

## PAGEANT BOOKS



Publisher: Pageant Books, 225 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10003  
Distributor: none given, see notes  
Format: tall pb  
Price: varies, see notes

My background information about Pageant Books comes from contemporary news items in various issues of *Locus*, the science fiction newsletter<sup>1</sup> during the period they were published. In 1987 Crown Publishing, a trade hardcover publisher, apparently decided that they wanted to produce mass-market paperbacks. By the 1980's the focus of mass-market distribution had shifted to chain bookstores, like Barnes & Noble, B. Dalton and WaldenBooks, which together accounted for such a large percentage of paperback distribution that they could often dictate to publishers which books they should issue. In this tight market Crown entered into a partnership with WaldenBooks in order to guarantee a minimum level of distribution. That Pageant Books was owned in part by a major retailer caused some dismay among the other retailers. In spite of Pageant Books' intention to distribute through other avenues, the reality was that they were probably sold almost entirely through Waldenbooks. It's not clear that they ever had any newsstand distribution. Pageant Books issued books for only 10 months, from July 1988 to April 1989. The immediate cause of Pageant Books' demise was the sale of Crown to Random House, which already owned several mass-market imprints and had no interest in continuing this one. Considering Pageant Books' short life span, it is doubtful that any book went back to press and, as far as I know, there is no evidence of multiple printings among these titles.

The editorial staff was headed by editor-in-chief Arlene Friedman. Associate editor Carrie Faron bought the romances and, apparently, Karen Haas bought everything else. The Art Director was Don Bender.

Pageant published only fiction, all novels and all original. All the books were "category fiction," with each book carrying a genre designation on its spine.

More than half of the books (72) were some form of romance. Historical Romances of the thick "bodice-ripper" style accounted for 31 titles, of which four otherwise unrelated titles were published under the heading "Women of the West." Another 12 historicals were identified as Regency Romances, half of which doubled as mysteries, under the rubric "Romantic Regency Intrigue." Seven books were identified as Contemporary Romances and carried the heading "Now and Forever." Another 22 non-historicals were labeled simply as Romances. Pageant Books appeared just long enough ago that there was none of the present-day cross-contamination of the Romance genre with Futuristic, Time Travel or Paranormal themes.

There were 10 Mysteries, 3 Westerns, 2 Men's Adventure and 3 Thrillers, one of which was also SF. There were 7 Science Fiction and 4 Fantasy. Nine books were labeled Horror/Occult, one of which had no supernatural elements. Rounding out the genres was a mystery/suspense series of 10 books called Charisma Inc., which were labeled as Young Adult.

The Pageant Books logo was a rather unobtrusive graphic of a banner waving on a flagpole, forming a "P," easily mistaken for the contemporaneous logos for Pinnacle Books or Popular Library or even Scholastic's Point series. The various rubrics mentioned above are the only Pageant Books that carried special "logos." I have displayed these headings in an appendix, along with lists of the books that appeared underneath one.

<sup>1</sup> September 1987, p. 4; October 1987, p. 4; and January 1989, p. 5.

Book prices are highly variable and have been annotated into the Numerical Index, just after the book numbers.

Theoretically, Pageant Books was scheduled to issue 12 books a month. Over the ten months that books were issued, that would produce a total of 120 books, which is exactly the number that are known. However, the publication dates given in the copyright registrations, most of which agree with the dates in those books seen, show considerable variation in the number of books supposedly issued in any given month. To wit:

Jul 1988	8
Aug 1988	11
Sep 1988	14
Oct 1988	11
Nov 1988	11
Dec 1988	11
Jan 1989	14
Feb 1989	12
Mar 1989	14
Apr 1989	14

Is it just coincidence then that the total comes out to 120 books?

The numbering of the books contains anomalies common to most current paperbacks. First, the only form of numbering is the official ISBN number. There are no shorter versions with funny prefixes so common in older paperbacks. The ISBN number for Pageant Books is in the form: 0-517-#####-d, where "d" is the "check digit." The "book number" is the 5-digit sequence just before the check digit and those are the numbers used in all references herein, leading zeros and all.

Second, lining the books up in numerical order reveals no obvious patterns. The 120 books are spread randomly across a range of 1100 numbers. Although there are small clumps of numbers, the books are clearly not in order by author, title, or date of publication. It is possible that numbers were issued at the time the books were purchased, a common practice, but that still wouldn't explain the large gaps. To complicate matters, The 0-517 prefix was also used on Crown's other publications, but it's not clear that any of those other books fell within the same numerical range as Pageant Books.

Personal data on the authors and artists herein is skimpier than usual for these indexes. Most of these individuals are too young to appear in any of the usual genealogical databases that have customarily been consulted. Although many of these authors and artists have their own web sites to promote their work, such sites are often skimpy on hard biographical data.

All the books have cover artist credits. Not all the books have been available to me (25 have not been seen), and secondary sources don't always mention the artist credit. Pageant Books were published several years after the present cutoff date for the Bookscans database, so none of the covers appear therein.

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### NUMERICAL LISTING

00007	\$2.50	Douglas, Alyssa	Paradise Days, Paradise Nights		[© 9/1] 1988
00025	\$2.50	Douglas, Alyssa	Sweet Temptation		[©] Nov [3] 1988
00036	\$3.95	Pacotti, Pamela	Legacy of Secrets	Pino Daeni	[©] Jul [1] 1988
00043	\$3.50	Woods, Jack	Wolffile	Jon Ellis	[©] Sep [1] 1988
00061	\$3.95	Nash, Jean	Sand Castles	Franco Accornero	[©] Sep [1] 1988
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00073	\$2.50	Duvall, Aimee	To Tame a Heart		[© 8/1] 1988
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00618	\$3.95	Bretton, Barbara	Fire's Lady	Elaine Duillo	[©] Feb [1] 1989
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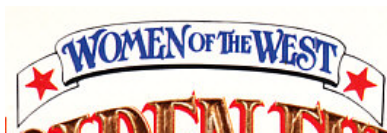
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