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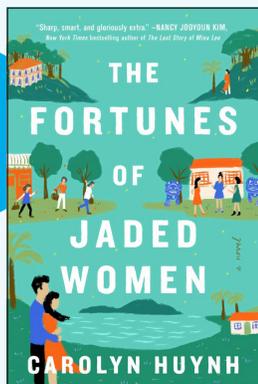


*The Fortunes of Jaded Women*  
A Novel

By Carolyn Huynh

Everyone in the Californian community of Little Saigon knows that the three Duong sisters and their children are cursed, never to find true love or happiness, and had been ever since their ancestor angered their in-law enough for them to seek a witch to curse their entire line. Desperate, eldest sister Mai visits a psychic, who tells her that this year, the following will occur: a wedding, a funeral, and the breaking of the curse. Now all Mai must do is get her estranged, headstrong sisters, nieces, and daughters to come together to make it happen. Hilarious, yet heartwarming, readers who love the works of Kevin Kwan, with a dash of Jamie Ford and Amy Tan, will adore the saga of the Duong family.

For fans of *The Immortalists* and *The Last Story of Mina Lee*



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Atria Books, September 2022  
Asian American/Family Life



Michelle's Pick



*The Last Chairlift*  
A Novel

By John Irving

A new book by John Irving should be on everyone's TBR list! *The Last Chairlift*, Irving's first novel in seven years, features a cast of quirky, complex characters. Adam, the son of a slalom skier, takes the reader through his family saga rife with mystery, secrets, and ghosts! *The Last Chairlift* is a tribute to alternative families as well as a celebration of love and acceptance.

For fans of *Author of Mysteries* and *In One Person*



Hardcover: 9781501189272  
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Simon & Schuster, October 2022  
Literary/General



Amy's Pick



*Kiss Her Once for Me*  
A Novel

By Alison Cochran

*Kiss Her Once for Me* by Alison Cochran isn't your typical fake dating romance. It's a fake engagement to the brother of the hot one-night-stand from last Christmas in exchange for a lot of money to turn the main character's life around bisexual romance—so, you know, way better. The complicated relationships between Ellie, Jack, Andrew, and the fake-family Ellie so desperately wants will tug at your heartstrings, and you'll long for Ellie's online comics as soon as you're done. If you're looking for a little holiday family drama in your spicy queer romance, look no further.

For fans of *Written in the Stars* and *One Day in December*



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Atria Books, November 2022  
Romance/LGBTQ



Caleigh's Pick



*The American Roommate Experiment*  
A Novel

By Elena Armas

*The American Roommate Experiment* is super sweet, super spicy, and totally heartwarming. This perfect follow-up to *The Spanish Love Deception*, either be read as a sequel or on its own. Rosie and Lucas are so endearing, and their chemistry so off the charts, that not reading *The Spanish Love Deception* shouldn't be a deterrent at all! Lucas, a tall, thoughtful, Spanish surfer who can cook, is my favorite rom-com hero right now, and anyone who has ever watched someone from afar and wished they were closer, or dreamt of their first meeting with that special someone, will adore this latest rom-com from the incomparable Elena Armas.

For fans of *The Love Hypothesis* and *The Spanish Love Deception*



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Romantic Comedy/Contemporary



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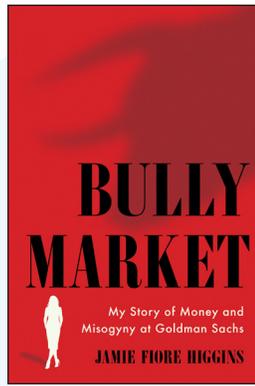
## Bully Market

*My Story of Money and Misogyny at Goldman Sachs*

By Jamie Fiore Higgins

Jamie Fiore Higgins became one of the few women at the highest ranks of Goldman Sachs. She rose through the ranks and saw it all: out-of-control, lavish parties; affairs flouted in the office; rampant drug use; and most pervasively, a discriminatory culture that seemed designed to hold back the few women and people of color employed at the company. *Bully Market* sounds the alarm on the culture of finance and corporate America, while offering clear, actionable ideas for creating a fairer workplace.

For fans of *Good and Mad* and *Uncanny Valley*



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Business & Economics/Memoir



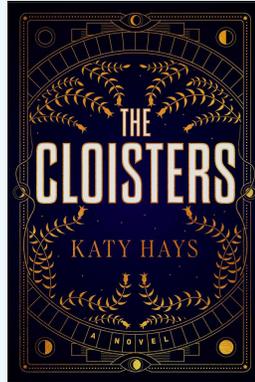
## The Cloisters

*A Novel*

By Katy Hays

When Ann Stilwell arrives in New York City, she expects to spend her summer working as a curatorial associate at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Instead, she finds herself assigned to The Cloisters, a gothic museum and garden renowned for its medieval art collection and its group of enigmatic researchers studying the history of divination. Ann is happy to indulge the researchers' more outlandish theories about the history of fortune telling. But what begins as academic curiosity turns deadly, and Ann becomes locked in a race for answers as the line between the arcane and the modern blurs.

For fans of *The Secret History* and *Ninth House*



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Thrillers/Occult



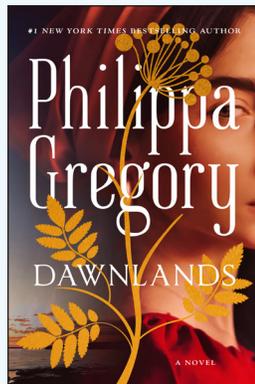
## Dawnlands

*Book #3 of The Fairmile Series*

By Philippa Gregory

It is 1685, England is on the brink of a renewed civil war against the Stuart kings and many families are bitterly divided. From the last battle in the desolate Somerset Levels to the hidden caves on the slave island of Barbados, this third volume of an epic story follows a family from one end of the empire to another, to find a new dawn in a world which is opening up before them with greater rewards and dangers than ever before.

For fans of *Dark Tides* and *Go Tell the Bees That I Am Gone*



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Historical/Fiction



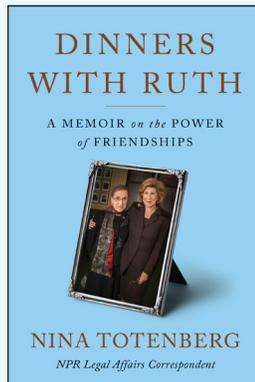
## Dinners with Ruth

*A Memoir on the Power of Friendships*

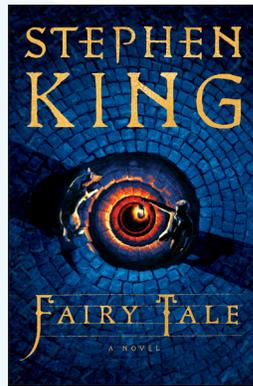
By Nina Totenberg

Celebrated NPR correspondent Nina Totenberg delivers an extraordinary memoir of her personal successes, struggles, and life-affirming relationships, including her beautiful friendship of nearly fifty years with Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg. *Dinners with Ruth* is an extraordinary account of two women who paved the way for future generations by tearing down professional and legal barriers. Inspiring and revelatory, *Dinners with Ruth* is a moving story of the joy and true meaning of friendship.

For fans of *My Own Words* and *Susan, Linda, Nina, and Cokie*



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Family & Relationships/Memoir



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Supernatural/Dark Fantasy



## Fairy Tale

*A Novel*

By Stephen King

High schooler Charlie leads a charmed school life and a miserable home life. Things begin to look up when he meets a dog named Radar and her aging master, Howard Bowditch, a recluse in a big house at the top of a big hill, with a locked shed in the backyard. Charlie starts doing jobs for Mr. Bowditch and loses his heart to Radar. Then, when Bowditch dies, he leaves Charlie a cassette tape telling a story no one would believe. What Bowditch knows, and has kept secret all his long life, is that inside the shed is a portal to another world.

For fans of *Billy Summers* and *If It Bleeds*

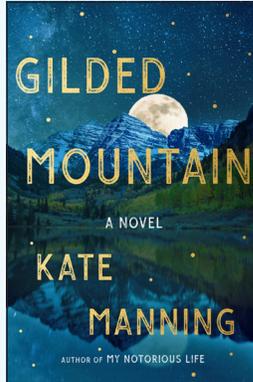
## Gilded Mountain

*A Novel*

By Kate Manning

*Gilded Mountain* follows young Sylvie Pelletier as she moves West with her family to a mining town. Eventually she ends up working in the manor house of the Padgetts, owners of the marble company that dominates the town. Sharp-eyed Sylvie is awed by the luxury around her, but soon her fairy-tale ideas of glamour and romance take a dark turn as she realizes the Padgetts' lofty philosophical talk is at odds with the unfair labor practices that enrich them. Outside the manor, the town of Moonstone roils with discontent. Amidst conflicting loves and loyalties, Sylvie must choose between silence and revenge.

For fans of *Yellow Wife* and *The Cold Millions*



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Historical/Literary



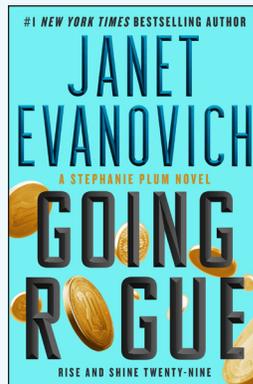
## Going Rogue

*Book #29 of Stephanie Plum*

By Janet Evanovich

#1 *New York Times* bestselling author Janet Evanovich returns with the latest book in her massively popular Stephanie Plum series.

For fans of *Game On* and *Fortune and Glory*



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Mystery & Detective/Humor



## It Starts with Us

*Book #2 of It Ends with Us*

By Colleen Hoover

Before *It Ends with Us*, it started with Atlas. Colleen Hoover tells fan favorite Atlas's side of the story and shares what comes next in this long-anticipated sequel to the "glorious and touching" (*USA TODAY*) #1 *New York Times* bestseller *It Ends with Us*.

For fans of *It Ends with Us* and *The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo*



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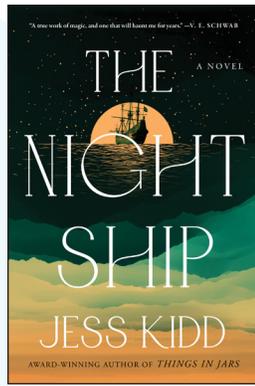
## The Night Ship

A Novel

By Jess Kidd

1629: A newly orphaned young girl named Mayken is bound for the Dutch East Indies on the *Batavia*. Curious and mischievous, Mayken spends the long journey going on misadventures, searching for a mythical monster. But the true monsters might be closer than she thinks. 1989: A lonely boy named Gil is sent to live off the coast of Western Australia among the seasonal fishing community where his late mother once resided. There, on the tiny reef-shrouded island, he discovers the story of an infamous shipwreck...

For fans of *Things in Jars* and *The Mercies*



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Historical/Literary



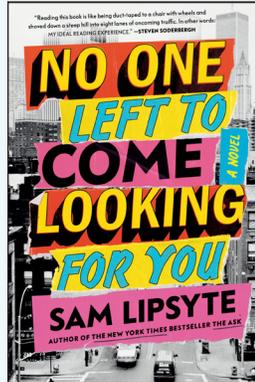
## No One Left to Come Looking for You

A Novel

By Sam Lipsyte

Manhattan's East Village, 1993. Crime is high but rent is low, luring hopeful, creative kids from sleepy suburbs around the country. One of these is Jack S., a young New Jersey rock musician. Just a few days before his band's biggest gig, their lead singer goes missing with Jack's prized bass. Jack's search for his buddy leads him to encounter a cast of colorful characters while also inadvertently uncovering a sinister entanglement of crimes tied to local real estate barons looking to remake New York City.

For fans of *Our Country Friends* and *The Feral Detective*



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Satire/Humorous



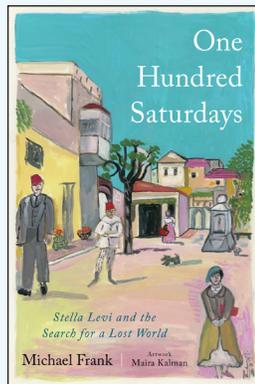
## One Hundred Saturdays

Stella Levi and the Search for a Lost World

By Michael Frank; Illustrated by Maira Kalman

The remarkable story of ninety-nine-year-old Stella Levi whose conversations with the writer Michael Frank over the course of six years bring to life the vibrant world of Jewish Rhodes, the deportation to Auschwitz that extinguished ninety percent of her community, and the resilience and wisdom of the woman who lived to tell the tale. Probing and courageous, Stella is a magical modern-day Scheherazade.

For fans of *Irena's Children* and *The Gift*



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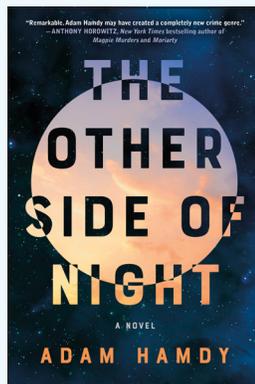
## The Other Side of Night

A Novel

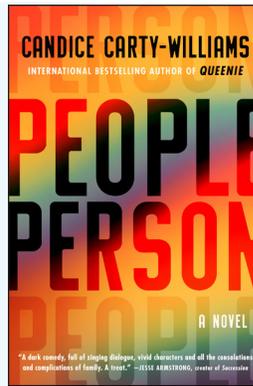
By Adam Hamdy

Disgraced police officer Harriet Kealty finds herself swept up in investigating the sudden suicide of David Asha, whose own wife died suddenly and was subsequently separated from his son, Elliot. Harriet quickly suspects one person of foul play: Ben Elmys, a friend of the Asha's, Elliot's surrogate father...and the once love of her life. *The Other Side of Night* is thought-provoking, with intriguing narratives and plot swerves that will leave you reeling. By the end, you'll be shaken as each piece slots satisfyingly into place.

For fans of *A History of Wild Places* and *Magpie Murders*



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Thriller/Psychological



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Literary/Women

## People Person

A Novel

By Candice Carty-Williams

If you could choose your family...you wouldn't choose the Penningtons. Dimple Pennington knows of her half siblings, but she doesn't really know them. And with her post-thirty life starting out lackluster, she doesn't have time to even think about them...until a dramatic event brings her half siblings Nikisha, Danny, Lizzie, and Prynce crashing back into her life. And when they're all forced to reconnect with Cyril Pennington, the absent father they never really knew, things get even more complicated.

For fans of *Queenie* and *Luster*

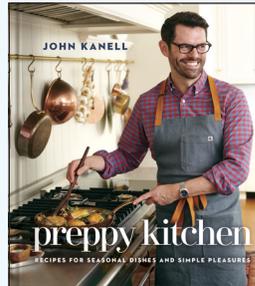
## Preppy Kitchen

Recipes for Seasonal Dishes and Simple Pleasures (A Cookbook)

By John Kanell

*Preppy Kitchen* creator John Kanell delivers his fan-favorite recipes and baked goods so everyone can create them at home. Organized by season so you can shop at peak freshness and embrace new traditions, the dishes featured in *Preppy Kitchen* are inspired by well-loved staples updated with a touch of Kanell's signature sophistication.

For fans of *Binging with Babish* and *Modern Comfort Food*



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Cooking/Quick and Easy

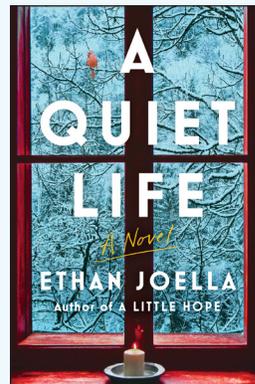
## A Quiet Life

A Novel

By Ethan Joella

Chuck Ayers can't decide if he should make the trip to Hilton Head this winter without his wife, Cat, who died in the spring. Ella Burke delivers newspapers and works at a bridal shop to pass the time while she waits for news about her missing daughter. Kirsten Bonato works at an animal rescue shelter and thinks daily about her father who was killed in a convenience store robbery. The lives of these three individuals intersect in unforeseen ways, as each character bravely presses onward, trying to recover something they have lost.

For fans of *A Little Hope* and *Olive, Again*



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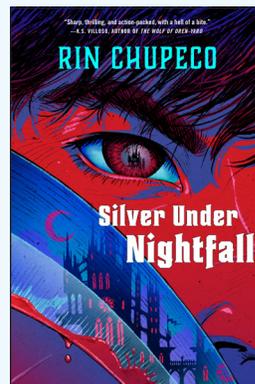


## Silver Under Nightfall

By Rin Chupeco

Remy Pendergast is the only son of a Duke, an elite bounty hunter of rogue vampires, and an outcast among his fellow Reapers. When investigating a terrifying new breed of vampire, Remy encounters vampire heiress Xiaodan Song and her fiancé, vampire lord Zidan Malekh, who may hold the key to defeating the creatures. Reluctantly, he goes with them to find the truth. As the three face dangerous hardships, Remy develops fond and complicated feelings for the couple, and must decide where his loyalties lie: with his father and the kingdom he's been trained all his life to defend or the vampires who might just be the death of him.

For fans of *The Priory of the Orange Tree* and *Gideon the Ninth*



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Fantasy



## Tread of Angels

A Novel

By Rebecca Roanhorse

The year is 1883 and the mining town of Goetia is booming as prospectors from near and far come to mine the powerful new element Divinity from the high mountains of Colorado with the help of the pariahs of society known as the Fallen. The Fallen are the descendants of demonkind living amongst the Virtues, the winners in an ancient war, with the descendants of both sides choosing to live alongside Abaddon's mountain in this tale of the mythological West from the bestselling mastermind Rebecca Roanhorse.

For fans of *Charcoal Joe* and *Washington Black*



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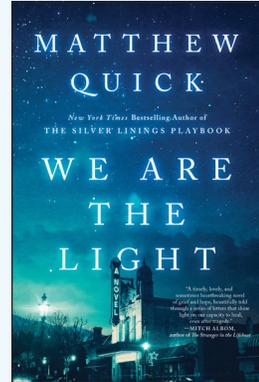
## We Are the Light

A Novel

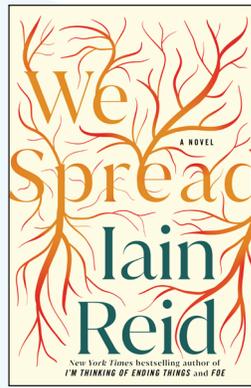
By Matthew Quick

Lucas Goodgame lives in Majestic, Pennsylvania, a quaint suburb that has been torn apart by a recent tragedy. Everyone in Majestic sees Lucas as a hero—everyone, that is, except Lucas himself. Insisting that his deceased wife, Darcy, visits him every night in the form of an angel, Lucas spends his time writing letters to his former Jungian analyst, Karl. It is only when Eli, an eighteen-year-old young man whom the community has ostracized, begins camping out in Lucas's backyard that an unlikely alliance takes shape and the two embark on a journey to heal their neighbors and, most importantly, themselves.

For fans of *Anxious People* and *Ask Again, Yes*



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Literary, Fiction



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Horror/Literary



## We Spread

A Novel

By Iain Reid

Penny has lived in the same apartment for decades, until things start to slip. Before her longtime partner passed away years earlier, provisions were made, unbeknownst to her, for a room in a unique long-term care residence, where Penny finds herself after one too many "incidents." Initially, all is well. But as the days start to blur together, Penny starts to lose her grip on the passage of time and on her place in the world. Is she succumbing to the subtly destructive effects of aging, or is she an unknowing participant in something more unsettling?

For fans of *Foe* and *The Overstory*

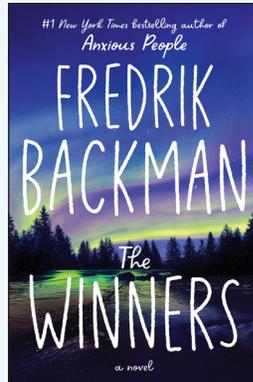
## The Winners

A Novel

By Fredrik Backman

Two years have passed since the events that no one wants to think about. Everyone has tried to move on, but there's something about this place that prevents it. The destruction caused by a ferocious late-summer storm reignites the old rivalry between Beartown and the neighboring town of Hed, a rivalry which has always been fought through their ice hockey teams. Simmering tensions between the two towns turn into acts of intimidation and then violence. All the while, a fourteen-year-old boy grows increasingly alienated from this hockey-obsessed community. He has a pistol and a plan that will leave Beartown with a loss that is almost more that it can stand.

For fans of *Anxious People* and *NW*



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