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*Four Old Geezers
And A Valkyrie*
Gordon Lawrie

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Four Old Geezers And A Valkyrie is set in modern day Edinburgh and tells the story of Brian, aka 'Captain', a recently-retired, disillusioned teacher who has split acrimoniously with his ex-wife, known for a wild temper and throwing things at him. In his rush to get free of her, he has mistakenly agreed to give her half of his newly-acquired pension, seriously threatening his precarious finances.

But a chance meeting with his best man encourages Captain to dig out his forty-year-old guitar, which leads to a series of hilarious jam sessions in a back garden in Merchiston during which they record a couple of Captain's own songs.

Posted on YouTube, they prove to be surprise hits, propelling the four 'musicians' and their lawyer into encounters with a tiny manager, a boy-band and a female Polish dancer, a cigar-puffing earl and a famous rock band.

About The Author

Born in 1952, Gordon Lawrie has lived and worked all of his life in Edinburgh. In 2011 he gave up for good working as a teacher to write novels, short stories and other work. *Four Old Geezers And A Valkyrie* is his first published novel. His author events include a selection of songs from the book, as well as a selection of his other joy, flash fiction.

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Sales Points

Romantic comedy set in Edinburgh

Target audience middle-aged readers, male and female

Strong music content

Deals with family issues

Complete set of original songs to accompany book

Likeable if eccentric characters

Potential feel-good movie