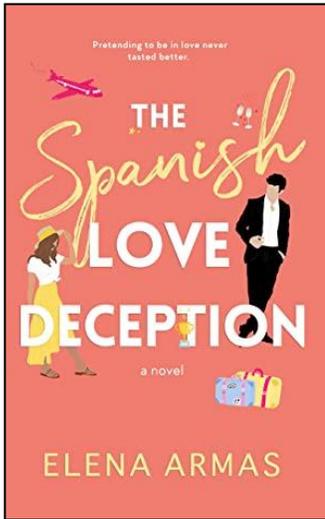
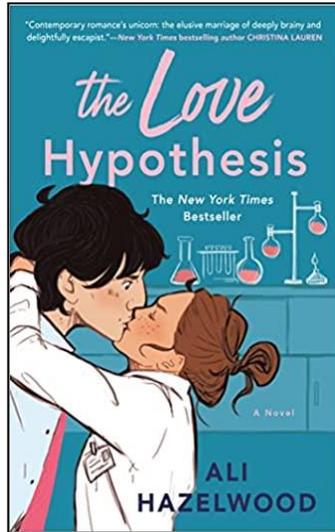


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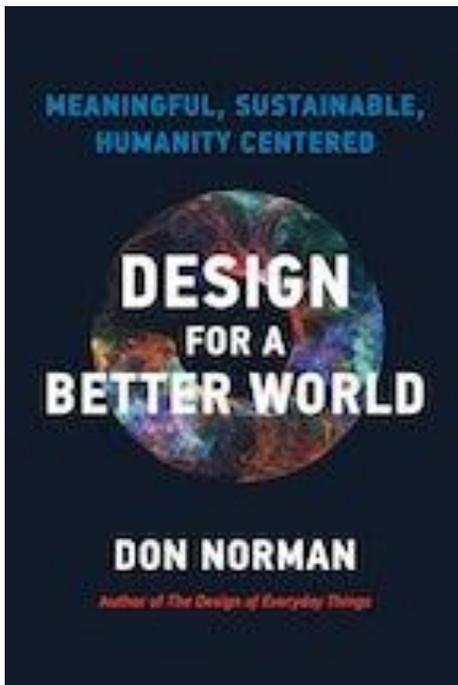
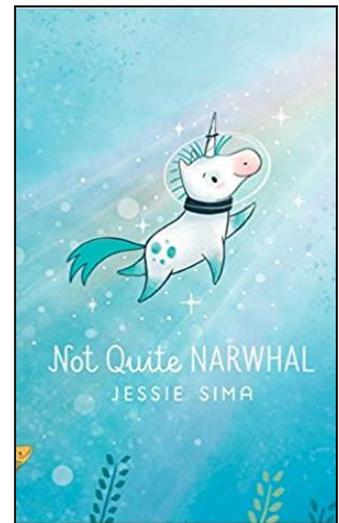
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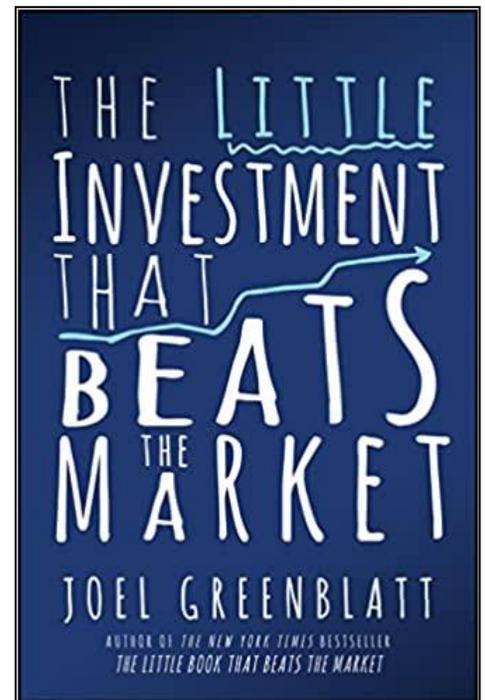


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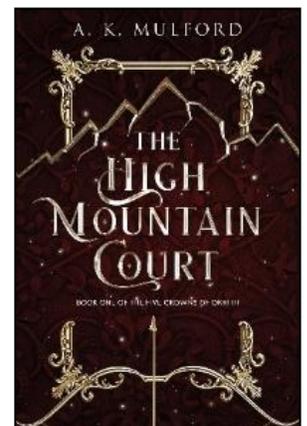
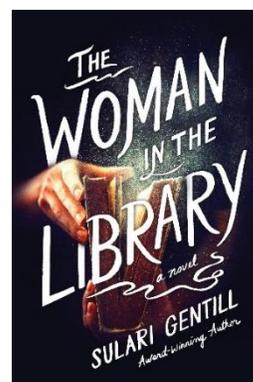
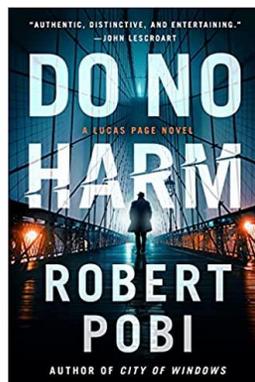
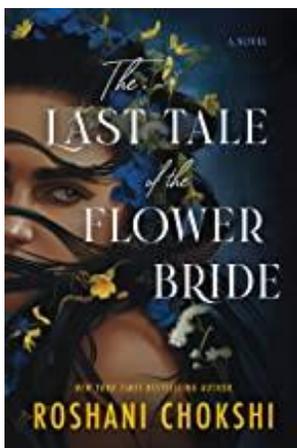


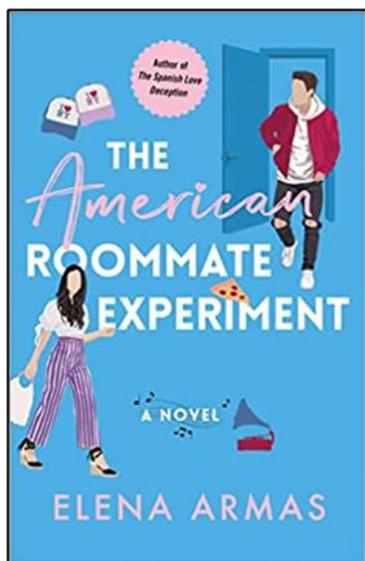
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AMERICAN ROOMMATE EXPERIMENT

Elena Armas (Atria, September 2022) Acq Ed: Kaitlin Olson

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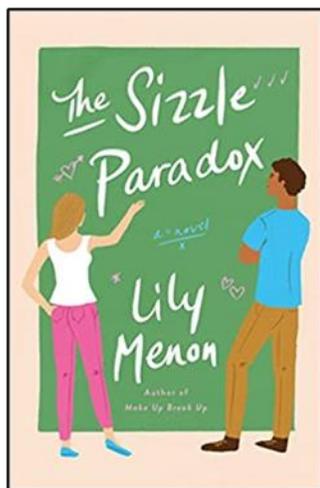
“Armas’s adorable follow-up to Booktok sensation *The Spanish Love Deception* will delight fans even as it stands on its own... Armas does a fantastic job showing her characters’ developing feelings and allowing the romantic tension to drive the plot. This is a treat.” —**Publishers Weekly**

“Elena Armas is the undisputed queen of slow burn, steamy, deliciously swoony romcoms—everything she writes is utterly delightful and has me squeeing in pure joy.

Reading *The American Roommate Experiment* was some of the best-spent hours of my life, and I cannot wait to see what Elena has in store for us next!”

—Ali Hazelwood, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Love Hypothesis*

Elena Armas is an international and *New York Times* bestselling author.



THE SIZZLE PARADOX

Lily Menon (St. Martin’s Griffin, June 2022) Acq. Ed.: Eileen Rothschild

Sold to: Spain: Urano

“Menon’s latest novel follows the unbeatable rom-com blueprint of laugh-out-loud moments...and sweltering sex scenes... A 5 out of 5 on the romance scale.”

—**Kirkus (starred review)**

Popsugar "76 Romance Novels For When You Need a Little Spice"

Lyric Bishop feels like a fraud – she’s studying sexual chemistry in romantic partners and what makes for a successful long-term relationship, only she can’t seem to figure it out in her own dating life. The science is sound, but how can she give her expert opinion with no

real-world experience? In order to complete her doctoral thesis, she must crack the Sizzle Paradox – it seems the more sexually attractive she finds a guy, the less likely it is to come with an emotional connection; but why? – and to do that she must get the help she desperately needs. When Kian Montgomery, her best friend, roommate, and fellow grad student, offers to tutor Lyric on dating tactics to find a good match, she’s certain it will solve her problems... right?



Lily Menon’s very first love story, written at age nine, was about a handsome young boy who wooed the heroine with books, chocolates, and a very fat puppy. Now Lily lives with her own handsome boy in the mountains of Colorado, where she spends her days dreaming up kissing scenes and meet-cutes. When she's bored, Lily also masquerades as *NY Times* bestselling YA author Sandhya Menon.

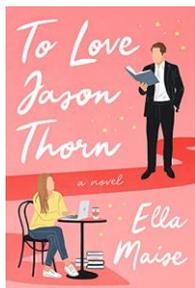


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TO LOVE JASON THORN

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Jason Thorn... My brother's childhood friend who crushed my little heart into pieces. Now he is a movie star, the one who makes women of all ages go into a screaming frenzy, the one who makes everyone swoon with that dimpled smile of his, and I'm THE writer of the book that inspired the movie he is about to star in on the big screen. As of late, I am also referred to as the oh-so-very-lucky girl who is about to become the wife of Jason Thorn. Maybe you're thinking yet again that this is all so dreamy? Nope, nothing dreamy going on here. Not even close.



TO HATE ADAM CONNOR

Sold to: Brazil: Ed. Charme **Czech:** Dobrovsky

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So you may ask, who is Adam Connor? He is the recently divorced, Academy Award-winning actor who just moved in next door with his kid. He also happens to be an exquisite male specimen and the most infuriating sly bastard I've ever come across. Even if he and his son were the best things since sliced bread, I couldn't fall for him. No matter what promises he whispered on my skin, my curse wouldn't let us be. I wasn't a damsel in distress—I could save myself, thank you very much—but deep inside, I still hoped Adam Connor would be the hero of my story.



MARRIAGE FOR ONE

Sold to: Brazil: Ed. Charme **Hungary:** Publish and More **Israel:** Bou(k)tique **Italy:** Always Pub. **Poland:** Znak

Jack and I, we did everything backward. The day he lured me into his office—which was also the first day we met—he proposed. To a complete stranger who had never even heard of him. A stranger who had been dumped by her fiancé only weeks before. You'd think I'd laugh in his face, and walk away as quickly as possible, but it took him only minutes to talk me into a business deal...erm, I mean marriage, and only days for us to officially tie the knot. Magical. Pop the champagne... Not. It was the worst day. I blamed him for my lapse in judgment. After all, I was Rose and he was Jack. We were doomed from the very beginning with those names. Did you expect anything else?



THE HARDEST FALL

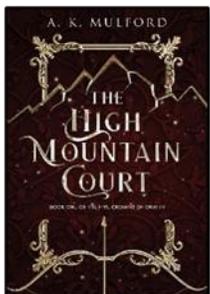
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The first time you meet someone, you make eye contact. You smile, say hello. The first time I met Dylan Reed, I found myself making eye contact with a different part of his body. At the time, I knew nothing about him and thought none of what I said would matter since I'd never speak to him again. Turns out, I was very wrong. He was the star wide receiver of the football team, one of the few players expected to make it into the NFL, and I ended up seeing him all over campus. He thinks we're going to be best friends. I think I have a big thing for him, and the more I get to know him, the more I don't care that I'm not allowed to be his friend, let alone fall for him. The thing is, that's exactly what I'm doing—what we're doing, I think. Falling. Hard.



Ella Maise is a Washington Post and International Bestselling Author.

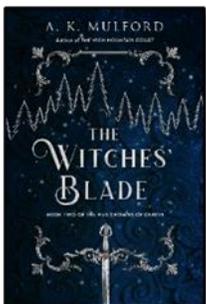
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THE HIGH MOUNTAIN COURT (BOOK 1) HarperCollins, May 2022

Thirteen years fleeing witch hunters and the looming threat of death. Nineteen-year-old Remy knows she is possibly the last red witch alive, and she is determined to stay that way. The Northern Court King has slaughtered her home court and placed a bounty on red witch heads.

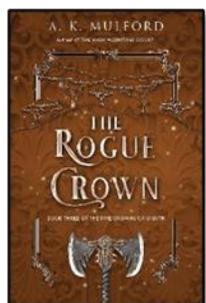
When four fae warriors enter her tavern refuge, Remy tries to flee, but her magic isn't strong enough to stop a fae prince on a mission. The handsome Prince Hale of the Eastern Kingdom wants to stop a war with the Northern Court before his kingdom befalls the same fate as Remy's. He needs a red witch and Remy may be the only person alive who can help him. Can she really trust Prince Hale? Can her fallen court be resurrected from the evil clutches of the Northern Court King? For the chance to save herself, her people, and help defeat the Northern King, Remy must put her faith in Hale and his companions on a dangerous quest to find lost relics.



THE WITCHES' BLADE (BOOK 2) HarperCollins, May 2022

Eighteen-year-old Ruadora Dammacus now possesses the Immortal Blade. But when Rua discovers the Northern King's uncle is alive and has cast a spell on a blue witch army, she realizes that the battle is just beginning.

Venturing into the Northern Court, Rua finds herself with an unlikely ally in the new King. Her problems are mounting, and the handsome King is only one of them. With the eyes of her newfound family on her, can Rua prove herself worthy of the Immortal Blade or will its magic be too powerful? Danger, intrigue, and thrilling passion ensues as Rua battles to break the witches' curse.



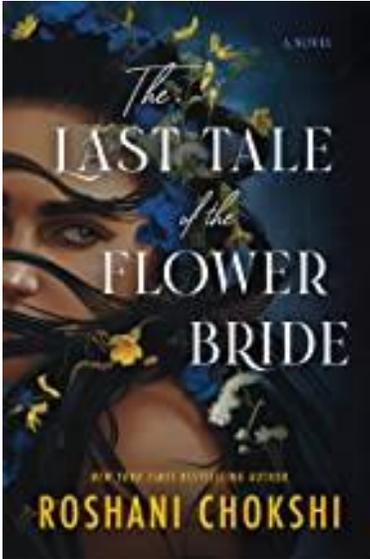
THE ROGUE CROWN (BOOK 3) HarperCollins, September 2022

Determined to uncover who killed the Western Queen, fae warrior Briata Catullus sets out on a mission to defeat the witch hunters and safeguard her princess. But when she arrives, things are even worse than she feared. The icy reception from the fae is the least of her problems—they've heard the prophecy that Bri will seize the crown from its sovereign, and the last thing they want is for her to usurp the throne. As the threat of the witch hunters grows, they find themselves thrown together, working closely to uncover the secret plot of their enemies. Along the way, the princess realizes that Bri is one of the few people she can trust. But Bri is determined to forge her own path

and prove the prophecy wrong, not letting the beautiful Lina distract her. She has a duty to the princess, a duty to the Western Court, and a duty to her own destiny. But what about the duty to her heart?



A.K. Mulford lives in New Zealand: the perfect place for a fantasy author! Mulford grew up craving seeing herself represented in the world of fantasy and is inspired to create diverse and LGBTQ+ fantasy stories that transport readers to new realms of imagination, helping them to fall in love with fantasy for the first time, or all over again. She lives in Wellington with her husband and two wonderful young kids. Mulford also co-hosts a podcast for aspiring indie authors called Indies Fully Booked.



THE LAST TALE OF THE FLOWER BRIDE

Roshani Chokshi (William Morrow, Feb 2023) *Acq. Editor: Jessica Williams*

Sold to: UK: Hodder **Italy:** Mondadori **Russia:** Eksmo **Spain:** Hidra

A sumptuous, gothic-infused story about a marriage that is unraveled by dark secrets, a friendship cursed to end in tragedy, and the danger of believing in fairy tales—the breathtaking adult debut from *New York Times* bestselling author Roshani Chokshi.

Once upon a time, a man who believed in fairy tales married a beautiful, mysterious woman named Indigo Maxwell-Casteñada. He was a scholar of myths. She was heiress to a fortune. They exchanged gifts and stories and believed they would live happily ever after—and in exchange for her love, Indigo extracted a promise: that her bridegroom would never pry into her past.

But when Indigo learns that her estranged aunt is dying and the couple is forced to return to her childhood home, the House of Dreams, the bridegroom will soon find himself unable to resist. For within the crumbling manor's extravagant rooms and musty halls, there lurks the shadow of another girl: Azure, Indigo's dearest childhood friend who suddenly disappeared. As the house slowly reveals his wife's secrets, the bridegroom will be forced to choose between reality and fantasy, even if doing so threatens to destroy their marriage . . . or their lives.

Combining a lush, haunting atmosphere with the dreamy enchantment of *The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue*, *The Last Tale of the Flower Bride* is a spellbinding and darkly romantic page-turner about love and lies, secrets and betrayal, and the stories we tell ourselves to survive.

Praise:

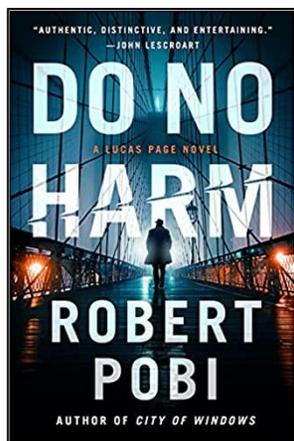
"..Not only a thrillingly inventive modern fairy tale, but also a book that invites us to rethink all fairy tales. This novel is addictive, decadent, and sultry—a dark fantasy, a subtle and sensitive story of female friendship, and a seductive examination of the mysteries of marriage itself. It will shock, disarm, and delight you, with surprise reverberating all the way to its very last lines." —**Sanjena Sathian, author of *Gold Diggers***



"Reading Chokshi's prose is like sinking deeply into the overstuffed arms of a plush, purple velvet sofa. Her lavish descriptions . . . wrap you in sumptuous sensory detail." —***New York Times***

Roshani Chokshi is the award-winning author of the *New York Times* bestselling series *The Star-Touched Queen*, *The Gilded Wolves* and *Aru Shah and The End of Time*, which *Time Magazine* named one of the Top 100 Fantasy Books of All Time. Her novels have been translated into more than two dozen languages and often draw upon world mythology and folklore. Chokshi is a member of the National Leadership Board for the Michael C. Carlos Museum and lives in Georgia with her husband and their cat whose

diabolical plans must regularly be thwarted.



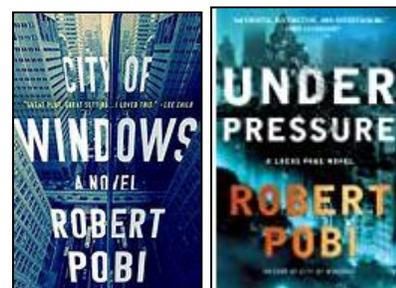
DO NO HARM (A Lucas Page Novel #3)

Robert Pobi (SMP, February 2022) Acq. ed: Keith Kahl

Sold to: Croatia: Stanek (#1) Czech: Euromedia (#1,2)
Denmark: Hoff & Poulsen(#1,2) France: Les Arenes (#1-3)
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Netherlands: Luiting Sijthoff(#1-2) Poland: Swiat Ksiaski (#1)

A series of suicides and accidental deaths in the medical community are actually well-disguised murders and only Lucas Page can see the pattern and discern the truth that no one else believes.

Translation; UK:SMP

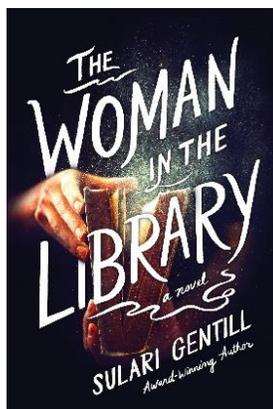


Praise: "A remarkable reading experience...the energy is relentless and the writing is luminous." —*Booklist* (starred review)

"Combines an unusual lead with nail-biting suspense...the artful plot twists keep readers guessing until the end." —*PW*

Robert Pobi is a Canadian author of several novels, including the international bestseller *Bloodman*.

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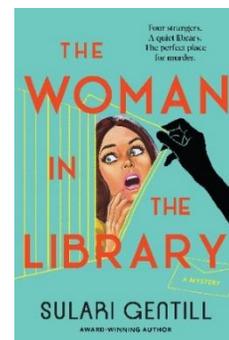
THE WOMAN IN THE LIBRARY

Sulari Gentill (Sourcebooks, May 2022) Acq. Ed. Anna Michaels

Sold to: Arab: Arab Cultural Center Greece: Dioptra
Italy: Piemme Japan: Hayakawa Russia: Ripol UK: ANZ/Ultimo

An unexpectedly twisty literary adventure that examines the complicated nature of friendship and shows us that words can be the most treacherous weapons of all.

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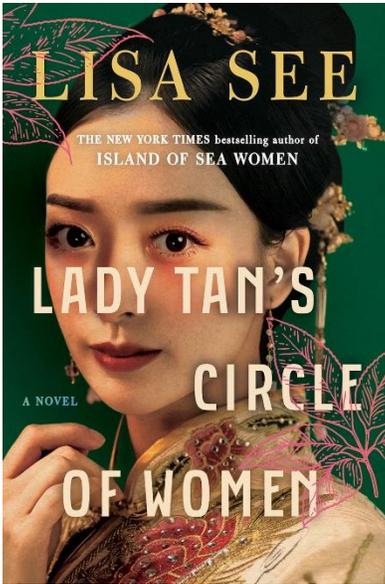


Praise:

"This thrilling excursion into metafiction from Australian author Gentill (*Crossing the Lines*) wittily examines the writing process itself...This elegantly constructed novel is intelligent, funny, and profound. Who could ask for more?" —*PW* (starred review)

"Ned Kelly Award winner Gentill (*Crossing the Lines*) presents a complex, riveting story within a story. The fictional story of an author writing about another writer with messy, complicated friendships and suspicion is an innovative literary mystery." —*Library Journal* (starred review)

Sulari Gentill is the award-winning, best-selling author of 15 novels, including *The Rowland Sinclair Mysteries*, *The Hero Trilogy*, and *Crossing the Lines* (published as *After She Wrote Him* in US), Sulari has won and been shortlisted for the Ned Kelly Award for Best Crime Fiction, the Davitt Award for Best Crime Fiction by a Woman, and the Australian Book Industry Award for Best Adult Book. She lives in Australia.



LADY TAN'S CIRCLE OF WOMEN

Lisa See (Scribner, June 2023) Acq. Editor: Kathy Belden

An enchanting new historical novel from *New York Times* bestselling author Lisa See, inspired by the true story of a woman physician and writer from 15th-century China. *Lady Tan's Circle of Woman* is a captivating story of women helping other women, and a triumphant reimagining of the life of a woman who was remarkable in the Ming dynasty and would be considered remarkable today.

PRAISE for ISLAND OF SEA WOMEN:

"Vivid ... thoughtful and empathetic ... necessary." —*New York Times Book Review*

"Painstakingly researched...deft...a powerful and essential story of humanity."—*The Los Angeles Review of Books*

PRAISE for TEA GIRLS OF HUMMINGBIRD LANE :

"See is one of those special writers capable of delivering both poetry and plot."—*New York Times Book Review*

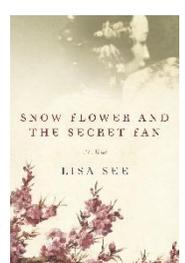
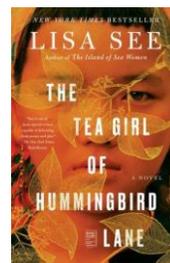
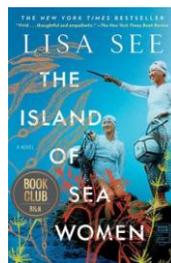
"A lush tale infused with clear-eyed compassion, this novel will inspire reflection, discussion and an overwhelming desire to drink rare Chinese tea." —*The Washington Post*

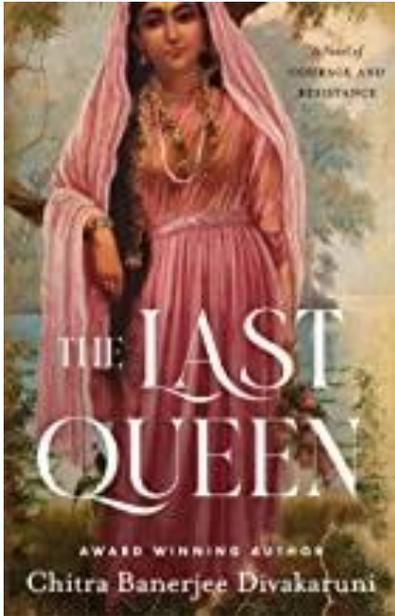
"Lisa See is a confident, lyrical, smart, impeccably researched writer." —*L.A. Review of Books*

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Czech: Jota **France:** Flammarion **Israel:** Modan **Italy:** Longanesi **Korea:** Bookrecepte **Lithuania:** Sofoklis
Poland: Swiat Ksiazki **Russia:** Arkadia **Slovak:** Vydavalelstvo Slovart **Spain:** Salamandra



Lisa See is the *New York Times* bestselling author of ten novels as well as the critically acclaimed memoir *On Gold Mountain*. Some of her most famous books include *Dreams of Joy*, *Shanghai Girls*, *Peony in Love*, and *Snow Flower and the Secret Fan*, which was adapted into a movie. The Organization of Chinese American Women named her the 2001 National Woman of the Year. She lives in Los Angeles.





THE LAST QUEEN: A NOVEL OF COURAGE AND RESISTANCE

Chitra Divakaruni (Harper, March 2022) Acq. Editor: Lucia Macro

Sold to: Croatia: Petrine

- Recipient of the 2022 International Association of Working Women Award for Best Fiction of the Year
- Winner of XX harper India Award

She rose from commoner to become the last reigning queen of India's Sikh Empire. In this dazzling novel, based on true-life events, bestselling author Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni presents the unforgettable story of Jindan, who transformed herself from daughter of the royal kennel keeper to powerful monarch.

Praise:

"For those of us who read to escape the banalities of daily life, Chitra Divakaruni's books are oxygen. She writes about India in a way that makes the rest of the world disappear around you."

—*Chicago Tribune*

"Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's latest novel, *The Last Queen*, demonstrates the power of unrepentant ambition, unabashed assertiveness and unapologetic resolve as a means for realizing one's birthright—whether presumed or ordained." —*Khabar Magazine*

"In this dazzling novel, based on true-life events, bestselling author Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni presents the unforgettable story of Jindan, who transformed herself from daughter of the royal kennel keeper to powerful monarch."

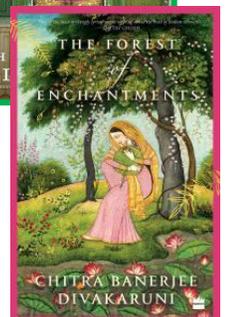
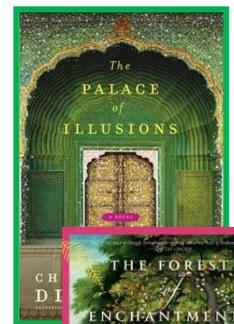
—*Hasty Book List*

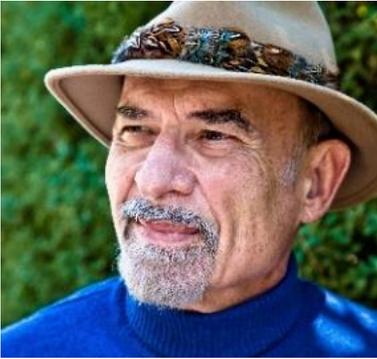
"*The Last Queen* provides a glimpse of a little-known historical figure in Rani Jindan. The author's meticulous details take readers into the 19th-century, where they have a front-row seat." —*Novels Alive*

Long listed for the Dublin Literary Awards as well as Tata and Atta Galatta, India literary prizes.



Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni is an award-winning and bestselling author, poet, activist and teacher of writing. Her work has been published in over 50 magazines, including the Atlantic Monthly and The New Yorker, and her writing has been included in over 50 anthologies, including The Best American Short Stories, the O.Henry Prize Stories and the Pushcart Prize Anthology. Her books have been translated into 29 languages.





HOUR OF THE HEART:

Empathy and Connection in the Here-and-Now

Irvin Yalom (Harper, September 2023) Acq. Editor: Gail Winston

Sold to: Australia: Scribe **China:** China Machine **Netherlands:** Balans

Poland: Czarna Owca **Germany:** Bertelsmann **Israel:** Kinneret-Zmora

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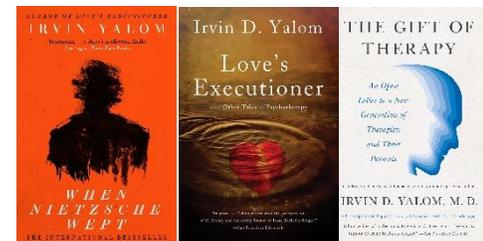
What does the “Father of Group Therapy” do at age 90, when he is still advising patients in the therapy sessions which have been his life’s work, and yet must face his increasing frailties, such as forgetfulness, and even his own mortality? **Rather than melt into retirement, Dr. Yalom instead develops another revolutionary approach to therapy, capturing profound moments with his patients, in the span of one-hour sessions with people he will never see again.**

These one-time sessions take place over two years, before and during COVID, in the midst of Dr. Yalom’s grief over losing his wife and the anxieties we have all suffered through the grip of COVID. As Dr. Yalom writes, these consultations would “help to sustain my client and would profoundly alter my vision of what psychotherapy can do.”

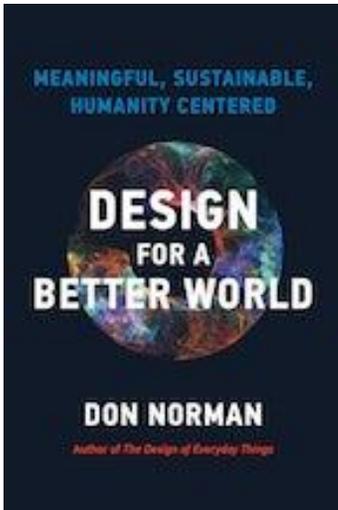
Hour of the Heart is a collection of deeply moving personal stories, which will speak to Dr. Yalom’s well-established, passionate readership and which contain a radical message for the therapy community: “I challenge therapists to shed their traditional remoteness and air of authority. I ask them to bring into the therapy session their personal histories, their immediate feelings, their open hearts.”

For established therapists and for those in training, for those who love reading stories of human connection, and for any fans of Yalom’s work, this is a book that will tap into the power of authentic human connection. While these one-hour sessions are, in many cases, just the start of these patients’ journeys, Dr. Yalom’s insights, and his willingness to open himself up to his patients in a way rarely seen in therapy, are truly illuminating.

Past sales to: Argentina: Emece **Brazil:** Planeta **China:** China Machine **Croatia:** Harfa
Czech: Portal **Hungary:** Park **Lithuania:** Alma **Portugal:** Saida de Emergencia **Russia:**
Exmo **Serbia:** Psihopolis **Slovak:** Premedia **Tawain:** PsyGarden



Dr. Irvin Yalom is one of the world’s foremost psychiatrists, as well as a best-selling author of both fiction and nonfiction. In addition to his pioneering therapy textbook, *Theory and Practice of Group Psychotherapy* (first published in 1970 and just re-released in a new edition), Dr. Yalom is well-known for his books such as the *NY Times* best-selling *Love’s Executioner*, *The Gift of Therapy*, *Momma and the Meaning of Life*, and his teaching novels, *When Nietzsche Wept*, *Lying on the Couch*, *The Schopenhauer Cure*, and many more. Most recently, Dr. Yalom published a deeply moving memoir with his late wife, Marilyn Yalom, *A Matter of Life and Death*.



DESIGN FOR A BETTER WORLD: MEANINGFUL, SUSTAINABLE, HUMANITY-CENTERED

Donald A. Norman (MIT Press, March 2023)

Sold to: Japan: Shinyosha

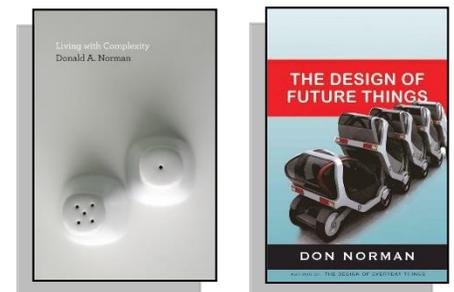
Human behavior brought our world to the brink, human behavior can save us.

The world is a mess. Our dire predicament, from collapsing social structures to the climate crisis, has been millennia in the making and can be traced back to the erroneous belief that the earth's resources are infinite. The key to change, says Don Norman, is human behavior, covered in the book's three major themes: meaning, sustainability, and humanity-centeredness. Emphasize quality of life, not monetary rewards; restructure how we live to better protect the environment; and focus on all of humanity. The book presents an eye-opening diagnosis of where we've gone wrong and a clear prescription for making things better.

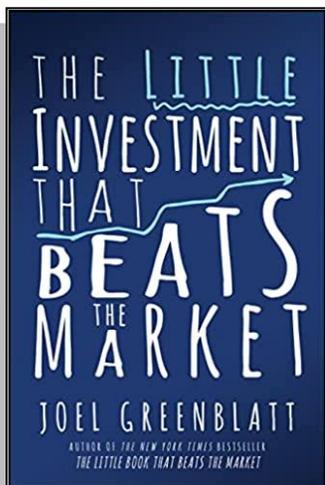
Norman proposes a new way of thinking, one that recognizes our place in a complex global system where even simple behaviors affect the entire world. He identifies the economic metrics that contribute to the harmful effects of commerce and manufacturing and proposes a recalibration of what we consider important in life. His experience as both a scientist and business executive gives him the perspective to show how to make these changes while maintaining a thriving economy. Let the change begin with this book before it's too late.

Praise for Don Norman:

"This book changed the field of design. As the pace of technological change accelerates, the principles in this book are increasingly important. The new examples and ideas about design and product development make it essential reading."—Patrick Whitney, Dean, Institute of Design, and Steelcase/Robert C. Pew Professor of Design, Illinois Institute of Technology



Don Norman is Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Cognitive Science and Psychology and founding director of the Design Lab at the University of California, San Diego. *Business Week* has named Norman one of the world's most influential designers. He was an Apple Vice President, has been an advisor and board member for numerous companies, and has three honorary degrees. His numerous books have been translated into over 20 languages, including *The Design of Everyday Things* and *Living with Complexity*, also from the MIT Press.



THE LITTLE INVESTMENT THAT BEATS THE MARKET Translation

Joel Greenblatt (Wiley, February 2023)

In 1952, in a seminal paper published in the *Journal of Finance*, Professor Harry Markowitz called diversification “the only free lunch in finance.” While, to this day, the concept of diversification has stood the test of time, the whole “*only* free lunch in finance” thing is about to go the way of the dodo (just like that expression).

You see, there’s a new *Little Investment* in town, and as hard as it is to believe, investors can now and forevermore get started on their second free meal.

If you’re still young, here’s a way to save for retirement in a tax-advantaged way while achieving higher compounded returns. But if you’re older, perhaps achieving higher portfolio returns while taking less risk is more appealing. This *Little Investment* can do that too! If you’re from the “if this is so great, how come it hasn’t been done before” school of investing, we feel your pain. But nothing can be done about that now. That’s actually what makes this investment opportunity *new*. Investors both young and old will now, for the first time anywhere, have a chance to learn about the fascinating, fun and previously untold story behind *The Little Investment that Beats the Market*.

PRAISE FOR THE LITTLE BOOK THAT BEATS THE MARKET:

“The best book on the subject in years.” —*The Financial Times*

“One of the best, clearest guides to value investing out there.” —*The Wall Street Journal*

“Mr. Greenblatt is great at explaining where and how to invest.... He explains in simple, straightforward language the fundamentals of valuing a business, often underscoring with a joke why you need to know all this.” —*New York Times*

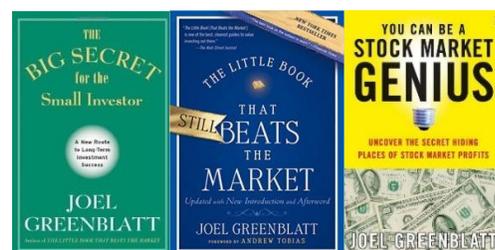
“Thought-provoking... an effective, actively managed long-term investment strategy that really works. [T]he methodology is at heart a very simple value-investing strategy.” —*The Independent*

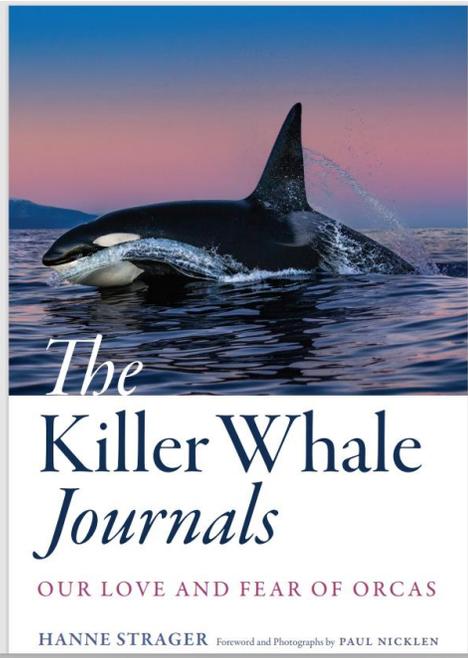
“This engaging investment primer contends that ordinary stock-market investors can indeed get better-than-market returns over the long haul.... Greenblatt offers lots of statistical proof of the formula’s success.... Investors seeking a little more hands-on excitement than the average mutual fund offers won’t go too far wrong following his advice.” —
Publisher's Weekly

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Joel Greenblatt is the founder of Gotham Capital, an investment partnership that achieved 40% annualized returns for the twenty years after its founding in 1985. He is a professor on the adjunct faculty of Columbia Business School, the Chief Strategist for Formula Investing, the former chairman of the board of a Fortune 500 company, and the author of *You Can Be a Stock Market Genius* and *The Little Book That Beats the Market*. Greenblatt holds a BS and an MBA from the Wharton School.





THE KILLER WHALE JOURNALS:

THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE LARGEST PREDATORS ON EARTH

Hanne Strager (Johns Hopkins University Press, April 2023)

Experience the hauntingly beautiful world of orcas and discover the stories that unfold when humans enter oceans alongside them.

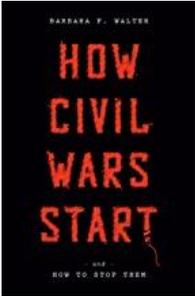
When intrepid biology student Hanne Strager volunteered to be the cook on a small research vessel in Norway's Lofoten Islands, the trip inspired a decades-long journey into the lives of killer whales—and an exploration of people's complex relationships with the biggest predators on earth. *The Killer Whale Journals* chronicles the now internationally renowned science writer's fascinating adventures around the world, documenting Strager's personal experiences with orcas in the wild.

Killer whales' incredible intelligence, long life spans, and strong family bonds lead many people to see them as kindred spirits in the sea. But not everyone feels this way—like wolves, orcas have been both beloved and vilified throughout human history. In this absorbing odyssey, Strager traces the complicated relationship between humans and killer whales, while delving into their behavior, biology, and ecology. She brings us along in her travels to the most remote corners of the world, battling the stormy Arctic seas of northern Norway with fellow biologists intent on decoding whale-song, interviewing First Nations conservationists in Vancouver, observing Inuit hunters in Greenland, and witnessing the dismantling of black market "whale jails" in the Russian wilderness of Kamchatka.

Through these captivating stories, Strager introduces us to a diverse cast of characters from Inuit elders to Australian Aboriginal whalers and guides us through the world's wild waters, from fjords above the Arctic circle in Norway to the poaching-infested waters off Kamchatka. Featuring astonishing photographs from famed nature photographer and conservationist Paul Nicklen, *The Killer Whale Journals* reveals rare and intimate moments of connection with these fierce, brilliant predators.



Hanne Strager is a Danish biologist and science writer. After graduating from the Aarhus University, Denmark, she studied at the University of California, Santa Cruz, as a Fulbright Scholar. Strager cofounded a whale center in northern Norway and remains involved in cetacean research and conservation. She has served as the director of exhibitions at the Natural History Museum of Denmark and has twenty years' experience making science and natural history accessible to the general public. She has been awarded the Copenhagen University Natural Sciences Faculty's prize for science communication. Hanne Strager is also a member of SeaLegacy's braintrust. Sealegacy is an international organization committed to the conservation of the sea and marine life and works to create awareness of climate change and the plight of our oceans. In addition to *A Modest Genius*, Strager is the author of *Precious Things*, a book revealing the many treasures within the Natural History Museum of Denmark.

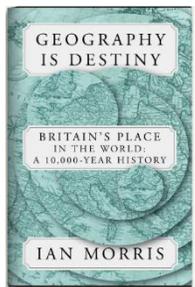


HOW CIVIL WARS START: And How to Stop Them

Barbara F. Walter (Crown, January 2022) *Acquiring Editor: Amanda Cook*

Sold to: UK: Penguin **Brazil:** Companhia das letras **Germany:** Hoff & Campe **Japan:** Toyo Keizei
Korea: Open Book

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • A leading political scientist examines the dramatic rise in violent extremism around the globe and sounds the alarm on the increasing likelihood of a second civil war in the United States. “As a political scientist who has spent her career studying conflicts in other countries, [Walter] approaches her work methodically, patiently gathering her evidence before laying out her case.” — *The New York Times*

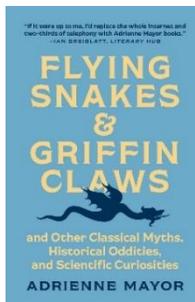


GEOGRAPHY IS DESTINY: Britain and the World, A 10,000-Year History

Ian Morris (FSG May 2022) *Acq. Ed: US: Eric Chinski UK: Andrew Franklin*

Sold to: **Germany:** Campus **Korea:** Korea Nat **Netherlands:** Spectrum **China:** Citic **UK:** Profile

Renowned historian Ian Morris tells the history of the Britain and its changing relationship with Europe and the Atlantic world, from its transformation into an island from a peninsula at the end of the last Ice age right up to the present day.



Adrienne Mayor (Princeton, June 2022) *Acquiring Editor: Rob Tempio*

FLYING SNAKES & GRIFFIN CLAWS: and Other Classical Myths, Historical Oddities, and Scientific Curiosities

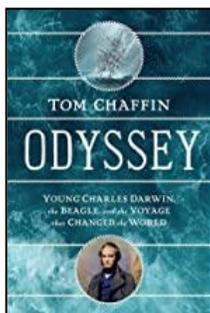
Flying Snakes..explores such subjects as how mirages inspired legends of cities in the sky; the true identity of winged serpents in ancient Egypt; how ghost ships led to the discovery of the Gulf Stream; and much more.



GREEK FIRE, POISON ARROWS, AND SCORPION BOMBS: Unconventional Warfare in the

Ancient World Revised, with a new preface by author. A gripping and groundbreaking history of how ancient cultures developed and used biological, chemical, and other unconventional weapons of war.

Sold to: **Spain:** Desperata Ferro **UK:** Princeton



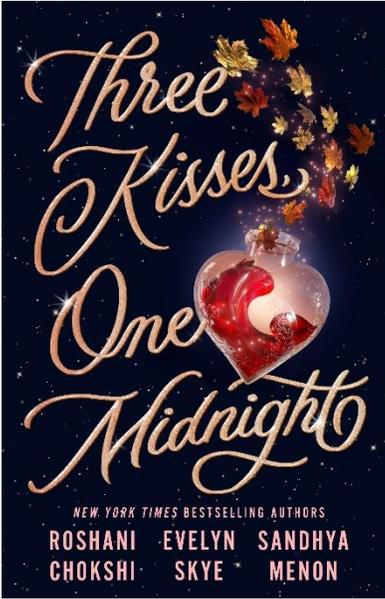
ODYSSEY: Young Charles Darwin, the Beagle, and the Voyage that Changed the World

Tom Chaffin (Pegasus Feb 2022) *Acquiring Editor: Jessica Case*

Sold to: **Poland:** Otwarte

"Reading like a spectacular novel and drawing on Darwin's journals and unpublished sources, *Odyssey* gives readers the details of Darwin's formative experiences. The book is a brilliant contribution to the understanding of the cultural, intellectual, and even quotidian forces that shaped one of the world's most influential scientists. Novelistic nonfiction at its best." — *Forbes*

TRIPLE YOUNG-ADULT STAR POWER !!



THREE KISSES ONE MIDNIGHT (Macmillan August 2022)

Roshani Chokshi Evelyn Skye Sandhya Menon

Sold to: UK: Hodder

Three *New York Times* bestselling authors craft a delicious concoction of storytelling about best friends who discover that love is the most powerful magic of all.

This Halloween, magic will reawaken in the town of Moon Ridge, and any love forged that night will last forever. At least, that's what the founder's fable says, and best friends Onny, Ash, and True—better known as “The Coven”—aren't taking any chances.

After brewing a supposed love potion from a recipe passed down by Onny's grandmother, each member of The Coven sets off to try to charm the love of their life. One falls for an unexpected suitor. Another paints himself into a corner. And the third refuses to believe in magic at all... until true love proves her wrong.

To *All the Boys I've Loved Before* meets *Gilmore Girls*: *Three Kisses, One Midnight* will put you under its spell and keep you reading long past the witching hour!



Roshani Chokshi is the author of commercial and critically acclaimed books for middle grade and young adult readers that draw on world mythology and folklore. Her work has been nominated for the Locus and Nebula awards and has frequently appeared on Best of The Year lists from Barnes and Noble, Forbes, BuzzFeed and more. Her *New York Times* bestselling series include The Star-Touched Queen duology, *The Gilded Wolves*, and *Aru Shah and The End of Time*.

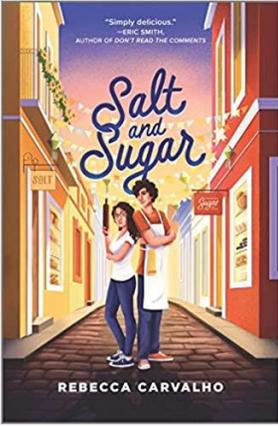


Sandhya Menon is the *New York Times* bestselling author of several novels with lots of kissing, girl power, and swoony boys. Her books have been featured in many cool places, including on *The Today Show*, *Cosmopolitan*, *Teen Vogue*, *NPR*, *Seventeen*, *Entertainment Weekly*, and *Buzzfeed*. Two of her books have won the Colorado Book Award, and her Dimpleverse series was turned into a hit TV show with Netflix India. A full-time dog servant, Sandhya makes her home in the foggy mountains of Colorado. With a glass of wine at her elbow, she also pens adult romances under the name Lily Menon.



Evelyn Skye is the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Crown's Game* and other books. She is an alumna of Stanford University and Harvard Law School, and her novels have been spotlighted by Barnes & Noble, Amazon, Goodreads, Apple Books, and IndieNext, among others. Evelyn was once offered a job by the C.I.A. (she turned it down), and if you challenge her to a pizza-eating contest, she guarantees she'll win. She lives in the San Francisco Bay Area with her husband and daughter.

YOUNG ADULT ROM-COM DEBUT



SALT AND SUGAR (Inkyard November 2022) Translation
Rebecca Carvalho

Sold to: **Brazil:** Record **Russia** Eksmo

The grandchildren of two rival Brazilian bakeries fall in love despite their families' feud in this delicious debut rom-com perfect for fans of Nicola Yoon and Gloria Chao.

In Olinda, Brazil, Lari Ramires' family bakery, Salt, has been at war with the Molinas' bakery across the street, Sugar, for generations. But when a big supermarket chain moves in, forcing many of the small businesses to close, to protect her home, Lari does the unthinkable—she works together with Pedro Molina to save both of their bakeries.

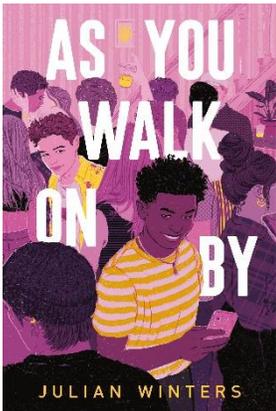
Lari realizes she might not know Pedro as well as she thought....

Praise:

"Full of heart, humor, and will, *Salt and Sugar* is about two determined, feisty, hilarious star-crossed teens working together to create something new, but baked with elements of tradition. I could not put this book down!" —Jennifer De Leon, author of *Don't Ask Me Where I'm From*

Rebecca Carvalho is a Recife writer based in Berkeley, California. When she is not writing, you can find her with her camera, gaming with her husband, or watching Star Trek for the hundredth time. Rebecca has a bachelor's degree in English from Lawrence University. *Salt and Sugar* was inspired by her life in Brazil.

YOUNG ADULT CONTEMPORARY



AS YOU WALK ON BY (PRH, January 2023) Translation
Julian Winters

***The Breakfast Club* meets *Can't Hardly Wait* with an unforgettable ensemble cast in another swoony YA contemporary from award-winning author Julian Winters!**

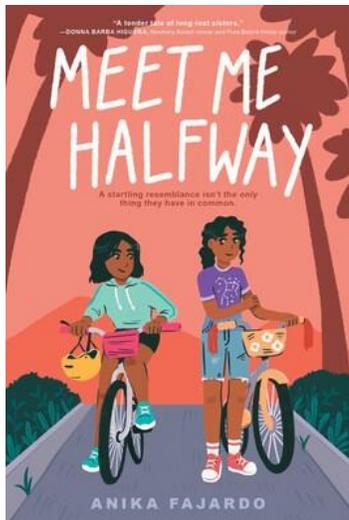
Seventeen-year-old Theo Wright wants is a perfect prom night. After his best friend Jay dares Theo to propose to his crush at Chloe Campbell's party, Theo's ready to throw caution to the wind and take his chances.

But when the promposal goes epically wrong, Theo seeks refuge in an empty bedroom while the party rages on downstairs. Having an existential crisis about who he really is with and without his so-called best friend wasn't on tonight's agenda. Though, as the night goes on, Theo finds he's not as alone as he thinks when, one by one, new classmates join him to avoid who they're supposed be outside the bedroom door. Among them, a familiar acquaintance, a quiet outsider, an old friend, and a new flame



Julian Winters is a bestselling and award-winning author of contemporary young adult fiction. His novels *Running with Lions*, *How to Be Remy Cameron*, and *The Summer of Everything* (Duet, 2018, 2019, 2020, respectively) received accolades for their positive depictions of diverse, relatable characters. A former management trainer, Julian currently lives outside of Atlanta, where he can be found reading, being a self-proclaimed comic book geek.

MIDDLE GRADE



MEET ME HALFWAY

Anika Fajardo (Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, Sept 2022)

Translation

Sold to: Germany: Magellan

When new classmates Mattie and Mercedes meet and realize they have the same Colombian dad, the two team up in a *Parent Trap*-inspired misadventure to meet him for the first time in this sharp and poignant middle grade novel about the bonds that make a family.

Mattie Gomez feels directionless after being uprooted from her beloved Minnesota and forced to move in with her new stepfamily in California. So when she meets a girl at her new middle school who looks exactly like her, she's not sure what to make of it. But her doppelganger, the popular Mercedes Miller, doesn't like it one bit.

Though they may look alike, the two of them couldn't be more different.

Soon enough, however, Mattie and Mercedes learn that they have at least one thing in common: a dad from Colombia that neither of them has ever met. Determined to meet the father they've never known, these polar opposites suddenly have to work together to fake sleepovers, evade their friends, and plot daring escapes from school field trips in an effort to track down him down. If only they could stop bickering long enough to get the show on the road.

Praise:

"Starting at a new school is always scary, but Mattie Gomez never expected to meet her own doppelganger face-to-face on the very first day. What follows is a mystery, a road trip, a tale of sisters/not sisters and friends/not friends—and a quest to uncover long buried family secrets. A delightful and compelling read from the first page to the last." – **Pete Hautman, National Book Award winning author**

"Fajardo weaves a clever and tender tale of long-lost sisters, separated by a father whose compass has guided him to live his life far away. Stars once bent on a path of collision, Mattie and Mercedes decide *they* will be the ones to write their own story and form a beautiful celestial cluster." – **Donna Barba Higuera, Pura Belpré Honor author**



Anika Fajardo was born in Colombia and raised in Minnesota. Her writing has been published in anthologies. She has earned awards from the Jerome Foundation, the Minnesota State Arts Board, and the Loft Literary Center. The manuscript for *Magical Realism for Non-Believers* was a finalist for the Bakeless Literary Prize in Creative Nonfiction.

Also by Anika Fajardo: WHAT IF A FISH (S&S 2020)

A whimsical and unflinchingly honest generational story of family and identity where hats turn into leeches, ghosts blow kisses from lemon trees, and the things you find at the end of your fishing line might not be a fish at all.

Minnesota Book Award Rhode Island Latino Book Award Nominee



SNEAK PEEKS Publishing in 2023

THE HUNDRED LOVES OF JULIET - Speculative fiction



Evelyn Skye (Del Rey, August 2023) *Acquiring Editor: Anne Groell* Translation/UK: Del Rey

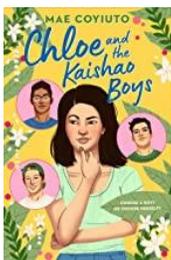
Sold to: Italy: Mondadori Spain: Urano

From Evelyn Skye, the New York Times bestselling YA author of *The Crown's Game*, comes *The Hundred Loves of Juliet*, her adult debut, in which a woman fleeing a failed marriage arrives in rural Alaska and discovers she is the other half of an epic love story spanning lives, years, and continents but also one of the greatest tragedies of all time: Romeo and Juliet.



GOD, THE BEST-SELLER: HOW ONE EDITOR TRANSFORMED AMERICAN RELIGION ONE BOOK AT A TIME - Biography

Stephen Prothero (HarperOne March 2023) *Acquiring Editor: Gideon Weil*



CHLOE AND THE KAISHAO BOYS - Young Adult

Mae Coyiuto (Penguin, March 2023) All rights

When *Dimple Met Rishi* meets *Loveboat, Taipei* in this hilarious YA rom-com about a Chinese-Filipina girl in Manila whose father sets her up on a marathon of arranged dates in hopes of convincing her to stay close to home for college.

SNEAK PEEKS Publishing in 2024



THE BACKYARD BIRD CHRONICLES - Non Fiction

Amy Tan

(Knopf. Tent Spring 2024)

Beloved, internationally bestselling author Amy Tan's *THE BACKYARD BIRD CHRONICLES* is based on Tan's personal nature journal, in which she records—with a novelist's eye—the birds and other creatures in her own backyard. It includes personal reflections and numerous, original color illustrations by the author.



FOUR SEASONS – Non Fiction

Bernd Heinrich

(Norton, Tent Spring 2024)

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