I STOPPED TIME – REVIEWS

'Touching, exciting, romantic and tender, this novel shines in the deft hands of its author.' ~ Compulsion Reads

'Jane Davis is truly a writer's writer. She has taken an entire century - a feat in itself worthy of Ken Follett or Gabriel Garcia Marquez - and covered it with the richness of her characterisation, presenting a family that is beautifully flawed, brimming with affection, and inimitably human.' ~ J R Metcalf, Book Blogger

'An emotional and expertly crafted book that beautifully details how the sometimes misunderstood decisions of the past can both haunt and illuminate us in the present, I Stopped Time is a powerful read I highly recommend.' ~ Lorraine Devon Wilke, Author

'The writing is insightful and convincing and Lottie's painful story and her son's lingers on after the book is finished.' ~ Kristen Gleeson, Author

'This book voiced everything I've held inside of me as a photographer.' ~ Selah, Photographer

'A literary marvel!' ~ Liza Perratt, Author

'From its intriguing title to its perfect closing line (don't cheat and read it first!), this is a compelling story cleverly skipping between two time frames, primarily the story of the mother of a retired MP, but also weaving in the impact her choices made upon his whole life, though he barely knew her.' ~ Debbie Young, Author

'As a photographer, I loved the insights into choice of subject and style, into the emotion of the art as well as mastery of the techniques of the time.' ~ Jean Gill, Author and Photographer

'This novel has charm in abundance, due to its acutely observed settings and period detail, intriguing characters who do not give up their secrets easily, and a glorious level of background detail.' ~ Amazon Reviewer, UK

'I loved everything about it: the complex characters, the layered plot, the sense of place.' \sim Amazon Reviewer, UK

'This is my favourite read of the year so far. I think it will be hard to find something I have enjoyed reading so much for quite a while!' ~ Amazon Reviewer, UK

'So mesmerising - I rushed through too quickly - back to the beginning now to fully appreciate the captivating story.' \sim Mrs E Hanson

'Each character was so well developed that I wanted to meet some, throw rocks at others but all succeeded in getting a reaction.' ~ B Allen