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Mr. Nick Austin
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Dear Mr. Austin,

I hope this letter finds you well. Thank you for submitting your manuscript, "War is Good, Good for Nothing," for consideration at Penguin Books Publishing. We appreciate the opportunity to review your work.

After careful evaluation, we regret to inform you that we are unable to offer you a publishing contract for your book. Our decision was a difficult one, as we recognise the time and effort you have invested in your manuscript. Unfortunately, we have determined that your work may not align with our current publishing priorities and the direction we are taking with our catalogue.

Please understand that the publishing industry is highly subjective, and our decision is not a reflection of the quality of your writing or the merit of your ideas. We receive a significant number of submissions, and we must make tough decisions based on a variety of factors, including market trends, our editorial focus, and the fit within our existing list.

We appreciate your interest in Penguin Books Publishing and encourage you to consider submitting future projects as your writing career progresses. We wish you the best of luck in finding the right publishing home for your work and continued success in your writing endeavours.

Thank you again for considering Penguin Books Publishing as a potential publisher for your book.

Sincerely,

Joanne Simpson

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