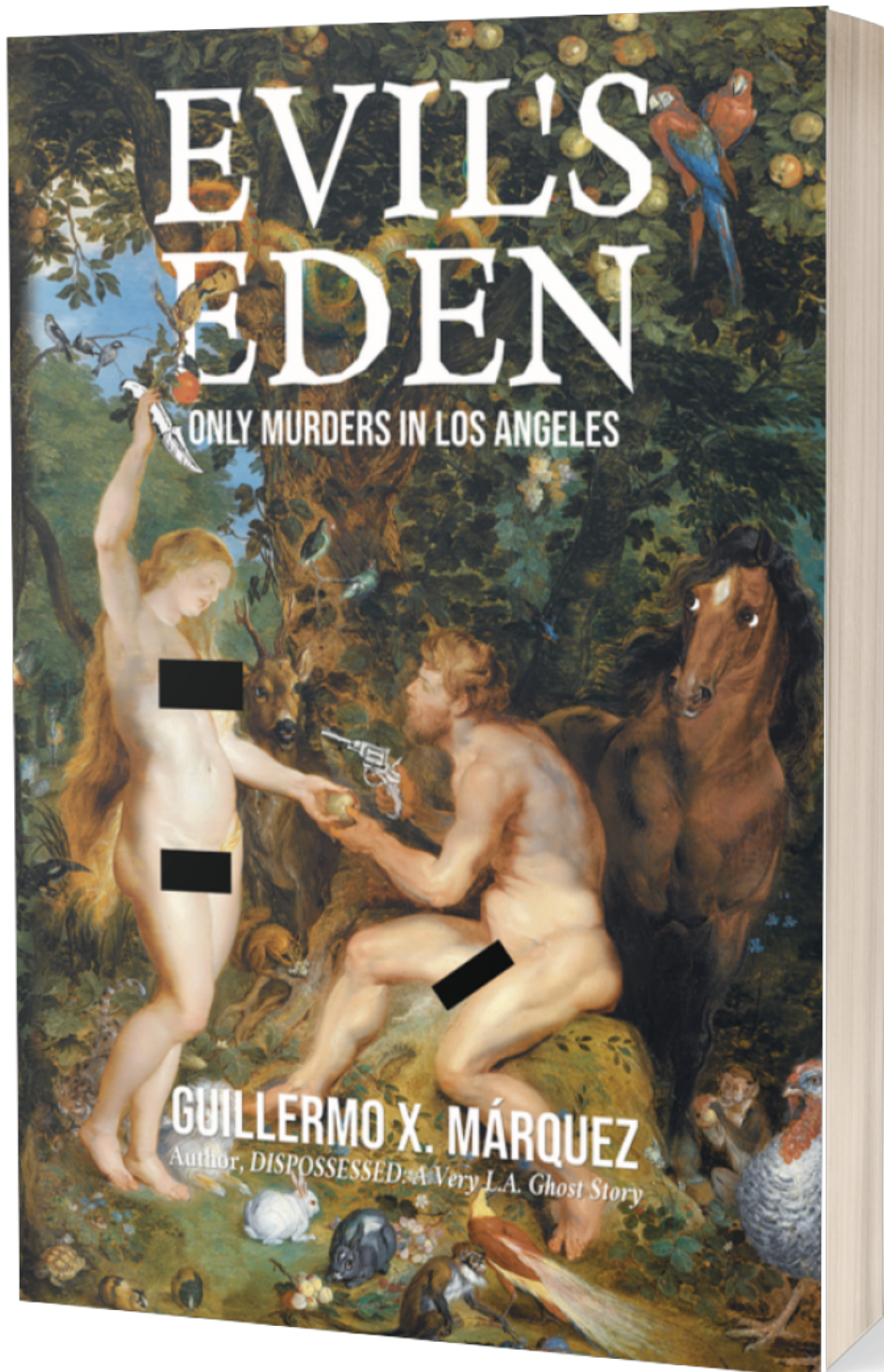


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Shivved between the ribs of these real-world horrors is the fictional fable of one particular evil spanning continents and generations. A dynasty in the land of infinite promise began in the usual manner: with a theft and a lie. In 1842, the first Fitzhampton rose from fabricated origins at an Irish port, bound for America, escaping a bevy of misdeeds. His American-born son moved ever westward to Southern California where, fueled by unfettered greed and carnal appetites, he built an empire upon the bones of the swindled and murdered. The Fitzhamptons became a vaunted early Los Angeles founding family, and its legacy of perfected wickedness lives on.

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About the book:

EVIL'S EDEN: Only Murders in Los Angeles by [Guillermo X. Márquez](#)

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Author Guillermo X. Marquez, known to his crew as "GX," spins tales that explore the human condition in all its sweet and spicy flavors. When he's not burrowing into the rot of Los Angeles, he can be spotted on his eternal quest for the perfect veggie taco. Márquez is mapping out a TV series based on *EVIL'S EDEN* and promoting his supernatural comedy novel, *DISPOSSESSED: A Very L.A. Ghost Story*.
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