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Can Humans Survive Another World War?

(Arizona, USA, August 2006)—With our advanced weaponry and knack for destruction, could humans survive another world war? Sixteen-year-old Caitlanna Mullen is a survivor of such a war in *The Mask of Tamirella* (0-595-40505-3, Teen Science Fiction Adventure, Trade paperback, 164 pp, 6x9, \$12.95).

The Mask of Tamirella weaves science fiction and adventure from a teenage girl's perspective. In her post-apocalyptic society, where technology no longer exists, Caitlanna Mullen risks her life to salvage artifacts that were once ordinary items. One artifact is especially desired. The Mask of Tamirella. Cait steals the Mask from another sanction, putting her own at risk. As punishment, the Elders send her on a hazardous dig. Cait's life takes an unexpected turn when she uncovers secrets that change her world forever.

In *The Mask of Tamirella*, Caitlanna Mullen faces problems in her society that will resonate with those worried about our world's future. This book also has special significance for today's teen girls, including a forbidden love interest. Cait's adventures uncover secrets about her world's volatile past and keep the reader wondering what mysteries she will discover next in her post-apocalyptic society.

Dana Davis studied with award winning science fiction author Sheila Finch and received her B. A. in creative writing from California State University, Long Beach. Her teen sci-fi/adventure novel *The Mask of Tamirella* received honorable mention at the 2007 Hollywood Book Festival and is available for purchase. Previous works appeared in *Fantasy, Folklore & Fairytales*, *Visions and Voices Monthly*, and *Write From Home*. She's a member of the Arizona Authors Association and the National Association of Women Writers. She has written several novels and is currently at work on another one. Dana lives in the Arizona desert with her husband and several crazy parakeets. Visit her website at www.danadaviswriting.com.

The Mask of Tamirella is available at www.amazon.com, www.barnesandnoble.com, Ingram Book Group, Baker & Taylor, Changing Hands Bookstore in Tempe, AZ, Gridleys of Fountain Hills in AZ, as well as many online merchants.

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