



## **Fast Facts about Burnout: the mystery of Space Shuttle STS-281**

- *Burnout* is a science fiction mystery about a Space Shuttle disaster that turns out to be no accident.
- The highly-accurate first draft was complete prior to loss of Shuttle *Columbia*.
- *Burnout* will appeal to hard science fiction fans, mystery fans, and techno-thriller fans as well as anyone interested in the space program.
- *Burnout* was written by a 20-year veteran of the space program, an experienced scientist who knew the inner workings of the program.
- The international aspect will appeal to those who love a complex conspiracy scenario.

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