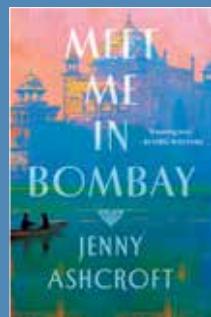
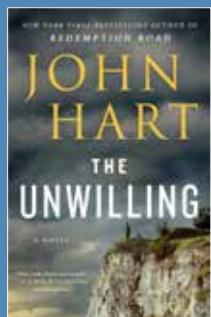
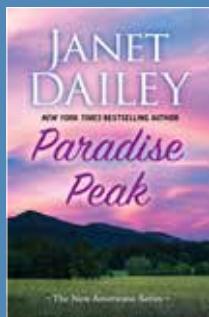
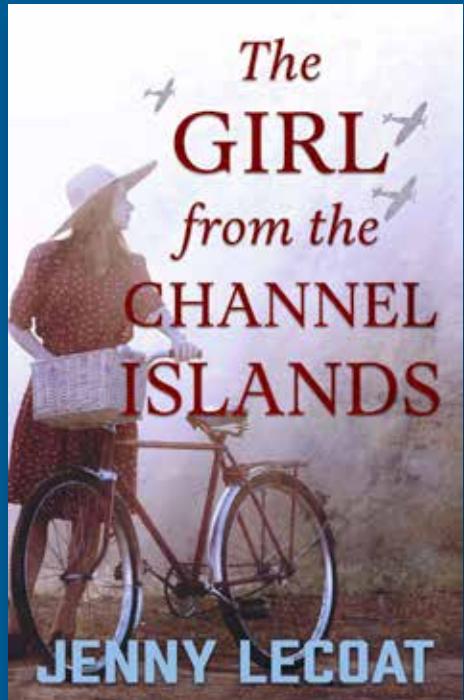
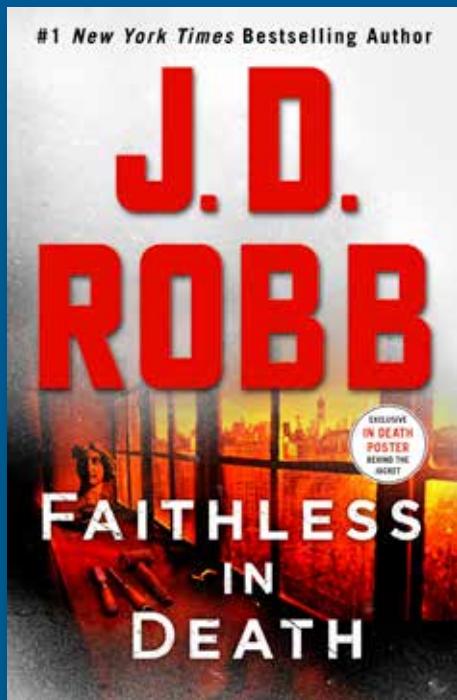
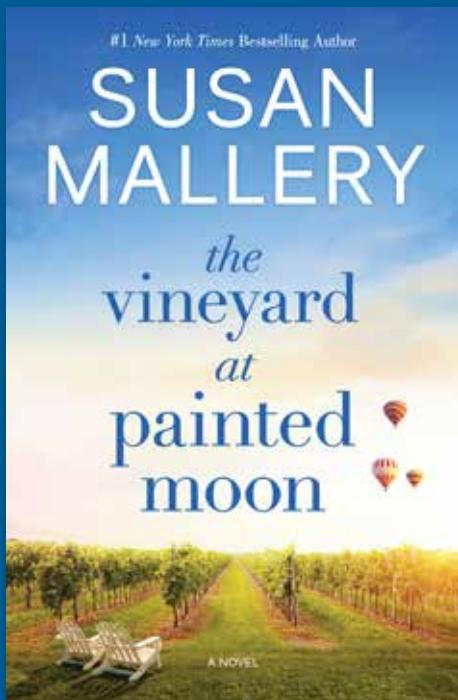




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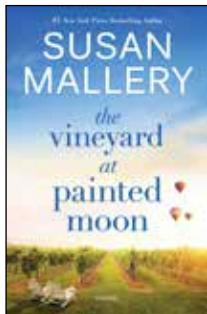
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Mackenzie Dienes seems to have it all — a beautiful home, close friends, and a successful career as an elite winemaker with the family winery. There's just one problem — it's not her family, it's her husband's. In fact, everything in her life is tied to him. So when she and her husband admit their marriage is over, her pain goes beyond heartbreak. She's on the brink of losing everything. But if she can dare to let go of the life she thought she wanted, she might discover something even more beautiful waiting for her beneath a painted moon.

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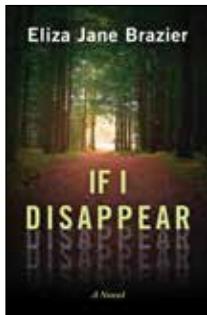
"[D]elicious and spellbinding."
— Booklist on The Au Pair

1988. Beth Soames is 14 years old when her aunt takes her to stay at Raven Hall. The Averells, the family who lives there, are warm and welcoming. Beth even feels like she's part of the family . . . until they ask her to help them with a harmless game. 2019. Sadie Langton is an actress who lands a well-paying gig to pretend to be a guest at a weekend party. When she sees the stunning manor, she figures she's got nothing to lose. But there's something off about the glamorous guests who arrive, and as the party begins, it becomes chillingly apparent their unseen host is playing games with everyone . . . including her.

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IF I DISAPPEAR

Eliza Jane Brazier

"Heady." — Publishers Weekly

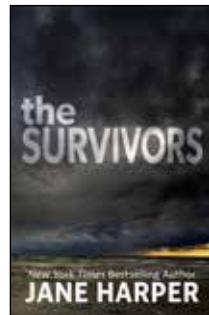
Sera loves true crime podcasts. They give her a sense of control in a world where women disappear daily. She's sure they're preparing her for something. So when Rachel, her favorite podcast host, goes missing, Sera knows it's time to act. Rachel has

always taught her to trust her instincts. Sera follows the clues hidden in the episodes to an isolated ranch outside Rachel's small hometown to begin her search. Her investigation will make Rachel proud. But the more Sera digs into this unfamiliar world, the more off things start to feel. Because Rachel is not the first woman to vanish from the ranch, and she won't be the last . . . Rachel did try to warn her.

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Kieran Elliott's life changed forever on the day a reckless mistake led to devastating consequences. The guilt that still haunts him resurfaces during a visit with his young family to the small coastal community he once called home. Kieran's parents are struggling in a town where fortunes are forged by the sea. Between them all is his absent brother, Finn. When a body is discovered on the beach, long-held secrets threaten to emerge. A sunken wreck, a missing girl, and questions that have never washed away.

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A Novel of the Dresden Files

Jim Butcher

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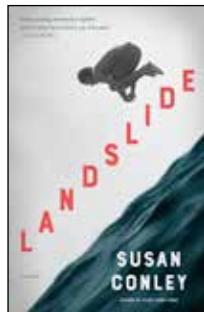
— starred, Publishers Weekly

Harry has faced terrible odds before. He has a long history of fighting enemies above his weight class. The Red Court of vampires. The fallen angels of the Order of the Blackened Denarius. The Outsiders. But this time it's different. A being more powerful and dangerous on an order of magnitude beyond what the world has seen in a millennium. The Last Titan has declared war on the city of Chicago, and has come to subjugate humanity. Harry's mission is simple but impossible: Save the city by killing a Titan. And the attempt will change Harry's life, Chicago, and the mortal world forever.

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MAINE LITERARY AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

"Immersive." — Publishers Weekly

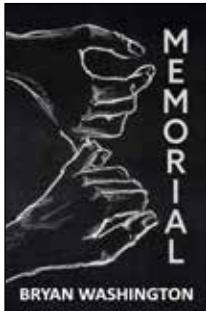
After a fishing accident leaves her husband hospitalized across the border in Canada, Jill is left to look after her teenage boys alone. Nothing comes easy in their remote corner

of Maine: Money is tight, her son Sam is getting into more trouble by the day, her eldest Charlie has a new girlfriend, and Jill begins to suspect her marriage isn't as stable as she once believed. As one disaster gives way to the next, she begins to think that it's not enough to be a caring wife and mother anymore — not enough to show up when needed, nudge her boys in the right direction, believe everything will be okay. But how to protect this life she loves, this household, this family?

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**MEMORIAL****Bryan Washington**

NATIONAL BESTSELLER

GOOD MORNING AMERICA BOOK CLUB PICK

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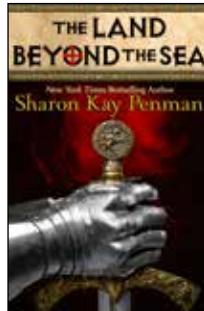
Mike is a Japanese American chef and Benson is a Black day care teacher. They've been together for a few years, but now they're not sure why they're

still a couple. When Mike finds out his estranged father is dying in Osaka just as his acerbic Japanese mother, Mitsuko, arrives for a visit, Mike flies across the world to say goodbye. In Japan he undergoes an extraordinary transformation. Back home, Mitsuko and Benson are stuck living together and Benson begins to realize what he wants out of life. Both men will change in ways that will either make them stronger together, or fracture everything they've ever known.

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**THE LAND BEYOND THE SEA****Sharon Kay Penman**

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

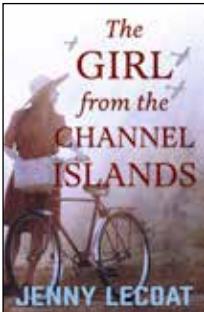
The Kingdom of Jerusalem, also known as Outremer, is the land far beyond the sea. Baptized in blood when the men of the First Crusade captured Jerusalem from the Saracens in the early 12 century, the kingdom defined an utterly new world, a

land of blazing heat and a medley of cultures, a place where enemies were neighbors and neighbors became enemies. At the helm of this growing kingdom sits young Baldwin IV, an intelligent and courageous boy committed to the welfare and protection of his people. Despite Baldwin's dedication, he is afflicted with leprosy at an early age and the threats against his power and his health nearly outweigh the risk of battle.

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THE GIRL FROM THE CHANNEL ISLANDS

Jenny Lecoat

EDITOR'S CHOICE #5 TITLE

"A vividly evoked story of love surviving, even triumphing, over oppression."
— Sunday Times

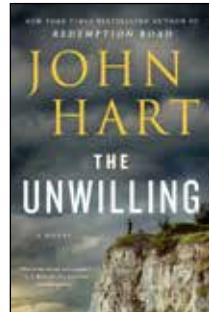
Summer 1940: Hedy Bercu watches the skies over Jersey for German planes, convinced that an invasion

is imminent. When it finally comes, there is no counterattack from Allied forces. Most islanders and occupying forces settle into an uneasy coexistence, but for Hedy, the situation is perilously different. For Hedy is Jewish. With no means of escape, Hedy works as a translator for the Germans while silently working against them and forges a tentative friendship with a sympathetic German officer. Soon, her survival will depend not just on her own courage, but on the community she has come to cherish and a man who should be her enemy.

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THE UNWILLING

John Hart

**NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #7 TITLE**

"Another scorching from Hart."
— starred, Booklist

Gibby's older brothers have already been to war. One died there. The other came back a decorated killer now

freshly released from prison. Jason wants a relationship with the younger brother he hasn't known for years, and coaxes Gibby into a day at the lake with whisky and women. When one of the women is savagely murdered, suspicion turns to Jason. Determined to prove Jason innocent, Gibby must dive deep into his brother's hidden life. What he discovers is more disturbing than he could have imagined — and why the most dangerous man alive wants him back in prison.

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THE LAST GARDEN IN ENGLAND

Julia Kelly

**AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #8 TITLE**

"[A] touching, immersive read." — Booklist

Present day: Emma Lovett has just been given the opportunity to restore the gardens of the famed Highbury House estate, designed in 1907. When doing so Emma uncovers secrets that have long lain hidden.

1907: Venetia Smith has carved out a niche for herself as a garden designer to industrialists, solicitors, and bankers. When she's hired to design the gardens of Highbury House, the gardens — and the people she meets — promise to change her life forever.

1944: When Highbury House is transformed into a convalescent hospital for wounded soldiers, three very different women are drawn together by a secret that will last for decades.

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THE NATURE OF FRAGILE THINGS

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AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

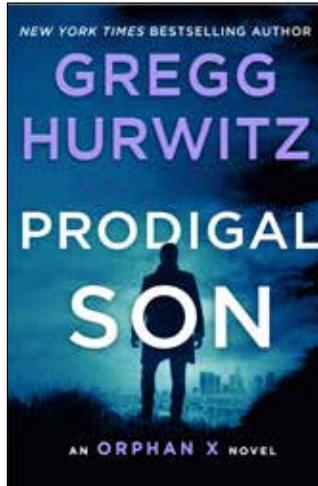
April 18, 1906: A massive earthquake rocks San Francisco just before daybreak, igniting a devouring inferno. Lives are shattered, but some rise from the ashes forever changed. Sophie Whalen is a young Irish immigrant so desperate to get out of a New

York tenement that she answers a mail-order bride ad and agrees to marry a man in San Francisco she knows nothing about. One evening after arriving, Sophie discovers hidden ties to two other women. The first, pretty and pregnant, is standing on her doorstep. The second is hundreds of miles away, grieving the loss of everything she once loved. The fates of these three women intertwine on the eve of the devastating earthquake.

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**PRODIGAL SON**

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Forced into retirement, Evan Smoak gets an urgent request for help from someone he didn't even suspect existed. A woman claiming to have given him up for adoption, a woman he never knew — his mother. Now, everything he's fought for is on the line — including his own life.

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**THE HALF SISTER****Sandie Jones****NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR**

THE TRUTH: Sisters Kate and Lauren meet for Sunday lunch every week without fail, especially after the loss of their father.
THE LIE: A knock at the door is about to change everything. A young woman by the name of Jess holds a note with the results of a DNA test, claiming to be their half sister.

THE UNTHINKABLE: As the fallout starts, it's clear that they're all hiding secrets, and perhaps this family isn't as perfect as it appears.

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**MEXICAN GOTHIC****Silvia Moreno-Garcia****NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER***"A terrifying twist on classic gothic horror."*
— Kirkus Reviews

After receiving a frantic letter from her newly-wed cousin begging for someone to save her from a mysterious doom, Noemí Taboada heads to High Place, a distant house in the Mexican countryside. There are many secrets behind the walls of High Place, and Noemí may soon find it impossible to ever leave this enigmatic house behind.

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**THE SECRET GUESTS****Benjamin Black****NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR***"[R]ich description and deft characterization."*
— Kirkus Reviews

As London endures nightly German bombings, Britain's secret service whisk the princesses Elizabeth and Margaret from England, seeking safety for the young royals at Clonmillis, an old estate in Ireland. Soon, suspicions about the guests' true identities percolate, and within and without Clonmillis acreage, passions as well as stakes rise.

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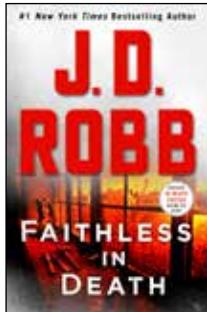
**SUMMER LONGING****Jamie Brenner****USA TODAY BESTSELLING AUTHOR***"[A] touching, nuanced summer yarn."*
— Publishers Weekly

Ruth Cooperman arrives in beautiful Provincetown for her retirement, renting the perfect waterfront cottage. When she finds a baby girl abandoned on her doorstep, Ruth turns to her new neighbors for help. As summer unfolds, secrets are uncovered. The unconditional love for a child in need might bring the women of Provincetown exactly what they have been longing for themselves.

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**FAITHLESS IN DEATH**

An Eve Dallas Novel

J. D. Robb#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #2 TITLE

When a young sculptor is found with the back of her head bashed in, Eve Dallas tracks down the wealthy Upper East Side woman who called 911, but the details don't add up. Gwen

Huffman is comforted by her handsome fiancé as she sheds tears over finding the body — but why did it take an hour to report it? And why is she lying about little things? As Eve and her team look into Gwen, her past, and the people around her, they find that the lies are about more than murder. Soon they're involved in a case that involves a sinister, fanatical group and a stunning criminal conspiracy.

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— Publishers Weekly

Paris, 1939: Young and ambitious Odile Souchet has a dream job at the American Library in Paris. When the Nazis march into Paris, Odile stands to

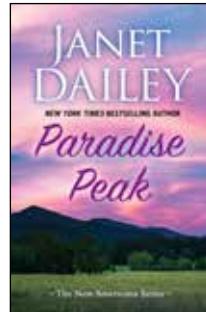
lose everything. Together with her fellow librarians, Odile joins the Resistance with the best weapons she has: books. When the war finally ends, Odile tastes the bitter sting of unspeakable betrayal.

Montana, 1983: Lily is a lonely teenager looking for adventure in small-town Montana. Her interest is piqued by her solitary, elderly neighbor. As Lily uncovers more about her neighbor's mysterious past, she never suspects that a dark secret connects them.

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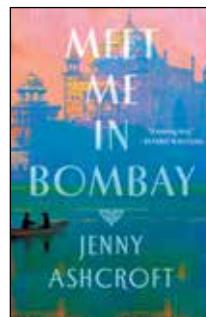
A desire for absolution brought ex-con Travis Alden to Paradise Peak. When he finds honest work, he shelves his plan to unburden his guilty secret, instead working alongside the very

people his transgressions hurt the most. Travis seizes the opportunity to do good, to earn the respect his new boss shows him. Only Travis doesn't count on his feelings for his boss's beautiful niece. Hannah Newsome is a woman with a past as bleak as Travis' — the kind of woman he should protect, not pursue. Once the rugged loner sees her wariness turn to warmth, all he can think about is having it all right here, with Hannah by his side.

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**MEET ME IN BOMBAY****Jenny Ashcroft***"An irresistible romantic tour de force."*

— Publishers Weekly

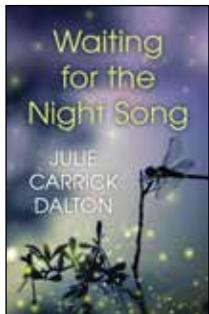
It's New Year's Eve in Bombay, 1913, and Madeline Bright, new to the sweltering heat of colonial India, is yearning for all she has left behind in England. Then, at the stroke of midnight, Maddy meets Luke

Devereaux, and as the year changes so do both their lives. While Maddy and Luke are falling in love, the world is falling apart. World War I is on the horizon, and Luke will be given no choice but to fight. They will be continents apart, separated by danger and devastating loss, but bound by Luke's promise that they will meet again in Bombay. His only wish is to return to her — but first he must remember who she is.

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Julie Carrick Dalton

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brings Cadie back to her childhood home. There, Cadie and Daniela are forced to face a dark secret that ended both their idyllic childhood bond and the magical summer that takes up so much space in Cadie's memory. Now, bound by long-held oaths, Cadie must decide what she is willing to sacrifice to protect the people she loves, as drought, foreclosures, and wildfire spark tensions between migrant farm workers and locals.

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LOST SOULS AT THE NEPTUNE INN

Betsy Carter

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"One can't help fall in love with each character, mourn each loss, cheer their triumphs, and maybe shed a tear or two." — Library Journal

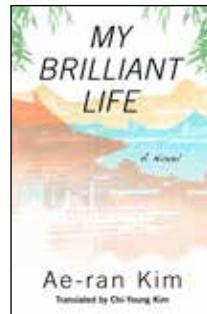
Geraldine, Emilia Mae, and Alice Wingo couldn't be more different from each other. Geraldine is a fiery beauty who

never quite takes to motherhood. Her daughter, Emilia Mae, spends her life chasing her mother's affection and goes looking for love in all the wrong places. When she gives birth to her own daughter, Alice, she vows to do things differently. Then, Dillard Fox, a handsome stranger, sails into town, bringing with him a gentle warmth that draws in all three of the Wingo women. But everyone has their secrets, and the one that Dillard has been carrying threatens to upset their idyllic family.

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AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

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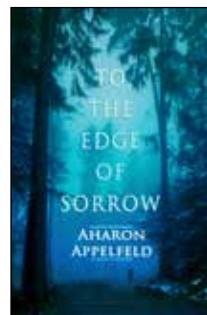
Areum lives life to its fullest, vicariously through the stories of his parents, conversations with Little Grandpa Jang — his 60-year-old

neighbor and best friend — and through the books he reads to visit the places he would otherwise never see. Areum has been working on a manuscript, piecing together his parents' often embellished stories about his family and childhood. He hopes to present it on his birthday, as a final gift to his mom and dad; their own falling-in-love story. *My Brilliant Life* explores family bonds and out-of-the-ordinary friendships, interweaving the past and present of a tight-knit family, finding joy in even the most difficult times.

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TO THE EDGE OF SORROW

Aharon Appelfeld

AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

"Haunting and heartbreaking." — starred, Kirkus Reviews

Battling numbing cold, ever-present hunger, and German soldiers determined to hunt them down, four dozen resistance fighters hide in a Ukrainian forest, resolute to survive

the war, sabotage the German war effort, and rescue as many Jews as they can from the trains taking them to concentration camps. When they hear about the advances being made by the Soviet Army, the partisans prepare for what they know will be a furious attack on their compound. In the heartbreakingly aftermath, the survivors emerge from the forest to care for their wounded, and grimly confront a world that is surprised by their existence — and profoundly unwelcoming.

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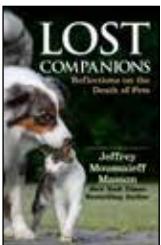
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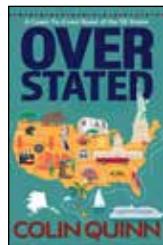
"Highly recommended for all animal lovers."
— starred, Library Journal

Over 84 million Americans own a pet, and our society is still learning how to recognize and dignify that relationship with proper mourning rituals. Masson takes a very personal approach to this difficult subject, suggesting ways through grief, as well as meaningful ways to memorialize our best friends.

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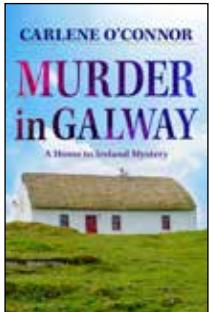
"The author lands his punches." — Kirkus Reviews

The United States is in a fifty-states-wide couples' counseling session, thinking about filing for divorce. But is that really what we want? *Overstated* calls us out state-by-state, identifying the hypocrisies inherent in what we claim to believe and what we actually do. *Overstated* skewers us all but is ultimately infused with the optimism that sparked the United States into being.

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**MURDER IN GALWAY**

A Home to Ireland Mystery

Carlene O'Connor**USA TODAY BESTSELLING AUTHOR**

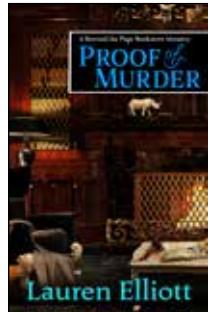
Tara never imagined her introduction to Ireland like this — carrying her mam's ashes to honor her final request: "Tell Johnny I'm sorry . . . Take me home." She's never met her mam's estranged brother, Johnny Meehan, who owns an architectural salvage business in Galway. When Tara arrives at her uncle's cottage, a dead man lies sprawled over the threshold in a pool of blood. The victim turns out to be Johnny's wealthiest client, and her missing uncle is the garda's number-one suspect. Tara uncovers her mam and uncle's troubled past, but with a desperate killer about, she had better mind herself, or they'll be tossing her ashes in Galway Bay.

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**PROOF OF MURDER**

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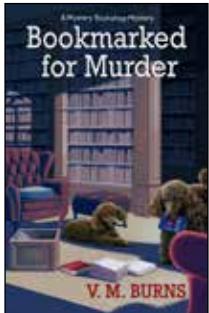
Lauren Elliott**USA TODAY BESTSELLING AUTHOR**

The seaside New England town of Greyborne Harbor is home to many grand estates. Now one of those mansions is holding an estate sale. Assisting an overwhelmed insurance appraiser with the inventory, Addie discovers an 1887 magazine containing Arthur Conan Doyle's first Sherlock Holmes novel, *A Study in Scarlet*, which she estimates to be worth over \$150,000. When Addie later finds the appraiser dead in the estate's private library, with the door bolted from the inside, and the priceless edition missing, it's a mystery worthy of the Great Detective himself. It's up to Addie to find the key to the crime — before she's the next one cornered by a killer.

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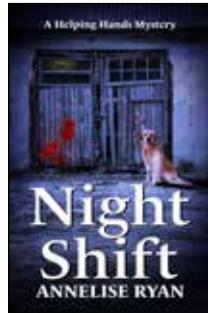
— Publishers Weekly on The Plot is Murder

After some post-Christmas retail therapy in the Windy City, mystery bookshop owner and historical whodunit novelist Sam Washington is returning home to North Harbor, Michigan, on a chartered bus. With Nana Jo and her gal pals from Shady Acres Retirement Village along for the ride, it's a lively trip. But one passenger is not so lively — a gentleman Irma befriended is found dead in his seat after an unscheduled stop. The ladies immediately shift gears to find out who punched his ticket, while Sam slips into the driver's seat to make sure Nana Jo and her crew steer clear of fatal conclusions.

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Annelise Ryan*"Blends humor . . . and authentic forensic detail."* — Publishers Weekly

Strange things have been happening since social worker Hildy Schneider started moonlighting with local police, but a late-night call involving a former patient from Sorenson Hospital tops the list. Although Danny Hildebrand has been tormented by hallucinations for years, he swears he's being haunted by the victim of a grisly murder. After a body turns up in a neglected farmhouse, Hildy and Detective Bob Richmond rush to explain Danny's knowledge of the incident. As they examine a series of eerie leads, they realize that surviving past sunrise means shedding light on a criminal willing to do whatever it takes to stay in the shadows.

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A Deadly Edits Mystery

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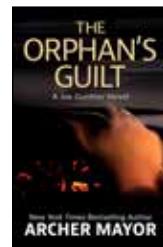
"Entertaining." — Publishers Weekly

Feldman's Catskill Resort Hotel has outlasted its heyday and now awaits demolition. But once Mikki is hired to edit a revealing memoir by Sunny Feldman, the last living relative of its owners, the doomed resort ends up back in the spotlight when a body is discovered at the demolition site. Can Mikki judge fact from fiction before the investigation reaches a terrifying conclusion?

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**THE ORPHAN'S GUILT**

A Joe Gunther Novel

Archer Mayor**NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR**

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**THREE HOURS IN PARIS****Cara Black****NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR**

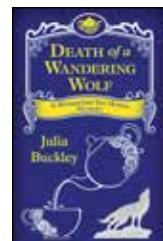
"Brilliantly building on the novel's premise . . . Black stretches her wings here, soaring to new heights."
— starred, Booklist

In June of 1940, when Paris fell to the Nazis, Hitler spent a total of three hours in the City of Light — abruptly leaving, never to return. To this day, no one knows why. The *New York Times* bestselling author reimagines history in her masterful, pulse-pounding spy thriller.

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**DEATH OF A WANDERING WOLF**

A Hungarian Tea House Mystery

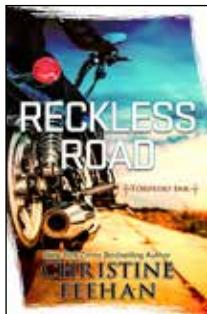
Julia Buckley

Hana buys a rare wolf figurine at a local yard sale and finds a tiny microchip attached. When she shows the figure to her police detective boyfriend, Erik, Hana is shocked to learn that the chip is a tracking device. They decide to confront the seller but when they arrive at his house, they find him dead. Erik and Hana now must hunt a calculating killer who has no intentions of crying wolf when it comes to murder.

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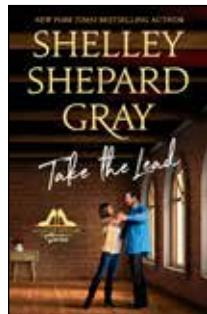
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**RECKLESS ROAD**

Torpedo Ink • Book 5

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While Gedeon "Player" Lazaroff is one of Torpedo Ink motorcycle club's roughest members, he's also one of the calmest. Little rattles Player, except for the times his gift gets the better of him. But on a night when he's on the verge of losing it, he meets a woman who manages to soothe his fractured mind. Zyah is an ethereal beauty and their night together is pure bliss. When Player gets confused and thinks it was a dream, his dismissal leaves her humiliated and angry. Now, Player will have to devote his every breath to convincing Zyah to give him a second chance because she might be the only one who can save him from himself.

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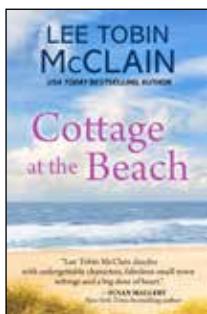
— Publishers Weekly

One night, Officer Traci Lucky finds Gwen, a pregnant teen caught up in a dangerous world of drugs, and takes her to the hospital. There Traci encounters Dr. Matt Rossi. A busy ob-gyn, Matt hasn't had much time for love in his life. All that changes when he meets the beautiful Officer Lucky. When Matt confides that he needs to learn to waltz for his brother's wedding, Traci reveals that her sister is a ballroom dance teacher. Soon, Matt and Traci are juggling busy careers, helping young Gwen, and learning to waltz together but then, Gwen's escalating problems threaten to put all of them in danger.

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When an injury forces K-9 officer Trey Harrison onto the sidelines, his only thought is getting back to the police force where he belongs. He'll do anything to make that happen — even volunteer in a small waterfront community. Since the surgery that destroyed her dreams of having children, schoolteacher Erica Rowe has grown even more dedicated to her work with at-risk teens. When Trey connects with the students, Erica's heart melts and when, in a tender moment, he admits he longs to have children, her heart breaks. She's convinced he'd be better off with someone who can give him everything, but she can't seem to shake the hope that maybe love is enough.

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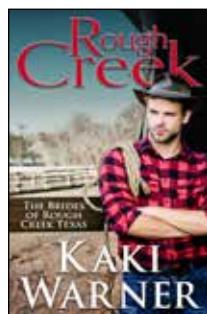
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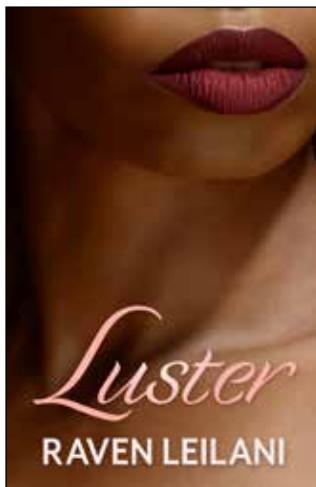
**ROUGH CREEK**The Brides of Rough Creek, Texas
Book 1**Kaki Warner****RITA AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR***"Delightful."* — Publishers Weekly

After serving 18 months in prison for a crime he didn't commit, Dalton Cardwell is looking for a fresh start. What better place than Whitcomb Four Star Ranch? He doesn't regret the decisions of his past — he'd choose the same roads again. Now all Dalton wants is to keep his head down and focus on the horses — and on Raney Whitcomb. Raney is outraged when she learns her mother hired an ex-con. As Dalton breaks down every misconception and even wins the good opinion of her sisters, Raney is forced to rethink her stance — and finally free herself to explore the heart-pounding tension that simmers between them.

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**RISE UP**

CONFRONTING A COUNTRY AT THE CROSSROADS

Reverend Al Sharpton

NATIONAL BESTSELLER

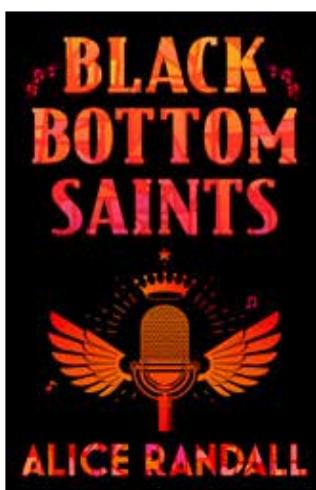
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"A fervent message in hard times." — Kirkus Reviews

When the young Alfred Charles Sharpton told his mother he wanted to be a preacher, little did he know that his journey would also lead him to prominence as a politician, founder of the National Action Network, and civil rights activist. His enduring ability to take on the political power structure makes him the voice for the modern era, a time unprecedented in its challenges. In *Rise Up*, Reverend Sharpton writes that the time has come to take a hard look at our collective failures and shortcomings and reclaim our core values in order to build a clear and just path forward for America.

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From the Great Depression through the post-World War II years, Joseph "Ziggy" Johnson, has been the pulse of Detroit's famous Black Bottom. A celebrated gossip columnist for the city's African-American newspaper, the *Michigan Chronicle*, he's also the emcee of one of the hottest night clubs where he's rubbed elbows with the legendary black artists of the era. Ziggy is also the founder and dean of the Ziggy Johnson School of Theater. But now, as he lays dying in the black-owned-and-operated Kirkwood Hospital, Ziggy reflects on his life, the community that was the center of his world, and the remarkable people who helped shape it.

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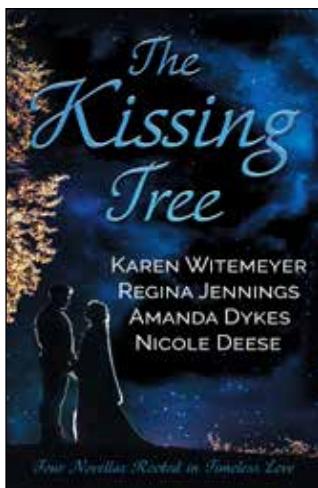
Brides of Hope Mountain • Book 3

Mary Connealy**CBA BESTSELLING AUTHOR***"Connealy concludes her Brides of Hope Mountain series with this charming tale."* — Publishers Weekly

After a rough winter spent alone, Ursula Nordegren begins a trek down Hope Mountain. Along the way she finds a badly wounded stranger. Wax Mosby was climbing Hope Mountain in part to atone for his terrible choices. He was hired to drive out the Warden family and now knows he was duped. When he's wounded during the climb, the last person he expects to rescue him is a beautiful blond woman. Ursula and Wax find an unlikely bond and are joined by Ursula's sisters and the Warden family as the final showdown over the family ranch looms with the coming of spring.

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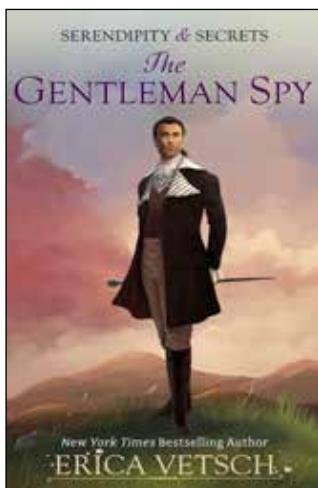
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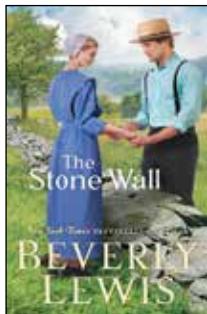
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When his father and older brother die, the new Duke of Haverly is saddled with a title he never expected to bear. To thwart the plans of his scheming family, the duke impulsively marries a wallflower. It should be easy to sequester her in the country and get on with his life — as a secret agent for the Crown, but she's determined to take her place not only as his duchess but as his wife. As a duchess, she can use her position to help the lowest of society. Can the duke succeed in relegating her to the sidelines of his life? When his secrets are threatened, will his new wife be an asset or a liability?

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**THE STONE WALL****Beverly Lewis**

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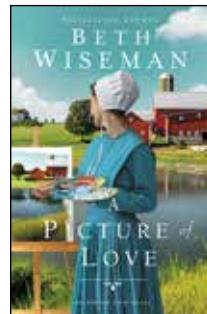
“... a resplendent tale of love, loss, and faith within the Amish community of Lancaster, Pa. ... Lewis' fans are in for a treat.”
—starred, Publishers Weekly

Anna is eager to begin a new chapter in her life as a Lancaster County tour guide where her Plain grandmother once stayed. The elderly woman suffers from Alzheimer's, and beyond a vague hint about an old stone wall, that time is a mystery. Martin Nolt, a handsome Mennonite, takes Anna under his wing for her training, familiarizing her with the many local highlights, including Peaceful Meadows Horse Retreat, which serves children with special needs. She quickly strikes up a friendship with Gabe Allgyer, the young Amish widower who manages it. Will Anna find true love and the truth about her grandmother's past in Lancaster County? Or will she find only heartbreak?

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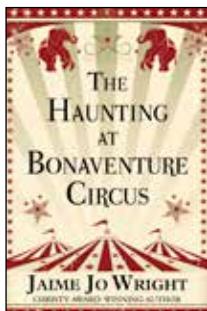
**A PICTURE OF LOVE****The Amish Inn Novels • Book 1****Beth Wiseman****CBA BESTSELLING AUTHOR**

Sweet Naomi Byler cooks meals for the guests at The Peony Inn, where Amish sisters and owners of the inn Esther and Lizzie love her like a granddaughter. She's as happy there as a woman can be, considering that her fiancé, Thomas, has left her. Amos Lantz and his mother are guests at the inn, in town for a cousin's wedding. Attending a wedding is the last thing Amos wants to do since his own fiancée, Sarah, died tragically just a year ago. Naomi and Amos understand each other's grief and become quick friends. When Thomas makes an unexpected return intending to win back Naomi, she realizes she no longer knows her own heart.

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“[A] jaw-dropping conclusion.”
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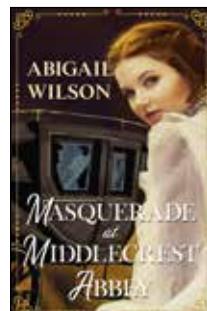
1928: Pippa Ripley was rejected from the Bonaventure Circus as a baby. When she receives mysterious messages from someone called the "Watchman," she's determined to find him and the connection to her birth. Pippa's search leads her to evidence that a serial killer has been haunting the circus train.

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**MASQUERADE AT MIDDLECREST ABBEY****Abigail Wilson**

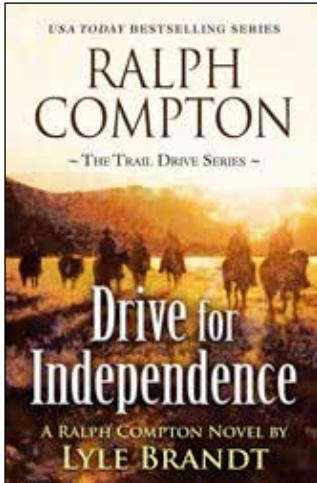
“[A] splendid tale of murder and deception.”
— Publishers Weekly

When the widowed Lord Torrington agreed to spy for the crown, he never planned to impersonate a highwayman, let alone rob the wrong carriage. Stranded with an unconscious young woman, he's forced to propose marriage to protect his identity and his dangerous mission. Trapped not only by her duty to her country but also by her limited options as an unwed mother, Elizabeth Cantrell and her infant son are whisked away to Middlecrest Abbey by none other than the elder brother of her son's absent father. Elizabeth will need to remain one step ahead of her fragile heart and the relentless fiend bent on her new family's ruin.

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**RALPH COMPTON DRIVE FOR INDEPENDENCE**

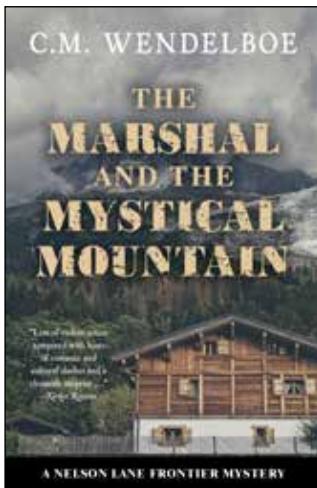
The Trail Drive Series

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After a child is accidentally killed in a shootout, Art Catlin decides to give up his life of bounty hunting and finds a new career as a drover, working for the Bar X ranch. The trail is 770 miles from Santa Fe to Independence, Missouri, and Art isn't fool enough to think it'll be an easy journey. As they head east, they seem to come upon countless threats, from environmental to personal. If they're to make it all the way with the herd intact, Catlin will need to use all of the skill and knowledge he's acquired over his long and violent career.

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**THE MARSHAL AND THE MYSTICAL MOUNTAIN**

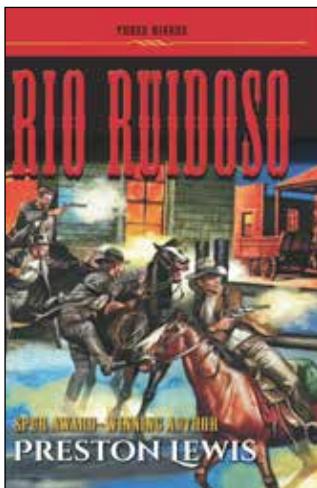
A Nelson Lane Frontier Mystery

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U.S. Marshal Nelson Lane has more than his fair share of unlikely allies: This time it's a tabloid reporter — who turns up missing after he tries to sneak into the Mystical Mountain hunting lodge. Nestled in the rugged and scenic Big Horn Mountains of Wyoming, there's more than mere hunting going on there. Nelson sends his deputy, Maris Red Hat, as an undercover courtesan to find out what's up with the wild parties for politicians and gangsters. The women entertaining the guests keep winding up dead. When at last Nelson discovers the dark secret of the lodge, the Mystical Mountain may claim yet another victim.

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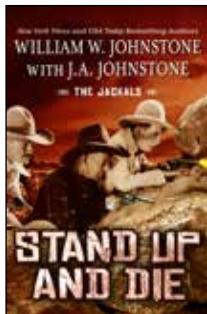
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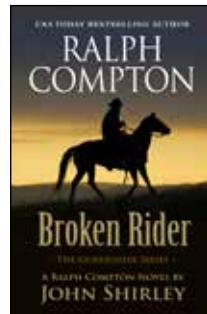
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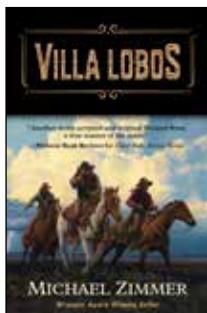
Riding into the town of Smoky River on a mangy mule, Dane looks as broken down as his old mount.

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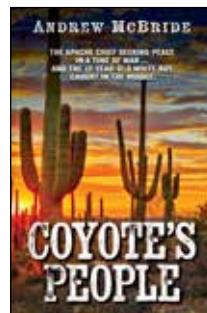
Sergeant Andrew Cade and seven troopers are hard on the trail of the Hollister Gang, determined to free a trio of women Ben Hollister and his men have taken captive. Crossing the Rio Grande into Mexico should have

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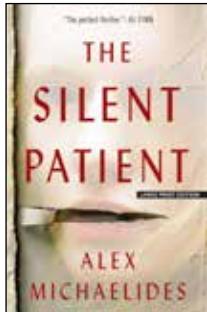
Arizona Territory, the 1870s. Savage war rages between the white man and the Apache and three people are caught in the middle: Coyote, an Apache chief seeking peace, trying to find a refuge for his small band of wanderers; Lieutenant Austin Hamilton, commander of remote

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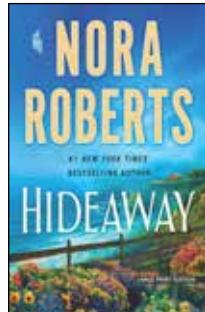
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Alicia Berenson's life is seemingly perfect: she's a famous painter married to a fashion photographer and they live in a grand house in London. One evening, Alicia shoots and kills her husband then never speaks another word. The mystery captures the public imagination and casts Alicia into notoriety. She, the silent patient, is held at the Grove, a secure forensic unit in North London. Theo Faber is a criminal psychotherapist determined to get Alicia to talk and explain her crime. But this takes Theo down a twisting path into his own motivations — a search for the truth that threatens to consume him.

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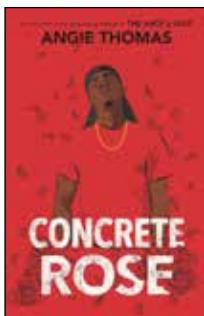
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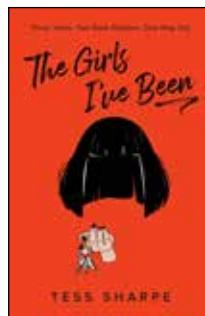
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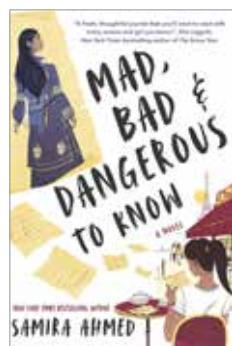
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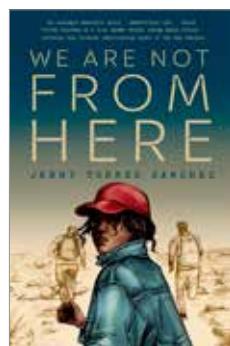
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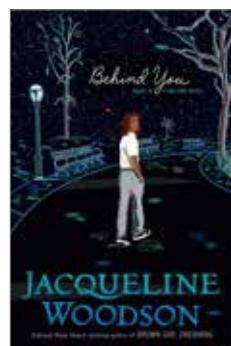
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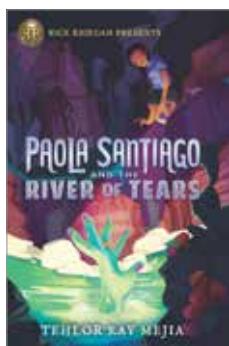
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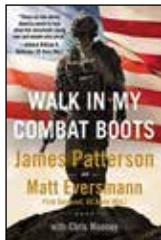
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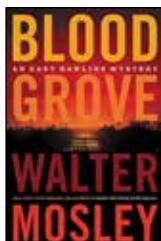
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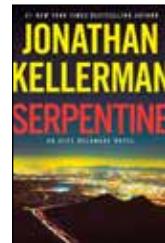
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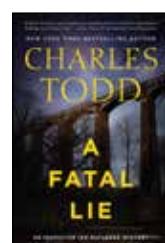
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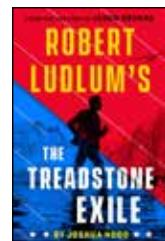
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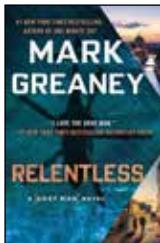
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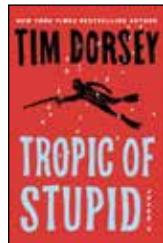
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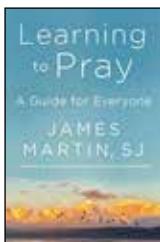
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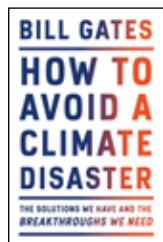
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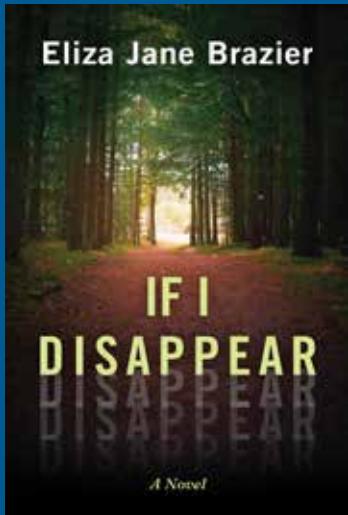
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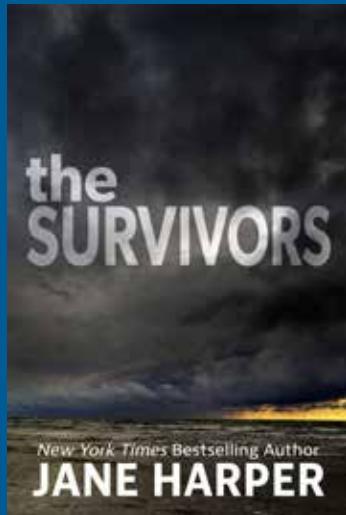
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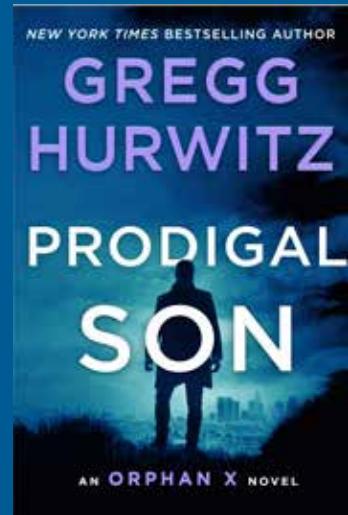
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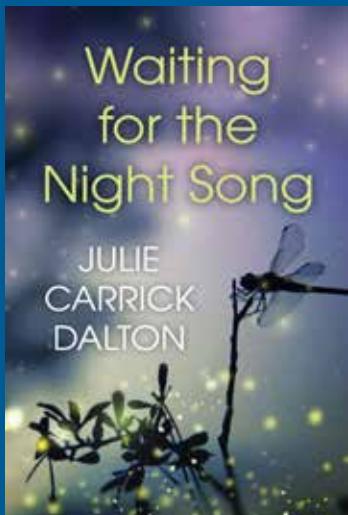
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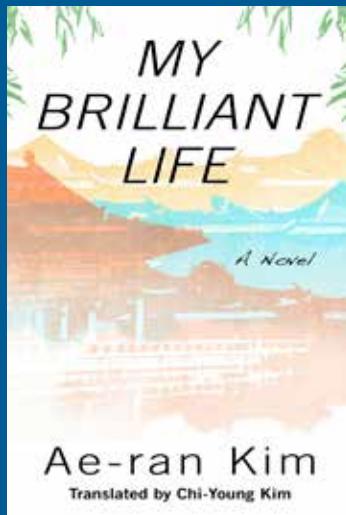
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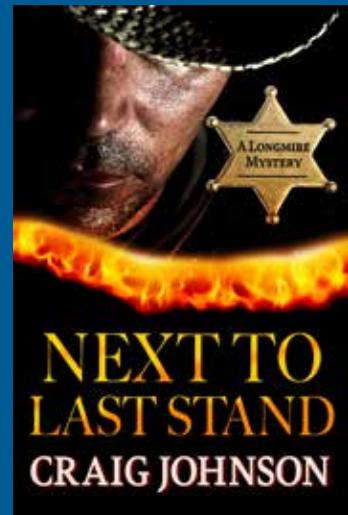
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