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**WENDY COAKLEY-THOMPSON'S LATEST NOVEL,  
TRIPTYCH,  
JUST PUBLISHED**

**Wendy Coakley-Thompson**, the author RT Bookclub proclaimed entered "...the literary world with a bang" with her award-nominated debut novel **BACK TO LIFE**, returns with **TRIPTYCH**, which examines death and infidelity, straight up – with an erotic twist.

Ally and Jonathan have been married for ten years. They share a close relationship with Jonathan's cousin Tim, whom Ally dated when they were both teenagers. Tim, now a grieving widower, is present when they receive the news that Jonathan has a highly malignant inoperable brain tumor. While they minister to Jonathan, Ally and Tim recognize that there is chemistry – still – between them. Unable to help themselves, they act on their carnal attraction. Just as guilt consumes them, Jonathan enters the mix, presenting Tim with an unorthodox proposition....

Coakley-Thompson, in her commitment to making cancer and its suffering a historical footnote, has promised half of **TRIPTYCH**'s net proceeds the following two organizations that provide underserved populations with access to cancer treatment and related services: The Cancer Society of the Bahamas ([www.cancersocietybahamas.org](http://www.cancersocietybahamas.org)) and 365 Pink Foundation ([www.365pinkfoundation.org](http://www.365pinkfoundation.org)). With this gesture, Coakley-Thompson uses art as philanthropy to contribute to a future in which cancer plays absolutely no part.

**ABOUT THE AUTHOR:**

**Wendy Coakley-Thompson** is the author of *Back to Life* (2004 *Romantic Times* Award nominee) and *What You Won't Do For Love* (optioned for cable television). She is also a contributing editor of the anthology *How We Love: Letters and Lessons for the Next Generation*. She has written for music and fashion/lifestyle magazines in both New Jersey and The Bahamas. Coakley-Thompson co-hosted *The Book Squad* and earned an Associated Press/Chesapeake Award for her work as a *Metro Connection* commentator on WAMU, a Washington D.C. National Public Radio affiliate. For more, visit her at [www.wendycoakley-thompson.com](http://www.wendycoakley-thompson.com).

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