



PATRICK W. CARR

**BETHANYHOUSE**

A DIVISION OF BAKER PUBLISHING GROUP

## BOOK ANNOUNCEMENT

# A Riveting Sequel from Christian Fantasy's Most Talented New Voice

After a debut praised by both *Publishers Weekly* and *Library Journal*, Patrick W. Carr has emerged as an exciting new voice in the inspirational fantasy genre. Successfully blending intense action with a transformational spiritual quest, Carr's new medieval fantasy series is rife with dangerous political intrigue, church machinations, and the unrest inherent in a transfer of power. The thrilling tale of Errol Stone, an unlikely hero destined to change the fate of his kingdom, continues in *The Hero's Lot*.

*When corrupt church leader Sarin Valon flees the kingdom, Errol Stone believes his troubles have at last ended. But dangerous enemies bent on the destruction of the kingdom—and the destruction of the men seeking to save it—remain. When Errol, Martin, and Louis are accused of a conspiracy to usurp the throne, Archbenefice Canon is forced to take swift action in order to keep them from the axe.*

*Temporarily reprieved but still the target of powerful adversaries, Errol is then accused of consorting with spirits. When he is unjustly convicted, Errol is placed under a powerful compulsion and sentenced to undertake a perilous quest as punishment. He must journey to the enemy kingdom of Merakh to find Sarin Valon, and either kill him...or die trying.*

### Praise for *A Cast of Stones*:

**“Carr’s debut, the first in a series, is assured and up-tempo, with much to enjoy in characterization and description—not least the homely, life-as-lived details.”**

**—*Publishers Weekly***

**“This fast-paced fantasy debut set in a medieval world is a winner. Both main and secondary characters are fully drawn and endearing....**

**Carr is a promising CF author to watch.”**

**—*Library Journal***

### Media Contacts

FICTION PUBLICIST: **Noelle Buss**

952-829-2559

noelle.buss@bethanyhouse.com

CANADIAN MEDIA: **Ellen Graf-Martin**

519-342-3703

ellen@grafmartin.com

UK & IRISH MEDIA: **Ian Matthews**

+44 (0) 7939 098337

ian@gardenhousemedia.com

Please send tear sheets to:

Noelle Buss

11400 Hampshire Ave. S.

Bloomington, MN 55438

### ABOUT THE AUTHOR:



Patrick W. Carr is the author of the acclaimed fantasy *A Cast of Stones*. He teaches high school and makes his home in Nashville, Tennessee, with his wife, Mary, and their four sons, Patrick, Connor, Daniel, and Ethan. Learn more at [patrickwcarr.com](http://patrickwcarr.com).

Available at your local bookstore, [bethanyhouse.com](http://bethanyhouse.com) or by calling 1-800-877-2665.