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## *The Uncommon Prison of Henry V Henry* by Simon Bullivant

### **The gruesome murder of a young girl hits the headlines**

Loner Henry V Henry, a compulsive hoarder of hard-copy news, finds his interest in the crime becomes obsessive as one killing becomes two – and then the bodies begin to mount. Anxieties and paranoia take over his already bizarre routines. Each crime scene must be visited, the clues are staring him in the face, but others – including the Police – seem oblivious. Henry believes he has narrowed the field of likely suspects. Never able to silence his inner thoughts that the murderer is lining him up as the next victim, he pursues his quest convinced only his own troubled mind can bring the killer to justice. The Police have their own suspicions, which include placing Henry ever closer to the crimes.

The book tells the story of a man's transformation from a marginalised, almost invisible human being, who inhabits a world of his own creation, into an individual who begins to find the means to escape.

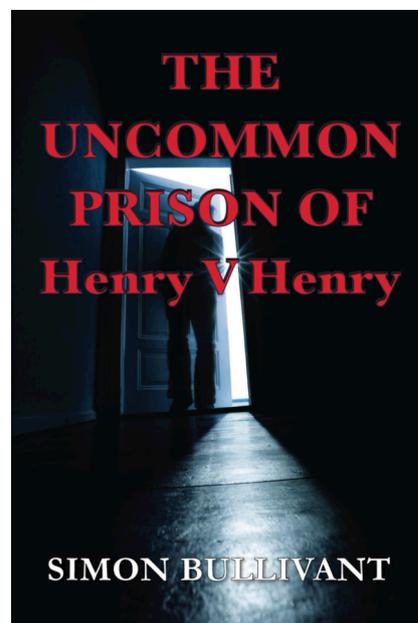
**About the author...** Simon Bullivant is well known for his input to the creation of successful panel show 'Never Mind The Buzzcocks', for which he was also writer and producer over its 20 year run. He graduated from University College, London with a degree in Art History, and after several jobs which Simon tells us had nothing to do with art or history, he began writing comedy, building a career in radio, and then television.

His other credits include: Writer and Producer for 'They Think Its All Over' and Writer (and occasional Producer) on 'Mock the Week', 'A League of Their Own' and 'Argumental'. Simon has co-written a number of comedy books – **The Uncommon Prison of Henry V Henry** is his first crime fiction.

*"Simon utilises his comedy prowess expertly to add a macabre wit to this pacy murder-mystery that keeps its protagonist, and readers, second-guessing themselves all the way to its visceral end."*

**Paula Comley, Commissioning Editor – Ouen Press**

### *In brief*



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