

“In the most tumultuous period in America’s history, a dramatic struggle rages between a courageous innovator and a privileged elite that desperately clings to power.”

This award-winning novel, rich in ideas and filled with passion, will delight lovers of fiction, history, mystery, and freedom.

The place: Louisiana. The year: 1859.

Tom Edmunton, the visionary son of a planter, invents a prototype tractor. He foresees an age of mechanized farming that will replace slavery. But his radical ideas infuriate the town’s planters, who fear that their traditional way of life would be shaken or even abolished.

That’s just on the opening pages of *A Dream of Daring*, the remarkable novel by Gen LaGreca.

Get ready for a bite-your-nails plot.

An old era is crumbling and a revolutionary modern age is just ahead. As Tom hears the call of the future, he is attracted to two very different women.

Rachel, a senator’s daughter, loves him, but he wonders whose side she will take if her family and neighbors turn against him. Solo, an obstreperous mulatto slave, despises him, along with all men of the race that subjugates her. Rachel is free, but is her spirit chained? Solo is chained, but is her spirit free?

Tensions between Tom and the town’s planters mount, and then—his invention is stolen. A shocking murder sparks events and disclosures that will leave no one’s life unchanged.

Secrets and lies. Suspense that will have you on the edge of your seat. Genuinely surprising plot twists and turns. And a final revelation you’ll never see coming.

A Dream of Daring unfolds a story that’s complex, ingenious, original. Set against the growing conflicts leading up to the Civil War, it’s a haunting tale of the Old South, with its majestic plantations, vast fields, elegant gentry, and embattled slaves.

Ideas relevant to today’s world.

The meaning and themes of *A Dream of Daring* are far reaching. This intellectual murder mystery is more than an irresistible page-turner. It conveys a message of independence, self-sovereignty, and the triumph of the individual.

At a crossroads of American history, the sweeping story focuses on the timeless battle between two kinds of people and their clashing visions: those who embrace science, progress, and freedom—and those who spare no effort to maintain their iron grip on the lives of others. The first group wants to harness nature, the second other men.

Today, these forces still battle. Which will triumph? No question could be more important. This carefully researched book has important implications for the struggle for freedom and individualism in our time.

A future liberty classic.

Published in 2013, *A Dream of Daring* has already racked up accolades from top book-industry reviewers, Amazon readers, and liberty lovers. It’s won 6 book awards.

Carmel, Indiana author Gen LaGreca also wrote 2 other acclaimed, award-winning novels: *Noble Vision* and *Fugitive From Asteron*. Her articles on political and social issues have appeared in *Forbes*, *The Orange County Register*, *Daily Caller*, *Real Clear Markets*, and other publications.

Amazon Reviewers Rave:

“The power of ideas lifted the novel beyond the bounds of history and suspense and into the realm of inspiration.”

“A passionate defense of individuality and the liberty that allows it to flourish.”

“I was so captivated that I kept finding excuses to get back to that gorgeous novel.”

“An antebellum *Atlas Shrugged*. A saga of the triumph of the human spirit over evil and oppression.”

“This is a book about the ideas that move the world, and the consequences of the actions one takes based on the ideas one holds.”

This novel is not only a superbly entertaining read; it also poses crucial issues for our own world. Epic, heroic, inspiring, a “they-don’t-write-them-like-this-anymore” kind of book, *A Dream of Daring* will likely take its place as one of the great works in the literature of freedom. Read it now—and join in the thrilling conversation!

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