

## Craig Jordan-Baker

Craig is a working-class writer originally from Thornhill estate in Southampton. He was the first person in his immediate family to go to university and struggled through school with undiagnosed dyslexia, as well as behavioural problems that nearly led to him being expelled. With an abiding interest in language, history and philosophy, he studied Creative Writing and Critical Theory before going on to obtain a PhD in Philosophy from the University of Sussex, where his thesis focussed on the how linguistics as a science has understood the nature of language and linguistic communities.



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