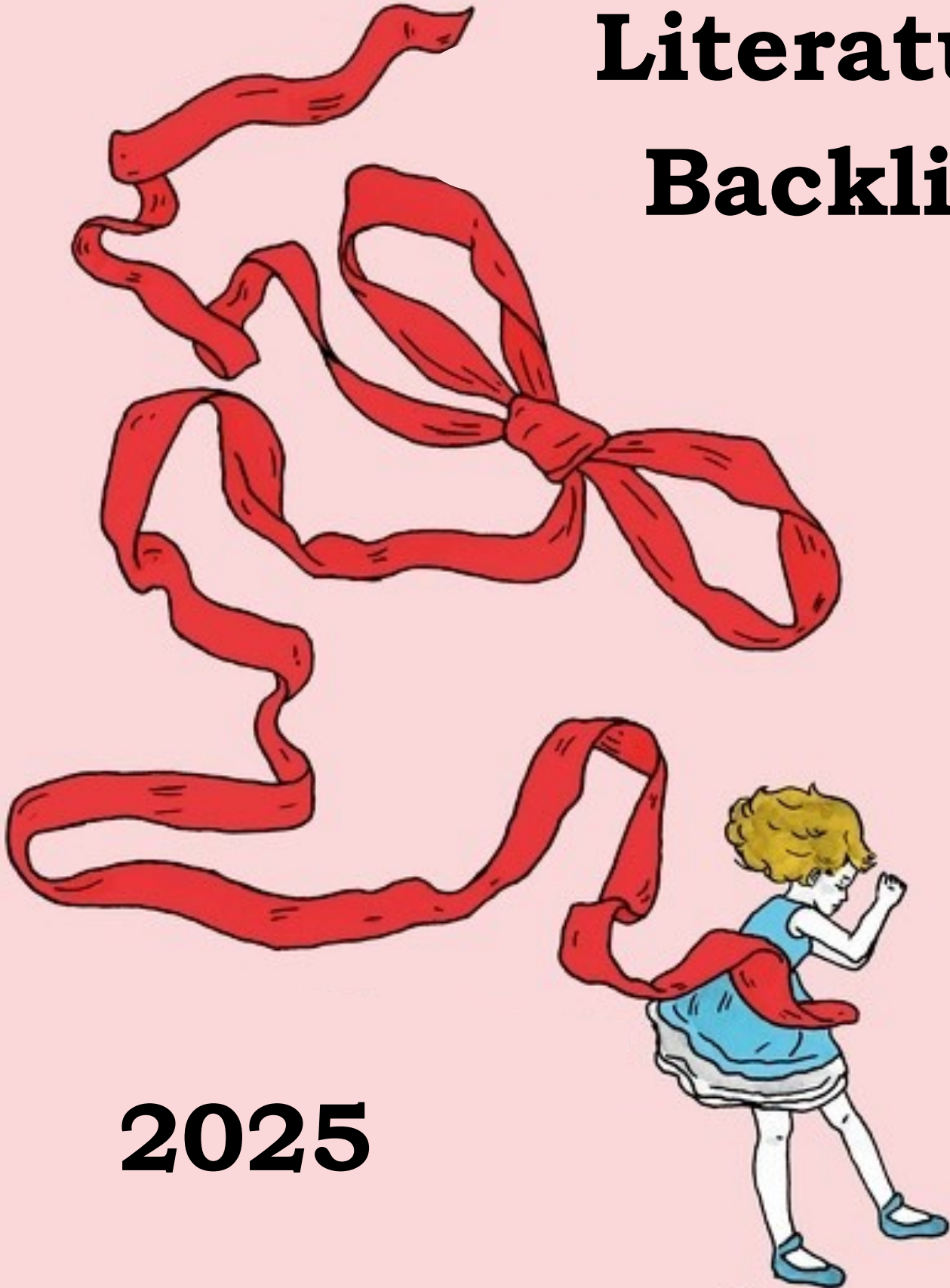


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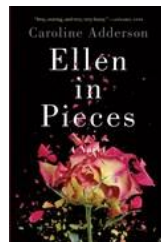


A Russian Sister

Caroline Adderson

In this witty and colourfully peopled novel, Caroline Adderson effortlessly plunges the reader into a nineteenth-century Russian tragicomedy. Aspiring painter Masha C. is blindly devoted to Antosha, her famous writer-brother. Through the years Antosha takes up with numerous women from Masha's circle of friends, yet none of these relationships threaten the siblings' close ties until the winter he falls into a depression. Then Masha invites into their Moscow home a young woman who teaches with her the beautiful, vivacious and deeply vulnerable Lika Mizanova-with the express hope she might help Antosha recover.

9781443426817
Pub Date: 8/18/2020
\$24.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
7.4 cm T | 420 g Wt



Ellen In Pieces

Caroline Adderson

Ellen McGinty: sexy, impulsive, loud-mouthed, chock full of regrets. In middle age she sells the house she raised her daughters in, slips off the shell of her old life, and steps out for a first, tentative foray into real contentment - directly into the path of a man twenty years her junior. Her story explodes into multiple points of view. Through the eyes of her lover, Matt, her ex-husband, Larry, her two daughters (one a former addict), her grandson, and her friends, we watch Ellen negotiate her tumultuous life as the pieces of who she is finally come together. In its entirety, *Ellen in Pieces* explores love in its varied forms, the nature of regret (and the possibility of recovery from it), and that

9781443426794
Pub Date: 3/17/2015
\$17.99 CAD
336 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
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2.3 cm T | 406 g Wt



The Garden of Burning Sand

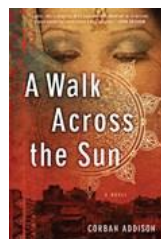
Corban Addison

A Canadian bestseller from the author of *A Walk Across the Sun*: the passionate tale of a young woman's search for justice in the heart of sub-Saharan Africa

Lusaka, Zambia. Zoe Fleming is a young, idealistic American lawyer working with an NGO devoted to combating the epidemic of child sexual assault in southern Africa. Zoe's organization is called in to help when an adolescent girl is brutally assaulted. The girl's identity is a mystery. Where did she come from? Was the attack a random street crime or a premeditated act?

A batraval in Zoe's past gives a serenal resonance to the

9781443454575
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Fiction
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Walk Across The Sun

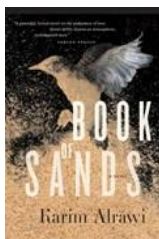
Corban Addison

The international bestseller, with 30,000 copies sold in Canada

When a tsunami rages through their coastal home in India, sisters Ahalya and Sita are left orphaned and alone. Searching for protection in a devastated landscape, they are thrust into a seamy world of violence and underground commerce.

In Washington, D.C., attorney Thomas Clarke, facing his own personal and professional crisis, makes the fateful decision to pursue a pro bono sabbatical in Mumbai, India, with a non-profit organization that prosecutes the region's human traffickers

9781443408240
Pub Date: 4/8/2014
\$17.99 CAD
448 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.3 cm T | 406 g Wt



Book Of Sands

Karim Alrawi

A powerful, lyrical novel of the endurance of love, set amid the upheaval of the Arab Spring and the brutal repression of a totalitarian regime

Tarek, a young father, watches as the city he lives in is mired in protests, hemmed in by barricades and strangely inundated by great flocks of birds. Facing the threat of police arrest, he flees with his nine-year-old daughter, Neda. He is forced to leave behind his pregnant wife, Mona, under the watchful eye of Omar, her deeply troubled and religious brother. Compounding the difficulties of these times, babies refuse to be born and mothers stop giving birth.

A Thousand and Ninety-Nine Miles North of the Equator

9781443434461
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\$19.99 CAD
320 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
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2.3 cm T | 406 g Wt



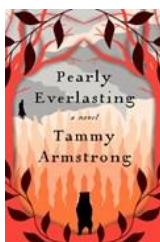
The Storm

Arif Anwar

Inspired by the 1970 Bhola Cyclone, in which half a million people perished overnight, *The Storm* seamlessly interweaves five love stories that, together, chronicle fifty years of Bangladeshi history.

Shahryar, a recent Ph.D. graduate and father of nine-year-old Anna, must leave the US when his visa expires. As father and daughter spend their last remaining weeks together, Shahryar tells Anna the history of his country, beginning in a village on the Bay of Bengal, where a poor fisherman and his Hindu wife - who converted to

9781443454216
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368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Sagas
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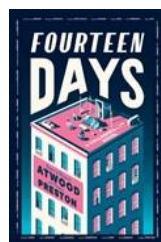


Pearly Everlasting

Tammy Armstrong

In a narrative sown with rural folklore and superstition, *Pearly Everlasting* is an enchanting woodland Gothic about the triumph of good over evil and the forgotten beauty of the natural world.

9781443471138
Pub Date: 6/25/2024
\$24.99 CAD
352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2 cm T | 347 g Wt



Fourteen Days

The Authors Guild, Margaret Atwood, Douglas Preston

Narrated by the outspoken, hard-nosed female superintendent of the building, this extraordinary and surprising story unfolds across the fourteen days of a Covid-19 quarantine, as neighbors of a rundown Lower Manhattan apartment building come together to make sense of their circumstances and of themselves.

"Putting a bold new twist on the plague novel, this bountiful, unpredictable, witty, and affecting tale-of-tales is made all the more intriguing by the fact that it's a collaboration by thirty-six exceptional North American writers."—*Booklist*

9780063280182
Pub Date: 2/4/2025
\$23.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.3 cm T | 406 g Wt



The Broken Hours

Jacqueline Baker

In the spring of 1936, horror writer H.P. Lovecraft is broke, living alone in a creaky old house and deathly ill. At the edge of a nervous breakdown, he hires a personal assistant, Arthur Crandle. As the novel opens, Crandle arrives at Lovecraft's home with no knowledge of the writer or his work but is soon drawn into his distinctly unnerving world: the malevolent presence that hovers on the landing; the ever-shining light from Lovecraft's study, invisible from the street; and visions in the night of a white-clad girl in the walled garden. Add to this the arrival of a beautiful woman who may not be exactly what she seems, and Crandle is pulled deeper into the strange world of the community of men known to Crandle only through

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320 pages • Trade
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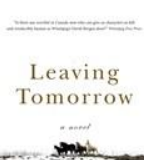


All I Stole From You

Ava Bellows

A captivating debut novel about the complexities of love and the unexpected people who change our lives for better -- and for worse.

9781443466806
Pub Date: 5/31/2022
\$23.99 CAD
304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / City Life
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 324.3 g Wt



Leaving Tomorrow

David Bergen

From the Giller Prize-winning author of the #1 bestseller *The Age of Hope*, a thoughtful, tender, often wry novel of growing up and falling in love

In the small Alberta town of Tomorrow, young Arthur yearns for a larger life. His father loves horses and good books, while his mother follows practicality and her faith. Bev, his rough-edged brother, chooses action over thought. Arthur lives among them—intelligent, curious, romantic and at odds with his surroundings and his religion. His one ally is his adopted cousin, the fearless Isobel. Their mutual admiration for the land, literature, all things French and each other sustains Arthur.

9781443411394
Pub Date: 9/15/2015
\$17.99 CAD
288 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



Stranger

David Bergen

Matthew Thomas, *New York Times*—bestselling author of *We Are Not Ourselves*, calls *Stranger* "a work of genius. . . . [Bergen] is one of our living greats."

National bestseller, longlisted for the Scotiabank Giller Prize

The gripping novel from David Bergen, the Giller Prize-winning author of *The Time in Between* and a CBC Canada Reads finalist for *The Age of Hope*

Compelling and timely, the *Toronto Star* declares *Stranger* "an engrossing human exploration of displacement and

9781443450980
Pub Date: 9/5/2017
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272 pages • Paperback
Fiction
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Free World

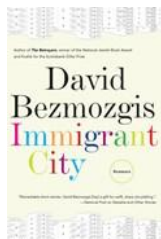
David Bezmozgis

2011 Governor General's Literary Awards Finalist - Fiction

Shortlisted for the 2011 Scotiabank Giller Prize

It is August 1978. Brezhnev sits like a stone in the Kremlin and nuclear missiles stand primed in the Siberian silos. The Iron Curtain divides East from West as three generations of the Krasnansky family leave the Soviet Union to get their first taste of freedom. Choosing Canada rather than Israel as their destination, the Krasnanskys find themselves on an enforced holiday in Italy with thousands of other Russian Jewish immigrants all facing an uncertain future. Together the irresistible and quarelsome

9781443404006
Pub Date: 11/8/2011
\$19.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.1 cm T | 274.4 g Wt



Immigrant City

David Bezmozgis

FINALIST FOR THE 2019 SCOTIABANK GILLER PRIZE

Award-winning author David Bezmozgis's first story collection in more than a decade, hailed by the *Toronto Star* as "intelligent, funny, unfailingly sympathetic"

In the title story, a father and his young daughter stumble into a bizarre version of his immigrant childhood. A mysterious tech conference brings a writer to Montreal, where he discovers new designs on the past in "How It Used to Be." A grandfather's Yiddish letters expose a love affair and a wartime secret in "I Little Rooster" In

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224 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Short Stories
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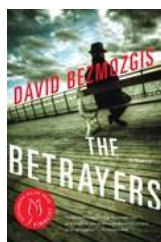
Natasha and Other Stories

David Bezmozgis

One of the most anticipated international debuts of 2004, David Bezmozgis's *Natasha and Other Stories* lives up to its buzz with numerous award distinctions and a sheaf of praise from reviewers and readers. These are stories that capture the immigrant experience with wit and deep sympathy, recalling the early work of Bernard Malamud and Philip Roth. An exquisitely crafted collection from a gifted young writer.

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\$19.99 CAD
176 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Short Stories
(single author)
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The Betrayers

David Bezmozgis

Finalist for the 2014 Scotiabank Giller Prize

A disgraced Israeli politician comes face to face with the man who denounced him to the KGB and sent him to the Gulag

These incandescent pages give us one momentous day in the life of Baruch Kotler, a disgraced Israeli politician. When he refuses to back down from a contrary but principled stand regarding the West Bank settlements, his political opponents expose his affair with a mistress decades his junior. He and the fierce young Leora flee the scandal for Yalta, where he comes face to face with the former friend who denounced him to the KGB almost forty years earlier

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240 pages • Trade
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Fiction / Literary
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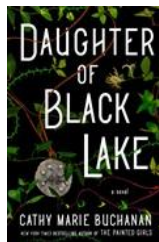
The Good German

Dennis Bock

In November 1939, a German anti-fascist named Georg Elser came as close to assassinating Adolf Hitler as anyone ever had. In this gripping novel of alternate history, he doesn't just come close—he succeeds. But he could never have imagined the terrible consequences that would follow from this act of heroism.

Hermann Göring, masterful strategist, assumes the Chancellery and quickly signs a non-aggression treaty with the isolationist president Joseph Kennedy that will keep America out of the war that is about to engulf Europe. Göring rushes the German scientific community into developing the atomic bomb, and in August 1944, this

9781443460972
Pub Date: 9/8/2020
\$22.99 CAD
304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Alternative
History
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 351.5 g Wt



Daughter of Black Lake

Cathy Marie Buchanan

By the bestselling author of *The Painted Girls*

When a remote, ancient settlement is threatened, it is up to one girl to save her family and her community

It's the season of Fallow, the first century AD. In a misty northern bog surrounded by woodlands and wheat fields, lies a settlement far beyond the reach of the Roman invaders, who are still hundreds of miles to the southeast. Here, life is simple, or so it seems to the tightly knit community. Sow. Reap. Honour Mother Earth, who will provide at harvest time.

9781443452656
Pub Date: 10/13/2020
\$24.99 CAD
320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2 cm T | 351.5 g Wt

The Day The Falls Stood Still

Cathy Marie Buchanan

Steeped in the intriguing history of Niagara Falls, this is an epic love story as rich, spellbinding and majestic as the falls themselves.

1915. The dawn of the hydroelectric power era in Niagara Falls. Seventeen-year-old Bess Heath has led a sheltered existence as the youngest daughter of the director of the Niagara Power Company. After graduation day at her boarding school, she is impatient to return to her picturesque family home near the falls. But when she arrives, nothing is as she left it. Her father has lost his job at the power company, her mother is reduced to taking in sewing from the society ladies she once entertained, and

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\$21.99 CAD
416 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.6 cm T | 360.6 g Wt



The Painted Girls

Cathy Marie Buchanan

Summer of Canadian Reading 2019

A #1 National Bestseller and a *New York Times* Bestseller

A gripping novel inspired by the real-life model for Edgar Degas's sculpture *Little Dancer Aged Fourteen*

Paris, 1878. Following their father's sudden death, the van Goethem sisters' lives are upended. With few options for work, Marie is dispatched to the Paris Opera, where for a scant wage she is trained to enter the famous ballet. Her older sister, Antoinette, finds work—and the love of a

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Fiction
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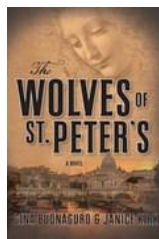
The Virgins of Venice

Gina Buonaguro

In this engrossing novel set in 16th-century Venice, one young noblewoman dares to resist the choices made for her: a marriage of strategic alliance or the convent

Venice in 1509 is on the brink of war. The displeasure of Pope Julius II is a continuing threat to the republic, as is the barely contained fighting in the countryside. Amid this political turmoil, noblewoman Justina Soranzo, just sixteen, hopes to make a rare love marriage with her sweetheart, Luca Cicogna. Her hopes are dashed when her father decides her younger sister Rosa will be the one to marry Luca. Justina will instead be sent to the Con

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Pub Date: 12/13/2022
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432 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
Renaissance
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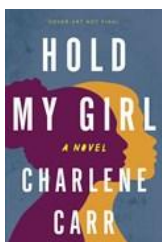


The Wolves Of St. Peters

Gina Buonaguro, Janice Kirk

1508. When Francesco Angeli, houseboy to Michelangelo, sees the body of a golden-haired woman being pulled from the Tiber on a rainy morning, he is shocked to realize that he knows her. As Francesco follows a deepening mystery from Rome's back streets to the pope's inner sanctum, he begins to realize that danger and corruption may lurk behind the most beautiful of facades.

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Pub Date: 4/22/2014
\$21.99 CAD
272 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
4.53 cm T | 351.5 g Wt



Hold My Girl

Charlene Carr

For fans of Jodi Picoult, Kate Hewitt and Ashley Audrain, a heart-wrenching novel about two women whose eggs are switched during IVF

Katherine is a woman full of obsessions. Everything clean, everything perfect, all the time. After seven years of trying-and failing-to conceive, she finally gives birth to Rose, her IVF miracle child. But she's afraid that Rose may not be her daughter; her pale skin doesn't match Katherine's own.

Tess never got her happy ending. She took on IVF alongside Katherine and a series of heartbreaks, but

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\$24.99 CAD
432 pages • Paperback
Fiction / African American
& Black / Women
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 351.5 g Wt



We Rip the World Apart

Charlene Carr

A sweeping multi-generational story about motherhood, race and secrets in the lives of three women, perfect for readers of Brit Bennett's *The Vanishing Half* and David Chariandy's *Brother*

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\$25.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / African American
& Black / Women
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2.4 cm T | 351.5 g Wt



What Storm, What Thunder

Myriam J.A. Chancy

The story of the earthquake that devastated Haiti in 2010, told through ten voices.

9781443460354
Pub Date: 9/14/2021
\$24.99 CAD
320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Disaster
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2 cm T | 358 g Wt



Dragon Springs Road

Janie Chang

"Filled with enchantment and intrigue" (*Toronto Star*) and "a great choice for a book club" (*The Huffington Post*), *Dragon Springs Road* takes readers on an evocative journey a century in the past and half a world away.

In early-twentieth-century Shanghai, an ancient imperial dynasty collapses, a new government struggles to life and two girls are bound together in a friendship that will be tested by duty, honour and love.

Abandoned in the courtyard of a once-lavish estate outside Shanghai, seven-year-old Jialing learns she is *zazhong* — Eurasian — and thus doomed to face a lifetime of

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Fiction / Asian American
& Pacific Islander
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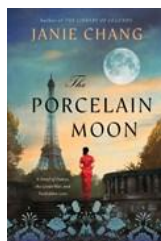
The Library of Legends

Janie Chang

From the author of *Three Souls* and *Dragon Springs Road* comes a captivating historical novel—the third in a loosely connected trilogy—in which a convoy of student refugees travel across China, fleeing the hostilities of a brutal war with Japan

"Myths are the darkest and brightest incarnations of who we are . . ."

China, 1937. When Japanese bombs begin falling on the city of Nanking, nineteen-year-old Hu Lian and her



The Porcelain Moon

Janie Chang

France, 1918. In the final days of the First World War, Pauline Deng runs away from her uncle's home in Paris to evade a marriage being arranged for her in Shanghai. To prevent the union, she needs the help of her cousin Theo, who is working in the French countryside as a translator for the Chinese Labour Corps.

In the town of Noyelles-sur-Mer, Camille Roussel is planning her escape from an abusive marriage and seeking to end a love affair that can no longer continue. Camille offers Pauline a room in her house, and the two women become friends. But before long, Pauline uncovers

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352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Asian American
& Pacific Islander
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Three Souls

Janie Chang

Civil war China is fractured by social and political change. Behind the magnificent gates of the Song family estate, however, none of this upheaval has touched Leiying, a spoiled and idealistic teenager. But when Leiying meets the captivating left-wing poet Hanchin, she defies her father and learns a harsh reality: that her father has the power to dictate her fate. Leiying's punishment for disobedience leads to exile from her family, an unwanted marriage and ultimately a lover's betrayal—followed by her untimely death. Now a ghost, Leiying must make amends to earn entry to the afterlife. But when her young daughter faces a dangerous future, Leiying has to make a heart-wrenching



In the Shadow of War (The Three Fry Sisters #3)

Adrienne Chinn

'Fans of the late Penny Vincenzi's sweeping family dramas should enjoy this' *Historical Novel Society*

9780008714741
Pub Date: 9/3/2024
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432 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Romance /
Historical
23.4 cm H | 15.3 cm W |



Love in a Time of War (The Three Fry Sisters #1)

Adrienne Chinn

The Internationally Bestselling Author of *The English Wife*

Three sisters

The Great War

The end of innocence...

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\$24.99 CAD
480 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical / World
War I
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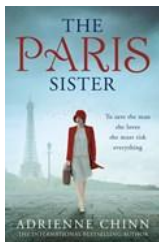
The English Wife

Adrienne Chinn

Two women, a world apart.

A secret waiting to be discovered...

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448 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
General
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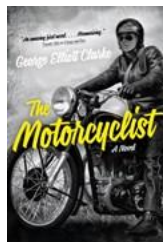


The Paris Sister (The Three Fry Sisters #2)

Adrienne Chinn

Three sisters separated by distance but bound by love

9780008597795
Pub Date: 2/21/2023
\$24.99 CAD
480 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical / World
War I
23.4 cm H | 15.3 cm W |



The Motorcyclist

George Elliott Clarke

Just start your engine. Go.

Carl Black is an intellectual and an artist, a traveller and an unapologetic womanizer. A motorcyclist. He burns for the bohemian life, but is trapped in a railway worker's prosaic—and at times humiliating—existence. Set in 1959 in and around Halifax, Nova Scotia, the novel vividly recounts Carl's travels and romantic exploits as he tours the backroads of the East Coast and courts a bevy of beautiful women. *The Motorcyclist* is a portrait of a black working-class man caught between the expectations of his time and the gleaming possibilities of the open road.

In vibrant, cinematic, sensual prose, George Elliott Clarke

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288 pages • Paperback
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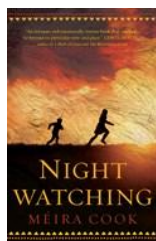
Undone

John Colapinto

Things have not been going well for Dez. He's broke, jobless, angry and without a future. Then he happens to see an episode of "Tovah in the Afternoon" featuring the fabulously successful memoirist Jasper Ulrickson, and devises a diabolical scheme to ruin him...

What ensues is a descent into psychological nightmare, one lit with dark flashes of humor and illuminating tragedy. Like watching Othello fall to Iago's masterful manipulations, we are riveted by this spectacle of an upright man undone by envy and the implacable demands of desire. A risk-taking and courageous novel,

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Pub Date: 4/19/2016
\$19.99 CAD
416 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



Nightwatching

Meira Cook

One hot, lonely summer in the Orange Free State of South Africa, feisty Ruthie Blackburn finds herself at odds with everyone around her. She squirms under the watchful eye of her nanny, Miriam, and bristles at the neighbour's gardener's boy, Sip, who follows her everywhere and is her only friend. But mostly she misses her distracted widower father who is more absent each day.

Ruthie runs reckless through the bleary, dull days of summer until the monotony is interrupted by the arrival of two guests from the big city. The events of this one weekend will alter the course of Ruthie's adolescence and lead to a devastating tragedy. Set against the shifting

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Pub Date: 5/19/2015
\$19.99 CAD
272 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
21.6 cm H | 14 cm W |



Kudos

Rachel Cusk

Rachel Cusk, the award-winning and critically acclaimed author of *Outline* and *Transit*, completes the transcendent literary trilogy with *Kudos*, a novel of unsettling power.

A woman writer visits a Europe in flux, where questions of personal and political identity are rising to the surface and the trauma of change is opening up new possibilities of loss and renewal. Within the rituals of literary culture, Faye finds the human story in disarray amid differing attitudes toward the public performance of the creative persona. She begins to identify among the people she meets a tension between truth and representation, a fissure that accrues great dramatic force as *Kudos* reaches a profound

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\$19.99 CAD
240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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Outline

Rachel Cusk

Outline is a novel in ten conversations. Spare and lucid, it follows a novelist teaching a course in creative writing during an oppressively hot summer in Athens. She leads her students in storytelling exercises. She meets other visiting writers for dinner. She goes swimming with an elderly Greek bachelor. The people she encounters speak, volubly, about themselves: their fantasies, anxieties, pet theories, regrets and longings. And through these disclosures, a portrait of the narrator is drawn by contrast, a portrait of a woman learning to face a great loss. *Outline* is Rachel Cusk's finest work yet, and one of the most startling, brilliant and original novels of recent years.

9781443447102
Pub Date: 9/1/2015
\$21.00 CAD
256 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 1.6



Parade

Rachel Cusk

Crafted by the exhilarating mind of Rachel Cusk, author of the *Outline* trilogy, *Parade* disturbs and defines the novel.

9781443471671
Pub Date: 6/18/2024
\$29.99 CAD
208 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 12.7 cm W |
1.8 cm T | 249.5 g Wt



Second Place

Rachel Cusk

**Longlisted for the Booker Prize
On O, The Oprah Magazine's list of 55 of the Most Anticipated Books of 2021**

On a sun-soaked Parisian street, M, a mother on the brink of rebellion, wanders into a famous artist's gallery show. The artist's paintings speak-quite literally-to her, promising a liberation usually reserved for men. She returns to the coastal home she shares with her husband, but the unsettling impression of the art, and the evasive artist, remains. So she writes to him, inviting him to stay in their second place, a modest cottage salvaged from the land.

9781443458757
Pub Date: 4/26/2022
\$19.99 CAD
192 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.1 cm T | 145.1 g Wt



The Outline Trilogy

Rachel Cusk

"These novels are among the most important written in this century so far." —*The Globe and Mail*

Rachel Cusk's ambitious *Outline* trilogy has received acclaim on both sides of the Atlantic. *Outline* (2015) was a finalist for both the Scotiabank Giller Prize and the Governor General's Literary Award for Fiction. *Transit* (2017), has been called "dreamlike" (*Toronto Star*), "extraordinary" (*The Daily Telegraph*) and "a work of stunning beauty, deep insight and great originality" (*The New York Times Book Review*). And *Kudos* (2018) has been called "intellectually entrancing" (*The Globe and Mail*), "radical and beautiful" (*The New Yorker*) and



Transit

Rachel Cusk

****FINALIST for the Scotiabank Giller Prize; FINALIST for the Goldsmiths Prize; a *Globe and Mail* Best Book of the Year; A *New York Times* Notable Book of the Year****

"A work of stunning beauty, deep insight and great originality." —*The New York Times*

"Brave and uncompromising. . . . A work of cut-glass brilliance." —*Financial Times*

"Cusk's writing feels, exhilaratingly, unlike any other fiction being written." —*Toronto Star*

Internationally acclaimed author and Scotiabank

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Pub Date: 8/20/2019
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608 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21.6 cm H | 14 cm W |
3.5 cm T | 494 g Wt

9781443456029
Pub Date: 10/31/2017
\$21.99 CAD
272 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 1.7
cm T | 256 g Wt



Against A Darkening Sky

Lauren B. Davis

From the author of the acclaimed *Our Daily Bread* and *The Empty Room* comes a rich and fascinating new novel of mysterious, magic-riddled seventh-century England: *Against A Darkening Sky* transports the reader to a rich yet violent past where a young woman is torn between her deepest beliefs and her desire to belong in a changing world.

Wilona, the lone survivor of a plague that has wiped out her people, makes her way across the moors to a new life in the village of Ad Gefrin, where she is apprenticed to Touilt, a revered healer and seeress. She blossoms under Touilt's tutelage and will one day take her place, but as an



Our Daily Bread

Lauren B. Davis

A novel about what happens when we view our neighbours as "The Other" and the transformative power of unlikely friendships; *Our Daily Bread* is inspired by the true story of the Goler Clan of Nova Scotia.

The God-fearing people of Gideon shun the Erskine Clan, who have lived on North Mountain in poverty, secrecy and isolation, believing their neighbours to be beyond salvation. "That's the mountain," they say. "What do you expect from those people?"

Yet in both groups nearly everyone has secrets and nothing is as it seems.

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Pub Date: 4/12/2016
\$16.99 CAD
384 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |

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312 pages • Trade
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Fiction / Literary
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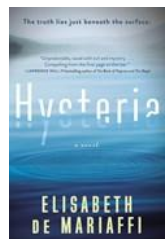
The Empty Room

Lauren B. Davis

A universally acclaimed, groundbreaking journey into the depths of addiction, from the author of *Our Daily Bread*, longlisted for the Giller Prize

Colleen Kerrigan wakes up sick and bruised, with no clear memory of the night before. It's Monday morning, and she is late for work again. She's shocked to see the near-empty vodka bottle on her kitchen counter. It was full at noon yesterday; surely she didn't drink that much last night? As she struggles out the door, she fights the urge to have a sip, just to take the edge off. But no, she's not going to drink today.

But this is the day Colleen's demons come for her. A very



Hysteria

Elisabeth de Mariaffi

One of *The Globe and Mail's* "Favourite Books of the Year"

The closer she gets to the truth, the faster it slips away.

In the spring of 1945, fifteen year-old Heike circles in the mountains high above Switzerland. Pushed out the door by a worried mother, Heike and her little sister, Lena, have escaped Dresden only days ahead of the firebombs that will destroy that city, to cross a war-torn Germany on their own. But now, Lena is lost and Heike is alone, stalked by a feral dog.

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Pub Date: 5/12/2014
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320 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |

9781443453417
Pub Date: 3/5/2019
\$18.99 CAD
432 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers /
Psychological
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



The Devil You Know

Elisabeth de Mariaffi

In the vein of Gillian Flynn's *Sharp Objects* and Alice Sebold's *The Lovely Bones*, *The Devil You Know* is a thrilling debut novel about a rookie reporter whose memories of the murder of her childhood best friend bring danger-and a stalker-right to her doorstep

The year is 1993. Rookie reporter Evie Jones is working the crime beat in a city terrified by a serial rapist and a growing number of missing and murdered young girls. As she covers this story, Evie is haunted by the unsolved murder eleven years earlier of her own best friend, Lianne Gagnon. The suspected killer, a repeat offender named Robert Cameron, was never apprehended, leaving



The Retreat

Elisabeth de Mariaffi

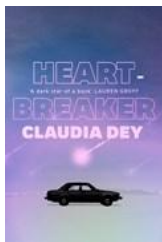
Everyone has a secret to keep . . .

Maeve Martin arrives at the High Water Center for the Arts determined to do one thing: launch her own dance company. Time is running out for the former principal dancer and mother of two to find her feet again after the collapse of a disastrous and violent marriage. At first, there's a thrill to being on her own for the first time in years, isolated in the beauty of a snowy mountain lodge.

But when an avalanche traps the guests inside, tensions run high. Help is coming, so they just have to hold on, despite the odds.

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Pub Date: 12/22/2015
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Fiction / Literary
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1.8 cm T | 235 g Wt

9781443461528
Pub Date: 7/13/2021
\$23.99 CAD
288 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers /
Psychological
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Heartbreaker

Claudia Dey

A poignant new novel that combines humour and heartache, from the brilliant mind of Governor General's Award finalist Claudia Dey

Seventeen years after falling from a stolen car into a remote northern town, Billie Jean Fontaine is still an outsider. She may follow the stifling rules of this odd place, but no one will forget that she came from elsewhere. When Billie Jean vanishes one cold October night in her bare feet and track suit with only her truck keys, those closest to her begin a frantic search. Her daughter, Pony, a girl struggling against being a teen in the middle of nowhere; her killer dog to whom she cannot tell a lie; her

9781554685509
Pub Date: 8/21/2018
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272 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
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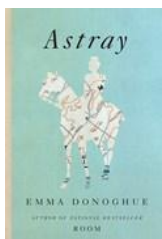
Akin

Emma Donoghue

In her first contemporary novel since *Room*, bestselling author Emma Donoghue returns with a brilliant tale of love, loss and family. The life of a retired New York professor is thrown into chaos when he takes his great-nephew to the French Riviera in the hopes of uncovering his own mother's wartime secrets.

Noah is only days away from his first trip back to Nice since he was a child when he receives an unexpected request. A social worker is looking for a temporary home for Michael, his eleven-year-old great-nephew. Although he has promised that he, Noah, is now forced to take

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352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
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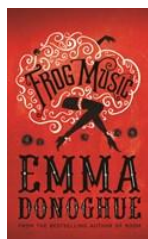
Astray

Emma Donoghue

The bestselling author of *Room* fashions a cast of colourful characters—who inhabit worlds as diverse as Puritan Massachusetts and 1960s Toronto—each on their own extraordinary journey

Gold miner. Counterfeiter. Slave. Dishwasher. Prostitute. Attorney. Sculptor. Mercenary. Elephant. Corpse. The fascinating characters that roam across the pages of Emma Donoghue's stories have all gone astray: they are emigrants, runaways, drifters, lovers old and new. They cross other borders, too—those of race, law, sex and sanity. They travel for love or money, incognito or under duress. With rich detail, the celebrated author of *Room*

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Pub Date: 9/17/2013
\$22.99 CAD
288 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.17 cm T



Frog Music

Emma Donoghue

San Francisco, 1876: a stifling heat wave and a smallpox epidemic have engulfed the city. Deep in the streets of Chinatown live three former stars of the Parisian circus: Blanche, now an exotic dancer at the House of Mirrors, her love, Arthur, and his companion Ernest. When an eccentric outsider joins their little circle, secrets unravel, changing everything—and leaving one of them dead.

Frog Music, inspired by true events, is an evocative novel of intrigue and murder; elegant, erotic and witty.

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Pub Date: 2/24/2015
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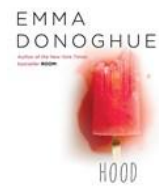


Haven

Emma Donoghue

In a time of plague and terror, three men vow to leave the world behind them and set out in a small boat for an island they don't know exists, with only faith and devotion to guide them.

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Fiction / Historical /
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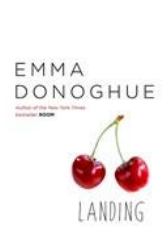


Hood

Emma Donoghue

In the late '70s, convent school teenagers Pen O'Grady and Cara Wall fall in love. They prove themselves to be up to the challenge of a relationship deemed unacceptable in Catholic Ireland—until Cara dies in a car accident. *Hood* is a bittersweet, complicated love story.

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Pub Date: 9/17/2013
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320 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.8 cm T | 258.5 g Wt



Landing

Emma Donoghue

Sile is an Irish flight attendant turning forty. Jude is a twenty-five-year-old archivist, stubbornly attached to her tiny Ontario hometown. On Jude's first plane trip, their two worlds meet, and over the course of the next year, their lives are drawn into a new, shaky orbit.

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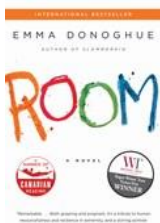


Learned By Heart

Emma Donoghue

From the bestselling author of *Room* and *The Wonder*, a heartbreakingly gorgeous novel based on the true story of two girls who fall secretly, deeply and dangerously in love at boarding school in nineteenth-century York.

9781443470339
Pub Date: 5/28/2024
\$21.99 CAD
336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 249.5 g Wt



Room

Emma Donoghue

Summer of Canadian Reading 2019

#1 International Bestseller and an Award-Winning Motion Picture

Winner of the Rogers Writers' Trust Fiction Prize; the Commonwealth Writers' Prize for Best Book (Canada and Caribbean region); the CBA Libris Award for Fiction Book of the Year; the Hughes & Hughes Irish Novel of the Year; and finalist for the Man Booker and Orange Prizes

To five-year-old Jack, Room is the world . . .

It's where he was born. It's where he and Ma eat and sleep and play and learn. There are endless wonders that

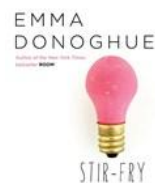
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448 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 2.8
cm T | 406 g Wt

Slammerkin

Emma Donoghue

Born to rough cloth in working-class London in 1748, Mary Saunders hungers for velvet and lace—a desire that leads her to a life of prostitution, where she encounters a freedom unknown to virtuous young women. In the end, it is clothes, their splendour and their deception, that bring Mary to the brink of disaster. *Slammerkin* is both a brilliant evocation of another era and a timeless tale of the rage of adolescence.



Stir-Fry

Emma Donoghue

An ad in the students' union—"2 ? seek flatmate. No bigots"—leads Maria to a home with warm Ruth and wickedly funny Jael. But one day, something Maria glimpses by accident forces her to question everything she thought she knew.

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Pub Date: 9/17/2013
\$17.99 CAD
256 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
224 g Wt



The Paris Express

Emma Donoghue

From Emma Donoghue, author of *Room*, *The Wonder* and *Pull of the Stars* comes a taut and suspenseful historical novel that reimagines an 1895 French railway disaster, an event famously documented in dramatic photographs

9781443474238
Pub Date: 3/18/2025
\$34.99 CAD
288 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Historical
21.3 cm H | 14 cm W |
25 cm T | 369 g Wt



The Pull of the Stars

Emma Donoghue

THE NEW #1 BESTSELLER FROM THE AUTHOR OF *THE WONDER* AND *ROOM*

Dublin, 1918: three days in a maternity ward at the height of the great flu. A small world of work, risk, death and unlooked-for love, by the bestselling author of *The Wonder* and *Room*.

In an Ireland doubly ravaged by war and disease, Nurse Julia Power works at an understaffed hospital in the city centre, where expectant mothers who have come down with the terrible new flu are quarantined together. Into

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304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
19 cm T | 333 g Wt



The Wonder

Emma Donoghue

Now a major film from the makers of *Normal People* and *Room*, starring Florence Pugh and streaming on Netflix.

SCOTIABANK GILLER PRIZE FINALIST

#1 NATIONAL BESTSELLER

"Heartbreaking and transcendent." —*The New York Times*

From the Man Booker Prize–shortlisted author of *Room* and the bestselling novel *Haven*

In 1850s Ireland a village is baffled by young Anna O'Donnell's feat. The girl appears to be talking after

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Pub Date: 4/10/2018
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304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
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Half-Blood Blues

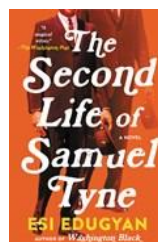
Esi Edugyan

Summer of Canadian Reading 2019

The brilliant, bestselling, Giller Prize–winning novel

Esi Edugyan's *Half-Blood Blues* took the literary world by storm when it was first published, captivating readers and reviewers with its audacity, power, and sheer brilliance. The novel won or was nominated for every literary prize in Canada—and many international ones, too, including the prestigious Man Booker Prize. It was hailed as one of the best books of the year by *Oprah*, *The Globe and Mail*, *Amazon*, *The San Francisco Chronicle* and *The Vancouver Sun*, and it was named a *New York Times* Editor's Choice.

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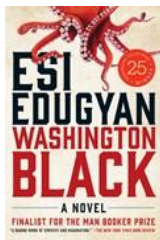


The Second Life of Samuel Tyne

Esi Edugyan

Newly reissued, the first novel from the acclaimed author of *Washington Black*—an exploration of explores the sweep of history, the binds of blood, the challenges of middle age, and the pain of exile, witnessed through the experiences of one family whose hope blinds them to threatening forces that could tear them apart.

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320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
233 g Wt



Washington Black

Esi Edugyan

Winner of the 2018 Scotiabank Giller Prize

A dazzling, original novel of slavery and freedom, from the author of the international bestseller *Half-Blood Blues*

When two English brothers arrive at a Barbados sugar plantation, they bring with them a darkness beyond what the slaves have already known. Washington Black – an eleven year-old field slave – is horrified to find himself chosen to live in the quarters of one of these men. But the man is not as Washington expects him to be. His new master is the eccentric Christopher Wilde – naturalist, explorer, inventor and abolitionist – whose obsession to

9781443459587
Pub Date: 4/9/2019
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432 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.7 cm T | 467 g Wt



The Historians

Cecilia Ekbäck

The Secret History meets Fatherland

Before the war they were the best of friends. Five brilliant young historians debated origins, ideas and the place of history in modern times under the guidance of the charismatic Professor Lindahl. When war broke out the five disbanded, ending up on different sides. Now one of them has been found tortured and killed . . .

It is 1943 and Sweden's neutrality in the war is under pressure. Laura Dahlgren, a bright young historian who is the right hand of the chief negotiator with Germany, is

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Pub Date: 11/3/2020
\$22.99 CAD
464 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
General
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



The Midnight Sun

Cecilia Ekbäck

A chilling new historical crime novel from the author of the international bestseller *Wolf Winter*

An orphaned boy brought up to serve the state as a man. A rich young woman incapable of living by the conventions of society. Neither is prepared for the journey into the heat, mystery, violence and disorienting perpetual daylight of the far north.

Sweden, 1856. The minister of justice has received a disturbing message. There's been a massacre on one of Lapland's mountains: a priest, a law enforcement officer and a local settler have been slaughtered by one of the indigenous Sami people. The murderer is in custody, but

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336 pages • Paperback
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Historical
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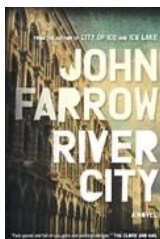
Wolf Winter

Cecilia Ekbäck

Swedish Lapland, 1717. Maija, her husband and their two daughters arrive from their native Finland, hoping to forget the traumas of the past and put down roots in this harsh but beautiful land. Above them looms Blackasen, a mountain whose dark history haunts the lives of those in its shadow.

While herding the family's goats on the mountain, Maija's elder daughter, Frederika, stumbles across the mutilated body of one of their neighbours, Eriksson. The community dismisses the death as a wolf attack, but Maija feels certain it was murder. Compelled to investigate despite her neighbours' unconcern, Maija is drawn into the history of

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432 pages • Paperback
Fiction
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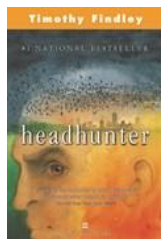
River City

John Farrow

On the night of the Rocket Richard Riot in 1955, the legendary Cartier Dagger is stolen from Montreal's Sun Life Building. Many believe the dagger gives whoever possesses it mystical powers, and its journey through history is as spectacular as it is bloodstained. The same night, a police informer is found murdered in a nearby park with a dagger wound to his heart. But who murdered him, and why?

Thirteen years later, Pierre Elliott Trudeau is prime minister, and the separatist movement is gaining momentum in Quebec. The case is still unsolved, and a young constable named Émile Cinq-Mars is asked to investigate.

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Headhunter

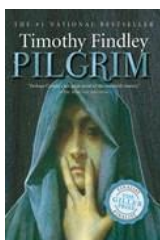
Timothy Findley

It all starts when Lilah Kemp - librarian, spiritualist, schizophrenic - inadvertently lets Kurtz out of page 92 of *Heart of Darkness* and is unable to get him back in.

While Kurtz is stalking the streets of Toronto, Lilah frantically begins her search for Marlow to help her deal with the literary villain

Meanwhile, the city is becoming increasingly chaotic and terrifying. The rich and powerful are engaged in a web of depravity, a new and horrifying disease called stumusemia has swept the city, and severely traumatized children are turning up at the local psychiatric institutes. Kurtz seems to

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Pub Date: 9/27/1999
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528 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
451 g Wt



Pilgrim

Timothy Findley

Ageless. Sexless. Deathless. Timeless. Pilgrim is a man who cannot die, an astounding character in a novel of the cataclysmic contest between creation and destruction. *Pilgrim* is Timothy Findley's latest masterwork, a finalist for the Giller Prize, and a national bestseller that has smashed the author's own impressive sales records. Recently published in the US, *Pilgrim* is gathering rave reviews, and will be released in the UK this spring.

It is 1912 and Pilgrim has been admitted to the Burghölzli Psychiatric Clinic in Zürich, Switzerland, having failed—once again—to commit suicide. Over the next two years, Pilgrim to God, a self-proclaimed spiritualist

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552 pages • Paperback
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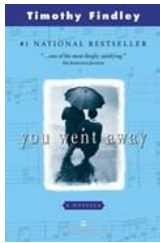
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The Piano Man's Daughter

Timothy Findley

Just before the outbreak of the Second World War, a young piano tuner, Charlie Kilworth, faces two enigmatic questions: Who was his father? And, does he dare become a father himself, knowing that madness consumed his mother? A loving and magical tale, *The Piano Man's Daughter* is a classic work by one of Canada's most beloved writers.

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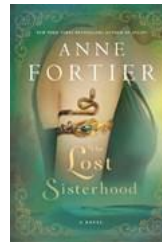


You Went Away

Timothy Findley

You Went Away is Timothy Findley's latest storytelling masterpiece, a richly evocative and haunting novella of war-time love, infidelity and the ideals of love. In his trademark, effortless recreation of past lives and loves, Findley instantly transports us to 1942 Canada and the imploding marriage of Mi and Graeme Forbes. As the war edges closer, Mi fears her hard-drinking husband's philandering ways but finds herself magnetized by a dashing young R.C.A.F. pilot who handles a Spitfire and motorcycle with equal aplomb. In a time defined by laughter and loss, Mi and Graeme struggle with their own betrayal and loss and the delicate, almost invisible threads of love that entwine them all.

9780006392675
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252 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
453.6 g Wt



The Lost Sisterhood

Anne Fortier

From the author of the *New York Times* bestseller *Juliet* comes a mesmerizing novel about a young scholar who risks her reputation and her life on a thrilling journey to prove that the legendary warrior women known as the Amazons actually existed.

Oxford lecturer Diana Morgan is an expert on Greek mythology. Her obsession with the Amazons started in childhood when her eccentric grandmother claimed to be one herself before vanishing without a trace. Diana's colleagues shake their heads at her Amazon fixation. But then a mysterious, well-financed foundation makes Diana an offer she cannot refuse.

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608 pages • Trade
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Fiction
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Independence

Cecil Foster

Independence is the rich, deeply moving story of the coming of age of a country and a boy, at the time of Barbados's independence from Britain in 1966. Fourteen-year-olds Christopher Lucas and Stephanie King have been neighbours and best friends since they were born a few months apart. They have been raised by their impoverished grandmothers since their mothers went "over 'n' away" to the U.S. and Canada to find work when the children were toddlers; no one has heard from the mothers since. The grandmothers are growing more and more desperate about their ability to support their charges. When the novel opens, there is a sudden and

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336 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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The Captive

Fiona King Foster

In this rural noir, a woman is forced to confront her own past during a pulse-pounding expedition to deliver a fugitive

In a secessionist rural state that has cut itself off completely from urban centres, where living is hardscrabble and poor but "free," Brooke Holland runs a farm with her husband and two daughters. Their existence at the fringes of modern society is tenuous—they make barely enough from each harvest to keep going—yet Brooke cherishes the loving, peaceful life they have carved out for themselves. She has even begun to believe she is

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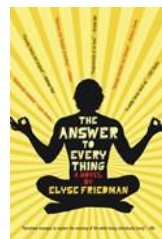
The Good Women of Safe Harbour

Bobbi French

An unforgettable, life-affirming novel about a woman living on her own terms at last and reclaiming the friendship of a lifetime, for readers of *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Frye* and *Me Before You*

Frances Delaney is staring down the last days of her life. Looking back over her fifty-eight years with wit and no small amount of regret, she sees not the life she wanted but the one that happened. An idyllic childhood in the small Newfoundland fishing town of Safe Harbour was darkened by the loss of her father at sea, an unwanted

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296 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
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1.9 cm T | 319.8 g Wt



The Answer To Everything

Elyse Friedman

John Aarons, a brilliant but perpetually broke artist, knows how to cadge a meal or seize an opportunity when he spies one. Turned out on the street by his fully employed, entirely fed up girlfriend, he goes on the hunt for cheap shared accommodation and stumbles upon the ideal set-up—a bedroom in the home of Amy, an attractive psychology student who has been abandoned by her condo-buying roommate. Not only does Amy have a surprisingly affordable penthouse apartment with rooftop patio and a fridge full of high-quality comestibles, but she also has a mysterious across-the-hall neighbour, Eldrich, who appears to be home all day, smoking weed and

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Pub Date: 8/25/2015
\$16.99 CAD
304 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



The Opportunist

Elyse Friedman

A deliciously sly, compulsively readable tale about greed, power and the world's most devious family, for fans of *The Nest* and *Succession*.

When Alana Shropshire's seventy-six-year-old father, Ed, starts dating Kelly, a saucy twenty-eight-year-old, a flurry of messages arrives from Alana's brothers, urging her to help "protect Dad" from the young interloper. Alana knows that what Teddy and Martin really want to protect is their father's fortune, and she tells them she couldn't care less about the May-December romance. Long estranged from her privileged family, Alana has no stake in the game, and

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Fiction / Family Life /
Siblings
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For Today I Am A Boy

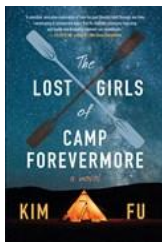
Kim Fu

The universally acclaimed debut novel from a powerful new voice in literary fiction.

At birth, Peter Huang is given the Chinese name Juan chaun, meaning powerful king. He is the exalted only son in a family of daughters; the one who will finally fulfill his father's dreams of western masculinity. But Peter has different dreams: he knows that he is a girl.

Peter and his sisters—the elegant Adele, the shrewd Helen, and Bonnie, the bon vivant—grow up in a house of many secrets, then escape the confines of small-town Ontario and spread from Montreal to California to Berlin. Peter's own journey is obstructed by playground bullies

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\$18.99 CAD
256 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



The Lost Girls of Camp Forevermore

Kim Fu

"An ambitious and dynamic portrayal of the harm humans—even young girls—can do." —*Kirkus Reviews*

A gripping, evocative novel about a group of young girls at a remote camp—and the night that will shape their lives for decades to come

A group of young girls descends on Camp Forevermore, a sleepaway camp in the Pacific Northwest, where their days are filled with swimming lessons, friendship bracelets and camp songs by the fire. Bursting with excitement and nervous energy, they set off on an overnight kayaking trip to a nearby island. But before the night is over, they find themselves stranded, with no adults to help them survive.

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Pub Date: 2/12/2019
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256 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.5 cm T | 197.3 g Wt



Everyone Knows Your Mother Is a Witch

Rivka Galchen

The startling, witty, highly anticipated second novel from the critically acclaimed author of *Atmospheric Disturbances*

It is 1618 in the German duchy of Württemberg. Plague is spreading, the Thirty Years' War has begun, and fear and suspicion are in the air throughout the Holy Roman Empire. In the small town of Leonberg, Katharina Kepler, an illiterate widow, is accused of being a witch.

Katharina is known for her herbal remedies and the success of her children. Her eldest, Johannes, is the town's physician and the rumored son of the

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288 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.6 cm T | 217.7 g Wt



I Carried You Home

Alan Gibney

From an exciting new Canadian literary voice comes a poignant, lyrical story about a boy's love for his grieving mother and his determination to bring her back from despair.

A single mother of two teenage boys locks herself away in grief over her son's death in a car accident and shuts down in searing pain, refusing to see her remaining son, Ashe. In one stroke, Ashe has lost both his brother and his mother.

Eventually, she leaves her bedroom and takes Ashe on a harrowing journey through Death Valley, where he learns about her troubled past and, in the process, tries to come

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256 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.6 cm T | 224.5 g Wt



Five Little Indians

Michelle Good

Taken from their families when they are very small and sent to a remote, church-run residential school, Kenny, Lucy, Clara, Howie and Maisie are barely out of childhood when they are finally released after years of detention.

Alone and without any skills, support or families, the teens find their way to the seedy and foreign world of Downtown Eastside Vancouver, where they cling together, striving to find a place of safety and belonging in a world that doesn't want them. The paths of the five friends cross and crisscross over the decades as they struggle to overcome, or at least forget, the trauma they endured during their

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Pub Date: 4/14/2020
\$22.99 CAD
304 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.7 cm T | 451.3 g Wt



The Finishing School

Joanna Goodman

A Paperback Original

In this suspenseful, provocative novel of friendship, secrets, and deceit, a successful writer returns to her elite Swiss boarding school to get to the bottom of a tragic accident that took place while she was a student twenty years earlier.

9780062465580
Pub Date: 4/11/2017
\$21.99 CAD
352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2 cm T | 285.8 g Wt



The Forgotten Daughter

Joanna Goodman

A Paperback Original—Also Available as a Simultaneous Hardcover Edition

From the author of the bestselling novel *The Home for Unwanted Girls*, comes another compulsively readable story of love and suspense, following the lives of two women reckoning with their pasts and the choices that will define their futures.

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Pub Date: 10/27/2020
\$21.99 CAD
416 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.7 cm T | 451.3 g Wt



The Home for Unwanted Girls

Joanna Goodman

A Paperback Original—Also Available as a Hardcover Library Edition

Philomena meets *The Orphan Train* in this suspenseful, provocative novel filled with love, secrets, and deceit—the story of a young unwed mother who is forcibly separated from her daughter at birth and the lengths to which they go to find each other.

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Pub Date: 4/17/2018
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384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 426.4 g Wt



The Inheritance

Joanna Goodman

A Paperback Original—Also Available as a Simultaneous Hardcover Edition

From the bestselling author of *The Home for Unwanted Girls* and *The Forgotten Daughter* comes a compulsively readable mother-daughter story in which two women who share a difficult past must come together to claim the future they deserve.

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336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 326.6 g Wt



The Flight of Anja (The Vinland Viking Saga #2)

Tamara Goranson

The Vinland Viking Saga: Book 2

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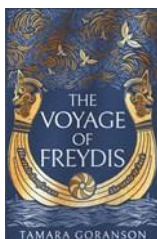


The Oath of Bjorn (The Vinland Viking Saga #3)

Tamara Goranson

The Vinland Viking Saga: Book 3

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Pub Date: 2/20/2024
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384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
Medieval
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The Voyage of Freydis

Tamara Goranson

The Vinland Viking Saga: Book 1

History set her fate in stone...

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The Three Sisters Bar and Hotel

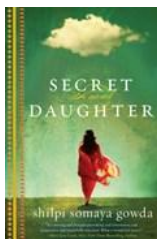
Katherine Govier

A landmark novel of the Canadian West from one of Canada's most accomplished writers, author of *The Ghost Brush* and *Fables of Brunswick Avenue*

It is 1911, and the coming of the railroad to the Canadian Rockies brings a parade of newcomers to the Bow Valley—coal miners, scientists, runaway aristocrats and remittance men. Among them is poacher Herbie Wishart.

Herbie reinvents himself as a trail guide in the town of Gateway and becomes an outfitter for a fossil-hunting expedition headed by a prominent American archaeologist. Rumour has it that the secrecy-shrouded Hudson expedition could overturn all previous knowledge

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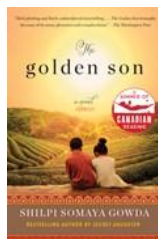


Secret Daughter

Shilpi Somaya Gowda

The stunning debut explores the emotional terrain of motherhood, loss and belonging. As the story moves between the two families, one struggling to eke out an existence in Mumbai, the other grappling with the challenge of being a biracial family, and finally the grown up daughter who wants to explore her own roots.

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Pub Date: 11/6/2012
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& Pacific Islander
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The Golden Son

Shilpi Somaya Gowda

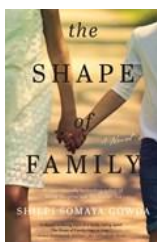
Summer of Canadian Reading 2019

Internationally bestselling author of *Secret Daughter*

***The Golden Son* is a "sensitive and intelligent work" that tells an unforgettable story of family, responsibility, love, honour and tradition, in which two childhood friends must balance the expectations of their culture and their families with the desires of their own hearts (*National Post*).**

Anil is the cherished eldest son of a large family from an Indian village, expected to inherit the role of leader of his

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Pub Date: 1/3/2017
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432 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.5 cm T | 374.2 g Wt



The Shape of Family

Shilpi Somaya Gowda

A NATIONAL BESTSELLER

From the internationally bestselling author of *Secret Daughter* and *The Golden Son* comes a poignant, unforgettable novel about a family's growing apart and coming back together in the wake of tragedy

The Olanders embody a modern family in a globalized world. Jaya, the cultured daughter of an Indian diplomat, and Keith, an ambitious banker from middle-class Philadelphia, meet in a London pub in 1988 and make a

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344 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
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Falling Angels

Barbara Gowdy

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240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
453.6 g Wt

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Helpless

Barbara Gowdy

Celia is the single mother of an exceptionally beautiful child: nine-year-old Rachel. All too aware of the precarious balance of the life she has built for the two of them, Celia worries about her daughter's longing for the father she has never met. When Rachel disappears one night during a blackout, Celia is stricken with guilt and terror. But her desperation is only half the story as Ron, the man who has taken Rachel, struggles with feelings that are at once tender, misguided and chillingly fixated. A suspenseful and haunting novel of obsessive love, *Helpless* once again showcases Barbara Gowdy's incredible talent for bringing the reader face to face with the provocative and



9781554688623
Pub Date: 10/3/2017
\$18.99 CAD
312 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.8 cm T | 242.7 g Wt

Little Sister

Barbara Gowdy

The farthest place you can go is closer than you can imagine.

Rose is a sensible woman, thirty-four years old. Together with her widowed mother, Fiona, she runs a small repertory cinema in a big city. Fiona is in the early stages of dementia and is beginning to make painful references to Rose's sister, Ava, who died young in an accident.

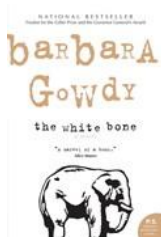
It is high summer, and a band of storms, unusual for their frequency and heavy downpour, is rolling across the city. Something unusual is also happening to Rose. As the storms break overhead, she loses consciousness and has vivid, realistic dreams—not only about it being someplace

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The Romantic

Barbara Gowdy

Not long after Louise Kirk's mother vanishes, the Richters and their adopted son, Abel, move in across the street, and Louise falls furiously in love. Skillfully interweaving the stories of Abel and Louise at different ages, *The Romantic* is a powerful exploration of the many incarnations of love and loss.



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400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
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The White Bone

Barbara Gowdy

Traumatized in the wake of an attack by ivory poachers, a herd of elephants sets out for A Safe Place, guided by Mud, a young elephant cow blessed with visionary powers. *The White Bone* is a classic quest story made dazzling and audaciously original, as the elephants struggle for their own lives and the continuation of their kind.

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We So Seldom Look On Love

Barbara Gowdy

Not long after Louise Kirk's mother vanishes, the Richters and their adopted son, Abel, move in across the street, and Louise falls furiously in love. Skillfully interweaving the stories of Abel and Louise at different ages, *The Romantic* is a powerful exploration of the many incarnations of love and loss.



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All We Left Behind

Danielle R. Graham

A heartbreaking and gripping historical novel

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240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
453 g Wt

Libertie

Kaitlyn Greenidge

The critically acclaimed and Whiting Award-winning author of *We Love You, Charlie Freeman* returns with *Libertie*, an unforgettable story about one young Black girl's attempt to find a place where she can be fully, and only, herself

Coming of age as a freeborn Black girl in Reconstruction-era Brooklyn, Libertie Sampson is all too aware that her purposeful mother, a practising physician, has a vision for their future together: Libertie is to go to medical school and practise alongside her. But Libertie, drawn more to music than science, feels stifled by her mother's dreams and is looking for something else to show



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400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.3 cm T | 242.5 g Wt

Flying Changes

Sara Gruen

From the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *Water for Elephants* comes the sequel to Sara Gruen's beautiful debut novel *Riding Lessons*

"*Flying Changes* reminds me how unpredictable life is. The one constant is change. Even if you are horseless (my deepest sympathies), you will enjoy this novel." —Rita Mae, *New York Times* bestselling author



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336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / African American
& Black / Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Riding Lessons

Sara Gruen

The powerful debut novel by the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *Water for Elephants*—an unforgettable story of a devastating accident that ends the career of an Olympic contender equestrienne and sets off a chain of events that comes to a crisis point nearly twenty years later

"Romance and horses go hand in hand.... An intriguing and courageous heroine and a great horse."—Michael Korda, *New York Times* bestselling author

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352 pages • Trade
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Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.2 cm T | 328 g Wt

Water For Elephants

Sara Gruen

The runaway international bestseller and beloved fiction classic

Orphaned and penniless at the height of the Depression, Jacob Jankowski escapes everything he knows by jumping on a passing train-and inadvertently runs away with the circus. So begins *Water for Elephants*, Sara Gruen's darkly beautiful tale about the characters who inhabit the less-than-greatest show on earth.

Jacob finds a place tending the circus animals, including a seemingly untrainable elephant named Rosie. He also comes to know Marlena, the star of the equestrian act-and wife of August, a charismatic but cruel animal trainer



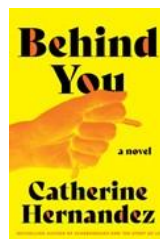
The Shadow Queen

Sandra Gulland

From the author of the beloved Josephine B. Trilogy comes a spellbinding novel inspired by the true story of a young woman who rose from poverty to become confidante to the most powerful, provocative and dangerous woman in the 17th-century French court: the mistress of the charismatic Sun King.

1660, Paris: Claudette's life is like an ever-revolving stage set. Following an impoverished childhood spent wandering the French countryside with her family acting troupe, she witnesses her mother's astonishing rise to stardom in Parisian theatres. Working with playwrights Corneille, Moliere and Racine, Claudette leads a culturally rich life,

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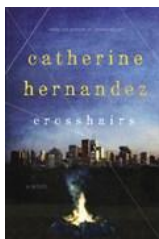


Behind You

Catherine Hernandez

Catherine Hernandez's most gripping and affecting novel yet, *Behind You* is inspired by a horrifying chapter in Canadian history and follows fictional characters terrorized by a fictional perpetrator.

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312 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers / Crime
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.2 cm T | 328 g Wt



Crosshairs

Catherine Hernandez

The author of the acclaimed novel *Scarborough* weaves an unforgettable and timely dystopian account of a near-future when a queer Black performer and his allies join forces against an oppressive regime that is rounding up those deemed "Other" in concentration camps.

In a terrifyingly familiar near-future, with massive floods that lead to rampant homelessness and devastation, a government-sanctioned regime called the Boots seizes the opportunity to force communities of colour, the disabled and the LGBTQ2S into labour camps in the city of Toronto.

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Fiction / Dystopian
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The Story of Us

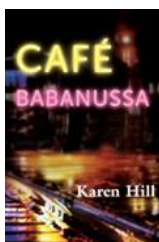
Catherine Hernandez

From the author of Canada Reads finalist *Scarborough*, a stunning new novel about the unbreakable bond of family and the magic that can happen when we meet in the middle

Like many Overseas Filipino Workers, Mary Grace Concepcion has lived a life of sacrifices. First, she left her husband, Ale, to be a caregiver in Hong Kong. Now, she has travelled even farther, to Canada, in the hopes of one day sponsoring Ale and having children of their own.

But when she arrives in Toronto, she must navigate a

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Fiction / LGBTQ+
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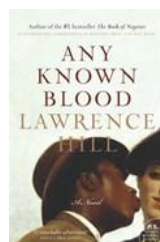
Café Babanussa

Karen Hill

A moving portrayal of a young woman's experience of life, love and the shifting tides of mental health in 1980s era Berlin.

In this beautifully written and moving novel, informed by many of the author's own experiences, a young mixed-race woman travels from Canada to Germany to start her life anew. Ruby Edwards, escaping a loving, but at times overbearing, family, throws herself into the shifting social and political sinews of 1980s-era West Berlin - a time of new music, punk rockers, travelers, racial tensions and a beating pulse of artistic energy. Here Ruby

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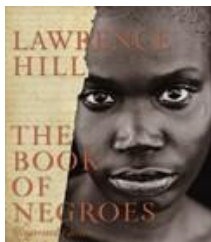
Any Known Blood

Lawrence Hill

Langston Cane V is 38, divorced and working as a government speechwriter, until he's fired for sabotaging the minister's speech. It seems the perfect time for Langston, the eldest son of a white mother and prominent black father, to embark on a quest to discover his family's past -- and his own sense of self.

Any Known Blood follows five generations of an African-Canadian-American family in a compelling story that slips effortlessly from the slave trade of 19th-century Virginia to the modern, predominantly white suburbs of Oakville, Ontario -- once a final stop on the Underground Railroad. Elegant and sensuous, wry and witty, it is an engrossing

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Pub Date: 10/18/2011
\$21.00 CAD
560 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
3.2 cm T | 462 g Wt



Book Of Negroes Illustrated Edition

Lawrence Hill

This beautiful full-colour gift edition of the new Canadian classic, *The Book of Negroes*, shares with readers the many photos, works of art and documents that inspired Lawrence Hill to create his award-winning work. It adds to the novel more than 150 images: early maps and documents, archival photos, period paintings and never-before-published pages from the original handwritten ledger called the Book of Negroes. Readers will travel the world with Aminata Diallo, from a West African village to an indigo plantation in South Carolina, through the tough streets of New York City and the harsh climate of Nova Scotia to the coast of Sierra Leone, and finally to an abolitionist home in London. A gift to treasure, this

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528 pages • Paperback
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Some Great Thing

Lawrence Hill

Mahatma Grafton is a disillusioned university graduate burdened with a famous name, and suffering from the curse of his generation -- a total lack of interest in the state of the world. The son of a retired railway porter from Winnipeg, he returns home for a job as a reporter with *The Winnipeg Herald*. Soon Mahatma is scoping local stories of murder and mayhem, breaking a promise to himself to avoid writing victim stories.

As Mahatma is unexpectedly drawn into the inflammatory issue of French-language rights in Manitoba, with all its racial side-channels, he is surprised to find that he has a social conscience. Combating his boss's flair for weaving



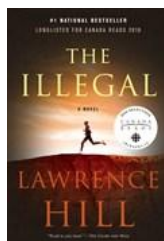
The Book Of Negroes Movie Tie-In

Lawrence Hill

From its first publication in 2007, Lawrence Hill's masterpiece, *The Book of Negroes*, has touched readers around the world with its unforgettable story. Now a six-part CBC mini-series starring Cuba Gooding Jr, Louis Gossett Jr, and Ben Chaplin, this beloved novel tells the story of Aminata, brilliantly played by Anajanue Ellis.

Abducted as an eleven-year-old from her village in Africa and enslaved in South Carolina, Aminata survives using midwifery skills learned at her mother's side. When she has the chance to register her name in the "Book of Negroes," a historic British military ledger, Aminata secures a spot on a ship sailing from Manhattan to Nova Scotia

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584 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
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The Illegal

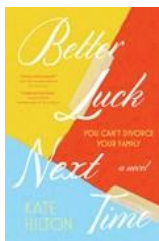
Lawrence Hill

From the beloved author of the national bestseller *The Book of Negroes* comes "a book for our times" (Macleans) about family, identity and the strength of the human spirit

Keita Ali is on the run. Like every boy on the mountainous island of Zantoroland, running is all Keita's ever wanted to do. In one of the poorest nations in the world, running means respect. Running means riches--until Keita is targeted for his father's outspoken political views and discovers he must run for his family's survival.

He signs on with notorious marathon agent Anton Hamm, but when Keita fails to place among the top finishers in his

9781554683840
Pub Date: 2/23/2016
\$24.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / African American
& Black
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Better Luck Next Time

Kate Hilton

A generational family comedy for fans of *Eligible*, *This Is Where I Leave You*, *Heartburn* and television's *This Is Us*

It isn't easy being related to a feminist icon, especially when she's celebrating the greatest moment of her storied career.

Just ask the daughters of Lydia Hennessey, who could have it all if only they'd stop self-destructing. Mariana, the eldest, is on the verge of throwing away a distinguished reputation in journalism, along with her marriage. Nina, the middle daughter, has a husband who's a medical professional

9781443451482
Pub Date: 11/24/2020
\$24.99 CAD
368 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
21.6 cm H | 14 cm W |



Daughters of Smoke and Fire

Ava Homa

The unforgettable, haunting story of a young woman's perilous fight for freedom and justice for her brother, in the first novel published in English by a female Kurdish writer

Set in Iran, this extraordinary debut novel takes readers into the everyday lives of the Kurds. Leila dreams of making films to bring the suppressed stories of her people onto the global stage, but obstacles keep piling up. Leila's younger brother, Chia, influenced by their father's past torture and imprisonment, and his own deep-seated desire for justice, begins to engage with social and political

9781443460132
Pub Date: 5/12/2020
\$22.99 CAD
320 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Political
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

Afterimage

Helen Humphreys

Inspired by the photographs of Julia Margaret Cameron, *Afterimage* is a provocative, passionate, yet delicate Victorian novel. When the young Irish maid Annie Phelan arrives at the country home of Isobelle and Eldon Dashell, she is swept into a world of artistic ambitions and hidden passions. But she also discovers a marriage that has grown distant and two people who see her as a blank slate upon which to project their own desires and failed dreams. Jealousy, longing and sensuality intertwine in this mesmerizing novel of aesthetic obsession and unfulfilled dreams.

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272 pages • Paperback
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\$19.99 CAD
208 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
176 g Wt

Coventry

Helen Humphreys

A stunning novel of love, loss and redemption, *Coventry* was published to rave reviews and became an instant bestseller in 2008. *The Gazette* (Montreal) called it "a small gem. . . . A beautifully sculpted, meticulously researched work." The novel opens on the fateful evening of November 14, 1940, when from her post as a firewatcher on the roof of Coventry Cathedral, Harriet watches the waves of German bombers approach. As the city is consumed by firestorms, Harriet flees alongside a young firewatcher named Jeremy, in search of safety and Jeremy's mother, Maeve. But Maeve has escaped to the countryside, and when she and Harriet finally unite, it is



Followed by the Lark

Helen Humphreys

Inspired by his journals and writing, this moving novel inhabits the life and mind of renowned nineteenth-century naturalist, poet and abolitionist Henry David Thoreau, revealing the deep connections between his time and our own

9781443468947
Pub Date: 2/11/2025
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240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Biographical
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1.4 cm T | 183.7 g Wt

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Pub Date: 8/4/2009
\$19.99 CAD
240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.5 cm T | 204.1 g Wt

Lost Garden

Helen Humphreys

In spring 1941, when London is under attack, Gwen Davis escapes the city for Devon, where she will instruct young girls in growing crops for the Home Front. There, she meets two people who will change her life forever: Raley, a Canadian officer awaiting posting to the Front with his men; and Jane, a frail but free spirit whose fiancé is missing in action. Through them, Gwen comes to understand the unbelievable joy and the unbearable risks of love. Called "exquisite" by *The New York Times*, this beautifully nuanced novel received rave reviews around the world.



Machine Without Horses

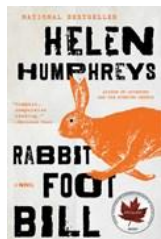
Helen Humphreys

"One of the best—and most wonderfully experimental—historical fiction titles of the year. . . . Truly spectacular."
—*Toronto Star*

What is an ordinary life worth?

A seasoned writer stumbles across an obituary and imagination is sparked. The brief words of memoriam describe a woman who was both extraordinary—eccentric, revered in her field, a renowned expert—but also utterly ordinary. How does a writer, intrigued by all that isn't said, create a story, or capture an unknowable woman and all the secret passions, choices and compromises that make up a life?

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288 pages • Paperback
Fiction
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Rabbit Foot Bill

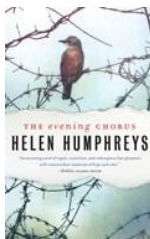
Helen Humphreys

A lonely boy in a prairie town befriends a local outsider in 1947 and then witnesses a shocking murder. Based on a true story.

Canwood, Saskatchewan, 1947. Leonard Flint, a lonely boy in a small farming town befriends the local outsider, a man known as Rabbit Foot Bill. Bill doesn't talk much, but he allows Leonard to accompany him as he sets rabbit snares and to visit his small, secluded dwelling.

Being with Bill is everything to young Leonard—an escape from school, bullies and a hard father. So his shock is absolute when he witnesses Bill commit a sudden violent act and lose him to prison.

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\$19.99 CAD
240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.4 cm T | 183.7 g Wt



The Evening Chorus

Helen Humphreys

The brilliant new novel about love, war and the ways of escape

Shot down on his first RAF mission, James Hunter, an English officer, spends the Second World War in a German POW camp. While other prisoners plan daring escapes, James begins studying a pair of redstarts near the camp. His interest in the birds captures the attention of the Kommandant, giving James cause to fear for his life. Meanwhile, back in England, James's young wife, Rose, falls headlong into a passionate affair with another man. When James's sister, Enid, loses everything during the Blitz in London, she comes to stay with Rose, and the two women form a complex friendship that allows them to

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Pub Date: 2/2/2016
\$18.99 CAD
304 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.7 cm T | 222.3 g Wt



The Reinvention Of Love

Helen Humphreys

When Charles Sainte-Beuve, an ambitious French journalist, meets Victor Hugo, a young writer on the verge of fame, he finds himself in a world of great passions, a world where words can become swords. But, to his surprise, he is more attracted to Victor's long-suffering wife, Adèle. When the two lovers create a *scandale* in Paris, Victor exacts his price for betrayal.

Set during the tumultuous reign of Napoleon III, and sweeping from France to the Channel Islands, to Halifax and back, *The Reinvention of Love* draws a rich portrait of the old city, where duels are fought in its parks and cholera-ridden bodies float in the Seine. Along its narrow,

9781554684441
Pub Date: 9/4/2012
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336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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2.63 cm T | 263.1 g Wt

Wild Dogs

Helen Humphreys

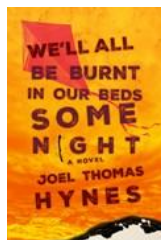
The author of the bestseller *The Lost Garden* returns with a luminous novel of intertwining stories that meet in a haunting, moving climax.

Each evening at dusk, six people gather at the edge of the woods, calling their dogs to come back to them, dogs that have turned wild and vanished from their lives. Drawn together by need, the group forms its own small community—until violence strikes unexpectedly.

Humphreys' graceful writing, her superb eye for detail, her sensitivity and intelligence combine to produce an unforgettable story about the wild in all of us.

9780006391807
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208 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.72 cm T | 177.4 g Wt

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We'll All Be Burnt in Our Beds Some Night

Joel Thomas Hynes

A blackly comic and heart-rending odyssey by the inimitable author of *Down to the Dirt*

Scrappy tough guy and three-time loser Johnny Keough is going a little stir-crazy awaiting trial for an alleged assault charge involving his girlfriend, Madonna, and a teapot. Facing three to five years in a maximum-security prison, Johnny knows this might just be the end of the road. But when Madonna doesn't show up for court due to a fatal accident, shell-shocked Johnny seizes his unexpected "clean slate" as a sign from above and embarks on an epic hitchhiking journey across Canada to deliver her ashes to a fabled beach on the outskirts of

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Pub Date: 4/4/2017
\$21.99 CAD
256 pages • Paperback
Fiction
21.6 cm H | 14 cm W |
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Deafening

Frances Itani

ELEGANTLY WRITTEN and profoundly moving, Frances Itani's #1 bestselling, award-winning novel is a tale of virtuosity and power. Set during the Great War and the 1918 flu pandemic, *Deafening* tells the story of Grania, a young deaf woman who falls in love with Jim, a hearing man, in their small Ontario town. As the war explodes across Europe, Jim becomes a stretcher-bearer, and through the years of separation, he and Grania attempt to sustain their love in a world as beautiful as it is brutal. Frances Itani's astonishing depiction of a world where sound exists only in the margins is a singular feat in fiction, a place difficult to leave and even harder to forget.

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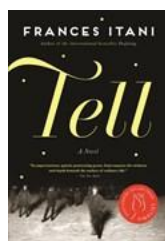


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\$21.99 CAD
352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21.6 cm H | 15.1 cm W |
2.2 cm T | 349 g Wt

Requiem

Frances Itani

Bin Okuma, a celebrated visual artist, has recently and quite suddenly lost his wife, Lena. He and his son Greg are left to deal with the shock. But Greg has returned to his studies on the east coast, and Bin finds himself alone. His deep grief draws him into memories he has avoided for much of his life: the uprooting of his Japanese Canadian family from the west coast of British Columbia during the Second World War. Now, he sets out to drive across the country, to revisit the places that have shaped him, to find his First Father who has been lost to him. Years ago, his father made a fateful decision that severed the bonds of his family. Running from grief, Bin must ask himself whether he will ever be able to find his father and whether



Tell

Frances Itani

Finalist for the 2014 Scotiabank Giller Prize

The bestselling author of the award-winning international sensation *Deafening* returns to the period following the First World War with a tour de force—an extraordinary novel of secrets withheld and secrets revealed.

In 1919, only months after the end of the Great War, the men and women of Deseronto struggle to recover from wounds of the past, both visible and hidden. Kenan, a young soldier who has returned from the war damaged and disfigured, confines himself to his small house on the Bay of Quinte, wandering outside only under the cover of night. His wife, Trace, attempting to adjust to the trauma

9781443442442
Pub Date: 10/16/2014
\$22.99 CAD
336 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.2 cm T | 374 g Wt



That's My Baby

Frances Itani

A new Deseronto novel from the internationally bestselling author of *Tell* and *Deafening*

At the end of Frances Itani's Scotiabank Giller Prize finalist, *Tell*, a baby is adopted by a young Deseronto couple who are coming to terms with the end of the Great War. Eighteen years on, the baby, Hanora, now a young woman, is told about her adoption but given no details. As the Second World War looms, Hanora is determined to uncover the mysteries of her identity. This quest will take her across the ocean with her cousin Billie, and headlong into the tumult of Europe. Amid the tensions of World War II, the music and the great dance halls of the era beckon,

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Pub Date: 9/25/2018
\$19.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.1 cm T | 272 g Wt



The Company We Keep

Frances Itani

On Tuesday nights in the backroom of Cassie's café, six strangers seek solace and find themselves part of a "Company of Good Cheer"

Hazzley is at loose ends, even three years after the death of her husband. When her longtime friend Cassandra, café owner and occasional dance-class partner, suggests that she start up a conversation group, Hazzley posts a notice on the community board at the local grocery store. Four people turn up for the first meeting: Gwen, a recently widowed retiree in her early sixties, who finds herself pet-sitting a cantankerous parrot; Chiyo, a forty-year-old

9781443457538
Pub Date: 8/18/2020
\$24.99 CAD
352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.2 cm T | 369 g Wt



Wild Fires

Sophie Jai

Grief is like an inside joke: you have to have been there to really get it.

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Pub Date: 5/30/2023
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Fiction / Literary
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2.1 cm T | 220 g Wt



Where the Air Is Sweet

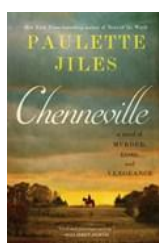
Tasneem Jamal

For readers of Khaled Hosseini and Nadia Hashimi, a powerful, vivid story of a family's search for home and belonging, set against a brutal dictatorship and the promise of refuge in Canada.

Raju is drawn to Uganda by the desire for a better life. Over two generations, Raju and his family carve a niche for themselves and form a deep connection to the land in the midst of a racially stratified colonial and post-colonial society.

Their world is thrown into upheaval when brutal dictator Idi Amin comes to power. The family struggles to carry on until, in 1972, Amin expels 80,000 South Asians from the

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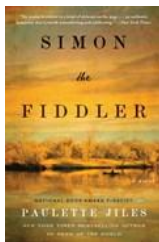


Chenneville

Paulette Jiles

Consumed with grief, driven by vengeance, a man undertakes an unrelenting odyssey across the lawless post-Civil War frontier seeking redemption in this fearless novel from the award-winning and *New York Times* bestselling author of *News of the World*.

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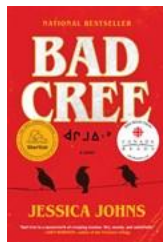


Simon the Fiddler

Paulette Jiles

The critically acclaimed, bestselling author of *News of the World* and *Enemy Women* returns to Texas in this atmospheric story, set at the end of the Civil War, about an itinerant fiddle player, a ragtag band of musicians with whom he travels trying to make a living, and the charming young Irish lass who steals his heart.

9780062966759
Pub Date: 4/6/2021
\$21.00 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical / Civil War Era
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W | 2.4 cm T | 324 g Wt



Bad Cree

Jessica Johns

A haunting debut novel where dreams, family and spirits collide

Mackenzie, a Cree millennial, wakes up in her one-bedroom Vancouver apartment clutching a pine bough she had been holding in her dream just moments earlier. When she blinks, it disappears. But she can still smell the sharp pine scent in the air, the nearest pine tree a thousand kilometres away in the far reaches of Treaty 8.

Mackenzie continues to accidentally bring back items from her dreams, dreams that are eerily similar to real memories of her older sister and Kalam before their

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304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
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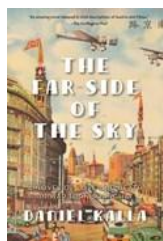
When the World Fell Silent

Donna Jones Alward

'A beautiful, meticulously researched story that will keep you on the edge of your seat until the very last page.' *USA Today* bestseller, Genevieve Graham

A story of loss, hope and redemption against impossible odds

9780008688752
Pub Date: 8/6/2024
\$25.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
23.4 cm H | 15.3 cm W | 2.4 cm T | 270 g Wt



Far Side Of The Sky

Daniel Kalla

On November 9, 1938—Kristallnacht—the Nazis carry out a shocking attack upon the Jewish citizens of Germany and Austria. Franz Adler, a secular Austrian Jew and surgeon, is desperate to find safety for himself and his family, but, like others seeking to escape the Nazi threat, finds only closed doors at the embassies and consulates.

When Franz learns that European Jews are able to travel without a visa to Shanghai, the cosmopolitan "Paris of the East," he and his family set off on a risky journey that will take them to an unknown future halfway around the world.

Weaving together political intrigue, romance and medical

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464 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W | 1.9 cm T | 324 g Wt



Nightfall Over Shanghai

Daniel Kalla

Espionage, passion and battlefield peril: the fate of one remarkable family unfolds against the Second World War's Pacific Theatre in Daniel Kalla's spellbinding *Nightfall Over Shanghai*, the triumphant concluding volume in his Shanghai trilogy

It's 1944. The Japanese are losing the war. But Shanghai is more dangerous than ever, particularly for the Adler family. After fleeing Nazi Europe, Dr. Franz Adler and his teenage daughter, Hannah, have adjusted to life in their strange adopted city, but they are now imprisoned in the Shanghai ghetto, facing a

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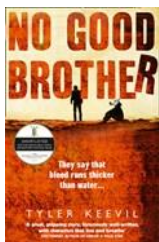
Rising Sun, Falling Shadow

Daniel Kalla

Espionage and betrayal become part of one family's struggle to survive in the sequel to the bestselling author's *The Far Side of the Sky*.

It's 1943, and the Japanese war machine has swallowed up Shanghai, the once-thriving "Paris of the East," upending life for its Chinese population, as well as the city's thousands of American, British and officially stateless European residents. Newlyweds Dr. Franz Adler and his wife, Soon Yi (Sunny), struggle to keep the city's only hospital for refugee Jews open, while Shanghai's Allied citizens are interned in squalid camps outside the city.

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Pub Date: 9/23/2014
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352 pages • Trade Paperback
Fiction
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No Good Brother

Tyler Keevil

SHORTLISTED FOR THE WILBUR SMITH ADVENTURE WRITING PRIZE 2018

'A great, gripping story, ferociously well-written, with characters that live and breathe' **STEF PENNEY, bestselling author of *Under a Pole Star***

Tim Harding has spent the fishing season in Canada working as a deckhand, making an honest living. When his hot-headed younger brother tracks him down at the

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Pub Date: 3/12/2019
\$17.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Westerns
19.8 cm H | 12.9 cm W | 2.5 cm T | 280 g Wt



The Dutch Orphan

Ellen Keith

From the author of *The Dutch Wife* comes a riveting novel set during World War II about two sisters, one of whom secretly adopts a Jewish baby and the other who is married to a Nazi sympathizer

Amsterdam, 1941. When the Nazis invade Amsterdam, singer Johanna Vos watches in horror as her Jewish friends are forbidden from performing with her onstage, and the vibrant music scene she loves is all but erased. Johanna helps organize the Artists' Resistance, an underground network that arranges for Jewish musicians to perform at house concerts hosted by their allies. When Johanna is told about the Jewish orphan who is headed for deportation, she

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Fiction / Historical / General
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The Dutch Wife

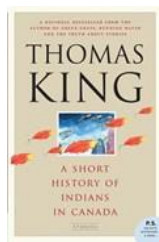
Ellen Keith

Summer of Canadian Reading 2019

"[A] supremely absorbing tale." —*Toronto Star*

From the occupied Netherlands and Nazi Germany to the dictatorship of 1970s Argentina, *The Dutch Wife* braids together the stories of three individuals who share a dark secret and are entangled in two of the most oppressive reigns of terror in modern history.

9781443454261
Pub Date: 7/2/2019
\$18.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers /
Historical
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.8 cm T | 229.1 g Wt



A Short History Of Indians In Canada

Thomas King

Acclaimed author Thomas King is in fabulous, fantastical form in this bestselling short story collection. From the surreal migrations of the title story to the misadventures of Coyote in the modern world and the chaos of a baby's unexpected arrival by airmail, King's tales are deft, hilarious and provocative. A *National Post* and *Quill & Quire* bestseller, and an Amazon.ca Top Pick for 2005, *A Short History of Indians in Canada* is a comic tour de force.

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Pub Date: 8/15/2006
\$19.99 CAD
256 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Short Stories
(single author)
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1.8 cm T | 229.1 g Wt

Green Grass, Running Water

Thomas King

Strong, sassy women and hard-luck, hard-headed men, all searching for the middle ground between Native American tradition and the modern world, perform an elaborate dance of approach and avoidance in this magical, rollicking tale by award-winning author Thomas King. Alberta, Eli, Lionel and others are coming to the Blackfoot reservation for the Sun Dance. There they will encounter four Indian elders and their companion, the trickster Coyote—and nothing in the small town of Blossom will be the same again. . . .

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Pub Date: 4/27/2010
\$23.99 CAD
486 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 3.1 cm T | 435.4 g Wt



Indians on Vacation

Thomas King

Inspired by a handful of postcards sent nearly a hundred years ago, Bird and Mimi attempt to trace long-lost Uncle Leroy and the family medicine bundle he took with him to Europe.

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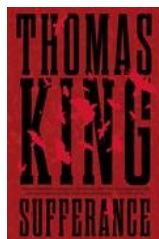
One Good Story, That One

Thomas King

Named in the University of Toronto Bookstore Review as one of the top 100 Canadian books of all time

There is much more than one good story in this bestselling (over 10,000 copies sold) collection of short fiction. In fact, there are more than a few of the best examples of native storytelling ever published. Thomas King, author of the acclaimed *Medicine River* and *Green Grass, Running Water*, and the newly released *Truth and Bright Water*, has proven he has a magical gift, a fresh voice and a special brand of wit and comic imagination.

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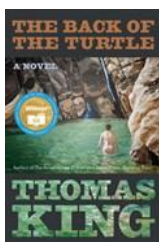
Sufferance

Thomas King

Jeremiah Camp, a.k.a. the Forecaster, can look into the heart of humanity and see the patterns that create opportunities and profits for the rich and powerful. Problem is, Camp has looked one too many times, has seen what he hadn't expected to see and has come away from the abyss with no hope for himself or for the future.

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Pub Date: 5/17/2022
\$19.99 CAD
320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
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So Jeremiah does what any intelligent, sensitive person would do. He runs away. Goes into hiding in a small town, at an old residential school on an even smaller Indian reserve with no phone, no Internet, no television. With the windows shut, the door locked, the mailbox removed to discourage any connection with the world, he finds refuge



The Back Of The Turtle

Thomas King

Winner of the Governor General's Literary Award for Fiction

Winner of the Sunburst Award

Winner of the Copper Cylinder Adult Award

Finalist for the Trillium Book Award

Finalist for the CBC Bookie Awards

Longlisted for the International Dublin Literary Award

When Gabriel Quinn, a brilliant scientist, abandons his laboratory and returns to Smoke River Reserve, where his mother and sister lived, he finds that almost everyone in the community has disappeared. Even the sea turtles are

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528 pages • Paperback
Fiction
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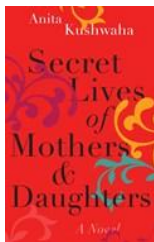
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Pub Date: 8/28/2000
\$21.00 CAD
288 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.8 cm T | 235.9 g Wt

Truth And Bright Water

Thomas King

With a plethora of superb reviews and upcoming publication in the US, Thomas King's latest work affirms him as one of our wittiest and wisest writers. *Truth & Bright Water* is the tale of two young cousins and one long summer. Tecumseh and Lum live in Truth, a small American town, and Bright Water, the reserve across the border and over the river. Family is the only reason most of the people stay in the towns, and yet old secrets and new mysteries keep pulling the more nomadic residents back to the fold.

Monroe Swimmer, famous Indian artist, returns to live in the old town with the hope of creating a statue that will



Secret Lives of Mothers & Daughters

Anita Kushwaha

For readers of Shilpi Somaya Gowda's *Secret Daughter* and Nancy Richler's *The Imposter Bride*, a breathtaking novel from Anita Kushwaha about the ties that bind mothers and daughters together and the secrets that can tear them apart

Veena, Mala and Nandini are three very different women with something in common. Out of love, each bears a secret that will haunt her life and that of her daughter because the risk of telling the truth is too great. But secrets have consequences. Particularly to Asha, the young woman on the cusp of adulthood who links them together.

9781443456333
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384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Coming Of Age
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 403 g Wt



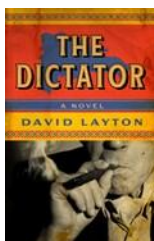
Oh, My Darling

Shaena Lambert

Here are ten remarkable stories about contemporary life, family, children and love. They highlight the secret streams that run through relationships: the moments of revelation, the subtle acts of revenge, and the lengths to which we will go for love.

The stories includes a couple who plan an environmental protest by placing the husband inside a cage in front of an aquarium; a middle-aged mother who becomes embroiled with a young man as she tries to understand her son's addiction; a boy on a Caribbean island who tries to deal with his father's disappearance and more.

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Pub Date: 8/25/2014
\$19.99 CAD
208 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



The Dictator

David Layton

From the author of *The Bird Factory*, a new novel about an estranged father and son forced together under the same roof—one losing his grip on reality and the other discovering a secret past that he may never fully understand.

Aaron, unhappy in middle age, must deal with the reverberations of the financial crisis, his increasingly alienated teenaged daughter and the sudden care of his father, Karl, a man he hardly knows, who is descending into Alzheimer's.

Karl is a man who has survived by reinventing himself

9781554686773
Pub Date: 5/9/2017
\$22.99 CAD
320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
21.6 cm H | 14 cm W |
2 cm T | 290 g Wt



The Laundryman's Boy

Edward Y. C. Lee

In this moving novel about overcoming impossible odds, a lonely Chinese boy strives to make his dreams of an education come true, despite his long hours at a St. Catharines laundry.

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Pub Date: 4/2/2024
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320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / World Literature /
Canada
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Carpenter

Matt Lennox

This stunning debut novel is set in the 1980s in a small, God-fearing Ontario town, rife with poisonous secrets, grudges passed through the generations and an undercurrent of danger. The carpenter, Lee King, is returning after a lengthy stay in maximum-security prison to a community that still recalls his horrendous crime. His mother is dying and he wants to see her and his sister, Donna, after so many years. But things are still not quite right in the town, as Stan, the retired cop, knows. Not only does he vividly remember Lee's unexplained violence from years before, but he is also caught up in a new, mysterious case. A young woman, Judy Lacroix, has just been found dead in a secret place, the site of the old dump, and the town

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Pub Date: 2/26/2013
\$23.99 CAD
448 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.28 g Wt



Knucklehead

Matt Lennox

Ashley Rosco works as a bouncer at the only nightclub in a small town, spending his off-hours training as a bodybuilder. He occasionally acts as muscle for his best friend, Darren, a small-time drug dealer whose business is growing under the influence of his criminal father. Darren's girlfriend, Chass, short for Chastity, has had her own problems with drugs, and has lost custody of her young daughter. For years, Chass made money by picking produce alongside migrant workers, known locally, derisively, as Amigos.

Both Darren and Chass have been acting strangely, tense and jittery, but things really change when Ash gets a call

9781443432528
Pub Date: 5/12/2015
\$22.99 CAD
320 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
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That Time I Loved You

Carianne Leung

Winner of the Danuta Gleed Literary Award

Finalist for the Toronto Book Award

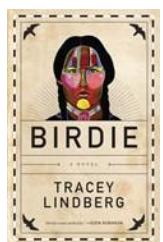
Longlisted for CBC Canada Reads

Life is never as perfect as it seems.

Tensions that have lurked beneath the surface of a shiny new subdivision rise up, in new fiction from the author of the Toronto Book Award—shortlisted *The Wondrous Woo*

The suburbs of the 1970s promised to be heaven on earth—new houses, new status, happiness guaranteed. But in a Scarborough subdivision populated by newcomers from all over the world, a series of sudden catastrophic

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Pub Date: 3/27/2018
\$22.99 CAD
224 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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1.4 cm T | 208 g Wt



Birdie

Tracey Lindberg

Bernice Meetoos will not be broken.

A big, beautiful Cree woman with a dark secret in her past, Bernice ("Birdie") has left her home in northern Alberta to travel to Gibsons, B.C. She is on something of a vision quest, looking for family, for home, for understanding. She is also driven by the leftover teenaged desire to meet Pat Johns--Jesse from *The Beachcombers*--because he is, as she says, a working, healthy Indian man. Birdie heads for Molly's Reach to find answers, but they are not the ones she expected.

With the arrival in Gibsons of her Auntie Val and her cousin Skinny Freda, Birdie begins to draw from her dreams the

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288 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
21.6 cm H | 14 cm W |
1.8 cm T | 269 g Wt

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The Cree Word for Love

Tracey Lindberg, George Littlechild

Bestselling author of *Birdie*, Tracey Lindberg, and renowned artist George Littlechild join together in a stunning collaboration of story and art to explore love in all its forms—romantic, familial, community and kin—in the Cree experience

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224 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Indigenous
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Pub Date: 1/15/2013
\$18.99 CAD
480 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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Flight Of Gemma Hardy

Margot Livesey

When her widower father drowns at sea, ten-year-old Gemma Hardy, an only child, is taken from her native Iceland to Scotland, to live with her uncle's family. But the death of her doting guardian soon after leaves Gemma under the resentful eye of her aunt. When she receives a scholarship to a private school, Gemma believes she's found the perfect solution, and she eagerly sets out again to a new home. But at Claypoole, she finds herself treated as an unpaid servant.

To Gemma's delight, the school finally goes bankrupt in 1959 and she takes a job as an au pair on the Orkney Islands. Remote Blackbird Hall belongs to Mr. Sinclair, a



Mercury

Margot Livesey

A taut emotional thriller about love, obsession and the secrets that pull a family apart.

9781443448956
Pub Date: 9/6/2016
\$21.99 CAD
336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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Pub Date: 6/28/2022
\$24.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
7.1 cm T | 4.03 in H | 4.81 in W

The Apothecary's Garden

Jeanette Lynes

An enchanting and spirited story about the language of flowers and the supernatural power of love

Belleville, 1860: Lavender Fitch is a twenty-eight-year-old spinster whose station in life is greatly diminished after the death of her father, the local apothecary. Her only inheritance is the family house and its extensive gardens. To make ends meet, Lavender resorts to selling flowers at the local market.

One day, a glamorous couple step off the train at the



The Paper Birds

Jeanette Lynes

Imagine you have only a pencil and paper, a pocketful of hunches, and your puzzle-solving skills to help end the war

Fresh out of high school, Gemma Sullivan lands what she believes is an office job, only to learn that she's been hired for top-secret government codebreaking work in a cottage in Mimico, Ontario. The codebreaking "Cottage"—run by the brilliant, eccentric Miss Fearing, who was trained at England's Bletchley Park—pulls Gemma in with its urgent lure and mystery. But along with this comes an oath of lifelong secrecy.

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320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
General
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320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
7.60 in H | 5.31 in W

Anna From Away

D. R. Macdonald

"Subtle, powerful, seductive and suspenseful, this is a novel that will steal your heart away." —THE CHRONICLE HERALD

When Anna Starling flees a dissolving marriage in California to save herself and her artistic career in Cape Breton, her life intersects with that of Red Murdock, a cabinetmaker who has recently lost the great love of his life, Rosaire. Surrounded by old ghosts and echoes of those who once lived in this isolated, depleted community, Anna and Murdock discover that the present is inextricably linked with the past and that both can lead to moral dilemmas. How grave is sexual betrayal? Who is behind

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Long Stretch

Linden MacIntyre

From the Giller Prize-winning author of *The Bishop's Man* comes a mesmerizing novel in the tradition of Alistair MacLeod, David Adams Richards and Ann-Marie MacDonald.

In one apocalyptic night, John Gillis and his estranged cousin, Sextus, confront a half century of half-truths and suppositions that have shaped and scarred their lives, their families and their insular Cape Breton community. Telling stories that unravel a host of secrets, they begin to realize that they were damaged before they were born, their fathers and a close friend forming an unholy trilogy in a tragic moment of war. Among the roots of a complex

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Fiction
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Fiction / Literary
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Stray Love

Kyo Maclear

A boy born of an adulterous affair, whose race and parentage are unclear . . . an obsessive journalist who feels alive only on the edge of danger . . . a beautiful but distracted young woman who seems ill-equipped for life—when these three mismatched people come together in London during the 1960s, their lives are changed forever.

Stray Love is the unforgettable story of Marcel, an orphan growing up in postwar England. When his guardian, Oliver, is promoted to foreign correspondent and posted to Vietnam, Marcel is left in the care of the free-spirited Pippa. But just when it seems they will never be reunited, Marcel



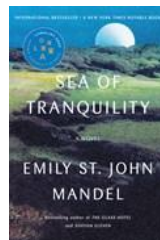
The Girl He Left Behind

Beatrice MacNeil

Fifteen years ago, Willow Alexander was jilted at the altar by her high school sweetheart, Graham Currie, who left their wedding rehearsal the night before knowing he would not be returning the next day.

Confused and devastated, Willow remains in the small town of Glenmor in Cape Breton, caring for her ailing parents and nursing her heartache. What no one knows is that Willow lost more than her marriage on that shocking day, which is why she remains on her family's expansive property, in the shadow of Christy's Mountain, unable to let go of the secret she has kept hidden for more than a decade.

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304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.7 cm T | 247.2 g Wt



Sea of Tranquility

Emily St. John Mandel

**NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER
NATIONAL BESTSELLER**

"One of [Mandel's] finest novels and one of her most satisfying forays into the arena of speculative fiction yet."
-*The New York Times*

"Mandel's sensational sixth novel offers immense pleasures of puzzle box plotting and high-flying imagination. . . . Masterfully plotted and deeply moving, this visionary novel folds back on itself like a hall of mirrors to explore just what connects us to one another, and how we can use our imagination to build a better world."

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272 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.6 cm T | 234.5 g Wt



Station Eleven

Emily St. John Mandel

The New York Times and Globe and Mail-bestselling, award-winning novel about art, fame and ambition set in the eerie days of civilization's collapse

One snowy night a famous Hollywood actor slumps over and dies onstage during a production of *King Lear*. Hours later, the world as we know it begins to dissolve. Moving back and forth in time—from the actor's early days as a film star to fifteen years in the future, when a theatre troupe known as the Travelling Symphony roams the wasteland of what remains—this suspenseful, elegiac, spellbinding novel charts the strange twists of fate that connect five

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Fiction
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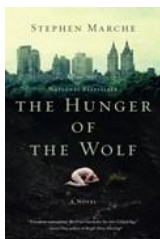
The Glass Hotel

Emily St. John Mandel

From the award-winning author of *Station Eleven*, a captivating novel of money, beauty, white-collar crime, ghosts and moral compromise in which a woman disappears from a container ship off the coast of Mauritania and a massive Ponzi scheme implodes in New York, dragging countless fortunes with it.

Vincent is a bartender at the Hotel Caiette, a five-star glass-and-cedar palace on the northernmost tip of Vancouver Island. New York financier Jonathan Alkaitis owns the hotel. When he passes Vincent his card with a

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Fiction
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2 cm T | 340.2 g Wt



The Hunger Of The Wolf

Stephen Marche

Hunters found his body naked in the snow.

So begins this bold and breathtakingly ambitious book from Stephen Marche, the provocative *Esquire* columnist and regular contributor to *The Atlantic*, whose last work of fiction was described by *The New York Times Book Review* as "maybe the most exciting mash-up of literary genres since David Mitchell's *Cloud Atlas*." In *The Hunger of the Wolf*, Marche delivers a modern morality tale about the rapacity of global capitalism that manages to ask the most important questions we face about what it means to live in the new Gilded Age.

The body in the snow is that of Ben Wylie, the heir to a

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Fiction
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1.6 cm T | 235.9 g Wt



Realms of the Round Table

John Matthews, John Howe, Sir John Boorman

Fully illustrated collection of rare and previously unpublished tales of King Arthur and his Knights of the Round Table, retold for a new generation by leading Arthurian expert, John Matthews, introduced by Sir John Boorman, director of the classic film, *Excalibur*, and illustrated with paintings and drawings by Tolkien artist, John Howe.

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352 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Fantasy /
Arthurian
25.2 cm H | 19.5 cm W |



Crow Winter

Karen McBride

Nanabush. A name that has a certain weight on the tongue—a taste. Like lit sage in a windowless room or aluminum foil on a metal filling.

Trickster. Storyteller. Shape-shifter. An ancient troublemaker with the power to do great things, only he doesn't want to put in the work.

Since coming home to Spirit Bear Point First Nation, Hazel Ellis has been dreaming of an old crow. He tells her he's here to help her, save her. From what, exactly? Sure, her dad's been dead for almost two years and she hasn't quite reconciled that grief, but is that worth the time of an Algonquin demigod?

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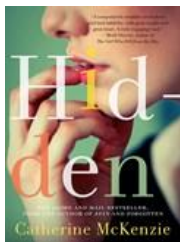
Catherine McKenzie

A charming tale of discovering what really matters after everything is lost

Emma Tupper, a young lawyer with a bright future, falls ill on a trip to Africa. While recovering in a small village, a devastating earthquake hits, turning her one-month vacation into a six-month ordeal. When she's finally able to return home, she's shocked to find that her friends and colleagues believed she was dead and that life has gone on without her.

Can she pick up where she left off? Should she? As Emma struggles to recreate her old life, everyone around her thinks she should take the opportunity to change her inh

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512 pages • Paperback
Fiction
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2.9 cm T | 340.2 g Wt



Hidden

Catherine McKenzie

When a married man suffers a sudden fatal accident, two women are shattered—his wife and someone else's—and past secrets, desires and regrets are brought to light

While walking home from work one evening, Jeff Manning is struck by a car and killed. Not one but two women fall to pieces at the news: his wife, Claire, and his co-worker Tish. Reeling from her loss, Claire must comfort her grieving son and contend with funeral arrangements, well-meaning family members and the arrival of Jeff's estranged brother—her ex-boyfriend—Tim.

With Tish's co-workers in the dark about her connection to

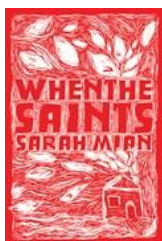


A Better Man

Leah McLaren

What if the only way to end your marriage was to be the perfect husband?

Nick and Maya Wakefield's marriage is in crisis. Sex is a distant memory, and the love is gone. The turning point came when Maya left her high-powered legal career to stay home with their twins. Today she feels invisible, anxious and under-appreciated, while Nick feels his wife has become neurotic and obsessed with the children. A workaholic with a wandering eye, Nick has decided he wants out but balks when their old friend, Gray, a divorce attorney, shows him the financial damage. He and Gray



When The Saints

Sarah Mian

Is it possible to redeem a family name that has been spoken as a curse word for generations?

A decade after being cast off to live with strangers, Tabby Saint returns to Solace River, Nova Scotia, to find her childhood home deserted. She quickly latches on to the lonely tavern-keeper, West, who informs her that her family was run out of town. Tabby heads out to nearby Jubilant to find the fragments of her family: her addict sister, Poppy, and her two young kids; her brothers, Bird and Jackie, one crippled by a vicious attack and the other holding a dangerous grudge against the men responsible; a threadbare version of the bulletproof mother she



New Girl in Little Cove

Damhnait Monaghan

After a teacher scandalizes the fishing village of Little Cove, Newfoundland, by running off with a priest, the school looks to the mainland to fill the job quickly. They want someone who can uphold their Catholic values and keep a motley group of largely uncooperative students in line.

The position is filled by Rachel O'Brien, a young woman from Toronto desperate for a fresh start after a failed relationship and the death of her father. Rachel isn't surprised that her students don't see the value of learning French. But she is surprised that she can barely understand their English, which is thickly accented and full



The Ghost Keeper

Natalie Morrill

Winner of the HarperCollins/UBC Prize for Best New Fiction, this powerful, sweeping novel set in Vienna during the 1930s and '40s centres on a poignant love story and a friendship that ends in betrayal.

In the years between the two world wars, Josef Tobak builds a quiet life around his friendships, his beloved wife, Anna, and his devotion to the old Jewish cemeteries of Vienna. Then comes the Anschluss in 1938, and Josef's world is uprooted. His health disintegrates. His wife and child are forced to flee to China. His closest gentile friend joins the Nazi Party—and yet helps Josef escape to



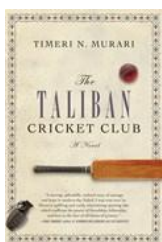
Land of No Regrets

Sadi Muktadir

A heart-wrenching story of four students who find hope and connection amid the challenges of life at a harrowing madrasa in rural Ontario.

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360 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical
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2.1 cm T | 276.7 g Wt

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\$25.99 CAD
320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Muslim
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2 cm T | 333.4 g Wt



The Taliban Cricket Club

Timeri Murari

Rukhsana is a spirited young journalist working for The Kabul Times in Afghanistan. She takes care of her ill, widowed mother and her younger brother Jahan. But with the arrival of a summons for Rukhsana to appear before the infamous Ministry to Promote Virtue and Punish Vice, their quiet and tenuous way of life is shattered. The minister, Zorak Wahidi, has two things in mind: to threaten anti-Taliban news reporters and to announce the Taliban's intention to hold a cricket tournament. The winner will represent Afghanistan in the International Cricket Club in London, finally proving to the world that Afghanistan deserves to be treated with the respect granted other



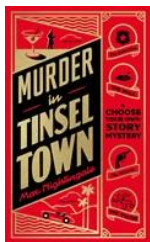
The Ones We Loved

Tarisai Ngangura

An aching love story and literary debut for readers of Jael Richardson, NoViolet Bulawayo and Francesca Ekwuyasi

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Fiction / Romance /
African American & Black
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Murder in Tinseltown

Max Nightingale

Can your sleuthing skills help identify the murderer of a Hollywood starlet?

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256 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Crime
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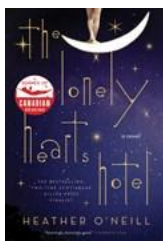
Daydreams Of Angels

Heather O'Neill

Heather O'Neill's distinctive style and voice fill these charming, sometimes dark, always beguiling stories.

From "The Robot Baby," in which we discover what happens when a robot feels emotion for the very first time, to "Heaven," about a grandfather who died for a few minutes when he was nine and visited the pearly gates, to "The Little Wolf-Boy of Northern Quebec," in which untamed children run wild through the streets of Paris, to "Dolls," in which a little girl's forgotten dolls tell their own stories of woe and neglect, we are immersed in utterly unique worlds. Also included in the collection is "The End of Pinky," which has been made into short film by the NFB.

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Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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Lonely Hearts Hotel

Heather O'Neill

NATIONAL BESTSELLER

Winner of the Paragraphe Hugh MacLennan Prize for Fiction

Longlisted for the Baileys Women's Prize for Fiction and for CBC Canada Reads

A *Globe and Mail* Most Anticipated Book

A *NOW* Magazine Book You Have to Read

A *Toronto Star* Book We Can't Wait to Read

"Heather O'Neill is just getting better and better." —*The Globe and Mail*

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400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
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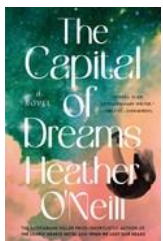


Lullabies for Little Criminals

Heather O'Neill

A new deluxe edition of the international bestseller by Heather O'Neill, the Giller-shortlisted author of *Daydreams of Angels* and *The Girl Who Was Saturday Night*, featuring an original foreword from the author, to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the coming-of-age story that *People* describes as "a vivid portrait of life on skid row"

9780062468475
Pub Date: 4/5/2016
\$21.99 CAD
352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 2.2
cm T | 352 g Wt



The Capital of Dreams

Heather O'Neill

A breathtaking dark fairy tale of survival and betrayal from the vivid imagination of Heather O'Neill

9781443451604
Pub Date: 9/10/2024
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368 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Historical /
General
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The Girl Who Was Saturday Night

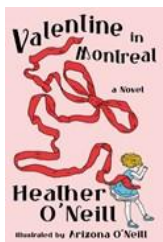
Heather O'Neill

Finalist for the 2014 Scotiabank Giller Prize

From the author of the international bestselling, award-winning *Lullabies for Little Criminals*, a coming-of-age novel set on the seedy side of Montreal's St. Laurent Boulevard

9781443442459
Pub Date: 10/16/2014
\$22.99 CAD
416 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

Gorgeous twins Noushcka and Nicolas Tremblay live with their grandfather Loulou in a tiny, sordid apartment on St. Laurent Boulevard. They are hopelessly promiscuous, wildly funny and infectiously charming. They are also the only children of the legendary Quebecois folksinger Etienne Tremblay, who was as famous for his brilliant lyrics about working-class life as he was for his philandering bon vivant



Valentine in Montreal

Heather O'Neill, Arizona O'Neill

A Montreal adventure comes to life when a lonely girl at the metro station convenience store spots her mysterious doppelganger, in this playful and surprising novel by the inimitable Heather O'Neill, beautifully illustrated by Arizona O'Neill

9781443475259
Pub Date: 7/15/2025
\$29.99 CAD
224 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Women
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 1.7
cm T | 646 g Wt

In the tradition of the serialized novels of Charles Dickens, Heather O'Neill brings us *Valentine in Montreal*. Originally published in weekly instalments in the *Montreal Gazette*, this is the unforgettable story of Valentine, a lonely orphan working in a depanneur at a Montreal metro station, who spots her look-alike. As Valentine follows this seeming twin into the underground, she takes the first steps toward the



When We Lost Our Heads

Heather O'Neill

The #1 national bestseller

"Marvelous . . . viciously funny and acutely intelligent" (*Madean's*), *When We Lost Our Heads* is the spellbinding story of two young women whose friendship is so intense it not only threatens to destroy them, it changes the course of history

Marie Antoine is the charismatic, spoiled daughter of a sugar baron. At age twelve, with her pile of blond curls and unparalleled sense of whimsy, she's the leader of all the children in the Golden Mile, the affluent strip of nineteenth-century Montreal known as the *Grande Rue*. Until one

9781443451581
Pub Date: 1/31/2023
\$21.00 CAD
448 pages • Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.6 cm T | 322 g Wt



Pride and Joy

Louisa Onomé

Black Cake meets *Death at a Funeral* in this heartwarming and hilarious novel about three generations of a Nigerian Canadian family grappling with their matriarch's sudden passing while their auntie insists that her sister is coming back, from an author with a "razor-sharp, smart and tender" (Nafiza Azad, author of *The Wild Ones*) voice.

9781443468787
Pub Date: 3/12/2020
\$25.99 CAD
336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / African American
& Black
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 340.2 g Wt



Stay Where I Can See You

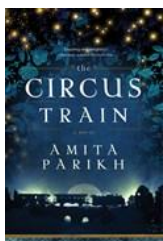
Katrina Onstad

A NOW Magazine Best Book of the Year

In a family, is anything forgivable? A penetrating new novel from the bestselling, Scotiabank Giller Prize-longlisted author of *Everybody Has Everything*

The Kaplan family has just won 10 million dollars in the lottery. But haven't they always been lucky? Gwen thought so. She's carefully curated a perfect suburban existence with a loving husband and two children. For over a decade, she's been a stay-at-home mom, devoted to giving her kids the quiet, protected adolescence she didn't have. But the surprise windfall suddenly unravels the family

9781443457231
Pub Date: 3/31/2020
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304 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Psychological
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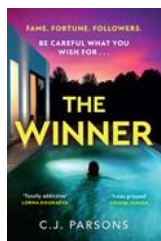


The Circus Train

Amita Parikh

Fans of *The Night Circus* and *Water for Elephants* will be enchanted by this spectacular debut novel full of awe-inspiring characters who dare to believe in the impossible.

9781443464994
Pub Date: 3/22/2022
\$24.99 CAD
408 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
General
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 340.2 g Wt



The Winner

C.J. Parsons

Fame, fortune, followers. Be careful what you wish for...

9780008613952
Pub Date: 2/18/2025
\$23.99 CAD
432 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers /
Psychological
10.8 cm H | 17.9 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 283.5 g Wt



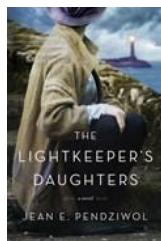
The Wind Is Not A River

Brian Payton

A gripping love story set in WW2 Japanese-occupied Alaska

Following the loss of his brother to the war in Europe, Canadian writer John Easley feels duty-bound to report the story that seems to have fallen into his lap: the 1943 Japanese occupation of the U.S. Aleutian Islands and the Allied attempts to drive them back into the sea. But when his plane is shot down over the island of Attu, he is exposed to the full fury of a wilderness known as "the Birthplace of Winds." He soon discovers that the island's indigenous residents (U.S. citizens) have all disappeared and that he has no choice but to survive on his own.

9781443423748
Pub Date: 8/25/2014
\$22.99 CAD
320 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 283.5 g Wt



The Lightkeeper's Daughters

Jean E. Pendziwol

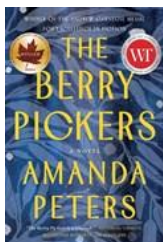
A *Toronto Star* bestseller * A *Globe and Mail* bestseller * A *New York Post* "must-read" book

***The Light Between Oceans* meets *The Language of Flowers* in this beautiful debut novel by an acclaimed Canadian children's author.**

Elizabeth's eyes have failed. She can no longer read the books she loves or see the paintings that move her spirit, but her mind remains sharp and music fills the vacancy left by her blindness as she ruminates on the secrets in her family's past.

When her late father's journals are discovered on a

9781443452229
Pub Date: 7/3/2018
\$21.99 CAD
336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
1.9 cm T | 283.5 g Wt



The Berry Pickers

Amanda Peters

A four-year-old girl goes missing from the blueberry fields of Maine, sparking a tragic mystery that will remain unsolved for nearly fifty years

July 1962. A Mi'kmaq family from Nova Scotia arrives in Maine to pick blueberries for the summer. Weeks later, four-year-old Ruthie, the family's youngest child, vanishes mysteriously. She is last seen by her six-year-old brother, Joe, sitting on her favourite rock at the edge of a berry field. Joe will remain deeply affected by his sister's disappearance for years to come.

9781443468183
Pub Date: 4/4/2023
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320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
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2 cm T | 349.3 g Wt

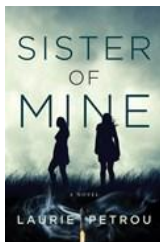


Waiting for the Long Night Moon

Amanda Peters

In her debut collection of short fiction, Amanda Peters describes the Indigenous experience from an astonishingly wide spectrum in time and place—from contact with the first European settlers, to the forced removal of Indigenous children, to the present-day fight for the right to clean water.

9781443468220
Pub Date: 8/13/2024
\$24.99 CAD
256 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
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1.6 cm T | 276.7 g Wt



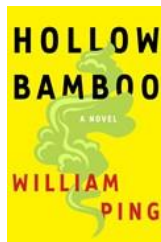
Sister of Mine

Laurie Petrou

When is a debt ever fully paid?

Penny and Hattie are sisters in a small town, bound tight to the point of knots. They share a secret they cannot escape, even while it pulls them apart. One night, a match is lit, and Penny's terrible husband is killed – a marriage going up in flames, and offering the potential of a new life. The sisters retreat into their family home – a house of secrets and memories – and try to live in the shadow of what they put in motion. But Penny's husband is not the only thing they are hiding, from the outside world and from each other. Under a cloud of long-held resentments, sibling rivalry, and debts unpaid, the bonds of sisterhood

9781443454285
Pub Date: 4/17/2018
\$22.99 CAD
272 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Psychological
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
1.7 cm T | 306 g Wt



Hollow Bamboo

William Ping

The hilarious and heartbreaking story of two William Pings in Newfoundland—the lost millennial and the grandfather he knows nothing about

William Ping's millennial life revolves around eating at restaurants, posting online about eating at restaurants, then overanalyzing it. This changes unexpectedly when a dinner with his Chinese girlfriend's family goes sideways and his insecurity about his biracial identity and his ignorance of his own Chinese heritage overflow like lava. During a much-needed break from the dinner table, Will is visited in the men's room by a sarcastic, bullying spirit named Mr. The spirit which takes him into the past to learn

9781443466530
Pub Date: 2/21/2023
\$25.99 CAD
448 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Asian American
& Pacific Islander
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 410.5 g Wt



Willem De Kooning's Paintbrush

Kerry Lee Powell

Ranging from an island holiday gone wrong to a dive bar on the upswing to a yuppie mother in a pricey subdivision seeing her worst fears come true, these acclaimed, deftly written stories are populated by barkeeps, good men down on their luck, rebellious teens, lonely immigrants, dreamers and realists, fools and quiet heroes. In Kerry Lee Powell's skillful hands, each character, no matter what his or her choices, is deeply human in their search for connection. Powell holds us in her grasp, exploring with a black humour themes of belonging, the simmering potential for violence, and the meaning of art no matter where it is found. She reveals with each story something

9781443453974
Pub Date: 10/18/2016
\$21.99 CAD
272 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Short Stories
(single author)
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
1.7 cm T | 306 g Wt



Groupies

Sarah Priscus

In a debut perfect for fans of *Daisy Jones & The Six*, *Mary Jane*, and *The Final Revival of Opal & Nev*, Sarah Priscus shines a bright light on the grungy yet glittery world of 1970s rock 'n' roll and the women—the groupies—who unapologetically love too much in a world that doesn't love them back.

"This shimmering debut is packed with tenderness and awe against a backdrop of drugs, sex, rock stars, and high drama." —Jessica Anya Blau, author of *Mary Jane*

9780063218024
Pub Date: 7/18/2023
\$23.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.1 cm T | 274.4 g Wt



The Phoenix Crown

Kate Quinn, Janie Chang

A Paperback Original

From bestselling authors Janie Chang and Kate Quinn, a thrilling and unforgettable narrative about the intertwined lives of two wronged women, spanning from the chaos of the San Francisco earthquake to the glittering palaces of Versailles.

9780063339972
Pub Date: 2/13/2024
\$25.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical / World
War I
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 410.5 g Wt



Dawn of the Firebird

Sarah Mughal Rana

For fans of *The Poppy War*, *She Who Became the Sun*, and *The Will of the Many*, a breathtaking fantasy novel about the daughter of an overthrown emperor from an exciting new voice

9781443474795
Pub Date: 12/2/2025
\$38.99 CAD
480 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Fantasy /
Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 410.5 g Wt



The Legend of Meneka

Kritika H. Rao

In this sweeping crossover of romantic fantasy and Hindu mythology, acclaimed author Kritika H. Rao reimagines the famous tale of a celestial dancer tasked with seducing a human sage, but when she finds herself falling in love with her mark, she will be forced to choose between loyalty to her home and being true to herself—perfect for readers of *Daughter of the Moon Goddess*, *Kaikeyi*, and *Circe*.

9780063349186
Pub Date: 1/21/2025
\$37.00 CAD
368 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Fantasy /
Romance
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 410.5 g Wt



Gutter Child

Jael Richardson

A fierce and heartbreaking debut from FOLD founder Jael Richardson about a young woman who must find the courage to determine her own future

Imagine a world in which the hopeless and vulnerable are forced to buy their freedom by working off their debt to society. Imagine a world divided into the privileged Mainland and the policed Gutter. In that world lives Elimina Dubois, one of only 100 children selected as a social experiment by the Mainland government to be taken from their mothers in the Gutter and raised in the land of

9781443457828
Pub Date: 1/26/2021
\$25.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Dystopian
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.4 cm T | 410.5 g Wt



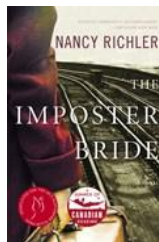
The River Home

Hannah Richell

A Paperback Original

From beloved international bestselling author Hannah Richell comes a spellbinding novel about the secrets brought to the surface when a large family gathers for a wedding.

9780063001602
Pub Date: 8/4/2020
\$21.00 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
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2.1 cm T | 281 g Wt



The Imposter Bride

Nancy Richler

Summer of Canadian Reading 2019

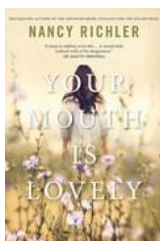
National Bestseller

The most painful secrets create the deepest lies.

A young, enigmatic woman—Lily Azerov—arrives in postwar Montreal expecting to meet her betrothed, Sol Kramer. When Sol sees Lily at the train station, however, he turns her down. His brother, Nathan, sees Lily and instantly decides to marry her instead.

But Lily is not the person she claims to be, and her attempt to live a quiet existence as Nathan Kramer's wife shatters when she disappears, leaving her baby daughter

9781443459020
Pub Date: 7/2/2019
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376 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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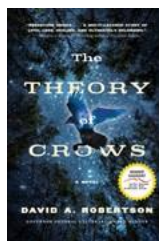


Your Mouth Is Lovely

Nancy Richler

Your Mouth Is Lovely is a grand and glorious novel, greeted with ecstatic reviews in Canada and on the international scene. The story of a family caught between the rich yet rigid traditions of the past and the unfamiliar and often frightening ways of a society poised on the precipice of change, *Your Mouth Is Lovely* centers around Miriam, a young Jewish woman caught in the 1905 Russian Revolution. The kind of book that simply won't be put down, this is literary fiction at its very best.

9781443423878
Pub Date: 2/5/2013
\$17.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.3 cm T | 317 g Wt



The Theory of Crows

David A. Robertson

A poignant and evocative novel about the bonds of family and the gifts offered by the land

When a troubled father and his estranged teenage daughter head out onto the land in search of the family trapline, they find their way back to themselves, and to each other

Deep in the night, Matthew paces the house, unable to rest. Though his sixteen-year-old daughter, Holly, lies sleeping on the other side of the bedroom door, she is light years away from him. How can he bridge the gap

9781443465168
Pub Date: 9/13/2022
\$24.99 CAD
320 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Indigenous
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.0 cm T | 340 g Wt



Sweetness in the Skin

Ishi Robinson

A delicious debut novel about a young Jamaican girl who tries to bake her way to a better life in France.

9781443471107
Pub Date: 4/23/2024
\$25.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Coming Of Age
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.1 cm T | 351 g Wt



Coronation Year

Jennifer Robson

A Paperback Original—Also Available in a Simultaneous Hardcover Edition

The USA Today bestselling author of *The Gown* returns with another enthralling and royal-adjacent historical novel—as the lives of three very different residents of London's historic Blue Lion hotel converge in a potentially explosive climax on the day of Queen Elizabeth's Coronation.

9780063308039
Pub Date: 4/4/2023
\$24.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Romance /
Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Tuscan Daughter

Lisa Rochon

A novel of beauty and inspiration set during the Italian Renaissance about a young and defiant female artist searching for her mother.

Florence, 1500—a city that glitters with wealth and artistic genius is also a place of fierce political intrigue, walled off from the unrest in the surrounding Tuscan countryside. In this moment, a peasant girl finds herself alone after her father is killed and her mother disappears. Young Beatrice must dare to enter the city to sell her family's olive oil in order to survive, but also to search the streets and opium dens for her missing, grieving mother.

9781443463515
Pub Date: 7/13/2021
\$24.99 CAD
416 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
Renaissance
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



The Lost Diaries of Susanna Moodie

Cecily Ross

Engrossing historical fiction for readers of *Bride of New France* and *The Birth House* about one of Canada's most inimitable pioneers and her struggles to survive in the wilderness, brought beautifully to life in this accomplished debut

Teetering on the edge of genteel poverty, Englishwoman Susanna Moodie agrees to leave behind her growing career as a writer to follow her husband from her beloved Suffolk to the backwoods of Canada. John Moodie is an ebullient man with a weakness for money-making schemes, and he is convinced that riches await them in the New World. It is the 1830s, and despite their dreams,

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\$19.99 CAD
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Fiction / Historical
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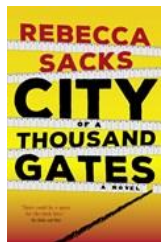
Little Bastards In Springtime

Katja Rudolph

The unflinching story of a boy who survives the siege of Sarajevo and immigrates to Toronto bearing the scars of war

It's Spring of 1992. Jevrem Andric is eleven years old, and brutal civil war is erupting in Sarajevo. At first it's just boring, as kids shut in apartments run out of ways to entertain themselves. A few weeks later, boredom is a luxury. Hell has arrived. They are trapped and face starvation and death. Jevrem's only comfort is his beloved grandmother, a tough World War II partisan who has seen everything there is to see in war. Five years later, what's left of his family has immigrated to Toronto, where spring

9781443408875
Pub Date: 5/26/2015
\$23.99 CAD
416 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



City of a Thousand Gates

Bee Sacks

A novel of great humanity, compassion and astonishing immediacy, this unique debut portrays the emotional reality of contemporary life in the West Bank and the irreconcilable Israeli-Palestinian conflict. A collage of narrative voices and different points of view are woven around the murder of two young people, one Israeli and one Palestinian.

Brave and bold, this gorgeously written work of fiction introduces a large cast of characters in a setting where violence is routine, even normal, and where survival is defined by boundaries, walls and checkpoints that force people to live and love within and against them.

9781443462181
Pub Date: 2/2/2021
\$24.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Jewish
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.5 cm T | 424.1 g Wt



The Lover

Bee Sacks

The author of the acclaimed *City of a Thousand Gates* returns with an intense, page-turning love story between a twenty-six year old Canadian woman and a nineteen-year old Israeli soldier, set in contemporary Israel.

9780063284234
Pub Date: 8/1/2023
\$35.99 CAD
288 pages • Hardcover
Fiction / Literary
21 cm H | 14 cm W | 2.5
cm T | 312.5 g Wt



Daughters of the Occupation

Shelly Sanders

Based on a true story, this powerful novel is set in Latvia's capital during the horrific Rumbula massacre when 30,000 Jews were slaughtered over two days in 1941

When Miriam and her family are rounded up and forced to live in the Jewish ghetto in Riga, Miriam chooses to give up her children to the care of a Gentile friend who will hide them. A few weeks later, Miriam, along with thousands of other Jews, is marched to the execution pits in the Rumbula forest. Incredibly, she manages to escape the carnage when night falls. Through a series of dramatic

9781443466226
Pub Date: 4/5/2022
\$24.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Historical /
General
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



The Night Sparrow

Shelly Sanders

In 1941, Elena Bruskina, an ambitious university student, sees her world collapse when the Nazis invade the Soviet Union. She and her Jewish family are forced into the Minsk ghetto, where thousands are immediately murdered, including her father and her brother. When her younger sister is hanged because of false charges and her mother is shot, Elena escapes the ghetto, determined to avenge the killing of her family members.

In 1942, the Central Women's Sniper Training School opens in Moscow. Seeing it as the perfect opportunity to retaliate, Elena is one of the first to enroll. She becomes

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Fiction / Historical /
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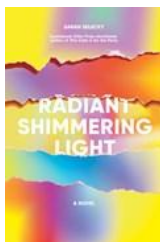


The Island of Forgetting

Jasmine Sealy

An intimate family saga about how the choices we make today often reverberate far into the future.

9781443465212
Pub Date: 4/26/2022
\$24.99 CAD
336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Family Life
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.1 cm T | 356.1 g Wt



Radiant Shimmering Light

Sarah Selecky

A sharply funny and wise debut novel about female friendship, the face we show the world online and letting your own light shine, from the Scotiabank Giller Prize—shortlisted author of *This Cake Is for the Party*

Lilian Quick has looked up to her cousin Florence her whole life. Florence is everything Lilian is not—brave, confident, quick to find adventure and American. The women have been out of touch for years due to a family rift, but Lilian, childless, single and self-employed as a pet portraitist, has been watching Florence for years. Florence is now Internet-famous as Eleven Novak, the face of a compelling

9781443455671
Pub Date: 5/8/2018
\$24.99 CAD
368 pages • Paperback
Fiction
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2.3 cm T | 392.4 g Wt



A Good Indian Girl

Mansi Shah

From a Canadian-born, LA-based author, a fun, heartfelt and thought-provoking novel that is *One Italian Summer* meets Balli Kaur Jaswal, about a disgraced Indian-American divorcee and former chef who spends a summer in Italy, reconnecting with her passion for cooking and reckoning with cultural expectations to make a life-changing decision.

9781443473200
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336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
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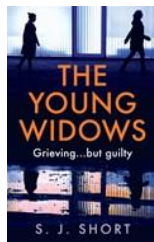
Saving Face

Mansi Shah

People love a rags-to-riches story. But they hate an imposter who lies to get ahead . . .

To all those who know her, Ami Shah is the epitome of glamour. She has unapologetically leveraged her privileged upbringing as the daughter of Indian aristocrats in Singapore to build her American skincare empire, Amala-a business that's now set for a dream acquisition by a Fortune 500 company. There's just one problem: she's not the real Ami Shah.

Forty years earlier, a girl named Monica Joseph is abandoned at the Gate of Heaven in Singapore and becomes



The Young Widows

S. J. Short

'If you love Liane Moriarty and Shari Lapena, you'll love this twisty psychological thriller' *Pick Me Up Magazine*

9780008672867
Pub Date: 10/1/2024
\$23.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Psychological
19.8 cm H | 12.9 cm W |
2.9 cm T | 260 g Wt

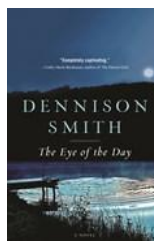


In The Land Of Birdfishes

Rebecca Silver Slayter

The lyrical and deeply moving debut that staked Silver Slayter's claim as one of Canada's most promising young novelists

A remarkable novel about myth-making and survival, *In the Land of Birdfishes* opens in rural Nova Scotia, where twin sisters witness the death of their wild, beautiful mother. Their father, sick with grief, blindfolds them to shield them from the misery of the world. Left that way for years, each sister is scarred in her own way: Mara is rendered fully blind, Aileen partly so. When a neighbour discovers their condition, the girls are immediately separated for treatment.



Eye Of The Day

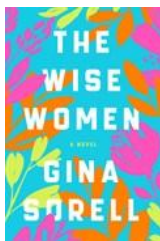
Dennison Smith

From a writer *The Globe and Mail* described as "Leonard Cohen's spiritual daughter."

When a brutal explosion in a cottage town in Vermont brings together Amos, a disfigured handyman, and Aubrey, the cosseted son of a wealthy New England family, neither has any idea that this event will shape them forever. As their lives touch again over the years, these unlikely friends forge a bond that survives war and peace, love and loss.

Dennison Smith seamlessly weaves together the lives of the silent Amos and the motherless Aubrey—from '30s Vermont, where Aubrey photographs a naked Grata

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\$22.99 CAD
288 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
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2.9 cm T | 260 g Wt



The Wise Women

Gina Sorell

"A very entertaining new novel. . . I was always happy to return to *The Wise Women*, safely amused by the witty dialogue and disasters, confident that things would work out in the end."—*New York Times Book Review*

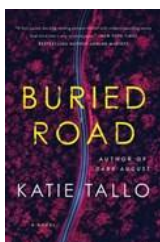


I Hope This Finds You Well

Natalie Sue

In this wildly funny and heart-warming office comedy, an admin worker accidentally gains access to her colleagues' private emails and DMs and decides to use this intel to save her job. A laugh-till-you-cry debut novel you'll be eager to share with your entire list of contacts, perfect for fans of *Anxious People* and *Eleanor Oliphant Is Completely Fine*.

9781443470254
Pub Date: 5/21/2024
\$25.99 CAD
352 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Women
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |
2 cm T | 335 g Wt



Buried Road

Katie Tallo

Paperback Original—Also Available as a Simultaneous Hardcover Edition

In this edge-of-your-seat thriller—the follow-up to the international bestselling *Dark August* and *Poison Lilies*—Gus Monet and her daughter embark on a perilous road trip to find a missing person.

"A fast-paced, exciting, missing persons thriller with a heart pounding twisty final third that I very much enjoyed. Katie Tallo is a big new talent."—*New York Times* bestselling author Adrian McKinty



Dark August

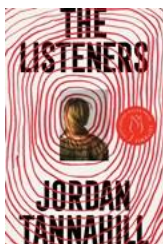
Katie Tallo

A Paperback Original

An electrifying, page-turning debut about a young woman haunted by her tragic past, who returns to her hometown and discovers that there might be more to her police detective mother's death—and last case—than she ever could have imagined.

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448 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers /
Psychological
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2.9 cm T | 335 g Wt

9780063360716
Pub Date: 12/3/2024
\$23.99 CAD
336 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers /
Psychological
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |
2.9 cm T | 335 g Wt



The Listeners

Jordan Tannahill

A propulsive literary page-turner about a family torn apart by a mother's obsession with a sound that no one else can hear

One night, while lying in bed next to her husband, Claire Devon suddenly hears a low hum. This innocuous sound, which no one else in the house can hear, has no obvious source or medical cause, but it begins to upset the balance of Claire's life. When she discovers that one of her students can also hear the hum, the two strike up an unlikely and intimate friendship. Finding themselves increasingly isolated from their families and colleagues, they fall in with a dangerous group of people who also perceive the sound.

9781443464130

Pub Date: 8/17/2021

\$23.99 CAD

304 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Psychological

22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

1.9 cm T | 338.5 g Wt



The Guest Children

Patrick Tarr

"The Guest Children is a novel that is both unsettling and deeply moving. . . . It will not only carry you away but return you to a forgotten place within yourself." -Andrew Pyper, author of Oracle and The Demonologist

Not all hauntings are confined to houses

With the mounting terror of the German Blitz on London in 1940, thousands of British "guest children" are sent abroad to escape the bombing. Among them are Michael and Frances Hawksby, who are shipped off to Canada to stay with relatives. Years later, as WWII finally comes to

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\$24.99 CAD

272 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Ghost

22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

1.7 cm T | 294.8 g Wt



The Birth Yard

Mallory Tater

A debut novel for readers of *The Handmaid's Tale* and *The Girls*, *The Birth Yard* is a gripping story of a young woman's rebellion against the rules that control her body

Sable Ursu has just turned eighteen, which means she is ready to breed. Within the confines of her world, a patriarchal cult known as the Den, female fertility and sexuality are wholly controlled by Men. In the season they come of age, Sable and her friends Mamie and Dinah are each paired with a Match with the purpose of conceiving a child. Sable is paired with Ambrose, the son of a favoured

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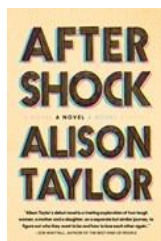
\$22.99 CAD

320 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Women

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2 cm T | 331.1 g Wt



Aftershock

Alison Taylor

"Alison Taylor's debut novel is a riveting exploration of two tough women, a mother and a daughter, on a separate but similar journey, to figure out who they want to be and how to love each other again." -Zoe Whittall, author of Scotiabank Giller Prize finalist *The Best Kind of People*

Shared trauma has driven them a world apart; they will need to find each other again to begin to heal

Nightmares still haunt Chloe thirteen years after a fatal

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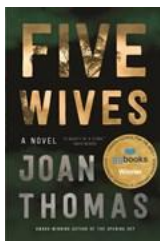
\$22.99 CAD

304 pages • Trade

Paperback

Fiction / Family Life

22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Five Wives

Joan Thomas

WINNER OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S LITERARY AWARD FOR FICTION

A GLOBE AND MAIL, CBC BOOKS, APPLE BOOKS, AND NOW TORONTO BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR

In the tradition of *The Poisonwood Bible* and *State of Wonder*, a novel set in the rainforest of Ecuador about five women left behind when their missionary husbands are killed. Based on the shocking real-life events

In 1956, a small group of evangelical Christian missionaries and their families journeyed to the rainforest

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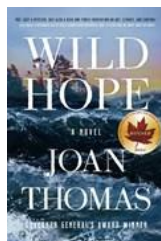
\$24.99 CAD

400 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Women

22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

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Wild Hope

Joan Thomas

A page-turning contemporary novel about how our pasts never let us go, from the Governor General's Award-winning author of *Five Wives*

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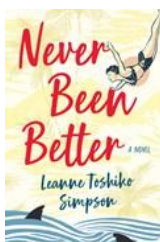
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304 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Psychological

22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

1.7 cm T | 297.1 g Wt



Never Been Better

Leanne Toshiko Simpson

***My Best Friend's Wedding* meets *Silver Linings Playbook* in this offbeat, heartfelt comedy about a seaside wedding reunion where no one can stay afloat**

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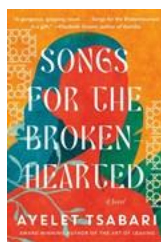
\$24.99 CAD

288 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Women

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Songs for the Brokenhearted

Ayelet Tsabari

A young Yemeni Israeli woman learns of her mother's secret romance in a dramatic journey through lost family stories, revealing the unbreakable bond between a mother and a daughter in the debut novel of an award-winning literary voice

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\$25.99 CAD

400 pages • Paperback

Fiction / Women

22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |

2.5 cm T | 453.6 g Wt



The Best Place On Earth

Ayelet Tsabari

Confident, original and humane, the stories in *The Best Place on Earth* are peopled with characters at the crossroads of nationalities, religions and communities: expatriates, travellers, immigrants and locals.

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Pub Date: 7/28/2015
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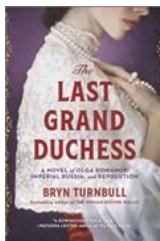


The Berlin Apartment

Bryn Turnbull

For fans of Kate Quinn and Kristin Hannah, this sweeping dual perspective love story follows a young couple whose lives are irrevocably changed when they're separated overnight by the construction of the Berlin Wall.

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352 pages • Trade
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Fiction / Historical / General

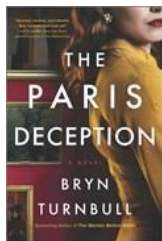


The Last Grand Duchess

Bryn Turnbull

This sweeping new novel from the internationally bestselling author of *The Woman Before Wallis* takes readers behind palace walls to see the end of Imperial Russia through the eyes of Olga Romanov, the first daughter of the last Tsar.

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400 pages • Trade
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Fiction / Historical / World War I

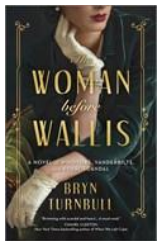


The Paris Deception

Bryn Turnbull

From internationally bestselling author Bryn Turnbull comes a breathtaking novel about art theft and forgery in Nazi-occupied Paris, and two brave women who risk their lives rescuing looted masterpieces of modern art from Nazi destruction, for fans of Marie Benedict and Kate Quinn.

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Pub Date: 5/30/2023
\$23.99 CAD
464 pages • Trade
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Fiction / Historical / General



The Woman Before Wallis

Bryn Turnbull

An irresistible historical debut, set in the glamorous world of British and American royalty in the 1920s, based on the true story of the woman who owned Prince Edward's heart before introducing him to her dear friend Wallis. Perfect for fans of Netflix's *The Crown* and Jennifer Robson's *The Gown*.

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Pub Date: 7/21/2020
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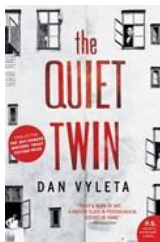


Echoes of Darkness

Darlene L. Turner

For fans of Lynette Eason and Jessica R. Patch, a dark thriller in which a constable must confront her secret past as the daughter of an infamous serial killer while investigating a series of copycat crimes seemingly connected to a growing cult.

9781335080509
Pub Date: 6/24/2025
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352 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Thrillers / Psychological



Quiet Twin

Dan Vyleta

Vienna under the Nazis. A string of murders throws the city into a state of anxiety. Anton Beer, a young doctor who has made a study of forensic psychology, is asked by the retired Professor Speckstein to investigate the slaughter of his dog, which may or may not be related to the murders. It is an unwelcome request: Speckstein's job is to spy on the building's residents for the Party, and Doctor Beer has his own reasons for keeping his private life hidden from public scrutiny. Beer's life becomes further complicated when in a neighbour's apartment he discovers a paralyzed young woman, deathly ill from a mysterious ailment, and smuggles her into his home to nurse her in secret.

9781554689057
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\$18.99 CAD
400 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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Smoke

Dan Vyleta

The Magicians meets Neil Gaiman's *Neverwhere* in this gripping adventure by a master storyteller.

9781443440684
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448 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
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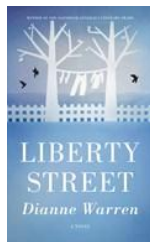
Soot

Dan Vyleta

The electrifying sequel to the national bestseller *Smoke* bringing readers back to a world *Entertainment Weekly* called "part Dickens, part dystopia and totally immersive."

The year is 1909. It has been ten years since Thomas Argyle, Charlie Cooper and Livia Naylor set off a revolution by releasing Smoke upon the world. They were raised to think Smoke was a sign of sin manifest, but later learned that its suppression was really a means of controlling society. Smoke allowed people to mingle their emotions and truly connect, and the trio hoped that freeing the

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Fiction
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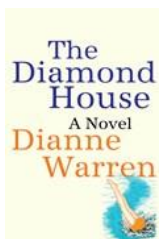
Liberty Street

Dianne Warren

From the Governor General's Award-winning author of *Cool Water*, "a story of compassion, redemption and of coming to terms with one's past told with intelligence, humour and wit" (*Winnipeg Free Press*).

When sharp-edged Frances Moon and her long-time partner encounter a funeral procession that brings traffic to a halt, she finds herself blurting out the barest thread of a story that she never intended to share. The reverberations drive her back to the past and her mother's old rental property, the lone house in a failed subdivision called Liberty Street.

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Pub Date: 10/4/2016
\$19.99 CAD
384 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



The Diamond House

Dianne Warren

From the winner of the Governor General's Literary Award, an engaging new novel about the unconventional Estella Diamond and her struggle with the expectations that bind her family

Estella Diamond is the youngest child and only daughter of a successful brick-factory owner, a self-described family man who is not averse to being called a kingpin. Estella's precocious nature leads her to discover something none of her brothers know: that their father was once married to an aspiring ceramics artist named Salina, who dreamed big and turned her back on society's conventions.

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Pub Date: 6/2/2020
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384 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W |



Fall of Poppies

Heather Webb, Hazel Gaynor, Beatriz Williams, Jennifer Robson, Jessica Brockmole, Kate Kerrigan, Evangeline Holland, Lauren Willig, Marci Jefferson

A Paperback Original

Top voices in historical fiction deliver an unforgettable collection of short stories set in the aftermath of World War I—featuring bestselling authors such as Hazel Gaynor, Jennifer Robson, Beatriz Williams, and Lauren Willig and edited by Heather Webb

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Worry

Jessica Westhead

A riveting novel about a mother's all-consuming worry for her child over forty-eight hours at a remote cottage with old friends and a mysterious neighbour

Ruth is the fiercely protective mother of four-year-old Fern. Together they visit a remote family cottage belonging to Stef, the woman who has been Ruth's best friend—and her husband's best friend—for years. Stef is everything Ruth is not—confident, loud, carefree—and Ruth cannot seem to escape her. While Fern runs wild with Stef's older twins and dockside drinks flow freely among the adults, they're

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240 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Psychological
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



The Fake

Zoe Whittall

A con artist can make you feel like the luckiest person on earth just to be in their presence. But when the jig is up, they ghost, and you're left wondering if you ever mattered

After the death of her wife, Shelby feels more alone than ever—until she meets Cammie, a charismatic woman unafraid of what anyone else thinks and whose own history of trauma draws Shelby close. When Cammie is fired from her job and admits she is in treatment for kidney cancer, Shelby devotes all her time to helping Cammie thrive. But Shelby's intuition tells her there are

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Fiction / LGBTQ+
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The Spectacular

Zoe Whittall

It's taboo to regret motherhood. But what would happen if you did? Shifting perspectives and time periods, *The Spectacular* is a multi-generational story exploring sexuality, gender and the weight of reproductive freedoms, from the author of *The Best Kind of People*

It's 1997 and Missy's band has finally hit the big time as they tour across America. At age twenty-two, Missy gets on stage every night and plays the song about her absent mother that made the band famous. The only girl in the band, she's determined to party just as hard as everyone

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368 pages • Paperback
Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W |



Wild Failure

Zoe Whittall

A dazzling debut collection of ten powerful, feminist, and queer short stories from bestselling author Zoe Whittall

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Midnight Train to Prague

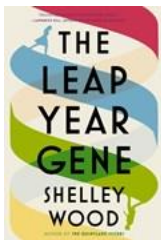
Carol Windley

An unforgettable tale of what we owe to those we love, and those we have left behind

In 1927, as Natalia Faber travels from Berlin to Prague with her mother, their train is delayed in Saxon Switzerland. In the brief time the train is idle, Natalia learns the truth about her father and meets a remarkable woman named Dr. Magdalena Schaefferová, whose family will become a significant part of her future.

Shaken by these events, Natalia arrives at a spa on the shore of Lake Heviz in Hungary. Here, she meets the journalist and writer Milla Court. And when, to their surprise,

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352 pages • Trade
Paperback
Fiction / Historical
22.9 cm H | 15.2 cm W | 2.4 cm T | 403 g Wt



The Leap Year Gene

Shelley Wood

From the author of *The Quintland Sisters*, a sweeping, imaginative historical epic that follows the remarkable lives of the McKinleys, a family forever altered by daughter Kit's secret.

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Fiction / Historical
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The Quintland Sisters

Shelley Wood

A Paperback Original

In Shelley Wood's fiction debut, readers are taken inside the devastating true story of the Dionne Quintuplets, told from the perspective of one young woman who meets them at the moment of their birth.

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Clara Callan

Richard B. Wright

Underneath the seemingly ordinary lives of Wright's characters are entire worlds of emotion that, once entered, become wildly unpredictable. *Clara Callan* has that capacity to surprise, to draw the reader below the smooth surface of convention into a world of passion, where secrets percolate and sudden, unexpected violence erupts.

Clara Callan is set in the middle of the Great Depression, chronicling the lives of two sisters. Clara is a spinsterish school teacher whose quiet life in a small Ontario town masks a passion for love and adventure. Nora, her flighty and very pretty sister, travels to New York where she lands

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Fiction / Literary
20.3 cm H | 13.5 cm W | 2.78 cm T | 372 g Wt

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October

Richard B. Wright

Published to rave reviews, with weeks on the bestseller lists and a place as a Globe and Mail Book of the Year, *October* is an extraordinary meditation on mortality and memory, from Governor General's Award-winning author Richard B. Wright.

Visiting his gravely ill daughter, James Hillyer encounters by chance Gabriel Fontaine, whom he met as a boy while on holiday in Gaspé. At the time, the boys had competed for the love of a French-Canadian girl from the village. Now, over six decades later and faced with the terrible possibility of outliving his own daughter, James is asked by Gabriel to accompany him on a final, unthinkable journey.

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Bookworm

Robin Yeatman

A Paperback Original

A wickedly funny debut novel—a black comedy with a generous heart that explores the power of imagination and reading—about a woman who tries to use fiction to find her way to happiness.

"Imagine if Patricia Highsmith had written *The Secret Life of Walter Mitty* and instead of heroic daydreams she gave her protagonist murderous ones—that would be *Bookworm*. Robin Yeatman's story is subversive, surprising, and satisfying in a way that only the best comic noir can be."—Claire Oshetsky, author of *Chouette*

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