

## **APPENDIX I**

### **SYNOPSIS OF THE SHADOW OF THE WIND**

The Shadow of The Wind by Carlos Ruiz Zafon is a novel, set in Barcelona post World-War in Spain, that combines elements of mystery, romance and history. The story begins in the year 1945 when a 10 years old boy named Daniel Sempere, who lost his mother as a child and live with his father who invites him to visit a mysterious place called The Cemetery of Forgotten Books. This place is a huge labyrinth full of forgotten books from all over the world. While he was there, Daniel is able to choose a book to keep and look after, and he choose a book titled The Shadow of The Wind by a mysterious and obscure author named Julian Carax. Daniel mesmerized by the story of that book and have the urge to find more about the author and his works. However, this search leads him into a series of strange and dangerous occurrence. It turns out, that somebody is trying to destroy every book that has ever written by Carax, and this mysterious man is known as Lain Coubert, whose name is come from an evil character in Carax's book. The deeper Daniel investigates, the more mysteries are revealed, including tragic love stories and murder.

Daniel found so many people around him has a relationship with Carax and his past, including his close friends and even his enemies. During his research, Daniel grew up experiencing so many events shaped his life, from falling in love up to facing a real danger. Few of the important characters that he met including Beatriz Aguilar, his first love that then become his wife. Fermin Romero de Torres, an eccentric and smart person become his best friend. Clara Barcelo, a blind girl that became Daniel's first obsession. The relationship between Daniel and these characters grows as the story progresses, enriching the narrative with layers of emotion. Fermin, with his dark past but with big hearts, became one of the most memorable characters, gives a lot of moments of warmth and humor in the story that usually filled with darkness and tension. Meanwhile, the threat of Fumero, a corrupt police chief who is cruel and full of revenge, and Lain Coubert, add an element of suspense to this story.

When Daniel gets closer to the truth of Julian Carax, he found that his own life reflects the tragic life of Carax. The unveiling mystery of Carax bring Daniel to various places and dangerous situation, but also deepening his understanding of life, love, and loss. Daniel and Bea, whose love is full of twists and turns, are finally united, while Fermin finds her own happiness after overcoming many obstacles. At the pinnacle of the story, everything is unveiled. Lain Coubert is actually Julian Carax's himself. It is Carax's alter ego that feels betrayed and tried to destroy everything that

he had made in the past for a revenge. Carax himself is still alive all this time, hiding in a new identity after running away saving himself from Fumero's threat. This reveal brings a closure to many of the characters and ties up all the story threads neatly. The story ends with the epilogue that tells about Daniel's future, who is now married to Beatriz and had a child. Daniel and his son visit The Cemetery of Forgotten Books, where Daniel tells a story to his son, ensuring Carax's legacy is still alive.

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### **BIOGRAPHY OF THE AUTHOR**

Carlos Ruiz Zafon is a Spanish novelist that is widely known because of his atmospheric and mysterious works, especially through the novel *The Shadow of The Wind*. He was born in Barcelona 25 September 1964, Zafon grew up in a big city which later become a setting in his works. He starts to shows interest in the world of literature and writing from a young age.

In his early career, Zafon writes for advertisement and then changed into a scenario writer. In 1993, he released his first novel, "El Principe de la Niebla" (*The Prince of Mist*), which is part of *The Mist Trilogy*. After succeed with that trilogy, Zafon moved to Los Angeles, America, to pursue a career in screenwriting.

Zafon achieved international fame with the publication of "La Sombra del Viento" (*The Shadow of the Wind*) in 2001, the first series of "The Cemetery of Forgotten Books." This book become a global phenomenon, translated for more than 40 languages and sold millions copies all over the world. This novel combines elements of mystery, romance, and history with Barcelona as the setting. This success followed by the subsequent novels in the same series: "El Juego del Angel" (*The Angel's Game*, 2008), "El Prisionero del Cielo" (*The Prisoner of Heaven*, 2011), and "El Laberinto de los Espiritus" (*The Labyrinth of the Spirits*, 2016). These four novels intertwine and expand the complex world Zafon created in "The Cemetery of Forgotten Books."

Zafon known with his descriptive and atmospheric writing style. He often creates complex narratives with many layers, deep characters, and plot twists and mysteries. Throughout his career, Zafon received many awards and recognitions for his literary contributions. In addition to the Premio Edebe, he was also awarded a number of other international prizes. His novels are often on bestseller lists and are respected for their quality of writing and broad appeal.





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