



## Author Steven T. Callan Biography

**“My love of nature is what drives my writing.  
I include a conservation message in  
everything I write.”**

Steven T. Callan is the award-winning author of [\*The Case of the Missing Game Warden\*](#), a “Best First Novel” award finalist in the Next Generation Indie Book Awards and published by Epicenter Press. Callan’s first two books, both nonfiction and published by Coffeetown Press, earned [excellent reviews](#) and captured awards. His debut book, *Badges, Bears, and Eagles*, was a 2013 “Book of the Year” award finalist (*ForeWord Reviews*). His second book, *The Game Warden’s Son*, was named “Best Outdoor Book of 2016” by the Outdoor Writers Association of California. Callan is the recipient of the 2014, 2015, and 2016 “Best Outdoor Magazine Column” awards from the Outdoor Writers Association of California. The author is an active member of Mystery Writers of America, Western Writers of America, Outdoor Writers Association of California, and Redding Writers Forum. He is currently editing his second novel in the Henry Glance series.

Steve grew up in the small Northern California farm town of Orland, where he spent his high-school years playing baseball, basketball, hunting, and fishing. With an insatiable interest in wildlife, he never missed an opportunity to ride along on patrol with his father, a California Fish and Game warden. Steve went on to graduate from CSU, Chico, and attended graduate school at CSU, Sacramento. Hired by the California Department of Fish and Game in 1974, he began his career as a game warden near the Colorado River, promoted to patrol lieutenant in the Riverside/San Bernardino area, and spent the remainder of his thirty-year enforcement career in Shasta County. Callan earned numerous awards for his work in wildlife protection.

Passionate about the environment, Steve and his wife, Kathy, are avid anglers, kayakers, bird-watchers, and scuba divers. They live in the Redding area.

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