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**ARCHEBOOKS SPONSORS NOVEL WRITING COMPETITION,
3 WINNERS TO RECEIVE PUBLISHING CONTRACT & CASH PRIZE!**

Las Vegas, NV – 1/3/2005. ArcheBooks Publishing Incorporated (www.archebooks.com) and *My Writer Buddy* (www.writerbuddy.com), one of the Internet's leading online writer's groups, announced the start of their 2nd annual **2005 NOVEL WRITING CONTEST**. Three contest winners, one selected from each of the three competition categories of Mystery-Suspense, Science-Fiction/Fantasy/Horror, and Women's Fiction will be awarded **professional publication contracts** for release of the winning titles in hardcover, and receive a **cash prize of up to \$2,500**. The winning authors' novels will also have full access to ArcheBooks' national and international marketing and distribution services.

Bob Gelinas, ArcheBooks' publisher, said, "Last year's novel contest was a tremendous success for us, for My Writer Buddy, and most importantly for the four new authors whose books we had the privilege to debut. One of them, *The Warlock* by Scott Morgan, was one of our bestsellers for December 2004. We're excited about this year's contest, and can't wait to see all the exciting new material and talent."

Contestants must have no previously published novels. Complete submission guidelines and contest rules are available on the ArcheBooks Publishing's website. This year's competition will be limited to a maximum of 500 entries on a first-come first-serve basis. Contest Entry Reservations may be made at this time through the final deadline of June 30, 2005, or until 500 entries are received, whichever comes first. Judging committees

will be comprised of the ArcheBooks Editorial staff and volunteers from My Writer Buddy. Semifinalists will be announced mid-July, Finalists at the end of July, and Winners in late August. The three Winner's novels will be released in the Fall 2005.

About ArcheBooks Publishing—the archetype of 21st century publishing—is an innovator in premium hardcover original fiction, offering the best in Mystery-Suspense, Science-Fiction, Fantasy, Horror, Romance, Historicals, Contemporary, Humor, True Crime, and YA. ArcheBooks Publishing continues its founders' revolutionary approach towards business development, and their belief in the continuous evolving role the Internet plays in future business models.

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