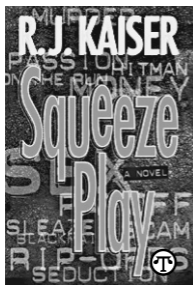




Squeeze Play

(NAPSA)—Love, sex and death—what many consider the ultimate issues of life—take center stage in an exciting new mystery thriller novel by one of the modern-day masters of the genre.



With action that stretches from the Bronx, New York to San Francisco's Chinatown, *Squeeze Play* by R.J. Kaiser (MIRA, \$23.95) explores the themes of life and death, danger and

adventure, love and self-discovery.

Life seems good for its protagonist, Nick Sasso. His Manhattan restaurant has just received a glowing review, he's dating a gorgeous model and he has finally put his past as a disgraced ex-cop behind him.

Everything changes when he learns his brother seems to be mixed up in some shady business in San Francisco. Sasso heads west to solve the family crisis, but things go from bad to worse when his brother is found shot to death. Soon Sasso is on the trail of his killer, unearthing clues that expose an international get-rich-quick scheme revolving around an emerald Buddha statue.

Best-selling author Kaiser draws on experiences and encounters from his previous careers as an international lawyer, intelligence officer in Vietnam and staff member at the United Nations in Geneva when writing fiction. You'll find *Squeeze Play* at local booksellers or online at www.mirabooks.com.