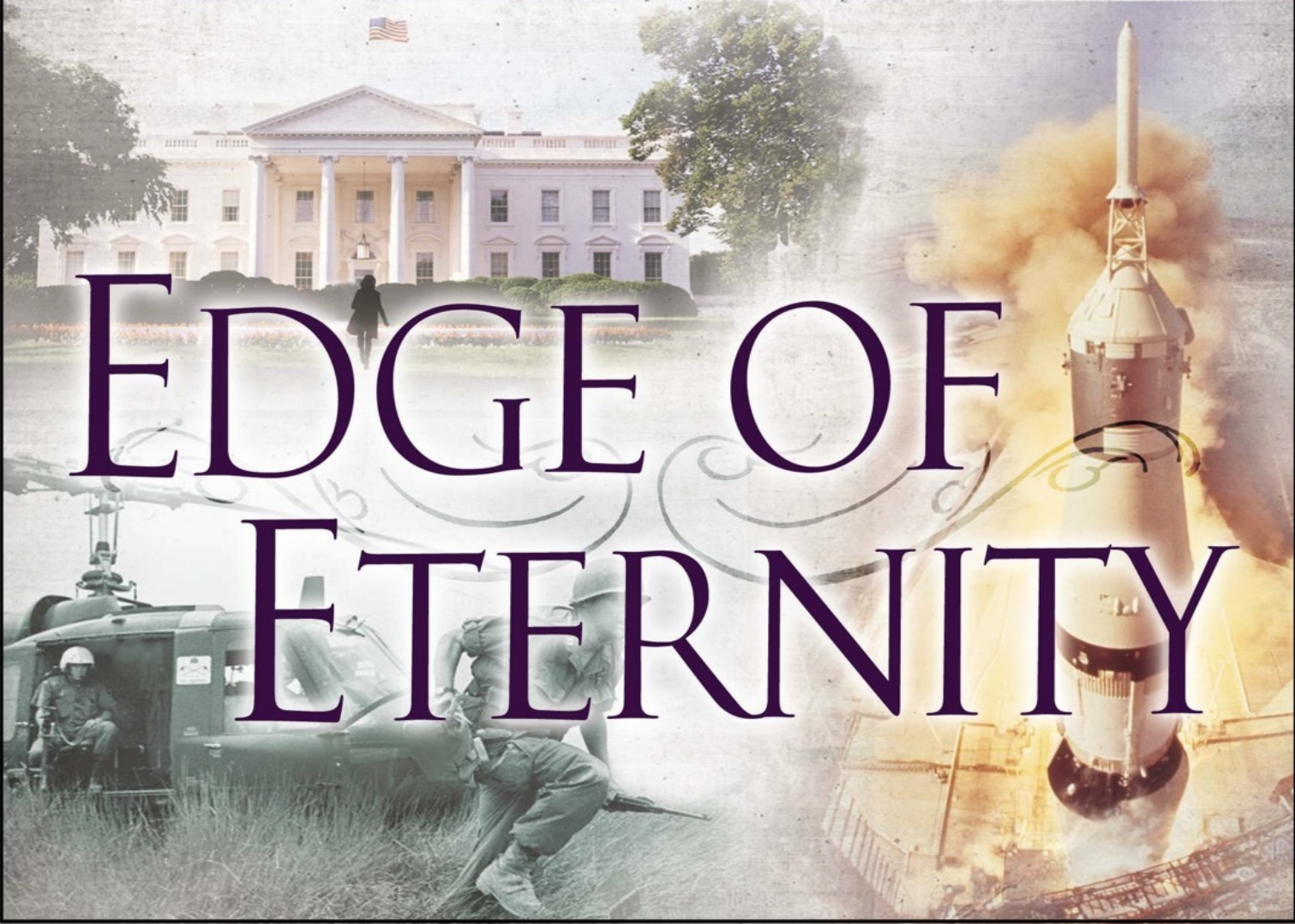


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*To all the freedom fighters,
especially Barbara*

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DEWAR FAMILY

Cameron Dewar
Ursula “Beep” Dewar, his sister
Woody Dewar, his father
Bella Dewar, his mother

PESHKOV-JAKES FAMILY

George Jakes
Jacky Jakes, his mother
Greg Peshkov, his father
Lev Peshkov, his grandfather
Marga, his grandmother

MARQUAND FAMILY

Verena Marquand
Percy Marquand, her father
Babe Lee, her mother

CIA

Florence Geary
Tony Savino
Tim Tedder, semiretired
Keith Dorset

OTHERS

Maria Summers
Joseph Hugo, FBI
Larry Mawhinney, Pentagon
Nelly Fordham, old flame of Greg Peshkov

Dennis Wilson, aide to Bobby Kennedy
Skip Dickerson, aide to Lyndon Johnson
Leopold “Lee” Montgomery, reporter
Herb Gould, television journalist on *This Day*
Suzy Cannon, gossip reporter
Frank Lindeman, television network owner

REAL HISTORICAL CHARACTERS

John F. Kennedy, thirty-fifth U.S. president
Jackie, his wife
Bobby Kennedy, his brother
Dave Powers, assistant to President Kennedy
Pierre Salinger, President Kennedy’s press officer
Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., president of the Southern Christian
Leadership Conference
Lyndon B. Johnson, thirty-sixth U.S. president
Richard Nixon, thirty-seventh U.S. president
Jimmy Carter, thirty-ninth U.S. president
Ronald Reagan, fortieth U.S. president
George H. W. Bush, forty-first U.S. president

British

LECKWITH-WILLIAMS FAMILY

Dave Williams
Evie Williams, his sister
Daisy Williams, his mother
Lloyd Williams, M.P., his father
Eth Leckwith, Dave’s grandmother

MURRAY FAMILY

Jasper Murray
Anna Murray, his sister
Eva Murray, his mother

MUSICIANS IN THE GUARDSMEN AND PLUM NELLIE

Lenny, Dave Williams’s cousin