

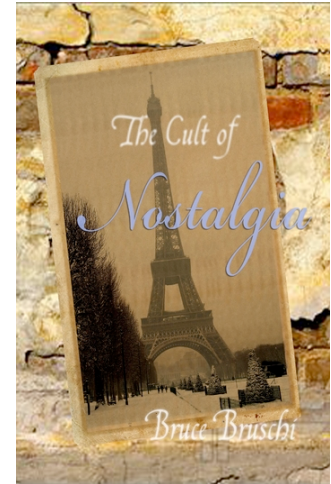
## *The Cult of Nostalgia*

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***The Cult of Nostalgia is a beautifully crafted and brilliantly funny romance, paying tribute to the literary greats of the roaring 20's. Set against the evocative backdrop of Paris, Bruschi deftly interweaves three parallel tales of love thwarted and misunderstood, encompassing the modern day, the 1960's, and the 1920's.***

Hemingway, Fitzgerald, and Gertrude Stein... This reflective novel blends together the past and present to create a snapshot of these classic American authors as they once existed in Paris. It realizes their greatness through the tales of great-uncle Edward's diary and his niece Carly's modern day trip to The City of Love. She, a bohemian life coach with no real clue as to which direction her life should take, rushes across San Francisco in time to witness her neurotic boyfriend marry a member of the Morningside cult. Realising the newlyweds have stolen her great-uncle's diary, she follows them to Paris, determined to discover why, and maybe win back Simon in the process.

*The Cult of Nostalgia* is a hugely evocative portrait of Paris and all its charms, as well as a brilliantly witty account of yearning for lost years and breaking away from modern-day cynicism.

Bruce Bruschi has worked in academic and arts administration roles that have taken him from San Francisco, via Honolulu and Paris to Cambridge, where he now lives with his partner. Winning prizes for his short stories and plays spurred him to write *The Cult of Nostalgia*, his first novel.

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