DarkWinter Press: Frequently Asked Questions

Question: Do I have to pay anything as an author to be published by DarkWinter Press?

Answer: No. DarkWinter Press is neither a vanity nor a hybrid publisher. If your work is accepted, we do editing, create covers, and design your work as part of your author contract. We will also provide you with 5 free author copies of your work—any additional copies will be invoiced at wholesale cost only plus shipping.

Question: How do I as an author get paid?

Answer: DarkWinter Press will provide author royalties to you via Paypal. If you do not have Paypal, other methods can be considered.

Question: What percentage of royalties does DarkWinter Press pay to authors?

Answer: DarkWinter Press provides author royalties at the rate of 50% after print cost. Because our authors receive 50% royalties on all paperbacks and e-books sold, we do not provide an advance.

Question: What print distributor does DarkWinter Press use?

Answer: DarkWinter uses Kindle Direct Publishing, which is 'print on demand'. That means your work is always available for purchase and is never 'sold out' or 'temporary unavailable' on third-party vendor sites.

Question: Where will my work be sold?

Answer: Your work will be available primarily on Amazon and Kindle worldwide, and will be available to order through our website.

Question: How will DarkWinter Press promote my work?

Answer: We promote through our own website, through social media (Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, Threads) and other sites. We will help arrange pre-sales, author events where possible, and submit your work to any review sites or contests that are applicable, or upon request when able.