

## **Press Release**

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**Emerging Minnesota author Ethan Marek will self-publish THE PENALTY, a horrifying hockey story, on Amazon.com.**

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New Prague, MN, June 4, 2020 - Ethan Marek announces the publication of THE PENALTY, his first debut novel. The book will release on Amazon.com for \$9.99 on July 5th, 2020.

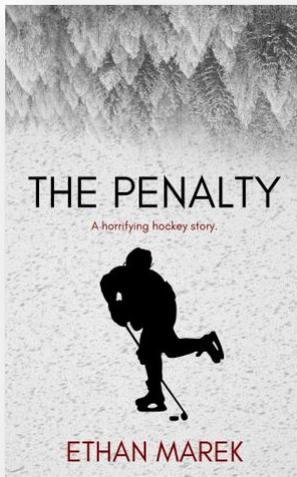
The importance of teamwork is crucial, especially if a state tournament is on the line. Most teams that don't make it to the state tournament don't realize they're battling two wars at once; one is the game itself, and the other is the drama, politics, and clickiness between themselves. Underdogs always feel like they have to compete with the captains or popular kids, but when you have to work together, and you have a dream to accomplish, then you ALL must understand the importance of a team bond. THE PENALTY takes Liam, a high school senior, through a dark journey in his hockey career. When one of his teammates commits the ultimate penalty, he must bring the boys together in hope to save his dying team.

“An amazing book written by an even more amazing person.” ~ Light the Lamp Hockey

“A best seller.” ~ Abby Billings

“A thrilling slow-burn.” ~ Kaitlyn Jones

“A very dark book.” ~ Amber Lowe



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Ethan Marek is a novelist who writes for the teenage youth. He lives in a small town in Minnesota called New Prague. He is a student at Full Sail University earning his Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing. His first short story "Ferris Wheel" was published in the *Scarlet Leaf Review*, and he's published a short story collection called "Fireflies" on *Smashwords*. He wants to inspire non-readers to enjoy reading with shorter stories like his own. His main hobbies consist of hockey, mountain biking, hiking, film, and blogging.

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