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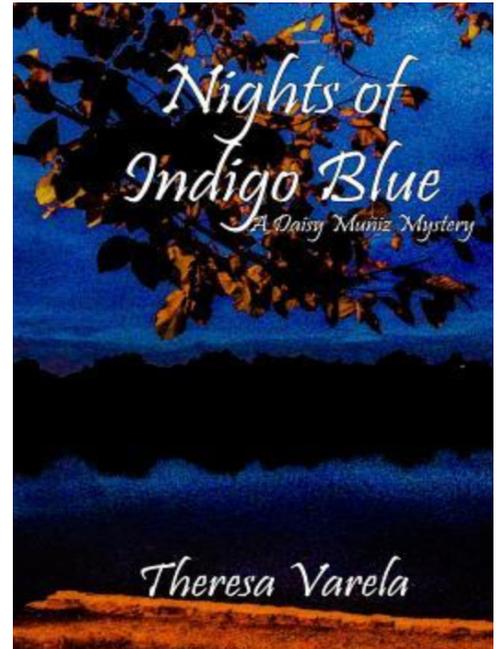
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*Daisy Muñiz is thrust into becoming an amateur sleuth
as an unexpected mystery in Park Slope, Brooklyn,
takes place when the murder of a well-known surgeon occurs.*

Daisy Muñiz is ready to embrace a fresh start in her brownstone apartment in Park Slope, Brooklyn, when she is thrust into the midst of the mysterious murder of Windsor Medical Center's most prominent surgeon, Arthur Campbell. As the secrets of the Campbell family are revealed, Daisy is forced to delve into her own troubled past. Her recent struggles in dangerous relationships with Lou and margaritas come to the forefront, and she must face a new way of doing life—vulnerably, humorously, and with cold sobriety. Daisy's new role as an amateur sleuth develops as she partners with her best friend, Jose, a first-year priest in the Orisha tradition. While Jose's own stars are crossed with those of his love, Rubio, Daisy's verve and passion are emboldened as she becomes the unwitting ally to the dynamic Detective David Rodriguez.

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