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To Mom and Dad

To Julie

To Julie, with undying love To Maria, for new beginnings To the gang at Sewhawset writers colony

To Svetlana at Kamchatka writers colony

To Irving Krill at Atlantic Representation

To Mom and Brad

To Dad and Jane

To Sri K, may we all achieve perfect breath

To Julie, who never lost faith To Maria

To Maria and Lilly, my girls To Maria, Lilly, Ana, and Ada, my girls To Maria, Lilly, Ana, Ada, and Ashtanga, my girls To Maria, Lilly, Ana, Ada, Ashtanga, and Tommy (finally we are complete)

To Jane, for new beginnings To the gang at Somerset Writers Retreat, one page at a time

To the gang at O'Leary's one drink at a time

To the gang at Sawhawset rehabilitation, one day at a time

To Dad and Julie, may hope always triumph over experience To Me I couldn't have done it without you To you, who made it this far