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Virginia Festival of the Book to Host Sasha Graham

March 9, 2023—New York, New York. — The 2023 Virginia Festival of the Book has confirmed it will host Sasha Graham bestselling author of over ten tarot books and tarot kits in two events, one FREE and one TICKETED on March 24th at 3:30pm and March 25th at 7:30pm.

Author of *Dark Wood Tarot*, Graham is the CORV Gold Visionary Award winning author of *The Magic of Tarot*, named best tarot book of 2022. Graham, a former horror actress, is a tarot expert who lectures and teaches about metaphysics around the world. *The Magic of Tarot* encourages readers to flex their intuitive muscles, confidently use tarot magic and spell and perform readings for others. She walks you through card meanings, introduces you to dream and shadow work, helps you interpret colors, numbers, and patterns. This book lets you fearlessly jump in and enjoy magical experiences while harnessing the innate power of storytelling.

According to Jamie Morris Writes, “Under Graham’s spell the cards become characters in a dark fairy tale, one the reader must negotiate to undergo the transformation each card holds in potential – if we step up and do the work. This might sound challenging. And, of course, it is. But Graham is kind and wise, a beautiful forest witch who knows that sometimes we must travel the darkest paths to find the light.”

Graham will participate in the event “How to Enchant Your Inner Writing Witch & Add Sorcery to Your Fiction, Poetry and Prose”, discussing how to use tarot and magic through all elements of the writing process from character creation to motivation to developing a unique writer’s voice. The event will culminate in a group spell and guided meditation to invoke your heart’s desire. Specific information about the event can be found at VaBook.org.

Graham will participate in the event “Horror at Holiday Trails”, with “Moth-style” audience slips about personal, true life spooky experiences and divinations. Graham will be joined by four writers of horror fiction: NYT bestsellers Grady Hendrix, Stephen Graham Jones, Paul Tremblay and three time Bram Stoker Award recipient Sarah Langan. Specific information about the event can be found at VaBook.org.

About the Virginia Festival of the Book:

A signature program of Virginia Humanities, the Virginia Festival of the Book brings readers and writers together for author readings, panel discussions, programs for children, and more. The 29th annual Virginia Festival of the Book will take place in Charlottesville and Albemarle County, Virginia, as well as virtually, March 23-26, 2023. To learn about Festival programming and sponsorship opportunities, visit VaBook.org.

About Virginia Humanities:

Virginia Humanities is the state humanities council. We aim to share the stories of all Virginians—or, better yet, find ways for people to share their own stories. We want to connect Virginians with their history and culture and, in doing that, help us all get to know each other a little better. We are headquartered in Charlottesville at the University of Virginia but our work covers the Commonwealth. To learn more visit VirginiaHumanities.org.

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