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Jenny Boyd

JENNIFER JUNIPER*A Journey Beyond the Muse*

When George Harrison and my sister, Pattie Boyd, invited me to join them in India, along with the rest of The Beatles and their wives, I asked: 'How can I ever repay you?' George replied, 'Just be yourself.'

'Being herself' took Jenny on an incredible journey through modelling, family, and Rock and Roll survival into a new life of stability and achievement.

Jennifer Juniper is her candid look back at the good times and the bad.

Jenny Boyd, twice married to Mick Fleetwood of Fleetwood Mac, found herself at the forefront of the world of rock and roll in the sixties - and its fame, money, drugs and heartache. Struggling in the darkness to find and develop her own voice and identity, Jenny went to college, achieving a Masters in Counselling Psychology and a PhD in Humanities. Her dissertation on musicians and creativity became the critically-acclaimed book *Musicians in Tune*.

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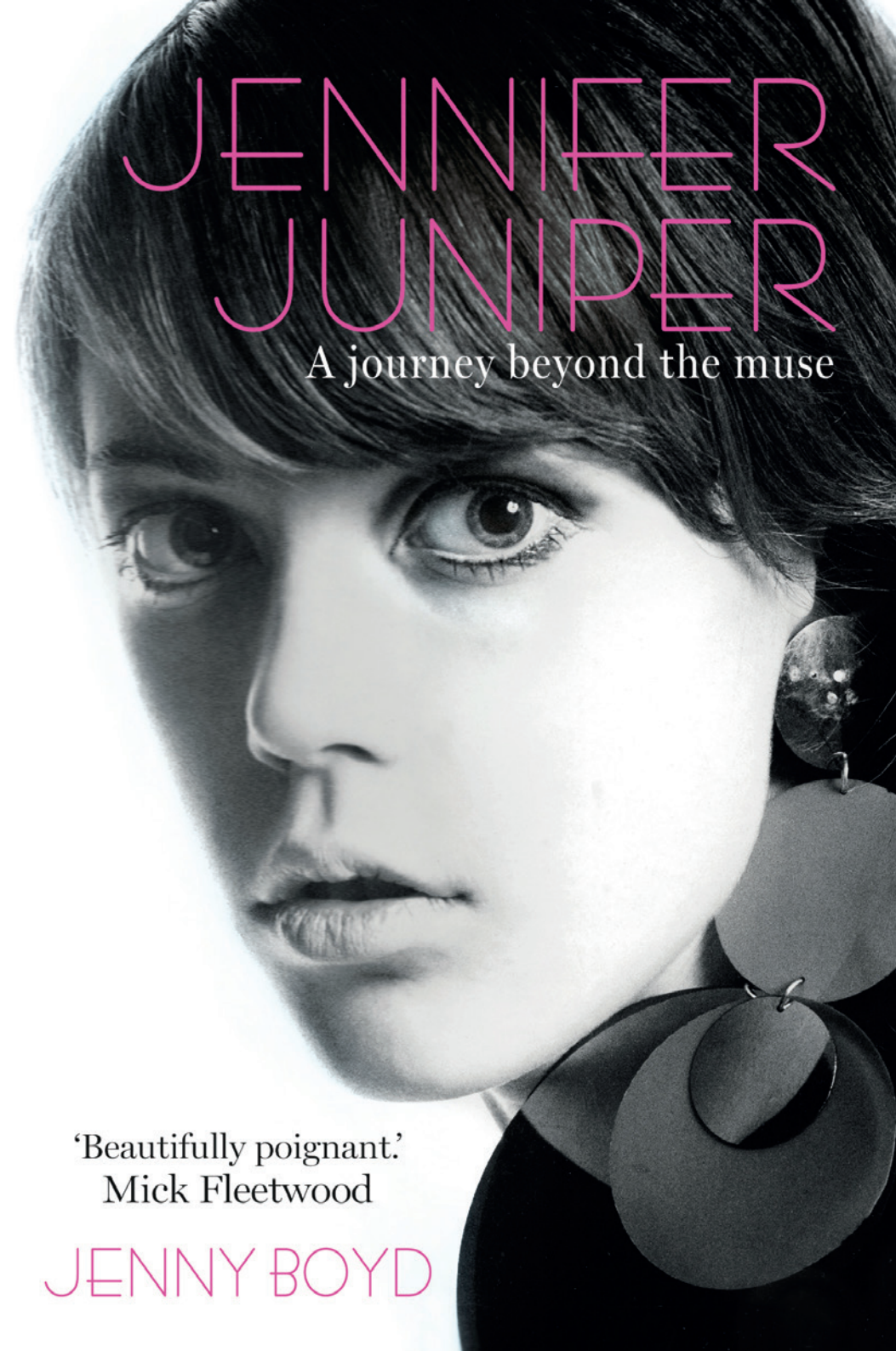
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THE LAST SUNSET

Britain's
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Orcas

IN THE WEST

Foreword by Erich Hoyt

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THE LAST SUNSET IN THE WEST

Britain's Vanishing West Coast Orcas



Britain's west coast is home to only one pod of orca, and they're heading rapidly towards extinction.

In 2014, Dr Natalie Sanders joined the crew of the HV Silurian to seek out the West Coast Community of Orca and study them before we lose them forever.

In *The Last Sunset in the West*, Sanders discusses them one by one, exploring the many issues surrounding their lives in a captivating account that will take the reader deep into the history of our relations with the sentient and beautiful creatures.

After completing her PhD in marine biology, Natalie Sanders worked as a marine consultant. She has worked with the Hebridean Whale and Dolphin Trust, Vancouver Aquarium, and the Strawberry Isle Marine Research Society (Vancouver Island), and is passionate about supporting charities that work to protect our marine life. She lives in the south-west of England with her husband and children.

'Beautifully and passionately written,
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On the Road with the World's Most Notorious Rock Stars



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Lipstick and Leather is no ordinary tale of life on the road.

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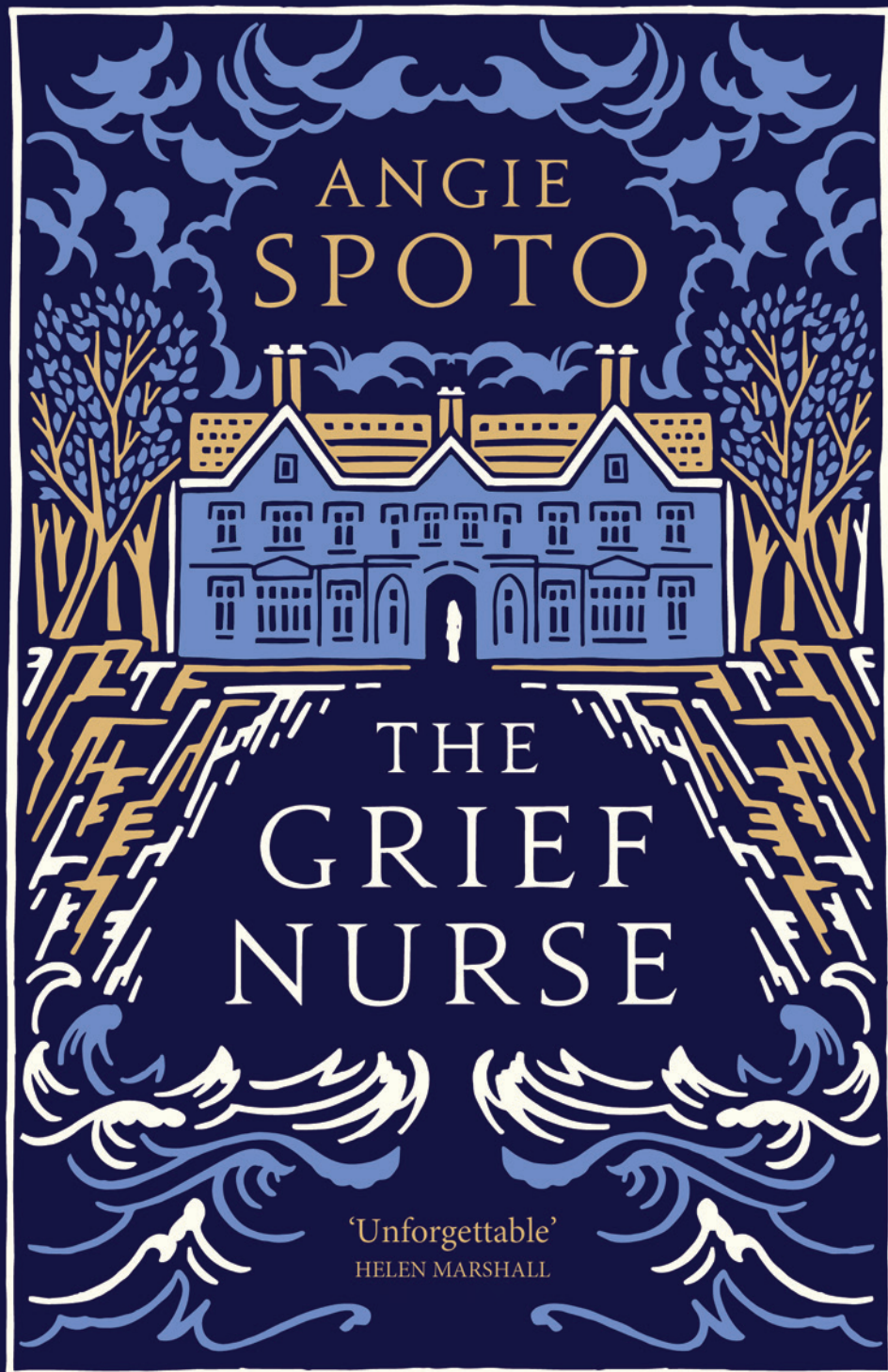
With romance, intrigue and spectacular gothic world-building, this spellbinding debut novel is immersive and unforgettable.

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 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.

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Steve Chilton

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For ten years, Amelia Dalton owned a small ship running cruises to the remote island chains of Scotland's stunning West Coast. She worked closely with The National Trust for Scotland, and gained her commercial qualifications as a Captain. Amelia now advises individual clients on river and ocean cruises and runs her own travel company, Amelia Dalton Travel. *Pages from My Passport* follows the success of her first book, *Mistress and Commander*.

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Ike Anya

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Becoming a Doctor in 1990s Nigeria



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Ike Anya now works as a consultant in Nigeria and the UK and teaches at Bristol University and the London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine. A 2007 TED Global Fellow, he co-founded the Abuja Literary Society, Nigeria Health Watch, TEDxEuston and EpiAfric. His writing has appeared in *Eclectica*, *Granta*, *Catapult*, *The Huffington Post* and *The Guardian*.

'A small miracle of a book...
Beautifully unhurried.'
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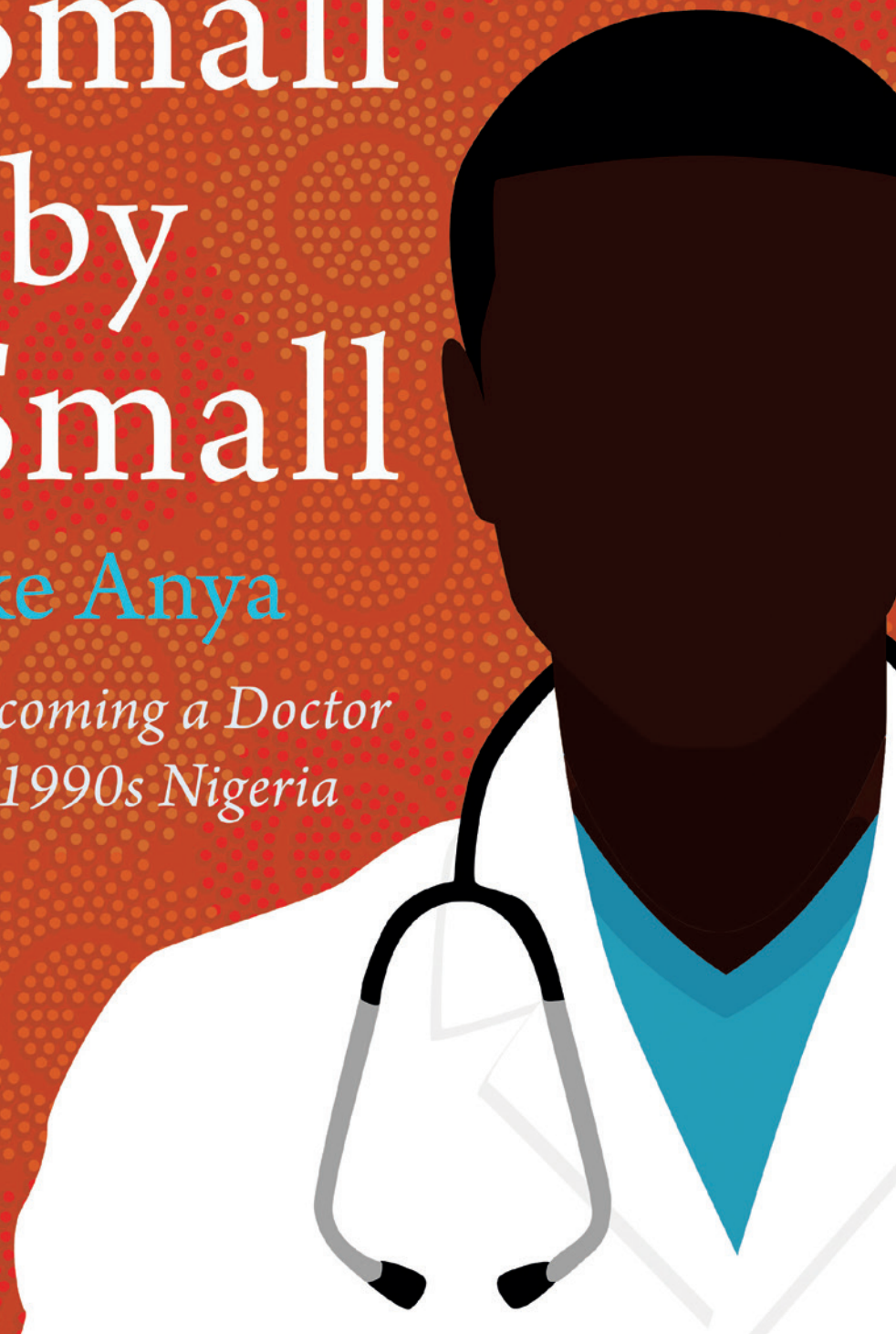
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Jamie Mollart runs his own advertising company, and has won awards for marketing. Over the years he has been widely published in magazines, been a guest on some well-respected podcasts and blogs, and his latest novel, *Kings of a Dead World*, received excellent reviews. Jamie is married and lives in Leicestershire with his wife and daughters.

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Jane Wellesley

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Jane Wellesley is a writer and producer and the granddaughter of Dorothy Wellesley. Her first book, *Wellington: A Journey Through My Family* was published to critical acclaim in 2008.

She became an independent producer in 1984, first running Antelope Films, and then jointly running and owning Warner Sisters Film and TV until 2002. Throughout her career she has served on various production industry organisations.

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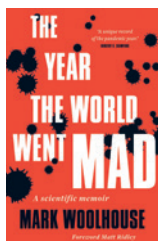
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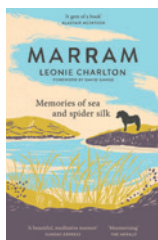
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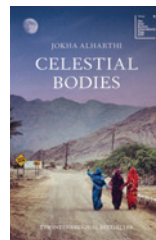

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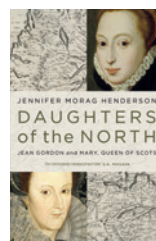
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