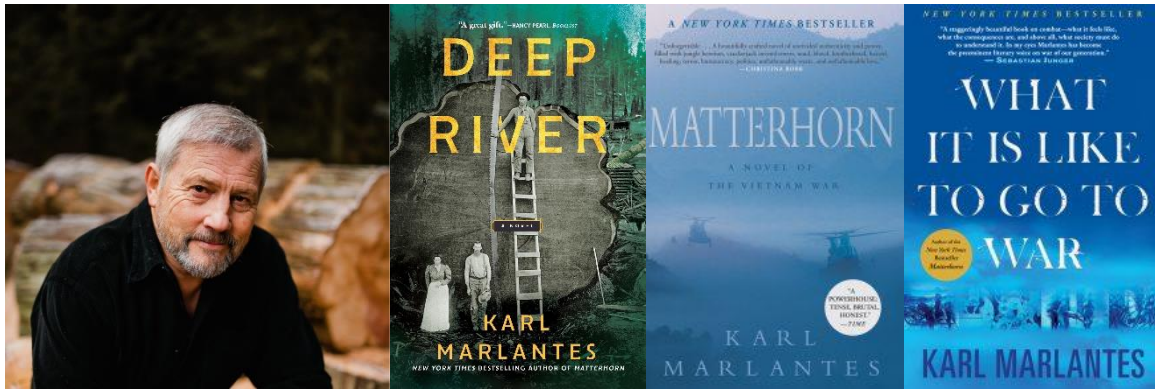


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## Orcas Island Public Library Presents Karl Marlantes, winner of the 2020 WA State Book Award for Fiction!

Eastsound – [Orcas Island Library](https://www.orcaslibrary.org/) presents a Hybrid Author Event with Karl Marlantes on the Library’s South Lawn and by Zoom meeting on September 9th at 6pm.

Hailing from the Pacific Northwest, [Karl Marlantes](#), New York Times-bestselling author of [Matterhorn](#) and [What It Is Like to Go to War](#), comes to the library to discuss his new [award winning novel Deep River](#), a rich family saga about Finnish immigrants who settle and tame the Pacific Northwest, set against the early labor movements, World War I, and the upheaval of early twentieth-century America.

To attend in-person, RSVP to [cdapogny@orcaslibrary.org](mailto:cdapogny@orcaslibrary.org).

To attend by Zoom meeting, register at [this Zoom meeting link](#).

Find the WSBA interview with Karl about *Deep River* [here](#).

*The whole novel is, in my opinion, incredibly relevant: immigration problems, income inequality problems, racism...all of those problems that I no is dealing with and organizing about are problems we have today and we still need people to get out there and carry the water...I call it doing the great work...the great work is something literature can help with. - Karl Marlantes*

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