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A writer needs to have an interesting story but how can they do that? Creating an interesting character can be a good way to do it, a character that can surprise the reader is an even better way.

Add a little mystery to keep the pages turning and the reader will keep coming back for more.

Having the character do something with shock value will excite the reader even more. The single grandma has two boyfriends she juggles but keeps a secret till one day she gets caught. The police seem to be the good guys and then suddenly they are the bad guy in the story. Someone is breaking into homes and no one can figure out who, then he gets caught and it's the neighborhood 10 year old trying to raise money for his dad's lawyer, now they both need one.

The bully in school picks on this one kid relentlessly until he finds out that his dad is beating him too now he feels bad and takes the kid under his wing. A bank robber takes all the cash from the bank but when the customers try to give him their money he doesn't take it, "I'm just robbing the bank not you good people." Hey Jesse James did it why not your bank robber. Just because he's a bad guy doesn't mean he doesn't have a heart.

Give the older characters something to do besides be good. Just because they are the elders doesn't mean they can't have fun too.

Grandma likes to water ski and bungee jump or maybe she dyes her hair pink. Grandpa goes to the porno shows and gets busted coming out one day. Grandpa may love to roller skate with the grand kids I know I do.

Giving your reader some action and keeping the story moving in an unexpected way will intrigue the reader to keep going to the end. An interesting story line and fascinating characters will create a book that flies off the shelf, and a story that has more to offer the reader makes a seller.

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