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Recent Highlights

Atlantic's bestselling and critically acclaimed titles from the past twelve months.



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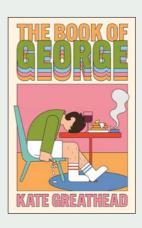
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Peter Beinart

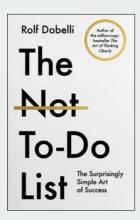
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The Book of George

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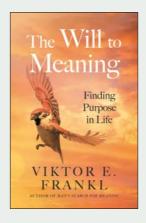
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The Not-To-Do List

Rolf Dobelli

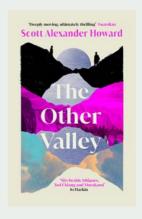
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The Will to Meaning

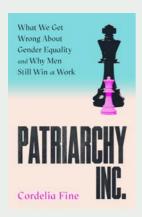
Viktor E. Frankl

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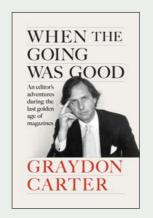
The Other Valley Scott Alexander Howard

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Patriarchy Inc. Cordelia Fine

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When the Going Was Good

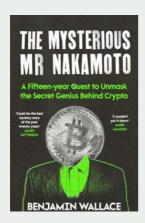
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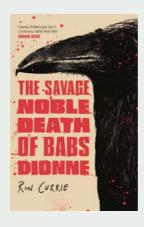
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The Mysterious Mr Nakamoto Benjamin Wallace

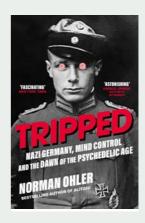
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The Savage, Noble Death of Babs Dionne

Ron Currie

9781805463894 • TPB • £14.99



Tripped Norman Ohler

9781838953607 • PBK • £10.99





Atlantic Books

Fiction

Atlantic Fiction has a reputation for publishing bold, innovative, award-winning writing from around the world. This season includes a fight to break a generational curse, virtual-reality theme parks and a sweeping love story set across twentieth-century Italy.



Moderation

Elaine Castillo

'A highly charged, passionate and tender love story... A wonderful book' Kaline Bradley, author of The Ministry of Time.

Girlie works at a social-media moderation centre, removing the very worst of things that make it on to the internet. She's good at it, too - dispassionate, unflinching, maybe because she learned to cauterize all her emotions while still a kid.

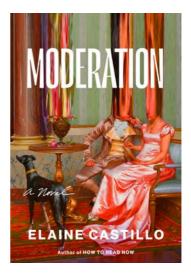
When offered a big promotion to moderate virtual-reality theme parks simulating dead civilizations, it seems too good to be true. But as she explores these intricate worlds, she discovers two things: that something darker might be coded into the company's very foundation, and that William, her new boss, whose mighty emotional barriers match her own, might just be that long forgotten thing... Girlie's type.

Praise for America Is Not the Heart:

'Blazingly fearless... Castillo is hugely talented' Observer

'Radical... I was startled at how moved I was' Guardian

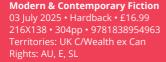
'One of the best debut novels (and novels, period) of recent years' Elle



Elaine Castillo was named one of '30 of the planet's most exciting young people' by the Financial Times. She was born in the Bay Area. Her debut novel America Is Not the Heart received widespread acclaim and numerous award nominations.



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We Were the Universe

Kimberly King Parsons

'Parsons has gifted us with a profound, gutsy tale of grief's dismantling power' New York Times

When Kit abandons family duties for a weekend getaway, memories of her dead sister Julie resurface. Back home, between caring for her irrepressible daughter and fantasizing about hot playground mums, Kit spirals and begins to ask herself: is Julie really dead?

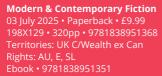
'A wrenchingly honest novel, full of dark wit and feral delight, about a new mother navigating the trippy, uncharted wilderness between love and grief' Jenny Offill



Kimberly King Parsons won the 2020 National Magazine Award for Fiction. Her debut collection Black Light was longlisted for multiple prizes, including the National Book Award.



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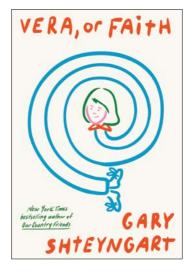
Vera, or Faith

Gary Shteyngart

Poignant, sharp-eyed and bitterly funny – the tale of a family struggling to stay together in a country that's rapidly coming apart, by the bestselling author of *Our Country Friends*.

The Bradford-Shmulkin family is falling apart. A very modern blend of Russian, Jewish, Korean and New England WASP, they love each other deeply but the pressures of life in an unstable America are fraying their bonds. Amidst it all is young Vera, half-Jewish, half-Korean and wholly original. Vera wants only three things in life: a friend at school; Daddy and Anne Mom to stay together; and to meet her birth mother, Mom Mom, who will at last tell Vera the secret of who she really is. Both biting and deeply moving, *Vera*, *or Faith* is a boldly imagined story of family and country told through the clear and wondering eyes of a child.

'In its swirls of emotion, its humor and its pathos, the unsparing humanity of its vision, *Vera, or Faith* is like some fabulous, hitherto-unknown creature that's been let out of its bottle and set free. It begins to seem that there's nothing Gary Shteyngart can't do' Michael Cunningham, Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *Day* and *The Hours*



Gary Shteyngart was born in Leningrad in 1972 and came to the United States seven years later. His most recent novel, Our Country Friends, was a New York Times bestseller. His books regularly appear on best-of lists around the world and have been published in thirty countries. He lives in New York with his wife and son.



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The Cold Eye of Heaven

Christine Dwyer Hickey

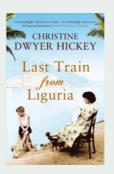
The compellingly intimate and desperately poignant tale of an old man looking back over his life.

Farley is dying and we are by his side. As his mind begins to move back over his 75 years, Farley takes us into his past and with the comic wit of a true Dubliner unravels his life – its loves, its losses and its betrayals – right in front of our eyes.

'Farley is a triumph' Irish Independent

'The most profound novel I have read for years' *Guardian*

Christine Dwyer Hickey's books include The Narrow Land, winner of the Walter Scott Prize for Historical Fiction, and Our London Lives.



Last Train from Liguria

Christine Dwyer Hickey

A sweeping tale of consequences that captures the heat and bustle of the prewar Italian Riviera.

In 1933, Bella Stuart leaves her quiet London life to tutor a child in Italy. She comes to love her young charge, Alec, but as fascism tightens its grip on Europe, the fact he is Jewish places his life in grave danger...

'A powerfully accomplished work of art' Joseph O'Connor, *Guardian*

'The best book of the year... Extraordinary' Glasgow Herald

Christine Dwyer Hickey's books include *The Narrow Land*, winner of the Walter Scott Prize for Historical Fiction, and *Our London Lives*.



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Watching Over Her

Jean-Baptiste Andrea

Translated by Frank Wynne

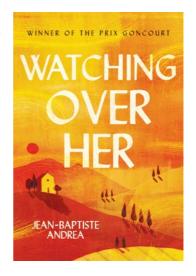
The international bestseller and winner of the Prix Goncourt 2023, with over 700,000 copies sold in France.

In an Italian monastery, a sculptor lays on his deathbed.

During Mimo's final hours, he reveals his life story: his impoverished childhood, his rigorous apprenticeship and his meeting with Viola, the daughter of a powerful family.

Mimo and Viola are instantly drawn to each other. Together, they must navigate the unrest of the twentieth century, from the violence of war to the rise of fascism. While Mimo becomes a celebrated artist, Viola chases her own dreams of becoming an emancipated woman.

Over the decades, they lose and find each other, but never do they give up on the love they share.



Jean-Baptiste Andrea is a writer, screenwriter and director. He is the author of four novels. Watching Over Her was published in France to great critical and commercial success. It is being translated into thirty-one languages.



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Phantom Limb

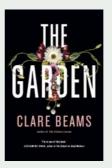
Chris Kohler

A wild, funny, holy relic of a novel about the creation myths of Scotland and the colossal loss of faith and meaning of modern society.

When a disappointed local minister finds a disembodied hand in the earth, he discovers that it can move – even hold a pen and draw wild, scratchy visions. He plans to use it to reinvent himself as a prophet, in the hope that he can impress his ex-girlfriend and lead Scotland into a glorious future.

'Mesmerising... The work of a writer possessed of rare power and vision' Daily Telegraph

Chris Kohler is from Glasgow. His short stories have appeared in various literary magazines and he was shortlisted for the VS Pritchett Prize



The Garden

Clare Beams

An eerie, psychologically thrilling novel about womanhood and bodily autonomy.

Irene Willard has had five miscarriages.
Pregnant again, she checks into an isolated hospital that promises to deliver the child.
But all is not as it seems in this stunning gothic exploration of the policing and manipulation of women's bodies.

'Genius' New York Times

'A feminist voice for the 21st century' Joyce Carol Oates

'Prepare to be haunted' Rachel Yoder

Clare Beams is the author of *The Illness Lesson, We Show What We Have Learned* and *The Garden*.



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Horror & Ghost Stories

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Not Alive, Not Dead

John Donoghue

A gripping historical thriller that follows a priest as he investigates the 'disappeared' in 1970s Argentina.

Buenos Aires, 1976. A military junta rules Argentina with an iron fist. People are going missing. There are whispers of secret detention centres, of torture and murder behind locked doors.

Pablo Morales, a young priest, doesn't believe the rumours, until he hears a series of confessions that force him to confront the truth of the government's crimes – and the complicity of the Catholic Church.

Torn between his faith, his ambition and his conscience, Pablo knows he must investigate. But the deeper he explores this dangerous world rife with corruption and violence, the harder it will be to escape it...



John Donoghue is also the author of *The Death's Head Chess Club*, which has been translated into twelve languages. He lives in Liverpool with his wife and has worked in mental health for over twenty years.



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Thriller/Suspense
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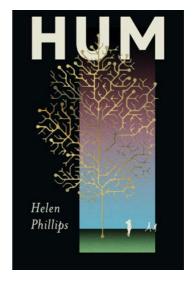
Hum

Helen Phillips

In a near-future city with super-intelligent robots, a mother seeks refuge for her family in the last green space.

In a bustling city filled with super-intelligent Al called 'Hums', May escapes to the Botanical Garden with her family. But when the Garden proves more dangerous than she could have imagined and her children come under threat, she must trust a mysterious Hum with uncertain motives.

'Hum cements Phillips's position as one of our most profound writers of speculative fiction' New York Times



Helen Phillips is the author of six books, including *The Need*, nominated for the National Book Award.



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Cursed Daughters

Oyinkan Braithwaite

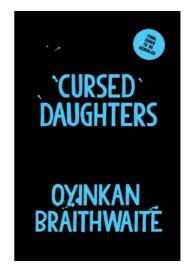
The follow-up novel from the Booker Prizelisted, 250,000-copy-bestselling author of *My Sister, the Serial Killer*.

No man will call your house, home. And if they try, they will not have peace...

Or so goes the family curse, long handed down from generation to generation, breaking hearts as it goes. And now it's come into the possession of Eniiyi. She's already used to the strange beliefs of her family – her uncanny resemblance to her dead aunt means that her grandmother is sure that she is a reincarnation – but when she falls in love with the handsome boy she saves from drowning, it seems that maybe she really is destined to live out a familiar story of love and heartbreak. The question is, can Eniiyi escape the family curse... and the mysterious fate that befell her aunt?

Praise for My Sister, the Serial Killer

'A literary sensation' *Guardian*'Braithwaite is fiendishly talented' *The Times*'A sensational debut' *Observer*



OYINKAN BRAITHWAITE is

a Nigerian-British novelist and writer. Her first novel, *My Sister, the Serial Killer*, was published in 2018 to wide acclaim. It was longlisted for the Booker Prize, shortlisted for the Women's Prize for Fiction, and won the Crime and Thriller Book of the Year in the British Book Awards 2020.



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Innards

Magogodi oaMphela Makhene

A blazing collection of linked stories illuminates life in Soweto as residents navigate apartheid's lasting shadows.

From a fake PhD holder to a mute girl who discovers a burning body, *Innards* explores survival and existence in liminal spaces amid apartheid's brutal legacy and the uncertain promises of a new era.

'A gut punch... It astonishes as it reveals how malignant political forces can both ravage and vitalize the human spirit' *New York Times*

Magogodi oaMphela Makhene is an lowa Writers' Workshop alum and Caine Prize honoree. She co-founded the social enterprise, Love As A Kind of Cure.



The Invisible Hotel

Yeji Y. Ham

A literary horror about the Korean War and a young woman's quest for the truth.

Stylish, visceral and haunting, *The Invisible Hotel* is an unforgettable literary horror about the human consequences of the ongoing Korean War, and the toll of being born into a conflict that shows no signs of stopping.

'Extraordinary' Anna Metcalfe

'A masterwork of horror' Kim Fu

'You won't be able to put this down' Paul Yoon

Yeji Y. Ham is a Korean-Canadian writer. She hopes to bring out the stories of the voiceless through writing.



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Shy Trans Banshee

Tony Santorella

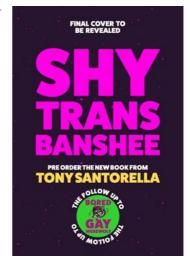
Following in the pawprints of the beloved Bored Gay Werewolf, a new tale of Grindr hookups, chosen families and magical misdeeds.

Brian, Nik and Darby – three friends practised in ennui, binge-drinking, hooking up with strangers and fighting supernatural crime (when Brian's not committing it as a werewolf once a month) – are in London to track down a colleague who has gone missing. As they follow increasingly dangerous leads, they uncover a clairvoyancy smuggling ring, located right in the heart of the financial district. Who's kidnapping all the fortune tellers in Soho and why? And is it coincidence, fate or something more sinister altogether that Maeve, a timid trans woman, turns up on the gang's doorstep... and has the uncanny ability to know just what's going to happen next?

Praise for Bored Gay Werewolf:

'An ungodly joy from start to finish... We loved it' *Attitude Magazine*

'Like a hairier *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*, a bighearted novel about finding your "pack" in unexpected places' *Marie Claire*, Best Books of the Year



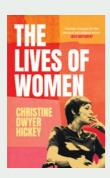
Tony Santorella was born in Danvers, Massachusetts, site of the Salem Witch Trials. He is the author of *Bored Gay Werewolf* and lives with his husband Robert and their cat, Fannie Mae.



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The Lives of Women

Christine Dwyer Hickey

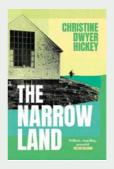
An insightful and suspenseful exploration of women as wives, mothers and daughters.

Following a long absence, Elaine returns to her childhood home to live with her invalid father. Memories bring her back to a summer in the 1970s in this uncompromising portrayal of the suburbs and the cruelties brought about by the demands of respectability.

'Richly textured, insightful and uncompromising' *Irish Independent*

'One of Ireland's most lauded modern writers' *Daily Mail*

Christine Dwyer Hickey's books include *The Narrow Land*, winner of the Walter Scott Prize for Historical Fiction, and *Our London Lives*.



The Narrow Land

Christine Dwyer Hickey

An achingly beautiful account of 1950s America, winner of the Walter Scott Prize for Historical Fiction.

Ten-year-old Michael is spending the summer with Richie. The boys meet a couple living nearby – the artists Jo and Edward Hopper – and an unlikely friendship is forged in this novel of loneliness, regret and the legacy of World War II.

'It is a long time since I have read such a fine novel' *Irish Times*

'I loved this book' Graham Norton

Christine Dwyer Hickey's books include *Last Train from Liguria* and *Our London Lives*. She lives in Dublin.



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Non-Fiction

Atlantic publishes a prize-winning and wide-ranging list of non-fiction covering history, politics and current affairs, science and technology, biography and memoir and big ideas. Our Autumn 2025 offering includes Jonas Enander's debut book about the wonder and enduring mystery of black holes, *Facing Infinity*, and Anthony Seldon's account of his 1,000-km walk from Kilometre Zero to Auschwitz, *The Path of Light*.



The Mysterious Mr Nakamoto

A Fifteen-year Quest to Unmask the Secret Genius Behind Crypto

Benjamin Wallace

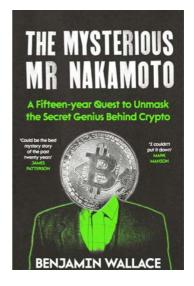
A thrilling investigation into the mysterious identity of the creator of Bitcoin from a *New York Times* bestselling author.

In October 2008, Satoshi Nakamoto posted a white paper outlining 'a peer-to-peer electronic cash system' called Bitcoin to an arcane Listserv populated by Cypherpunks. No one in the community had heard of Nakamoto, and just as people were starting to wonder who he was, he vanished...

Just who was Satoshi Nakamoto? Tracking leads from London to Oslo to Los Angeles, from coastal Australia to the Arizona desert, and exploring Bitcoin's utopian origins and the world it eventually wrought, *The Mysterious Mr Nakamoto* takes readers through a rogues' gallery tour to solve the greatest mystery of our time.

'The Mysterious Mr Nakamoto could be the best mystery story of the past twenty years. I'm not sure whether Ben Wallace should win a Pulitzer, be institutionalized... or both' James Patterson

'I couldn't put it down' Mark Manson, #1 New York Times bestselling author of The Subtle Art of Not Giving a F**k



Benjamin Wallace is the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Billionaire's Vinegar*. He has been a features writer at *New York* and a contributing editor at *Vanity Fair*.



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Didion & Babitz

Lili Anolik

An outrageously provocative joint biography of literary titans Joan Didion and Eve Babitz.

With deftness and skill, Lili Anolik uses Eve Babitz's brilliance of observation, incisive intelligence and, most of all, her diary-like letters – letters so intimate you don't read them so much as breathe them – as the key to unlocking Joan Didion.

The book is magic. It's all I ever needed' Lena Dunham

'Immaculately researched and laced with gold' Sunday Times Books of the Year

Lili Anolik is a contributing editor at *Vanity Fair* and a writer at large for *Air Mail*.



Landsmart

How to Give People and Nature the Space to Thrive

Tom Heap

A compelling investigation into how we need to urgently change our relationship with our land.

In Landsmart, Tom Heap tours the British countryside meeting the farmers, scientists, conservationists and even warehouse managers who are solving the most pressing challenges facing our countryside – food scarcity, drought and flood, renewable energy, carbon storage and housing – and the world.

'A terrific book' Michael Morpurgo

'A clear, concise and accessible guide to the pivotal question of our age' Guy Shrubsole

Tom Heap is a regular presenter on BBC One's *Countryfile* and has made many BBC *Panorama* documentaries on food, energy and the environment.



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Biography
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Environment

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The Stronger Sex

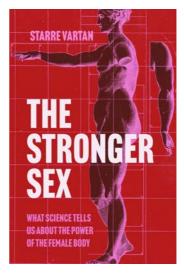
What Science Tells Us About the Power of the Female Body

Starre Vartan

A myth-busting vindication of women's physical strengths.

Like most women, Starre Vartan was told that having a woman's body meant being weaker than men. Like many, she mostly believed it. Not anymore.

In The Stronger Sex, Vartan shows that women's bodies are incredibly powerful, flexible and resilient in ways men's bodies aren't. Tossing aside the narrow notion of the tall, muscular man as the measure of strength, Vartan reveals the ways that women surpass men in endurance, immunity, pain tolerance and the ultimate test of any human body: longevity. The Stronger Sex is a mythbusting celebration that elevates women and advocates for their bodies.



Starre Vartan is a science writer with a focus on healthrelated biotech, mental health, disease, women's bodies, and environment. She writes on health for numerous outlets including CNN, Scientific American and National Geographic. She worked as a geologist specializing in hydrology before turning to writing about science and health.



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Women's Health

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V-Force

Britain's Nuclear Bombers and the Cold War

Jonathan Glancey

The definitive account of Britain's Cold War nuclear strike force.

The three models of V class bombers that made up Britain's strategic nuclear deterrent during the Cold War - the Vickers Valiant, Avro Vulcan and Handley Page Victor - were modern marvels of machinery. Capable of both high- and low-level attack with their slick delta wing designs, and supremely quick despite the massive bomb loads they carried, these aircraft defined post-war engineering and conflict.

Despite a fall as precipitous as their rise, the V bombers enjoyed a second life as conventional bombers: most famously the Vulcan in the Falklands war.

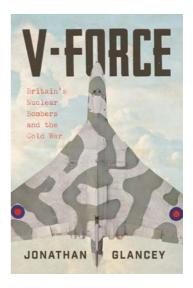
V-Force is both an ode to these most resilient, beautiful and underrated of British aircraft. and a lens through which to view Britain's Cold War experience.

Praise for *Spitfire*:

'Hugely entertaining' James Holland

'A wonderful book' Rowland White

'Authoritative and comprehensive' Adrian Swire, Spectator



Jonathan Glancey is well known as the former architecture and design correspondent of the Guardian and Independent newspapers. A frequent broadcaster, his books include Wings Over Water, The Journey Matters, Concorde, Harrier, Giants of Steam, Spitfire, Nagaland, Tornado and The Story of Architecture.



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History

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The Art of Not Eating

A Doubtful History of Appetite and Desire

Jessica Hamel-Akré

A luminously original exploration of the deep roots of diet culture by an award-winning historian.

In this bold and radical book, Jessica Hamel-Akré follows George Cheyne, 'Dr Diet', through the pages of Victorian medical studies, novels and historical scandals, meeting ash-eating mystics, wasting society girls, impoverished female fasters and early feminist philosophers, and shows us how ideas around desirability and want all got tangled up with what we eat.

'A fascinating exploration of the deep roots of our diet culture, and a very personal account of its current repercussions' Katherine May, author of *Wintering*

Jessica Hamel-Akré is an award-winning writer on the history of women's health, literature and feminist thought.



Other Rivers

A Chinese Education

Peter Hessler

A revelatory account of China's incredible twenty-first century transformation through the prism of its children.

In 2019, more than twenty years after teaching English in China, Peter Hessler arrived at Sichuan University to a very different China and a new kind of student. Tracing how his students navigate China's restrictions with equanimity and embrace the astonishing new opportunities China's boom affords, *Other Rivers* is a stunning work of human empathy, showing us China from the inside out and the bottom up.

'Memorable... One of [China's] most astute and sensitive foreign observers' *Financial Times*

Peter Hessler is a staff writer at the *New Yorker*, where he served as Beijing correspondent from 2000–2007 and Cairo correspondent from 2011–2016.



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Peacemaker

U Thant, the United Nations and the Forgotten History of the 1960s

Thant Myint-U

An unparalleled biography of U Thant, the United Nations' longest-serving Secretary-General.

In *Peacemaker*, Thant Myint-U traces his grandfather's rise from schoolteacher in a small Burmese backwater in 1947 to celebrity at the centre of global politics two decades later. He reveals U Thant's integral yet forgotten roles in some of the twentieth century's most critical crises – from pulling the UN back from bankruptcy and battling white supremacist mercenaries in the Congo to mediating a peaceful end to the Cuban Missile Crisis – and details the shifting world order that U Thant affected.

At once rigorous and hugely entertaining, *Peacemaker* is an intimate biography that not only attests to the power of hope and individual action in times of great uncertainty, but also chronicles the birth of our contemporary geopolitical order.

Praise for The Hidden History of Burma:

'A sobering account, told elegantly and eruditely' *Financial Times*

Thant Myint-U is the greatest living historian of Burma' William Dalrymple



Thant Myint-U is an award-winning writer, historian and conservationist. He served for over a decade with the United Nations, including in peacekeeping operations in Cambodia and the Balkans and was an advisor to the Burmese government during the early years of the transition from military dictatorship.



SEPTEMBER

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RTÉ

Den of Inequity

Shane Ross

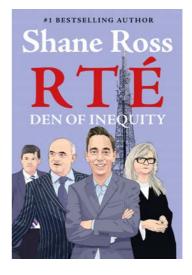
An inside account of the recent scandals which have engulfed Ireland's national broadcaster, RTÉ.

The story of corruption, waste and ineptitude at Ireland's national broadcaster has gripped the country since news of secret payments to star presenter Ryan Tubridy became public in 2023. Shane Ross, author of #1 bestsellers *The Bankers* and *Mary Lou McDonald*, takes us behind the scandal, looking back to see how RTÉ got itself into this horrible mess and also what the future might hold for this formerly beloved institution.

Praise for Mary Lou McDonald:

'[A] lively, punchy biography... Ross tells it crisply, bringing it all together and lacing the plot line of her career with interesting anecdotes and occasionally his own acerbic analysis' *Irish Times*

'Ross has penned an engaging narrative of this chameleon's career so far. A fine achievement' *Irish Independent*



Shane Ross has been a stockbroker, a journalist, a politician and an author. He was business editor of the *Sunday Independent* for over sixteen years. In 2016, he became Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport, serving in government for over four years.



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Turncoat

Roundhead to Royalist, the Double Life of George Downing

Dennis Sewell

The remarkable story of George Downing: soldier, politician, diplomat, spy, and possibly the biggest scoundrel in Stuart England...

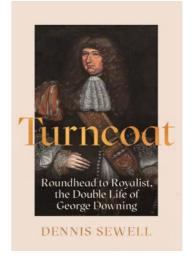
Judged by contemporaries to be a 'perfidious rogue', Sir George Downing rose to prominence during the English Civil Wars as Oliver Cromwell's chief of military intelligence. In the Interregnum he proved himself a double-dealer who bribed and blackmailed his way to diplomatic success across Europe (starting two major wars in the process) before spectacularly betraying his friends to horrifically violent deaths by defecting to Charles II's court.

Turncoat tells George Downing's story for the first time, following him from the asceticism of Puritan New England, across English battlefields, through courts, chancelleries and parliaments, to the heart of wealth and power in Restoration London.

Praise for Catholics:

'Sewell scores well in his command of history, better in his turn of phrase, and best of all in his delightful vignettes' *Independent*

'Richly entertaining... Excellent' A.N. Wilson, Literary Review



Dennis Sewell is a writer, broadcaster and a contributing editor of the *Spectator*. He spent twenty-two years on the staff of BBC News, where he worked as a reporter for *Newsnight*. His previous books include *Catholics* and *The Political Gene*.



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Deadwood

Guns, Gold and Greed in the American West

Peter Cozzens

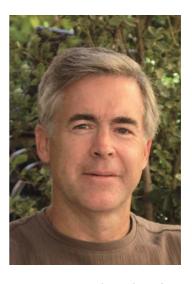
The grisly true story of the infamous American frontier town of Deadwood, made famous in the eponymous award-winning HBO series.

Built on land brazenly stolen from the indigenous Lakotas, Deadwood was not merely a place where outlaws lurked, but was itself an outlaw enterprise: not part of any US territory or subject to its laws or governance. This gave rise to the gunslinging, stage-coach robbing, whiskey-guzzling, rampant prostitution and gambling made famous through the legendary figures of 'Wild Bill' Hickock and Calamity Jane. But this foundation also bred a spirit of cooperation which made it an exceptionally welcoming place for outcasts at a time of deep-seated discrimination.

Sifting through layers of myth and legend, Peter Cozzens is the first to tell this complex story in full, revealing how one frontier town came to embody the worst – and best – of the American West.



'Cozzens is a master storyteller; his books weave a wealth of intricate detail into gripping historical narrative' *The Times*



Peter Cozzens is the author of over eighteen books on the Civil War and the American West. His previous books include the Gilder Lehrman Prize-winning *The Earth Is Weeping, The Warrior and the Prophet* and *A Brutal Reckoning*.



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Facing Infinity

Black Holes and Our Place on Earth

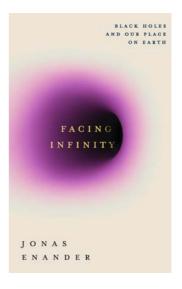
Jonas Enander

Translated from Swedish by Nichola Smalley

A fascinating and enlightening guide to the enduring mystery and majesty of black holes.

From the eighteenth-century vicar who was the first to look up at the night's sky and suggest there was something very dark and extraordinarily heavy that was moving the stars, to the first actual photograph of a black hole, 250 years later, Jonas Enander has travelled the world, visited telescopes and observatories, interviewed world-leading space researchers and delved deep into the archives to investigate how our relationship with black holes has changed over time. Facing Infinity deciphers the most mind-bending science whilst retaining a sense of wonder, in an approachable and spellbinding journey into the universe's greatest mysteries.

'An A in physics is not required to understand Facing Infinity. It is as much a portrayal of the people behind the discoveries' Vi (newspaper)

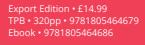


Jonas Enander has a PhD in Physics, having conducted research in cosmology and astrophysics. He currently works as a research communicator at the Oskar Klein Centre in Stockholm. Facing Infinity is his first book. He speaks English fluently.



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The Path of Light

Anthony Seldon

An inspiring memoir about walking the 1,000-km route from Kilometre Zero to Auschwitz, by a leading historian.

In 2020, Anthony Seldon, inspired by a fallen World War I soldier who dreamed of a 'Via Sacra' to commemorate the war dead and stand as a marker for the triumph of peace, set out on a 1,000-km walk tracing the historic route of the Western Front.

But there wasn't to be lasting peace, with the continent falling into an even more horrific war two decades later. In *The Path of Light*, Seldon walks the route from where World War I ended to Auschwitz, discovering the towns and people who resisted in the face of unbearable destruction, and ruminating on the Second World War's legacy.

Praise for *The Path of Peace*:

'A formidable achievement' Rory Stewart
'Thoughtful [and] heartfelt' *Observer*'Profound [and] compelling' *Spectator*'A noble endeavour' *New Statesman*



Sir Anthony Seldon is an educator, historian, writer and commentator. He is author or editor of over forty books on contemporary history, politics and education, including the *Sunday Times* bestsellers *Johnson at 10* and *Truss at 10*.



OCTOBER

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For the Sun After Long Nights

The Story of Iran's Women-Led Uprising

Nilo Tabrizy and Fatemeh Jamalpour

A moving and on-the-ground exploration of the 2022 protests in Iran, told through the interwoven stories of two Iranian journalists.

In 2022, in response to the killing of Mahsa Jina Amini, a 22-year-old Kurdish woman who died in police custody after being arrested for not wearing her hijab, thousands took to the streets of Iran in protest.

As they unfolded, two journalists – Fatemeh Jamalpour, recently returned to Tehran after working in London, and Nilo Tabrizy, reporting on the protests from New York – communicated through encrypted programmes to spotlight the systemic injustice of the Iranian government. The sense of sisterhood they shared led them to embark on For the Sun After Long Nights to document the spirit and legacy of the movement, and the history, geopolitics and influences that led to this point.



Nilo Tabrizy is a video reporter for the *Washington Post's* Visual Forensics team, having previously worked as a video journalist at the *New York Times*.

Fatemeh Jamalpour is an Iranian journalist banned from 'producing any kind of content' inside her country by the Ministry of Intelligence of the Islamic Republic.



NOVEMBER

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The Impossible Man

Roger Penrose and the Cost of Genius

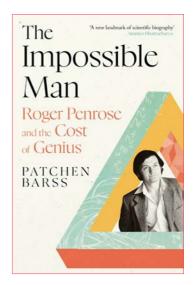
Patchen Barss

An enthralling and intimate portrait of the Nobel Prize-winning mathematician and physicist.

Compelling and deeply moving, *The Impossible Man* draws on years of research and interviews to present a moving biography of Penrose the scientist and Roger the Human Being. One that reveals the tragic cost – to himself and those closest to him – of his extraordinary genius.

'A stunning achievement' Kai Bird, co-author of American Prometheus

'A new landmark of scientific biography' Ananyo Bhattacharya



Patchen Barss is a Torontobased science journalist. His previous books include *The Erotic Engine* and *Flow Spin Grow*.



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Joyride

An Unconventional Memoir

Susan Orlean

A personal, inspirational ode to writing from the beloved bestselling author of The Orchid Thief and The Library Book.

'I've always been squeamish about the idea of writing a memoir because I thought my subjects were much more interesting than I am. But I do know I've led an interesting life, and that there are great stories behind my work. (I can easily fill an entire chapter with the stories behind *The Orchid Thief* and *Adaptation*!) I envision *Joyride* not as a conventional memoir but more of a writer's notebook. It will be full of the outtakes and reflections and anecdotes behind my published work, coupled with the nuts and bolts of getting it done.'

Praise for The Library Book:

'A constant pleasure to read... Everybody who loves books should check out The Library Book' Washington Post

'Exquisitely written, consistently entertaining' New York Times

'Enthralling and inspirational' Observer

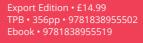


Susan Orlean has been a staff writer at The New Yorker since 1992. She is the author of eight books, including The Orchid Thief, which was made into the Academy Award-winning film Adaptation. She lives with her family and her animals in Los Angeles.



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Corvus







One Summer in Provence

Carol Drinkwater

A heartwarming, sunkissed novel of family, community and wine-making from a beloved author and TV personality.

Celia Grey knows how lucky she is – married to the love of her life, and working with him to run the Provençal vineyard they have spent the last decade revitalizing. To celebrate, Celia is hosting an elegant evening for their friends and family.

With preparations in full swing, Celia receives a letter from a man claiming to be her son, David, the child she gave up at birth, and she impulsively invites him to the party.

When David turns up with an unexpected companion in tow, Celia's marriage, her sense of family and her equilibrium will all be challenged, and life will never be the same again...

Praise for An Act of Love:

'A moving story of love and friendship' Kate Mosse

'Exciting, evocative' Daily Mail

'Each sentence shimmers' My Weekly



Carol Drinkwater is an actress and writer, best known for her portrayal of Helen Herriot in *All Creatures Great and Small*. She is the author of twenty-five books, including the bestselling Olive Farm memoir series set in the south of France. Her latest TV series is *Carol Drinkwater's Secret Provence*.



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What Will People Think?

Vedashree Khambete-Sharma

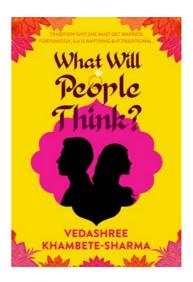
Jane Austen meets Bollywood in this warm and witty novel about community, family and love.

It's 1976 and in the Vile Parle suburb of Mumbai, Ila Bendre's mother is determined to get her four daughters married off. However, Ila wants a career and life of her own, and she'll do whatever it takes to escape marriage.

But when Ila's younger sister, Latika, takes the matter into her own hands, it looks as if the Bendre family's reputation will be ruined once and for all...

As we follow the sisters from parties to weddings, from Vile Parle to Pune, will love conquer all in this ingeniously witty and charming tale of pride, prejudice and puran polis?

'So much fun!' Katie Fforde
'Warm and clever' i
'Fresh, funny ... vivid' *Daily Mail*



Vedashree Khambete-Sharma

lives in Mumbai and works in advertising – over the course of her eighteen-year copywriting career, she has won both Indian and international awards for her work, including a Cannes Lion. What Will People Think? is her fourth novel.



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Talk Data To Me

Rose McGee

The Love Hypothesis meets You've Got Mail in this sweet and sexy STEMinist romcom.

Physicists Dr Erin Monaghan and Dr Ethan Meyer are bitter rivals at the forefront of their opposing fields and competing for everything: grant money, lab time, government backing.

But fate has lined up a meet-cute on the pages of sci-fi magazine *Galactica*. Erin's short story and Ethan's illustration are paired for publication, and when they meet online as their alter egos, sparks fly.

Will the course of true love run smooth when Erin and Ethan are forced to collaborate on a government contract? Or will their rivalry prevent them from realizing the truth about their feelings?



Rose McGee is a California-based author who writes romcoms full of sugar, spice and statistics. She holds a degree in English from Stanford University and lives in the Bay Area with a dog and several succulents.



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The Ending is the Best Part

BookTok Made Me Write It

Lamia Zain

An innovative TikTok romcom written by and for the BookTok community.

When Yara meets Xander, she knows she's met her match – and not in a good way.

They're both writers for a major TV series, but that's where the similarities end.

Yara loves romance. In her spare time, she makes content about her favourite books and films. Xander is only interested in the greats: Kubrick, Scorsese, Tarantino. He doesn't have Instagram, hasn't read a book published this century.

When they're tasked with writing the finale together, they know the episode needs them both – romance and drama, head and heart.

Can they put aside their differences to create something remarkable?



Lamia Zain is a BookTok creator with over 60,000 followers on her account lamia.reads. She works in TV production and lives in Manchester.



Romance

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Cairo Gambit

S. W. Perry

On the eve of World War Two, a young woman in search of her estranged father meets an unexpected ally...

Cairo, 1938. Archie Nevenden is many things: amateur archaeologist; absent father; potential defector. And now, he's a missing person.

His daughter, Prim, hasn't seen him for nearly fifteen years. But she's never given up on him, and now she's on her way to Cairo to assist in the search.

Harry Taverner claims to work for the British Council, but Prim detects deception. He clearly has a theory about Archie's disappearance, one she's not going to like.

As Prim and Harry uncover the layers of Archie's existence in Cairo, they find themselves drawn into conspiracies, betrayal and danger.

Praise for S. W. Perry:

'Powerful, panoramic' Sunday Times

'Engrossing, superbly detailed, unsentimental but very moving' Elizabeth Buchan

'A gripping and heartfelt story, brilliantly imagined' Elisabeth Gifford



S. W. Perry is the author of six books in the highly acclaimed Jackdaw Mysteries series and has been shortlisted for the CWA Historical Dagger.



Historical Fiction

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The Mischief Makers

Elisabeth Gifford

A haunting reimagining of the life of Daphne du Maurier – infamous author of *Rebecca*.

Tangled in a self-destructive love affair that threatens her marriage, Daphne du Maurier is on the brink of a nervous breakdown.

She must confront the secret life that has plagued her since childhood, or her next great work may be lost to history...

'As compelling as any of du Maurier's own works' Sunday Times

'Fascinating' Elizabeth Buchan

'Elegant and immersive' Essie Fox

Elisabeth Gifford is the author of five previous historical novels, including *The Good Doctor of Warsaw* and *The Lost Lights of St Kilda*.



The Players

Minette Walters

A bold and brilliantly inventive historical novel, set in a time of rebellion and unrest.

England, 1685. Carnage ensues when Charles II's illegitimate son, the Duke of Monmouth, arrives in Dorset to incite rebellion. When Monmouth's army is quickly defeated and charged with high treason, Lady Jayne Harrier and her friends will do whatever it takes to save the men...

'Told with the masterful skill of a true storyteller' Anne O'Brien

'An immersive joy that will stand the test of time' Elizabeth Chadwick

Minette Walters is an award-winning writer, with over 25 million copies of her books sold worldwide. *The Players* is her fourth historical novel.

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The Feminine Art of Revenge

Celine Saintclare

Dishonour has consequences in this intoxicating revenge thriller from the author of TikTok sensation, *Sugar*, *Baby*.

This was it, revenge. Final, ultimate, devastating.

Having abandoned her lifelong dream of becoming a ballet dancer, Sylvie gets an admin job to make ends meet. She doesn't know what she's doing with her life – until she meets her new boss Jay.

Handsome, rich and mysterious, Jay is everything Sylvie wants, and they soon embark on a passionate affair.

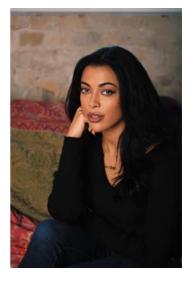
When Sylvie discovers that Jay is married, she is unmoored again. But heartbreak quickly turns to fury, and she finally knows her true purpose: revenge.

Praise for Sugar, Baby:

'Chaotic, darkly funny and keeps you on your toes' *Elle*

'A bold, daring take on a conventional romance novel' *Harper's Bazaar*

'Shows the grit alongside the glamour, feels like a document of the moment' *Vogue*



Celine Saintclare has English and Caribbean heritage and grew up in Buckinghamshire. She spent her early life training to be a ballet dancer and filling up notebooks with stories and poems. She is also the author of *Sugar*, *Baby*.



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Ladies In Hating

Alexandra Vasti

Two Gothic novelists trade rivalry for love in this steamy, sapphic Regency romance by *USA Today* bestselling author Alexandra Vasti.

Lady Georgiana Cleeve has acquired fame, fortune and an enemy – the enigmatic Lady Darling, whose plots appear to be pulled from Georgiana's manuscripts. What's a writer to do? Unmask her rival, of course.

All is not as it seems, as Lady Darling is actually the butler's daughter, Cat Lacey, who has been clawing her family out of poverty. The last thing she needs is to be distracted by her infatuation with her beautiful rival.

When they both plan to set their next books at an eerie manor, they find themselves trapped inside and face-to-face with real danger: the scorching passion that's been haunting them.

Praise for Ne'er Duke Well:

'A gem of a Regency [romance] with dazzling banter' *New York Times*

'An irresistible delight from a remarkable talent. Lovely, witty and benevolently clever' India Holton

'Warm, wonderfully witty, and oh-so-sexy' Amy Rose Bennett



Alexandra Vasti loves coffee, beignets and books, in no particular order. She is the author of Ne'er Duke Well, Earl Crush and the Halifax Hellions series. In between writing swoony Regency romances with hijinks and heart, she teaches British and Caribbean literature in New Orleans.



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Historical Romance

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The Psychiatrist

Emma Curtis

The chillingly gripping new thriller from the bestselling author of *The Babysitter* and *The Commuter*.

In the leafy suburbs of West London, status is paramount and reputation is everything...

Recently qualified psychiatrist Dr Geddes is building her career at a prestigious practice when an unexpected encounter with a young male patient threatens to destroy the life she has carefully constructed.

Lorna Chilcott is delighted to befriend the glamorous Elise, wife of the ex-boyband star she had a crush on as a teenager. But when her daughter goes missing after leaving Elise's house in tears, friendship turns to discord as accusations fly.

A single lie binds these two seemingly unconnected traumatic events together – and it will have devastating consequences...

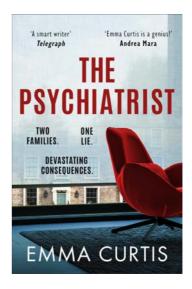
Praise for Emma Curtis:

'Emma Curtis is a genius!' Andrea Mara

'Hugely addictive and so twisty... an exhilarating high-speed ride' Claire Douglas

'Like a fast-paced ITV drama... perceptive and engaging' Daily Mail

'Stylish and clever' Woman's Weekly



Emma Curtis is the bestselling author of *One Little Mistake, The Babysitter* and *The Commuter. The Psychiatrist* is her eighth psychological suspense novel. She lives in West London with her husband.



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Thriller/Suspense

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The Glass House

Rachel Donohue

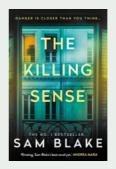
A compelling tale of two sisters haunted by the secrets of their dead father.

1963: At the isolated mansion of controversial political philosopher Richard Acklehurst, the New Year's Eve party has ended with Acklehurst mysteriously dead, leaving behind teenage daughters Aisling and Stella.

1999: Acklehurst's remains are defiled, forcing the sisters to return home and finally confront the darkness at the heart of their family.

'Gorgeously atmospheric, and darkly brooding novel about sisters, secrets and how fame casts a long and toxic shadow' Carole Hailey

Rachel Donohue is the award-winning writer of the *Irish Times* bestseller *The Temple House Vanishing*.



The Killing Sense

Sam Blake

When instinct tells you no one can be trusted, who should you fear the most?

Kate Wilde has escaped an abusive marriage. When she wins a trip to Paris it's a dream come true. Or is it?

She discovers her ex is in Paris too, along with a killer focusing on red-headed women like her. Can her instincts keep her safe?

'Riveting, textured, glamorous' Andrea Mara

'If Dan Brown was a woman her name would be Sam Blake' Edel Coffey

Sam Blake is a bestselling writer and has been shortlisted for Irish Crime Novel of the Year three times.



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Thriller/Suspense

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Next Time Will Be Our Turn

Jesse Sutanto

An aching, winding, unforgettable love story which explores the love of sisters, soulmates and the sacrifices we make for family.

When seventy-three-year-old matriarch Magnolia Chen sweeps into the family Chinese New Year celebration with a woman on her arm that she introduces as her girlfriend, shockwaves ripple through the room. But her sixteen-year-old granddaughter Izzy, black sheep of the clan, is far more intrigued than angry.

Later that evening Magnolia begins to tell Izzy her story: sent from Indonesia to Los Angeles in her teens, she met Ellery O'Shea, her best friend, her safe space, the love of her life. What unfolds from there will shock Izzy to her core but also give her a new understanding of the meaning of love, loyalty and sacrifice.

Praise for *Dial A for Aunties*:

'Whip-smart, original and so funny. I found it impossible to put down' Beth O'Leary

'Charming, hilarious and heartfelt' Emily Henry



Jesse Sutanto's novels include Dial A for Aunties (winner of the Comedy Women in Print prize) and Vera Wong's Unsolicited Guide for Murderers. She received her Masters from the University of Oxford. She currently lives in lakarta with her husband and two daughters.



Adult & Contemporary Romance



The Echo of Crows

Phil Rickman

The gripping final novel in the ever-popular Welsh borders-set Merrily Watkins series: where procedural meets the supernatural.

Nestled deep in the Black Mountains, the village of Longtown is haunted by the double suicide of a lottery winner and his wife.

A rich Londoner, unaware of the town's dark history, buys the dead man's cottage in the hopes of refurbishing it, then begins to fall victim to a host of bad luck.

Luckily DS David Vaynor and Merrily Watkins

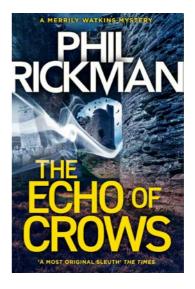
– parish priest, single mum and renowned
demon exercist – are on the case.

Praise for Phil Rickman:

'A most original sleuth' The Times

'Engrossing and beautifully dark... a cracking good read' Jo Brand

'Brilliantly eerie' Peter James



Phil Rickman (1950–2024) lived on the Welsh border where he wrote and presented the book programme *Phil the Shelf* on BBC Radio Wales. He was the acclaimed author of *Dr Dee, The Bones of Avalon* and *Midwinter of the Spirit* (a major ITV series), and the Merrily Watkins Mysteries.



NOVEMBER

Crime & Mystery

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Allen & Unwin

Non-Fiction

In the footsteps of the Samuel Johnson Award-winning *Neurotribes* on page 74 and the 10-million-copy-bestselling *The Courage to Be Disliked*, Allen & Unwin specializes in expert-led and solutions-focused non-fiction in the areas of psychology, personal development, parenting and women's health, as well as select Irish and gift titles. Our Autumn 2025 highlights include former professional cyclist Michael Hutchinson testing the limits of human endurance, and Rob Temple's *A Very British Christmas*.



Further

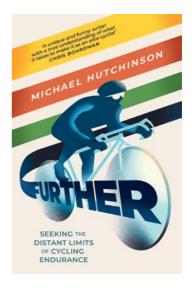
Seeking the Distant Limits of Cycling Endurance

Michael Hutchinson

A fun and enlightening book about endurance cycling by a former professional cyclist, author and writer for *Cycling Weekly*.

Further immerses the reader in the world of endurance cycling as well-known former professional cyclist Michael Hutchinson talks to ultra-distance athletes, exercise scientists, nutritionists and psychologists – 'those who've done it and those who understand it' – as he unpicks both the physical and mental demands, attempts to understand the key to successful endurance, and tries not to get himself accidentally killed while riding a frankly terrifying long-distance event.

'A unique and funny writer with a true understanding of what it takes to make it as an elite cyclist' Chris Boardman



Michael Hutchinson is a writer, journalist and former professional cyclist. As a rider he won multiple national titles in both Britain and Ireland and competed at the World Championships and the Commonwealth Games. He is the author of the award-winning *The Hour*, about his attempt on cycling's most famous and soughtafter record.



Sport

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All the Worst Humans

How I Made News for Dictators, Tycoons and Politicians

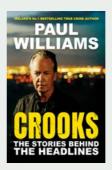
Phil Elwood

A bridge-burning, riotous memoir by a top PR operative exposing the secrets of a hidden £100 billion industry.

From helping win the Qatar World Cup bid to a four-day Las Vegas bacchanal with a dictator's son, the risky game of professional PR nearly cost Phil Elwood his life and his freedom. Now he's ready to pull back the curtain on the dark underbelly of a nefarious industry...

'Perhaps it's just a mark of how good he is at spin, but by the end I came round to rather liking the guy' *Guardian*

Phil Elwood is a public relations operative who has worked for some of the top – and bottom – PR firms in Washington.



Crooks

The Stories Behind the Headlines

Paul Williams

The inside story of the many crime cases Paul Williams has made news with over his forty-year career.

From pursuing the General to death threats from PJ 'The Psycho' Judge, exposing the Westies and tracking the Kinahan cartel, Paul's extraordinary career doubles as an eyewitness account of the evolution of organized crime in Ireland.

'Paul Williams is the outstanding journalist of his generation' Joe Duffy, RTÉ

Paul Williams is Ireland's leading crime writer and one of its most respected journalists. His courageous and groundbreaking investigative work has won him multiple awards.



Memoir

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AUGUST

True Crime

07 August 2025 • Paperback • £10.99 198X129 • 384pp • 9781805461210 Territories: World All Languages Rights: AU, E, SL, T, US Ebook • 9781805461203

A Very British Christmas

Rob Temple

The Very British Problems guide to navigating the festive season with lashings of awkwardness and mild despair.

A one-of-a-kind survival manual for everybody's least favourite aspect of the holiday season: having to spend it with your family.

From the forensic science that is gift giving – 'but what does this really convey about me as a person?' – to who sits where at the dining table, the nuances between a roast chicken and roast turkey, and how Boxing Day was probably invented so that people could finish games of Monopoly (if you are, that is, still talking to each other by that point), *A Very British Christmas* is a wryly hilarious celebration of Unbearably Awkward Britishness at the most Unbearably Awkward time of year.

Praise for Very British Problems:

'Had us guffawing into our Earl Grey tea' *Bella* 'Hilarious' *Daily Express*



Rob Temple, the man behind Very British Problems, is a Cambridge-based journalist who started @soverybritish in December 2012, and now has over 5M followers across Twitter, Instagram and Facebook. Crippled by social anxiety, he enjoys writing about being awkward because it's therapeutic to read comments which assure him that he's very far from alone when it comes to awkward behaviour.



OCTOBER

Gift

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How to Run an Indie Label

Alan McGee

A no-holds-barred rampage through gigs, clubs, boardrooms, drugs and booze... and a resilient wild spirit.

Nobody inhabits the spirit of the music business better than Alan McGee, whose nose for danger and ear for rock'n'roll brought us The Jesus and Mary Chain, Primal Scream, My Bloody Valentine and Oasis. In this unconventional instruction manual, he tells his story for the first time.

'A true believer in the power of music and more importantly a believer in the people that make music' Noel Gallagher

Alan McGee is the best-known label boss of the post-punk era and one of the last of the great music mavericks.



On The Ashes

Gideon Haigh

Published to coincide with the Ashes series in Australia in 2025/2026.

From over three decades of covering The Ashes, Gideon Haigh has brought together an enduring vision of this timeless contest between Australia and England – the world's oldest sporting rivalry – from the colonial era to the present day.

'The best cricket writer in the world' *Guardian*

Gideon Haigh has written about cricket in *The Australian, The Times, The Guardian,* the *Financial Times* and in over thirty books.



SEPTEMBER

Biography

05 September 2025 • TPB • £14.99 234X156 • 320pp • 9781838957995 Territories: UK C/Wealth ex Can Rights: AU, E, SL, T Ebook • 9781838958008

OCTOBER

Sport

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A Year in Numbers

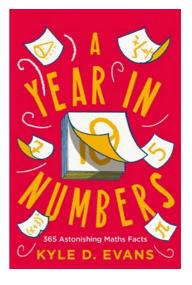
365 Astonishing Maths Facts

Kyle D. Evans

A collection of 365 numerical nuggets – one for each day of the year.

From going 'back to school' with arithmetic and times tables through prime numbers and all the way to the 12 Days of Chris-maths, this book features a collection of 365 fascinating numerical nuggets, accompanied by clear, bite-size explanations of the mathematics that underpin them.

'Kyle Evans has come up with the perfect format for a dip-in maths book... A highly enjoyable and serendipitous read!' Rob Eastaway, bestselling co-author of *Headscratchers*



Kyle D. Evans is a teacher and award-winning maths entertainer who has performed everywhere from Edinburgh Fringe to London's Science Museum.

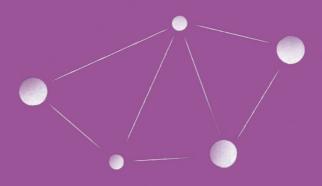


NOVEMBER

Popular Science

06 November 2025 • Paperback • £9.99 198X129 • 352pp • 9781838958930 Territories: World All Languages Rights: AU, E, SL, T, US Ebook • 9781838958923





Grove

Grove Press is an imprint of the renowned US publisher Grove Atlantic, who publish a boutique selection of their finest fiction and non-fiction into the UK market via Atlantic Books. Highlights for the second half of 2025 include Alex Foster's dazzling debut novel about a world spinning out of control, Thomas Perry's heart-pounding new thriller and Ingvild Rishøi's follow-up to the beloved *Brightly Shining*.



Cold Victory

Karl Marlantes

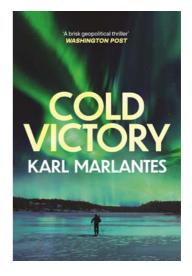
From bestselling author Karl Marlantes comes a propulsive and sweeping novel in which loyalty, friendship and love are put to the ultimate test.

Helsinki, 1947. Finland teeters between the Soviet Union and the West. Russian Natalya Bobrova and American Louise Koski are young wives of their country's military attachés. When they meet at an embassy party, their husbands, Arnie and Mikhail, drunkenly challenge each other to a friendly – but secret – cross-country ski race.

When Louise makes a naïve and possibly fatal mistake, she must reach Arnie to tell him to throw the race and save Mikhail from Stalin and Beria's brutal secret police. But the two skiers are in a world of their own, unreachable in Finland's arctic wilderness. Another masterful novel from the author of the modern classic *Matterhorn*, *Cold Victory* is a triumph.

'A brisk geopolitical thriller set in Finland at the beginning of the Cold War... More than a diplomatic thriller, *Cold Victory* is a keen and sensitive group portrait' *Washington Post*

'Better than Tom Clancy' Kirkus Reviews



Karl Marlantes graduated from Yale University and was a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford University before serving as a Marine in Vietnam, where he was awarded the Navy Cross, the Bronze Star, two Navy Commendation Medals for valour, two Purple Hearts and ten air medals. His bestselling books include Matterhorn.



MARCH

Thriller

06 March 2025 • Paperback • £9.99 198X129 • 368pp • 9781804711064 Territories: UK C/Wealth ex Can Rights: AU, E, SL Ebook • 9781804711071



When the Going Was Good

An Editor's Adventures During the Last Golden Age of Magazines

Graydon Carter

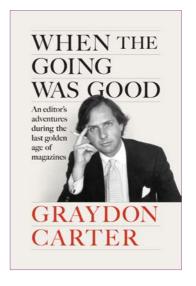
From the pages of *Vanity Fair* to the red carpets of Hollywood, this irresistible memoir revives the glamorous heyday of magazines.

Filled with colourful memories and intimate details, When the Going Was Good is Graydon Carter's lively recounting of how he made his mark as one of the most talented editors in the business. At Vanity Fair he assembled one of the most formidable stables of writers and photographers under one roof, and here he re-creates the steps he took to ensure it cemented its place as the epicentre of art, culture, business and politics, even as digital media took hold.

Charming, candid and brimming with stories, When the Going Was Good perfectly captures the last golden age of print magazines from the inside out.

'What a great read – but it had a downside. It served to remind me how unexciting, unremarkable, and uninteresting I am, especially compared to this Carter fellow' Larry David

'A splendidly-written and warm-hearted handbook for how to live, for how to be a friend and a leader and a parent and a partner and a dining companion that gets invited back' Lisa Taddeo



Graydon Carter is the founder of *Air Mail*. He co-created *Spy*, edited *The New York Observer* and for twenty-five years was the awardwinning editor of *Vanity Fair*. He is also the Emmy and Peabody Award-winning producer of more than a dozen documentaries and one hit Broadway play.



MARCH

Memoirs

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Circular Motion

Alex Foster

A brilliantly imagined literary debut of love, despair and two people's search for belonging in a world literally spinning out of control.

The acceleration of Earth's spin begins gradually. Awareness of the phenomenon hasn't reached Tanner, a young man who flees his Alaskan hometown to work at CWC, an organization which runs a network of aircraft that orbit the Earth, allowing people to visit Paris for an evening or order sushi from Japan.

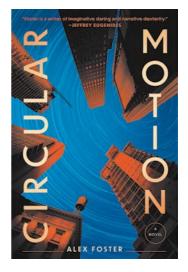
Meanwhile, high school outcast Winnie falls in with a group of activists who blame the company for the planet's acceleration.

As days on Earth quicken, Tanner and Winnie's stories spiral closer together. Three-hour days.. Two-hour days...

A propulsive exploration of capitalism, technology and our place within a system that dwarfs us, *Circular Motion* is one of the most ingenious debut novels of our time.

'An impressive debut. Foster is a writer of imaginative daring and narrative dexterity' Jeffrey Eugenides

'Circular Motion is a gift: every paragraph offers something to make you think, laugh, feel, or simply look up from the page and sigh in awe or recognition' Jonathan Safran Foer



Alex Foster received his MFA from New York University. He now edits books at Henry Holt & Company. Previously, he studied Economics at the University of Chicago and conducted research for the US government and for the World Bank's Gender Innovation Lab in West Africa.



JULY

Science Fiction
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Elaine

Will Self

A brilliant portrait of sublimated desire in a novel that reimagines the life of the author's mother.

As Elaine begins to push back against the strictures of her life in 1950s America, she undertakes a disastrous affair that ends her marriage and upends her life. Based on his mother's intimate diaries, *Elaine* shows Will Self working in an exciting new dimension.

'Elaine is not just a serious work of art, but an unexpected act of filial generosity' Guardian

Will Selfs many books include *Umbrella*, shortlisted for the Booker Prize, and the memoir *Will*. He lives in South London.



Devil in the Stack

A Coding Odyssey

Andrew Smith

An immersive journey into the world of computer code, told through the author's attempt to become a coder himself.

Devil in the Stack follows Andrew Smith on his trip into the world of coding, passing through the stories of logic, machine-learning and early computing up to the present moment, behind the scenes into the lives – and minds – of those who write code.

'Much of his absorbing book asks serious questions' *Mail on Sunday*

'Dense, prickly and rewarding' TLS

Andrew Smith has worked as a feature writer for the *Sunday Times*, the *Guardian*, the *Observer* and *The Face*. He lives in New York.



JULY

Modern & Contemporary Fiction 03 July 2025 • Paperback • £10.99 198X129 • 304pp • 9781804710494 Territories: UK C/Wealth ex Can Rights: E, SL Ebook • 9781804710487

AUGUST

Computer Programming

07 August 2025 • Paperback • £10.99 198X129 • 464pp • 978180471099 Territories: UK C/Wealth ex Can Rights: E, SL Ebook • 9781804710814

Pro Bono

Thomas Perry

A tenacious lawyer grapples with a dangerous group of thieves in this new thriller from the author of *The Old Man*.

Charles Warren has dedicated his legal career to aiding people in financial straits. In his newest case, helping a young widow find the money missing from her late husband's investment accounts, Charlie recognizes a familiar scheme – one that echoes the con job that targeted his mother many years before, and that led him, as a teenager, to commit a crime that still weighs on his conscience.

Within hours of starting his investigation, he is followed, shot at and has his briefcase stolen. As Charlie continues to pursue answers, he quickly becomes too entangled in the web of fraud, betrayal and career criminals surrounding the theft to escape its deadly snare...

Thomas Perry is the bestselling author of over thirty novels, including *Murder Book*, the critically acclaimed Jane Whitefield series, *The Old Man* and *The Butcher's Boy*, which won an Edgar Award. He lives in Southern California

'A modern master' Booklist

'Perry is a gifted storyteller with a perfect sense of pacing and a knack for conjuring up fascinating characters' *CrimeReads*

AUGUST

Thriller

07 August 2025 • Paperback • £9,99 198X129 • 368pp • 9781804711040 Territories: UK C/Wealth ex Can Rights: AU, E, SL Ebook • 9781804711057





Brightly Shining

Ingvild Rishøi Translated by Caroline Waight

Sold in twenty territories, this charming Norwegian Christmas tale will be read for years to come.

When Ronja helps her father get a job selling Christmas trees, it looks like their family's luck has turned... Slight in size but profound in content, *Brightly Shining* is a heartbreaking, funny and philosophical tale about the power of dreams and the kindness of strangers.

'Charming... this has the feel of a classic holiday tale' *Publishers Weekly*

'A deeply affecting story, beautifully told' Douglas Stuart

Ingvild Rishøi lives in Oslo. When *Brightly Shining* was published in Norway in 2021, it was instantly deemed a modern classic.



The Devil's Best Trick

A History of Evil

Randall Sullivan

A brilliantly researched narrative investigation of how humankind has identified and confronted evil.

Part true crime story, part historical account, part religious and literary analysis, *The Devil's Best Trick* is also a personal and profound rumination on crime, violence and the darkness in all of us. Randall Sullivan takes on a bold task in this book, essentially crafting a biography of the Devil.

'A master class in the difficult art of firstperson, narrative nonfiction' *New York Times*

Randall Sullivan was a contributing editor to *Rolling Stone* for over twenty years and has written many books. He lives in Oregon.



OCTOBER

Modern & Contemporary Fiction 02 October 2025 • Paperback • £8.99 198X129 • 192pp • 9781804710753 Territories: UK C/Wealth ex Can Rights: E, SL Ebook • 9781804710746

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Winter Stories

Ingvild Rishøi

Translated by Caroline Waight

Three contemporary tales about personal resilience in the face of adversity from the bestselling author of *Brightly Shining*.

In Winter Stories, we meet a teenager on the run from social services with her younger half-sister and half-brother in tow, a young single mother struggling to provide adequately for her daughter, and an ex-convict striving to overcome personal shortcomings and build a relationship with his son. We watch these characters stumble, fall and climb to their feet again, even though the deck inevitably seems to be stacked against them.

With empathy and sensitivity, Rishøi beautifully illuminates the vulnerability of the human condition. In a time when levels of scepticism and distrust are rising, these stories remind us of the humanity that unites us all.

Praise for Brightly Shining:

This moving tale, with not a single wasted word, asks how we keep going when hope fades... leaning on the power of imagination and connection to find a way forward' *Booklist*

'A dazzling contemporary fable' Lily King



Ingvild Rishøi was born and raised in Oslo. She has published several collections of stories and her debut novel *Brightly Shining* was published in Norway in 2021. It was instantly deemed a modern classic, solidifying her position as one of Scandinavia's most revered literary voices.

NOVEMBER

Short Stories

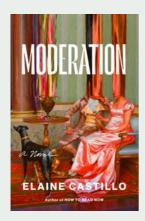
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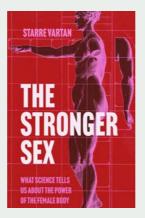
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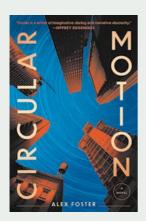
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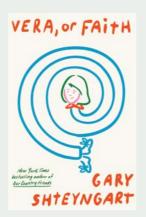
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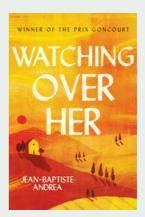
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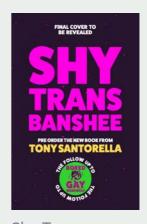
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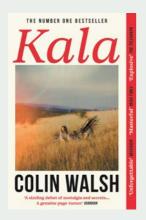


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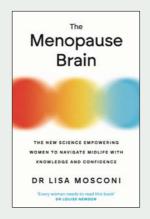
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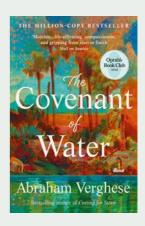
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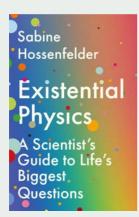
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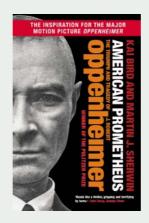
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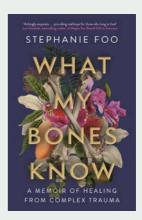
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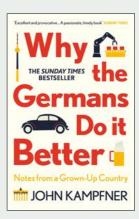
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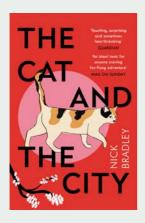
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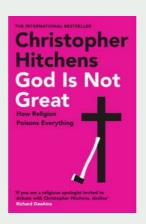
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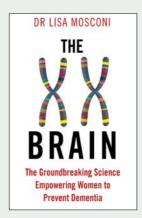
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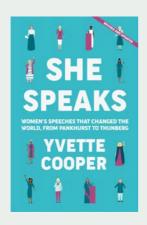
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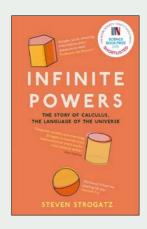
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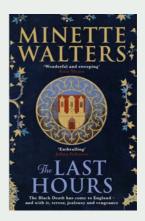
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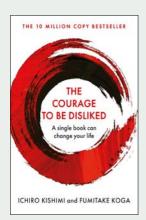
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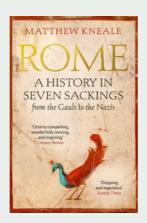
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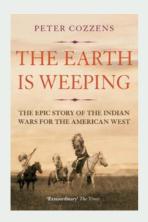
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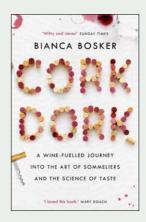
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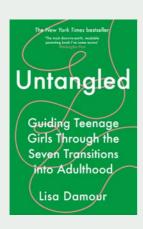
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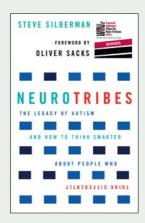
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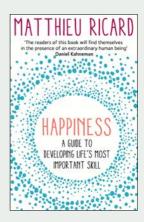
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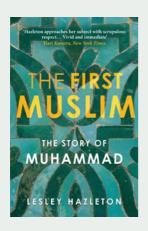
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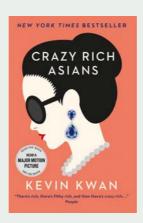
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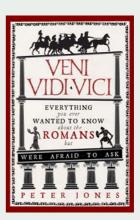
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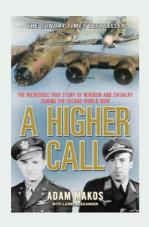
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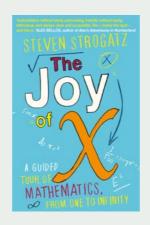
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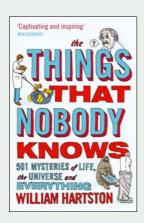
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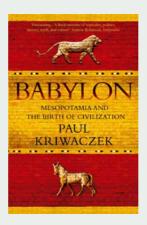
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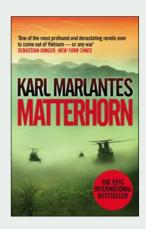
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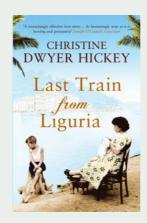
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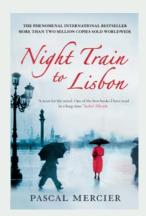
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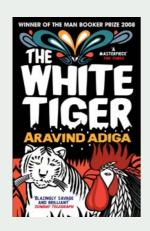
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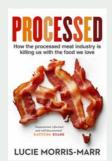
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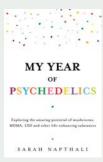
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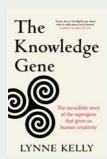
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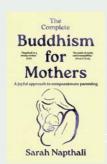
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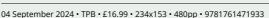
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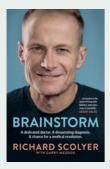
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