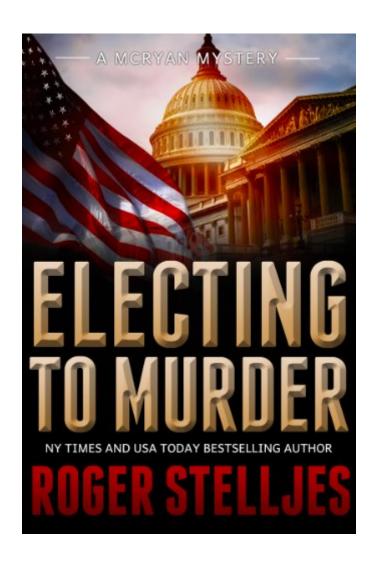
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# Electing To Murder: A Compelling Crime Thriller (Mac McRyan Mystery Series)





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# **Customer Reviews**

Once a week, I run a kindle search for certain authors, hoping for a new book. Roger Stelljes hit that list with the first McRyan book I read and I have checked faithfully every week. I was delighted to see Electing to Murder last week and immediately ordered it. The wait between books was worth it. The book grabbed me from the shots fired at the cabin through the body in the sleezy hotel through the campaign trail to the White House. I enjoyed the slow exposure of layers in the "enemy camp". The new characters - such as Dara Wire and The Judge were excellent. I expect we'll see more of

them, but it sounds as if we'll be leaving many others behind. I look forward to more McRyan books in the future - no matter what direction they go. Just one thing...Roger...write faster.

I enjoyed Mr. Stelljes first three 'Mac' books enough that I had no hesitation at all purchasing this one as soon as it came out. There is enough convoluted conspiracy plotting in this book to please even the oldest (like me!) Ludlum fan. But I will admit, even so, to being surprised; the insider I figured would be the guilty party was not. I missed some of the fun that the early-in-the-book injury to Dick Lick caused, but I will be glad to see him back in shape again soon. I was very pleased with the two new supporting characters, Dara and Judge, whom I hope to see more of in coming books. While Michael McRyan has not yet -- and probably never will -- replace Lucas Davenport and Virgil Flowers in my list of favorite Minnesota detectives, it's lovely to be able to add a third person to that list. Keep them coming Mr. Stelljes and I'll keep buying them.

Mac McRyan, Minnesota's Twin Cities newest golden boy is back in a political murder mystery. As with the previous "Mac" books, there is a lot of action, solid investigative skills all the old characters and a few new characters. One of which is ex-FBI Dara Wire who partners with Mac, after Dick Lick takes a bullet to the left shoulder, a nasty through and through. Not to worry he'll be back before the end of the story. Mac and Dara travel across state lines relentlessly pursuing clues, suspects and hunches. Uncovering election fraud, murder and corruption at the very highest levels! This book is solid and well written, well edited with memorable engaging characters. This book could certainly and easily be read as a stand alone title but some of the fun comes from getting to know the main characters over time and of course none of the books disappoint.

Roger Stelljes will make you lose sleep because you won't be able to put this book down! You just have to know... Mac McRyan's adventures in Electing to Murder have him ducking bullets and exposing political corruption and will have you totally engrossed to the last page. Stelljes reaches a new height with this McRyan series book. A must read!

I absolutely loved The Saint Paul Conspiracy & Deadly Stillwater and could not wait to dive into Electing to Murder. I got approximately 1/3rd of the way into this novel and instead felt as I had dove into an empty pool head first. Painful is the first word that comes to mind. Boring read. The author could have done this as an interesting short thriller but the continued diatribe was more than I could handle. This is the first book I have EVER stopped reading before the finish in over 50 years of

being a devout bookworm.

I have enjoyed the authors other McRyan novels, but this one was a yawner. It seemed like all he wanted to do was push a political a agenda. The storyline was a bore and the character development was lacking. Stick with FIRST CASE and the THE ST. PAUL CONSPIRACY for enjoyable reading. Skip this dog.

I enjoyed Stelljes two previous books, and bought this on that premise...I am greatly disappointed. There is a very strong political bias to the writing of this book. I love a good story,but I do not like ideological political beliefs loosely buried in a story cover- being pushed in my face. The book also lacks the suspense and intrigue his previous novels have. I wish I could return the book.

I didn't realize that I was buying a political book. The first few pages were nothing but the author's opinion on political issues such as the Supreme Court's Citizens United decision. I wanted to read a mystery, not a political opinion.

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