

100 Cupboards

N. D. Wilson

Random House (2008)



Summary:

Twelve-year-old Henry York wakes up one night to find bits of plaster in his hair. Two knobs have broken through the wall above his bed and one of them is slowly turning . . . Henry scrapes the plaster off the wall and discovers cupboards of all different sizes and shapes. Through one he can hear the sound of falling rain. Through another he sees a glowing room—with a man pacing back and forth! Henry soon understands that these are not just cupboards, but portals to other worlds. 100 Cupboards is the first book of a new fantasy adventure, written in the best world-hopping tradition and reinvented in N. D. Wilson's inimitable style. From the Hardcover edition.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 289

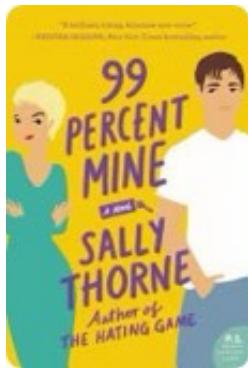
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99 Percent Mine

A Novel

Sally Thorne

HarperCollins (January 29, 2019)



Summary:

Readers and critics alike raved over USA Today bestselling author Sally Thorne's smash hit debut, *The Hating Game*, which has sold in over 20 countries. Now she's back with an unforgettable romantic comedy about a woman who finally has a shot at her long time crush—if she dares. *Crush* (n.): a strong and often short-lived infatuation, particularly for someone beyond your reach...Darcy Barrett has undertaken a global survey of men. She's travelled the world, and can categorically say that no one measures up to Tom Valeska, whose only flaw is that Darcy's twin brother Jamie saw him first and claimed him forever as his best friend. Despite Darcy's best efforts, Tom's off limits and loyal to her brother, 99%. That's the problem with finding her dream man at age eight and peaking in her photography career at age twenty—ever since, she's had to learn to settle for good enough. When Darcy and Jamie inherit a tumble-down cottage from their grandmother, they're left with strict instructions to bring it back to its former glory and sell the property. Darcy plans to be in an aisle seat halfway across the ocean as soon as the renovations start, but before she can cut and run, she finds a familiar face on her porch: house-flipper extraordinaire Tom's arrived, he's bearing power tools, and he's single for the first time in almost a decade. Suddenly Darcy's considering sticking around to make sure her twin doesn't ruin the cottage's inherent magic with his penchant for grey and chrome. She's definitely not staying because of her new business partner's tight t-shirts, or that perfect face that's inspiring her to pick up her camera again. Soon sparks are flying—and it's not the faulty wiring. It turns out one percent of Tom's heart might not be enough for Darcy anymore. This time around, she's switching things up. She's going to make Tom Valeska 99 percent hers. This next hilarious romance includes a special PS section with two Happily Ever Afters—one for this novel featuring Darcy and Tom and the other, an epilogue featuring fan favorites Lucy Hutton and Josh Templeman from *The Hating Game*!

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 368

Language: English

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A Celebrity Crush Story: Plot Twist

Natasha Luxe



Genre: Erotica

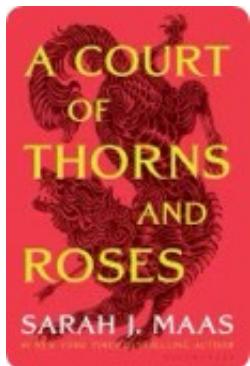
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A Court of Thorns and Roses

Sarah J. Maas

Bloomsbury USA (June 2, 2020)



Summary:

The sexy, action-packed first book in the #1 New York Times bestselling Court of Thorns and Roses series from Sarah J. Maas. When nineteen-year-old huntress Feyre kills a wolf in the woods, a terrifying creature arrives to demand retribution. Dragged to a treacherous magical land she knows about only from legends, Feyre discovers that her captor is not truly a beast, but one of the lethal, immortal faeries who once ruled her world. At least, he's not a beast all the time. As she adapts to her new home, her feelings for the faerie, Tamlin, transform from icy hostility into a fiery passion that burns through every lie she's been told about the beautiful, dangerous world of the Fae. But something is not right in the faerie lands. An ancient, wicked shadow is growing, and Feyre must find a way to stop it, or doom Tamlin—and his world—forever. From bestselling author Sarah J. Maas comes a seductive, breathtaking book that blends romance, adventure, and faerie lore into an unforgettable read.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 448

Language: English

ISBN: 9781635575569

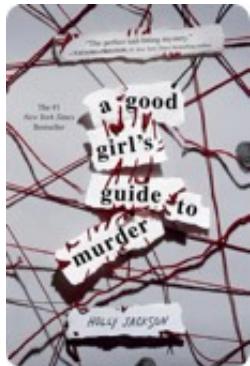
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Heart A Good Girl's Guide to Murder

Holly Jackson

Random House Children's Books (January 5, 2021)



Summary:

THE NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING SERIES WITH OVER ONE MILLION COPIES SOLD- Everyone is talking about this addictive must-read mystery with shades of Serial and Making a Murderer about an investigation turned obsession, full of twists and turns and with an ending you'll never expect. Everyone in Fairview knows the story. Pretty and popular high school senior Andie Bell was murdered by her boyfriend, Sal Singh, who then killed himself. It was all anyone could talk about. And five years later, Pip sees how the tragedy still haunts her town. But she can't shake the feeling that there was more to what happened that day. She knew Sal when she was a child, and he was always so kind to her. How could he possibly have been a killer? Now a senior herself, Pip decides to reexamine the closed case for her final project, at first just to cast doubt on the original investigation. But soon she discovers a trail of dark secrets that might actually prove Sal innocent . . . and the line between past and present begins to blur. Someone in Fairview doesn't want Pip digging around for answers, and now her own life might be in danger. And don't miss the sequel, Good Girl, Bad Blood! The perfect nail-biting mystery. --Natasha Preston, #1 New York Times bestselling author

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

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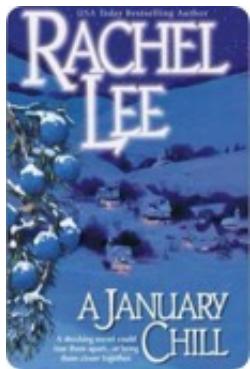
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Heart A January Chill

Rachel Lee

Mira (2001)



Summary:

Secrets, lies, blame and guilt. Only love and forgiveness can overcome the mistakes of the past. Witt Matlock has carried around a bitter hatred for Hardy Wingate, the man he holds responsible for the death of his daughter. And now, twelve years later, the man he blames for the tragedy is back in his life -- and in that of his niece, Joni. Widow Hannah Matlock has kept the truth about her daughter Joni's birth hidden for twenty-seven years. Only she knows that Witt is Joni's father, and not her uncle. She and Witt have never spoken of the night she tried to get even with her philandering husband by seducing his brother. But with Hardy coming between Witt and Joni, Hannah knows she must let go of her secret...whatever the consequences. Anger, resentment and deceit threaten to destroy a family that teeters on the verge of collapse, until four damaged souls can learn to forgive...and allow themselves to love.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 376

Language: English

ISBN: 9781551668024

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♥ A Love Like Pumpkin Spice A Cozy Small-Town Autumn Romance

HAILEY. FROST

Hailey Frost (September 1, 2025)



Summary:

Welcome to Wayward Hollow - Where strangers become family and love finds a way. After catching my fiancé tangled up with my sister (yes, my sister), and being told by my parents I was "overreacting," I packed my best friend and what was left of my dignity to flee to Wayward Hollow - a picturesque little town that looks like it was plucked straight out of a Hallmark movie. I try to put myself back together. People-pleasing? Officially retired. Love? Off the table. At least that was the plan. But Chaos unfolds when my attempt to save a stray cat leads me to Henry. The town's beloved veterinarian is gentle, ridiculously attractive, and seems to have a sixth sense for broken things...including me. Just when I start to believe in new beginnings, the past comes knocking-loud, uninvited, and far from finished. Please note that this book contains explicit scenes and is intended for a mature audience. A Love Like Pumpkin Spice is a comforting, feel-good read for anyone who loves headstrong fmc's, sassy best friends, emotional healing, and small-town chaos with a whole lot of heart, and just a sprinkle of drama and the paranormal. It's a heartwarming, cozy small-town romance novel packed with:

- ◆ Adorable animals and a swoon-worthy, small-town veterinarian MMC
- ◆ A fiercely loyal, sassy best friend sidekick (And several furry ones.)
- ◆ Found family, healing, and cozy small town charm
- ◆ A Ghost Kitty Matchmaker
- ◆ Autumnal vibes and pumpkin spice everything
- ◆ A slow-burn, feel-good romance with some spice, low angst and a guaranteed HEA

Perfect for fans of contemporary romance, cute rom-coms and autumn vibes who are looking for a low-an angst book with spice to cozy up with!

Genre: Fiction

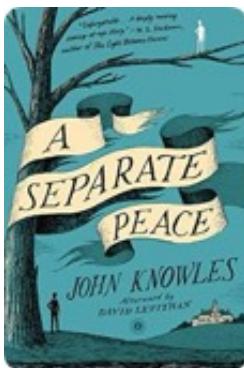
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Language: English

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♥ A Separate Peace

John Knowles

Scribner (September 30, 2003)



Summary:

Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's The Great American Read. An American classic and great bestseller for over thirty years, A Separate Peace is timeless in its description of adolescence during a period when the entire country was losing its innocence to World War II. Set at a boys' boarding school in New England during the early years of World War II, A Separate Peace is a harrowing and luminous parable of the dark side of adolescence. Gene is a lonely, introverted intellectual. Phineas is a handsome, taunting, daredevil athlete. What happens between the two friends one summer, like the war itself, banishes the innocence of these boys and their world.

Genre: Fiction

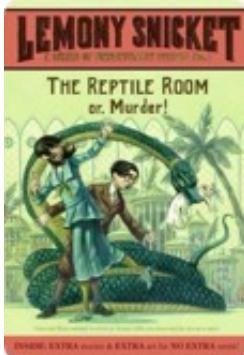
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♥ A Series of Unfortunate Events #2: The Reptile Room

Or, Murder! (A Series of Unfortunate Events)

Lemony Snicket, Brett Helquist, Michael Kupperman, and Nestor Busquets

HarperTrophy (May 8, 2007)



Summary:

Violet, Klaus, and Sunny Baudelaire are intelligent children. They are charming, and resourceful, and have pleasant facial features. Unfortunately, they are exceptionally unlucky. In the first two books alone, the three youngsters encounter a greedy and repulsive villain, itchy clothing, a disastrous fire, a plot to steal their fortune, a lumpy bed, a deadly serpent, a large brass reading lamp, a long knife, and a terrible odour. In the tradition of great storytellers, from Dickens to Dahl, comes an exquisitely dark comedy that is both literary and irreverent, hilarious and deftly crafted. Never before has a tale of three likeable and unfortunate children been quite so enchanting, or quite so uproariously unhappy. Ages 10+

Series: Series Of Unfortunate Events

Genre: Adventure and adventurers, fiction

Number of Pages: 192

Language: English

ISBN: 9780061146312

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♥ A Whole New World

A Twisted Tale

Liz Braswell

Disney-Hyperion (July 26, 2016)



Summary:

What if Aladdin had never found the lamp? This paperback edition of the first book in the A Twisted Tale line will explore a dark and daring version of Disney's Aladdin. Plus, it includes an excerpt of book two, Once Upon a Dream, a twist on Disney's Sleeping Beauty! When Jafar steals the Genie's lamp, he uses his first two wishes to become sultan and the most powerful sorcerer in the world. Agrabah lives in fear, waiting for his third and final wish. To stop the power-mad ruler, Aladdin and the deposed princess Jasmine must unite the people of Agrabah in rebellion. But soon their fight for freedom threatens to tear the kingdom apart in a costly civil war. What happens next? A Street Rat becomes a leader. A princess becomes a revolutionary. And readers will never look at the story of Aladdin in the same way again. Praise for A Whole New World: "A magic carpet ride of a book! A fun and unpredictable retelling of the classic Aladdin story, a must-read for all of us Disney fans!" -Melissa de la Cruz

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9781484707326

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After

Anna Todd

Simon and Schuster (October 21, 2014)



Summary:

Experience the internet's most talked-about book, now a major motion picture, from Anna Todd, the writer Cosmopolitan called "the biggest literary phenomenon of her generation." There was the time before Tessa met Hardin, and then there's everything AFTER... Life will never be the same. #Hessa Tessa is a good girl with a sweet, reliable boyfriend back home. She's got direction, ambition, and a mother who's intent on keeping her that way. But she's barely moved into her freshman dorm when she runs into Hardin. With his tousled brown hair, cocky British accent, and tattoos, Hardin is cute and different from what she's used to. But he's also rude—to the point of cruelty, even. For all his attitude, Tessa should hate Hardin. And she does—until she finds herself alone with him in his room. Something about his dark mood grabs her, and when they kiss it ignites within her a passion she's never known before. He'll call her beautiful, then insist he isn't the one for her and disappear again and again. Despite the reckless way he treats her, Tessa is compelled to dig deeper and find the real Hardin beneath all his lies. He pushes her away again and again, yet every time she pushes back, he only pulls her in deeper. Tessa already has the perfect boyfriend. So why is she trying so hard to overcome her own hurt pride and Hardin's prejudice about nice girls like her? Unless...could this be love?

Genre: Fiction

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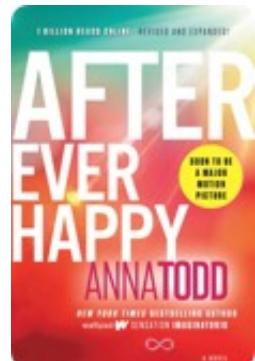
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After Ever Happy

Anna Todd

Simon and Schuster (February 24, 2015)



Summary:

Soon to be a major motion picture! Book 4 of the After series—newly revised and expanded, Anna Todd's After fanfiction racked up 1 billion reads online and captivated readers across the globe. Experience the internet's most talked-about book for yourself from the writer Cosmopolitan called "the biggest literary phenomenon of her generation." Tessa and Hardin have defied all the odds, but will their fairy tale ending be turned on its head? AFTER EVER HAPPY... Life will never be the same. #HESSA It's never been all rainbows and sunshine for Tessa and Hardin, but each new challenge they've faced has only made their passionate bond stronger and stronger. But when a revelation about the past shakes Hardin's impenetrable façade to the core—and then Tessa suffers a tragedy—will they stick together again, or be torn apart? As the shocking truth about each of their families emerges, it's clear the two lovers are not so different from each other. Tessa is no longer the sweet, simple, good girl she was when she met Hardin—any more than he is the cruel, moody boy she fell so hard for. Tessa understands all the troubling emotions brewing beneath Hardin's exterior, and she knows she's the only one who can calm him when he erupts. He needs her. But the more layers of his past come to light, the darker he grows, and the harder he pushes Tessa—and everyone else in his life—away. Tessa's not sure if she really can save him—not without sacrificing herself. She refuses to go down without a fight. But who is she fighting for—Hardin or herself?

Genre: Fiction

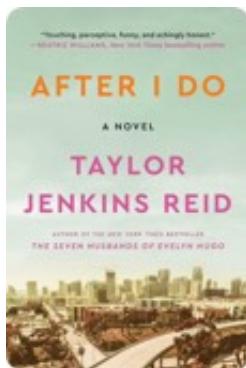
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Language: English

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Heart **After I Do**

A Novel

Taylor Jenkins Reid

Simon and Schuster (July 1, 2014)



Summary:

From the New York Times bestselling author of *The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo* “A seductive twist on the timeless tale of a couple trying to rediscover love in a marriage brought low by the challenges of domestic togetherness... touching, perceptive, and achingly honest.” —Beatrix Williams, New York Times bestselling author When Lauren and Ryan’s marriage reaches the breaking point, they come up with an unconventional plan. They decide to take a year off in the hopes of finding a way to fall in love again. One year apart, and only one rule: they cannot contact each other. Aside from that, anything goes. Lauren embarks on a journey of self-discovery, quickly finding that her friends and family have their own ideas about the meaning of marriage. These influences, as well as her own healing process and the challenges of living apart from Ryan, begin to change Lauren’s ideas about monogamy and marriage. She starts to question: When you can have romance without loyalty and commitment without marriage, when love and lust are no longer tied together, what do you value? What are you willing to fight for? This is a love story about what happens when the love fades. It’s about staying in love, seizing love, forsaking love, and committing to love with everything you’ve got. And above all, *After I Do* is the story of a couple caught up in an old game—and searching for a new road to happily ever after.

Genre: Fiction

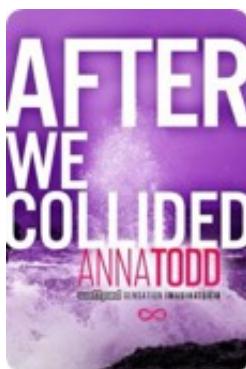
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Language: English

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Heart **After We Collided**

Anna Todd

Simon and Schuster (November 25, 2014)



Summary:

The inspiration behind the major motion picture After We Collided! From New York Times bestselling author and Wattpad sensation Anna Todd, "the biggest literary phenom of her generation" (Cosmopolitan), comes the sequel to the internet's most talked-about book—now with new exclusive material! Tessa has everything to lose. Hardin has nothing to lose...except her. AFTER WE COLLIDED...Life will never be the same. After a tumultuous beginning to their relationship, Tessa and Hardin were on the path to making things work. She knew he could be cruel, but when a bombshell revelation is dropped about the origins of their relationship—and Hardin's mysterious past—Tessa is beside herself. Hardin will always be...Hardin. But is he really the deep, thoughtful guy Tessa fell madly in love with despite his angry exterior, or has he been a stranger all along? She wishes she could walk away. It's just not that easy. Not with the memory of passionate nights spent in his arms. His electric touch. His hungry kisses. Still, Tessa's not sure she can endure one more broken promise. She put so much on hold for Hardin—school, friends, her mom, a relationship with a guy who really loved her, and now possibly even a promising new career. She needs to move forward with her life. Hardin knows he made a mistake, possibly the biggest one of his life. He's not going down without a fight. But can he change? Will he change...for love?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 688

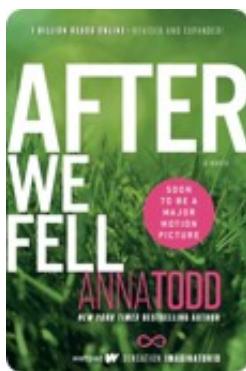
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After We Fell

Anna Todd

Simon and Schuster (December 30, 2014)



Summary:

Soon to be a major motion picture! Book 3 of the After series—newly revised and expanded, Anna Todd's After fanfiction racked up 1 billion reads online and captivated readers across the globe. Experience the internet's most talked-about book for yourself from the writer Cosmopolitan called "the biggest literary phenomenon of her generation." Tessa and Hardin's love was complicated before. Now it's more confusing than ever. AFTER WE FELL...Life will never be the same. #HESSA Just as Tessa makes the biggest decision of her life, everything changes. Revelations about first her family, and then Hardin's, throw everything they knew before in doubt and makes their hard-won future together more difficult to claim. Tessa's life begins to come unglued. Nothing is what she thought it was. Not her friends. Not her family. The one person she should be able to rely on, Hardin, is furious when he discovers the massive secret she's been keeping. And rather than being understanding, he turns to sabotage. Tessa knows Hardin loves her and will do anything to protect her, but there's a difference between loving someone and being able to have them in your life. This cycle of jealousy, unpredictable anger, and forgiveness is exhausting. She's never felt so intensely for anyone, so exhilarated by someone's kiss—but is the irrepressible heat between her and Hardin worth all the drama? Love used to be enough to hold them together. But if Tessa follows her heart now, will it be...the end?

Genre: Fiction

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Heart **All I Want for Christmas**

Christa Roberts and Wendy Loggia

Random House Children's Books (2020)



Summary:

A sweet Christmas romance about a girl with one wish: to kiss someone under the mistletoe. The holiday escape you need! Bailey Briggs is counting down the days to Christmas: she lives for holiday music, baking cookies, going on snowy sleigh rides, and wearing her light-up reindeer ears to work at Winslow's bookstore. But all she really wants this year is the one thing she doesn't have: someone special to kiss under the mistletoe. And she's 100 percent certain that that someone isn't Jacob Marley--athlete, player, and of questionable taste in girlfriends--and that Charlie, the mysterious stranger with the British accent, is the romantic lead of her dreams. Is she right? This will be a December to remember, filled with real-life Christmas magic . . . and, if she stays on Santa's nice list, a wish that just might come true. It's all very adorable.--Buzzfeed And don't miss the next Underlined romance set at a snowy Vermont lodge about two sisters, one cute boy, and an epic bucket list, New Year's Kiss by Lee Matthews!

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

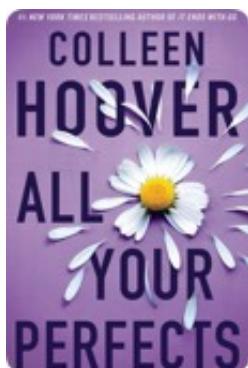
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Heart **All Your Perfects**

A Novel

Colleen Hoover

Atria Books (July 17, 2018)



Summary:

INSTANT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER The #1 New York Times bestselling author of *It Ends with Us*—whose writing is “emotionally wrenching and utterly original” (Sara Shepard, New York Times bestselling author of the *Pretty Little Liars* series)—delivers a tour de force novel about a troubled marriage and the one old forgotten promise that might be able to save it. Quinn and Graham’s perfect love is threatened by their imperfect marriage. The memories, mistakes, and secrets that they have built up over the years are now tearing them apart. The one thing that could save them might also be the very thing that pushes their marriage beyond the point of repair. *All Your Perfects* is a profound novel about a damaged couple whose potential future hinges on promises made in the past. This is a heartbreakingly beautiful page-turner that asks: Can a resounding love with a perfect beginning survive a lifetime between two imperfect people?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 320

Language: English

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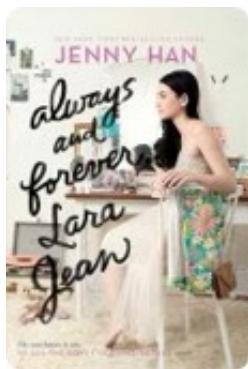
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Always and Forever, Lara Jean

Jenny Han

Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers (April 10, 2018)



Summary:

“Sweetly funny.” —Entertainment Weekly New York Times bestselling author Lara Jean’s letter-writing days aren’t over in this surprise follow-up to the bestselling *To All the Boys I’ve Loved Before* and *P.S. I Still Love You*. Lara Jean is having the best senior year a girl could ever hope for. She is head over heels in love with her boyfriend, Peter; her dad’s finally getting remarried to their next door neighbor, Ms. Rothschild; and Margot’s coming home for the summer just in time for the wedding. But change is looming on the horizon. And while Lara Jean is having fun and keeping busy helping plan her father’s wedding, she can’t ignore the big life decisions she has to make. Most pressingly, where she wants to go to college and what that means for her relationship with Peter. She watched her sister Margot go through these growing pains. Now Lara Jean’s the one who’ll be graduating high school and leaving for college and leaving her family—and possibly the boy she loves—behind. When your heart and your head are saying two different things, which one should you listen to?

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

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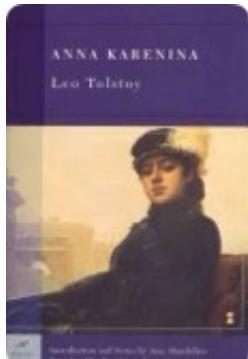
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Anna Karenina

graf Leo Tolstoy

Barnes & Noble Classics (2003)



Summary:

Anna Karenina, by Leo Tolstoy, is part of the Barnes & Noble Classics series, which offers quality editions at affordable prices to the student and the general reader, including new scholarship, thoughtful design, and pages of carefully crafted extras. Here are some of the remarkable features of Barnes & Noble Classics: New introductions commissioned from today's top writers and scholars Biographies of the authors Chronologies of contemporary historical, biographical, and cultural events Footnotes and endnotes Selective discussions of imitations, parodies, poems, books, plays, paintings, operas, statuary, and films inspired by the work Comments by other famous authors Study questions to challenge the reader's viewpoints and expectations Bibliographies for further reading Indices & Glossaries, when appropriate All editions are beautifully designed and are printed to superior specifications; some include illustrations of historical interest. Barnes & Noble Classics pulls together a constellation of influences—biographical, historical, and literary—to enrich each reader's understanding of these enduring works. Vladimir Nabokov called Leo Tolstoy's Anna Karenina "one of the greatest love stories in world literature." Matthew Arnold claimed it was not so much a work of art as "a piece of life." Set in imperial Russia, Anna Karenina is a rich and complex meditation on passionate love and disastrous infidelity. Married to a powerful government minister, Anna Karenina is a beautiful woman who falls deeply in love with a wealthy army officer, the elegant Count Vronsky. Desperate to find truth and meaning in her life, she rashly defies the conventions of Russian society and leaves her husband and son to live with her lover. Condemned and ostracized by her peers and prone to fits of jealousy that alienate Vronsky, Anna finds herself unable to escape an increasingly hopeless situation. Set against this tragic affair is the story of Konstantin Levin, a melancholy landowner whom Tolstoy based largely on himself. While Anna looks for happiness through love, Levin embarks on his own search for spiritual fulfillment through marriage, family, and hard work. Surrounding these two central plot threads are dozens of characters whom Tolstoy seamlessly weaves together, creating a breathtaking tapestry of nineteenth-century Russian society. From its famous opening sentence—"Happy families are all alike; every unhappy family is unhappy in its own way"—to its stunningly tragic conclusion, this enduring tale of marriage and adultery plumbs the very depths of the human soul.

Genre: Fiction

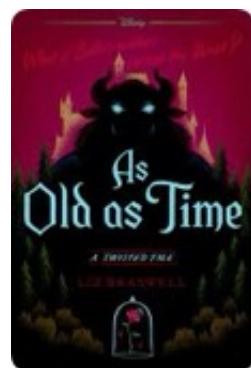
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As Old as Time

A Twisted Tale

Liz Braswell

Disney-Hyperion (March 6, 2018)



Summary:

What if Belle's mother cursed the Beast? As Old as Time is the third book in the hit YA line that reimagines classic Disney stories in surprising new ways. When Belle touches the Beast's enchanted rose, memories flood through Belle's mind—memories of a mother she thought she would never see again. And, stranger still, she sees that her beautiful mother is none other than the enchantress who cursed the castle and all its inhabitants. Shocked and confused, Belle and the Beast will have to unravel a dark mystery about their families that is 21 years in the making.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

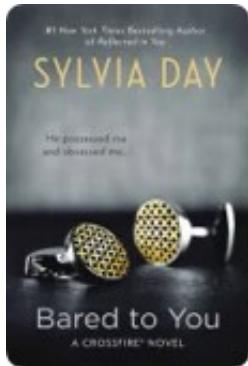
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Language: English

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Heart Bared to You

Sylvia Day

Penguin (February 1, 2014)



Summary:

From #1 New York Times bestselling author Sylvia Day comes the first novel in the Crossfire series--a provocative masterstroke of abandon and obsession that redefined the meaning of desire, and became a global phenomenon. Gideon Cross came into my life like lightning in the darkness... He was beautiful and brilliant, jagged and white-hot. I was drawn to him as I'd never been to anything or anyone in my life. I craved his touch like a drug, even knowing it would weaken me. I was flawed and damaged, and he opened those cracks in me so easily... Gideon knew. He had demons of his own. And we would become the mirrors that reflected each other's most private wounds...and desires. The bonds of his love transformed me, even as I prayed that the torment of our pasts didn't tear us apart...

Genre: Fiction

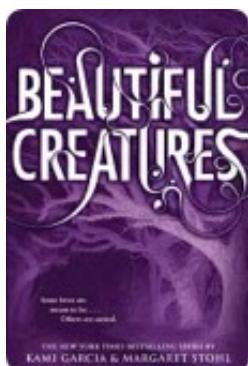
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Language: English

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Heart Beautiful Creatures

Kami Garcia and Margaret Stohl

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers (September 14, 2010)



Summary:

The first book in a lush gothic fantasy series for younger readers of Charlaine Harris and fans of Cassandra Clare. Lena Duchannes is unlike anyone the small Southern town of Gatlin has ever seen, and she's struggling to conceal her power, and a curse that has haunted her family for generations. But even within the overgrown gardens, murky swamps and crumbling graveyards of the forgotten South, a secret cannot stay hidden forever. Ethan Wate, who has been counting the months until he can escape from Gatlin, is haunted by dreams of a beautiful girl he has never met. When Lena moves into the town's oldest and most infamous plantation, Ethan is inexplicably drawn to her and determined to uncover the connection between them. In a town with no surprises, one secret could change everything.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

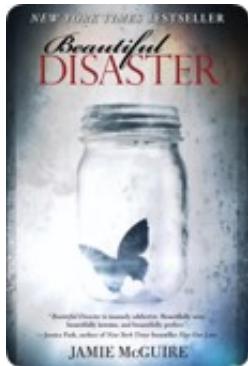
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Beautiful Disaster

A Novel

Jamie McGuire

Simon and Schuster (August 14, 2012)



Summary:

Now a major motion picture! The “deliciously intense” (USA TODAY) New York Times bestselling phenomenon follows a good girl drawn to a very bad boy...The new Abby Abernathy is a good girl. She doesn’t drink or swear and has the appropriate number of cardigans in her wardrobe. With the darkness of her past behind her, she believes her freshman year at college is the start of a new beginning. But then she meets Travis Maddox. Lean, cut, and covered in tattoos, Eastern University’s Walking One-Night Stand is exactly what Abby needs to avoid. Intrigued by her resistance to his appeal, Travis tricks her with a simple bet. If he loses, he must remain abstinent for a month. If Abby loses, she must live in his apartment for the same amount of time. Either way, Travis has no idea that he has met his match in this “beautifully sexy, beautifully intense, and beautifully perfect” (Jessica Park, New York Times bestselling author).

Genre: Fiction

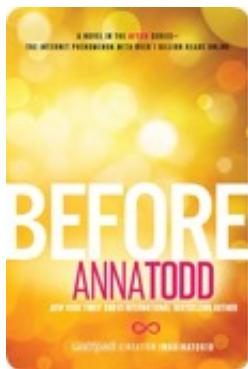
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Language: English

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Date Added: August 26, 2023



Before

Anna Todd

Simon and Schuster (December 8, 2015)



Summary:

Book 5 of the After series—Anna Todd’s Wattpad fanfiction that racked up 1 billion reads online and captivated romance readers across the globe! Before explores Hardin Scott’s life before Tessa, reveals what happens after After, and gives new insights on their turbulent #Hessa romance. Cosmopolitan called Anna Todd “the biggest literary phenom of her generation.” That’s Normal declared Hardin and Tessa “The Mr. Darcy and Lizzy Bennet of our time.” Revel in the awesome, messy power of true love. BEFORE Hardin met Tessa he was a raging storm. DURING those first moments they met, he realized he needed to keep her for himself—his life depended on it. AFTER they got together, the world would never be the same. Hardin and Tessa’s dramatic love affair became a vortex pulling in everyone around them. For the first time these others are given voice as they appear before, during, and after the events in original After novels. Alongside them, Hardin’s account of his first encounters with Tessa—which will change what you thought you knew about the brooding boy and the angel who loved him.

Genre: Fiction

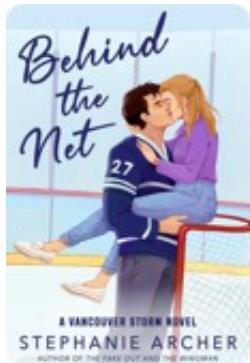
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781501130700

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Behind the Net A Vancouver Storm Novel

Stephanie Archer

Random House (January 14, 2025)



Summary:

He's the hot hockey player she had a crush on in high school . . . and she's his new live-in assistant. In this tension-filled hockey romance from the viral TikTok author of *The Fake Out* and *The Wingman*, she must take a risk in love—or leave him out on the ice. Aspiring musician Pippa Hartley's done with heartbreak. Her new gig? Personal assistant to Jamie Streicher, the surly hockey player she had a crush on in high school. The job is supposed to be a breeze, but nothing about the intimidatingly hot Jamie is easy. He's grouchy, he's demanding, and he doesn't even remember her. Keeping things professional will be no problem. Beneath his surliness, though, Jamie is surprisingly sweet and protective. He pretends to be her boyfriend to make her ex jealous. He encourages her in music and tells her she's beautiful. He buys her expensive gifts that make her feel seen. And when he learns her ex was bad in bed, Jamie's competitive nature flares. Turns out, Jamie remembers exactly who Pippa is, and that high school crush she had? The feeling was mutual. Falling for Jamie can only lead to heartbreak . . . but it might be worth it. Don't miss any of Stephanie Archer's steamy Vancouver Storm series: *BEHIND THE NET* • *THE FAKE OUT* • *THE WINGMAN*

Genre: Fiction

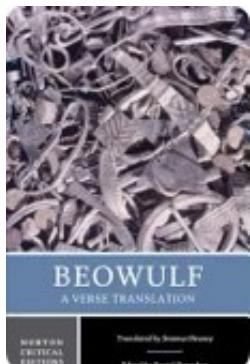
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Date Added: November 2, 2025



Beowulf

A Verse Translation : Authoritative Text, Contexts, Criticism

Daniel Donoghue and Seamus Heaney

Norton (2002)



Summary:

The translation that "rides boldly through the reefs of scholarship" (*The Observer*) is combined with first-rate annotation. No reading knowledge of Old English is assumed. Heaney's clear and insightful introduction to *Beowulf* provides students with an understanding of both the poem's history in the canon and Heaney's own translation process."

Genre: Literary Criticism

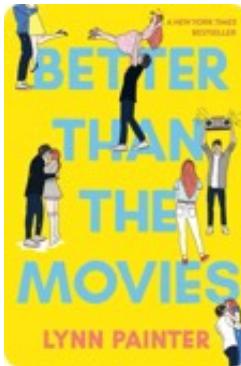
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780393975802

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Better Than the Movies**

Lynn Painter

Simon and Schuster (July 26, 2022)



Summary:

A USA TODAY and New York Times bestseller Perfect for fans of Kasie West and Jenn Bennett, this “sweet and funny” (Kerry Winfrey, author of Waiting for Tom Hanks) teen rom-com follows a hopelessly romantic teen girl and her cute yet obnoxious neighbor as they scheme to get her noticed by her untouchable crush. Perpetual daydreamer Liz Buxbaum gave her heart to Michael a long time ago. But her cool, aloof forever crush never really saw her before he moved away. Now that he’s back in town, Liz will do whatever it takes to get on his radar—and maybe snag him as a prom date—even befriend Wes Bennet. The annoyingly attractive next-door neighbor might seem like a prime candidate for romantic comedy fantasies, but Wes has only been a pain in Liz’s butt since they were kids. Pranks involving frogs and decapitated lawn gnomes do not a potential boyfriend make. Yet, somehow, Wes and Michael are hitting it off, which means Wes is Liz’s in. But as Liz and Wes scheme to get Liz noticed by Michael so she can have her magical prom moment, she’s shocked to discover that she likes being around Wes. And as they continue to grow closer, she must reexamine everything she thought she knew about love—and rethink her own ideas of what Happily Ever After should look like.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

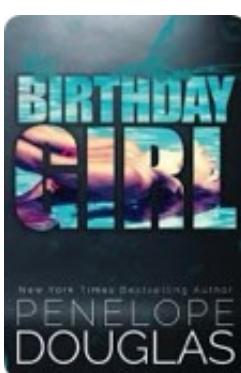
Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9781534467637

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: August 26, 2023



Heart **Birthday Girl**

Penelope Douglas

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (April 16, 2018)



Summary:

From New York Times Bestselling author Penelope Douglas comes a new forbidden love story...JORDAN He took me in when I had nowhere else to go. He doesn't use me, hurt me, or forget about me. He doesn't treat me like I'm nothing, take me for granted, or make me feel unsafe. He remembers me, laughs with me, and looks at me. He listens to me, protects me, and sees me. I can feel his eyes on me over the breakfast table, and my heart pumps so hard when I hear him pull in the driveway after work. I have to stop this. It can't happen. My sister once told me there are no good men, and if you find one, he's probably unavailable. Only Pike Lawson isn't the unavailable one. I am. PIKE I took her in, because I thought I was helping. She'd cook a few meals and clean up a little. It was an easy arrangement. As the days go by, though, it's becoming anything but easy. I have to stop my mind from drifting to her and stop holding my breath every time I bump into her in the house. I can't touch her, and I shouldn't want to. The more I find my path crossing hers, though, the more she's becoming a part of me. But we're not free to give into this. She's nineteen, and I'm thirty-eight. And her boyfriend's father. Unfortunately, they both just moved into my house. *BIRTHDAY GIRL is a stand-alone, contemporary romance suitable for ages 18+.

Genre: Literature and Fiction

Number of Pages: 406

Format: Paperback

Language: English

ISBN: 9781976333088

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Heart Bites

Scary Stories to Sink Your Teeth Into

Lois Metzger

Scholastic Incorporated (2010)



Summary:

BONES: These bone-chilling stories by some of today's top writers may keep readers awake at night! This spine-tingling collection features original ghost stories by writers including R.L. Stine, Richard Peck, Margaret Mahy, and Todd Strasser.

Genre: Horror stories

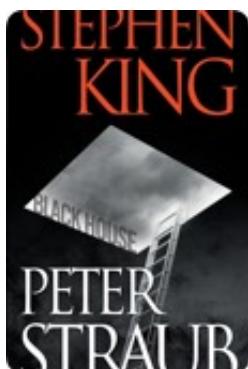
Number of Pages: 212

Language: English

ISBN: 9780545276511

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Black House

Stephen King and Peter Straub

Simon and Schuster (November 27, 2012)



Summary:

From the #1 New York Times bestselling authors of *The Talisman*, "an intelligent...suspenseful page-turner" (The Wall Street Journal) from "two master craftsmen, each at the top of his game" (The Washington Post). Twenty years ago, a boy named Jack Sawyer traveled to a parallel universe called the Territories to save his mother and her Territories "Twinner" from an agonizing death that would have brought cataclysm to the other world. Now Jack is a retired Los Angeles homicide detective living in the nearly nonexistent hamlet of Tamarack, Wisconsin. He has no recollection of his adventures in the Territories, and was compelled to leave the police force when an odd, happenstance event threatened to awaken those memories. When a series of gruesome murders occur in western Wisconsin that are reminiscent of those committed several decades ago by a madman named Albert Fish, the killer is dubbed "the Fishman," and Jack's buddy, the local chief of police, begs Jack to help the inexperienced force find him. But are these new killings merely the work of a disturbed individual, or has a mysterious and malignant force been unleashed in this quiet town? What causes Jack's inexplicable waking dreams—if that is what they are—of robins' eggs and red feathers? It's almost as if someone is trying to tell him something. As this cryptic message becomes increasingly impossible to ignore, Jack is drawn back to the Territories and to his own hidden past, where he may find the soul-strength to enter a terrifying house at the end of a deserted tract of forest, there to encounter the obscene and ferocious evils sheltered within it.

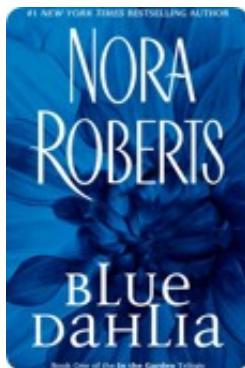
Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 848

Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread



Blue Dahlia

Nora Roberts

Penguin (2004)



Summary:

Read the excerpt now! Against the backdrop of a house steeped in history and a thriving new gardening business, three women unearth the memories of the past and uncover a dangerous secret—finding in each other the courage to take chances and embrace the future. Stella has a passion for planning that keeps her from taking too many risks. But when she opens her heart to a new love, she discovers that she will fight to the death to protect what's hers. Trying to escape the ghosts of the past, young widow Stella Rothchild, along with her two energetic little boys, has moved back to her roots in southern Tennessee—and into her new life at Harper House and In the Garden nursery. She isn't intimidated by the house—nor its mistress, local legend Roz Harper. Despite a reputation for being difficult, Roz has been nothing but kind to Stella, offering her a comfortable new place to live and a challenging new job as manager of the flourishing nursery. As Stella settles comfortably into her new life, she finds a nurturing friendship with Roz and with expectant mother Hayley. And she discovers a fierce attraction with ruggedly handsome landscaper Logan Kittridge. But someone isn't happy about the budding romance...the Harper Bride. As the women dig into the history of Harper House, they discover that grief and rage have kept the Bride's spirit alive long past her death. And now, she will do anything to destroy the passion that Logan and Stella share...

Genre: Fiction

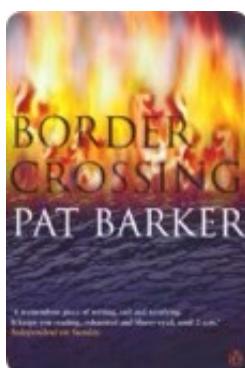
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Language: English

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Border Crossing

Pat Barker

Penguin Adult (April 4, 2002)



Summary:

When Tom Seymour, a child psychologist, plunges into a river to save a young man from drowning, he unwittingly reopens a chapter from his past he'd hoped to forget. For Tom already knows Danny Miller - when Danny was ten Tom helped imprison him for the killing of an old woman. Now out of prison with a new identity, Danny has some questions - questions he thinks only Tom can answer. Reluctantly, Tom is drawn back into Danny's world - a place where the border between good and evil, innocence and guilt is blurred and confused. But when Danny's demands on Tom become extreme, Tom wonders whether he has crossed a line of his own - and in crossing it, can he ever go back?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 288

Language: English

ISBN: 9780140270747

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Heart **Breaking Dawn**

Stephenie Meyer

Little, Brown (August 2, 2008)



Summary:

When you loved the one who was killing you, it left you no options. How could you run, how could you fight, when doing so would hurt that beloved one? If your life was all you had to give, how could you not give it? If it was someone you truly loved? To be irrevocably in love with a vampire is both fantasy and nightmare woven into a dangerously heightened reality for Bella Swan. Pulled in one direction by her intense passion for Edward Cullen, and in another by her profound connection to werewolf Jacob Black, a tumultuous year of temptation, loss, and strife have led her to the ultimate turning point. Her imminent choice to either join the dark but seductive world of immortals or to pursue a fully human life has become the thread from which the fates of two tribes hangs. Now that Bella has made her decision, a startling chain of unprecedented events is about to unfold with potentially devastating, and unfathomable, consequences. Just when the frayed strands of Bella's life-first discovered in *Twilight*, then scattered and torn in *New Moon* and *Eclipse*-seem ready to heal and knit together, could they be destroyed... forever? The astonishing, breathlessly anticipated conclusion to the *Twilight* Saga, *Breaking Dawn* illuminates the secrets and mysteries of this spellbinding romantic epic that has entranced millions.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

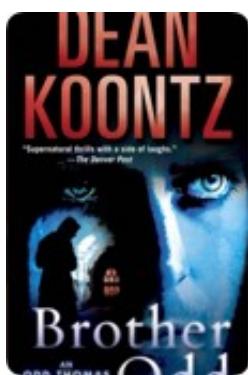
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Heart **Brother Odd**

Dean R. Koontz

Bantam (2012)



Summary:

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER Loop me in, odd one. The words, spoken in the deep of night by a sleeping child, chill the young man watching over her. For this was a favorite phrase of Stormy Llewellyn, his lost love. In the haunted halls of the isolated monastery where he had sought peace, Odd Thomas is stalking spirits of an infinitely darker nature. As he steadfastly journeys toward his mysterious destiny, Odd Thomas has established himself as one of the most beloved and unique fictional heroes of our time. Now, wielding all the power and magic of a master storyteller at the pinnacle of his craft, Dean Koontz follows Odd into a singular new world where he hopes to make a fresh beginning—but where he will meet an adversary as old and inexorable as time itself.

Genre: Fiction

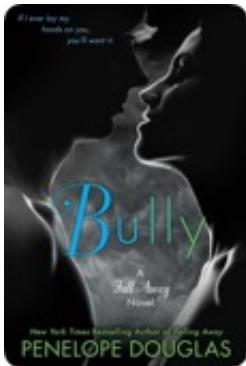
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Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Bully**

Penelope Douglas

New American Library (2016)



Summary:

New York Times and USA Today bestselling author Penelope Douglas delivers an unforgettable New Adult romance that toes the fine line between love and hate.... My name is Tate. He doesn't call me that, though. He would never refer to me by a friendly nickname. No, he'll barely even speak to me. But he still won't leave me alone. We were best friends once. Then he turned on me and made it his mission to ruin my life. I was humiliated, shut out, and gossiped about all through high school. His pranks and rumors got worse as time wore on, and I made myself sick trying to stay out of his way. I even went away for a year just to avoid him. But I'm done hiding from him now, and there's no way I'll allow him to ruin another year. He might not have changed, but I have. It's time to fight back.

Genre: Fiction

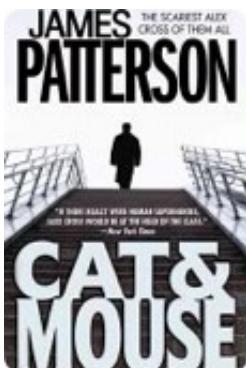
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Heart **Cat & Mouse**

James Patterson

Grand Central Publishing (November 1, 1998)



Summary:

In this New York Times bestseller, two killers—one operating in America, one in Europe—believe Alex Cross is the only worthy opponent in the deadly game each has planned. Gary Soneji, a dying prison escapee, is looking for revenge on Cross, while another insane killer is pursued by Thomas Augustine Pierce—a brilliant and relentless detective who may even be better than Cross. As the bodies pile up, and Cross is nearly murdered in his own home, the game of cat and mouse leads to one final trap. . . The body count is high, the tension the highest, and the two killers on the loose are watching every move their pursuers make. Who is the cat, and who is the mouse? What and where is the final trap? And who survives?

Genre: Fiction

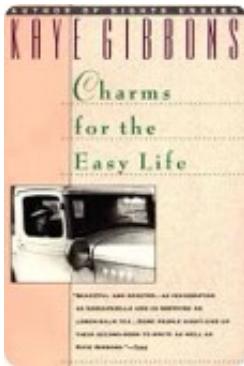
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Language: English

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Charms for Easy Life T

Kaye Gibbons

HarperCollins (June 1, 1995)



Summary:

In the verdant backwoods of North Carolina, in a sad and singular era, the Birches are unique among women of their time—living gloriously rich it decidedly offbeat lives in a private world abandoned by men. And though misery often heats a path to their door, headstrong Sophia and her young, brilliant daughter Margaret possess charms to ward off loneliness and despair—thanks to the uncompromising strength, uncommon wisdom, and muscular love of a remarkable matriarch and self-taught healer who calls herself Charlie Kate. In *Charms for the Easy Life*, Kaye Gibbons has created a luminous, truthtelling novel that gives life to her most passionate and toughminded women yet.

Genre: Fiction

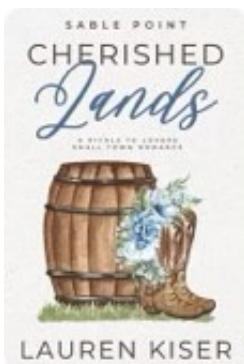
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Cherished Lands

A Rivals to Lovers Small Town Romance

LAUREN. KISER

Amazon Digital Services LLC - Kdp (April 8, 2025)



Summary:

A fake marriage. A real spark. A love as forbidden as cider in wine country. ELLIOT I've got one shot at saving my family's orchard: opening a cidery before money runs out. The last person I need investing is Tessa Belmonte—my lifelong rival and the biggest thorn in my side. But when her father threatens legal action that could destroy everything, there's only one solution. Marriage. To Tessa. For one year. It's supposed to be just business. I'm supposed to hate the spoiled princess of Vintage Point Vineyards who's been driving me crazy for years. Instead, I'm discovering a fierce, passionate woman who works harder than anyone I know and fits into my life like she was always meant to be there. And the way she melts under my touch? That's definitely not part of our business arrangement. TESSA I thought investing in Ever Eden Orchard would finally give me the independence I craved. I didn't expect my father to sue me, and I definitely didn't expect marriage to Elliot Everton to be the solution. He's infuriating, commanding, and has a protective streak that sets my blood on fire. But as we race to open the cidery before my father can stop us, our fake marriage starts feeling dangerously real. Between small town gossip, family betrayals, and our own stubborn hearts, we're both risking everything. Now I have to decide: do I protect my family's legacy, or fight for the future I never knew I wanted—with the man I never knew I needed? *Cherished Lands* is the second interconnected standalone in the Sable Point series with a guaranteed HEA. This book is intended for mature readers, as it includes explicit sexual content, strong language, and adult situations.

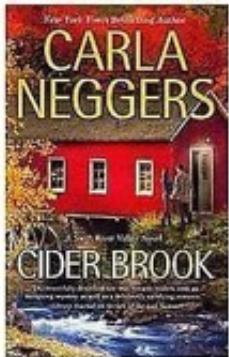
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Heart Cider Brook

Carla Neggers

Mira (2014)



Summary:

Unlikely partners bound by circumstance...or by fate? Being rescued by a good-looking, bad-boy firefighter isn't how Samantha Bennett expected to start her stay in Knights Bridge, Massachusetts. Now she has everyone's attention--especially that of Justin Sloan, her rescuer, who wants to know why she was camped out in an abandoned old New England cider mill. Samantha is a treasure hunter who has returned to Knights Bridge to solve a 300-year-old mystery and salvage her good name. Justin remembers her well. He's the one who alerted her late mentor to her iffy past and got her fired. But just because he doesn't trust her doesn't mean he can resist her. Samantha is daring, determined, seized by wanderlust--everything that strong, stoic Justin never knew he wanted. Until now... Look for The Spring at Moss Hill, the latest story in the Swift River Valley series by Carla Neggers, where spring is the time for fresh starts and new beginnings.

Genre: Fiction

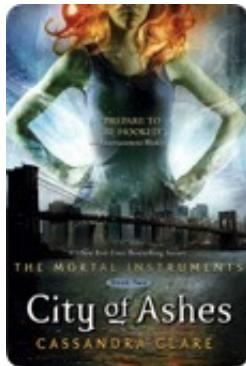
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Heart City of Ashes

Cassandra Clare

Simon and Schuster (March 24, 2009)



Summary:

Is love worth betraying everything? Plunge into the second adventure in the internationally bestselling Mortal Instruments series and “prepare to be hooked” (Entertainment Weekly). Clary Fray just wishes that her life would go back to normal. But what’s normal when you’re a demon-slaying Shadowhunter, your mother is in a magically induced coma, and you can suddenly see Downworlders like werewolves, vampires, and faeries? If Clary left the world of the Shadowhunters behind, it would mean more time with her best friend, Simon, who’s becoming more than a friend. But the Shadowhunting world isn’t ready to let her go—especially her handsome, infuriating, newfound brother, Jace. And Clary’s only chance to help her mother is to track down rogue Shadowhunter Valentine, who is probably insane, certainly evil—and also her father. To complicate matters, someone in New York City is murdering Downworlder children. Is Valentine behind the killings—and if he is, what is he trying to do? When the second of the Mortal Instruments, the Soul-Sword, is stolen, the terrifying Inquisitor arrives to investigate and zooms right in on Jace. How can Clary stop Valentine if Jace is willing to betray everything he believes in to help their father? In this breathtaking sequel to City of Bones, Cassandra Clare lures her readers back into the dark grip of New York City’s Downworld, where love is never safe and power becomes the deadliest temptation.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 453

Language: English

ISBN: 9781416972242

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



City of Bones Movie Tie-in Edition

Cassandra Clare

Margaret K. McElderry Books (June 4, 2013)



Summary:

Don't miss The Mortal Instruments: City of Bones, now a major motion picture. Discover this first installment of the internationally bestselling Mortal Instruments series and "prepare to be hooked" (Entertainment Weekly). When fifteen-year-old Clary Fray heads out to the Pandemonium Club in New York City, she hardly expects to witness a murder—much less a murder committed by three teenagers covered with strange tattoos and brandishing bizarre weapons. Then the body disappears into thin air. It's hard to call the police when the murderers are invisible to everyone else and when there is nothing—not even a smear of blood—to show that a boy has died. Or was he a boy? This is Clary's first meeting with the Shadowhunters, warriors dedicated to ridding the earth of demons. It's also her first encounter with Jace, a Shadowhunter who looks a little like an angel and acts a lot like a jerk. Within twenty-four hours Clary is pulled into Jace's world with a vengeance, when her mother disappears and Clary herself is attacked by a demon. But why would demons be interested in ordinary mundanes like Clary and her mother? And how did Clary suddenly get the Sight? The Shadowhunters would like to know... Exotic and gritty, exhilarating and utterly gripping, Cassandra Clare's ferociously entertaining fantasy takes readers on a wild ride that they will never want to end.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

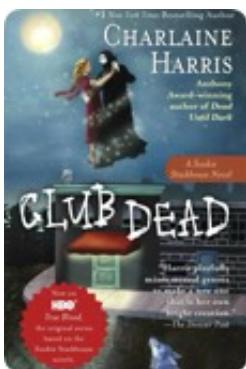
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Club Dead

Charlaine Harris

Penguin (2003)



Summary:

Sookie's boyfriend has been very distant—in another state, distant. Now she's off to Mississippi to mingle with the underworld at Club Dead—a little haunt where the vampire elite go to chill out. But when she finally finds Bill—caught in an act of betrayal—she's not sure whether to save him...or sharpen some stakes.

Genre: Fiction

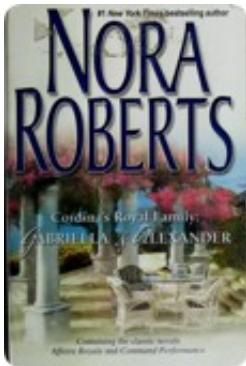
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Heart Cordina's royal family

Nora Roberts

Silhouette Books (2002)



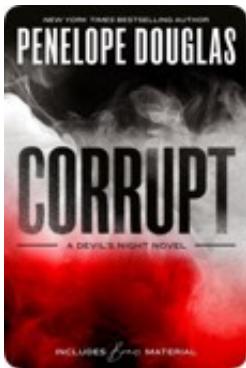
Genre: Actresses

Number of Pages: 571

ISBN: 9780373285204

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Heart Corrupt

Penelope Douglas

Penguin (November 7, 2023)



Summary:

Dreams might be a heart's desire, but nightmares are its obsession in the first novel of a dark romance series from New York Times bestselling author Penelope Douglas. Erika Fane's boyfriend's older brother is handsome, strong, and completely terrifying. The star of his college's basketball team gone pro, he's more concerned with the dirt on his shoe than he is with her. But she saw him. She heard him. The things that he did, and the deeds that he hid... For years, Erika bit her nails, unable to look away. Now, she's in college, but she hasn't stopped watching him. He's bad and the things she's seen aren't content to stay in her head anymore. Because he's finally noticed her. But Michael Crist knows the hold he has on Rika, how much she fears him. She looks down when he enters the room and stills when he's close. He knows she thinks only of him. When Michael's brother leaves for the military, leaving Rika alone and unprotected, he knows the opportunity is too good to be true. Three years ago she put Michael's friends in prison, and now they're free. Every last one of her nightmares is about to come true.

Genre: Fiction

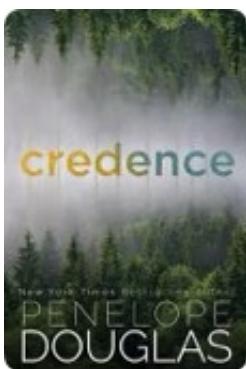
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780593642009

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Date Added: November 2, 2025



Heart Credence

Penelope Douglas

Independently Published (January 13, 2020)



Summary:

From New York Times bestselling author, Penelope Douglas, comes a new standalone! Three of them, one of her, and a remote cabin in the woods. Let the hot, winter nights ensue... Tiernan de Haas doesn't care about anything anymore. The only child of a film producer and his starlet wife, she's grown up with wealth and privilege but not love or guidance. Shipped off to boarding schools from an early age, it was still impossible to escape the loneliness and carve out a life of her own. The shadow of her parents' fame followed her everywhere. And when they suddenly pass away, she knows she should be devastated. But has anything really changed? She's always been alone, hasn't she? Jake Van der Berg, her father's stepbrother and her only living relative, assumes guardianship of Tiernan who is still two months shy of eighteen. Sent to live with him and his two sons, Noah and Kaleb, in the mountains of Colorado, Tiernan soon learns that these men now have a say in what she chooses to care and not care about anymore. As the three of them take her under their wing, teach her to work and survive in the remote woods far away from the rest of the world, she slowly finds her place among them. And as a part of them. She also realizes that lines blur and rules become easy to break when no one else is watching. One of them has her. The other one wants her. But he... He's going to keep her.* Credence is a full length, stand-alone romance suitable for readers 18+.

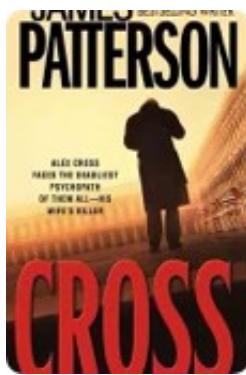
Number of Pages: 485

Language: English

ISBN: 9781660089055

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Cross

Also Published as ALEX CROSS

James Patterson

Grand Central Publishing (October 1, 2007)



Summary:

ALSO PUBLISHED AS ALEX CROSS Alex Cross was a rising star in the Washington, DC, Police Department when an unknown shooter gunned down his wife, Maria, in front of him. The killer was never found, and the case turned cold, filed among the unsolved drive-bys in D.C.'s rough neighborhoods. Years later, still haunted by his wife's death, Cross is making a bold move in his life. Now a free agent from the police and the FBI, he's set up practice as a psychologist once again. His life with Nana Mama, Damon, Jannie, and little Alex is finally getting in order. He even has a chance at a new love. Then Cross's former partner, John Sampson, calls in a favor. He is tracking a serial rapist in Georgetown, one whose brutal modus operandi recalls a case Sampson and Cross worked together years earlier. When the case reveals a connection to Maria's death, Cross latches on for the most urgent and terrifying ride of his life. From the man USA TODAY has called the "master of the genre," CROSS is the high-velocity thriller James Patterson and Alex Cross's fans have waited years to read - and the pinnacle of the bestselling detective series of the past two decades.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 416

Language: English

ISBN: 9780446619059

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Dandelion Fire

N. D. Wilson and Nathan D. Wilson

Random House (2009)



Summary:

Henry York never dreamed his time in Kansas would open a door to adventure much less a hundred doors. But a visit to his aunt and uncle's farm took an amazing turn when cupboard doors, hidden behind Henry's bedroom wall, revealed themselves to be portals to other worlds. Now, with his time at the farm drawing to a close, Henry makes a bold decision he must go through the cupboards to find the truth about where he's from and who his parents are. Following that trail will take him from one world to another, and ultimately into direct conflict with the evil of Endor. N. D. Wilson and his wife live in Idaho. Also visit www.ndwilson.com. From the Hardcover edition.

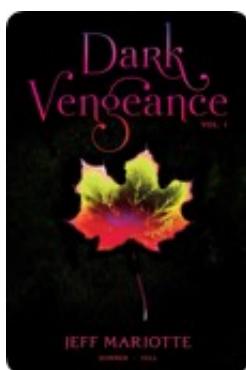
Genre: Juvenile Fiction**Number of Pages:** 466**Language:** English**ISBN:** 9780375838835**Reading Status:** Unread**Date Added:** September 17, 2022

Dark Vengeance Vol. 1

Summer, Fall

Jeff Mariotte

Simon and Schuster (October 4, 2011)

**Summary:**

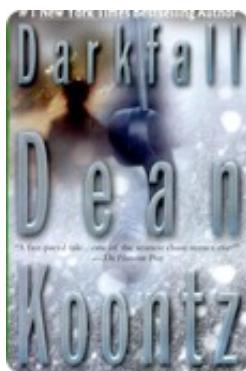
When a gorgeous stranger seeks refuge at Kerry's summer-share house, she knows her life is about to change. Daniel Blessing is mysterious and charismatic—and on the run from a powerful witch named Season. Kerry and her friends don't believe in witches and spells, but Kerry can't help believing Daniel...and falling for him. But falling for Daniel pulls her into a feud his family has been waging for generations. A dark feud of passion, magic, and revenge. Which means all of their lives are in serious danger. Because now Season wants Kerry and her friends dead, too.

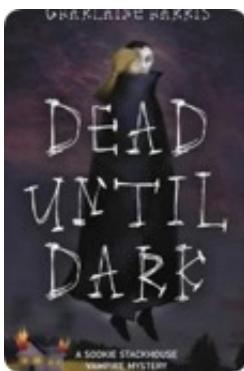
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Darkfall

Dean Koontz

Penguin (2007)

**Summary:** A blizzard brings a city to a standstill—and ushers in an evil that defies imagination.**Genre:** Fiction**Number of Pages:** 374**Language:** English**ISBN:** 9780425214596**Reading Status:** Unread**Date Added:** September 17, 2022



Dead Until Dark (Sookie Stackhouse, #1)

Charlaine Harris

Ace Books (2001)



Summary:

Sink your teeth into the first novel in the #1 New York Times bestselling Sookie Stackhouse series—the books that gave life to the Dead and inspired the HBO® original series True Blood. Sookie Stackhouse is just a small-time cocktail waitress in small-town Bon Temps, Louisiana. She's quiet, doesn't get out much, and tends to mind her own business—except when it comes to her “disability.” Sookie can read minds. And that doesn't make her too dateable. Then along comes Bill Compton. He's tall, dark, handsome—and Sookie can't hear a word he's thinking. He's exactly the type of guy she's been waiting for all her life... But Bill has a disability of his own: he's a vampire with a bad reputation. And when a string of murders hits Bon Temps—along with a gang of truly nasty bloodsuckers looking for Bill—Sookie starts to wonder if having a vampire for a boyfriend is such a bright idea.

Genre: Vampires

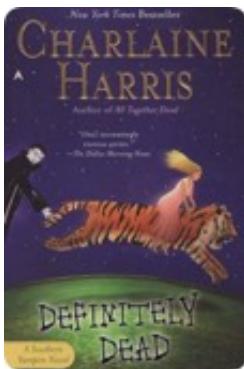
Number of Pages: 260

Language: English

ISBN: 9780441008537

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Definitely Dead (Southern Vampire Mysteries, Book 6)

Charlaine Harris

Ace (March 27, 2007)



Summary:

Supernaturally gifted waitress Sookie Stackhouse is pitted against the legacy of her own undead bloodline in this novel in the #1 New York Times bestselling series—the inspiration for the HBO® original series True Blood. Since Louisiana cocktail waitress Sookie Stackhouse has so few living relatives, she hates to lose one—even her cousin Hadley, undead consort of the vampire queen of New Orleans. Hadley's left everything she had to Sookie, but claiming that inheritance has a high risk factor. Some people don't want her looking too deeply into Hadley's past or Hadley's possessions. And they're prepared to do anything in their power to stop her...

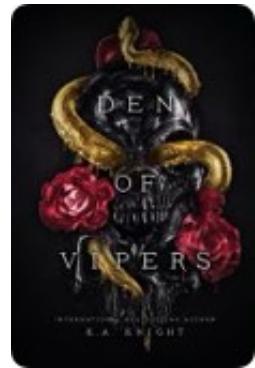
Genre: sookie stackhouse

Number of Pages: 352

ISBN: 9780441014910

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Den of Vipers

K. A. Knight

Independently Published (July 10, 2020)



Summary:

Ryder, Garrett, Kenzo, and Diesel-The Vipers. They run this town and everyone in it. Their deals are as sordid as their business, and their reputation is enough to bring a grown man to his knees, forcing him to beg for mercy. They are not people you mess with, yet my dad did. The old man ran up a debt with them and then sold me to cover his losses. Yes, sold me. They own me now. I'm theirs in every sense of the word. But I've never been meek and compliant. These men, they look at me with longing. Their scarred, blood-stained hands holding me tight. They want everything I am, everything I have to give, and won't stop until they get just that. They can own my body, but they will never have my heart. The Vipers? I'm going to make them regret the day they took me. This girl? She bites too. *18+ Reverse Harem Romance. Warning this book contains scenes and references of abuse/assault that some readers may find triggering. Along with graphic sex scenes and violence. This is a dark book*

Number of Pages: 654

Language: English

ISBN: 9798663179645

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 14, 2023



Did I Mention I Love You?

Estelle Maskame

Sourcebooks (December 1, 2015)



Summary:

For Eden and Tyler, love is everything but expected. When Eden Munro agrees to spend the summer with her father and his new family in Santa Monica, she has no idea what she's getting into. Upon meeting the oldest of her three stepbrothers, Tyler, his short temper and huge ego immediately sparks tension between them. But she quickly finds herself thrust into a world full of new experiences as his group of friends take her under their wing. And the more time she spends breaking the rules with them, the more she finds herself falling for the one person she shouldn't—her stepbrother.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

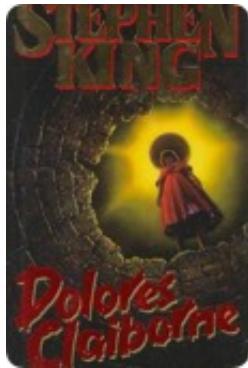
Number of Pages: 416

Language: English

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Heart Dolores Claiborne

A Novel

Stephen King

Pocket Books (2016)



Summary:

Suspected of killing Vera Donovan, her wealthy employer, Dolores Claiborne tells police the story of her life, harkening back to her violent husband, disintegrating marriage and the suspicious death of Joe Claiborne thirty years earlier. Dolores also tells of Vera's physical and mental decline and of her loyalty to an employer who has become emotionally demanding in recent years.

Genre: Women

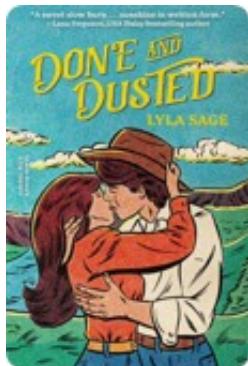
Number of Pages: 393

Language: English

ISBN: 9780670844524

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Done and Dusted

A Rebel Blue Ranch Novel

Lyla Sage

Random House Publishing Group (October 24, 2023)



Summary:

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • She's off-limits, but he's never been good at following the rules. Discover the sizzling, small-town brother's best friend romance that went viral on TikTok—now a special edition with an exclusive sneak peek at the next book in the series and a Q&A with the author! "A sweet slow burn . . . sunshine in written form."—USA Today bestselling author Lana Ferguson For the first time in her life, Clementine "Emmy" Ryder has no idea what she's doing. She's accomplished everything on her to-do list. She left her small hometown of Meadowlark, Wyoming; went to college; and made a career for herself by doing her favorite thing: riding horses. But after an accident makes it impossible for her to get back into the saddle, she has no choice but to return to the hometown she always wanted to escape. Luke Brooks is Meadowlark's most notorious bad boy, bar owner, and bachelor. He's also the unofficial fifth member of the Ryder family. As Emmy's older brother's best friend, Luke spent most of his childhood antagonizing her. It's been years since he's seen her, but when she walks into his bar and back into his life, he can't take his eyes off her. Despite his better judgment, he wants to do a whole lot more than just look at her. Emmy's got too much on her mind to think about romance. And Luke knows he should stay away from his best friend's younger sister. But what if Luke is just what Emmy needs to get her spark back? Or will they both go up in flames?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 368

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593732427

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 16, 2024



Heart Eclipse

Stephenie Meyer

Megan Tingley Books (2007)



Summary:

As the love triangle heats up in the third book, Bella must choose between her friendship with Jacob and her romance with Edward -- and her decision could change the fate of vampires and werewolves forever. As Seattle is ravaged by a string of mysterious killings and a malicious vampire continues her quest for revenge, Bella once again finds herself surrounded by danger. In the midst of it all, she is forced to choose between her love for Edward and her friendship with Jacob -- knowing that her decision has the potential to ignite the ageless struggle between vampire and werewolf. With her graduation quickly approaching, Bella has one more decision to make: life or death. But which is which? It's here! #1 bestselling author Stephenie Meyer makes a triumphant return to the world of Twilight with the highly anticipated companion, *Midnight Sun*: the iconic love story of Bella and Edward told from the vampire's point of view. "People do not want to just read Meyer's books; they want to climb inside them and live there." -- *Time* "A literary phenomenon." -- *The New York Times*

Genre: New York Times bestseller

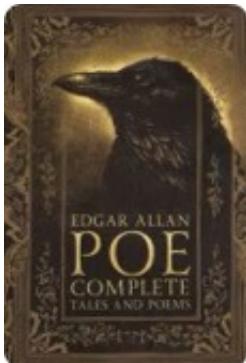
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780316160209

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Edgar Allan Poe

Complete Tales and Poems

Edgar Allan Poe

Fall River Press (2012)



Summary:

The life of American writer Edgar Allan Poe was characterized by a dramatic series of successes and failures, breakdowns and recoveries, personal gains and hopes dashed through, despite which he created some of the finest literature the world has ever known. Over time his works have influenced such major creative forces as the French poets Charles Baudelaire and Andre Gide, filmmaker D.W. Griffith and modern literary legend Allen Ginsberg. Best known for his poems and short fiction, Poe perfected the psychological thriller, invented the detective story, and rarely missed transporting the reader to his own supernal realm. He has also been hailed posthumously as one of the finest literary critics of the nineteenth century. In *Edgar Allan Poe: Complete Tales and Poems* fans may indulge in all of Poe's most imaginative short-stories, including *The Fall of the House of Usher*, *The Murders in Rue Morgue*, *The Tell-Tale Heart*, *Ligeia* and *Ms. In A Bottle*. His complete early and miscellaneous poetic masterpieces are also here, including *The Raven*, *Ulalume*, *Annabel Lee*, *Tamerlane*, as well as select reviews and narratives.

Genre: short stories

Number of Pages: 1,023

Language: English

ISBN: 9781435144583

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Enchanted

A Novel Based on the Walt Disney Pictures Movie

Jasmine Jones

Disney Enterprises, Incorporated (2007)



Summary:

"Giselle believes that fairy tales do come true--after all, she lives in the magical world of Andalasia. so when she finds herself dropped --quite literally--into the arms of the dashing and handsome Prince Edward, Giselle is convinced that she is only moments away from her perfect ending. Then Giselle takes a tumble down a well and lands on the mean streets of Manhattan. With reality setting in, her dreams of happily ever after seem very far away--until she meets a cynical lawyer and, together, they discover that the real world can be magical, too"--Page 4 of cover.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

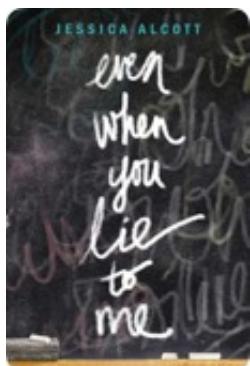
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Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Even When You Lie to Me

Jessica Alcott

Random House Children's Books (2015)



Summary:

A steamy debut about a love off limits, and lines destined to be crossed--with the wit of John Green and the heart of Sarah Dessen. Tom Drummond is the perfect guy. He reads the classics. He tells the wittiest jokes. Best of all, he actually likes Charlie. And for a girl used to being caught in the shadow of her best friend, Drummond's spotlight warms Charlie in a way she never thought possible. But as their relationship grows closer, there's one detail that remains impossible to forget: Mr. Drummond is her teacher. "Jessica Alcott's writing is like a very personal glimpse into your own adolescent diary. Raw, uncomfortable, but still often hilarious." -Harried Reuter Hapgood, author of The Square Root of Summer "The witty repartee among characters is reminiscent of the dialogue in John Green's novels or a Gilmore Girls episode." -School Library Journal "Perfect for fans of Sarah Dessen." -Booklist

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

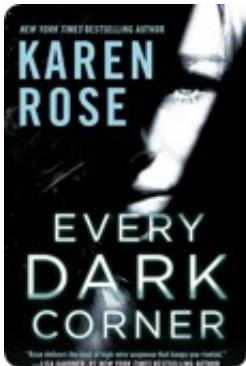
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Language: English

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Date Added: August 26, 2023



Every Dark Corner

Karen Rose

Penguin (February 7, 2017)



Summary:

In this nerve-shattering novel in New York Times bestselling author Karen Rose's Cincinnati series, two FBI Special Agents are on the trail of a depraved criminal...When FBI Special Agent Griffin "Decker" Davenport opens his eyes after several days in a coma, there is unfinished business still on his mind. Decker's on the cusp of discovering the mastermind behind a human trafficking case, and he and his partner, Special Agent Kate Coppola, are determined to bring the perpetrator to justice. And they're about to get a surprising new lead from a very unlikely source. Eighteen-year-old Mallory Martin and her little sister, Macy, were the victims of an illegal adoption—sold by their addict mother for drugs. But their "benefactor" is not who everyone thinks he is. Mallory has never told his secrets before—the danger to her and her sister has always been too great. But everyone has a limit to what they can endure...

Genre: Fiction

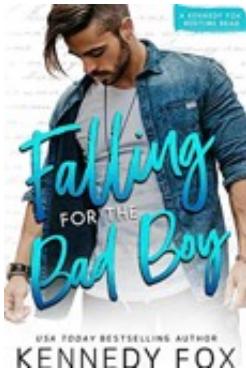
Number of Pages: 640

Language: English

ISBN: 9780399583063

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Date Added: January 27, 2024



Falling for the Bad Boy

Kennedy Fox

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (September 19, 2018)



Summary:

Never trust a man who answers the door wearing nothing more than a pair of low-cut jeans and a panty-melting smirk. That should've been my first sign. I write about guys like him for a living—sexy and charming, yet reluctant to get into a serious relationship. His body is the ultimate temptation, but his condescending personality makes him a classic bad boy. And I want nothing to do with that. Writing romance novels comes with its perks—traveling, meeting new people, creating characters from the voices in my head—but Ethan Rochester enters my life and rearranges my preconceived notions about writing what inspires you. Meeting him was fate, but falling for him was inevitable. And forgetting him will be impossible.

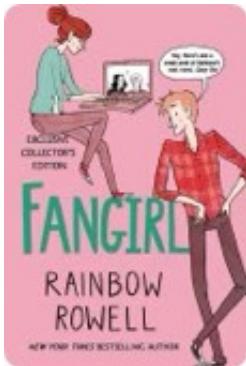
Number of Pages: 244

Language: English

ISBN: 9781727143980

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Fangirl

A Novel

Rainbow Rowell

St. Martin's Publishing Group (May 12, 2015)



Summary:

This special edition includes fan art, a ribbon bookmark, a Q&A with the author, and an excerpt from her new book *Carry On*. In Rainbow Rowell's *Fangirl*, Cath is a Simon Snow fan. Okay, the whole world is a Simon Snow fan, but for Cath, being a fan is her life—and she's really good at it. She and her twin sister, Wren, ensconced themselves in the Simon Snow series when they were just kids; it's what got them through their mother leaving. Reading. Rereading. Hanging out in Simon Snow forums, writing Simon Snow fan fiction, dressing up like the characters for every movie premiere. Cath's sister has mostly grown away from fandom, but Cath can't let go. She doesn't want to. Now that they're going to college, Wren has told Cath she doesn't want to be roommates. Cath is on her own, completely outside of her comfort zone. She's got a surly roommate with a charming, always-around boyfriend, a fiction-writing professor who thinks fan fiction is the end of the civilized world, a handsome classmate who only wants to talk about words . . . And she can't stop worrying about her dad, who's loving and fragile and has never really been alone. For Cath, the question is: Can she do this? Can she make it without Wren holding her hand? Is she ready to start living her own life? And does she even want to move on if it means leaving Simon Snow behind? A New York Times Book Review Notable Children's Book of 2013 A New York Times Best Seller!

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

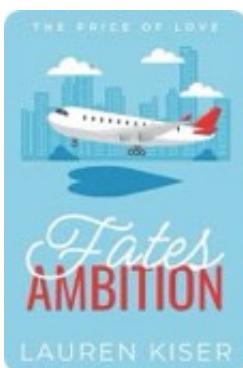
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Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Fate's Ambition

LAUREN. KISER

Amazon Digital Services LLC - Kdp (June 26, 2024)



Summary:

When fierce ambition meets flirtatious charm, desire intervenes to seal their fate. CALLIE I've spent my whole life trying not to become my mother—a trophy wife whose only value comes from the man she married. So falling for my billionaire boss was definitely not part of the plan. Emmett Price is everything I shouldn't want: wealthy, powerful, and absolutely irresistible. When a steamy encounter at the club where I moonlight leads to more, I know I'm in trouble. He says he'll support my ambitions and dreams, but can I really have it all? Or will giving in to our undeniable chemistry mean sacrificing everything I've worked for? EMMETT From the moment I saw her in my sister's dorm lobby six years ago, Callie Winters has haunted my dreams. Now she's my intern, and the attraction between us is explosive. But after being burned before, I'm wary of office romance—especially with someone as driven and independent as Callie. Yet I can't stay away. She challenges me, inspires me, and makes me want to be worthy of her trust. I'll give her the world if she'll let me, but first I have to convince her that loving me won't mean living in my shadow. *Fate's Ambition* is the first interconnected standalone in *The Price of Love* series with a guaranteed HEA.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 322

Language: English

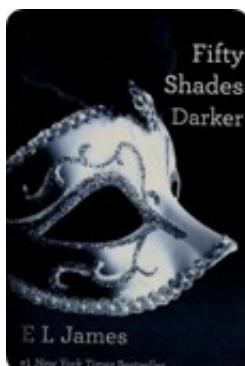
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Date Finished: November 2, 2025

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Tags: CEO/ Boss Romance and Favorite



Fifty Shades Darker

E. L. James

Vintage Books (2012)



Summary:

MORE THAN 150 MILLION COPIES SOLD WORLDWIDE SOON TO BE A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE. Daunted by the singular tastes and dark secrets of the beautiful, tormented young entrepreneur Christian Grey, Anastasia Steele has broken off their relationship to start a new career with a Seattle publishing house. But desire for Christian still dominates her every waking thought, and when he proposes a new arrangement, Anastasia cannot resist. They rekindle their searing sensual affair, and Anastasia learns more about the harrowing past of her damaged, driven and demanding Fifty Shades. While Christian wrestles with his inner demons, Anastasia must confront the anger and envy of the women who came before her, and make the most important decision of her life. This book is intended for mature audiences. From the Trade Paperback edition.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 532

Language: English

ISBN: 9780345803498

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Fifty Shades Freed

E. L. James

Vintage Books (2012)



Summary:

MORE THAN 100 MILLION COPIES SOLD WORLDWIDE. FIFTY SHADES OF GREY IS NOW A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE. When unworldly student Anastasia Steele first encountered the driven and dazzling young entrepreneur Christian Grey, it sparked a sensual affair that changed both of their lives irrevocably. Shocked, intrigued, and, ultimately, repelled by Christian's singular erotic tastes, Ana demands a deeper commitment. Determined to keep her, Christian agrees. Now, Ana and Christian have it all—love, passion, intimacy, wealth, and a world of possibilities for their future. But Ana knows that loving her Fifty Shades will not be easy, and that being together will pose challenges that neither of them would anticipate. Ana must somehow learn to share Christian's opulent lifestyle without sacrificing her own identity. And Christian must overcome his compulsion to control as he wrestles with the demons of a tormented past. Just when it seems that their strength together will eclipse any obstacle, misfortune, malice, and fate conspire to make Ana's deepest fears turn to reality. This book is intended for mature audiences. From the Trade Paperback edition.

Genre: Businesspeople

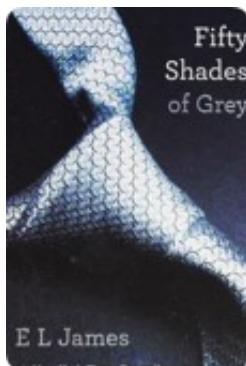
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Fifty Shades of Grey**

Book 1 - Fifty Shades of Grey

E. L. James

Writer's Coffee Shop (2011)



Summary:

When literature student Anastasia Steele is drafted to interview the successful young entrepreneur Christian Grey for her campus magazine, she finds him attractive, enigmatic and intimidating. Convinced their meeting went badly, she tries to put Grey out of her mind - until he happens to turn up at the out-of-town hardware store where she works part-time. Erotic, amusing, and deeply moving, the Fifty Shades Trilogy is a tale that will obsess you, possess you, and stay with you forever.

Genre: Man-woman relationships

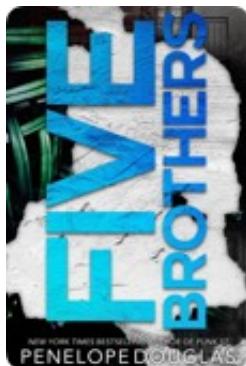
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Five Brothers**

Penelope Douglas

Penguin (July 30, 2024)



Summary:

One woman learns the secrets of the five Jaeger brothers in the new romance from New York Times bestselling author Penelope Douglas. On the other side of town, in the dark glades, under the rain...Macon is the oldest. Thirty-one. Ex-Marine. I don't think I've ever seen him smile. Army is twenty-eight. A single dad with the most beautiful green eyes. He has no idea who he is, if not a Jaeger brother. Iron will be in prison soon. You'd never think it to meet him. He's a nice guy, actually. But he can't stop reacting to everything. Dallas is the one I hate. Twenty-one, cruel, and selfish. He takes and then throws away whatever's left. And Trace is mine. Or he was for about two seconds. No one can tame him for long. Not that I ever wanted to. It was fun, but now I need to go home. Back to my side of the tracks. Away from the swamps and these men. To my parents' big house. On my clean street. Where I'm never dirty or messy or hot. And I will. I'll leave first thing tomorrow morning. I just want to crash on the couch tonight. Their house is dark and quiet, everyone else is asleep. Except for one. He sees me crying and comes at me from behind. I let him wrap his arms around my body and hold me tightly. His breath is on my neck, his fingers are in my hair, and he doesn't stop there. I don't think it was Trace.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 560

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593816578

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Date Added: September 16, 2024



Flawless

Elsie Silver

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (August 29, 2023)



Summary:

He's the scandalous cowboy everyone loves to hate. She's the PR princess sent to save his career. Neither expected to fall in love. Rhett Eaton lives for three things: riding bulls, causing trouble, and doing exactly what he wants. But when a viral outburst threatens his career, his team brings in a professional problem-solver. Enter Summer Hamilton, a polished PR rep who has no interest in rodeos, cowboys, or babysitting overgrown man-children. Too bad she's stuck with Rhett for the entire season. He's arrogant. She's uptight. He thinks rules are made to be broken. She wrote the rulebook. But somewhere between the fake smiles, forced road trips, and late-night heart-to-hearts, the line between enemies and something much more starts to blur. Why readers can't get enough of Flawless: Grumpy/Sunshine Chemistry Unputdownable Slow Burn Authentic Small-Town Vibes Welcome to Chestnut Springs, where falling for the wrong guy might just be the right kind of trouble.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9781728297002

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Date Added: November 2, 2025



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Sourcebooks, Incorporated (August 29, 2023)



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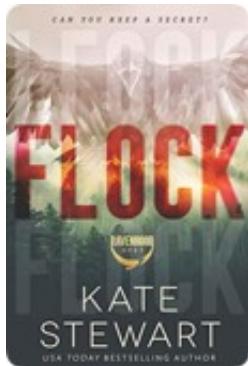
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Heart Flock

Kate Stewart (Romance author)

Kate Stewart/Independently published (2020)



Summary:

"I grew up sick. Let me clarify. I grew up believing that real love stories include a martyr or demand great sacrifice to be worthy. Because of that, I believed it, because I made myself believe it, and I bred the most masochistic of romantic hearts, which resulted in my illness. When I lived this story, my own twisted fairy tale, it was unbeknownst to me at the time because I was young and naïve. I gave into temptation and fed the beating beast, which grew thirstier with every slash, every strike, every blow. Triple Falls wasn't at all what it seemed, nor were the men that swept me under their wing. But in order to keep them, I had to be in on their secrets. Secrets that cost us everything to keep." --

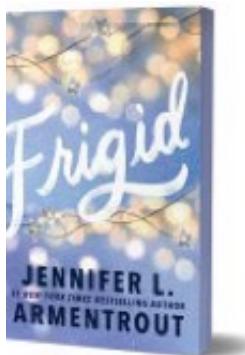
Number of Pages: 346

Language: English

ISBN: 9798666886403

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 1, 2023



Heart Frigid (Deluxe Edition)

Jennifer L. Armentrout

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (2024)



Summary:

This gorgeous deluxe first-print edition of Frigid will have sprayed edges. From New York Times bestselling author Jennifer L. Armentrout comes the first in an icy-hot duology following two friends and the boys who complicate everything for them. "No one could replace me in his life. I knew that. I was the friend who knew everything about him and whom he trusted above everyone else. I was Kyler's best friend. And because of that, he would never love me the way I loved him." For twenty-one-year-old Sydney Bell, being in love with Kyler isn't anything new. They've been best friends ever since he pushed her down on the playground and she made him eat a mud pie. Somewhere over the years, she fell for him and fell hard. The problem? He's never stayed with a girl for longer than a few nights, and with it being their last year of college, Sydney won't risk their friendship by declaring her feelings. Meanwhile, Kyler has always put Sydney on a pedestal too high to reach. To him, she's everything. But he's hidden away his feelings, drowning them in other girls instead. After all, Kyler will always be the poor boy from the wrong side of tracks, and Syd will always be the best thing he can never have. But when they're stranded together at a posh ski resort after a massive snowstorm, there's nothing stopping their red-hot feelings from finally coming to the surface. Can their friendship survive the attraction? Better yet, can they survive at all? Because as the snow falls, someone is stalking them, and this trip may be a life-changer in more ways than one.

Genre: Fiction

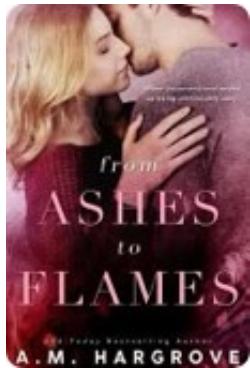
Number of Pages: 320

Language: English

ISBN: 9781464220647

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Date Added: November 2, 2025



From Ashes to Flames

A. M. Hargrove

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (April 27, 2018)



Summary:

From USA Today bestselling author, A.M. Hargrove, comes *From Ashes To Flames* (A West Brothers Novel, Book 1). This is a stand-alone, single dad, enemies to lovers, nanny contemporary romance. After losing his wife in a plane crash, Dr. Greydon West finds himself struggling to manage his life. As a single father of two, he's barely handling things. He's also hiding a secret that's ripping him to shreds. Forced to hire a nanny, he's not prepared for the quirky woman who shows up to fill the role. Marin McClain's life couldn't get any worse. Dumping her cheating boyfriend and getting fired from her dream job has sent her spiraling downward. Becoming a nanny for the hot-tempered Dr. West as a last resort, she's determined to be the best there is. But soon Marin is wondering why the grouchy doctor ever had kids in the first place. When she accidentally discovers his secret, Dr. West reluctantly unlocks the mystery behind his brusque behavior. As she begins to soften towards him, they both find an undeniable attraction blossoming. After sharing a heated kiss, lust explodes between them that's impossible to ignore. Will they pursue this forbidden relationship, or will their hearts end up flaming into ashes instead? *From Ashes To Flames* (A West Brothers Novel, #1) features surprising plot twists and a mix of lovable characters that will keep you turning the pages. If you like raw emotion with a bit of humor, then start this series today. *From Ashes To Flames* and all the other books in this series, including *From Ice To Flames*, and *From Smoke to Flames* can be read as stand-alone novels.

Genre: Fiction

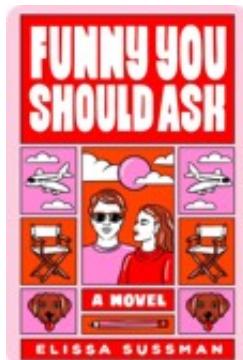
Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9781717511065

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Date Added: January 27, 2024



Funny You Should Ask

A Novel

Elissa Sussman

Random House Publishing Group (April 12, 2022)



Summary:

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • A restless young journalist with big dreams interviews a Hollywood heartthrob—and reunites with him ten years later to discover exactly how he feels about her in this sexy and engrossing novel “You will absolutely devour this book. It’s filled with delightful banter, hot romance, and a love story that’s worthy of the big screen.”—Kate Spencer, author of *In a New York Minute* and host of *Forever35* **ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR:** *Cosmopolitan*, *NPR*, *The Washington Post*, *Book Riot* Then. Twenty-something writer Chani Horowitz is stuck. While her former MFA classmates are nabbing high-profile book deals, all she does is churn out puff pieces. Then she’s hired to write a profile of movie star Gabe Parker: her number one celebrity crush and the latest James Bond. All Chani wants to do is keep her cool and nail the piece. But what comes next proves to be life changing in ways she never saw coming, as the interview turns into a whirlwind weekend that has the tabloids buzzing—and Chani getting closer to Gabe than she had planned. Now. Ten years later, after a brutal divorce and a healthy dose of therapy, Chani is back in Los Angeles as a successful writer with the career of her dreams. Except that no matter what new essay collection or online editorial she’s promoting, someone always asks about The Profile. It always comes back to Gabe. So when his PR team requests that they reunite for a second interview, she wants to say no. She wants to pretend that she’s forgotten about the time they spent together. But the truth is that Chani wants to know if those seventy-two hours were as memorable to Gabe as they were to her. And so . . . she says yes. Alternating between their first meeting and their reunion a decade later, this deliciously irresistible novel will have you hanging on until the last word.

Genre: Fiction

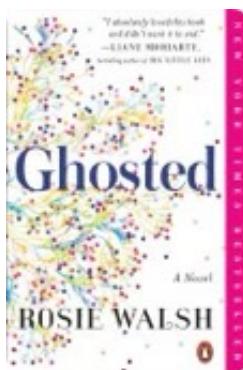
Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593357330

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Date Added: November 2, 2025



Ghosted

A Novel

Rosie Walsh

Penguin (May 28, 2019)



Summary:

Instant New York Times bestseller! “I absolutely loved this book and didn’t want it to end.” --Liane Moriarty, #1 New York Times bestselling author of *Big Little Lies* “This is an ‘accidentally stayed up until 4 a.m. because it’s impossible to put down’ kind of novel.” --USA Today Seven perfect days. Then he disappeared. A love story with a secret at its heart. When Sarah meets Eddie, they connect instantly and fall in love. To Sarah, it seems as though her life has finally begun. And it’s mutual: It’s as though Eddie has been waiting for her, too. Sarah has never been so certain of anything. So when Eddie leaves for a long-booked vacation and promises to call from the airport, she has no cause to doubt him. But he doesn’t call. Sarah’s friends tell her to forget about him, but she can’t. She knows something’s happened--there must be an explanation. Minutes, days, weeks go by as Sarah becomes increasingly worried. But then she discovers she’s right. There is a reason for Eddie’s disappearance, and it’s the one thing they didn’t share with each other: the truth.

Genre: Fiction

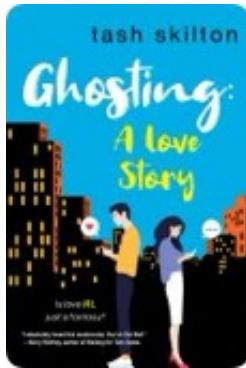
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780525522799

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Ghosting A Love Story

Tash Skilton

Kensington Books (2020)



Summary:

LEAVE IT TO THE EXPERTS--TO BREAK ALL THE RULES Online Dating Ghostwriting Rules to Live by Dumped by his fianc e, not only is Miles couch-surfing across New York City, but downsizing has forced him to set up shop at a caf . Also, he no longer believes in love. Not a good look in his line of work . . . Do not present a "perfect" image. No one will trust it. Nor should they. Zoey's eccentric L.A. boss sent her packing to New York to "grow." But beneath her chill Cali demeanor, Zoey's terrified to venture beyond the caf across the street . . . Think of your quirks--such as cosplaying B-movies from the 1980s--as a "Future Honesty." Save these as a reward only for those who prove worthy. The only thing Miles and Zoey share is their daily battle for Caf Crudite's last day-old biscotti. They don't know they're both ghostwriting "authentic" client profiles for rival online dating services. Nope, they have absolutely nothing in common. . . . Until they meet anonymously online, texting on the clock . . . Never remind the client you're their Cyrano. Once you've attracted a good match, let the client take over ASAP. Soon, with their clients headed for dating disaster, both Miles and Zoey's jobs are at stake. And once they find out their lines have crossed, will their love connection be the real thing--or vanish into the ether? . . . "A sweet, genuinely funny, banter-filled delight of a rom-com."--Kerry Winfrey, author of Waiting for Tom Hanks

Genre: Fiction

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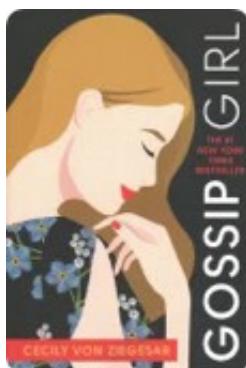
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Gossip Girl #1 A Novel by Cecily von Ziegesar

Cecily von Ziegesar

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers (May 5, 2020)



Summary:

The wickedly funny first book in the #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the original hit CW show and the new series coming to HBO Max's Spring 2020 launch season (alongside hit series such as Pretty Little Liars and Friends). Welcome to New York City's Upper East Side, where my friends and I live, go to school, play, and sleep--sometimes with each other. S is back from boarding school, and if we aren't careful, she's going to win over our teachers, wear that dress we couldn't fit into, steal our boyfriends' hearts, and basically ruin our lives in a major way. I'll be watching closely...You know you love me.gossip girl

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

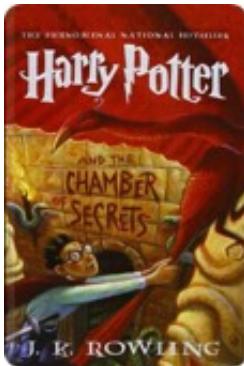
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Language: English

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Heart Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets

J. K. Rowling

Arthur A. Levine Books (1999)



Summary:

The summer after his first year at Hogwarts is worse than ever for Harry Potter. The Dursleys of Privet Drive are more horrible to him than ever before. And just when he thinks the endless summer vacation is over, a creature named Dobby the house-elf shows up issuing a grave warning to Harry not to go back to school or disaster will happen! Of course, Harry has to go back- and he does so in grand style, in a flying-car magicked by his friends Ron and Percy Weasley. But getting back to Hogwarts isn't the cure Harry expects it to be. Almost immediately a student is found turned to stone, and then another. And somehow Harry stands accused. Could Harry Potter be the long-feared heir of Slytherin? Harry and friends Hermione and Fred are stretched to their limits in a desperate fight against Draco Malfoy and his gang, the hideously stuck-up new professor Gilderoy Lockheart, the malevolent owner of the diary of Tom Riddle, giant spiders, and perhaps even...Hagrid! This is the book that proves J.K. Rowling is a talent that's here to stay!

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

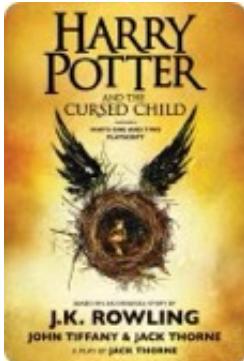
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780439064866

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Heart Harry Potter and the Cursed Child

Playscript. Parts one and two

Jack Thorne, J. K. Rowling, and John Tiffany

Scholastic Incorporated (2017)



Summary:

The Eighth Story. Nineteen Years Later. Based on an original story by J.K. Rowling, John Tiffany, and Jack Thorne, a play by Jack Thorne. It was always difficult being Harry Potter and it isn't much easier now that he is an overworked employee of the Ministry of Magic, a husband, and father of three school-age children. While Harry grapples with a past that refuses to stay where it belongs, his youngest son, Albus, must struggle with the weight of a family legacy he never wanted. As past and present fuse ominously, both father and son learn the uncomfortable truth: Sometimes, darkness comes from unexpected places. The playscript for Harry Potter and the Cursed Child was originally released as a special rehearsal edition alongside the opening of Jack Thorne's play in London's West End in summer 2016. Based on an original story by J.K. Rowling, John Tiffany, and Jack Thorne, the play opened to rapturous reviews from theatergoers and critics alike, while the official playscript became an immediate global bestseller.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

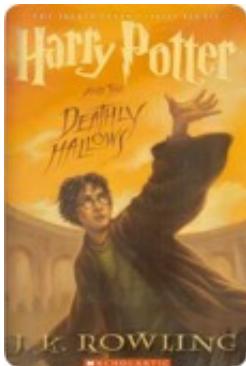
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781338216660

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows**

J. K. Rowling

Arthur A. Levine Books (2007)



Summary:

'His hand closed automatically around the fake Horcrux, but in spite of everything, in spite of the dark and twisting path he saw stretching ahead for himself, in spite of the final meeting with Voldemort he knew must come, whether in a month, in a year, or in ten, he felt his heart lift at the thought that there was still one last golden day of peace left to enjoy with Ron and Hermione.' With these words "Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince" draws to a close. And here, in this seventh and final book, Harry discovers what fate truly has in store for him as he inexorably makes his way to that final meeting with Voldemort. In this thrilling climax to the phenomenally bestselling series, J.K. Rowling will reveal all to her eagerly waiting readers.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 759

Language: English

ISBN: 9780545010221

Reading Status: Unread

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Heart **Harry Potter And The Goblet Of Fire**

The Complete Series

J. K. Rowling

Scholastic (2009)



Summary:

Collects the complete series that relates the adventures of young Harry Potter, who attends Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, where he and others of his kind learn their craft.

Genre: orphans

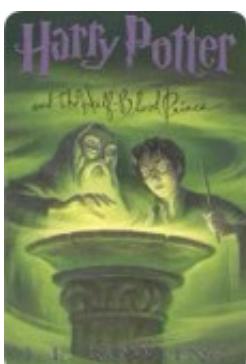
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince**

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J. K. Rowling

Bloomsbury (2005)



Summary:

As Harry enters his sixth year at Hogwarts, a storm is brewing in the battle between good and evil, a battle that promises to have incredible consequences for the magic world.

Genre: orphans

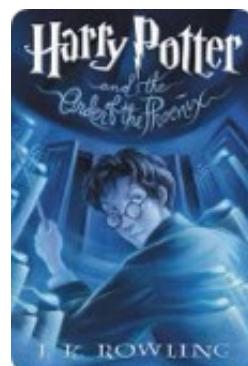
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Heart **Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix**

#5 [large print]

J. K. Rowling

Arthur A. Levine Books (August 1, 2003)



Summary:

When the government of the magic world and authorities at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry refuse to believe in the growing threat of a freshly revived Lord Voldemort, fifteen-year-old Harry Potter finds support from his loyal friends in facing the evil wizard and other new terrors.

Genre: Children's Books/Ages 9-12 Fiction

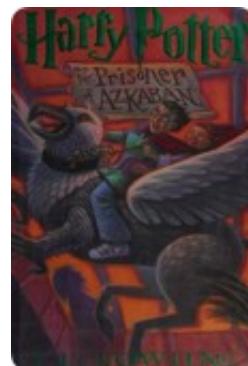
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Heart **Harry Potter And The Prisoner Of Azkaban**

The Complete Series

J. K. Rowling

Scholastic Press (2007)



Summary:

Collects the complete series that relates the adventures of young Harry Potter, who attends Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, where he and others of his kind learn their craft.

Genre: Fantasy fiction

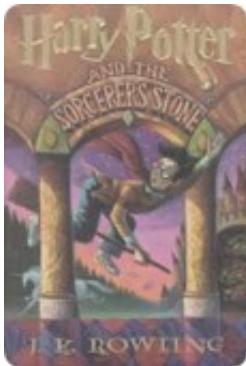
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Language: English

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♥ Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

J. K. Rowling

A.A. Levine Books (1998)



Summary:

Harry Potter spent ten long years living with Mr. and Mrs. Dursley, an aunt and uncle whose outrageous favoritism of their perfectly awful son Dudley leads to some of the most inspired dark comedy since Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. But fortunately for Harry, he's about to be granted a scholarship to a unique boarding school called THE HOGWORTS SCHOOL OF WITCHCRAFT AND WIZARDRY, where he will become a school hero at the game of Quidditch (a kind of aerial soccer played high above the ground on broomsticks), he will make some wonderful friends, and, unfortunately, a few terrible enemies. For although he seems to be getting your run-of-the-mill boarding school experience (well, ok, even that's pretty darn out of the ordinary), Harry Potter has a destiny that he was born to fulfill. A destiny that others would kill to keep him from.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 309

Language: English

ISBN: 9780590353403

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



♥ Haunting Adeline

H. D. Carlton

H. D. Carlton (August 12, 2021)



Summary:

The Manipulator! can manipulate the emotions of anyone who lets me. I will make you hurt, make you cry, make you laugh and sigh. But my words don't affect him. Especially not when I plead for him to leave. He's always there, watching and waiting. And I can never look away. Not when I want him to come closer. The Shadow! didn't mean to fall in love. But now that I have, I can't stay away. I'm mesmerized by her smile, by her eyes, and the way she moves. The way she undresses... I'll keep watching and waiting. Until I can make her mine. And once she is, I'll never let her go. Not even when she begs me to. While not required, it is highly suggested to read the novella, Satan's Affair, first. Author's Note: This book ends on a cliffhanger. For CWs, please check the author's website.

Genre: Fiction

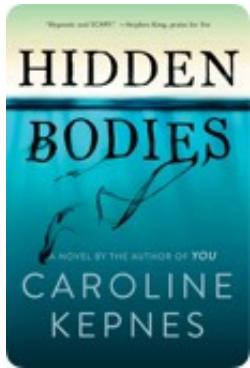
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Date Added: August 26, 2023



Hidden Bodies

A Novel

Caroline Kepnes

Simon and Schuster (November 1, 2016)



Summary:

NOW A HIT NETFLIX ORIGINAL SERIES THE RIVETING SEQUEL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING *YOU*
"Kepnes hits the mark, cuts deep, and twists the knife." —Entertainment Weekly "Delicious and insane...The plot may be twisty and scintillating, but it's Kepnes's wit and style that keep you coming back." —Lena Dunham "Hypnotic and scary." —Stephen King "Obsessed." —Jessica Knoll, New York Times bestselling author In the compulsively readable sequel to her widely acclaimed debut novel, *You*, Caroline Kepnes weaves a tale that Booklist calls "the love child of Holden Caulfield and Patrick Bateman." In *Hidden Bodies*, the basis for season two of the hit Netflix series, *You*, Joe Goldberg returns. Joe is no stranger to hiding bodies. In the past ten years, this thirty-something has buried four of them, collateral damage in his quest for love. Now he's heading west to Los Angeles, the city of second chances, determined to put his past behind him. In Hollywood, Joe blends in effortlessly with the other young upstarts. He eats guac, works in a bookstore, and flirts with a journalist neighbor. But while others seem fixated on their own reflections, Joe can't stop looking over his shoulder. The problem with hidden bodies is that they don't always stay that way. They reemerge, like dark thoughts, multiplying and threatening to destroy what Joe wants most: true love. And when he finds it in a darkened room in Soho House, he's more desperate than ever to keep his secrets buried. He doesn't want to hurt his new girlfriend—he wants to be with her forever. But if she ever finds out what he's done, he may not have a choice...

Genre: Fiction

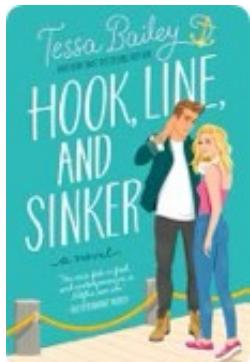
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Hook, Line, and Sinker

A Novel

Tessa Bailey

HarperCollins Publishers (March 1, 2022)



Summary:

AN INSTANT #1 NEW YORK TIMES AND #1 USA TODAY BESTSELLER In the follow-up to *It Happened One Summer*, Tessa Bailey delivers another deliciously fun rom-com about a former player who accidentally falls for his best friend while trying to help her land a different man... King crab fisherman Fox Thornton has a reputation as a sexy, carefree flirt. Everyone knows he's a guaranteed good time--in bed and out--and that's exactly how he prefers it. Until he meets Hannah Bellinger. She's immune to his charm and looks, but she seems to enjoy his... personality? And wants to be friends? Bizarre. But he likes her too much to risk a fling, so platonic pals it is. Now, Hannah's in town for work, crashing in Fox's spare bedroom. She knows he's a notorious ladies' man, but they're definitely just friends. In fact, she's nursing a hopeless crush on a colleague and Fox is just the person to help with her lackluster love life. Armed with a few tips from Westport's resident Casanova, Hannah sets out to catch her coworker's eye... yet the more time she spends with Fox, the more she wants him instead. As the line between friendship and flirtation begins to blur, Hannah can't deny she loves everything about Fox, but she refuses to be another notch on his bedpost. Living with his best friend should have been easy. Except now she's walking around in a towel, sleeping right across the hall, and Fox is fantasizing about waking up next to her for the rest of his life and... and... man overboard! He's fallen for her, hook, line, and sinker. Helping her flirt with another guy is pure torture, but maybe if Fox can tackle his inner demons and show Hannah he's all in, she'll choose him instead?

Genre: Fiction

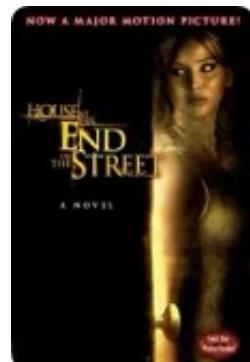
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House at the End of the Street

Jonathan Mostow

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers (August 21, 2012)



Summary:

Seeking a fresh start, newly divorced Sarah and her daughter Elissa find the house of their dreams in a small, upscale, rural town. But when startling and unexplainable events begin to happen, Sarah and Elissa learn the town is in the shadows of a chilling secret. Years earlier, in the house next door, a daughter killed her parents in their beds, and disappeared - leaving only a brother, Ryan, as the sole survivor. Against Sarah's wishes, Elissa begins a relationship with the reclusive Ryan - and the closer they get, the deeper they're all pulled into a mystery more dangerous than they ever imagined. This novel includes a fold-out poster!

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

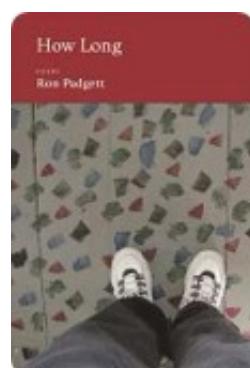
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How Long

Ron Padgett

Coffee House Press (2011)



Summary:

Ron Padgett's title poem asks: "How long do you want to go on being the person you think you are? / How Long, a city in China." With the arrival of his first grandchild, Padgett becomes even more inspired to confront the eternal mysteries in poems with a wry, rueful honesty that comes only with experience, in his case sixty-eight years of it. I never thought, forty years ago, taping my poems into a notebook, that one day the tapewould turn yellow, grow brittle, and fall off and that I'd find myself on hands and kneesgroaning as I picked the pieces upoff the floorone by oneRon Padgett is a celebrated translator, memoirist, and "a thoroughly American poet, coming sideways out of Whitman, Williams, and New York Pop with a Tulsa twist" (Peter Gizzi). His poetry has been translated into more than a dozen languages and has appeared in The Best American Poetry, The Norton Anthology of Postmodern American Poetry, The Oxford Book of American Poetry, and on Garrison Keillor's Writer's Almanac. He was also a guest on Keillor's A Prairie Home Companion in 2009. Padgett is a chancellor of the Academy of American Poets and his most recent books include How to Be Perfect; You Never Know, Joe: A Memoir of Joe Brainard; and If I Were You. Born in Oklahoma, he lives in New York City and Calais, Vermont.

Genre: Poetry

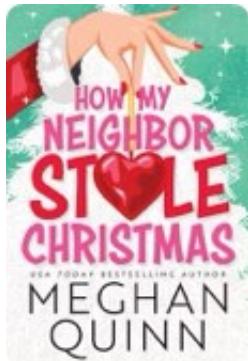
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Language: English

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How My Neighbor Stole Christmas

Meghan Quinn

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (October 15, 2024)



Summary:

A new holiday enemies-to-lovers romance from USA Today bestselling author Meghan Quinn. Every Kringle in Kringletown celebrated Christmas a lot. But Cole Black on Whistler Lane, unfortunately, did not. As his fellow citizens decorate their quaint town, brimming with carols and glad tidings, Cole wants nothing more than to hibernate the winter away. But his dreary plans are thwarted when his Christmas nemesis, Storee Taylor, moves in next door to care for her Aunt Cindy. Immediately, the new neighbor turns his life into a real nightmare before Christmas, especially when she decides to enter the town Christmas Kringle contest in honor of Cindy. And better yet, Storee is determined to win. Over Cole's dead body, she will. With help from his friend Max, Cole decides to enter the competition as well, to beat Storee at her own game by pretending that this hometown grump's heart has grown three sizes this season and he's fallen for the girl next door. And unfortunately for Storee, she has to follow his lead to have a chance at the Christmas Kringle title. But the competition isn't the only thing that heats up. Cole and Storee's fake relationship becomes very real, and before they know it, they're attempting to hide it from Aunt Cindy. Things get complicated, the competition gets tough, and all it takes is one single night for someone to steal it all...

Genre: Fiction

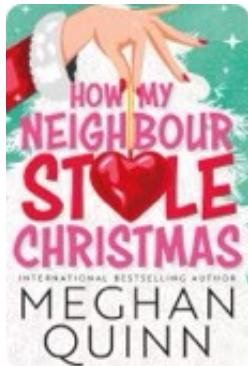
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Date Added: November 2, 2025



How My Neighbour Stole Christmas

A incredibly steamy, hilarious, forced proximity, small town festive romantic comedy about fake-dating your neighbor

Meghan Quinn

Hodder & Stoughton (October 15, 2024)



Summary:

A candy cane-filled, enemies-to-lovers, festive fake-dating romance to spice up everyone's stockings this Christmas . . . As his fellow citizens decorate their quaint town, brimming with carols and glad tidings, Cole wants nothing more than to hibernate the winter away. But his dreary plans are thwarted when his nemesis, Storee Taylor, moves in next door to care for her Aunt Cindy. Immediately his new neighbour turns his world into a real-life nightmare-before-Christmas, especially when she decides to enter the town's Christmas Kringle contest - which she's determined to win. But Cole's got other ideas in mind. Entering the competition himself, he's planning to beat Storee at her own game by pretending this grump's heart has grown three sizes this season, and he's fallen for the girl next door. But the competition isn't the only thing that's starting to heat up - so are Cole and Storee's feelings for each other. Before they know it, things are starting to get very complicated, and all it takes is one night for someone to steal it all...TROPES:Enemies-to-loversSmall townForced proximityFake datingA lot of spice But also expect...A snow storm rescuePorch talks, cocoa, and your childhood crushExcessive use of flannelElite holiday song referencesFake dating to reverse fake datingInappropriate use of a candy cane...REAL READERS ARE OBSESSED WITH MEGHAN QUINN'S BOOKS... 'Outrageously laugh-out-loud funny' 'The way I completely obsessed about this book was not okay!' 'Perfect combination of sweet, sassy, funny and spicy' 'The banter was top tier! The spice was amazing!'

'All the brother's-best-friend, fake-dating, enemies-to-lovers goodness packaged together in an adventure full of second-hand embarrassment and swoon-worthy moments' 'OH MY!!!'

Genre: Fiction

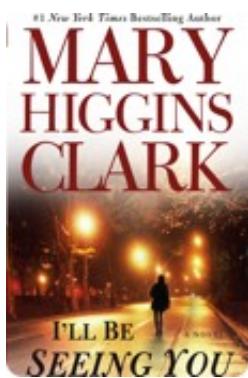
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781399739214

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Date Added: December 29, 2025



I'll Be Seeing You

A Novel

Mary Higgins Clark

Simon and Schuster (May 1, 1994)



Summary:

Covering the story of a stabbing victim, television news reporter Meghan Collins stares down at the sheet-wrapped body of a beautiful young woman in a New York City hospital. What she sees in the dead girl's face draws her into a terrifying web of treachery, where nothing is as it seems and the truth may be too devastating to pursue....In a tragic bridge accident, Meghan's father has disappeared -- but no trace has been found of his body or his car. Meghan's mother, neither widow nor wife, is unable to convert joint assets she needs to retain ownership of the family's Connecticut inn. Before his disappearance, Edwin Collins had taken all the cash out of his substantial insurance policies. Now, in absentia, he has become the suspect in a brutal murder. Trying to identify the dead girl, find her murderer, and clear her own father's name, Meghan finds that her search is entwined with a story she is doing on the Manning Clinic, an in-vitro fertilization center where women seek the children nature has denied them. On a twisting trail of deadly passions and deceit, Meghan is venturing ever closer to the truth...a nightmare journey that may cost her her very life.

Genre: Fiction

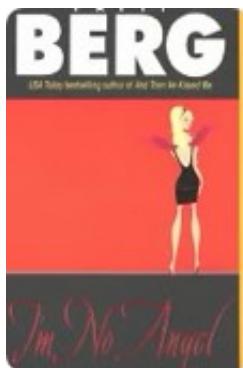
Number of Pages: 320

Language: English

ISBN: 9780671888589

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Heart I'm No Angel

Patti Berg

HarperCollins (June 29, 2004)



Summary:

Top 7 Reasons Why She's No Angel 7. Easily Palm Beach's sexiest private investigator, Angel Devlin always gets her man -- and bad boy millionaire Tom Donovan is at the top of her Most Wanted list. 6. Instinct tells her that drop-dead-gorgeous Tom has something wicked up his sleeve, and she's going to get up close and personal to find out just what. 5. Her list of nocturnal activities includes lifting a wallet while seductively skimming her hands over her victim's rock-solid chest and performing a bewitching lap dance at a seedy underground club. 4. There's nothing sweet or innocent about Angel -- she's as sharp as the steel stiletto she wears strapped to her shapely thigh. 3. Her motto is "dress to thrill." A tight skirt, a hint of cleavage, and a pair of kick-ass Jimmy Choos will make a man open up and divulge all sorts of little secrets. 2. Angel is devilish, devious, and sexy as sin. 1. She's the first to admit she's no angel, but it doesn't stop Tom from falling head over heels in love with the mischievous blonde.

Genre: Fiction

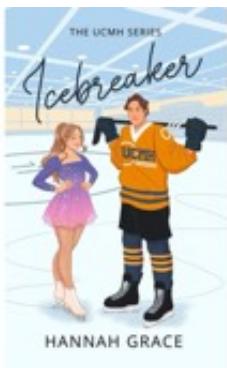
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780060544768

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Icebreaker

A Novel

Hannah Grace

Simon and Schuster (February 7, 2023)



Summary:

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER A TikTok sensation! Sparks fly when a competitive figure skater and hockey team captain are forced to share a rink. Anastasia Allen has worked her entire life for a shot at Team USA. It looks like everything is going according to plan when she gets a full scholarship to the University of California, Maple Hills and lands a place on their competitive figure skating team. Nothing will stand in her way, not even the captain of the hockey team, Nate Hawkins. Nate's focus as team captain is on keeping his team on the ice. Which is tricky when a facilities mishap means they are forced to share a rink with the figure skating team—including Anastasia, who clearly can't stand him. But when Anastasia's skating partner faces an uncertain future, she may have to look to Nate to take her shot. Sparks fly, but Anastasia isn't worried...because she could never like a hockey player, right?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 448

Language: English

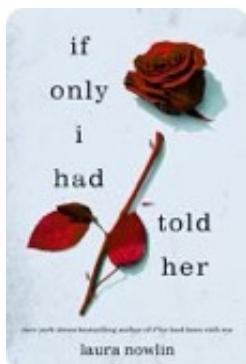
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Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: December 20, 2023

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Heart If Only I Had Told Her

Laura Nowlin

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (2024)



Summary:

An intensely emotional and gripping companion novel to Laura Nowlin's USA Today and New York Times Bestselling novel If He Had Been With Me about the love that both breaks and heals us. Perfect for fans of Colleen Hoover and Jenny Han. If only I'd told her that I loved her years ago, then I wouldn't be here now. Finn has always loved Autumn. She's not just the girl next door or his mother's best friend's daughter, she is his everything. But she's not his girlfriend. That's Sylvie, and Finn would never hurt her, so there's no way Autumn could know how he truly feels. Jack, Finn's best friend, isn't so sure. He's seen Finn and Autumn together. How could she not know? And how is he supposed to support and protect Finn when heartache seems inevitable? Autumn surrounds herself with books and wants to write her own destiny--but one doesn't always get a new chapter and fate can be cruel to those in love. Told through three different perspectives, If Only I Had Told Her is a love story brimming with truth, tragedy, and the unexpected bonds that heal us.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

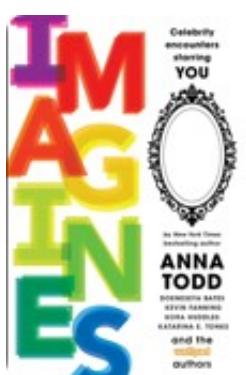
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Language: English

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Date Added: July 27, 2024



Heart IMAGINES

Celebrity Encounters Starring You

Anna Todd, A. Evansley, Annelie Lange, Ariana Godoy, Ashley Winters, Bel Watson, Bella Higgin, Blair Holden, Bryony Leah, C.M. Peters, Debra Goelz, Dmitri Ragano, Doeneseya Bates, E. Latimer, Elizabeth A. Seibert, Jen Wilde, Jordan Lynde, Karim Soliman, Kassandra Tate, Katarina E. Tonks, Kate J. Squires, Kevin Fanning, Kora Huddles, Laiza Millan, Leigh Ansell, Marcella Uva, Michelle Jo Quinn, Peyton Novak, Rachel Aukes, Rebecca Sky, Scarlett Drake, Steffanie Tan, and Tango Walker

Simon and Schuster (April 26, 2016)



Summary:

Anna Todd (#1 internationally bestselling author of the After series) headlines this unique anthology of “imagines”—the first book of its kind—stories from Wattpad writers that immerse you in a fantasy world of fame, adventure, and flirtation with your favorite celebrities. Imagine running around the city, dodging paparazzi with Jennifer Lawrence... Imagine Justin Bieber setting up a romantic scavenger hunt for your anniversary, retelling the story of your love... Imagine selfies have been outlawed, making Kim Kardashian a freedom fighter who needs your help in bringing justice and good lighting to the people... Let your fantasies take over! That's what the top Wattpad authors have done in this special collection of fictional scenarios that bring you up close and personal with the real celebrities you love—star alongside Zayn Malik, Cameron Dallas, Kanye West, Selena Gomez, Dylan O'Brien, Tom Hardy, Jamie Dornan, Benedict Cumberbatch, and many more! Authors included in the book are Leigh Ansell, Rachel Aukes, Doeneseya Bates, Scarlett Drake, A. Evansley, Kevin Fanning, Ariana Godoy, Debra Goelz, Bella Higgin, Blair Holden, Kora Huddles, Annelie Lange, E. Latimer, Bryony Leah, Jordan Lynde, Laiza Millan, Peyton Novak, C.M. Peters, Michelle Jo Quinn, Dmitri Ragano, Elizabeth A. Seibert, Rebecca Sky, Karim Soliman, Kate J. Squires, Steffanie Tan, Kassandra Tate, Anna Todd, Katarina E. Tonks, Marcella Uva, Tango Walker, Bel Watson, Jen Wilde, and Ashley Winters. Wattpad is a writing community in which users are able to post articles, stories, fanfiction, and poems about anything either online or through the Wattpad app. Note: Although this book mentions many real celebrities, they have not participated in, authorized, or endorsed its creation.

Genre: Fiction

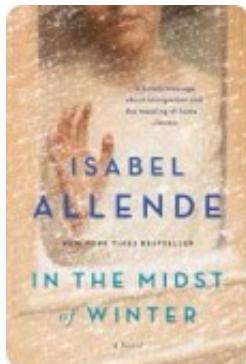
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781501130809

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



In the Midst of Winter

A Novel

Isabel Allende

Atria Books (September 4, 2018)



Summary:

New York Times and worldwide bestselling author Isabel Allende returns with a sweeping novel that journeys from present-day Brooklyn to Guatemala in the recent past to 1970s Chile and Brazil that offers “a timely message about immigration and the meaning of home” (People). During the biggest Brooklyn snowstorm in living memory, Richard Bowmaster, a lonely university professor in his sixties, hits the car of Evelyn Ortega, a young undocumented immigrant from Guatemala, and what at first seems an inconvenience takes a more serious turn when Evelyn comes to his house, seeking help. At a loss, the professor asks his tenant, Lucia Maraz, a fellow academic from Chile, for her advice. As these three lives intertwine, each will discover truths about how they have been shaped by the tragedies they witnessed, and Richard and Lucia will find unexpected, long overdue love. Allende returns here to themes that have propelled some of her finest work: political injustice, the art of survival, and the essential nature of—and our need for—love.

Genre: Fiction

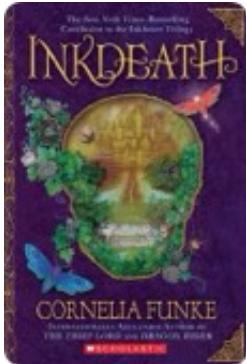
Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9781501178146

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Heart Inkdeath

Cornelia Funke

Scholastic, Incorporated (July 1, 2010)



Summary:

The Adderhead--his immortality bound in a book by Meggie's father, Mo--has ordered his henchmen to plunder the villages. The peasants' only defense is a band of outlaws led by the Bluejay--Mo's fictitious double, whose identity he has reluctantly adopted. But the Book of Immortality is unraveling, and the Adderhead again fears the White Women of Death. To bring the renegade Bluejay back to repair the book, the Adderhead kidnaps all the children in the kingdom, dooming them to slavery in his silver mines unless Mo surrenders. First Dustfinger, now Mo: Can anyone save this cursed story?6. INKSPELL, Book Sense Book of the Year, has spent more than 40 weeks of the NYT list.7. INKHEART movie, starring Paul Bettany, Brendan Fraser, and Oscar-winner Helen Mirren, now available on DVD.8. Funke, a four-time nominee and two-time Book Sense winner, is a favorite of booksellers.9. More than 5 million Funke titles in print across all channels in North America alone!

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

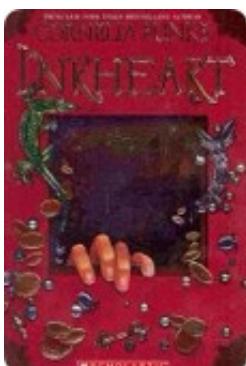
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Language: English

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Heart Inkheart

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Cornelia Funke

Chicken House/Scholastic (2003)



Summary:

Twelve-year-old Meggie learns that her father, who repairs and binds books for a living, can "read" fictional characters to life when one of those characters abducts them and tries to force him into service.

Genre: Fathers and daughters

Number of Pages: 563

Language: English

ISBN: 9780439709101

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Intimate

Lara Jade

Independently Published (December 3, 2020)



Summary:

It is now senior year and Aria Boyd has to make a lot of decisions that could potentially change her life forever. Between Noah being 1,969 miles away at UCLA and Aria deciding which school is right for her, she's questioning whether or not a relationship with Noah is worth it. Noah wants her to come to UCLA. She does not think UCLA is the right choice. But which school will Aria choose? And will she choose to stay with Noah or go her own way?

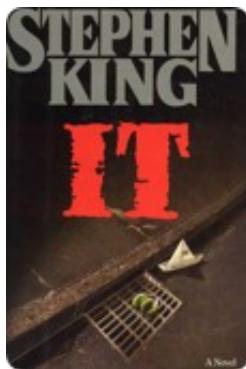
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It

Stephen King

New American Library (1987)



Summary:

"Previously published in a Viking edition. A limited first edition of this book has been published by Phantasia Press"--T.p. verso.

Genre: coming of age

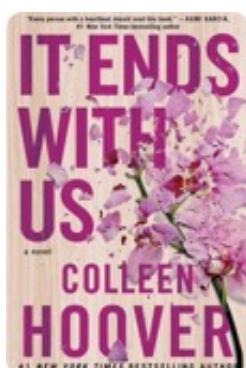
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780451159274

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It Ends with Us

A Novel

Colleen Hoover

Simon and Schuster (August 2, 2016)



Summary:

In this “brave and heartbreaking novel that digs its claws into you and doesn’t let go, long after you’ve finished it” (Anna Todd, New York Times bestselling author) from the #1 New York Times bestselling author of *All Your Perfects*, a workaholic with a too-good-to-be-true romance can’t stop thinking about her first love. Lily hasn’t always had it easy, but that’s never stopped her from working hard for the life she wants. She’s come a long way from the small town where she grew up—she graduated from college, moved to Boston, and started her own business. And when she feels a spark with a gorgeous neurosurgeon named Ryle Kincaid, everything in Lily’s life seems too good to be true. Ryle is assertive, stubborn, maybe even a little arrogant. He’s also sensitive, brilliant, and has a total soft spot for Lily. And the way he looks in scrubs certainly doesn’t hurt. Lily can’t get him out of her head. But Ryle’s complete aversion to relationships is disturbing. Even as Lily finds herself becoming the exception to his “no dating” rule, she can’t help but wonder what made him that way in the first place. As questions about her new relationship overwhelm her, so do thoughts of Atlas Corrigan—her first love and a link to the past she left behind. He was her kindred spirit, her protector. When Atlas suddenly reappears, everything Lily has built with Ryle is threatened. An honest, evocative, and tender novel, *It Ends with Us* is “a glorious and touching read, a forever keeper. The kind of book that gets handed down” (USA TODAY).

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9781501110368

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

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It Happened One Summer

A Novel

Tessa Bailey

HarperCollins Publishers (July 13, 2021)



Summary:

USA TODAY BESTSELLER Tessa Bailey is back with a Schitt's Creek-inspired rom-com about a Hollywood "It Girl" who's cut off from her wealthy family and exiled to a small Pacific Northwest beach town... where she butts heads with a surly, sexy local who thinks she doesn't belong. As seen on E!Online, PopSugar, CNN, EliteDaily, Vulture, Buzzfeed, Bustle, the Nerd Daily, PARADE, LA Magazine, Country Living, USA Today, and more! Piper Bellinger is fashionable, influential, and her reputation as a wild child means the paparazzi are constantly on her heels. When too much champagne and an out-of-control rooftop party lands Piper in the slammer, her stepfather decides enough is enough. So he cuts her off, and sends Piper and her sister to learn some responsibility running their late father's dive bar... in Washington. Piper hasn't even been in Westport for five minutes when she meets big, bearded sea captain Brendan, who thinks she won't last a week outside of Beverly Hills. So what if Piper can't do math, and the idea of sleeping in a shabby apartment with bunk beds gives her hives. How bad could it really be? She's determined to show her stepfather--and the hot, grumpy local--that she's more than a pretty face. Except it's a small town and everywhere she turns, she bumps into Brendan. The fun-loving socialite and the gruff fisherman are polar opposites, but there's an undeniable attraction simmering between them. Piper doesn't want any distractions, especially feelings for a man who sails off into the sunset for weeks at a time. Yet as she reconnects with her past and begins to feel at home in Westport, Piper starts to wonder if the cold, glamorous life she knew is what she truly wants. LA is calling her name, but Brendan--and this town full of memories--may have already caught her heart.

Genre: Fiction

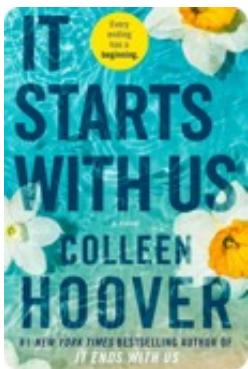
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Language: English

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It Starts with Us

A Novel

Colleen Hoover

Simon and Schuster (October 18, 2022)



Summary:

Before It Ends with Us, it started with Atlas. Colleen Hoover tells fan favorite Atlas's side of the story and shares what comes next in this long-anticipated sequel to the "glorious and touching" (USA TODAY) #1 New York Times bestseller It Ends with Us. Lily and her ex-husband, Ryle, have just settled into a civil coparenting rhythm when she suddenly bumps into her first love, Atlas, again. After nearly two years separated, she is elated that for once, time is on their side, and she immediately says yes when Atlas asks her on a date. But her excitement is quickly hampered by the knowledge that, though they are no longer married, Ryle is still very much a part of her life—and Atlas Corrigan is the one man he will hate being in his ex-wife and daughter's life. Switching between the perspectives of Lily and Atlas, It Starts with Us picks up right where the epilogue for the "gripping, pulse-pounding" (Sarah Pekkanen, author of Perfect Neighbors) bestselling phenomenon It Ends with Us left off. Revealing more about Atlas's past and following Lily as she embraces a second chance at true love while navigating a jealous ex-husband, it proves that "no one delivers an emotional read like Colleen Hoover" (Anna Todd, New York Times bestselling author).

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9781668001226

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 1, 2023



It's Not Summer Without You

Jenny Han

Simon and Schuster (April 5, 2011)



Summary:

Now a streaming series in Summer 2022! Belly finds out what comes after falling in love in this follow-up to The Summer I Turned Pretty from the New York Times bestselling author of To All the Boys I've Loved Before (now a major motion picture!), Jenny Han. It used to be that Belly counted the days until summer, until she was back at Cousins Beach with Conrad and Jeremiah. But not this year. Not after Susannah got sick again and Conrad stopped caring. Everything that was right and good has fallen apart, leaving Belly wishing summer would never come. But when Jeremiah calls saying Conrad has disappeared, Belly knows what she must do to make things right again. And it can only happen back at the beach house, the three of them together, the way things used to be. If this summer really and truly is the last summer, it should end the way it started—at Cousins Beach.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 275

Language: English

ISBN: 9781416995562

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Jane Eyre

Charlotte Brontë

Sweet Water Press (2012)



Summary:

A young woman looks back at her childhood in a harsh orphanage and describes her growing love for the man who employs her as governess.

Number of Pages: 627

Language: English

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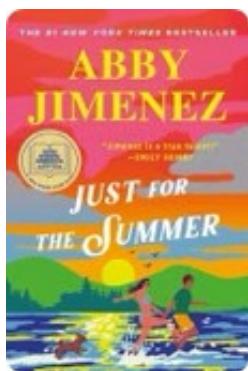
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Just for the Summer

Abby Jimenez

Grand Central Publishing (2024)



Summary:

Instant #1 New York Times bestseller and a Good Morning America Book Club Pick! This witty, slow-burn rom-com is the "ideal beach read." --Elle Justin has a curse, and thanks to a Reddit thread, it's now all over the internet. Every woman he dates goes on to find their soul mate the second they break up. When a woman slides into his DMs with the same problem, they come up with a plan: They'll date each other and break up. Their curses will cancel each other's out, and they'll both go on to find the love of their lives. It's a bonkers idea... and it just might work. Emma hadn't planned that her next assignment as a traveling nurse would be in Minnesota, but she and her best friend agree that dating Justin is too good of an opportunity to pass up, especially when they get to rent an adorable cottage on a private island on Lake Minnetonka. It's supposed to be a quick fling, just for the summer. But when Emma's toxic mother shows up and Justin has to assume guardianship of his three siblings, they're suddenly navigating a lot more than they expected--including catching real feelings for each other. What if this time Fate has actually brought the perfect pair together?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 432

Language: English

ISBN: 9781538704431

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 16, 2024



Just listen

Sarah Dessen

Speak (2008)



Summary:

From the award-winning and New York Times bestselling author of Once and for All To find the truth you've got to be willing to hear it. When she's modeling, Annabel is the picture of perfection. But her real life is far from perfect. Fortunately, she's got Owen. He's intense, music-obsessed, and dedicated to always telling the truth. And most of all, he's determined to make Annabel happy. . . "This is young adult fiction at its best." —School Library Journal Sarah Dessen is the winner of the Margaret A. Edwards Award for her contributions to YA literature, as well as the Romantic Times Career Achievement Award. Books by Sarah Dessen: That Summer Someone Like You Keeping the Moon Dreamland This Lullaby The Truth About Forever Just Listen Lock and Key Along for the Ride What Happened to Goodbye The Moon and More Saint Anything Once and for All

Genre: Families

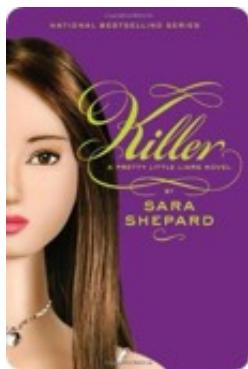
Number of Pages: 371

Language: English

ISBN: 9780142410974

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Killer (Pretty Little Liars #6)

Sara Shepard

HarperTeen (January 19, 2010)



Summary:

#1 New York Times bestselling series The sixth book in the #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the hit ABC Family TV show Pretty Little Liars. Hanna, Aria, Spencer, and Emily have been lying ever since they became friends with beautiful Alison DiLaurentis. And their bad-girl ways didn't die with her. Hanna's on a mission to corrupt Rosewood's youth, starting with a very attractive sophomore. Aria's snooping into her boyfriend's past. Spencer's stealing—from her family. And pure little Emily's abstaining from abstinence. The girls should be careful, though. There's a new A in town turning up the heat. And this time Rosewood is going to burn. Full of unexpected twists and shocking revelations, Killer is the sixth book in New York Times bestselling author Sara Shepard's compelling Pretty Little Liars series.

Genre: Pretty Little Liars

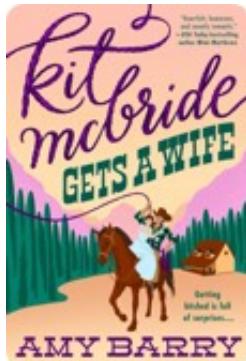
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Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Kit McBride Gets a Wife

Amy Barry

Penguin (August 23, 2022)



Summary:

The four McBride brothers have their worlds turned upside down when their precocious younger sister secretly places an advertisement for a mail-order bride. Kit McBride knows that Buck's Creek, Montana, is no place to find a wife. Between him and his three brothers—plus little Junebug—they manage all right on their own, thank you very much. But unbeknownst to Kit, his sister is sick to death of cleaning, cooking, and mending for her big brothers, so she places an ad in *The Matrimonial News* to get them hitched. After Maddy Mooney emigrated from Ireland, she found employment with an eccentric but poor widow. When her mistress decides to answer an ad for a mail-order bride, Maddy is dragged along for the ride to Montana. But en route to the West, Maddy is suddenly abandoned and left to assume the widow's name, position, and matrimonial prospects.... With no other recourse in the wilderness, Maddy must convince Kit she's the wife he never knew he needed.

Genre: Fiction

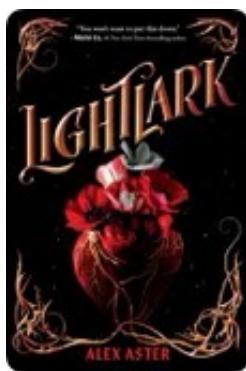
Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593335574

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: August 26, 2023



Lightlark

Alex Astar

Abrams, Incorporated (2022)



Summary:

An instant #1 National Bestseller--soon to be a major motion picture. #BookTok phenomenon and award-winning author Alex Astar delivers readers a masterfully written, utterly gripping YA fantasy novel *Welcome to the Centennial*. Every 100 years, the island of Lightlark appears to host the Centennial, a deadly game that only the rulers of six realms are invited to play. The invitation is a summons--a call to embrace victory and ruin, baubles and blood. The Centennial offers the six rulers one final chance to break the curses that have plagued their realms for centuries. Each ruler has something to hide. Each realm's curse is uniquely wicked. To destroy the curses, one ruler must die. Isla Crown is the young ruler of Wildling--a realm of temptresses cursed to kill anyone they fall in love with. They are feared and despised, and are counting on Isla to end their suffering by succeeding at the Centennial. To survive, Isla must lie, cheat, and betray...even as love complicates everything. Filled with secrets, deception, romance, and twists worthy of the darkest thrillers, *Lightlark* is a must-read for fans of legendary fantasy writers Marie Lu, Marissa Meyer, and Leigh Bardugo.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

Number of Pages: 409

Language: English

ISBN: 9781419760860

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Like Water for Chocolate

A Novel in Monthly Installments With Recipes, Romances, and Home Remedies

Laura Esquivel

Anchor Books (1995)



Summary:

Earthy, magical, and utterly charming, this tale of family life in turn-of-the-century Mexico became a best-selling phenomenon with its winning blend of poignant romance and bittersweet wit. The classic love story takes place on the De la Garza ranch, as the tyrannical owner, Mama Elena, chops onions at the kitchen table in her final days of pregnancy. While still in her mother's womb, her daughter to be weeps so violently she causes an early labor, and little Tita slips out amid the spices and fixings for noodle soup. This early encounter with food soon becomes a way of life, and Tita grows up to be a master chef. She shares special points of her favorite preparations with listeners throughout the story. The Spanish language edition of the best-selling "Like Water For Chocolate" is a remarkable success in its own right. Now, in this mass market edition, thousands of new readers will be able to partake in the sumptuous, romantic, and hilarious tale of Tita, the terrific cook with an extra special something in her sauce. "A delightful first novel... the fragrant story makes you dream of love and want your supper too". -- "Glamour". "A mystical Mexican love story... [that] will charm the palate and the heart". -- "USA Today". "A tall-tal, fairy-tale, soap-opera and home-remedy handbook all rolled into one". -- "San Francisco Chronicle".

Genre: Fiction

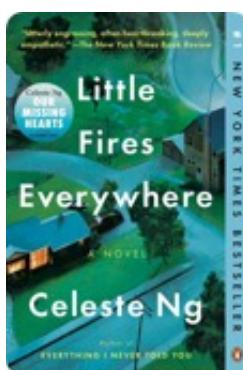
Number of Pages: 245

Language: English

ISBN: 9780385420174

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Little Fires Everywhere

A Novel

Celeste Ng

Penguin (May 7, 2019)



Summary:

The #1 New York Times bestseller! "Witty, wise, and tender. It's a marvel." —Paula Hawkins, author of *The Girl on the Train* and *A Slow Fire Burning* "To say I love this book is an understatement. It's a deep psychological mystery about the power of motherhood, the intensity of teenage love, and the danger of perfection. It moved me to tears." —Reese Witherspoon From the bestselling author of *Everything I Never Told You* and *Our Missing Hearts* comes a riveting novel that traces the intertwined fates of the picture-perfect Richardson family and the enigmatic mother and daughter who upend their lives. In Shaker Heights, a placid, progressive suburb of Cleveland, everything is planned—from the layout of the winding roads, to the colors of the houses, to the successful lives its residents will go on to lead. And no one embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson, whose guiding principle is playing by the rules. Enter Mia Warren—an enigmatic artist and single mother—who arrives in this idyllic bubble with her teenaged daughter Pearl, and rents a house from the Richardsons. Soon Mia and Pearl become more than tenants: all four Richardson children are drawn to the mother-daughter pair. But Mia carries with her a mysterious past and a disregard for the status quo that threatens to upend this carefully ordered community. When old family friends of the Richardsons attempt to adopt a Chinese-American baby, a custody battle erupts that dramatically divides the town—and puts Mia and Elena on opposing sides. Suspicious of Mia and her motives, Elena is determined to uncover the secrets in Mia's past. But her obsession will come at unexpected and devastating costs. *Little Fires Everywhere* explores the weight of secrets, the nature of art and identity, and the ferocious pull of motherhood—and the danger of believing that following the rules can avert disaster. Named a Best Book of the Year by: People, The Washington Post, Bustle, Esquire, Southern Living, The Daily Beast, GQ, Entertainment Weekly, NPR, Amazon, Barnes & Noble, iBooks, Audible, Goodreads, Library Reads, Book of the Month, Paste, Kirkus Reviews, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, and many more... Perfect for book clubs! Visit celesteng.com for discussion guides and more.

Genre: Fiction

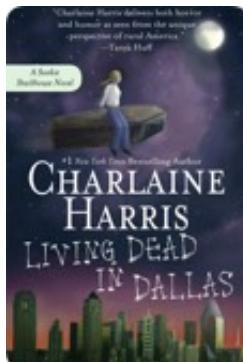
Number of Pages: 368

Language: English

ISBN: 9780735224315

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Living Dead in Dallas

Charlaine Harris

Penguin (2002)



Summary:

Cocktail waitress Sookie Stackhouse is on a streak of bad luck. First, her coworker is murdered and no one seems to care. Then she's face-to-face with a beastly creature that gives her a painful and poisonous lashing. Enter the vampires, who graciously suck the poison from her veins (like they didn't enjoy it). Point is, they saved her life. So when one of the bloodsuckers asks for a favor, she complies. And soon, Sookie's in Dallas using her telepathic skills to search for a missing vampire. She's supposed to interview certain humans involved, but there's just one condition - the vampires must promise to behave, and let the humans go unharmed. Easier said than done. All it takes is one delicious blonde and one small mistake for things to turn deadly.

Genre: Fiction

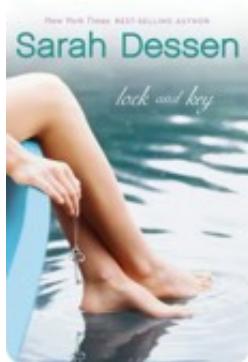
Number of Pages: 262

Language: English

ISBN: 9780441009237

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Lock and Key

Sarah Dessen

Penguin (2009)



Summary:

A "New York Times" bestseller Unlock your heart and the rest will follow. Ruby is used to taking care of herself. But now that she's living with her sister, she's got her own room, she's going to a good school, and her future looks bright. Plus there's the adorable boy next door. Can Ruby learn to open her heart and let him in? "All the Dessen trademarks here" -- "Publishers Weekly," starred review Also by Sarah Dessen: Along for the Ride Dreamland Just Listen Keeping the Moon The Moon and More Someone Like You That Summer This Lullaby The Truth About Forever What Happened to Goodbye

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

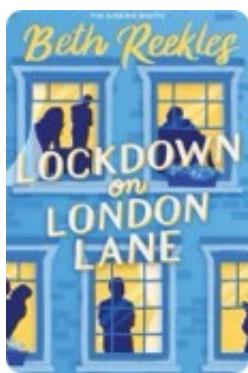
Number of Pages: 422

Language: English

ISBN: 9780142414729

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Lockdown on London Lane

Beth Reekles

Wattpad WEBTOON Book Group (February 1, 2022)



Summary:

One of: BuzzFeed's Recommended Reads in February USA Today's February Rom-Coms to Read PopSugar's Novels for a Romantic Escape The Mary Sue's Books to Help Process the COVID Pandemic BookPage's 2022 preview: Most anticipated romance Book Riot's 11 Most Anticipated New Adult Romances for Spring 22 "Reekles's capable plotting toggles between apartments and keeps readers wondering what's next. The result transforms the harsh realities of quarantine into rom-com enchantment." -- Publishers Weekly For the inhabitants of London Lane, a simple slip of paper underneath each of their doors is about to change their lives in a hundred different ways. URGENT!!! Due to the current situation, building management has decided to impose a seven-day quarantine on all apartment buildings on London Lane. With nowhere else to go . . . Ethan and Charlotte wonder whether absence really does make the heart grow fonder when they end up on either side of a locked door. A fierce debate over pineapple on pizza ignites a series of revelations about Zach and Serena's four-year relationship. Liv realizes rolling with the punches is sometimes much harder than it looks after her bridesmaids' party goes off the rails, leaving the group at each other's throats. Isla and Danny's new romance is put to the test as they jump ten steps ahead on the relationship timeline. And Imogen and Nate's one-night stand is about to get six do-overs they never really asked for—not awkward at all. Through make-ups, breakups, love-ins, and blowouts, friendships are tested as everyone scrambles to make it through the week unscathed. Amidst all the drama, one thing remains constant: life is full of surprises.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9781989365854

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Looking Forward

Maya Henry

Mars Books Publishing (2024)



Summary:

"Growing up in an exclusive Tennessee neighborhood, Mallory Hunt never fit in. Chubby and brunette in a sea of blond future debutantes, she takes solace in her tight-knit family and best friend Luna. Together, the girls bond over their favorite band, 5Forward, imagining exciting, glamorous futures. Years later, Mal is suddenly thrust into the world of high fashion modeling. She transforms herself from small town outcast to model, meeting people she's only seen in magazines ...including Oliver Smith, the handsome former member of 5Forward! From Dubai to Paris, London to Coachella, Mallory finds herself desperately in love with the former boy-bander despite fame, attention, and personal demons that threaten them both. As their fantasy love affair goes from private intimacy to public meltdown, Mallory learns the pain and heartache when your love goes from girlhood fantasy to real life drama."--

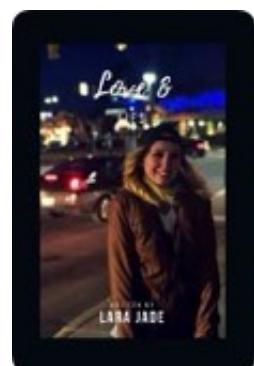
Number of Pages: 434

Language: English

ISBN: 9798989985319

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025



Love & Lies

Lara Jade

Amazon Digital Services LLC - KDP Print US (February 10, 2019)



Summary:

After being bullied at her old schools, Aria Boyd and her parents move once again and attempt a new bully-free life at St. Andrew's Academy in Rockford, Illinois. Will this new change give Aria another chance? Will getting to know the mysterious quarterback, Noah Turner help her realize who she is? Or will he only break her heart?

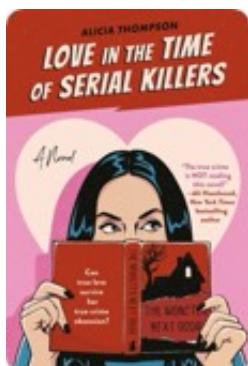
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Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Love in the Time of Serial Killers

Alicia Thompson

Penguin (August 16, 2022)



Summary:

One of Cosmopolitan's Best Romance Novels Ever Turns out that reading nothing but true crime isn't exactly conducive to modern dating—and one woman is going to have to learn how to give love a chance when she's used to suspecting the worst. PhD candidate Phoebe Walsh has always been obsessed with true crime. She's even analyzing the genre in her dissertation—if she can manage to finish writing it. It's hard to find the time while she spends the summer in Florida, cleaning out her childhood home, dealing with her obnoxiously good-natured younger brother, and grappling with the complicated feelings of mourning a father she hadn't had a relationship with for years. It doesn't help that she's low-key convinced that her new neighbor, Sam Dennings, is a serial killer (he may dress business casual by day, but at night he's clearly up to something). It's not long before Phoebe realizes that Sam might be something much scarier—a genuinely nice guy who can pierce her armor to reach her vulnerable heart.

Genre: Fiction

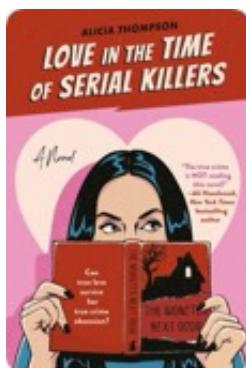
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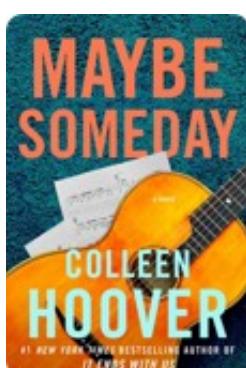
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780593438657

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: December 29, 2025



Maybe Someday

Colleen Hoover

Simon and Schuster (March 18, 2014)



Summary:

From the #1 New York Times bestselling author of *It Starts with Us* and *It Ends with Us* comes a passionate tale of friendship, betrayal, and romance. At twenty-two years old, Sydney is enjoying a great life: She's in college, working a steady job, in love with her wonderful boyfriend, Hunter, and rooming with her best friend, Tori. But everything changes when she discovers that Hunter is cheating on her—and she's forced to decide what her next move should be. Soon, Sydney finds herself captivated by her mysterious and attractive neighbor, Ridge. She can't take her eyes off him or stop listening to the passionate way he plays his guitar every evening out on his balcony. And there's something about Sydney that Ridge can't ignore, either. They soon find themselves needing each other in more ways than one.

Genre: Fiction

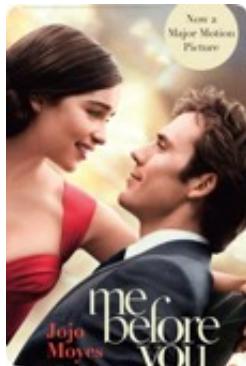
Number of Pages: 370

Language: English

ISBN: 9781476753164

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Me Before You

Jojo Moyes

Penguin Books (2012)



Summary:

The #1 New York Times bestseller, now a major motion picture. Look out for Jojo's new book, *Paris for One and Other Stories*, coming October 18, 2016. They had nothing in common until love gave them everything to lose . . . Louisa Clark is an ordinary girl living an exceedingly ordinary life--steady boyfriend, close family--who has barely been farther afield than their tiny village. She takes a badly needed job working for ex-Master of the Universe Will Traynor, who is wheelchair bound after an accident. Will has always lived a huge life--big deals, extreme sports, worldwide travel--and now he's pretty sure he cannot live the way he is. Will is acerbic, moody, bossy--but Lou refuses to treat him with kid gloves, and soon his happiness means more to her than she expected. When she learns that Will has shocking plans of his own, she sets out to show him that life is still worth living. A Love Story for this generation and perfect for fans of John Green's *The Fault in Our Stars*, *Me Before You* brings to life two people who couldn't have less in common--a heartbreakingly romantic novel that asks, What do you do when making the person you love happy also means breaking your own heart? From the Trade Paperback edition.

Genre: Fiction

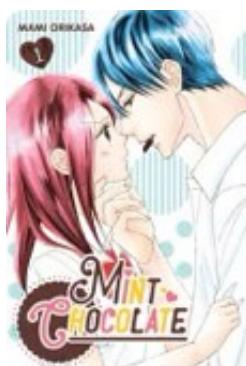
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Mint Chocolate, Vol. 1

Mami Orikasa

Yen Press LLC (January 19, 2021)



Summary:

It's an absolute secret--our relationship! When Nanami finally gets a chance to meet her mom's new husband and his son, the last person she expects to see is one of her classmates, Kyouhei Suzumura. Not only is her new stepbrother cool and completely unapproachable, but even worse--he's the crazy-hot guy Nanami's been crushing on for months...! Only time will tell how Nanami's unexpectedly forbidden romance will play out...

Genre: Literature

Number of Pages: 192

Language: English

ISBN: 9781975320263

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Misconduct

Penelope Douglas

Penguin Publishing Group (December 1, 2015)



Summary:

A compelling standalone novel from the New York Times bestselling author of the Fall Away series—who never fails to deliver a “powerfully written contemporary love story.”* Former tennis player Easton Bradbury is trying to be the best teacher she can be, trying to reach her bored students, trying to forget her past. What brought her to this stage in her life isn’t important. She can’t let it be. But now one parent-teacher meeting may be her undoing.... Meeting Tyler Marek for the first time makes it easy for Easton to see why his son is having trouble in school. The man knows how to manage businesses and wealth, not a living, breathing teenage boy. Or a young teacher, for that matter, though he tries to. And yet...there is something about him that draws Easton in—a hint of vulnerability, a flash of attraction, a spark that might burn. Wanting him is taboo. Needing him is undeniable. And his long-awaited touch will weaken Easton’s resolve—and reveal what should stay hidden....*Booklist

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9780451477286

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 1, 2023



Monster High

a novel

Lisi Harrison

Poppy (2010)



Summary:

The monster community has kept a low profile at the local high school, but when two new girls enroll, the town will never be the same. Created just fifteen days ago, Frankie Stein is psyched to trade her father's formaldehyde-smelling basement lab for parties and prom.

But with a student body totally freaked out by rumors of monsters stalking the halls, Frankie learns that high school can be rough for a chic freak like her. She thinks she finds a friend in fellow new student Melody Carver—but can a "normie" be trusted with her big secret?

Genre: New York Times bestseller

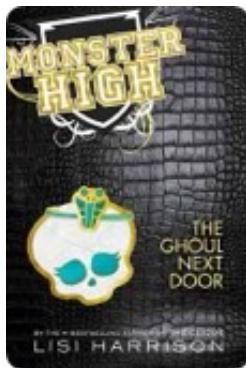
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Monster High: The Ghoul Next Door**

Lisi Harrison

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers (April 5, 2011)



Summary:

Cleopatra de Nile - New pet snake- Has Deuce--the hottest guy in school--all wrapped up- Herve Leger bandage dress, strappy gold platforms Cleo was the queen bee of the RADs, the normies, and everyone in between at Merston High. But now it's "Frankie this" and "Melody that" . . . these new girls sure know how to get her lashes in a tangle. When Cleo lands a golden Teen Vogue photo op for her friends, everything seems to be back on track . . . until they bail to be in some film . . . Frankie and Melody's film! Can't a royal get some loyal? Frankie Stein Frankie lost her head over Brett once and vows never to do it again. Not that she has a choice: Bekka is clinging to her guy like plastic wrap. But when Brett comes up with a plan that could help the RADs live free, sparks fly, and Bekka will stop at nothing to put out the flames . . . even if it means destroying the entire monster community. Melody Carver The clock is tick-tick-ticking. Melody has a serious deadline to save her boyfriend, Jackson, from being exposed by the vengeance-seeking Bekka. But Cleo is making it royally difficult for the normie while threatening her acceptance into the RADs' exclusive group . . . a group that Melody suspects she has more in common with than she ever thought. Fitting in is out.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 256

Language: English

ISBN: 9780316099110

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **My Dad's Best Friend**

Katee Robert

Trinkets & Tales LLC (December 28, 2020)



Summary:

He's the one man I'm not supposed to want... My dad's best friend. After he rejected me six years ago, I've steered clear of Jonas. Until now. I need his help, and I won't take no for an answer. The plan is to show up at his house and plead my case, but a rainstorm derails everything, trapping us together for the weekend. When he catches me in a compromising position, things quickly spiral out of control. We promise each other the weekend to purge the desire that's been simmering for six long years. No fantasy is too dark, too filthy, too forbidden, to play out. The only rule is that this thing between us ends when the storm does. Surely it's the one rule I can keep from breaking? In My Dad's Best Friend, You'll Find: - Grumpy One + Sunshine One- Daddy Stuff- Age Gap Romance- Kinky roleplay- Only One Bed!

Genre: Fiction

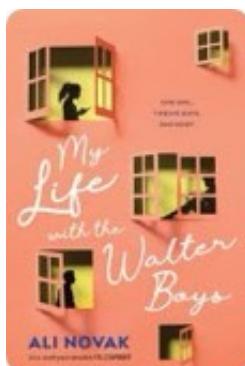
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781951329273

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 1, 2023



My Life with the Walter Boys

Ali Novak

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (September 3, 2019)



Summary:

Now a Netflix series! When a tragic accident leads Jackie to move into a house filled with twelve boys, she gets far more than she ever expected. This sweet YA romance is perfect for fans of Kasie West and Jenny Han--and is one of the most beloved Wattpad books ever! Moving in with twelve boys was not part of the plan. Jackie's goal is perfection--perfect grades, the perfect look, getting into the perfect school. If she can achieve that, then maybe her too-busy mom and dad will take notice. But when her parents die in a tragic accident, Jackie is shipped off across the country to live with the Walters, her new guardians...who just happen to have twelve sons (well, eleven, but their daughter, Parker, is basically one of the boys). The Walter boys are loud, dirty, annoying--and, okay, some of the older boys might be Greek god level hot, but they don't think a city girl belongs on their horse ranch. How is Jackie supposed to fit into their chaotic world when she needs to keep her parents' memory alive by living up to the promise of perfect? But as Jackie spends more time with the Walter boys, she begins to wonder if the perfection she's always strived for isn't the only way to find love after all. Funny and moving, *My Life with the Walter Boys* is perfect for readers looking for: Wattpad love storiescontemporary romance for teensbinge-worthy YA novelsrelatable characters

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9781728205472

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



New Moon

Stephenie Meyer

Megan Tingley Books (May 1, 2008)



Summary:

As the love triangle heats up in the third book, Bella must choose between her friendship with Jacob and her romance with Edward -- and her decision could change the fate of vampires and werewolves forever. As Seattle is ravaged by a string of mysterious killings and a malicious vampire continues her quest for revenge, Bella once again finds herself surrounded by danger. In the midst of it all, she is forced to choose between her love for Edward and her friendship with Jacob -- knowing that her decision has the potential to ignite the ageless struggle between vampire and werewolf. With her graduation quickly approaching, Bella has one more decision to make: life or death. But which is which? It's here! #1 bestselling author Stephenie Meyer makes a triumphant return to the world of *Twilight* with the highly anticipated companion, *Midnight Sun*: the iconic love story of Bella and Edward told from the vampire's point of view. "People do not want to just read Meyer's books; they want to climb inside them and live there." -- *Time* "A literary phenomenon." -- *The New York Times*

Genre: Vampires

ISBN: 9780316024969

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Night Shift**

Annie Crown

Wattpad WEBTOON Book Group (November 14, 2023)



Summary:

*A TikTok Sensation!*A sweet encounter between a bookworm and a basketball player turns steamy in the stacks after hours . . . Kendall Holiday spends her Fridays exactly where she wants to be: ensconced in a romance novel in an empty college library working the graveyard shift. The quiet of the library is dependable, and gives Kendall an excellent excuse for skipping out on the loud, raucous start to the weekend. Lost in the pages of her favorite love stories, Kendall blocks out the world—until Vincent Knight, the school's star basketball player, turns up. Handsome, tall, and extremely popular, Vincent's a standout on the court, but he's out of his depth in the stacks: he's got an urgent assignment due and doesn't have a clue where to start. When his meet-cute with Kendall turns into a steamy make-out session, neither are quite prepared for what comes next. Opposites might attract in romance novels . . . but it takes a lot more truth than tropes to make it work in real life.

Genre: Fiction

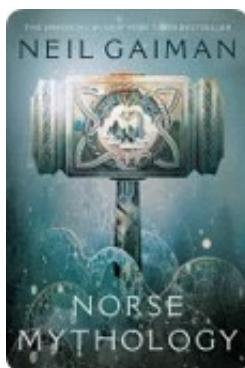
Number of Pages: 302

Language: English

ISBN: 9781998854745

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart **Norse Mythology**

Neil Gaiman

W.W. Norton (2018)



Summary:

"Introducing an instant classic--master storyteller Neil Gaiman presents a dazzling version of the great Norse myths. Neil Gaiman has long been inspired by ancient mythology in creating the fantastical realms of his fiction. Now he turns his attention back to the source, presenting a bravura rendition of the great northern tales. In *Norse Mythology*, Gaiman stays true to the myths in envisioning the major Norse pantheon: Odin, the highest of the high, wise, daring, and cunning; Thor, Odin's son, incredibly strong yet not the wisest of gods; and Loki--son of a giant--blood brother to Odin and a trickster and unsurpassable manipulator. Gaiman fashions these primeval stories into a novelistic arc that begins with the genesis of the legendary nine worlds and delves into the exploits of deities, dwarfs, and giants. Once, when Thor's hammer is stolen, Thor must disguise himself as a woman--difficult with his beard and huge appetite--to steal it back. More poignant is the tale in which the blood of Kvasir--the most sagacious of gods--is turned into a mead that infuses drinkers with poetry. The work culminates in Ragnarok, the twilight of the gods and rebirth of a new time and people. Through Gaiman's deft and witty prose emerge these gods with their fiercely competitive natures, their susceptibility to being duped and to duping others, and their tendency to let passion ignite their actions, making these long-ago myths breathe pungent life again."--Publisher's description.

Genre: Fiction

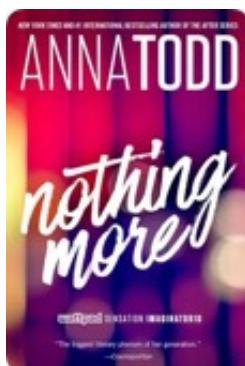
Number of Pages: 304

Language: English

ISBN: 9780393356182

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Nothing More

Anna Todd

Simon and Schuster (September 20, 2016)



Summary:

Book 1 of a new series featuring After worldwide fan-favorite Landon Gibson as he leaves Washington to navigate love and life in New York City. At the end of the After Ever Happy, Landon got married—but readers everywhere have been wondering who will get to call the nicest boy in the After series their forever love? Read it and find out! “I’m so excited for everyone to get to know Landon Gibson. Whether you’re just hearing about him or already know him from the After series, I know that readers are going to love his story. He’s kind and fiercely loyal, and when he falls in love, he loves hard.” (Anna Todd, New York Times and #1 international bestselling author of the After series)

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 272

Language: English

ISBN: 9781501130762

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Obsessed

Ivy Smoak

Ivy Smoak (2021)



Summary:

I’m not a good man. And it turns out I’m an even worse professor. I have sinful thoughts about one of my students. Every night. I picture her in my bed. In my shower. Underneath me. Right up against the chalkboard. I’m especially fond of that one. In my defense, I know her thoughts are as sinful as mine. She’s begging me with her beautiful blue eyes. She’s daring me to cross the line. No, I’m not a good man. And I’m done pretending to be. I know exactly what I’m going to do to her as soon as she walks into my office hours.

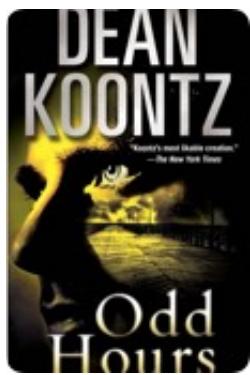
Number of Pages: 364

Language: English

ISBN: 9798496178617

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: August 26, 2023



Odd Hours

Dean Ray Koontz

Bantam Books (April 1, 2009)



Summary:

#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER Only a handful of fictional characters are recognized by first name alone. Dean Koontz's Odd Thomas is one such literary hero, who has come alive in readers' imaginations as he explores the greatest mysteries of this world and the next with his inimitable wit, heart, and quiet gallantry. Now Koontz follows Odd as he is drawn onward, to a destiny he cannot imagine. Haunted by dreams of an all-encompassing red tide, Odd is pulled inexorably to the sea, to a small California coastal town where nothing is as it seems.

Genre: Fiction

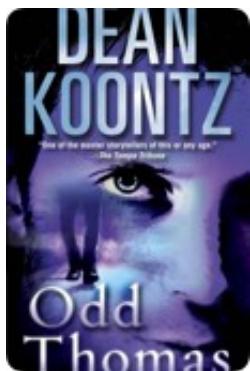
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780553591705

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Odd Thomas

Dean Koontz

Bantam Books (2012)



Summary:

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER "The dead don't talk. I don't know why." But they do try to communicate, with a short-order cook in a small desert town serving as their reluctant confidant. Meet Odd Thomas, the unassuming young hero of Dean Koontz's dazzling New York Times bestseller, a gallant sentinel at the crossroads of life and death who offers up his heart in these pages and will forever capture yours. Sometimes the silent souls who seek out Odd want justice. Occasionally their otherworldly tips help him prevent a crime. But this time it's different. A stranger comes to Pico Mundo, accompanied by a horde of hyena-like shades who herald an imminent catastrophe. Aided by his soul mate, Stormy Llewellyn, and an unlikely community of allies that includes the King of Rock 'n' Roll, Odd will race against time to thwart the gathering evil. His account of these shattering hours, in which past and present, fate and destiny, converge, is a testament by which to live—an unforgettable fable for our time destined to rank among Dean Koontz's most enduring works.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 463

Language: English

ISBN: 978034553425

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



One of Us is Lying

Karen M. McManus

Delacorte Press (2017)



Summary:

A NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER "Pretty Little Liars meets The Breakfast Club" (EW.com) in this "flat-out addictive" (RT Book Reviews) story of what happens when five strangers walk into detention and only four walk out alive. Pay close attention and you might solve this. On Monday afternoon, five students at Bayview High walk into detention. Bronwyn, the brain, is Yale-bound and never breaks a rule. Addy, the beauty, is the picture-perfect homecoming princess. Nate, the criminal, is already on probation for dealing. Cooper, the athlete, is the all-star baseball pitcher. And Simon, the outcast, is the creator of Bayview High's notorious gossip app. Only, Simon never makes it out of that classroom. Before the end of detention Simon's dead. And according to investigators, his death wasn't an accident. On Monday, he died. But on Tuesday, he'd planned to post juicy reveals about all four of his high-profile classmates, which makes all four of them suspects in his murder. Or are they the perfect patsies for a killer who's still on the loose? Everyone has secrets, right? What really matters is how far you would go to protect them. And don't miss Karen McManus's new novel *Two Can Keep a Secret* that Bustle says is "a must-read YA thriller if you love *Riverdale* and *Sharp Objects*." Praise for *One of Us Is Lying* An EW.com Best YA Book of the Year Selection A Buzzfeed Best YA Book of the Year Selection A Popcrush Best Young Adult Book of the Year Selection A New York Public Library's Best Book for Teens Selection A CBC Teen Choice Book Award Nominee A Bustle Best Young Adult Book of May 2017 A Goodreads Best Young Adult Book of the Year Nominee A YALSA Best Fiction Book Nominee A YALSA Quick Pick for Reluctant Young Adult Readers "You'll tear through this juicy, super-fun (if murder can ever be fun?) thriller." --Bustle "A whodunit with a Breakfast Club twist...following four unique voices on a chase to find the killer, this one will keep you guessing until the very, very end." --Popcrush "Twisty plotting, breakneck pacing and intriguing characterisation add up to an exciting, single-sitting thrillerish treat." --The Guardian "This is no ordinary whodunit...surprising and relevant." --USA Today "An addictive, devour-in-one-sitting thriller." --Kara Thomas, author of *The Darkest Corners*, *Little Monsters*, and *The Cheerleaders* ★ As] McManus's intense mystery unfolds...each character becomes more complex and nuanced, adding richness and depth to the suspense." --VOYA, Starred Review

Genre: nyt:young-adult-hardcover=2017-07-09

Number of Pages: 360

Language: English

ISBN: 9781524714680

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



P.S. I Still Love You

Jenny Han

Simon and Schuster (2015)



Summary:

Now a Netflix original movie starring Lana Condor and Noah Centineo! In this highly anticipated sequel to the “lovely, lighthearted” (School Library Journal) New York Times bestselling *To All The Boys I’ve Loved Before*, Lara Jean still has letters to write and even more to lose when it comes to love. Lara Jean didn’t expect to really fall for Peter. She and Peter were just pretending. Except suddenly they weren’t. Now Lara Jean is more confused than ever. When another boy from her past returns to her life, Lara Jean’s feelings for him return too. Can a girl be in love with two boys at once? In this charming and heartfelt sequel to the New York Times bestseller *To All the Boys I’ve Loved Before*, we see first love through the eyes of the unforgettable Lara Jean. Love is never easy, but maybe that’s part of what makes it so amazing.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 337

Language: English

ISBN: 9781442426740

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Paper Towns**

John Green

Penguin (2009)



Summary:

From the #1 bestselling author of *The Fault in Our Stars* Winner of the Edgar Award for Best Young Adult Mystery New York Times bestseller USA Today bestseller Publishers Weekly bestseller When Margo Roth Spiegelman beckons Quentin Jacobsen in the middle of the night—dressed like a ninja and plotting an ingenious campaign of revenge—he follows her. Margo’s always planned extravagantly, and, until now, she’s always planned solo. After a lifetime of loving Margo from afar, things are finally looking up for Q . . . until day breaks and she has vanished. Always an enigma, Margo has now become a mystery. But there are clues. And they’re for Q. Printz Medalist John Green returns with the trademark brilliant wit and heart-stopping emotional honesty that have inspired a new generation of readers.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

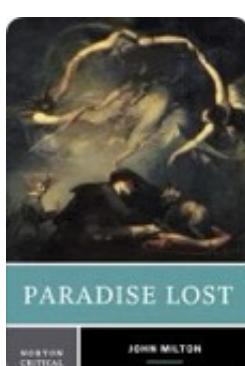
Number of Pages: 305

Language: English

ISBN: 9780142414934

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Paradise Lost**

Authoritative Text, Sources and Backgrounds, Criticism

John Milton

W.W. Norton (2005)



Summary:

Written at a time of personal and political crisis in Milton's career (1658-65), *Paradise Lost* is the greatest epic poem in English literature. It had an immense influence on the English Romantics and, through them, on modern poetry. This Norton Critical edition is based on the 1674 edition of the poem, the last to appear in Milton's lifetime, with a few emendations and adoptions from the first edition and from the scribal manuscript, and noted. Gordon Tesky provides readers with a freshly edited text intended for those approaching Milton for the first time. Spelling and punctuation have been modernized, the latter within the limits imposed by Milton's syntax. The text of *Paradise Lost* is accompanied by an introduction, an introduction, an account of Milton's life, ample annotations, a glossary, and suggestions for further reading. Also included is an unusually rich criticism section, which collects forty-eight diverse commentaries and interpretations, culled from the enormous body of scholarly writing on the poem. -- From Back Cover.

Genre: Literary Criticism

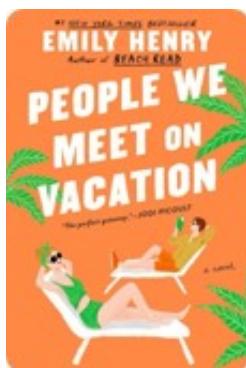
Number of Pages: 591

Language: English

ISBN: 9780393924282

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



People We Meet on Vacation

Emily Henry

Penguin (2021)



Summary:

THE #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER! A TONIGHT SHOW STARRING JIMMY FALLON SUMMER READS NOMINEE! Named a Most Anticipated Book of 2021 by Newsweek · Oprah Magazine · The Skimm · Marie Claire · Parade · The Wall Street Journal · Chicago Tribune · PopSugar · BookPage · BookBub · Betches · SheReads · Good Housekeeping · BuzzFeed · Business Insider · Real Simple · Frolic · and more! Two best friends. Ten summer trips. One last chance to fall in love. From the New York Times bestselling author of *Beach Read* comes a sparkling new novel that will leave you with the warm, hazy afterglow usually reserved for the best vacations. Poppy and Alex. Alex and Poppy. They have nothing in common. She's a wild child; he wears khakis. She has insatiable wanderlust; he prefers to stay home with a book. And somehow, ever since a fateful car share home from college many years ago, they are the very best of friends. For most of the year they live far apart--she's in New York City, and he's in their small hometown--but every summer, for a decade, they have taken one glorious week of vacation together. Until two years ago, when they ruined everything. They haven't spoken since. Poppy has everything she should want, but she's stuck in a rut. When someone asks when she was last truly happy, she knows, without a doubt, it was on that ill-fated, final trip with Alex. And so, she decides to convince her best friend to take one more vacation together--lay everything on the table, make it all right. Miraculously, he agrees. Now she has a week to fix everything. If only she can get around the one big truth that has always stood quietly in the middle of their seemingly perfect relationship. What could possibly go wrong?

Genre: Fiction

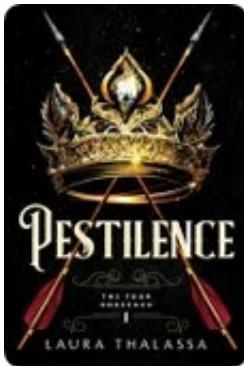
Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9781984806758

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Pestilence

Laura Thalassa

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (August 15, 2023)



Summary:

They came to earth--Pestilence, War, Famine, Death--four horsemen riding their screaming steeds, racing to the corners of the world. Four horsemen with the power to destroy all of humanity. They came to earth, and they came to end us all. When Pestilence, the first of the horsemen, comes for Sara Burn's town, one thing is certain: everyone she knows and loves is marked for death. Unless, of course, the angelic-looking horseman is stopped, which is exactly what Sara has in mind when she shoots the unholy beast off his steed. Too bad no one told her Pestilence can't be killed. Alive and furious, the horseman takes Sara prisoner, determined to make her suffer for impeding his mission. Despite her pleas, nothing and no one gets in the way of his orders to destroy humankind. Only, the longer Pestilence spends beside Sara's bravery and compassion, the more he seems to understand her, and understand humanity. And the longer Sara travels with Pestilence and his plague, the more uncertain she grows about his true feelings toward her...and hers toward him. Sara might still be able to save the world, but she'll have to sacrifice her heart in the process.

Genre: Fiction

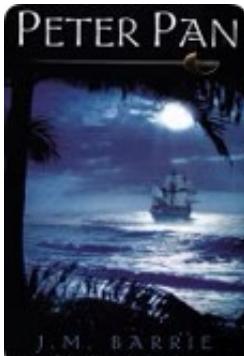
Number of Pages: 416

Language: English

ISBN: 9781728280165

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart Peter Pan

James Matthew Barrie

Penguin Publishing Group (1987)



Summary:

Generations of readers have traveled to Neverland and all the secret places of a child's heart. A story rich in adventure, humor, and sadness, J.M. Barrie's masterpiece remains a stirring call to flights of imagination. With a magic and emotional appeal unmatched by any other story, Barrie's Peter Pan speaks directly to childhood's dreams and desires with an imaginative genius that evokes both laughter and tears. Peter, the boy who wouldn't grow up; Nana, the Darling children's nurse and pet Newfoundland; deliciously dreadful Captain Hook, who is stalked by a crocodile with a clock in his stomach; and Tinker Bell, "quite a common fairy," who swears like a sailor and is murderously jealous--these characters of startling originality are rich, funny, mischievously insightful, and a joy to read about again and again. The result is a masterpiece of literature that has been working its timeless wonderment on us since it first appeared. With an Afterword by Alison Lurie Illustrated by Sergio Martinez

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

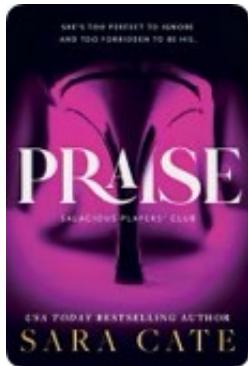
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780451520883

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Praise

Sara Cate

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (2023)



Summary:

""Was I a good girl?" she whispers. A smile creeps across my face as I gather her into my arms. "You're always a good girl." Charlie is tired of dating boys who never grow up. So when she breaks up with her latest boyfriend, she intends to move on in peace. When her ex-boyfriend can't even get it together enough to send Charlie her half of their apartment deposit, it's once again her responsibility to be the adult and get her check from Beau's dad, Emerson. Emerson Grant is a man who knows exactly what he wants and isn't shy about his particular tastes. But when he mistakes Charlie for a candidate to be his new sub instead of his son's ex-girlfriend, he immediately tries to correct the situation. He offers Charlie a job as his secretary and nothing more. But now that Charlie has seen a glimpse of what can happen when she's honest about what she wants, she makes it clear that all she wants is Emerson. He might be her ex-boyfriend's dad, but he's also the only man who can give her everything she desires"--

Genre: Fiction

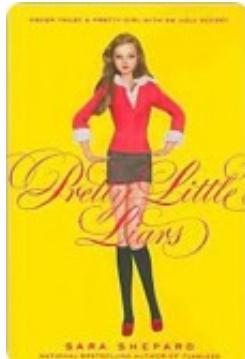
Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9781728282138

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 14, 2023



Heart Pretty little liars

Sara Shepard

Harper Teen (2007)



Summary:

I'm still here. And I know everything. –AThe first book in the #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the hit ABC Family TV show Pretty Little Liars. In ultra-trendy Rosewood, Pennsylvania, four beautiful girls are hiding very ugly secrets. High school juniors Spencer, Hanna, Aria and Emily have grown apart since their best friend Alison DiLaurentis went missing three years ago. But now someone is sending them anonymous notes, threatening to reveal their darkest secrets. There's only one person who knows that much about them, but Ali's gone...isn't she? Full of unexpected twists and shocking revelations, this series opener that inspired the hit TV show is the perfect beginning for fans.

The Pretty Little Liars Series

- Book 1: Pretty Little Liars
- Book 2: Flawless
- Book 3: Perfect
- Book 4: Unbelievable
- Book 5: Wicked
- Book 6: Killer
- Book 7: Heartless
- Book 8: Wanted
- Book 9: Twisted
- Book 10: Ruthless
- Book 11: Stunning
- Book 12: Burned
- Book 13: Crushed
- Book 14: Deadly
- Book 15: Toxic
- Book 16: Vicious

Don't miss:

- Pretty Little Liars: Pretty Little Secrets
- Pretty Little Liars: Ali's Pretty Little Lies

Author Biography

Sara Shepard is the author of two New York Times bestselling series, Pretty Little Liars and the Lying Game. She graduated from New York University and has an MFA from Brooklyn College. Sara's Pretty Little Liars novels were inspired by her upbringing in Philadelphia's Main Line.

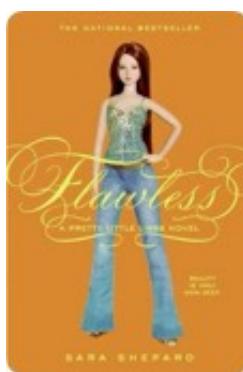
Genre: Detective and mystery stories

Number of Pages: 286

ISBN: 9780060887322

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Pretty Little Liars #2

Flawless (Beauty Is Only Skin Deep)

Sara Shepard

HarperTeen is an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers (March 1, 2008)



Summary:

The #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the hit ABC Family TV show Pretty Little Liars and the upcoming HBO spin-off series Pretty Little Liars: Original Sin! Four pretty little liars have been very bad girls. Ever since the body of their former best friend was found, Aria, Hanna, Emily, and Spencer have been trying to figure out who could have killed her. But they've also been keeping some pretty big secrets...and now the mysterious "A" is threatening to reveal everything, including something so scandalous that the truth could ruin them forever. Perfect for fans of One of Us is Lying, The Cousins, and A Good Girl's Guide to Murder, this second book in Sara Shepard's #1 New York Times bestselling Pretty Little Liars series brings new twists to the thrilling and magnetically compelling world of Pretty Little Liars, where everyone's got something to hide, and no secret stays buried for long.

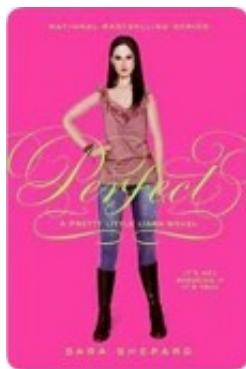
Genre: Sara Shepard

Number of Pages: 330

ISBN: 9780060887353

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Pretty Little Liars #3**

Perfect (Pretty Little Liars)

Sara Shepard

HarperTeen (May 27, 2008)



Summary:

The #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the hit ABC Family TV show Pretty Little Liars and the upcoming HBO spin-off series Pretty Little Liars: Original Sin! In Rosewood, Pennsylvania, four perfect-looking girls aren't nearly as perfect as they seem. Aria can't resist her forbidden ex. Hanna is on the verge of losing her BFF. Emily is freaking out over a simple kiss. And Spencer can't keep her hands off anything that belongs to her sister. Lucky me. I know these pretty little liars better than they know themselves. But it's hard keeping all of their secrets to myself. They better do as I say . . . or else. Perfect for fans of One of Us is Lying, The Cousins, and A Good Girl's Guide to Murder, this third book in Sara Shepard's #1 New York Times bestselling Pretty Little Liars series brings new twists to the thrilling and magnetically compelling world of Pretty Little Liars, where everyone's got something to hide, and no secret stays buried for long.

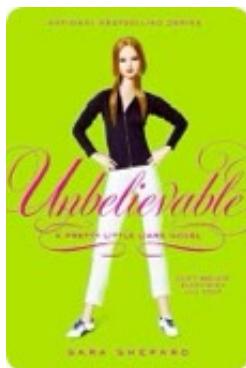
Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

ISBN: 9780060887384

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Pretty Little Liars #4: Unbelievable**

Sara Shepard

HarperCollins (November 25, 2008)



Summary:

Four pretty little liars' charmed lives have turned into living nightmares. Emily's been shipped off to Iowa to live with her überconservative cousins. Aria's boyfriend is behind bars—because of her. Spencer's afraid she was involved in Ali's murder. But Hanna's fate is far worse: She's clinging to life in the hospital because she knew too much. If these girls don't start listening to me, Hanna's going to look like the lucky one.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

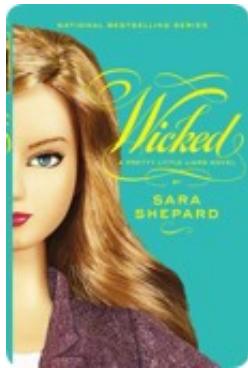
Number of Pages: 368

Language: English

ISBN: 9780060887414

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Pretty Little Liars #5: Wicked**

Sara Shepard

Harper Collins (October 6, 2009)



Summary:

#1 New York Times bestselling series The fifth book in the #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the hit ABC Family TV show Pretty Little Liars. In idyllic Rosewood, Pennsylvania, four very pretty girls just can't help but be bad. Hanna will do anything to be Rosewood's queen bee. Spencer's digging up her family's secrets. Emily can't stop thinking about her new boyfriend. And Aria approves a little too strongly of her mom's taste in men. The girls think they're in the clear now that Ali's killer is finally behind bars. But someone new is mimicking "A's" blackmailing ways with wicked and mysterious messages. And it's only a matter of time before they let some secrets slip. Full of unexpected twists and shocking revelations, Wicked is the fifth book in New York Times bestselling author Sara Shepard's compelling Pretty Little Liars series.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

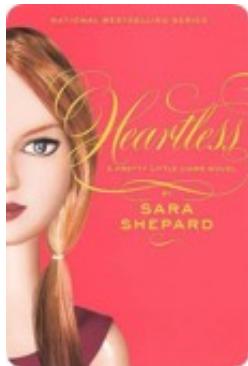
Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9780061975608

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Pretty Little Liars #7: Heartless**

Sara Shepard

Harper Collins (January 19, 2010)



Summary:

#1 New York Times bestselling series The seventh book in the #1 New York Times bestselling series that inspired the hit ABC Family TV show Pretty Little Liars. Rosewood's four prettiest little liars are back, but this time they swear they're telling the truth. Hanna, Aria, Spencer, and Emily found a body in the woods, but when they take the cops back it's vanished without a trace. And after those same woods go up in flames, the girls all see someone who looks exactly like Ali emerge—but that's just not possible. With everyone convinced these four are simply out for attention, will anyone believe it when the real killer comes after them? Full of unexpected twists and shocking revelations, Heartless is the seventh book in New York Times bestselling author Sara Shepard's compelling Pretty Little Liars series.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

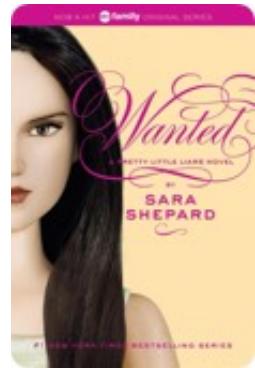
Number of Pages: 304

Language: English

ISBN: 9780061964909

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart Pretty Little Liars #8: Wanted

Sara Shepard

Harper Collins (April 26, 2011)



Summary:

Being wanted isn't always a good thing. For three long years, Hanna, Spencer, Aria, and Emily wondered what happened the night their best friend Alison disappeared. Now that all their questions have finally been answered, they can put this awful chapter of their lives behind them. Or so they think. Not every story has a happy ending, especially when four pretty little liars have done so many wicked things. Will the girls get everything they've ever wanted? Not if I have anything to say about it.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

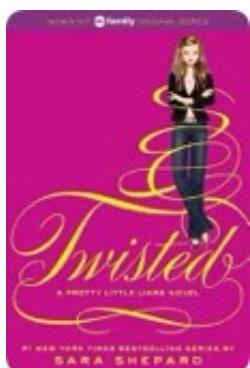
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Heart Pretty Little Liars #9: Twisted

Sara Shepard

HarperCollins (June 5, 2012)



Summary:

Four pretty girls have more ugly secrets than ever. It's been a year since the mystery of their former friend's disappearance was finally laid to rest, and Aria, Spencer, Hanna, and Emily have worked hard to put their lives back together. Now seniors in high school, the pretty little liars are older, but they're not any wiser. Last spring break in Jamaica, they did something unforgivable. The girls are desperate to forget that fateful night, but I saw everything. And they should know by now that all secrets wash ashore . . . eventually.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

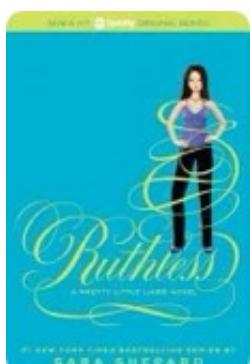
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Heart Pretty Little Liars #10: Ruthless

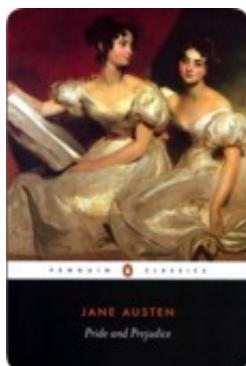
Sara Shepard

HarperCollins (December 4, 2012)



Summary:

Sometimes bad things happen to bad girls. . . . Aria's love life is on the Fitz—ahem, fritz. Emily's exploring her wild side. Hanna's kissing the enemy. And someone from Spencer's past—someone she never thought she'd see again—is back to haunt her. But none of that compares to what these pretty little liars did on their last spring break. It's their darkest secret yet. And guess who else knows? I haven't forgotten, and I certainly haven't forgiven. These pretty little liars better watch their backs because they're about to get exactly what they deserve. . . .

Genre: Juvenile Fiction**Number of Pages:** 368**Language:** English**ISBN:** 9780062081872**Reading Status:** Unread**Date Added:** September 17, 2022

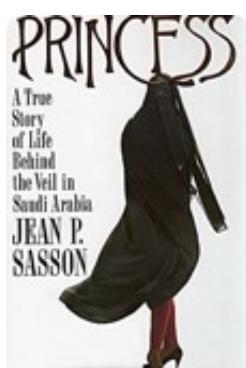
Pride and Prejudice

Jane Austen

Random House Publishing Group (October 10, 2000)

**Summary:**

Introduction by Anna Quindlen Commentary by Margaret Oliphant, George Saintsbury, Mark Twain, A. C. Bradley, Walter A. Raleigh, and Virginia Woolf Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's The Great American Read "It is a truth universally acknowledged, that a single man in possession of a good fortune must be in want of a wife." So begins *Pride and Prejudice*, Jane Austen's witty comedy of manners—one of the most popular novels of all time—that features splendidly civilized sparring between the proud Mr. Darcy and the prejudiced Elizabeth Bennet as they play out their spirited courtship in a series of eighteenth-century drawing-room intrigues. Renowned literary critic and historian George Saintsbury in 1894 declared it the "most perfect, the most characteristic, the most eminently quintessential of its author's works," and Eudora Welty in the twentieth century described it as "irresistible and as nearly flawless as any fiction could be." Includes a Modern Library Reading Group Guide

Genre: Fiction**Number of Pages:** 304**Language:** English**ISBN:** 9780679783268**Reading Status:** Unread**Date Added:** September 17, 2022

Princess

A True Story of Life Behind the Veil in Saudi Arabia

Sultana and Jean P. Sasson

Morrow (1992)

**Summary:**

Sultana is a Saudi Arabian, princess, a woman born to fabulous, uncountable wealth. She has four mansions on three continents, her own private jet, glittering jewels, designer dresses galore. But in reality she lives in a gilded cage. She has no freedom, no vote, no control over her own life, no value but as a bearer of sons. Hidden behind her black floor-length veil, she is a prisoner, jailed by her father, her husband, her sons, and her country. Sultana is a member of the Saudi royal family, closely related to the king. For the sake of her daughters, she has decided to take the risk of speaking out about the life of women in her country, regardless of their rank. She must hide her identity for fear that the religious leaders in her country would call for her death to punish her honesty. Only a woman in her position could possibly hope to escape from being revealed and punished, despite her cloak of anonymity. She tells of her own life, from her turbulent childhood to her arranged marriage - a happy one until her husband decided to displace her by taking a second wife - and of the lives of her sisters, her friends, and her servants. Although they share affection, confidences and an easy camaraderie within the confines of the women's quarters, they also share a history of appalling oppressions, everyday occurrences that in any other culture would be seen as shocking human rights violations: thirteen-year-old girls forced to marry men five times their age, young women killed by drowning, stoning, or isolation in the "woman's room," a padded, windowless cell where women are confined with neither light nor conversation until death claims them. Servants are forced into sexual servitude and severely beaten if they attempt escape. By speaking out, Sultana risks bringing the wrath of the Saudi establishment upon her head and the heads of her children. In the barren, hopeless wasteland that is the life of Saudi women today, free speech is punishable by death. But by telling her story to a Western writer, Sultana has allowed us to see beyond the veils of this secret society, to the heart of a nation where sex, money, and power reign supreme.

Genre: Social Science

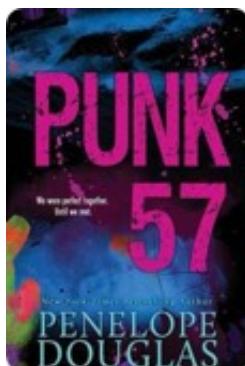
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Punk 57

Penelope Douglas

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (October 18, 2016)



Summary:

From New York Times Bestselling Author, Penelope Douglas, comes the latest standalone love-hate romance..."We were perfect together. Until we met." Mishal can't help but smile at the lyrics in her letter. She misses me. In fifth grade, my teacher set us up with pen pals from a different school. Thinking I was a girl, with a name like Misha, the other teacher paired me up with her student, Ryen. My teacher, believing Ryen was a boy like me, agreed. It didn't take long for us to figure out the mistake. And in no time at all, we were arguing about everything. The best take-out pizza. Android vs. iPhone. Whether or not Eminem is the greatest rapper ever...And that was the start. For the next seven years, it was us. Her letters are always on black paper with silver writing. Sometimes there's one a week or three in a day, but I need them. She's the only one who keeps me on track, talks me down, and accepts everything I am. We only had three rules. No social media, no phone numbers, no pictures. We had a good thing going. Why ruin it? Until I run across a photo of a girl online. Name's Ryen, loves Gallo's pizza, and worships her iPhone. What are the chances? F*ck it. I need to meet her. I just don't expect to hate what I find. Ryen He hasn't written in three months. Something's wrong. Did he die? Get arrested? Knowing Misha, neither would be a stretch. Without him around, I'm going crazy. I need to know someone is listening. It's my own fault. I should've gotten his phone number or picture or something. He could be gone forever. Or right under my nose, and I wouldn't even know it. *Punk 57 is a stand alone New Adult romance. It is suitable for ages 18+.

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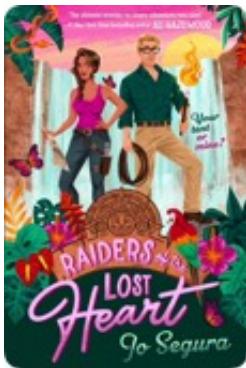
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Tags: Favorite and Super Steamy



Heart Raiders of the Lost Heart

Jo Segura

Penguin (December 5, 2023)



Summary:

An Indie Next and LibraryReads Pick! Rival archaeologists must team up on a secret Aztec expedition, or it could leave their careers—and hearts—in ruins. Archaeologist Dr. Socorro “Corrie” Mejía has a bone to pick. Literally. It’s been Corrie’s life goal to lead an expedition deep into the Mexican jungle in search of the long-lost remains of her ancestor, Chimalli, an ancient warrior of the Aztec empire. But when she is invited to join an all-expenses-paid dig to do just that, Corrie is sure it’s too good to be true...and she’s right. As the world-renowned expert on Chimalli, by rights Corrie should be leading the expedition, not sharing the glory with her disgustingly handsome nemesis. But Dr. Ford Matthews has been finding new ways to best her since they were in grad school. Ford certainly isn’t thrilled either—with his life in shambles, the last thing he needs is a reminder of their rocky past. But as the dig begins, it becomes clear they’ll need to work together when they realize a thief is lurking around their campsite, forcing the pair to keep their discoveries—and lingering attraction—under wraps. With money-hungry artifact smugglers, the Mexican authorities, and the lies between them closing in, there’s only one way this all ends—explosively.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 368

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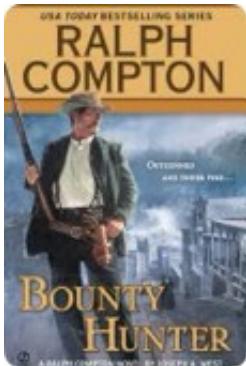
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Heart Ralph Compton Bounty Hunter

Joseph A. West and Ralph Compton

National Geographic Books (October 6, 2009)



Summary:

A bounty hunter is outgunned and under fire in this Ralph Compton western...John Tone was good at his job. Some would say ruthless. If there was killing to be done, Tone showed no mercy. In another time, far across the ocean, he had lost the only person he had ever loved—and he'd been dead inside ever since. That was the hand Fate dealt him, and he would play it out. But when a powerful criminal from San Francisco's notorious Barbary Coast makes him an offer he can't refuse, Tone himself becomes the hunted one. He has to draw out six of his client's worst enemies—making himself a target for the men he would kill. And against those odds Tone knows he may be loading the six chambers of his Colt for the last time...More Than Six Million Ralph Compton Books In Print!

Genre: Fiction

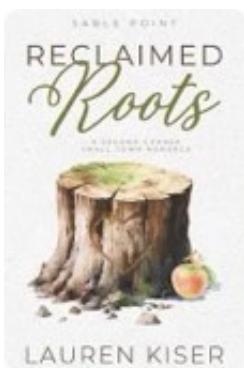
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780451228222

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Date Added: August 26, 2023



Reclaimed Roots A Second Chance Small Town Romance

LAUREN. KISER

Amazon Digital Services LLC - Kdp (January 14, 2025)



Summary:

Seven years of regret. One last chance to get it right. JASPERWhen Natalie Choi left Sable Point-and me-seven years ago, she took my heart with her. Now she's back for her father's funeral, and the sight of her hits harder than a summer storm. I should keep my distance. Focus on saving my family's struggling orchard. Instead, I'm falling for her all over again. But Natalie's hiding something. The orchard's finances don't add up, and she knows why. I need to protect my family's legacy, even if it means guarding my heart from the only woman who's ever owned it. Problem is, I'm finding it impossible to keep my walls up when she looks at me like she never stopped loving me either. NATALIEComing home to Sable Point was supposed to be temporary-just long enough to settle my late father's affairs. I didn't expect to find his accounting firm in chaos, or the orchard owned by my first love on the brink of financial ruin. And I definitely didn't expect Jasper Everton to still make my heart race after all these years. As I dig deeper into the books, I uncover mistakes that could destroy everything the Evertons have built. Keeping the truth from Jasper feels wrong, but telling him could shatter our fragile second chance. Now I have to choose: run away again, or stay and fight for the future I was too scared to want before-with the man I never should have left. Reclaimed Roots is first interconnected standalone in the Sable Point series with a guaranteed HEA. This book is intended for mature readers, as it includes explicit sexual content, strong language, and adult situations.

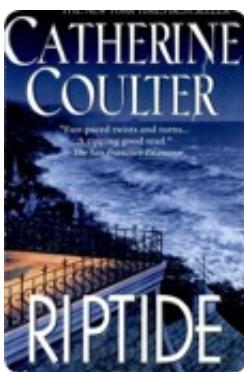
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Date Added: November 2, 2025



Riptide

Catherine Coulter

Penguin (2001)



Summary:

FBI agents Dillon Savich and Lacey Sherlock must protect a young political speechwriter who has received threats against her life. But they could never guess that the danger is already close to his prey-and about to strike. FBI agents Dillon Savich and Lacey Sherlock must protect a young political speechwriter who has received threats against her life. But they could never guess that the danger is already close to his prey-and about to strike.

Genre: Fiction

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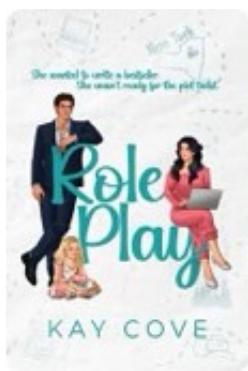
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Date Added: September 17, 2022

Role Play

Kay Cove

Page & Vine (September 9, 2025)



Summary:

When a desperate author hires an escort to inspire her next book and the chemistry turns real, she must decide if their love story is a plot twist or a happily-ever-after... She wanted to write a bestseller. She wasn't ready for the plot twist. Being an indie romance author was supposed to be a dream come true. But after publishing umpteen books, I still haven't "made it" and now I'm just waiting for the dark cloak of insignificance to completely snuff out my career. I decide to roll the dice on a marketing guru who swears he can yank me out of obscurity. But after a frantic search for "book boyfriend material" and an unexpected bar encounter, I accidentally blow my entire budget on an escort. Forrest is a charming single dad by day and hotter-than-sin escort by night. But before I can fire him and ask for a refund, he reminds me how I got here in the first place... I'm in desperate need of inspiration. He might be a walking red flag, but Forrest is ready to be my muse, which means spending the next three months helping me "research" my next bestseller. (Hey, I'm manifesting here.) Our game plan? Act out all the romance novel tropes that make a bingeable love story: brooding billionaires, masked men, cowboys in small towns, and even swoon-worthy green flags. Forrest plays all the book boyfriend parts perfectly. So perfectly I'm starting to wonder if his feelings for me might be real, or if he's just earning his paycheck. I'm not sure if I'm trying to write a love story or live one out. After all, there is no such thing as happily ever after with a professional escort... right?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 464

Language: English

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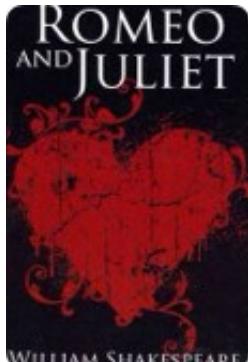
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Date Added: December 29, 2025

Romeo and Juliet

William Shakespeare

Createspace Independent Pub (March 17, 2010)



Summary:

SIGNATURE SHAKESPEARE SERIESFeaturing remarkable laser-cut paper designs throughout, this new series offers stunning presentations of Shakespeare's plays, complete with scholarship, commentary, notes, and illustrated essays about Shakespeare's language and performances of the play. It's a keepsake package worthy of the greatest, and most loved, playwright in the English language. Each volume in the Signature Shakespeare series includes: - Illustration: Original paper-cuts, in the form of laser tip-ins and scans, beautifully illustrate each play. Paintings and photographs add depth to front and back matter.- Scholarship: Premier scholars introduce each play with contemporary scholarship. An essay on editing the text provides an in-depth look at the quartos and folios used in the edition.- Context: Essays on Shakespeare's England, language, and life, along with essays on performing Shakespeare and significant performances, frame the play in both historical and theatrical context for readers. A look at the lasting influence of the play on music, art, film, and dance creates an interdisciplinary framework with which to approach the play.- Notes: Through one-word margin definitions, facing-page glosses, and longer end notes after each play, the series' approach to notes pulls readers away from the text fewer times while providing them with more information and comprehensive analysis.- Further Reading - An annotated bibliography of titles, hand-selected by the introduction author, takes readers beyond the edition for further reading. "Romeo and Juliet"-Shakespeare's timeless tale of star-crossed lovers who "Do with their death bury their parents' strife"--is one of the first two works in the "Signature Shakespeare" series. It includes contextualizing essays and timelines by scholar Mario DiGangi, in collaboration with one of the world's foremost Shakespeare authorities, David Scott Kastan of Columbia University.

Genre: Fiction

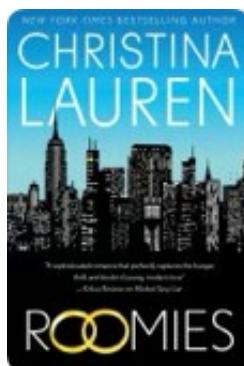
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781451552058

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Roomies

Christina Lauren

Gallery Books (December 5, 2017)



Summary:

From subway to Broadway to happily ever after. Modern love in all its thrill, hilarity, and uncertainty has never been so compulsively readable as in New York Times bestselling author Christina Lauren's *Roomies*. Marriages of convenience are so...inconvenient. For months Holland Bakker has invented excuses to descend into the subway station near her apartment, drawn to the captivating music performed by her street musician crush. Lacking the nerve to actually talk to the gorgeous stranger, fate steps in one night in the form of a drunken attacker. Calvin McLoughlin rescues her, but quickly disappears when the police start asking questions. Using the only resource she has to pay the brilliant musician back, Holland gets Calvin an audition with her uncle, Broadway's hottest musical director. When the tryout goes better than even Holland could have imagined, Calvin is set for a great entry into Broadway—until his reason for disappearing earlier becomes clear: he's in the country illegally, his student visa having expired years ago. Seeing that her uncle needs Calvin as much as Calvin needs him, a wild idea takes hold of her. Impulsively, she marries the Irishman, her infatuation a secret only to him. As their relationship evolves and Calvin becomes the darling of Broadway—in the middle of the theatrics and the acting-not-acting—will Holland and Calvin realize that they both stopped pretending a long time ago?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 368

Language: English

ISBN: 9781501165832

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Saving Everest

Sky Chase

Wattpad Books (October 22, 2019)



Summary:

From the outside, Everest has it all, but there's only one person who can see him for who he truly is . . . and it changes his life forever. In this tender, poignant debut novel by newcomer Sky Chase, two teenagers on the cusp of adulthood learn to embrace life in ways neither of them ever anticipated. Everest is the most popular boy in school. He's handsome, wealthy, and captain of the football team—he has the world at his fingertips, but he's desperately unhappy. And when those feelings become too much to bear, he tries to take his own life. On the surface, Beverly's different from Everest in every possible way. She's quiet, shy, hard working, and keeps to herself on campus, focusing on her schoolwork and her part-time job, distracting herself from her less-than-perfect upbringing. When Everest returns to school after his attempt, he's in more pain than ever. Discarded by his friends, he draws little empathy and too much attention from those who surround him. But when Beverly and Everest meet unexpectedly in a dusty corner of the old library, they discover together just how rich life can be when given the freedom to just be yourself.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

Number of Pages: 360

Language: English

ISBN: 9780993689925

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Second First Impressions

A Novel

Sally Thorne

HarperCollins Publishers (2021)



Summary:

From the USA Today bestselling author of *The Hating Game* and *99 Percent Mine* comes the clever, funny, and unforgettable story of a muscular, tattooed man hired as an assistant to two old women--under the watchful eye of a beautiful retirement home manager. **Distraction** (n): an extreme agitation of the mind or emotions. Ruthie Midona has worked the front desk at the Providence Luxury Retirement Villa for six years, dedicating her entire adult life to caring for the Villa's residents, maintaining the property (with an assist from DIY YouTube tutorials), and guarding the endangered tortoises that live in the Villa's gardens. Somewhere along the way, she's forgotten that she's young and beautiful, and that there's a world outside of work--until she meets the son of the property developer who just acquired the retirement center. Teddy Prescott has spent the last few years partying, sleeping in late, tattooing himself when bored, and generally not taking life too seriously--something his father, who dreams of grooming Teddy into his successor, can't understand. When Teddy needs a place to crash, his father seizes the chance to get him to grow up. He'll let Teddy stay in one of the on-site cottages at the retirement home, but only if he works to earn his keep. Teddy agrees--he can change a few lightbulbs and clip some hedges, no sweat. But Ruthie has plans for Teddy too. Her two wealthiest and most eccentric residents have just placed an ad (yet another) seeking a new personal assistant to torment. The women are ninety-year-old, four-foot-tall menaces, and not one of their assistants has lasted a full week. Offering up Teddy seems like a surefire way to get rid of the tall, handsome, unnerving man who won't stop getting under her skin. Ruthie doesn't count on the fact that in Teddy Prescott, the Biddies may have finally met their match. He'll pick up Chanel gowns from the dry cleaner and cut Big Macs into bite-sized bits. He'll do repairs around the property, make the residents laugh, and charm the entire villa. He might even remind Ruthie what it's like to be young and fun again. But when she finds out Teddy's father's only fixing up the retirement home to sell it, putting everything she cares about in jeopardy, she's left wondering if Teddy's magic was all just a facade. Hilarious, warm, and romantic, Sally Thorne's novel delivers an irrepressibly joyous celebration of love and community for fans of *99% Mine* and *The Hating Game*.

Genre: Fiction

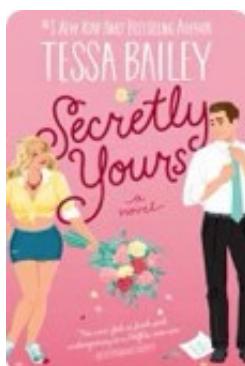
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780062912855

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Secretly Yours A Novel

Tessa Bailey

HarperCollins Publishers (February 1, 2023)



Summary:

AN INSTANT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER From Tessa Bailey--#1 New York Times bestselling author, TikTok favorite, and "the Michelangelo of dirty talk" (Entertainment Weekly)--comes a spicy small town rom-com about a grumpy professor and the bubbly neighbor he clashes with at every turn... Hallie Welch fell hard for Julian Vos at fourteen, after they almost kissed in the dark vineyards of his family's winery. Now the prodigal hottie has returned to Napa Valley, and when Hallie is hired to revamp the gardens on the Vos estate, she wonders if she'll finally get that smooch. But the starchy professor isn't the teenager she remembers and their polar opposite personalities clash spectacularly. One wine-fueled girls' night later, Hallie can't shake the sense that she did something reckless--and then she remembers the drunken secret admirer letter she left for Julian. Oh shit. On sabbatical from his ivy league job, Julian plans to write a novel. But having Hallie gardening right outside his window is the ultimate distraction. She's eccentric, chronically late, often literally covered in dirt--and so unbelievably beautiful, he can't focus on anything else. Until he finds an anonymous letter sent by a woman from his past. Even as Julian wonders about this admirer, he's sucked further into Hallie's orbit. Like the flowers she plants all over town, Hallie is a burst of color in Julian's grayscale life. For a man who irons his socks and runs on tight schedules, her sunny chaotic energy makes zero sense. But there's something so familiar about her... and her very presence is turning his world upside down. "Tessa Bailey is the queen of rom-coms. Long may she reign!" --Julie Murphy, #1 New York Times bestselling author of *A Merry Little Meet Cute*

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9780063238985

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: August 26, 2023



Heart **Seven Lies Almost Every Teen Believes**

Joel Penton

Stand for Truth, Incorporated (August 1, 2011)



Summary:

Joel Penton was just a normal teenage guy from a small hometown. His days were filled with school, practice, homework, and friends. The typical stuff. But behind this typical life, Joel had one major problem: he believed the lies. And probably, so do you. So now Joel is on a mission to take down those lies that keep most teens in the dark. In these pages, you'll read all the stuff that Joel isn't allowed to say when he speaks in schools. You'll find answers to the big questions that everyone wonders about...but no one talks about. Questions like, "Is this life all there is?...Why is the world so messed up?...Where does God fit in?" What Joel has to say will probably offend you. You might even get angry. But Joel is okay with that. Because this book is about the stuff that really matters. And the truth is important. So are you ready? Good. Because the blindfold is coming off...

Genre: Religion

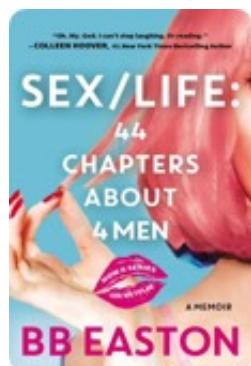
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Heart **Sex/Life**

44 Chapters about 4 Men

BB Easton

Grand Central Publishing (June 22, 2021)



Summary:

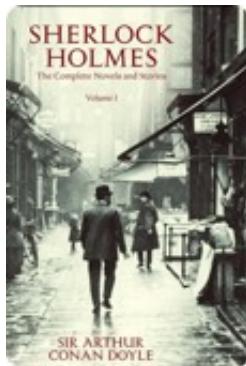
One woman's secret journal completely changes her marriage in this hilarious and biting memoir--the inspiration for the Netflix Original Series SEX/LIFE. School psychologists aren't supposed to write books about sex. Doing so would be considered "unethical" and "a fireable offense." Lucky for you, ethics was never my strong suit. Sex/Life: 44 Chapters About 4 Men is a laugh-out-loud funny and brutally honest look at female sexuality, as told through the razor-sharp lens of domesticated bad girl BB Easton. No one and nothing is off limits as BB revisits the ex-boyfriends--a sadistic tattoo artist, a punk rock paralee, and a heavy metal bass player--that led her to finally find true love with a straight-laced, drop-dead-gorgeous . . . accountant. After settling down and starting a family with her perfectly vanilla "husbot," Ken, BB finds herself longing for the reckless passion she had in her youth. She begins to write about these escapades in a secret journal, just for fun, but when Ken starts to act out the words on the pages, BB realizes that she might have stumbled upon the holy grail of behavior modification techniques. The psychological dance that ensues is nothing short of hilarious as BB wields her journal like a blowtorch, trying to light a fire under her cold, distant partner. Sometimes it works, sometimes it doesn't, but in the end, BB learns that the man she was trying so hard to change was perfect for her all along.

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9781538718339

Reading Status: Unread



Heart **Sherlock Holmes: The Complete Novels and Stories Volume I**

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

Random House Publishing Group (November 1, 1986)



Summary:

Since his first appearance in Beeton's Christmas Annual in 1887, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes has been one of the most beloved fictional characters ever created. Now, in two paperback volumes, Bantam presents all fifty-six short stories and four novels featuring Conan Doyle's classic hero--a truly complete collection of Sherlock Holmes's adventures in crime! Volume I includes the early novel *A Study in Scarlet*, which introduced the eccentric genius of Sherlock Holmes to the world. This baffling murder mystery, with the cryptic word *Rache* written in blood, first brought Holmes together with Dr. John Watson. Next, *The Sign of Four* presents Holmes's famous "seven percent solution" and the strange puzzle of Mary Morstan in the quintessential locked-room mystery. Also included are Holmes's feats of extraordinary detection in such famous cases as the chilling "The Adventure of the Speckled Band," the baffling riddle of "The Musgrave Ritual," and the ingeniously plotted "The Five Orange Pips," tales that bring to life a Victorian England of horse-drawn cabs, fogs, and the famous lodgings at 221B Baker Street, where Sherlock Holmes earned his undisputed reputation as the greatest fictional detective of all time.

Genre: Fiction

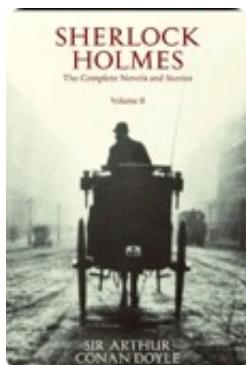
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Heart **Sherlock Holmes: The Complete Novels and Stories Volume II**

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

Random House Publishing Group (November 1, 1986)



Summary:

Since his first appearance in Beeton's Christmas Annual in 1887, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes has been one of the most beloved fictional characters ever created. Now, in two paperback volumes, Bantam presents all fifty-six short stories and four novels featuring Conan Doyle's classic hero--a truly complete collection of Sherlock Holmes's adventures in crime! Volume II begins with *The Hound of the Baskervilles*, a haunting novel of murder on eerie Grimpen Moor, which has rightly earned its reputation as the finest murder mystery ever written. *The Valley of Fear* matches Holmes against his archenemy, the master of imaginative crime, Professor Moriarty. In addition, the loyal Dr. Watson has faithfully recorded Holmes's feats of extraordinary detection in such famous cases as the thrilling *The Adventure of the Red Circle* and the twelve baffling adventures from *The Case Book of Sherlock Holmes*. Conan Doyle's incomparable tales bring to life a Victorian England of horse-drawn cabs, fogs, and the famous lodgings at 221B Baker Street, where for more than forty years Sherlock Holmes earned his undisputed reputation as the greatest fictional detective of all time.

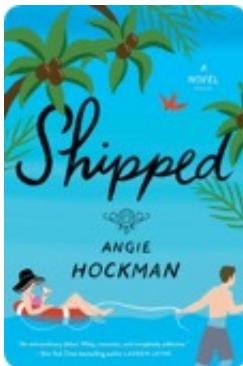
Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 768

Language: English

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Shipped

Angie Hockman

Simon and Schuster (January 19, 2021)



Summary:

The Unhoneymooners meets The Hating Game in this witty, clever, and swoonworthy novel following a workaholic marketing manager who is forced to go on a cruise with her arch-nemesis when they're up for the same promotion. Between taking night classes for her MBA and her demanding day job at a cruise line, marketing manager Henley Evans barely has time for herself, let alone family, friends, or dating. But when she's shortlisted for the promotion of her dreams, all her sacrifices finally seem worth it. The only problem? Graeme Crawford-Collins, the remote social media manager and the bane of her existence, is also up for the position. Although they've never met in person, their epic email battles are the stuff of office legend. Their boss tasks each of them with drafting a proposal on how to boost bookings in the Galápagos—best proposal wins the promotion. There's just one catch: they have to go on a company cruise to the Galápagos Islands...together. But when the two meet on the ship, Henley is shocked to discover that the real Graeme is nothing like she imagined. As they explore the Islands together, she soon finds the line between loathing and liking thinner than a postcard. With her career dreams in her sights and a growing attraction to the competition, Henley begins questioning her life choices. Because what's the point of working all the time if you never actually live? Perfect for fans of Christina Lauren and Sally Thorne, Shipped is a fresh and engaging rom-com that celebrates the power of second chances and the magic of new beginnings.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

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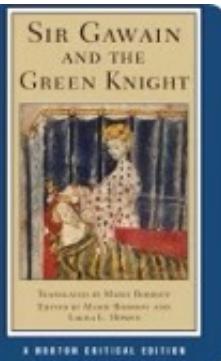


Sir Gawain and the Green Knight

An Authoritative Translation, Contexts, Criticism

Marie Borroff and Laura L. Howes

W.W. Norton (2010)



Summary:

The text is accompanied by a detailed introduction, an essay on the metrical form, the translator's note, marginal glosses, and explanatory annotations to assist readers in the study of this canonical Arthurian romance. "Contexts" presents two French tales of Sir Gawain and a passage from the Alliterative Morte Arthure, also translated by Marie Borroff, as well as three selections from the original Middle English poem. "Criticism" collects ten interpretive essays on the poem's central themes. Contributors include Alain Renoir, Marie Borroff, J. A. Burrow, A. Kent Hieatt, W. A. Davenport, Ralph Hanna III, Lynn Staley Johnson, Jonathan Nicholls, Geraldine Heng, and Leo Carruthers. A Chronology of important historical and literary dates and a Selected Bibliography are also included.

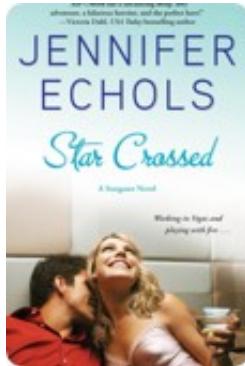
Genre: Literary Criticism

Number of Pages: 237

Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread



Star Crossed

Jennifer Echols

Simon and Schuster (February 26, 2013)



Summary:

The first novel in a sizzling new series about a public relations firm, the stars they represent, and everything they'd rather keep private. He said . . . She said. Publicist Wendy Mann has always competed hotly with her rival Daniel Blackstone, but this time they're headed for a collision. Wendy's job is on the line if she doesn't save the image of a spoiled young starlet who's posting provocative pictures of herself all over the Internet in a snarky attempt at revenge on her former boyfriend. Daniel is representing the ex, a onetime teen heartthrob who never grew up. With the feuding Hollywood pair scheduled to appear on the same Las Vegas awards show, Daniel and Wendy are determined to do whatever it takes to defend their own clients. Unfortunately, the chemistry between Wendy and Daniel is even more explosive than that of their Hollywood stars. L-O-V-E was always a four-letter word for these two ultra-competitors; they never counted on the scorching heat that erupts between them. But Wendy's high-gloss exterior hides a dark past—one that's lurking behind the bright Vegas lights. Their careers are on the line, and so is Wendy's life. . . .

Genre: Fiction

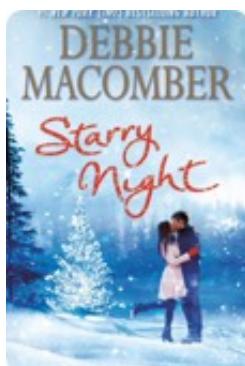
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Starry Night

A Christmas Novel

Debbie Macomber

Ballantine Books (October 14, 2014)



Summary:

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • Don't miss Debbie Macomber's short story "Lost and Found in Cedar Cove" and a sneak peak of her new novel Mr. Miracle, among other special features, in the back of the book.'Tis the season for romance, second chances, and Christmas cheer with this new novel from Debbie Macomber. Carrie Slayton, a big-city society-page columnist, longs to write more serious news stories. So her editor hands her a challenge: She can cover any topic she wants, but only if she first scores the paper an interview with Finn Dalton, the notoriously reclusive author. Living in the remote Alaskan wilderness, Finn has written a megabestselling memoir about surviving in the wild. But he stubbornly declines to speak to anyone in the press, and no one even knows exactly where he lives. Digging deep into Finn's past, Carrie develops a theory on his whereabouts. It is the holidays, but her career is at stake, so she forsakes her family celebrations and flies out to snowy Alaska. When she finally finds Finn, she discovers a man both more charismatic and more stubborn than she even expected. And soon she is torn between pursuing the story of a lifetime and following her heart. Filled with all the comforts and joys of Christmastime, *Starry Night* is a delightful novel of finding happiness in the most surprising places. Praise for *Starry Night* "Contemporary romance queen Macomber (*Rose Harbor in Bloom*) hits the sweet spot with this tender tale of impractical love. . . . A delicious Christmas miracle well worth waiting for."—Publishers Weekly (starred review) "[A] holiday confection . . . as much a part of the season for some readers as cookies and candy canes."—Kirkus Reviews "A sweet contemporary Christmas romance . . . [that] the best-selling author's many fans will enjoy."—Library Journal "Macomber can be depended on for an excellent story. . . . Readers will remain firmly planted in the beginnings of a beautiful love story between two of the most unlikely characters."—RT Book Reviews (Top Pick, 4½ stars) "Macomber, the prolific and beloved author of countless bestsellers, has penned a romantic story that will pull at your heartstrings with its holiday theme and emphasis on love and finding that special someone."—Bookreporter "Magical . . . Macomber has given us another delightful romantic story to cherish. This one will touch your heart just as much as her other Christmas stories. Don't miss it!"—Fresh Fiction

Genre: Fiction

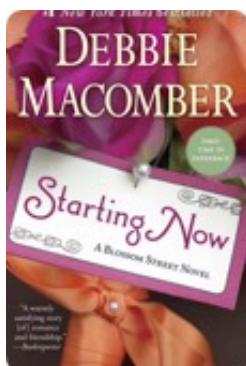
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Language: English

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Starting Now

Debbie Macomber

Ballantine Books (April 1, 2014)



Summary:

#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER Debbie Macomber returns to Seattle's beloved Blossom Street in this heartfelt tale of friendship, renewal, and discovering what's truly important in life. For years Libby Morgan dreamed only of making partner in her competitive, high-pressure law firm. She sacrificed everything for her career—her friends, her marriage, her chance at creating a family. When her boss calls Libby into his office, she assumes it will finally be good news, but nothing can prepare her for the shocking reality: She's been let go and must rebuild her entire life . . . starting now. With no job prospects in sight, Libby reaches out to old friends and spends her afternoons at A Good Yarn, the local knitting store. There she forms a close bond with Lydia, the sweet-natured shop owner; Lydia's spirited teenage daughter, Casey; and Casey's best friend, Ava, a shy yet troubled girl who will shape Libby's future in surprising and profound ways. As A Good Yarn becomes a second home—and the women a new kind of family—Libby relishes the different person she's become. She even finds time for romance with a charming and handsome doctor who seems to be her perfect match. But just as everything is coming together, Libby must make a choice that could forever change the life she holds so dear. Warmly told and richly textured, *Starting Now* is filled with the promise of new beginnings and the unending delights of companionship and love. Praise for *Starting Now* "Debbie Macomber is undoubtedly among America's favorite authors [with] a masterful gift of creating tales that are both mesmerizing and inspiring. . . . Her Blossom Street characters seem as warm and caring as beloved friends."—Wichita Falls Times Record News "There is a reason that legions of Macomber fans ask for more Blossom Street books. They fully engage her readers as her characters discover happiness, purpose, and meaning in life."—Booklist (starred review) "Macomber understands the often complex nature of a woman's friendships, as well as the emotional language women use with their friends."—New York Journal of Books From the Hardcover edition.

Genre: Fiction

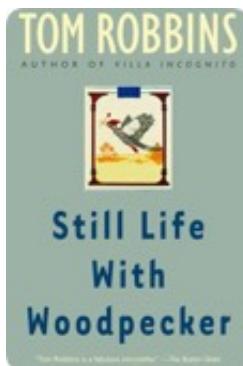
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Language: English

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Still Life with Woodpecker

A Novel

Tom Robbins

Random House Publishing Group (April 1, 1990)



Summary:

“Robbins’s comic philosophical musings reveal a flamboyant genius.”—People Still Life with Woodpecker is a sort of a love story that takes place inside a pack of Camel cigarettes. It reveals the purpose of the moon, explains the difference between criminals and outlaws, examines the conflict between social activism and romantic individualism, and paints a portrait of contemporary society that includes powerful Arabs, exiled royalty, and pregnant cheerleaders. It also deals with the problem of redheads.

Genre: Fiction

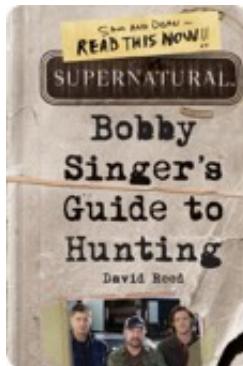
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Language: English

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Supernatural: Bobby Singer's Guide to Hunting

David Reed

Harper Collins (September 6, 2011)



Summary:

My name is Bobby Singer. In twenty-four hours I'm gonna lose my memory. So here's everything you need to know. Monsters, demons, angels, vampires, the boogeyman under your bed: I've seen it, I've hunted it, I've killed it. I'm not the only hunter out here, but there aren't as many as there used to be. Not near as many as there need to be. I've learned everything I can about every damned critter that walks, crawls, or flies, and I'm not gonna let that all be for nothing. I'm not going down without a fight. I'm not letting everything I've learned disappear. So that's what you're holding in your hands—everything I know. Anything that'd be useful for Sam, Dean, and the hunters that come after me. It's a guide to hunting...it's a guide to me. My last will and testament. Ya idjits.

Genre: Fiction

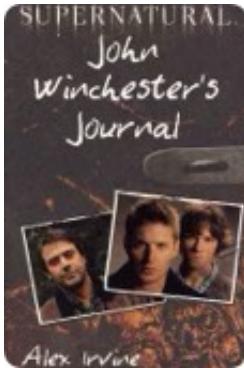
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Supernatural: John Winchester's Journal

Alex Irvine

HarperCollins (April 26, 2011)



Summary:

Sam and Dean Winchester know all the secrets their father recorded in his journal. Now you can too. On November 2, 1983, Sam and Dean Winchester lost their mother to a demonic supernatural force. In the wake of the tragedy, their father, John, set out to learn everything he could about the paranormal evil that lives in the dark corners and on the back roads of America . . . and how to kill it. In his personal journal, he not only compiled folklore, legend, and superstition about all manner of otherworldly enemies but also recorded his experiences—hunting the creature that killed his wife even as he raised his two sons. Part prequel, part resource guide, John Winchester's Journal finally gives fans the ultimate companion book for Supernatural. It's all here: the exorcism Sam and Dean used in "Phantom Traveler," John's notes on everything from shapeshifters to Samuel Colt, Dean's first hunt, Sam's peewee soccer team . . . and John's single-minded pursuit of a growing and deadly evil.

Genre: Fiction

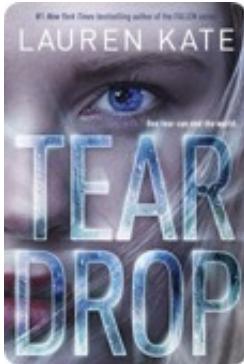
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Language: English

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Teardrop

Lauren Kate

Random House Children's Books (October 28, 2014)



Summary:

An epic saga of heart-stopping romance, devastating secrets, and dark magic . . . a world where everything you love can be washed away. The first book in the Teardrop series from the #1 New York Times bestselling author of the Fallen series Everywhere Eureka goes he is there: Ander, a mysterious blond boy who tells her she's in danger. Ander knows things about Eureka she doesn't yet know herself, but not her darkest secret: ever since her mother drowned in a freak accident, Eureka wishes she were dead, too. She has little left that she cares about, just her friend Brooks and some heirlooms—a locket, a letter, a mysterious stone, and an ancient book about a girl who got her heart broken and cried an entire continent into the sea. But Ander has some secrets of his own. The haunting tale is more than a story. It's real. And Eureka's life has far more evil undercurrents than she ever imagined. "Fans of Kate's popular Fallen series will find a similar blend of supernatural romance, mystery, and destiny."--Publishers Weekly "Plenty of danger, romance and intrigue to entertain . . . terrific."--Kirkus Reviews "Mystery, romance and fantasy combine for an enchanting world." --Teenreads.com "A big tale with vivid action scenes." --VOYA

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 480

Language: English

ISBN: 9780385742665

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Ten Rules for Faking It**

Sophie Sullivan

St. Martin's Publishing Group (December 29, 2020)



Summary:

"A wholesome, slow-burn romance that will warm your heart...This is a Hallmark movie in book form." - USA Today bestselling author Helen Hoang What happens when your love life becomes the talk of the town? As birthdays go, this year's for radio producer Everly Dean hit rock-bottom. Worse than the "tonsillectomy birthday." Worse than the birthday her parents decided to split (the first time). But catching your boyfriend cheating on you with his assistant? Even clichés sting. But this is Everly's year! She won't let her anxiety hold her back. She'll pitch her podcast idea to her boss. There's just one problem. Her boss, Chris, is very cute. (Of course). Also, he's extremely distant (which means he hates her, right? Or is that the anxiety talking)? And, Stacey the DJ didn't mute the mic during Everly's rant about Simon the Snake (syn: Cheating Ex). That's three problems. Suddenly, people are lining up to date her, Bachelorette-style, fans are voting (Reminder: never leave house again), and her interest in Chris might be a two-way street. It's a lot for a woman who could gold medal in people-avoidance. She's going to have to fake it 'till she makes it to get through all of this. Perhaps she'll make a list: The Ten Rules for Faking It. Because sometimes making the rules can find you happiness when you least expect it. "Once you start reading, you won't be able to put it down." - Lyssa Kay Adams, author of The Bromance Book Club

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9781250624161

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **Terms and Conditions**

Lauren Asher

Lauren Asher (2022)



Summary:

A Tik-Tok Sensation! Declan I'm destined to become the next CEO of my family's media empire. The only problem? My grandfather's inheritance clause. Fulfilling his dying wish of getting married and having an heir seemed impossible until my assistant volunteers for the job. Our marriage was supposed to be the perfect solution to my biggest problem. But the more we act in love for the public, the more unsure I feel about our contract. Caring about Iris was never part of the deal. Especially not when breaking her heart is inevitable. Iris My plan to marry Declan was simple in theory. Move in together. Throw a wedding. Have a baby. We set rules to prevent any kind of issues. Ones that were never meant to be broken, no matter how much Declan tempts me. But what happens when our fake relationship bleeds into our real one? Falling in love was never an option. At least not for me.

Genre: Fiction

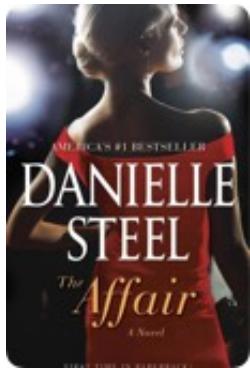
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Heart **The Affair**

A Novel

Danielle Steel

Random House Publishing Group (December 28, 2021)



Summary:

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • In this riveting novel, Danielle Steel explores a high-profile affair that reverberates throughout an entire family, from the wounded wife to her husband—torn between two women—to the wife's close-knit sisters and their mother. When Rose McCarthy's staff at Mode magazine pitches a cover shoot with Hollywood's hottest young actress, the actress's sizzling affair with a bestselling French author is exposed. The author happens to be Rose's son-in-law, which creates a painful dilemma for her. Her daughter Nadia, a talented interior designer, has been struggling to hold her marriage together, and conceal the truth from their young daughters, her family, and the world. But Nicolas, her straying husband, is blinded by passion for a younger woman—and not only that, she is pregnant with his child. Nadia's three sisters close ranks around her, flying to Paris from Los Angeles and New York to lend support and offer their widely divergent advice. Athena, a jovial celebrity chef with her own TV show in Los Angeles, is leery of marriage. Olivia, a stern conservative New York superior court judge, is haunted by a shocking secret of her own. Venetia, a zany fashion designer, happily married with three kids, has the gentlest, most realistic point of view. Despite their well-meaning advice, Nadia needs to figure out what she herself thinks, and what to do next. *The Affair* is about the painful journey to discover who you are, what you want, and how much forgiveness and compromise you are capable of in order to be loved. It's about finding yourself at the crossroads of life when everything is on the line. It's about the hard lessons we are forced to learn about others and ourselves. Right up until its final twist, this gripping novel is full of powerful insights about who we love, how much—and even how much we love ourselves.

Genre: Fiction

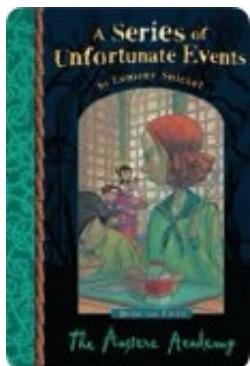
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Date Added: August 26, 2023



Heart **The Austere Academy**

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

There is nothing to be found in the pages of these books but misery and despair. You still have time to choose something else to read. But if you must know what unpleasantries befall the charming and clever Baudelaire children read on ... "The Austere Academy": In these chapters the children face snapping crabs, strict punishments, dripping fungus, comprehensive exams, violin recitals, S.O.R.E. and the metric system.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

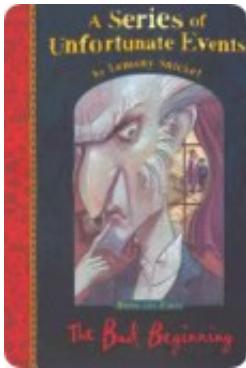
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266116

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart **The Bad Beginning**

Lemony Snicket

HarperCollins Publishers (2012)



Summary:

After the sudden death of their parents, the three Baudelaire children must depend on each other and their wits when it turns out that the distant relative who is appointed their guardian is determined to use any means necessary to get their fortune. Violet, Klaus, and Sunny Baudelaire are intelligent children. They are charming, and resourceful, and have pleasant facial features. Unfortunately, they are exceptionally unlucky. Imagine tales so terrible that as many as fifty million innocents have been ruined by them-tales so indelibly horrid that the New York Times bestseller list has been unable to rid itself of them for seven years. Now imagine if this scourge suddenly became available in a shameful new edition so sensational, so irresistible, so riddled with lurid new pictures that even a common urchin would wish for it. Who among us would be safe? -- Publisher description.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 162

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266062

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart **The Bad Beginning (A Series of Unfortunate Events #1)**

Brett Helquist, Lemony Snicket, Michael Kupperman, Nestor Busquets, and Tim Curry

HarperTrophy (2007)



Summary:

SOON TO BE A NETFLIX ORIGINAL SERIESAre you made fainthearted by death? Does fire unnerve you? Is a villain something that might crop up in future nightmares of yours? Are you thrilled by nefarious plots? Is cold porridge upsetting to you? Vicious threats? Hooks? Uncomfortable clothing?It is likely that your answers will reveal A Series of Unfortunate Events to be ill-suited for your personal use. A librarian, bookseller, or acquaintance should be able to suggest books more appropriate for your fragile temperament. But to the rarest of readers we say, "Proceed, but cautiously."

Series: Series Of Unfortunate Events

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 142

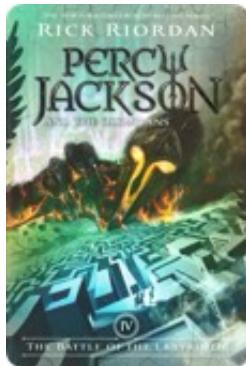
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Heart The Battle of the Labyrinth

Rick Riordan

Disney Hyperion (2009)



Summary:

How do you handle an encounter with Medusa on the New Jersey interstate? What's the best way to take down a minotaur? Become an expert on everything in Percy's world with this must-have guide to the Percy Jackson and the Olympians series. Complete with interviews, puzzles, games, and original short stories by Rick Riordan.

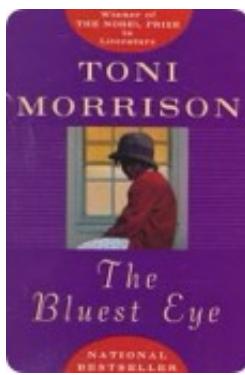
Genre: Greek mythology in fiction

Number of Pages: 361

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Heart The Bluest Eye

Toni Morrison

Plume Book (1970)



Summary:

Eleven-year-old Pecola Breedlove, an African-American girl in an America whose love for blonde, blue-eyed children can devastate all others, prays for her eyes to turn blue, so that she will be beautiful, people will notice her, and her world will be different. The story of eleven-year-old Pecola Breedlove, the tragic heroine of Toni Morrison's haunting first novel, grew out of her memory of a girlhood friend who wanted blue eyes. Shunned by the town's prosperous black families, as well as its white families, Pecola lives with her alcoholic father and embittered, overworked mother in a shabby two-room storefront that reeks of the hopeless destitution that overwhelms their lives. In awe of her clean well-groomed schoolmates, and certain of her own intense ugliness, Pecola tries to make herself disappear as she wishes fervently, desperately for the blue eyes of a white girl. In her afterward to this novel, Morrison writes of the little girl she once knew: "Beauty was not simply something to behold, it was something one could do. The Bluest Eye was my effort to say something about that; to say something about why she had not, or possibly never would have, the experience of what she possessed and also why she prayed for so radical an alteration. Implicit in her desire was racial self-loathing. And twenty-years later I was still wondering about how one learns that. Who told her? Who made her feel that it was better to be a freak than what she was? Who had looked at her and found her so wanting, so small a weight on the beauty scale? The novel pecks away at the gaze that condemned her."

Genre: Fiction

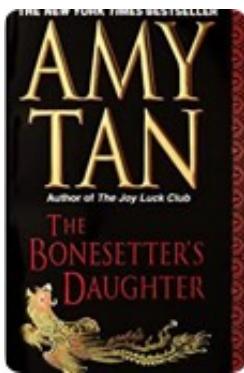
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Heart **The Bonesetter's Daughter**

Amy Tan

G.P. Putnam's (2002)



Summary:

"The Bonesetter's Daughter dramatically chronicles the tortured, devoted relationship between LuLing Young and her daughter Ruth. . . . A strong novel, filled with idiosyncratic, sympathetic characters, haunting images, historical complexity, significant contemporary themes, and suspenseful mystery." —Los Angeles Times "TAN AT HER BEST . . . Rich and hauntingly forlorn . . . The writing is so exacting and unique in its detail." —San Francisco Chronicle "For Tan, the true keeper of memory is language, and so the novel is layered with stories that have been written down—by mothers for their daughters, passing along secrets that cannot be said out loud but must not be forgotten." —The New York Times Book Review "AMY TAN [HAS] DONE IT AGAIN. . . . The Bonesetter's Daughter tells a compelling tale of family relationships; it layers and stirs themes of secrets, ambiguous meanings, cultural complexity and self-identity; and it resonates with metaphor and symbol." —The Denver Post

Genre: Fiction

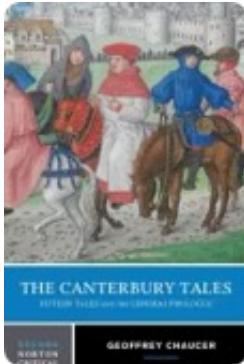
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Heart **The Canterbury Tales**

Fifteen Tales and the General Prologue : Authoritative Text, Sources and Backgrounds, Criticism

Geoffrey Chaucer

W.W. Norton (2005)



Summary:

Each is presented in the original language, with normalized spelling and substantial annotations for modern readers. Among the new added to the Second Edition are the much-requested "Merchant's Tale" and the "Tale of Sir Thopas." "Sources and Backgrounds" are included for the General Prologue and for most of the tales, enabling students to understand The Canterbury Tales in light of relevant medieval ideas and attitudes and inviting comparison between Chaucer's work and his sources. "Criticism" includes nine essays, four of them new to this edition, by leading Chaucerians, among them F. R. H. DuBoulay, E. Talbot Donaldson, Barbara Nolani, and Lee Patterson. A Chronology and Selected Bibliography are also included.

Genre: Poetry

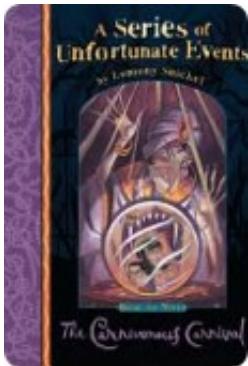
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♥ The Carnivorous Carnival

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

Dear reader, the word 'carnivorous', which appears in the title of this book, means 'meat-eating', and once you have read such a bloodthirsty word, there is no reason to read any further. This carnivorous volume contains such a distressing story that consuming any of its contents would be far more stomach-turning than even the most imbalanced meal. To avoid causing discomfort, it would be best if I didn't mention any of the ingredients of this story, particularly a confusing map, an ambidextrous person, un unruly crowd, a wooden plank, and Chabo the Wolf Baby. Sadly for me, my time is filled with researching and recording the displeasing and disenchanting lives of the Baudelaire orphans. But your time might be better filled with something more palatable, such as eating your vegetables, or feeding them to someone else. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

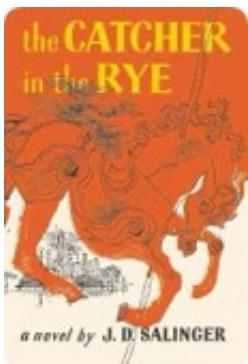
Number of Pages: 286

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266147

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



♥ The Catcher in the Rye

J.D. Salinger

Little, Brown (January 30, 2001)



Summary:

The "brilliant, funny, meaningful novel" (The New Yorker) that established J. D. Salinger as a leading voice in American literature--and that has instilled in millions of readers around the world a lifelong love of books."If you really want to hear about it, the first thing you'll probably want to know is where I was born, and what my lousy childhood was like, and how my parents were occupied and all before they had me, and all that David Copperfield kind of crap, but I don't feel like going into it, if you want to know the truth."The hero-narrator of The Catcher in the Rye is an ancient child of sixteen, a native New Yorker named Holden Caulfield. Through circumstances that tend to preclude adult, secondhand description, he leaves his prep school in Pennsylvania and goes underground in New York City for three days.

Genre: Fiction

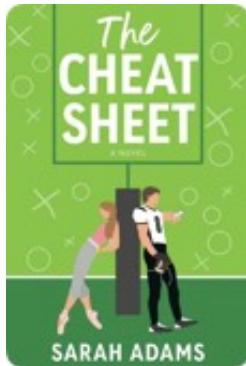
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780316769174

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Cheat Sheet**

A Novel

Sarah Adams

Dell Books (2022)



Summary:

Is it ever too late to leave the friend zone? Discover the heartwarming friends to lovers romance that became a sensation on TikTok--now with a new chapter and a Q&A with the author! The friend zone is not the end zone for Bree Camden, who is helplessly in love with her longtime best friend and extremely hot NFL legend, Nathan Donelson. The only problem is that she can't admit her true feelings, because he clearly sees her as a best friend with no romantic potential, and the last thing Bree wants is to ruin their relationship. But those abs . . . Nope! Nothing but good old-fashioned, no-touching-the-sexiest-man-alive, platonic friendship for Bree. In any case, she has other things to worry about. After a car accident ended her chance at becoming a professional ballerina, Bree changed paths and now owns her own dance studio, with big dreams to expand it. But one more rent increase could mean the end of the studio entirely. Then, as usual, Nathan comes to the rescue and buys the entire building. A stubborn Bree is not happy about it and decides to rebel with a couple--okay, maybe more than a couple--of tequila shots. Then her plan backfires as she spills her deepest, darkest secret to a TMZ reporter. One viral video later, the world thinks Nathan and Bree are the perfect couple. Before they can really talk about her confession, Nathan's publicist proposes a big opportunity that could mean financial security for Bree. The catch? They have to pretend to be in love. For three whole weeks. What will happen when Bree gives in to the feelings she's been desperately hiding for so long, and could she be imagining that Nathan is actually enjoying it? Sarah Adams scores more than touchdowns in this exciting romantic comedy.

Genre: Fiction

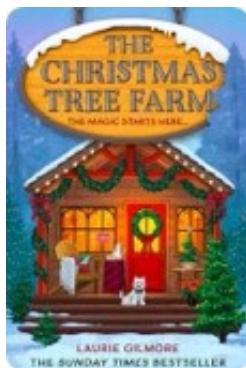
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Language: English

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Heart **The Christmas Tree Farm**

Laurie Gilmore

HarperCollins Publishers (October 8, 2024)



Summary:

From the #1 New York Times bestselling author of The Pumpkin Spice Cafe comes a #1 Sunday Times bestselling grumpy x sunshine Christmas romcom! ❄️ 'A charming break from reality' Publishers Weekly ❄️❄️❄️ Every book in the Dream Harbor series can be read as a standalone. Kira North hates Christmas. Which is unfortunate since she just bought a Christmas tree farm in a town that's too cute for its own good. Bennett Ellis is on vacation in Dream Harbor trying to take a break from both his life and his constant desire to fix things. But somehow fate finds Ben trapped by a blanket of snow at Kira's farm, and, despite her Grinchiest first impressions, with the glow of the fairy lights twinkling in the trees, and the promise of a warming hot chocolate, maybe, just maybe, these two lost souls will have a Christmas they'll remember forever... The Christmas Tree Farm is a spicy romantic mystery with a HEA guaranteed, perfect to curl up with this winter! Tropes: Grumpy x Sunshine Small Town Forced Proximity One Bed Readers have fallen for Laurie Gilmore: 'Wonderful story with tears, laughter, mysteries, uncertainty and happiness' ★★★★★ 'Compelling, cozy and delightful narrative' ★★★★★ 'A charming small town romance with sizzling chemistry and plenty of spice'

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Genre: Fiction

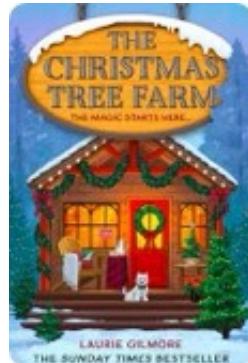
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780008610746

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Date Added: November 2, 2025



The Christmas Tree Farm

Laurie Gilmore

HarperCollins Publishers (October 8, 2024)



Summary:

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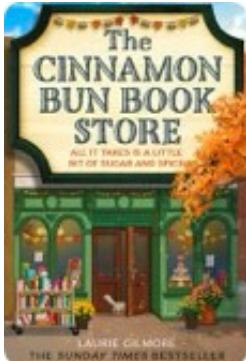
Number of Pages: 368

Language: English

ISBN: 9780008610746

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Date Added: December 29, 2025



Heart **The Cinnamon Bun Book Store**

Laurie Gilmore

HarperCollins Publishers (August 29, 2024)



Summary:

By #1 New York Times and Sunday Times bestselling author of The Pumpkin Spice Café 'Unputdownable, I devoured [it] within days... Dream Harbor is not short of a vibrant and hilarious cast of characters to help breathe life into the already charming town' ★★★★★ Book Every book in the Dream Harbor series can be read as a standalone. When a secret message turns up hidden in a book in the Cinnamon Bun Bookstore, Hazel can't understand it. As more secret codes appear between the pages, she decides to follow the trail of clues... she just needs someone to help her out. Gorgeous and outgoing fisherman, Noah, is always up for an adventure. And a scavenger hunt sounds like a lot of fun. Even better than the cute bookseller he's been crushing on for months is the one who wants his help! Hazel didn't go looking for romance, but as the treasure hunt leads her and Noah around Dream Harbor, their undeniable chemistry might be just as hot as the fresh-out-of-the-oven cinnamon buns the bookstore sells... The Cinnamon Bun Book Store is a Sunday Times and USA Today bestselling cozy romantic mystery with a HEA guaranteed! Tropes: opposites attract small town forced proximity he falls first Readers have fallen for Laurie Gilmore 'I absolutely loved this small town, cosy romantic and very steamy novel just as much as The Pumpkin Spice Café' ★★★★★ 'Wonderful story with tears, laughter, mysteries, uncertainty and happiness' ★★★★★ 'Compelling, cozy and delightful narrative' ★★★★★ 'A charming small town romance with sizzling chemistry and plenty of spice' ★★★★★ 'I LOVED THIS SO BAD. The vibes of the small town were immaculate' ★★★★★ 'This book makes my heart happy!' ★★★★★ 'The perfect kind of romance for me' ★★★★★ 'Perfect for reading in the evening with a little fire going' ★★★★★ 'I enjoyed this so much! Completely heartwarming and unputdownable, the steamy scenes were a bonus' ★★★★★ '[This] gave me everything I needed from an easy read and was the perfect addition to the Dream Harbor series' ★★★★★ 'I read it in one sitting because I couldn't bear to put it down' ★★★★★ 'Just the perfect amount of sugar and spice... a literal dream to read' ★★★★★

Genre: Fiction

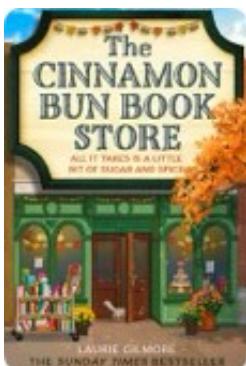
Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9780008641580

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025



Heart **The Cinnamon Bun Book Store**

Laurie Gilmore

HarperCollins Publishers (August 29, 2024)



Summary:

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Genre: Fiction

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Language: English

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Heart **The Complete Summer I Turned Pretty Trilogy**

The Summer I Turned Pretty; It's Not Summer Without You; We'll Always Have Summer

Jenny Han

Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers (May 7, 2013)



Summary:

Now a streaming series in Summer 2022! Summer love abounds in the New York Times bestselling The Summer I Turned Pretty series, now available in a paperback boxed set. Belly has always lived for the summertime, because summer means all her favorite things: swimming, the beach, and the Fisher boys, Conrad and Jeremiah. For as long as she can remember, she's shared her summers with the brothers at Cousins Beach. And for as long as she can remember, she's been in love with Conrad. Then one summer it seems like he might have feelings for her too—but so does Jeremiah. As the summer seasons pass, Belly has to choose between two brothers who love her...and she'll have to break one of their hearts. This paperback collection of the complete series includes The Summer I Turned Pretty, It's Not Summer Without You, and We'll Always Have Summer.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

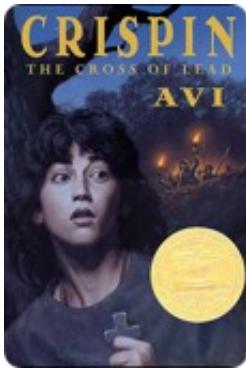
Number of Pages: 928

Language: English

ISBN: 9781442498327

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



♥ The Crispin: Cross of Lead

Avi

Hyperion Book CH (May 3, 2004)



Summary:

H "Avi's plot is engineered for maximum thrills, with twists, turns, and treachery aplenty. . . . A page-turner to delight Avi's fans, it will leave readers hoping for a sequel."-Publishers Weekly (starred review) H " . . . [T]he book is a page-turner from beginning to end . . . [A] meticulously crafted story, full of adventure, mystery, and action." -School Library Journal (starred review) "Historical fiction at its finest."-VOYA

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

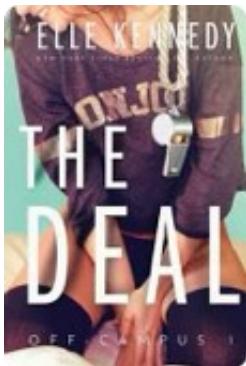
Number of Pages: 320

Language: English

ISBN: 9780786816583

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♥ The Deal

Elle Kennedy

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (February 24, 2015)



Summary:

New York Times bestseller Elle Kennedy brings you a sexy new Off-Campus novel that can be read as a standalone...She's about to make a deal with the college bad boy...Hannah Wells has finally found someone who turns her on. But while she might be confident in every other area of her life, she's carting around a full set of baggage when it comes to sex and seduction. If she wants to get her crush's attention, she'll have to step out of her comfort zone and make him take notice...even if it means tutoring the annoying, childish, cocky captain of the hockey team in exchange for a pretend date....and it's going to be oh so goodAll Garrett Graham has ever wanted is to play professional hockey after graduation, but his plummeting GPA is threatening everything he's worked so hard for. If helping a sarcastic brunette make another guy jealous will help him secure his position on the team, he's all for it. But when one unexpected kiss leads to the wildest sex of both their lives, it doesn't take long for Garrett to realize that pretend isn't going to cut it. Now he just has to convince Hannah that the man she wants looks a lot like him.

Genre: Fiction

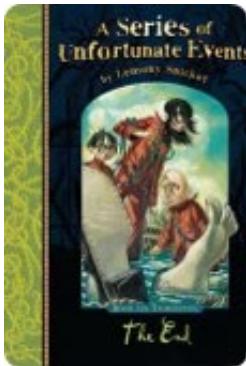
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781775293934

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Heart The End

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

Dear reader, you are presumably looking at the back of this book, or the end of The End is the best place to begin The End, because if you read The End from the beginning of the beginning of The End to the end of the end of The End, you will arrive at the end of the end of your rope. This book is the last in A Series of Unfortunate Events, and even if you braved the previous twelve volumes, you probably can't stand such unpleasantries as a fearsome storm, a suspicious beverage, a herd of wild sheep, an enormous bird cage and a truly haunting secret about the Baudelaire parents. It has been my solemn occupation to complete the history of the Baudelaire orphans, and at last I am finished. You likely have some other occupation, so if I were you I would drop this book at once, so The End does not finish you. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

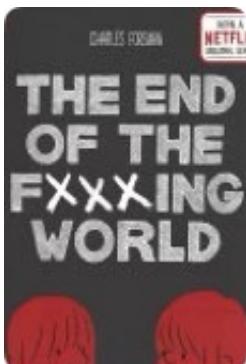
Number of Pages: 324

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266185

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Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The End of the Fucking World

Charles Forsman

Faber & Faber Limited (March 15, 2018)



Summary:

'At 16, I pretended to fall in love with Alyssa.' Meet James and Alyssa, two teenagers facing the fears of coming adulthood. As their story is told through chapters which alternate between each character's perspective, however, this somewhat familiar teenage experience takes a more nihilistic turn. With James's character becoming rapidly more sociopathic, they are forced to take a road trip that owes as much to Badlands as The Catcher in the Rye, and which threatens both their futures forever.

Genre: Comics & graphic novels, general

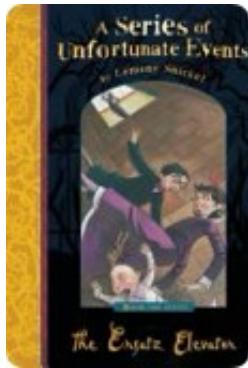
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Heart The Ersatz Elevator

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

Within this story, Violet, Klaus, and Sunny Baudelaire encounter a darkened staircase, a red herring, some friends in a dire situation, three mysterious initials, a liar with an evil scheme, a secret passageway and parsley soda.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

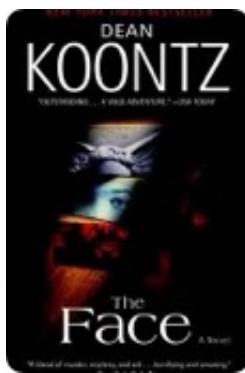
Number of Pages: 272

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266123

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Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Face

Dean Ray Koontz

Bantam Books (2003)



Summary:

Acknowledged as "America's most popular suspense novelist" (Rolling Stone) and as one of today's most celebrated and successful writers, Dean Koontz has earned the devotion of millions of readers around the world and the praise of critics everywhere for tales of character, mystery, and adventure that strike to the core of what it means to be human. Now he delivers the page-turner of the season, an unforgettable journey to the heart of darkness and to the pinnacle of grace, at once chilling and wickedly funny, a brilliantly observed chronicle of good and evil in our time, of illusion and everlasting truth. He's Hollywood's most dazzling star, whose flawless countenance inspires the worship of millions and fires the hatred of one twisted soul. His perfectly ordered existence is under siege as a series of terrifying, enigmatic "messages" breaches the exquisitely calibrated security systems of his legendary Bel Air estate. The boxes arrive mysteriously, one by one, at Channing Manheim's fortified compound. The threat implicit in their bizarre, disturbing contents seems to escalate with each new delivery. Manheim's security chief, ex-cop Ethan Truman, is used to looking beneath the surface of things. But until he entered the orbit of a Hollywood icon, he had no idea just how slippery reality could be. Now this good man is all that stands in the way of an insidious killer—and forces that eclipse the most fevered fantasies of a city where dreams and nightmares are the stuff of daily life. As a seemingly endless and ominous rain falls over southern California, Ethan will test the limits of perception and endurance in a world where the truth is as thin as celluloid and answers can be found only in the illusory intersection of shadow and light. Enter a world of marvelous invention, enchantment, and implacable intent, populated by murderous actors and the walking dead, hit men and heroes, long-buried dreams and never-dying hope. Here a magnificent mansion is presided over by a Scottish force of nature known as Mrs. McBee, before whom all men tremble. A mad French chef concocts feasts for the mighty and the malicious. Ming du Lac, spiritual adviser to the stars, has a direct line to the dead. An aptly named cop called Hazard will become Ethan's ally, an anarchist will sow discord and despair, and a young boy named Fric, imprisoned by celebrity and loneliness, will hear a voice telling him of the approach of something unimaginably evil. Traversing this extraordinary landscape, Ethan will face the secrets of his own tragic past and the unmistakable premonition of his impending violent death as he races against time to solve the macabre riddles of a modern-day beast. A riveting tour de force of suspense, mystery, and miraculous revelation, The Face is that rare novel that entertains, provokes, and uplifts at the same time. It will make you laugh. It will give you chills. It will fill you with hope.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 688

Language: English

ISBN: 9780553584486

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Fine Print**

Lauren Asher

BLOOM BOOKS (July 4, 2021)



Summary:

A Tik-Tok Sensation! Rowan I'm in the business of creating fairy tales. Theme parks. Production companies. Five-star hotels. Everything could be all mine if I renovated Dreamland. My initial idea of hiring Zahra was good in theory, but then I kissed her. Things spiraled out of control once I texted her using an alias. By the time I realized where I went wrong, it was too late. People like me don't get happy endings. Not when we're destined to ruin them. Zahra After submitting a drunk proposal criticizing Dreamland's most expensive ride, I should have been fired. Instead, Rowan Kane offered me a dream job. The catch? I had to work for the most difficult boss I'd ever met. Rowan was rude and completely off-limits, but my heart didn't care. At least not until I discovered his secret. It was time to teach the billionaire that money couldn't fix everything. Especially not us.

Genre: Fiction

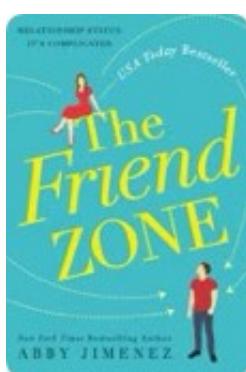
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Language: English

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Heart **The Friend Zone**

Abby Jimenez

Grand Central Publishing (June 11, 2019)



Summary:

Fall in love with this hilarious and heartwarming USA Today bestselling romantic comedy that LJ Shen calls "an absolute treat." Kristen Peterson doesn't do drama, will fight to the death for her friends, and has no room in her life for guys who just don't get her. She's also keeping a big secret: facing a medically necessary procedure that will make it impossible for her to have children. Planning her best friend's wedding is bittersweet for Kristen -- especially when she meets the best man, Josh Copeland. He's funny, sexy, never offended by her mile-wide streak of sarcasm, and always one chicken enchilada ahead of her hangry. Even her dog, Stuntman Mike, adores him. The only catch: Josh wants a big family someday. Kristen knows he'd be better off with someone else, but as their attraction grows, it's harder and harder to keep him at arm's length. The Friend Zone will have you laughing one moment and grabbing for tissues the next as it tackles the realities of infertility and loss with wit, heart, and a lot of sass. "Your next favorite romantic comedy...The Friend Zone is that rare beach read with tons of heart that will make you laugh and cry in equal parts." ---PopSugar "Your next rom-com to obsess and cry over." ---Cosmopolitan Bookish Best Books of 2019 SheReads Best Romances of 2019 Women's Health Best Romance Novels of 2019 O, The Oprah Magazine Best Romance Novels of 2019 Good Housekeeping Best New Books for Summer 2019 PopSugar Best Books of Summer 2019 Bookstr Ultimate Summer 2019 Reading Guide Publishers Weekly Starred Review Booklist Starred Review Booklist Top 10 Romance Debuts of 2019

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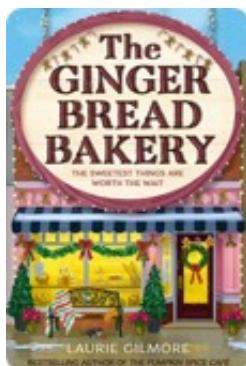
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Date Added: September 16, 2024



The Gingerbread Bakery (Dream Harbor, Book 5)

Laurie Gilmore

HarperCollins Publishers Limited (September 11, 2025)



Summary:

The highly anticipated new Dream Harbor romance from the #1 New York Times bestselling author of The Pumpkin Spice Café! 'All the makings of a top tier Hallmark movie that happens to include a nice dash of spice'--People on the Dream Harbor series 'If you like steamy, small-town romance, then global bestselling author Laurie Gilmore should definitely be your go-to'--Fabulous Magazine Every book in the Dream Harbor series can be read as a standalone. ❄️❄️❄️ As owner of her beloved Gingerbread Bakery, Annie Andrews should have a love life to match her business; sugary and sweet. But instead, she's locked in a game of words with the irritatingly upbeat bar owner down the street. Mac Sullivan has everything he wants, except the girl he dreams of. It's easier to argue with Annie than get her to talk to him but with Jeanie and Logan's wedding coming up, they're about to spend a lot more time together. As the snowflakes fall and with romance in the air, will Annie see that the one she loves to hate might just be her perfect match after all? The Gingerbread Bakery is a cozy romantic novel with an enemies to lovers dynamic, small-town setting and a HEA guaranteed! Tropes: Enemies to lovers Found family Small Town Forced Proximity Readers love Laurie Gilmore 'The atmosphere of the small town of Dream Harbor envelops you from the very first pages: snow-covered streets, the aroma of freshly baked gingerbread, and a sense of community that only exists in a close-knit and friendly community'

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'Perfect for reading in the evening with a little fire going'

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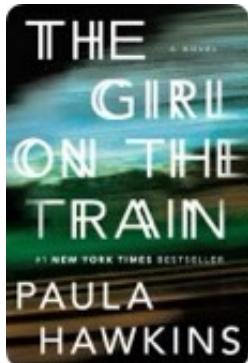
Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9780008728090

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: December 29, 2025



Heart The Girl on the Train

A Novel

Paula Hawkins

Penguin (July 12, 2016)



Summary:

The #1 New York Times Bestseller, USA Today Book of the Year, now a major motion picture starring Emily Blunt. The debut psychological thriller that will forever change the way you look at other people's lives, from the author of Into the Water and A Slow Fire Burning. "Nothing is more addicting than The Girl on the Train."—Vanity Fair "The Girl on the Train has more fun with unreliable narration than any chiller since Gone Girl. . . . [It] is liable to draw a large, bedazzled readership."—The New York Times "Maries movie noir with novelistic trickery. . . hang on tight. You'll be surprised by what horrors lurk around the bend."—USA Today "Like its train, the story blasts through the stagnation of these lives in suburban London and the reader cannot help but turn pages."—The Boston Globe "Gone Girl fans will devour this psychological thriller."—People EVERY DAY THE SAME Rachel takes the same commuter train every morning and night. Every day she rattles down the track, flashes past a stretch of cozy suburban homes, and stops at the signal that allows her to daily watch the same couple breakfasting on their deck. She's even started to feel like she knows them. Jess and Jason, she calls them. Their life—as she sees it—is perfect. Not unlike the life she recently lost. UNTIL TODAY And then she sees something shocking. It's only a minute until the train moves on, but it's enough. Now everything's changed. Unable to keep it to herself, Rachel goes to the police. But is she really as unreliable as they say? Soon she is deeply entangled not only in the investigation but in the lives of everyone involved. Has she done more harm than good?

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9781594634024

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Girl Who Loved Tom Gordon

Stephen King

Pocket Books (1999)



Summary:

The acclaimed #1 New York Times and undisputed King of Horror Stephen King offers a frightening suspense novel about a young girl who becomes lost in the woods as night falls. On a six-mile hike on the Maine-New Hampshire branch of the Appalachian Trail, nine-year-old Trisha McFarland quickly tires of the constant bickering between her older brother, Pete, and her recently divorced mother. But when she wanders off by herself, and then tries to catch up by attempting a shortcut, she becomes lost in a wilderness maze full of peril and terror. As night falls, Trisha has only her ingenuity as a defense against the elements, and only her courage and faith to withstand her mounting fears. For solace she tunes her Walkman to broadcasts of Boston Red Sox baseball games and follows the gritty performances of her hero, relief pitcher Tom Gordon. And when her radio's reception begins to fade, Trisha imagines that Tom Gordon is with her—protecting her from an all-too-real enemy who has left a trail of slaughtered animals and mangled trees in the dense, dark woods...

Genre: Fiction

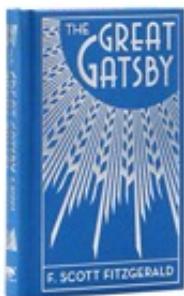
Number of Pages: 272

Language: English

ISBN: 9780671042851

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Great Gatsby**

F. Scott Fitzgerald

Arcturus Publishing Limited (October 1, 2020)



Summary:

This deluxe hardback edition presents one of the most celebrated American novels of all time, *The Great Gatsby*, with silver gilded page edges and foil-stamping. Jay Gatsby is a mystery to Nick. On the surface he is a man of wealth and excess - throwing wild, extravagant parties that run deep into the night. But cracks begin to show in this facade as we meet Daisy Buchanan, the lady across the lake who is the object of his quiet obsession. A paragon of the Great American Novel, *The Great Gatsby* is a tragic love story which perfectly captures the hollow decadence of the Jazz Age.

Number of Pages: 208

Language: English

ISBN: 9781839409233

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Grim Grotto**

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

There is nothing to be found in the pages of these books but misery and despair. You still have time to choose something else to read. But if you must know what unpleasantries befall the charming and clever Baudelaire children read on ... "The Grim Grotto". Unless you are a slug, a sea anemone or mildew you probably prefer not to be damp. But unfortunately the Beaudelaires encounter an unpleasant amount of dampness as they descend into the depths of despair, underwater. You may wish to delve into some happier book in order to keep your eyes and your spirits from being moistened.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

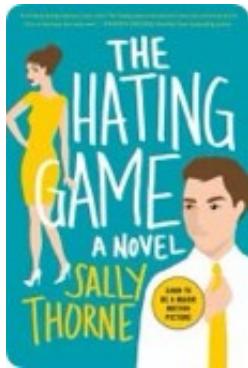
Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266161

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Hating Game

A Novel

Sally Thorne

HarperCollins (August 9, 2016)



Summary:

USA Today BestsellerDebut author Sally Thorne bursts on the scene with a hilarious and sexy workplace comedy all about that thin, fine line between hate and love.Nemesis (n.) 1) An opponent or rival whom a person cannot best or overcome. 2) A person's undoing 3) Joshua TemplemanLucy Hutton and Joshua Templeman hate each other. Not dislike. Not begrudgingly tolerate. Hate. And they have no problem displaying their feelings through a series of ritualistic passive aggressive maneuvers as they sit across from each other, executive assistants to co-CEOs of a publishing company. Lucy can't understand Joshua's joyless, uptight, meticulous approach to his job. Joshua is clearly baffled by Lucy's overly bright clothes, quirkiness, and Pollyanna attitude.Now up for the same promotion, their battle of wills has come to a head and Lucy refuses to back down when their latest game could cost her her dream job... But the tension between Lucy and Joshua has also reached its boiling point, and Lucy is discovering that maybe she doesn't hate Joshua. And maybe, he doesn't hate her either. Or maybe this is just another game.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

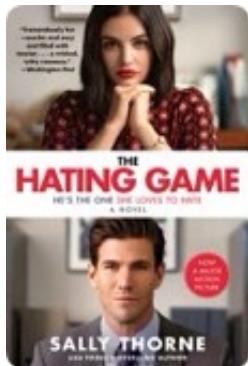
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Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

Date Added: September 17, 2022

Tags: Favorite



Heart The Hating Game [Movie Tie-In]

A Novel

Sally Thorne

HarperCollins Publishers (March 1, 2022)



Summary:

Now a movie starring Lucy Hale and Austin Stowell, USA Today bestselling author Sally Thorne's hilarious and sexy workplace comedy all about that thin, fine line between hate and love.Lucy Hutton has always believed that the nice girl can get the corner office. She's charming and accommodating and prides herself on being loved by everyone. Everyone except sarcastic, cynical, and intimidating Joshua Templeman. Her nemesis.Josh is the dark and brooding to Lucy's light and cheery, the crisp pressed suit to her retro outfits and bright red lipstick. And he gets under her skin like no one else can. Trapped in a shared office together five days a week, they've become entrenched in an addictive, never-ending game of one-upmanship.When a new executive position is announced, Josh and Lucy are top contenders for the promotion, but the idea of working for the other is so unthinkable that they strike a deal: whoever doesn't get the job will walk away. The stakes have never been higher and as the competition heats up and the barriers between them begin to fall down, Lucy starts questioning just who her opponent truly is and whether this man she's hated all this time is even the real Josh.Maybe Lucy Hutton doesn't hate Joshua Templeman. And maybe, he doesn't hate her either.

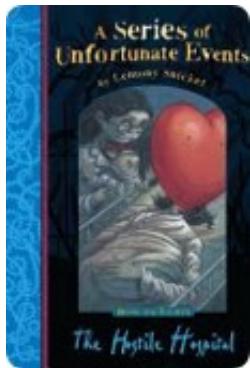
Genre: Man-woman relationships, fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9780063240766

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart icon The Hostile Hospital

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

There is nothing to be found in the pages of these books but misery and despair. You still have time to choose something else to read. But if you must know what unpleasantries befall the charming and clever Baudelaire children read on ... The Hostile Hospital - There are many pleasant things to read about, but this book contains none of them. Within its pages are such burdensome details as a suspicious shopkeeper, unnecessary surgery, heartshaped balloons, and some very startling news about a fire. Clearly you do not want to read about such things.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

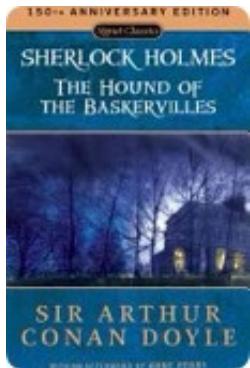
Number of Pages: 272

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266130

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart icon The Hound of the Baskervilles

Arthur Conan Doyle

Signet Classic (2001)



Summary:

Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson face a mystery on the moors in this classic caper from Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. A country doctor has come to 221B Baker Street, the lodgings of famed detective Sherlock Holmes, with the eerie tale of the Hound of the Baskervilles. The legend warns the descendants of the Baskerville family never to venture out on the moors that surround their ancestral home, for fear that they will meet the devil-beast that lurks there. Such a story sounds preposterous to any man of reason, but now Sir Charles Baskerville is dead--and the footprints of a giant hound have been found near his body. Sherlock Holmes and his faithful friend Dr. John Watson agree to investigate the truth of the matter. They will soon learn that in this case, nothing is quite as it seems.... The most famous of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes stories, The Hound of the Baskervilles is a classic of masterful detection and hair-raising suspense.

Includes an Afterword by Anne Perry

Genre: Fiction

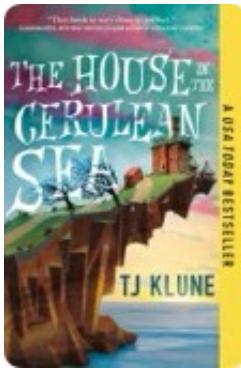
Number of Pages: 256

Language: English

ISBN: 9780451528018

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The House in the Cerulean Sea

TJ Klune

Tor Publishing Group (December 29, 2020)



Summary:

A NEW YORK TIMES, USA TODAY, and WASHINGTON POST BESTSELLER! A 2021 Alex Award winner! The 2021 RUSA Reading List: Fantasy Winner! An Indie Next Pick! One of Publishers Weekly's "Most Anticipated Books of Spring 2020" One of Book Riot's "20 Must-Read Feel-Good Fantasies" Lambda Literary Award-winning author TJ Klune's bestselling, breakout contemporary fantasy that's "1984 meets The Umbrella Academy with a pinch of Douglas Adams thrown in." (Gail Carriger) A magical island. A dangerous task. A burning secret. Linus Baker leads a quiet, solitary life. At forty, he lives in a tiny house with a devious cat and his old records. As a Case Worker at the Department in Charge Of Magical Youth, he spends his days overseeing the well-being of children in government-sanctioned orphanages. When Linus is unexpectedly summoned by Extremely Upper Management he's given a curious and highly classified assignment: travel to Marsyas Island Orphanage, where six dangerous children reside: a gnome, a sprite, a wyvern, an unidentifiable green blob, a were-Pomeranian, and the Antichrist. Linus must set aside his fears and determine whether or not they're likely to bring about the end of days. But the children aren't the only secret the island keeps. Their caretaker is the charming and enigmatic Arthur Parnassus, who will do anything to keep his wards safe. As Arthur and Linus grow closer, long-held secrets are exposed, and Linus must make a choice: destroy a home or watch the world burn. An enchanting story, masterfully told, The House in the Cerulean Sea is about the profound experience of discovering an unlikely family in an unexpected place—and realizing that family is yours.

Genre: Fiction

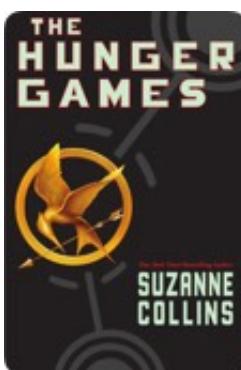
Number of Pages: 416

Language: English

ISBN: 9781250217318

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Hunger Games

Suzanne Collins

Scholastic Inc. (2008)



Summary:

The first novel in the worldwide bestselling series by Suzanne Collins. Winning means fame and fortune. Losing means certain death. The Hunger Games have begun. . . . In the ruins of a place once known as North America lies the nation of Panem, a shining Capitol surrounded by twelve outlying districts. The Capitol is harsh and cruel and keeps the districts in line by forcing them all to send one boy and one girl between the ages of twelve and eighteen to participate in the annual Hunger Games, a fight to the death on live TV. Sixteen-year-old Katniss Everdeen regards it as a death sentence when she steps forward to take her sister's place in the Games. But Katniss has been close to dead before—and survival, for her, is second nature. Without really meaning to, she becomes a contender. But if she is to win, she will have to start making choices that weigh survival against humanity and life against love.

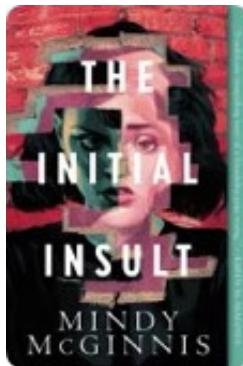
Genre: Young Adult Fiction

Number of Pages: 374

Language: English

ISBN: 9780439023528

Reading Status: Unread



Heart **The Initial Insult**

Mindy McGinnis

HarperCollins Publishers (January 4, 2022)



Summary:

In the first book of a suspenseful YA duology, award-winning author Mindy McGinnis draws inspiration from Edgar Allan Poe and masterfully delivers a dark, propulsive mystery in alternating points of view that unravels a friendship . . . forevermore. Perfect for fans of One of Us Is Lying and Truly Devious! Tress Montor's family used to mean something--until she didn't have a family anymore. When her parents disappeared seven years ago while driving her best friend home, Tress lost everything. The entire town shuns her now that she lives with her drunken, one-eyed grandfather at what locals refer to as the "White Trash Zoo." Felicity Turnado has it all: looks, money, and a secret. One misstep could send her tumbling from the top of the social ladder, and she's worked hard to make everyone forget that she was with the Montors the night they disappeared. Felicity has buried what she knows so deeply that she can't even remember what it is . . . only that she can't look at Tress without feeling shame and guilt. But Tress has a plan. A Halloween costume party at an abandoned house provides the ideal situation for Tress to pry the truth from Felicity--brick by brick--as she slowly seals her former best friend into a coal chute. Tress will have her answers--or settle for revenge. * A Junior Library Guild Selection * Texas Tayshas Reading List of the Year * A YALSA Best Fiction for Young Adults & Amazing Audiobooks for Young Adults Book of the Year *

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

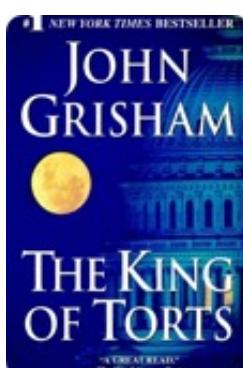
Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

ISBN: 9780062982438

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025



Heart **The King of Torts**

John Grisham

Dell (2003)



Summary:

The office of the public defender is not known as a training ground for bright young litigators. Clay Carter has been there too long and, like most of his colleagues, dreams of a better job in a real firm. When he reluctantly takes the case of a young man charged with a random street killing, he assumes it is just another of the many senseless murders that hit D.C. every week. As he digs into the background of his client, Clay stumbles on a conspiracy too horrible to believe. He suddenly finds himself in the middle of a complex case against one of the largest pharmaceutical companies in the world, looking at the kind of enormous settlement that would totally change his life--that would make him, almost overnight, the legal profession's newest king of torts...From the Hardcover edition.

Genre: Fiction

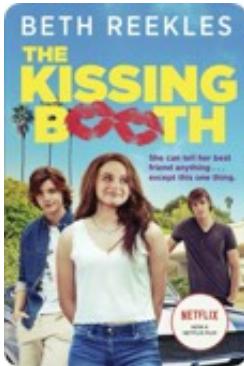
Number of Pages: 472

Language: English

ISBN: 9780440241539

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Kissing Booth

Beth Reekles

EMBER (2013)



Summary:

NOW A NETFLIX MOVIE STARRING JOEY KING AND JACOB ELORDI! Read the first book in the Kissing Booth series for some fun, fresh romance from Beth Reekles. Meet Rochelle "Elle" Evans: pretty, popular--and never been kissed. Meet Noah Flynn: badass, volatile--and a total player. When Elle decides to run a kissing booth at her school's Spring Carnival, she locks lips with Noah and her life is turned upside down. Her head says to keep away, but her heart wants to draw closer. This romance seems far from a fairy tale. Is Elle headed for heartbreak or will she get her happily ever after? Don't miss the next two books in the series: -The Kissing Booth #2: Going the Distance -The Kissing Booth #3: One Last Time (on sale August 2021)

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 442

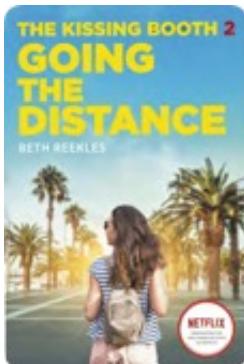
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Heart The Kissing Booth #2: Going the Distance

Beth Reekles

EMBER (January 7, 2020)



Summary:

THE SIZZLING SEQUEL TO THE KISSING BOOTH THAT INSPIRED THE NETFLIX MOVIE STARRING JOEY KING AND JACOB ELORDI! Read the rest of the Kissing Booth series for more fun, fresh romance from Beth Reekles. Elle Evans seems to have finally tamed hotter-than-hot bad boy Noah Flynn, but now they're facing a new challenge. Noah's 3,000 miles away at Harvard, which means they're officially a long-distance couple - and it's tough. After all, there's only so much texts and calls can do- and when Elle sees a post which suggests Noah's getting friendly with someone else, she's devastated. On top of that, it's hard to ignore new boy Levi. He's gentle, sweet, cute - and definitely interested in Elle. With her heart on the line, what's a girl to do? Join Elle, Noah, Lee and all your favorite Kissing Booth characters for another amazing romantic story that's sure to have you swooning.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593172575

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

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Heart The Kissing Booth #3: One Last Time

Beth Reekles

Random House Children's Books (2021)



Summary:

The third book in The Kissing Booth series - soon to be a Netflix film this summer starring Joey King, Jacob Elordi and Molly Ringwald! Elle is spending the summer before college at her family beach house with her boyfriend Noah and best friend Lee hoping to have the best summer ever--until new choices about college make her question what her heart really wants. Will Elle have to choose between her best friend and her boyfriend?

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593425657

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Kissing Booth: Road Trip!

World Book Day 2020

Beth Reekles

Penguin Books, Limited (February 20, 2020)



Summary:

A super-fun romantic comedy short story, set in the world of the bestselling The Kissing Booth - written exclusively for World Book Day 2020! Everyone knows it's TOUGH having a long-distance relationship - especially when your boyfriend is as sizzlinly hot as Noah Flynn. Elle's thrilled her bad-boy-turned good has made it into Harvard, but being stuck back in California isn't much fun without him. So there's only one thing for it . . . a road trip to visit! And what could be better than packing up your best buddy's convertible, heading out on Route 66, and looking for fun and adventure along the way? Maybe only the person waiting for you at the other end . . .

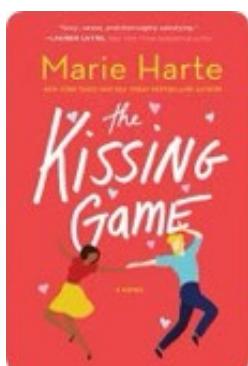
Number of Pages: 128

Language: English

ISBN: 9780241438565

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Kissing Game

Marie Harte

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (2020)



Summary:

"Sexy, sweet, and thoroughly satisfying."--LAUREN LAYNE, New York Times bestselling author She's one kiss away from finding Mr. Right Rena Jackson is ready. She's worked her tail off to open up her own hair salon, and she's almost ready to quit her job at the dive bar. Rena's also a diehard romantic, and she's had her eye on Axel Heller for a while. He's got that tall-brooding-and-handsome thing going big-time. Problem is, he's got that buttoned-up Germanic ice man thing going as well. With Valentine's Day just around the corner, Rena's about ready to give up on Axel and find some other Mr. Right. At six foot six, Axel knows he intimidates most people. He's been crushing on the gorgeous waitress for months. But the muscled mechanic is no romantic, and his heart is buried so deep, he has no idea how to show Rena what he feels. He knows he's way out of his depth and she's slipping away. So, he makes one crazy, desperate play..."I bet you a kiss you can't resist me." Game on. Praise for New York Times and USA Today bestseller Marie Harte: "Blends humor, heart, and heat to deliver a top of the charts performance."--Night Owl Romance, 5/5 Stars, Top Pick for Zero to Sixty" A blazing hot, emotionally intense love story...from an author on the rise."--Kirkus Reviews for A Sure Thing" Funny, addicting, and full of hot sex scenes."--Booklist for How to Handle a Heartbreaker" Another exceptionally red-hot romance by Marie Harte with a strong yet sweet hero"--Fresh Fiction for Just the Thing

Genre: Fiction

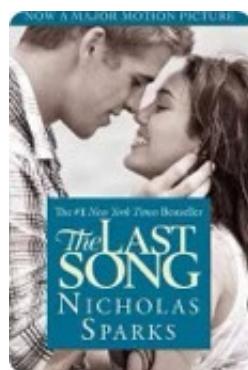
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Last Song**

Nicholas Sparks

Grand Central Publishing (March 1, 2010)



Summary:

Seventeen year old Veronica "Ronnie" Miller's life was turned upside-down when her parents divorced and her father moved from New York City to Wrightsville Beach, North Carolina. Three years later, she remains angry and alienated from her parents, especially her father...until her mother decides it would be in everyone's best interest if she spent the summer in Wilmington with him. Ronnie's father, a former concert pianist and teacher, is living a quiet life in the beach town, immersed in creating a work of art that will become the centerpiece of a local church. The tale that unfolds is an unforgettable story of love on many levels--first love, love between parents and children -- that demonstrates, as only a Nicholas Sparks novel can, the many ways that love can break our hearts...and heal them.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 463

Language: English

ISBN: 9780446570961

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

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The Last Sunrise

Anna Todd



Simon and Schuster (May 6, 2025)



Summary:

New York Times bestselling author and “the biggest literary phenom of her generation” (Cosmopolitan) Anna Todd returns with a moving and empowering new romance about a sheltered young woman whose life transforms during a summer in Majorca with a mysterious local. When twenty-two-year-old Oriah (Ry) Pera learns that her mother’s job is relocating them to Majorca, she knows this summer could be the start of her very own coming-of-age story. Between chronic health issues and her mother’s overprotective tendencies, Ry feels like she’s stuck waiting for her life to begin. In her first small act of rebellion, she heads off to the beach alone and meets an infuriatingly charming Spaniard. Julián makes Ry feel even more naive and inexperienced than she normally does, but she can’t tamp down her growing attraction. As the summer continues, Julián pulls Ry out of her shell and into the adventures she’s always craved. But with her return to America looming, Ry must decide if she’s brave enough to finally follow her heart and live for herself.

Genre: Fiction

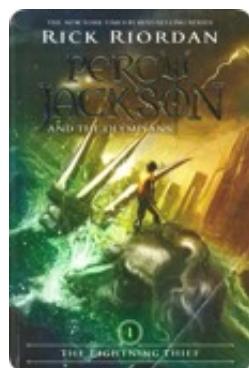
Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9781668079539

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025



Heart icon **The Lightning Thief**

Rick Riordan

Hyperion Books for Children (2006)



Summary:

How do you handle an encounter with Medusa on the New Jersey interstate? What's the best way to take down a minotaur? Become an expert on everything in Percy's world with this must-have guide to the Percy Jackson and the Olympians series. Complete with interviews, puzzles, games, and original short stories by Rick Riordan.

Genre: Fiction

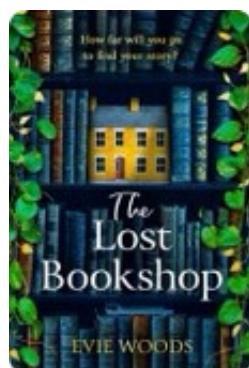
Number of Pages: 377

Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart icon **The Lost Bookshop**

Evie Woods

HarperCollins Publishers Limited (June 1, 2023)



Summary:

Evie Woods' stunning new novel *The Story Collector* is available now The Echo of Old Books meets The Lost Apothecary in this evocative and charming novel full of mystery and secrets. 'The thing about books,' she said 'is that they help you to imagine a life bigger and better than you could ever dream of.' On a quiet street in Dublin, a lost bookshop is waiting to be found... For too long, Opaline, Martha and Henry have been the side characters in their own lives. But when a vanishing bookshop casts its spell, these three unsuspecting strangers will discover that their own stories are every bit as extraordinary as the ones found in the pages of their beloved books. And by unlocking the secrets of the shelves, they find themselves transported to a world of wonder... where nothing is as it seems. Readers have fallen in love with *The Lost Bookshop*: 'Beautifully written and captures the wonder and awe that a story can bring to its reader...a delightful story for any book lover...an ode to storytelling and the connections that books can make!'

'Wowww!! It's been awhile since I read something so fascinating, captivating and special all in one...It takes you on a journey like most books do, but this one, I just want to inscribe on my back and hope that it becomes a part of me so that I can carry it with me always' 'A must read for readers that love books' 'A beautiful story that begs to be read in one sitting...a magical story filled with beautiful prose and many surprises that readers will not soon forget' 'This spellbinding book hooked me from the very beginning and I couldn't put it down til the end' 'A love story, one with books and booklovers at its heart. A warm, wonderful novel that sweeps up the reader into an absorbing, magical tale' 'If you enjoy books by the Brontë sisters ... then I would fully recommend you read this book' 'This novel has it all: wit, a dash of magic, and a large heart. A fantastic read'

Genre: Fiction

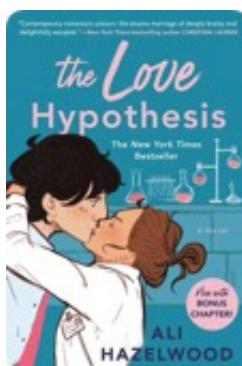
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780008609214

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Heart **The Love Hypothesis**

Ali Hazelwood

Penguin (2021)



Summary:

The Instant New York Times Bestseller and TikTok Sensation! As seen on THE VIEW! A BuzzFeed Best Summer Read of 2021 When a fake relationship between scientists meets the irresistible force of attraction, it throws one woman's carefully calculated theories on love into chaos. As a third-year Ph.D. candidate, Olive Smith doesn't believe in lasting romantic relationships--but her best friend does, and that's what got her into this situation. Convincing Anh that Olive is dating and well on her way to a happily ever after was always going to take more than hand-wavy Jedi mind tricks: Scientists require proof. So, like any self-respecting biologist, Olive panics and kisses the first man she sees. That man is none other than Adam Carlsen, a young hotshot professor--and well-known ass. Which is why Olive is positively floored when Stanford's reigning lab tyrant agrees to keep her charade a secret and be her fake boyfriend. But when a big science conference goes haywire, putting Olive's career on the Bunsen burner, Adam surprises her again with his unyielding support and even more unyielding...six-pack abs. Suddenly their little experiment feels dangerously close to combustion. And Olive discovers that the only thing more complicated than a hypothesis on love is putting her own heart under the microscope.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 400

Language: English

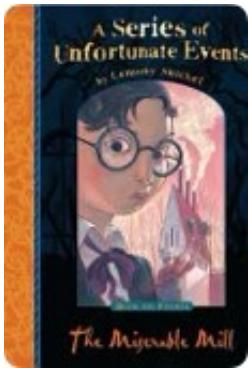
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Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

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Tags: Favorite and Recommended



Heart The Miserable Mill

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

There is nothing to be found in the pages of A Series of Unfortunate Events but misery and despair. You still have time to choose another international best-seller to read. But if you must know what unpleasantries befall the charming and clever Baudelaire children read on ...There are many pleasant things to read about, but The Miserable Mill contains none of them. Within its pages one will find a giant pincher machine, a bad casserole, a man with a cloud of smoke where his head should be, a hypnotist, a terrible accident and coupons.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

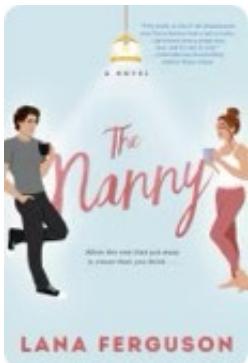
Number of Pages: 224

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266093

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Nanny

Lana Ferguson

Penguin Publishing Group (April 11, 2023)



Summary:

A woman discovers the father of the child she is nannying may be her biggest (Only)Fan in this steamy contemporary romance by Lana Ferguson. Suddenly unemployed and on the brink of eviction, Cassie Evans is left with two choices: get a new job (and fast) or fire up her long-untouched OnlyFans account. But the job market is terrible, and as for OnlyFans. . . . Well, there are reasons she can't go back. Just when all hope seems lost, an ad for a live-in nanny position seems like the solution to all her problems. It's almost too perfect—until she meets her would-be employer. Aiden Reid, executive chef and DILF extraordinaire, is far from the stuffy single dad Cassie was imagining. He shocks her when he tells her she's the most qualified applicant he's met in weeks, practically begging her to take the job. With hands that make her hindbrain howl and eyes that scream sex, the idea of living under the same roof as Aiden feels dangerous, but with no other option, she decides to stay with him and his adorably tenacious daughter, Sophie. Cassie soon discovers that Aiden is not a stranger at all, but instead someone who is very familiar with her—or at least, her body. Given that he doesn't remember her, Cassie is faced with what feels like an impossible situation. As their relationship heats to temperatures hotter than any kitchen Aiden has ever worked in, Cassie struggles with telling Aiden the truth, and the more terrifying possibility—losing the best chance at happiness she's ever had.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 432

Language: English

ISBN: 9780593549353

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: August 26, 2023

Heart The New Couple in 5b

Lisa Unger

Park Row Books (January 21, 2025)



Summary:

"Spine-tingling fun." --People "Lisa Unger, you've done it again." --Sarah Michelle Gellar, Emmy Award-winning actress A couple inherits an apartment with a spine-tingling past in this unputdownable thriller from the New York Times bestselling author of Secluded Cabin Sleeps Six. Rosie and Chad Lowan are barely making ends meet in New York City when they receive life-changing news: Chad's late uncle has left them his luxury apartment at the historic Windermere in glamorous Murray Hill. With its prewar elegance and impeccably uniformed doorman, the building is the epitome of old New York charm. One would almost never suspect the dark history lurking behind its perfectly maintained facade. At first, the building and its eclectic tenants couldn't feel more welcoming. But as the Lowans settle into their new home, Rosie starts to suspect that there's more to the Windermere than meets the eye. Why is the doorman ever-present? Why are there cameras everywhere? And why have so many gruesome crimes occurred there throughout the years? When one of the neighbors turns up dead, Rosie must get to the truth about the Windermere before she, too, falls under its dangerous spell. Looking for more spine-tingling thrillers? Check out these other titles by New York Times bestselling author Lisa Unger: Under My Skin The Stranger Inside Confessions on the 7:45 Last Girl Ghosted Secluded Cabin Sleeps Six

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9780778333357

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025

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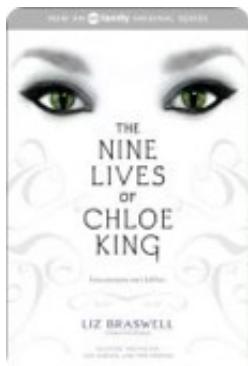
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Language: English

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Date Added: December 29, 2025



Heart **The Nine Lives of Chloe King**

The Fallen; The Stolen; The Chosen

Liz Braswell

Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers (June 7, 2011)



Summary:

Chloe King is a normal girl. She goes to class (most of the time), fights with her mom, and crushes on a boy...or two. But around her sixteenth birthday, Chloe finds that perhaps she isn't so normal after all. There's the heightened night vision, the super fast reflexes – oh, and the claws. As she discovers who she is – and where she comes from – it is clear she is not alone. And someone is trying to get her. Chloe has nine lives. But will nine be enough?

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

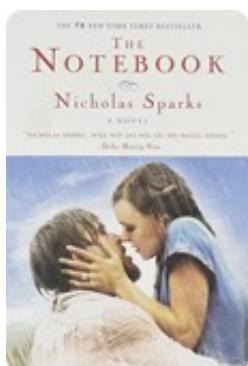
Number of Pages: 784

Language: English

ISBN: 9781442435704

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Notebook**

Nicholas Sparks

Grand Central Publishing (December 1, 1999)



Summary:

Experience the unforgettable, heartbreak love story set in post-World War II North Carolina about a young socialite and the boy who once stole her heart -- one of PBS's "Great American Reads". Every so often a love story so captures our hearts that it becomes more than a story-it becomes an experience to remember forever. The Notebook is such a book. It is a celebration of how passion can be ageless and timeless, a tale that moves us to laughter and tears and makes us believe in true love all over again... At thirty-one, Noah Calhoun, back in coastal North Carolina after World War II, is haunted by images of the girl he lost more than a decade earlier. At twenty-nine, socialite Allie Nelson is about to marry a wealthy lawyer, but she cannot stop thinking about the boy who long ago stole her heart. Thus begins the story of a love so enduring and deep it can turn tragedy into triumph, and may even have the power to create a miracle...

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 272

Language: English

ISBN: 9780446676090

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Penultimate Peril

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

Dear reader, If this first book you found while searching for a book to read next, then the first thing you should know is that this next-to-last book is what you should put down first. Sadly, this book presents the next-to-last chronicle of the lives of the Baudelaire orphans, and it is next to first in its supply of misery, despair, and unpleasantness. Probably the next-to-last things you would like to read about are harpoon gun, a rooftop sunbathing salon, two mysterious initials, three unidentified triplets, a notorious villain, and an unsavoury curry. Next-to-last things are the first thing to be avoided, and so allow me to recommend that you put this next-to-last book down first, and find something else to read next at last, such as the next-to-last book in another chronicle, or a chronicle containing other next-to-last things, so that this next-to-last book does not become the last book you will read. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

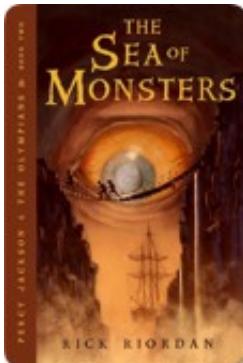
Number of Pages: 353

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266178

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book Two: Sea of Monsters

Rick Riordan

Disney-Hyperion (March 20, 2007)



Summary:

After a summer spent trying to prevent a catastrophic war among the Greek gods, Percy Jackson finds his seventh-grade school year unnervingly quiet. His biggest problem is dealing with his new friend, Tyson—a six-foot-three, mentally challenged homeless kid who follows Percy everywhere, making it hard for Percy to have any “normal” friends. But things don’t stay quiet for long. Percy soon discovers there is trouble at Camp Half-Blood: the magical borders which protect Half-Blood Hill have been poisoned by a mysterious enemy, and the only safe haven for demigods is on the verge of being overrun by mythological monsters. To save the camp, Percy needs the help of his best friend, Grover, who has been taken prisoner by the Cyclops Polyphemus on an island somewhere in the Sea of Monsters, the dangerous waters Greek heroes have sailed for millennia—only today, the Sea of Monsters goes by a new name...the Bermuda Triangle. Now Percy and his friends—Grover, Annabeth, and Tyson—must retrieve the Golden Fleece from the Island of the Cyclopes by the end of the summer or Camp Half-Blood will be destroyed. But first, Percy will learn a stunning new secret about his family—one that makes him question whether being claimed as Poseidon’s son is an honor or simply a cruel joke.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

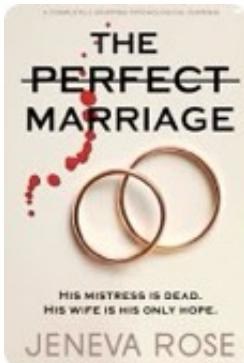
Number of Pages: 279

Language: English

ISBN: 9781423103349

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Perfect Marriage**

Jeneva Rose

Bloodhound Books (July 3, 2020)



Summary:

The bestselling thriller with "a tantalizing premise and twists at every turn . . . a sizzling, masterful debut about betrayal and justice" (Samantha M. Bailey, #1 national bestselling author). Optioned by Picture Perfect Federation for development as a film or TV series Sarah Morgan is a successful and powerful defense attorney in Washington D.C. As a named partner at her firm, life is going exactly how she planned. The same cannot be said for her husband, Adam. He's a struggling writer who has had little success in his career and he tires of his and Sarah's relationship as she is constantly working. Out in the secluded woods, at the couple's lake house, Adam engages in a passionate affair with Kelly Summers. But one morning everything changes. Kelly is found brutally stabbed to death and now, Sarah must take on her hardest case yet, defending her own husband, a man accused of murdering his mistress. The Perfect Marriage is a juicy, twisty, and utterly addictive thriller that will keep you turning pages. You won't see the ending coming . . . guaranteed! "A twisty, compulsive book that will keep you reading all night! Fast-paced with crisp writing and an intriguing plot. Jeneva Rose is one to watch." --Samantha Downing, #1 international bestselling author of *My Lovely Wife* "A book to be read in one gulp--this dastardly debut flies to a shocking reveal. I couldn't put it down; I had to see what happened. Twists galore." --J.T. Ellison, New York Times-bestselling author of *Her Dark Lies*

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 344

Language: English

ISBN: 9781913419653

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: January 27, 2023

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Heart **The Perks of Being a Wallflower**

Stephen Chbosky

MTV Books (February 1, 1999)



Summary:

Read the cult-favorite coming-of-age story that takes a sometimes heartbreak, often hysterical, and always honest look at high school in all its glory. Now a major motion picture starring Logan Lerman and Emma Watson, *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* is a funny, touching, and haunting modern classic. The critically acclaimed debut novel from Stephen Chbosky, *Perks* follows observant "wallflower" Charlie as he charts a course through the strange world between adolescence and adulthood. First dates, family drama, and new friends. Sex, drugs, and *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*. Devastating loss, young love, and life on the fringes. Caught between trying to live his life and trying to run from it, Charlie must learn to navigate those wild and poignant roller-coaster days known as growing up. A years-long #1 New York Times bestseller, an American Library Association Best Book for Young Adults and Best Book for Reluctant Readers, and with millions of copies in print, this novel for teen readers (or "wallflowers" of more-advanced age) will make you laugh, cry, and perhaps feel nostalgic for those moments when you, too, tiptoed onto the dance floor of life.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

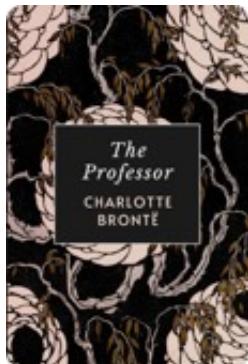
Number of Pages: 240

Language: English

ISBN: 9780671027346

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



The Professor (1857). By Charlotte Bronte: First Novel by Charlotte Bronte.

Charlotte Brontë

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (June 23, 2017)



Summary:

The Professor was the first novel by Charlotte Brontë. It was originally written before Jane Eyre and rejected by many publishing houses, but was eventually published posthumously in 1857 by approval of Arthur Bell Nicholls, who accepted the task of reviewing and editing of the novel. PLOT: The book is the story of a young man, William Crimsworth, and is a first-person narrative from his perspective. It describes his maturation, his loves and his eventual career as a professor at an all-girls school. The story starts off with a letter William has sent to his friend Charles, detailing his refusal to his uncle's proposals to become a clergyman, as well as his first meeting with his rich brother Edward. Seeking work as a tradesman, William is offered the position of a clerk by Edward. However, Edward is jealous of William's education and intelligence and treats him terribly. By the actions of the sympathetic Mr. Hunsden, William is relieved of his position and gains a new job at an all-boys boarding school in Belgium. The school is run by the friendly M. Pelet, who treats William kindly and politely. Soon, William's merits as a professor reach the ears of the headmistress of the neighbouring girls school. Mlle. Reuter offers him a position at her school, which he accepts. Initially captivated by Mlle. Reuter, William begins to entertain ideas of falling in love with her, only to have them crushed when he overhears her and M. Pelet talk about their upcoming marriage. Slightly heartbroken, he now treats Mlle. Reuter with a cold civility and begins to see the underlying nature of her character. Mlle. Reuter, however, continues to try to draw William back in, pretending to be benevolent and concerned. She goes so far as to plead him to teach one of her young teachers, Frances, who hopes to improve her skill in languages. William sees in this pupil promising intelligence and slowly begins to fall in love with her as he tutors her English. Jealous of the attention Frances is receiving from William, Mlle. Reuter takes it upon herself to casually dismiss Frances from her school and hide her address from William. It is revealed that as she was trying to make herself amiable in William's eyes, Mlle. Reuter accidentally fell in love with him herself. Not wanting to cause a conflict with M. Pelet, William leaves his establishment and moves out, in hopes of finding Frances. Eventually bumping into his beloved pupil in a graveyard, the two reconcile. William gets a new position as a professor at a college, with an exceedingly high wage. The two eventually open a school together and have a child. After obtaining financial security, the family travels all around England and settle in the countryside next to Mr. Hunsden..... Charlotte Brontë (21 April 1816 - 31 March 1855) was an English novelist and poet, the eldest of the three Brontë sisters who survived into adulthood and whose novels have become classics of English literature. She first published her works (including her best known novel, Jane Eyre) under the pen name Currer Bell. Early life and education: Charlotte Brontë was born in Thornton, west of Bradford in the West Riding of Yorkshire, in 1816, the third of the six children of Maria (née Branwell) and Patrick Brontë (formerly surnamed Brunt or Prunty), an Irish Anglican clergyman.....

Genre: Fiction

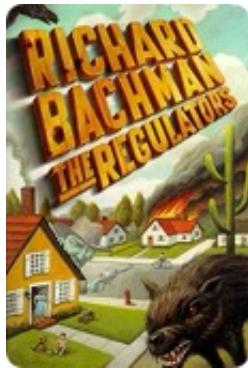
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Language: English

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Heart The Regulators

Richard Bachman and Stephen King

Dutton (1996)



Summary:

It's a summer afternoon in Wentworth, Ohio, and on Poplar Street everything's normal. The paper boy is making his rounds; the Carver kids are bickering at the corner convenience store; a Frisbee is flying on the Reeds' lawn; Gary Soderson is firing up the backyard barbecue. The only thing that doesn't quite fit is the red van idling just up the hill. Soon it will begin to roll, and the killing will begin. A quiet slice of American suburbia is about to turn to toast. The mayhem rages around a seemingly still point, a darkened house lit fitfully from within by a flickering television screen. Inside, where things haven't been normal for a long time, are Audrey Wyler and the autistic nephew she cares for, eight-year-old Seth Garin. They're fighting their own battle, and its intensity has turned 247 Poplar Street into a prisonhouse. By the time night falls on Poplar Street, the surviving residents will find themselves in another world, one where anything, no matter how terrible, is possible...and where the regulators are on their way. By what power they have come, how far they will go, and how they can be stopped - these are the desperate questions. The answers are absolutely terrifying.

Genre: Fiction

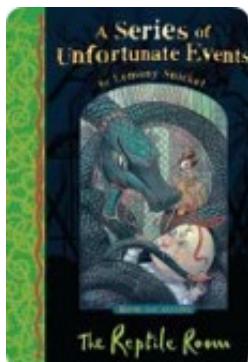
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Language: English

ISBN: 9780525941903

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Reptile Room

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

"Dear Reader, if you have picked up this book with the hope of finding a simple and cheery tale, I'm afraid you have picked up the wrong book altogether. The story may seem cheery at first, when the Baudelaire children spend time in the company of some interesting reptiles and a giddy uncle, but don't be fooled. If you know anything at all about the unlucky Baudelaire children, you already know that even pleasant events lead down the same road to misery. In fact, within the pages you now hold in your hands, the three siblings endure a car accident, a terrible odor, a deadly serpent, a long knife, a large brass reading lamp, and the appearance of a person they'd hoped never to see again"--Back cover.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

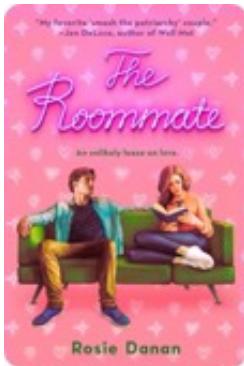
Number of Pages: 224

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266079

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart **The Roommate**

Rosie Danan

Penguin (2020)



Summary:

Warmly funny and gorgeously sexy.--New York Times Book ReviewA LibraryReads Pick House Rules: Do your own dishes Knock before entering the bathroom Never look up your roommate online The Wheatons are infamous among the east coast elite for their lack of impulse control, except for their daughter Clara. She's the consummate socialite: over-achieving, well-mannered, predictable. But every Wheaton has their weakness. When Clara's childhood crush invites her to move cross-country, the offer is too tempting 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... Once she learns how Josh has made a name for himself, Clara realizes living with him might make her the Wheaton's most scandalous story yet. His 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.

Genre: Fiction

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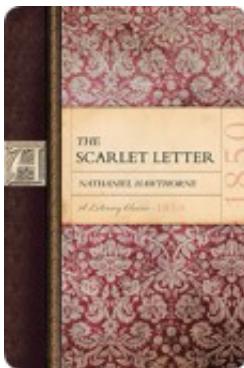
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Heart **The Scarlet Letter**

A Literary Classic

Nathaniel Hawthorne

Sweetwater Press (2012)



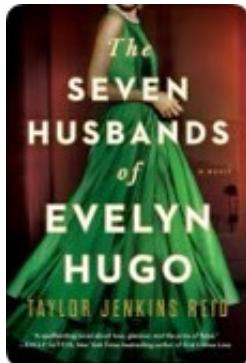
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781401687885

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo

A Novel

Taylor Jenkins Reid

Washington Square Press (May 29, 2018)



Summary:

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER “If you’re looking for a book to take on holiday this summer, *The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo* has got all the glitz and glamour to make it a perfect beach read.” —Bustle From the New York Times bestselling author of *Daisy Jones & the Six*—an entrancing and “wildly addictive journey of a reclusive Hollywood starlet” (PopSugar) as she reflects on her relentless rise to the top and the risks she took, the loves she lost, and the long-held secrets the public could never imagine. Aging and reclusive Hollywood movie icon Evelyn Hugo is finally ready to tell the truth about her glamorous and scandalous life. But when she chooses unknown magazine reporter Monique Grant for the job, no one is more astounded than Monique herself. Why her? Why now? Monique is not exactly on top of the world. Her husband has left her, and her professional life is going nowhere. Regardless of why Evelyn has selected her to write her biography, Monique is determined to use this opportunity to jumpstart her career. Summoned to Evelyn’s luxurious apartment, Monique listens in fascination as the actress tells her story. From making her way to Los Angeles in the 1950s to her decision to leave show business in the ‘80s, and, of course, the seven husbands along the way, Evelyn unspools a tale of ruthless ambition, unexpected friendship, and a great forbidden love. Monique begins to feel a very real connection to the legendary star, but as Evelyn’s story near its conclusion, it becomes clear that her life intersects with Monique’s own in tragic and irreversible ways. “Heartbreaking, yet beautiful” (Jamie Lynn, *Us Weekly*), *The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo* is “Tinseltown drama at its finest” (Redbook): a mesmerizing journey through the splendor of old Hollywood into the harsh realities of the present day as two women struggle with what it means—and what it costs—to face the truth.

Genre: Fiction

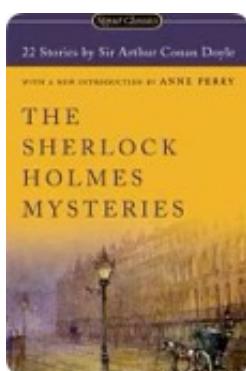
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Sherlock Holmes Mysteries

22 Stories

Arthur Conan Doyle

Signet Classics (2005)



Summary:

Indisputably the greatest fiction detective of all time, Sherlock Holmes lives on in films, on television, and, of course, through Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's inimitable craft. These 22 stories show Holmes at his brilliant best.

@KeepDiggingWatson Why are the lights at 221 Baker Street so damn bright in the morning? Why does Watson talk so loud? Elementary, my dear STFU! From Twitterature: The World's Greatest Books in Twenty Tweets or Less

Genre: Fiction

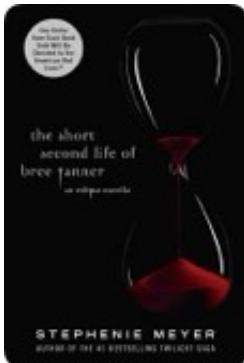
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Short Second Life of Bree Tanner An Eclipse Novella

Stephenie Meyer

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers (June 5, 2010)



Summary:

Fans of The Twilight Saga will be enthralled by this riveting story of Bree Tanner, a character first introduced in Eclipse, and the darker side of the newborn vampire world she inhabits. In another irresistible combination of danger, mystery, and romance, Stephenie Meyer tells the devastating story of Bree and the newborn army as they prepare to close in on Bella Swan and the Cullens, following their encounter to its unforgettable conclusion.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

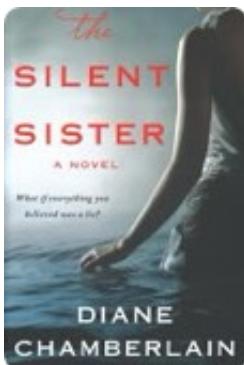
Number of Pages: 178

Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Silent Sister A Novel

Diane Chamberlain

St. Martin's Press (June 26, 2018)



Summary:

“Powerful...a page-turner to the very end.”—Library JournalIn a new novel from the bestselling author, a woman discovers that the sister she believed to be dead is alive, with a dark secret.Riley MacPherson has spent her entire life believing that her older sister, Lisa, committed suicide as a teenager. It was a belief that helped shape her own childhood and that of her brother. It shaped her view of her family and its dynamics. Losing Lisa influenced her entire life. Now, more than years later, Riley’s father has passed away and she’s in New Bern, North Carolina, cleaning out his house when she finds evidence that what she has always believed is not the truth. Lisa is alive. Alive and living under a new identity. But why, exactly, was she on the run all those years ago? What secrets are being kept now, and what will happen if they are revealed? Soon Riley must decide what the past means for her present, and what she will do with her newfound reality. As she works to uncover the truth, her discoveries will put into question everything she thought she knew about her family—and herself. Told with Diane Chamberlain’s powerful prose and illumination into the human heart and soul, The Silent Sister is an evocative novel of love, loss, and the bonds among siblings. “Enthralling and gripping.”

—Book Reporter

Genre: Fiction

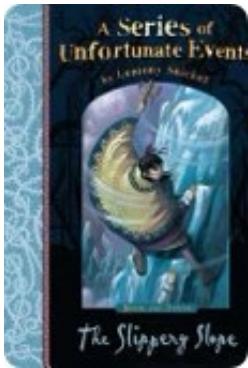
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781250130655

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 14, 2023



Heart The Slippery Slope

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

Dear reader, Like handshakes, house pets, or raw carrots, many things are preferable when not slippery. Unfortunately, in this miserable volume, I am afraid that Violet, Klaus and Sunny Baudelaire run into more than their fair share of slipperiness during their harrowing journey up - and down- a range of strange and distressing mountains. In order to spare you any further repulsion, it would be best not to mention any of the unpleasant details of this story, in particular a secret message, a toboggan, a deceitful trap, a swarm of snow gnats, a scheming villain, a troupe of organised youngsters, a covered casserole dish, and a surprising survivor of a terrible fire. Unfortunately, I have dedicated my life to researching and recording the sad tale of the Baudelaire orphans. There is no reason for you to dedicate yourself to such things, and you might instead dedicate yourself to letting this slippery book slip from your hands into a nearby trash receptacle, or deep pit. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

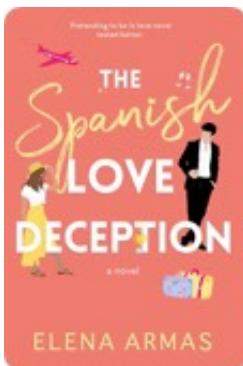
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266154

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Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Spanish Love Deception

A Novel

Elena Armas

Simon and Schuster (February 8, 2022)



Summary:

A wedding. A trip to Spain. The most infuriating man. And three days of pretending. Or in other words, a plan that will never work. Catalina Martín, finally, not single. Her family is happy to announce that she will bring her American boyfriend to her sister's wedding. Everyone is invited to come and witness the most magical event of the year. That would certainly be tomorrow's headline in the local newspaper of the small Spanish town I came from. Or the epitaph on my tombstone, seeing the turn my life had taken in the span of a phone call. Four weeks wasn't a lot of time to find someone willing to cross the Atlantic-from NYC and all the way to Spain-for a wedding. Let alone, someone eager to play along with my charade. But that didn't mean I was desperate enough to bring the 6'4 blue eyed pain in my ass standing before me, Aaron Blackford. The man whose main occupation was making my blood boil had just offered himself to be my date. Right after inserting his nose in my business, calling me delusional, and calling himself my best option. See? Outrageous. Aggravating. Blood boiling. And much to my total despair, also right. Which left me with a surly and extra large dilemma in my hands. Was it worth the suffering to bring my colleague and bane of my existence as my fake boyfriend to my sister's wedding? Or was I better off coming clean and facing the consequences of my panic induced lie? Like my abuela would say, que dios nos pille confesados. The Spanish Love Deception is an enemies-to-lovers, fake-dating.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 448

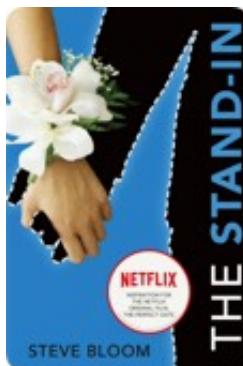
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Heart **The Stand-In**

Steve Bloom

Lerner Publishing Group (March 1, 2018)



Summary:

The inspiration for the Netflix original film, *The Perfect Date!* When Brooks volunteered to be a stand-in for Burdette's cousin who got stood up for Homecoming, it was with the noblest of intentions--helping a fellow human being, free of charge. But when he gets a tip of more than three hundred bucks, word spreads quickly and Brooks seizes the opportunity to offer his impeccable escort services to super-wealthy parents who want their daughters to experience those big social events of senior year. Besides, Brooks could use the cash to hire a tutor to get admitted to Columbia University. So what if along the way he goes along with a few minor deceptions and cuts a few moral corners? What could be the harm?

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

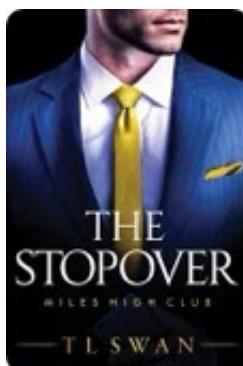
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781541514843

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Stopover**

The Miles High Club #1

T. L. Swan

Amazon Publishing (October 3, 2019)



Summary:

A memorable night of passion refuses to stay just a memory in this sizzling and scandalous romance from bestselling author T L Swan. I was upgraded to first class on a flight from London to New York. The food, champagne, and service were impeccable. The blue-eyed man sitting next to me, even better. He was suave and intelligent. We talked and laughed, and something clicked. Fate took over and the plane was grounded, and we had an unexpected stopover for the night. With no plans, we made our own. We danced and laughed our way around Boston and had a night of crazy passion that no woman would ever forget. That was twelve months ago, and I haven't heard from him--until today. I started a new job and met the CEO. You can imagine my surprise to see those naughty blue eyes dance with delight when he saw me across the mahogany desk. But I'm not that carefree girl anymore. My life has changed, I have responsibilities. I just got an email. He wants to see me in his office for a private meeting at 8:00 a.m. Naughty blue eyes have no place in the workplace. What kind of private meeting does he have in mind?

Genre: Erotica

Number of Pages: 524

Language: English

ISBN: 9781542015875

Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

Date Added: September 17, 2022

Tags: Favorite and Super Steamy



Heart **The Summer I Turned Pretty**

Jenny Han

Simon and Schuster (April 6, 2010)



Summary:

Now a streaming series in Summer 2022! Belly has an unforgettable summer in this stunning start to the Summer I Turned Pretty series from the New York Times bestselling author of *To All the Boys I've Loved Before* (now a major motion picture!), Jenny Han. Some summers are just destined to be pretty. Belly measures her life in summers. Everything good, everything magical happens between the months of June and August. Winters are simply a time to count the weeks until the next summer, a place away from the beach house, away from Susannah, and most importantly, away from Jeremiah and Conrad. They are the boys that Belly has known since her very first summer—they have been her brother figures, her crushes, and everything in between. But one summer, one wonderful and terrible summer, the more everything changes, the more it all ends up just the way it should have been all along.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

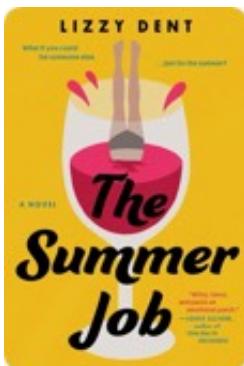
Number of Pages: 276

Language: English

ISBN: 9781416968290

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Summer Job**

Lizzy Dent

Penguin (May 18, 2021)



Summary:

“My perfect summer read! Sure to be one of the sweetest, funniest, and sexiest books of the year.” —Emily Henry, #1 New York Times bestselling author of *People We Meet on Vacation* Named a Best Beach Read by *Cosmopolitan*, *Entertainment Weekly*, *New York Post*, *Bustle*, *Country Living*, *Parade*, *Fortune*, and more. What if you could be someone else? Just for the summer...Birdy has made a mistake. Everyone imagines running away from their life at some point. But Birdy has actually done it. And the life she's run into is her best friend Heather's. The only problem is, she hasn't told Heather. The summer job at the highland Scottish hotel that her world class wine-expert friend ditched turns out to be a lot more than Birdy bargained for. Can she survive a summer pretending to be her best friend? And can Birdy stop herself from falling for the first man she's ever actually liked, but who thinks she's someone else? One good friend's very bad decision is at the heart of this laugh-out-loud love story and unexpected tale of a woman finally finding herself in the strangest of places.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

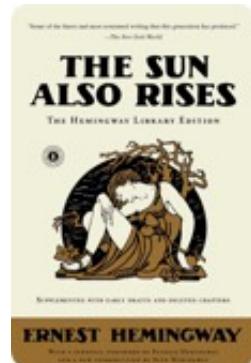
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Heart The Sun Also Rises



Ernest Hemingway

Simon and Schuster (October 17, 2006)



Summary:

Originally published in 1926, *The Sun Also Rises* is Ernest Hemingway's first novel and a classic example of his spare but powerful writing style. A poignant look at the disillusionment and angst of the post-World War I generation, the novel introduces two of Hemingway's most unforgettable characters: Jake Barnes and Lady Brett Ashley. The story follows the flamboyant Brett and the hapless Jake as they journey from the wild nightlife of 1920s Paris to the brutal bullfighting rings of Spain with a motley group of expatriates. In his first great literary masterpiece, Hemingway portrays an age of moral bankruptcy, spiritual dissolution, unrealized love, and vanishing illusions. "The ideal companion for troubled times: equal parts Continental escape and serious grappling with the question of what it means to be, and feel, lost." —The Wall Street Journal

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 251

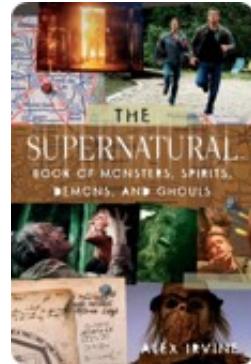
Language: English

ISBN: 9780743297332

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022

Heart The Supernatural Book of Monsters, Spirits, Demons, and Ghouls



Alex Irvine

Harper Collins (October 13, 2009)



Summary:

Twenty-three years ago, Sam and Dean Winchester lost their mother to a demonic supernatural force. Following the tragedy, their father, John, set out to teach his boys everything about the paranormal evil that lives in the dark corners and on the back roads of America . . . and how to kill it. Fans of the blockbuster television phenomenon can rejoice! A one-of-a-kind compilation of all of Sam and Dean's demon-busting knowledge, *The Supernatural Book of Monsters, Spirits, Demons, and Ghouls* contains illustrations and detailed descriptions that catalogue the more than two dozen otherworldly enemies that most people believe exist only in folklore, superstition, and nightmares: vampires, ghosts, revenants, reapers, and even bloody clowns. You'll find within these pages Sam and Dean's notes, observations, and memories interwoven with sections of John Winchester's invaluable journal, making this book the perfect companion to every thrilling episode—and an essential weapon in the secret war against the hidden creatures of the darkness!

Genre: Fiction

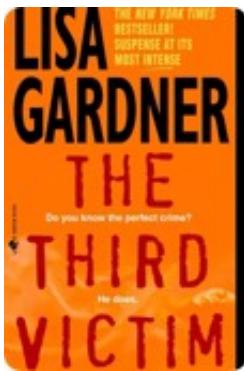
Number of Pages: 240

Language: English

ISBN: 9780061877216

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Third Victim

Lisa Gardner

Bantam Books (2001)



Summary:

The past isn't over....An unspeakable act has ripped apart the idyllic town of Bakersville, Oregon, and its once-peaceful residents are demanding quick justice. But though a boy has confessed to the horrific crime, evidence shows he may not be guilty. Officer Rainie Conner, leading her first homicide investigation, stands at the center of the controversy. It's hitting too close to home, bringing back her worst nightmares, threatening to expose her secret sins. But with the boy's life at stake, she won't let anything stop her from finding the real killer. With the help of FBI profiler Pierce Quincy, Rainie comes closer to a deadly truth than she can imagine. Because out there in the shadows a man watches her and plots his next move. He knows her secrets. He kills for sport. He's already brought death to Bakersville and forever shattered the community. But what he has really come for is Rainie -- and he won't leave until he has destroyed her....

Genre: Fiction

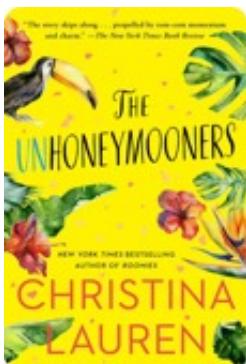
Number of Pages: 373

Language: English

ISBN: 9780553578683

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Unhoneymooners

Christina Lauren

Simon and Schuster (May 14, 2019)



Summary:

THE INSTANT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER! Starred reviews from Kirkus Reviews * Publishers Weekly * Library Journal Named a "Must-Read" by TODAY, Us Weekly, Bustle, BuzzFeed, Goodreads, Entertainment Weekly, Publishers Weekly, Southern Living, Book Riot, Woman's Day, The Toronto Star, and more! For two sworn enemies, anything can happen during the Hawaiian trip of a lifetime—maybe even love—in this romantic comedy from the New York Times bestselling authors of Roomies. Olive Torres is used to being the unlucky twin: from inexplicable mishaps to a recent layoff, her life seems to be almost comically jinxed. By contrast, her sister Ami is an eternal champion...she even managed to finance her entire wedding by winning a slew of contests. Unfortunately for Olive, the only thing worse than constant bad luck is having to spend the wedding day with the best man (and her nemesis), Ethan Thomas. Olive braces herself for wedding hell, determined to put on a brave face, but when the entire wedding party gets food poisoning, the only people who aren't affected are Olive and Ethan. Suddenly there's a free honeymoon up for grabs, and Olive will be damned if Ethan gets to enjoy paradise solo. Agreeing to a temporary truce, the pair head for Maui. After all, ten days of bliss is worth having to assume the role of loving newlyweds, right? But the weird thing is...Olive doesn't mind playing pretend. In fact, the more she pretends to be the luckiest woman alive, the more it feels like she might be. With Christina Lauren's "uniquely hilarious and touching voice" (Entertainment Weekly), The Unhoneymooners is a romance for anyone who has ever felt unlucky in love.

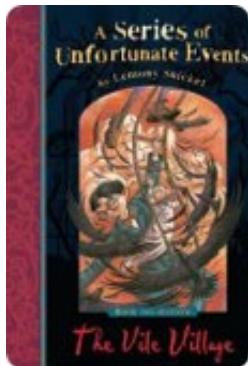
Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 432

Language: English

ISBN: 9781501128035

Reading Status: Unread



Heart **The Vile Village**

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

Dear reader, you have undoubtedly picked up this book by mistake, so please put it down. Nobody in their right mind would read this particular book about the lives of Violet, Klaus and Sunny Baudelaire on purpose, because of V.F.D. has been faithfully and dreadfully recorded in these pages. I can think of no single reason why anyone would want to open a book containing such unpleasant matters as migrating crows, an angry mob, a newspaper headline, the arrest of innocent people, the Deluxe Cell, and some very strange hats. It is my solemn and sacred occupation to research each detail of the Baudelaire children's lives and write them all down, but you may prefer to d some other solemn and sacred thing, asuch as reading another book instead. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

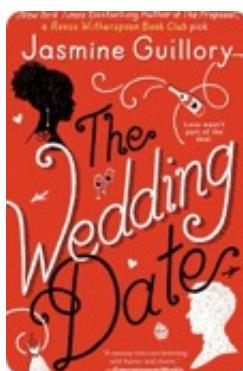
Number of Pages: 272

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266109

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart **The Wedding Date**

Jasmine Guillory

Penguin (May 28, 2019)



Summary:

A groomsman and his last-minute guest are about to discover if a fake date can go the distance in this fun and flirty multicultural romance debut by New York Times bestselling author Jasmine Guillory--author of the Resse Witherspoon x Hello Sunshine Book Club Pick *The Proposal*. THE USA TODAY BESTSELLER#5 LibraryReads Pick "A swoony rom-com brimming with humor and charm."--Entertainment Weekly (The Must List) "What a charming, warm, sexy gem of a novel....One of the best books I've read in a while."--Roxane Gay, New York Times bestselling author of *Hunger*Agreeing to go to a wedding with a guy she gets stuck with in an elevator is something Alexa Monroe wouldn't normally do. But there's something about Drew Nichols that's too hard to resist. On the eve of his ex's wedding festivities, Drew is minus a plus one. Until a power outage strands him with the perfect candidate for a fake girlfriend.... After Alexa and Drew have more fun than they ever thought possible, Drew has to fly back to Los Angeles and his job as a pediatric surgeon, and Alexa heads home to Berkeley, where she's the mayor's chief of staff. Too bad they can't stop thinking about the other.... They're just two high-powered professionals on a collision course toward the long distance dating disaster of the century--or closing the gap between what they think they need and what they truly want.... One of...Entertainment Weekly's "12 Romances for V-Day" - Cosmopolitan's "2018 Anticipated Reads" - Elle's "2018 Must Reads" - Harpers Bazaar's "New January Must Reads" - The Fug Girls' "Best Books of the Year" - Elle UK's "Books to Get You Through 2018" - Nylon's "January Must Reads" - Hello Giggles' "New Release Recs" - Electric Lit's "Books by WoC to Read in 2018" - Bitch Media's "2018 Must Reads" - BookBub's "2018 Romance Must Reads" - Bookriot's "Must Read 2018 January Releases" - RetailMeNot's "2018 Must Reads"

Genre: Fiction

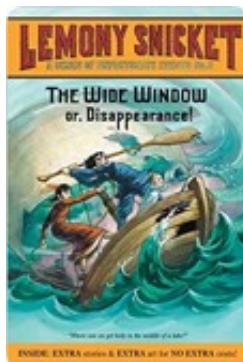
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Heart icon **The Wide Window**

(A Series of Unfortunate Events, #3)

Lemony Snicket, Brett Helquist, Michael Kupperman, and Nestor Busquets

HarperTrophy (2007)



Summary:

Dear Reader, If you have not read anything about the Baudelaire orphans, then before you read even one more sentence, you should know this: Violet, Klaus, and Sunny are kindhearted and quick-witted, but their lives, I am sorry to say, are filled with bad luck and misery. All of the stories about these three children are unhappy and wretched, and this one may be the worst of them all. If you haven't got the stomach for a story that includes a hurricane, a signalling device, hungry leeches, cold cucumber soup, a horrible villain, and a doll named Pretty Penny, then this book will probably fill you with despair. I will continue to record these tragic tales, for that is what I do. You, however, should decide for yourself whether you can possibly endure this miserable story. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket Ages 10+

Series: Series Of Unfortunate Events

Genre: Brothers and sisters

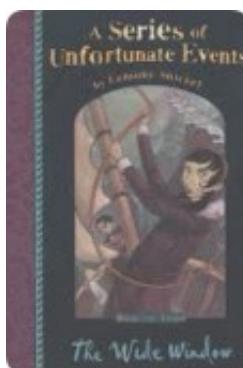
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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart icon **The Wide Window**

Lemony Snicket

Egmont (2012)



Summary:

"Dear Reader, If you have not read anything about the Baudelaire orphans, then before you read even one more sentence, you should know this: Violet, Klaus, and Sunny are kindhearted and quick-witted, but their lives, I am sorry to say, are filled with bad luck and misery. All of the stories about these three children are unhappy and wretched, and this one may be the worst of them all. If you haven't got the stomach for a story that includes a hurricane, a signalling device, hungry leeches, cold cucumber soup, a horrible villain, and a doll named Pretty Penny, then this book will probably fill you with despair. I will continue to record these tragic tales, for that is what I do. You, however, should decide for yourself whether you can possibly endure this miserable story. With all due respect, Lemony Snicket."--Back cover

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

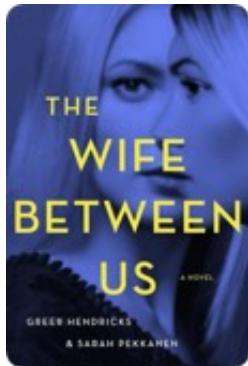
Number of Pages: 240

Language: English

ISBN: 9781405266086

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Date Added: January 27, 2024



Heart The Wife Between Us

A Novel

Greer Hendricks and Sarah Pekkanen

St. Martin's Publishing Group (January 9, 2018)



Summary:

The instant New York Times Bestseller (January 2018)! "A fiendishly smart cat-and-mouse thriller" —New York Times Book Review "Buckle up, because you won't be able to put this one down." —Glamour "Jaw dropping. Unforgettable. Shocking." —Publishers Weekly (starred review) "The best domestic suspense novel since *Gone Girl*." —In Touch Weekly When you read this book, you will make many assumptions. You will assume you are reading about a jealous ex-wife. You will assume she is obsessed with her replacement — a beautiful, younger woman who is about to marry the man they both love. You will assume you know the anatomy of this tangled love triangle. Assume nothing. Twisted and deliciously chilling, Greer Hendricks and Sarah Pekkanen's *The Wife Between Us* exposes the secret complexities of an enviable marriage — and the dangerous truths we ignore in the name of love. Read between the lies. A 2018 Indie Next Pick | One of Glamour Magazine's Best Books of 2018 | One of Hello Giggles' 19 Books We Can't Wait to Read in 2018 Praise for *The Wife Between Us*: "Fiendishly clever...in the vein of *Gone Girl* and *The Girl on the Train*. This one will keep you guessing." —Anita Shreve, New York Times bestselling author of *The Stars Are Fire* "A clever thriller with masterful twists." —Karin Slaughter, New York Times bestselling author of *The Kept Woman* "*The Wife Between Us* delivers a whip smart, twisty plot in a taut, pacy narrative. It's terrific and troubling. This is one scary love triangle where you won't know who to trust. I loved it." —Gilly Macmillan, New York Times bestselling author of *What She Knew* "A twisty, mind-bending novel about marriage and betrayal. A gripping plot and fascinating characters; this book will keep you turning the pages and guessing until the very end. A must-read!" —Lauren Weisberger, New York Times bestselling author of *The Devil Wears Prada* "This amazing story gallops along at breakneck speed, with an ending that smacks you between the eyes and takes your breath away. These authors are destined to become trail blazers in the field of psychological suspense books that explode in your hands!" —Nancy Simpson-Brice, Book Vault "Like a house of mirrors, *The Wife Between Us* kept me guessing around every corner, delving into the complexities of marriage, friendship, and obsession." —Javier Ramirez, The Book Table

Genre: Fiction

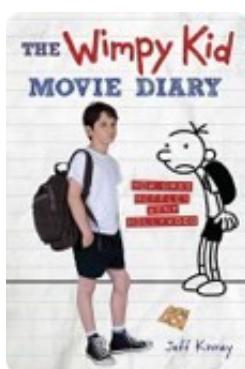
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Language: English

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart The Wimpy Kid Movie Diary

Jeff Kinney

Harry N. Abrams (January 15, 2011)



Summary:

Go behind the scenes with Jeff Kinney and the making of the *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* movie! If you've ever wondered how a movie gets made, you're not alone. Author and illustrator Jeff Kinney didn't know either, but when his bestselling series, *Diary of a Wimpy Kid*, was turned into a live-action movie by 20th Century Fox, he learned how a book gets adapted into a major motion picture. Complete with photographs, script pages, storyboard sketches, costume designs, and original art by Jeff Kinney, *The Wimpy Kid Movie Diary* is the perfect companion to the bestselling series.

Genre: Juvenile Nonfiction

Number of Pages: 224

Language: English

ISBN: 9781419700507

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **The Winter Soldier**

Cold Front

Mackenzi Lee

Marvel Worldwide, Incorporated (February 7, 2023)



Summary:

1954: The Winter Soldier is the Soviet Union's greatest weapon. Assigned the most dangerous covert missions from the USSR's secret military branch, and guided by a handler who knows him better than he knows himself, he has only one purpose: to obey orders. But he wasn't always the Winter Soldier . . . 1941: As World War II begins, sixteen-year-old Bucky Barnes is determined to enlist in the US army--if only the local commander will stop getting in his way. When Bucky is offered enrollment in a training program with the British Special Operations Executive--the UK's secret service--he leaps at the chance to become a hero. But Bucky has hardly touched down in London when he finds himself running from a mysterious assassin and accompanied by an English chess champion fond of red lipstick and double crosses. She's in possession of a secret every side is desperate to get their hands on. If only they knew what it was . . . Decades later, the Winter Soldier struggles to solve the same mystery Bucky is just beginning to uncover. As their missions intersect across time, their lives collide too--in a way that neither of them would have expected, and that will change the course of their respective wars. In *The Winter Soldier: Cold Front*, New York Times best-selling author Mackenzi Lee explores the youth of one of Marvel's most compelling characters, James Buchanan "Bucky" Barnes--and the enemy soldier he is forced to become.

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

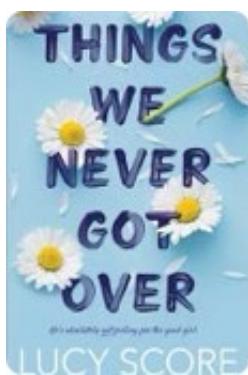
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Language: English

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Date Added: August 26, 2023



Heart **Things We Never Got Over**

Lucy Score

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (2022)



Summary:

Bearded, bad-boy barber Knox prefers to live his life the way he takes his coffee: Alone. Unless you count his basset hound, Waylon. Knox doesn't tolerate drama, even when it comes in the form of a stranded runaway bride. Naomi wasn't just running away from her wedding. She was riding to the rescue of her estranged twin to Knockemout, Virginia, a rough-around-the-edges town where disputes are settled the old-fashioned way...with fists and beer. Usually in that order. Too bad for Naomi her evil twin hasn't changed at all. After helping herself to Naomi's car and cash, Tina leaves her with something unexpected. The niece Naomi didn't know she had. Now she's stuck in town with no car, no job, no plan, and no home with an 11-year-old going on thirty to take care of. There's a reason Knox doesn't do complications or high-maintenance women, especially not the romantic ones. But since Naomi's life imploded right in front of him, the least he can do is help her out of her jam. And just as soon as she stops getting into new trouble he can leave her alone and get back to his peaceful, solitary life. At least, that's the plan until the trouble turns to real danger.

Genre: Fiction

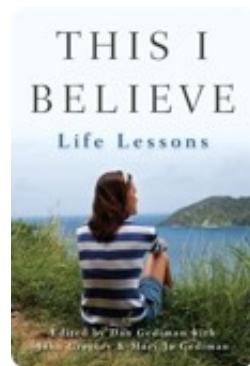
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781945631832

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 27, 2024



This I Believe

Life Lessons

Dan Gediman, John Gregory, and Mary Jo Gediman

John Wiley & Sons (February 4, 2013)



Summary:

Inspiring life wisdom from people of all ages—based on the This I Believe radio program The popular This I Believe series, which has aired on NPR and on Bob Edwards' shows on Sirius XM Satellite and public radio, explores the personal beliefs and guiding principles by which Americans live today. This book brings together treasured life lessons of people from all walks of life. Whether it's learning the power of saying hello or how courage comes with practice, their intimate reflections will inspire, move, and encourage you. Filled with the valuable insights distilled from a wide range of personal experiences, This I Believe: Life Lessons is a perfect gift—for others or for yourself. Includes extraordinary essays written by "ordinary" people who share the story of an important lesson they have learned about life Shares a wide range of beliefs and experiences from a diverse group of contributors, including a physician, a roller derby queen, a corporate executive, and a homeless person Based on the popular This I Believe radio series and thisibelieve.org website No matter what your age or circumstances, this book will give you valuable food for thought and important new insights on how others have learned from life's challenges.

Genre: Biography & Autobiography

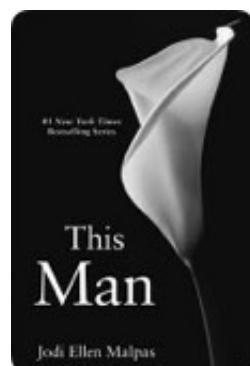
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



This Man

Jodi Ellen Malpas

Grand Central Publishing (October 22, 2013)



Summary:

Named one of "The 20 Greatest Ever Romance Novels According to Goodreads Reviews" by O, The Oprah Magazine! Named one of "The 10 Best Romance Novels to Read if You Love Fifty Shades of Grey" by Today.com! Named one of "The 20 Best Romance Novels of All Time, According to Dedicated Readers" by Good Housekeeping! Young interior designer Ava O'Shea has no idea what awaits her at the Manor. A run-of-the-mill consultation with a stodgy country gent seems likely, but what Ava finds instead is Jesse Ward--a devastatingly handsome, utterly confident, pleasure-seeking playboy who knows no boundaries. Ava doesn't want to be attracted to this man, and yet she can't control the overwhelming desire that he stirs in her. She knows that her heart will never survive him and her instinct is telling her to run, but Jesse is not willing to let her go. He wants her and is determined to have her.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 480

Language: English

ISBN: 9781455578313

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart This Song Is (Not) for You

Laura Nowlin

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (December 31, 2024)



Summary:

"Music is the second most important thing," I say. That was something my mother would always say. We've stopped saying it out loud, but I think it all the same. The most important thing is love. From the author of the New York Times and USA Today bestselling If He Had Been With Me comes a captivating novel about navigating-and protecting-the loves and friendships that sustain us. Ramona fell for Sam the moment she met him. It was like she had known him forever. He's one of the few constants in her life, and their friendship is just too important to risk for a kiss. Though she really wants to kiss him... Sam loves Ramona, but he would never expect her to feel the same way-she's too quirky and cool for someone like him. Still, they complement each other perfectly, both as best friends and as a band. Then they meet Tom. Tom makes music too, and he's the band's missing piece. The three quickly become inseparable. Except Ramona's falling in love with Tom. But she hasn't fallen out of love with Sam either. How can she be true to her feelings and herself without losing the very relationships that make her heart sing? This Song is (Not) for You is perfect for readers looking for- Contemporary teen romance books Unputdownable & bingeworthy novels Complex emotional YA stories Novels that explore monogamy, polyamory, and asexuality Characters with a passion for music Performance art

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

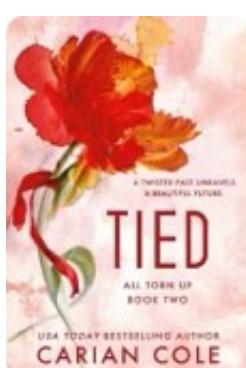
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Language: English

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Date Added: December 29, 2025



Heart Tied

Carian Cole

Grand Central Publishing (April 30, 2024)



Summary:

"Holy dark and delicious angst. Carian Cole did not hold back. I dare you not to shed a tear." —L.J. Shen, USA Today & Wall Street Journal bestselling author of VICIOUS My innocence was stolen when I was abducted at five years old. For eleven years I held on by clinging to childhood fairytales. I waited for a prince to someday save me and carry me off to a happily ever after. I had no idea my savior would come as a scarred recluse, covered in tattoos, who can't--or won't--speak a word. Nevertheless, the moment our eyes met I knew he was the one. My prince. With his bare hands, he killed the monster who kept me captive. But people have a way of distorting the truth when the hero looks like a villain. As it turns out, Tyler Grace is many things: A myth. An outcast. A nightmare. Haunted by tragedy, he lives secluded in the forest. Some say they see him ride through town at night--straddling a black motorcycle, his face covered by a skeletal mask. I've been warned to stay away, yet I can't stop thinking about him. I ache to hear his voice. And I want nothing more than to break through his walls. I know he's the only one who can break through mine. Do we dare dream of a love that once felt impossible to find? Or will only our horrible, twisted past tie us together? Tied is book two in the All Torn Up series but can be read as a standalone novel.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9781538766002

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 16, 2024



Till Summer Do Us Part (Deluxe Edition)

Meghan Quinn

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (June 3, 2025)



Summary:

This limited deluxe edition features gorgeous printed edges From New York Times, USA Today, and Amazon Charts bestselling author Meghan Quinn comes a new laugh-out-loud summer rom-com. "I got what I wanted. I became buddy-buddy with my boss in an instant. But the cost will be hefty...finding a husband by tomorrow." Scottie Price just started a new job, and it's a real sausage fest. She's the only woman on a team filled with Brads and Chads. Expecting a bachelor pad atmosphere, she is quickly corrected when she finds out everyone is happily married. In an effort to impress her boss, Scottie mentions her nonexistent husband in a company meeting. But eagle-eyed Chad points out her lack of wedding ring. Panicked, Scottie creates a story about her unhappy marriage. Unfortunately for Scottie, her boss has a solution--a one-on-one session with the best marriage counselor in the Northeast, who happens to be her boss's husband. With no way out of her lie, Scottie agrees to see him. Frantic, she calls in help from her best friend who sets her up with his brother, an improv-obsessed millionaire. Enter Wilder Wells. More than happy to take on the job, he teaches Scottie the main rule of improv: always say yes. But the rule backfires during the session when Wilder signs them up for an eight-day summer marriage camp with all of Scottie's co-workers where she'll have to share a cabin with her way-too-handsome fake husband.

Genre: FIC027020

Number of Pages: 432

Language: English

ISBN: 9781464243660

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025



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Sourcebooks, Incorporated (June 3, 2025)



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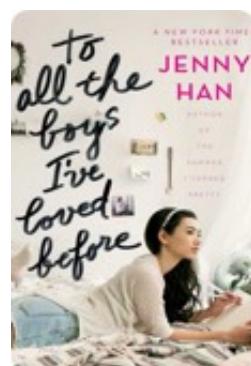
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781464243660

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Date Added: December 29, 2025



Heart **To All the Boys I've Loved Before**

Jenny Han

Simon and Schuster (2014)



Summary:

To All the Boys I've Loved Before is now a major motion picture streaming on Netflix! A Time Best YA Book of All Time (2021) Lara Jean's love life gets complicated in this New York Times bestselling "lovely, lighthearted romance" (School Library Journal) from the bestselling author of The Summer I Turned Pretty series. What if all the crushes you ever had found out how you felt about them...all at once? Sixteen-year-old Lara Jean Song keeps her love letters in a hatbox her mother gave her. They aren't love letters that anyone else wrote for her; these are ones she's written. One for every boy she's ever loved—five in all. When she writes, she pours out her heart and soul and says all the things she would never say in real life, because her letters are for her eyes only. Until the day her secret letters are mailed, and suddenly, Lara Jean's love life goes from imaginary to out of control.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 355

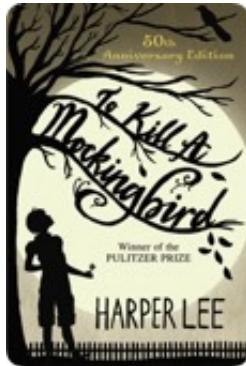
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Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: September 17, 2022

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♥ To Kill a Mockingbird

Harper Lee

Grand Central Publishing (October 11, 1988)



Summary:

The unforgettable novel of a childhood in a sleepy Southern town and the crisis of conscience that rocked it, *To Kill A Mockingbird* became both an instant bestseller and a critical success when it was first published in 1960. It went on to win the Pulitzer Prize in 1961 and was later made into an Academy Award-winning film, also a classic. Compassionate, dramatic, and deeply moving, *To Kill A Mockingbird* takes readers to the roots of human behavior - to innocence and experience, kindness and cruelty, love and hatred, humor and pathos. Now with over 18 million copies in print and translated into forty languages, this regional story by a young Alabama woman claims universal appeal. Harper Lee always considered her book to be a simple love story. Today it is regarded as a masterpiece of American literature.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 384

Language: English

ISBN: 9780446310789

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



♥ Torn

Carian Cole

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (August 29, 2016)



Summary:

Carian Cole brings an unputdownable, angsty age gap romance that is a top favorite in its genre. When I was five years old, I told Toren Grace I was going to marry him when I grew up. When I turned eighteen, I made it clear I still felt the same. The problem? He's fifteen years older than me, and he's my father's best friend. Toren Grace. My pseudo-uncle. He's always been my rock-the one I should never, ever want. But I do want him, and I love him. I always have. Tor's one of the good guys. He's loving and devoted with a strong moral compass. One unexpected kiss between us rocked him clear off his axis. Now, we can't forget how that kiss felt, and what it changed. Nothing will ever be the same between us. But I'm not a little girl anymore, and he's everything I want. I'm everything he wants, too. I know he's struggling, but I'm determined. The heart wants what the heart wants, and it doesn't care about age or how we met. My father cares, though. And he's the one person neither one of us can stand to betray or hurt. We're all being torn apart, and I don't know how to make everyone see that the wrongs are actually right.

Number of Pages: 442

Language: English

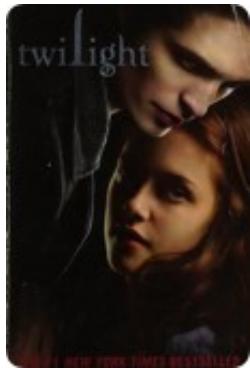
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Reading Status: Finished

Date Finished: May 14, 2023

Date Added: January 1, 2023

Tags: Favorite



Twilight

Stephenie Meyer

Megan Tingley Books (2008)



Summary:

As the love triangle heats up in the third book, Bella must choose between her friendship with Jacob and her romance with Edward -- and her decision could change the fate of vampires and werewolves forever. As Seattle is ravaged by a string of mysterious killings and a malicious vampire continues her quest for revenge, Bella once again finds herself surrounded by danger. In the midst of it all, she is forced to choose between her love for Edward and her friendship with Jacob -- knowing that her decision has the potential to ignite the ageless struggle between vampire and werewolf. With her graduation quickly approaching, Bella has one more decision to make: life or death. But which is which? It's here! #1 bestselling author Stephenie Meyer makes a triumphant return to the world of Twilight with the highly anticipated companion, *Midnight Sun*: the iconic love story of Bella and Edward told from the vampire's point of view. "People do not want to just read Meyer's books; they want to climb inside them and live there." -- *Time* "A literary phenomenon." -- *The New York Times*

Genre: New York Times bestseller

ISBN: 9780316038379

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Twisted Love

Ana Huang

Sourcebooks, Incorporated (September 27, 2022)



Summary:

He has a heart of ice...but for her, he'd burn the world. A diverse new adult steamy romance from Tiktok sensation and USA Today bestselling author Ana Huang. Alex Volkov is a devil blessed with the face of an angel and cursed with a past he can't escape. Driven by a tragedy that has haunted him for most of his life, his ruthless pursuits for success and vengeance leave little room for matters of the heart. But when he's forced to look after his best friend's sister, he starts to feel something in his chest: A crack. A melt. A fire that could end his world as he knew it. *** Ava Chen is a free spirit trapped by nightmares of a childhood she can't remember. But despite her broken past, she's never stopped seeing the beauty in the world...including the heart beneath the icy exterior of a man she shouldn't want. Her brother's best friend. Her neighbor. Her savior and her downfall. Theirs is a love that was never supposed to happen—but when it does, it unleashes secrets that could destroy them both...and everything they hold dear. *Twisted Love* is a contemporary brother's best friend/grumpy sunshine romance. It's book one in the *Twisted* series but can be read as a standalone.

Genre: Fiction

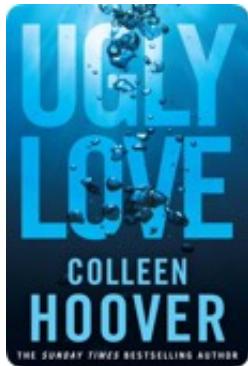
Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9781728274867

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Ugly Love

A Novel

Colleen Hoover

Simon and Schuster (August 5, 2014)



Summary:

From Colleen Hoover, the #1 New York Times bestselling author of *It Ends with Us*, a heart-wrenching love story that proves attraction at first sight can be messy. When Tate Collins meets airline pilot Miles Archer, she doesn't think it's love at first sight. They wouldn't even go so far as to consider themselves friends. The only thing Tate and Miles have in common is an undeniable mutual attraction. Once their desires are out in the open, they realize they have the perfect set-up. He doesn't want love, she doesn't have time for love, so that just leaves the sex. Their arrangement could be surprisingly seamless, as long as Tate can stick to the only two rules Miles has for her. Never ask about the past. Don't expect a future. They think they can handle it, but realize almost immediately they can't handle it at all. Hearts get infiltrated. Promises get broken. Rules get shattered. Love gets ugly.

Genre: Fiction

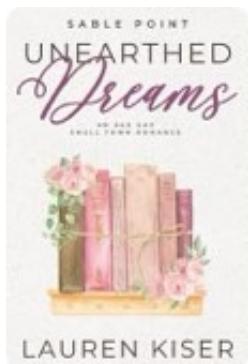
Number of Pages: 324

Language: English

ISBN: 9781476753188

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Unearthed Dreams

An Age Gap Small Town Romance

LAUREN. KISER

Amazon Digital Services LLC - Kdp (June 18, 2025)



Summary:

She was his second chance. He was her first everything. CHARLIETwenty-two years old, fresh out of college, and living in my childhood bedroom-not exactly what I planned. Everyone expects me to know what I'm doing with my life, but that's hard to do when you grow up under the microscope of a small town with three overprotective big brothers. Except when I crash into Kai Callaghan on Main Street, suddenly I know exactly what I want, and it has nothing to do with the secret manuscript I've written. Everyone in town thinks he's broken, damaged by a past he rarely speaks about. But I see the truth-a man worth fighting for, even if we have to keep our relationship a secret.KAIThe last thing I need is to fall for Charlie Everton. She's ten years younger, the cherished baby of the Everton family, and far too innocent for a man with my past. But there's something about her quiet strength that calls to the darkness in me, making me believe in second chances. When she hands me her manuscript, trusting me with her words, her dreams, her heart-I'm lost. Now, with grief threatening to send me running and her brother spiraling into the same addiction that once consumed me, I have to decide: do I run from the only good thing in my life, or stay and fight for a love I don't deserve? *Unearthed Dreams* is the third interconnected standalone in the Sable Point series with a guaranteed HEA. This book is intended for mature readers, as it includes explicit sexual content, strong language, and adult situations.

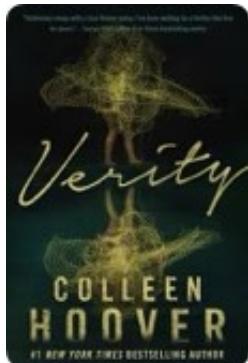
Number of Pages: 280

Language: English

ISBN: 9798286739622

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: November 2, 2025



Verity

Colleen Hoover

Grand Central Publishing (October 26, 2021)



Summary:

#1 New York Times Bestseller USA Today Bestseller The Globe and Mail Bestseller Publishers Weekly Bestseller Whose truth is the lie? Stay up all night reading the sensational psychological thriller that has readers obsessed, from the #1 New York Times bestselling author of *It Ends With Us*. Lowen Ashleigh is a struggling writer on the brink of financial ruin when she accepts the job offer of a lifetime. Jeremy Crawford, husband of bestselling author Verity Crawford, has hired Lowen to complete the remaining books in a successful series his injured wife is unable to finish. Lowen arrives at the Crawford home, ready to sort through years of Verity's notes and outlines, hoping to find enough material to get her started. What Lowen doesn't expect to uncover in the chaotic office is an unfinished autobiography Verity never intended for anyone to read. Page after page of bone-chilling admissions, including Verity's recollection of the night her family was forever altered. Lowen decides to keep the manuscript hidden from Jeremy, knowing its contents could devastate the already grieving father. But as Lowen's feelings for Jeremy begin to intensify, she recognizes all the ways she could benefit if he were to read his wife's words. After all, no matter how devoted Jeremy is to his injured wife, a truth this horrifying would make it impossible for him to continue loving her.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 336

Language: English

ISBN: 9781538724736

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: January 1, 2023



Waterfall

Lauren Kate

Random House Children's Books (December 8, 2015)



Summary:

From the #1 New York Times bestselling author of the *Fallen* series comes *Waterfall*, a novel about love, betrayal, and epic consequences—a world-altering tale told by a girl whose tears have the power to raise the lost continent of Atlantis. Eureka's tears have flooded the earth, and now Atlantis is rising. Eureka is the only one who can stop Atlantis's evil king, Atlas, but first she must learn how to fight. With her friend Brooks now lost to her forever, Eureka travels across the ocean with Cat, her family, and the gorgeous and mysterious Ander. Trying to make sense of the dark world her sorrow has created, Eureka discovers a soul-crushing secret. If she's strong enough, she can use it to defeat Atlas—unless her broken heart is just what he needs to fuel his rising kingdom. . . . In *Waterfall*, Eureka has the chance to save the world. But she'll have to give up everything—even love. Praise for *Teardrop*: “Fans of Kate's popular *Fallen* series will find a similar blend of supernatural romance, mystery, and destiny.” —Publishers Weekly “Addictive.” —Uncorked Thoughts “Enchanting.” —Teenreads.com

Genre: Young Adult Fiction

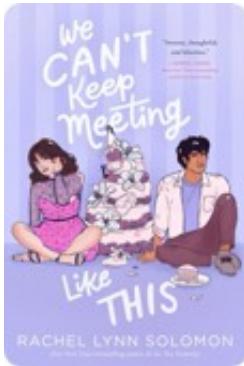
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: September 17, 2022



Heart **We Can't Keep Meeting Like This**

Rachel Lynn Solomon

Simon and Schuster (May 3, 2022)



Summary:

“Impossible not to love.” —Rachael Lippincott, #1 New York Times bestselling coauthor of *Five Feet Apart* A wedding harpist disillusioned with love and a hopeless romantic cater-waiter flirt and fight their way through a summer of weddings in this effervescent romantic comedy from the acclaimed author of *Today Tonight Tomorrow*. Quinn Berkowitz and Tarek Mansour’s families have been in business together for years: Quinn’s parents are wedding planners, and Tarek’s own a catering company. At the end of last summer, Quinn confessed her crush on him in the form of a rambling email—and then he left for college without a response. Quinn has been dreading seeing him again almost as much as she dreads another summer playing the harp for her parents’ weddings. When he shows up at the first wedding of the summer, looking cuter than ever after a year apart, they clash immediately. Tarek’s always loved the grand gestures in weddings—the flashier, the better—while Quinn can’t see them as anything but fake. Even as they can’t seem to have one civil conversation, Quinn’s thrown together with Tarek wedding after wedding, from performing a daring cake rescue to filling in for a missing bridesmaid and groomsman. Quinn can’t deny her feelings for him are still there, especially after she learns the truth about his silence, opens up about her own fears, and begins learning the art of harp-making from an enigmatic teacher. Maybe love isn’t the enemy after all—and maybe allowing herself to fall is the most honest thing Quinn’s ever done.

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

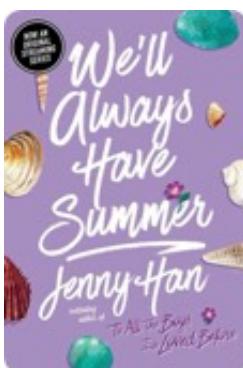
Number of Pages: 352

Language: English

ISBN: 9781534440289

Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: February 26, 2025



Heart **We'll Always Have Summer**

Jenny Han

Simon and Schuster (April 24, 2012)



Summary:

Now a streaming series in Summer 2022! Can Belly make a final choice between Jeremiah and Conrad? Find out in the conclusion of the New York Times bestselling *The Summer I Turned Pretty* trilogy from the author of *To All the Boys I've Loved Before* (now a major motion picture!). Belly has only ever been in love with two boys, both with the last name Fisher. And after being with Jeremiah for the last two years, she's almost positive he is her soul mate. Almost. While Conrad has not gotten over the mistake of letting Belly go, Jeremiah has always known that Belly is the girl for him. So when Belly and Jeremiah decide to make things forever, Conrad realizes that it's now or never—tell Belly he loves her, or lose her for good. Belly will have to confront her feelings for Jeremiah and Conrad and face the inevitable: She will have to break one of their hearts. This paperback edition features bonus content, including Conrad's letters to Belly and an excerpt of *Burn for Burn* by Jenny Han and Siobhan Vivian!

Genre: Juvenile Fiction

Number of Pages: 291

Language: English

ISBN: 9781416995593

Reading Status: Unread

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Westcott High

Sarah Mello

Sarah Mello (July 20, 2019)



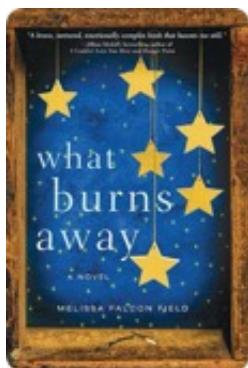
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Language: English

ISBN: 9781733174305

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Date Added: September 17, 2022



What Burns Away

Melissa Falcon Field

Sourcebooks, Inc. (January 27, 2015)



Summary:

"A debut novel with a bighearted sensuality and a bull's-eye precision on a par with our best working writers today. A must-read." —Jan Elizabeth Watson, author of *What Has Become of You* and *Asta in the Wings*
Good wife, good mother. That's all Claire Spruce is trying to be, but the never-ending snow in this new town and her workaholic husband are making her crazy. Even the sweet face of her toddler son can't pull her out of the dark places in her head. Feeling overwhelmed and alone, she reconnects with her long-lost high school boyfriend, Dean, who offers an intoxicating, reckless escape. But Dean's reappearance is not a coincidence. He wants something from Claire—and she soon finds that the cost of repaying an old favor may lead to the destruction of her entire life. *What Burns Away* is a story of loyalty, family, and the consequences of the past's inevitable collision with our future. "This novel is captivating...it moves fast, doesn't let you catch your breath, and leaves you shaken." —Sarah Braunstein, author of *The Sweet Relief of Missing Children*
"A new mom's fiery first love is back, and he challenges all she's built for herself, revealing the fragility of suburban dreams." —Bill Roorbach, author of *The Remedy for Love* and *Life Among Giants*

Genre: Fiction

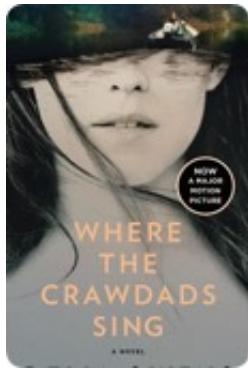
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Language: English

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Reading Status: Unread

Date Added: May 6, 2023



Heart **Where the Crawdads Sing (Movie Tie-In)**

Delia Owens

Penguin (June 28, 2022)



Summary:

NOW A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE The #1 New York Times bestselling worldwide sensation with more than 15 million copies sold, "a painfully beautiful first novel that is at once a murder mystery, a coming-of-age narrative and a celebration of nature" (The New York Times Book Review). For years, rumors of the "Marsh Girl" have haunted Barkley Cove, a quiet town on the North Carolina coast. So in late 1969, when handsome Chase Andrews is found dead, the locals immediately suspect Kya Clark, the so-called Marsh Girl. But Kya is not what they say. Sensitive and intelligent, she has survived for years alone in the marsh that she calls home, finding friends in the gulls and lessons in the sand. Then the time comes when she yearns to be touched and loved. When two young men from town become intrigued by her wild beauty, Kya opens herself to a new life—until the unthinkable happens. *Where the Crawdads Sing* is at once an exquisite ode to the natural world, a heartbreakingly moving coming-of-age story, and a surprising tale of possible murder. Delia Owens reminds us that we are forever shaped by the children we once were, and that we are all subject to the beautiful and violent secrets that nature keeps.

Genre: Fiction

Number of Pages: 480

Language: English

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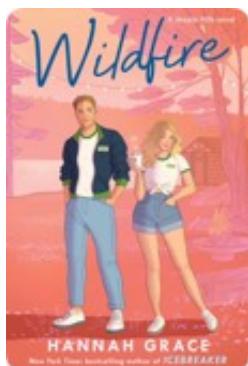
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Date Added: October 14, 2022

Tags: Favorite



Heart **Wildfire**

A Novel

Hannah Grace

Simon and Schuster (October 3, 2023)



Summary:

INSTANT #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER The latest in the TikTok sensation and deliciously "swoonworthy" (Elena Armas, New York Times bestselling author) Maple Hills series follows two summer camp counselors who reconnect after a sizzling one-night stand. Maple Hills students Russ Callaghan and Aurora Roberts cross paths at a party celebrating the end of the academic year, where a drinking game results in them having a passionate one-night stand. Never one to overstay her welcome (or expect much from a man), Aurora slips away before Russ even has the chance to ask for her full name. Imagine their surprise when they bump into each other on the first day of the summer camp where they are both counselors, hoping to escape their complicated home lives by spending the summer working. Russ hopes if he gets far enough away from Maple Hills, he can avoid dealing with the repercussions of his father's gambling addiction, while Aurora is tired of craving attention from everyone around her, and wants to go back to the last place she truly felt at home. Russ knows breaking the camp's strict "no staff fraternizing" rule will have him heading back to Maple Hills before the summer is over, but unfortunately for him, Aurora has never been very good at caring about the rules. Will the two learn to peacefully coexist? Or did their one night together start a fire they can't put out?

Genre: Fiction

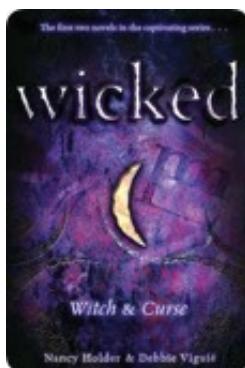
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Heart **Witch & Curse (Wicked)**

Nancy Holder and Debbie Viguié

Simon & Schuster (2008)



Summary:

Holly Cathers's world shatters when her parents are killed in a terrible accident. Wrenched from her home in San Francisco, she is sent to Seattle to live with her relatives, Aunt Marie-Claire and her twin cousins, Amanda and Nicole. In her new home, Holly's sorrow and grief soon give way to bewilderment at the strange incidents going on around her. Such as how any wish she whispers to her cat seems to come true. Or the way a friend is injured after a freak attack from a vicious falcon. And there's the undeniable, magnetic attraction to a boy Holly barely knows. Holly, Amanda, and Nicole are about to be launched into a dark legacy of witches, secrets, and alliances, where ancient magics yield dangerous results. The girls will assume their roles in an intergenerational feud beyond their wildest imaginations...and in doing so, will attempt to fulfill their shared destiny.

Genre: Witches

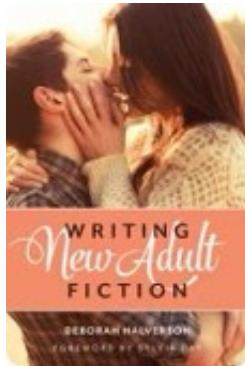
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Language: English

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Heart **Writing New Adult Fiction**

Deborah Halverson and Sylvia Day

Writer's Digest Books (2014)



Summary:

Join the New Adult Fiction revolution! From Sylvia Day's *Bared to You* to Jamie McGuire's *Beautiful Disaster*, new adult fiction has arrived--and it's hotter than ever. But there's more to this category than its 18-to-26-year-old characters: The success of your story depends on authentically depicting the transition of your young protagonists from teenhood to adulthood. With *Writing New Adult Fiction*, you'll learn how to capture the spirit of freedom, self-discovery, and romance that defines the new adult experience. Create memorable characters that act and sound like new adults. Sculpt a distinct personality for your fiction with POV, voice, tone, and word choices. Build a unique, captivating plot that satisfies your audience from beginning to end. Learn tools for revising effectively and efficiently in a speed-driven market. Weigh the options for your path to publication: traditional, indie, and hybrid. The new adult category is filled with opportunities to break in with distinct plots and original characters. Make your mark by writing a novel that's fresh, unique--and wholly new adult!

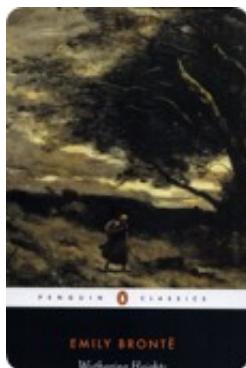
Genre: Authors and publishers

Number of Pages: 288

Language: English

ISBN: 9781599638003

Reading Status: Unread



Heart **Wuthering Heights**

Emily Bronte

Penguin (December 31, 2002)



Summary:

One of English literature's classic masterpieces—a gripping novel of love, propriety, and tragedy. Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's The Great American Read, Emily Brontë's only novel endures as a work of tremendous and far-reaching influence. The Penguin Classics edition is the definitive version of the text, edited with an introduction by Pauline Nestor. Lockwood, the new tenant of Thrushcross Grange, situated on the bleak Yorkshire moors, is forced to seek shelter one night at Wuthering Heights, the home of his landlord. There he discovers the history of the tempestuous events that took place years before. What unfolds is the tale of the intense love between the gypsy foundling Heathcliff and Catherine Earnshaw. Catherine, forced to choose between passionate, tortured Heathcliff and gentle, well-bred Edgar Linton, surrendered to the expectations of her class. As Heathcliff's bitterness and vengeance at his betrayal is visited upon the next generation, their innocent heirs must struggle to escape the legacy of the past. In this edition, a new preface by Lucasta Miller, author of The Brontë Myth, looks at the ways in which the novel has been interpreted, from Charlotte Brontë onwards. This complements Pauline Nestor's introduction, which discusses changing critical receptions of the novel, as well as Emily Brontë's influences and background.

Genre: Fiction

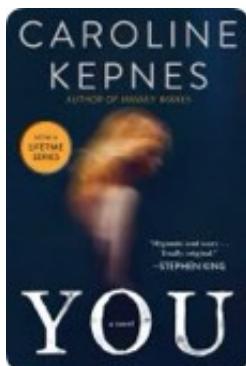
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Heart **You**

A Novel

Caroline Kepnes

Atria/EEmily Bestler Books (June 16, 2015)



Summary:

NOW A HIT NETFLIX SERIES “Hypnotic and scary.” —Stephen King “I am RIVETED, AGHAST, AROUSED, you name it. The rare instance when prose and plot are equally delicious.” —Lena Dunham From debut author Caroline Kepnes comes *You*, one of *Suspense Magazine*’s Best Books of 2014, and a brilliant and terrifying novel for the social media age. When a beautiful, aspiring writer strides into the East Village bookstore where Joe Goldberg works, he does what anyone would do: he Googles the name on her credit card. There is only one Guinevere Beck in New York City. She has a public Facebook account and Tweets incessantly, telling Joe everything he needs to know: she is simply Beck to her friends, she went to Brown University, she lives on Bank Street, and she’ll be at a bar in Brooklyn tonight—the perfect place for a “chance” meeting. As Joe invisibly and obsessively takes control of Beck’s life, he orchestrates a series of events to ensure Beck finds herself in his waiting arms. Moving from stalker to boyfriend, Joe transforms himself into Beck’s perfect man, all while quietly removing the obstacles that stand in their way—even if it means murder. A terrifying exploration of how vulnerable we all are to stalking and manipulation, debut author Caroline Kepnes delivers a razor-sharp novel for our hyper-connected digital age. *You* is a compulsively readable page-turner that’s being compared to *Gone Girl*, *American Psycho*, and Stephen King’s *Misery*.

Genre: Fiction

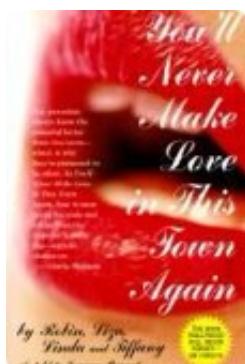
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You'll Never Make Love in This Town Again

Jennie Louise Frankel, Joanne Parrent, and Terrie Maxine Frankel

Dove Books (1996)



Summary:

As hot as it is heartbreaking, this book reveals how unknowing young girls end up servicing rock stars, engaging in orgies, or experimenting in lesbian trysts with the likes of Vanna White just to earn money to survive. This book takes an intimate, behind-the-scenes look at Hollywood's users and abusers that will irrevocably alter your perception of what it is like to be famous.

Genre: Health & Fitness

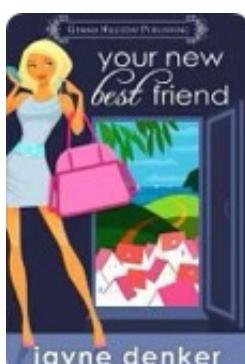
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Your New Best Friend

Jayne Denker

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform (July 21, 2017)



Summary:

Jane Austen's Emma made a habit of meddling in other people's lives, but Melanie Abbott has turned it into a cottage industry. As "modern American royalty" living in Abbott's Bay, Massachusetts, a town founded by her ancestor, Melanie Abbott feels it's her right—even her duty—to employ her uncanny knack for knowing exactly what everyone needs to improve their lives. She eagerly shares her wisdom and insight with her friends and neighbors . . . whether they ask for it or not. If only Conn Garvey, her dearest friend, agreed with her. Connacht Garvey has been keeping an eye on Melanie since they were kids. A bit older, far more level-headed, and infinitely patient, Conn feels it's his duty to pull Melanie back from whatever cliff's edge she's about to wander off. Conn thinks Melanie is egotistical, self-centered, irritating, infuriating, relentless, ridiculous . . . and irresistible. Not that Conn's confessed to that last one. Yet. When Melanie impulsively starts up a new advice-giving business, it's an instant hit. Conn doesn't approve, as usual, which is too bad, because Melanie's convinced he needs her VIP package. (Of advice!) His coffeehouse is showing signs of financial trouble, plus his toxic ex is suddenly sniffing around, acting like she's having second thoughts about their breakup. Will their friendship be blown to bits because of Melanie's meddling . . . or will it become something more? What critics are saying about Jayne Denker's books: "Love the story! Five stars!" -Sandra's Book Club "Definitely a light read that is great for summer! There were some scenes that made me laugh, some that made me swoon, and a few that made me want to cry - the author did a great job of giving me feels;" -The Slanted Bookshelf "I would recommend...to romance readers who want to be entertained enormously, and feel that heart squeeze only great main characters can give you. Four stars!" -Harlequin Junkie Reviews

Number of Pages: 304

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