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For Immediate Release:

Hadleigh House Publishing sets Fall 2024 date for
latest novel by award-winning writer Gary Goldstein

MINNEAPOLIS, MN – Hadleigh House Publishing is excited to announce that its third collaboration with author Gary Goldstein, the coming-of-age romantic dramedy *Please Come to Boston*, will be published on September 10, 2024.

Goldstein's previous novels include the romantic comedy *The Last Birthday Party* (August 2021), which won an IBPA Benjamin Franklin Award for Excellence in Fiction, and the family drama *The Mother I Never Had*, which was named one of the "Must-Read Books of Fall 2022" by *Town & Country Magazine*.

The 1975-set *Please Come to Boston* follows Nicky DeMarco, a naïve but game 18-year-old navigating his first semester at Boston University, who falls into a surprising—and life-altering—romantic triangle. The objects of his affection: Joe, a charismatic, big-hearted jock, and Lori, a warm and adventurous psych student. The three embark on a secret, joyous, and passionate journey of self-discovery as Nicky questions his sexuality—and all that entails. It turns into an emotional high-wire act with unexpected consequences for the trio's present and future, one which we flash forward to some 50 years later when Nicky and Joe reunite where it all began.

Please Come to Boston is a funny, nostalgic, and bittersweet look at first love at a time when exploring one's sexual orientation and authentic self was riskier, more uncharted territory, yet with so many of the same watershed issues that resonate today.

"We couldn't be more excited to bring *Please Come to Boston* into the world," said Allison Mann, chief executive officer of Hadleigh House. "It's a charming, beautifully written, evocative piece that's sure to catapult readers back to a special time in their own college-age lives—and beyond."

In addition to his work as an author, Goldstein is an award-winning writer for film, TV, and the theatre, with more than 30 produced screen and stage credits. A New York native (and Boston University graduate), he resides in Los Angeles. He has also been a contributing arts writer for the *LA Times* since 2007.

Please Come to Boston will be distributed in all formats through both traditional and online book retailers. For additional information contact Allison Mann at publisher@HadleighHouse.com.