news arrives that the Asters' eldest son is dead, Lynx does what she can to alleviate their Sorrow. As guests flock to the Asters' private island for the wake, bringing their own secrets, lies and grief, tensions rise.

Then the bodies start to pile up.

With romance, intrigue and spectacular gothic world-building, this spellbinding debut novel is immersive and unforgettable.

### KEY SELLING POINTS

- A best new Scottish books of 2023 pick, *The Herald*
- A beautifully designed book with gorgeous silver foiling on the case
- For fans of *The Binding*, which sold 230k copies in the UK

### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Angie Spoto is an American writer living in Scotland. She grew up near Chicago, lived in the Netherlands, and eventually moved to Scotland to get her PhD in Creative Writing at the University of Glasgow. She loves stories that are dark and surreal, strange and magical, and she is inspired by writers like Ursula Le Guinn, Octavia Butler, Leonora Carrington and Naomi Novik.. She loves fairy tales, especially Scottish ones. She lives beside the shore with her husband and son.

### PRAISE FOR THE GRIEF NURSE

'Stunning'

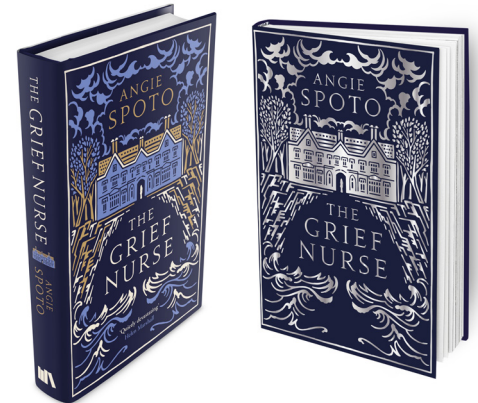
*Scots Magazine*

'A conceptually-explosive and vividly-rendered story'

C J Cooke, bestselling author of *The Nesting*

'Unforgettable and quietly devastating.'

Helen Marshall, author of *The Migration*



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