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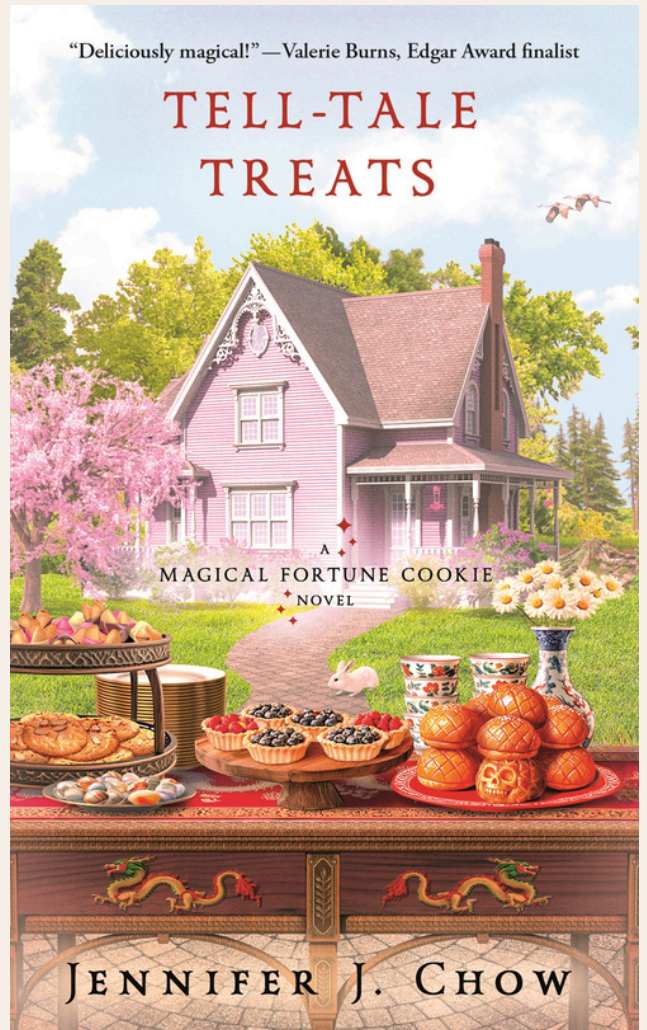
PRAISE for the *Tell-Tale Treats*:
"A charming cozy with a touch of magic along with the expected recipes."
—Kirkus Reviews

Is Felicity to blame when a hotel guest drowns after eating her enchanted cookies? Felicity Jin returns in the third installment of the Magical Fortune Cookie series.

A group of high school alumnae reunite years later and reserve rooms at Pixie Inn for an extended retreat. As part of their pampering package, Felicity delivers a scrumptious assortment of enchanted pastries, including her new almond cookies.

But the queen bee of the group is soon found dead in her bathroom, drowned in the tub, and she recently sampled the delicious baked goods. Could Felicity's almond cookies have set off a fatal nut allergy? The enchanted pastries are supposed to bring joy, not sorrow—and certainly not death.

Boyfriend, Kelvin Love, is eager to assist, although odd things have been happening to his senses ever since he baked with Felicity. Will his extra sensitivity help or hinder the investigation? Plus, special bunny Whiskers lends a magical paw to the detecting since Felicity can't and won't relax until she restores both order and magic to her world.



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ABOUT THE AUTHOR



Jennifer J. Chow writes cozies filled with hope and heritage. She is an Agatha, Anthony, Lefty, and Lilian Jackson Braun Award-nominated author. Her newest series is the Magical Fortune Cookie mysteries; the first book is *Ill-Fated Fortune*. Jennifer's previous series is the L.A. Night Market Mysteries. *Death by Bubble Tea* was reviewed by the *New York Times*, featured in *Woman's World*, and hit the SoCal Indie Bestseller List. Jennifer blogs at chicksonthecase.com. She is an active member of Crime Writers of Color, Mystery Writers of America, and Sisters in Crime. Connect with her online and sign up for her newsletter at JenniferJChow.com.

PRAISE FOR THE MAGICAL FORTUNE COOKIE MYSTERIES

"Nobody writes cozy mysteries quite like Jennifer J. Chow. No matter what is going wrong in my life, I know that all I need to do for some comfort is turn to one of Chow's books. Chow has done it again with *Ill-Fated Fortune*. I did not want to leave Felicity's side even for a moment, and you won't want to either." —Jesse Q. Sutanto, author of *Vera Wong's Unsolicited Advice for Murderers*

"The story itself is light, sweet, and delectable. True to the cozy mystery genre, a central mystery—the ill-fated fortune—keeps readers engaged from start to finish." —*The Big Thrill*

TALKING POINTS



Writing as a hybrid author



Exploring culture within stories



Weaving in killer humor

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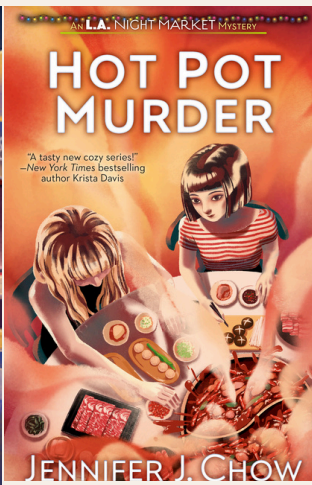
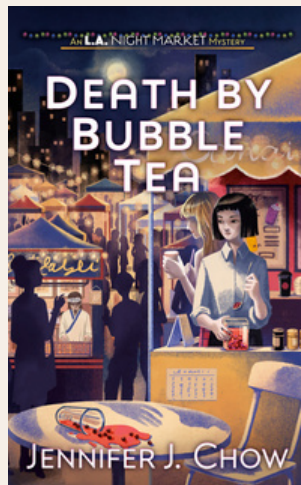
OTHER WORKS

MYSTERIES

Chow's mysteries wrap together cultural and cozy elements. Her Agatha, Anthony, and Lefty, and Lilian Jackson Braun Award-nominated **L.A. Night Market** series has hit the SoCal Indie Bestseller List and was featured in CrimeReads, Bustle, BookBub, and Book Riot. Chow's Lefty-nominated **Sassy Cat** mystery series has been highlighted in OverDrive, PopSugar, and BuzzFeed. Her award-winning indie **Winston Wong** mysteries received a five-star review from Readers' Favorite. She also gives back to the crime fiction writing community by participating in Crime Writers of Color, Mystery Writers of America, and Sisters in Crime.

OTHER CULTURAL STORIES

In addition to mysteries, Chow has also written stories filled with intergenerational intrigue. Her young adult novel, **Dragonfly Dreams**, received praise from *Teen Vogue*. Chow's women's fiction book, **The 228 Legacy**, inspired by historical events in Taiwan, was an IndieFab Finalist.



For a detailed bibliography, visit JenniferJChow.com