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## The Independence of Catalonia: Day of War

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**Gemma, an employee of the Government, overhears a conversation in which a politician is depicted as the head of a terrorist organization. She escapes and seeks help. The tension escalates.**

### Synopsis

Spain. 2019. The country is in turmoil due to the actions of Catalan separatists. The attacks continue and violence escalates. Two investigators and one witness end up caught in the web of interests of several governments. In the end, the armed conflict will be inevitable.

What everybody thinks and nobody dares to tell. An all-encompassing approach to the Catalan independent movement, it includes social and political criticism and questions the political elite in general and the manipulation of Catalan history in particular.

A political thriller set in an Alternate History and a spy novel, in which we really come to understand the characters' feelings, all in one, with a Spanish touch of irony and black humor.

### Biography

**Santiago Morata** (Zaragoza, 1969) has an associate degree in Tourism and a master in International Marketing and Advertising Design. He is also an oil painter (with five individual exhibitions so far), a traveler, an amateur photographer, an idea man, a designer and a writer. He has published *Milenio de pasión*, *La sombra del faraón*, *El constructor de pirámides* and *La hija de Ra*, historical novels endorsed by prominent historians and egyptologists, bestsellers with great critical success. He is a member of the Association of Writers of Aragón, collaborates with literary forums, gives lectures, participates in debates and literary conferences. He is currently working for a Dietetics company in the Department of Foreign Trade. He is the author of *El color del cielo* (published by Ediciones Nowtilus)



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### Sales pitch

- This is a novel about the Independence of Catalonia, a controversial political issue today, that denounces the political manipulation of Catalan history.

- He is a prestigious author, whose literary quality is also guaranteed by his commercial success in Spain: *El color del cielo*, *Milenio de pasión*, *La sombra del faraón*, *El constructor de pirámides* and *La hija de Ra*.

- This book is action-packed and full of political speculations that allow the reader to enjoy this fiction based on a hot topic and, at the same time, makes him believe that ucrony could really happen in a close future.

- This is Santiago Morata's first step in the political fiction arena. A contemporary novel full of thrilling action, political speculation and irony.

- A fast-paced roman-fleuve in which each chapter is written from the point of view of one particular character. A social and political Ucrony, a provocative reading in which the reader will find plots full of spies, political and social criticism and emotions on edge, told with a touch of irony and Spanish black humor. A novel in the style of John Le Carré or Robert Harris that poses the question: What if...?



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