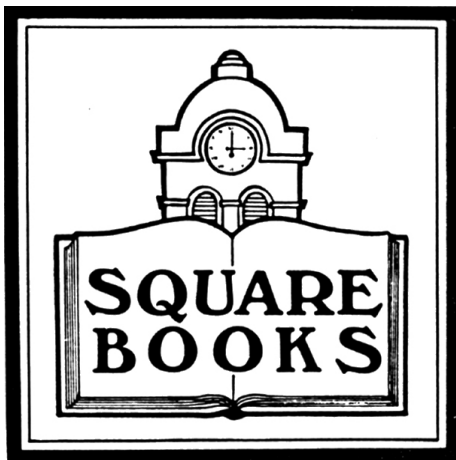


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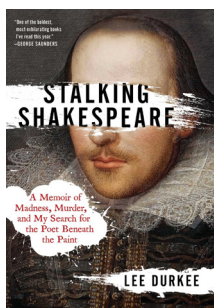


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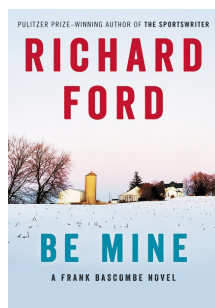
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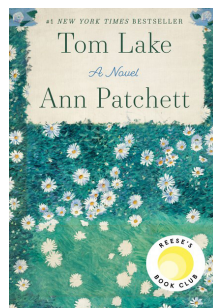


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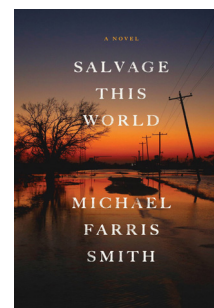
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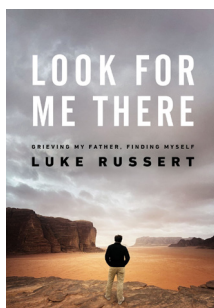
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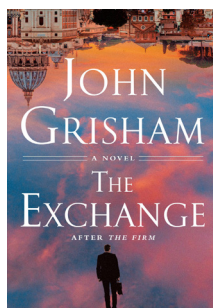


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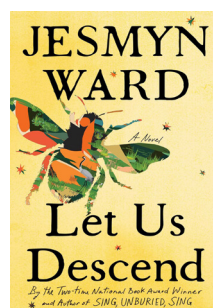
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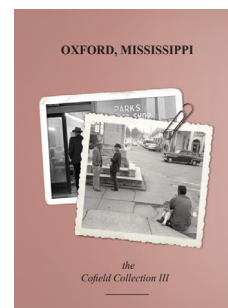
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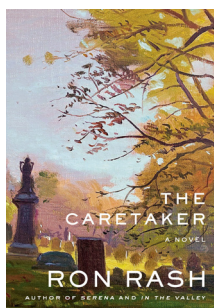
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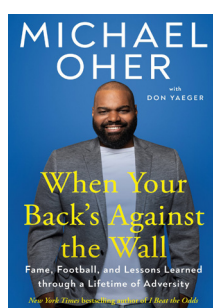
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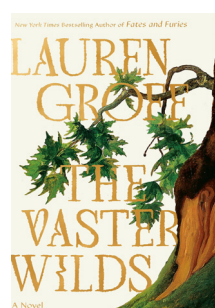
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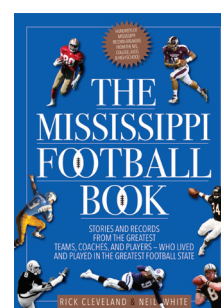
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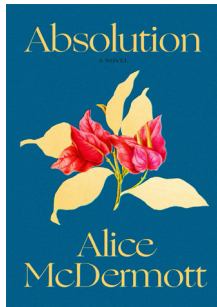
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### THE MISSISSIPPI FOOTBALL BOOK

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## ABSOLUTION

by **Alice McDermott**

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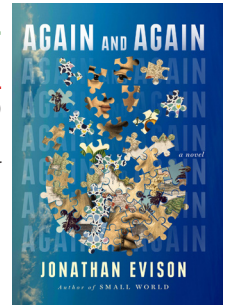
A riveting account of women's lives on the margins of the Vietnam War.

## AGAIN AND AGAIN

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A poignant and endlessly surprising story about love lost, found, and redeemed.

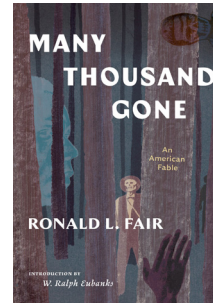
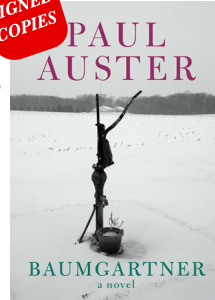


## BAUMGARTNER

by **Paul Auster**

Atlantic Monthly Press, \$27.00

A taut yet expansive novel of love, memory, and grief.

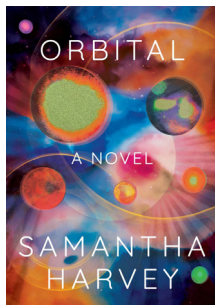


## MANY THOUSAND GONE

by **Ronald L. Fair**

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Rediscover this gripping 1965 novel about race in America--set in a rural corner of Mississippi where slavery never ended.



## ORBITAL

by **Samantha Harvey**

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A slender novel of epic power, *Orbital* deftly snapshots one day in the lives of six women and men hurtling through space.

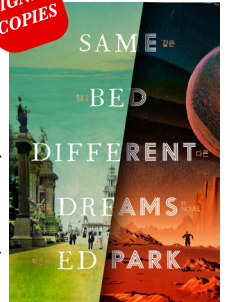
## SAME BED DIFFERENT DREAMS

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The novel depicts an alternate secret history of Korea and its impacts on the present.

Loaded with assassins and mad poets, RPGs and slasher films, pop bands and the perils of social media.

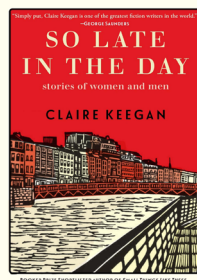


## SO LATE IN THE DAY

by **Claire Keegan**

Grove Press, \$20.00

This collection of stories that probes the dynamics that corrupt what could be between women and men.

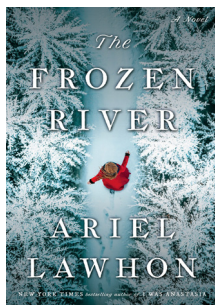
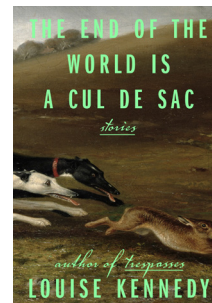


## THE END OF THE WORLD IS A CUL DE SAC

by **Louise Kennedy**

Riverhead Books, \$28.00

Women's lives are etched by poverty-- material, emotional, sexual--but also splashed by beauty, sometimes even joy.



## THE FROZEN RIVER

by **Ariel Lawhon**

Doubleday, \$28.00

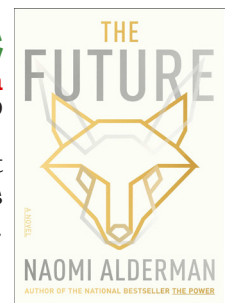
A gripping historical mystery inspired by a 18th-century midwife who investigates a shocking murder that unhinges her small community.

## THE FUTURE

by **Naomi Alderman**

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A handful of friends plot a daring heist to save the world from the tech giants whose greed threatens life as we know it.

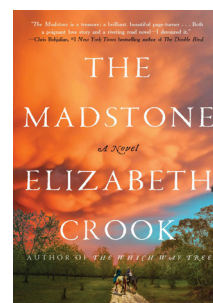
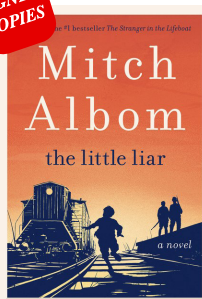


## THE LITTLE LIAR

by **Mitch Albom**

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From a coastal Greek city during the Holocaust to America, the intertwined lives of three survivors are forever changed by the perils of deception and the grace of redemption.



## THE MADSTONE

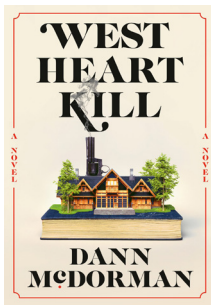
by **Elizabeth Crook**

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A pregnant young mother, her child, and the frontier tradesman who helps them flee vengeful outlaws.



# MYSTERY



## WEST HEART KILL

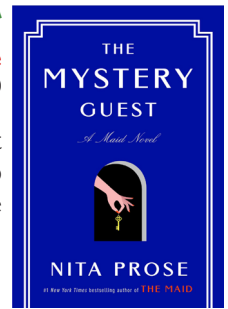
by **Dann McDorman**  
Knopf, \$28.00

An irresistible murder mystery set at a remote hunting lodge where everyone is a suspect, including the erratic detective on the scene.

## THE MYSTERY GUEST

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When an acclaimed author dies at the Regency Grand Hotel, it's up to a fastidious maid to uncover the truth, no matter how dirty.

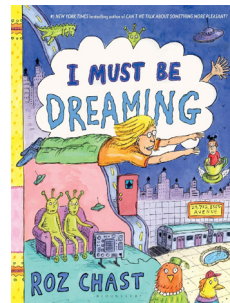
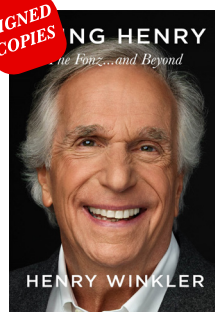


# STORIES

## BEING HENRY

by **Henry Winkler**  
Celadon Books, \$30.00

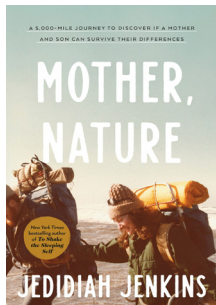
With heartwarming honesty and self-deprecating humor, Henry Winkler opens up about life after the role of a lifetime.



## I MUST BE DREAMING

by **Roz Chast**  
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Roz Chast explores the surreal nighttime world inside her mind and untangles one of our most enduring human mysteries: dreams.



## MOTHER, NATURE

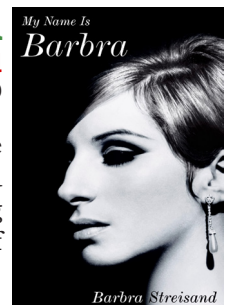
by **Jedidiah Jenkins**  
Convergent Books, \$28.00

Wilderness magazine editor Jedidiah Jenkins tackles his fraught relationship with his conservative mother in this affecting memoir.

## MY NAME IS BARBRA

by **Barbra Streisand**  
Viking, \$47.00

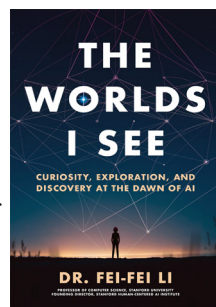
No entertainer's memoir has been more anticipated than Barbra Streisand's, a living legend, who in a career spanning six decades, has excelled in every area of entertainment.



## THE WORLDS I SEE

by **Fei-Fei Li**  
Flatiron Books, \$29.99

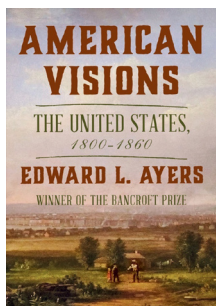
The moving memoir of an immigrant girl coming of age in America and finding her calling as a scientist at the forefront of the AI/ Machine Learning revolution.



## WHEN I WAS YOUR AGE

by **Kenan Thompson**  
Harper, \$30.00

From SNL's longest-serving actor, Kenan Thompson, a hilarious ode to growing up, getting older, and learning from the school of hard knocks.



## AMERICAN VISIONS

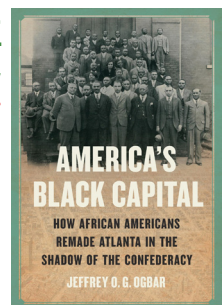
by **Edward L. Ayers**  
W.W. Norton & Co., \$32.50

From the notable historian, a history of the formative period when voices of dissent and innovation defied power and created visions of America still resonant today.

## AMERICA'S BLACK CAPITAL

by **Jeffrey O.G. Ogbar**  
Basic Books, \$35.00

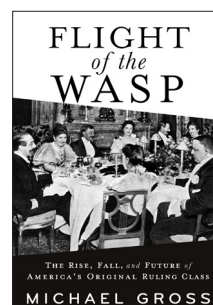
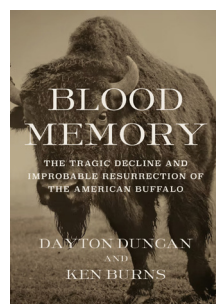
How African Americans transformed Atlanta, the former heart of the Confederacy, into today's Black mecca.



## BLOOD MEMORY

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A moving and beautifully illustrated natural history of the buffalo in America, from prehistoric times to today.

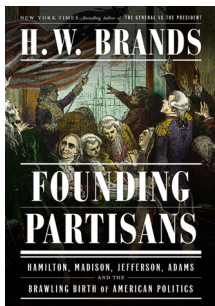


## FLIGHT OF THE WASP

by **Michael Gross**  
Atlantic Monthly Press, \$30.00

Fifteen families. Four hundred years. The complex saga of the White Anglo-Saxon Protestant elite in America's history.





## FOUNDING PARTISANS

by **H.W. Brands**

Doubleday, \$32.50

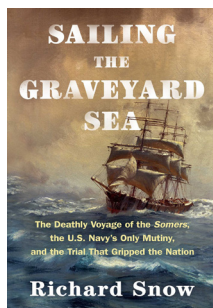
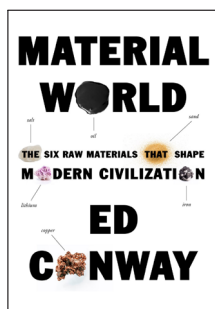
Pulitzer Prize finalist H.W. Brands explores the shocking emergence of vicious political division at the birth of the United States.

## MATERIAL WORLD

by **Ed Conway**

Knopf, \$35.00

British journalist Conway reveals how six materials in particular--sand, salt, iron, copper, oil, and lithium--have radically shaped human history.

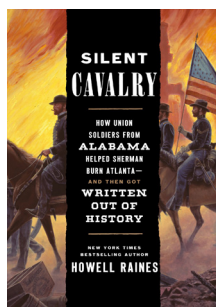


## SAILING THE GRAVEYARD SEA

by **Richard Snow**

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Part murder mystery, part courtroom drama, a riveting account of the only mutiny in the history of the United States Navy.



## SILENT CAVALRY

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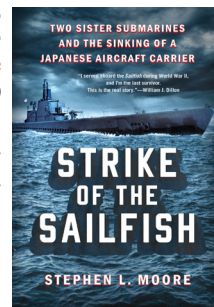
Little-known Union soldiers from Alabama played a decisive role in the Civil War, then were scrubbed from the history books.

## STRIKE OF THE SAILFISH

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A true-life thriller about the first US submarine to sink a Japanese aircraft carrier--and the sub's tragic twist of fate.

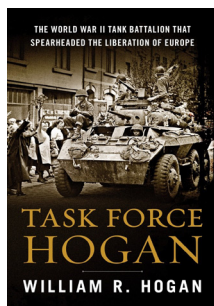


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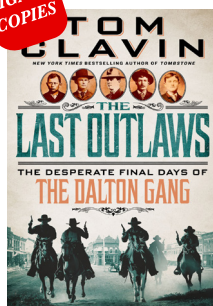
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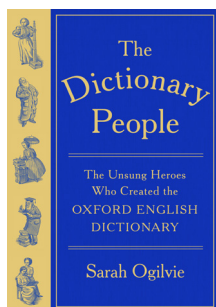


## THE LAST OUTLAWS

by **Tom Clavin**

St. Martin's Press, \$30.00

The definitive account of the Dalton Gang and the most brazen bank heist in history, by bestselling author Tom Clavin.



## THE DICTIONARY PEOPLE

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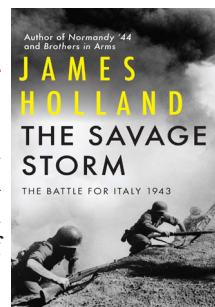
A history and celebration of the many far-flung volunteers who, in creating the *Oxford English Dictionary*, helped define the English language, word by word.

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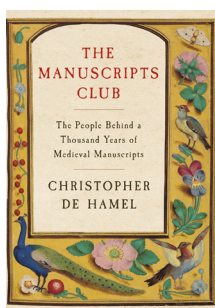


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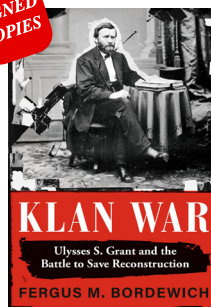
by **Christopher de Hamel**

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An introduction to the extraordinary keepers and companions of medieval illuminated manuscripts over a thousand years of history.



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# POETRY



## MUSCADINE

by **A.H. Jerriod Avant**

Four Way Books, \$17.95

In *Muscadine*, UM's 2024-25 Grisham Writer-in-Residence A.H. Jerriod Avant eulogizes our collective losses while exhaling the succor of this human life.

## LOW

by **Nick Flynn**

Graywolf Press, \$17.00

*Low* explores the jaggedness of memory and what is salvageable when the past is broken by loss, violence, and trauma.



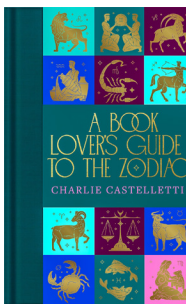
# EXPLORATION

## BEST OF THE WORLD

by **National Geographic**

National Geographic, \$40.00

Discover your next great adventure in this beautifully illustrated guide to the world's best travel destinations.



## A BOOK LOVER'S GUIDE TO THE ZODIAC

by **Charlie Castelletti**

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If you love reading and you always check your horoscope, then this gorgeous little book is perfect for you.



## CRITICAL HITS

by **Carmen Maria Machado**

Graywolf Press, \$18.00

This wide-ranging anthology of essays explores one of the most vital art forms on the planet today: video games. Perfect gift for the hard-to-please slacker in the family.

## CLASS

by **Stephanie Land**

Atria/One Signal Publishers, \$28.00

Who has the right to create art? Who has the right to go to college? What kind of work is valued in our culture? In clear, candid and moving prose, *Class* grapples with these questions.



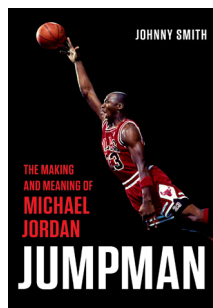
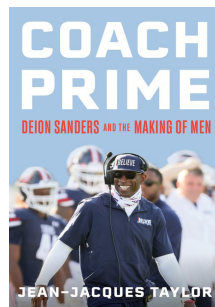
# SPORTS

## COACH PRIME

by **Jean-Jacques Taylor**

Mariner Books, \$28.99

Deion Sanders, his staff, and his players, who are shattering expectations weekly and changing the culture of college football.



## JUMPMAN

by **Johnny Smith**

Basic Books, \$30.00

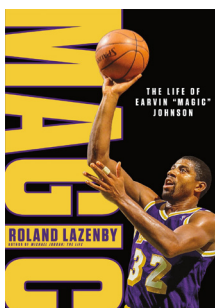
How Michael Jordan's path to greatness was shaped by race, politics, and the consequences of fame.

## MAGIC

by **Roland Lazenby**

Celadon Books, \$40.00

The definitive biography of the basketball legend Earvin "Magic" Johnson, from the highly respected, career sportswriter and author of *Michael Jordan: The Life*.

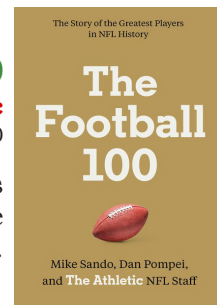


## THE FOOTBALL 100

by **The Athletic**

William Morrow, \$40.00

From *The Athletic*, powerhouse of sports reporting, comes the definitive story of the greatest football players of all time.

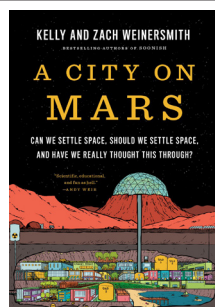


## A CITY ON MARS

by **Kelly Weinersmith**

Penguin Press, \$32.00

From the bestselling authors of *Soonish*, a brilliant and hilarious investigation into space settlement.



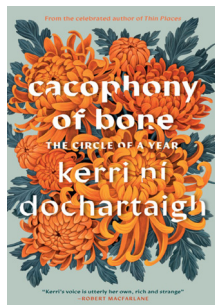
## AUDUBON'S BIRDS OF AMERICA

by **Roger Tory Peterson**

Abbeville Press, \$195.00 (12 x 16")

Abbeville's classic edition of *The Birds of America*, The Baby Elephant Folio, is now in a striking new package—696 pages, in a beautiful slipcase, with reproductions of all 435 of Audubon's hand-colored engravings.





## CACOPHONY OF BONE

by **Kerri ni Dochartaigh**

Milkweed Editions, \$26.00

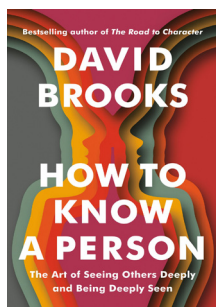
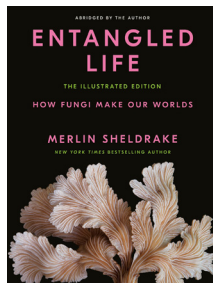
From the acclaimed author of *Thin Places*, a luminous day book about an unexpected year and finding home.

## ENTANGLED LIFE

by **Merlin Sheldrake**

Random House, \$40.00

Merlin Sheldrake's *New York Times* best seller, *Entangled Life*, is a lavish, visual and fun journey into the hidden lives of fungi.

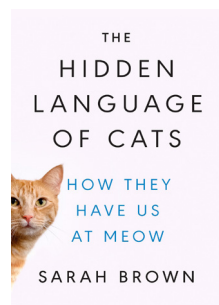


## HOW TO KNOW A PERSON

by **David Brooks**

Random House, \$30.00

A practical guide to fostering deeper connections at home, at work, and throughout our lives.



## THE HIDDEN LANGUAGE OF CATS

by **Sarah Brown**

Dutton, \$28.00

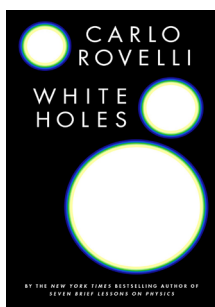
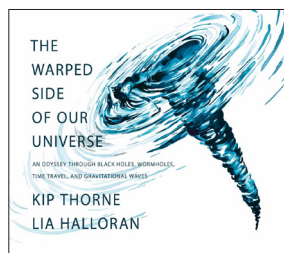
Descended from shy, solitary North African wild cats, domestic cats set up homes with devoted owners all over the world by learning how to talk to us.

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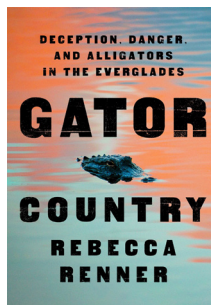
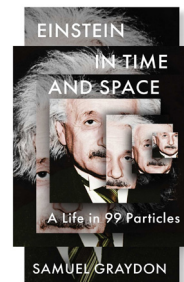
A mesmerizing trip to the strange world of white holes from the bestselling author of *Seven Brief Lessons on Physics* and *The Order of Time*.

## EINSTEIN IN TIME AND SPACE

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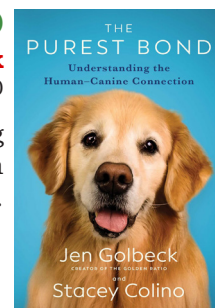


## THE PUREST BOND

by **Jen Golbeck**

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A pleasant, reassuring and enlightening exploration of the profound bond between humans and dogs.



## TO FREE THE CAPTIVES

by **Tracy K. Smith**

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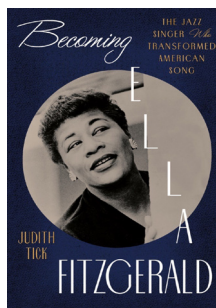
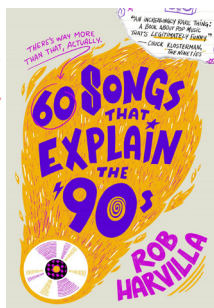


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## 60 SONGS THAT EXPLAIN THE '90S

by **Rob Harvilla**  
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Ringer music critic Rob Harvilla reimagines all the earwormy, iconic hits Gen Xers pine for with vivid historical storytelling, sharp critical analysis, rampant loopiness, and wryly personal ruminations.



## BECOMING ELLA FITZGERALD

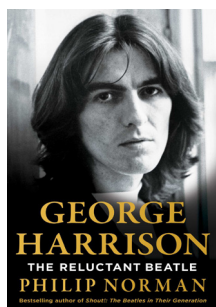
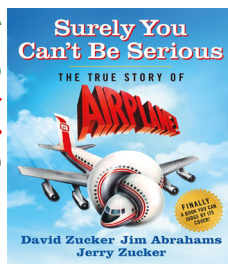
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This landmark biography reclaims Ella Fitzgerald as a major American artist and modernist innovator.

## SURELY YOU CAN'T BE SERIOUS

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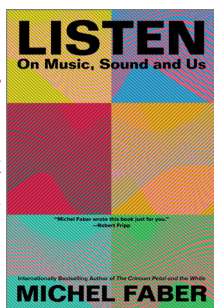
by **Philip Norman**  
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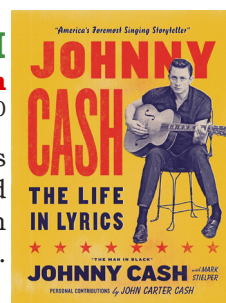
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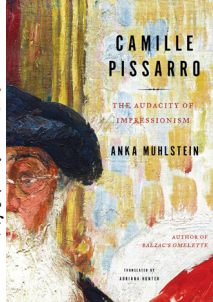
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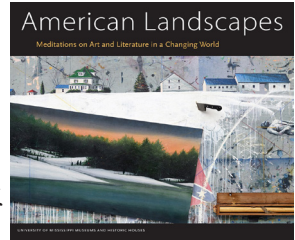


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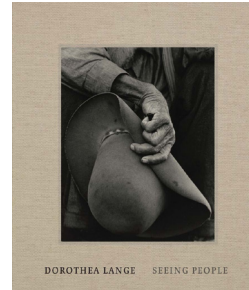


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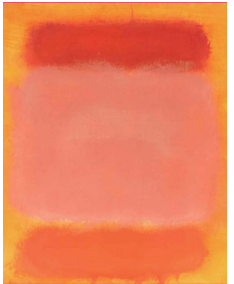


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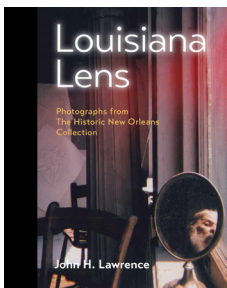


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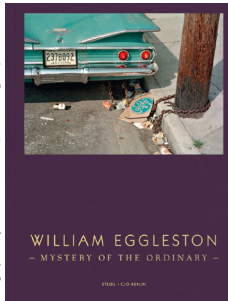


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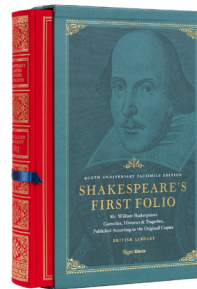


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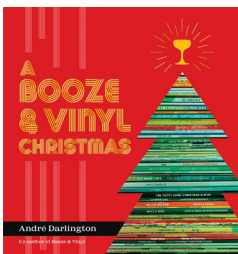
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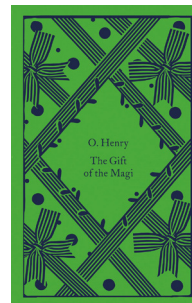


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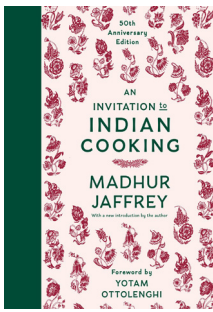
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## AN INVITATION TO INDIAN COOKING

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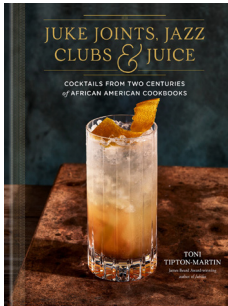
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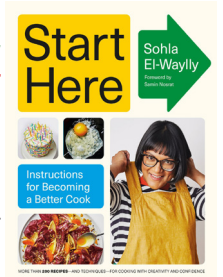
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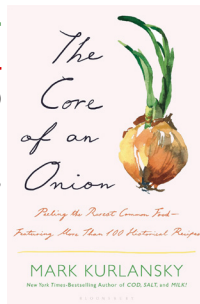
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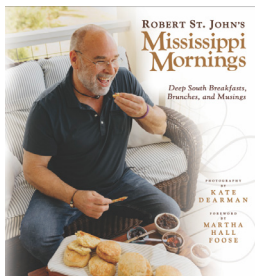
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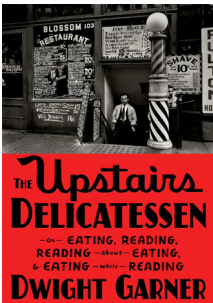
by **Robert St. John**  
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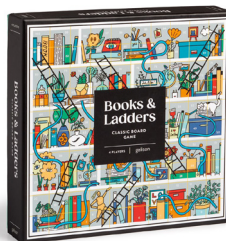


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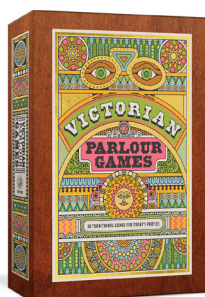
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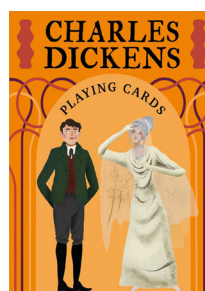


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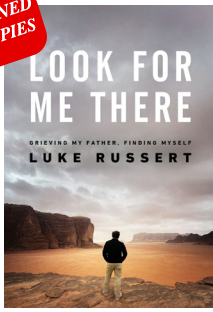
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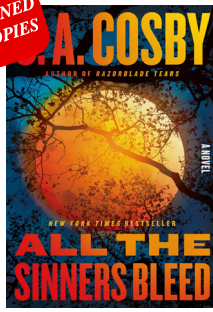
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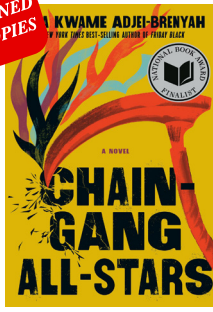
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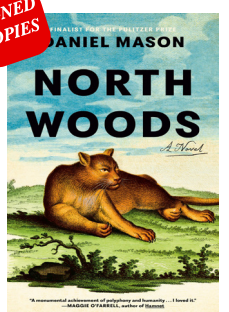
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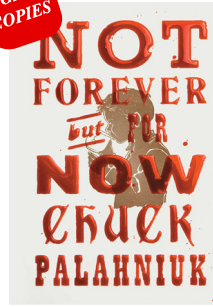
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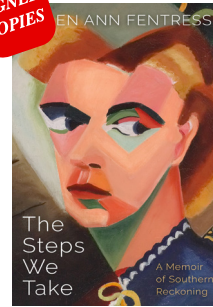
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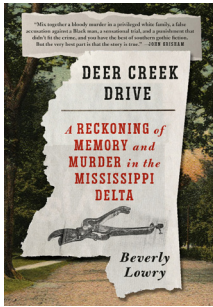


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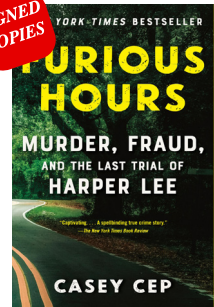
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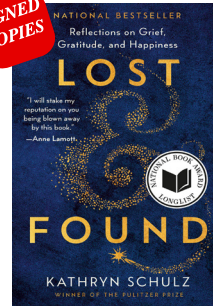
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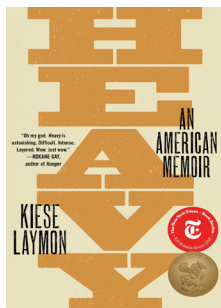
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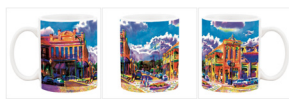
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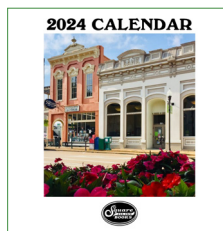
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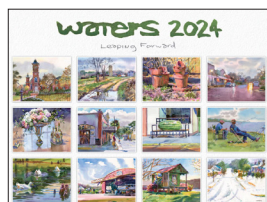
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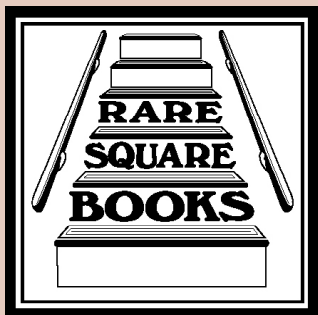
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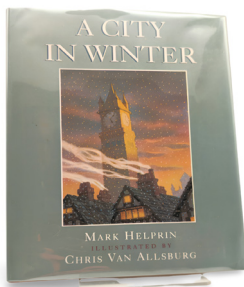
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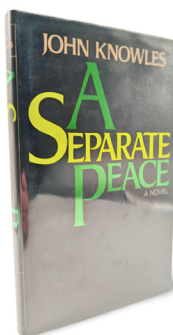


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MacMillan (1979), \$500.00

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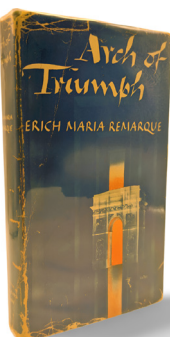


## ARCH OF TRIUMPH

by **Eric Maria Remarque**

Appleton Century (1945), \$25.00

First American printing. Remarque's novel of refugees in Paris during the aftermath of World War II. Good condition with creases and some small chips to jacket.



## GAZETEER OF THE UNITED STATES

by **William Darby**

Hartford (1836), \$250.00

Contains original maps (though quite creased and torn), showing the US in 1836 including Mississippi as Chickasaw and Cherokee territories, as those treaties occurred in 1837. Good condition showing wear and aging but pages and binding intact. A unique historical artifact.

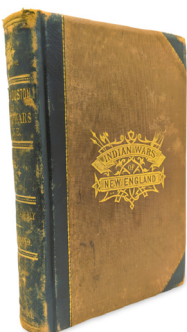


## HEROISM OF HANNAH DUSTON TOGETHER WITH THE INDIAN WARS OF NEW ENGLAND

by **Robert Caverly**

B.B. Russell (1874), \$125.00

The story of Hannah Duston who was kidnapped by Native Americans in 1674 and brutally fought her way out of captivity. Duston was likely the first American female memorialized by a public statue in 1861. A very good illustrated copy with some scuffs to boards.

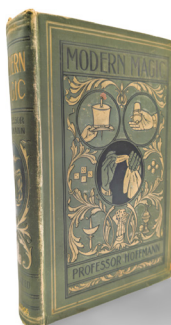


## MODERN MAGIC

by **Professor Hoffman**

George Routledge & Sons (c. 1900), \$140.00

Undated later printing, likely turn of the century. The first popular American book on magic tricks with over 300 illustrations. Many of the tricks and magician's habits herein are still used today. Very good condition.

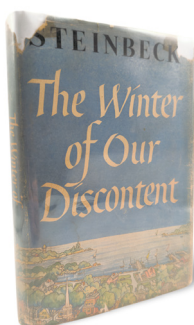


## THE WINTER OF OUR DISCONTENT

by **John Steinbeck**

Viking (1961), \$350.00

First printing of Steinbeck's treatise on mid-century American life. Set in New England rather than the far west and a classic among Steinbeck's canon. Good condition with some wear and chips to dust jacket, interior is clean.



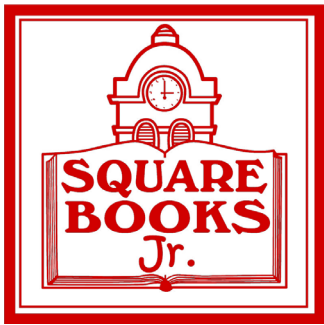
## VICTOR HUGO'S COMPLETE WORKS

by **Victor Hugo**

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A complete 22-volume set of Hugo's works including the *Hunchback of Notre Dame* and *Les Misérables*. Very good condition except volumes 18 & 19 which show deterioration to cloth at the spine, but good bindings.



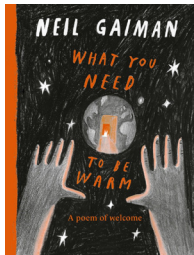


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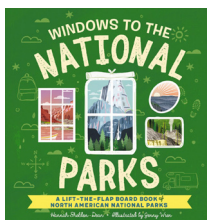
by Neil Gaiman  
Quill Tree Books, \$18.99

In his powerful and moving poem, Neil Gaiman draws together many different memories to answer the question, what do you need to be warm?

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by J.P. Takahashi  
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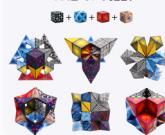
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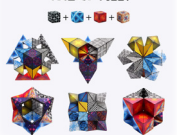
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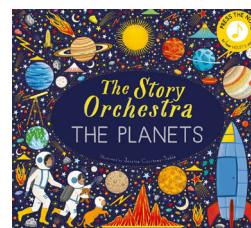


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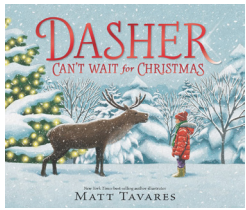


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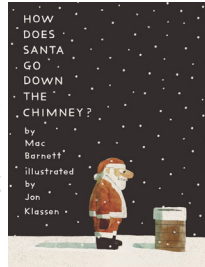
by **Matt Tavares**  
Candlewick, \$17.99

Matt Tavares's sequel to the *New York Times* best-selling *Dasher* is a joyful ode to helping others—and another holiday classic in the making.

## HOW DOES SANTA GO DOWN THE CHIMNEY?

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## ELVES ARE THE WORST

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## JUNIPER'S CHRISTMAS

by **Eoin Colfer**

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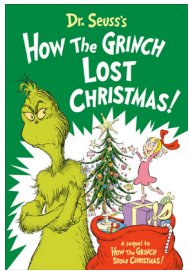


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by **Edward Hemingway**

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When a cookie discovers he does **NOT** taste delicious, he has to find a new identity in this clever twist on a holiday classic now available as a board book.



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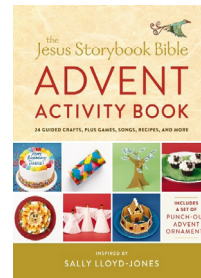
by **Alastair Heim**

Random House, \$19.99

The Grinch is **BACK** and ready to prove to the residents of Who-ville that he's changed.

## ELF ON THE SHELF: SWEET SPINNERS ADVENT CALENDAR

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## THE JESUS STORYBOOK BIBLE ADVENT ACTIVITY BOOK

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Complete and creative celebration of the holiday season, filled with crafts, games, recipes, songs, and activities for every day of Advent.

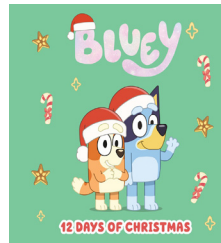
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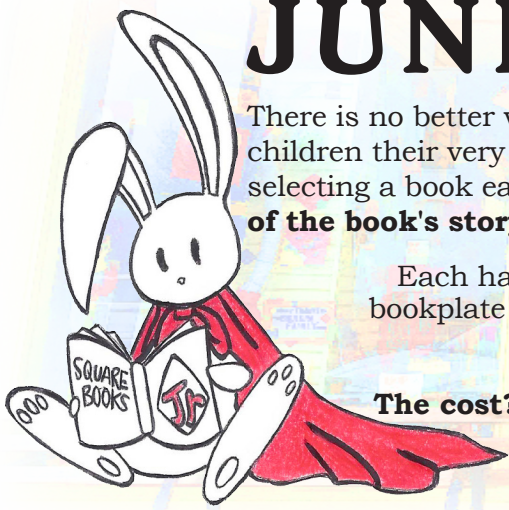


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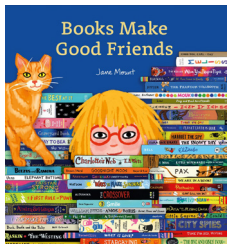
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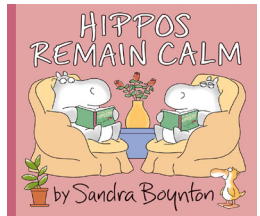
by **Stacy McAnulty**  
Chronicle Books, \$17.99



In this funny, feel-good first-pet book, one aspiring dog owner and her parents ponder all the best and worst outcomes of bringing home more dogs than you can (literally) shake a stick at.

### HIPPOS REMAIN CALM

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The unexpected but long desired follow-up to both the Mercy Watson series and the Tales from Deckawoo Drive. Don't miss this exciting and supposedly final entry in the series.

### THERE WAS A PARTY FOR LANGSTON

by **Jason Reynolds**  
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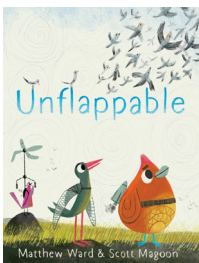
Jason Reynolds' debut picture book is a snappy, happy, joyous ode to the Word King, literary genius and glass-ceiling smasher Langston Hughes, and the luminaries he inspired.



### THE BIG CHEESE

by **Jory John**  
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The Big Cheese is the best at everything, and brags about it, too. When the annual Cheese-cathlon comes around, the Big Cheese is prepared to win, as always. But then the quiet new kid, Wedge Wedgeman, comes out on top!



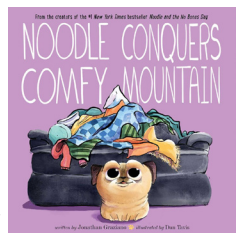
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This witty and uplifting story about perseverance and hope, perfect for fans of *The Magical Yet*, stars three flightless birds determined to get aloft

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Noodle the pug embarks on a quest to climb comfy mountain in this sweet and entertaining sequel to the #1 *New York Times* bestselling picture book *Noodle and the No Bones Day* by the creator of the viral "Bones or No Bones" TikTok videos!



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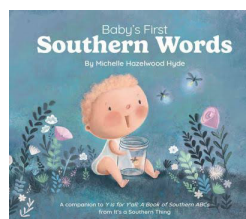
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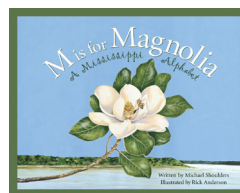
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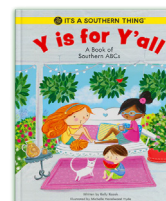
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by **Dav Pilkey**  
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The Cat Kid Comic Club is in crisis! After learning that one of their comics will be published, the baby frogs are filled with anxiety and doubt. How will they get their creative groove back?

## DUNGEONS & DRAGONS: DUNGEON CLUB: ROLL CALL

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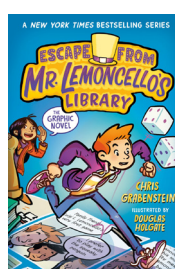
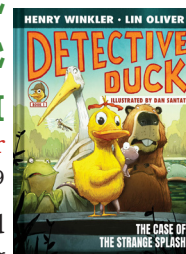


Best friends Olivia and Jess have always loved making up stories...first with little-kid games of imagination and, more recently, with Dungeons & Dragons. When Olivia wants to add a third to their group, Jess must learn how to share to share the game and her friend.

## DUCK DETECTIVE #1: THE CASE OF THE STRANGE SPLASH

by **Henry Winkler**  
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When the typically peaceful Dogwood Pond encounters some puzzling problems, Willow Feathers McBeaver, aka Detective Duck, is a crime-solving little duck is on the job!



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When Kyle learns that the world's most famous game maker, Luigi Lemoncello, has designed the town's new library and is having an invitation-only lock-in on opening night, he's determined to be there!



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Twelve year-old Sophie Foster is an outsider. Not just at school but in her family as well— it must be because she's a Telepath! When Sophie meets another Telepath, a boy name Fitz, he opens her eyes to the shocking truth about her life.

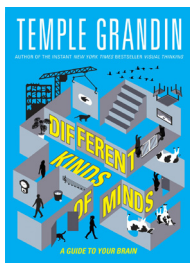
## CITY OF DRAGONS #2: RISE OF THE SHADOWFIRE

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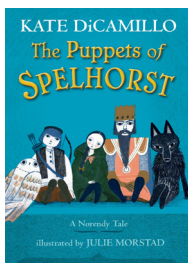
Do you like puzzles, coding, and taking things apart? Do you write stories, act in plays, slay at Wordle? Are you good at math? Working with your hands? Are you a neat freak or a big mess? The things you are good at are clues to how your

## THE PUPPETS OF SPELHORST

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In this clever and swoonworthy YA debut from the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Love Hypothesis*, life's moving pieces bring rival chess players together in a match for the heart.

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A wily young thief must use her wits to survive the hungry city she calls home in this *Les Misérables*-inspired cyberpunk that is perfect for fans of *Six of Crows*, *The Gilded Wolves*, and *Fullmetal Alchemist*.



## HEARTSTOPPER #5

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Nick and Charlie are very much in love. They've finally said those three little words, and Charlie has almost persuaded his mum to let him sleep over at Nick's house... but with Nick going off to university next year, is everything about to change?

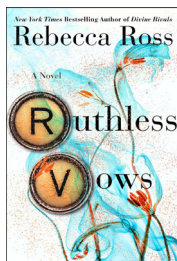


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by **Christopher Paolini**

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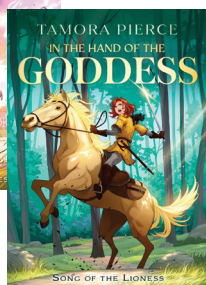
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The seductive and action-packed follow-up to Alex Aster's instant #1 *New York Times*, #1 *Wall Street Journal*, and internationally bestselling novel, *Lightlark*.  
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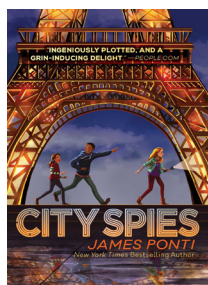


## SONG OF THE LIONESS #1-4

by **Tamora Pierce**

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Fearless, bold, athletic, magical. Young Alanna of Trebond is all these things, and more than anything else, she has always craved the adventure and daring allowed only to boys. So she and her twin brother, Thom, switch places: Thom heads for the convent to become a sorcerer, and Alanna—pretending to be a boy—goes to the castle of King Roald to begin her journey to knighthood.



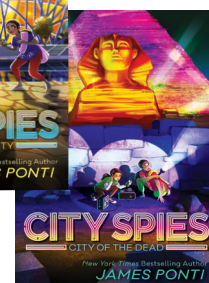
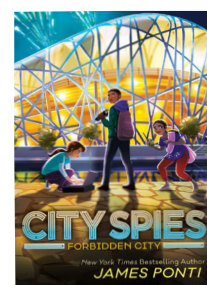
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Follow an exciting cast of characters as they travel the world and face off against rival schools, track down a deadly mole in their own organization, and extract a fellow agent from a dangerous situation on foreign soil!

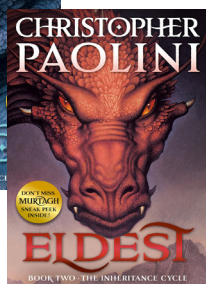
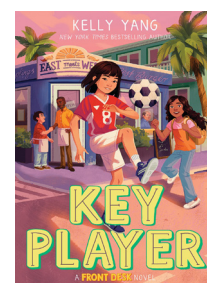


## FRONT DESK #1-5

by **Kelly Yang**

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Mia Tang has a lot of secrets: One, her family owns a motel; two, her family hides immigrants; and three, Mia wants to be a writer. It will take all of Mia's courage, kindness, and hard work to get through this year. Will she be able to hold on to her job, help the immigrants and guests, and go for her dreams? Join Mia as her family works to help the people in her community while hanging onto what they have.

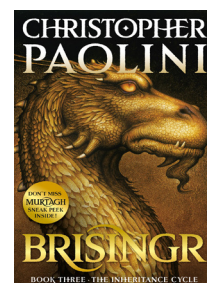


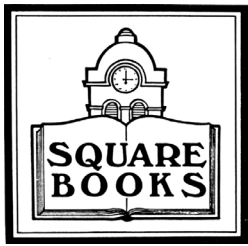
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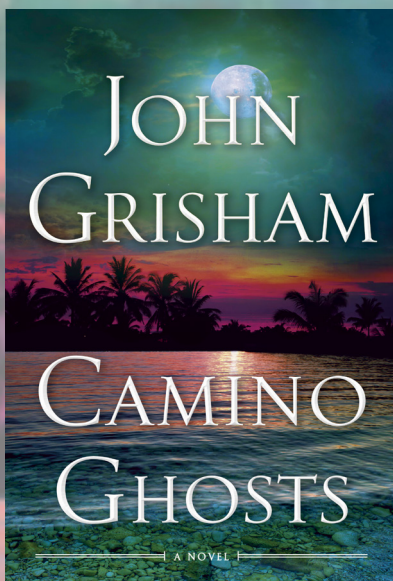
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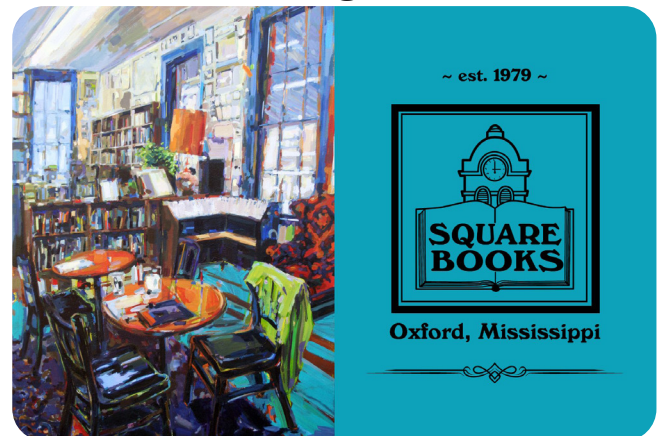
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