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# THE EVIL INSIDE US

Do we hide our dark thoughts from others?  
Do we cherish the ruthlessness that helps us survive?  
Or is it something within that we must overcome?

**VOLUME #3 OF THE AUSTRALIAN PEN COLLECTION**

## **SUBMISSION DETAILS**

1. There is no entry fee.
2. Submissions are open to all Australians around the world or Australian residents
3. Short fiction between 500-2500 words. Exceptions will be made for well-crafted writing.
4. The story should be relevant to the title of the collection: 'The Evil Inside Us'.
5. ALL genres are welcome, as long as the focus is connected to the theme. Your story could be about an individual, on humanity in general or a more abstract concept. As long as there is a connection to the title, go for it.
6. Stories to be submitted as a DOC/DOCX file (preferred), TXT, RTF or PDF. Email your submissions to [publish@1231publishing.com](mailto:publish@1231publishing.com) with the subject title "*Evil Submission*". Formatting of the document to be a standard manuscript type.
  - a. Please use 'single quotes' for dialogue.
  - b. 12pt Times New Roman font (or similar) and double-spaced.
  - c. The title page must include name, contact email, story title and word count.
7. Your story should not have been previously published.
8. Submissions officially close February 28th, 2018.
9. Responses will be e-mailed by 31st May 2018.
10. Successful applicants will be rewarded one (1) complimentary copy of the book. Further copies can be purchased from the publisher in quantities of ten (10) at \$6 per copy. Books are recommended to be on-sold at \$10 at author discretion. No returns. There are no royalties for books sold by the publisher or by other authors. You keep the profits of the books you sell.
11. More information about the Publisher and the Australian Pen Collection can be found on the website: <http://www.1231publishing.com/>

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