

**STEVEN  
BECKER**

**Best Selling  
Author**

# Who is Steven Becker?

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Steven Becker burst onto the Indie Author scene in 2013 and quickly began to make a name for himself as a writer of fast paced thrillers located around the familiar landmarks of the Florida Keys. To date his most popular series is the hugely popular “Mac Travis Adventure” series which consistently gains five stars from reviewers. He recently released his fifth book in the series which rapidly seized the number one position in three categories on Amazon simultaneously.

When he’s not writing, Steven can often be found scuba diving off the coast of Florida, The Bahamas, Cayman Islands, Mexico and the BVI. He lives in the Foothills of Sierra Nevada, fly fishing the rivers or trolling the lakes from his standup paddleboard. However, his real passion is bluewater fishing the Gulfstream.

Steven also enjoys outrigger canoe racing and competes with a senior masters coed team from Sacramento, winning several races including the Alcatraz challenge and Santa Cruz.

He is also the author of the best selling series, “Tides of Fortune,” as well as the “Will Service Eco Thrillers” and is currently working on the next book in the Mac Travis series. The source of inspiration for many of Steven’s books comes from his real-life experiences beneath the sea.

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# Sample Interview Questions

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## **What's the story behind your career?**

I started writing before my daughter was born in 1995, but life got in the way and I never finished that book. I have a lot of technical writing experience: writing a manual for a restaurant chain as well as several non-fiction books. I put everything aside until my daughter got her drivers license and I found myself with a lot of extra time. The first book, Wood's Reef had been in my head for 15 years.

## **What makes you an interesting author?**

I think it is the unique life I have experienced and hopefully the way I see the world. I did find a 50# bale of cocaine floating in the Gulfstream, which I actually used at the start of the book "Wood's Wall". If that's not the start of an interesting book, I don't know what is!

## **What has been the biggest thrill of your writing career so far?**

Getting my first review.

## **What do you think of the writing world?**

Generally, and especially with Indie Writers, it is a great environment with a lot of cooperation. I was in a box set last fall with 6 other authors – no egos. I'm also working a bit with Wayne Stinnett – sharing characters between our books.

# Highlighted reviews

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“Each Mac Travis story gets better and I can't wait to see what's in store next.”

“Start with book #1 and before you know it you will be waiting with me in line for #6. I read to be entertained and this series takes me there and then some!”

“Becker has a way of describing the locations in his books in such a way that people who have never been there can easily see it in their minds and those of us who have, are comfortable in the familiar settings. His characters have to be drawn from real people, they're all so well fleshed out and believable, you feel that you know them.”

“Well developed, great plot, and interesting characters that are realistic. The story draws you in and won't let go. Very highly recommended book and author.”

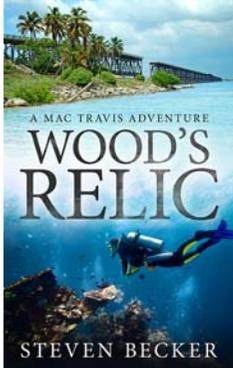
“There are few authors who will make me stop what I'm reading and read theirs first. Steven Becker is one. Mr. Becker has delivered an excellent story. And he just keeps getting better.”

“Do you enjoy scuba diving, the Florida Keys or just a good adventure story? Then Wood's Relic (and all the Mac Travis novels) are for you! Steven Becker accurately portrays the charm of the Keys and actually is a scuba diver! I have read too many books where the diving scenarios are impossible and inaccurate. Becker gets the technical details right all wrapped up in an enjoyable story. The characters are quirky and charming and the dialogue is entertaining.”

“What a great new author. Once I started I could not put the book down, I just can't wait for the next book. I have read all the Stewart Wood and a lot of David Connelly books, and Steve Becker is in the same league. If you haven't had the joy of reading his books then you need to start now!”

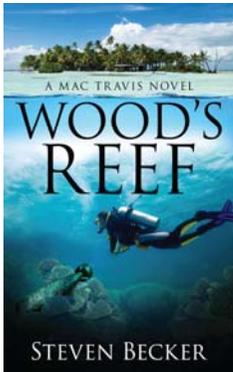
# Book List

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## Wood's Relic (Mac Travis Adventures Book 1)

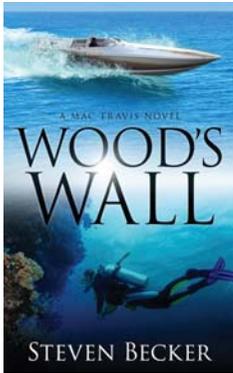
Mac Travis went to the Florida Keys to disappear, but his new commercial diving job turns out to be more than he planned. An artifact discovered while working on a bridge pier quickly draws the attention of a real estate tycoon, a Jersey mobster and twin Indian Chiefs all trying to open a casino in the pristine Keys. When his psycho ex-girlfriend tracks him down things get even more interesting.



## Wood's Reef (Mac Travis Adventures Book 2)

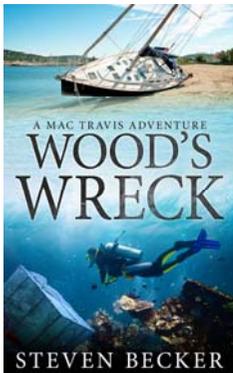
It's easy to become invisible in the Florida Keys. Mac Travis was doing his best to keep a low profile: diving, fishing and enough salvage work to pay his bills. It's a good life until he discovers something while spearfishing that could change the pristine Keys forever. His drunken crewman soon lets out the secret and his life is instantly changed. A corrupt presidential candidate will do whatever it takes to hide his secret. An exiled coke dealing terrorist sees this as his opportunity to redeem himself. A local con man loyal only to himself is looking for a quick payoff.

When Mac's friend and mentor is injured, his estranged daughter reluctantly comes to his aid. The two soon put aside their differences and join forces to bury the secret where it won't be found.



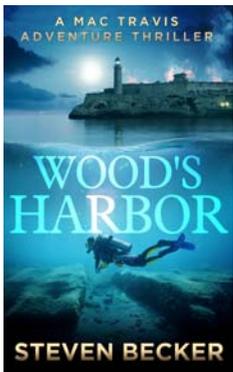
### Wood's Wall (Mac Travis Adventures Book 3)

It's easy to become invisible in the Florida Keys. Mac Travis is laying low: Fishing, Diving and doing enough salvage work to pay his bills until three fishermen trolling the Gulf Stream discover a square grouper. Besides the drugs, the package contains a secret that changes their lives and jeopardizes the very existence of the Keys. When his wayward deckhand brings him part of the package, he and his girlfriend Mel, are drawn into the chase that ends with a plot to assassinate the President and destroy Key West.



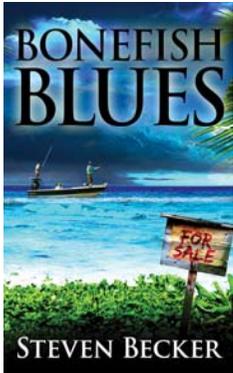
### Wood's Wreck (Mac Travis Adventures Book 4)

Mac Travis is forced to save his name and everything he owns, after a down on her luck trust fund heiress, talks his deckhand into using his boat to poach lobster. The plot thickens when Mac and his girlfriend Mel, discover a connection between her non-profit's money laundering scheme and a CIA ring smuggling baseball players from Cuba.



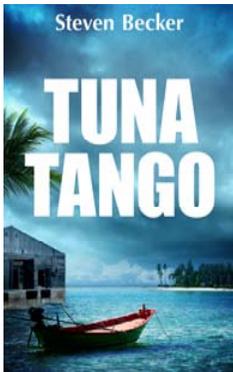
### Wood's Harbor (Mac Travis Adventures Book 5)

Washed up on a beach, with a path of destruction in his wake, Mac Travis must put his life back together. With his girlfriend hanging by a thread, he becomes embroiled in a plan to blow-up US and Cuba's fledgling relationship. Along with his wayward mate, the colorful Trufante, they fight to save Mel's life and get back everything he's lost. Experience the counter-culture and adventure of the Florida Keys in this new adventure by best-selling author Steven Becker.



## Bonefish Blues (Will Service Eco Thriller Book 1)

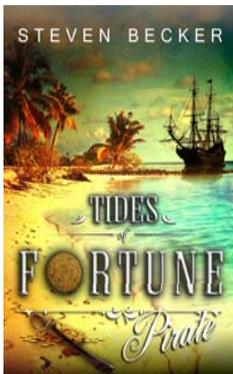
Will Service, a mild mannered fly fishing guide, is living the Keys lifestyle. When he finds his favorite flat is in jeopardy, and the secret it holds lethal, he soon realizes he is the only one that can make a difference. Together with the son of his nemesis and a beautiful local woman, he sets out to save the Key. The stakes are raised when a twisted mob boss and a crooked realtor will stop at nothing to hide their secret and protect their development.



## Tuna Tango (Will Service Eco Thriller Book 2)

Will Service is living the Keys lifestyle until a hurricane swamps his boat and destroys his unfinished house. A family friend offers him an opportunity to get back on his feet, and he takes the challenge of rebuilding an iconic fish house on St. Petersburg Beach - a job unique to his abilities.

The stakes are raised when a black market fish smuggling business is discovered on the property, and one of his delinquent workers steals a huge Bluefin tuna. The poachers take his girlfriend hostage to ensure his cooperation and protect their business forcing Will into a race to save her and shut down their operation.



## Pirate (Tides of Fortune Book 1)

After decades at sea, pirate legend Jose' Gasparilla is prepared to retire. As he and his crew split their treasure, the promise of one final prize lures the ship back into action. Little do they know that the purported riches are nothing but a trap set by the fledgling U.S. Navy!

With the crew decimated and the treasure scattered, a new leader must rise from the defeat. They'll go on one last adventure through unexplored Florida to the Keys. Can they stay one step ahead of enemies hell-bent on their destruction?

