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# Blackout Girl

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At age six, Jennifer Storm was already stealing sips of her mother’s crème de menthe. By age 13, she was binge drinking and well on the way to using cocaine and LSD. She anesthetized herself to many of the harsh realities of her young life — including her own misunderstandings about her sexual orientation.

Despite all odds, Storm came through untold darkness to create a life of forgiveness and redemption—through sobriety and a commitment to keep putting one foot in front of the other. *Blackout Girl* is Storm’s pitch-perfect story of survival that is told in her own words.

**Jennifer Storm** is the executive director of the Victim/Witness Assistance Program in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. In 2002, she was appointed a commissioner to the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency. *Blackout Girl* is her first book.

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