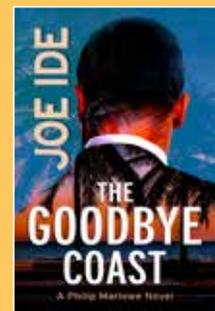
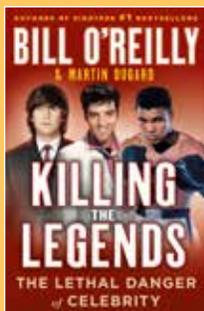
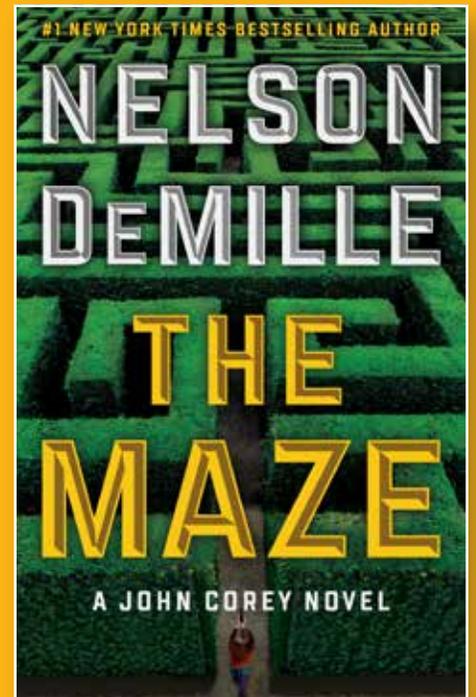
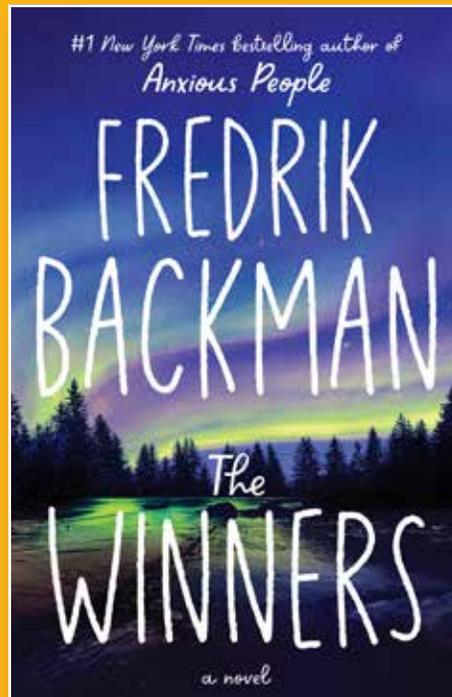
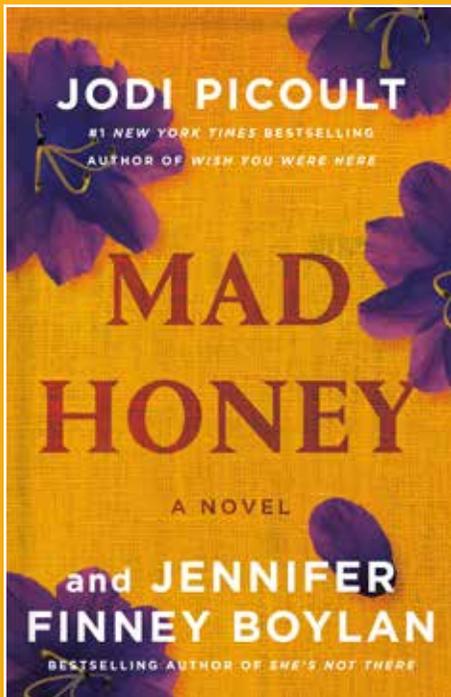


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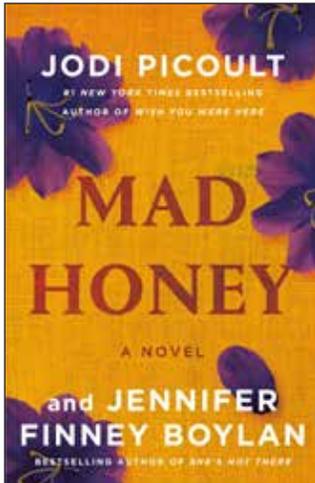
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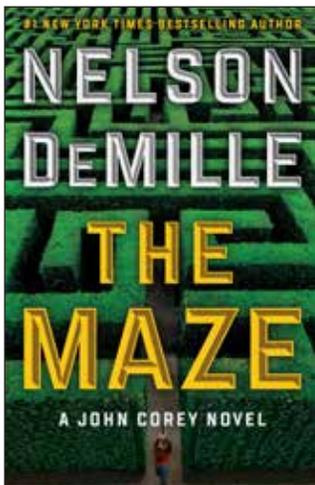
Jodi Picoult and Jennifer Finney Boylan

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #1 TITLE

Olivia McAfee's life, married to a surgeon and raising their son, Asher, was upended when her husband revealed a darker side. She never imagined she would end up back in New Hampshire. When Lily Campanello and her mom relocate to Adams, New Hampshire, for her final year of high school, they both hope it will be a fresh start. Olivia and Lily's paths cross when Asher falls for the new girl, and Lily can't help but fall for him, too. Then one day, Olivia receives a phone call: Lily is dead, and Asher is being questioned by the police. Olivia is adamant that her son is innocent. But as the case against him unfolds, she realizes he's hidden more than he's shared with her.

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**THE MAZE**

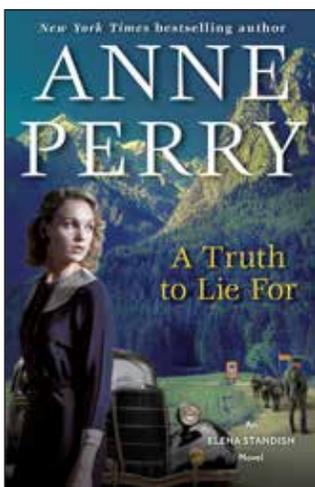
Nelson DeMille

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EDITOR'S CHOICE #4 TITLE

The Maze opens with detective John Corey, on the verge of retirement, scanning the horizon for his enemies. But then trouble does appear, and the justice-seeking former detective in Corey can't ignore it. A series of bodies has been found along a beach close to his home, and he can no longer deny that a serial killer is on the loose. Is the failure to find the perpetrator a result of a clever cover-up by the police? Is it due to the fact the victims are prostitutes? Or is it something darker? Could the killer be someone powerful on the inside? The fact that Corey's girlfriend may have purposefully enticed him into this involvement adds further dangerous intrigue.

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AN ELENA STANDISH NOVEL

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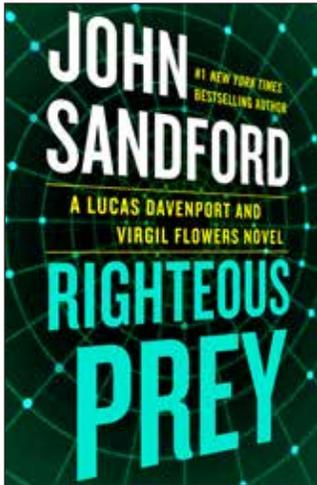
Anne Perry

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #6 TITLE

It is the summer of 1934, and Hitler is nearing the summit of supreme power in Germany. When Britain's MI6 gets word that a pair of German scientists have made breakthroughs in germ warfare, they send Elena Standish on a mission to get one of them out of Germany before he's forced to share his knowledge and its devastating power with Hitler's elite. But the new head of Germany's germ warfare division is an old enemy of Elena's grandfather, and he's bent on using any means to avenge his defeat twenty years before. As Elena and the scientist make their way across Germany, Elena finds her every decision challenged.

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Historical Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Basic 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8.



RIGHTEOUS PREY

A Prey Novel

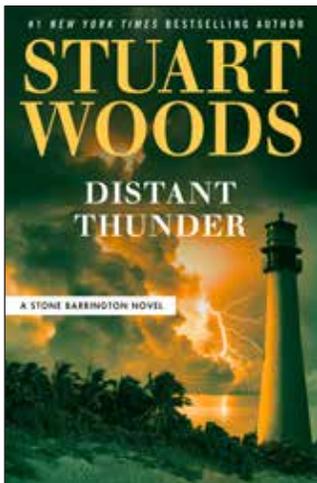
John Sandford

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #4 TITLE

"We're going to murder people who need to be murdered." So begins a press release from a group known only as "The Five," shortly after a vicious predator is murdered in San Francisco. The Five is believed to be made up of vigilante killers who are very bored and very rich. They target the worst of society and then use their unlimited resources to offset the damage by donating untraceable Bitcoin to charities and victims via the dark net. After a woman is murdered in the Twin Cities, Virgil Flowers and Lucas Davenport are sent to investigate. If anyone can destroy this group, it will be the dynamic team of Davenport and Flowers.

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Thriller | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Basic 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8.



DISTANT THUNDER

A Stone Barrington Novel

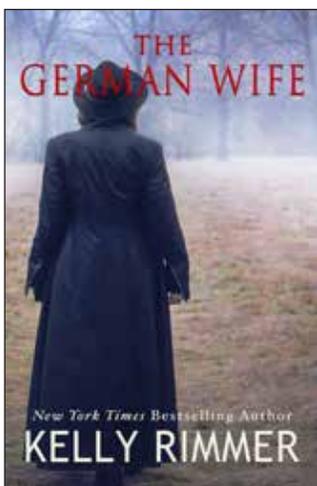
Stuart Woods

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #3 TITLE

During an intense storm in Dark Harbor, Maine, a perplexing murder lands a dead man on Stone Barrington's doorstep. As secrets swirl around this mystery man's identity, Stone quickly sets out to unravel a web of cunning misdirections and lies. Soon enough, he is embroiled in an elaborate game of cat and mouse between the CIA and nefarious foreign forces, including a bewitching new companion who comes under his protection. When Stone's actions draw the attention of an old enemy, one who will stop at nothing to prevent the truth from getting out, Stone realizes he may have finally met his match.

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Adventure | Releases 10/11/2022 | Available in Basic 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8.



THE GERMAN WIFE

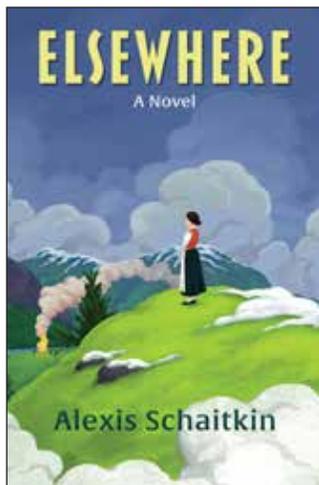
Kelly Rimmer

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Berlin, 1930. When the Nazis rise to power, Sofie von Meyer Rhodes and her husband benefit when Jürgen is offered a high-level position in their rocket program. Although they oppose Hitler's radical views, it becomes clear that if Jürgen does not accept the job, their income will be taken away. Then their children. Then their lives. *Huntsville, Alabama, 1950.* Jürgen is one of many German scientists pardoned and granted a position in America's space program. When rumors about the Rhodes family's affiliation with the Nazi party spread, the act of violence that results tears apart a family and leaves the community wondering — is it an act of vengeance or justice?

ISBN: 9781432896539 | \$34.99 U.S.

Historical Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Basic 5, 6, 7 & 8.

**ELSEWHERE** ★★☆☆

Alexis Schaitkin

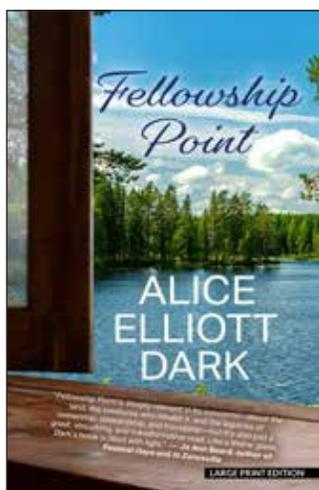
INDIE NEXT PICK

“A simply stunning work of speculative fiction . . . This novel is, at its core, a commentary and psychological exploration of motherhood, as readers follow Vera through parenting’s tender highs and most gut-wrenching, self-doubting lows.” — starred, *Library Journal*

Vera grows up in a small town, removed and isolated. This town faces a singular affliction: some mothers vanish, disappearing into the clouds. Vera, a young girl when her own mother went, is on the cusp of adulthood herself. As her peers begin to marry and become mothers, they speculate about who might be the first to go, each wondering about her own fate. They witness each other in motherhood, waiting for signs: this one devotes herself to her child too much, this one not enough — that must surely draw the affliction’s gaze. When motherhood comes for Vera, she is faced with the question: will she be able to stay and mother her beloved child, or will she disappear?

ISBN: 9798885781107 | \$33.99 U.S.

Women's Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Basic 6, 7 & 8.

**FELLOWSHIP POINT** ★★☆☆

Alice Elliott Dark

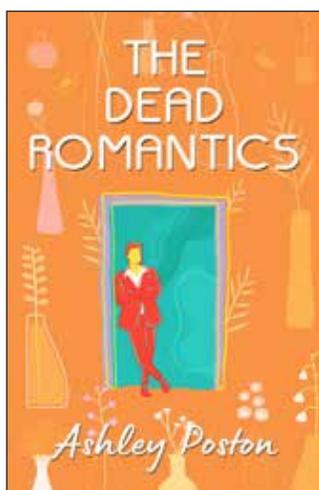
INDIE NEXT PICK

“Elegantly structured, beautifully written, and altogether diverting, with a powerful message about land ownership in America.” — starred, *Kirkus Reviews*

Agnes Lee is determined to complete the final volume of her Franklin Square novels and protect the peninsula known as Fellowship Point. To donate the land, Agnes must convince shareholders to dissolve a generations-old partnership. One of those shareholders is her best friend, Polly Wister. Polly soon finds her loyalties torn between the wishes of her best friend and the wishes of her three sons — but what is it that Polly wants herself? Agnes’ designs are further muddled when a book editor sets out to convince Agnes to write her memoirs. Agnes’ resistance cannot prevent long-buried memories and secrets from coming to light with far-reaching repercussions.

ISBN: 9781432896942 | \$31.99 U.S.

General Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Basic 7 & 8.

**THE DEAD ROMANTICS** ★☆☆☆

Ashley Poston

INDIE NEXT PICK

LIBRARY READS PICK

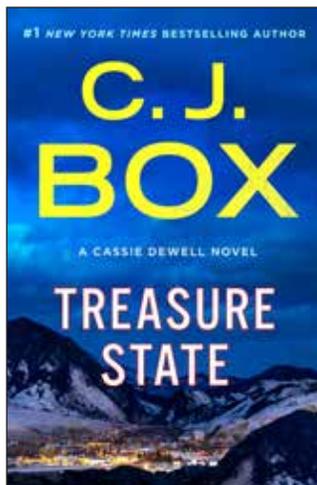
GOOD MORNING AMERICA BOOK CLUB

“The ghostly element is fun and fresh, adding slightly higher stakes to Florence and Ben’s happily-ever-after.” — *Kirkus Reviews*

Florence Day is the ghostwriter for one of the most prolific romance authors in the industry, and she has a problem — after a terrible breakup, she no longer believes in love. When her new editor won’t give her an extension on her book deadline, Florence prepares to kiss her career goodbye. Then she must return home to help her family bury her father. Even though she misses her family, she can’t bring herself to stay until she finds a ghost standing at the funeral parlor’s door, and he’s just as confused about why he’s there as she is. Romance is most certainly dead, but so is her editor, and his unfinished business will have her second-guessing everything.

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Contemporary Romance | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Basic 8.



TREASURE STATE

A Cassie Dewell Novel

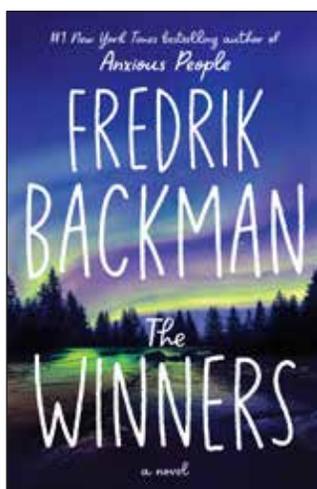
C. J. Box

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #2 TITLE

Private Investigator Cassie Dewell's latest case puts her on the hunt for a con man. A Florida widow has accused him of absconding with her fortune and wants Cassie to get it back. As the case develops, Cassie begins to wonder if her client is telling her everything. On top of that, Cassie is also working one of her strangest assignments ever. A poem that promises buried treasure has led to five deaths. Cassie's client claims to be the one who hid the gold and wrote the poem. And he's hired Cassie to try to find him. Between the two cases, Cassie has her hands full.

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THE WINNERS

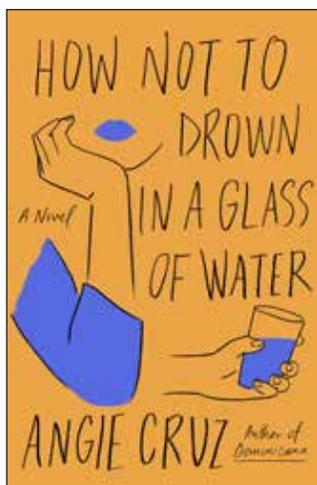
Fredrik Backman

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #7 TITLE

Maya Andersson and Benji Ovich can see how much Beartown has changed. Two years have passed since the events no one wants to think about. The destruction caused by a summer storm reignites the old rivalry between Beartown and the neighboring town of Hed, a rivalry which has always been fought through their ice hockey teams. Tensions between the two towns turn into acts of intimidation and then violence. All the while, a fourteen-year-old boy grows increasingly alienated and is determined to take revenge on the people he holds responsible for his sister's death. He has a pistol and a plan that will leave Beartown with a loss that is almost more that it can stand.

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General Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Core 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8.



HOW NOT TO DROWN IN A GLASS OF WATER

A NOVEL

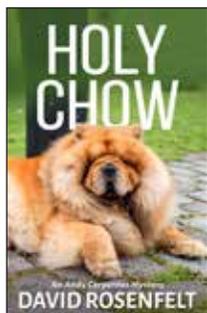
Angie Cruz

"A poignant portrait of one fallible, wise woman and a corner of one of New York's most vibrant immigrant communities." — Kirkus Reviews

Cara Romero thought she would work at the factory of little lamps for the rest of her life. But when she loses her job in the Great Recession, she is forced back into the job market for the first time in decades. Set up with a job counselor, Cara instead begins to narrate the story of her life. She recounts her tempestuous love affairs, her relationships with her neighbor Lulu and her sister Angela, her struggles with debt, gentrification, and loss, and what really happened between her and her estranged son, Fernando. As Cara confronts her darkest secrets and regrets, we see a woman buffeted by life but still full of fight.

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General Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Core 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8.



HOLY CHOW
An Andy Carpenter Mystery
David Rosenfelt

"Rosenfelt . . . crafts a satisfying mystery with just the right balance of humor, fast-paced dialogue, and well-executed action pieces."
— Publishers Weekly

Andy Carpenter's calling has always been running the Tara Foundation dog rescue organization. In her sixties and recently

widowed, Rachel Morehouse wanted a senior dog that also needed someone. She took a liking to Lion, and the rest is history. Until Rachel calls Andy begging for a favor: If Rachel dies, will Andy take care of Lion? Andy agrees and forgets about it, until he receives a call to attend Rachel's will reading, where he meets Rachel's stepson, Tony, who is arrested for his stepmother's murder. The person who killed her deserves to be held accountable, and if Tony is to be believed, they're still out there.

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Mystery | Releases 10/5/2022
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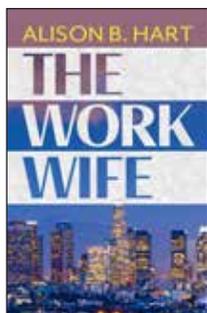
THE BINDING ROOM
A NOVEL
An Inspector Anjelica Henley Thriller
Nadine Matheson

When Detective Anjelica Henley is called to investigate the murder of a popular preacher in his own church, she discovers a second victim, tortured and tied to a bed in an upstairs room. He is alive, but barely, and his body shows signs of a

dark religious ritual. With a revolving list of suspects and the media spotlight firmly on her, Henley is left with more questions than answers as she attempts to untangle both crimes. When another body appears, the case takes on a new urgency. Unless she can apprehend the killer, the next victim may just be Henley herself.

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Thriller | Releases 10/8/2022 | Available in Core 6, 7 & 8.



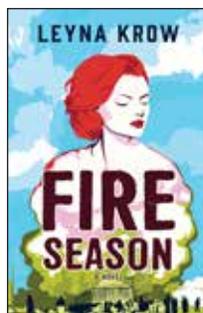
THE WORK WIFE ★
A NOVEL
Alison B. Hart
INDIE NEXT PICK

"This book flies on a magic carpet of seamless, intricate detail . . . Riveting details of a fascinating hidden world support a ruthless takedown of misogyny and entitlement." — starred, Kirkus Reviews

Zanne Klein never planned to be a personal assistant to Hollywood royalty Ted and Holly Stabler. But that's exactly how she spends her days. However, today is no ordinary day at the Stabler estate. Tonight, everyone who's anyone will be there for the Hollywood event of the season, and if the party's a success, that chief of staff job Zanne's been chasing may soon be hers. When Ted's former business partner shows up, Zanne suddenly has a catastrophe unfolding before her. As the truth comes out and Zanne realizes how entangled she's become in the Stablers' world, she must decide if the sacrifices she's made for the job are worth the moral price she has to pay.

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General Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022
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FIRE SEASON ★
A NOVEL
Leyna Krow

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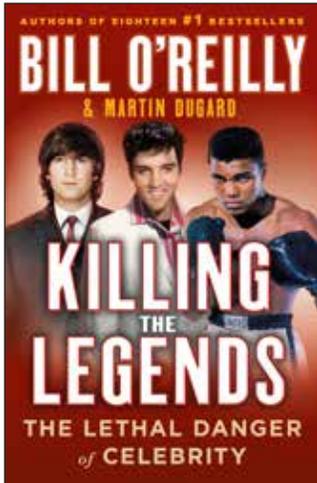
"The prose is incantatory . . . A novel that makes peace with uncertainty." — Kirkus Reviews

For the citizens of Spokane Falls, the fire that destroyed their town was an opportunity. Barton Heydale, manager of the only bank in Spokane

Falls, is on the verge of ending his unpopular life. But as citizens flock to the bank to cash out insurance policies, he realizes he can command the power he craves. When Quake Auchenbaucher, a con man hired to investigate the cause of the fire, arrives, he employs his usual shady tactics. Then there's Roslyn Beck, whose ability to see the future has long driven her to drink. As their paths collide, Barton, Quake, and Roslyn come to terms with their own needs, leading one to ruin, one to heartbreak, and one to redemption.

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Western | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Core 8.



KILLING THE LEGENDS

THE LETHAL DANGER OF CELEBRITY

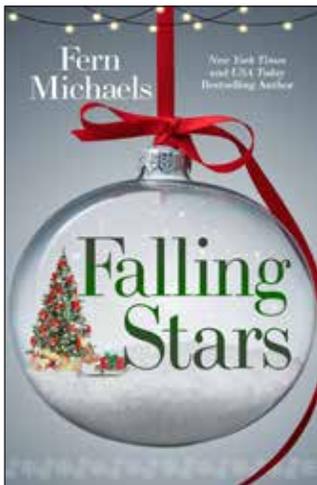
Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #7 TITLE

Elvis Presley, John Lennon, and Muhammad Ali. These three icons changed not only the worlds of music, film, and sports, but the world itself. Their faces were known everywhere, in every nation, across every culture. And their stories became larger than life — until their lives spun out of control at the hands of those they most trusted. In *Killing the Legends*, Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard explore the lives, legacies, and tragic deaths of three of the most famous people of the 20th century. Each experienced immense success, then failures that forced them to change; each faced the challenge of growing old in fields that privilege youth; and finally, each became isolated, cocooned by wealth but vulnerable to the demands of those in their innermost circles.

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FALLING STARS

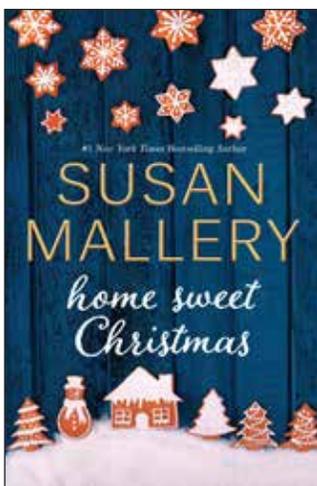
Fern Michaels

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #8 TITLE

Emily Ammerman has always felt at home amid the ski runs and slopes of Snowdrift Summit, and she doesn't hesitate when a new client asks her to train him to ski one of Colorado's most treacherous runs. But Zach Ryder is no regular client. On screen, he's famous for starring as a daring CIA officer who always saves the day. In real life, he's just as handsome and charming as his alter ego, though not everyone is impressed. Emily will train him till he's ready to tackle any slope, but she won't fall in love with him, the way so many others have. Still, not everything in life can be planned, and sometimes, no matter how hard you try, you just can't help but fall.

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Women's Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Wheeler Hardcover 3, 4 & 5.



HOME SWEET CHRISTMAS

Wishing Tree • Book 2

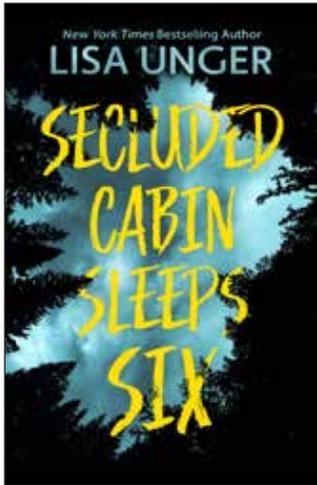
Susan Mallery

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
EDITOR'S CHOICE #5 TITLE

Camryn Neff is not looking for forever love, but Jake Crane is a temptation she can't resist, so she suggests they pair up for the season. No golden rings, no broken hearts. New in town, River Best is charmed by Wishing Tree. When she's crowned Snow Queen, she's honored but wary. Dylan Tucker, her king, seems like the stuff of sugarplum dreams, but she can't shake the feeling that he's hiding something. As they perform their "royal" duties, Dylan's good humor and melty kisses draw her to the brink of love. But she can't let herself fall until she uncovers his secret, even if her lack of faith means losing him forever.

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Romance | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Wheeler Hardcover 3, 4 & 5.



SECLUDED CABIN SLEEPS SIX

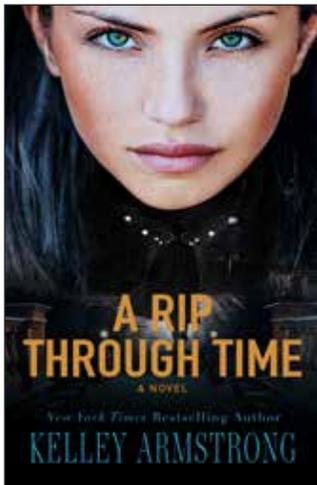
Lisa Unger

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

What could be more restful than a weekend getaway with family and friends? An isolated luxury cabin in the woods, complete with a hot tub and a personal chef. Hannah's tech-mogul brother found the listing online. It's his birthday gift to Hannah and includes their spouses and another couple. The six friends need this trip, but a deadly storm is brewing. The rental host seems a little too present. The personal chef reveals that the house has a spine-tingling history. And the friends have their own secrets that run deep. Meanwhile, someone is determined to ruin the weekend, looking to exact a payback for deeds long buried. Who is the stranger among them?

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Thriller | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Wheeler Hardcover 3, 4 & 5.



A RIP THROUGH TIME ★

A NOVEL

Kelley Armstrong

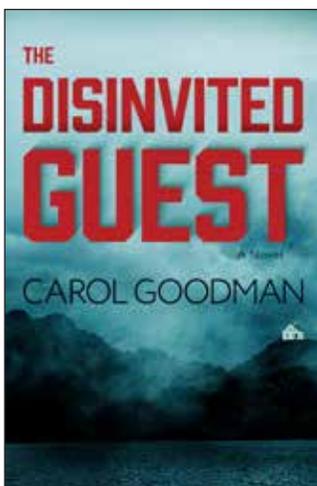
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"Armstrong builds an intense, intricately plotted mystery in this series debut." — starred, Library Journal

May 20, 2019. Homicide detective Mallory Atkinson is in Edinburgh. While out on a jog, Mallory hears a woman in distress. She's drawn to an alley, where she is attacked and loses consciousness. May 20, 1869. Catriona Mitchell had been discovered strangled and left for dead exactly one hundred and fifty years before Mallory is strangled in the same spot. When Mallory wakes up in Catriona's body in 1869, she must adjust quickly to her new reality. She soon discovers that her boss moonlights as a medical examiner and has taken on a case similar to the attack on herself. Her only hope is that catching the murderer can lead her back to modern life before it's too late.

ISBN: 9798885782654 | \$35.99 U.S.

Historical Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Wheeler Hardcover 4 & 5.



THE DISINVITED GUEST ★

A NOVEL

Carol Goodman

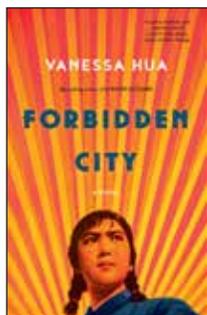
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"This smooth cocktail of refreshingly chilly suspense is sure to win her new fans." — Publishers Weekly

Lucy Harper has traumatic memories and lingering health problems from the 2020 pandemic. When a new virus surfaces years later, she and her husband, Reed, seek refuge on his family's private island. Ostensibly safely sequestered, Lucy should feel at ease. So why does she feel the weight of the island's dark history? As Lucy uncovers Reed's family secrets and the island's history as a quarantine hospital for typhus patients, she becomes obsessed with the past and feels her own grip on reality slipping. Tempers flare, strange signs appear in the woods, and accidents turn deadly. Is the island haunted by the dead? Or is someone among the living taking their revenge?

ISBN: 9798885782623 | \$32.99 U.S.

Thriller | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Wheeler Hardcover 5.



FORBIDDEN CITY ★

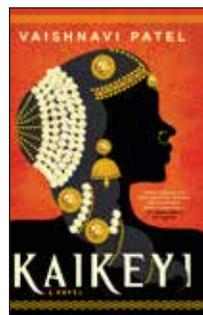
A NOVEL
Vanessa Hua

"[T]his well-researched book addresses a momentous period rarely covered in fiction."
— Kirkus Reviews

On the eve of China's Cultural Revolution and her sixteenth birthday, Mei dreams of becoming a model revolutionary. When the

Communist Party recruits girls for a mysterious duty in the capital, she seizes the opportunity. Mei gradually becomes the Chairman's confidante — and paramour. While he fends off political rivals, Mei faces down schemers who will stop at nothing to take her place and the Chairman's imperious wife, who has secret plans of her own. When the Chairman finally gives Mei a political mission, she seizes it with fervor, but the brutality of this latest stage of the revolution makes her begin to doubt all the certainties she has held so dear.

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Historical Fiction | Releases 10/19/2022



KAIKEYI ★★

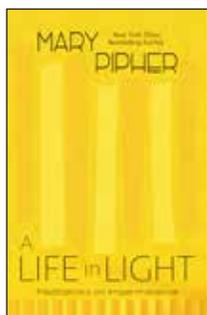
A NOVEL
Vaishnavi Patel

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER
INDIE NEXT PICK

"Readers familiar with the source text will be wowed by Patel's reimagining, while those new to the story will be won over by its powerful, multilayered heroine and epic scope."
— starred, Publishers Weekly

The only daughter of the kingdom of Kekaya, Kaikeyi is raised on tales of the gods. Yet she watches as her father banishes her mother, listens as her own worth is reduced to how great a marriage alliance she can secure. She turns to the texts she once read with her mother and discovers a magic that is hers alone. With this power, Kaikeyi transforms herself into a warrior, diplomat, and queen, determined to carve a better world for herself and the women around her. But the path she has forged clashes with the destiny the gods have chosen for her. Kaikeyi must decide if resistance is worth the destruction it will wreak — and what legacy she intends to leave behind.

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Historical Fiction | Releases 10/19/2022



A LIFE IN LIGHT ★★

MEDITATIONS ON IMPERMANENCE
Mary Pipher

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
"A life story but also a homage to light . . . A beautifully written, quiet, contemplative memoir that many will enjoy."
— Library Journal

Drawing from her own experiences and expertise as a psychologist

specializing in women, trauma, and the effect of our culture on our mental health, Mary Pipher looks inward to what shaped her as a woman. Her depictions of her hard childhood and life's difficulties are dappled with moments of joy and revelation, tragedies and ordinary miseries, glimmers and shadow. In *A Life in Light* she explores what she's learned, utilizing and sharing every coping skill she has honed to remind us that there is a silver thread of resilience that flows through all of life, and that despite our despair, the light will return.

ISBN: 9798885783071 | \$34.99 U.S.
Biography | Releases 10/5/2022



IN ON THE JOKE
THE ORIGINAL QUEENS OF
STAND-UP COMEDY

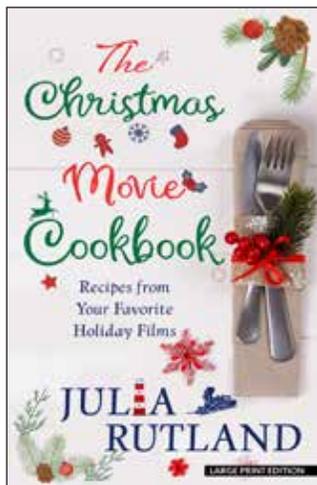
Shawn Levy

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"Insightful, moving, and well researched, with humorous anecdotes and fond memories of a group of women Levy clearly admires."
— Library Journal

In On the Joke is the story of women who knocked down the doors of stand-up comedy so other women could get a shot. It spans Moms Mabley's rise in Black vaudeville to the roadhouse ribaldry of Belle Barth and Rusty Warren in the 1950s and '60s to Elaine May's co-invention of improv comedy to Joan Rivers' and Phyllis Diller's ascent to mainstream stardom. These women persevered, making space not only for themselves but for the women who followed. Shawn Levy's group portrait shows how women broke into the boys' club, offered new ideas of womanhood, and had some laughs along the way.

ISBN: 9798885783132 | \$33.99 U.S.
Biography | Releases 10/5/2022



THE CHRISTMAS MOVIE COOKBOOK

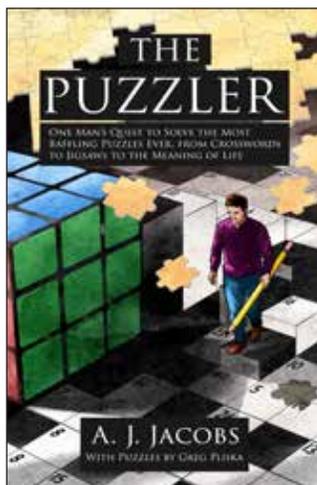
RECIPES FROM YOUR FAVORITE HOLIDAY FILMS

Julia Rutland

Do you ever yearn for roast turkey while watching *National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation*? Or do you wish you could taste the roast beast from *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*? Well, 'tis the season to recreate dishes from your favorite holiday movies. You can indulge alongside your favorite *Elf* characters as they make special spaghetti and get tipsy with the *Bad Moms* crew while they imbibe their spiced cider. Complete with tips and menu ideas for your merry gatherings, *The Christmas Movie Cookbook* is the perfect companion to your holiday season.

ISBN: 9798885783248 | \$33.99 U.S.

Cookbook | Releases 10/19/2022 | Available in Nonfiction 2 & 3.



THE PUZZLER

ONE MAN'S QUEST TO SOLVE THE MOST BAFFLING PUZZLES EVER, FROM CROSSWORDS TO JIGSAWS TO THE MEANING OF LIFE

A. J. Jacobs

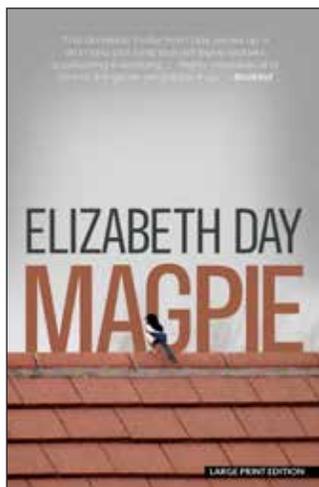
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"A must-read for puzzle enthusiasts of all skill levels." — Library Journal

Convinced that puzzles have made him a better person, A.J. Jacobs set out to determine their myriad benefits. In *The Puzzler*, Jacobs meets the most zealous devotees, enters any puzzle competition that will have him, unpacks the history of the most popular puzzles, and aims to solve the most impossible head-scratchers. Chock-full of unforgettable adventures and original examples from around the world, *The Puzzler* will open readers' eyes to the power of flexible thinking and concentration.

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Biography | Releases 10/19/2022 | Available in Nonfiction 3.

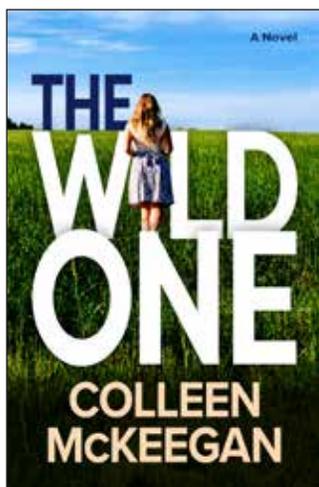


MAGPIE
A NOVEL
Elizabeth Day

For fans of Gone Girl, "this domestic thriller is highly readable, and fans of the genre will gobble it up."
—Booklist

Marisa and Jake are a perfect couple. And Kate, their new lodger, is the perfect roommate. Sure, Kate doesn't seem to care about personal boundaries, but Marisa doesn't let it concern her, knowing that soon Kate will be gone, and it will just be her, Jake, and their future baby. Conceiving a baby is easier said than done, though, and Jake and Marisa's relationship is put to the test through months of fertility treatments and false starts. To make matters worse, Kate's boundary-pushing turns into an all-out obsession with Jake, Marisa, and their future child. In her quest to find out who Kate really is, Marisa might destroy everything she's worked so hard to create.

ISBN: 9798885782067 | \$35.99 U.S.
Thriller | Releases 10/19/2022

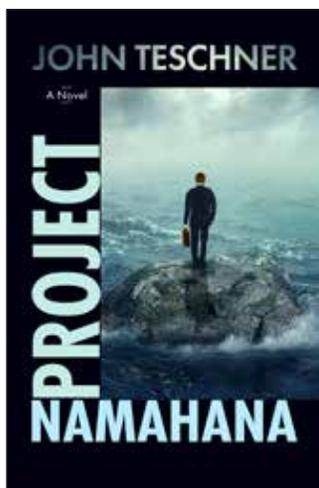


THE WILD ONE
A NOVEL
Colleen McKeegan

"A riveting tale of secrets, shame and a harrowing reckoning."
—New York Times bestselling author Megan Abbott

Amanda Brooks has been hiding a dark secret — a secret that goes back to that summer at Camp Catalpa when a man died in the woods. Fellow campers Catherine and Meg were there too, and in the years since, not one of them has ever spoken about what happened that day. Until Amanda slips and the truth threatens to explode the tightly controlled façade of her life. Reuniting with Catherine and Meg one last time, Amanda is desperate to put the demons of that twisted summer to rest. But when trusting anyone, even one another, starts to feel like a wildly risky proposition, just how far will these three go to keep the truth from emerging and their lives from unraveling?

ISBN: 9798885782883 | \$34.99 U.S.
Thriller | Releases 10/19/2022

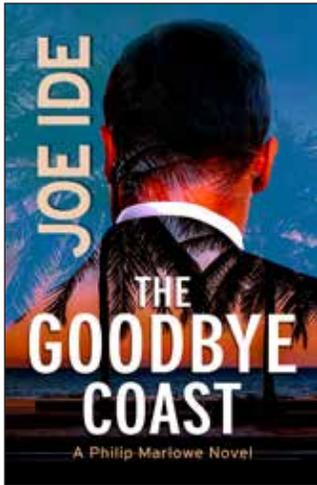


PROJECT NAMAHAHA ★
A NOVEL
John Teschner

"Teschner's exceptional debut, a hard-edged eco-thriller, matches strong characters with a bold plot that fulfills its potential." —starred, Publishers Weekly

Two men, unified by a string of disappearances and deaths, search for answers — and salvation — in the jungles of Kaua'i. Together, they must navigate the overlapping and complicated lines between a close-knit community and the hated, but economically necessary corporate farms — and the decades old secrets that bind them. *Project Namahana* takes you from Midwestern corporate offices over the Pacific and across the island of Kaua'i; from seemingly idyllic beaches and mountainous inland jungles to the face of Mount Namahana; all the while, exploring the question of how corporate executives could be responsible for evil things without, presumably, being evil themselves.

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Thriller | Releases 10/19/2022



THE GOODBYE COAST ★★

A Philip Marlowe Mystery

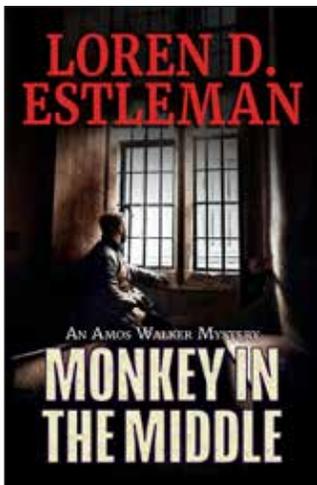
Joe Ide

"[Readers] will be gripped till the last loose end is tied up and eager to follow should Ide bring Marlowe back again." — Library Journal

Philip Marlowe is a quiet, lonely, and remarkably capable and confident private detective, though he lives beneath the shadow of his father, a once-decorated LAPD homicide detective, famous throughout the city, who's given in to drink after the death of Marlowe's mother. Marlowe, against his better judgment, accepts two missing person cases. The first, a daughter of a faded, tyrannical Hollywood starlet, and the second, a British child stolen from his mother by his father. At the center of *The Goodbye Coast* is Marlowe's troubled and confounding relationship with his father.

ISBN: 9798885783200 | \$34.99 U.S.

Hard-boiled | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Mystery 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6.



MONKEY IN THE MIDDLE ★

An Amos Walker Mystery

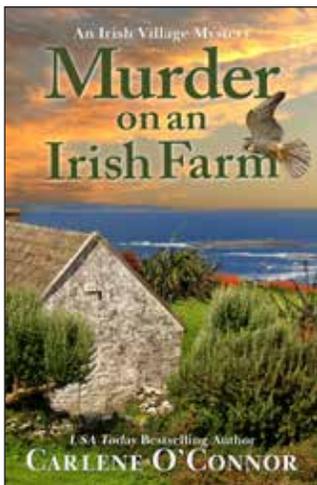
Loren D. Estleman

"Razor-edged prose . . . lifts Estleman's excellent 30th outing for Detroit PI Amos Walker." — starred, Publishers Weekly

A young journalist who has gotten in way over his head needs private eye Amos Walker's protection but is suspiciously vague about why and from whom. And he's not the only one playing their cards close to their chest, including a bestselling author who claims to be retired but who knows a good story when he hears one, a fugitive whistleblower who skipped out on a \$100,000 bond, a headline-hungry defense attorney, and an assassin with whom Walker has a long history. Walker just wants answers, but what he finds is a dead body and enough trouble to put him on ice for good, unless he can discover what everyone's *not* telling him.

ISBN: 9798885783217 | \$32.99 U.S.

Hard-boiled | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Mystery 3, 4, 5 & 6.



MURDER ON AN IRISH FARM

An Irish Village Mystery

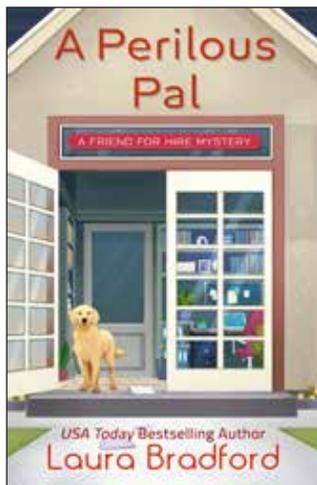
Carlene O'Connor

"Fans of charming Irish mysteries will delight in the ways this convoluted case ensnares the heroine and her supporting cast." — Kirkus Reviews

The entire O'Sullivan brood have gathered for the wedding of Siobhán O'Sullivan and Macdara Flannery. Only Siobhán's brother James is missing. When James finally comes racing in, he's covered in dirt and babbling he's found a human skeleton at the farmhouse. Duty calls, so the engaged garda decide to put the wedding on hold to investigate. The garda have a cold case on their hands, which heats up the following day when a fresh corpse appears on top of the bridegroom's bones. With a killer at large, they need to watch their backs, or the nearly wedded couple may be parted by death before they've even taken their vows.

ISBN: 9798885783057 | \$31.99 U.S.

Mystery | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Mystery 4, 5 & 6.



A PERILOUS PAL

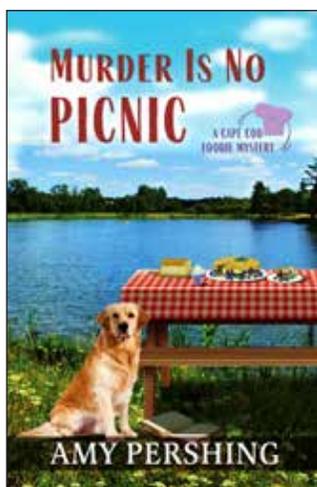
A Friend for Hire Mystery

Laura Bradford

Emma Westlake, proprietor of A Friend for Hire, finds an email from Kim Felder, a woman struggling with empty-nest syndrome and a divorce. Emma suggests she draft a bucket list of things she has always wanted to do. Together, they fill that list with baking classes, traveling, and dancing in the middle of the street for no reason. Kim also adds in some hilarious items about getting even with her ex. But all laughter ends when Kim's ex winds up dead via one of the ideas Kim proposed. Now, Kim is Deputy Jack Riordan's lone suspect. Emma will have to put her relationship with the deputy on the line to corner a killer.

ISBN: 9798885783040 | \$31.99 U.S.

Cozy Mystery | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Mystery 5 & 6.



MURDER IS NO PICNIC

A Cape Cod Foodie Mystery

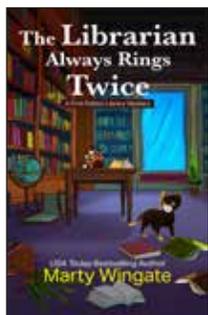
Amy Pershing

"A clever, empathetic, and totally believable heroine sets this fine cozy above the competition."
— starred, Kirkus Reviews

What could be better than a DIY clambake followed by the best blueberry buckle in the world? Food lover Samantha Barnes has finally found the perfect recipe in the kitchen of Clara Foster, famed cookbook author and retired restaurateur. But when Clara dies in a house fire blamed on carelessness in the kitchen, Sam doesn't believe it. Her doubts set in motion an investigation pointing to the new owner of Clara's legendary restaurant and a cousin of Sam's boyfriend. In between researching the Cape's best lobster rolls and planning her clambake, Sam needs to find Clara's killer before the fireworks really start.

ISBN: 9798885783064 | \$31.99 U.S.

Mystery | Releases 10/5/2022 | Available in Mystery 6.



THE LIBRARIAN ALWAYS RINGS TWICE

A First Edition Library Mystery

Marty Wingate

"Fast-paced and quirky fare for literary sleuths and those who love them."
— Kirkus Reviews

It has been a year since I took up my position as curator of Lady Georgiana Fowling's collection of Golden Age of

Mystery writers' first editions. One day, Mr. John Aubrey shows up and insists that Lady Georgiana Fowling is his grandmother. An associate of Mr. Aubrey's intends to help us uncover the truth of John's story. Before he can do that, he is murdered. I know there is something dead wrong about Mr. Aubrey's tales regarding his "grandmother." I will need to make sense of her past in order to suss out the true villain of this story.

ISBN: 9798885783125 | \$27.99 U.S.

Cozy Mystery | Releases 10/19/2022

Available in Softcover Cozy Mysteries 3 & 4.



A SCONE OF CONTENTION

A Key West Food Critic Mystery

Lucy Burdette

"A scone-by-scone tour of glorious Scotland . . . Foodies and Outlander fans will rejoice in the references to both." — Kirkus Reviews

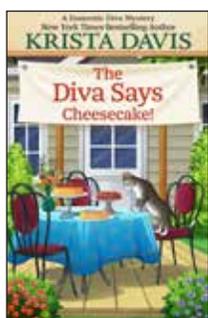
Food critic Hayley Snow and her groom, police detective Nathan Bransford, chose Scotland for their long-delayed honeymoon, hoping to sightsee and

enjoy some prize-winning scones. But the trip takes a deadly turn when a dinner party guest falls ill and claims she was poisoned. Then a mysterious tourist tumbles to his death from the famous Falkirk Wheel. With one person dead and a second possibly poisoned, Hayley fears her long-awaited honeymoon might end with another murder. She must call on all her savvy to keep a killer from striking again and then escaping Scot free.

ISBN: 9798885783095 | \$27.99 U.S.

Cozy Mystery | Releases 10/19/2022

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THE DIVA SAYS CHEESECAKE!

A Domestic Diva Mystery

Krista Davis

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"The nicely delineated setting and sympathetic characters are reminiscent of Joanne Fluke's Hannah Swensen cozies." — Booklist

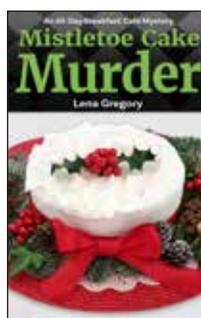
Bobbie Sue Bodoin, the Queen of Cheesecake, has hired Sophie Winston to organize a dinner with a dessert

buffet on the waterfront. Bobbie Sue has only one menu demand: no cheesecake! But her specialty isn't the only thing missing from the evening — Tate, Bobbie Sue's husband, is too, much to her annoyance. Next morning, however, Tate's dead body is discovered. Bobbie Sue insists she didn't kick her spouse to the curb and begs for Sophie's help finding the real killer. Can she gather the crumbs the killer left behind in time to prevent a second helping of murder?

ISBN: 9798885783101 | \$27.99 U.S.

Cozy Mystery | Releases 10/19/2022

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MISTLETOE CAKE MURDER

An All-Day Breakfast Café Mystery

Lena Gregory

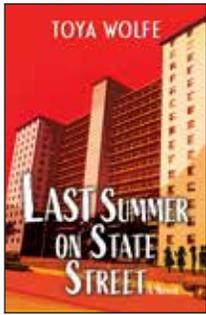
Gia Morelli's friend Savannah Mills is getting married on Christmas Eve. When Gia and Savannah stop by the caterer for a final tasting a week before the wedding, they overhear another bride arguing with her son about her husband-to-be. Moments

later, the woman is sampling a piece of wedding cake, then suddenly dies. Now Gia's caterer friends are the prime suspects in what appears to be murder by poisoning. To clear their names and ensure Savannah has a merry matrimony will require Gia to conjure up a Christmas miracle.

ISBN: 9798885783118 | \$27.99 U.S.

Cozy Mystery | Releases 10/19/2022

Available in Softcover Cozy Mysteries 4.



LAST SUMMER ON STATE STREET ★★

A NOVEL

Toya Wolfe

"Wolfe's arresting and atmospheric narrative comes fully realized. This is a gut punch." — starred, Publishers Weekly

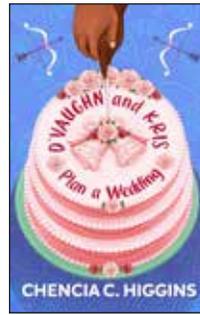
Felicia "Fe Fe" Stevens is living with her mother and older brother in Chicago. It's the summer of 1999, and

her high-rise is next in line to be torn down. She, with Precious Brown and Stacia Buchanan, form a tentative trio and carve out a simple life of Double Dutch and innocence. But when Fe Fe welcomes a new friend into their fold, the dynamics shift, upending the lives of all four girls. As their neighborhood falls down around them, so too do their friendships and the structures of the girls' families. Decades later, as she remembers that fateful summer, Fe Fe tries to make sense of the grief that still haunts her and attempts to reclaim the love that never left.

ISBN: 9798885783484 | \$33.99 U.S.

General Fiction | Releases 10/19/2022

Available in Black Voices 2, 3 & 4.



D'VAUGHN AND KRIS PLAN A WEDDING ★

Chencia C. Higgins

"In a romance featuring Black joy, plus-sized beauty, and Mexican pride, the conflicts are entirely believable, and not overly dramatic, and make for a thoroughly enjoyable read." — starred, Library Journal

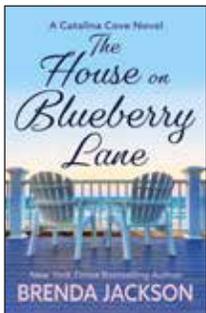
Instant I Do could be Kris Zavala's big break. She's right on the cusp of

really making it as an influencer, so a stint on reality TV is the perfect chance to elevate her brand. And \$100,000 wouldn't hurt, either. D'Vaughn Miller is just trying to break out of her shell. She's neglected to come out to her mom for years, so a big splashy fake wedding is just the excuse she needs. All they have to do is convince their friends and family they're getting married in six weeks. But a reality show isn't the best place to create a solid foundation, and their fake wedding might just derail their relationship before it even starts.

ISBN: 9798885781169 | \$32.99 U.S.

Contemporary Romance | Releases 10/19/2022

Available in Black Voices 2, 3 & 4.



THE HOUSE ON BLUEBERRY LANE

A Catalina Cove Novel

Brenda Jackson

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"Jackson is a master at writing."

— Publishers Weekly

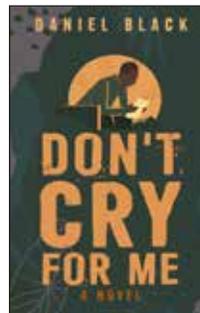
The biggest mistake of Jaye Colfax's life was letting Velvet Spencer leave. For three years, they were together and

it was great — at least for Jaye. But Velvet wanted more. Jaye wouldn't commit to anything because he just didn't believe in love or marriage. Tired of waiting, Velvet left him without so much as a goodbye. Only then did Jaye realize he'd been too proud to admit he loved her. It took Jaye two years to find where Velvet had gone. Now, he's come to Catalina Cove to prove his love and win back her heart. He'll do whatever it takes, even buy the local bank and move in next door. But will Velvet have him?

ISBN: 9798885782500 | \$32.99 U.S.

Romance | Releases 10/19/2022

Available in Black Voices 3 & 4.



DON'T CRY FOR ME ★

A NOVEL

Daniel Black

INDIE NEXT PICK

"A deeply perceptive evocation of what it has meant to be a man and especially a Black man in the United States, all the more affecting for not being shouted out but told with quiet, sturdy intimacy." — starred, Library Journal

As Jacob lies dying, he begins to write a letter to his only son, Isaac. They have not met or spoken in many years, and there are things that Isaac must know. Stories about his ancestral legacy in rural Arkansas that extend back to slavery. Secrets from Jacob's tumultuous relationship with Isaac's mother and the shame he carries from the dissolution of their family. Tragedies that informed Jacob's role as a father and his reaction to Isaac's being gay. But most of all, Jacob must share with Isaac the unspoken truths that reside in his heart. He must give voice to the trauma that Isaac has inherited. And he must create a space for the two to find peace.

ISBN: 9798885782548 | \$31.99 U.S.

Historical Fiction | Releases 10/19/2022

Available in Black Voices 4.



SURRENDERING TO HUNT

Wyoming Wilde • Book 2

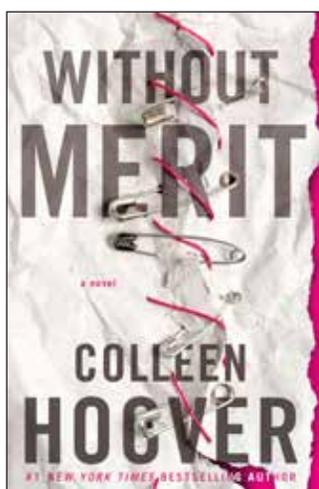
Jennifer Ryan

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

The last thing Hunt Wilde dreamed he'd do was fall for a purple-haired troublemaker like Cyn Wilson. While Hunt believes in law and order, Cyn lives life fast and loose. When Cyn's sister disappears, she turns to Hunt for help. Beneath Cyn's tough exterior beats a heart as wide and beautiful as Wyoming itself, and soon she finds herself surrendering to the attraction simmering between them and partnering with him in the search for her missing sister. When Hunt discovers how much danger Cyn is in because of him, he's even more determined to take down the man who would take her out of Hunt's life forever.

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Contemporary Romance | Releases 10/19/2022



WITHOUT MERIT ★★

Colleen Hoover

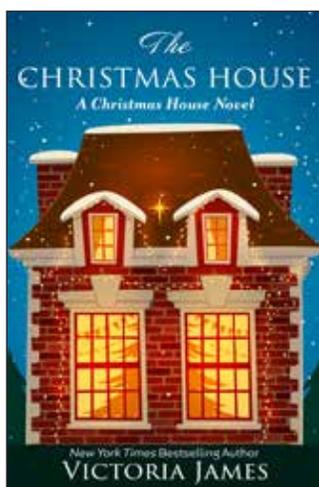
#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"Hoover does an excellent job of revealing the subtle differences between healthy teenage rebellion and clinical depression . . . This quirky, complex, and frustrating heroine will win hearts and challenge assumptions about family dysfunction and mental illness." — starred, Kirkus Reviews

The Voss family lives in a repurposed church; the once cancer-stricken mother lives in the basement, the father is married to the mother's former nurse, the little half-brother isn't allowed to do or eat anything fun, and the eldest siblings are irritatingly perfect. Then, there's Merit. Merit Voss collects trophies she hasn't earned and secrets her family forces her to keep. Watching her family from the sidelines, she learns a secret that no trophy in the world can fix. Fed up with the lies, Merit decides to shatter the happy family illusion before leaving them behind for good. When her escape plan fails, Merit is forced to deal with the staggering consequences.

ISBN: 9781432899806 | \$27.99 U.S.

Women's Fiction | Releases 10/19/2022



THE CHRISTMAS HOUSE

A Christmas House Novel

Victoria James

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

"A genuine contemporary romance worthy of a Hallmark adaptation." — Booklist

Every Christmas Eve, Ruby Harris, owner of the historic B&B The Christmas House, has opened her doors to strangers in need. When Ruby invites her family home for the holidays, including her two adult grandchildren, Charlotte and Olivia, she hopes they will be able to put the past behind them. However, her plans for reconciliation implode. As Charlotte grows closer to Wyatt, a friend from the past, memories resurface that the women would rather forget. As the clock inches closer to the New Year, can the magic of the season bring the family closer? Or will a surprise guest threaten their newly formed bonds?

ISBN: 9798885782876 | \$26.99 U.S.

Contemporary Romance | Releases 10/19/2022



DARK WHISPER

A Carpathian Novel

Christine Feehan

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

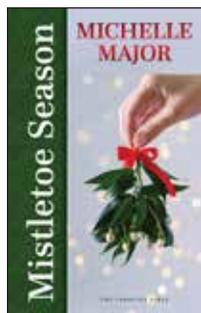
Vasilisa Sidkorolyavolkva is a Lycan of royal blood, but all she wants is to be out from under her family's watchful eyes. Every day she feels the weight of the legacy passed down through generations. The prophecy that says a

man will come to claim her as his mate, and that she will guard his soul. But nothing seems real until the night she meets him in the flesh. Afanasiv Belan is a Carpathian. In all the centuries of his existence, no one has ever affected him like Vasilisa. But if they claim each other as lifemates, it will change them down to the bone. They will become something feared by both of their kinds.

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MISTLETOE SEASON

The Carolina Girls • Book 2

Michelle Major

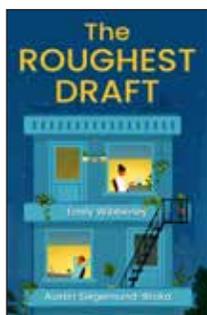
Angi Guilardi needs to grow her catering business, but when her mother falls ill, Angi's pulled back to the family restaurant. Romance is the last thing on her mind, until Angi runs into Gabriel Carlyle. In town to help his grandmother at her flower shop, Gabriel has no plans

to stick around, especially after he bumps into one of his childhood bullies. Sure, Angi's all grown up and gorgeous now, and when they find themselves under the mistletoe, their chemistry is undeniable. But it'll take more than a Christmas miracle for Angi to break through the defenses of Gabriel's well-guarded heart and find a love built to last.

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THE ROUGHEST DRAFT ★

Emily Wibberley and Austin Siegemund-Broka

"This will-they-or-won't-they romance is perfect for readers who enjoy friends-to-lovers, or anyone pursuing a passion project professionally." — Library Journal

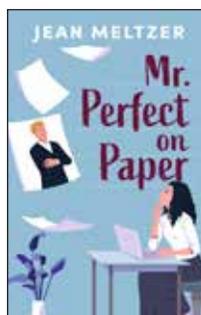
Three years ago, Katrina Freeling and Nathan Van Huysen were the brightest literary stars on the horizon,

their book topping bestseller lists, but they ended their partnership on bad terms. Facing crossroads in their personal and professional lives, they're forced to reunite. The last thing they ever thought they'd do again is finish a new manuscript. Working through the reasons they've hated each other isn't easy, especially not while writing a romantic novel. While passion and prose push them together, Katrina and Nathan will learn that relationships, like writing, sometimes take a few rough drafts before they get it right.

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MR. PERFECT ON PAPER

Jean Meltzer

"Meltzer's refreshing characters and the grounded, real-world obstacles to their relationship make them an easy couple to cheer." — Publishers Weekly

As the creator and CEO of the Jewish dating app J-Mate, Dara Rabinowitz knows the formula for lasting love — at least, for everyone else. When her

bubbe shares Dara's checklist for "The Perfect Jewish Husband" on national television, news anchor Chris Steadfast proposes they turn Dara's search into must-see TV. As a non-Jewish single dad, Chris doesn't check any of Dara's boxes. But her hunt for Mr. Perfect is the ratings boost his show desperately needs. If only Chris could ignore his own attraction to Dara — a task much easier said than done when Dara starts questioning if "perfect on paper" can compete with how hard she's falling for Chris.

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UNDER THE STARRY SKIES

Love on the Santa Fe • Book 3

Tracie Peterson

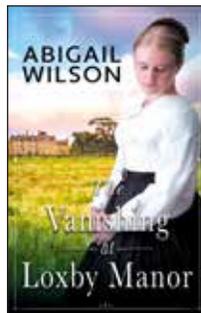
Cassie Barton has found joy in her work as a seamstress. When a minor accident leaves her unable to sew, she decides to compile a book of stories about the men working on the Santa Fe Railroad. Railroad worker Brandon DuBarko promised Cassie's father he

would watch over her, but as their friendship transforms into something deeper, he feels trapped by a secret from his youth. When a vengeful man reappears, Brandon must face his past before he can move forward. As the danger intensifies, Cassie and Brandon must rely on God to overcome the obstacles that stand in the way of a brighter future.

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THE VANISHING AT LOXBY MANOR

Abigail Wilson

"Wilson's fourth outing in G-rated Regency romantic suspense . . . is dense with gothic incident . . . the result is a light, atmospheric outing." — Publishers Weekly

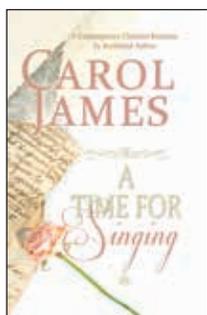
After five years, Charity Halliwell returns to Loxby Manor. When her friend, Seline, disappears, Charity is

determined to uncover the truth. Piers Cavanaugh has lived the last five years as an outcast far from his family home. When his sister presumably elopes, Piers joins forces with the one woman he thought he'd never see again. They launch an investigation, and the more they learn, the more desperate the situation becomes. As they piece together the clues, Charity and Piers also endeavor to rebuild their friendship. First they must discover why Seline vanished and confront the growing fear that she may never return.

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A TIME FOR SINGING

Carol James

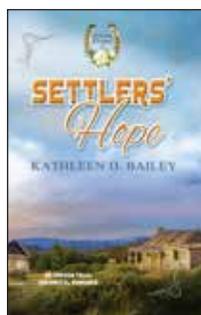
Charlee Bennett is running from her past. Once deserted by her musician ex-fiancé, she's vowed to avoid anything that reminds her of the pain of his betrayal. Chance Jackson is starting over. Hoping to redeem the mistakes of his earlier life, he wants to become the music and worship pastor

of the largest church in Crescent Bluff. Charlee tries to convince herself she should not be attracted to Chance. But then she discovers an old letter hidden in the secret drawer of an antique desk. The pain expressed by its author resonates deep within her. Can the words of long ago soften Charlee's heart and help her to discover that there is a time for singing?

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SETTLER'S HOPE

Western Dreams • Book 2

Kathleen D. Bailey

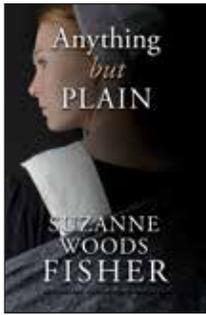
After years of wandering, Pace Williams expects to find a home in the Oregon Country. He doesn't expect to fall in love with a fiery Irishwoman bent on returning home to avenge her people. Oona Moriarty expects one thing: to exact revenge on the English overlords

who took her home. She doesn't expect to fall in love with a man who looks like he's been carved from this Western landscape. Together they vow to trust the unexpected and settle into a life, but when Pace's ancient enemies threaten to destroy the life they're building, Oona must choose between helping the man she loves and seeking the revenge she craves.

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ANYTHING BUT PLAIN
Suzanne Woods Fisher

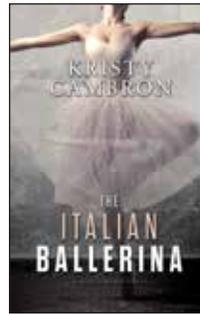
Lydie Stoltzfus is not like other Amish girls, as much as she wishes she were. Leaving her family and church seems unbearable, but staying might be worse. Knowing Lydie is between jobs, the local doctor asks her to fill in at the front desk. It gives Lydie time to figure out how she's going to say goodbye

to her neighbor, Nathan Yoder — the main reason she needs to leave Stoney Ridge. Nathan claims he's in love with her, but she knows she's not good enough for him. As Dok spends time with Lydie, she recognizes symptoms of a disorder rare among the Amish. She offers treatment for Lydie, but will it be enough to make her stay? Or has help come too late?

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THE ITALIAN BALLERINA
Kristy Cambron

"The convincingly rendered characters humanize the horrors of war, and the girl's insistence that God sent Court to save her testifies to the power of faith in dire times."
— Publishers Weekly

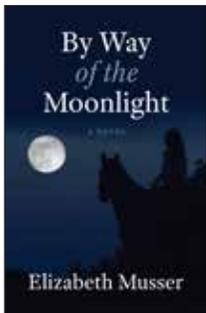
Rome, 1943. British ballerina Julia Bradbury is forced to take refuge at a hospital on Tiber Island. When

she learns of a deadly sickness sweeping through the quarantine wards, she is drawn into one of the greatest cons in history. Soon a little girl arrives, and Julia is determined to reunite the young dancer with her family. *Present Day*. Delaney Coleman recently lost her grandfather, so she returns home to help her parents. When a mysterious woman reaches out claiming to own one of the family's heirlooms, Delaney is compelled to travel to Italy and uncover the truth of her grandfather's past. Soon, everything Delaney knew about her grandfather comes into question.

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Christian Historical Fiction | Releases 10/5/2022

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BY WAY OF THE MOONLIGHT
Elizabeth Musser

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

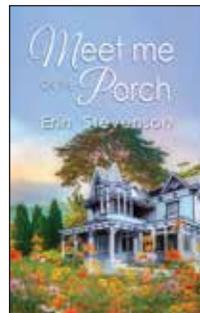
Allie Massey has dreamed of making her grandparents' estate into a trauma recovery center using equine therapy. But when her grandmother's will is read, Allie is shocked to learn the property has been sold to a developer. Decades earlier, Dale Butler's passion

is to bring home the prized filly her family lost to the Great Depression, but with World War II looming, she's called upon in ways she never imagined. While her world expands to include new friends and new love, tragedy strikes close to home. As Nana Dale's past comes to light, her courage and persistence may be just what Allie needs to carry on her grandmother's legacy and keep her own dreams alive.

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MEET ME ON THE PORCH
Erin Stevenson

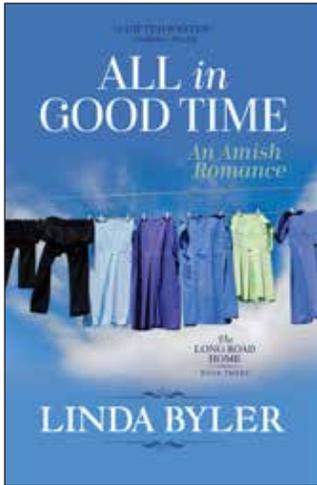
Brynne Lockwood has come home to Brattleboro, Vermont, after a humiliating job loss. She's weary and broken, and still hasn't forgiven herself for a former unhealthy relationship with long-lasting consequences. She doesn't believe she deserves anything good and can't imagine that God could

ever use her. After recovering from a shattering loss, Pastor Adam Johnston is on his way to a new assignment. A mix-up takes him and his daughter to Vermont. If he stays, he'll face opposition, but God has prepared his heart for ministry, and he's committed to serving there. Adam and Brynne connect quickly and unexpectedly, but circumstances demand that they be cautious.

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ALL IN GOOD TIME

AN AMISH ROMANCE

The Long Road Home • Book 3

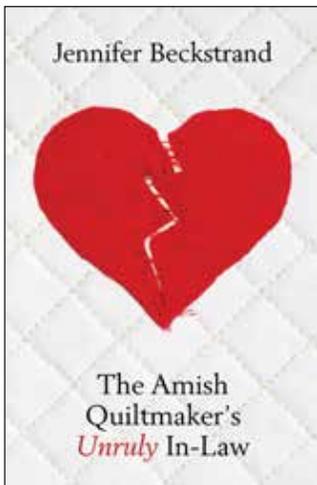
Linda Byler

"Byler creates multifaceted characters who deal with real-life issues, showcasing how plain life is not always simple." — Publishers Weekly

As May settles into family life, she has so much to be grateful for. Yes, there are plenty of challenges, but her loving husband and sweet children are the greatest earthly gift she could ask for. And having Oba in their home is almost more precious than she could have imagined . . . at least, if it weren't for his ongoing anger and hardness of heart. May's children are steadily growing older, and eventually they begin to face relationship struggles of their own. Can May help them navigate the turbulent waters of young love? And will Oba's heart ever soften enough to find love, or will he always face loneliness and despair?

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THE AMISH QUILTMAKER'S UNRULY IN-LAW

The Amish Quiltmaker • Book 2

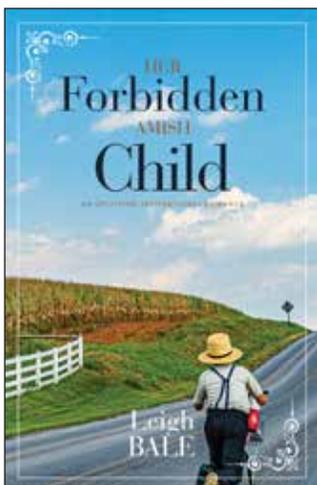
Jennifer Beckstrand

"Beckstrand continues her Colorado Amish series . . . with this enjoyable rumspringa romance." — Publishers Weekly

Mischievous and rebellious, Ben Kiem is making the wrong kind of name for himself throughout the town of Byler. But Linda Eicher's down-to-earth nature and unexpected understanding have Ben trying his best to be better. Linda couldn't be more surprised when Ben turns out to be caring and helpful, despite his rowdy pranks and bad-news friends. And falling in love with him suddenly seems just right. When a heartbreaking misunderstanding comes between them, both she and Ben must risk enough to trust, stitch the pieces back together — and dare a forever precious happiness.

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HER FORBIDDEN AMISH CHILD

AN UPLIFTING INSPIRATIONAL ROMANCE

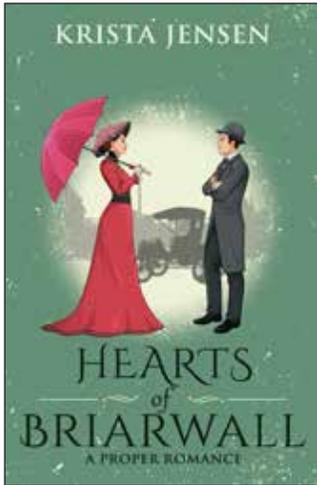
Secret Amish Babies • Book 2

Leigh Bale

Four years ago, having a child out of wedlock changed everything for Tessa Miller — including her engagement to Amish farmer Caleb Yoder. Now she's determined to provide a better life for her son . . . even if it means working for her ex-fiancé. Only spending time with Caleb makes it harder to keep her past a secret. Will revealing the truth lead to forgiveness . . . and a second chance together?

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HEARTS OF BRIARWALL

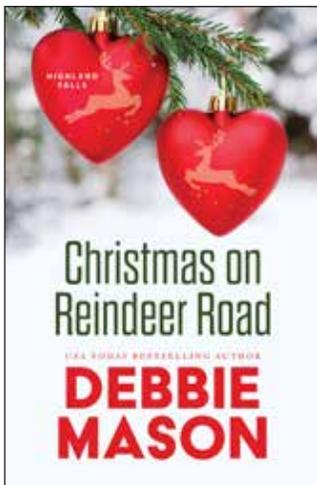
Krista Jensen

“Lydia’s bubbly, forward-thinking friends and the unusual backdrop of the early automotive industry breathe life into the story.” — Publishers Weekly

Lydia Wooding is fascinated by the latest inventions the new century brings, including motorcars. Spencer Hayes is a man of innovation, but he lacks the financial backing to make his dream a reality. When he contacts his friend Andrew Wooding about a promising business venture, he is invited to Briarwall Manor to discuss the terms. Once there, he is surprised to find that Andrew’s younger sister, Lydia, has grown into a young woman of beauty, wit, and fire. Torn between risking their hearts and being loyal to their dreams in an era of whirlwind change, Spencer and Lydia anchor themselves with the determination they both share: to live life to its fullest.

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CHRISTMAS ON REINDEER ROAD

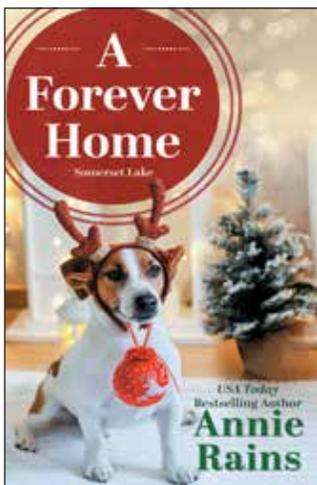
Highland Falls • Book 2

Debbie Mason

“This touching but never schmaltzy holiday romance is very satisfying.” — Publishers Weekly
Mallory Maitland has sworn never to give up on her two stepsons — her late husband’s children. But when the teens land in hot water, she’s got a whole new problem: how to resist the caring and incredibly hot Chief of Police Gabriel Buchanan. After his wife died, Gabriel left his job as a New York City homicide detective to focus on raising his sons. In Highland Falls, trouble finds him in the form of a beautiful neighbor and her troublemaking stepchildren. But Gabriel can’t risk getting involved with Mallory, even though she’s the only woman capable of making this Christmas — and all the rest to come — his best ever.

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A FOREVER HOME

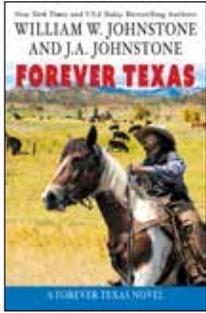
Somerset Lake • Book 3

Annie Rains

Della Rose needs a Christmas miracle to make it home in time for her sons’ holiday concert. The single mom never imagined Santa would arrive in the form of her plane’s seatmate, Roman Everson. With flights delayed, Della needs Roman to drive her back to Somerset Lake. Roman needs a favor, too, so he makes a deal with Della. In exchange for a ride home, she’ll pose as Roman’s girlfriend in front of his family. As the pair set off through the North Carolina mountains, they learn they have more in common than either would have imagined. Will the chance of a happily-ever-after make this the most wonderful time of year after all?

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FOREVER TEXAS

A Forever Texas Novel

William W. Johnstone and J. A. Johnstone

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHORS

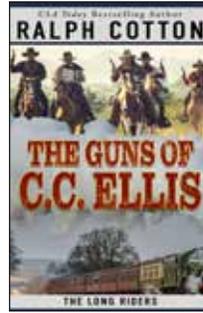
It's 1852. The wounds of the Mexican War are healing. Regis Royle, co-owner of a steamship fleet, has made it out alive with enough profit and ambition to envision a new life in south Texas.

With the help of his kid brother Shepley, his riverboat partner Cormac Delany, and his old friend Jarvis "Bone" McGraw, Regis is laying claim to the Santa Calina range teeming with wild mustangs, cattle, and eighteen thousand acres of promise. But all dreams have a price. For Regis, it's hell to pay, and the fire is coming at him from all directions.

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THE GUNS OF C.C. ELLIS

The Long Riders • Book 1

Ralph Cotton

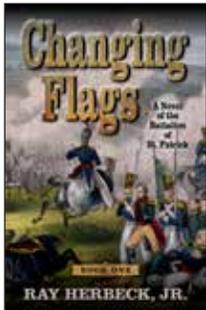
After pulling off their latest train robbery, outlaw leader C.C. Ellis and his unruly gang of long riders set their sights on a new target, a rich mining operation. There are only two men who can stand in their way. Sheriff Max Boyd, a lawman who doesn't always

play by the rules, and Colonel Randolph Doss, the brutal security chief of the Colorado Western Express R.R. Co. Doss pursues Ellis like Ahab pursued the white whale, while Boyd pursues his aim of keeping the town standing, and even some of C.C.'s gang are secretly pursuing their own agendas. There will be plenty of hot lead on the road to a final showdown.

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CHANGING FLAGS

A Novel of the Battalion of St. Patrick • Book 1

Ray Herbeck, Jr.

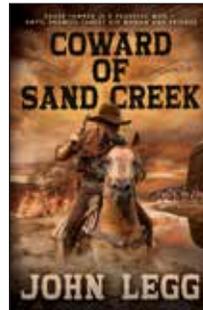
Changing Flags is the true story of John Riley, a soldier who deserts the U.S. Army to fight for Mexico in 1846–48. His tale begins in Michigan when Riley launches a plan to afford passage home to Ireland: He enlists

intending to desert in Texas, where U.S. troops are being sent to end a border dispute with Mexico. He anticipates becoming sergeant with higher pay. Denied promotion, he feels trapped. Then he is slipped a flyer offering cash, rank, and land to U.S. soldiers who join the Mexican army. That night, Riley crosses the river and gets caught in the relentless tide of history.

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COWARD OF SAND CREEK

Colorado Territory • Book 4

John Legg

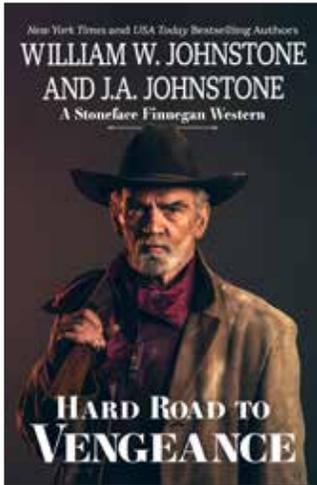
Branded a coward and Indian lover for trying to stop some of the slaughter of peaceful Cheyennes and Arapahos at Sand Creek, Chase Tanner must live with his "shame." But he refuses to run, though several members of the Colorado militia keep dogging him with

lies, even years after the event. When he falls in love with a Cheyenne and becomes friends with a half-breed and his full-blood wife, things turn to the worse. Tanner turns from fighting to clear his name to fighting for his life and those of his woman and his friends.

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HARD ROAD TO VENGEANCE

A Stoneface Finnegan Western

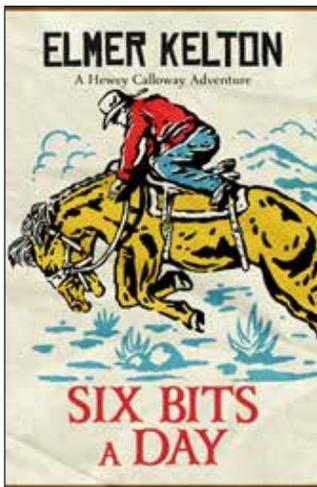
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The Pinkertons believe Rollie “Stoneface” Finnegan was the best agent to ever wear the badge. So does Pinkerton hopeful Tish Gray. When Stoneface’s partner Jubal “Pops” Tennyson needs help to rescue his daughter, Stoneface saddles up. Pops’ daughter is being held captive by the infamous Al Swearngen, owner of the Gem Theater. As Tish goes undercover at the Gem to find Pops’ daughter, Stoneface and his partner are pinned down in the Black Hills by every trigger-happy gunslinger looking to collect the bounty on Stoneface’s head.

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SIX BITS A DAY

A Hewey Calloway Adventure

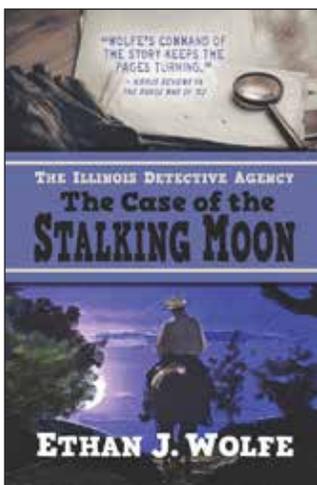
Elmer Kelton

SPUR AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

Hewey Calloway and his brother Walter leave the family farm in 1889 to find work in the West Texas cow country. Hewey convinces Walter to join him on a mission for Tarpley, driving 600 head of cattle from beyond San Antonio to the Double-C ranch on the Pecos. The journey is both memorable and dangerous: a murderous outlaw is searching for Hewey, and another ruthless character is determined to sabotage the cattle drive. When the drovers reach the Pecos they find Boss Tarpley in a feud with Eli Jessup, a neighboring cowman. Hewey and his brother Walter have to get the herd across Jessup’s land — but how?

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THE ILLINOIS DETECTIVE AGENCY: THE CASE OF THE STALKING MOON

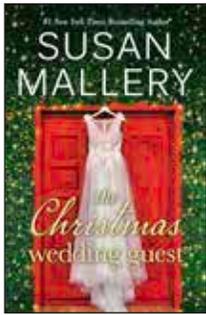
The Illinois Detective Agency • Book 2

Ethan J. Wolfe

On the night of the full moon in Wyoming Territory, somebody dies by being scalped. Governor Hale turns to Charles Porter. Porter assigns Joe Charles, Tom Adcock, and Joseph Goodluck to the assignment. Goodluck tracks the killer to the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. Goodluck learns nothing and returns to find Adcock and Charles have been murdered. Porter sends telegrams to James Duffy and Jack Cavill to return at once. They are reunited with Goodluck and travel to Wyoming to hunt down the killer.

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THE CHRISTMAS WEDDING GUEST

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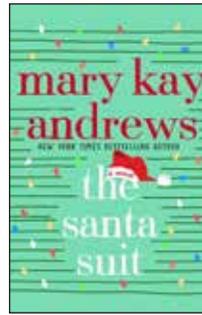
The Somerville sisters believe in love, but they've lost faith it will happen for them. Reggie hasn't been home since the end of the world's shortest engagement. When her parents decide to renew their vows, she buffs up her

twinkle to help with the wedding. Unexpectedly, Toby, her first love, is back too, and the spark between them shines as brightly as ever. Done waiting for the one, Dena is pregnant and on her own. Then a gorgeous songwriter checks in to a room at her inn. But Dena is afraid to believe that a rock star could fall for a girl like her. As the Christmas wedding draws closer, these two sisters just might unwrap the most treasured gift of all - love.

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THE SANTA SUIT

Mary Kay Andrews

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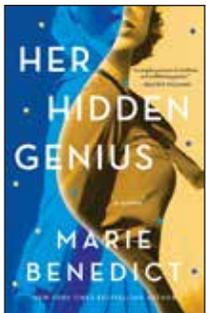
When newly-divorced Ivy Perkins buys an old farmhouse sight unseen, she's looking for a change in her life. The Four Roses, as the farmhouse is called, is a labor of love. At the top of a closet, Ivy finds an old Santa suit. In the pocket she finds a note from a girl who has

one Christmas wish, for her father to return home from the war. Who wrote the note? Did the man ever come home? Ivy's quest brings her into the community, at a time when all she wanted to do was be left alone and nurse her wounds. But the magic of Christmas makes miracles happen, and Ivy might find more than she thought possible: a family reunited, a mystery solved, and a second chance at love.

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HER HIDDEN GENIUS

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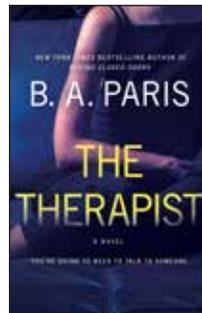
Rosalind Franklin has always been an outsider — brilliant, but different. Whether working at the laboratory she adored in Paris or toiling at a university in London, she feels closest to the science, those unchanging laws of physics and chemistry that guide her

experiments. When she's assigned to work on DNA, she believes she can unearth its secrets. Rosalind knows if she just takes one more X-ray picture — one more after thousands — she can unlock the building blocks of life. Then it finally happens — the double helix structure of DNA reveals itself to her with perfect clarity. But what unfolds next, Rosalind could have never predicted.

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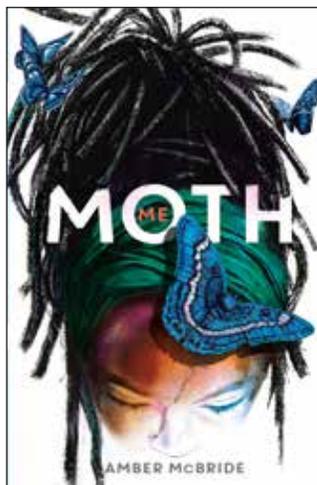
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"A must-have first purchase for all libraries; this text invites readers to engage with a difficult history that's essential in our understanding of today's world." — starred, School Library Journal

On June 1, 1921, a white mob marched into Tulsa, Oklahoma's predominantly Black Greenwood District, known as America's Black Wall Street. They brought with them firearms, gasoline, and explosives. In a few hours, they'd razed thirty-five square blocks to the ground, leaving hundreds dead. The Tulsa Race Massacre is one of the most devastating acts of racial violence in U.S. history. But how did it come to pass? And why are the events unknown to so many of us today? This book explores the ways in which the story of the Tulsa Race Massacre is the story of America — and by showing us who we are, points to a way forward.

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Moth has lost her family in an accident. Though she lives with her aunt, she feels alone and uprooted. Until she meets Sani, a boy who is also searching for his roots. If he knows more about where he comes from, maybe he'll be able to understand his ongoing depression. And if Moth can help him feel grounded, then perhaps she too will discover the history she carries in her bones. Moth and Sani take a road trip that has them chasing ghosts and searching for ancestors. The way each moves forward is surprising, powerful, and unforgettable. Here is an exquisite and uplifting novel about identity, first love, and the ways that our memories and our roots steer us through the universe.

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"A powerful, heartwarming, and thoughtful tale of kids cultivating chosen families during challenging circumstances." — starred, Kirkus Reviews

It's June's first day at Huey House, and as if losing her home weren't enough, she also can't bring her cherished viola inside. Before the accident last year, her dad saved tip money for a year to buy her viola, and she's not about to give it up now. Tyrell has been at Huey House for three years and gives June a glimpse of the good things about living there: friendship, hot meals, and a classical musician next door. Can he and June work together to oppose the government, or will families be forced out of Huey House before they are ready?

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MY OWN LIGHTNING ★

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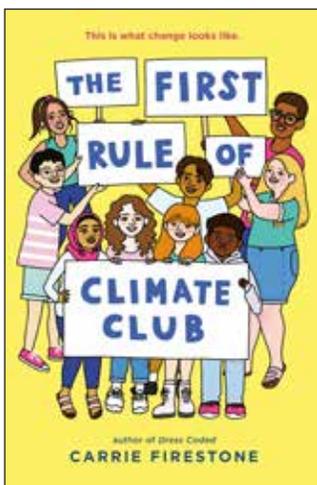
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It's been months since the events set in motion by bully Betty Glengarry, and the routine of daily life in Wolf Hollow has slowly returned. But for Annabelle McBride it's hard to move forward and make peace with what feels like threadbare justice. Summer days are about to bring change on the winds of a powerful storm. In its wake, the search for her brother's missing dog will set Annabelle on a new path that brings her to unfamiliar doorsteps and reunites her with Andy Woodberry, who was complicit in Betty's most terrible acts. Growing up and blazing her own trail will soon force Annabelle to reexamine deeply felt truths about people, about justice, about herself that had once seemed so uncomplicated.

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THE FIRST RULE OF CLIMATE CLUB

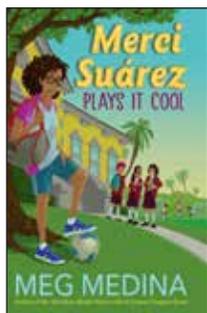
Carrie Firestone

"Fast-paced and often funny. . . A passionate novel uplifting young activists." — Kirkus Reviews

When Mary Kate Murphy joins a program focused on climate change, the class opens her eyes to things she never noticed before about her small suburban town. Kids waste food at school without a second thought. Parents leave their cars running in the pick-up lane all the time. People buy clothes they don't really need. Some of her friends who live in the city and are bused to her school don't always feel included. And the mayor isn't willing to listen to new ideas for fixing it all. Mary Kate and her friends have big plans to bring lasting change to their community. And now is the time for the young people to lead and the leaders to follow — or get out of the way.

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MERCI SUÁREZ PLAYS IT COOL

Merci Suárez • Book 3

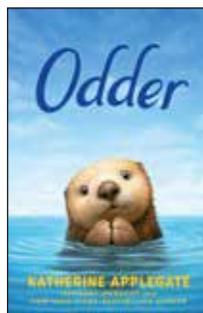
Meg Medina

In a satisfying finale to her trilogy, Newbery Medalist Meg Medina follows Merci Suárez into an eighth-grade year full of changes. For Merci Suárez, eighth grade means a new haircut, nighttime football games, and an overnight field trip. At home,

it means more chores and keeping an eye on Lolo as his health worsens. It's a year filled with more responsibility, but also with opportunities to reinvent herself. Merci has always been fine with not being one of the popular kids like Avery Sanders, who will probably be the soccer captain. But then Avery starts talking to Merci more, and not just as a teammate. Does this mean they're friends? Merci wants to play it cool, but with Edna always in her business, it's only a matter of time before Merci has to decide where her loyalty stands.

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A NOVEL IN VERSE

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V. E. Schwab

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"Schwab uses a blend of Gothic, fantasy, and horror to create an unsettling story that reads like a cautionary folktale to beware the shadows." — School Library Journal

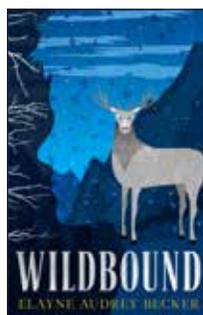
Olivia Prior has grown up in Merilance School for Girls, and all she has of her past is her mother's journal.

Then, a letter invites Olivia home to Gallant. She knows that Gallant is hiding secrets, and she is determined to uncover them. When she crosses a ruined wall at just the right moment, Olivia finds herself in a place that is Gallant — but not. The manor is crumbling, the ghouls are solid, and a mysterious figure rules. Now Olivia sees what has unraveled generations of her family, and where her father may have come from. Olivia has always wanted to belong somewhere, but will she take her place as a Prior, protecting our world against the Master of the House? Or will she take her place beside him?

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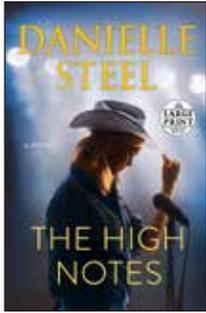
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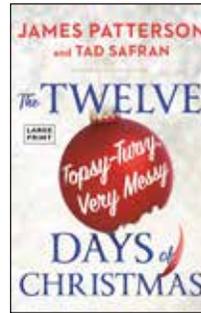
Iris Cooper has been singing ever since she can remember, but it's not an easy life with her father in charge and using her income to pay for gambling, women, and booze. When she starts to tour at age eighteen, she

takes on a real manager. Yet he exploits her too, and the singers and musicians she tours with are really the only family she has, and they give her the courage to fly free, leave the tour, and follow her dreams. After years of enduring the hardships of the road, exploitation, and abuse to do what she loves, Iris' big chance finally arrives. But at the top at last, Iris still has to fight every step of the way.

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THE TWELVE LONG, HARD, TOSPY-TURVY, VERY MESSY DAYS OF CHRISTMAS

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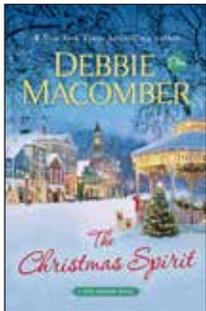
Every year at Christmastime, Will and Ella Sullivan, and their father, Henry, come to a family agreement: Christmas is a holiday for *other* people. At their brownstone in Harlem, stockings go unstuffed, tinsel

unstrewn, gifts unbought, mistletoe unhung, chestnuts unroasted, carols unplayed, cookies uncooked, a tree un-visible, and guests uninvited. Until guests start arriving anyway. In pairs and sixes, in sevens and tens, they keep coming. And they stay. For twelve long, hard, topsy-turvy, very messy days. That's when the Sullivans discover that those moments in life that defy hope, expectation, or even imagination, might be the best gifts of all.

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A NOVEL

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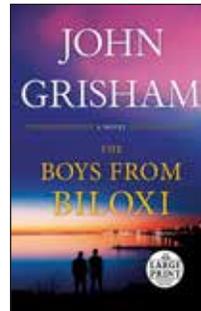
Peter Armstrong and Hank Colfax are best friends, but their lives couldn't be more different. Peter is a local pastor who is dedicated to his community. He spends his time visiting the flock, attending meetings, and, with the

holiday season approaching, preparing for the Christmas service and live nativity. As a bartender, Hank serves a different customer base at his family-owned tavern, including a handful of lonely regulars and the local biker gang. When Peter scoffs that Hank has it easy compared to him, the two decide to switch jobs until Christmas Eve. To their surprise, the responsibilities of both bartender and pastor are similar, but much more difficult than either of them expected. As Peter and Hank begin to see each other's lives in a new light, and each discovers a new love to cherish, their lives are forever changed.

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THE BOYS FROM BILOXI

A LEGAL THRILLER

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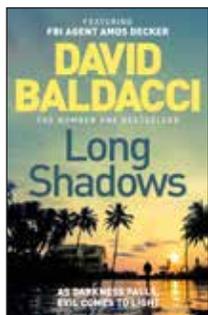
For most of the last hundred years, Biloxi was known for its beaches, resorts, and seafood industry. But it had a darker side. It was also notorious for corruption and vice, everything from gambling, prostitution, bootleg liquor,

and drugs, to contract killings. The vice was controlled by small cabal of mobsters, many of them rumored to be members of the Dixie Mafia. Keith Rudy and Hugh Malco grew up in Biloxi in the sixties and were childhood friend but as teenagers, their lives took them in different directions. Keith's father became a legendary prosecutor, determined to "clean up the Coast." Hugh's father became the "Boss" of Biloxi's criminal underground. Keith went to law school and followed in his father's footsteps. Hugh preferred the nightlife and worked in his father's clubs. The two families were headed for a showdown, one that would happen in a courtroom.

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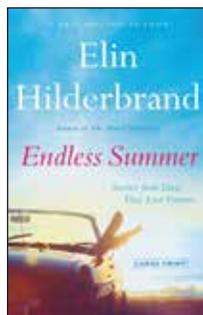
Memory man FBI agent Amos Decker is in crisis following the suicide of a close friend and receipt of a letter concerning a personal issue which could change his life forever. Together with the prospect of working with

a new partner, Frederica White, Amos knows that this case will take all of his special skills to solve. Judge Julia Cummins seemingly had no enemies, and there was no forced entry to her property in an exclusive, gated community in Florida. Friends and neighbors heard nothing, and Cummins' distraught ex-husband, Barry, and teenage son, Tyler, both have strong alibis. Decker must first find the answer to why the judge felt the need for a bodyguard, who was also murdered, and the meaning behind the strange calling card left by the killer. Someone has decided it's payback time.

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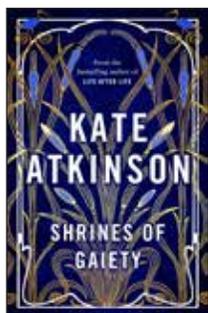
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A NOVEL

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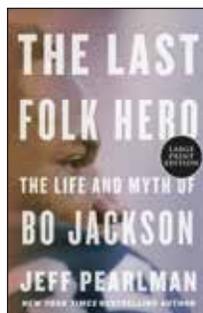
In 1926, in a country still recovering from the Great War, London has become the focus for a delirious new nightlife. In the clubs of Soho, peers of the realm rub shoulders with starlets, foreign dignitaries with gangsters, and

girls sell dances for a shilling a time. The notorious queen of this glittering world is Nellie Coker, ruthless but also ambitious and eager to advance her six children, including the enigmatic eldest, Niven, whose character has been forged in the crucible of the Somme. But success breeds enemies, and Nellie's empire faces threats from without and within. For beneath the dazzle of Soho's gaiety, there is a dark underbelly, a world in which it is all too easy to become lost.

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From the mid-1980s into the early 1990s, the greatest athlete of all time, Bo Jackson, streaked across American sports and popular culture. Stadiums struggled to contain him. Clocks failed to capture his speed. His strength was

legendary. His power unmatched. Video game makers turned him into an invincible character — and they were dead-on. He climbed (and walked across) walls, splintered baseball bats over his knee, turned oncoming tacklers into ground meat. He became the first person to simultaneously star in two major professional sports, and he overtook Michael Jordan as America's most recognizable pitchman. He was on our televisions, in our magazines, plastered across billboards. He was half man, half myth. Then, almost overnight, he was gone.

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DEMON COPPERHEAD

A NOVEL

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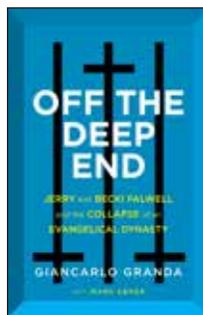
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Set in the mountains of southern Appalachia, this is the story of a boy born to a teenage single mother in a single-wide trailer, with no assets beyond his dead father's good looks and copper-colored hair, a caustic wit, and a fierce talent for survival. In a plot that never pauses for breath, relayed in his own unsparing voice, he braves the modern perils of foster care, child labor, derelict schools, athletic success, addiction, disastrous loves, and crushing losses. Through all of it, he reckons with his own invisibility in a popular culture where even the superheroes have abandoned rural people in favor of cities.

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OFF THE DEEP END

Giancarlo Granda and Mark Ebner

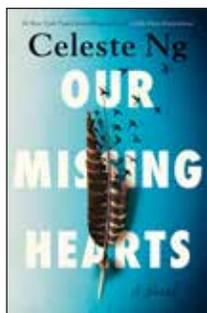
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Jerry Falwell Jr. is a prominent figure in the evangelical world whose support for presidential candidate Donald J. Trump helped secure Trump's Republican nomination in 2016. He captured headlines when it was revealed that he and his wife Becki had participated in a years-long bizarre sexual relationship with a pool attendant they met at the Fountainbleu Hotel in Miami Beach. As Falwell Jr. began to deny this relationship, even more damaging news came out, ultimately forcing him to resign as president of Liberty University, which many consider to be the largest evangelical Christian university in the world. Giancarlo Granda shares the story of his years on an "only in America" rollercoaster ride through the monied corridors of power and profound hypocrisy.

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OUR MISSING HEARTS

A NOVEL

Celeste Ng

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR

Twelve-year-old Bird Gardner lives with his father, a former linguist who shelves books in a university library. For a decade, their lives have been governed by laws that preserve "American culture" in the wake of economic instability and violence. The authorities now relocate children of dissidents, especially those of Asian origin, and libraries must remove books seen as unpatriotic, including the work of Bird's mother, a Chinese American poet who left the family when he was nine. Bird has disavowed his mother; he doesn't know what happened to her. When he receives a mysterious letter containing a cryptic drawing, he is pulled into a quest to find her. His journey takes him through the ranks of an underground network of librarians, into the lives of the children who have been taken, and to New York City, where a new act of defiance may be the beginning of much-needed change.

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A NOVEL

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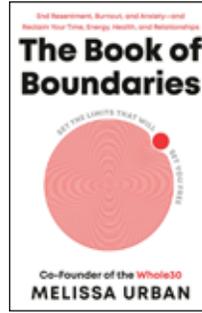
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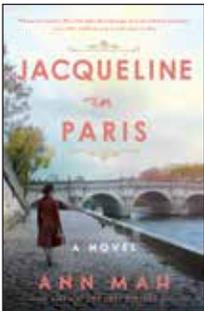
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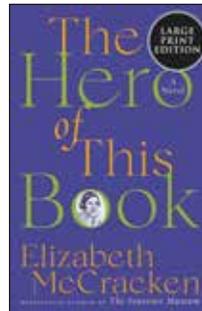
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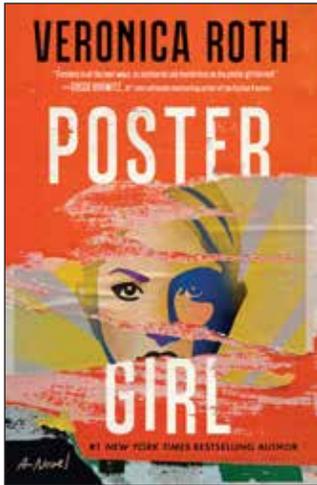
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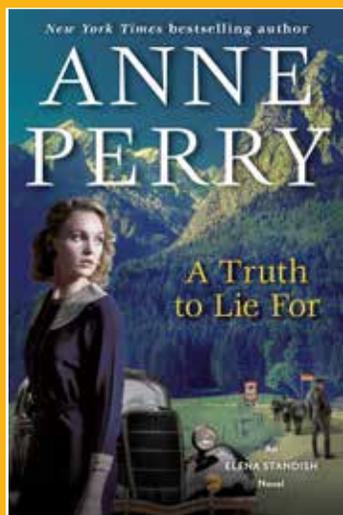
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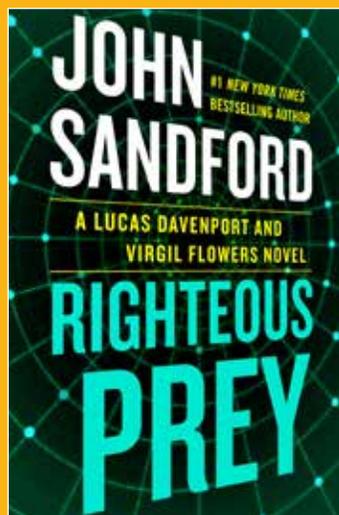
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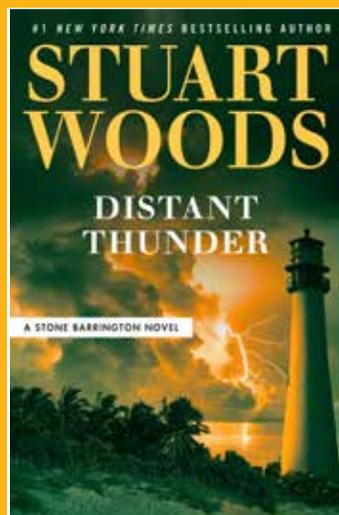
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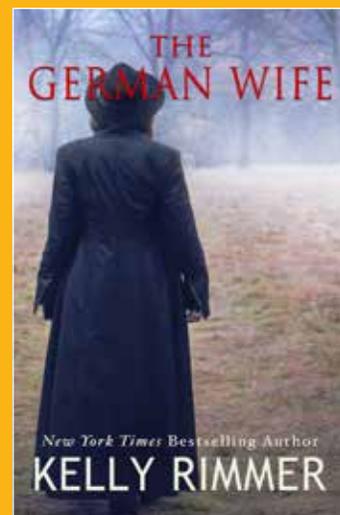
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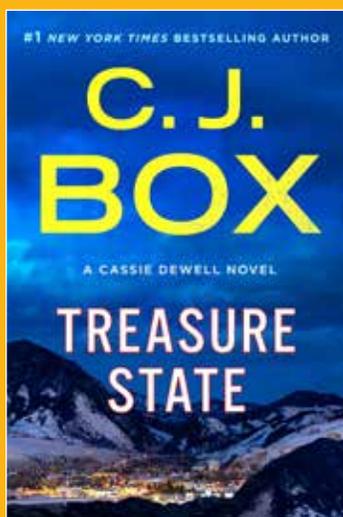
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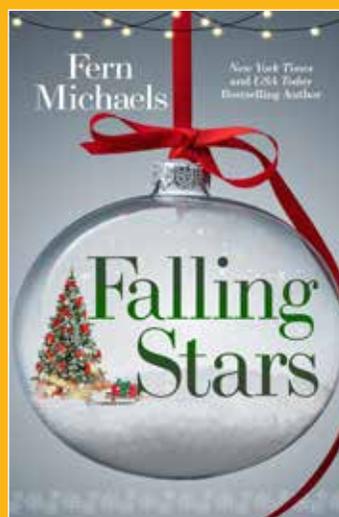
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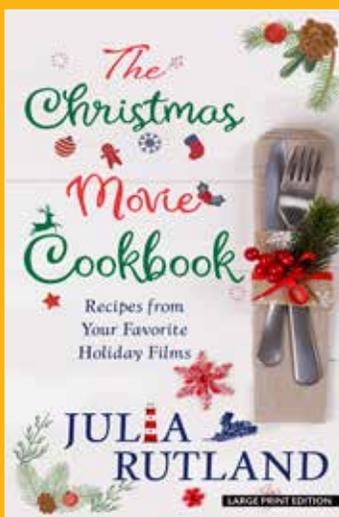
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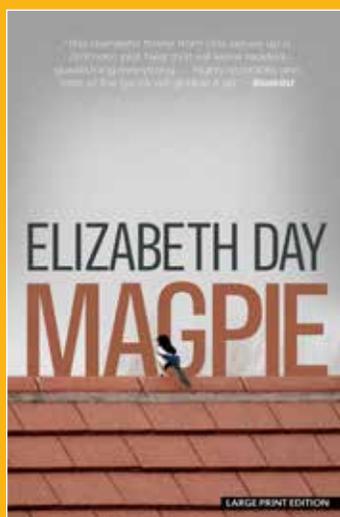
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