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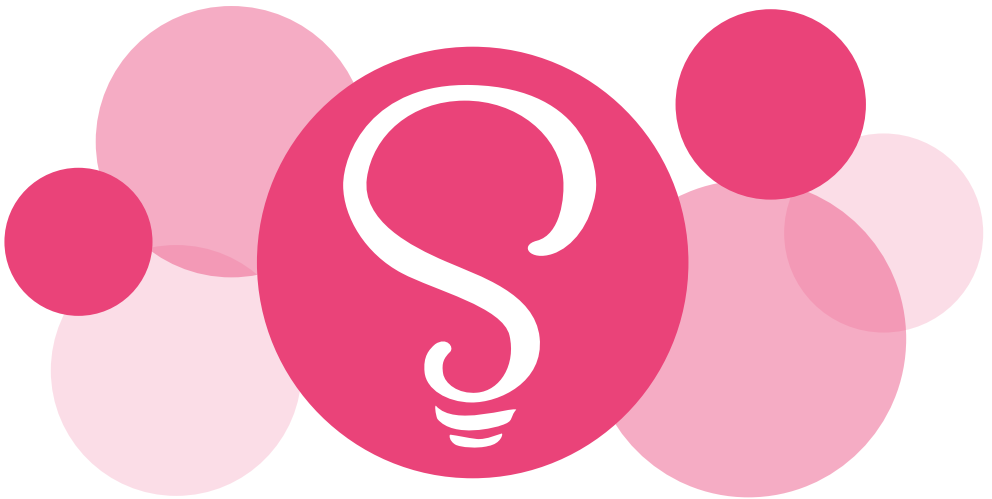
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Discover the world of New Greece with a bingeable retelling of the Hades and Persephone myth that fans cannot get enough of!



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### Touch of Chaos

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## HADES SAGA

Scarlett St. Clair expands her universe of New Greece and the Hades and Persephone retellings with a new series told in Hades's point of view.

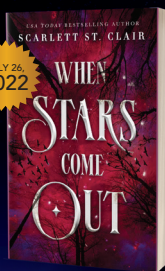


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### Touch of Malice

Rights available except French, Korean, Turkish, German, Dutch, Romanian, Portuguese, Italian, Russian, audio

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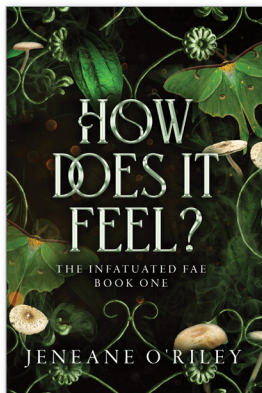
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## How Does It Feel?

Jeneane O'Riley



Infatuated Fae, Book 1

JENEANE O'RILEY is a #1 bestselling author of whimsically dark and romantic fantasy books. Her love of storytelling began as a small child, dreaming up glorious fantasies to fall asleep to. As she has grown older, her love of storytelling remained, but the tales grew more dangerous and full of toe-curling tension.

From breakout TikTok sensation Jeneane O'Riley comes the first in the *Infatuated Fae* series, full of forbidden enemies-to-lovers romance, twisty betrayals, and fairy tale magic. When a trip into the forest goes wrong, biologist Callie finds herself falling through a Fae portal and straight into the arms of the Unseelie prince.

- **Breakout star:** Jeneane is a fast-rising star on social media, with over 40K TikTok followers, 6M views on #infatuatedfaeries, and almost 2M views on #jeneaneoriley.
- **Great sales trajectory:** Sales for *How Does It Feel?* have exploded in the last few weeks, with over 3K print sales in four weeks and climbing as this author starts to break out.

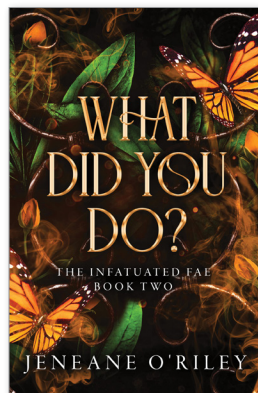
A forbidden obsession. Unyielding family allegiance. Three deadly challenges.

When a trip into the forest to collect a rare mushroom for her research goes horribly wrong, biologist Callie Peterson finds herself falling through a fairy portal and straight into the arms of the Unseelie Fae prince. The dangerously unhinged and viciously handsome Unseelie Fae prince. He thinks she's an assassin sent by the humans to kill him, not a scientist, and he imprisons her in his realm—where unwillingly, unwittingly, his obsession with her begins to grow.

MARCH 24		
9781464225475		\$26.99 U.S.
Romance		HC
Bloom Books		336 Pages
WORLD		
Rights sold: Italian (Mondadori), Polish (Jaguar), Spanish (Anaya), Turkish (Diyogen)		

## What Did You Do?

Jeneane O'Riley



Infatuated Fae, Book 2

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From breakout TikTok sensation Jeneane O'Riley comes the highly anticipated second book in the *Infatuated Fae* series, full of forbidden enemies-to-lovers romance, twisty betrayals, and fairy tale magic.

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Finally reunited with her family, Caly struggles to adjust to her new life and the decisions she made to get there. After giving up everything for them, she eagerly awaits the ceremony to receive the second half of her heart and become whole, even though it comes at an unsettling cost: she must marry Prince Aurelius and solidify her place within the Seelie Court. But as she prepares, Caly finds herself haunted by the memory of Malum Mendax, the Unseelie Prince, always feeling eyes on her among the shadowy silhouettes in her room and even touching him in her dreams. What Caly doesn't know is that it's more than just his memory that haunts her. Malum Mendax has returned to punish his pet and those that took her away from him.

JUNE 24		
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Romance		HC
Bloom Books		336 Pages
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# The Deer and the Dragon

Piper CJ



No Other Gods, Book 1

The first in a spellbinding new urban fantasy from USA Today bestselling author and TikTok sensation Piper CJ. Fantasy author Marlow has been haunted by what she believes is a figure of her imagination: a mysterious and alluring man she calls Caliban. But when Caliban disappears, her quest to find him throws her into the very world of gods, demons, and monsters her books have been based on for years

- Author is a viral TikTok sensation: Piper CJ is a TikTok sensation with over 1.1 million followers and over 15 million views combined on the series hashtags #naim and #thenightanditsmoon.
- Proven success: Piper CJ has sold over 50,000 copies of *The Night and Its Moon* between its September 2022 release and May 2023, still steadily selling over 1,000 copies a week

The deities you call aren't always the ones who answer.

Marlow needs to believe she's crazy. The alternative would mean embracing the gift—or curse—shared by her mother and grandmother: she can see angels and demons, including a dark and haunting entity who's been with Marlow her entire life. At least, she believes that's all he is until a fae from the Nordic pantheon strolls into her life and informs her that she's been sharing a bed with the Prince of Hell.

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Before she knows it, Marlow is deeply entangled in a centuries-old war, stumbling straight into a battleground between mighty beings of myth and legend from powerful pantheons around the world. And who will come out on top may just depend on her and the love she never dared to believe in.

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The Fox and the Falcon  
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MAY 24

9781728280172	\$18.99 U.S.
Fiction	TP
Bloom Books	448 Pages
WORLD	

PIPER CJ, author of the bisexual fantasy series *The Night and Its Moon*, is a photographer, hobby linguist, and french fry enthusiast. She has an M.A. in folklore, and a B.A. in broadcasting, which she used in her former life as a morning show weather girl, hockey podcaster, and in audio documentary work. Now when she isn't playing with her dogs, Arrow and Applesauce, she's making tiktoks, studying Vietnamese, or writing fantasy very, very quickly.

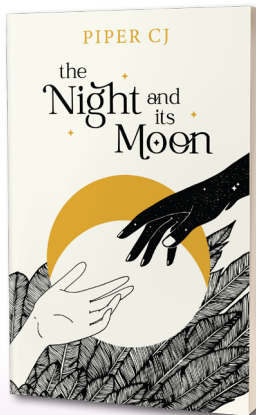
# PIPER CJ

## About the Author

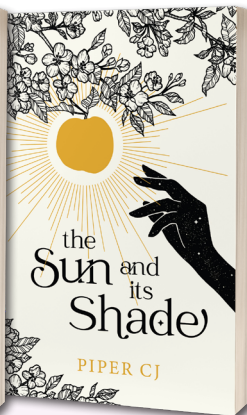
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## Books in the Series



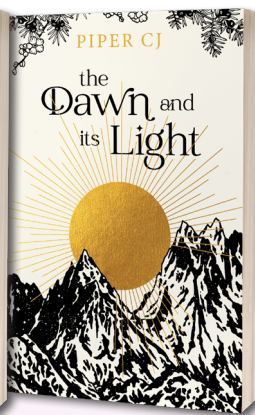
**The Night and Its Moon**  
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**The Sun and Its Shade**  
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**The Gloom Between Stars**  
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**The Dawn and Its Light**  
ISBN 9781728270791  
On-Sale 1.16.24



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## Grimstone

Sophie Lark



Grimstone, Book 1

From **USA Today** bestselling author Sophie Lark comes a brand new romantic thriller series in the gothic, secretive beach town of Grimstone.

- **BookTok sensation:** Sophie Lark's *Brutal Birthright* series is extremely popular on social media, with almost 170M TikTok views on #SophieLark and over 120K followers on Instagram, growing substantially since joining Bloom.
- **Great sales:** Sophie Lark is now a *USA Today* bestseller since joining Bloom, with her *Brutal Birthright* series and *Sinners Duet* selling steady at several thousand copies a week.

Remi Hayes is beginning to think she's cursed—her fiancé cheated on her, her brother Jude is a major pain in her ass, and the moldering mansion she inherited from her uncle might just be haunted.

Flipping Blackleaf Manor already feels impossible, even before Remi is blackmailed by Dane Covett, the dangerously hot doctor-next-door, and Grimstone's most eligible bachelor—if you can ignore the fact that everyone in town thinks he murdered his wife.

Remi doesn't want to believe it, especially after Dane sews up a gash in her thigh and steals a kiss in payment—a kiss that makes it hard to walk for reasons that have nothing to do with an injured leg.

But as the renovation takes a strange and violent turn, Remi must decide if Dane is the one haunting her nights, or if he's trying to protect her from something much worse.

When SOPHIE LARK started writing, she wanted to create intelligent and powerful female characters who were allowed to be flawed. She's always loved dark and twisty storylines. She thought so many of her interests were strange until she found an online community of readers who love all the same things. Sophie writes all kinds of stories, including dark romance, fantasy, and suspense. She's a sucker for anti-heroes and moral dilemmas. Her readers mean everything to her. She couldn't do what she loves for a living without them, and she'd be lost without the outlet of writing.

SEPTEMBER 24	
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Romance	TP
Bloom Books	300 Pages
WORLD	
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## Monarch

Sophie Lark



Grimstone, Book 2

In **Grimstone**, the most tempting gifts conceal the most dangerous surprises

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- **Great sales:** Sophie Lark is now a *USA Today* bestseller since joining Bloom, with her *Brutal Birthright* series and *Sinners Duet* selling steady at several thousand copies a week.
- **Trending subject:** Dark romance is a huge genre right now, with authors like Ana Huang, Emily McIntire, and Penelope Douglas leading the charge. Sophie Lark's books add humor and heart to the danger.

In a desperate bid to get out of town, twenty-seven-year-old virgin and bookstore nerd Elena Zelenska becomes the world's most unlikely mail-order bride. Her gamble pays off when she's swept off her feet by Benjamin Wittacker, handsome single father and (gasp!) actual published author. Elena's new fiancé seems almost too good to be true. Her life is turning into a fairytale, especially once Ben starts building her a castle in the woods. But when Elena arrives in Grimstone, her fairytale turns darker. The castle in the woods is a macabre labyrinth of hidden chambers, and Ben is no Prince Charming. In fact, he might just be a monster.

Isolated far from home, Elena's only ally is Atlas Covett, the owner of the Monarch hotel. Massive and stern, even Atlas' employees are terrified of him. He becomes Elena's unexpected protector, offering solace and sanctuary from the darkness that threatens to consume her. As Elena's bond with Atlas deepens, her jealous fiancé exerts his control in increasingly twisted ways. Elena must find a way out before the castle he's building becomes a prison she'll never escape.

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Romance	TP
Bloom Books	Pages
WORLD	
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## Teach You to Love Me

B. Celeste



Lindon U. Book 4

From the fan-favorite author of *Underneath the Sycamore Tree* comes the next installment in a raw, real romance series following the lives of the Lindon U football players and the complicated girls who change their lives forever.

- **Steady seller:** The first two books in B. Celeste's *Lindon U* series have been selling at a steady 300 copies a week since their publication in April 2023, along with *Underneath the Sycamore Tree*.
- **Books to make you cry:** B. Celeste is frequently found on lists of "books that wreck you" and "books that make you ugly cry" alongside authors such as Colleen Hoover and Jamie Macguire.

This fourth installment of B. Celeste's raw, emotional *Lindon U* series follows fan-favorite characters Rachel Holloway and Matt Clearwater, who must navigate their complicated relationship as the academic advisor of the football team and one of its former players.

B. CELESTE was born and raised in Upstate New York where she still resides with her four-legged feline sidekick Oliver "Ollie" Queen. Her love for writing began with poetry, which she learned to write after watching her father write poetry for her mother, before she found interest in short stories, novellas, and novels.

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Romance	TP
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## Past the Broken Bridges

B. Celeste



From fan-favorite author B. Celeste comes an raw, real, and unforgettable story of love and loss between two young people grappling with the harsh reality of invisible disease.

- B. Celeste's *Underneath the Sycamore Tree* has a 4.35 rating on Goodreads with over 6,000 reviews, and a 4.6 rating on Amazon with 790 reviews.
- B. Celeste is frequently found on lists of "books that wreck you" and "books that make you ugly cry" with Colleen Hoover in the BookTok world.

People think reincarnation can only happen after somebody dies, but Gianna Giovanni doesn't think that's true at all.

People find ways to reinvent themselves all the time, which is exactly what Gianna plans to do at Jennings Community College. Long gone is the girl who was taken from her family by Child Protective Services at ten years old. The new Gianna is here to figure out exactly who she is without the trauma of the past getting in her way.

The problem with her breakthrough plan? Misha Kent—the boy next door and her best friend growing up. Until he called CPS and ruined everything. And now? They're at the same college. In the same co-ed dorm. On the same exact floor, neighbors once again, where history is bound to repeat itself. Life can be a cruel bitch.

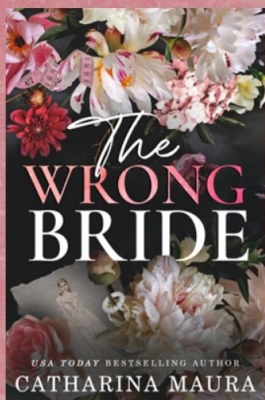
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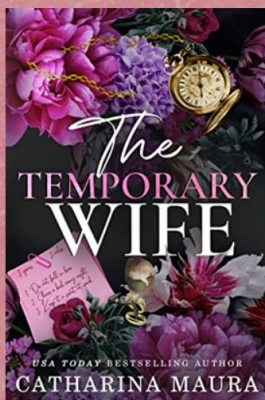
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# The Windsors Series

The #1 Amazon Kindle and USA Today bestselling author joins the Bloom list with these steamy, interconnected billionaire romances



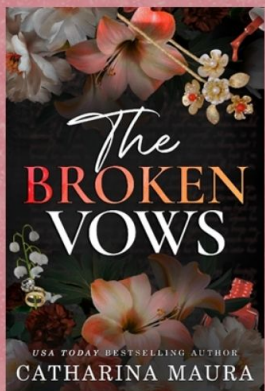
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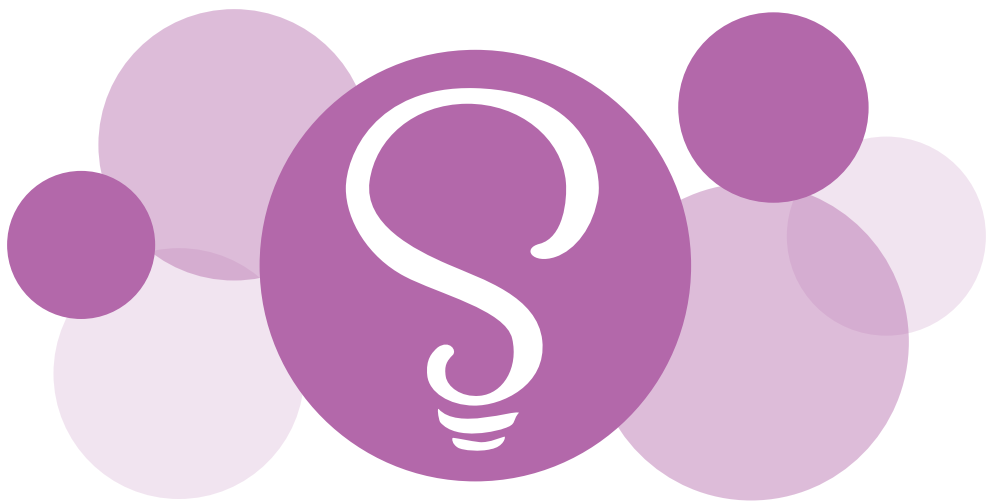


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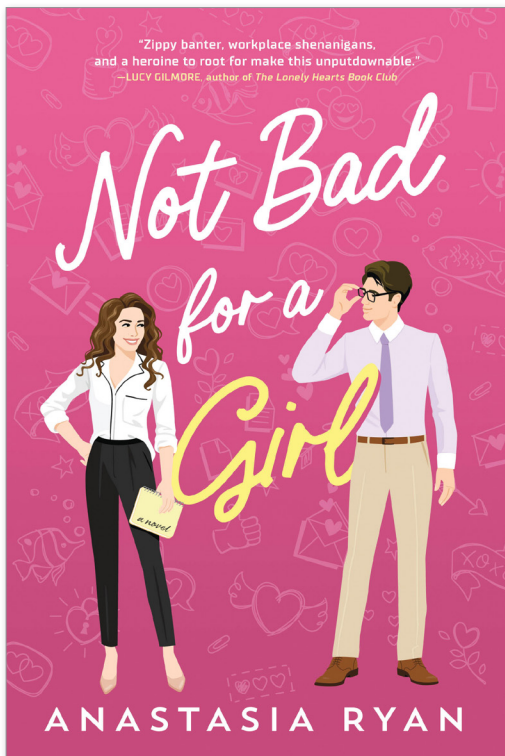
CATHARINA MAURA writes angsty, fast-paced contemporary romance novels that break your heart before they lead you to a hard-won happily ever after. Cat lives in Hong Kong with her husband and a dozen houseplants that all have names, and when she isn't daydreaming about future characters, she's exploring the world and seeking out new adventures.

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# Not Bad for a Girl

Anastasia Ryan



Indiana Aaron gets a taste of male privilege when her new remote boss mistakes her for a man. Is there ever a good time to blow your cover?

- **Relatable mainstream appeal:** The challenges of the new hybrid/ remote workplace are all over the media and the concept of differences in perception based on gender alone resonates with the young working woman
- **Multiple entry points:** *Not Bad for a Girl* is uplifting, feel-good fiction with strong female friendships, romantic threads, and a fresh take on the millennial workplace
- **Uplit is on the rise:** Uplifting, sweet, and romantic books continue to appeal to a wide commercial audience. This book is perfect for fans of Jenn McKinlay, Sally Thorne, Jennifer Weiner, and Lizzy Dent

It's a man's world, and Indiana "Ana" Aaron, a talented coder and IT specialist, doesn't fit in. She says what she thinks, which frequently gets her in trouble and most recently has resulted in her transfer to a remote work team. She sees working from home as a chance at redemption (by keeping her head down and her camera off). But, almost immediately, her new boss makes a huge mistake in a report, and Ana feels compelled to point it out. She expects extreme repercussions, like before, but instead, the boss praises "Mr." Aaron for his assertiveness and gives the team the afternoon off, to the delight of her fellow "bros."

It's a simple error. Indiana is one of those names. But would it have gone that way if he had known what she looked like? She's considering how to set everyone straight without making things worse when her work besties complicate things further. In a misguided attempt to "help" during a reference check, the legend of "Indiana" begins to take on a life of its own. Ana is suddenly in over her head. She doesn't know how to compete with her alter-ego "Indiana," who is a former Navy SEAL, an emergency back-up goalie for the Colorado Avalanche, and an abstract artist. Fortunately, Ana is picking up more allies, including Shane, a handsome tech guy on her team who's smart enough to put the puzzle together. But how can she be true to herself and follow her heart in the midst of this tangle?



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JANUARY 24

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Fiction	TP
Sourcebooks Casablanca	288 Pages
WORLD	

ANASTASIA RYAN has degrees in English Literature and Pop Culture. Her debut novel *You Should Smile More* released in January 2023. *Not Bad for a Girl* is her second thoughtfully funny look at the absurdities of our modern workplace. She lives in Toledo, Ohio.

# Girls with Bad Reputations

Xio Axelrod



The Lillys, Book 2

*A Star is Born* meets *Daisy Jones and the Six* by way of Colleen Hoover in this unique, sizzling series set in the high stakes world of the music industry from an author with an insider view

- **Superstar author:** Xio is an award-winning author with a terrific platform; she provides a cool, unique insider view of the music industry
- **Authentic voice:** Xio is a singer/songwriter and brings a fresh voice to the genre; she's writing story-related songs to help promote the series
- **Perfectly on trend:** Read-alike for fans of Amazon Prime's *Daisy Jones & The Six*

Once upon a time, the pressure to be the perfect daughter her demanding mother needed nearly broke Mikayla Whitman. Desperate to find an outlet, she picked up a pair of drumsticks, forever altering the rhythm of her life. Since then, she's been determined to make her own way, finding her home with her bandmates even as she fights to keep her past and her present firmly separate.

The only thing Tyrell Baldwin loves more than his books is his solitude. Recently released from prison for a crime he didn't commit, he's searching for a fresh start. Taking a job as a tour bus driver for an up-and-coming all-girl band might seem like a strange fit for a man allergic to the spotlight, but he can't deny there's something about getting a front row seat to the meteoric rise of the Lillys...especially if that means getting closer to fierce, enigmatic drummer, Kayla.



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FEBRUARY 24

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Fiction	TP
Sourcebooks Casablanca	448 Pages
WORLD	

XIO AXELROD is an award-winning, USA Today bestselling author. Xio grew up in the music industry and began recording at a young age. When she isn't writing, she can be found in the studio, writing songs, or performing. She lives in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

# Fish Out of Water

Katie Ruggle



A romcom perfect for fans of Christina Lauren's *Something Wilder* and Sarah Morgenthaler's *Moose Springs, Alaska*, about a city girl lost in the wilderness with only a grouchy mountain man to guide her...and there's only one sleeping bag

- **Beloved author:** Katie Ruggle is beloved by her fans and has sold over 386,000 copies since she debuted in 2016. Charlene Harris, #1 *New York Times* Bestselling Author called Ruggle's debut series "vivid and charming"
- **Amazing accolades:** Ruggle has received numerous best books of the month from Amazon, along with a *Publishers Weekly* starred review
- **Authentic voice:** Ruggle brings authenticity to the genre, with years of experience as a survivalist in the rugged small-town Colorado Rockies

When Dahlia Weathersby's sister disappears on what should have been a simple day hike, Dahlia immediately heads to the Colorado Rockies to find her. Knowing that she'll never survive the mountains alone, she convinces the local hermit, grouchy Winston Dane, to be her guide. All it takes is a good helping of Dahlia's charm...and just the teeniest bit of blackmail...before she's got all six-foot-something of him wrapped around her finger.

But it'll take more than charm and some city girl ingenuity to make this mountain adventure anything but a disaster waiting to happen.

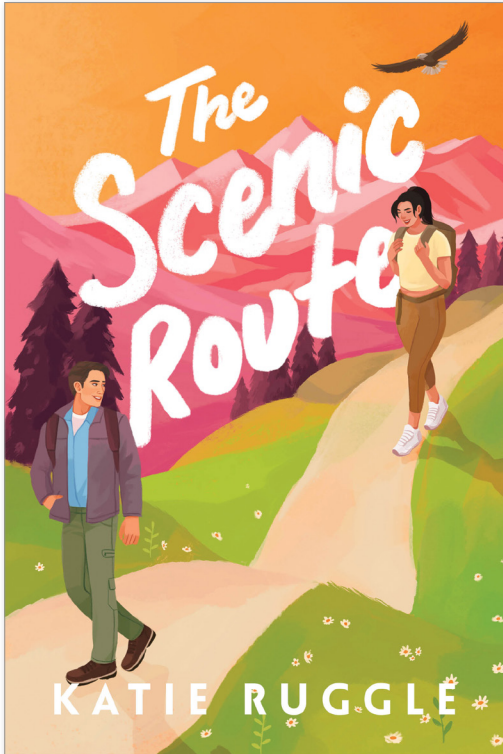
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Sourcebooks Casablanca	336 Pages
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When she's not writing, KATIE RUGGLE rides horses, trains her three dogs, and travels to warm places to scuba dive. A police academy graduate, Katie readily admits she's a forensics nerd. While she misses her off-the-grid home in the Rocky Mountains, she now lives in a 150-year old Minnesota farmhouse near family. Connect with Katie at [kateruggle.com](http://kateruggle.com)

# The Scenic Route

Katie Ruggle



Beneath the Wild Sky, Book 1

Bestselling author Katie Ruggle brings the Rockies to life in this quirky, adventure-filled romance!

- **Beloved author:** Katie Ruggle is beloved by her fans and has sold over 386,000 copies since she debuted in 2016. Charlaiane Harris, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author, called Ruggle's debut series "vivid and charming."
- **Amazing accolades:** Ruggle has received 5 Best Books of the Month and a Best Book of the Year, along with a PW starred review

Felicity Pax loves her job. She craves action and excitement, and being a bounty hunter gives her both in spades. When her estranged mother leaves town after supposedly stealing a priceless necklace, Felicity chases her just like she would any other skip... but she didn't barter on having increasingly infuriating (and infuriatingly hot) PI Bennett Green on her tail.

To distract the annoyingly persistent man—and give her sister a chance to track down their mother instead—Felicity heads west into the remote Rocky Mountains. The beauty of the Rockies is as overwhelming as it is moving, but there's danger here too, and it isn't long before Felicity's deliberate distraction turns into a mystery worth solving.

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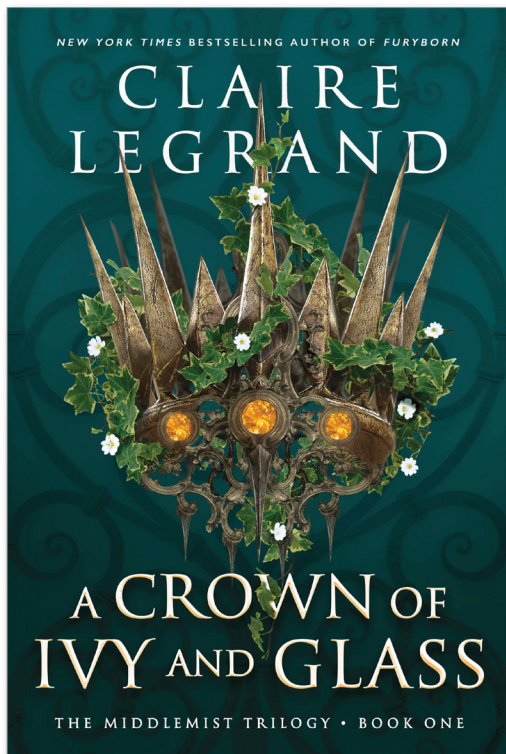
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When she's not writing, KATIE RUGGLE rides horses, trains her three dogs, and travels to warm places to scuba dive. A police academy graduate, Katie readily admits she's a forensics nerd. While she misses her off-the-grid home in the Rocky Mountains, she now lives in a 150-year old Minnesota farmhouse near family. Connect with Katie at [kateruggle.com](http://kateruggle.com)

# A Crown of Ivy and Glass

Claire Legrand



The Middlemist Trilogy, Book 1

**NOW IN PAPERBACK!** *New York Times* bestselling author Claire Legrand makes her debut in adult fantasy with an enchanting romantic story perfect for readers of Sarah J. Maas and Jennifer Armentrout.

- **New York Times** bestseller! Claire Legrand's YA series *The Empirium Trilogy* has sold over 264k P+E to date
- **Strong Hook:** High concept fantasy + strong, sexy romantic elements + the elegance and drama inspired from the world of *Bridgerton* = a bingeable story that readers won't be able to stop taking about
- **Bonus Content:** exclusive artwork and an excerpt of the next book in the series, *A Song of Ash and Moonlight*

Lady Gemma Ashbourne is gorgeous and rich, her family Anointed by the gods—but her charming smile and deft wit mask a wrenching sadness. Years ago, her sister Mara was taken to the Middlemist to guard against the treacherous magic of the Old Country. Her mother long ago abandoned the family. Her father and eldest sister, Farrin—embroiled in a deadly blood feud with the powerful Bask family—often forget Gemma exists.

Worst of all, Gemma is the only Ashbourne to possess no magic. Instead, her body fights it like poison. Constantly ill, aching with loneliness, Gemma craves love and yearns to belong.

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CLAIRE LEGRAND is the *New York Times* bestselling author of several novels for children and young adults, most notably the *Empirium Trilogy*, *Sawkill Girls*, and *Some Kind of Happiness*. She lives in New Jersey. *A Crown of Ivy and Glass* is her first novel for adults.

# A Song of Ash and Moonlight

Claire Legrand



The Middlemist Trilogy, Book 2

**Second in the enchanting, sexy romantasy series from *New York Times* bestselling author Claire Legrand, perfect for readers of Sarah J. Maas and Jennifer Armentrout. The old war is over. A new one is just beginning.**

- **New York Times bestseller!**: Claire Legrand's bestselling YA series *The Empirium Trilogy* has sold over 264k P+E to date.
- **Strong Hook**: High concept fantasy + strong, sexy romantic elements + the elegance and drama inspired from the world of *Bridgerton* = a bingeable story that readers won't be able to stop taking about.
- **Romantasy is HOT**: Readers can't get enough of romantic fantasy; Claire Legrand's adult fantasy stories will sit right next to Sarah J. Maas, Scarlett St. Clair, and Jennifer Armentrout.

The curse plaguing the Ashbourne and Bask families has finally been broken, but Farrin, the eldest Ashbourne daughter, still struggles to find peace. Unflappable and tireless, her composure masks a seething sorrow. Since her mother abandoned the family, Farrin has been their rock—managing her father's temper, running the estate, keeping tight control over her dangerous musical power, and ignoring her own need for rest, distraction, and most of all, love.

In Ryder Bask, Farrin's stubborn strength has met its match. The man infuriates her. He's coarse, arrogant, annoyingly handsome. He's as tired of their feuding parents as she is, and he brims with some secret anger that mirrors Farrin's frustrated rage.

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The Ones Who Got Away, Book 1

## The Ones Who Got Away

Roni Loren

**An emotional contemporary romance from *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestseller Roni Loren that will rock your world—now with a fresh new package!**

Twelve years ago, Long Acre High School was struck by a tragedy that still haunts the small Texas town today. On a cool spring night, two gunmen walked into prom and ended the lives of many of the senior class. Only a small number of students survived—a group the media dubbed as The Ones Who Got Away...

Web designer (and former Goth chick) Liv Arias is ready to end the decade-long riff with her old flame and move on. Even though he almost got her killed, she knows it was every kid for themselves that night. But when her attempt at closure with former star-athlete Finn Dorsey turns into a steamy kiss, moving on proves much more difficult than either of them thought...

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RONI LOREN is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of erotic romance, *New Adult*, and contemporary romance and has sold over a quarter million books. She holds a master's degree in social work and brings her years as a mental health counselor to her writing. Roni lives in Dallas with her husband and son. Visit [www.roniloren.com](http://www.roniloren.com).



The Ones Who Got Away, Book 2

## The One You Can't Forget

Roni Loren

**An emotional contemporary romance from *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestseller Roni Loren primed for TikTok's “books that make you ugly cry” lists—now with a fresh new package!**

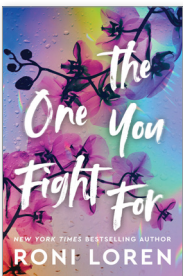
The world knows Rebecca Lindt as a survivor. Austin, TX knows her as a successful divorce attorney. But most days, she just feels like an imposter. Pretending she's okay. Pretending she's moved on. Pretending she doesn't have a secret that eats her up inside. But nothing can change the past, so she spends her days working long hours and ignoring her nonexistent love life. As long as she doesn't slow down, she doesn't have to remember what happened years ago. Wes Garrett is trying to get back on his feet after losing his dream restaurant, his money, and half his damn mind in a vicious divorce where he was wrongly accused. He's sober now, working as a culinary arts teacher at an alternative school, trying to save up money to buy a food truck and own his own place again. But when he intervenes in a mugging late one night and finds he's saved Rebecca Lindt, the divorce attorney who helped his ex-wife, his simple life gets a lot more complicated.

Rebecca offers to invest in his food truck as a charity project for the school, and he offers her a way to make amends by having her help with his students. But as they work together, there's more heating up than the kitchen. Neither intends for this to be anything more than a fling, but when the project funding is threatened and Rebecca's secret is at risk, both discover they could lose more than they thought, including what they never realized they needed: each other.

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RONI LOREN is a RITA Award-winning and *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of erotic romance, *New Adult*, and contemporary romance. Roni lives in Dallas with her husband and son.



The Ones Who Got Away, Book 3

## The One You Fight For

Roni Loren

**An emotional contemporary romance from *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestseller Roni Loren primed for TikTok's “books that make you ugly cry” lists—now with a fresh new package!**

Psychology professor Taryn Landry had one mission since losing her sister in the Long Acre tragedy thirteen years ago—design research and find answers. However, after ruining her first study on school shooters by letting her emotions get the best of her, she lost her funding and had to put that dream aside. When a surprise grant comes through and the dean requires her to tackle the research again, Taryn knows this is her last shot to accomplish her mission. If she fails, she doesn't just lose her job, she'll break the promise she made to her sister. But this research means reaching out to the families of the shooters, including the man she never thought she'd talk to again—Shaw Miller, former friend and older brother of the boy who murdered her sister.

Former Olympic hopeful Shaw Miller just wants to be someone else. After spending over a decade dealing with the media, his own anger, and the fallout from his brother's rampage, Shaw is trying to start a new life, opening up an extreme gym and using a new name. So when Taryn wants to interview him, he refuses. But Taryn won't take no for an answer. If they can't talk it out, they'll sweat it out, and she'll wear him down to get the research she needs. But when late night sessions turn steamy, their guards start to fall. Taryn gets the information she thought she wanted, but along with it, finds something completely unexpected—the Shaw she used to know, the one she used to love.

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# The Lady He Lost

Faye Delacour



When Lieutenant Eli Williams reappears after being lost at sea two long years ago, his first move is to redeem himself with Miss Jane Bishop. But her only interest is in making her own way in the world. Luckily for Eli, he can help.

- **Charming Regency world:** Full of wit and strong, willful characters that readers of Evie Dunmore, India Holton, and Julia Quinn's *Bridgerton* romances will adore.
- **Great hook:** Delacour writes a modern kind of Regency hero—a gentleman supportive of the wants and desires a lady has for her own life. The romance is centered on Lieutenant William's support of Miss Bishop's business venture, the gambling club.

Lieutenant Eli Williams was supposed to be dead. In the two years since his shipwreck, his friends and family mourned him, his brother spent his savings, and his fiancée married someone else. So, when he turns up in the middle of the London social season, he quickly becomes the talk of the town. All Eli wants is to set his life back in order and reconnect with Jane Bishop, a friend who has always meant so much more to him, before returning to sea.

Jane refuses to waste any more of her life pining over Eli, who chose her cousin instead of her. She needs to focus on gaining her financial independence by establishing a ladies' gambling club. Never mind that Eli keeps trying to atone for his past mistake by bringing in new members. He's obviously keeping secrets about his disappearance, which means that she can't trust him with her heart even if she did kiss him in a moment of weakness. Or three.

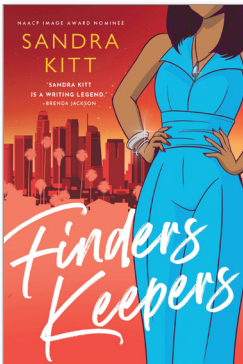
As Eli works to regain her trust, Jane's defensive walls begin to crumble. But when Eli faces a court of inquiry on suspicion of desertion, Jane must decide if she can let go of the past to build a future with Eli, or risk losing him for good.

FAYE DELACOUR writes modern, steamy, historical romance. She works as a lawyer and lives with her partner and three children in Montreal.

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# Finders Keepers

Sandra Kitt



The Millionaires Club, Book 3

Award-winning author Sandra Kitt pens an alluring and poignant representative romance that has us all wondering... What would you do if you suddenly inherited a life-changing amount of money?

- **Beloved and bestselling author:** With over 2.4 million copies sold, Sandra Kitt is a household name in the romance community. Her books have been included on both the *Essence* and *Blackboard* bestseller lists. The category's top authors want to promote Sandra's new series.
- **Pioneer of diverse romance:** Sandra is considered the foremost African American writer of romance fiction, and was the first Black writer to ever publish with Harlequin.
- **Multiple award winner:** Sandra is the recipient of the Zora Neale Hurston Literary Award and the Romantic Times Lifetime Achievement Award. Her work has been nominated for the NAACP Image Award.

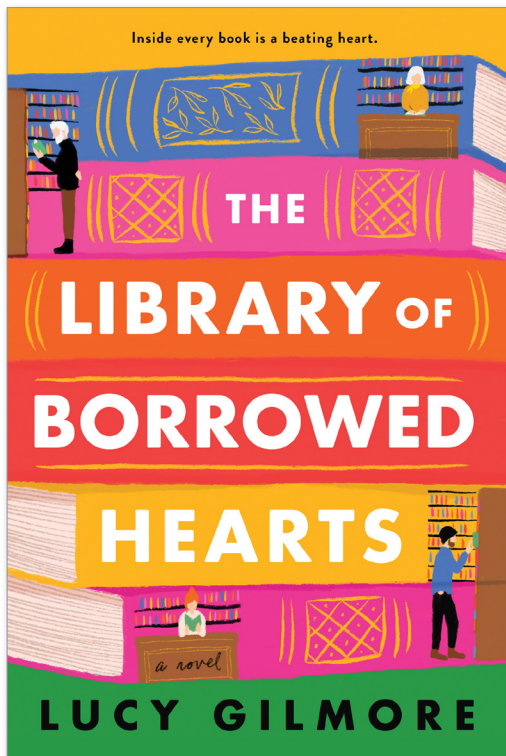
As a charter school director, Olivia Cameron is no stranger to everyday unexpected surprises. But when she finds money (and lots of it) hidden behind false walls in the home she inherited, an extremely unusual problem falls into her lap. Now, she's under the watchful eye of local FBI agent Sloan Kendrick as he investigates where the money came from. But with Sloan in her life, Olivia stumbles upon something even rarer than accidentally discovering millions of 1929 dollars: she finds true love.

SANDRA KITT is the author of more than forty novels, including the acclaimed and bestselling *The Color of Love*. It has been optioned by both HBO and Lifetime from a script by Sandra. Her work has been nominated for the NAACP Image Award and has appeared on the *Essence* and *Blackboard* bestseller lists. She is the recipient of the Romantic Times Lifetime Achievement Award and the Zora Neale Hurston Literary Award. She lives in New York.

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# The Library of Borrowed Hearts

Lucy Gilmore



A.J. Fikry meets *The Bookish Life of Nina Hill* in this charming, hilarious, and moving novel about the way books bring lonely souls together

- **Fantastic hook:** *The Readers of Broken Wheel Recommend* meets *The Bookish Life of Nina Hill* in this dual-timeline uplift about a secret romance that took place over traded notes hidden in library books and the modern-day librarian who pieces the decades-old love story together
- **Perfect bibliophile uplift:** Uplifting, sweet, and romantic books about books continue to appeal to a wide commercial audience
- **Fresh new voice:** Warm, funny writing and strong characters make this an unforgettable read with a fresh millennial voice

Librarian Chloe Sampson has been struggling to take care of her three younger siblings, to find herself, to make ends meet. She's just about at the end of her rope when she stumbles across a rare edition of a book from the 1960s at the local flea market. Deciding it's a sign of her luck turning, she takes it home with her—only to be shocked when her cranky hermit of a neighbor swoops in and offers to buy it for an exorbitant price. Intrigued, Chloe takes a closer look at the book only to find notes scribbled in the margins between two young lovers back when the book was new...one of whom is almost definitely Jasper Holmes, the curmudgeon next door.

And when she begins following the clues left behind, she discovers this isn't the only old book in town filled with their romantic marginalia. This kickstarts a literary scavenger hunt that Chloe is determined to see through to the end. What happened to the two tragic lovers who corresponded in the margins of so many different library books? And what does it have to do with the old, sad man next door—who only now has begun to open his home to Chloe and her siblings? In a romantic tale that spans the decades, Chloe discovers that there's much more to her neighbor than meets the eye. And in allowing herself to accept the unexpected friendship he offers, she learns that some love stories begin in the unlikeliest of places.



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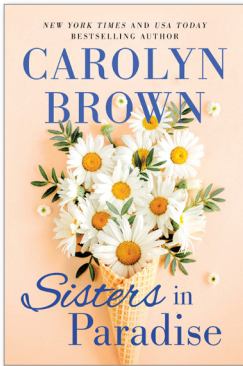
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LUCY GILMORE is a celebrated novelist in a wide range of genres, including uplift fiction, contemporary romance, and cozy mystery. She lives in Spokane, Washington with her family and far more pets than any of them need. Visit her online at [www.LucyGilmore.com](http://www.LucyGilmore.com).

## Sisters in Paradise

Carolyn Brown



Sisters in Paradise, Book 2

From *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling Southern romance author Carolyn Brown, two sisters discover that sometimes the only way to find true happiness is to return to the place where it all began.

- **Bestselling author:** Carolyn Brown is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author who has sold over 1.5 million copies P+E with Sourcebooks.
- **Extraordinary voice:** Carolyn Brown's incredible voice and her strong women characters appeal to a wide variety of fans.

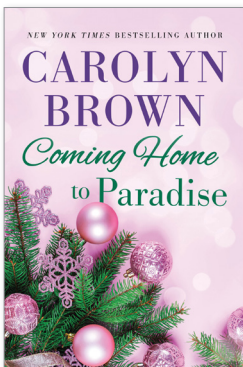
Ophelia Simmons is back home at the Paradise, the former brothel where her romance author mother raised seven daughters, contemplating her next career move and dodging Great Aunt Bernie's matchmaking attempts. She is about to meet her match in Jake Brennan, the ruggedly handsome owner of a local winery where Aunt Bernie convinces her to take a job for the summer. At first Ophelia and Jake's personalities clash, but soon enough sparks start flying.

Meanwhile, older sister Tertia Simmons also returns home to look for a new job. Tertia never thought she'd work for, let alone fall for, Noah Sullivan—the boy who once taunted her when they were kids. But when he offers her the job of her dreams in his new café, Tertia finds herself torn between her head and her heart.

*New York Times* and *USA Today* Bestselling author CAROLYN BROWN has published more than seventy books. These days she is concentrating on her two loves: women's fiction and contemporary romance. She and her husband, a retired English teacher, make their home in southern Oklahoma.

## Coming Home to Paradise

Carolyn Brown



Sisters in Paradise, Book 3

*New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling Southern romance author Carolyn Brown concludes her *Sisters in Paradise* series with the last three sisters all returning to the Paradise to find a little Christmas romance waiting for them.

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Christmas has always been a special time of year in Spanish Fort, Texas, but this year love and magic fill the air like fairy dust. Endora Simmons is in love with Parker Martin, preacher of the town's only church and as Endora plans her wedding, she's delighted to have all six of her sisters living nearby. The last two sisters, Rae and Bo, have come home and Endora figures if she keeps them busy they won't have time to think about leaving again. What with the wedding and the excitement of the holidays, Endora can use all the help she can get.

CAROLYN BROWN is a *New York Times*, *USA Today*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Publishers Weekly*, and #1 Amazon and *Washington Post* bestselling author. She is the author of more than one hundred novels. She's a recipient of the Bookseller's Best Award, the prestigious Montlake Diamond Award, and also a three-time recipient of the National Reader's Choice Award. Brown has been published for more than twenty-five years, and her books have been translated into twenty-one languages. She lives in Oklahoma.

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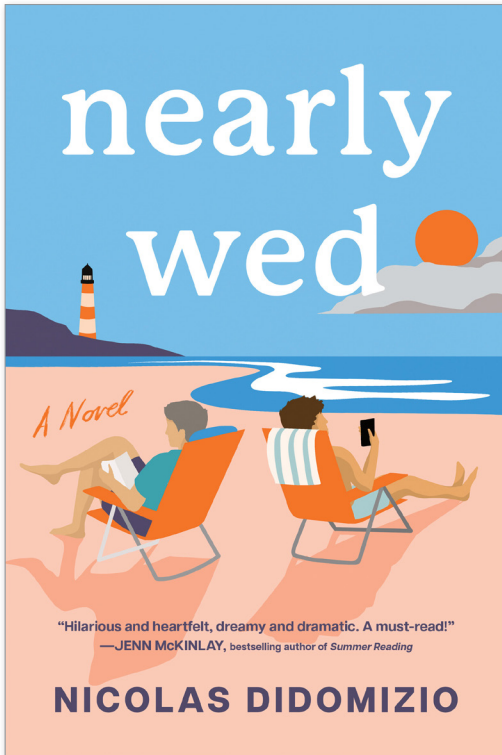
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# Nearlywed

Nicolas DiDomizio



An engaged gay couple's compatibility is put to the test during their ill-fated early honeymoon in this smart, dazzling, and provocative summer comedy

- **Book club ready:** A breezy read full of deftly handled, complicated topics told in a tongue-in-cheek way, ranging from intergenerational relationships to building queer community, from a queer author
- **Fresh millennial voice:** Fantastic, engaging writing sure to appeal to readers of *Happy Place*
- **Cross-over audience:** Readers of both quirky rom-coms and humorous uplift will love this highly escapist read with tons of poignant emotion

Ray Bruno and his fiancé Kip Hayes are horrible on paper. Ray is a chaotic millennial writer who's been oversharing his every thought on the internet since he was a teenager. Kip is a pragmatic Gen X medical doctor who values stability and privacy in his personal life above all else. But somehow it works. The pair has been madly in love ever since they were brought together six years ago in a meet-cute straight out of a romantic comedy.

This summer, Ray convinces Kip to join him for an early honeymoon at a famous luxe resort in Ray's coastal New England hometown, eschewing the tradition of bachelor parties and hoping to recharge before their end-of-August wedding. But when a surprising encounter with another couple at the resort leads to a series of mishaps and miscommunications, Ray and Kip are forced to look at their many differences in a stark new light—thereby turning the trip into less of a vacation and more of a test: will they be able to work through their issues in time for the big day? Or is this marriage over before it begins?



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NICOLAS DIDOMIZIO holds a bachelor's degree from Western Connecticut State University and a master's degree from NYU. His debut novel, *Burn It All Down*, was published in 2021 and praised as "unforgettable" by Steven Rowley. He lives in upstate New York with his partner Graig and their shmooshy bulldog Rocco.

## Beautiful Villain

Rebecca Kenney



Gilded Monsters, Book 1

**Neon Gods meets *The Great Gatsby* in this spicy modern retelling with a magical twist.**

- **Hot subgenre:** High-heat retellings are very much in the zeitgeist and these fractured literary fairy tales play with familiar stories in a unique and compelling way.
- **Phenomenal hook:** Perfect for fans of Katee Robert and Emily McIntire, with enough heat to set #SpicyTok aflame.

Daisy Finnegan is looking forward to a summer of fun on Glassy Mountain, North Carolina. She doesn't want to think about college, or the newly awakened power of her own voice, which has a way of making people do increasingly frightening things. But when her cousin goes missing at an exclusive house party, Daisy confronts the mysterious host... only to discover the wealthy recluse is Jay Gatsby, her childhood sweetheart. Shocked at the change in the boy she once knew so well, Daisy investigates the source of Gatsby's new riches and becomes entangled in a web of dizzying wealth and lies and obsession darker than she ever could have dreamed—culminating in an act of violence that shatters the summer haze and threatens to drown them all.

But it isn't until Gatsby is shot through the heart—and survives—that Daisy discovers the full truth. Gatsby clawed his way up in the world by selling the secret of immortality to the highest bidder, using his lavish parties as the ultimate cover. But Gatsby's intricately-laid plans are in danger...and so, by extension, is he. With her friends' lives at stake, her own untested power still volatile, and an unimaginable threat closing in, Daisy will have to face an impossible choice: side with the man who claimed her heart...or with the monsters who would see him lost to her forever.

REBECCA KENNEY writes contemporary fantasy, paranormal romance, and spicy fantasy romance. She lives in upstate South Carolina with her handsome, blue-eyed husband and two smart, energetic kids.

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## Charming Devil

Rebecca Kenney



Gilded Monsters, Book 2

**Neon Gods meets *The Picture of Dorian Gray* in this spicy modern retelling with a magical twist.**

- **Hot subgenre:** High-heat retellings are very much in the zeitgeist and these fractured literary fairy tales play with familiar stories in a unique and compelling way.
- **Phenomenal hook:** Perfect for fans of Katee Robert and Emily McIntire, with enough heat to set #SpicyTok aflame.

An addictive and truly original spicy New Adult retelling of *The Picture of Dorian Gray* with a magical twist, perfect for fans of Katee Robert.

The painting that has kept Dorian Gray flawless for over a century is beginning to fall apart, saturated and rotted by his life of reckless decadence. Desperate, he seeks out the only person who might be able to save him: Baz Allard. She's a talented young painter who just inherited her aunt's house and studio in Charleston—and she happens to be a direct descendant of Basil Hallward, Dorian's first love, and the man who created the magical portrait. Baz has the same gift as her ancestor, but for deeply personal reasons, she has vowed never to paint anyone's likeness, and she refuses Dorian's commission.

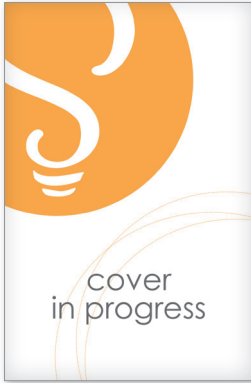
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## What She's Having

Laura Moher



Big Love from Galway, Book 2

**Sexy Southern second-chance romance with a force-of-nature plus size heroine who carries the world on her shoulders and the hero who comes back to help her—but first, he'll have to win her back.**

- **A new voice in plus size romance:** Perfect for readers of Olivia Dade, Talia Hibbert, Julie Murphy, and Kate Stayman-London.
- **Features witty writing and Southern small-town charm:** Fans of Lucy Score's *Things We Never Got Over* will love this blend of funny, sassy, and Southern sweet

July Tate is a force to be reckoned with—a big, strong, blond with a heart the size of her whole town—but beneath her capable exterior lie the scars of a devastating lost love. To July, love equals vulnerability, and she can't afford either.

Joe Anderson knew from the first moment he saw her that July was The One. Now, after years apart, he's back, driven by the need to explain his disappearance. In search of the girl who filled his teenage dreams, he finds instead a powerhouse woman who steals his heart and soul.

LAURA MOHER loves tiny houses, underdogs, and reading. Her head is full of stories of flawed people who come together to make each other—and their world—a better place. Much of her life has been divided between Colorado, the Louisville, Kentucky area, Illinois, and the western Carolinas, but she's now happily settled in Minnesota.

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## Fangs So Bright & Deadly

Piper J. Drake



Big Love from Galway, Book 2

**Contemporary fantasy effortlessly blending modern magic with Southeast Asian mythology for fans of Jennifer Armentrout and Ilona Andrews**

- **Bestselling author:** Piper J. Drake is an NPJ bestseller with more than 45,000 copies sold
- **Trending subgenre that readers love:** Trade paper fantasy romance is on the rise, with reissues of sexy New Adult fantasy (such as Sarah J. Maas) hitting outside the Young Adult shelf

Marie Xiao lives a double life, moonlighting as a freelance consultant in corporate Seattle even as she dedicates herself—and her powers as a witch—to chasing down objects of myth and magic before they can be used to harm humankind. She carefully guards the bridges between worlds and has never once been tempted to stray.

Until she catches the eye of a pair-bonded kitsune and kumihō.

Japanese and Korean fox spirits Yamamoto Kuro and Joseph Choe have been hoping to cross paths with Marie since their first chance meeting at an artifact retrieval gone decidedly wrong. They may work for Marie's enemy, but they don't see any reason why they can't mingle a little work and play...especially when a (literal) dead man waltzes into their impromptu reunion, raising intriguing questions about a deeper magic that may be afoot. Temporarily teaming up, the trio investigate the unusual unrest...but as loyalties begin to shift and lines blur, Kuro, Joe, and Marie may find themselves at the precipice of something none of them are prepared to face...or deny.

PIPER J. DRAKE is a bestselling author of romantic suspense, paranormal romance, science fiction, and fantasy. She lives in the Pacific Northwest with her husband and small corgi.

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Romance	TP
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Heart of the Wilderness, Book 1

## The Christmas You Found Me

Sarah Morgenthaler

A heart-mending contemporary romance with a single dad you'll fall for; a satisfying slow burn love affair; found family you'll root for; small town holiday magic; and all the quirky animals and snowy rustic scenes your heart desires.

- Award-winning author Sarah Morgenthaler is back with a holiday romance full of hope and inspiration that will resonate with readers not only for those qualities, but for Sarah's signature humor and diverse cast of characters.
- Sarah Morgenthaler's *Moose Springs, Alaska* series has sold 127,646 copies to date (32,297 P + 95,349 E).

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Romance	TP
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SARAH MORGENTHALER is a romance writer, geologist, chocolate chip cookie lover—and bestselling author of the *Moose Springs, Alaska* series. She is currently out writing something, hiking something, or climbing something. Find out more at [sarahmorgenthaler.com](http://sarahmorgenthaler.com)



## A Christmas Eve Love Story

Ginny Baird

In this *Groundhog Day* meets *Miracle on 34th Street* holiday romance, Annie Jones must repeat Christmas Eve until she finally gets it right, discovering family-through-community and love along the way.

- Bestselling author: Ginny Baird is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author with a strong platform and good social media engagement.
- Christmas is evergreen: Perfect for fans of Josie Silver, Emily Stone, and Jenny Bayliss.

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*New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author GINNY BAIRD writes wholesome contemporary stories with a little bit of humor and a whole lot of heart. She's fond of including family dynamics in her work and creating lovable and memorable characters in worlds where romance is a given and happily-ever-afters are guaranteed. Ginny lives in North Carolina.



## A Snowy Mountain Christmas

Sharon Sala

*New York Times* bestselling author Sharon Sala brings her signature style to the classic Cinderella story in this heartwarming holiday romance.

- Award winning and bestselling author: Sharon Sala is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author with more than two million copies sold; she is the winner of the Nora Roberts Lifetime Achievement Award
- Big BIGGER: Sharon's first Christmas romance *The Christmas Wish* (2021) sold 28,911 P+E as part of her bestselling *Blessings, Georgia* series. This TP romance will break Sharon out to a larger audience.

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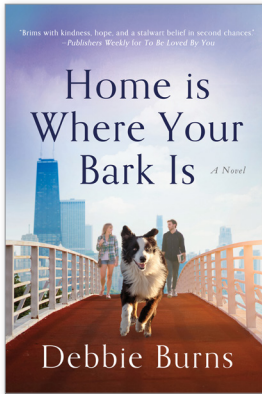
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## Home is Where Your Bark Is

A Novel

Debbie Burns



A heartwarming, standalone, contemporary romance from award-winning author Debbie Burns.

- Award-winning author: Debbie Burns has won numerous awards including the Golden Rose Writing Contest, the Lone Star Writing Competition, and her debut was a *Booklist* Top 10 Romance Debut.
- Strong sales: Over 98,000 copies of her contemporary romances have been sold.

Jenna Dunning is on her way to return her sister's high-energy border collie to a shelter after another failed attempt at a forever home for him when she gets in a car crash. Jenna's being taken to the hospital and must rely on a caring stranger to take charge of the terrified canine. Jake Stiles has no idea what he's signing up for when he dashes into the rain to help a stranger and her dog. When Jake and Jenna reconnect, Jenna's delighted to learn Jake will be fostering the dog, who they name Seven because this is his 7th try at being adopted. Jake realizes Jenna may be the key to making Seven's fostering successful, and he has to admit that he's falling in love.

DEBBIE BURNS is an award-winning author who has garnered a *Booklist* Top 10 Romance Debut Award and a Starred Review from *Publishers Weekly*. She lives in St. Louis, Missouri, with her family, two phenomenal rescue dogs, and a somewhat tetchy Maine coon cat.

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Romance	TP
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## Imperfectly Perfect

A Novel

Tracy Goodwin



USA Today bestselling author Tracy Goodwin entertains with a charming fake dating romance between ex-lovers.

- Bestselling author: Tracy Goodwin is the *USA Today* bestselling author of the sexy *New York Nighthawks* contemporary romance series.
- New York City-set romances have an audience: with comps like Kate Spencer's *In a New York Minute* and Melissa Hill's *Something from Tiffany's*.

After wedding planner Cassandra Benedict gets stood up at her own wedding in front of New York's elite, her celebrity ex-boyfriend proposes a fake relationship to benefit them both. Billionaire bad boy Andrew Steele definitely has the game to pull it off—but is he savvy enough not to fall in love?

TRACY GOODWIN is a mom, wife, and *USA Today* bestselling author of sexy contemporary romances. In addition, she pens sweeping historical romances and vivid urban fantasies. Though the genres may be different, each story delivers her unique blend of passion, excitement, poignant emotion, humor, and unforgettable characters that steal readers' hearts.

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Romance	TP
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London Calling, Book 1

## Boyfriend Material

Alexis Hall

**In this hilarious LGBTQIA+ romcom, a famous young man whose reputations needs damage control soon finds his fake relationship turning to real romance**

When tangentially—and reluctantly—famous Luc O'Donnell is forced back into the spotlight in the worst possible way, he has to think fast if he wants to save his floundering reputation. Enter Oliver Blackwood. Stunningly handsome and effortlessly put together, Oliver is successful, an ethical vegetarian, and has never appeared in a scandal may even once. In other words, he's perfect boyfriend material and exactly what Luc needs to appear respectable again. But when their fake relationship starts to feel like real romance, Luc and Oliver might have to consider whether they're willing to fight for the truth of their new relationship...scandal, and consequences, be damned.

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London Calling, Book 2

## Husband Material

Alexis Hall

**Wanted: One (very real) husband, nowhere near perfect but desperately trying his best**

In *Boyfriend Material*, Luc and Oliver met, pretended to fall in love, fell in love for real, dealt with heartbreak and disappointment and family and friends...and somehow figured out a way to make it work. Now it seems like everyone around them is getting married, and Luc's feeling the social pressure to propose. But it'll take more than four weddings, a funeral, and a bowl full of special curry to get these two from "I don't know what I'm doing" to "I do". Good thing Oliver is such perfect husband material.

### AUGUST 22

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Material World, Book 1

## 10 Things That Never Happened

Alexis Hall

**From Alexis Hall's breakout *Boyfriend Material* expanded universe comes a hilarious LGBTQIA+ romcom about identity, mistaken first impressions, and a serious case of (faux) amnesia.**

Sam Becker is the manager of the Leeds location of a bed and bath retailer. It's a pretty great job, all told; management suits him, and his staff adore him, not least because he places a high value on making the store a humane place to work. Too bad, then, that the owner is a thoroughly intimidating git. Jonathan Forest should never have hired Sam Becker in the first place. It was a sentimental decision—he saw something in the sunny young Northerner—and Jonathan did not get to where he is by following his heart. Trying to fix the situation, Jonathan orders Sam down to the Croydon branch for a difficult talk...only for Sam (panicked at the idea of a confrontation with the surly owner) to bump his head and, well, pretend he doesn't remember anything?

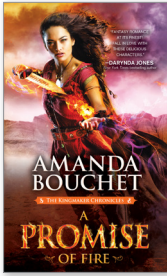
Faking amnesia seemed like a good idea in the heat of the moment, but now Sam has to deal with the very real reality of Jonathan's guilt—and the unexpected new sides of the surly man he never thought he'd see. There's an unexpected freedom in getting a second shot at a first impression...but as Sam and Jonathan grow closer, can Sam really bring himself to tell the truth, or will their future be built entirely on one impulsive lie?

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Romance TP  
Sourcebooks Casablanca 400 Pages  
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The Kingmaker Chronicles, Book 1

## A Promise of Fire

Amanda Bouchet

**The perfect page-turning romance debut for fans of *Game of Thrones***

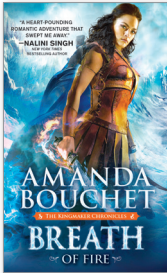
Catalia “Cat” Fisa is a powerful clairvoyant known as the Kingmaker. This smart-mouthed soothsayer has no interest in her powers and would much rather fly under the radar, far from the clutches of her homicidal mother. But when an ambitious warlord captures her, she may not have a choice...

Griffin is intent on bringing peace to his newly conquered realm in the magic-deprived south. When he discovers Cat is the Kingmaker, he abducts her. But Cat will do everything in her power to avoid her dangerous destiny and she battles her captor at every turn. Although up for the fight, Griffin would prefer for Cat to help his people willingly, and he’s ready to do whatever it takes to coax her...even if that means falling in love with her.

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The Kingmaker Chronicles, Book 2

## A Breath of Fire

Amanda Bouchet

**The much-anticipated sequel to the “action-packed, emotionally charged, and skillfully plotted” (*Kirkus Reviews*) debut, *A Promise of Fire*!**

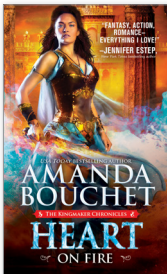
When Catalia “Cat” Fisa’s carefully guarded identity is revealed, hearts unravel and lives turn violently upside down. Griffin is stunned, and their passionate vow to live together or die trying is put to a new kind of test as they fight to reunite the three realms.

With Cat’s past surfacing in unexpected ways and neighboring royals out for blood, Cat and Griffin must strike soon if there’s any hope of achieving their goal without full-scale war. When they’re forced to enter a deadly competition, Cat and Griffin will emerge side-by-side in the heart of their future kingdom...or not at all.

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The Kingmaker Chronicles, Book 3

## Heart on Fire

Amanda Bouchet

**The highly anticipated conclusion to the epic and exciting *Kingmaker Chronicles* series**

The destiny Catalia “Cat” Fisa has spent her entire life running from has finally caught up to her. But in order to truly accept her fate and become Queen of Thalyria, Cat and her dedicated husband Griffin Sinta will have to go to war with the severely oppressed Fisa—and it’s violent alpha...Cat’s homicidal mother.

But when Cat’s magic refuses to work like it should, she has to unleash the power she’s been afraid of. And when her misuse of the God’s gifts lands her in Tartarus, a land reserved for eternal punishment, Cat will have to accept herself—past, present, and future—if she wants any chance of making it out alive.

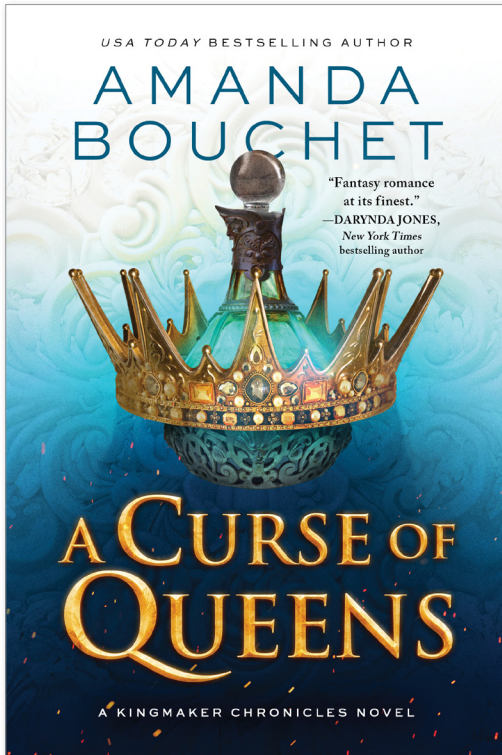
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# A Curse of Queens

Amanda Bouchet



The Kingmaker Chronicles, Book 4

The perfect Greek-inspired, page-turning romantic fantasy for fans of Jennifer L. Armentrout and Sarah J. Maas

- **Epic continuation of beloved series:** *A Curse of Queens* marks the author's much-anticipated return to fantasy with a direct sequel to her bestselling series
- **Bestselling author:** The Kingmaker Chronicles hit the *USA Today* list, received ten starred reviews, and made it onto multiple best books of the year lists
- **Series information:** This is a brand-new sequel to the bestselling Kingmaker Chronicles

## THE WAR OF GODS IS JUST BEGINNING

After centuries of conflict, the three kingdoms of Thalyria have finally been reunited. But now the queen has been cursed, the royal lineage has been broken, and no one knows who's behind the plot to threaten the once-fractured realm's fragile new peace.

Desperate to help, Jocasta—the king's younger sister and a gifted healer—hatches a daring plan to find Circe's Garden, a fabled island where she hopes to discover an antidote. But she can't do it alone. She needs the strong arm and unflinching bravery of the warrior she's loved since childhood—her brother's right-hand-man and captain of the guard, Flynn of Sinta.

Flynn has spent years fighting to deny the desperate longing burning between them, but he cannot allow Jocasta to face this danger alone. He swears he will be her shield, and together they will do the impossible. Yet with old feelings blazing bright and treachery brewing on Mount Olympus, one thing is clear: Thalyria and its new royals are still pawns in an epic game of power—one that might end in a War of Gods.

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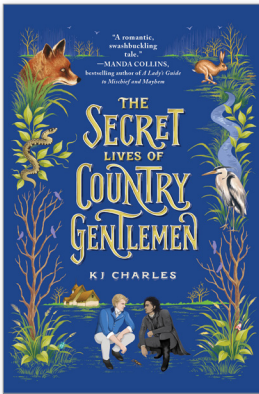
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## The Secret Lives of Country Gentlemen

KJ Charles



The Doomsday Books, Book 1

**Bridgerton meets Poldark in this sweeping LGBTQIA+ Regency romance from award-winning author KJ Charles**

- **Inclusive historical romance:** Authors like KJ Charles, Courtney Milan, Cat Sebastian and Olivia Waite have been making waves with their LGBTQIA+ historical romances. This will reach a growing audience of readers hungry for inclusive fiction
- **Award-winning author:** KJ Charles is an award-winning, well-known author with a strong digital fanbase poised to break into print

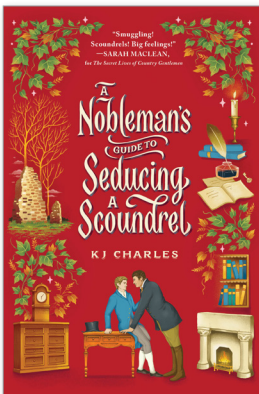
Abandoned by his father as a small child, Sir Gareth Inglis has grown up prickly, cold, and well-used to disappointment. Even so, he longs for a connection, falling headfirst into a passionate anonymous affair that's over almost as quickly as it began. Bitter at the sudden rejection, Gareth has little time to lick his wounds: his father has died, leaving him the family title, a rambling manor on the remote Romney Marsh...and the den of cutthroats and thieves that make its intricate waterways their home.

KJ CHARLES spent twenty years as an editor in British publishing before fleeing the scene to become a full-time historical romance novelist. She has written over twenty-five novels since then and her books have been translated into eight languages. She lives in London.

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## The Nobleman's Guide to Seducing a Scoundrel

KJ Charles



The Doomsday Books, Book 2

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When Major Rufus d'Aumesty unexpectedly becomes the Earl of Oxney, he finds himself living in a remote Norman manor on the edge of Romney Marsh with his noble, hostile, and decidedly odd family. His position is contested both by his greedy uncle and by unexpected claimant Luke Doomsday, a dashing member of the local smuggling clan. They should be natural enemies, but cocksure, enragingly competent Luke is a secretary by trade, and quickly becomes an unexpected ally, the partner Rufus needs...and soon the lover he can't live without.

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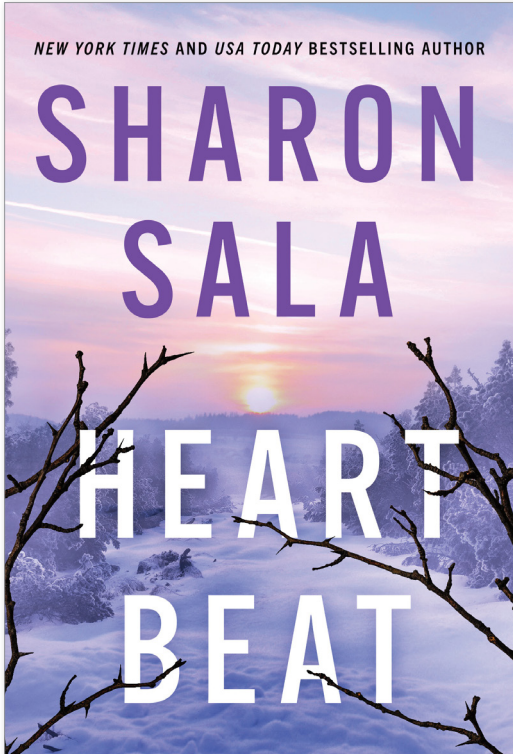
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# Heartbeat

Sharon Sala



A riveting and pulse-pounding new romantic suspense from bestselling author Sharon Sala. When an exploding helicopter brings a new danger to Jubilee, Sean and Amalie will risk everything not to lose the love they have rediscovered

- **Bestselling romantic suspense:** Sharon Sala's *Jigsaw Files* series with Harlequin has sold over 84,000 copies
- **Award winning and bestselling author:** Sharon Sala is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author with more than two million copies sold; she is the winner of the Nora Roberts Lifetime Achievement Award
- **Series information:** This is the third in series; not necessary to read in order
- **Author location:** Sala lives in Norman, Oklahoma, and the story is set in the fictional town of Jubilee, Kentucky, in the Cumberland Mountains.

One serious accident two years ago left Amalie Lincoln with scars deeper than the ones on her skin. Now, in need of a fresh start, she moves to Jubilee, Kentucky, to set up her own office as a CPA with the help of IT technician Sean Pope. Sean and Amalie haven't seen each other since they were children, but their connection is magnetic, even when they don't recognize each other at first. But when a series of exploding helicopters crashes into the mountain town and threatens the livelihood of its residents and the children at a local school, Sean knows there's something more sinister being orchestrated—something he'll have to stop, or else risk losing the love he and Amalie have rediscovered.

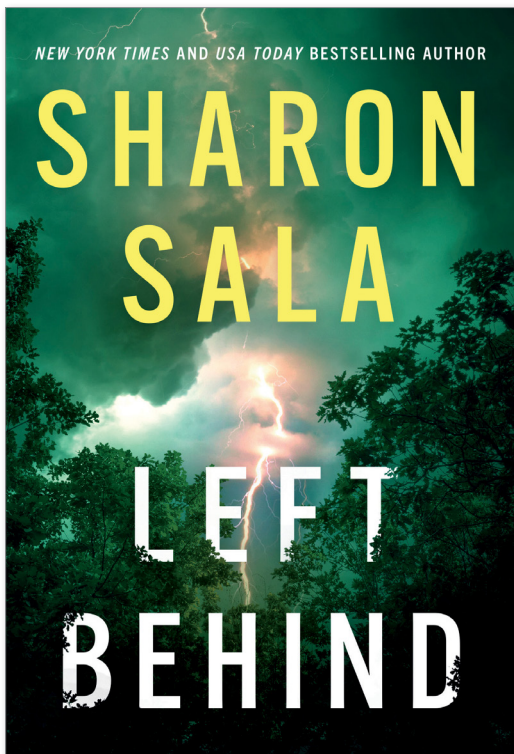
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Sourcebooks Casablanca	480 Pages
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# Left Behind

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- **Bestselling romantic suspense:** Sharon Sala's *Jigsaw Files* series with Harlequin has sold over 89,000 copies.
- **Strong series start:** *Don't Back Down* (3/7/23), the first of Sharon's romantic suspense titles from Sourcebooks, has sold 13,088 p + 9,915 e = 23,003. Second in the series *Last Rites* has sold 6,385 on Bookscan since its release 7/11/23, less than 4 weeks.
- **Award winning and bestselling author:** Sharon Sala is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author with more than two million copies sold; she is the winner of the Nora Roberts Lifetime Achievement Award

Officer Wiley Pope got off on the wrong foot with Linette Elgin, but after he takes a bullet for her in a bank robbery, she gives him a second chance. He's sidelined for a few days, recovering, and their relationship begins anew.

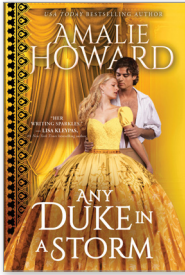
Back with the Jubilee PD, Wiley is working on a murder investigation from Bowling Green, KY, that connects back to Pope Mountain when a woman comes to the police station, looking to scam Wiley's father by filing abandonment charges for their seven-year-old daughter, Ava. When the woman signs over her parental rights, Wiley agrees to take Ava in, and the little sister Wiley never knew he had quickly finds a way into his heart.

As Wiley gets wrapped up in the murder investigation, Linette and Wiley's relationship slows down to accommodate Ava. But little by little, Linette and Wiley's relationship grows stronger as they slowly earn the young girl's trust. Together, they discover the true meaning of love and family.

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Romance	MP
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Daring Dukes, Book 4

## Any Duke in a Storm

Amalie Howard

The only thing more dangerous than her mission is the duke himself...

- **Bestselling author:** Amalie is a *USA Today* bestselling author whose historical romances have sold more than 154k copies
- **Strong series sales:** All of her Sourcebooks titles have hit the *BooksScan* Top 50 Bestselling Romance list—*The Princess Stakes* #44 in its second week; *Rules for Heiresses* #36 in its first week; *The Duke in Question* #44 in its second week

### JANUARY 24

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Romance	MP
Sourcebooks Casablanca	416 Pages
WORLD	

AMALIE HOWARD is a *USA Today* and *Publishers Weekly* bestselling author of Regency and historical romance, and an award-winning YA author. She lives with her husband and three children in Colorado.



Texas Rodeo, Book 2

## Tangled in Texas

Kari Lynn Dell

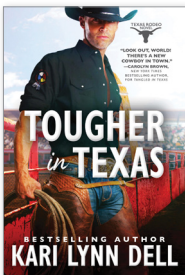
An exciting re-issue of the second book in bestselling author Kari Lynn Dell's thrilling *Texas Rodeo* series

- **Beloved author:** Kari Lynn Dell is a beloved, successful voice in the western romance space; her *Texas Rodeo* series has sold more than 159,000 copies
- **Effortless representation:** The author's lived experience brings the lives of Blackfoot Nation heroes and heroines to the forefront

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KARI LYNN DELL was a third-generation ranch-raised cowgirl, horse trainer, and Canadian Senior Pro Rodeo Association Breakaway Roping champion. The third book in her *Texas Rodeo* series, *Tougher in Texas*, was a finalist for a Romance Writers of America's RITA award in 2018.



Texas Rodeo, Book 3

## Tougher in Texas

Kari Lynn Dell

An exciting re-issue of the third book in bestselling author Kari Lynn Dell's thrilling *Texas Rodeo* series.

- **Beloved author:** Kari Lynn Dell is a beloved, successful voice in the western romance space; her *Texas Rodeo* series has sold more than 159,000 copies
- **Effortless representation:** The author's lived experience brings the lives of Blackfoot Nation heroes and heroines to the forefront

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KARI LYNN DELL was a third-generation ranch-raised cowgirl, horse trainer, and Canadian Senior Pro Rodeo Association Breakaway Roping champion. The third book in her *Texas Rodeo* series, *Tougher in Texas*, was a finalist for a Romance Writers of America's RITA award in 2018.

## A Good Wolf Is Hard to Find

Terry Spear



Run with the Wolf, Book 2

**USA Today bestselling author Terry Spear thrills with sexy wolf shifter romance full of intrigue and steamy chemistry.**

- **Strong sales:** Terry is a reliable seller with over 888,000 P+E of her paranormal romances sold.
- **Author accolades:** Terry Spear is a *USA Today* bestselling author, consistent Bookscan Top 50 bestseller, and a PW Best Book of the Year winner.
- **Series info:** Second in the Run with the Wolf Series, not necessary to read in order.
- **Story tropes and romance heat level:** finding love when you least expect it, good wins over evil; R—mainstream heat level

Fish and Wildlife Service agent Dylan Powers is on a mission in Silver Town to catch four men hunting illegally and put them behind bars. With his heightened wolf senses, he's right on their trail, but the hunters know he's coming. Suddenly, Dylan finds himself in deep trouble, nearly drowned and left to die, until he's rescued by a beautiful she-wolf.

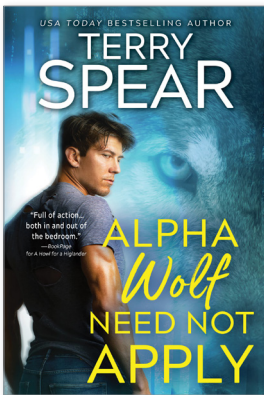
When local ski lodge owner Roxie Wolff first found Dylan, her curiosity got the better of her. Who was this handsome wolf and how did he end up in such dire straits? Things start to heat up between Roxie and Dylan as she takes him into her home to help him recover. But with the hunters still on the run, all of Silver Town is at risk, and Roxie and Dylan team up with the Silver Town sheriff's department to take them down before anyone else gets hurt.

USA Today bestselling author TERRY SPEAR has written over a hundred paranormal and medieval Highland romances. One of her bestselling titles, *Heart of the Wolf* was named a *Publishers Weekly* Best Book of the Year. She is an award-winning author with two Paranormal Excellence Awards for Romantic Literature. A retired officer of the U.S. Army Reserves, Terry also creates award-winning teddy bears that have found homes all over the world, helps out with her grandchildren, and enjoy her two Havanese dogs. She lives in Spring, Texas.

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## Alpha Wolf Need Not Apply

Terry Spear



Silver Town Wolf, Book 6

**A fresh reissue in the beloved Silver Town Wolf series from USA Today bestselling author Terry Spear.**

- **Powerhouse author:** Terry is a reliable seller with over 897,000 P+E of her paranormal romances sold. She is a *USA Today* bestselling author, consistent Bookscan Top 50 bestseller, and a PW Best Book of the Year winner.
- **Strong reissue program:** We've sold over 46,000 print units of Terry Spear's reissues.
- **Readers love this book:** The original edition of *Alpha Wolf Need Not Apply* (2016) sold 20,815 P+E (11,799 P + 9,016 E).
- **Series info:** Sixth in the Silver Town Wolf Series, not necessary to read in order.
- **Story tropes and romance heat level:** enemies to lovers romance; R—mainstream heat level

Law Enforcement Park Ranger and werewolf, Eric Silver is investigating suspicious wolves in the national park when he encounters a true rarity—an un-mated, she-wolf pack leader.

Forester Pepper Greystock keeps running into the hot wolf, Eric, but she's been burned by one too many alphas looking to mate her only to take over her hard-won pack. Plus Eric's on the lookout for criminals, and one of the two packs in Pepper's territory is engaged in illegal activities. It's a dangerous business, especially with Pepper and Eric's hearts at stake...

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Romance		MP
Sourcebooks Casablanca		384 Pages
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## Finally Found My Cowboy

A.J. Pine



The Murphys of Meadow Valley, Book 2

**Bestselling author A. J. Pine heads back to Meadow Valley with a brand-new contemporary cowboy series!**

- **Strong series start:**  *Holding Out for a Cowboy*, the first book in the  *Murphys of Meadow Valley* series, sold 11,406 P+E rtd; and outsold two of the three  *Meadow Valley* books with Hachette.
- **Bestselling author:** A.J. Pine is a  *USA Today* bestselling author. Her books on Goodreads have a 3.97 average with 7,338 ratings and 1,891 reviews. Her  *Meadow Valley* series has a 4.09 average rating.

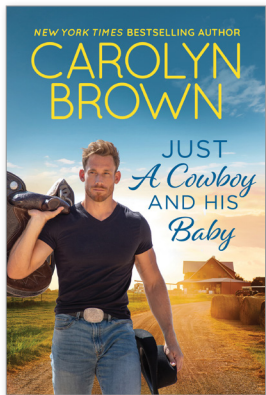
Dancer Beth Spence finally gets a shot at her dream—auditioning for the Radio City Music Hall Rockettes. But her audition concludes with a torn Achilles tendon and possibly the end of her dance career. When her sister, Delaney, flies her to Meadow Valley, California to recuperate, she is reluctant to go, but out of options. Beth has no idea that Delaney has set her up with a job managing widower Elii Murphy's veterinary clinic while staying in the guest house on his ranch. Beth and Eli's attraction is undeniable, but Beth has every intention of making a full recovery and heading back to New York. Eli has no intention of loving and losing again. Too bad their hearts have other plans.

A corporate trainer by day and USA Today bestselling author by night, A.J. PINE can't seem to escape the world of fiction, and she wouldn't have it any other way. When she finds that twenty-fifth hour in the day, she might indulge in a tiny bit of TV to nourish her undying love of K-Dramas, superheroes, and everything romance. She hails from the far-off galaxy of the Chicago suburbs.

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## Just a Cowboy and His Baby

Carolyn Brown



Spikes & Spurs, Book 6

**New York Times and USA Today bestselling author Carolyn Brown sends readers on a wild ride in this enemies to lovers romance between a rugged rodeo cowboy and his fierce competitor looking to be the first woman to take the crown.**

- **Bestselling author:** Carolyn Brown is a  *New York Times* and  *USA Today* bestselling author who has sold over 1.5 million copies P+E with Sourcebooks.
- **Strong reissue program:** We've sold over 69k print units of Carolyn Brown's reissued and retitled  *Spikes and Spurs* series.

Gemma O'Donnell is pissed that she wasn't the first woman to win the PRCA (Professional Rodeo Championship Association) buckle for bronc riding. But this year, she heads out on the PRCA ProRodeo Tour determined to win.

First stop is Cody, Wyoming where her stiffest competition is Trace Coleman, who already has a jump on her. A tall, dark-haired cowboy with a sexy grin and a swagger, he doesn't really give a damn about the trophy belt buckle—he wants the purse to buy a ranch he has his eye on. He damn sure doesn't have time for a sassy bit of Irish baggage who can evidently ride anything with four legs and make anything with two legs want to take her to bed.

Gemma wins a few; Trace wins a few. In the end they both qualify for the final cut in Las Vegas. But when it comes down to the wire, only one can win the bronc-riding competition and take home one helluva prize. But in this competition, it might just be loser takes all...

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Romance		MP
Sourcebooks Casablanca		408 Pages
WORLD		

New York Times and USA Today bestselling author CAROLYN BROWN has published more than seventy books. These days she is concentrating on her two loves: women's fiction and contemporary cowboy romance. She and her husband, a retired English teacher, make their home in southern Oklahoma.

# landmark



# The Girls We Sent Away

A Novel

Meagan Church



A charged novel set against the forgotten Baby Scoop Era of the 1960s following one southern girl and her fight against a system that's determined to take her child away from her

- Your next big book club pick: Set in the compelling 1960s, this is a read that traverses time. A mother's emotional dilemma about whether or not to give up her baby for the society that would shun her if she chooses to keep it will have readers discussing topics such as body autonomy, motherhood, science, and the choices women are able to make
- Exceptional early praise for Meagan's debut: *The Last Carolina Girl* has wonderful early reads from powerhouse authors like Kim Michele Richardson, Lo Patrick, Kimmery Martin, Leah Weiss, and more! Meagan is an author with a growing fanbase

North Carolina, 1960s. Lorraine has it all—the boyfriend, the good grades, the white picket fence, the ambition to become the first woman astronaut. But when she—the darling girl-next-door—becomes pregnant, she learns that love is conditional and ambition has its limits.

In an effort to hide their daughter's secret shame, her parents send her away to a maternity home—a common solution for "wayward" girls during that time period. Lorraine soon realizes that instead of being a safe haven, the home forces unwed mothers to relinquish parental rights and place their babies for adoption. Lorraine must decide if she has the agency and power to fight to keep her baby or if she must submit to the rules of the society she once admired.

After receiving a degree in English with a focus on creative writing from Indiana University, MEAGAN CHURCH built a career as a storyteller and freelance writer for brands, blogs, and organizations. Her fiction focuses on overlooked and oppressed women's voices from the past. A Midwesterner by birth, she now lives in North Carolina with her high school sweetheart, three children, and a plethora of pets.

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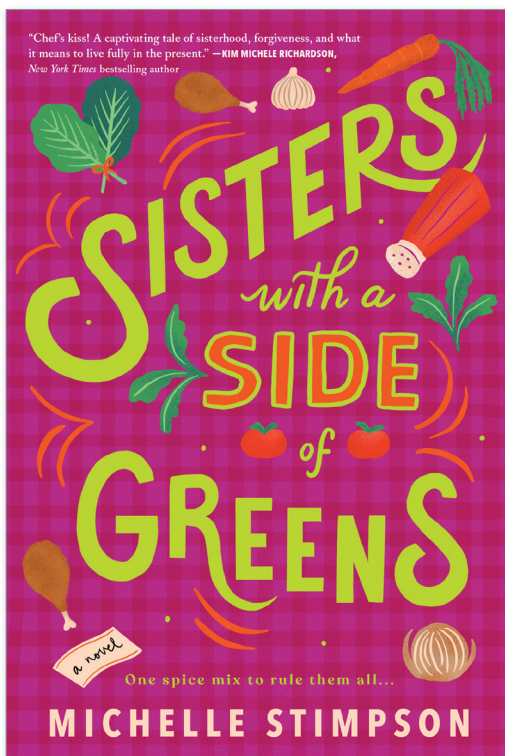
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352 Pages

# Sisters with a Side of Greens

Michelle Stimpson



From award-winning author Michelle Stimpson: a Southern story of sisterhood and second chances

- **Growing readership:** This story is perfect for readers of Terry McMillan's *It's All Downhill from Here* and Charmaine Wilkerson's *Black Cake*
- **Author authority:** Michelle Stimpson is an award-winning and Essence® bestselling author writing compelling stories with an authentic Southern voice. She has won an Emma Award, two Christian Literary Awards, Best Feature Film at CapCity Black Film Festival and was a finalist for the 2021 Vivian Award
- **Wide scope of discussion topics:** The story harbors great elements for book club discussions, like the sisters' relationship, forgiveness, beloved foods and recipes passed down through the generations, and the experiences of a Black woman in the South

Many years ago, Rose Tillman gave her sister, Marvina Dewberry, forty dollars to register a business where they would piggyback on their mother's amazing spice mixture to make their fortune in fried chicken and other Southern comfort foods. Marvina used that forty dollars for a different reason and the business never got off the ground. It was just forty dollars, but that decision set the course of their lives. Now, Rose has retired from a career at the post office and realizes she wants a second shot at her dreams, but she'll have to go through her sister to get that chance...

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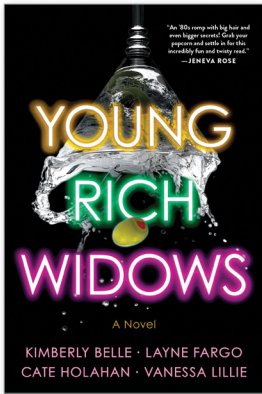
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Fiction	TP
Sourcebooks Landmark	368 Pages
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MICHELLE STIMPSON has had a distinguished traditional publishing career writing Christian and Inspirational contemporary romance fiction. She has won an Emma Award, two Christian Literary Awards, Best Feature Film at CapCity Black Film Festival and was a finalist for the 2021 Vivian Award. She lives in Dallas, TX.

## Young Rich Widows

A Novel

Kimberly Belle, Layne Fargo, Cate Holahan, and Vanessa Lillie



The Audible Original sensation *Young Rich Widows* is now in paperback. When the four partners of a prominent law firm are killed in a mysterious plane crash, their widows must come together to uncover the truth in this explosive, edge-of-your-seat thriller with an '80s mafia vibe, co-written by four bestselling authors

- An Audible sensation: With over 19,000 reviews, *Young Rich Widows* has become an Audible Original sensation, and fans are dying to get their hands on a physical copy.
- A unique hook: The campy 80's vibes and mafia presence, as well as a cast of brilliant female leads, brings a fresh take to the thriller category, and readers won't be able to look away from the page.

1985. Providence, Rhode Island. Outside of the city, a plane comes crashing down, bringing the four partners of a mafia-affiliated law firm to their demise. Four very different women have just lost the loves of their lives: Justine, a former fashion model adjusting to suburban life; Camille, a beautiful, young second wife some suspect is a gold digger; Krystle, committed to leaving the firm to her sons after her husband worked his whole life to support them all; and Meredith, a stripper at the local club who was in a secret relationship with the firm's sole female partner. While the crash is initially ruled a tragic accident, something's not adding up. The team wasn't supposed to be in New York that day, and it's soon revealed that there was a very large sum of cash that burned up with the plane. Could a dissatisfied client be seeking revenge? Or were the partners involved in something bigger—something dangerous and deadly? What other secrets were the partners keeping, and how far might people go to ensure they stay hidden? The women find themselves thrown together in search of the truth, with new danger and threats unfolding at every turn.

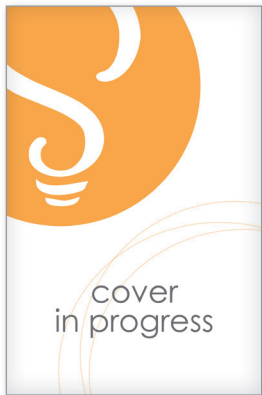
KIMBERLY BELLE is the USA Today and internationally bestselling author of eight novels, including *The Personal Assistant*, *The Marriage Lie*, and *The Paris Widow*. LAYNE FARGO is the author of the thriller novels *Temper* and *They Never Learn*, and she co-created, co-hosts, and produces the podcast *Unlikeable Female Characters* on LIH Hub Radio. CATE HOLAHAN is the USA Today Bestselling author of novels such as *Her Three Lives*. VANESSA LILLIE is the author of *Little Voices*, *For the Best*, and *Blood Sisters*.

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WORLD		

## Desperate Deadly Widows

A Novel

Kimberly Belle, Layne Fargo, Cate Holahan, and Vanessa Lillie



When the mayor of Providence is found dead in a notorious strip club, the four infamous women of *Young Rich Widows* must come together in another murder romp in their best 80s taffeta and neon.

- Continues the Sensational Story: The widows are back, young and rich and ready for revenge.
- A Unique Hook: The campy 80's vibes and mafia presence, as well as a cast of brilliant female leads, brings a fresh take to the thriller category, and readers won't be able to look away from the page.
- Bestselling Authors: With four bestselling authors collaborating, this novel brings multiple fan bases together for one epic story.

The prime suspect is Camille Tavani, a young widow running a honeypot-for-hire scheme. Camille turns to her friends' female-run law firm to clear her name. But the search for justice divides the women into warring factions. On one side, the mayor's first wife, heir to the city's most powerful political dynasty and the firm's biggest client. On the other, his second wife, a she-wolf of Wall Street with "a brain for business and body for sin" and big schemes for the smallest state. With an ensemble cast and twisted manipulations of *Succession* with a dash of camp a la *First Wives Club*, *Desperate Deadly Widows* is about four women looking to prove that life begins after the marriage ends.

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Fiction		TP
Sourcebooks Landmark		Pages
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# Long After We Are Gone

A Novel

Terah Shelton Harris



Four siblings—each fighting their own personal battle—return home in the wake of their father's death in order to save their family's home and ancestral land from being sold out from under them, in an explosive and highly emotional story about the power of family and letting go of things that no longer serve you

- Second novel following a highly acclaimed debut: Terah's debut (a Target Book Club Pick) earned remarkable acclaim from bestselling authors, including Mateo Askaripour ("nothing short of astonishing"), Rochelle B. Weinstein ("unequivocally a best book of 2023"), and Kim Michele Richardson ("a powerful, heartrending debut")
- Timely and relevant themes: Touches on cultural issues around intergenerational trauma, family legacies, and heir property, which the Dept. of Agriculture calls the worst problem you've never heard of, making this a thought-provoking and discussion-worthy novel for book club readers. Major awards potential.

"Don't let the white man take the house." These are the last words King Solomon says to his son before he dies. Now all four Solomon siblings must return to North Carolina to save the Kingdom, their ancestral home and 200 acres of land, from a development company, who has their sights set on turning the valuable waterfront property into a luxury resort.

While fighting to save the Kingdom, the siblings must also save themselves from the secrets they've been holding onto. Junior, the oldest son and married to his wife for eleven years, is secretly in love with another man. Second son Mance can't control his temper, which has landed him in prison more than once. CeCe, the oldest daughter and a lawyer in New York City, has embezzled thousands of dollars from her firm's clients. Youngest daughter Tokey wonders why she doesn't seem to fit into this family, which has left an aching hole in her heart that she tries to fill in harmful ways. As the Solomons come together to fight for the Kingdom, each of their façades begins to crumble and collide in unexpected ways.

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# Libby Lost and Found

A Novel

Stephanie Booth



*Libby Lost and Found* is a book for people who don't know who they are without the books they love. It's about the stories we tell ourselves and the chapters of our lives we regret. Most importantly, it's about the endings we write for ourselves

- **The feel-good fiction read of the year:** This warm-hearted story combines an unlikely friendship with the life-changing power of unbridled imagination
- **A powerful reminder that books have the power to change lives:** This fresh story explores the sometimes-fraught relationship between readers, authors, and the books that changed their lives; ultimately, *Libby Lost and Found* reveals the deep connections that books can create between people
- **Themes that will linger with the reader:** Readers will enjoy dissecting questions about the poignancy of life's fragility, the strength of imagination, and the obsession that gives books the power to shape generations

Meet Libby Weeks, author of the mega-bestselling fantasy series, *The Falling Children*—written as “F.T. Goldhero” to maintain her privacy. When the last manuscript is already months overdue to her publisher and rabid fans around the world are growing impatient, Libby is diagnosed with early-onset Alzheimer’s. Already suffering from crippling anxiety, Libby’s symptoms quickly accelerate. After she forgets her dog at the park one day—then almost discloses her identity to the journalist who finds him—Libby has to admit it: she needs help finishing the last book.

Desperately, she turns to eleven-year-old superfan Peanut Bixton, who knows the books even better than she does but harbors her own dark secrets. Tensions mount as Libby’s dementia deepens—until both Peanut and Libby swirl into an inevitable but bone-shocking conclusion.

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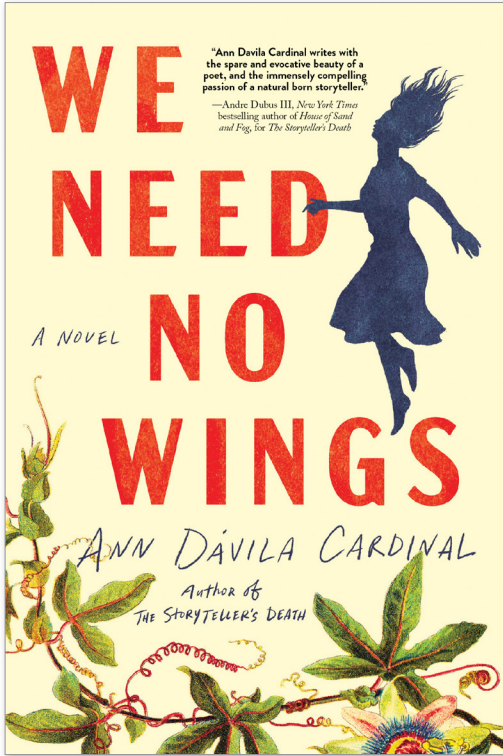
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STEPHANIE BOOTH has an M.A. in English from the University of New Mexico and an MFA in Creative Writing from Emerson College. Her work has appeared in *Cosmopolitan*, *Real Simple*, *O, Marie Claire*, *The Washington Post* and *Los Angeles Times*. Stephanie has been a contributing editor at *Teen People* and an advice columnist for *Teen*, and she has helped with casting for MTV’s award-winning documentary series, *True Life*. Stephanie is a content writer for Brightline, an app that provides behavioral health care for kids.

# We Need No Wings

Ann Dávila Cardinal



Teresa Sanchez, a direct descendant of St. Teresa of Ávila, finds herself lost after her retirement...until the day she begins to levitate

- **Wide storytelling appeal:** The novel contains a mix of personal saga and magical realism with elements of mystery and historical fiction and will appeal to a wide variety of readers
- **Author's connections:** Vivid descriptions of Spain and its culture are portrayed by a Puerto Rican award-winning author whose maternal line is, indeed, descended from the family of Saint Teresa of Ávila. She has deep connections in the writing community through her work with VCFA
- **Timely themes of womanhood and identity:** The story addresses the question of who women are when society tells them they're invisible, and celebrates how in life's later stages, we can become our full and true selves. The unexplainable becomes the key to self-discovery in this spellbinding saga of adventure, identity, and two women separated by five centuries but joined by history and heart

Teresa Sanchez always knew who she was. But when she reaches the age of sixty and retires from her university position, her husband dies unexpectedly. Her son is grown and living across the country. Day after day, she finds herself wandering in the garden of her home, lost.

Until the day she levitates.

Suddenly, Tere's life is thrown into disarray, and the repeated incidents of levitation not only make her question her sanity, but also put her in danger. She decides she will do anything to stop them. So when she's reminded that her family is related to the renowned levitating mystic, Saint Teresa of Ávila, she leaves the refuge of her home and travels to Spain, hoping to find answers. But Saints can be elusive, and not all answers are easily found. Tere will soon have to decide whether to remain shrouded in her grief, or open her heart to a world where we need no wings to fly...

From the award-winning author of *The Storyteller's Death* comes a riveting, multicultural story about what it means to love, heal, and take flight.

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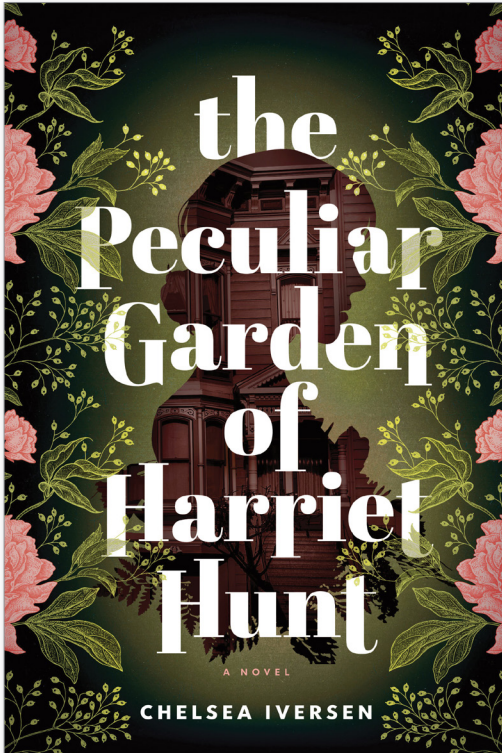
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WORLD	

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# The Peculiar Garden of Harriet Hunt

A Novel

Chelsea Iversen



**A woman alone is a force of nature...**

- **Exceptional writing and meaningful themes:** Rich, lyrical writing is completely gripping and tackles contemporary issues like abuse, trauma, and identity in a historical setting
- **Broad appeal:** A magical, feminist read with a mystery at its core, this book straddles shelves in the vein of Sarah Penner
- **Author/story location:** The story takes place in Victorian era London and the author lives in Colorado

London, 19th Century. Harriet Hunt has a special relationship with the garden outside her house. A year after the mysterious disappearance of her father, a cruel man who left her buried in his debts, the garden is her only solace.

But a woman alone is vulnerable and as debt collectors and law enforcement swoop in, ready to take advantage of her dire situation, Harriet has no choice but to marry for her own protection. Soon, she finds herself attached to a man worse than her father.

Determined to find the truth behind her father's disappearance and finally free herself from the controlling men in her life, Harriet discovers that her garden is more than just a sanctuary. It contains a strange magic that responds to her emotions in ways she can't explain. And as she struggles to take back her power, it becomes clear there are dark things tangled in her garden's roots...



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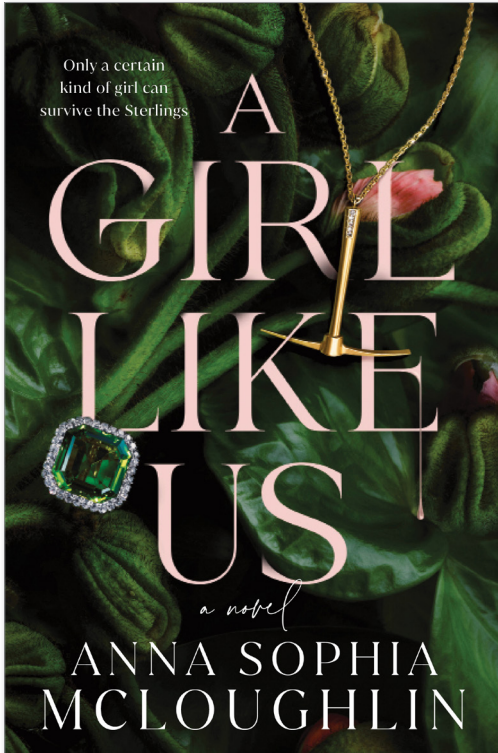
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CHELSEA IVERSEN is a content writer who runs a creative business with her sister. Chelsea lives with her husband and dog in Colorado, where she reads her runes at every full moon and aspires to have a signature tea mug for every season. This is her second novel.

# A Girl Like Us

A Novel

Anna Sophia McLoughlin



They say keep your friends close and your enemies closer—but when your enemies are the Sterlings, that old adage may just prove deadly

- **Succession meets Lucy Foley:** Stellar hook that combines a mysterious and powerful family, an outsider finding her way in, and the luxury and prestige that only comes at a deadly price. Perfect for readers of Jessica Knoll, Lucy Foley, and Janelle Brown
- **A setting to kill for:** A locked-room thriller set at a lavish ancestral estate in the British countryside—readers will be enthralled by the setting where clues, secret passageways, and extreme wealth are all hidden for fans of *The Inheritance Game* or *Knives Out*
- **A powerhouse author with international appeal:** A seasoned author making a big stand in the adult thriller space, Anna Sophia McLoughlin is the pseudonym for internationally bestselling Anna Godbersen, author of the *YA Luxe* series which sold nearly half a million copies in the US and was translated into a dozen markets around the world. This is her big stand in the adult thriller space!

It's 2004 and former reality TV star Maya Miller has just married the most eligible bachelor on the planet: Colin Sterling, of the globally famous Sterling family whose history of aristocratic titles and land holdings rival a British royal and whose media empire is comparable to the Murdochs. To some, Maya represents the American dream. To others, a gold digger. But when Colin's cousin Arianna, the heiress to the family's immense fortune, is found murdered, Maya is thrust into the spotlight: first as she and Colin are revealed to be the next heirs to the fortune, and then as the prime suspect.

Swiftly, the entire Sterling family goes into lockdown at Silver North, the family's ancestral estate in the English countryside. They're told it's for their own safety—but Maya becomes convinced that the real murderer is among them. Now, she has no choice but to find and expose the true threat within the Sterling family, but Maya has secrets of her own. And she knows that sometimes, in order to change the story everyone believes, you simply have to give them a better one.

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Internationally bestselling author ANNA GODBERSEN makes a dramatic comeback as ANNA SOPHIA MCLOUGHLIN. Anna is an author and writing teacher, best known for the internationally bestselling *Luxe* series which sold nearly half a million copies in the US alone and was translated into a dozen markets around the world. She holds an MFA from NYU and now lives in Litchfield County where she teaches creative writing and is a regular contributor to lifestyle and arts publications.

# The Girls of the Glimmer Factory

Jennifer Coburn



From the author of *Cradles of the Reich*, an intriguing story of childhood friends forced onto opposite sides of a propaganda war in a “model” ghetto in WWII Czechoslovakia, Hitler’s “gift to the Jews.”

- Meticulously researched and vividly brought to life, from an author passionate about the discussion of social and political environments and the dangers of propaganda and media
- Based on the real “show camp,” of Theresienstadt, which Hitler used as a “model ghetto,” and exploring the Nazi propaganda film “Hitler Gives a City to the Jews,” which was never released or shown publicly

Two childhood friends are reunited at a Jewish settlement in Czechoslovakia, the camp promised as a safe place to wait out the war, and each sees the other as a means to save what they love most. Hannah and Hilde were friends long ago, but when fate brings them back together at Theresienstadt, they are adversaries. At this so-called model ghetto, the Nazis plan to make a propaganda film to convince the world that the Jewish people are living well in Nazi-run camps. But Hannah and her fellow prisoners have other ideas. The young resistance members vow to disrupt the filming and derail the increasingly frequent deportations to death camps in the east. Meanwhile, Hannah’s old friend Hilde is a true believer in the Nazi cause, despite an outlook that looks like defeat. She can’t stop the Allied bombings, however she can help the party create a documentary that will renew confidence in Hitler’s plans for Jewish containment. When the filming of *Hitler Gives a City to the Jews* faces production problems, Hilde finds herself in a position to finally make a name for herself.

JANUARY 25

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Fiction	HC
Sourcebooks Landmark	320 Pages
WORLD	

JENNIFER COBURN is a USA Today best selling author of six novels and contributor to four literary anthologies. Over the past two decades, Coburn has received numerous awards from the Press Club and Society for Professional Journalists. She is the author of *Cradles of the Reich*.

# When the Dust Settles

A Novel

Penny Haw



**The Other Einstein** meets *Out of Africa*, with a side of Indiana Jones. *When the Dust Settles* tells the remarkable untold story of Mary Leakey and her challenging journey to becoming an archaeologist, despite no formal education on the subject, who follows her husband, famous paleoanthropologist Louis Leakey, to East Africa, where her work will define her as one of the world's most distinguished archaeologists.

- **Third historical novel from up-and-coming author:** Penny's debut, *The Invincible Miss Cust*, has sold over 17,000 copies P+E, was a Junior Library Guild Pick, and nominated for the She Reads Best of 2022 Award in historical fiction
- **Tons of entry points to appeal to readers beyond historical fiction:** This story has it all! Unconventional woman of her time, beautiful setting in the African plains, an intergenerational friendship, animals, adventure and danger, and love
- **Layered intergenerational story:** The story, told in two timelines and dual POV starting in 1935 and continuing in 1983, celebrates an intergenerational friendship between Mary Leakey and a colleague's seventeen-year-old daughter

**1935, London:** Mary Nicol is 12 when she decides to become an archaeologist. She doesn't have the academic record to get into university so she sneaks into lectures at colleges and museums and finds work on excavations, finally entering the field as an illustrator, when Louis Leakey—credited with discovering that the cradle of humankind started in Africa a million years before previously thought—commissions her to illustrate a book, and they fall in love and get married. Although that love is not to last, that relationship brings her to the Olduvai Gorge in the Serengeti in 1935, where her work will define her as one of the world's most distinguished paleoanthropologists.

**1983, Tanzania:** In 1983, Mary's time in the Olduvai Gorge is drawing to an end. She enlists Anne, the 17-year-old daughter of a colleague, to help pack up her 50 years of memories and they form a bond, as Mary catches glimpses of her younger self in the unhappy girl, who shares her love of animals. On the morning Anne is due to leave, the girl is nowhere to be found, and it's a race against time for Mary and the rest of the crew to find Anne before the African bush claims her.

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PENNY HAW worked as a journalist and columnist for more than three decades, writing for many leading South African newspapers and magazines before yielding to a lifelong yearning to create fiction. Her stories feature remarkable women, illustrate her love for nature, and explore the interconnectedness of all living things. She is the author of *The Invincible Miss Cust* and *The Woman at the Wheel* and lives near Cape Town with her husband and three dogs, all of whom are well walked.

backlist



# Midnight Is the Darkest Hour

A Novel

Ashley Winstead



What do you fear most in the dark? The Low Man...or yourself? Acclaimed author Ashley Winstead returns in paperback!

- **Acclaimed author:** Author has received fantastic blurbs and critical reviews from Julie Clark, Andrea Bartz, and Riley Sager, plus the *New York Times* and *Parade*, among others
- **Southern twist:** Combines a propulsive thriller with a popular Southern setting
- **Growing buzz:** *Midnight Is the Darkest Hour* will build on Ashley's momentum after the highly anticipated *The Last Housewife*, which has been praised by the *Washington Post*, *Library Journal*, *Cosmopolitan*, *Good Housekeeping*, and many more

In a small bayou town in Louisiana, people fear God's wrath and local superstitions – like the story of the Low Man, a vampiric figure who steals into sinners' homes to kill them on moonless nights. The daughter of the town's fire-and-brimstone preacher is not immune to the fear. But when a skull found deep in the swamp reunites her with a man with a dark reputation, she'll do whatever it takes to protect her town from evil: not the horrors rumored to dwell in the swamp, but the real evil that walks among them.

*Midnight Is the Darkest Hour* is a powerful and chilling examination of obsessive love, the way stories shape us, and what happens when the best choice we can make is to unleash our own dark beasts.



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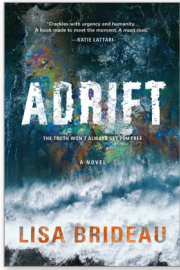
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ASHLEY WINSTEAD is an academic turned novelist with a Ph.D. in contemporary American literature. She lives in Houston with her husband, two cats, and beloved wine fridge. She is the author of *In My Dreams I Hold a Knife* and *The Last Housewife*. You can find her at [www.ashleywinstead.com](http://www.ashleywinstead.com)



## Adrift

A Novel

Lisa Brideau

The truth won't always set you free.

- Captivating category: Disaster stories are having a moment, including the film *Don't Look Up*, and this weaves extreme weather, climate immigration, and the question of what we owe each other into a thrilling, suspenseful race to figure out what really makes us who we are
- Incredible hook: In this climate suspense set in a future that's just a few steps ahead of our own, characters are dealing with consequences that are easy to imagine

A former aerospace engineer, LISA BRIDEAU has a Masters in Urban Planning from the University of British Columbia and works at the intersection of municipal climate change policy and equity as a sustainability specialist. Recipient of a Canada Council for the Arts grant, Brideau lives in Vancouver, BC, Canada

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Sourcebooks Landmark	512 Pages
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## This is How We End Things

A Novel

R.J. Jacobs

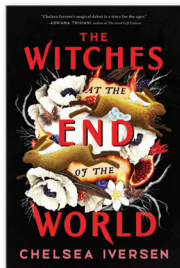
Six students. One professor. All trained in the art of deception. All with a reason to kill....

- Dark academia meets twisty thriller: A hook sure to captivate readers who devoured *If We Were Villains* and who love Riley Sager, dark academia is a trend with staying power with #darkacademiabooks garnering 15.6M views on TikTok and readers clamoring for new stories
- Expert author lends authenticity: With a hook hinging on the psychology of deception, RJ's background as a clinical psychologist adds a layer of authenticity and ups the suspense of the read

R.J. JACOBS has practiced as a psychologist since 2003. He maintains a private practice in Nashville, focusing on a wide variety of clinical concerns. After completing a post-doctoral residency at Vanderbilt, he has taught Abnormal Psychology, presented at numerous conferences, and routinely performs PTSD evaluations for veterans. He is the author of *Always the First to Die*. Find out more at [rjacobsauthor.com](http://rjacobsauthor.com).

SEPTEMBER 23

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## The Witches at the End of the World

Chelsea Iversen

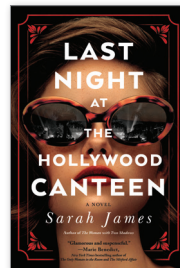
Two sisters find themselves at odds in this breathtaking historical fantasy—and when one releases a dark spell, someone will have to burn. They are witches, after all

- Exceptional writing readers will love from a debut author: Rich, lyrical riting is completely gripping and tackles contemporary issues in a historical setting
- Culturally relevant: Witches continue to trend across different forms of media, and coupling them with a taut exploration of feminist rage will be a slam dunk with readers
- Crossover appeal: The novel is a dual point-of-view sister story that's perfect for book club readers and has YA crossover potential

CHELSEA IVERSEN is a freelance writer living in Colorado. This is her debut.

OCTOBER 23

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Fiction	HC
Sourcebooks Landmark	368 Pages
WORLD	



## Last Night at the Hollywood Canteen

A Novel

Sarah James

Hollywood might look like an oasis from the devastation of WWII, but that doesn't mean it's safe...

- Glowing reviews for author's backlist: *The New York Journal of Books* proclaimed that "Sarah James is someone to be watched."
- Fascinating story based on little-known history: The Hollywood Canteen was a real club for servicemen during WWII, staffed by the lights and luminaries of Los Angeles
- Compelling take on a popular category: Sarah James's atmospheric, home front historical featuring a twisty mystery and a female protagonist with a distinctive voice stand out among the WWII crowd

SARAH JAMES is a graduate of the MFA Writing for Screen & Television program at USC and the BA Playwriting program at Fordham Lincoln Center. She currently works as a freelance writer. Her first novel was *The Woman with Two Shadows*.

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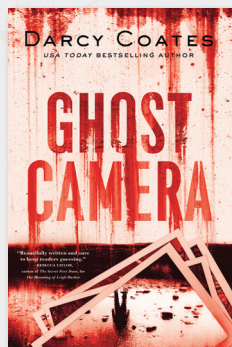
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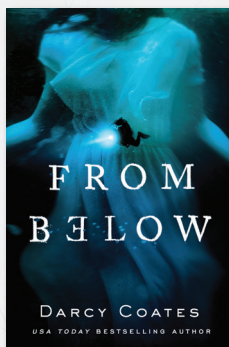
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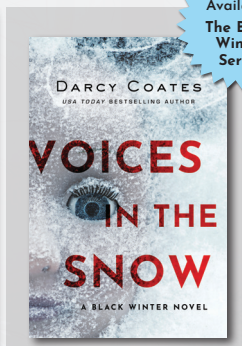
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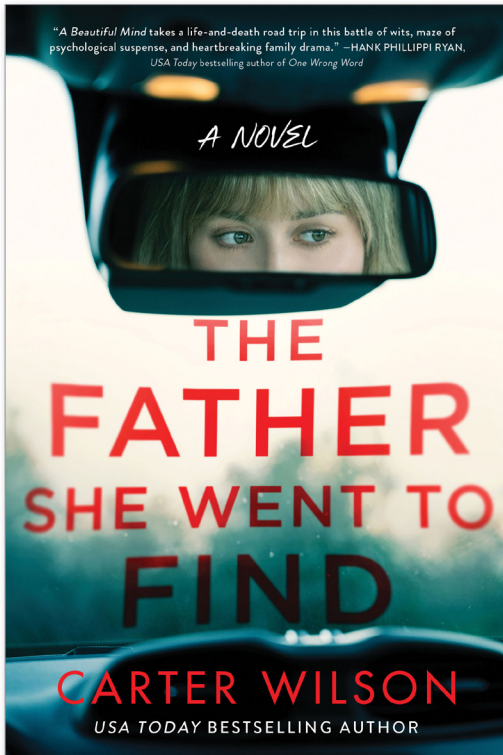
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# The Father She Went to Find

A Novel

Carter Wilson



From *USA Today* bestselling author Carter Wilson comes a tense, propulsive thriller about one young woman's journey to find her father—but in doing so, she'll risk more than she knows

- **Terrific read:** Road trip adventure meets thriller in this addictive novel, which boasts an unrelenting pace and unforgettable characters
- **Great category:** An exciting take on psychological suspense
- **Author:** *USA Today* bestselling author Carter Wilson continues to prove his talent as a storyteller

Penny has never met anyone smarter than her. That's par for the course when you're a savant—one of less than one hundred in the world. But despite her photographic memory and super-powered intellect, there's one question Penny doesn't know the answer to: where did her father go when he left her and her mother years ago?

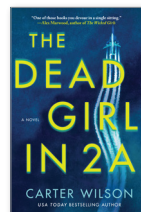
On Penny's 21st birthday, she receives a card in the mail from her father, just as she has every year since he left. But this birthday card is different. For the first time ever, there's a return address.

Penny may not know much about the world beyond The Institute, the special school she has attended since her abilities became clear, but now seems like the perfect time to break free of her safe existence and start to really live.

What she doesn't realize is that the real world is more complicated and dangerous than she ever imagined...



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Fiction  
Poisoned Pen Press  
WORLD

\$16.99 U.S.  
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448 Pages

CARTER WILSON is the *USA Today* and #1 *Denver Post* bestselling author of multiple critically acclaimed, standalone psychological thrillers. He is an *ITW Thriller Award* finalist, a four-time winner of the *Colorado Book Award*, and his novels have received starred reviews from *Publishers Weekly*, *Booklist*, and *Library Journal*. Carter lives outside of Boulder, Colorado.

# When She Was Me

A Novel

Marlee Bush



## Secrets follow these sisters like shadows...

- **Highly commercial elements:** this is dual-POV, dual-timeline sister story featuring unreliable narrators in an isolated, southern setting makes this exciting debut un-put-down-able for readers
- **Timely and conversation-worthy:** a psychologically riveting story that explores a hot topic (the exploitation of true crime) in the vein of *All Good People Here*, this is perfect for book club discussions
- **An author to grow:** Marlee Bush's degree in criminology lends her fiction an authentic quality and she is enthusiastic about building a brand—she's kicked things off by sharing an event with *USA Today* bestselling author Darcy Coates

Twin sisters Cassie and Lenora are inseparable. Ever since that night, they've been on their own, and that's how they like it. As the sole permanent residents of Cabin Two, their refuge on an isolated Tennessee campground, the twins manage to stay away from prying eyes, probing questions, and true crime junkies. The peace and quiet is almost enough to make them forget what happened all those years ago. Almost.

Until a teenage girl camping at the neighboring cabin goes missing, and the memories come rushing back. As the crime becomes ever more recognizable, each sister suspects the other knows more than she's letting on.

Trapped in the isolating, claustrophobic wilderness, Cassie and Lenora must piece together the truth of what happened—and the sinister truth lurking in their own pasts—before it's too late.

MARLEE BUSH lives in Alabama with her husband and children. A criminology major, she's obsessed with true crime, documentaries, and being generally paranoid about the world and the people in it.

MAY 24

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Fiction	TP
Poisoned Pen Press	400 Pages
WORLD	

# She Left

A Novel

Stacie Grey



Twenty years ago, she survived. This time she may not be so lucky...

- **Must-read hook:** The near-miss tragedy will quickly capture the attention of fans of thriller and suspense.
- **A voice for everyone:** A diverse ensemble cast brings a variety of perspectives to the original crime and the doomed modern-day reunion.
- **Debut for an experienced author:** Stacie Grey builds from her previous work in other crime categories to bring polish and masterful tension to this thriller debut.

As a teenager, Amy Therese Brewer argued with her friends and stormed out of a party—moments before the five other teens were brutally murdered.

Now, on the anniversary of those deaths, ten people with connections to the crime have been invited to a remote cliffside house by a journalist looking to do a story about the so-called Memorial Day Massacre. But the group quickly learns the event is not what it seems. As a storm closes in and guests begin to die, Therese realizes there is someone in the house who knows more than they admit about what happened that night long ago, and they will stop at nothing to protect their secrets.

STACIE GREY is the pseudonym of cozy mystery author Daisy Bateman. She lives with her husband and dog in California.

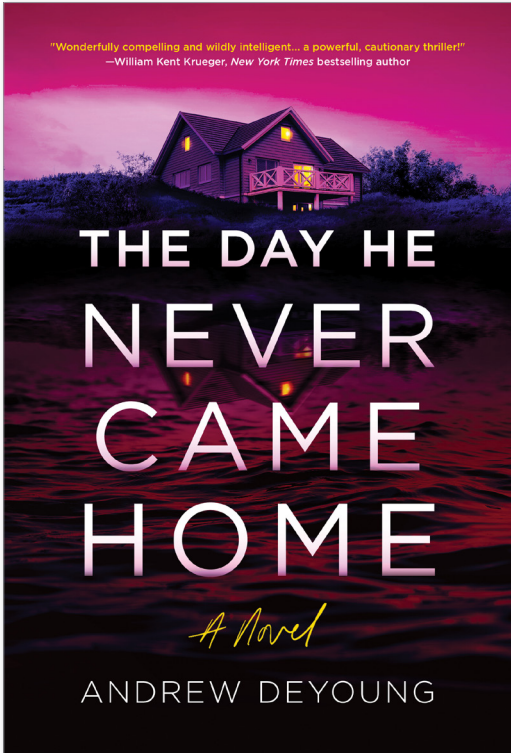
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Fiction	TP
Poisoned Pen Press	352 Pages
WORLD	

# The Day He Never Came Home

A Novel

Andrew DeYoung



A twisty, compelling domestic thriller that asks the question, how far will a desperate woman go to save herself and her children?

- For readers of upmarket thrillers: Readers who loved Laura Dave's *The Last Thing He Told Me*, Claire Macintosh's *Hostage*, and Jennifer Hillier's *Little Secrets* will tear through *The Day He Never Came Home*
- Page-turning suspense: DeYoung's plot twists and flawed, sympathetic characters will keep readers on their toes
- Up and coming author: DeYoung's debut novel *The Temps* was named a Best SFF Book of 2022 by Book Riot

Regan Peters knows her financial advisor husband John, despite how mysterious he is about his past, wants to give her and their children a good life. His long work hours prove his dedication, and that's been enough for her to get through the hard days. Until the FBI shows up at their front door looking for John, and Regan learns that her husband has been running a Ponzi scheme, is mixed up with dangerous criminals, and has been living under an assumed identity all these years. Everything she has ever known has been part of one big lie.

That includes the outrageous birthday present John gifted her the day before he disappeared—a lake house...bought with cash, and put in her name only. When faced with her life falling apart around her, Regan must make a split second decision: does she tell the FBI about the house? Or does she buy some time to forge her own path to saving herself? But one compromise inevitably leads to another, and one dangerous secret builds on the next.

When her lies of omission to the FBI agents begin to raise questions, Regan becomes inextricably embroiled in John's crimes, the true extent of which are just beginning to be revealed. Faced with the end of her comfortable life, Regan will do anything to protect herself, her children, and her future—and that means anything.

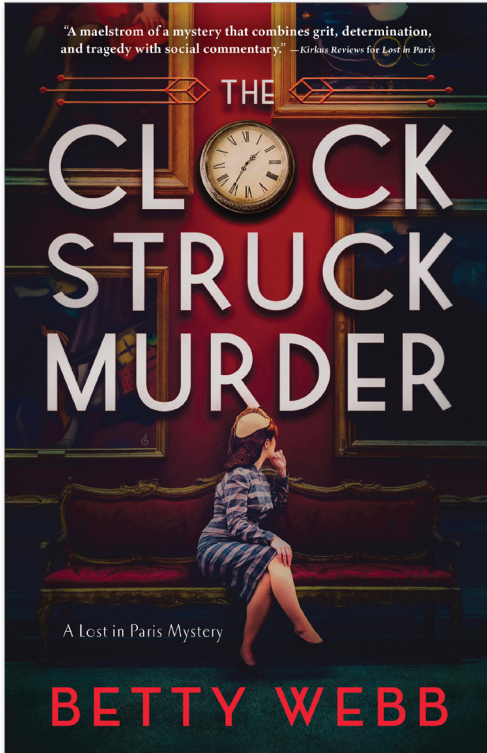
ANDREW DEYOUNG is the author of *The Temps*, a speculative novel about the end of the world. He works as an editor at a children's book publishing company, and he lives with his wife and two children in the Twin Cities area in Minnesota. *The Day He Never Came Home* is his first domestic suspense/thriller.

JULY 24

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Fiction	TP
Poisoned Pen Press	368 Pages
WORLD	

# The Clock Struck Murder

Betty Webb



Lost in Paris, Book 2

One woman's trash is another woman's—lost Chagall masterpiece?!?

- First in series was an Amazon Editor's Pick: First book in this series, *Lost in Paris*, received great reviews from the trades and was the Amazon Editor's Pick for April 2023!
- Pure escapist pleasure to read: The author has again deftly woven actual events and celebrities of the day into a compelling mystery with a very human heart

Expat Zoe Barlow has settled well into her artist's life among the Lost Generation in 1920s Paris. When a too-tipsy guest at her weekly poker game breaks Zoe's favorite clock, she's off to a Montparnasse flea market to bargain with the vendor Laurette for a replacement. What Zoe didn't bargain for was the lost Chagall painting that's been used like a rag to wrap her purchases! Eager to learn whether Laurette has more Chagalls lying about like trash, Zoe sets off to track her down at her storage shed. With no Laurette in sight, Zoe snoops around and indeed finds several additional Chagalls—and then she finds Laurette herself, dead beneath a scrap heap, her beautiful face bashed in.

With Paris hosting the 1924 Summer Olympics, the police are far too busy with tourist-related crimes to devote much time to the clock seller's murder. After returning the paintings to a grateful Marc Chagall, Zoe begins her own investigation. Did the stolen paintings play any part in the brutal killing? Or was it a crime of passion? Zoe soon discovers that there were many people who had reason to resent the lovely Laurette. But who hated the girl enough to stop her clock permanently? When Zoe discovers a second murder victim, the pressure is on to find the killer before time—and luck—run out.

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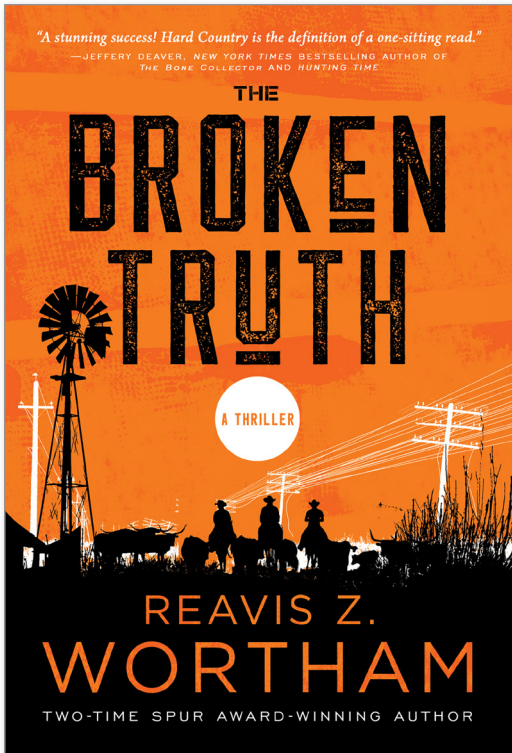
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Mystery	TP
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As a journalist, BETTY WEBB interviewed U.S. presidents, astronauts, and Nobel Prize winners, as well as the homeless, dying, and polygamy runaways. The dark Lena Jones mysteries are based on stories she covered as a reporter. Betty's humorous *Gunn Zoo* series debuted with the critically acclaimed *The Antleater of Death*, followed by *The Koala of Death*. A book reviewer at *Mystery Scene Magazine*, Betty is a member of National Federation of Press Women, Mystery Writers of America, and the National Organization of Zoo Keepers.

# The Broken Truth

A Thriller

Reavis Z. Wortham



Tucker Snow Thrillers

From award-winning author Reavis Z. Wortham, the next pulse-pounding thriller about special-agent brothers Tuck and Harley Snow and the high costs of peace and justice in the Texas town they've sworn to protect

- **Strong series start:** First book in series, *Hard Country*, received praise from highly respected thriller writers Jeffery Deaver and David Morrell
- **Exceptional reviews:** Author consistently receives starred reviews

Cattle rustling is big business in Texas, and it's Tucker Snow's job to stop it. But after a prominent rancher dies unexpectedly and his property is quietly sold to an unknown buyer, Tuck senses there's something more sinister going on in his jurisdiction than the usual steal-and-resell racket.

Working alongside his brother, Harley, Tuck uncovers a dark ring of organized crime that goes well beyond cattle rustling... a breed of deception and greed that has turned into a silent killer that will take down anyone that crosses its path. The question is whether Tuck and Harley will be able to shut it down before it sets its sights on the people they love the most.

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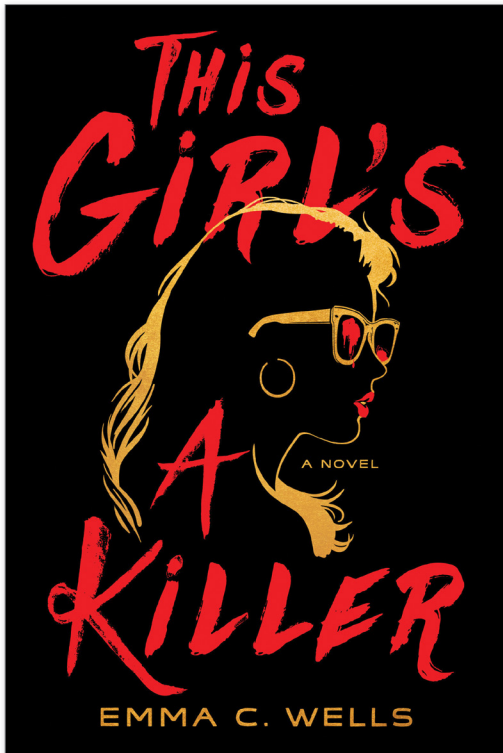
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Mystery	TP
Poisoned Pen Press	384 Pages
WORLD	

REAVIS Z. WORTHAM is the critically acclaimed author of the *Red River Mysteries* set in rural Northeast Texas in the 1960s. He is also the author of a thriller series featuring Texas Ranger Sonny Hawke. He teaches writing at a wide variety of venues including local libraries and writers' conferences. Wortham has been a newspaper columnist and magazine writer since 1988, and has been the Humor Editor for *Texas Fish and Game Magazine* for the past twenty-two years. He and his wife, Shana, live in Northeast Texas. Check out his website at [www.reaviswortham.com](http://www.reaviswortham.com)

# This Girl's a Killer

A Novel

Emma C. Wells



Meet your new best friend (who also just happens to be a serial killer)

- **A killer main character:** Following in the footsteps of *My Sister, the Serial Killer*, *Promising Young Woman*, and even the murderous Georgia Miller, Cordelia Black is a character you can't help but root for (even under the worst of circumstances).
- **Fresh and feminist thriller:** Incredibly empowering storyline that fits in the "good for her" genre of books, perfect for the expanding mystery readership and for fans of *The Bandit Queens* and *Layne Fargo*.

Cordelia Black loves exactly three things: Her chosen family comprised of her best friend Diane and her goddaughter, her hairdresser (worth every penny plus tip), and killing bad men.

By day she's a successful pharma rep with her pristine reputation and designer wardrobe, by night she's culling South Louisiana of unscrupulous men—monsters who always seem to evade justice, until they meet her. It's a complicated, yet fulfilling life that requires complete and total control at all times. But when the evening news starts throwing around the word serial killer, suddenly pressure heightens for Cordelia in the South. And it's only exacerbated when Diane starts dating a man who Cordelia isn't sure is a good person. Someone who might just unravel everything Cordelia has worked for.

Soon enough Cordelia has to come face to face with the choices she's made. The good, the bad, and the murderous. Both her family, and her freedom, depend on it.

EMMA C. WELLS loves anti-heroes, dark humor, witty banter, and ride-or-die friendships. Twisty relationships are her kryptonite (or catnip—depending on how you look at it) and her favorite characters are often called unlikely (but at least they're never boring). Emma enjoys camping, yoga, researching spooky folklore, and collecting copies of *Wuthering Heights* from used bookstores.

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Mystery	TP
Poisoned Pen Press	416 Pages
WORLD	

## In the Blink of a Pie

Catherine Bruns



Maple Syrup Mysteries, Book 3

**USA Today Bestselling author Catherine Bruns is back with the third installment in the “delightfully sweet” *Maple Syrup Mysteries*, transporting readers back to the cozy town of Sugar Ridge, Vermont, where things are bound to go from sweet to sour.**

- **Rockstar author:** Catherine is a *USA Today* bestselling author and avid self-promoter who loves connecting with readers at signings, events, and trade shows.
- **A slam dunk in the cozy space:** The culinary cozy continues to dominate the cozy mystery space, and sweet treat themed books a la Joanne Fluke are a popular subset of the genre.

Leila Khoury's first year as manager of Sappy Endings has come to an end and for the most part, it's been a sweet success. After a sticky start, she's learned the art of maple syrup making, developed a better relationship with her mother, and a lasting romantic one with swoony coworker Noah Rivers. Now that Thanksgiving is around the corner, Leila's decided to celebrate the occasion by hosting the farm's first ever pie baking contest. She's planned a glorious day with pie themed music, maple lattes, and fun events.

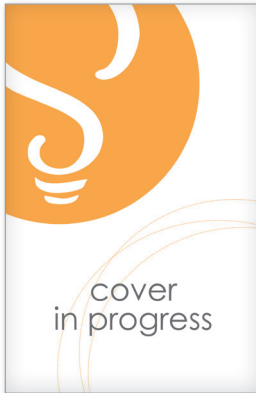
But when a neighbor drops dead after sampling a piece of pumpkin pie, Leila sets out to find the killer. Margaret Middleton was a needy soul who liked to gossip but she had no known enemies, so who could have wanted her dead? After another near fatal accident occurs, Leila realizes that the killer's target was not actually Margaret, but herself!

USA Today bestselling author CATHERINE BRUNS lives in Upstate New York with her husband, three sons, and pets. Catherine has a B.A. in both English and performing arts and is a former newspaper reporter and press release writer. Readers are invited to visit her website at [catherinebruns.net](http://catherinebruns.net).

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Mystery		MP
Poisoned Pen Press		300 Pages
WORLD		

## Murder Runs in the Family

Tamara Berry



**A new soft-boiled mystery from Edgar Award-winning author Tamara Berry! Amber Winslow thought she had troubles before, and that was before her grandma was arrested for murder...**

- **New space:** The first lighthearted, soft-boiled TP mystery from Edgar award winner Tamara Berry
- **Fantastic hook:** A millennial amateur sleuth joins forces with a retirement community full of busybody podcasters; intergenerational fiction is seeing a spike and this fits perfectly with what readers are looking for

Amber Winslow's life has taken a serious turn for the worse. When an impulsive decision forces her to flee her former life carrying nothing but the clothes on her back, she heads to the sunny state of Arizona...and to the luxury accommodations of her grandmother's retirement community. But as soon as she sneaks her things into Seven Ponds—a place she technically doesn't qualify for and definitely can't afford—she finds that her Grandma Jade is about to be arrested for murder. With the help of the other retirees and her grandma's true crime podcast friends, Amber must work to find the real killer.

USA Today bestselling author CATHERINE BRUNS lives in Upstate New York with her husband, three sons, and pets. Catherine has a B.A. in both English and performing arts and is a former newspaper reporter and press release writer. Readers are invited to visit her website at [catherinebruns.net](http://catherinebruns.net).

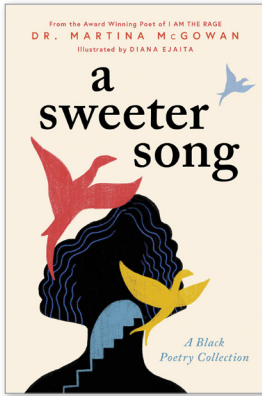
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Mystery		TP
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WORLD		

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## A Sweeter Song

*Catharsis: A Poetry Collection*  
Martina McGowan



**A much anticipated follow up to Martina McGowan's award winning debut, *I Am the Rage*, her latest poetry collection explores the fractured emotions of being a Black woman in America**

- **A much needed perspective in a popular space:** While illustrated poetry collections have been gaining popularity in recent months and years as a popular trend/bestselling space (think Rupi Kaur and Amanda Lovelace) very few explore and face the issue of race, making this an important contribution to the popular poetry space
- **A highly anticipated follow up:** *A Sweeter Song*, follow-up to *I am the Rage*, which sold more than 13k copies, builds upon familiar themes in McGowan's poetry, but provides new content for readers

*A Sweeter Song* moves beyond the rage of McGowan's first poetry collection by showing that there is more than one dimension to the lives of people of color, women, and other marginalized and oppressed peoples, focusing on universal issues we all face as human beings.

The issues covered in this collection include, but are not limited to:

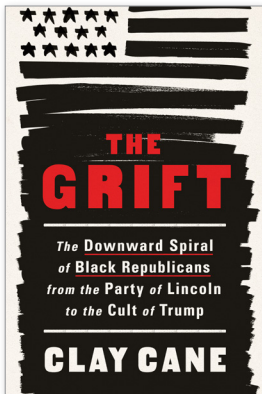
- Personal history/ Parents/ Ancestors
- Love/Lust/ Loss
- Biblical Religion
- Death/Dying/ Aging
- War /Politics

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Poetry	TP
Sourcebooks	224 Pages
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## The Grift

*The Downward Spiral of Black Republicans from the Party of Lincoln to the Cult of Trump*  
Clay Cane



**Award-winning journalist and SiriusXM radio host Clay Cane reveals how over a 200-year history, Black Republicans have transformed from leaders of justice to insidious sellouts who have aligned themselves with white supremacists in order to gain power**

- **Exposure through EBONY:** A powerhouse property, this book will reach a large audience through EBONY's guaranteed promotion in print, digital, podcast, book club, and more
- **Perfect for individuals tuned into social issues:** Readers are tending to gravitate towards books on contemporary politics, especially those with a Black narrative

Once upon a time, Black Republicans were revolutionaries. Today, many see them as traitors, selling their souls for power. In 2021, Black conservatives are the greatest grift.

Journalist and radio host Clay Cane examines how the Republican party evolved into a safe space for racists and how Black Republicans attempt to gain power by aligning themselves with white supremacy. Black Republicans consistently make viral news, whether it's Senator Tim Scott, 2016 presidential candidate Ben Carson, or radical conservative commentator Candace Owens, who proudly upholds white supremacy to gain power.

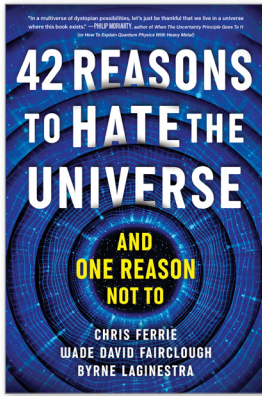
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Politics	HC
Sourcebooks	400 Pages
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## 42 Reasons to Hate the Universe

(And One Reason Not To)

Chris Ferrie



From bestselling author Chris Ferrie comes an out-of-this-world pop science space book on how the universe is, indeed, trying to kill us all

- **Acclaimed author:** Chris Ferrie is the #1 bestselling science author for kids, with more than 1 million books sold worldwide, proving his ability to effectively communicate scientific ideas to the masses
- **Popular nonfiction space:** Readers of Randall Munroe's monumental *What If* series, which has sold almost 1 million books worldwide, and books such as *We Have No Idea* will be captivated by Ferrie's wit and humor, welcoming his work into the science space

Yes, the Universe is beautiful. And, despite all our scientific progress, it's still pretty mysterious. But you know what? The Universe is also kind of an asshole.

Consider that you are just a group of atoms structured in a specific way that you can try to understand this thing we call existence. Those same atoms could have just as easily been used to make the dog shit you are cleaning off your shoes. The fact is, when you zoom out and look at the Universe and how it functions, you'll see that it's usually not in our favor. Many of the laws of physics are just kind of... dick-ish.

In this book, you'll discover why: You're an aging mutant, Most water will kill you, The Universe could be deleted any second, And 39 more reasons to hate the Universe—along with the one reason we have to love it despite all the shit it throws our way.

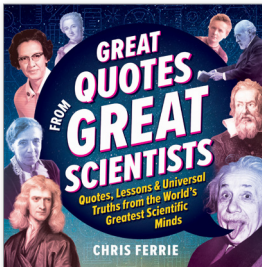
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## Great Quotes from Great Scientists

Quotes, Lessons, and Universal Truths from the World's Greatest Scientific Minds

Chris Ferrie



From #1 bestselling author Chris Ferrie comes a collection of can't miss quotes and life lessons from some of history's greatest scientists!

- **A bestselling author:** Chris Ferrie has sold millions of books worldwide with his **Baby University** brand; he is now entering into the quote space, giving adults their own taste of scientific knowledge in an inspirational way!
- **A perfect gift for science lovers:** This quote book is the perfect gift for every season, but especially for graduations, birthdays, and big life changes when people can become inspired by the life lessons scientists have to offer.

Mixing famous scientists from history with modern-age ground breakers, this collection explores life lessons from the scientific mindset of: experiment, fail, repeat. Curiosity is king and finding answers through the process of learning (and failure) is all any good scientist can ask! This giftable package offers quotes and life lessons that are equally educational and inspirational, allowing people to learn and feel inspired when meeting new challenges and in their every day life.

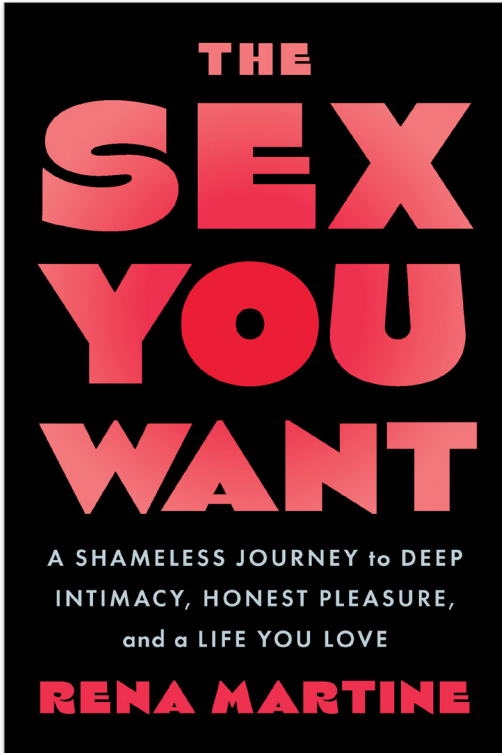
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Self-help		HC
Simple Truths		208 Pages
WORLD		

# The Sex You Want

*A Shameless Journey to Deep Intimacy, Honest Pleasure, and a Life You Love*

Rena Martine



**Greet sexual intimacy without shame with this proactive and personable guide to deeper intimacy, inner wisdom, and better sex—from an expert women’s intimacy coach**

- **Proven impact:** The author’s coaching clients have not only improved their sex lives, but also developed the assurance to change jobs, set boundaries, and listen closely to their own desires
- **Distinct voice:** Rena’s unique tone combines first-hand expertise and empathy in equal measure to educate readers while normalizing their experiences and feelings
- **Timely empowerment:** In the uncertain aftermath of the Dobbs decision, this book empowers women to make their own choices about their bodies and lives without bowing to external expectations

After spending years in a sexless marriage, Rena Martine sought out a therapist to “fix” her. Instead, the therapist empowered Rena to walk the path from shameful to shameless.

Rena ended her vanilla marriage in favor of a kinky lifestyle, released the dictum of monogamy to embrace an open relationship structure, and dropped the perfectionist “cool girl” act to show up as her actual self on dates. But learning how to do all of that was a full-time job.

Featuring frank and relatable anecdotes from Rena’s own journey, as well as the stories of her clients, *Shameless* guides readers through the murky waters of understanding and acting on their own desires, including Internal narratives and unconscious biases that may be trapping you in patterns of shame. The book gives you actionable and tested advice on:

- Sexual curiosity and exploration with or without a partner
- Healthy relationship structures, monogamous or not
- Sexual experimentation outside the vanilla box

Written with empathy and candor, this book gives women a broad understanding of intimacy’s many forms and invites them to be curious, confident, and courageous about what they really want.

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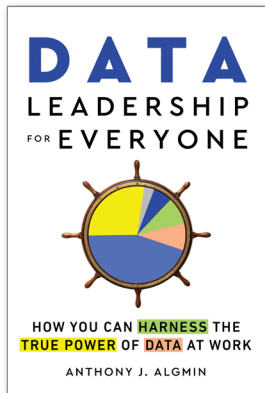
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## Data Leadership for Everyone

*How You Can Harness the True Power of Data at Work*

Anthony J. Algin



The book on data that everyone working in business needs to read!

- **A user-friendly approach:** Written in an accessible, conversational style, *Data Leadership for Everyone* is a book that anyone can read and learn from about the impact data can have on a business
- **Offers over 150+ data insights:** This book is packed with concrete, actionable steps readers can take right away to move their business forward using the data that's unique to them

Data is quickly becoming our most abundant resource. Technology has advanced to the point where we have access to robust data on just about anything we can imagine—but most business leaders still lack a fundamental understanding about what to do with that data, how its power could propel their organization forward, and how the failure to harness it will almost certainly lead to their business faltering.

*Data Leadership for Everyone* will help you truly transform your business's future with data, showing you:

- the precise definition of data and why you should focus on maximizing it
- How to build early momentum with the Simple Virtuous Cycle
- The Data Leadership Framework—a comprehensive approach to balancing your limited resources among five categories and twenty-five disciplines
- Over 150 make-an-impact takeaways to help you become a better Data Leader

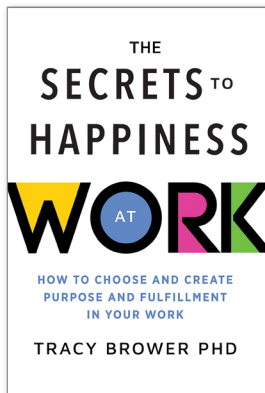
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Business	TP
Sourcebooks	336 Pages
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## The Secrets to Happiness at Work

*How to Choose and Create Purpose and Fulfillment in Your Work*

Tracy Brower PhD



How to turn surviving into THRIVING at work and create healthy work-life boundaries

- **Societal need:** We are facing unprecedented levels of stress in our work and our lives, and work is typically framed as drudgery
- **Engaging speaker:** Dr. Tracy Brower is an award-winning speaker whose work has been featured in TEDx, the *Wall Street Journal*, *Inc. Magazine*, and more

*The Secrets to Happiness at Work* sets a foundation by making the case for joyful work and life, pointing to research on personal, family, and child health. From stress and sleep to marriage and child development, joyful work is a critical part of a healthy life.

Author Dr. Tracy Brower provides key touchpoints on fundamental human needs and supports these touchpoints with compelling neuroscience that will drive readers' understanding of their experiences at work. In addition, the book debunks myths of work life in order to provide the reader with new ways of thinking about not only work, but life.

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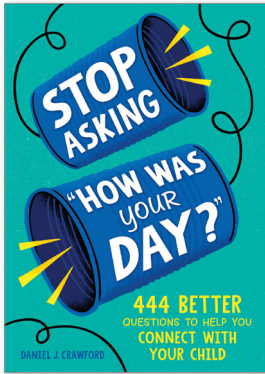
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Business	TP
Simple Truths	240 Pages
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## Stop Asking “How Was Your Day?”

444 Better Questions to Help You Connect with Your Child

Daniel J. Crawford



A practical and simple tool that helps parents find questions to ask and a way to connect with their children day after day

- An invaluable resource that encourages communication: This book provides diverse and open-ended questions for parents of schoolchildren of all ages and walks of life. Some questions are fun, some are deep and reflective, and some are silly. Ultimately, this book is about communication.
- A simple, effortless tool that can be used again and again: Designed to get the ball rolling to encourage openness, connection, and communication, the book can be easily flipped through to find the right questions for the appropriate moment.

We've all been there: The kids come home from school tired and distracted, and we try to connect with them by asking the same questions day after day. Well, this book will help you find the right questions to connect with your child today and every day.

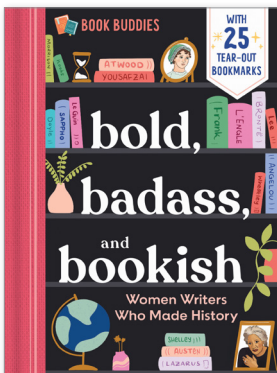
How was school? "What did you learn today?" "Did you have fun?" If we are lucky, we might get a little more than "Fine" or "It was good" in return. Maybe we're asking the wrong questions. The good news is that this book will help you find the right questions to connect with your child every day. *Stop Asking "How Was Your Day?"* is an invaluable tool that can be used again and again. Easy to flip through while waiting in the pickup lane outside school or before sitting down to dinner, this book provides diverse and open-ended questions for parents of schoolchildren of all ages and walks of life. Some questions are fun, some are thoughtful, and some are silly. Ultimately, this book is about communication.

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## Bold, Badass, and Bookish: Women Writers Who Made History

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Don't read alone—get a Book Buddy! *Book Buddies* is a bookmark, an artbook, a quote book, and MORE!

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- A bibliophile's dream gift: The beautifully illustrated pages and perforated bookmarks are ready for removing and inspiring all readers—and make this book a great gift for anyone that loves books

*Book Buddies: Fearless Women Writers* is an homage to feminist icons in the literary world.

Quotes, bios, fun facts, and illustrations of bold, visionary female writers fill each page. With iconic quotes from writers such as Audre Lorde, Jane Austen, and Toni Morrison, these bookmarks will motivate readers to read fearlessly and be inspiring!

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## Every Day Spirit

*A Daybook of Wisdom, Joy and Peace*

Mary Davis



Fill your heart with encouragement, joy, and peace every day of the year with this inspirational and meditative companion!

- **Powerhouse author and track:** *Every Day Spirit* has already sold over 15K+ copies, and quotes from the book have generated a huge social media following, allowing for an existing and expanding audience.
- **Easy and accessible content:** 365-day reflections are simple, inspirational, and actionable.

In this uplifting and transformational book, spiritual teacher Mary Davis shares daily reflections, inspirational quotes, practices, prayers, and meditations that fill your heart with encouragement, joy, and inner peace. With a page for each day of the year, this gentle book will become a companion and a wise teacher that takes you on a spiritual journey of finding happiness and gratitude in simple things, peace and comfort even in the midst of chaos, and a deeper love for others through kindness, compassion and service.

MARY DAVIS is a wisdom seeker, spiritual teacher, visionary, graphic artist and mystic entrepreneur. Her wallpaper app, Every Day Spirit Lock Screens, brings a little love, beauty, and inspiration to phones around the world. Mary received her BSN from Georgetown University's School of Nursing, after which she spent many fun years as a musician, songwriter, producer, piano teacher, and yoga instructor. She completed her Compassionate Bereavement Counseling certification in 2017 and works with parents who have lost children and in hospice care. She has a house by the sea and lives a contemplative life in harmony with nature.

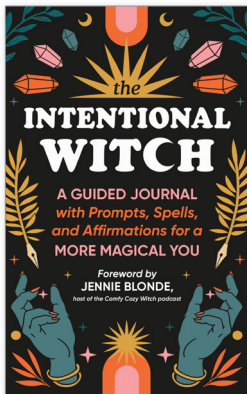
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Self-help	HC
Sourcebooks	400 Pages
WORLD	

## The Intentional Witch

*A Guided Journal with Prompts, Spells, and Affirmations for a More Magical You*

Sourcebooks



Reconnect with yourself and your magic by living life with intention!

- **Magically on trend:** All things witchy continue to top Amazon bestseller lists from spell books to planners, tarot decks, and journals. *The Intentional Witch* will bring fresh and timely content with its focus on mindfulness and intention in an increasingly unstable world
- **Bewitching data:** Data and research shows maintained interest in spiritual/inspirational/self-care spaces as well as witchcraft spaces for a winning boyband combination

It's hard to be a witch in this fast-paced world! Get yourself back on track and reconnected with your inner magic with this inspirational guided journal. Inside are 52 prompts – a magical brew brimming with writing exercises, affirmations, and activities to help ground yourself, grow your talents, and blossom into the goddess you were meant to be.

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Self-help	TP
Sourcebooks	224 Pages
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# The Deaf Girl

*A Memoir of Hearing Loss, Hope, and Fighting Against the Odds*

Abigail Heringer



An inspiring memoir of disability, fame, and identity

- As a fan-favorite contestant on *The Bachelor* and *Bachelor in Paradise*, Abigail's story will appeal to all members of #BachelorNation
- The author has a significant platform with 772k followers on Instagram and 127.4k followers on TikTok
- A powerful and empowering memoir of disability, shining a new light on the deaf experience and cochlear implants

Abigail Heringer made her television debut as an instant fan-favorite on ABC's *The Bachelor*. Stepping out of the luxurious limo, she confidently approached her bachelor and let him know that she'd be staring at his lips all night for two reasons: (1) she was born deaf and (2) he has some nice-looking lips.

But Abigail's life didn't start out with this level of self-assured energy. In fact, it started with barely any at all. As a deaf child and natural introvert, Abigail was terrified of the spotlight—always afraid of how people would react to her disability and how her presence would inconvenience others. But with the support of her family (especially her deaf older sister), she learned that the world would walk all over her if she let it. Only through becoming her fiercest advocate and loudest champion could she ever learn to find her own voice.

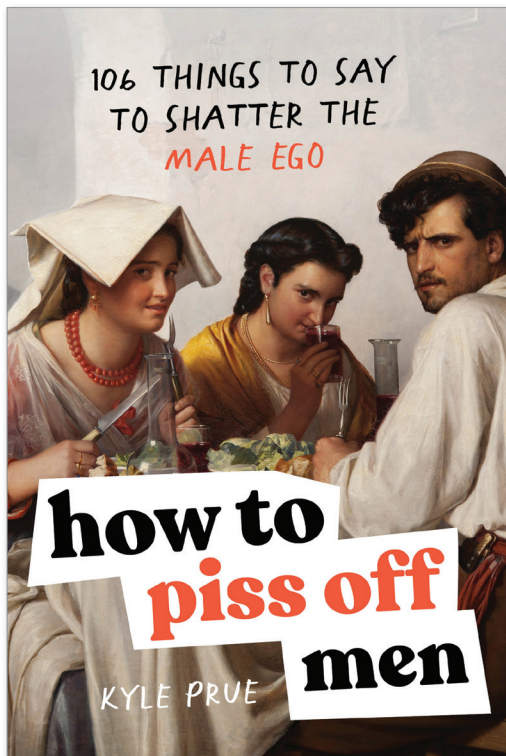
ABIGAIL HERINGER was born and raised in Oregon in 1995. She was born deaf but received cochlear implants at an early age which gave her the ability to process sounds including speech. She is known most notably from her time on ABC's *Bachelor* and *Bachelor in Paradise*. Abigail made history by being the first cast member with a hearing impairment. This brought national attention and awareness to the unseen disabilities that some people face on a daily basis.

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Memoir	HC
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WORLD	

# How to Piss Off Men

106 Things to Say to Shatter the Male Ego

Kyle Prue



Your ultimate handbook for verbally destroying any man's ego

- A social media sensation on this topic: The author hosts a viral TikTok series on this topic, which has gained millions of views
- A large social media following guarantees book attention: The author has more than a million followers on TikTok
- A giftable book for so many: The humor and subject matter make this highly giftable

Have you ever been badgered by an annoying pick-up artist at the bar? Ever felt a burning desire to emotionally torture a friend's boyfriend in an act of revenge? Have you ever endured just talking to a man before?

If so, then this book is for you.

With more than 100 phrases, questions, and comebacks, *How to Piss Off Men* is your essential guide to sending even the most relentless mansplainer into an existential crisis. Whether it's referring to his expensive NFL jersey as "cosplay" or letting him know he has the confidence of a much taller man, this handbook will ensure you're equipped to combat toxic masculinity in any situation.\*

\* The advice in this book has been thoroughly tested for effectiveness. Even on the author, bless his heart.

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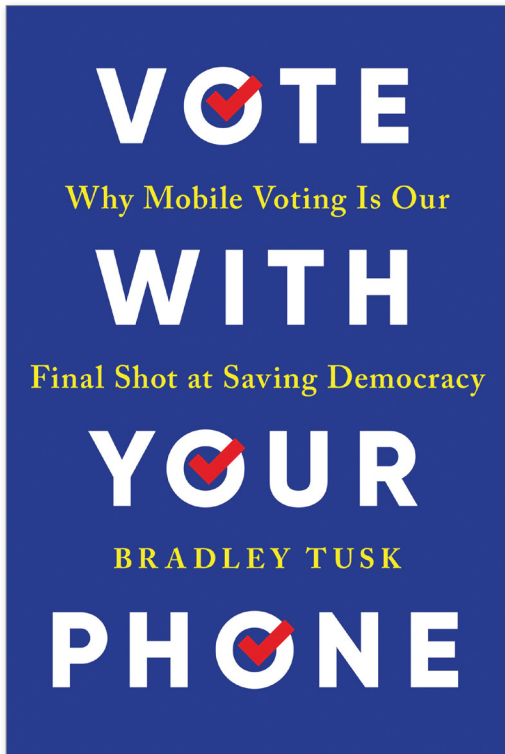
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Humor	TP
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# Vote With Your Phone

*Why Mobile Voting Is Our Final Shot at Saving Democracy*

Bradley Tusk



From Bradley Tusk, prominent philanthropist and creator of the Mobile Voting movement, comes an urgent and timely analysis of our broken democracy and the revolutionary way we can fix it: voting from our phones.

- **An author with reach:** Bradley Tusk of Tusk philanthropies, is an incredibly prominent public figure with a wide-reaching voice, and this book will be a companion to his grassroots Mobile Voting campaign.
- **Timely topic for the 2024 election:** This call to action is just in time for the sure-to-be heated 2024 election, when voters will be thinking about the type of change they wish to see in this world.
- **Tech debates:** With more discourse surrounding technology and its uses, the idea of mobile voting and its impact on voter turnout and representation is sure to appeal to those curious about our technological world.

The way we vote is broken.

Poll after poll reveals that most Americans agree on major issues—gun control, climate change, healthcare—but low voter turnout keeps our elected officials on the far ends of the political spectrum and unable to compromise. Every policy output is the result of political input, and our inputs are not representative. Our voting system is heavily influenced by special interests among politicians who worry about their next elections and little else.

The technology exists to fix this problem by drastically increasing voter turnout: mobile voting.

We do just about everything on our phones, but we can't use them to vote. But since 2018, mobile voting pilots and audits have taken place in 21 elections and 7 states. This technology has the ability to exponentially increase voter turnout and restore faith in the promise of a representative democracy where compromise and bipartisanship are possible. This book introduces the history, opposition, and potential of mobile voting to generate grassroots support and encourage us to seize the solution we already have.

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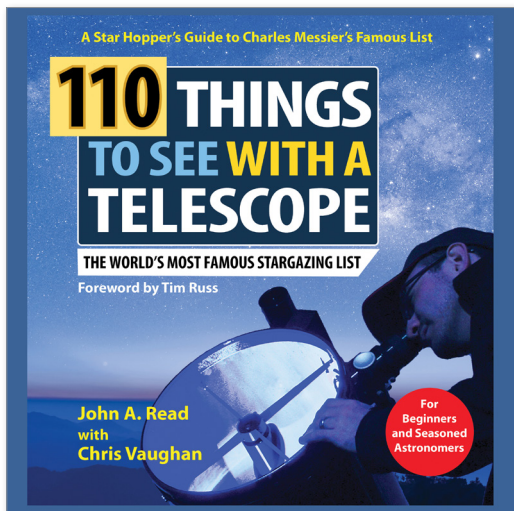
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Politics	TP
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# 110 Things to See with a Telescope

*The World's Most Famous Stargazing List*

John A. Read



Learn to find 110 of the most popular stargazing targets with the perfect book for new and experienced backyard astronomers. Grab your telescope and explore the galaxy!

- **Self-pub favorite:** Successful self-published astronomy book for beginners that has sold 25,000+ copies since its initial publication in July 2021
- **Social media expert:** Savvy author who executes well-organized marketing plans and receives more than 100k YouTube views per month
- **Popular hobby:** Stargazing continues to be a popular hobby for adults and keyword search data indicates this is a continuing trend

This book and a telescope are all you need to find, view, and record your observations of the 110 most popular stargazing targets. Over 200 years ago, French comet hunter Charles Messier published a list of comet-like objects he saw through his telescope. While he dismissed them as a nuisance, we now know them as star clusters, nebulae, and galaxies! As some of the finest celestial sights to explore with your backyard telescope, these objects are especially perfect for those looking to move beyond the Moon and planets.

Finding the 110 Messier (pronounced Messy-ay) objects has never been easier! We provide a star map for each target—plus written directions for how to find it by star-hopping, an “eyepiece view” image to confirm you’re seeing it, observing tips from two veteran stargazers, and interesting facts. We also highlight additional nearby objects.

These objects are presented in their recommended viewing order—either by season, or during an all-night marathon. Each page contains an observation log so you can track your progress. Whether you’re a veteran stargazer or a budding astronomer, this book is your best guide to seeing each deep-sky object in Messier’s list!

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Astronomy	TP
Sourcebooks	144 Pages
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# I'm Sorry for My Loss

*Undoing Our Cultural Ignorance Around Pregnancies that End Without a Baby*

Rebecca Little and Colleen Long



A comprehensive sociological look at the laws, pop culture, medicine, and history surrounding female grief and pregnancy loss, how it came to be so stigmatized, and what a system of more compassionate care could look like, from Pulitzer Prize finalist and White House correspondent Colleen Long and freelance journalist Rebecca Little

- **No book like this on the market:** Explores pregnancy loss through deep research into laws, pop culture, medicine, history, and personal narratives, offering a comprehensive sociological look at how pregnancy loss came to be so stigmatized, an angle that no other book on the market takes
- **Broad audience appeal:** Beyond people who have experienced pregnancy loss themselves or their loved ones, readers interested in issues of feminism, social justice, and reproductive rights will also be interested in this book

Rebecca Little and Colleen Long are journalists and childhood friends who both experienced pregnancy losses past 20 weeks. In the days, weeks, and months that followed, they searched desperately for information to help them process what they had been through. But they found nothing.

So, Rebecca and Colleen began to research. Diving deep into the history, culture, and science around pregnancy loss, they discovered that the helplessness and loneliness they felt was not a coincidence. Over the past several decades, American culture has been placing more and more emphasis on the rights and life of the fetus—at the cost and well-being of the mother. Politics, history, racism, misogyny, capitalism, and medicine have been working separately and together to choke off grief related to pregnancy loss.

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Social Sciences	HC
Sourcebooks	400 Pages
WORLD	

COLLEEN LONG, a White House correspondent for The Associated Press whose work has appeared in every major news publication in the world, was a finalist for a Pulitzer Prize in 2019. She lives in Washington DC.

# How to Be a Saint

*An Extremely Weird and Mildly Sacrilegious History of The Catholic Church's Biggest Names*

Kate Sidley



A satirical guide book that's part history lesson, part sacrilege, and an entirely good time.

- **Hilariously written and thoroughly researched, this book is perfectly giftable for fans of history and humor.**
- **The author is well-connected in the media industry, across television and journalism.**
- **All-too-relatable humor for anyone who's ever sat through Catholic mass.**

Becoming a saint may sound like an unattainable goal, but lucky for you, thousands of souls have paved the way—setting a clear formula for getting the job done while also leaving a rich, disturbing history behind them.

So if you want to earn your halo (or you just like your history with a side of comedy), this book is for you.

How to Be a Saint explores the wild stories of saints and the bizarrely bureaucratic process of canonization, leading readers on a journey from death to eternal fame and glory.

Whether you were raised as a devout Catholic or your knowledge of the Catholic Church extends as far as a half-finished Dan Brown novel, this book promises an informative, hilarious, wild ride.

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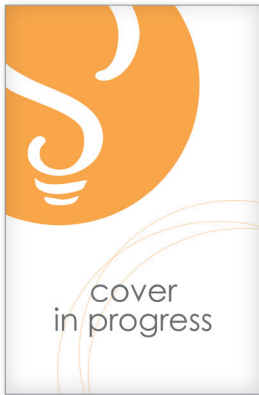
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Humor	HC
Sourcebooks	160 Pages
WORLD	

KATE SIDLEY is a Writers Guild and Peabody award-winning, seven-time Emmy-nominated writer and performer living in New York. Currently, she is a writer and digital content producer for *The Late Show* with Stephen Colbert. In addition to her comedy writing, Kate is a recovering Catholic school girl. To this day, she refuses to wear plaid skirts.

## This Book Is a Retreat

77 Soul-Nourishing Questions to Reconnect with Yourself

Marianne Richmond



Embark on a journey of self-discovery and reconnect with your authentic self with this inspirational art guided journal from Marianne Richmond!

- **Beloved, bestselling author:** Marianne Richmond has touched millions of lives with her bestselling products for both children and adults
- **Unique in the marketplace:** Focusing on the bestselling guided journal space for women with the added creative art therapy content in gorgeous packaging that stands out on shelf and online

From bestselling author and illustrator Marianne Richmond comes an inspirational art guided journal that ignites the soul, cultivates mindfulness, and awakens the heart. Containing enriching themes and dozens of curated prompts designed to spark joy, presence, and self-discovery, this journal is the perfect companion for anyone looking to engage with their creativity, nourish their spirit, and find greater meaning in life by connecting or reconnecting with themselves.

Beloved author and illustrator, MARIANNE RICHMOND, has touched the lives of millions for two decades through her award-winning books, greeting cards, and other gift products that offer people the most heartfelt way to connect with each other. She lives in Nashville, Tennessee. Visit [www.mariannerichmond.com](http://www.mariannerichmond.com).

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Self-help	HC
Sourcebooks	Pages
WORLD	

## The Childfree Guide to Life and Money

Make Your Finances Simple So Your Life Without Kids Can Be Amazing

Jay Zigmont PhD, MBA, CFP®



Living a life of childfree wealth means you have the time, money, and freedom to do what you want. Jay Zigmont, PhD, MBA, CFP®, and founder of Childfree Wealth, shares how to plan for the life you want and then figure out a financial plan that will get you there, using his FILE (financial independence, live early) method

- **Massive audience and growing:** In a recent study, 1 in 5 adults said they are childfree, meaning they don't have kids and never plan to. It's also estimated that there are between 50 and 60 million Americans who are childfree, and that number is only expected to get bigger
- **Meeting an unmet need:** This is one of the first books on the subject and will meet an underserved, largely ignored, yet growing market in a big way

In a recent study, 1 in 5 adults said they are childfree, meaning they don't have kids and never plan to. It's also estimated that there are between 50 and 60 million Americans who are childfree, and that number is only expected to get bigger. When it comes to financial planning, most benchmarks assume you do have children or will have them someday. For childfree people who are not looking to leave behind generational wealth for their kids, not having to save for their kids' college, and probably not needing life insurance, this advice is not helpful. All this to say: Financial planning looks vastly different for folks who are childfree.

Jay Zigmont is a certified financial planner who specializes in working with clients who are childfree. He was featured or mentioned in 240 media outlets in 2022 alone, including MarketWatch, Wall Street Journal, CNBC, PopSugar, and USA Today. You may have heard of the FIRE concept in personal finance (financial independence, retire early), but Jay helps people FILE (financial independence, LIVE early), meaning you're not planning to go to the grave with accrued wealth that you'll then leave to your children.

### DECEMBER 24

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Self-help	TP
Sourcebooks	320 Pages
WORLD	

JAY ZIGMONT, Ph.D., MBA, CFP® is the founder of Childfree Wealth, a life and financial planning firm dedicated to helping childfree and permanently childless people. Dr. Jay is a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™, Childfree Wealth Specialist, and author of the book *Portraits of Childfree Wealth*. His Ph.D. is in Adult Learning from the University of Connecticut, and his MBA is from Southern Connecticut State University. Dr. Jay is regularly seen in the press discussing childfree finances. In 2022, he was featured or mentioned in 240 press articles, podcasts, shows, and more. He lives in Mississippi.

## Feelin' Myself

Healing Self-Esteem for Black Women  
Dr. Donna Oriowo



Self-esteem, confidence, and sexual satisfaction are not one-size-fits-all problems. But in a world built on white supremacy, they sure are treated that way. *Feelin' Myself* is the ultimate self-help resource for Black women and women of color that acknowledges you, reader, are not the problem. The problem is the racist system that told you you are.

Dr. Donna Oriowo has three missions in her work as a sex therapist. She's here to help Black women feel free, fabulous, and f'cked! But in a world built on ideals of white supremacy, many of the "self-help" resources out there are doing the exact opposite for women of color.

By helping readers understand the history and psychology behind the white-centric world of self-help, Dr. Donna breaks down unrealistic expectations and guides readers on a path to reclaiming their self-esteem, loving themselves unconditionally, advocating for their best interests, and unlocking the secrets to a happy, healthy, fulfilling sex life.

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9781728281513		\$17.99 U.S.
Self-help		TP
Sourcebooks		208 Pages
WORLD		

## Thinking Like a Human

David Weitzner



AI is at the forefront of everyone's minds: from students and artists, to CEO's and service workers. But what exactly is AI, and how does it influence our everyday lives? And more than that, is there a way for us to retain our "humanness" in a world ever-reliant on tech?

- **Super timely:** AI continues to be a discussion-worthy and this is a completely fresh take on the topic
- **Accessible:** using holistic human stories to explore the topic, Weitzner's book transcends politics and offers a nuanced discussion of a big topic
- **Audience potential:** for fans of pop-sci and big idea nonfiction, futurists, leaders; author is regularly invited to speak and write on the topic and runs a blog with over 200,000 monthly readers

This groundbreaking book argues that the key technology we use to make strategic, political, and ethical decisions is flawed. As we race headlong into a future where we outsource all of our problem solving to artificial intelligence, the greatest threat to humanity is not superintelligent machinery, but a lack of trust in the power of our own minds. This book offers a new way forward—our humanness can help each of us make better decisions and create a healthier relationship with the world around us.

In these pages, Dr. David Weitzner walks us through how AI often fails and how that affects our lives. But readers will also meet the rockstars, inventors, and business leaders who embody truly human thinking and are changing our world for the better in an era rampant with AI malpractice—while being taught how to do the same.

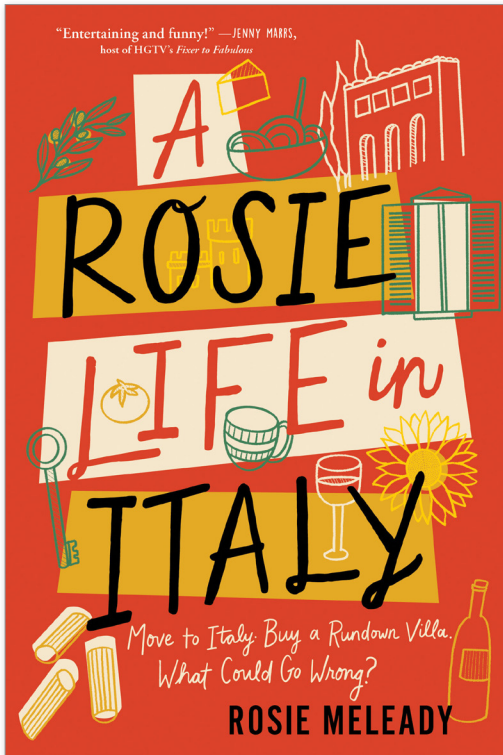
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Science		HC
Sourcebooks		Pages
WORLD excl. CA		

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# A Rosie Life in Italy

*Move to Italy. Buy a Rundown Villa. What Could Go Wrong?*

Rosie Meleady



Live vicariously through an Irish wedding planner as she moves her family to the Italian countryside, where they accidentally buy a 22-room derelict villa from eight cousins in the middle of a huge family dispute. This charming and hilarious living memoir is HGTV meets *Under the Tuscan Sun*.

- **Beloved setting:** Lighthearted, uplifting, and escapist read that booksellers and readers are craving, set in the ever-popular location of the Italian countryside
- **Major cross-genre appeal:** For readers of both nonfiction travel memoir and women's fiction
- **Successful self-published author with room to build:** Author has built up a loyal following of readers, and she is eager to help promote in any way that she can

Who hasn't dreamed of moving to the Italian countryside, buying and renovating a rundown villa?

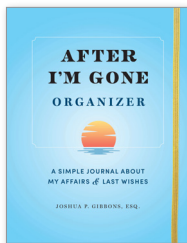
Well, that's exactly what Rosie Meleady, a wedding planner, did, when she moved her family from cold, wet, overpriced Ireland to Italy, where she and her husband accidentally bought a 22-room derelict villa in Umbria from eight crazy cousins...in the middle of a global pandemic...

While living in Italy is many people's idea of paradise, it's not all sunshine and gelato. Rosie pulls back the curtain to reveal some of the more stress-inducing parts of living abroad: navigating the many complex layers of buying a home in Italy, the tribulations of the COVID pandemic, and how difficult it was for them to integrate themselves into their new residence, all while introducing a bevy of hilarious characters and the friends they make along the way.

Irish author ROSIE MELEADY has been a magazine publisher and editor since 1994. She won the International Women in Publishing Award 1996 at the ripe old age of 24. She couldn't attend the award ceremony in London as she decided it would also be a good day to give birth. She now lives happily ever after in Italy disguised as a wedding planner, while renovating the villa and writing long into the night.

OCTOBER 24

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Memoir	TP
Sourcebooks	368 Pages
WORLD	



## After I'm Gone Organizer

*A Simple Journal About My Affairs and Last Wishes*

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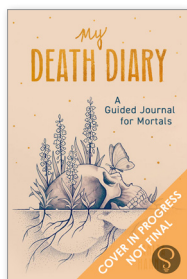
Give yourself and your loved ones the gift of peace of mind and get your affairs in order with *After I'm Gone!*

- **Comprehensive, simple organization:** Includes space to record vital personal information and document locations all in one convenient location, making everything easily accessible when needed by you or your loved ones
- **Includes expert information:** Written by a licensed attorney with expertise in real estate, consumers can be assured they have the most accurate and up-to-date information, tips, and tricks for settling their affairs

APRIL 24

9781728271002	\$16.99 U.S.
Legal Reference	TP
Sourcebooks	96 Pages
WORLD	

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## My Death Diary

*A Guided Journal for Mortals*

Anita Hannig

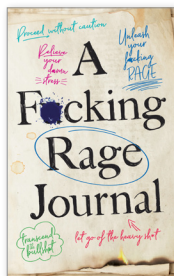
A guided self-care journal that helps you take time to reflect on your beliefs about death, grieve loved ones, and ultimately get more joy out of the life you're lucky enough to live

- **Unique self-care:** A completely new concept in the guided journal space that focuses on engaging with the idea of death to ultimately bring more joy, peace, and gratitude into our daily lives
- **Expert author:** Anita Hannig has taught a university-level course on death and dying and is the author of *The Day I Die*, an acclaimed narrative nonfiction book about medical assistance in dying in America

DECEMBER 24

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Self-help	TP
Sourcebooks	192 Pages
WORLD	

ANITA HANNIG is an applied anthropologist whose work explores the cultural dimensions of medicine. In recent years, Hannig has emerged as a leading voice on death literacy in America, giving interviews for the *Washington Post*, *USA Today*, and the *Boston Globe*. She is the author of the award-winning book *Beyond Surgery* and has written for *Cognoscenti*, *The Seattle Times*, and *Undark Magazine*, among others. Her work has been supported by multiple fellowships and grants.



## F\*cking Rage Journal

Olive Michaels

Relieve your stress, release your emotions, and rage at this fun destructive journal and activity book!

- **Journaling to reduce stress:** Stress levels are at an all-time high after the pandemic and general instability of the world; research suggests journaling can help you reduce stress, anxiety, cope with life changes, and possibly even combat burnout
- **Accessible and relatable:** Prompts are easy and accessible; people who journal regularly and those who have never journaled before should be drawn to this fun destructive journal and activity book

Calendars & Gifts to Swear By

JANUARY 24

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Self-help	TP
Sourcebooks	176 Pages
WORLD	

young adult



# Somewhere in the Deep

Tanvi Berwah



**Krescent Dune is used to fighting monsters on her island, but she's unprepared for the monsters lurking in the deep in this new South Asian-inspired fantasy from the highly-acclaimed author of *Monsters Born and Made***

- **A tidal wave of buzz:** Tanvi Berwah's debut, *Monsters Born and Made*, was a Book Riot Must-Read South Asian Book of 2022, a *Buzzfeed* Highly Anticipated YA Book of the Summer 2022, and has a growing TikTok presence with over 250k views on the tag #MonstersBornandMade
- **Hold your breath pacing:** With undertones of cosmic horror and a friends-to-lovers storyline, *Somewhere in the Deep* starts off with the author's signature breathtaking pace and doesn't let up as we follow our protagonists deep into the dark as they battle monsters seen and unseen
- **Story information:** *Somewhere in the Deep* is a standalone companion novel that takes place in the same world as *Monsters Born and Made*, but with an entirely new cast of characters, perfect for fans of Leigh Bardugo's *Grishaverse*

Krescent Dune is buried under the weight of her dead parents' debt and the ruinous legacy they left behind. The only way she can earn enough money to escape her unforaging island is by fighting monstrous amphibians in underground fighting pits. She's never lost a match, until now.

Desperate, Krescent is offered a deal. Her debts will be erased if she joins a hunting party for a dangerous rescue mission deep beneath the island. With no other choice, Krescent is forced to play nice as the group's bodyguard, even though every step that brings them deeper underground means she must face the terrifying truth that she is trapped with her childhood enemy and people who would gladly kill her if they knew who her parents were.

As the group journeys down beyond where their maps end with creatures never seen before, Krescent begins to suspect there's more to their rescue mission than first meets the eye. Soon enough, they are abandoned in the deep dark underground, with only monsters seen and unseen for company.



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Young Adult Fiction  
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WORLD

\$18.99 U.S.  
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384 Pages  
Ages 14–18

TANVI BERWAH is a South Asian writer who grew up wanting to touch the stars and reach back in time. Her debut YA novel *Monsters Born and Made*, a book that has something to say and isn't afraid to say it to your face (*Lightspeed Magazine*), is out now. Find her at [tanviberwah.com](http://tanviberwah.com).

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## The Summer After You and Me

Jennifer Salvato Duktorski



**Lucy struggles to heal her heart as her hometown recovers from a devastating hurricane—now with a fresh new package!**

- **Commercial appeal:** The perfect summer read for fans of K.L. Walther and Jenny Han
- **Atmospheric beach read:** Set at the Jersey Shore, this story is full of details that make for an immersive and emotional experience. Perfect vacation reading or for feeling like you've traveled "down the shore"

Lucy loves her life at the New Jersey shore. But nothing has been the same since the Big Storm—the one that tore apart her barrier island home and briefly brought together a local girl like herself and a vacationer like Connor Malloy.

When Connor goes back to his life in the city, Lucy is left to piece together her broken home and broken heart. And just when she's making progress—even finding romance with her longtime friend Andrew—Connor reappears. Lucy is torn. Will it be a summer of new starts or second chances?

JENNIFER SALVATO DOKTORSKI is the author of several young adult novels, including *The Summer After You and Me*, a YALSA Teens' Top Ten nominee. She lives with her family in New Jersey, spending her summers "down the shore," where everything's always all right. You can find out more about her at [jenduktorski.com](http://jenduktorski.com).

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Young Adult Fiction	TP
Sourcebooks Fire	304 Pages
WORLD	Ages 14–18

## August and Everything After

Jennifer Salvato Duktorski



**After the accident that killed her best friend, a summer down the shore is the perfect opportunity for Quinn to grieve and find a fresh start in this summer romance by *The Summer After You and Me's* Jennifer Salvato Duktorski. Now with a fresh new package!**

- **Commercial appeal:** The perfect beach read, this novel is full of longing, broken hearts, and first love, with a hook that readers will relate to. Perfect for fans of K.L. Walther
- **Atmospheric, emotional read:** Set at the Jersey Shore, this story is full of details that make for an immersive and emotional experience. Excellent vacation reading or for feeling like you've traveled "down the shore"

Graduation was supposed to be a relief. Except! Quinn can't avoid the rumors that plagued her throughout high school or the barrage of well-intentioned questions about her college plans. How is she supposed to know what she wants to do for the next four years, let alone the rest of her life? And why does no one understand that it's hard for her to think about the future—or feel as if she even deserves one—when her best friend is dead?

Spending the summer with her aunt at the Jersey shore may be the fresh start Quinn so desperately needs. And when she meets Malcolm, a musician with his own haunted past, she starts to believe in second chances. Can Quinn find love while finding herself?

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Young Adult Fiction	TP
Sourcebooks Fire	320 Pages
WORLD	Ages 14–18

# The Sister Pact

Stacie Ramey



Allie and her sister, Leah, couldn't be closer. But when Leah breaks their suicide pact and kills herself, Allie is left to question everything she ever thought she knew about her sister...and herself. For fans of Kathleen Glasgow and Amber Smith

- For fans of Kathleen Glasgow, Amber Smith, and Jodi Picoult: Taps into that heart-rending (and mending) emotion that readers crave. As with Laura Nowlin's *If He Had Been With Me*, we are looking for our repackaged to bring a fresh readership to this backlist gem
- Intense and emotionally driven books sell well in YA: Stacie Ramey delivers a moving novel about suicide, depression, grief, divorce, sister rivalry, friendship issues, and the love that makes your heart flutter and the kind that calms it
- Reality or figment of her imagination?: Allie self-medicates to deal with her emotional pain and starts to hallucinate conversations with her sister—but readers will want to believe, like Allie, that she can still connect with Leah

Allie is devastated when her sister Leah commits suicide—and not just because she misses her. The two teens made a suicide pact so that they'd always be together, and Allie can't understand why she was left behind.

Drugs seem to be the only thing that help Allie with her grief, and it just so happens that her dealer might be the only one who knows why Leah did what she did. As Allie struggles to uncover the truth, she must come to terms with the fact that she wasn't as close to her sister as she thought...and that some secrets are best left buried.

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Young Adult Fiction  
Sourcebooks Fire  
WORLD

\$11.99 U.S.  
TP  
320 Pages  
Ages 14–18

STACIE RAMEY attended the University of Florida and Penn State, where she received a Master of Science degree in speech pathology. When she's not writing, she finds her happiness by engaging in Netflix wars with her children or beating her husband in Scrabble. She lives in Wellington, Florida, with her husband, three children, and two rescue dogs. Visit Stacie at [stacieramey.com](http://stacieramey.com).

# No Place Left to Hide

Megan Lally



There's nowhere Brooke can hide from her dark secrets in this twisty new thriller from *USA Today* bestselling author Megan Lally

- **Heart-pounding and twisty new thriller:** This YA psychological thriller has *I Know What You Did Last Summer* revenge vibes that are sure to keep readers hooked with an ending that will leave them buzzing
- **Rising star:** Megan's debut novel, *That's Not My Name*, was an instant *USA Today* bestseller. We are excited to continue building her publishing career and brand!
- **Midnight Reads:** With our Midnight Reads program, we have committed to publishing 10-12 trade paperback original thrillers a year. And based on NPD data, we own this category!

Brooke works hard to maintain perfect grades, perfect looks, a perfect life—especially after “the incident” that threatened everything. Getting into her dream university puts her that much closer to a fresh start. How she can’t say no to her BFF’s coaxing to celebrate the good news...even if it means returning to the same beach that she’s avoided since the incident?

Except leaving the party at the end of the night is just the beginning. A truck tails them on the two-lane highway that winds through the woods. Then falling becomes trying to push them off the road, becomes a terror-filled chase through the dark night and Brooke’s darkest fears...



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JANUARY 25

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Young Adult Fiction  
Sourcebooks Fire  
WORLD

\$11.99 U.S.  
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Pages  
Ages 14–18

MEGAN LALLY is a professional book coach who loves writing all things creepy and twisted. She lives in the Pacific Northwest with her family. *That's Not My Name* is her debut.

backlist





The Empirium Trilogy, Book 1

## Furyborn

Claire Legrand

In this thrilling new high-fantasy trilogy, a magic-wielding queen and a ruthless bounty hunter are separated by centuries but connected by a prophecy

When assassins ambush her best friend, Rielle risks everything to save him, exposing herself as one of a pair of prophesied queens: a queen of light, and a queen of blood. To prove she is the Sun Queen, Rielle must endure seven elemental magic trials. If she fails, she will be executed...unless the trials kill her first.

One thousand years later, the legend of Queen Rielle is a fairy tale to Eliana. A bounty hunter for the Undying Empire, Eliana believes herself untouchable—until her mother vanishes. To find her, Eliana joins a rebel captain and discovers the evil at the empire's heart. As Rielle and Eliana fight in a cosmic war that spans millennia, their stories intersect, and the shocking connections between them ultimately determine the fate of their world—and of each other.

MAY-18

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 WORLD Ages 14–18  
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 Turkish (Egitim)

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The Empirium Trilogy, Book 2

## Kingsbane

Claire Legrand

The #1 LibraryReads Pick author of *Furyborn* is back with the second book in the epic *New York Times* bestselling Empirium trilogy!

Rielle Dardenne has been anointed Sun Queen, but her trials are far from over. The Gate keeping the angels at bay is falling. To repair it, Rielle must collect the seven hidden castings of the saints. Meanwhile, to help her prince and love Audric protect Celdaria, Rielle must spy on the angel Corien—but his promises of freedom and power may prove too tempting to resist.

Centuries later, Eliana Ferracora grapples with her new reality: She is the Sun Queen, humanity's long-awaited savior. But fear of corruption—fear of becoming another Rielle—keeps Eliana's power dangerous and unpredictable. Hunted by all, racing against time to save her dying friend Navi, Eliana must decide how to wear a crown she never wanted by embracing her mother's power or rejecting it forever.

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The Empirium Trilogy, Book 3

## Lightbringer

Claire Legrand

The epic, final installment in the *New York Times* bestselling *Empirium* trilogy from Claire Legrand

Queen Rielle, pushed away from everything she loves, turns to Corien and his promises of glory. Meanwhile, whispers from the empirium slowly drive her mad, urging her to open the Gate. Separated from Audric and Ludvine, she embraces the role of Blood Queen and her place by Corien's side, determined to become the monster the world believes her to be.

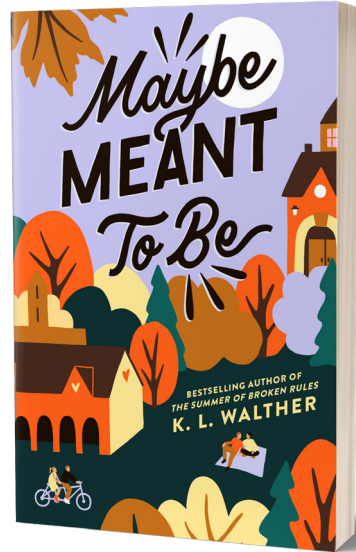
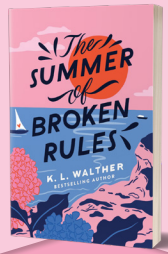
In the future, Eliana arrives in the Empire's capital as a broken shell of herself. Betrayed by those she trusted, she fights to keep her power at bay—and away from Corien, who will stop at nothing to travel back in time to Rielle, even if that means destroying her daughter. But when the mysterious Prophet reveals themselves at last, everything changes, giving Rielle and Eliana a second chance for salvation—or the destruction their world has been dreading.

OCTOBER 20

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# From the author of *USA Today* bestselling BookTok sensation **THE SUMMER OF BROKEN RULES**



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When Lily Hopper decides to shed her goody two-shoes persona and participate in an epic senior prank before boarding school graduation, she expects fun, rule-breaking, and a story to remember...what she doesn't expect is to fall back in love with her ex.

*A brand new coming-of-age novel with plenty of swoony romance and an eternally popular academia setting!*

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*The Summer I Turned Pretty meets Today, Tonight, Tomorrow in this romance where two best friends are forced to confront the truths about their friendship, identities, and relationships.*

*A brand new title and fresh repackage for K. L. Walther's 2020 title If We Were Us!*

• #thesummerofbrokenrules has 3.5 MILLION hashtag views on TikTok!

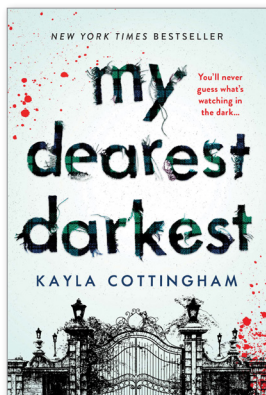
• Incredible new packaging ties all three of K. L. Walther's titles together with a strong author brand

Summer of Broken Rules Rights sold: Croatian (Znanje), Czech (Grada), French (Larousse), German (DTV Reihe Hanser), Greek (MetaXmio), Hebrew (Usafnut Shenogaat), Hungarian (Muvelt Nep), Italian (Mondadori), Polish (Wydawnictwo Otwarte), Portuguese (Presenca), Romanian (Grup Media Litera), Serbian (Vulkan), Slovak (Albatros Media), Spanish (Roca), Turkish (Mart), Ukrainian (Bookcher)

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## My Dearest Darkest

Kayla Cottingham



**The *Umbrella Academy* meets *It* with a dash of *The Craft* in this stinging, feminist LGBTQIA+ horror debut about girls claiming their power**

- **Captivating hook:** This book's wholly original plot sets it apart from any other books in the YA horror genre
- **A hot space:** Perfect for fans of feminist horror bestsellers like *The Wilder Girls* and *The Grace Year*, and includes a sapphic romance

Finch Chamberlin is the newest transfer student to the ultra-competitive Ulalume Academy... but she's also not what she seems. Before school started, Finch and her parents got into an accident that should have left her dead. But something monstrous, and ancient, and terrifying, wouldn't let her die. Finch doesn't know why she woke up after her heart stopped, but ever since she's felt a constant pull to the town of Rainwater, like something on the island is calling to her.

Selena St. Clair rules Ulalume Academy. She's careful not to let anyone get too close to her...until she meets Finch. The two girls are instantly drawn to one another, even though Selena fears letting Finch in truly will change everything.

One night Finch, Selena, and her friends accidentally summon a creature of immense power in the depths of the school. It promises to grant every desire the girls have kept locked away in their insecure hearts - but for a terrible price. As the cost of their wanting becomes more deadly, Finch and Selena must learn to work together to stop the horror they unleashed, before it consumes the entire island.

KAYLA COTTINGHAM is a youth services library assistant at her local library and an MLIS candidate at Simmons University, and has worked as an editorial intern for *The Horn Book* and Page Street Publishing. She currently resides in Brookline, Massachusetts.

MARCH 22		
9781728236414	\$10.99 U.S.	
Young Adult Fiction		TP
Sourcebooks Fire		368 Pages
WORD		Ages 14-18
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## This Delicious Death

Kayla Cottingham



**From the bestselling author of *My Dearest Darkest* comes the story of four ex-zombie best friends who just want to enjoy their lives as human girls—until a concert-gone-wrong reawakens their hunger for flesh, and exposes a murderous plot that could spell the end for them all**

- ***True Blood* meets *Pretty Little Liars* meets Coachella gone wrong:** This incredible hook mixes the setting of Coachella, the secretive girls of *Pretty Little Liars*, and the paranormal future of *True Blood*—it has something for everyone!
- **Rabid fans:** *My Dearest Darkest*, the author's debut, is a bestselling book

Three years ago, the melting of arctic permafrost released a pathogen of unknown origin into the atmosphere, causing an event now known as the Hollowing. Those who were impacted slowly became intolerant to normal food, only able to gain sustenance through human flesh. Those who went without flesh quickly became feral, turning on their friends and family.

However, scientists were able to create a synthetic version of human meat that would satisfy the hunger of those impacted by the Hollowing. As a result, humanity slowly began to return to normal—albeit with lasting fear and distrust for the people they'd pejoratively dubbed "ghouls."

Zoey, Celeste, Valeria, and Jasmine are all ghouls living in Southern California. As a last hurrah before their graduation they decided to attend a musical festival in the desert, armed with a cooler filled with hard seltzers and SynFlesh. But on the first night of the festival, Val goes feral, killing and eating a boy. As other festival guests start disappearing around them, the girls soon discover someone is drugging ghouls and making them feral. If they can't figure out how to stop it, and soon, no one at the festival is safe.

KAYLA COTTINGHAM is a YA author and librarian. Originally from Salt Lake City, Utah, Kayla lives just outside of Boston, where she loves hiking in the woods, petting any and all dogs, and playing RPGs. She is passionate about connecting young people with books featuring diverse voices so they can see themselves and their communities represented on the page. She is the author of *My Dearest Darkest*.

APRIL 23		
9781728236445	\$11.99 U.S.	
Young Adult Fiction		TP
Sourcebooks Fire		304 Pages
WORD		Ages 14-18
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juvenile fiction



# Ellie Mae Dreams Big!

Kristina McMorris



The *New York Times* best-selling novelist Kristina McMorris makes her picture book debut with the winning story of a girl tackling the all-important question, “What do you want to be when you grow up?”

- **Bestselling author:** Kristina McMorris is the NYT and USA Today best-selling author of *Sold on a Monday* and *The Ways We Hide*
- **Strong hook:** Ellie Mae combines the best of *Fancy Nancy* and *Ada Twist* when she’s asked to dream big. Hers is a story that will appeal to anyone with a big imagination
- **Vibrant, imaginative illustrations:** Animation artist Amanda Yoshida brings Ellie Mae brilliantly to life in Ellie Mae’s wildly different career ideas

Ellie Mae loves everything about school, except when her teacher asks the big question, “What do you want to be when you grow up? Tomorrow, come dressed as what you’ve chosen.”

Ellie Mae is overflowing with ideas. She could be a chef, but that doesn’t seem very exciting. What if she became the first ‘astronaut-chef’ and cooked in outer space? Or she could be a ‘ballerina-painter’ and create beautiful art as she dances across the stage.

In the end, Ellie Mae arrives at school dressed as the one and only astronaut-chef, candy-farmer, pirate-dentist, zookeeper-teacher, ballerina-painter in the world!

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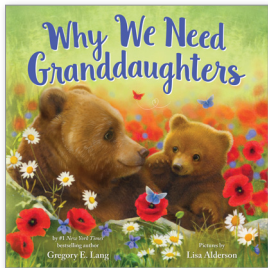
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 Ages 3–6

KRISTINA MCMORRIS is a *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of *Sold On a Monday*. Her novels have garnered more than twenty national literary awards. She lives with her husband and two sons in Oregon.

## Why We Need Granddaughters

Gregory E. Lang



Always in My Heart

The next title in the *New York Times* bestselling series, this heartfelt picture book is the perfect way for a grandparent and a granddaughter to express the deepness of their special bond

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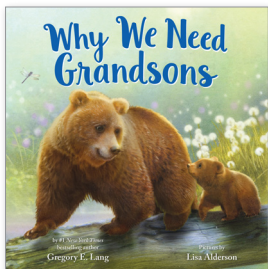
*Beautiful, curious, fearless, and bright; Someone who sparkles and shines like a light; Who soars like a kite, who's brave as a knight; How else can we describe you, sweet granddaughter?*

GREGORY E. LANG is the *New York Times* bestselling author of more than 20 books, including *Why a Daughter Needs a Dad*, *Why a Daughter Needs a Mom*, *Why a Son Needs a Dad*, *Why a Son Needs a Mom*, and *Why I Love You*. He lives in Georgia.

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Sourcebooks Wonderland	40 Pages	
WORLD	Agas 4-7	

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*In this world we call home, there's all kinds of joy, From sunsets to kittens to your favorite toys. But there's nothing we've seen quite like you, my sweet boy - Our bright-eyed and beautiful grandson.*

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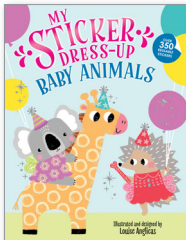
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## My Sticker Dress-Up: Babies

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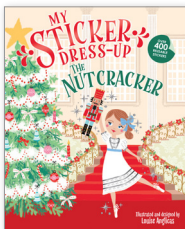
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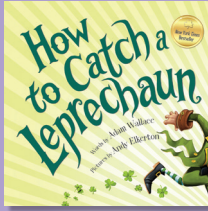
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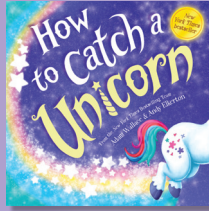
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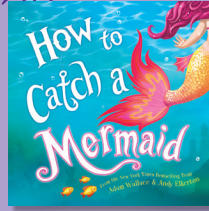
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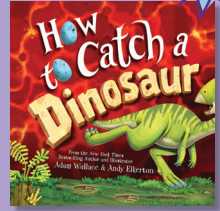
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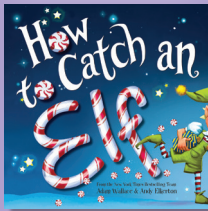
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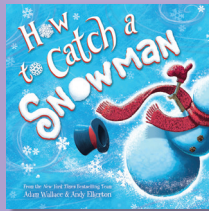
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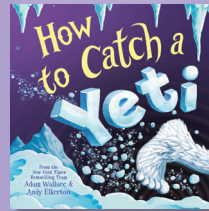
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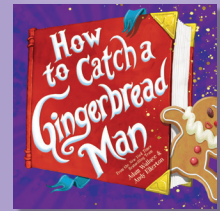
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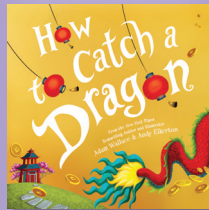
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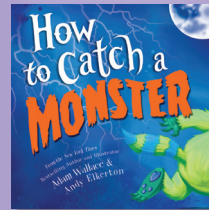
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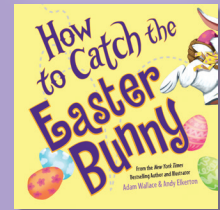
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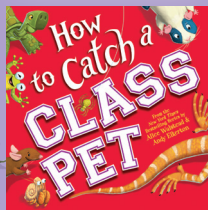
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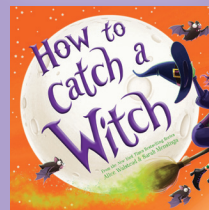
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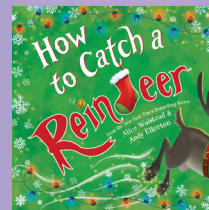
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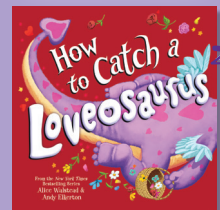
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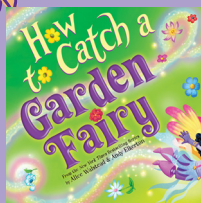
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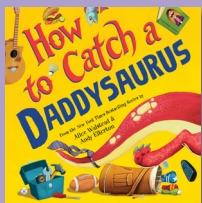
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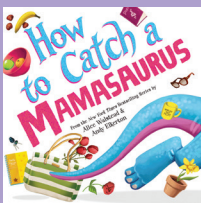
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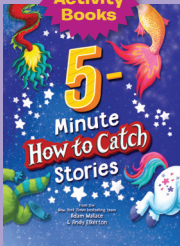


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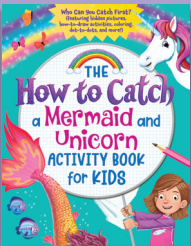
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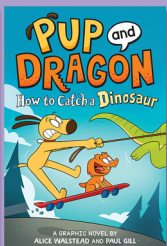


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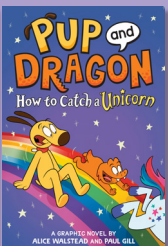
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# Five Words That Are Mine

Melissa Seron Richardson



If you had only five words to describe yourself, what would they be? That's what a young skateboarder named Mia has to figure out in this inspiring picture book story about finding your own inner strength!

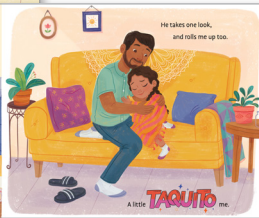
- **Growth mindset journey:** For buyers looking for growth mindset picture books, *Five Words That Are Mine* explores the emotional ups and downs of trying to learn something new, of realizing you're more than your successes and failures.
- **Inspiring words:** The self-exploratory "five words" idea will resonate with readers, teachers, and parents. The lightly bilingual narrative incorporates Spanish words and phrases and skateboarding lingo, with definitions provided.
- **Dad and daughter:** Story portrays a loving, supportive dad-daughter relationship.

Mia is hunting words for a school assignment today. She needs five words to describe who she is.

It's easy at first. At the skateboard park, Mia finds words for how she can glide fast and soar high. Words like relámpago—lightning. These words feel good.

When Mia has trouble learning a cool new trick on her board, though, other words come to her—words that won't leave her alone. Words like fail. Are these words really about her, too?

But Mia knows who she is... she's someone who doesn't give up. And if she keeps trying, she'll find her five words, the ones that fit just right.



MELISSA SERON RICHARDSON is a Chicana mom of three who has learned more than she would like about skateboarding and falls from her skate-obsessed tween son. She lives with her family in Utah.

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## Little Purple Tractor

Erin Guendelsberger



Little Heroes. Big Hearts

From the author of the *New York Times*-bestselling *Little Red Sleigh* comes *Little Purple Tractor*, a heartwarming, future classic about the power of love, courage, and the difference they make as we find our place in the world!

- Next book in a series with a *New York Times* bestselling title: *Little Purple Tractor* builds on the success of *Little Red Sleigh*, which is a *New York Times* bestseller with more than 120,000 copies sold
- Classic feel for fans of *The Brave Little Toaster*: With nostalgic painted illustrations and a whimsical writing style, *Little Purple Tractor* will engage children and adults alike

Little Purple Tractor is not sure he belongs on the farm where he lives with his parents and the other trucks and tractors, who are always teasing him because he looks a bit different and his work on the farm is not as good as theirs. He often wonders if he will ever belong anywhere at all...

Until one day, Brown Truck tells him about a wondrous place in the city called construction site where he thinks Little Purple Tractor can find the answers he is looking for. The first time Little Purple Tractor visits the construction site, something changes inside him, and what he learns about himself and what he is capable of turns out to be just what the farm needs too.

Poised to become an instant classic in children's emotional learning, *Little Purple Tractor* is the next title in the series that brought you the *New York Times* bestseller *Little Red Sleigh*. This heartfelt picture book celebrates the power of love and encouragement and the importance of believing in yourself as you find your way. With heartwarming text and beautiful illustrations, this is an encouraging and inspiring story to reassure children that it takes time, and a little bit of courage, to become who you are meant to be.

ERIN GUENDELSBERGER writes stories and poems. She studied writing at Hamline University and Bowling Green State University and now pursues adventure in Ohio with her husband, daughters, and a cat named Hennimore.

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## Little Orange Pumpkin

Erin Guendelsberger



Little Heroes. Big Hearts

All Little Orange Pumpkin wants is to explore Halloween by herself—but when she slips into a magical, spooky world full of monsters, she realizes that maybe she doesn't want to be a big pumpkin just yet!

- Inspiring message that meets rising demand: Combining imagination and encouraging humor, this book meets the rising demand for children's social-emotional learning books
- Next book in a series with a *New York Times* bestselling title: *Little Orange Pumpkin* builds on the success of *Little Red Sleigh*, which is a *New York Times* bestseller with more than 200,000 copies sold

Little Orange Pumpkin believed deep in her heart that she was ready to explore the spookiest night of the year all by herself. But when Little Pumpkin slips into a magical, spooky world full of monsters, she realizes that maybe she doesn't want to be a big pumpkin just yet! In this spirited story of adventure, love, and Halloween mischief, she just might learn you're never alone when you have family who love you.

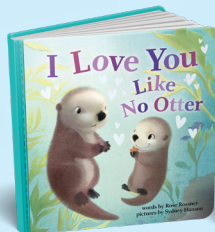
ERIN GUENDELSBERGER is the *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of *Little Red Sleigh*; she writes children's stories and poems. She studied writing at Hamline University and Bowling Green State University and now pursues adventure in Ohio with her husband, daughters, and a cat named Hennimore.

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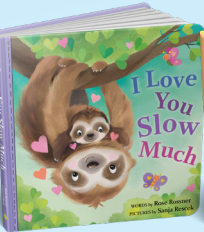
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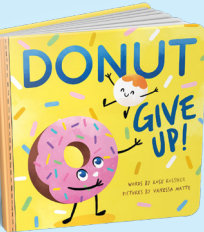
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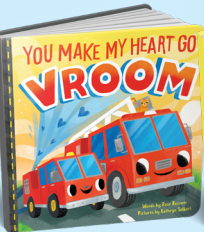
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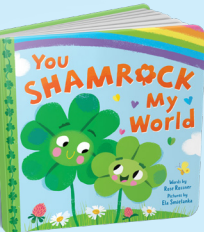
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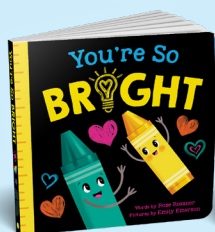
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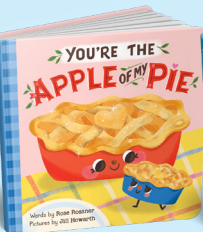
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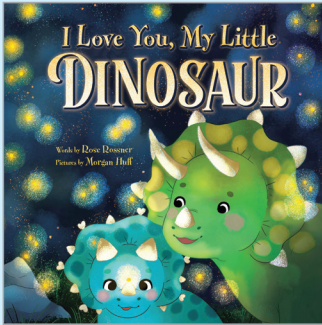
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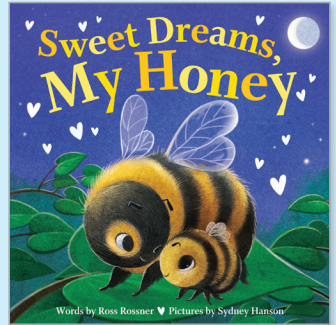
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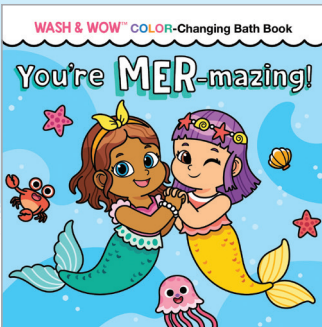
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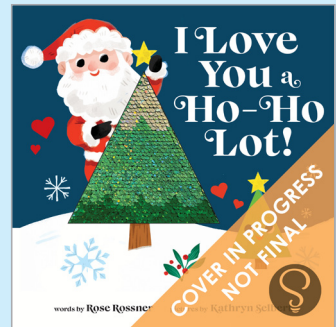


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# The Rainbow Parade

A Celebration of LGBTQIA+ Identities and Allies

Shane Jordan and Rick Hendrix

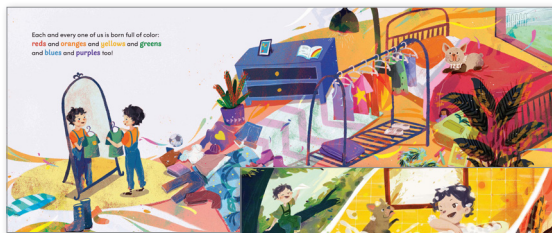


Join the celebration at the Rainbow Parade and witness a heartwarming story of acceptance and friendship in this joyful picture book by LGBTQIA+ advocates Shane Jordan and Rick Hendrix!

- **Mission-driven:** This book fully embraces our BOOKS CHANGE LIVES mission. It will change, and save, vulnerable lives.
- **LGBTQIA+ support:** With wide support from LGBTQIA+ rights advocates like Nancy Pelosi, Whoopi Goldberg, Paris Hilton, and the Trevor Project, this book will spark conversations!
- **Evergreen potential:** This book has the potential to become the #1 title for Pride every single year and see YOY growth. It will stay in print even in the face of book bans!

Set at a stormy pride parade, the story follows a child who is free to express their gender identity, celebrating with their father. But when they meet a non-binary child who doesn't feel comfortable in their own skin, they lend a helping hand and show them that they are seen, accepted, and loved.

Gentle storytelling and stunning illustrations celebrate the magical experience of finding one's community. Featuring expert back matter, *The Rainbow Parade* is a must-have addition to any bookshelf and for children of all identities that encourages children and gatekeepers to break down stereotypes and embrace diversity. This book offers a timely and important lesson on the power of love, friendship, and acceptance.



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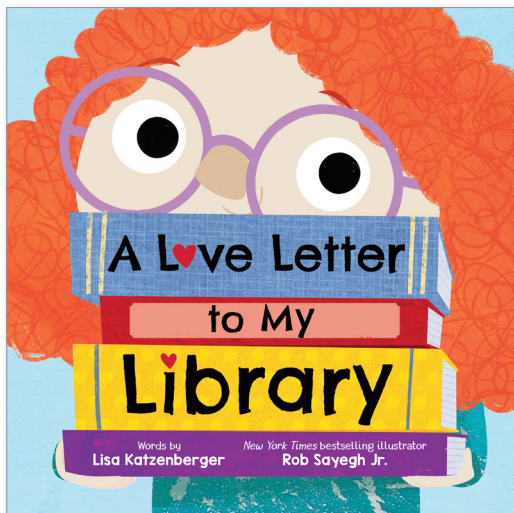
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SHANE JORDAN is an author, philanthropist, consultant, and digital media strategist, as well as a staunch advocate for the LGBTQ+ community. His debut book was published in 2020. When not advocating for LGBTQ+ rights, he often spends time with his French bulldog, Izzy, deciding which fabulous dress she will wear each day!

# A Love Letter to My Library

Lisa Katzenberger



A heartwarming picture book love letter to libraries and all the moments that make them so special!

- **Love for librarians:** A celebratory picture book is the perfect way to celebrate and honor librarians who have been key in keeping books accessible to kids (and adults) in the face of the pandemic and book banning
- **Library fans are everywhere:** According to the American Library Association, there are 82,300 public and private schools with libraries in the United States. And according to the Public Libraries Survey report, there are nearly 172 million registered users
- **Active author:** Lisa Katzenberger is a great self-promoter and is active in the book community. She also serves on the board of trustees at her public library

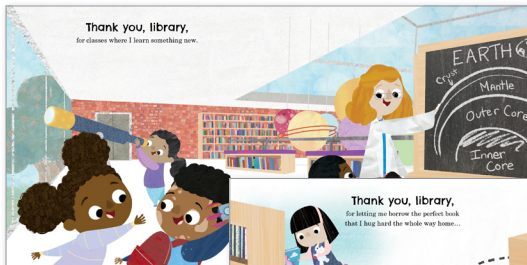
Everyone loves visiting the library! Children and families enjoy the storytimes, quiet moments, crafts, and books—all found at the library!

*Thank you, library, for books in every nook and cranny.*

*Thank you, library, for taking me on adventures from the seas to the stars.*

*Thank you, library, for that quiet corner when I need a break.*

*Thank you, library, for helpers who find the perfect book that I hug hard the whole way home.*



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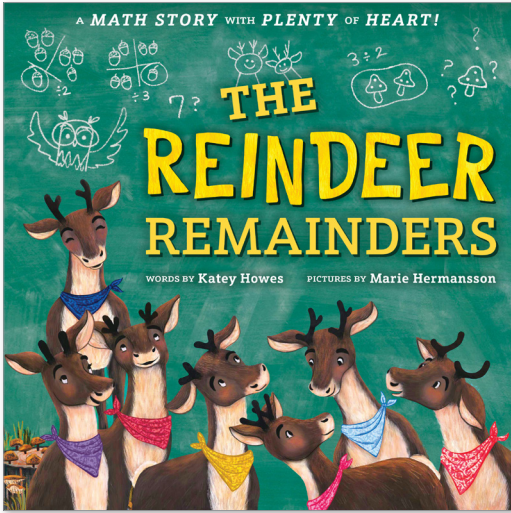
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LISA KATZENBERGER is the author of *It Will Be OK: A Story of Empathy, Kindness, and Friendship* (Sourcebooks 2021) and *National Regular Average Ordinary Day* (Penguin Workshop 2020). She is a mom to eleven-year-old twins and serves on the Board of Trustees of her public library in suburban Chicago.

# The Reindeer Remainders

A Math Story with Plenty of Heart

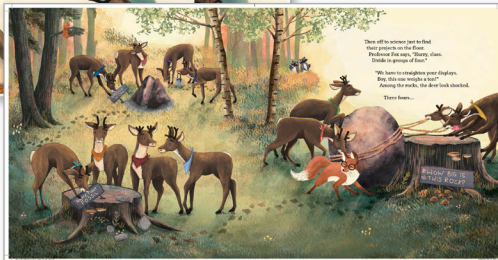
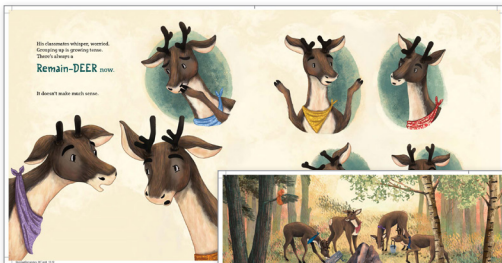
Katey Howes



Join the class of reindeer as they try to divide into groups without leaving anyone out, a problem they must work together to solve!

- **Inclusion topic:** The message of what to do when you or someone else is left out of the group is perfect for in-person, post-pandemic classrooms, teams, and other group environments for kids.
- **Curriculum tie-in:** Children learn about division, grouping, fractions, and prime numbers in several grades in school, and this book is the perfect way to reinforce the idea.
- **Award-winning author and illustrator combo:** Katey Howes's books have earned awards and starred reviews, and she frequently does author events and school visits. She currently lives in Pennsylvania. Marie Hermansson lives near Raleigh-Durham, North Carolina. She is the illustrator of the award-winning book *Listen to the Language of the Trees*.

A class of a dozen reindeer is preparing for the big showcase night event when a new student arrives. This isn't a big deal until it's time to divide into groups, and there's a leftover reindeer every single time. How will the class make sure everyone feels included? And what will they learn in the process? A perfect picture book for back-to-school or any time of year, *The Reindeer Remainders* shows how working together and including others are important parts of friendship. Back matter included.



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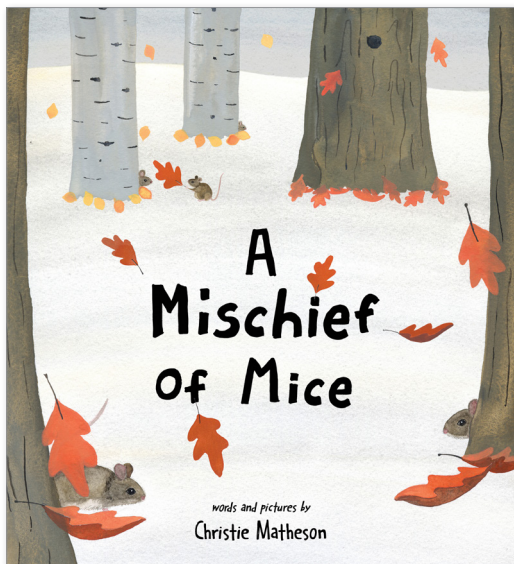
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KATEY HOWES is an author and poet who loves math and science, and finding fun ways to bring those things together! Katey's books are often inspired by the natural world around her, though she has yet to see thirteen reindeer visit the small Pennsylvania mountain she calls home. You can find Katey online at [kateyhowes.com](http://kateyhowes.com) or on Instagram @kidilllove.

# A Mischief of Mice

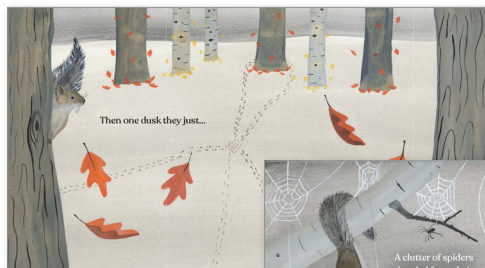
Christie Matheson



Join the animals and follow the clues in this rollicking, rhyming, nature-inspired whodunit story full of fun collective nouns!

- Best-selling author/illustrator with familiar appeal: Christie Matheson is the bestselling author/illustrator of *Tap the Magic Tree*. *A Mischief of Mice* is a humorous picture book for children who love *We're Going On a Bear Hunt* and *The Gruffalo*.
- A new autumn favorite: Though it can be enjoyed year-round, the autumnal setting makes this perfect to read each fall.
- Funny AND educational: At the same time readers are engaged in the funny story, they will be learning about collective nouns describing the different animal species. There will be back matter about collective nouns.

A mischief of mice has gone missing on a blustery fall day. Now a scurry of squirrels is scared, while a band of coyotes howls nearby. Did an unkindness of ravens do something mean? Could a prickle of porcupines possibly help? Luckily, a sleuth of bears comes along to help solve the mystery.



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# Hanukkah Pajamakkahs

Dara Henry



A lively picture book celebrating holiday traditions, the patience of parenting, sibling relationships, and children’s fondness for pajamas, along with a fun, read-aloud, new book to help everyone celebrate the holiday together – in, or out, of pajamakkahs.

- A funny, family story that brings a fresh take on celebrating Hanukkah. Hanukkah 2024 will be celebrated December 25—January 2.
- This is the first and only picture book about Hanukkah pajamas. In addition, there have been few recent picture books that show a family celebrating the Festival of Lights.
- Hanukkah pajamas are an enormously popular new family tradition. There are many book-and-pajama gift giving opportunities.

When Ruthie receives pajamakkahs for Hanukkah, she loves them so much she refuses to take them off—for all eight nights. But as they get smeared and stained, splattered and smudged, Ruthie’s determined to show her parents she can stay “spotless.”

With globs of humor, a big splatter of love, and out of the gift-box creativity, *Hanukkah Pajamakkahs* is a fresh, new celebration of a special holiday.



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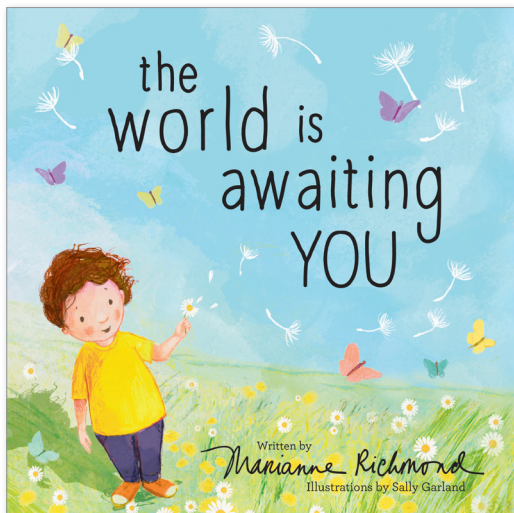
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DARA HENRY is a former elementary school teacher. She currently lives in California with her husband, three children, and a cat.

# The World is Awaiting You

Marianne Richmond



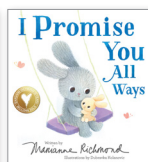
From Marianne Richmond, the classic children's book author who has touched the lives of more than six million readers, comes a new book relishing the cusp of a new beginning, when you are poised to bring all of your unique gifts to the world.

- **Superstar author:** Marianne Richmond has touched the lives of six million readers over two decades and has been an amazing author partner for Sourcebooks.
- **Inspirational and heartwarming storytelling:** *The World is Awaiting You* hits an aspirational and inspirational sweet spot: In classic Marianne Richmond fashion, the heartwarming tone will resonate with readers of all ages.
- **Giftable for all occasions:** Perfect for every special occasion, including graduation, the text is universal enough to be the perfect gift for every milestone while maintaining its loving and personal quality.

Each page in this gorgeous picture book covers a different aspect of "you" that will bring a different type of gift to the world: your style to embrace, your mind to think, your hands to help, your feet to take you to new places, your voice to cast your own vote, your story, your grace, your heart, your spirit, and your love. What will you do with your spark, to make your own mark? Not only for children, this is a book that will inspire and ignite love in the hearts of everyone.



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Beloved author and illustrator MARIANNE RICHMOND has touched the lives of millions for two decades through her award winning books, greeting cards, and other gift products that offer people the most heartfelt way to connect with each other. She lives in Nashville, Tennessee. Visit [www.mariannerichmond.com](http://www.mariannerichmond.com).

## Dinosaurs in Space

Todd Sturgell



**Award-winning author Todd Sturgell returns with another irreverent, hilarious, and informative picture book that explains just how dinosaurs might have ended up in space!**

- Award-winning author-illustrator Todd Sturgell's first book *Except Antarctica* received starred reviews and award nominations proving his meta concept and comical dialogue between the narrator and characters make his books something kids will come back to over and over again
- Delightful mash-up of two kid-favorite topics: dinosaurs and space!

Dinosaur fossils are found all over the earth, and now they're found in space!

When the narrator explains about the big boom that caused dinosaur extinction, Dakota the dinosaur and his ragtag group of friends don't want to hear it! Taking over the story—much to the narrator's dismay—these dizzy dinos share their spacetastic theories about moon-sauruses, Martian dinosaurs, and...zombie-sauruses?

This silly science lesson gone wrong is an amusing lesson based on real scientific theories. If Nasa sticks to schedule the manned mission to circle the moon will be November 2024, and then we'll really know if Dinosaurs are in Space!

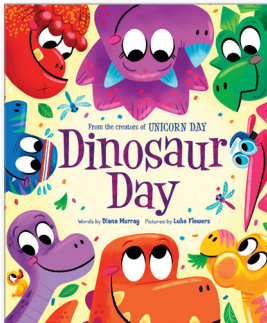
TODD STURGELL has loved dinosaurs for as long as he can remember. His favorite dinosaur is Triceratops! He lives in the North Carolina mountains where he hikes, reads dinosaur books, and draws (dinosaurs, mostly). Todd has two daughters who learned about dinosaurs before they were old enough to say Stegosaurus. Todd has not been to space but if NASA ever calls, he's available.

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## Dinosaur Day

Diana Murray



**From the best-selling creators of *Unicorn Day* comes a dino-mite celebration as all dinosaurs, big and small, celebrate Dinosaur Day!**

- **Series Continuation:** *Unicorn Day* has sold more than 100,000 copies and this book will continue to grow the popularity of this series.
- **Wonderful Read Aloud:** The clever and funny rhymes makes this a great read out loud book.
- **Dinosaur Popularity:** The strong, consistent sales of dinosaur picture books show there is ongoing love for this subject.

Hooray! Hooray! It's Dino Day! The dinosaurs are on their way! The ground starts shaking. Here they come! On Dinosaur Day, dinosaurs love to stomp and chomp. But they like silly singing, rowdy swimming, and yummy desserts too. All this fun makes the baby dinos want to join, but something unexpected pops up. Will the dinos accept this new addition to keep Dino Day going?

DIANA MURRAY is the bestselling author of *Unicorn Day*—of which *Publishers Weekly* wrote “Readers are sure to wish for their own Unicorn Day”—as well as *One Snowy Day*. Her poems have appeared in magazines, including *Highlights for Children*. She grew up in New York City and still lives nearby with her firefighter husband and two daughters. Visit her at [dianamurray.com](http://dianamurray.com).

LUKE FLOWERS is the illustrator of *Unicorn Day* and the *New York Times* bestseller *A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood: The Poetry of Mister Rogers*. He also wrote and illustrated Jim Henson's *Labyrinth: The ABC Storybook* and illustrated *That Monster on the Block*. Luke lives in Colorado Springs, Colorado. You can find him online at [lukeflowerscreative.com](http://lukeflowerscreative.com).

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## Today Is a Wacky Wow, Squiggle Giggle, Noodle Caboodle Day!

Layla Sutton



**Anything's possible on a day like today! A fun and feel-good rhyming read-aloud sure to bring giggles and delight to each and every today!**

- **Unique opportunity in children's books:** A silly and fun book to get children excited for every TODAY!
- **Evergreen message:** This book delivers on themes of positivity that parents want to instill in their children!

Start each day with oodles of fun! Jump out of bed and get right to giggles with this book about the joy of today and all that it may bring! From snuggling a walrus to riding your bike to the moon—anything's possible on a day like today!

You could ride a pink pony, or dance with a pig! Talk with a noodle! Discover a zig!

You could ride a pink pony, or dance with a pig! Talk with a noodle! Discover a zig! Knit a sock puppet! Bang on a drum! Whatever you like, just don't sit on your bum! Time to go see what's coming your way. Anything's possible...on a day like today!

### FEBRUARY 25

9781464222894	\$10.99 U.S.
Juvenile Fiction/Picture Book	HC Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Wonderland	32 Pages
WORLD	Ages 3-7

## How to Surprise Humans

Lucas Klauss



**Everyone loves surprises, right? But what if the surprise is a dinosaur? In this hilarious story, a T. Rex learns how to make surprises fun for everyone.**

- **Hilarious read-aloud:** This story about a delightfully silly dinosaur will engage kids with fun wait-for-it moments and great page turns.
- **Relatable main character:** Kids will relate to the over-enthusiastic protagonist who wants others to like him and learns how to consider their feelings while still being himself.

Everyone likes a surprise dinosaur, right? That's what our dino friend thinks. But he's, well, surprised to discover that not everyone loves an actual T. Rex jumping out at them. So then he tries disguising himself! And when that doesn't work, he goes to the Natural History Museum, where he's a decidedly unsurprising dinosaur. But in the end, and after many more surprising page turns, he figures out how to make his surprises fun for everyone.

### APRIL 25

9781728290911	\$17.99 U.S.
Juvenile Fiction/Picture Book	HC Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Jabberwocky	40 Pages
WORLD	Ages 4-7

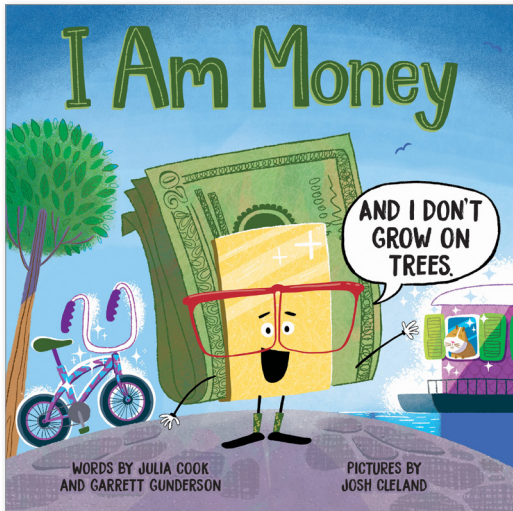
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# I Am Money

Julia Cook

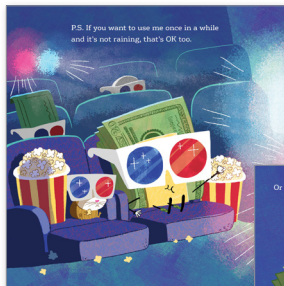


In the style of *School House Rock*, this simple, entertaining picture book from bestselling authors Julia Cook and Garrett Gunderson encourages financial literacy in kids of all ages!

- **Financial literacy is a growing passion point:** This picture book will help establish foundational knowledge about money that kids can build on as they get older; this book also offers opportunities for parents to connect with their children , and for families to learn together
- **School House Rock-style learning:** Like the Bill from *School House Rock*, the character of Money is a funky guy who helps explain financial concepts to kids
- **Text is simple and easy-to-understand:** Simple text explains a complicated topic to kids, making it fun, engaging, and accessible

I am MONEY. You work hard to earn me, and if you're careful and smart about it, I can end up working for you!

Introduce kids to the basics of money with this easy-to-understand picture book! Readers will learn about how to earn and save money, how to spend money wisely, and even how to use money to invest in itself. But the most important lesson of all? The best part of money is sharing it!



JULIA COOK, a former teacher and school counselor, writes books for children that let them laugh while learning to solve their own problems, use better behavior, and develop healthy relationships.

**FEBRUARY 24**

9781464220890	\$8.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Picture Book	TP Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Explore	40 Pages
WORLD	Ages 4-8

# José Feeds the World

How a famous chef feeds millions of people in need around the world

David Unger

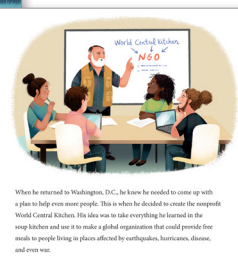


The true story of José Andrés, an award-winning chef, food activist, and founder of World Central Kitchen, a disaster-relief organization that uses the power of food to nourish communities after catastrophe strikes

- **Award-winning celebrity:** José Andrés is known around the world for both his culinary talents and his disaster-relief work. Andrés has been included in *TIME*'s list of the 100 Most Influential People twice, was awarded the National Humanities Medal by President Obama, and he and World Central Kitchen are the subjects of the Emmy-nominated documentary *We Feed the People*, streaming on Disney+
- **Compelling and inspiring story:** A Spanish American chef shows that fame, fortune, and passion can be conduits for helping those who need it most
- **Author/story location:** David Unger lives in New York, the story takes place all over the world

When a terrible earthquake hit Haiti in 2010, chef José Andrés knew he needed to help. Within a few hours of the disaster, he had gathered friends, they flew to the island, and they began cooking rice and beans for the hungry locals. This trip changed the life of the successful chef and led him to found World Central Kitchen, a disaster-relief organization that has fed more than 200 million people affected by natural disasters, the COVID pandemic, and war.

This beautifully illustrated book tells the story of a passionate chef who uses the power of food to nurture people in need, one plate at a time.



Born in Guatemala and living in New York since his childhood, DAVID UNGER received his country's Miguel Angel Asturias National Literature Prize for lifetime achievement in 2014. He has translated 16 titles himself and his books are often translated into multiple languages.

**JANUARY 24**

9781728279527	\$18.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Biography	HC
duopress	40 Pages
WORLD	Ages 4–8

# The Girl Who Figured it Out

The Inspiring True Story of Wheelchair Athlete Minda Dentler Becoming an Ironman World Champion

Minda Dentler

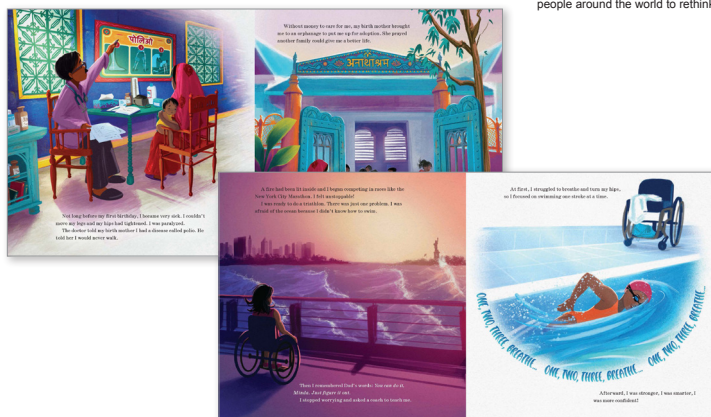


This uplifting picture book tells the amazing true story of Minda Dentler, the first female wheelchair athlete to complete the Ironman World Championship triathlon

- **Inspirational true story:** Minda's story is one of incredible determination and persistence—themes that all kids (and adults) can learn from and relate to
- **Disability representation:** As we've seen with the success of *All the Way to the Top*, parents, teachers, and librarians are looking for more picture books featuring people with disabilities
- **Author Minda Dentler is a great public speaker:** Minda's TEDtalk has been viewed more than 1.4 million times and she regularly tours the world for speaking events. She is incredibly excited to inspire and empower young readers with her story!

Minda Dentler made history when she became the first female wheelchair athlete to complete the world's toughest triathlon, using only her arms to finish a 2.4 mile swim, 112 mile bike ride, and 26.2 mile marathon. But the journey there wasn't easy. Minda was paralyzed as an infant in India after contracting polio, and was left in the care of an orphanage. After she was adopted by an American family and moved to Washington, she underwent surgeries to enable her to walk with leg braces and crutches.

As she grew, she faced many challenges, but remained undeterred by her disability. Her decision to begin training and competing in triathlons was no different. Despite the obstacles and failures she experienced along the way, Minda's persistence and determination in the face of setbacks helped her to make sports history and inspire people around the world to rethink what's possible!



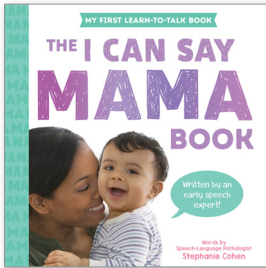
MINDA DENTLER is the first female wheelchair athlete to complete the Ironman World Championship. She has been featured on CNN and NBC, and was nominated for an ESPN ESPY Award for the best female athlete with a disability. She has also written for *Huffington Post* and *TIME*, promoting the eradication of polio, and has served as a global immunization advocate for Rotary International and the UN Foundation. In addition to being a mom, an athlete, and an activist, she is a motivational speaker. She shares her story with Fortune 500 companies, including Amazon and Microsoft, along with non-profits and universities, urging listeners to find their own personal Ironman.

**MARCH 24**

9781728276533	\$18.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Picture Book	HC Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Explore	48 Pages
WORLD	Ages 4–8

## I Can Say Mama Book

Stephanie Cohen M.A., CCC-SLP, CLC



Learn to Talk

Help babies and toddlers learn to say “Mama!” with this adorable and fun-to-read board book written by an early speech expert!

- **Expert author:** Stephanie Cohen is a speech-language pathologist with over 20 years of experience working with babies and toddlers. She also has built an incredibly dedicated following on TikTok (225K) and Instagram (64K)
- **Blue ocean opportunity:** One of the top requests speech therapists get from parents is to help teach their child to say “mama”—and there are no “mom” board books currently available that combine engaging images and age appropriate text with SLP-approved language modeling

Speech-language pathologist Stephanie Cohen has created an adorable new book to tackle one of the most common requests she gets from parents—teaching little ones to say “Mama!” The *I Can Say Mama Book* uses a proven approach: by pairing simple “Mama” phrases with real images of mothers and children, babies and toddlers can more easily make a direct connection between the word and the person, and will learn accessible and meaningful phrases that will help them practice new speech skills and communicate in context throughout their day.

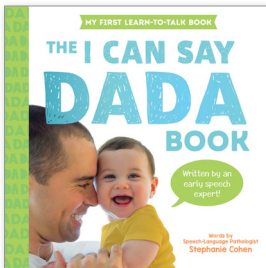
The book also includes a spread of backmatter with useful tips to help parents and caregivers use the book as effectively as possible with their little ones.

STEPHANIE COHEN (MA, CCC-SLP, CLC) is a licensed and certified speech-language pathologist, lactation counselor, and mother who has been working with infants and toddlers for over 20 years. Her mission is to empower each parent to be their child’s best teacher by supporting emotional connection and early language learning. Stephanie maintains a private practice in Northbrook, Illinois, where she lives with her husband, three children, and two dogs.

MARCH 24	
9781728291611	\$9.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
Sourcebooks Explore	24 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0–4

## I Can Say Dada Book

Stephanie Cohen M.A., CCC-SLP, CLC



Learn to Talk

Help babies and toddlers learn to say “Dada!” with this adorable and fun-to-read board book written by an early speech expert!

- **Expert author:** Stephanie Cohen is a speech-language pathologist with over 20 years of experience working with babies and toddlers. She also has built an incredibly dedicated following on TikTok (225K) and Instagram (64K)
- **Blue ocean opportunity:** One of the top requests speech therapists get from parents is to help teach their child to say “dada”—and there are no “dad” board books currently available that combine engaging images and age appropriate text with SLP-approved language modeling

Speech-language pathologist Stephanie Cohen has created an adorable new book to tackle one of the most common requests she gets from parents—teaching little ones to say “Dada!” The *I Can Say Dada Book* uses a proven approach: by pairing simple “Dada” phrases with real images of fathers and children, babies and toddlers can more easily make a direct connection between the word and the person, and will learn accessible and meaningful phrases that will help them practice new speech skills and communicate in context throughout their day.

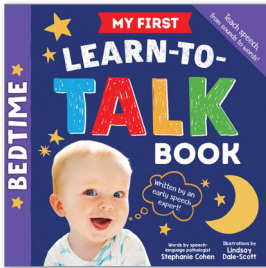
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MARCH 24	
9781728291642	\$9.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
Sourcebooks Explore	24 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0–4

## My First Learn-to-Talk Book: Bedtime

Stephanie Cohen M.A., CCC-SLP, CLC



Learn to Talk

Help babies and toddlers master the building blocks of speech with this adorable bedtime board book written by an early speech expert!

- **Expert author:** Stephanie Cohen is a speech-language pathologist with over 20 years of experience working with babies and toddlers. She also has built an incredibly dedicated following on TikTok (243K) and Instagram (92K)
- **Blue ocean opportunity:** There are no other board books available that combine bedtime routines and age-appropriate text with SLP-approved language modeling—this will be the bedtime routine book that parents, teachers, and clinicians reach for

The next book in this speech therapist-approved series is taking on bedtime! *My First Learn-To-Talk Book: Bedtime* is a joyful board book that encourages speech development in babies and toddlers. By using rhyming text, simple exclamatory words and sounds, and engaging photographs, this book gives caregivers a new tool that does more than just entertain kids. It uses proven therapeutic techniques to help little ones think, repeat, react, and babble: the vital skills they need to learn to talk!

STEPHANIE COHEN, M.A., CCC-SLP, CLC is a licensed and certified speech-language pathologist, lactation counselor, and mother who has been working with infants and toddlers for more than 20 years. Her mission is to empower each parent to be their child's best teacher by supporting emotional connection and early language learning. Stephanie is also a mentor, speaker, and consultant who supports students and clinicians in the field. She hosts workshops, presents to international audiences, and has been an invited speaker at Northwestern University and for the Illinois Early Intervention Training Program. Stephanie's work is featured on [www.speechpathology.com](http://www.speechpathology.com) and [www.occupationtherapy.com](http://www.occupationtherapy.com), professional continuing education sites with international audiences. Stephanie maintains a private practice in Illinois, where she lives with her husband, three children, and dog, Ollie.

### OCTOBER 24

9781728291550	\$9.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
Sourcebooks Explore	24 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0–4

## My First Learn-to-Talk Book: On the Farm

Stephanie Cohen M.A., CCC-SLP, CLC



Learn to Talk

Help babies and toddlers master the building blocks of speech with this adorable bedtime board book written by an early speech expert!

- **Backmatter:** Includes useful tips and information to guide caregivers on how to use the book as effectively as possible
- **Science-supported photographs:** Real photos of babies and toddlers encourage learning and mimicry

*My First Learn-to-Talk Book* is a joyful book that encourages speech development in little ones. By using adorable rhythmic rhyming text, simple exclamatory words and sounds, and engaging photographs of babies and toddlers, this book gives parents, grandparents, teachers, and therapists a new tool that does more than just entertain and engage babies and toddlers—it uses proven therapeutic techniques to help little ones think, repeat, react, and babble: the vital skills they need to talk!

*When I go down a slide, my mouth says "wheeee!"*  
*When I want a turn, my mouth says "me!"*  
*When I'm acting playful, my mouth says "boo!"*  
*When I hug my family, I say "I love you!"*

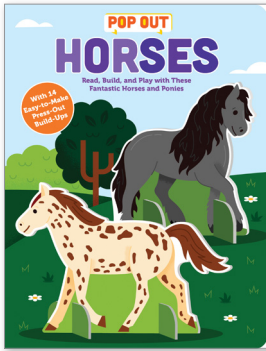
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### APRIL 25

9781728291581	\$9.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
Sourcebooks Explore	22 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0–3

## Pop Out Horses

Read, Build, and Play with These Fantastic Horses and Ponies  
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Pop Out Books, Book 5

Read, learn, build, and have fun with amazing horses and ponies in this innovative book and play set

- Kids will read, build, and play in an innovative format: This sturdy board book features easy and engaging information all about amazing horses and ponies alongside pages with chunky press-out pieces that kids can use to build them all. (No glue or scissors necessary.)
- Both a book and a play set, *Pop Out Horses* is the ultimate screen-free activity: Featuring different breeds of horses and ponies, readers will learn all about these magnificent animals and how they live and work. Kids will also be able to build their own horses and ponies in different environments.

This sturdy board book features great information on horses and ponies alongside pages with chunky press-out pieces that can be used to build them, from an Appaloosa to a Shetland pony. Readers will learn about different horse breeds, how horses are put to work, and what happens at a horse show.

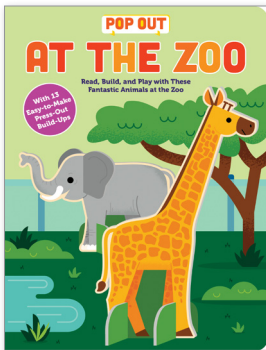
Made from thick, sturdy board, the pieces press out easily from the pages and are simple to put together (no glue or scissors necessary!). The 12 build-ups are simple and intuitive to build. All build-ups are safety rated for ages 4 years and up.

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APRIL 24		
9781728291291	\$14.99 U.S.	
Juvenile Nonfiction	Board Book	
duopress	12 Pages	
WORLD	Ages 0-4	

## Pop Out at the Zoo

Read, Build, and Play with these Fantastic Animals at the Zoo  
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Pop Out Books, Book 4

Read, learn, build, and have fun with eight amazing zoo animals in this innovative book and play set

- Kids will read, build, and play in an innovative format: This sturdy board book features easy and engaging information about eight amazing zoo animals alongside pages with chunky press-out pieces that kids can use to build them all. (No glue or scissors necessary.)
- Both a book and a play set, *Pop Out at the Zoo* is the ultimate screen-free activity: Featuring eight exciting animals, readers will learn about endangered animals and how to protect them. And that's not all; kids will be able to build their own animals and zoo habitats.

This sturdy board book features great information on eight amazing zoo animals alongside pages with chunky press-out pieces that can be used to build them, from a fierce tiger to a giant African elephant. Readers will learn that many animals are endangered and some easy ways to help protect them.

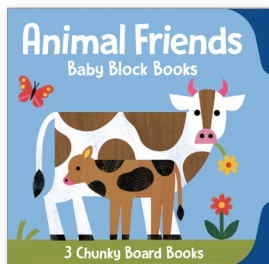
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Juvenile Nonfiction	Board Book	
duopress	12 Pages	
WORLD	Ages 0-4	

## Baby Block Books: Animal Friends

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Baby Block Books, Book 1

Three chunky board books in one amazing box set, each with charming illustrations and easy sentences

- **Popular subject matter:** Books about animals are always a hit, and this set includes farm animals, ocean animals, and zoo animals
- **Perfect size for little hands:** At 3.5 inches, babies and toddlers will love these chunky board books that are perfectly suited for the tiniest hands. These books have round corners for extra safety.

*In On the Farm*, we wake up to a rooster crowing and start the day with our favorite farm animals: fluffy sheep, quacking ducks, and even an alpaca chewing on hay! The chickens peck, and the pigs take a mud bath. As the day winds down, we wish good night to all the animals.

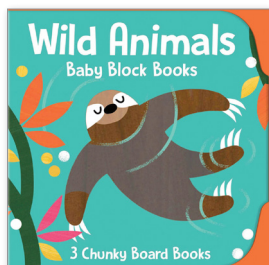
*In the Ocean* takes us on an adventure beneath the waves. We meet colorful jellyfish and little seahorses. The dolphins leap and play, while a huge whale swims by. We wave goodbye to the sea turtles as they swim out to sea.

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MAY 24	
9781728293578	\$14.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
duopress	16 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0-4

## Baby Block Books: Wild Animals

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Baby Block Books, Book 2

Three chunky board books in one amazing box set, each with charming illustrations and easy sentences.

- **Popular subject matter:** Books about animals are always a hit, and this set includes arctic animals, forest animals, and jungle animals.
- **Perfect size for little hands:** At 3.5 inches, these books are perfectly suited for the tiniest hands. Babies and toddlers will love these chunky board books. Books have round corners for extra safety.

Presenting the second set in a new series: *Baby Block Books: Wild Animals*, a box set with three chunky board books, perfectly sized for little hands. Reminiscent of baby wooden stacking blocks, tots will surely love having these books read to them over and over, and the books can also be stacked, just like blocks! Each 16-page book has charming illustrations and easy text. The sets include three chunky board books in a box with a tab closure.

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OCTOBER 24	
9781728295992	\$14.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
duopress	16 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0-4

## Hello, Bedtime

duopress labs



High-Contrast Books, Book 7

**A charming high-contrast introduction to bedtime. Black-and-white patterns and illustrations pair with friendly greetings for favorite pjs, a teddy bear, a comfy pillow, and more**

- Part of duopress's bestselling high-contrast series: Nearly 750,000 copies have sold to date and with sales growing year after year
- Perfect for baby eyes: Color vision is not fully developed in newborns, meaning many babies have trouble distinguishing colors. Instead, babies' eyes are attracted to borders, high-contrast patterns, and black-and-white shapes, so this book is the perfect way to introduce little ones to the world.

Hello, pjs. Good to see you, teddy bear. Hi there, comfy pillow. Hello, Bedtime...

When babies are first born, they can't distinguish between colors the same way that older babies can. But studies show that babies can see high-contrast, black-and-white shapes and patterns from the very first days of life, and this charming introduction to simple objects found in a baby's bedroom, paired with friendly text and bold, basic patterns, provides an important high-contrast experience for young developing eyes.

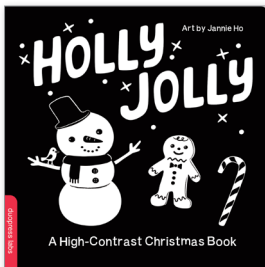
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MAY 24

9781728205930	\$7.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
duopress	20 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0-2

## Holly Jolly! A High-Contrast Christmas Book

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High-Contrast Books, Book 8

**A charming high-contrast introduction to Christmas. Black-and-white patterns and illustrations pair with friendly greetings for Santa, a friendly reindeer, a Christmas elf, yummy candy canes, and more.**

- Part of duopress' bestselling high-contrast series with nearly 800,000 copies sold to date and growing year after year.
- Color vision is not fully developed in newborns, meaning many babies have trouble distinguishing colors. Babies' eyes are attracted to borders, high-contrast patterns, and black-and-white shapes, so this book is the perfect way to introduce little ones to the world.

Hello, friendly reindeer. Looking jolly, Santa. Hola, Christmas tree. Happy holidays to all...

When babies are first born, they can't distinguish between colors the same way that older babies can. But studies show that babies can see high-contrast black-and-white shapes and patterns from the very first days of life, and this charming introduction to Christmas and the holiday season, paired with friendly text and bold, basic patterns, provides an important high-contrast experience for young developing eyes. Using simple greetings like, "What's going on, Christmas elf?," "Looking jolly, Santa," and "Ni hao, bright star," alongside lovely black-and-white art by Jamie Ho (illustrator of *Hello, My World*), *Holly Jolly! A High-Contrast Christmas Book* is the perfect board book for babies just beginning to look around and learn about their world.

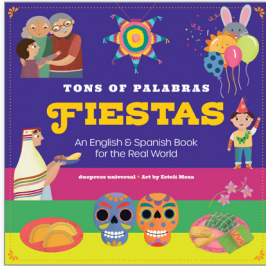
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9781464223822	\$8.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
duopress	20 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0-2

## Tons of Palabras: Fiestas

duopress labs



Tons of Palabras, Book 3

Introduce little ones to the English and Spanish words used by kids in their daily lives with *Tons of Palabras* (Tons of Words), a series of bilingual books made for Hispanics by Hispanics

- Featuring words used by real kids in their daily lives: Most bilingual English-Spanish books focus on words seldom used in real Spanish-speaking households. *Tons of Palabras* addresses this issue by featuring words used every day by millions of households.
- Books for an increasing Spanish-speaking world: According to the 2020 Census, the multiracial population has increased by 276% in the U.S. since 2010, and nearly one in four Americans today identifies as either Hispanic or Asian. These families want books that reflect their culture, language, and identity.

*Tons of Palabras: Fiestas* is the third title in the series, presenting kids with traditions and special occasions that are celebrated in Hispanic and non-Hispanic households. The book covers holidays like Christmas, Day of the Dead, and Holy Week, discussing the customs around these special times as well as the delicious foods that accompany them! Did you know that on New Year's, it's a tradition in some Latin American countries to eat 12 grapes at the stroke of midnight? Or that during Day of the Dead, funny verses are read in honor of loved ones who are no longer with us? Birthdays are also an exciting time, with piñatas, cake, and games. *Tons of Palabras: Fiestas* is full of fun, colorful, and interesting Latin American celebrations!

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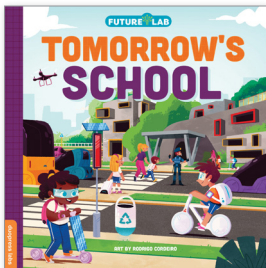
ESTELÁ MEZA was born in Mexico City. She studied Design and Visual Communication at FAD and received a master's degree in Visual Arts from UNAM in Mexico. In 2018, she was awarded A la Orilla del Viento "Picture Book" Contest Award sponsored by Fondo de Cultura Económica for the book *El Pirámide Valiente tiene miedo*. In 2013, Estelá was awarded the FILIX XVIII "Picture Book" International Award for her book *Angustia*. In 2017 she received an Honorary Mention in Sharjah's Illustration Catalog (United Arab Emirates) and in 2016 she received an Honorary Mention in the National Postal Contest "Invitemos a Leer" in Mexico. She has published books in Mexico, Spain, the United Arab Emirates, and the United States. Currently, she works for different publishers and magazines.

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## Future Lab: Tomorrow's School

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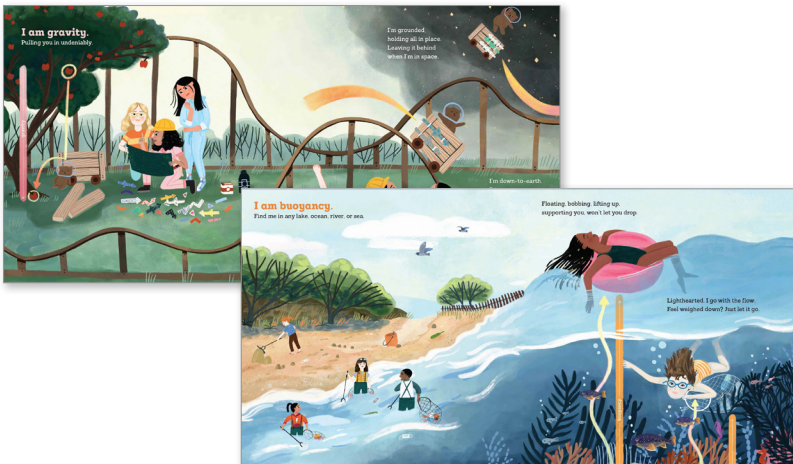
Maria Marianayagam



An accessible and beautiful picture book about our universe's most powerful and invisible forces—girls

- Author is an expert with a background as an engineer and is passionate about getting girls excited about science
- Personifying the scientific forces is a unique spin on introductions to STEM and creates a wonderful metaphor of a girl's strength
- Writing is gorgeous and feels like poetry, perfect to read again and again

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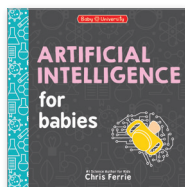


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MARIA MARIANAYAGAM is a Sri Lankan Canadian, chemical engineer turned picture book writer. She lives in Calgary, Alberta, with her husband and two daughters. This is her first book.



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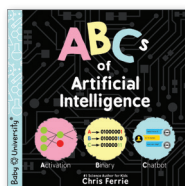
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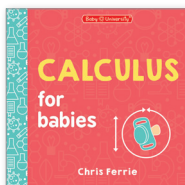
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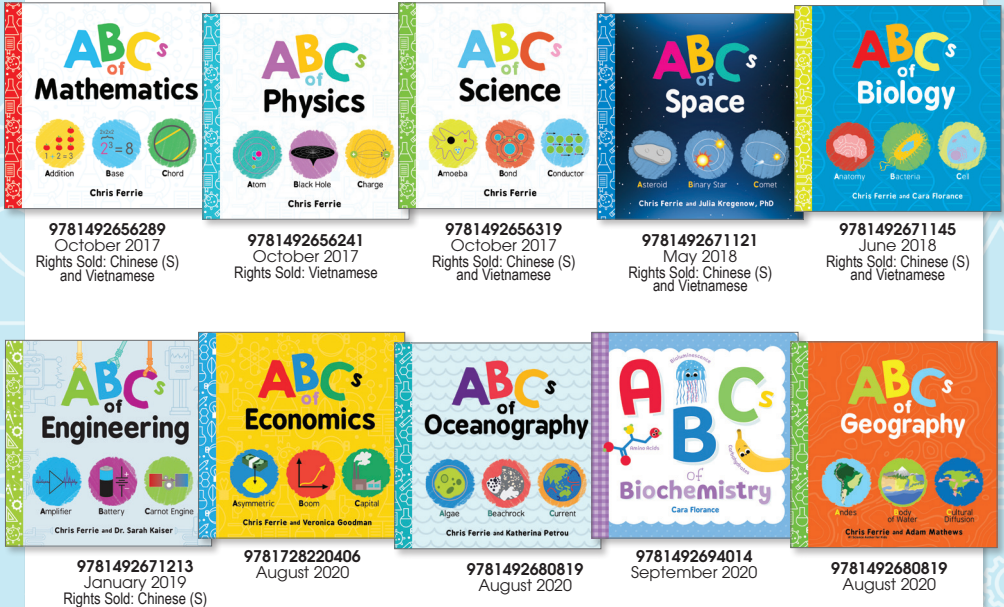
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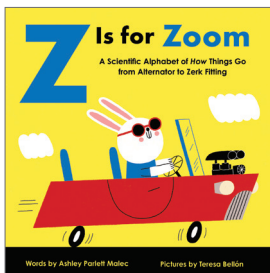
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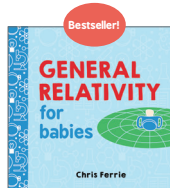
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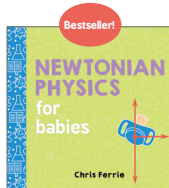
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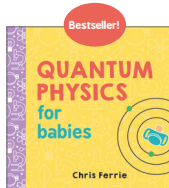
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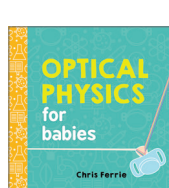
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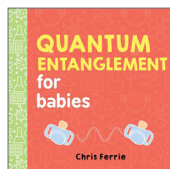
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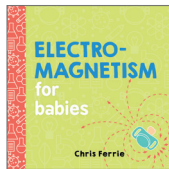
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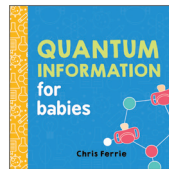
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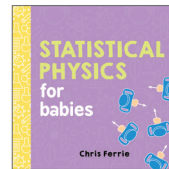
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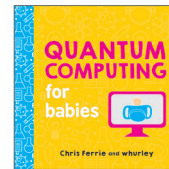
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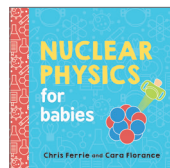
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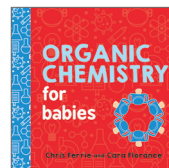
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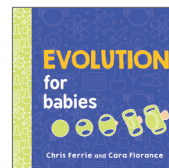
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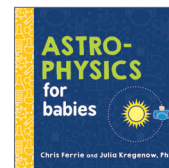
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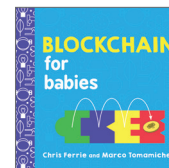
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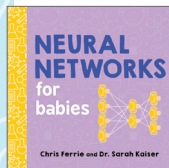
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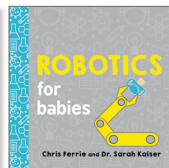
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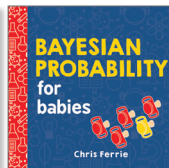
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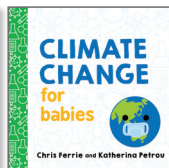


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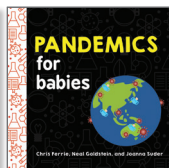
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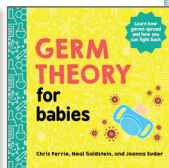
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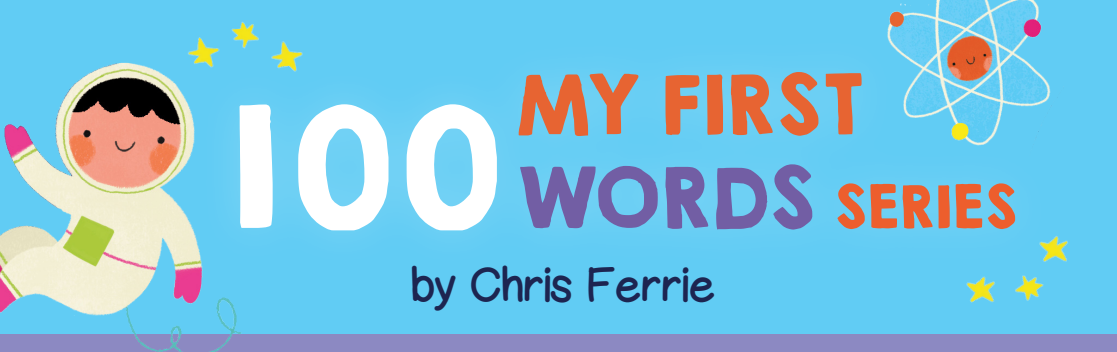


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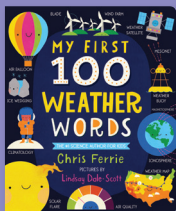
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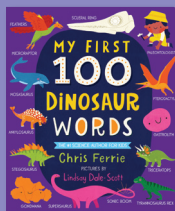


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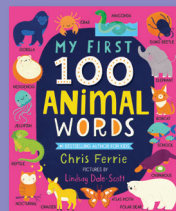
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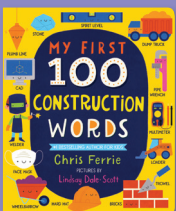
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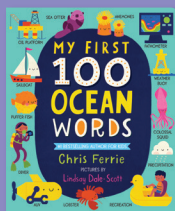
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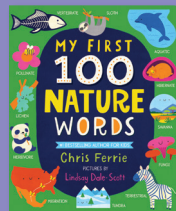
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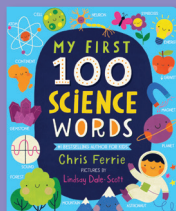
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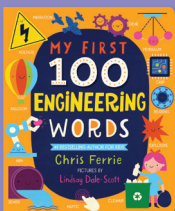
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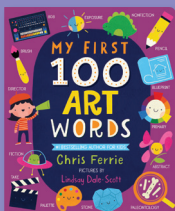
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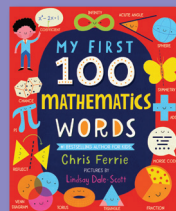
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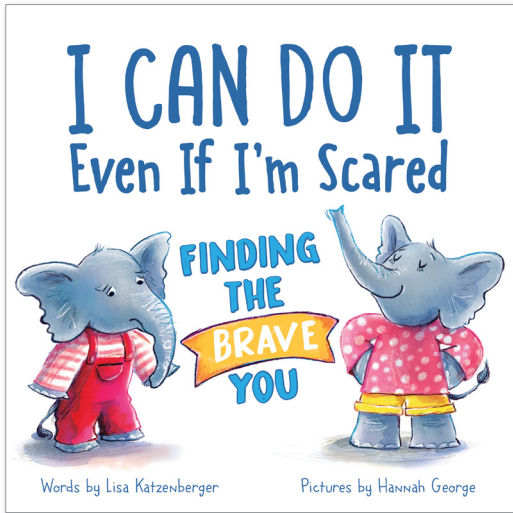
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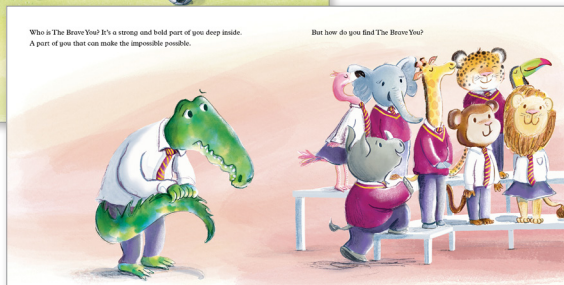
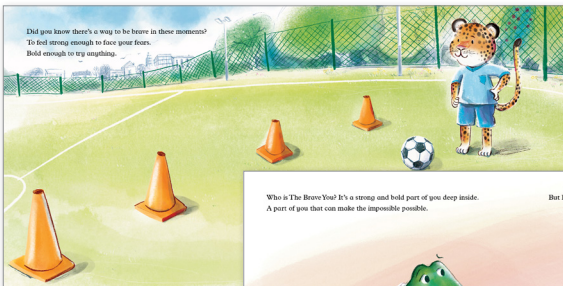
Lisa Katzenberger



A sweet story about how to face our fears no matter how silly they may seem

- A moving how-to guide essential for SEL reading lists: This infinitely relatable book teaches children how to be the strongest and boldest versions of themselves in order to face their biggest fears and is perfect for adding to social emotional learning curriculum
- Based on a real cognitive behavioral therapy technique: The technique is known as “Act As If”
- Established author with a proven track record: With more than 41,000 copies sold of her previous book, *It Will Be Okay*, Lisa Katzenberger’s books regarding anxiety have had great reception from readers and educators

Have you ever been so scared that your tummy tumbled and your heart hiccupped and your fingers fiddled? You’re not alone! Elephant, Cheetah, and Gator feel the same way. Join these three friends as they find their brave self by first imagining themselves as brave and growing into being brave!



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# The Pumpkin Seed's Secret

A Life Cycle Poem

Hannah Barnaby

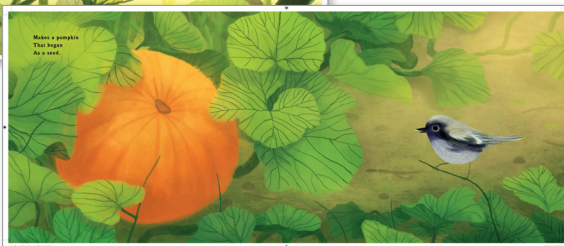
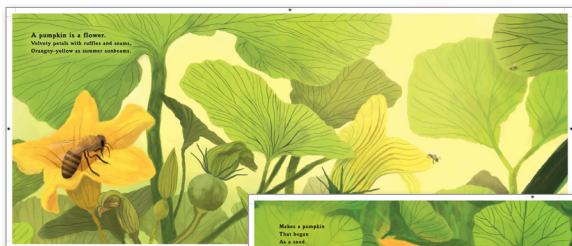


Curiosity and coziness shine in this modern picture book about the pumpkin life cycle.

- **Holiday/seasonal tie-in:** Pumpkin picture books are popular purchases in the fall around Halloween and Thanksgiving.
- **Learning tie-in:** Teachers continue to teach the pumpkin life cycle in classrooms, and families love doing pumpkin activities at home in the fall.
- **Engaged author:** Hannah Barnaby lives in Charlottesville, Virginia. Her books have earned multiple starred reviews, and she regularly visits schools as an author and writing teacher.

A picture book full of heart and hominess, *The Pumpkin Seed's Secret* reveals the life cycle of a pumpkin with clever and cozy rhyme. With each page turn, the pumpkin becomes something new – it's a seed, a flower, a house, a face, and more! Extensive back matter on pumpkin life cycle stages, other fun pumpkin facts, and a recipe are included. A perfect book for home and school libraries!

*A pumpkin is a seed. A plain little seed with a secret inside, a pocket, a pip with a new life to hide. To hide and to hold as springtime unfolds, a pumpkin begins as a seed.*



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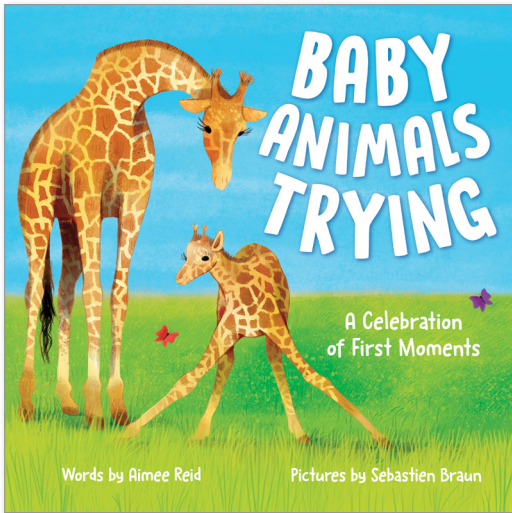
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# Baby Animals Trying

*A Celebration of First Moments*

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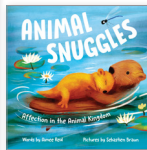
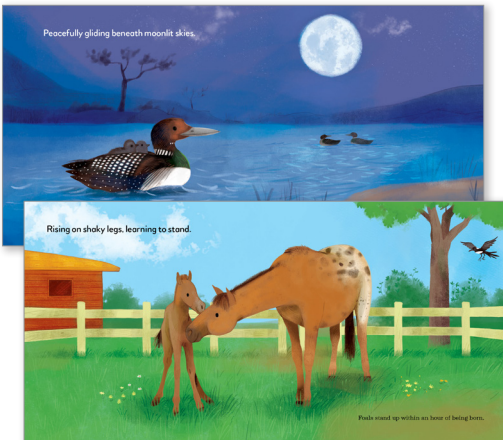


A delightful ode to childhood milestones in sweet rhyme with fun facts about baby animals.

- **Heartwarming nonfiction:** Baby animal facts wrapped in playful rhyme and sweet illustrations create a uniquely lovely parent/child bonding moment.
- **Giftable year-round:** Perfect for baby showers, birthdays, first day of school, graduations, and other childhood milestone moments. Also great for a child of any age!
- **Winning author/illustrator combo:** This is a follow-up to *Animal Snuggles* by the same author-illustrator duo. Aimee Reid lives in Toronto, Canada and actively promotes her books through author visits and events. Sebastien currently lives in France.

Animal facts combine with a heartfelt message about trying new things in this adorable nonfiction picture book about milestone moments. Back matter on animal milestones included.

Greeting the morning through eager, new eyes. Peacefully gliding beneath moonlit skies. Joining together to howl with the pack. Reaching to gather a tasty, new snack.



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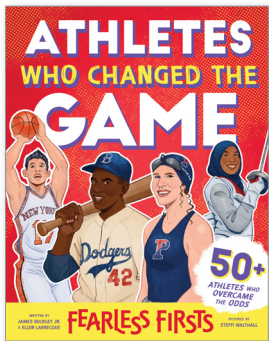
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Sourcebooks Explore  
WORLD

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HC Pic Bk  
40 Pages  
Ages 4–8

AIMEE REID is a children's book author with a background in education and editing. She taught high school English, music, and special education before she began writing for children. As a child, Aimee was a voracious reader and could often be found curled in a corner, tucked in the crook of a tree limb, or crunched by a book rack in the grocery store aisle, carried away to the world of a book. Now Aimee sends her own stories out into the world. It brings her great joy to think of other children nestled on a lap or cuddled on a couch reading good books to share.

## Athletes Who Changed the Game

James Buckley Jr.



Fearless Firsts

Learn about over 50 athletes who were the first to break barriers, rules, and records in bold and fearless ways!

- **Expert authors:** Written by *New York Times* bestselling authors James Buckley Jr. and Ellen Labrecque, who have collectively written hundreds of nonfiction children's books and are experts in the field of sports. James lives in Santa Barbara, California, and Ellen lives in Bucks County, Pennsylvania.
- **Winning category:** Illustrated middle grade biography collections continue to be a popular, giftable genre for young readers.

*Fearless Firsts: Athletes Who Changed the Game* celebrates over 50 athletes who broke barriers, rules, and records, transforming the world of sports. While these athletes came from different backgrounds and overcame unique struggles, they had one thing in common: they would not take "You can't" for an answer. With a don't-give-up attitude, these fearless firsts fought for what they believed in and created a better sports world.

In this book, kids will read about very famous athletes, like Jackie Robinson and Simone Biles. They'll also discover the first female drag-racing champion and the first Latino American baseball superstar. They'll meet the first Olympian with an amputated leg, the first blind Ironman racer, the first transgender college champion, and the first Asian American Olympic gold medalists. Beyond individual athletes, they'll learn how Title IX impacted sports, why the Paralympics matters, and the history behind the Haudenosaunee lacrosse team.

JAMES BUCKLEY JR. is one of the country's most prolific writers of sports and nonfiction for kids, with more than 200 titles to his name, including twenty in the *New York Times* bestselling *Who Was...?* biography series, nine books in the *Show Me* History graphic nonfiction series, and fifteen years of writing the *Scholastic Year in Sports*. A former editor with *Sports Illustrated* and NFL Publishing, he runs *Shoreline Publishing Group*, a leading producer of nonfiction kids' books for national and school-library publishers. James lives in Santa Barbara, California.

AUGUST 24		
9781728275062	\$16.99 U.S.	
Juvenile Nonfiction/Biography		HC
Sourcebooks Explore		128 Pages
WORLD		Ages 8-14

## Black Girl, Black Girl

Ali Kamanda and Jorge Redmond



A new inspiring picture book from the authors of *Black Boy*, *Black Boy* about self-esteem for African American girls, drawing on the history of the role models that came before them.

- **Previous book received stellar praise and a starred review:** *School Library Journal* gave *Black Boy*, *Black Boy* a starred review and mentioned that it "educates, empowers, and enlightens... this book belongs in every library," and *Kirkus Reviews* called it "An affirming, nurturing, and powerful celebration..."
- **Dynamic authors who connect with kids and love doing events:** Ali and Jorge have inspiring careers themselves and are both fathers. They are passionate about inspiring others and speaking from the heart, and they love to engage with kids directly at events

From Kamala Harris to Wilma Rudolph and from Rosa Parks to Miriam Mekaba, this is an uplifting and beautiful introduction to the strong women who have touched our history.

*Dear Girl, Black Girl, rise up, it's time  
It's a new day and a chance to shine.  
Shine like the moon, you're one of a kind  
Radiant and fierce, a brilliant young mind  
A mind filled with wonder, creativity and dreams  
Shape your own history like these amazing queens*

ALI BIKO SULAIMAN KAMANDA is an award-winning filmmaker and social entrepreneur from Sierra Leone, West Africa. He runs BIKO Studios, a cross-cultural film production company and is the President of Salone Rising, a not-for-profit organization that provides micro-financing and mentoring resources to small business owners in rural Sierra Leone.

JORGE REDMOND currently works in the Buncombe County District Attorney's office as an Assistant District Attorney, and as an adjunct professor in South College's Legal Department. Ali and Jorge are college friends, and *Black Girl, Black Girl* is their second book together.

SEPTEMBER 24		
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Juvenile Nonfiction/Picture Book		HC Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Explore		40 Pages
WORLD		Ages 3-7

## Gifts from the Garbage Truck

*The Things We (Don't) Throw Away*

Andrew Larsen



The unbelievable true story about one garbage truck driver who saved tens of thousands of objects from the trash to fix up and display in his museum!

- **Newsworthy true story:** Nelson Molina and his museum, *Treasures in the Trash*, have been profiled in *Humans* of New York, the *TODAY* show, and other news outlets.
- **Kid-friendly content:** Kids love garbage trucks, learning about them, running after them, and watching them. This book combines inspiration, education, and the fun of garbage trucks!

Discover the life of Nelson Molina, an employee of the New York City sanitation department who found over 45,000 objects in the trash to save, fix, and then display in his museum for others to enjoy. With themes of anti-consumerism, upcycling, and love for your community, *Gifts from the Garbage Truck* will inspire young readers to think more creatively and curiously about what we do (and don't) throw away.

ANDREW LARSEN has written more than twenty books for children, including *The Man Who Loved Libraries: The Story of Andrew Carnegie*, *The Bagel King*, and *A Squiggly Story*. His books have been nominated for awards in both Canada and the United States. He began writing for children when he became a stay-at-home dad. His kids are all grown up now, but Andrew continues to write. Andrew lives in Toronto, Canada with his wife and his dog, Sally.

### SEPTEMBER 24

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Juvenile Nonfiction/Picture Book	HC Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Explore	40 Pages
WORLD	Ages 4–8

## A Stray Dog for Christmas

*How Suzy Was Adopted*

Jack Jokinen



A true story about a stray dog who finds a family (and gets a name) just in time for Christmas.

- **Viral, global story:** Suzy's story has been covered in media all over the world, and *The Dodo's* video about Suzy has received 100 million views combined from their website and social media platforms.
- **Christmas book:** Christmas is an international holiday that represents hope, love, and joy for millions around the world.

It's two weeks before Christmas, and a stray dog searches for shelter in the snow. Thankfully, the door of one house is slightly open, welcoming her inside. But what will happen after she walks in? Will the humans send her back out into the cold? Or will they let her stay? Most importantly, will she find what she's truly looking for, a forever home? With timeless themes of love and belonging, *A Stray Dog for Christmas* tells the true story of podcaster Jack Jokinen and the stray dog his family adopted and named Suzy. This sweet story is perfect for both children and adults, reminding readers of the joys of family and that Christmas miracles are still possible. Back matter on dog adoption included.

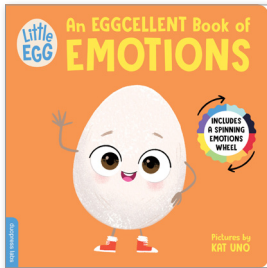
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Sourcebooks Explore	40 Pages
WORLD	Ages 4–8

JACK JOKINEN is a businessman, blogger, podcaster, and author. He lives outside Philadelphia with his wife, Emily, their two daughters, Johanna and Layla, and their two dogs, George and Suzy. After receiving global attention for adopting Suzy, Jack used his platform to spread awareness for animal adoption and positive change in the world. This led to Jack writing *A Stray Dog for Christmas* to continue to spread a positive message.

## Little Egg: An Eggcellent Book of Emotions

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Introducing Little Egg, an adorable character that presents basic emotions to young readers and assures them that it is completely normal to feel confused about our feelings.

- **Eight key emotions:** Children will see Little Egg be happy, calm, sad, and more, showing that it's normal and healthy to have different emotions.
- **Adorable character:** Little Egg is a friendly, adorable character that presents emotions to children in a way they can understand.

Happy, calm, proud, angry, afraid, sad, confident: We all have lots of emotions, and tots will love learning more about them alongside a friendly Little Egg. Using simple text and charming illustrations, our adorable Little Egg presents each emotion and assures tots that it is completely normal to feel confused about our feelings. At the end of the book, kids will find a spinning wheel that lets them find and recognize their emotions.

A perfect introduction to emotional growth and color concepts presented by an adorable Little Egg.

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OCTOBER 24		
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## Katie, Big and Strong

*The True Story of the Mighty Woman Who Could Lift Anything*

Jennifer Cooper



Katie Sandwina lifted more than carousels and cannons—she also lifted up women everywhere! Discover her story: from her career as a circus strongwoman and pioneering athlete to her steadfast loyalty to the suffragette movement

- **Hidden history of an important, inspiring woman:** Though hidden, Katie Sandwina's story is an inspiring and shining example of redefining womanhood
- **Real-life superwoman:** The fun, irreverent storytelling will have readers marveling at Katie's feats, which included lifting cannons and carousels and holding her husband over her head with one hand!

Even from a young age, Katie Brumbach was BIG and STRONG. She could lift heavy weights, bend steel bars, and lift several men at once! She boldly named herself "Katie Sandwina" after Eugen Sandow, the world's strongest man, and her women's record for an overhead lift of 296 pounds remained unbroken for over 75 years.

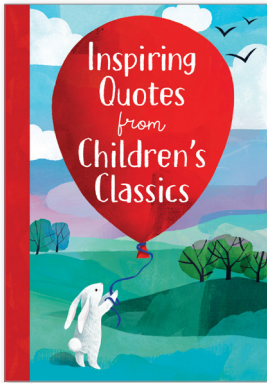
In 1912, at the height of her American fame, she publicly rallied with her fellow circus performers for women's suffrage. Hailed as a goddess-like figure by the press and circus audiences, Katie showed the world that being big and strong was beautiful.

JENNIFER COOPER is an author, teacher, triathlete, and mom of three. She has taught high school PE and English for nearly twenty years and is a passionate amateur athlete dedicated to new challenges. Jennifer lives with her husband and family in British Columbia, Canada. *Katie, Big and Strong* is her first book.

OCTOBER 24		
9781728287814	Juvenile Nonfiction/Biography Sourcebooks Explore WORLD	\$18.99 U.S. HC Pic Bk 48 Pages Ages 4-8

## Inspiring Quotes from Children's Classics

Annie Sarac



An illustrated collection of timeless quotes for today's kids, from both historical and modern children's classics.

- **Unique, giftable product:** This is the first book of quotes that pulls from children's literature across genres, age groups, authors, and time periods.
- **Excellent gift for kids of all ages:** This is the perfect gift for any occasion—birthdays, holidays, graduation, back-to-school—and since the quotes come from picture books, chapter books, and novels, it will delight a broad age range of children.

A must-have for any book-loving child or family! This beautifully illustrated collection offers quotes from both historical and modern classics for today's kids. Centered around eighteen relevant themes, such as being different, friendship, and taking risks, these inspirational words from some of the most creative minds in children's literature remind readers of timeless truths that spark imagination and hope.

ANNIE SARAC is a fiction editor, author, and playwright. Her works include *Dream Big*, *Princess: The Newest Avenger*, (*Your Child*) *Saves the Day*, and *My Monster Friends and Me*, available from Put Me in The Story and Sourcebooks. Her all-time favorite gift is being a mom to a beautiful, witty, and talented daughter. You can find her at [TheEditingPen.com](http://TheEditingPen.com).

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Juvenile Nonfiction		HC
Sourcebooks Explore		192 Pages
WORLD		Ages 4–12

## Stomp, Soar, Dino Roar

Max Amato



Experience the world of dinosaurs with Terri the Triceratops, as she hears the sounds, meets other dinosaurs, and learns to use her own voice in this fast-paced, rhyming, onomatopoeic read-aloud.

- **Max Amato is the author and illustrator of several picture books.** His stories use uncommon characters to explore themes that defined his childhood: perfectionism, companionship, identity, creativity, competitiveness, and of course, dinosaurs.
- **In addition to his work in children's books, Max is an independent graphic designer and art director, working primarily in brand identity for clients in sports, music, technology, and fashion.**

Terri the Triceratops's world is full of strange sounds, from crawling critters and shaking trees to scorching volcanoes and frozen seas. As she embarks on a journey through the Late Cretaceous Period, what will she discover? Who will she meet? What will she hear? And will she find her own voice in the face of danger along the way?

A delightful, immersive read-aloud experience, *Stomp, Soar, Dino Roar* explores the prehistoric world of dinosaurs through one Triceratops's eyes. This narrative nonfiction tale takes kids on a playful journey into the past through sight, sound, and storytelling in a way that both educates and entertains. Back matter on the Late Cretaceous Period, sonic science, and more included.

MAX AMATO is the author and illustrator of several picture books. His stories use uncommon characters to explore themes that defined his childhood: perfectionism, companionship, identity, creativity, competitiveness, and of course, dinosaurs.

BRENDAN MCAULIFFE is an author and illustrator with *Stomp, Soar, Dino Roar* being his debut picture book. Professionally, like Max, Brendan is an independent graphic designer and art director, working primarily in brand identity for clients in sports, food and beverage, technology, and hospitality.

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Juvenile Nonfiction		HC Pic Bk
Sourcebooks Explore		40 Pages
WORLD		Ages 4–8

## A Kid's Guide to the Night Sky

*Simple Ways to Explore the Universe*

John A. Read



Learn how to stargaze and discover the most amazing sights in the night sky—no telescope required!

- **Informative and approachable:** The content is simple enough to be accessible to elementary-aged readers yet very thorough; kids of all ages as well as grown-ups can learn from this book!
- **Evergreen topic:** Space is a consistently popular category, and this book's expert author and in-depth content will help establish this as THE stargazing book every space-loving kid needs

This easy-to-use stargazing guide for kids explores the popular night sky constellations, visits the brightest stars, and tours our solar system. As they learn step-by-step how to find the most fascinating sights in the night sky, readers will learn how the sky changes with each season, when to look for meteor showers, how to see the milky way, and much more!

A Kid's Guide to the Night Sky includes fact-packed sections like:

- Your Stargazing Toolkit
- The Life of a Star
- Learn the Constellations
- Astronomical Events
- Tour the Solar System
- Explore the Moon

JOHN A. READ fell in love with astronomy after viewing Saturn in a small telescope. In 2016, he became a full-time author, vlogger, student, and dad. In 2020, he was the recipient of the Simon Newcomb Award for science communication from the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada. He is currently the host of the YouTube channel *Learn to Stargaze*, and is earning his masters degree in space systems engineering at Johns Hopkins University.

OCTOBER 24		
9781728292281		\$12.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Science and Nature		TP
Sourcebooks Explore		112 Pages
WORLD		Ages 8–12

## When Grandmas Cook

*In the Kitchen with Grandmas, Nonnas, and Abuelas*

Margot Mustich



When grandmas cook for us, they make us happy. And that makes them happy. This beautifully illustrated book shows how grandmas from around the world show their love through food.

- A book that invites children into the kitchens of grandmas around the globe and celebrates the love a grandchild feels for their own grandma.
- A multicultural celebration of how nonnas, abuelas, grannies, and babas nourish and instill in us the knowledge of—and pride in—our cultural heritage through love.

Every grandma has a few special dishes she enjoys cooking for her family, and this beautifully illustrated book invites children into the kitchens of grandmothers around the globe while celebrating the love children have for their own grandmas.

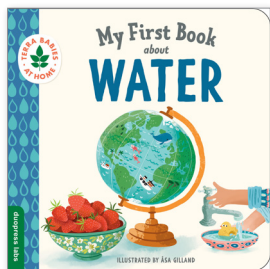
Learn about some delicious and wonderful meals, including chicken soup, tamales, pasta, and borscht, that abuelas, nonnas, babusias, and other grandmas around the world make with and for their grandchildren. Featuring grandmas from the United States, Mexico, Italy, India, Nigeria, South Korea, and more.

MARGOT MUSTICH threw herself into cooking full-time after working in film production and publishing. She has taught cooking classes and self-published a cookbook, *Simple Pleasures: Cooking from the Heart*. Following stints at a gourmet bake shop and catering business and at a private club in Manhattan, she became a cook at Union Square Café.

NOVEMBER 24		
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Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book		Board Book
duopress		22 Pages
WORLD		Ages 0–4

## My First Book about Water

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Terra Babies at Home, Book 5

From the fast-growing series *Terra Babies at Home* comes a new board book where tots will learn about the importance of water in our lives.

- A primer for kids interested in the environment: Kids up to 4 years old will learn about the importance of water while being introduced to basic concepts of how to consume more water and also how to conserve it.
- The fifth title in a successful series: *My First Book about Water* continues the success of the four previous titles of *Terra Babies at Home*: *My First Book of Houseplants*; *My First Book of Growing Food*; *My First Book of Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle*; and *My First Book of House Pets*, all illustrated with beautiful art by Asa Gillard.

*My First Book about Water* is a beautiful introduction for babies and toddlers to the benefits and importance of water in our lives.

Like other titles in the earth-friendly series *Terra Babies at Home*, this book helps tots develop a connection with the natural world and is made with FSC materials and nontoxic inks.

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Juvenile Nonfiction/Board Book	Board Book
duopress	22 Pages
WORLD	Ages 0-4

## The St. Patrick's Day Alphabet

Liz Saunders



A fun ABC introduction to St. Patrick's Day for kids ages 3 to 6. Children will enjoy learning about the history and traditions of this Irish holiday, with puns, jokes, and trivia.

- More families celebrating St. Patrick's Day: More consumers than ever celebrated St. Patrick's Day in 2023 and spent an average of \$43.84.
- Cultural traditions, food, common Irish terms: Kids will learn all about St. Patrick's Day, including its history, traditions, and foods, as well as some common Gaelic terms.

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with this fun introduction for kids ages 3 to 6.

St. Patrick's Day is associated with leprechauns, shamrocks, and pots of gold, but there is so much more to this Irish holiday. What luck, then, that the *St. Patrick's Day Alphabet* is here to teach kids the history, traditions, and customs of the holiday in an engaging ABC format. It also includes a leprechaun hunt: Kids will love searching for these sneaky little fairies hiding throughout the book.

### DECEMBER 24

9781464217999	\$12.99 U.S.
Juvenile Nonfiction/Picture Book	HC Pic Bk
duopress	40 Pages
WORLD	Ages 3-6

LIZ SAUNDERS is a freelance writer and editor. She lives in Austin, Texas, with her husband and their two rescue pups.

# Cute Animals That Could Kill You Dead

Brooke Hartman



These animals may put the “aww” in aww-dorable, but their deadly venom and killer instincts will also knock your socks off! From powerful poison to super strength, get ready to turn your squee into screams with this crew of killer cuties.

- Delivers information in a browsable, interactive format that allows young readers to quickly find information on a specific animal
- Teaches fascinating scientific facts in a humorous way that's accessible to elementary students
- Offers creative ways to teach STEM curriculum for classrooms/libraries in a visually pleasing format

A STEM extravaganza, this informative yet humorous text introduces readers to the science behind cute but killer animals, including their scientific name, habitat, size, and conservation status. This fun book for kids introduces the weird, funny, and outrageously true stories of the cutest, fluffiest critters who are also secretly fierce!

APRIL 25

9781728285290  
 Juvenile Nonfiction  
 Sourcebooks Explore  
 WORLD

\$14.99 U.S.  
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 48 Pages

BROOKE HARTMAN is an Alaskan mom who seriously loves to write not-so-serious books for kids. Her writing has garnered multiple awards, including honors from The Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators, *Writer's Digest*, Pacific Northwest Writers Association, and the Alaska Writers Guild.

young readers



## It Watches in the Dark

Jeff Strand



Eek!

Prepare to be scared silly in this creepy middle-grade novel! Twins seek medical help in a remote village after their father is in a canoeing accident... only to discover the scarecrow that stands watch in town may have a stronger hold over the residents than expected. Perfect for fans of R.L. Stine, Dan Pablocki, and Mary Downing Hahn

- **Award-winning author now writing for younger readers:** Jeff Strand is a Bram Stoker Award winning author with numerous adult horror novels. His middle-grade debut will literally scare readers silly with his signature creepy tension that is served up with a dash of humor
- **Adult AND kid-approved:** Jeff's YA novels have been Junior Library Guild picks and are well-loved by librarians, parents, and kids for how they appeal to even the most reluctant readers. He is a master storyteller who knows how to keep an audience captivated with relatable characters, fast-paced narratives, and short chapters

Twins Oliver and Trisha love going on adventures with their dad. Canoeing and camping on the Champion River will be their best trip yet! But when they capsize in rapids, their father is knocked unconscious. Alone and without cell phone reception, their only choice is to continue down river for help.

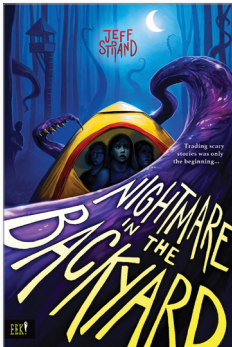
Hours of paddling brings them to an old dock, and a narrow path leads them to a small village. The townspeople are kind and helpful, but strangely focused on the giant scarecrow in the village square. "He watches over us," the twins are told in whispers. "He keeps us safe."

Bram Stoker Award winning author JEFF STRAND has written more than twenty books, though this is his middle-grade debut. Three of his young adult novels were Junior Library Guild picks. Learn more at [JeffStrand.com](http://JeffStrand.com).

APRIL 24		
9781728277622	\$8.99 U.S.	
Juvenile Fiction/Independent Reader		TP
Sourcebooks Young Readers	240 Pages	
WORLD		Ages 10-14

## Nightmare in the Backyard

Jeff Strand



Eek!

When the scratching starts on the tent, a backyard camping trip turns terrifying for three friends. Prepare to be scared silly in this creepy middle-grade novel for fans of R.L. Stine, Dan Pablocki, and Mary Downing Hahn.

- **Jeff Strand is a Bram Stoker Award-winning author with numerous adult horror novels.** His middle-grade debut showcases his signature creepy tension that is served up with a dash of humor.
- **Jeff's YA novels have been Junior Library Guild picks and are well-loved by librarians, teachers, parents, and kids for how they appeal to even the most reluctant readers.** He is a master storyteller who knows how to keep an audience captivated, and we've sold nearly 100,000 copies of his titles.

Chloe, Avery, and Madison can't wait to spend the night camping in the backyard. Smores! Spooky stories! Trading secrets! It's going to be awesome. Sure, Elijah the kid next door keeps trying to prank them, but it's all in good fun. Who doesn't like a little scare after the sun has set and the moonlight casts creepy shadows everywhere?

Then the scratching starts on the tent fabric. The girls think it must be Elijah again, but there's no one outside. As the scratching gets more insistent, the girls may need to start asking WHAT is making that noise rather than WHO. Can they make it through the night?

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