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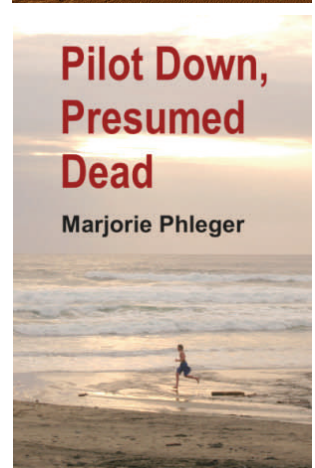
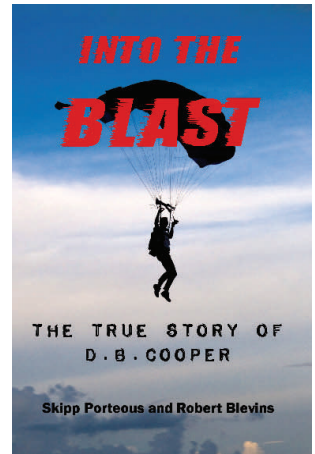
Adventure Books of Seattle was formed in 2001 by Robert M. Blevins and Gayla Procriv of Auburn, Washington as a publisher of strictly e-Books. Geoff Nelder of Great Britain joined the staff in 2004 as content editor and the company then entered the print market. In 2005, Christine Cartwright of Digitell Art became AB's cover art consultant. The newest member of the AB staff is artist Sara Watson from England. Greg Page of Microsoft serves as IT advisor.

Blevins and Nelder combined forces with their illustrated science fiction anthology *Dimensions*, and in 2006, they published the first issue of AB's sci-fi magazine *Escape Velocity*, which is known for its stunning cover art, historical space and future-science articles, and stories by authors from around the world.

In 2007, Adventure Books acquired its own ISBN prefix and dropped their old print provider in favor of Lightning Source, the trade-based printer/distributor owned by Ingram. This enabled AB to enter the mainstream market and offer up books at standard wholesale trade rates to bookstores, libraries, and distributors.

The following year, AB contracted the publishing rights to Marjorie Phleger's classic survival novel, *Pilot Down, Presumed Dead*. A new edition with twenty-seven added images and a re-designed cover was released in March 2009.

Later that year, Adventure Books collaborated with Sherlock Investigations of New York to develop the book *Into The Blast—The True Story of D.B. Cooper*. In a unique effort, the staff of Adventure Books actively participated in the investigation itself, interviewing many new witnesses and uncovering a substantial amount of evidence on their own. *Into The Blast* presents a solid case that Kenneth Peter Christiansen, a former U.S. Army paratrooper and an employee of Northwest Airlines, was the famous skyjacker. The book was released in April, 2010 and an advance copy provided to the Seattle office of the F.B.I.



Current Publications—

Pilot Down, Presumed Dead (paperback, six-by-nine) 978-0-9823271-0-4
Pilot Down, Presumed Dead (hardcover w/dust jacket) 978-0-9823271-1-1
Into The Blast—The True Story of D.B. Cooper (paperback) 978-0-9823271-2-8
Dimensions (paperback, six-by-nine) 978-0-9823271-4-2
Big Bang (paperback, six-by-nine) 978-0-9823271-3-5
The 13th Day of Christmas (paperback, six-by-nine) 978-0-9823271-5-9
The Corona Incident (paperback, six-by-nine) 978-0-9823271-7-3
Time Pieces (paperback, six-by-nine) 978-0-9823271-8-0

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