

# NICOLA CASSIDY

Author, Blogger, Writer



## ABOUT NICOLA

Nicola Cassidy is a former political press officer, journalist and freelance marketing manager. She runs a blog at [www.LadyNicci.com](http://www.LadyNicci.com) and has been nominated for a number of writing and blogging awards. Nicola published her debut historical fiction novel *December Girl* with Bombshell Books in October 2017 and her second novel *The Nanny at Number 43* with Poolbeg Books in 2019. Her third book based on the life of Adele Astaire publishes in 2020.

## WRITING BACKGROUND

- Began writing at age of eight, won first writing prize aged 11
- Studied journalism at Dublin City University
- Launched LadyNicci blog in 2013
- Studied creative writing at IRISH WRITERS' CENTRE, Dublin
- Signed with Trace Literary Agency IN 2015
- Published debut novel *December Girl* with Bombshell Books in 2017
- Signed 3 book deal with poolbeg press in 2018

## RETAIL INFORMATION

- *December Girl* is available from Amazon and selected book shops
- *The Nanny at Number 43* is published nationwide (RRP €9.99)
- *December Girl* is available on audiobook through Audible

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## WHAT THE MEDIA ARE SAYING

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"A nanny emerges to chill the blood and set pulses racing in this thoroughly gripping and entertaining tale"

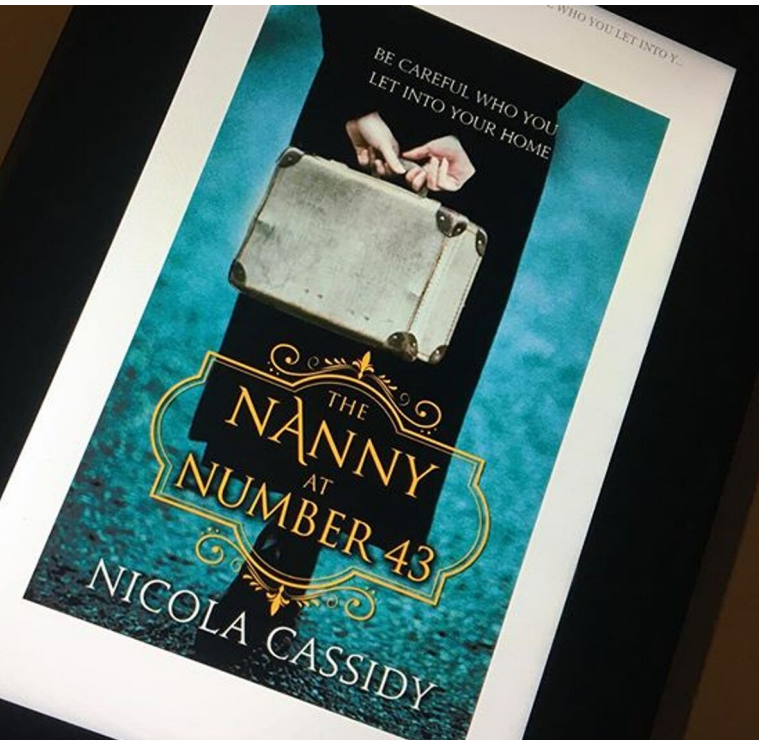
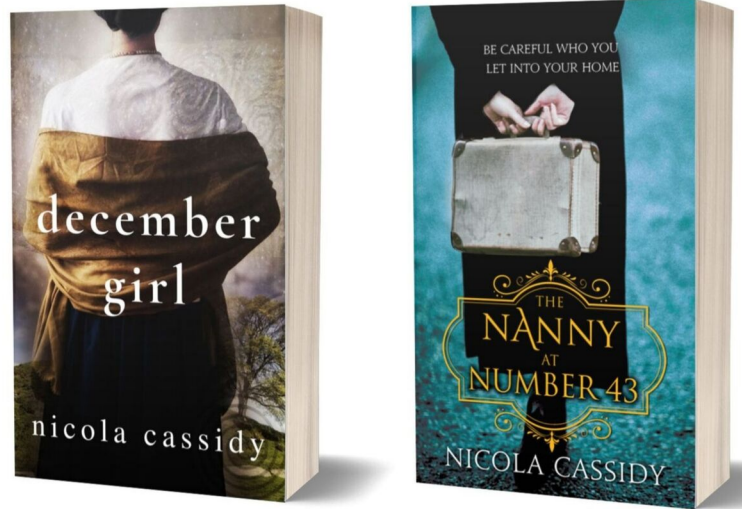
**Sunday Independent**

"Nicola Cassidy has a talent for pacing and also has a real talent for speech and tone."

**Books Ireland Magazine**

"I can't put it down."

**Gillian Nelis, Managing Editor of Sunday Business Post**



## WHAT BLOGGERS ARE SAYING

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"This is a wonderful example of good historical fiction, but it also has an engaging cast of characters that wouldn't be out of place in Rebecca"

**Behind Green Eyes**

"A character driven novel and a plot driven novel which is exactly what I always want, but don't always get"

**Between the Lines**

"Thoroughly engrossing, filled with atmosphere and a sense of menace"

**The Bookwormery Blog**

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## INTERVIEW TOPICS

- CRIME WRITING
- HISTORICAL FICTION WRITING
- USING TRUE CRIME TO WRITE FICTION
- INFANTICIDE & MURDER 19TH CENTURY
- DROGHEDA, LOUTH, MEATH HISTORY
- PARENTING
- BLOGGING & SOCIAL MEDIA