

Praise for Anthony Bidulka and Flight of Aquavit:

“Few...could match [Russell Quant’s] over-the-top cleverness with words or archness of observation.”

– *Canadian Book Review Annual*

“...there is sincerity and just a hint of sage world-weariness about the self-questioning lifestyle and relationships the author draws from his charming, vulnerable detective.”

– *Canadian Book Review Annual*

“Amuse Bouche was clearly just a small sampling of the author’s greater talents, ones finely showcased in this latest offering.”

– *Outlooks (Calgary)*

“Bidulka treats the reader to enough red herrings with which to open a fishmarket and more than one writer’s fair share of keen observations and appealing *bons mots*.”

– *Outlooks (Calgary)*

“I was surprised at how “comforting” it was to be reunited with familiar characters—almost like returning to school after summer break.”

– *Outlooks (Calgary)*

“Bidulka’s writing style is light and breezy, and there’s a playfulness to it not generally found in crime fiction.”

– *Outlooks (Calgary)*

“The world of Mr. Quant is *Miami Vice* and contemporary gay Saskatoon all squeezed into one perogie.”

– *Swerve (Winnipeg)*

“...the pages turn at a frantic speed, each suspenseful chapter a chaser for the preceding.”

– *Swerve (Winnipeg)*

“...Quant is a delight to spend time with...”

– *StarPhoenix (Saskatoon)*

“The characters who inhabit Quant’s Saskatoon are fascinating...”

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“Between Quant’s quips and hard-boiled comments and the colourful cast that includes enough suspicious characters to fill a rogues’ gallery, readers will find that Detective Russell Quant is a fun guy...”

- **tobe (Ottawa)**

“What’s in the air in Saskatoon? First we have bestselling Gail Bowen, now another bright and witty novel from Anthony Bidulka...”

- **Globe & Mail (Toronto)**

“There’s plenty of action here, and Bidulka spreads it out with witty dialogue, smart commentary and plenty of good, sharp writing.”

- **Globe & Mail (Toronto)**

“...just about everything’s right with Anthony Bidulka’s fledgling series...”

- **The Free Press (London)**

“...Bidulka takes off and runs with it into a fast, compelling plot...”

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“There’s plenty to like in these books, from their clever titles...to the twists and turns that Quant must face...”

- **Jesse Montegudo (Fort Lauderdale)**

“Author Bidulka...knows how to tell a sharply-written story that’s intriguing and fun.”

- **Mandate Magazine**

“Bidulka manages to spin a compelling detective story with colourful characters, hilarious situations, and touching relationships.”

- **Midwest Book Review**

“A quality achievement for a first time author. Bravo!”

- **Midwest Book Review**