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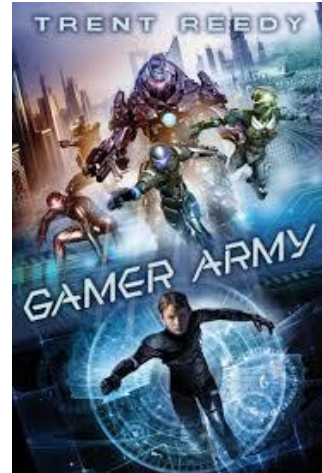
Trent Reedy



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**Wednesday,
November 14**

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Have them signed by the
author during the event.



About the author:

Trent Reedy was born in a small town in Iowa, where he wrote his first story about the Bad Man who had stopped time and the Lion who saved the day. Ever since then, he has aspired to write.

However, many obstacles prevented Trent from publishing a book until many years later. After graduating from college, Trent was called to serve in Afghanistan as part of the National Guard. During this terrifying part of his life, his hope was revived when he received a copy of *Bridge to Terabithia* in the mail, and he realized that he wanted to write for children. After Trent returned to Iowa, he earned a Masters of Fine Arts in writing for children and young adults from the Vermont College of Fine Arts so that he could improve his writing and share important stories from Afghanistan. His first book was *Words in the Dust*, published in 2011.

Currently Trent lives with his family in Spokane, Washington, where he enjoys reading, writing, bike riding, and the beautiful landscape of the inland Northwest.