

No author is free from influences of other authors who've gone before. A small portion of the Cool Assassins series is my own invention, but the bulk comes from the careful reading of countless fiction and nonfiction books.

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