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# Magdalen Nabb The Marshal and the Murderer

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# Magdalen Nabb *Tod in Florenz*

Ein Fall für Guarnaccia

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A young Swiss art student is reported missing by her roommate. She commuted by bus to a studio in a village near Florence to learn pottery-making. When her body is found it is assumed that the motive for the murder was sex. But Marshal Guarnaccia of the carabinieri has a different suspicion.

## Book factsheet

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### Awards

1991 >Josie Smith and Eileen erhielt den Smarties Book Prize.

1989 ›Josie Smith‹ war nominiert für den Guardian Children's Fiction Award.

#### Praise

#### The Marshal and the Murderer

»Nabb continues to extend the conventions of the police procedural to suit her own intriguing vision and purpose.« – Philadelphia Inquirer

### Magdalen Nabb

»A writer of elegant crime fiction.« – The Daily Telegraph, London

»It takes a writer as good as Magdalen Nabb to remind us how subtle the art of mystery can be.« – The New York Times , Book Review

»Magdalen Nabb is one of the most original of all crime writers.« – Georges Simenon



Magdalen Nabb (1947 – 2007) studied at the Manchester College of Art, where she began to write. From 1975 onward she lived in Florence, working as a journalist and novelist. Nabb became famous for her *Guarnaccia* crime novels – she wrote 14 novels about the crotchety yet likeable Maresciallo – and also wrote books for children and teenagers.



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The Marshal at the Villa Torrini 272 pages 1998



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