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# City author finally publishes first novel

A Sheffield author who spent four and a half years penning his first book has finally published the novel.

Charles Naton, aged 45, who lives in Hillsborough with partner, Yvonne, rolled up his sleeves and set to work on his first novel, *Section 12* back in 2006.

He said *Section 12* was based on a number of con-

cepts, including biographies, history, metaphysics, theology and the unusual experiences of service men and women during the war.

The protagonist is Sergeant Jacob Small who grew up in the hustle and bustle of Detroit.

Small realises being special brings with it its own problems through exploiters

and manipulators.

Charles said the writing, re-writing and editing the book had been 'one heck of a learning experience' but he hopes it is the start of his creative journey and he has three more novels up his sleeve.

"I'm writing for everyone who just wants to read a good story which might have its head in the clouds, but always keep its feet on the ground," he said.

*Section 12* is published by Cortlandt Publications, costs £8.99 in paperback or £3.84 on Kindle and can be bought from Amazon or any bookshop.