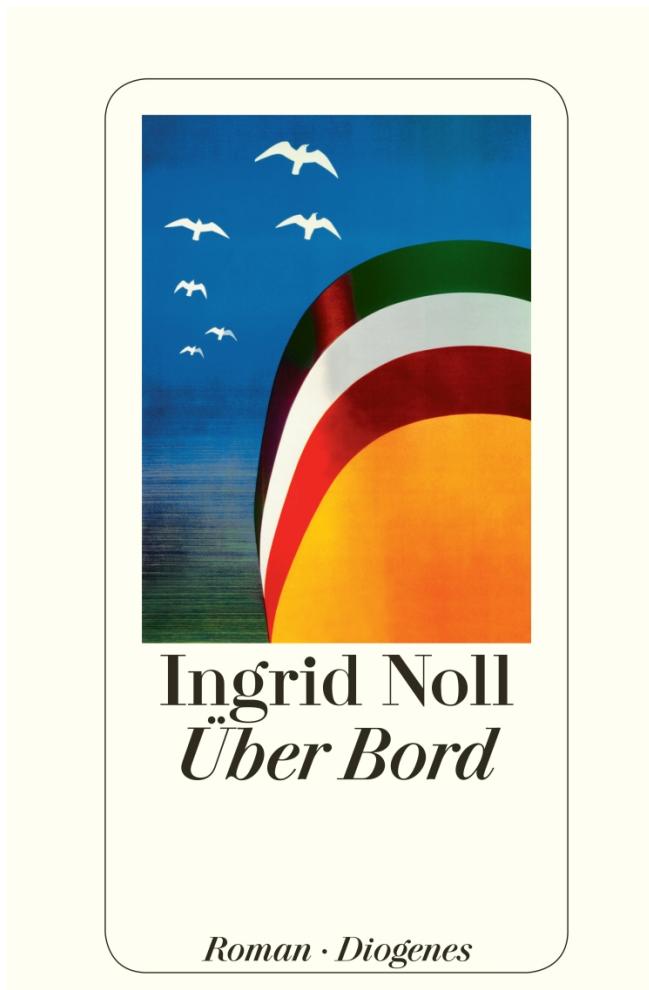


Diogenes

Ingrid Noll
Overboard

Published by Diogenes as *Über Bord*
Original title: *Über Bord*



A ramshackle old villa, money worries, an aged mother, two daughters with unsuitable boyfriends, a badly paid, boring job at the residents' registration office – that is how Ellen's daily life looks. Divorced and getting on in years, her future seems to have lost its rosy glow. Only a fairy-tale prince can save her, but Ellen does not believe in miracles. Then a good-looking man turns up, claiming to be her half-brother. Following some genetic tests, astonishing family secrets are unearthed. The invitation to join a Mediterranean cruise should help them to get to know one another better, and for Ellen it promises to be the experience of a lifetime. But the illusion of a last great love ends up going overboard ... and it is not alone.

Book factsheet

Crime fiction, General Fiction
336 pages
11.6 x 18.4 cm
August 2012

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Translation rights currently sold:
Spanish/world (Circe)

Bestseller

Spiegel Bestseller

Movie adaptations

2009: Ladylike. Jetzt ers recht!
Director: Vanessa Jopp
Screenplay: Christian Schnalke
Cast: Monika Bleibtreu, Gisela Schneeberger, Günther Maria Halmer

2000: Kalt ist der Abendhauch
Director: Rainer Kaufmann
Screenplay: Ralf Hertwig
Cast: Fritzi Haberland, August Diehl, Heinz Bennent, Gisela Trowe

1999: Der Hahn ist tot
Director: Hermine Hunthgeburt
Cast: Gisela Schneeberger, August Zirner

1999: Die Häupter meiner Lieben
Director: Hans-Günther Bücking
Cast: Heike Makatsch, Christiane Paul

1997: Die Apothekerin
Director: Rainer Kaufmann
Cast: Katja Riemann, August Zirner, Jürgen Vogel

1993: Bommels Billigflüge
Director: Claus-Michael Rohne
Screenplay: Ingrid Noll
Cast: Rosemarie Fendel, Dominique Horwitz, Tina Ruland

Awards

- 2023 Ehrenbürgerin von Weinheim
- 2019 Ehrenkriminalhauptkommissarin der Mannheimer Polizei
- 2016 Ehrenkommissarin der Bonner Polizei
- 2005 ›Friedrich-Glauser-Preis – Ehrenpreis der Autoren‹ für das Gesamtwerk
- 2002 Verleihung der ›Verdienstmedaille des Landes Baden-Württemberg‹ durch Ministerpräsident Erwin Teufel
- 1994 ›Friedrich-Glauser-Preis‹ für *Die Häupter meiner Lieben*



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Ingrid Noll, born in Shanghai in 1935, studied German philology and art history in Bonn. She has three children and four grandchildren. After her children left home, she began writing crime stories, which all became instant bestsellers. In 2005 she received the *>Glauser Prize of Honour<* for her oeuvre.

Praise

Overboard

»In her new novel, *>Overboard<*, Ingrid Noll is on top form.« – Mannheimer Morgen

»Ingrid Noll writes books located in a deceptive no man's land somewhere between thriller and family drama, between women's literature and domestic horror.« – Der Spiegel, Hamburg

»Family novels with disasters – that would be a fitting description of Ingrid Noll's novels. Written with lively wit and penetrating sarcasm.« – Westfalenpost, Hagen

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»Ingrid Noll is one of the best German storytellers.« – Angela Gatterburg / Der Spiegel, Hamburg

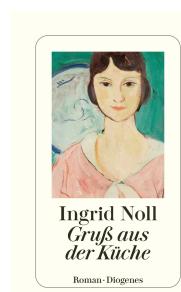
»Ingrid Noll has a distinct talent for finding the horror in day-to-day life.« – Karin Oehmigen / SonntagsZeitung, Zürich

»Ingrid Noll is often referred to as Germany's *>Queen of Crime<*, and she fully deserves this title.« – The Sunday Times, London

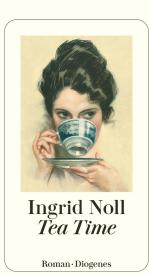
»Riveting reading – we are captivated precisely because it is all so familiar.« – Dieter Hildebrandt / Sender Freies Berlin

»Still the most original crime writer in the German language.« – Christel Freitag / NDR Kultur, Hamburg

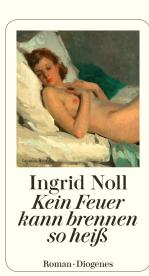
»Ingrid Noll has truly mastered the art of the comic crime novel.« – Ulli Wagner / SR3, Saarbrücken



Greetings from the Kitchen
304 pages
2024
 Bestseller



Tea Time
320 pages
2022
 Bestseller



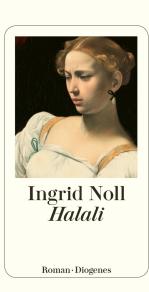
Fickle Flames
304 pages
2021
 Bestseller



With Love, Karl
336 pages
2020
 Bestseller



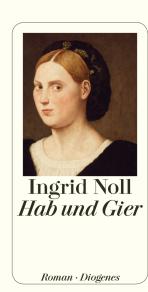
Good as Gold
368 pages
2019
 Bestseller



Tally-Ho
320 pages
2017
 Bestseller



Lunchtime
224 pages
2015
 Bestseller



Till Greed Do Us Part
256 pages
2014
 Bestseller



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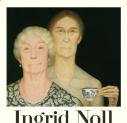
Word of Honour
336 pages
2010



Ingrid Noll
*Kuckucks-
kind*

Roman · Diogenes

Cuckoo's Child
352 pages
2008



Ingrid Noll
Ladylike

Roman · Diogenes

Ladylike
336 pages
2006



Ingrid Noll
*Falsche
Zungen*

Diogenes

False Tongues
256 pages
2004



Ingrid Noll
Rabenbrüder

Roman · Diogenes

Rabenbrüder
288 pages
2003



Ingrid Noll
*Selige
Witwen*

Roman · Diogenes

Blissfully Widowed
272 pages
2001



Ingrid Noll
*Die
Sekretärin*
Drei Rachegeschichten

Diogenes

The Secretary
96 pages
2000



Ingrid Noll
*Röslein
rot*

Roman · Diogenes

Red Rose
288 pages
1998



Ingrid Noll
*Kalt ist
der Abend-
hauch*

Roman · Diogenes

Cold is the Evening's
Breeze
256 pages
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Hell Hath No Fury
272 pages
1991

