

## Honors and accolades for *Shrouded*, the first book in the Crispin Leads Mystery Series

- SHROUDED is a finalist in the 2017 Writers' League of Texas Manuscript Contest: <http://www.writersleague.org/183/2017-Manuscript-Contest-Winners---Finalists>
- BlueInk review: <https://www.blueinkreview.com/book-reviews/shrouded-a-crispin-leads-mystery/>
- MysteryPeople interview: <https://mysterypeople.wordpress.com/2017/11/09/interview-with-meredith-lee/>
- We were invited to speak at the University of Texas OLLI Lamp program to an audience of about 150 people. Our talk was entitled "The Mystery Inside our Little Grey Cells."
- Our company, 39 Stars, wins the 2017 Rising Star award from IngramSpark: <https://www.ingramcontent.com/news/innovative-indie-publishers-honored-with-ingramspark-ignite-awards>
- In December, 2017 Booklist notified us, "I'm happy to let you know that your Blue Ink review of "Shrouded: A Crispin Leads Mystery" will run in Booklist's February 15th issue and we've given it a starred review." They then sent us the attached photo of the review. <https://www.booklistonline.com/Shrouded-A-Crispin-Leads-Mystery-Meredith-Lee/pid=9382836>
- In February, 2018 AARP TEXAS runs a four-part interview about us:  
Part-one: <https://states.aarp.org/taking-pen-duo-releases-award-winning-mystery/>  
Part-two: <https://states.aarp.org/taking-pen-seeking-like-minded-souls/>  
Part-three: <https://states.aarp.org/taking-pen-going-press/>  
Part-four: <https://states.aarp.org/taking-pen-whats-next/>
- Sisters in Crime presentation in February, 2018: <https://sinc-heartoftexas.com/2018/01/>
- We launched our book on Aug 16, 2017. SHROUDED has sold in every state, except for Utah, and in Great Britain and Australia.
- Reviews on Amazon: [https://www.amazon.com/Shrouded-Crispin-Mystery-Meredith-Lee/dp/0692887601/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1519920860&sr=8-1&keywords=shrouded+by+meredith+lee](https://www.amazon.com/Shrouded-Crispin-Mystery-Meredith-Lee/dp/0692887601/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1519920860&sr=8-1&keywords=shrouded+by+meredith+lee)
- Goodreads reviews: [https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/35927065-shrouded?utm\\_source=facebook.com&utm\\_medium=facebook\\_tab](https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/35927065-shrouded?utm_source=facebook.com&utm_medium=facebook_tab)
- We were invited to speak at the Austin Woman's Club in April to about 100 people.
- SHROUDED is selected by book groups in Texas, California and Colorado. We have happily attended many in Austin.

- SHROUDED is nominated for Killer Nashville's 2018 Silver Falchion Readers' Choice Award.