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Dear Les:

I hope you have been enjoying the summer! The beat goes on. My debut novel, *Flower of Heaven*, has exceeded 3,000 copies in sales and the award-winning best seller added nearly 200 more readers in July. Thank you for helping me reach this milestone! This is significantly helping the sequel, *Dangerous Bloodlines*, pick up speed as readers want to find out the whole story. Watch for an announcement coming soon on the release of *Flower of Heaven* as an audiobook. If that goes well, look for the others to follow as audiobooks as well.

Disappearance is often talked about as a perfect novel for a movie. Well, that would be nice, but it's not as easy to get the attention of producers and literary agents as you might think. I will keep pitching the successful novel every chance I get but if any of you have any ideas or thoughts on how to get it in front of the right people, I could use your help! Email me at jpahome@cox.net. A 5-star rating recently from Readers Favorite certainly helps.

In the meantime, the first draft of my upcoming fifth novel, *Code Name Lily*, a historical fiction, is ready for copyediting and proofreading, and my team of five readers is raring to go. Target date for publication is November. I am excited about this one--it is the most researched of any of my books, and the first to be based on a true story during World War II.

The rest of the summer, aside from working on a book cover and synopsis for a back cover, will be devoted to more book signings, primarily from September thru December. On Sept. 15th, I will be at the John Doyle School Car Show and Book Sale in Coventry from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. On Sept. 23rd, I'll be at the Ancient Wisdom for the

New World Fall Festival in Hope Valley from 12-4 p.m. On Sept. 25th, Paul Caranci and I head to the Big E in Springfield from 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Then comes the Scituate Art Festival on Columbus Day Weekend, followed by the Small Business RI expo on November 24th at the Crowne Plaza in Warwick from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., and culminating with the RI Authors Expo at Rhodes on the Pawtuxet in Cranston on Dec. 1st from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. I hope to see many of you at some of these events!

If my new release is ready for the holiday season, I'll let you know, or visit my website www.julienayotte.com, or follow me on Facebook and Twitter for updates. Thank you for your continued support. I hope to continue to generate quality reading for you for many years to come.

Sincerely,

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