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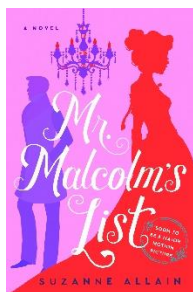
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NEW FICTION



Allain, Suzanne
MR. MALCOLM'S LIST: A Novel

July 2020

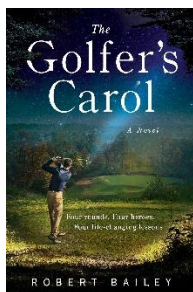
"A delightful tale that perfectly illustrates the enduring appeal of the Regency romance. It's all here—the fast, witty banter, the elegant ballrooms, the quirky characters, the charming, strong-willed heroine and the dashing hero who has a thing or two to learn about love." —Amanda Quick, *New York Times*-bestselling author

Jeremy Malcolm is searching for a wife, but not just any wife. He's determined to avoid the fortune hunters and find a perfect woman to meet the qualifications on his well-crafted list. Selina Dalton, a vicar's daughter of limited means and a stranger to high society, is thrilled when her friend Julia invites her to London—until she learns it's all part of a plot to exact revenge on Mr. Malcolm. Selina is reluctant to participate in Julia's scheme, especially after meeting the irresistible Mr. Malcolm, who appears very different from the arrogant scoundrel of Julia's description. But when Mr. Malcolm judges Selina against his unattainable standards, Selina decides that she has some qualifications of her own. And if he is to meet them, he must reveal the real man behind Mr. Malcolm's List. [Suzanne Allain](#) is a screenwriter and novelist.

Translation: Berkley (editor Kate Seaver)

Agent: Janklow & Nesbit

UK: Piatkus



Bailey, Robert
THE GOLFER'S CAROL: A Novel

Oct. 2020

"A celebration of faith, family, and the human spirit, *The Golfer's Carol* is a page-turning story of love and second chances that is sure to become a classic. The four inspiring lessons will stay with readers long after the last page is turned." —Winston Groom, author of *Forrest Gump*

On the morning of his 40th birthday, Randy Clark believes the only way he can help his family is to end it all. Standing on a bridge, with his dreams of a professional golf career long gone, his marriage struggling, and facing financial ruin, Randy sees no other alternative to help his wife and daughter but to jump. But Randy's plans are put on hold when the ghost of his best friend reveals to Randy that he will be given a wonderful gift: four rounds of golf with his four heroes, the champions he's looked up to his whole life, each with a life-changing lesson to impart. [Robert Bailey](#) is the bestselling author of the McMurtrie & Drake legal thriller series.

Translation: Portfolio (editor Tara Singh Carlson)

Agent: Liza Royce Agency

UK: Headline

Baratz-Logsted, Lauren, and Jackie Logsted
JOINT CUSTODY: A Novel

Spring 2021

The Art of Racing in the Rain meets *The Parent Trap* in this offbeat romantic comedy in which a Border Collie takes matters into his own paws when his beloved owners split up. The Man has custody Monday-Friday, while The Woman has custody on the weekends. That's not enough for Gatz, who will do anything, including risk his own life by consuming an entire box of chocolates, to bring them back together. After that misguided attempt fails, Gatz thinks he still has time. But when New Man—so handsome, so nice, so perfect—enters The Woman's life, Gatz may be running out of time. You know what they say: Drastic times call for drastic doggy measures. [Lauren Baratz-Logsted](#) is the author of 40 books.

UK, Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Cindy Hwang)

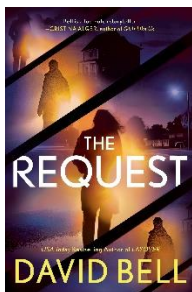
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Beck, Kristin
COURAGE, MY LOVE: A Novel

Spring 2021

Debut novel! Rome 1943: Lucia Colombo has had her doubts about fascism for years, but as a single mother in an increasingly unstable country, politics are for other people—she needs to focus on keeping herself and her son alive. Then the Italian government falls and the German occupation begins, and suddenly, Lucia finds that complacency is no longer an option. Francesca Gallo has always been aware of injustice and suffering. A polio survivor who lost her father when he was arrested for his anti-fascist politics, she came to Rome with her fiancé to start a new life. But when the Germans invade and her fiancé is taken by the Nazis, Francesca decides she has only one option: to fight back. As Lucia and Francesca are pulled deeper into the fight against the Nazi occupation, both women learn to fight alongside the partisans to drive the Germans from Rome. But as winter sets in, the occupation tightens its grip on the city, and the resistance is in constant danger. In the darkest days, Francesca and Lucia face their pasts, find the courage to love, and maintain hope for a future that is finally free. This is Kristin Beck's first novel.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kate Seaver)
Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary



Bell, David
THE REQUEST: A Novel

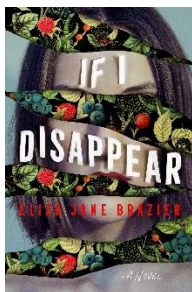
June 2020

“David Bell writes taut, intelligent, and intense suspense that is deeply human.” —Mark Greaney, *New York Times* bestselling author

Ryan Francis has it all—great job, wonderful wife, beautiful child. That is, until an old friend, Blake, asks Ryan to help keep his affair a secret by retrieving an incriminating item from the woman's home. Ryan refuses to help, but when Blake threatens to reveal his deepest and darkest secret, Ryan has no choice.

When he arrives at the woman's house, Ryan is shocked to learn two things: He knows the woman Blake is having an affair with, and she is dead on her bedroom floor. With the sound of police sirens rapidly approaching, Ryan flees, wondering why his old friend was setting him up for murder. Determined to keep his life intact and to clear his name, Ryan can't rest until he finds out who the real murderer is. [David Bell](#) is the bestselling author of *Layover* and *Somebody's Daughter*.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Danielle Perez)
Agent: Massie & McQuilkin
Latvian: Kontinents



Brazier, Eliza Jane
IF I DISAPPEAR: A Novel

Jan. 2021

“The writing is lean, the story is fascinating, and you won't guess where this one is going. A slick, smart thriller you don't want to miss.” —Samantha Downing, bestselling author of *My Lovely Wife*

Debut novel! Sera loves true crime podcasts. They make her feel empowered in a world where women like her disappear daily. She's sure they are preparing her for something. So when Rachel, her favorite podcast host, goes missing, Sera knows it's time to act. Rachel always taught her to trust her instincts.

Sera follows the clues hidden in the episodes to an isolated ranch outside of Rachel's small hometown to begin her search. She's convinced her investigation will make Rachel so proud. But the more Sera digs into this unfamiliar world, the more off things start to feel. Because Rachel is not the first woman to vanish from the ranch, and she won't be the last. Rachel *did* try to warn her... [Eliza Jane Brazier](#) is a screenwriter and author.

Translation: Berkley (editor Jen Monroe)
Agent: Levine, Greenberg, Rostan
UK: Constable & Robinson; Russian: Eksmo

Butler, Lyn Liao
THE TIGER MOM'S LIES: A Novel

Spring 2021

Debut novel! Lexa Thomas has never quite fit in. Growing up in a family of blondes while looking like Constance Wu, she's neither white enough nor Asian enough. She doesn't want children because she won't risk doing to a child what her father did to her. When her estranged father dies unexpectedly, leaving the fate of his Taiwanese family in Lexa's hands, her safe life in New York is no longer enough. She needs to return to Taiwan and claim her place in her heritage, or her Taiwanese family will lose their home. Armed with the advice of two half-sisters (one American and the other Taiwanese, who can't stand each other), a mother who's had a recent change in sexual orientation, and a man whose kisses make her walk into walls, Lexa finally confronts the woman who drove her away from Taiwan. As the truth of that long-ago summer slowly unfolds, she must stand up for herself and open her heart to love and family, or allow her father's estrangement to forever dictate the path of her life. [Lyn Liao Butler](#) was born in Taiwan and grew up in the US. This is her first novel.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Cindy Hwang)
Agent: BookEnds Literary

Christy, Bryan
IN THE COMPANY OF KILLERS: A Novel

Spring 2021

Debut novel! Tom Klay is a celebrated investigative wildlife reporter for the esteemed magazine *The Sovereign*. But Klay is not just a journalist. His reportage is cover for an even more dangerous job: CIA spy. His press credentials give him access to places that the CIA usually cannot penetrate, and the information he gathers is indispensable. But while on assignment in Kenya, Klay's closest friend is killed and his own life is threatened—and the carefully constructed double life that he has created comes tumbling down. As Klay investigates the forces behind the attack in Kenya, he inadvertently becomes part of a larger, more lethal puzzle—one that includes the top levels of governments across the world. The deeper he digs, the more Klay realizes that everything he thought he knew about his work may have been a lie. In this riveting, twisty debut, the roles of good and evil are reversed, and absolutely nothing is as it seems. [Bryan Christy](#) is the former head of Special Investigations at *National Geographic* and the 2014 National Geographic Society Rolex Explorer of the Year. His criminal investigations have been the subject of two award-winning *National Geographic* documentaries, and his crime writing has been anthologized in *The Best American Science and Nature Writing*. He is author of the nonfiction book *The Lizard King*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Mark Tavani)
Agent: ICM
Italian: Newton Compton

Cleeton, Chanel
THE MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL IN CUBA: A Novel

Spring 2021

"You won't be able to put this one down." —*Cosmopolitan*

A war is brewing in Gilded Age New York between newspaper tycoons William Randolph Hearst and Joseph Pulitzer, amid calls for the US to intervene in Cuba's fight for independence from Spain. When Pulitzer offers Grace Harrington a job, she can't resist the opportunity to take her shot. There's just one caveat: she must spy on his chief competitor, Hearst. In Cuba, Evangelina Cisneros dreams of a free country. When a Spanish colonel assaults her, she is sent to the notorious Havana women's prison. Her story reaches America, and Hearst decides that Evangelina, "the most beautiful girl in Cuba," is the perfect figurehead for his campaign to push America into war with Spain—and the answer to his circulation battle with Pulitzer. With the help of Marina Perez, a courier secretly working for the Cuban revolutionaries, Grace and Hearst's staff form a plan to try to rescue Evangelina. But while Evangelina languishes in prison, the violence among Cuba, Spain, and the US builds. [Chanel Cleeton](#) is the bestselling author of *When We Left Cuba* and *Next Year in Havana*.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kate Seaver)
Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary

Cobb, Mary
THE HUNTING WIVES: A Novel

Spring 2021

"Compulsively readable." —Rosamund Lupton, *New York Times*-bestselling author, on *Big Woods*

Sophie O'Neill left behind an envy-inspiring career and the stressful, competitive life of big-city Chicago to settle down with her husband and young son in a small Texas town. It seems like the perfect life with a beautiful home in an idyllic rural community. But Sophie soon realizes that life is now too quiet, and she's feeling bored and restless. Then she meets Margot Banks, an alluring socialite who is part of an elite clique secretly known as The Hunting Wives. Sophie finds herself drawn to Margot and swept into her mysterious world of late-night target practice and dangerous partying. As Sophie's curiosity gives way to full-blown obsession, she slips further away from the safety of her family and deeper into this nest of vipers. When the body of a teenage girl is discovered in the woods where The Hunting Wives meet, Sophie finds herself in the middle of a murder investigation and her life spiraling out of control. [May Cobb](#) is the author of *Big Woods*.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Danielle Perez)
Agent: Victoria Sanders & Associates
Hebrew: Yedioth Ahronoth



Danan, Rosie
THE ROOMMATE: A Novel

Sept. 2020

"Nuanced, funny, super steamy and surprisingly tender, *The Roommate* raises the bar for rom coms in 2020—a smashing debut, and I can't wait for more by Rosie Danan!" —Evie Dunmore, author of *Bringing Down the Duke*

Debut novel! When Clara's childhood crush invites her to move cross-country, the offer is too much to resist. Unfortunately, it's also too good to be true. After a bait-and-switch, Clara finds herself sharing a lease with a charming stranger. Josh might be a bit too perceptive—not to mention handsome—for comfort, but there's a good chance he and Clara could have survived sharing a summer sublet if she hadn't looked him up on the internet... Josh's professional prowess inspires her to take tackling the stigma against female desire into her own hands. They may not agree on much, but Josh and Clara both believe women deserve better sex. What they decide to do about it will change both of their lives, and if they're lucky, they'll help everyone else get lucky too. [Rosie Danan](#) is an American author living in London.

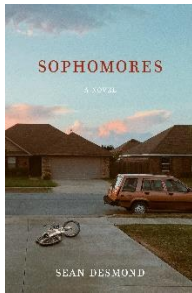
Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Kristine Swartz)
Agent: Sandra Dijkstra Literary
UK: Piatkus

Daniels, Devon
MEET YOU IN THE MIDDLE: A Novel

Sept. 2020

Debut novel! There's just one thing standing between liberal Senate staffer Kate Adams and passage of the landmark legislation she's been fighting for all year: Ben Mackenzie, intimidating gatekeeper for one of Washington, DC's most powerful conservative senators. After Kate and Ben lock horns in a meet-not-so-cute, they vow to take each other down—by any means necessary. She thinks he's arrogant (and doesn't deserve those gorgeous green eyes). He thinks she's too quick to judge (and irresistibly distracting). But as their endless game of one-upmanship becomes Kate's favorite part of the day, she starts to wonder if her feelings for Ben are closer to attraction than animosity, and maybe their sparring is flirting. When Kate realizes there's more to Ben than meets the eye, she's forced to confront her biggest fear: In her sworn enemy, she may have found her perfect match. This is [Devon Daniels'](#) first novel. She is at work on a second.

UK, Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Kate Seaver)
Agent: BookEnds



Desmond, Sean
SOPHOMORES: A Novel

Jan. 2021

Fall 1987: Life as normal is ending for the Malone family. With their Dallas, Texas, home a far cry from the Bronx of their youth, Pat and Anne Malone have reached a breaking point. Pat has fallen into his drinking, using the burn of alcohol to hide the mental and physical toll of his recent MS diagnosis. Anne, his devoutly Catholic wife, has been selected as a juror for a highly publicized murder trial. For the first time, Anne's attention is wavering, and questions about God and about men in power begin to break through. Together, Pat and Anne try to raise their son Dan, a sophomore at Jesuit College Prep. Bright but unmotivated, Dan is aware of the cracks in his family, but he finds reprieve in his Honors English class, where he is shocked into learning by his enigmatic teacher. *Sophomores* is the story of what unfolds for the Malone family as this year progresses. Sean Desmond is the author of *Adam's Fall* and the publisher of Twelve, an imprint of Grand Central Publishing.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Gaby Mongelli)

Agent: David Black Agency

Downing, Samantha
FOR YOUR OWN GOOD: A Novel

Spring 2021

"Wholly original. Scarily clever. Completely mesmerizing." —Lisa Gardner, #1 *New York Times*-bestselling author, on *He Started It*

Everybody loves 17-year-old Zach Ward, the golden boy of the prestigious Belmont Academy. Except Teddy Crutcher, who also happens to be Belmont's Teacher of the Year. He thinks Zach is an entitled little brat with no appreciation for what he has. Teddy intends to change that. Not to punish Zach *necessarily*, but to turn him into a better person. If only the other teachers would stop getting in his way. Sometimes they can be more annoying than the students. He intends to do something about that, too. After all, someone has to save the kids. And if not Teddy, then who? [Samantha Downing](#) is the bestselling author of *My Lovely Wife* and *He Started It*.

Translation: Berkley (editor Jen Monroe)

Agent: Irene Goodman Literary

UK: Michael Joseph

Dray, Stephanie
THE WOMEN OF CHAVANIAC: A Novel

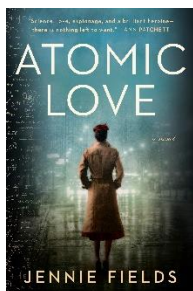
Spring 2021

"Painstakingly researched, beautifully hewn, compulsively readable." —Allison Pataki, on *America's First Daughter*

This is an epic generational saga based on the true story of an extraordinary French castle and the remarkable women bound by its legacy in some of humanity's darkest hours. 1940: French schoolteacher and aspiring artist Marthe Simone has an orphan's self-reliance and wants nothing to do with war. But as the realities of Nazi occupation transform her life in the isolated castle where she came of age, she makes a discovery that calls into question who she is, and more importantly, who she is willing to become. 1914: Glittering New York socialite Beatrice Astor Chanler is a force of nature, daunted by nothing—not her humble beginnings, her crumbling marriage, or the outbreak of war. But after witnessing the devastation in France and delivering war relief over dangerous seas, Beatrice takes on the challenge of a lifetime: convincing America to fight for what's right. 1774: Noblewoman Adrienne Lafayette becomes her husband's political partner in the fight for American independence. But when their idealism sparks revolution in France, and the guillotine threatens everything she holds dear, Adrienne must choose to renounce the complicated man she loves or risk her life for a legacy that will inspire generations to come. [Stephanie Dray](#) is a bestselling author of historical women's fiction.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Amanda Bergeron)

Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary



Fields, Jennie
ATOMIC LOVE: A Novel

Aug. 2020

"Atomic Love is a novel of science, love, espionage, beautiful writing, and a heroine who carves a strong path in the world of men. As far as I'm concerned there is nothing left to want." —Ann Patchett, *New York Times*-bestselling author of *Bel Canto* and *Commonwealth*

Chicago 1950: Rosalind Porter has always defied expectations—in her work as a physicist on the Manhattan Project to design the atomic bomb, and in her passionate love affair with coworker Thomas Wheeler. Five years after the end of both, her guilt over the results of her work and her heartbreak over Wheeler are intertwined. She has almost succeeded in resigning herself to a more conventional life. Then Wheeler gets back in touch—and so does the FBI. Agent Charlie Szydlo wants Roz to spy on Wheeler, whom the FBI suspects of selling nuclear secrets to Russia. Despite her better instincts, Roz still loves Wheeler and is not sure she can trust Charlie. And Charlie, whose time as a prisoner of war in a Japanese camp haunts him, is not sure he can trust himself, especially around Roz. His interest in her has become more than professional. As it turns out, he's not the only spy interested in Roz, but the Russians definitely don't have her best interests in mind. [Jennie Fields](#) is the author of *The Age of Desire* and others.

Translation: Putnam (editor Tara Singh Carlson)

Agent: Einstein Literary Management

UK: Michael Joseph; German: Penguin; Hungarian: General; Italian: Sperling & Kupfer; Romanian: RAO; Spanish: Espasa



Frederick, Jen
HEART & SEOUL: A Novel

Aug. 2020

"Kudos to Jen Frederick for writing another winner." —Book Binge

Every time Korean adoptee Hara looks in the mirror, she's reminded that she doesn't look like anyone else in her family—not her loving mother, Ellen; not her jerk of a father, Pat; and certainly not Pat's new wife and new "real" son. But when her father suddenly dies, his funeral triggers an identity crisis that has her running off to Seoul in search of her roots. What Hara finds there has all the makings of a classic K-drama: a tall, mysterious stranger who greets her at the airport, spontaneous adventures across the city, and a mess of familial ties, along with a red string of destiny that winds its way around her, heart and soul. Hara goes to Korea looking for answers, but what she gets instead is love—a forbidden love that will either welcome Hara home... or destroy her chance of finding one. [Jen Frederick](#) is the bestselling author of several novels under this name and the pseudonym Erin Watt.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Cindy Hwang)

Agent: Axelrod Agency

German: Heyne

Gornichec, Genevieve
THE WITCH'S HEART: A Novel

Spring 2021

Debut novel! This is a reimagining of Norse mythology from the perspective of one of its most mysterious women. Angrboda's story begins where most witch tales end: being burnt alive. A punishment from the gods, the fire leaves her powerless and in pieces. She escapes into the forest to heal—only to find the trickster god Loki has tracked her down, carrying with him the half-burnt heart she left behind. Their romance produces the most important things in her life: a trio of peculiar children, whom she is keen to raise at the edge of the world, safely hidden from Odin's all-seeing eye. But as Angrboda recovers her prophetic powers, she learns that her blissful life—and possibly all of existence—is in danger. Angrboda must choose whether she'll accept the fate that she's foreseen for her beloved family—or rise to meet it. [Genevieve Gornichec](#) is a Viking reenactor and avid writer on this subject.

UK, Translation: Berkley Ace (editor Jessica Wade)

Agent: HG Literary

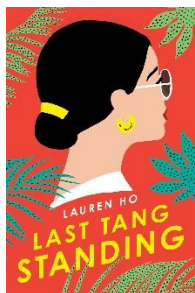
Grushin, Olga
THE CHARMED WIFE: A Novel

Jan. 2021

"The comedy is devastating in this autopsy of a marriage that dies of 'happily ever after' syndrome. Seldom has such emotional realism been spied in the precincts of wild magic. This alumna of the Cinderella marriage is overwhelmed, over-enchanted, and so over it. Fall under its charms, I dare you." —Gregory Maguire, author of *Wicked*

Cinderella wants her prince charming dead. Thirteen and a half years ago, their marriage was meant to be the conclusion of her story, the fairy tale ending she deserved after years of servitude and sorrow. Yet after playing the role of dutiful wife, she finds herself left with an indifferent husband, two children she rarely sees, and a life that has not turned out as she expected. As her reckoning begins, her story treads the line between magic and reality, expanding into a rich tapestry that combines the worlds of the Brothers Grimm and Charles Perrault with contemporary Manhattan, and reveals the uneasy truths hidden in the stories we love. Surprising and inventive, *The Charmed Wife* twists time and place, fantasy and reality, to conjure a world unlike any other, one that questions everything we think we know about romance, marriage, and the very nature of storytelling. [Olga Grushin](#) is the acclaimed author of *Forty Rooms*, *The Line*, and *The Dream Life of Sukhanov*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Gaby Mongelli)
Agent: John Hawkins & Associates



Ho, Lauren
LAST TANG STANDING: A Novel

June 2020

Debut novel! Andrea Tang seems to have it all: an enviable job as a high-profile lawyer at one of Singapore's most esteemed firms, a swanky apartment, and the best friends a woman could ask for. According to her mother and her Auntie Wei Wei, Tang family matriarch and holder of the purse strings to a sizeable fortune, that leaves just one thing missing: a husband. After all, at 33, she's not getting any younger. When Andrea discovers that even Auntie Wei Wei's notoriously unattached daughter has gotten engaged, she realizes she's become what she fears the most: the last Tang standing, lone

singleton in a sea of married Tangs. [Lauren Ho](#) is a philanthropy manager with Doctors Without Borders.

Translation: Putnam (editor Margo Lipschultz)
Agent: Janklow & Nesbit
UK: HarperCollins; Indonesian: Gramedia Pustaka Utama

Hogle, Sarah
TWICE SHY: A Novel

Spring 2021

"[A] hilarious debut romance...[that] rewards readers with laugh-out-loud moments and a satisfyingly sweet and redeeming ending." —*Booklist*, on *You Deserve Each Other*

For Maybell, living with her head in the clouds has always felt preferable to dealing with reality, whether it's managing her panic attacks, navigating dating apps, or getting her coworkers to show her respect. When Maybell inherits a stately manor from her Great Aunt Violet, it's the perfect opportunity to make a fresh start. But her troubles have only just begun. Not only is the manor practically falling apart around her, but its handsome groundskeeper Wesley wants nothing to do with her. Worse still, Violet left a list of tasks to complete if she wants to retain control of the estate—and Maybell won't be able to do them without Wesley's help. Convincing him to stop avoiding her is a task more formidable than anything on Violet's list. But when Maybell discovers that beneath his brooding exterior lies an anxiety that exceeds her own, she realizes they might have more in common than she ever dreamed. [Sarah Hogle](#) is the author of *You Deserve Each Other*.

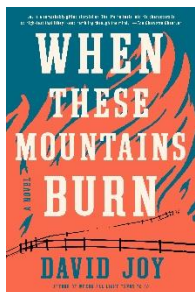
Translation: Putnam (editor Margo Lipschultz)
Agent: Chalberg & Sussman
UK: Piatkus

Igharo, Jane
TIES THAT TETHER: A Novel

Sept. 2020

Debut novel! At twelve years old, Azere promised her dying father she would marry a Nigerian man and preserve her culture, even after emigrating to Canada. Her mother has been vigilant about helping—*forcing*—her to stay well within the Nigerian dating pool ever since. But when another match-made-by-mom goes wrong, Azere ends up at a bar, enjoying the company and later sharing the bed of Rafael Castellano, a man who is tall, handsome—and white. When their one-night stand unexpectedly evolves into something serious, Azere is caught between her growing feelings for Rafael and the need to please her mother, who will never accept a relationship that threatens to dilute Azere’s Nigerian heritage. Azere can’t help wondering if loving Rafael makes her any less of a Nigerian. Can she be with him without compromising her identity? This is [Jane Igharo’s](#) first novel.

UK, Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Kate Seaver)
Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary



Joy, David
WHEN THESE MOUNTAINS BURN: A Novel

Aug. 2020

“Revelatory... Indelible characters from every side of the law converge in this fast-moving story. As fine a piece of writing as you are ever likely to encounter.” —Lee Smith, author of *Guests on Earth*

When his addict son gets in deep with his dealer, it takes everything Raymond Mathis has to bail him out of trouble one last time. At the end of his rope, with no hope for justice, Ray decides to take matters into his own hands. After a workplace accident left him out of a job and in pain, Denny Rattler has spent years chasing his next high. He supports his habit through careful theft, following strict rules that keep him under the radar and out of jail. But when faced with opportunities too easy to resist, Denny makes two choices that will come back to haunt him. When chance brings together these two men from opposite sides of a relentless epidemic, each may come to find that his opportunity for redemption lies with the other. [David Joy](#) is the author of *The Line That Held Us* and others.

Translation: Putnam (editor Sara Minnich)
Agent: Dunow, Carlson & Lerner
UK: André Deutsch/Welbeck; French: Sonatine; Spanish: RBA Libros

Lalli, Sonya
SERENA SINGH FLIPS THE SCRIPT: A Novel

Spring 2021

“Lalli’s sharp-eyed tale of cross-cultural dating, family heartbreak, the strictures of culture, and the exuberance of love is both universal and timeless.” —*Publishers Weekly* (starred review), on *The Matchmaker’s List*

Serena’s life has a lot of positives. She’s smart, confident, and just got a kickass new job at a top advertising firm in Washington, DC. When her younger sister gets married in a big, traditional wedding, Serena knows she doesn’t need a husband or children to make her own dreams come true. But with her mother constantly encouraging her to be more like her sister, Serena can’t understand why her parents refuse to recognize that she and her sister want completely different experiences out of life. As Serena forms a closer bond with some of the married women in her social circle, her long-held beliefs about the importance of self-reliance are challenged. She’s forced to confront her past in her quest to learn what she truly wants and what it means to really “have it all.” [Sonya Lalli](#) is the author of *The Matchmaker’s List* and others.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kerry Donovan)
Agent: CookeMcDermid Agency

Landau, Alexis

Spring 2021

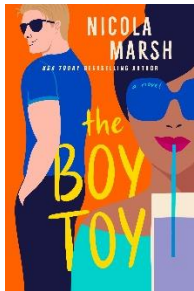
THOSE WHO ARE SAVED: A Novel

"Elegantly crafted and psychologically astute... compelling... Stunning imagery is interwoven with pitch-perfect and often spare dialogue, creating a doubly vivid resonance." —*San Francisco Chronicle*, on *The Empire of the Senses*

As a Russian Jewish émigré to France, Vera's wealth cannot protect her or her four-year-old-daughter Lucie once the Nazis occupy the country. After receiving notice that all foreigners must report to an internment camp, Vera has just a few hours to make an impossible choice: subject Lucie to the horrid conditions of the camp, or put her into hiding with her beloved governess, safe until Vera can retrieve her? Believing the war will end soon, Vera chooses to leave Lucie in safety. She cannot know that she and her husband will have an opportunity to escape to America, and that Lucie's governess will have fled with Lucie to rural France. So begins a heartbreaking journey and separation. Vera's marriage will falter under the California sun, but her love for Lucie will only grow. As Vera's determination to return to France and find Lucie crystalizes, she meets Sasha, a man on his own search for meaning. Together they will journey to Lucie. They will find her fate. [Alexis Landau](#) is the author of *The Empire of the Senses*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Tara Singh Carlson)

Agent: Jean V. Naggar Literary



Marsh, Nicola

THE BOY TOY: A Novel

Nov. 2020

For almost a decade, 37-year-old Samira Broderick has used her bustling Los Angeles practice as an excuse to avoid a trip home to Australia. She resents her Indian mother for arranging her marriage to a man who didn't stick around, but now with a new job Down Under, she's finally ready to reconnect. And while she's there, a fling might be just what she needs to get out of her recent funk. Aussie stuntman Rory Roderick has been hiding his stutter for years by avoiding speaking roles. When a job he can't refuse comes up, he knows he'll need some help for the audition: a dialect coach. But he finds himself at

a loss for words when he discovers it's the same sexy woman with whom he just had a mind-blowing one-night stand.

Samira can think of many reasons why Rory is completely wrong for her: He's ten years her junior, and he's not Indian—something Samira's mother would never approve of. Even if things were to get serious, there's no reason to tell her mother... is there? [Nicola Marsh](#) is the bestselling author of more than 70 novels.

UK, Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Cindy Hwang)

Agent: BookEnds

Meissner, Susan

Spring 2021

THE NATURE OF FRAGILE THINGS: A Novel

April 1906: A massive earthquake rocks San Francisco. Lives are shattered, but some rise from the ashes forever changed. Sophie Whalen is a young Irish immigrant so desperate to get out of a New York tenement she answers a mail-order bride ad to marry a man she knows nothing about. San Francisco widower Martin Hocking proves to be as aloof as he is handsome. While Sophie quickly develops deep affection for Kat, Martin's five-year-old daughter, his odd behaviors leave her uneasy. Then one spring evening, a stranger at the door sets in motion a transforming chain of events. Sophie discovers hidden ties to two other women. The first, pretty and pregnant, is standing on her doorstep. The second is hundreds of miles away in the American Southwest, grieving the loss of everything she once loved. The fates of these three women intertwine on the eve of the devastating earthquake, thrusting them onto a perilous journey that will test their resiliency and resolve, and ultimately, their belief that love can overcome fear. [Susan Meissner](#) is the award-winning author of *The Last Year of the War* and *As Bright as Heaven*, among others.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Claire Zion)

Agent: The Book Group

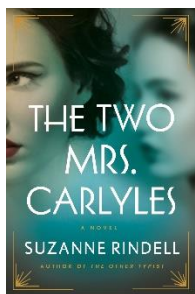
Probst, Jennifer
OUR ITALIAN SUMMER: A Novel

Jan. 2021

"Probst tugs at the heartstrings." —*Publishers Weekly*

Career-obsessed Francesca struggles to make time for her relationship with her teenaged daughter. When Allegra hangs out with a new crowd and is arrested for drug possession, Francesca gives in to her mother's wishes that they take one epic vacation to trace their family roots in Italy. What she never expected was to be faced with the choice of a lifetime. Allegra wants to make her grandmother happy, but she hates the idea of forced time with her mother and vows to fight every step of the ridiculous tour, until a young man on the verge of priesthood begins to show her the power of acceptance, healing, and the heartbreaking complications of love. Sophia knows her girls are in trouble. A summer filled with the possibility for change is what they all desperately need. Among the ruins of ancient Rome, the small churches of Assisi, and the rolling hills of Tuscany, Sophia hopes to show her girls that the bonds of family are everything. [Jennifer Probst](#) is the *New York Times* bestselling author of several series.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kerry Donovan)
Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary



Rindell, Suzanne
THE TWO MRS. CARLYLES: A Novel

July 2020

"Sizzles with tension from its first pages to its last... In a lushly imagined tribute to Daphne du Maurier and Charlotte Brontë, Rindell fills her historical Gold Coast with brooding bachelors, arsenic victims, and unquiet spirits." —Lyndsay Faye, author of *Jane Steele*

Violet may be one of three people in San Francisco grateful for the devastating destruction of the 1906 earthquake, which leaves her and her two best friends unexpectedly wealthy—assuming they can leave the horrifying secret that binds them together buried beneath the rubble. Fearing discovery, the women strike out on their own, and Violet finds herself in a new and fulfilling life of independence. When a whirlwind romance with the city's most eligible widower, Harry Carlyle, lands her in a luxurious mansion as the second Mrs. Carlyle, it seems like all of her dreams of happiness and love have come true. But all is not right, and Violet soon finds herself trapped by the lingering specter of the first Mrs. Carlyle and the inescapable secrets of her own violent history. [Suzanne Rindell](#) is the bestselling author of *The Other Typist*, *Three-Martini Lunch*, and *Eagle & Crane*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Tara Singh Carlson)
Agent: Brandt & Hochman Literary

Robuck, Erika
THE INVISIBLE WOMAN: A Novel

Spring 2021

"Robuck has mastered the balance of weaving fact with imagination to bring history's intriguing and under-appreciated female figures to life... Absolutely riveting." —Lee Woodruff, *New York Times*-bestselling author

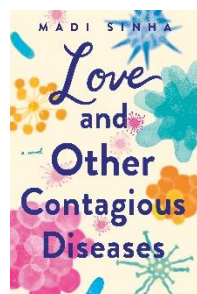
March 1944: Virginia Hall has never been like the other women in Baltimore—she never wanted the debutante ball. She traded it all for Europe and grand adventure. Subverting the Nazis becomes her calling, earning a price on her head. But that doesn't stop her from carrying out her mission to arm a network of French guerilla forces before D-Day arrives and to protect secluded mountain villages harboring a precious secret. Virginia knows better than anyone that one of the greatest risks in war is trusting the wrong person. Every day she is haunted by the betrayal that rained hell on the brave men and women lost during her first mission. She's not sure she has the strength to do it all again, she just knows—with so many depending on her—that she must. [Erika Robuck](#) is the bestselling author of *The House of Hawthorne* and others.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kate Seaver)
Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary

"An irresistible tale of love and second chances." —*People*, on *The Light We Lost*

Daisy Jones and the Six meets *The Light We Lost* in this novel of first love, passion, and the power of choice—and how we cannot escape the people we are meant to be. Can we ever really leave our former loves, our former selves, in the past? Emily has come a long way since she lost her two passions fifteen years ago: music, and Rob. She's a psychologist at NYU who helps troubled college students like she once was. Together with her caring doctor husband, Ezra, she has a beautiful life. They're happy. They hope to start a family. But when a tragic event in Emily's present too closely echoes her past, and parts of her story that she'd hoped never to share come to light, her perfect life is suddenly upturned. Then Emily hears a song on the radio about the woman who got away. The melody and voice are hauntingly familiar. Could it be? As Emily's past passions come roaring back into her life, she'll find herself asking: Who is she meant to be? Who is she meant to love? [Jill Santopolo](#) is the bestselling author of *The Light We Lost* and *More Than Words*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Tara Singh Carlson)
Agent: DeFiore & Co.



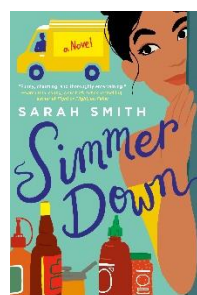
Sinha, Madi
LOVE AND OTHER CONTAGIOUS DISEASES: A Novel

Sept. 2020

Debut novel! Having spent the last twenty-something years with her nose in a textbook, brilliant and driven Norah Kapadia has just landed the medical residency of her dreams. But after a disastrous first day, she's ready to quit. Disgruntled patients, sleep deprivation, and her duty to be the perfect Indian daughter have her questioning her future as a doctor. Enter chief resident Ethan Cantor. He's everything Norah aspires to be: respected by the attendings, calm during emergencies, and charismatic with the patients. As he morphs from Norah's mentor to something more, it seems her luck is finally changing.

When a fatal medical mistake is made, pulling Norah into a cover-up, she must decide how far she's willing to go to protect the secret. What if doing no harm means risking her career and the future for which she's worked so hard? [Madi Sinha](#) is a physician; this is her first novel.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kristine Swartz)
Agent: Sandra Dijkstra Literary



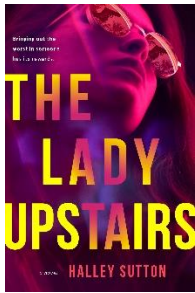
Smith, Sarah
SIMMER DOWN: A Novel

Oct. 2020

"A funny, charming, and thoroughly entertaining debut. I couldn't put it down!" —Samantha Young, *New York Times*-bestselling author, on *Faker*

Nikki DiMarco knew life wouldn't be *all* sunshine and coconuts when she quit her dream job to help her mom serve up mouthwatering Filipino dishes to hungry beach goers, but she didn't expect the Maui food truck scene to be so eat-or-be-eaten—or the competition to be so smoking hot. But Tiva's Filipina Kusina has faced bigger road bumps than the arrival of Callum James. Nikki doesn't care how delectable the British food truck owner is—he rudely set up shop next to her coveted beach parking spot. He's stealing her customers and fanning the flames of a public feud that makes her see sparks. The solution? Let the upcoming Maui Food Festival decide their fate. Winner keeps the spot. But the longer their rivalry simmers, the more Nikki starts to see a different side of Callum... a sweet, protective side. Is she brave enough to call a truce? Or will trusting Callum with her heart mean jumping from the frying pan into the fire? [Sarah Smith](#) is the author of *Faker*.

UK, Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Sarah Blumenstock)
Agent: Nancy Yost Literary



Sutton, Halley
THE LADY UPSTAIRS: A Novel

July 2020

“Halley Sutton’s propulsive, delectable noir is one of the most thrilling debuts I can remember... *The Lady Upstairs* is sharp, sly, and crackling with erotic tension.” —Elizabeth Little, author of *Dear Daughter*

Debut novel! Jo earns a living by blackmailing Los Angeles’ most lecherous men: the handsy Hollywood producers, adulterous actors, and corrupt cops. She’s motivated as much by the money she’s earning—and the debt she’s paying off—as by the good she tells herself she’s doing for the women of L.A. Eager to prove herself to her coworker Lou and their enigmatic boss, known only as the Lady Upstairs, Jo starts to take on bigger and riskier jobs. But when one of the men she’s targeting turns up dead, both the Lady Upstairs and the LAPD have Jo in their sights. Desperate to escape the deadly consequences of her failed job, Jo decides to take on one last sting. It’s her biggest con yet, and she’ll do it behind the Lady’s back, freeing both herself and Lou. But Jo soon learns that Lou and the Lady have secrets of their own, and that no one is safe when there’s a life-changing payout on the line. A modern-day noir that is unapologetically feminist and endlessly surprising, *The Lady Upstairs* asks: How do you out-con the ultimate con woman? This is [Halley Sutton’s](#) first novel.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Danielle Dieterich)
 Agent: Dystel, Goderich & Bourret

Verant, Samantha
THE SECRET FRENCH RECIPES OF SOPHIE VALROUX: A Novel

Sept. 2020

Debut novel! French-born American chef Sophie Valroux had one dream: to be part of the 1% of female chefs running a Michelin-starred restaurant. From spending summers with her grandmother, who taught her the power of cooking and food, to attending the Culinary Institute of America, Sophie finds herself on the cusp of getting everything she’s dreamed of. Until her career goes up in flames. Sabotaged by a fellow chef, Sophie is fired. To add fuel to the fire, Sophie learns that her grandmother has suffered a stroke and returns to France. There, Sophie discovers the simple home she remembers from her childhood is now a luxurious château, complete with two restaurants and a vineyard. As Sophie tries to reestablish herself in the kitchen, she comes to understand the lengths people will go to for success and love, and how dreams can change. [Samantha Verant](#) is the author of the memoirs *Seven Letters from Paris* and *How to Make a French Family*.

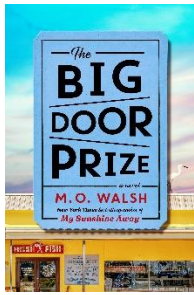
UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Cindy Hwang)
 Agent: Inkwell Management
 German: Blanvalet

Waldon, Lacie
ONE LAST LAYOVER: A Novel

Summer 2021

Debut novel! Ava Greene is ready to settle down. She really is. After a childhood spent zigzagging across the country in the back of her parents’ “bohemian” camper van and nearly a decade as a flight attendant, she can’t wait to finally, *finally* put down roots. And with just one more trip before Ava hangs up her wings and marries her picture-perfect fiancé Alexander, Ava looks clear for a smooth landing. But when she ends up sharing the jump seat with the infuriating, inconsiderate (not to mention absurdly handsome) Jack Stone, Ava’s final flight hits turbulence. Jack is everything Alexander isn’t—spontaneous, adventurous, bold—and everything Ava’s been trying so hard to deny about herself. As the two spend more time together, Ava begins to wonder: Is a stable life really what she wants? From luxury Belize hotels to overcrowded airplane cockpits to Chicago pizzerias, *One Last Layover* is a sizzling, smart whirlwind of a debut that will have you laughing (and swooning) from the first page. [Lacie Waldon](#) is a flight attendant based in Washington, DC. This is her first novel; she is at work on a second.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Margo Lipschultz)
 Agent: Inkwell Management



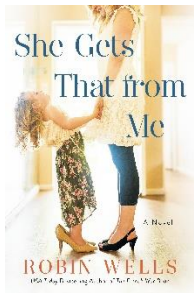
Walsh, M.O.
THE BIG DOOR PRIZE: A Novel

July 2020

“A beautiful box full of all the things that compose our lives: love, fate, chance, jealousy, sadness, jokes, desire, and music... One of the most big-hearted books you’ll ever read, about so much, but, in the end, really about the secret of life: the specifics of caring.” —Daniel Wallace, author of *Big Fish*

What would you do if you knew your life’s potential? That’s the question facing the town of Deerfield, Louisiana, when a surprising machine appears in the local grocery store. It promises to tell participants their potential in life—what their body and mind are capable of doing—all based on the science of their DNA. Soon enough, lives are upended based on the promise and possibility of one word: Olympian, Carpenter, Lover, Driver, Magician, bearing no mind that most of them have no life experience or talent to explain such a calling. Among them are Douglas Hubbard, the high school history teacher who has hit a wall in life; his wife, Cherilyn, who never thought to dream of more; Jacob Richieu, the son of the town’s mayor living in his dead brother’s shadow; and Father Pete, the local priest connected to the townspeople in unexpected ways. Deeply moving and full of eccentricity, *The Big Door Prize* explores how the glimmer of possibility can bring a community together, pull it apart, and reveal the power of self-discovery and second chances. [M.O. Walsh](#) is the bestselling author of *My Sunshine Away*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Sally Kim)
 Agent: Massie & McQuilkin
 French: Michel Lafon



Wells, Robin
SHE GETS THAT FROM ME: A Novel

Sept. 2020

“Sympathetic, memorable characters, a touching story, gentle humor, and evocative writing.”
 —*Library Journal*

When Quinn’s best friend passes away, Quinn knows she’ll do anything to protect her friend’s daughter Lily and grandmother Margaret. She vows to do whatever it takes to help them heal—even if it means letting a complete stranger into their lives. Margaret is old-fashioned and has no compunction about finding a way to reach Lily’s dad, a sperm donor. After all, he *is* a blood relative, and she believes family should raise family. Zack doesn’t know what to expect when he finds out he has a child. Sperm donors don’t usually get to meet their... well, he’s not sure what to call Lily yet. But after spending time with Quinn, Lily, and Margaret, he’s even more certain that this is the place he wants to be. [Robin Wells](#) is the bestselling author of several novels.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kate Seaver)
 Agent: Axelrod Agency

Young, Samantha
MUCH ADO ABOUT YOU: A Novel

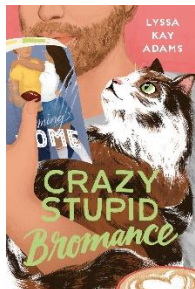
Spring 2021

“Young writes stories that stay with you long after you flip that last page.” —*Under the Covers*

After abruptly quitting her job, Evie needs some time away. She plans a holiday in a quaint village in England, where the owner rents out the apartment above the bookstore, allowing renters to run the business during their stay. It’s a dream vacation for the bookish Evie, as she’s immediately drawn to the charming store and opportunity to try out something new. As soon as she arrives, she meets charming local villagers including Roane, a handsome farmer, who tempts her enough with his friendly flirtations that she dreams about staying much longer than she’d originally planned. [Samantha Young](#) is the bestselling author of the On Dublin Street series and the Hart’s Boardwalk series.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kerry Donovan)
 Agent: Dystel Goderich & Bourret

SERIES FICTION



Adams, Lyssa Kay
CRAZY STUPID BROMANCE: A Novel

Oct. 2020

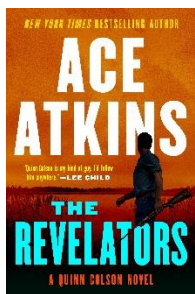
“Shows that everything worth knowing can be learned from romance.” —kc dyer, author of *Finding Fraser*

#3 in the Bromance Book Club series. Alexis Carlisle and her cat café, ToeBeans, have shot to fame after she came forward as a victim of a celebrity chef’s sexual harassment. When a new customer approaches to confide in her, the last thing Alexis expects is for the woman to claim they’re sisters. Unsure what to do, Alexis turns to the only man she trusts—her best friend, Noah Logan. Computer genius Noah left his rebellious teenage hacker past behind to become a computer security expert. Now he only uses his old skills for the right cause. But Noah’s got a secret: He’s madly in love with Alexis. When she asks for his help, he wonders if the timing will ever be right to confess his crush. Noah’s pals in the Bromance Book Club are more than willing to share their beloved “manuals” to help him go from bud to boyfriend. But he must decide if telling the truth is worth risking the best friendship he’s ever had. [Lyssa Kay Adams](#) is the author of *The Bromance Book Club*.

Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Kristine Swartz)

Agent: One Track Literary

UK: Headline; German: Rowohlt



Atkins, Ace
THE REVELATORS: A Quinn Colson Novel

July 2020

“Quinn Colson is my kind of guy. I would follow him anywhere.” —Lee Child

#10 in the Quinn Colson series. Shot up and left for dead, Sheriff Quinn Colson has revenge on his mind. With the help of his new wife Maggie, rehabilitation, and sheer force of will, he is walking again, eager to resume his work as a sheriff and track down those responsible for his attempted murder. But someone is standing in his way: an interim sheriff, appointed by the newly elected Governor Vardaman, the man who Quinn knows ordered his murder. Vardaman sits at the top of the state’s power structure—both legal and criminal—and little does he know, Quinn is still alive. And coming for him. [Ace Atkins](#) is bestselling author of *The Shameless*.

Translation: Putnam (editor Sara Minnich)

Agent: ICM

UK: Corsair

Box, C.J.
DARK SKY: A Joe Pickett Novel

Spring 2021

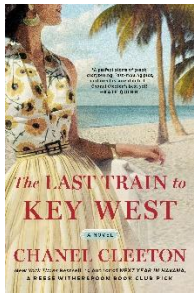
“One of today’s solid-gold, must-read, A-list writers.” —Lee Child

#21 in the Joe Pickett series. The governor of Wyoming gives Joe Pickett the thankless assignment of taking a tech baron on a hunting trip. Unbeknownst to them, as they trek further into the wilderness, a hunter is hot on their heels. Joe must rely on his wits and his knowledge of the outdoors to protect himself and his charge. Meanwhile, when Joe’s closest friend Nate Romanowski and his own daughter Sheridan learn of the threat to his life, they follow him into the woods to rescue him, and all three come together for one final showdown. [C.J. Box](#) is the #1 *New York Times*-bestselling author of the Joe Pickett series and several stand-alone novels.

Translation: Putnam (editor Mark Tavani)

Agent: Ann Rittenberg Agency

UK: Head of Zeus



Cleeton, Chanel
LAST TRAIN TO KEY WEST: A Novel

June 2020

"You won't be able to put this one down." —*Cosmopolitan*, on *When We Left Cuba*

#3 in the Perez Family series. For the tourists traveling on Henry Flagler's legendary Overseas Railroad, Labor Day weekend is an opportunity to forget the economic depression gripping the nation. But one person's paradise can be another's prison, and Key West native Helen Berner yearns to escape. After the 1933 Cuban Revolution leaves Mirta Perez's family in a precarious position, she agrees to an arranged marriage with a notorious American. Following her wedding in Havana, Mirta arrives in the Keys. While she can't deny the growing attraction to her new husband, his illicit business interests may threaten not only her relationship, but her life. Elizabeth Preston's trip to Key West is a chance to save her once-wealthy family from their troubles. Her quest takes her to the camps occupied by veterans of the Great War and pairs her with an unlikely ally. Over the course of the holiday weekend, the women's paths cross unexpectedly, and the danger swirling around them is matched only by the terrifying force of the deadly storm threatening the Keys. [Chanel Cleeton](#) is the bestselling author of *Next Year in Havana* and others.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kate Seaver)
 Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary

DeLuca, Jen
WELL PLAYED: A Novel

Sept. 2020

"Full of wit, hilarious banter, and swoon-worthy moments." —*Woman's World*, on *Well Met*

#2 in the Renaissance Faire series. Stacey is jolted when her friends Simon and Emily get engaged. She knew she was putting her life on hold when she stayed in Willow Creek to care for her sick mother, but it's been years now, and even though Stacey loves spending her summers pouring drinks and flirting with patrons at the local Renaissance Faire, she wants more out of life. Stacey vows to have her life figured out by the time her friends get hitched at the Faire next summer. Maybe she'll even find The One. But it never occurred to her that her summertime Faire fling, Dex MacLean, might fit the bill. While Dex is easy on the eyes, Stacey never felt an emotional connection. So when she receives a tender email from the typically monosyllabic hunk, she's not sure what to make of it. The Faire returns to Willow Creek, and Stacey comes face-to-face with the man with whom she's exchanged hundreds of online messages over the past nine months. To Stacey's shock, it isn't Dex—she's been falling in love with a man she barely knows. [Jen DeLuca](#) is the author of *Well Met*.

UK, Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Kerry Donovan)
 Agent: Root Literary
 German: Rowohlt



Dunmore, Evie

Sept. 2020

A ROGUE OF ONE'S OWN: A League of Extraordinary Women Novel

"A swoonworthy romance fueled by electric chemistry, compelling characters who leap off the page and into readers' hearts, and a fascinating and richly detailed period in history make this another sensational read." —Chanel Cleeton, *New York Times* bestselling author

#2 in the League of Extraordinary Women series. Lady Lucie is fuming. She and her band of Oxford suffragists have finally scraped together enough capital to control one of London's major publishing houses, with one purpose: to use it in a coup against Parliament. But who could have predicted that the one person standing between her and success is her old nemesis and London's undisputed lord of sin, Lord Tristan Ballentine? Or that he would be willing to hand over the reins for an outrageous price—a night in her bed. Lucie tempts Tristan like no other woman, burning him up with her fierceness and determination every time they clash. But as their battle of wills and words fans the flames of long-smoldering devotion, the silver-tongued seducer runs the risk of becoming caught in his own snare. As Lucie tries to out-manuever Tristan in the boardroom and the bedchamber, she soon discovers there's truth in what the poets say: all's fair in love and war. [Evie Dunmore](#) is the author of *Bringing Down the Duke*.

Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Sarah Blumenstock)

Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary

UK: Piatkus

Griffin, Laura

Spring 2021

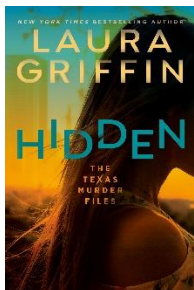
FLIGHT: A Lost Beach Novel

"Griffin never disappoints with her exciting, well-researched, fast-paced romantic thrillers." —*Publishers Weekly*

First in a new series! Lost Beach is a seaside Texas town that gets a big wave of visitors. It's a magnet for tourists and trouble, attracting carefree vacationers and calculating criminals. As a veteran police detective, Joel knows that despite his town's idyllic image, not everything is as sunny as it seems. *Flight* introduces detective Joel and photographer Miranda, a former CSI who returns to her forensic roots and joins Lost Beach PD. Joel and Miranda's continuing love story runs through all of the books—even when other characters take the lead—to give readers a feeling of continuity. Subsequent books will feature locals, as well as outsiders who come to Lost Beach seeking refuge, but end up finding danger instead. [Laura Griffin](#) is the bestselling author of more than 25 books and novellas.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kerry Donovan)

Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary



Griffin, Laura

Aug. 2020

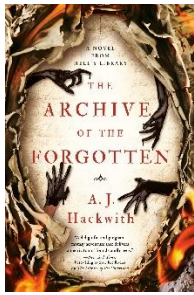
HIDDEN: A Texas Murder Files Novel

First in a new series! When a woman is found brutally murdered on Austin's lakeside hike-and-bike trail, investigative reporter Bailey Rhoads turns up on the scene demanding access and answers. She tries to pry information out of the lead detective, Jacob Merritt. But this case is unlike any he's ever seen, and nothing adds up. With the pressure building, Jacob knows the last thing he needs is a romantic entanglement, but he can't convince himself to stay away from Bailey. She has a hunch that the victim wasn't who she claimed to be and believes this mugging-turned-murder could have been a targeted hit.

When she digs deeper, the trail leads her to a high-tech fortress on the outskirts of Austin, where researchers are pushing the boundaries of a cutting-edge technology that could be deadly in the wrong hands. As a ruthless hit man's mission becomes clear, Bailey and Jacob join together in a desperate search to locate the next target before the clock ticks down in this lethal game of hide-and-seek. [Laura Griffin](#) is the bestselling author of more than 25 books and novellas.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Kerry Donovan)

Agent: Marsal Lyon Literary



Hackwith, A.J.

Oct. 2020

THE ARCHIVE OF THE FORGOTTEN: A Novel from Hell's Library

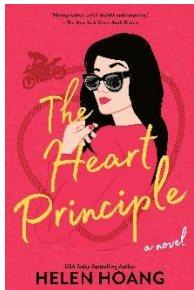
"Elaborate worldbuilding, poignant and smart characters, and a layered plot... An ode to books, writing, and found families." —*Library Journal* (starred review), on *The Library of the Unwritten*

#2 in the Hell's Library series. The Library of the Unwritten was saved from total devastation, but hundreds of potential books were destroyed. Former librarian Claire and muse Brevity feel the loss of those stories and are trying to adjust to their new roles within the Arcane Wing and Library, respectively. But when the remains of those books begin to leak a strange ink, Claire realizes that the Library has kept secrets from Hell—and from its own librarians. Claire and Brevity are immediately at odds in their approach to the ink, and the potential power that it represents has not gone unnoticed. When a representative from the Muses Corps arrives at the Library to advise Brevity, the angel Rami and the erstwhile Hero hunt for answers in other realms. The true nature of the ink could fundamentally alter the afterlife for good or ill, but it entirely depends on who is left to hold the pen. [A.J. Hackwith](#) is the author of *The Library of the Unwritten*.

Translation: Berkley Ace (editor Miranda Hill)

Agent: Donald Maass Literary

UK: Titan



Hoang, Helen

Summer 2021

THE HEART PRINCIPLE: A Novel

"Hoang's writing has a sharp, quirky, emotional edge that will resonate with anyone who has ever tried to navigate the complicated world of modern relationships." —Jayne Ann Krentz

#3 in the Kiss Quotient series. To most, Quan Diep is nothing but a surly-looking, underachieving playboy. But now that he's the CEO of an up-and-coming retail business, he's suddenly a catch, and the rich girls are looking at him in a new way—especially Camilla, the girl who brushed him off many years ago. Anna will never admit that she has a secret crush on Quan, especially because he only has eyes for her charismatic younger sister Camilla. Over the years, Anna has worked hard to overcome her OCD, but she'll still need to find a way to bury her anxieties and seduce Quan so he doesn't ruin her sister's engagement, and with it, a crucial real estate deal. Slowly, Anna breaks down Quan's dangerous and careless exterior while peeling off her own tough, protective shell. But when Quan discovers Anna's true intentions, he's forced to confront his own hurtful past and learn to forgive, while Anna must face her greatest challenge: truly opening herself up to love. [Helen Hoang](#) is the author of the bestselling *The Kiss Quotient* and *The Bride Test*.

Translation: Berkley Jove (editor Cindy Hwang)

Agent: BookEnds Literary Agency

ANZ: Allen & Unwin; UK: Corvus; German: Rowohlt; Hebrew: Kinneret; Hungarian: Publish & More; Slovene: Učila

Neill, Chloe

Nov. 2020

THE BRIGHT AND BREAKING SEA: A Novel

“Wonderful entertainment.” —Charlaine Harris, #1 *New York Times*-bestselling author

First in a new series! Kit Brightling, raised in a home for talented girls, has worked hard to become one of the few female captains in Queen Charlotte’s fleet. Her ship is small, but she’s fast—in part because of her magical affinity to the sea. But the waters become perilous when the queen sends Kit on a special mission with a partner she never asked for. Rian Grant, Viscount Queenscliffe, may be a veteran of the Continental war, but Kit doesn’t know him or his motives. But Kit has her orders, and the queen has commanded they journey to a dangerous pirate quay and rescue a spy who’s been gathering intelligence on the exiled emperor of Gallia. Kit can lead her ship and clever crew on her own, but with the fate of queen and country at stake, Kit and Rian must learn to trust each other, or else the Isles will fall. [Chloe Neill](#) is the *New York Times*-bestselling author of several series.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Jessica Wade)

Agent: Knight Agency

Thomas, Russ

Spring 2021

NIGHTHAWKING: A Detective Sergeant Adam Tyler Novel

“A pitch-perfect blend of the best of the old and the best of the new—all the traditional strengths and charms are here, with a fresh and relevant twenty first-century edge. I loved it.” —Lee Child, on *Firewatching*

#2 in the DS Adam Tyler Series. A figure climbs over the wall of the Botanical Garden with a bag and a metal detector. It’s a dicey location in the populous city center, but they’re on the hunt— and while most of what they find will be worthless, it takes just one big reward to justify the risk. Only this time, the nighthawker unearths a body... Detective Sergeant Adam Tyler and Detective Constable Amina Rabbani are officially in charge of Cold Case Reviews. But with shrinking budgets and manpower in the department, both are shunted onto the murder investigation—and when the victim is identified as a Chinese national from a wealthy family, in the UK on a student visa, the case takes on new urgency. As Tyler and Rabbani dig further into the victim’s life, it becomes clear that there’s more to her than meets the eye, and that the original investigation into her disappearance was shoddy at best. Meanwhile, someone else is watching these events—and might hold the key to what happened the night she vanished. [Russ Thomas](#) is the author of *Firewatching*.

Translation: Putnam (editor Sara Minnich)

Agent: Bent Agency

UK: Simon & Schuster (sold via the agent)

Waggoner, C.M.

Nov. 2020

THE RUTHLESS LADY’S GUIDE TO WIZARDRY: A Novel

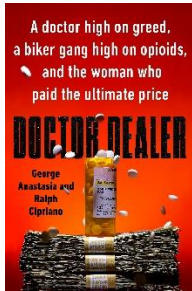
“The most unique, haunting, magical, treacherous, romantic, combative novel I’ve read in a long time. Action, betrayal, peoples at war, strange magic, and stranger love—a whole new take on fantasy!” —#1 *New York Times*-bestselling author Tamora Pierce, on *Unnatural Magic*

Hard-drinking petty thief Dellaria Wells is down on her luck in the city of Leiscourt—again. Then she sees a help-wanted ad for a female bodyguard, and she fast-talks her way into the high-paying job. Along with a team of other women, she’s meant to protect a rich young lady from mysterious assassins. At first Delly thinks the danger is exaggerated, but a series of attacks shows there’s much to fear. Then she begins to fall for Winn, one of the other bodyguards, and the women team up against a mysterious, magical foe bent on killing their charge—one who has allies all over the city. [C.M. Waggoner](#) is the author of *Unnatural Magic*.

UK, Translation: Berkley Ace (editor Jessica Wade)

Agent: Barry Goldblatt Literary

NONFICTION



Anastasia, George, and Ralph Cipriano

Sept. 2020

DOCTOR DEALER: A Doctor High on Greed, a Biker Gang High on Opioids, and the Woman Who Paid the Ultimate Price

April Kauffman, a local radio personality, was shot to death in the home she shared with her husband Dr. James Kauffman. Two years later, Freddy Aguello, leader of the notorious motorcycle gang the Pagans, went to trial facing murder, conspiracy, and drug dealing charges. The common factor in both events: Dr. Kauffman, a prominent endocrinologist, and also one of the area's most prolific drug traffickers. Told by two accomplished reporters and authors with exclusive insights and details provided

by two principal players, this is the story about one man's descent into evil and the people he took with him. It's a story about a doctor who helped flood the streets with opioids, a husband who hid dark secrets from his wife, and a man so consumed with greed and arrogance that he thought he could get away with murder. George Anastasia is the author of six books of true-crime, including *Blood and Honor*. Ralph Cipriano is the author of *The Hit Man* and others.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Tom Colgan)

Agent: Folio Literary Management

Bonneau, Anne-Marie

Spring 2021

THE ZERO-WASTE CHEF: Plant-Forward Recipes and Ways to Reduce Waste for a Sustainable Kitchen and Planet

In her decade of living with as little plastic, food waste, and stuff as possible, Anne-Marie Bonneau, who blogs under the moniker [Zero-Waste Chef](#), has learned that "zero-waste" is above all an intention, not a hard-and-fast rule. Because, while one person eliminating all their waste is great, if thousands of people do 20% better it will have a much bigger impact on the planet. The good news is you likely already have all the tools you need to begin to create your own change at home, especially in the kitchen. Bonneau gives readers the facts to motivate them to do better, the simple (and usually free) fixes to ease them into wasting less, and the recipes and strategies to turn them into more sustainable, money-saving cooks. Rescue a hunk of bread from the landfill by making Mexican Hot Chocolate Bread Pudding, or revive some sad greens to make a pesto. With 75 vegan and vegetarian recipes for cooking with scraps, creating fermented staples, and using up all your groceries before they go bad, Bonneau lays out an attainable vision of a zero-waste kitchen.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)

Agent: PS Literary Agency

Borba, Michele

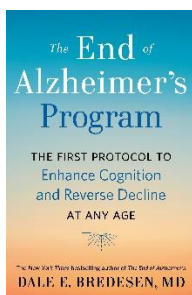
Spring 2021

THRIVERS: Why Character Matters More Than Grades—and How to Teach It

Why do young people today report being less content, more stressed, deeply depressed, and ill-prepared for the rest of their lives? Based on interviews with more than 500 young people from all over the world, [Dr. Michele Borba](#) has identified the seven essential traits that kids need to become thrivers who can flourish in a rapidly accelerating, digital-driven, and uncertain world. These signature strengths—self-confidence, empathy, self-control, ethical thinking, problem-solving, grit, and optimism—allow kids to succeed in life. These strengths can be taught, and parents and educators can (and must) do so. In *Thrivers*, Borba offers practical ways to develop these strengths in children from preschool through high school, showing how to teach kids to cope today so they can thrive tomorrow. Borba is the author of *UnSelfie* and a renowned educational psychologist and expert in parenting, bullying, and character development.

UK, Translation (excluding Chinese complex and simplified, Japanese, Korean)

Agent: Joelle Delbourgo Associates



Bredesen, Dale

Aug. 2020

THE END OF ALZHEIMER'S PROGRAM: The First Protocol to Enhance Cognition and Reverse Decline at Any Age

In the bestselling *The End of Alzheimer's*, [Dale Bredesen](#) laid out the science behind his revolutionary new program that is the first to both stop and reverse Alzheimer's disease. Now he offers a specific plan to help everyone prevent and reverse cognitive decline or simply maximize brainpower. With inspiring stories from patients who have reversed cognitive decline and are now thriving, this book shifts the treatment paradigm and offers a new and effective way to enhance cognition. Bredesen is recognized internationally as an expert in the mechanisms of neurodegenerative diseases.

Translation: Avery (editor Caroline Sutton)

Agent: Sterling Lord Literistic

UK: Vermilion (sold via the agent); Portuguese (B): Objetiva/Companhia das Letras

Curry, Bishop Michael

Sept. 2020

LOVE IS THE WAY: Holding Onto Hope in Troubling Times

Billions of people around the world first met [Bishop Michael Curry](#) when he delivered his sermon on the redemptive power of love at the royal wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle. Now he expands on his message of hope in an inspirational roadmap for living the way of love, illuminated with moving lessons from his own life. As the descendant of slaves and the son of a civil rights activist, Bishop Curry's life illustrates massive changes in our times. Through the prism of his faith, ancestry, and personal journey, *Love is the Way* shows us how we came this far and, more importantly, how to grow a whole lot further. This book will lead readers to discover the gifts they need to live the way of love: deep reservoirs of hope and resilience, simple wisdom, the discipline of nonviolence, and an unshakable regard for human dignity. Bishop Curry is the author of *The Power of Love*.

Translation: Avery (editor Nina Shield)

Agent: Writers House

UK: Hodder & Stoughton

Cushing, Mark L.

Sept. 2020

PET NATION: The Love Affair That Changed America

In the last 20 years, pets have gone from living in the backyard to sleeping on our beds. *Pet Nation* tells the story of this seismic shift and the economic, media, legal, political, and social dramas springing from this cultural transformation. Insightful, surprising, and full of great stories, *Pet Nation* will open our eyes to the big changes happening in front of us right now. It shows not only what our love of animals says about our pets, but also what it says about ourselves. Mark L. Cushing is the founding partner and CEO of the [Animal Policy Group](#).

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Caroline Sutton)

Agent: Cowles Agency

Dearen, Jason

Oct. 2020

KILL SHOT: An Injection, a Shadow Industry, and a Deadly Disease

In a Massachusetts courtroom, six scientists sat accused of negligent homicide. Their weapon: a fungus. Their motive: greed. Their death count: 80 people and rising. *Kill Shot* is the story of their hubris and deception, discovered by a team of dogged medical detectives who raced against the clock to hunt the killers and the deadly spores they manufactured. [Jason Dearen](#) turns a spotlight on this tragedy, on a segment of the pharmaceutical industry that operates largely in the shadows, and on the amazing medical detectives who tracked the proverbial bullet to the gun. Dearen is a Knight Science Journalism Fellow at MIT and a correspondent and features writer for the Associated Press.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Nina Shield)

Agent: Levine, Greenberg, Rostan

Dick, Danielle, PhD

Fall 2021

THE BABY CODE: The Science Behind Your Child's True Nature and How to Nurture It

[Danielle Dick](#) makes the case with evidence that's clear and compelling: Under normal conditions, the biggest factor influencing a child's outcome is, quite simply, the child—his or her unique genetic signature present at birth. Genetic predispositions shape temperament, the propensity toward impulsivity, self-regulation, sociability, fear, anxiety, addiction, and happiness. But rather than suggest doing nothing, or worse, doing more of what's *not* working for a child, *The Baby Code* gives parents the tools to understand their kid from Day 1—to crack the “code” on what makes *this* kid tick—and to tailor their parenting approach accordingly. By understanding the degree to which a child's behavior is written into their genetic code, and the environment in which it's expressed, parents learn what will work and what won't in helping their kids become their best selves, with a lot less stress all around. Dick is Commonwealth Professor of Psychology and Human & Molecular Genetics at Virginia Commonwealth University.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)

Agent: Kneerim & Williams

Spanish: Planeta

English, Whitney, and Alexandra Caspero

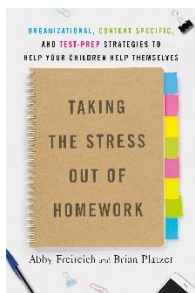
Spring 2021

THE PLANT-BASED BABY AND TODDLER

More of us are turning to plant-focused diets for our health and the health of the environment. But there haven't been reliable, evidence-based resources out there for a new generation of compassionate, conscientious parents. *The Plant-Based Baby and Toddler* is the go-to resource for any plant-based parent, offering easy-to-digest nutritional facts and guidelines that aren't available elsewhere, with a special focus on the most important period of a child's life when it comes to developing good eating habits: infancy and toddlerhood. Alexandra Caspero is a Registered Dietitian Nutritionist. Her award-winning website [Delish Knowledge](#) makes whole-food, plant-based eating deliciously simple. She is the author of *Fresh Italian Cooking for the New Generation*. Whitney English is a Registered Dietitian Nutritionist and journalist. Her website [Whitney E. RD](#) provides readers with evidence-based, easily digestible information on popular nutrition topics and healthy original recipes.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Nina Shield)

Agent: Allen O'Shea Literary



Freireich, Abby, and Brian Platzer

Sept. 2020

TAKING THE STRESS OUT OF HOMEWORK: Organizational, Content-Specific, and Test-Prep Strategies to Help Your Children Help Themselves

This is a practical, stress-reducing guide to help parents navigate the challenges of homework with their children, for success at school and beyond. Using real-life stories from their years as educators, the authors show parents how to address anxiety around homework and support their children with reading, writing, and math, and they offer strategies for test taking. Their goal is to help parents create an effective system so that homework doesn't just get done, but it does its job and helps kids become successful learners for life. Abby Freireich has taught third and fourth grade for many years. Brian Platzer has taught eighth- and twelfth-grade English and history for more than a decade. They are the founders of [Teachers Who Tutor](#).

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)

Agent: Union Literary

Goran, Michael, and Emily Ventura

Sept. 2020

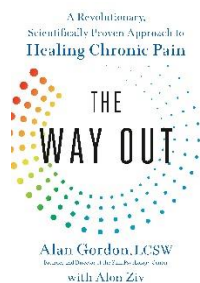
SUGARPROOF: The Hidden Dangers of Sugar that are Putting Your Child's Health at Risk and What You Can Do

Sugar doesn't just cause childhood obesity. It can also cause health issues in kids who are not overweight, including fatty liver disease and prediabetes. And it is a likely culprit in the behavioral, emotional, and learning problems that some children struggle with. The news is dire, but there is also plenty of hope. We can prevent, address, and even in many cases reverse the effects of too much sugar. In this guide to "sugarproofing" kids, [Dr. Michael Goran](#) helps parents identify the sneaky sources of sugar in their children's diets, determine whether their children might already be suffering from sugar-related disorders, and adopt doable solutions to protect their kids from a high-sugar environment. Goran is one of the world's most widely recognized experts in childhood obesity research, with more than 30 years of experience as a researcher, mentor, and educator. He is a Professor of Preventive Medicine and Pediatrics at the University of Southern California, Keck School of Medicine.

Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)

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UK: Vermilion; Estonian: Aripaev; Russian: Mann, Ivanov & Ferber; Spanish: Grijalbo Vital/PRH



Gordon, Alan, LCSW

Aug. 2020

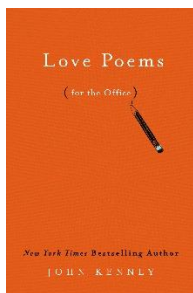
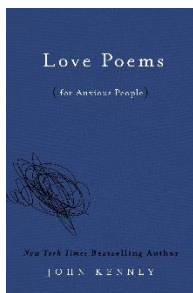
THE WAY OUT: A Revolutionary, Scientifically Proven Approach to Healing Chronic Pain

Pain doesn't start in the body; it starts in the brain. If the body experiences an injury, the brain generates the feeling of pain. But our brains aren't perfect, and sometimes they fire pain signals even after an injury has healed, resulting in a maddening loop of pain we experience over and over. Combining this revelation with his own experience dealing with chronic pain and treating patients as a therapist, Alan Gordon developed Pain Reprocessing Therapy. PRT is a system of psychological techniques to rewire the brain's neural circuits to turn off "stuck" pain signals and end chronic pain. It eliminated Gordon's symptoms and has since become the bedrock of his work at Los Angeles' [Pain Psychology Center](#), which treats 1500 patients every year. PRT is also the focus of a ground-breaking clinical trial at the University of Colorado at Boulder, where 98% of patients reduced their pain levels and 66% were completely cured. Highly readable and encouraging, *The Way Out* brings PRT to readers everywhere with a concrete, step-by-step plan to eliminate chronic pain and an accessible approach to the science behind it.

Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)

Agent: 3 Arts Entertainment

UK: Vermilion



Kenney, John
LOVE POEMS FOR ANXIOUS PEOPLE
LOVE POEMS FOR THE OFFICE

April 2020
Oct. 2020

With the same brilliant wit and hilarious realism that made *Love Poems for Married People* and *Love Poems for People with Children* such hits, John Kenney is back with two brand new collections of poems. First, he takes on one of the most common feelings in our day-and-age: anxiety. Kenney covers it all, from insomnia and awkward social interactions to nervous ticks and writing and *rewriting* that email.

Next, he skewers all of our second homes: the office. From waiting in line for the printer and revising spreadsheet after spreadsheet, to lukewarm coffee, office politics, and the daily patterns of our most annoying—and lovable—coworkers, Kenney masterfully captures the warmth and humor of working 9-to-5. Kenney is a contributor to *The New Yorker* and the author of *Talk to Me* and *Truth in Advertising*.

UK, Translation: Putnam (editor Sally Kim)
Agent: Author c/o Putnam

Leder, Steve
THE BEAUTY OF WHAT REMAINS

Spring 2021

As the Senior Rabbi of one of the largest synagogues in the world, [Steve Leder](#) has learned the many ways death teaches us how to live and love more deeply. Death is life's mirror, showing us not only what is gone, but also the beauty of what remains. This book is a lyrical journey through questions that are fundamental to all of us. What is it like to be dying? What should we say, and never say, to someone facing death? How do we know when life should stop—when we cross the line from prolonging life to prolonging death? How do we survive the crushing weight of grief? How do we help others survive? What of the afterlife? What do we learn from eulogies and headstones? And most of all, what does death teach us about our own brief span on earth? Enriched by Rabbi Leder's own experience of facing his father's Alzheimer's, this lyrical narrative is filled with laughter and tears, the wisdom of millennia and modernity, and most of all, an unfolding of the profound and simple truth that death is life's most powerful and poignant teacher. Leder is the Senior Rabbi of Wilshire Boulevard Temple in Los Angeles and the author of the bestselling *More Beautiful Than Before*, among others.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Caroline Sutton)
Agent: Stephanie Tade Agency

Liddon, Angela
OH SHE GLOWS FOR DINNER: Nourishing Plant-Based Meals to Keep You Glowing

Oct. 2020

Famous for her fresh, creative approach to plant-based cooking, [Angela Liddon's](#) recipes are beloved by both vegans and anyone who wants to add more energizing ingredients to their diet without sacrificing an ounce of satisfaction or taste. In *Oh She Glows for Dinner*, she gives readers her foolproof recipes and hard-won strategies for creating super simple, super tasty, always nourishing dinners the whole family will love. Liddon is also the author of *The Oh She Glows Cookbook* and *Oh She Glows Every Day*.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)
Agent: Author c/o Avery

Mans, Jasmine
BLACK GIRL, CALL HOME

Spring 2021

This debut collection of poetry explores the intersection of race, feminism, and queer identity. For [Jasmine Mans](#), the notion of “calling home” means looking back on her childhood, excavating her relationship with her mother, and reliving the hardships she faced as a young woman. Comprised of 100 poems, the book is divided into six sections, each designated by an active phone number. To appeal to the millions of fans who have listened to her spoken-word poetry online, Mans has recorded excerpts of her poems at these numbers. The collection also features four of Mans’ viral YouTube poems, in print for the first time. Mans has opened shows for Mos Def, Janelle Monae, and Goapele, and has been featured on HBO and in *Glamour*, *Nylon*, *Essence*, and the *Huffington Post*.

UK, Translation: Berkley (editor Jen Monroe)
Agent: Folio Literary

McWhorter, John
NINE NASTY WORDS

Spring 2021

Profanity has always been a deliciously vibrant part of our lexicon, an integral part of being human. In fact, our ability to curse comes from a different part of the brain than other parts of speech—the urgency with which we say “f*ck!” is related to the instinct that tells us to flee from danger. Language evolves with time, and so does what we consider profane or unspeakable. *Nine Nasty Words* is a fascinating examination of profanity, explored from every angle: historical, sociological, political, linguistic. In a particularly coarse moment, when the public discourse is shaped in part by once-shocking words, nothing could be more timely. [John McWhorter](#) is an associate professor of English and comparative literature at Columbia University and the author *The Power of Babel*, *Losing the Race*, and *Our Magnificent Bastard Tongue*, among others.

UK: Avery (editor Nina Shield)
Agent controls translation rights: Writers House

Moby
MOBY’S LITTLE PINE KITCHEN

Spring 2021

[Moby](#), the world-famous musician, entrepreneur, activist, and philanthropist, went vegan more than 30 years ago, when few people knew how pronounce the word. Since then, vegan cuisine has flourished as the fastest growing and most innovative on the planet. As a passionate animal rights advocate and a food lover, Moby has helped fuel this evolution at his wildly popular restaurants. His latest, the celebrity hotspot [Little Pine](#) in Los Angeles (which donates 100% of its profits to animal charities), showcases an elevated menu proving that vegan food is “all grown up” and the most delicious way to be eating today. Now Moby takes readers inside this special corner of Southern California with a collection of 125 recipes inspired by the beloved dishes at the restaurant. Gateway recipes like Panko-Crusted Piccata will wow even the hardest-to-please meat lovers. And veg-forward small plates like Fried Cauliflower with Kimchi Aioli and go-to pastas like Orecchiette with Braised Leeks, Asparagus & English Peas will become back-pocket staples no matter your diet.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Lucia Watson)
Agent: Miller Bowers Griffin

Murnane, Jessica
KNOW YOUR ENDO

Spring 2021

Endometriosis is the women's health issue that no one talks about. A chronic and incurable disease, endo affects one in ten women and girls, and yet it takes an average of eight years to be diagnosed. When [Jessica Murnane](#) was told that doctors found thirty spots of endometriosis outside of her uterus, it was the happiest day of her life. Seriously! Because it was proof that her program works—the steps she took to change her lifestyle and diet didn't make those endo spots disappear, but it made them far less noticeable and allowed her to really live again. In this practical and heartfelt guide, Murnane shares a progressive five-week plan focused on learning a new management tool each week and then putting it into practice. She includes tips from doctors in the field as well as first-person accounts from many women who also suffer from this pervasive yet widely undiscussed disease. Murnane is the creator of the One Part Plant movement and author of the *One Part Plant* cookbook, host of the *One Part Podcast*, and founder of [Know Your Endo](#), the endometriosis education and awareness platform.

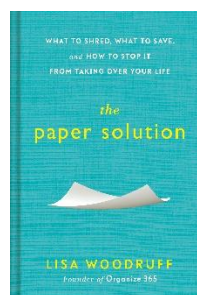
UK, Translation: Avery (editor Lauren Appleton)
Agent: Park & Fine

Sancho, Miguel
MORE THAN YOU CAN HANDLE

Spring 2021

It's a parent's worst nightmare: a child's ordinary symptoms turn out to signal a deadly disease. This is what [Miguel Sancho](#) encountered when his son Sebastian was only six months old. The discovery that he had a fatal immune deficiency known as Chronic Granulomatous Disease left the family with few and terrifying options. Sancho's riveting tale of the discovery and treatment of his son's illness takes us deep inside the workings of the immune system and into the cutting-edge treatments that border on the miraculous. Ultimately, Sebastian is saved with a bone marrow transplant using discarded umbilical cord blood. Cord blood transplants use highly adaptable stem cells from discarded umbilical cords, effectively turning medical waste into breakthrough cures. The upside: If the transplant takes, it has a strong chance of success. The downside: For it to take, the patient must endure the most severe and dangerous form of pre-transplant chemotherapy. And because of Sebastian's ethnic background, it is almost impossible to find a suitable donor. At the same time, the illness is destroying the family as fast as it destroys Sebastian's body. With brutal honesty, Sancho admits that he almost derails his career, puts his marriage on life support, and ruins a trip planned by the Make-a-Wish Foundation. Deeply researched and darkly humorous, this is a harrowing tale with a resoundingly triumphant ending. Sancho is an Emmy Award-winning television producer currently show-running and developing investigative projects with A&E television.

UK, Translation: Avery (editor Caroline Sutton)
Agent: Janklow & Nesbit



Woodruff, Lisa
THE PAPER SOLUTION: What to Shred, What to Save, and How to Stop it from Taking Over Your Life

Aug. 2020

We are drowning in paper. We stack it on the kitchen counter, stash it in drawers, and keep file cabinets full of it. (In fact, one file cabinet can hold 18,000 sheets of paper. Yikes!) Despite the clear crisis of paper, there has not been a book devoted to managing and organizing this single most abundant item in our homes—until now. Lisa Woodruff offers a good-news message about this growing issue. Organizing, especially paper organizing, can be learned! Woodruff is an organization expert and the founder of [Organize365](#), which works to help busy people get their homes and paper organized with functional

systems that work.

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