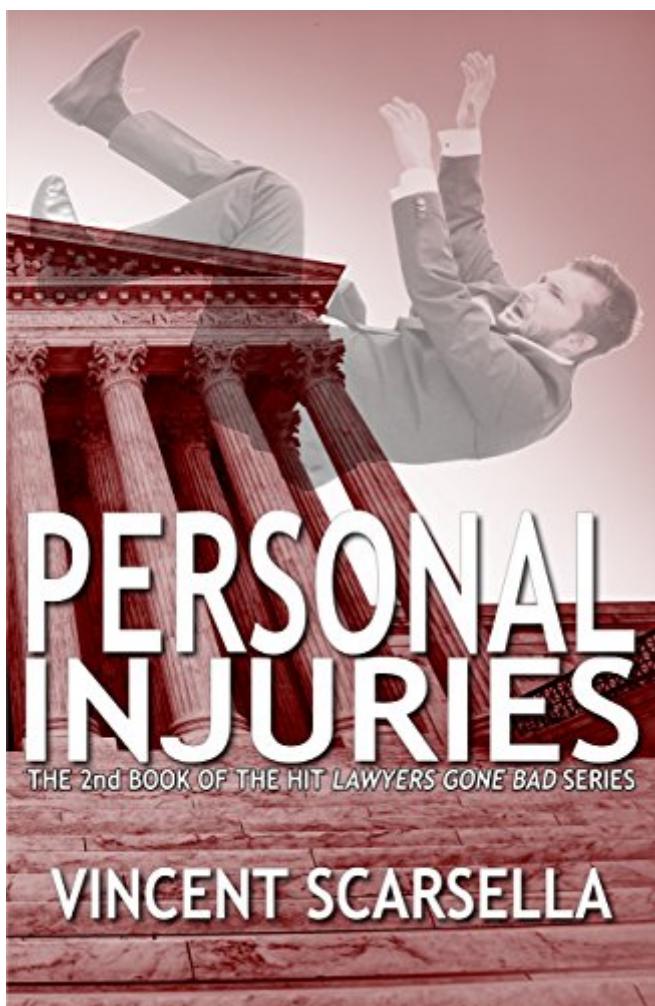


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# Personal Injuries (Lawyers Gone Bad Series Book 2)



## **Synopsis**

“The lawyer was crying...” Legal Discipline Office Director, Dean Alessi, and his Chief Investigator, Stu Foley, are back investigating lawyers gone bad - this time the state’s top personal injury firm, Craig & Craig, run by ruthless brothers, Larry and David Craig, for sending clients to bad doctors for bogus surgeries to increase the value of their cases. The day after a young associate lawyer of the firm comes in crying and tells Dean and Stu that his client has died on the operating table during one of these surgeries, he commits suicide. But was it really suicide or was the young lawyer murdered by the Craig brother’s henchman, Nick “Sonny” Folino, a former mob associate, to keep him quiet? Despite State Supreme Court Chief Justice Krane’s admonition that no further disciplinary investigations involving the Craigs or their firm be commenced while they are using their political might to help him get the vacant seat on the US Supreme Court, Dean and Stu secretly investigate the young lawyer’s claims and his suspicious death. In doing so, they find themselves in mortal danger. Packed with surprising twists and turns leading to a thrilling conclusion, the story also continues to explore the friendship between Dean and Stu, Dean and Laura’s troubled marriage, and his unrequited affair with LDO staff attorney, Kat Franklin. “Personal Injuries” takes the reader on a rip-roaring ride investigating more lawyers gone bad. In the process, it just may answer that ages-old adage, should you really be careful what you wish for?

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## **Customer Reviews**

A real legal thriller. Didn't think anything could surpass Book 1, but I think this one did! Although this was fiction, it really makes you wonder about some of the large firms, since I worked in insurance all my life.

Be careful what you wish for...bad to the bone lawyers getting into trouble!The author knows about lawyers and what they do. This story is writtenwell and it is very smooth and fun to read.Could be a best seller soon!

I have rarely enjoyed a book more than this one, and I look forward to the next in this series.

Well, I'm shocked -- shocked! that there are personal injury lawyers who improperly build cases. More shocking yet: there are doctors who help them!! This investigation of a single law firm could apply to the whole personal injury industry.This and the first book are well developed stories that would be more believable if they weren't so wide-eyed -- as if the legal profession isn't rife with people taking shortcuts, manipulating information and colluding with one another.What is accurate, though, is the degree to which the legal profession has protected itself from scrutiny. New York is typical in restricting any public information about attorney discipline, and allowing incriminating information to become public and available for prosecution is considered a violation of the ironically termed "lawyers' ethics." In this case, the Chief Justice of the state supreme court has suppressed evidence of lawyers who are responsible for multiple murders. And the guy who can fix it would, at the very least, lose his law license if he tried to do so.Such is the state of justice when it involves lawyers.

"Be careful what you wish for," and "No good deed goes unpunished," are two popular quotes referred to by characters in this book often. And they really kind of sum up the book! When good lawyers and legal teams tangle with BAD lawyers and the mob, you just KNOW you're in for a wild

ride. I know this is the second book in a series, but it works well as a standalone novel. The characters are believable--some of them likable, some of them downright despicable! As they struggle through personal lives and cases/a law firm that lead them in dangerous and unexpected situations, it remains believable throughout. And there are sometimes moments of hilarity that just made me laugh out loud. And a twist ending just leaves this reader wanting more! Overall, I'd rate character development at around a 4 (but again, remember this is book 2, and the main characters may have already been introduced and more developed in book 1, so a reader already familiar with them and know them a little better than this reader). Storyline, I would give a five, because the pace doesn't slow down at all, and kept me engaged and entertained the whole way through. In some ways, I got frustrated, because just like in the real world, the bad guys don't always get their full due, and you just have to accept that. But those bad lawyers? Ooooooh, I wish I was judge and jury!!!! I think if word of this book could get around more, it could possibly be a bestseller. I know I want more, and certainly going to read the first book, *Lawyers Gone Bad* just because of how much I enjoyed this one. This book gets a 5 star rating from me because not once did it lose focus, and it kept moving ahead like a steamroller. It is left wide open for a third installment, which I will look forward to reading. These lawyers (the good guys) just keep pushing forward, not letting letdowns or losses get them down. In their own words from the very last page: "when the going gets tough, the tough get going." I received a free copy of this book in exchange for my honest review.

This story is well written and it is a quick, smooth read. You know you are reading a good book, when lawyers and the mob get entangled. I actually haven't read the first book in this series, but I don't feel like you need to. I didn't think I missed out on anything- but I do want to read the first book next! The seller of this product has provided the product at a discount in return for a truthful review (This is one of my FEW 4 or 5 star reviews- you can check my profile). I was not compensated in any way other than my honest opinions and evaluations of the product in question and I am not required or forced to provide a positive review in return for the discount I received. I thoroughly examine and utilize each product prior to posting a review and an examination of my reviews on this site will clearly show that I am completely honest. Thank you for reading this review and good luck with your purchase!

I'm hooked on this series and hope to read many more. I don't know why no one thought up this angle before. Stories about lawyers who investigate and prosecute other lawyers. Terrific book.

I saw this free for my Kindle and thought I would read it. This is a great book. I was very impressed with how well written this was. I was not really expecting much, but it was a really interesting book. The author probably has some legal background. I really enjoyed reading this and I would recommend this book to anyone. I received this product at discount for my honest testing and review. I am under no obligation to provide a positive review and receive no incentives or rewards for doing so. My aim is to highlight features and drawbacks that I would want to know about as a buyer, not hype the product for the manufacturer. My remarks are sincere and my own. While it is true that many items are received at discounted rates or complimentary, my reviews are completely honest and are my personal experiences with the product. Again, it is just my opinion, your own opinion might vary. I received no monetary compensation and I am not required to give a good review.

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