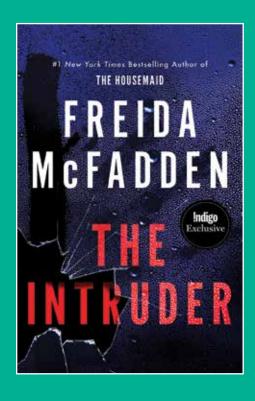
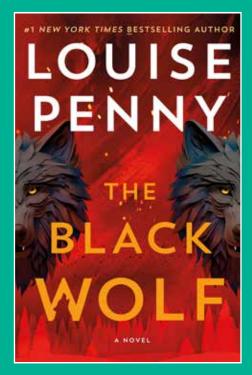
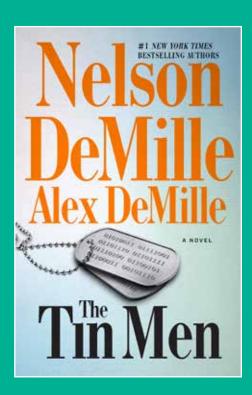


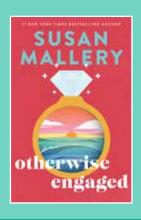
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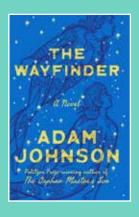
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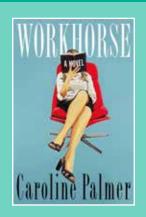














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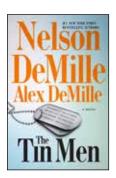
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THE TIN MEN

Scott Brodie & Maggie Taylor Series

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NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR EDITOR'S CHOICE 2

Army CID Special Agents Scott Brodie and Maggie Taylor team up for their toughest assignment yet as they are dispatched to Camp Hayden to investigate the death of Major Roger

Ames, the chief scientist in charge of the top-secret war games being conducted between a platoon of Army Rangers and a fleet of "lethal autonomous weapons." Brodie and Taylor find themselves at ground zero of the next generation of warfare and must uncover layers of deception to find the hidden hand behind the murder of Major Ames, and the real purpose of the activities at Camp Hayden and its terrifying arsenal of nextgeneration weapons.

S | ISBN: 9781420528886 | \$40.99 Thriller | Releases 11/5/2025

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FUTURE BOY

BACK TO THE FUTURE AND MY **JOURNEY THROUGH THE** SPACE-TIME CONTINUUM

Michael J. Fox, Nelle Fortenberry

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR EDITOR'S CHOICE 8

In early 1985, Michael J. Fox's days were already dedicated to taping the hit sitcom Family Ties, but then the

chance of a lifetime came his way. Soon, he committed his nights to a new time-travel adventure film being produced by Steven Spielberg — *Back to the Future*. Fox's nightly commute from a soundstage at Paramount to the back lot at Universal Studios, from one dream job to another, would become his own space-time continuum. In *Future Boy*, Fox tells the remarkable story of playing two landmark roles at the same time — a slice of entertainment history that's never been told.

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Autobiography | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 4, 6 & 8.



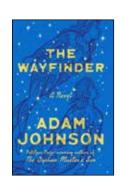
QUEEN ESTHER John Irving

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR EDITOR'S CHOICE 4

Esther Nacht is born in Vienna in 1905. Her father dies on board the ship to Portland, Maine; her mother is murdered by anti-Semites in Portland. Dr. Larch knows it won't be easy to find a Jewish family to

adopt Esther; in fact, he won't find any family who'll adopt her. When Esther is fourteen, Dr. Larch meets the Winslows, a New England family with a history of providing foster care for unadopted orphans. The Winslows aren't Jewish, but they despise anti-Semitism. Esther's gratitude for the Winslows is unending; even as she retraces her roots, she never stops loving and protecting them. In the final chapter, set in Jerusalem in 1981, Esther Nacht is seventy-six.

S | ISBN: 9781420527445 | \$37.99 General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 4, 6 & 8.



THE WAYFINDER 🥦 A NOVEL

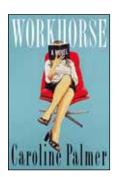
Adam Johnson

EDITOR'S CHOICE 8

The Wayfinder is a novel set in the Polynesian islands of the South Pacific during the height of the Tu'i Tonga Empire. At its heart is Kōrero, a young girl chosen to save her people from the brink of starvation.

Her guest takes her from her remote island home on a daring seafaring journey across a vast ocean empire built on power, consumption, and bloodshed. Far from a conventional swashbuckling adventure, *The Wayfinder* weaves a narrative about survival, self-discovery, and the history of the Tongan people. In this monumental literary work, Adam Johnson explores themes of indigeneity, ecological balance, and the resilience of humanity in the face of scarcity.

S | ISBN: 9781420529326 | \$37.99 General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 4, 6 & 8.



WORKHORSE A NOVEL

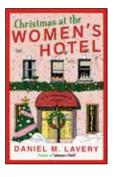
Caroline Palmer

PUBLISHER'S SHOWCASE

At the turn of the millennium, Editorial Assistant Clodagh "Clo" Harmon wants to rise through the ranks at the world's most prestigious fashion magazine. There's just one problem: she

doesn't have the right pedigree. Instead, Clo is a "workhorse" surrounded by beautiful, wealthy, impossibly well-connected "show horses" who get ahead without effort, including her cubicle-mate, Davis Lawrence, the daughter of a beloved Broadway actress. Clo wades across boundaries, taking ever greater risks to become the important person she wants to be. But who really is Clo underneath all the borrowed designer clothes and studied manners and who are we if we share her desires?

S | ISBN: 9781420524345 | \$37.99 Women's Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 4, 6 & 8.



CHRISTMAS AT THE WOMEN'S **HOTEL: A BIEDERMEIER STORY**

Women's Hotel • Book 2

Daniel M. Lavery

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Christmas at the Biedermeier Hotel means work. For much of the year, employment comes infrequently to Biedermeier residents. But during the Advent season, they're

in high demand all over the city. Katherine explores the possibility of reconnecting with a younger sister. Lucianne goes into business for herself, running a male escort agency out of her room, while Mrs. Mossler attempts to solve the mystery of the Biedermeier's skyrocketing phone bill. And Patricia and Carol have been behaving very strangely recently. Christmas is a season of wonder and mystery, after all.

S | ISBN: 9781420530681 | \$36.99 Women's Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 6 & 8.



BOG QUEEN A NOVEL **Anna North**

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR INDIE NEXT PICK

"A memorable tale of the unexpected linkages of history, land, and female power." Kirkus Reviews

When a body is found in a bog in northwest England, Agnes,

an American forensic anthropologist, is called to investigate. Though its bones prove it was buried more than two thousand years ago, it is almost completely preserved. Soon Agnes is drawn into a mystery from the distant past, called to understand and avenge the death of an Iron Age woman. Along the way, she must contend with peat-cutters who want to profit from the bog and activists who demand that the land be left undisturbed. As Agnes faces the deep history of what she has unearthed, she's also forced to question what she thought she knew about her talent, her selfreliance, and her place in the world.

S | ISBN: 9781420530797 | \$36.99 General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 6 & 8.



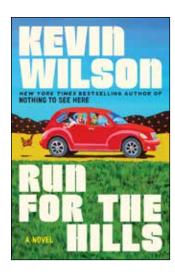
CULPABILITY A NOVEL **Bruce Holsinger**

JULY 2025 OPRAH BOOK CLUB PICK

"Holsinger seems to have created his own subgenre of psychosocial thriller, spinning super-smart, propulsive pageturners out of zeitgeisty worries." - starred, Kirkus Reviews

When the Cassidy-Shaws' autonomous minivan collides with an oncoming car, seventeen-year-old Charlie is in the driver's seat, with his father, Noah, riding shotgun. In the back seat, tweens Alice and Izzy are on their phones, while their mother, Lorelei, a world leader in the field of artificial intelligence, is absorbed in her work. Yet each family member harbors a secret that implicates them in the accident. Noah tries to hold the family together as a seemingly routine police investigation jeopardizes Charlie's future. Alice and Izzy turn strangely furtive. And Lorelei's odd behavior tugs at Noah's suspicions that there is a darker truth behind the incident.

ISBN: 9781420530650 | \$35.99 General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Top Shelf 6 & 8.



RUN FOR THE HILLS

A NOVEL

Kevin Wilson

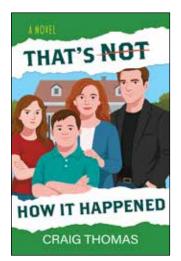
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR INDIE NEXT PICK LIBRARY READS PICK

"Fans will pounce on the latest from this beloved author of offbeat family fiction." — Booklist

Ever since her dad left them twenty years ago, it's been just Madeline Hill and her mom on their farm in Tennessee. Then one day Reuben Hill pulls up and informs Madeline that he believes she's his half-sister. Reuben has hired a detective to track down their father and a string of other half siblings. And he wants Mad to join him for the craziest kind of road trip imaginable to find them all. As Mad and Rube — and eventually the others — share stories of their father, they question what he was looking for with every new incarnation. Who are they to one another? What kind of man will they find? And how will these new relationships change Mad's life on the farm?

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THAT'S NOT HOW IT HAPPENED

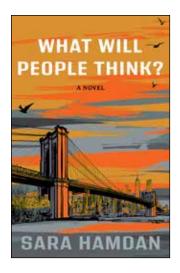
A NOVEL

Craig Thomas

From the Emmy-nominated co-creator and Executive Producer of How I Met Your Mother, this smart, funny, bighearted novel for fans of Steven Rowley and Monica Heisey follows a family turned upside down when Hollywood decides to make a movie version of their lives. Paige didn't set out to be a stay-at-home mom, but when her husband's screenwriting career took off right before they had a son with Down syndrome, the decision was made for her. Now, with their children nearly grown, Paige writes a memoir about raising a child with a disability. When a producer shows up, eager to make her story into a movie, it just might be the comeback her husband, Rob, needs. Meanwhile, Emmett doesn't understand why people think his Down syndrome is the most important thing in his life. Their daughter, Darcy, couldn't care less about the whole thing because she's hardly even in their mom's book. Will this "feel-good" movie be the end of them?

S | ISBN: 9781420529661 | \$36.99

General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Top Shelf 8.



WHAT WILL PEOPLE THINK? 🤘



A NOVEL

Sara Hamdan

2025 FALLON SUMMER BOOK CLUB HONORABLE MENTION

"Beautifully written . . . Hamdan's compelling debut will provoke thoughtful discussion and is recommended for readers who enjoyed James McBride's The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store or Etaf Rum's Evil Eye." — starred, Library Journal

Mia Almas has a secret. By day, she works as a media fact checker, and by night, she takes to the stages of New York City comedy clubs. She holds herself back in a lot of ways, until Phaedra, her stylish new neighbor, inspires Mia to take a few risks. As Mia pursues a forbidden romance with her boss, her standup gets better and bolder, leading to a surprise spotlight that exposes her secret gig. Worried that her rebellious act could mean big consequences for her reserved Palestinian-American family, Mia frantically dives into damage control. But all of her efforts to pull back from the spotlight expose a family scandal from the 1940s that could change everything.

ISBN: 9781420530919 | \$35.99

General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Top Shelf 8.



GIRL DINNER A NOVEL Olivie Blake

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR EDITOR'S CHOICE 7

Every member of The House, the most exclusive sorority on campus, is beautiful, high-achieving, and respected. Sophomore Nina Kaur knows being accepted into The

House is the first step in her path to the brightest possible future. Adjunct professor Dr. Sloane Hartley is struggling to return to work after 18 months at home with her newborn daughter. When invited to be The House's academic liaison, Sloane enviously drinks in the way the alumnae seem to have it all. As Nina and Sloane get drawn deeper into the sisterhood, they learn that living well comes with bloody costs, and they will have to decide just how much they can stomach in the name of solidarity and power.

S | ISBN: 9781420528053 | \$40.99 Fantasy | Releases 11/5/2025

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THE BLACK WOLF

A NOVEL

Chief Inspector Gamache Novel

Louise Penny

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR EDITOR'S CHOICE 1

Several weeks ago, Chief Inspector Armand Gamache of the Sûreté du Québec stopped a domestic terrorist attack in Montréal, arresting the man

they called the Black Wolf. In a sickening turn of events, Gamache has realized that plot was just the beginning. Something deeper and darker is planned. Recovering from wounds received in stopping the first attack, Armand is confined to the village of Three Pines, leading a covert investigation from there. From the apparent peace of his little village, Gamache finds himself playing a lethal game with an invisible foe who is preparing to strike.

S | ISBN: 9781420528275 | \$40.99 Mystery | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in High Octane 4, 6 & 8.



THE SWORD OF LIGHT A NOVEL Heather Graham

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

The mystical Tuatha Dé Danann walked the hills of ancient Ireland long before the first Rí, or king, ever ruled the land. Before they stepped back to make way for mankind, they left behind objects of

incredible power that would reveal themselves when most needed. Deidre, the daughter of a Rí, and Kylin, the son of a Northman who found peace and a home in Éire, begin seeing visions of these fantastical gifts. The revelation that a traitor exists among the many lrish kings forces them to work together using their newfound powers in defense of their homeland. As all they hold dear comes under threat, it may be more than just dreams that the two begin to share.

S | ISBN: 9781420528725 | \$37.99 Fantasy | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in High Octane 4, 6 & 8.



THE EVERLASTING *** Alix E. Harrow

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR PUBLISHER'S SHOWCASE

"An epic time-travel fantasy about how stories from the past can shape our future." — Kirkus Reviews

Sir Una Everlasting was Dominion's greatest hero: the orphaned girl who became a knight, who died for queen

and country. Her legend lives on in songs and stories, in children's books and recruiting posters — but her life as it truly happened has been forgotten. Centuries later, Owen Mallory — failed soldier, struggling scholar — falls in love with the tale of Una Everlasting. Her story takes him to war and then into the past itself. Una and Owen are tangled together in time, bound to retell the same story over and over again, no matter what it costs. But that story always ends the same way. If they want to rewrite Una's legend, they'll have to rewrite history itself.

S | ISBN: 9781420529203 | \$37.99 Fantasy | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in High Octane 4, 6 & 8.



THE DEVILS Joe Abercrombie

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER USA TODAY BESTSELLER LIBRARY READS PICK

Holy work sometimes requires unholy deeds. Brother Diaz has been summoned to the Sacred City, where he is certain a commendation and grand holy assignment awaits

him. But his new flock is made up of unrepentant murderers, practitioners of ghastly magic, and outright monsters. The mission he is tasked with will require bloody measures from them all in order to achieve its righteous ends. Elves lurk at our borders and hunger for our flesh, while greedy princes care for nothing but their own ambitions and comfort. With a hellish journey before him, it's a good thing Brother Diaz has the devils on his side.

ISBN: 9781420530766 | \$35.99 Fantasy | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in High Octane 6 & 8.



THE CRUEL DAWN

Vallendor Duology • Book 2

Rachel Howzell Hall

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Kaivara Megidrail was once worshipped as the Grand Defender of Vallendor — until betrayal, punishment, and exile left her Diminished. Now, the realm she abandoned teeters on the edge

of collapse. Monsters roam free. Gods whisper in shadows. And one man — Jadon Wake, prince, blacksmith, liar — may be the key to her salvation . . . or her final ruin. Haunted by the past, hunted by divine enemies, and armed with only fractured Memories and an unrelenting will, Kaivara must choose: reclaim her power and face the truth about Jadon, or watch Vallendor fall to a traitorous god's rising.

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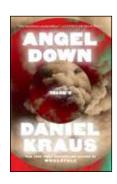
SHAW CONNOLLY LIVES TO TELL A NOVEL **Gillian French**

"What sets this book apart is its ability to include humor alongside the heaviness that accompanies grief, crimes, and loss in a way that still feels authentic." — Library Journal

Shaw Connolly is no stranger to trauma. As a fingerprints analyst, she

is one of the first on-site for crimes. But the tragedy of her little sister's disappearance sixteen years ago has always weighed on her the most. She can't let it go and has even started taking calls from a man named Anders who all but claims to have committed the crime. His calls go to the next level as he reveals just how much he knows about Shaw's personal life. As his stalking escalates to threats on her and her family's lives, he begins to show just how dangerous he might be. Shaw is too desperate for answers to hang up now. The only question left is what she must lose to learn the truth.

ISBN: 9781420530216 | \$35.99 Mystery | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in High Octane 8.



ANGEL DOWN *** A NOVEL **Daniel Kraus**

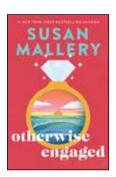
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"A bold and exceptional novel . . . Kraus has taken the classic war story and crafted something completely unique." — starred, Library Journal

Private Cyril Bagger has managed to survive the unspeakable horrors

of the Great War, but his survival instincts are put to the ultimate test when he and four other grunts are given a deadly mission: venture into the perilous No Man's Land to euthanize a wounded comrade. What they find, however, is not a man in need of mercy but a fallen angel, seemingly struck down by artillery fire. This celestial being may hold the key to ending the brutal conflict, but only if the soldiers can work together. As jealousy, greed, and paranoia take hold, the group is torn apart by their inner demons, threatening to turn their angelic encounter into a descent into hell.

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Susan Mallery

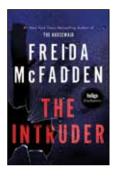
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR EDITOR'S CHOICE 4

When Shannon gets engaged, her mom, Cindy, is the first person she wants to tell — and the last. Cindy's engaged, too, and has hinted at a double wedding. Victoria has never

been enough for her mother, Ava, so she stopped trying. Chance brings the four women together, where a shocking secret comes out. Twenty-four years ago, desperate teenager Cindy chose wealthy Ava to adopt her baby — then changed her mind at the last second. The loss rocked Ava's world, leaving her unable to open her heart to the daughter she did adopt, Victoria. As Shannon and Victoria deal with the fallout, they wrestle with whether who they are is different than who they might have become.

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THE INTRUDER Freida McFadden

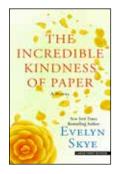
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
USA TODAY BESTSELLER
PUBLISHERS WEEKLY BESTSELLING
AUTHOR
SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE 3

Casey's cabin in the wilderness is not built for a hurricane. Her roof

shakes, the lights flicker, and the tree outside her front door sways ominously in the wind. But she's a lot more worried about the girl she discovers lurking outside her kitchen window. She's young. She's alone. And she's covered in blood. The girl won't explain where she came from, or loosen her grip on the knife in her right hand. And when Casey makes a disturbing discovery in the middle of the night, things take a turn for the worse. The girl has a dark secret. One she'll kill to keep. And if Casey gets too close to the truth, she may not live to see the morning.

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THE INCREDIBLE KINDNESS 🔀 OF PAPER

A NOVEL **Evelyn Skye**

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

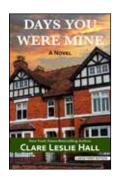
"A heartfelt, feel-good novel full of warmth [and] wonder. Perfect for anyone in need of a little hope." — starred, Library Journal

In elementary school, Chloe Hanako Quinn is assigned Oliver Jones as

her pen pal partner. It would be the beginning of a friendship that would bloom until Oliver and his family disappear without a trace. Now Chloe is a high school guidance counselor in New York City. But life is not what she dreamed it would be. She gives herself a pep talk via uplifting messages written on yellow origami paper that she folds into roses. A desire to spread kindness and optimism is sparked in Chloe, who begins folding more roses and leaving them around town. When a specific one finds its way into Oliver's hands, it changes his life forever.

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DAYS YOU WERE MINE A NOVEL

Clare Leslie Hall

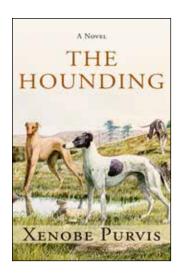
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Luke and Hannah live a happy and stable life in London, working in jobs they love as they prepare for the arrival of their first child, Samuel. All his life, Luke has known he was adopted, but he's never felt the

need to seek out his birth mother — until he becomes a father himself. Spurred by the connection he feels to his son, Luke's search leads him to his birth mother Alice. Their first encounter is surreal, a sharp prick that barely scratches the surface of a painful past that neither of them has fully confronted. As the truth of who Alice is comes to light, she and Luke must reckon with the sacrifices they've made in the pursuit of love and belonging.

ISBN: 9781420529173 | \$35.99

Romantic Suspense | Releases 11/5/2025 Available in Dynamic Drama 6 & 8.



THE HOUNDING 🐋

A NOVEL

Xenobe Purvis

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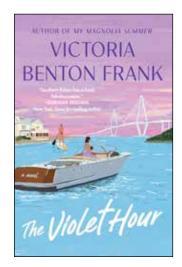
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"Purvis is a skillful writer, creating a story that is part historical fiction, part feminist cautionary tale, and wholly engaging." — Library Journal

Little Nettlebed is a village steeped in the uncanny. But when the villagers start to hear barking, and one claims to see the Mansfield sisters transform before his very eyes, the allegations spark fascination and fear like nothing before. The truth is that though the inhabitants of Little Nettlebed have never much liked the Mansfield girls, they've always had plenty to say about them. As the rotating perspectives of five villagers make clear, now is no exception. Even if local belief in witchcraft is waning, these conflicting narratives all point to the same conclusion: Something isn't right in Little Nettlebed, and the sisters will be the ones to pay for it.

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THE VIOLET HOUR

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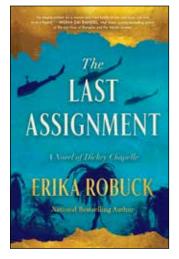
Victoria Benton Frank

"Perfect for summer reading, this engaging novel will delight fans of Frank's previous book and those who enjoy the fiction of her late mother, Dorothea Benton Frank." — Library Journal

Violet Adams is the perfect, youngest child in a family of loud, passionate women on Sullivan's Island, South Carolina. As the sweet, traditional one, she's always been the steady hand in her family but after a sudden breakup and subsequent tragedy, she doesn't know who she is anymore. Aly Knox, Violet's best friend, is a young influencer still struggling with the loss of her mother and adjusting to joining Violet in Southern living. With her best friend's help, Violet is determined to break out of her shell — and who she thought she was — no matter what. And what better place to look for success, meaning, and possibly love than the Lowcountry of South Carolina?

ISBN: 9781420530261 | \$35.99

Women's Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Dynamic Drama 8.



THE LAST ASSIGNMENT

A NOVEL OF DICKEY CHAPELLE

Erika Robuck

"The portrayal of Chapelle rings true in this riveting read for audiences who enjoy realism and representation in their historical fiction." — Library Journal

Manhattan, 1954. In the aftermath of an assignment gone wrong, a flame is lit deep inside Georgette "Dickey" Chapelle — to be the world's witness to war from the front lines. Never content to report on battles unless her own boots are on the ground, Dickey and her camera journey with soldiers from frozen wastelands to raging seas to luscious jungles, revealing one woman's extraordinary courage in the face of discrimination and danger. And in Dickey's desire to save the world, she realizes she might also be saving herself. At a time when a woman's heroic spirit often gave way to homeland reality, Dickey blazed a trail for the revolutionary hearts inside us all.

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Historical | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Dynamic Drama 8.



FIVE GOLDEN WINGS

A Meg Langslow Mystery

Donna Andrews

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR AGATHA AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

Two of Meg's cousins are getting married, and both have chosen Caerphilly for their Christmas destination wedding . . . on the same day, in the same venues. But

while they're cousins they're also lifelong enemies. It was going badly even before Meg stumbles over the murdered body of the wedding photographer. Unfortunately, there are plenty of suspects. The photographer has been slinking around and taking candid shots that are unflattering, embarrassing . . . occasionally even incriminating. Can Meg help nab the killer in time for the weddings to go on as planned? Unless, of course, the killer was one of the brides or grooms.

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SUGAR AND SPITE

An Agatha Raisin Mystery

M. C. Beaton, with R.W. Green

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

When a series of deaths within the small Cotswolds birdwatching community begins to unravel her village, Agatha and her team at Raisin Investigators are certain there has been foul play involved.

Now, they must dig up decades' worth of tempestuous relationships and simmering secrets among the birdwatching enthusiasts of the village in order to prevent any further deaths. But Agatha has her work cut out for her. She will have to break out her binoculars to solve the murders. Will she be able to gather all the breadcrumbs and put together the clues before she becomes a sitting duck herself?

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AND TO ALL A GOOD BITE

An Andy Carpenter Mystery

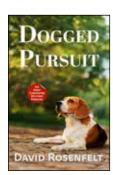
David Rosenfelt

EDGAR-NOMINATED AUTHOR SHAMUS AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

Lawyer Andy Carpenter's excited to finally relax. But there's a murder related to an old case in New Jersey. Two years ago, a gas leak in an office building led to an explosion that

killed seven people. Jeff Wheeler was there and ran into the building to help. All he heard was the barking of a dog, Rufus, and was able to save and adopt him. Jeff believed one of the building owners was responsible for the tragedy. Now that owner has been murdered, Jeff is arrested for the crime, and Rufus is left with Jeff's sister, who begs Andy to take the case. Andy remembered Jeff's tremendous bravery and decides to help reunite the two.

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DOGGED PURSUIT

An Andy Carpenter Mystery

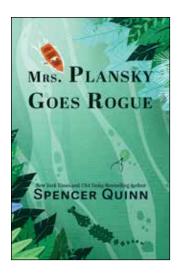
David Rosenfelt

"Series fans will enjoy this look back to the characters' beginnings, while newcomers will find a compelling mystery that might inspire them to jump into the other Andy Carpenter *novels."* — Library Journal

Andy Carpenter has spent the three years since graduating law school

working as a prosecutor in Paterson. But having seen how the system never looks out for the little guy, he leaves to start his own practice as a defense attorney. He goes to the shelter to adopt a dog, where he meets his beloved golden retriever, Tara, for the first time. The shelter is crowded and Tara's been sharing space with a dog named Sunny. Andy discovers that Sunny's owner, Ryan Tierney, has been arrested for the murder of his ex-boss. But he takes an immediate liking to Ryan and his clear dedication to his dog and ends up with his first case.

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MRS. PLANSKY GOES ROGUE 🥎



Mrs. Plansky

Spencer Quinn

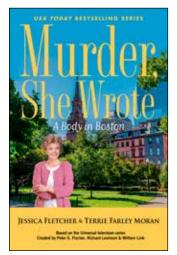
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR USA TODAY BESTSELLER

"Quinn's heroine brings the same charm, humor, and sturdy constitution that readers enjoyed from book one. Mrs. Plansky uses others' perceptions of older people to her detecting advantage to find answers." *starred,* Library Journal

Mrs. Plansky is fresh off of winning a senior tennis championship with her doubles partner, Kev Dinardo, and is gearing up to celebrate with him on his yacht. That is, until the yacht is destroyed in a fire. Already certain there's more going on than she's being told, Mrs. Plansky's curiosity turns to concern when Kev goes missing. Her suspicion leads her to break into his house, only to find it ransacked. But Kev isn't the only person Mrs. Plansky has to worry about. A conversation with her dad reveals that not long ago, he'd introduced Kev to Jack, Mrs. Plansky's wayward tennis pro son. And now Jack has gone missing, too.

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Mystery | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Mystery 3 & 5.



MURDER, SHE WROTE: A BODY IN BOSTON

A Murder, She Wrote Mystery

Jessica Fletcher & Terrie Farley Moran

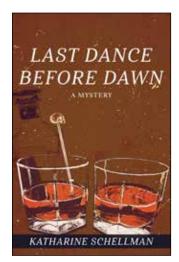
USA TODAY BESTSELLER

"This installment in the series is a fun jaunt akin to Jessica's meandering bike rides as it follows her path through the novel's twists and turns, with lots of capers and worthwhile characters." — Library Journal

Invited to deliver a lecture at the Boston Public Library, Jessica Fletcher excitedly makes plans to see local friends. Naturally that includes dinner at Gilhooley's with PI Harry McGraw. Cookie, Gilhooley's longtime bartender, asked Harry to investigate his daughter Aileen's boyfriend. While Jessica wonders how best to approach Aileen, the young woman stumbles into Gilhooley's covered in blood. She just discovered her boyfriend's corpse — and quickly becomes the chief suspect in his murder!

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Women Sleuths | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Mystery 5.



LAST DANCE BEFORE DAWN

A MYSTERY

The Nightingale Mysteries

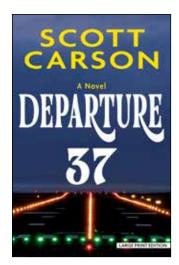
Katharine Schellman

"A lively, sprawling crime story that captures the vibrancy of the Roaring '20s." — Kirkus Reviews

Vivian Kelly has finally created a home and a family at the glamorous speakeasy known as The Nightingale. When a stranger from Chicago shows up looking to settle old scores, Vivian and the Nightingale's owner, Honor Huxley, send him packing. They soon discover, though, that the stranger was just a warning. Slowly, the people who have made The Nightingale their home realize that someone is following them. Hunting them. Vivian just wants to protect the people she loves, and she's willing to dig into the past to make it happen. But now that Vivian has built a family for herself, she has more to lose than ever before.

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Mystery | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Mystery 5.



DEPARTURE 37

A NOVEL

Scott Carson

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"In this striking thriller, Carson nimbly entwines a contemporary coming-of-age story with a tale of Cold War paranoia. It's a winner." — Publishers Weekly

On a clear October day, the American skies empty after hundreds of pilots refuse to fly. The pilots received disturbing, middle-of-the-night calls from their mothers, and each had a simple and urgent request: do not fly today. While the nation's military chiefs and artificial intelligence experts search for answers, a sixteen-year-old girl named Charlie on the coast of Maine watches a strange, silvery balloon drift across the water and toward her home — a place she loathes. Her new home is ground zero for a story that begins at a naval base in Indiana during the winter of 1962, when a physicist named Martin Hazelton discovered something extraordinary — and deadly.

ISBN: 9781420526530 | \$36.99 Thriller | Releases 11/19/2025



GUESS AGAIN Charlie Donlea

Ten years ago, high school volleyball star Callie Jones vanished. The case went cold, but the echoes still linger. Ethan Hall, a former detective, left law enforcement to escape the horrors of the kid crime division. But on the tenth anniversary of Callie's disappearance, his former partner makes a desperate request. To ease his conscience and get closure for the Jones family, he needs Ethan to solve what happened. Ethan's investigation draws him deeper into a twisted psychological game. Because there is much more to the nightmare of Callie's disappearance than he imagined, including a connection with his own past . . . and secrets that are still worth killing for.

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SOMEONE KNOWS A NOVEL

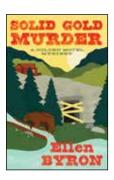
Vi Keeland

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"Keeland keeps her foot on the gas from the first page to the last, and she makes it nearly impossible to root against Elizabeth, despite her transgressions. Readers will be up all night." — Publishers Weekly

As a college English professor, Elizabeth looks forward to the start of each new semester teaching her creative writing seminar. At least until she reads chapter one of *The Reckoning*, a tale about a high school senior who has an affair with her teacher. To anyone else it would be the beginning of a great page-turner, but to Elizabeth it is the beginning of the end. She knows this story because she lived it. The girl in the story was her best friend Jocelyn, and Elizabeth knows exactly how the story will end — with the professor dead. Because she was the one who killed him. Someone knows what Elizabeth did twenty years ago and her secret is about to be exposed.

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SOLID GOLD MURDER **Ellen Byron**

USA TODAY BESTSELLER

With summer looming, Dee Stern has one goal — scrubbing her motel's moniker as the "Murder Motel." She is excited to introduce a familyfriendly panning activity complete with fool's gold in time for the peak tourist months. Except she couldn't

have anticipated the discovery of real gold or the ensuing frenzy. The instant popularity proves great for business, but it also attracts a group of techies with dreams of striking it rich — again. Dee finds herself particularly annoyed by the insufferably smug Sylvan Burr, but things take a sinister turn when Sylvan meets a grim fate, leaving Dee at the center of a deadly mystery that could end her days as a motelier.

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SOMETHING WHISKERED

A Cat in the Stacks Mystery

Miranda James

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Charlie Harris and his wife, Helen Louise Brady, have arrived in Ireland for their honeymoon. After a few days in Dublin, they head to County Clare, ancestral home to Helen Louise's extended family, the

O'Bradys. But upon arrival, the newlyweds are shocked to see a body falling from the roof. The dead man is centenarian Finn, Baron O'Brady, Lorcan's grandfather, which means that Lorcan now becomes the new Baron O'Brady. Charlie and Helen Louise realize the local garda can't solve the crime alone, and they will have to investigate themselves or risk something wicked coming their way.

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THAT MISSING PIECE IS **KILLING ME**

An Alice Pepper Lonely Hearts and Puzzle Club Mystery • Book 2

Roz Noonan

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Michelle Chong is a well-liked fixture in the West Hazel community, despite being married to the temperamental artist, Lars Olsen. When she

disappears, people don't blame her for fleeing her marriage. Still, Alice has her suspicions. When Alice receives a custom-made puzzle, she and her friends get to work on it, but they're stymied by a missing piece. With evidence pointing to Michelle's disappearance being planned, a shocking chain of events, culminating in murder, makes Alice question if any piece of the past can ever be put to rest.

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SEVEN SECRET SPELLCASTERS

A Kitchen Witch Mystery

Lynn Cahoon

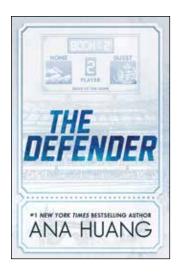
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR USA TODAY BESTSELLER

Besides her witch's training, Mia has a lot on her plate. She has almost completed her apprenticeship with Grans and must decide if she will join the coven. At the same time, her

boyfriend Trent's familiar Maltese, Cerby, has flunked out of hellhound training. What's more, the National Office of Magical Creatures has sent an investigator to check out suspicions regarding Trent and Cerby. But when the investigator is found floating dead in the river behind Trent's cabin with Cerby's paw prints nearby, Mia's boyfriend and his furry friend become murder suspects. Now she'll have to use her powers of investigation to save them both.

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THE DEFENDER

Gods of the Game • Book 2

Ana Huang

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR USA TODAY BESTSELLER

As the captain of Blackcastle Football Club, Vincent DuBois should be on top of the world. But when his fame brings danger to his doorstep, he finds himself in his worst nightmare scenario — secretly sharing a flat with his coach's daughter, knowing full well she's far too big a temptation for him to resist. As a sports nutritionist and the daughter of a legendary coach, Brooklyn Armstrong is used to dealing with hotshot athletes. However, no player gets under her skin like Vincent. But no matter how many sparks fly between them, a relationship between the captain and the coach's daughter could never work . . . could it?

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Contemporary Romance | Releases 11/19/2025 | Available in Romance 2, 3 & 4.



HE FALLS FIRST

Colburn Brothers • Book 1

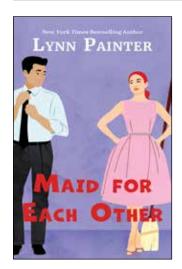
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NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR USA TODAY BESTSELLER

Ryder Colburn has his hands full running the family business and caring for his ailing father. He's got zero time for hobbies or women. Or so he thinks until one walks into his life . . . and the path of an oncoming car. Penny's sharing a dilapidated house in a tiny California town with her grandmother and tween brother living off the leftovers from her catering job. It's a far cry from her dream life. But who needs dreams . . . or love . . . or sex when there's amateur plumbing projects to tackle and breakfast casseroles to bake? One thing's for sure, she's never falling in love again. Not even with the sexy, snarky contractor who keeps testing the walls she's built.

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Romance General | Releases 11/19/2025 | Available in Romance 3 & 4.



MAID FOR EACH OTHER **Lynn Painter**

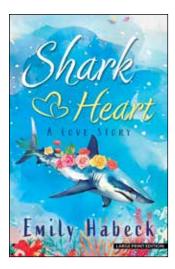
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR USA TODAY BESTSELLER PUBLISHERS WEEKLY BESTSELLER LIBRARY READS PICK

"Filled with laughs and a warmhearted spirit, this quick-reading romance from Painter is a charmer." Library Journal

Professional cleaner Abi Mariano needs somewhere to stay. Then the solution presents itself: The owner of the penthouse she cleans is out of town. It goes great . . . until one morning she finds two strangers in the kitchen. They're the parents of the penthouse owner, and they seem to think they've heard all about Abi — not as their son's maid but as his girlfriend. But Declan Powell doesn't actually have a girlfriend — he made her up to get everyone off his back. When Dex finds out who Abi really is, he makes her a proposition: pretend to date him, and he'll provide everything she needs during their little arrangement. It's purely business, no pleasure . . . right?

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Contemporary | Releases 11/19/2025 | Available in Romance 4.



SHARK HEART A LOVE STORY **Emily Habeck**

USA TODAY BESTSELLER INDIE NEXT PICK **NEW YORK TIMES EDITORS' CHOICE**

A BOOKLIST EDITOR'S CHOICE

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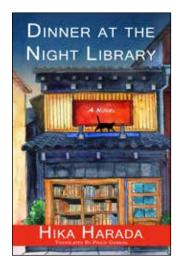
AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS ASSOCIATION INDIES INTRODUCE ADULT PICK

"A bit Shakespeare, a bit Kafka, and a bit Disney . . . [this] debut stands out from the pack." — Kirkus Reviews

For Lewis and Wren, their first year of marriage is also their last. A few weeks after their wedding, Lewis receives a rare diagnosis. He will retain most of his consciousness, memories, and intellect, but his physical body will gradually turn into a great white shark. As Lewis develops the features of one of the most predatory creatures in the ocean, his heart struggles to make peace with his unfulfilled dreams. At first, Wren resists her husband's fate. Is there a way for them to be together after Lewis changes? Then, a glimpse of Lewis's developing carnivorous nature activates long-repressed memories for Wren, and she is forced to make an impossible choice.

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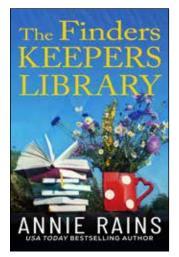
A NOVEL

Hika Harada

All Otaha Higuchi wants to do is work with books. However, the exhausting nature of her work at a chain bookstore, combined with her paltry salary and irritating manager bring reality crashing down around her. She is on the verge of quitting when she receives a message from somebody inviting her to apply for a job at a place referred to simply as "The Night Library." As well as a treasure trove of books, the library houses a group of literary misfits. But when the library's mysterious owner decides to temporarily close the library, Otaha and her friends fear that it may not reopen. Is their friendship and their faith in the value of books strong enough to save it?

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Women's Fiction | Releases 11/19/2025



THE FINDERS KEEPERS LIBRARY

Love in Bloom • Book 1

Annie Rains

USA TODAY BESTSELLER

"Oozes with small town charm, making it a satisfying read for anyone who has ever enjoyed a Hallmark movie." — Booklist

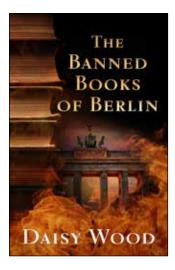
Savannah Collins has no job, no relationship, and no place to live. She heads to North Carolina, to spend the summer with her Aunt Eleanor, a retired librarian. Her aunt shares her love of literature with the Finders Keepers Library, where anyone can stop by to take or leave a book. Savannah bonds with their neighbor Evan Sanders over the books that Eleanor has specially handpicked for each of them. Savannah only intends to stay through the summer, but when an unexpected job offer, a sudden health crisis, and a wayward pre-teen push her in new directions, she has to wonder whether this is the place that she is meant to be.

ISBN: 9781420530803 | \$27.99 Romance | Releases 11/19/2025

THE LAMPLIGHTER'S BOOKSHOP **Sophie Austin**

Every book tells a story. Every heart hides a secret. When Evelyn Seaton answers an advertisement for an assistant at a forgotten bookshop in York, she is not the only one with something to hide. There she meets the enigmatic and prickly William Morton, an aspiring writer keeping secrets of his own. But when the walls that Evelyn has built around herself start to crumble, there is only one person she can turn to. As the layers are brushed away, can Evelyn and William find the courage to write the next chapter of their story?

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THE BANNED BOOKS OF BERLIN **Daisy Wood**

Berlin, 1933. The skies are burning bright with huge bonfires of banned books. The Nazi party is swelling in number and Berlin is no longer a safe place for young Freya. She can only watch on, horrified, as her beloved city falls to fascism — and the usually lawabiding Freya is forced to make a choice: continue being a bystander or sacrifice herself to save the lives of others. New York, present day. Maddie is surprised to come across a prewar German diary among her Grandpa's things and shocked by what she finds. So begins a journey that will take Maddie beyond America as she searches for the truth about Freya and how she changed people's lives across the globe.

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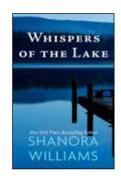
HARMATTAN SEASON *** A NOVEL

Tochi Onyebuchi

"Onyebuchi . . . writes a compelling mystery, adds corrupt politics, a feet-on-the-ground exploration of postcolonialism . . . , and a jaundiced discussion of the supposed good old days . . . [A] highly recommended hardboiled fantasy mystery." — starred, Library Journal

Veteran and private eye Boubacar doesn't need much — least of all trouble — but trouble always seems to find him. When a bleeding woman stumbles onto his doorway, only to vanish just as quickly, Bouba reluctantly finds himself enmeshed in the secrets of a city boiling on the brink of violence. The French occupiers are keen to keep the peace at any cost, and the indigenous dugulen have long been shattered into restless factions vying for a chance to reclaim their lost heritage and abilities. As each hard-won clue reveals horrifying new truths, Bouba may have to carve out parts of himself he's long kept hidden and decide what he's willing to offer next.

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WHISPERS OF THE LAKE **Shanora Williams**

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR USA TODAY BESTSELLER

Investigative reporter Rose Howard is exhausted from trying to manage her seemingly perfect life. While striving for a promotion, her efforts are interrupted when she learns her former best friend and travel vlogger,

Eve Castillo, isn't responding to attempts to contact her at the North Carolina cottage she's reviewing. Rose heads to the tranquil small town of Sage Hill and soon discovers that Eve has vanished. To get answers, Rose will have to ask inconvenient questions, stumble onto shocking truths, and face vicious attempts on her life. But some truths are best left alone. And secrets Rose never saw coming could easily sink her, and her future, without a trace.

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Thriller | Releases 11/19/2025 Available in Black Voices 2, 3 & 4.



THE GAME IS AFOOT 🜟

A NOVEL

Mavis Miller Mysteries

Elise Bryant

"A fast-paced, warm portrait of a devoted mother trying her best . . . A must-read for fans of It's Elementary, but newcomers will also enjoy meeting feisty Mavis." — Library Journal

After rage quitting her job, Mavis finally has time to get all the rest she's been putting off. Except her hours are filled with chauffeuring her daughter, Pearl, around to her extracurricular activities, somehow ending up class mom, and . . . investigating another mystery? When Coach Cole, the director of the kids' soccer program, drops dead, the police discover something suspicious left on the field, making it clear that someone had it in for the coach. Mavis knows a murder investigation isn't the self-care she needs right now. But how are you supposed to take care of yourself when you don't even know who you are anymore?

ISBN: 9781420529500 | \$33.99 Mystery | Releases 11/19/2025 Available in Black Voices 3 & 4.



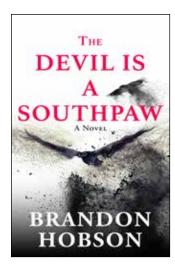
A SUMMER FOR THE BOOKS Michelle Lindo-Rice

Between her writer's block and her husband losing his job, Jewel Stone's life is in shambles. And inspiration just isn't hitting . . . until her former best friend needs her help. When Shelby Andrews wakes up in the hospital after a biking accident, she can't remember the last twelve

years. She has no memory of Lacey, her nineteen-yearold adopted daughter who's away for the summer. Jewel and Shelby haven't spoken in years. Yet Jewel can't turn away from the friend who doesn't remember their fallout. But when they learn Lacey's really spending her summer searching for her birth parents, their tentative reunion might just unravel along with all of their secrets.

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THE DEVIL IS A SOUTHPAW

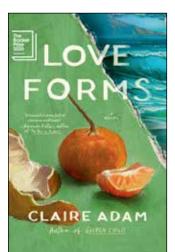
A NOVEL

Brandon Hobson

Milton Muleborn has envied Matthew Echota, a talented Cherokee artist, ever since they were locked up together in a dangerous juvenile detention center in the late 1980s. Until Matthew escaped, that is. A novel within a novel, we read here Milton's dark, sometimes comic, and possibly unreliable account of the story of their childhood even as, years later, he remains jealous of Matthew's extraordinary abilities and unlikely success. Milton reveals secrets about their friendship, their families, and their nightmarish, surreal, experience of imprisonment. In revisiting the past, he explores the echoing traumas of incarceration and pride.

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General Fiction | Releases 11/5/2025 | Available in Diverse Voices 2 & 3.



LOVE FORMS A NOVEL **Claire Adam**

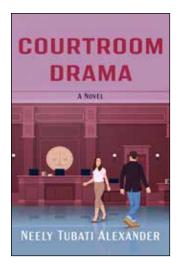
SHELF AWARENESS PICK

"Gripping and heart-rending." — starred, Publishers Weekly

At fifty-eight, with a divorce behind her and her two grown sons, Dawn should be trying to settle into a new future for herself. But she keeps returning to the past and the secret she's kept all these years. At just sixteen, Dawn found herself pregnant, and her parents sent her away to have the baby and give her up for adoption. More than forty years later, Dawn yearns to reconnect with her lost daughter. But tracking down her child is not easy. It's an emotional journey that leads Dawn to retrace her steps — from Trinidad to Venezuela to London — and to question not only that fateful decision she'd made as a teenager but every turn in the road of her life since.

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COURTROOM DRAMA

A NOVEL

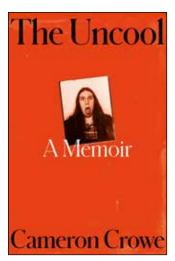
Neely Tubati Alexander

"A good pick for all romance collections, Alexander's . . . funny and moving novel is likely to be popular with reality television fans and those who enjoy the estranged friends-to-lovers trope."— Library Journal

When Margot Kitsch, a cast member of the reality show Authentic Moms of Malibu is arrested after the death of her husband, Sydney Parks knows being selected for the jury is the most interesting thing that ever happened to her. When she learns that her childhood best friend, Damon, is also a jury member, Sydney realizes there's a lot more to him. She soon finds herself falling under his spell, but getting close to Damon also means having to face the reasons their friendship ended just when they were on the precipice of something more. And how is she supposed to ensure Margot gets a fair trial if her unfinished business with Damon causes the mistrial of the century?

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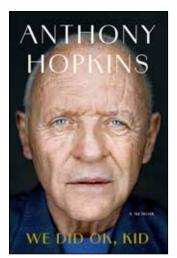
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THE UNCOOL A MEMOIR **Cameron Crowe**

Cameron Crowe was an unlikely rock and roll insider. Born in 1957 to parents who strictly banned the genre from their house, he dove headfirst into the world of music. By the time he graduated high school at fifteen, Crowe was contributing to Rolling Stone. The Uncool offers a front-row ticket to the 1970s, a golden era for music and art when rock was young. It's also a surprisingly intimate family drama. This memoir is an essential read for music lovers or anyone chasing their wildest dreams. At the end of that roller-coaster journey, you might just find what you were looking for: Your place in the world.

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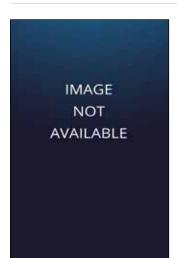


WE DID OK, KID 🬟 A MEMOIR **Anthony Hopkins**

"A fun . . . memoir from a cinema icon." — Kirkus Reviews

Born and raised in a small Welsh steelworks town amid war and depression, Sir Anthony Hopkins grew up around men who eschewed all forms of emotional vulnerability in favor of alcoholism and brutality. A struggling student in school, he was deemed a failure with no future ahead of him. But, on a fateful Saturday night, the disregarded Welsh boy watched the 1948 adaptation of *Hamlet*, sparking a passion for acting that would lead him on a path that no one could have predicted. We Did OK, Kid is a raw and passionate memoir from a complex, iconic man who has inspired audiences with remarkable performances for over sixty years.

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RUNNING DEEP

BRAVERY, SURVIVAL, AND THE TRUE STORY OF THE DEADLIEST SUBMARINE IN WORLD WAR II

Tom Clavin

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

There was one submarine that outfought all other boats in the Silent Service in World War II: the USS Tang. Captain Richard Hetherington O'Kane

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A WALK IN THE PARK

THE TRUE STORY OF A SPECTACULAR MISADVENTURE IN THE GRAND CANYON

Kevin Fedarko

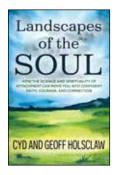
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"An immersive account of the challenges of a grueling 750-mile hike through the Grand Canyon . . . Fedarko . . . pays tribute to the spare beauty, grandeur, and silence of a place that few have seen, resulting in a memorable reading experience." — starred, Kirkus Reviews

After quitting his job to become a whitewater guide on the Colorado River, Kevin Fedarko was approached by his friend, National Geographic photographer Pete McBride, with a vision to embark on an end-toend traverse of the Grand Canyon — a journey that, McBride promised, would be "a walk in the park." The ensuing ordeal revealed a place that was deeper, richer, and far more complex than anything the two men had imagined. A singular portrait of a sublime place, A Walk in the Park is a deeply moving plea for the preservation of America's greatest natural treasure.

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LOOKING FOR CHRISTMAS

A SEARCH FOR THE JOY AND HOPE OF THE NATIVITY

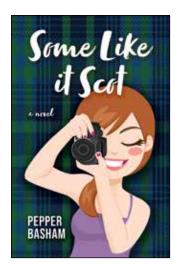
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NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Looking for Christmas is a heartfelt reflection on the origin and meaning of Christmas. As you explore the people and places found in the biblical Nativity account, you'll gain

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SOME LIKE IT SCOT

A NOVEL

Pepper Basham

"Basham . . . delights with this cute contemporary . . . The grumpy/sunshine dynamic between the leads proves irresistible, and the Scottish backdrop is brought to life by eccentric side characters and plenty of *local color and lingo."* — Publishers Weekly

Travel writer and podcaster Katie Campbell has built a career as "Miss Adventure." Offered a three-week Edwardian experience, Katie finds herself immersed in the beauty and eccentricity of Scotland. Graeme MacKerrow's comfort zone has always been family, and after his sister's death, he's even more determined to keep those he loves close. The sudden intrusion of a six-foot-one American lass was far from his plan. How could their very different worlds share the same page of life's story when "home" is in two different places? But maybe home — and the future — isn't what either one imagined it would be. Maybe home is less about a place . . . and more about a person.

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WRITTEN IN SECRET

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In the corruption-infested Queen City, Lydia Pelton writes crime novels to exact justice and right the wrongs she sees in society. When a serial killer decides to be the sword to her pen, Lydia is confronted with the consequences of her words. With murders on the rise, Officer Abraham Hall's only lead is Lydia's fiction. Despite his misgivings about the woman, he realizes he needs her help. But his unexpected attraction to Lydia proves difficult to manage. As the mystery unfolds, Abraham and Lydia race to rewrite the ending, not only for Cincinnati's citizens, but for their own hearts.

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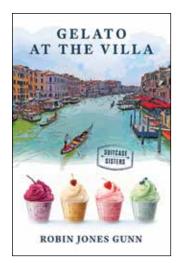
Erica Vetsch

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Evil is masquerading in the halls of Parliament, and Sir Bertrand Thorndike is tasked with investigating from the inside. Miss Philippa Cashel's mission, the Princess Charlotte Eleos School for Women in Need, is thriving with donations, and the students are learning skills to help them earn their livings in honorable ways. Bertie's and Philippa's missions collide when Bertie uncovers a dangerous plot involving vulnerable women. He and Philippa join forces against the corruption threatening to topple England's government, all while navigating their outward reputations and inward feelings for each other.

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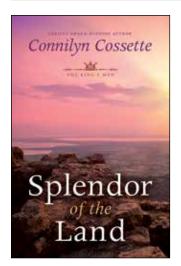
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"Featuring droolworthy food descriptions, the sequel to Tea with Elephants weaves small life lessons with eternal consequences." — Library Journal

Grace and Claire have formed a close friendship over their love of reading. After many years and many books that provided armchair adventures, the time has come for them to go somewhere instead of only dreaming of someday. Traveling to Venice, Florence, and Bellagio, Grace experiences a newfound freedom and confidence in who she is, and Claire wrestles with painful memories of her teen years. Then a life-changing moment on the shores of Lake Lugano causes Grace and Claire to discover they are not just tourists but pilgrims on a path to becoming all God created them to be.

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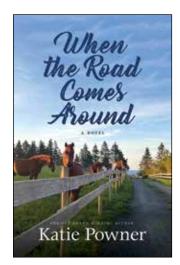
Connilyn Cossette

"Cossette weaves heart-pounding adventure with the enchanting central love story . . . Series fans won't be able to put this down." — Publishers Weekly

Gavriel, a soldier, is haunted by a dark past that no distraction can dispel. Zahava, a goldsmith hidden behind her father's legacy, lives in the shadows due to her physical affliction. Her unmatched and unrecognized talent is a closely guarded secret within her family. Disheartened by a future that seems unattainable, she resigns herself to a life of obscurity. However, when Gavriel arrives in her village, they're tangled together in ways neither could have imagined. As they navigate unforeseen dangers and threats, Gavriel must confront his past and either bend his knee to the One True King or lose the woman he loves.

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WHEN THE ROAD COMES AROUND

A NOVEL

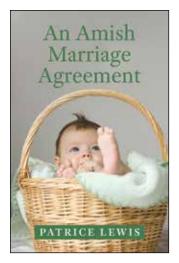
Katie Powner

"Powner . . . writes powerful contemporary fiction exploring the love between parents and children and how faith in God can change a life." — Library Journal

Tad Bungley has a reputation for trouble. When he lands a job at Come Around Ranch, however, his life seems to take a positive turn. Forty-eight-year-old Anita Wilson is too young to feel so old, but rheumatoid arthritis limits her ability to work on the guest ranch she owns with her husband. It was a risk to hire Tad for the summer, but Anita is convinced he just needs a bit of encouragement. What she doesn't anticipate is that Tad's presence at the ranch will change everything, including her relationship with her son. And when Tad finds himself in more of a mess than ever, he and Anita must learn when to hold on, when to let go, and what grace really means.

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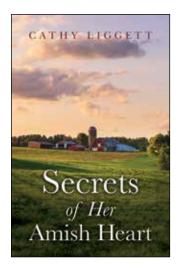
AN AMISH MARRIAGE AGREEMENT **Patrice Lewis**

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

Amish basket-maker Olivia Bontrager moves to Montana looking for a fresh start . . . and finds instead her sister's abandoned baby on her doorstep. Determined to give her niece a stable life, she accepts help from handyman Andrew Eicher, who offers a shocking proposal: a marriage of convenience. Now, after long resigning herself to spinsterhood, Olivia suddenly has the home and family she's always yearned for, and Andrew's betrayed heart slowly begins to open up again. But when Olivia's sister reappears and jeopardizes the happiness they've found, will they be brave enough to fight for the future they both want?

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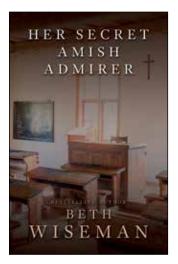
SECRETS OF HER AMISH HEART **Cathy Liggett**

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

Penniless after being conned by her late husband, widow Katie Troyer moves to a new Amish community with two goals in mind: provide for her younger sister and keep her shameful past hidden. Her new job at Miller's Market is just the hopeful beginning she needs . . . until the sudden arrival of her boss's nephew. Instantly clashing with Nathan Bowman's ideas for the store, Katie tries to keep things professional — after all, the too-handsome bachelor will leave town in a month. But when their tentative friendship turns personal, Katie must make a choice: guard her heart . . . or ask Nathan to stay.

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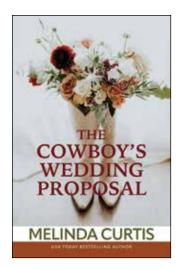
HER SECRET AMISH ADMIRER A COZY MYSTERY ROMANCE

Beth Wiseman

Sadie Miller is content with her job as a schoolteacher in a small Amish community located in southern Indiana. She loves children, but her past keeps her from pursuing marriage and having a family of her own. Sadie has too many painful memories. When an anonymous declaration of love shows up on her desk in a sealed envelope, she is intrigued at first. But as she narrows down the possibilities — widowers or other unattached Amish men — her four potential suitors don't fit the mold of someone posing as a secret admirer. With each new clue about the man who possibly penned the letter, Sadie's intrigue turns into fear — for one of her students. Is one of the children in her daytime care at risk?

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THE COWBOY'S WEDDING PROPOSAL

The Cowboy Academy

Melinda Curtis

USA TODAY BESTSELLER

Single mom Tillie Powell has spent enough time getting over Keith Morgan and his misguided marriage proposal six years earlier. All she wants now is to be the perfect maid of honor to her cousin, proving to her uncle that she's ready for the ranch manager job, which will support her daughter, Shay, in the process. But best man Keith suddenly seems to be everywhere she is, helping with wedding tasks and annoyingly winning over Shay. As the big event draws closer, Tillie must decide if she's finally ready to hear Keith's side of the story — and let his love in.

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BEES IN JUNE

A NOVEL

Elizabeth Bass Parman

"[F]illed with magical realism, a moving story of a woman rediscovering her own power. Readers will cheer and cry with Rennie as she rebuilds her life." — Booklist

Rennie Hendricks is grieving the loss of her infant son. She had hoped a child would repair the cracks in her marriage to her husband, Tiny, but the tragedy has only served to illuminate his abusive character. To relieve some of the financial stress that inflames Tiny's anger, Rennie accepts a position at the local diner. One of the benefits is that she can bring meals to her Uncle Dixon, the man who practically raised her. Rennie thinks her elderly uncle is confused when he talks about communicating with his bees, but then she starts to see them glow, leading her toward safety time and time again. Could it be that these bees are trying to tell her something?

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THE RADIO HOUR

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USA TODAY BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Martha Berry is one of an army of polite, invisible women who go to work each day at the country's national broadcaster and get things done without fuss, fanfare, or reward. When the network prepares to launch a new radio serial, Martha is transferred to assist Quentin Quinn, the man who will write and produce the drama. But Mr. Quinn is clueless about radio and work in general. Martha steps in to hire a cast and write the scripts for the new show. Her authentic, women-focused storyline snags an evergrowing audience of loyal fans. But all too soon Martha faces exposure and must decide if she will politely remain in the shadows — or boldly step into the spotlight.

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DEAD BROKE, COLORADO William W. Johnstone and J. A. Johnstone

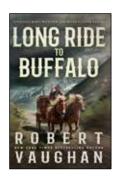
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

The town got its unusual name when a pair of prospectors accidentally dropped a stick of dynamite in the Rockies and unearthed a massive vein of silver. One of the men dropped dead from excitement. The

other one named the place "Dead Broke" in honor of his companion and declared himself mayor of a brand-new mining town. Mayor Allane Auchenleck — better known as Nugget — put Dead Broke on the map. But when the silver market takes a nosedive, Dead Broke turns into a lawless hotbed of angry out-of-work miners and outfor-blood merchants. For this town to survive, Nugget, will have to put some cool-hand killers in the ground.

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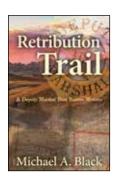
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

When Clay Donovan busted out of prison, he had only one thing on his mind: find Brody Pike, the cutthroat who framed him and sent his brother to an early grave. Donovan never expected to end up riding shotgun

for a \$100,000 payroll on a two-hundred-mile trek to Buffalo, Wyoming . . . or to be guarding it and his fellow travelers from the very man he hunted. Now, with a sick boy's life hanging in the balance, Clay must join forces with a gambler, a crusty old lawman, a badgering bank clerk, and a girl from his past, all with the hope of eluding Pike's savage wolf pack. If he fails, he won't be going back to prison. He'll be going to meet his maker. They all will.

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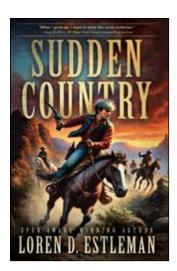
John Legg

Mountain man Hawley Cooper always does what he believes is right — regardless of the consequences. But this time, his decisions unleash the wrath of family and friends. As consequences loom on the horizon

— some deadly, others agonizing — Cooper remains steadfast and embodies his mountain man spirit. Ignoring warnings against interfering in another man's treatment of a woman, he defiantly carries a Nez Perce woman to safety through the heart of yet another punishing winter. But his battles with the Blackfeet are far from done, and they, too, have painful costs.

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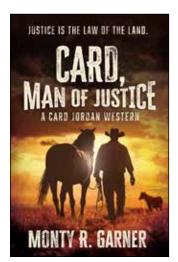
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SPUR-AWARD WINNING AUTHOR

When thirteen-year-old David Grayle inherits a Colt revolver and a mysterious map, he is thrust into a violent hunt for lost Confederate gold. Pursued by ruthless outlaws, he falls in with a dangerous crew. But in the lawless West, gold has a way of turning allies into enemies, and David quickly learns that trust can be more dangerous than a bullet. As tempers flare and the stakes rise, the search for fortune becomes a fight for survival. In the end, David must decide if the treasure is worth the bloodshed — or if walking away is the only way to stay alive.

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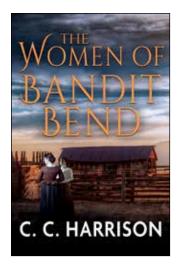
A Card Jordan Western

Monty R. Garner

Card Jordan is finally home and eager to start a new chapter with his fiancée after a grueling quest for vengeance. But just as he begins to savor the peace he's fought so hard to achieve, an urgent call pulls him back into the fray. His mission? To save a young girl from blackmailers who are tangled in a conspiracy that threatens more lives than Card could ever have anticipated. In a race against time, Card must face off against deadly foes and balance his quest for justice with the personal cost of his mission. Can he unravel the sinister plot, protect those he loves, and restore justice — all while fighting to stay alive?

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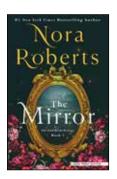
THE WOMEN OF BANDIT BEND

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Straitlaced Tally Tisdale and her free spirited sixteen-year-old sister lvy arrive in Sutton Creek, Colorado, in 1863 to take over their missing father's homestead. Land Agent Goodnight Pettyjohn warns them of days of backbreaking work, deadly mountain storms, dangerous wild animals, and trigger-happy outlaws. But Carl Henry Tisdale made sure both his daughters know how to shoot a gun, ride a horse, and drive a wagon, so Tally welcomes the challenge. But not so Ivy, and when bandit Birch Quinn returns to dig up stagecoach loot he'd secretly buried on their father's claim, lvy sees him and the gold as a way to escape the drudgery and boredom of homesteading.

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The Lost Bride Trilogy • Book 2

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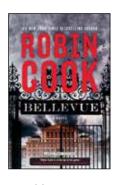
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER PUBLISHERS WEEKLY BESTSELLER LIBRARY READS PICK

When Sonya MacTavish inherits the huge mansion on the coast of Maine, she has no idea the house is haunted. The footsteps she hears at

night, the doors slamming, the music playing are not figments of her imagination. And when she has visions of an antique mirror, she is drawn to it, sensing it holds dark family secrets. Then one night the mirror appears and Sonya glides through this looking glass, into the past — and sees a bride murdered on her wedding day, the circle of gold torn from her finger. It is a scene that will play out again and again — a centuries-old curse that must be broken — and a puzzle she must solve if there is any hope of breaking the curse.

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BELLEVUE A MEDICAL THRILLER **Robin Cook**

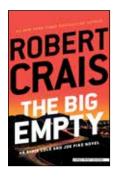
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Twenty-three-year-old Michael "Mitt" Fuller starts his surgical residency with great anticipation at the nearly three-hundred-year-old, iconic Bellevue Hospital. The pressure is on for this newly minted doctor, but

quickly one patient after another assigned to his care begin to die from mysterious causes. As bodies mount and Mitt's stress level rises, he finds himself drawn to the abandoned Bellevue Psychopathic Hospital building, which still stands a few doors north of the modern Bellevue Hospital high-rise. Forcing entry into this storied but foreboding structure, Mitt discovers he's more closely tied to the sins of the past than he ever thought possible.

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THE BIG EMPTY

An Elvis Cole and Joe Pike Novel

Robert Crais

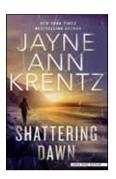
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Traci Beller was thirteen when her father disappeared. Now, ten years later, Traci is a high-profile influencer with millions of followers and the money to hire the best detective

she can find: Elvis Cole. But when Elvis finds himself shadowed by a gang of vicious criminals, the missing persons cold case becomes far more sinister. Elvis calls his ex-Marine friend Joe Pike for help, and they follow Tommy Beller's trail into the depths of a monstrous, hidden evil. Victims become predators, predators become prey, and the question becomes: Can Elvis Cole save them all from this nightmare?

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SHATTERING DAWN

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Jayne Ann Krentz

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Amelia Rivers hires private investigator Gideon Sweetwater to catch the stalker who has been watching her. Gideon suspects Amelia is paranoid, but he can't resist the chemistry between them. For her

part, Amelia is wary of the powerful attraction between them and deeply uneasy about the nightmarish paintings on the walls of his home. Amelia knows she doesn't have time to find another investigator, and Gideon is forced to reckon with the truth when he disrupts what was intended to be Amelia's kidnapping. Now the pair is on the run. If they are to survive, they will have to trust each other and the passion that bonds them.

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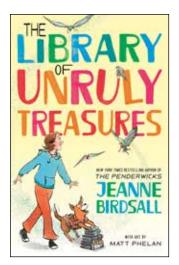
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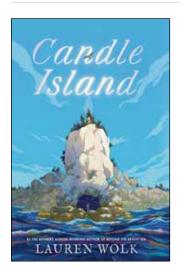
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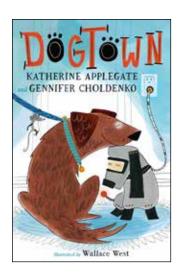
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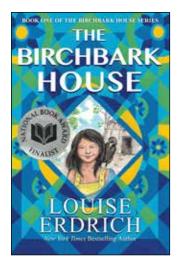
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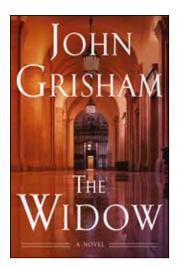
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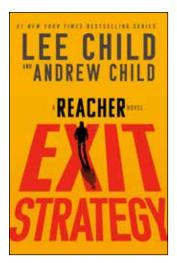
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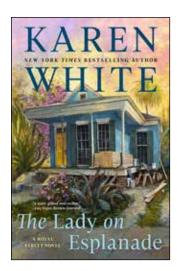
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Reacher makes his way towards the entrance of a coffee shop. A young, stressedlooking guy in a suit brushes against him. Instinctively Reacher checks the pocket holding his cash and passport. There's no problem. Nothing is missing. But later in the day he finds something new has appeared in another pocket. A cryptic note. Reacher figures the guy in the suit must have planted it during their brief contact. Impressed by the guy's technique and intrigued by the message, he decides to find out more.

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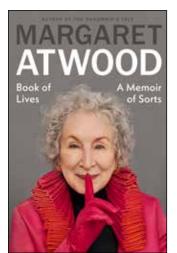
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Nola is ready to focus on starting over in the Big Easy. She wants to get back to work on the renovations of her Creole cottage, and she is eager to launch a new murder-houseflipping business with contractor, closet psychic, and part-time nemesis Beau Ryan. Nola believes the shotgun house on famed Esplanade Avenue is a prime fixer-upper for her first project. It may have been the site of a woman's murder and the disappearance of an entire family, but the house will be perfect for new-to-town Cooper Ravenel. In addition to the elusive spirit of an angry young woman who accompanied Cooper to New Orleans, the house on Esplanade has its own ghosts. And the wet footprints from the spirit of Beau's mother have returned to let them know there is still unfinished business before she can rest.

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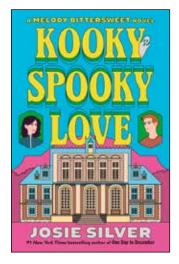
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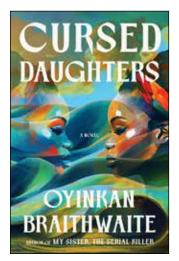
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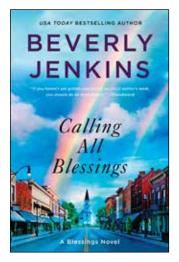
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Oyinkan Braithwaite

When Ebun gives birth to her daughter, Eniiyi, on the day they bury her cousin Monife, there is no denying the startling resemblance between the child and the dead woman. So begins the belief, fostered and fanned by the entire family, that Eniivi is the actual reincarnation of Monife, fated to follow in her footsteps. There is also the matter of the family curse: "No man will call your house his home. And if they try, they will not have peace" which has been handed down from generation to generation. When Eniiyi falls in love with the handsome boy she saves from drowning, she can no longer run from her family's history. As several women in her family have done before, she ill-advisedly seeks answers in older, darker spiritual corners of Lagos, demanding solutions.

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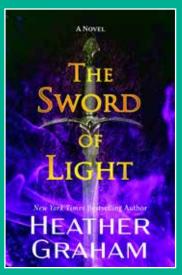
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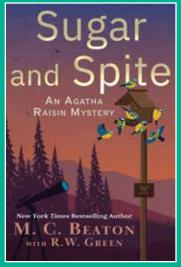
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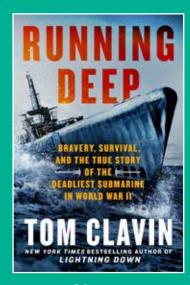


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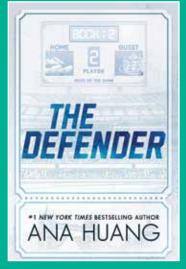
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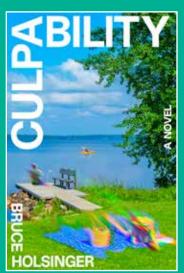
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