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Biography

Heart to Serve, A: The Passion to Bring Hope, Health, and Healing

Frist, Bill. Center Street (Grand Central Pub). 9781599950167. \$24.99. Pages 304.

A former U.S. Senate majority leader shares his experience as a heart surgeon and a senator and encourages readers to help others, risk failure, and challenge the status quo, in a book where the Republican politician reveals his views of stem-cell research, Medicare, and Medicaid and his passion to help African refugees. 6" x 9". (biography & autobiography)

Hollywood Monster: A Walk Down Elm Street with the Man of Your Dreams

Englund, Robert, with Alan Goldsher. Forewords by Wes Craven and Tobe Hooper. Pocket Bks. 9781439150481. \$26.00. Pages 352.

The man most famous for playing Freddy Krueger in the A Nightmare on Elm Street series reveals his most intimate stories from twenty years on the set, in a memoir that includes never-before-seen photos from the author's personal collection, including many from the sets of the horror films. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

House of Cards: Love, Faith, and Other Social Expressions

Dickerson, David. Riverhead Bks (Penguin Group). 9781594488818. \$24.95. Pages 240.

Describes how the author's long-awaited dream job at Hallmark was challenged by his fundamentalist upbringing and social awkwardness that made it difficult for him to write relatable card sentiments, in a whimsical account that chronicles his bumpy journey toward maturity. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

How to Be a Movie Star: Elizabeth Taylor in Hollywood

Mann, William J. Houghton Mifflin. 9780547134642. \$28.00. Pages 496.

The author of the New York Times Notable Book *Kate: The Woman Who Was Hepburn* pulls back the curtain on an unseen Elizabeth Taylor, revealing a genius at big-time stardom and a heroine whose rebellion changed Hollywood. 6" x 9". (biography & autobiography)

I Am the New Black**

Morgan, Tracy, with Anthony Bozza. Spiegel & Grau (Random House). 9780385527774. \$25.00. Pages 272.

The comedic actor known for his work on *Saturday Night Live* and *30 Rock* chronicles his life from his youth in the Coney Island projects and the death of his Vietnam veteran and AIDS victim father to his discovery by Martin Lawrence and Lorne Michaels and his battles with diabetes and alcoholism. TV tie-in. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

Manhood for Amateurs: The Pleasures and Regrets of a Husband, Father, and Son**

Chabon, Michael. Harper. 9780061490187. \$25.99. Pages 320.

The best-selling author of *The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay* and a Pulitzer Prize winner questions what it means to be a man today in a series of interlinked autobiographical series of reflections, regrets, and reexaminations, each sparked by an encounter, in the present, that holds some legacy of the past. 200,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

Mennonite in a Little Black Dress: A Memoir of Going Home

Janzen, Rhoda. Henry Holt. 9780805089257. \$22.00. Pages 256.

A poet describes how, after her husband of fifteen years left her for a relationship with a man and she subsequently was seriously injured in a car crash, she returned home to her close-knit Mennonite family and came to terms with her failed marriage and the choices that both freed and entrapped her. 50,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

Mutineer: Rants, Ravings and Missives from the Mountaintop 1977-2005, The

Thompson, Hunter S. Ed by Douglas Brinkley. Simon & Schuster. 9780684873176. \$35.00. Pages 752.

The final volume of a three-volume collection from the late king of Gonzo journalism features correspondence with friends, enemies, editors, and notable political and entertainment figures, and shows the author exercising his distinctive voice as an observer of and participant in modern American history. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

My Journey with Farrah: A Story of Life, Love, and Friendship**

Stewart, Alana. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061960581. \$23.99. Pages 288.

The author pays tribute to her beloved and amazing friend, Farrah Fawcett, and the indelible, loving friendship they shared, from becoming models in the 1970s through Farrah's valiant final days battling with cancer. 200,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 7 5/8". (biography & autobiography)

My Life Outside the Ring

Hogan, Hulk, with Mark Dagostino. St. Martin's Pr. 9780312588892. \$25.99. Pages 320.

The world wrestling champion shares the story of his life behind his public persona, describing his humble origins and scandal-marked athletic career to the recent challenges that have broken up his family and prompted his struggles with depression. 150,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

Neverland: J. M. Barrie, the Du Mauriers, and the Dark Side of Peter Pan

Dudgeon, Piers. Pegasus Bks (Norton). 9781605980638. \$26.95. Pages 384.

Tells the tragic story of the author of the beloved children's novel, who learned hypnosis to captivate and psychologically abuse a family with whom he had become obsessed, the very family that inspired the *Darlings of Peter Pan*, in a book that relates how Barrie altered a Du Maurier family member's will after her death and drove several others to nervous breakdown and suicide. 6" x 9". (biography & autobiography)

Official Book Club Selection: A Memoir According to Kathy Griffin**

Griffin, Kathy. Ballantine. 9780345518514. \$25.00. Pages 336.

The comedian and Emmy-winning self-proclaimed "D-list" star celebrates those who supported her on her rise to fame and also offers intimate details about her life, in a humorous look at the funny woman's life. . (biography & autobiography)

Permission Slips: Every Woman's Guide to Giving Yourself a Break**

Shepherd, Sherri. Grand Central Pub. 9780446547420. \$24.99. Pages 288.

A cohost of *The View* shares the story of her life and the secrets she has learned throughout her successful career, counseling women on how to pursue their most important dreams while covering such topics as faith, marriage, and parenthood. 6" x 9". (biography & autobiography)

Rowing the Atlantic: Lessons Learned on the Open Ocean

Savage, Roz. Simon & Schuster. 9781416583288. \$24.00. Pages 256.

Offers an an inspirational story of how one woman traded an unhappy job and marriage for a 103-day solo voyage across the Atlantic Ocean, powered only by muscle, grit, and determination, in an account by the first woman to ever row from California to Hawaii. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

Sisters Who Would Be Queen, The: Mary, Katherine, and Lady Jane Grey: A Tudor Tragedy

De Lisle, Leanda. Ballantine. 9780345491350. \$30.00. Pages 352.

An extensive account evaluates the tragic story of Lady Jane Grey while offering insight into the parallel experiences of her sisters and the broader Grey family, detailing Jane's short reign and the royal bloodline that exposed all three to Elizabeth I's enmity. By the author of *After Elizabeth*. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

Strange Things Happen: A Life with The Police, Polo, and Pygmies

Copeland, Stewart. HarperStudio (HarperCollins). 9780061791499. \$19.99. Pages 336.

The drummer for *The Police* relates the story of his amazing life--from his childhood as the son of a CIA agent to his adventures with Pygmies in the Congo, from his passion for polo to the formation of *The Police* and their rise to stardom--in an illustrated book that also details the band's reunion tour and the author's relationship with bandmate Sting. 50,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

True Compass**

Kennedy, Edward M. Twelve (Grand Central Pub). 9780446539258. \$35.00. Pages 512.

A memoir by the senator and youngest sibling of John F. Kennedy shares his personal perspectives on the tragedies that have shaped his family, his long political career, the major events of today's world, and his recent health battles. 6" x 9". (biography & autobiography)

Two Coots in a Canoe: A Story of Friendship

Morine, David E.. Globe Pequot Pr. 9780762754595. \$22.95. Pages 320.

A conservationist tells the story of him and his friend, retired CEO Ramsay Peard, and their canoe trip down the Connecticut River, where they relied on the kindness of strangers instead of camping and heard the stories of those with whom they stayed, in a book where the author explains that he had no idea that his friend's innermost thoughts had taken a fateful course. 5 1/4" x 7 1/8". (biography & autobiography)

Untitled Memoir**

Swayze, Patrick & Niemi, Lisa. Atria (Simon & Schuster). 9781439118207. \$26.00. Pages 336.

The film and television star known for his roles in Dirty Dancing, Ghost, and North and South and his wife offer a timely and heartfelt memoir about his life, marriage, career, and brave battle against pancreatic cancer, an account that aims to serve as an inspiration to families everywhere. 6" x 9". (biography & autobiography)

Untitled: A Memoir

Cleland, Max, with Ben Raines. Simon & Schuster. 9781439126059. \$26.00. Pages 304.

A former U.S. Senator and head of the Veterans Administration offers a raw and frank guide to the challenges of recovering from war, detailing his own experiences as soldier in the Vietnam War, where he became a triple amputee, and his subsequent battles with recovery and PTSD. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (biography & autobiography)

General Nonfiction

American Civil War: A Military History, The

Keegan, John. Knopf (Random House). 9780307263438. \$35.00. Pages 416.

Analyzes conundrums attributed to the war from its mismatched sides to the absence of decisive outcomes for dozens of skirmishes, in an account that offers insight into the war's psychology, ideology, and economics while also discussing the pivotal roles of leadership and geography. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (history -- military history)

America's Prophet: Moses and the American Story

Feiler, Bruce. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780060574888. \$26.99. Pages 368.

The best-selling author of Walking the Bible and Abraham uncovers the story of Moses's role in American history and how the biblical prophet can provide meaning in a time of national crisis, in a book that draws on thorough research and the author's travels. 200,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (history -- united states)

Animal Magnetism: My Life with Creatures Great and Small

Brown, Rita Mae. Ballantine. 9780345511799. \$25.00. Pages 304.

A tribute to the Emmy-nominated screenwriter's friendships with numerous animals includes descriptions of such companions as her grandmother's rascal parrot, a courageous Doberman, and her best-selling "co-author" tiger cat, Sneaky Pie. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (pets)

Architects of Ruin: How a Generation of Liberal Activists, Politicians, and Bankers Brought the Global Economy to Its Knees

Schweizer, Peter. Harper. 9780061953347. \$23.99. Pages 256.

A conservative historian and the best-selling author of Do as I Say (Not as I Do): Profiles in Liberal Hypocrisy argues that the economic crisis was caused by liberals who used the power of government to create a subprime mortgage bubble that has ravaged the global economy. 6" x 9". (business & economics)

Arguing with Idiots

Beck, Glenn. Threshold Editions (Pocket Bks). 9781416595014. \$29.99. Pages 304.

In a book packed with humor, illustrations, and sidebars, the FOX News star and best-selling author of An Inconvenient Book provides all the information one needs to tackle--and win--political arguments. 7 3/8" x 9 1/8". (political science)

Barack Like Me: The Chocolate Covered Truth

Grier, David Alan. Touchstone (Simon & Schuster). 9781439154922. \$24.99. Pages 256.

The acclaimed comedian known from In Living Color and Comedy Central's Chocolate News expounds on politics, culture, and race while recounting his own life story in this edgy look at America, before and after Barack Obama. 6" x 9". (humor)

Beyond America's Grasp: A Century of Failed Diplomacy in the Middle East

Cohen, Stephen P. Farrar, Straus & Giroux. 9780374281243. \$26.00. Pages 320.

A forefront middle east authority traces the origins of U.S. policy in the region to the breakup of the Ottoman Empire, contending that early diplomatic failures established a pattern that has shaped subsequent conflicts, in an account that evaluates the pivotal contributions of Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt. 6" x 9". (current affairs)

Big Burn, The: Teddy Roosevelt and the Fire That Saved America

Egan, Timothy. Houghton Mifflin. 9780618968411. \$27.00. Pages 352.

Offers a dramatic account of the largest-ever forest fire in America, which cemented Teddy Roosevelt's legacy because the heroism shown by the forest rangers turned public opinion permanently in favor of the forests, which Roosevelt wanted to conserve, in a book by a Pulitzer Prize and National Book Award winner. 75,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (history - - united states)

Big Man

Clemons, Clarence, with Don Reo. Grand Central Pub. 9780446546263. \$26.99. Pages 366.

The E Street Band member describes remarkable stories of adventures shared with Bruce Springsteen and their fellow performers as well as when the author was on his own, describing bizarre encounters, inspirational moments, and acts of kindness that inspired popular songs. 6" x 9". (music)

Bon Jovi: When We Were Beautiful**

. Collins Design (HarperCollins). 9780061864155. \$30.00. Pages 208.
Timed to be released at the same time as a documentary on the band, an insider portrait of four men from New Jersey that rose to stardom is the first ever official Bon Jovi book and uses 350 full-color illustrations, including exclusive photos, and revealing text to profile the hit-makers. 150,000 first printing. 9 1/2" x 11 1/2". (music)

Book of Basketball, The: The NBA According to The Sports Guy**

Simmons, Bill. Foreword by Malcolm Gladwell. Ballantine. 9780345511768. \$30.00. Pages 448.
A lively and opinionated tour of the past, present, and future of pro basketball, written by ESPN's "Sports Guy" columnist, shares provocative insights on everything from major NBA events and underrated players to how the author believes Hall of Famers should be selected. By an award-winning author. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (sports & recreation)

Book of Love, The: Every Couple's Guide to Emotional and Sexual Intimacy

Berman, Dr. Laura. DK Pub. 9780756653200. \$25.00. Pages 256.
The best-selling author of Real Sex for Real Women provides an even split of sex and relationship advice, in a guide that addresses male and female issues equally and includes helpful "relationship rule" fact boxes along the way. . (family & relationships)

Bright-Sided: How Positive Thinking Undermines America**

Ehrenreich, Barbara. Metropolitan Bks (Henry Holt). 9780805087499. \$23.00. Pages 240.
The best-selling author of Bait and Switch exposes the downside of America's penchant for positive thinking, which she believes leads to self-blame and a preoccupation with stamping out "negative" thoughts on a personal level, and, on a national level, has brought on economic disaster. 150,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (social science)

Brown Fat Revolution, The: Trigger Your Body's Good Fat to Lose Weight and Be Healthier

Lyons, James R., MD. St. Martin's Pr. 9780312595401. \$24.99. Pages 288.
A plastic surgeon reveals his discover that there is a healthy "brown fat" in the body that lets people look younger and healthier and explains to readers how to turn harmful "yellow fat" into brown fat through a monthly diet that alternates between carbohydrates and proteins and a monthly exercise routine centered around weights. . (health & fitness)

Cheating Death**

Gupta, Sanjay. Wellness Central (Grand Central Pub). 9780446508872. \$24.99. Pages 288.
The CNN doctor documents emerging scientific technologies and understandings by doctors to explain how patients with conditions that were once considered terminal are able to lead healthy and productive lives, drawing on extensive case files of unprecedented recoveries. TV tie-in. 100,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (health & fitness)

Classic Christmas, A

Mark Gilroy Creative, packager. HarperOne (HarperCollins). 9780061893872. \$14.99. Pages 256.
Gathers spiritual reflections on Christmas from great Christian thinkers, including C. S. Lewis, Pope John Paul II, and more; literature by the likes of Louisa May Alcott and Charles Dickens; poetry; musical lyrics; and Bible passages, in an illustrated gift book for the yuletide season. 100,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 7 3/8". (holidays & celebrations)

Command and Control

Schlosser, Eric. Penguin Pr (Penguin Group). 9781594202278. \$27.95. Pages 352.
The author of Fast Food Nation presents a minute-by-minute account of an H-bomb accident that nearly caused a nuclear disaster, examining other near misses and what the author perceives as America's growing susceptibility to a catastrophic event. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (history -- military history)

Complete Vader, The (Star Wars®)

Windham, Ryder & Vilmur, Peter. Foreword by Stephen J. Sansweet. Del Rey/Ballantine. 9780345511041. \$60.00. Pages 192.
A lavishly illustrated fan's portrait traces the complete story of the infamous Star Wars villain, exploring his history, myth, and cultural impact while providing coverage of both his development by George Lucas and spin-off tales as portrayed in comics and novels. 9" x 13". (media tie-ins)

Conquering Fear: Living Boldly in an Uncertain World

Kushner, Harold S. Knopf (Random House). 9780307266644. \$23.95. Pages 192.
The best-selling author of When Bad Things Happen to Good People combines anecdotal perspectives with teachings from religious and secular literature to counsel readers on how to address fear, providing specific recommendations for prayer, service, and becoming informed. 5 5/8" x 8 3/8". (self-help)

Counterfeit Gods: The Empty Promises of Money, Sex, and Power, and the Only Hope that Matters

Keller, Timothy. Dutton (Penguin Group). 9780525951360. \$19.95. Pages 192.
Arguing that happiness can only be obtained through God, the best-selling author of The Prodigal God explains how people are preconditioned to pursue "false idols" in the form of relationships, money, and careers, outlining a biblically based path to lasting fulfillment. 5" x 7 1/4". (religion -- christianity)

Crush It! Why NOW Is the Time to Cash in on Your Passion

Vaynerchuk, Gary. HarperStudio (HarperCollins). 9780061914171. \$19.99. Pages 160.

A wine entrepreneur shows readers how to find their passion and turn it into a flourishing, monetized business, in a book by an author who knows how to turn social-media tools to one's advantage. 50,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (business & economics)

D-Day: The Battle for Normandy

Beevor, Antony. Viking (Penguin Group). 9780670021192. \$32.95. Pages 608.

The award-winning author of Stalingrad presents an account of the Normandy invasion that offers insight into the experiences of soldiers and French civilians, documenting the heavy casualties suffered on all fronts and the ways in which the war influenced relations between America and Europe. 6" x 9". (history -- military history)

Dead Hand, The: The Untold Story of the Cold War Arms Race and Its Dangerous Legacy

Hoffman, David E. Doubleday (Random House). 9780385524377. \$35.00. Pages 496.

A history of the end of the arms race describes the Soviet Union's development of an automatic retaliatory attack system, the United States's efforts to create space-based missile defenses, and the struggle to prevent nuclear weapons from being acquired by terrorists. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (history -- military history)

Defend the Realm: A Centenary History of MI 5

Andrew, Christopher. Knopf (Random House). 9780307263636. \$40.00. Pages 704.

Reveals the role of the Security Service in twentieth-century British history while offering insight into its management and relationship with the government, in an account that addresses a variety of misconceptions and identifies previously unknown enemies of the United Kingdom. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (history -- general)

Dream Big! O's Guide to Discovering Your Best Life (The Best of O, The Oprah Magazine)

The Editors of O, The Oprah Magazine. Oxmoor House (Hachette). 9780848732837. \$29.95. Pages 320.

A guide that includes timely advice and over seventy-five empowering, inspiring articles from the popular magazine covers all the top topics--from Diet & Exercise to Couples to advice from Dr. Phil and Suze Orman-- and boasts over three hundred full-color photos. 8" x 10". (self-help)

Drinking with George

Wendt, George. Simon Spotlight (Simon & Schuster). 9781439149584. \$24.99. Pages 256.

Featuring lively anecdotes from the many hours spent at the author's favorite Boston pub, the star of Cheers covers everything related to the beer-drinker's lifestyle, with a mixture of real knowledge of the hops and tongue-and-cheek tips for the ultimate beer-drinking experience. 5 1/2" x 8 7/16". (humor)

Eating the Dinosaur

Klosterman, Chuck. Scribner (Simon & Schuster). 9781416544203. \$25.00. Pages 256.

The best-selling author of Downtown Owl and Sex, Drugs, and Cocoa Puffs takes a humorous look at expectations versus reality in pop culture, sports, and media, in a book that explores such questions as: Why is pop culture obsessed with time travel?; What do Kurt Cobain and David Koresh have in common?; and much more. 5 1/2" x 8 7/16". (popular culture)

Fit Home Team: How to Have Healthy, Happy Habits for Exercise

Posada, Laura & Posada, Jorge. Atria (Simon & Schuster). 9781439109311. \$25.00. Pages 224.

In a fun-filled, full-color book, the New York Yankees' All-Star catcher and his wife give readers a complete resource for making health and fitness a regular part of family life, in a guide that includes photos, exercises, activities, strategies, and recipes. 6" x 9". (health & fitness)

Fourth Star, The: Four Generals and the Epic Struggle for the Future of the United States Army

Cloud, David & Jaffe, Greg. Crown (Random House). 9780307409065. \$28.00. Pages 304.

Profiles four influential army generals including John Abizaid, George Casey, Peter Chiarelli, and David Petraeus, documenting their insights into the Middle East and military strategy, the personal factors that shaped their careers, and the resistance they faced by the Bush administration. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (current affairs)

Game Six: Cincinnati, Boston, and the 1975 World Series: The Triumph of America's Pastime**

Frost, Mark. Hyperion. 9781401323103. \$26.99. Pages 304.

Drawing on interviews with nearly all the players involved--as well as fans, sportscasters, and historians--a riveting account recreates what many consider to be the most exciting baseball game ever played, an extra-innings classic that featured such players as Pete Rose and Carl Yastrzemski. From the best-selling author of The Match. 150,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (sports & recreation)

Greatest Show on Earth, The: The Evidence for Evolution

Dawkins, Richard. Free Pr (Simon & Schuster). 9781416594789. \$30.00. Pages 352.

The acclaimed author of The God Delusion and Selfish Gene lays out evidence in defense of the theory of evolution in a thrilling tour into our distant past and into the interstices of life on Earth that will be released in time for the 150th anniversary of Charles Darwin's On the Origin of Species. 6" x 9". (science)

Guardians of Being**

Tolle, Eckhart. Illus by Patrick McDonnell. New World Lib (PGW). 9781577316718. \$18.00. Pages 128.

A author of The Power of Now and A New Earth and the creator of the Mutts comic strip team up to bring a collection of inspiring life lessons that provoke thought, insight, and reverence for every moment. 200,000 first printing. \$100,000 ad/promo. 8 1/2" x 6 3/4". (inspiration)

Heidegger and a Hippo Walk Through Those Pearly Gates: Using Philosophy (and Jokes!) to Explain Life,

Death, the Afterlife, and Everything in Between

Cathcart, Thomas & Klein, Daniel. Viking (Penguin Group). 9780670020836. \$19.95. Pages 256.

The best-selling authors of *Plato and a Platypus Walk into a Bar* explore death and the afterlife from lighthearted philosophical, theological, and psychological perspectives that consider that death may not be such a pessimism-inducing state. 5" x 7". (humor)

Intellectual Devotional Health, The: Revive Your Mind, Complete Your Education, and Digest a Daily Dose of Wellness Wisdom

Kidder, David S. & Oppenheim, Noah D., with Bruce K. Young, MD. Rodale Pr (St. Martin's Pr). 9781605299495. \$24.00. Pages 384.

The fourth installment in a best-selling series offers 365 daily doses of fascinating facts about the human body, organized into seven categories, one for each day of the way, in a book where readers will learn about child and adolescent health, the mystery of the mind, sexuality and reproduction, and more. 5 1/4" x 8". (health & fitness)

Knock-Out: Doctors Who Are Curing Cancer--And How to Prevent Getting It in the First Place

Somers, Suzanne. Crown (Random House). 9780307587466. \$25.99. Pages 336.

Draws on the expertise of eight doctors whose cutting-edge methods are enabling unprecedented cures, sharing the celebrity author's personal experiences as well as the survival stories of other cancer patients while identifying lifestyle strategies and challenging mainstream practices. By the best-selling author of *Ageless*. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (health & fitness)

Man Who Lives with Wolves, The

Ellis, Shaun, with Penny Junor. Harmony Bks (Random House). 9780307464538. \$24.99. Pages 288.

The star of *Living with the Wolfman* shares the story of his decision to protect the world's wolves by giving up human ties to live among wolves, describing his efforts in the wilds of England's Norfolk and on Idaho's Nez Perce Indian reservation where he makes homes with two packs in captivity. TV tie-in. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (nature)

Moon River and Me

Williams, Andy. Viking (Penguin Group). 9780670021178. \$25.95. Pages 320.

A personal account of the "King of Hearts" platinum singer documents his more than seven-decade career in entertainment, describing his favorite memories with numerous fellow celebrities, his experiences as a Las Vegas headliner, and his nostalgic variety show. 6" x 9". (performing arts)

News of the World

Levine, Philip. Knopf (Random House). 9780307272232. \$25.00. Pages 80.

A volume of prose poems and formal verses by the National Book Award- and Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Simple Truth* includes pieces on such subjects as breakfasting late-shift Detroit auto workers, a woman who sings with the Spanish dawn, and an Andorran communist black-market supplier. 6" x 9". (poetry)

Nothing to Envy: Ordinary Lives in North Korea

Demick, Barbara. Spiegel & Grau (Random House). 9780385523905. \$26.00. Pages 288.

An analysis of North Korea throughout the past fifteen years as reflected by the lives of six everyday citizens traces their struggles for survival under totalitarian governance, including coverage of the death of Kim Il Sung, the rise of Kim Jong Il, and the famine that has killed countless people. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (current affairs)

Now or Never: Why We Must Act Now to End Climate Change and Create a Sustainable Future

Flannery, Tim. Atlantic Monthly Pr (PGW). 9780802118981. \$18.00. Pages 176.

The best-selling author of *The Weather Makers* offers a powerful argument for immediate action on climate change and a wide-range of ideas to help solve the crisis, in a book that looks at all the major issues--from balancing energy demands and food supply in India and China to the possibility of a viable electric car that could spell the end of big oil. 5" x 7 1/4". (nature)

PostSecret: Confessions of Life, Death, and God, No. 5**

Warren, Frank. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061859335. \$22.99. Pages 288.

The fifth volume in the popular series focuses on a collection of post cards that the author received that deal with life, death, faith, and belief, laying bare the confessions of people at every stage of life and of every major faith--or no faith at all--and offering a snapshot of who we are today. 200,000 first printing. 7 1/4" x 5 1/4". (social science)

Power of Respect, The: How You Can Benefit from the Most Forgotten Element of Success**

Norville, Deborah. Thomas Nelson. 9780785227601. \$19.99. Pages 176.

An Inside Edition anchor and best-selling author shares her research on the importance of respect--a topic that she divides into: learning self-respect, gaining respect, and showing respect--as a key to success, covering such issues as a healthy self-image, creating personal boundaries, and more. 5 3/8" x 8 1/4". (self-help)

Puppyhood: How to Raise the Perfect Dog

Millan, Cesar, with Melissa Jo Peltier. Harmony Bks (Random House). 9780307461292. \$25.99. Pages 320.

The star of *Dog Whisperer* presents a wealth of advice, tips, and techniques for ideally raising a puppy, addressing a range of common concerns from selecting a compatible breed and meeting health needs to housebreaking essentials and achieving ideal behavior. TV tie-in. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (pets)

Reading Jesus: A Writer's Encounter with the Gospels

Gordon, Mary. Pantheon Bks (Random House). 9780375424571. \$24.00. Pages 224.

A lifelong Christian evaluates the differences between her beliefs and those of fellow Christians, describing her efforts to study Jesus as a character of the Gospels, in an analysis of biblical stories through which the author developed a greater awareness of Jesus as a deity in human form. By an O. Henry Award-winning author. 5 5/8" x 6 1/4". (religion -- christianity)

Reinventing the Body, Resurrecting the Soul: How to Create a New You**

Chopra, Deepak. Harmony Bks (Random House). 9780307452337. \$25.00. Pages 304.

Continues the best-selling author's philosophies as introduced in *Ageless Body, Timeless Mind* to counsel readers on how to remake oneself in accordance with chosen ideals, explaining how the body reflects a person's experiences and stress levels and how to transform oneself internally and externally. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (health & fitness)

Revolution 1989: The Fall of the Soviet Empire

Sebestyen, Victor. Pantheon Bks (Random House). 9780375425325. \$28.95. Pages 336.

Documents the collapse of the Soviet Union's European empires and the transition of each to independent states, drawing on interviews with everyday people and newly uncovered archival material to offer insight into 1989's rapid changes and the USSR's minimal resistance. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (history -- general)

Saving Cinnamon: The Amazing True Story of a Missing Military Puppy and the Desperate Mission to Bring Her Home

Sullivan, Christine. St. Martin's Pr. 9780312596286. \$24.99. Pages 240.

A tale set against a backdrop of the war in Afghanistan describes how a navy reservist stationed in Kandahar adopted a stray puppy that went missing, recounting an ensuing search that led to the author's foundation of an international animal rescue operation. 40,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (pets)

Secrets of the Short Game

Mickelson, Phil, with Guy Yocom and T. R. Reinman. Harper. 9780061860928. \$29.99. Pages 224.

A pro-golf legend details how to master every phase of the short game, maintaining that any golfer with a average ability can become a deadly short-game player through a blend of science (proper mechanics and setup) and art (imagination and feel), in a book with two hundred photos that draws on the author's PGA wisdom. 200,000 first printing. 8 1/2" x 10 7/8". (sports & recreation)

Simpsons, The: An Uncensored, Unauthorized History

Ortved, John. Faber & Faber (Farrar, Straus & Giroux). 9780865479883. \$27.00. Pages 432.

An unstinting behind-the-scenes history of the popular animated series traces its rise from an animated short on *The Tracy Ullman Show* to a mainstream institution while exposing alleged clashes between its studio executives and creative producers. 60,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (popular culture)

SuperFreakonomics: Tales of Altruism, Terrorism, and Poorly Paid Prostitutes

Levitt, Steven D. & Dubner, Stephen J.. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780060889579. \$29.99. Pages 320.

In a follow-up to the best-seller *Freakonomics*, the authors offer a new analysis that is bigger, more provocative, and sure to challenge the way readers think all over again. 750,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (business & economics)

Too Big to Fail: The Inside Story of How Wall Street and Washington Fought to Save the Financial System from Crisis--and Lost

Sorkin, Andrew Ross. Viking (Penguin Group). 9780670021253. \$27.95. Pages 352.

An award-winning New York Times reporter presents a moment-by-moment account of the recent financial collapse that documents state efforts to prevent an economic disaster, offering insight into the pivotal consequences of decisions made throughout the past decade. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (business & economics)

Trade-Off: Why Some Things Catch On, and Others Don't

Maney, Kevin. Broadway Bks (Random House). 9780385525947. \$23.00. Pages 224.

Shares insight into cultural and regional factors that influence why various companies and products are successful or unsuccessful, analyzing the dynamic between quality and cost and how it directly influences consumer decisions as demonstrated by the examples of leading businesses. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (business & economics)

Trump Card, The: Playing to Win in Work and Life

Trump, Ivanka. Touchstone (Simon & Schuster). 9781439140017. \$24.99. Pages 256.

The daughter of Donald Trump, a judge on *The Apprentice*, and a rising star in the business world, the author offers a guide for young women on achieving success, including advice on getting the best salary, how to see opportunity in tough times, how to thrive in fields dominated by men, and much more. 6" x 9". (business & economics)

Tyranny of Email, The: The Four-Thousand-Year Journey to Your Inbox

Freeman, John. Scribner (Simon & Schuster). 9781416576730. \$25.00. Pages 224.

The award-winning former president of the National Book Critics Circle traces a short history of the human need for correspondence and examines the astonishing growth of email--and how it is changing our lives, not always for the better. 6" x 9". (social science)

Untitled on Celebrities and Their Pets

Friedman, Kinky. Simon & Schuster. 9781416592785. \$24.95. Pages 240.

The author, who also runs Utopia Animal Rescue Ranch, offers plenty of stories about his famous friends and their pets--including Willie Nelson, who saves horses from slaughtering plants; Jimmy Buffet and his devotion to manatees, and many more--in a book that also includes candid photos. 5 3/4" x 8 1/16". (pets)

Weekends at Bellevue

Holland, Julie. Bantam Bks (Random House). 9780553807660. \$25.00. Pages 336.

Documents a psychiatrist's employment at New York City's Bellevue Hospital while sharing the life lessons she learned from her patients and colleagues, describing some of the more remarkable cases of her career, her friendship with a

cancer-stricken mentor, and their influences on her family life. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (psychology)

We'll Be Here for the Rest of Our Lives: A Swingin' Show-Biz Saga

Shaffer, Paul, with David Ritz. Doubleday (Random House). 9780385524834. \$26.00. Pages 352.

The leader of David Letterman's band shares the story of his career from his youth in a remote Canadian town and work for Saturday Night Live to his achievements at the Sullivan Theater and observations about such stars as John Belushi and Britney Spears. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (performing arts)

What Americans Really Want ... Really

Luntz, Dr. Frank. Hyperion. 9781401322816. \$24.99. Pages 288.

The best-selling author of Words that Work draws on over a decade of research, including a survey conducted specifically for the book, to reveal what Americans truly want--including personal priorities, daily habits, private desires, elected officials, in the workplace, and more--and what it means for business. 150,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (business & economics)

When Everything Changed: The Amazing Journey of American Women from 1960 to the Present

Collins, Gail. Little, Brown. 9780316059541. \$27.99. Pages 480.

A follow-up to America's Women by a former New York Times editorial page editor chronicles the revolution of women's civil rights throughout the past half century, drawing on oral history and research in a variety of disciplines while celebrating Hillary Clinton's recent presidential campaign. 75,000 first printing. 6" x 9 1/4". (history -- united states)

Whitopia: True Adventures on America's White Frontier

Benjamin, Rich. Hyperion. 9781401322687. \$24.99. Pages 288.

Citing predictions that white citizens will no longer represent the American majority by the mid-twentieth century, a report on a growing trend through which white families are moving to small and ex-urban areas that are predominantly white offers insight into their motivations and growth as viewed by the author, who lived for several months in a sequence of three example communities. 50,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (social science)

Whole Earth Discipline: An Ecopragmatist Manifesto

Brand, Stewart. Viking (Penguin Group). 9780670021215. \$25.95. Pages 256.

Discussing the ways in which climate change will affect the next half century, the National Book Award-winning author of The Clock of the Long Now explores such topics as the green potential of cities, the virtues of nuclear engineering, and the sustainability of genetically modified crops. 6" x 9". (nature)

Wild Things, The

Eggers, David. McSweeney's Bks (PGW). 9781934781616. \$19.95. Pages 300.

A book for all ages offers a novelization of the movie Where the Wild Things Are, based on the classic children's book of the same name by Maurice Sendak, in which a boy flees his home only to end up in the land of the Wild Things. Movie tie-in. 5 1/2" x 8". (media tie-ins)

Working for You Isn't Working for Me: The Ultimate Guide to Managing Your Boss

Crowley, Katherine & Elster, Kathi. Portfolio (Penguin Group). 9781591842750. \$25.95. Pages 256.

The coauthors of the best-selling Working for You Is Killing Me apply their insights to the challenges of working for toxic bosses, outlining a four-step process for self empowerment, handling interpersonal disputes, and detaching oneself from negative behaviors. 6" x 9". (business & economics)

General Fiction

Change in Altitude, A**

Shreve, Anita. Little, Brown. 9780316020701. \$26.99. Pages 320.

Struggling to maintain her sense of self and her understanding of the world while spending the first year of her marriage in Kenya, Geraldine participates in a climbing expedition to Mt. Kenya and is challenged to come to terms with a devastating accident. By the Orange-finalist author of Testimony. 400,000 first printing. 6" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Christmas List, The**

Evans, Richard Paul. Simon & Schuster. 9781439150009. \$19.99. Pages 352.

The best-selling author of The Christmas Box and Grace returns with a new heartwarming novel for the holiday season, a story of hope, love, and faith. 5" x 7". (fiction - general fiction)

Christmas Secret, The**

Vanliere, Donna. St. Martin's Pr. 9780312558369. \$14.99. Pages 224.

Working long hours to make ends meet while struggling to protect her young children from their manipulative father, Christine Easley saves the life of an elderly department-store employee and sets in motion a difficult series of events that leads her to a new relationship. 400,000 first printing. 5" x 7 1/8". (fiction - general fiction)

Chronic City

Lethem, Jonathan. Doubleday (Random House). 9780385518635. \$27.95. Pages 496.

Exchanging rapturous love letters with a fiancée who is trapped on the Space Station, former child star Chase Insteadman apathetically attends social engagements before marijuana-smoking pop critic Perkus Tooth introduces him to a side of Manhattan that causes Chase to question everything he believes. By the MacArthur Fellowship-recipient author of The Fortress of Solitude. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Cockroach

Hage, Rawi. Norton. 9780393075373. \$23.95. Pages 320.

A tale set during a month in a bitter Montreal winter finds a would-be thief rescued from a suicide attempt and forced into counseling with a naïve therapist to whom he relates his childhood in a war-torn country and his troubled present life in a series of smoky émigré cafes. By the award-winning author of DeNiro's Game. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Crossers

Caputo, Philip. Knopf (Random House). 9780375411670. \$26.95. Pages 480.

The Pulitzer Prize-winning author of A Rumor of War presents a tale inspired by the brutality and beauty of life on the Arizona-Mexico border where September 11 widower Gil Castle finds his efforts to heal challenged by dark truths about his fearsome grandfather and retaliations against his act of kindness. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Deep Dark Secret, A

Roby, Kimberla Lawson. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061443091. \$19.99. Pages 192.

Harboring a dark secret, twelve-year-old Jillian Maxwell is afraid to tell anyone, thinking she will be blamed, and soon becomes a sullen student with failing grades, only to realize that she has an inner strength that will give her the power to save herself and her family. By the best-selling author of Love and Lies. 150,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Generosity: An Enhancement**

Powers, Richard. Farrar, Straus & Giroux. 9780374161149. \$25.00. Pages 304.

Intrigued by an Algerian woman whose blissful demeanor contrasts with the horrific environment of her home country, Chicago teacher Russell Stone brings her to the attention of others who become equally entranced. By the National Book Award-winning author of The Echo Maker. 75,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (fiction - general fiction)

Glass of Water, A

Baca, Jimmy Santiago. Grove Pr (Perseus Bks Group). 9780802119223. \$23.00. Pages 240.

Two Mexican-American brothers--Lorenzo, who falls in love and becomes a farmer, like their father, and Vito, who gains fame as a boxer--take different paths in life after the brutal murder of their mother, Nopal, only to have their journeys converge and bring them face-to-face with a common enemy. A first novel. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Half Broke Horses: A True Life Novel

Walls, Jeannette. Scribner (Simon & Schuster). 9781416586289. \$26.00. Pages 304.

The author offers a novel based on the life of her grandmother, Lily Casey Smith, who learned to break horses in childhood, journeyed 500 miles on pony as a teen to become a teacher, and ran a vast ranch in Arizona with her husband while raising two children, including Rosemary Smith Walls, portrayed in the author's acclaimed The Glass Castle. 6" x 9". (fiction - general fiction)

Hidden Oasis, The

Sussman, Paul. Atlantic Monthly Pr (PGW). 9780802119186. \$24.00. Pages 560.

With the help of her dead sister's friend, Flin Brodie, mountain climber Freya Hannen sets out in search of the legendary lost oasis of Zerzura in Egypt, which supposedly houses a mythic stone, and could help Freya find out the truth behind her sister Alex's mysterious death. By the author of the internationally best-selling The Last Secret of the Temple. 6" x 9". (fiction - action & adventure)

Home for Christmas**

Greeley, Andrew M. Forge (St. Martin's Pr). 9780765322500. \$14.99. Pages 192.

Years after abandoning his childhood sweetheart, a guilt-riddled Pete Kane becomes a distinguished army captain and experiences a transforming near-death experience in the wake of a bomb attack, a situation throughout which he is encouraged by an old friend to rekindle his past relationship. 5" x 7 1/8". (fiction - general fiction)

Hummingbirds

Gaylord, Joshua. Harper. 9780061769016. \$25.99. Pages 352.

A debut novel follows students and teachers through a whole school year at the elite Carmine-Casey School for Girls prep school on Manhattan's Upper East Side--from the ever-popular Dixie Doyle to smart teen playwright Liz Warren, from the adored teacher Leo Binhammer to his rival, charming new English teacher Ted Hughes. 35,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (fiction - general fiction)

Invisible

Auster, Paul. Henry Holt. 9780805090802. \$25.00. Pages 384.

Poet and student Adam Walker meets the enigmatic Frenchman Rudolf Born and his silent, seductive girlfriend, Margot, sending Adam into a perverse triangle that leads to a shocking act of violence that will alter his life, in a novel by the author of Man in the Dark that spans from 1967 to 2007. 75,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Lakeshore Christmas**

Wiggs, Susan. Mira Bks (Harlequin). 9780778326892. \$21.95. Pages 336.

When Maureen Davenport, a prim and proper librarian, is forced to direct Avalon's annual holiday pageant with Eddie Haven, a recovering former child-star who hates Christmas with a passion, she prays for a Christmas miracle. 339,000 first printing. 5 5/8" x 8 1/2". (fiction - general fiction)

Last Night in Twisted River**

Irving, John. Random House. 9781400063840. \$28.00. Pages 528.

In a story spanning five decades, a twelve-year-old boy in New Hampshire mistakes the constable's girlfriend for a bear, leading to an unfortunate accident that forces the boy and his father to become fugitives pursued by the constable, with

their only help coming from a fiercely libertarian logger, in a novel by a National Book Award-winning author. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Matchless: A Christmas Story

Maguire, Gregory. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061913013. \$19.99. Pages 112.

The best-selling author of the Wicked Years series reimagines the Hans Christian Anderson tale "The Little Match Girl," intertwining the title character's tale with that of Frederik, whose own yearnings are a catalyst for a better future for himself and his family, in a book that suggests transcendence and the permanence of spirit. 150,000 first printing. 5" x 7 1/2". (fiction - general fiction)

No Time to Wave Goodbye**

Mitchard, Jacquelyn. Random House. 9781400067749. \$25.00. Pages 240.

In a book that revisits the family featured in the author's best-selling *The Deep End of the Ocean*, the Cappadora family is once again in peril after adult son Vincent's acclaimed film about the families of abductees leads to Beth Cappadora once again leading her family in search of the truth that can save a life. (fiction - general fiction)

Once in a Blue Moon**

Goudge, Eileen. Vanguard Pr (MacMillan). 9781593155346. \$24.95. Pages 320.

The best-selling author of *The Diary* offers the tale of Lindsay and Kerrie Ann--two sisters separated in childhood and sent to foster homes after their neglectful mother's imprisonment--who are reunited in adulthood and help each other through the fiercest battles of their lives despite their differences. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Pursuit of Honor: A Thriller (Mitch Rapp)**

Flynn, Vince. Atria (Simon & Schuster). 9781416595168. \$27.99. Pages 432.

In a newest addition to the saga of CIA superagent Mitch Rapp, fearless Americans must risk their lives for their country's security, fighting a covert war that can never be discussed, even with their own political leaders, in a new thriller from the best-selling author of *Protect and Defend*. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - espionage)

Southern Lights**

Steel, Danielle. Delacorte Pr (Random House). 9780385340281. \$28.00. Pages 336.

Eleven years after a bitter divorce, Manhattan assistant D.A. Alexa prepares to prosecute a suspected serial killer who is sending threatening letters to Alexa's teen daughter, a situation that forces Alexa to send her daughter to her ex's Charleston home. By the best-selling author of *Matters of the Heart*. 500,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Vintage Caper, The

Mayle, Peter. Knopf (Random House). 9780307269010. \$24.95. Pages 240.

When the exclusive wine collection of a rich Hollywood lawyer is stolen by a cultivated thief, former lawyer and connoisseur Sam Levitt follows leads from Bordeaux to Provence while receiving assistance from a beautiful French colleague. By the award-winning author of *A Year in Provence*. 5 5/8" x 8 3/8". (fiction - general fiction)

Whistlin' Dixie in a Nor'easter

Patton, Lisa. Thomas Dunne Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312556600. \$23.99. Pages 304.

Leaving her beloved Memphis to help her husband's pipe dream of running a Vermont inn, southern belle Leelee Satterfield discovers numerous unanticipated challenges and is forced to apply her southern-style wits in the wake of a cruel swindle. 75,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - general fiction)

Graphic Novels

Book of Genesis, The**

Crumb, R., illus. Norton. 9780393061024. \$24.95. Pages 224.

Four years in the making, a graphic translation of the first book of the Bible uses actual word-for-word text as a basis for its dramatic presentations and includes intricately detailed depictions of the stories of Adam and Eve, Noah's ark, and more. 9" x 12". (comics & graphic novels)

Che: A Graphic Biography

Jacobson, Sid & Colón, Ernie. Hill & Wang (Farrar, Straus & Giroux). 9780809094929. \$22.00. Pages 128.

A portrait of the iconic revolutionary, presented in the form of a graphic novel, includes coverage of such topics as his fabled motorcycle journeys with Alberto Granado, his efforts as a young medical student, and his execution. By the co-creators of *The 9/11 Report: A Graphic Adaptation*. 6" x 9". (comics & graphic novels)

Maelstrom, Vol. 2 (The Dresden Files: Storm Front)

Butcher, Jim. Adaptation by Mark Powers. Illus by Ardian Syaf. Del Rey/Ballantine. 9780345516206. \$22.95. Pages 160.

A graphic adaptation of a second *Storm Front* volume by the author of the best-selling *Dresden Files* series finds wizard investigator Harry Dresden using his secret powers to assist the Chicago police when they work against a supernatural adversary, a case that is complicated by Council scrutiny. 6 5/8" x 10 1/4". (comics & graphic novels)

Nevermore

Koontz, Dean & Champagne, Keith. Illus by Andy Smith. Del Rey/Ballantine. 9780345516183. \$22.95. Pages 160.

Desperate to resurrect his cancer-victim wife, billionaire Robert Godric invents a technology that enables him to travel to parallel universes where he searches for his wife and encounters a hive-like race that is conquering Earth in each timeline, an adversary that threatens to follow Robert back to his own world. 6 5/8" x 10 1/4". (comics & graphic novels)

Toon Treasury of Classic Children's Comics, The

Spiegelman, Art & Mouly, Françoise. Intro by John Scieszka. Abrams. 9780810957305. \$40.00. Pages 352.
A collection of comics for adults and children alike were personally selected by the editors and are drawn from Golden Age comic books from the 1940s through the early 1960s, in a treasury that features selections from such comics as Captain Marvel, Pogo, Donald Duck, Dennis the Menace, and more. 9 1/4" x 11 1/4". (comics & graphic novels)

Historical Fiction

Angel Time: The Songs of the Seraphim**

Rice, Anne. Knopf (Random House). 9781400043538. \$25.95. Pages 288.
A metaphysical tale by the best-selling author of the Christ the Lord series finds contract killer Toby O'Dare accepting a seraph's offer to leave his violent existence in order to save lives, an opportunity for which he is transported to thirteenth-century England and challenged to defend falsely accused Jewish citizens. 5 5/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Casebook of Victor Frankenstein, The

Ackroyd, Peter. Nan A. Talese (Knopf). 9780385530842. \$26.65. Pages 368.
An unlikely friendship between a pair of nineteenth-century Oxford students including researcher Victor Frankenstein and poet Percy Bysshe Shelly is marked by disparate religious beliefs that lead to Victor's grisly experimentations with corpses. 5 5/8" x 8 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Children's Book, The

Byatt, A. S. Knopf (Random House). 9780307272096. \$26.95. Pages 624.
A tale spanning from the Victorian era through World War I finds famous children's book author Olive Wellwood taking in a runaway who reminds her of her own characters and exposing the boy to dark truths about her family's summer bacchanals at their rambling country house. By the Booker Prize-winning author of Possession. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Lady and the Poet, The

Haran, Maeve. St. Martin's Pr. 9780312554156. \$25.99. Pages 400.
Arriving in London anticipating an advantageous marriage and life in the court of Elizabeth I, Ann More encounters darkly attractive poet John Donne, whose clever arrogance opens her eyes to a world of dangerous passion. 40,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Museum of Innocence, The

Pamuk, Orhan. Trans by Maureen Freely. Knopf (Random House). 9780307266767. \$26.95. Pages 512.
Ending his engagement to pursue a married cousin, Kemal unsuccessfully woos the woman over the course of nine years, during which he amasses personal effects that reflect his obsession and render him a laughingstock among his peers. By the Nobel Prize-winning author of My Name Is Red. 6 1/4" x 9 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Race for the Dying

Havill, Steven F. Thomas Dunne Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312380717. \$25.99. Pages 336.
Arriving in early twentieth-century Washington only to suffer a life-changing accident, young doctor Thomas Parks endures a painful convalescence during which he discovers that his supervising physician is perpetuating a fraudulent mail-order diagnosis business. 15,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Stardust**

Kanon, Joseph. Atria (Simon & Schuster). 9781439156148. \$27.99. Pages 512.
Having returned from war-torn Europe in 1945 and discovered the mysterious death of his brother, Daniel, Ben Collier delves deep into the seedy world of the movie business to discover the truth behind Daniel's death, in a novel set during the Communist witch hunts in Hollywood by the best-selling author of The Good German. 6" x 9". (fiction - historical fiction)

Suicide Run, The: Five Tales of the Marine Corps

Styron, William. Random House. 9781400068227. \$24.00. Pages 192.
A collection of vignettes by the late Pulitzer Prize and National Book Award-winning author of The Confessions of Nat Turner is culled from abandoned manuscripts based on his experiences as a Marine and features characters who struggle with the rigors and restrictions of military life. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Wolf Hall

Mantel, Hilary. Henry Holt. 9780805080681. \$27.00. Pages 672.
Assuming the power recently lost by the disgraced Cardinal Wolsey, Thomas Cromwell counsels a mercurial Henry VIII on the latter's efforts to marry Anne Boleyn against the wishes of Rome and many of his people, a successful endeavor that comes with a dangerous price. By the Hawthornden Prize-winning author of Eight Months on Ghazzah Street. 40,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - historical fiction)

Horror

Dracula: The Un-Dead

Stoker, Dacre & Holt, Ian. Dutton (Penguin Group). 9780525951292. \$26.95. Pages 416.
A sequel cowritten by Bram Stoker's great-grandnephew and based on the original author's handwritten notes takes place twenty-five years later and finds Van Helsing's morphine-addicted protégé obsessed with countering evil forces and Quincey Harker learning disturbing truths about his parents' dark secrets in the wake of several murders. 6" x 9". (fiction - horror)

House of Reckoning**

Saul, John. Ballantine. 9780345514240. \$26.00. Pages 256.

Outcast by an injury sustained from her father, foster child Sara Crane befriends a former mental patient and her art teacher and soon creates paintings of long-ago violent crimes committed by the inmates of a local asylum, a situation that is complicated by brutal attacks on two of Sarah's enemies. 150,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - horror)

John Dies at the End

Wong, David. St. Martin's Pr. 9780312555139. \$24.99. Pages 384.

A full-length tale based on the cult online serial by the editor-in-chief of Cracked.com finds an increasing number of people changed into threatening inhuman creatures by a hallucinogen, a situation that places the fate of the world in the hands of a pair of anti-heroes. 50,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - horror)

Mystery & Detective**Blackwork: A Needlecraft Mystery**

Ferris, Monica. Berkley Pub Group. 9780425229903. \$24.95. Pages 288.

Part-time sleuth and needlework shop owner Betsy Devonshire works to clear murder suspect Leona Cunningham and find the real killer after the victim was last seen blaming the peaceful Wiccan and microbrewery owner for a series of local "accidents." 5 1/8" X 8". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Blind Eye, No. 5 (Logan McRae)

MacBride, Stuart. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312382643. \$26.99. Pages 496.

DCI Logan McRae investigates the torture and murder of several businessmen from the Polish community in Aberdeen, Scotland, trying to discern whether it is truly a hate crime or instead a veiled gangland turf war. From the award-winning author of Dying Light. 20,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Body in the Sleigh, The, No. 18 (A Faith Fairchild Mystery)

Page, Katherine Hall. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061474255. \$15.99. Pages 272.

Faith Fairchild looks for a connection between the death of Norah, a teenage drug addict whose body was found in an antique sleigh, and the discovery of a newborn baby boy in the manger in spinster Mary Bethany's barn on Christmas Eve. 25,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Brutal Telling, No. 5 , The(An Armand Gamache Novel)**

Penny, Louise. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312377038. \$24.99. Pages 384.

After a stranger is murdered in a bistro and antiques store in the village of Three Pines and the bistro's owner Oliver becomes the main suspect, Chief Inspector Gamache must sift through a number of clues, go deep into the woods, and cross the continent in order to solve the case, in a book by the best-selling author of A Rule Against Murder. 50,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Chocolate Cupid Killings, The: A Chocolate Mystery, No. 9

Carl, Joanna. Riverhead Bks (Penguin Group). 9780451227973. \$21.95. Pages 240.

The ninth book in the national best-selling series finds chocolatier Lee and her Aunt Nettie suspected of involvement in the murder of Private Detective Derrick Valentine while trying to keep secret the identity of one of their employees. Original. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Christmas Promise, A**

Perry, Anne. Ballantine. 9780345510662. \$18.00. Pages 208.

When a younger fellow orphan is imperiled by her uncle's murder and the flight of a family donkey, Gracie, Charlotte Pitt's maid aids the child's search for both the killer and the donkey. By the best-selling author of A Christmas Grace. 5 1/8" x 7 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Dark Mirror, No. 10 (Brock and Kolla Mysteries)

Maitland, Barry. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312383992. \$24.99. Pages 320.

Detective Inspector Kathy Kolla investigates the inexplicable arsenic poisoning of London student Marion Summers, who had moved three years prior without leaving a forwarding address and whose stepfather has an unsavory past ... and present. From the author of No Trace. 25,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Dark Tiger, No. 3 (Stoney Calhoun Novels)

Tapply, William G. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312379780. \$24.99. Pages 320.

A fishing guide who woke up in a hospital seven years ago with unexplained talents and no memories, Stoney Calhoun is visited by a mysterious stranger who causes problems then promises to make them go away if Stoney will investigate a staged murder/suicide pact involving a government "operative" and a teen girl. From the author of Gray Ghost. 30,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Locked In**

Muller, Marcia. Grand Central Pub. 9780446581059. \$24.99. Pages 304.

Fully conscious but locked in an unresponsive body after being shot by an unknown assailant, private investigator Sharon McCone lies in a hospital bed desperately struggling to communicate and solve the mystery of the attack, a situation that is further complicated by her husband's growing desire for vengeance. 40,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Merry, Merry Ghost: A Mystery, No. 2 (Bailey Ruth Raeburn)

Hart, Carolyn. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780060874377. \$15.99. Pages 288.

When a determined heir moves to block a wealthy woman's attempt to include her newly discovered grandson in her will, it is up to good-intentioned ghost Bailey Ruth Raeburn to protect a little boy, foil a murderer, and save Christmas, in a book by the author of *Ghost at Work*. 50,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Monster in the Box, No. 22 (Inspector Wexford)**

Rendell, Ruth. Scribner (Simon & Schuster). 9781439150337. \$26.00. Pages 320.

While Inspector Wexford tries to convince Mike Burden that a man Wexford has long known, Eric Targo, is the killer behind a series of apparently motiveless murders, the Rahmans, a respectable Pakistani immigrant family, not only must contend with their daughter's controversial marriage, but also that they are linked to something far more disturbing. By an Edgar-winning author 6" x 9". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Murder, She Wrote: A Fatal Feast

Fletcher, Jessica & Bain, Donald. Riverhead Bks (Penguin Group). 9780451227966. \$22.95. Pages 288.

Suffering from writer's block with both her novel's deadline and Thanksgiving fast approaching, Jessica Fletcher and her friend, Scotland Yard Inspector George Sutherland, stumble upon the body of man with a carving knife stuck in his chest. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Necessary as Blood (James and Kincaid)**

Crombie, Deborah. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061287534. \$24.99. Pages 384.

A young mother has gone missing, and only Scotland Yard's Superintendent Duncan Kincaid and his partner, Gemma James, can stop a vicious killer and protect the child whose fate hangs in the balance, in a book by the Edgar-nominated author of *Where Memories Lie*. 75,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (fiction - mystery & detective)

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Fluke, Joanne. Kensington Bks. 9780758210241. \$24.00. Pages 288.

When Larry Jaeger, the owner of the Crazy Elf Christmas Tree Lot, is murdered, bakery owner Hannah Swenson, during the busiest time of the year, must sift through a wealth of suspects before a murderous Scrooge strikes again. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Price of Malice, The: A Joe Gunther Novel

Mayor, Archer. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312381929. \$24.99. Pages 320.

Joe Gunther must balance the official investigation into the murder of Wayne Castine, a suspected child predator, with a private probe into the possible murder of his girlfriend Lyn Silva's father and brother, who were originally believed lost at sea. By the acclaimed author of *The Catch*. 40,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

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Parker, Robert B. Putnam (Penguin Group). 9780399155949. \$26.95. Pages 352.

Hired to counter a blackmailer who has had affairs with several wealthy women, Boston private eye Spenser finds the case turning violent when the women are systematically murdered, a situation that is complicated by the discovery that not all of the blackmailer's conquests make sense. By the author of *Rough Weather*. 6" x 9". (fiction - mystery & detective)

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Manfredo, Lou. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312538057. \$24.99. Pages 288.

NYPD veteran detective Joe Rizzo and his new partner Mike McQueen ride together for a year, solving cases, as Joe imparts his wisdom on the rookie, culminating in the case of a city councilman's runaway daughter, who may have evidence of her father's wrongdoing in her possession. A first novel. 75,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

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Westerson, Jeri. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312534981. \$24.99. Pages 288.

After the French king's courier is killed by a crossbow in a tavern, a barmaid seeks the assistance of fourteenth-century detective Crispin Guest, who soon finds himself the prime suspect in the murder, one that could draw France and England into war, in a mystery from the author of *Veil of Lies*. 15,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Stained Glass, No. 28 (Father Dowling Mysteries)

McInerney, Ralph. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312582647. \$24.99. Pages 272.

Tough economic times have put St. Hilary's on the chopping block and Father Dowling in search of support among his parishioners, a search that leads him to the wealthy Devere family, who are being stalked by a killer, in a book by the author of *Ash Wednesday*. 10,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

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Beaton, M. C. Minotaur Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780312387006. \$24.99. Pages 304.

Despite her interest in a handsome new Frenchman, Agatha Raisin cannot get her mind off her ex-husband James Lacey, especially when his young bride is killed right before saying "I do" and Agatha becomes the prime suspect, leading her to enlist the help of her sidekick Toni to solve the tricky case. From the author of *A Spoonful of Poison*. 75,000 first printing. 5 1/2" x 8 1/4". (fiction - mystery & detective)

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Tragic Magic: A Scrapbooking Mystery

Childs, Laura. Berkley Pub Group. 9780425229897. \$24.95. Pages 320.

Scrapbook shop owner, Carmela, helps her friend renovate an old mansion in New Orleans into a crafty haunted house for tourists, but finds herself investigating a series of murders when a flaming body comes crashing through the window. 5 1/8" X 8". (fiction - mystery & detective)

Romance**Deep Kiss of Winter**

Cole, Kresley & Showalter, Genia. Pocket Bks. 9781439159668. \$21.99. Pages 336.

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Macomber, Debbie. Mira Bks (Harlequin). 9780778326823. \$16.95. Pages 288.

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Colfer, Eoin. Hyperion. 9781401323585. \$25.99. Pages 272.

Working with the blessing of Douglas Adams's widow, the author of the Artemis Fowl series offers a sixth installment of the popular series that has gained legions of fans through its blend of science fiction, fantasy, humor, and absurdity. One million first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - fantasy)

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Scholes, Ken. Tor Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780765321282. \$25.99. Pages 368.

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Schreiber, Joe. Del Rey/Ballantine. 9780345509628. \$24.00. Pages 224.

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Frostbitten, No. 10 (Women of the Otherworld)

Armstrong, Kelley. Bantam Bks (Random House). 9780553806625. \$26.00. Pages 384.

Investigating fatal wolf attacks on humans near Anchorage, werewolf and new mom Elena Michaels and her husband, Clay, encounter more than they expect in a savage force that awakens their animal natures. By the author of Living with the Dead. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - fantasy)

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Salvatore, R. A. Wizards of the Coast. 9780786952335. \$27.95. Pages 352.

A final installment of the Transitions trilogy sees Drizzt and his companions seeking the help of the priest Cadderly, leading Drizzt to face his most powerful and elusive foe, the twisted Crenshinibon, the demonic Crystal Shard Drizzt believed had been destroyed years ago, in a novel by the best-selling author of The Pirate King. 6 5/16" x 9 7/16". (fiction - fantasy)

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Turtledove, Harry. Tor Bks (St. Martin's Pr). 9780765317124. \$24.99. Pages 336.

When the glacier-neighboring city of Nidaros is invaded by mammoth-riding conquerors, the nomadic Bizogot race is decimated by the attackers' magic and plagues, a situation for which a small band of heroes including a cannibal shaman rises to save their land. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - fantasy)

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Lackey, Mercedes. DAW Bks (Penguin Group). 9780756405854. \$25.95. Pages 800.

Gwenhwyfar, the King's daughter, chooses the path of the Warrior, but is called upon by the Ladies of the Well to become Arthur's queen, and faces temptation, treachery, intrigue and betrayal. 6" x 9". (fiction - fantasy)

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Niffenegger, Audrey. Scribner (Simon & Schuster). 9781439165393. \$26.99. Pages 384.

After they inherit a London flat near Highgate Cemetery from their aunt Elspeth Noblin, two American twin teenagers, Julia and Valentina, move in and get to know their quirky neighbors, but they soon discover that much is still alive at Highgate, including, perhaps, their aunt, who can't seem to leave her old apartment or life behind. By the best-selling author of *The Time Traveler's Wife*. . (fiction - fantasy)

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Recovering from injuries after the events of *Imager*, Rhenn prepares for his liaison duties only to encounter hostility from his new commander and a threat from a vengeful High Holder, a situation for which he becomes a lone defender against gang lords, naval marines, and terrorist priests. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - fantasy)

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When the mystical connection between Earth and Xanth is severed by a cataclysmic Demon battle, Jumper discovers a cryptic prophecy about how to restore the connection, an effort that pits him against a series of alluring damsels. By the author of *Two to the Fifth*. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - fantasy)

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Ringo, John & Kratman, Tom. Pocket Bks/Baen Bks. 9781439133040. \$26.00. Pages 384.

Led only by the slightly insane Indowy and a computer virus, the Posleen retrace the footsteps of their ancestors through space in search for their homeland, an endeavor that leads them down a new path, one that could mean war with the humans, in a book by the best-selling author of *Yellow Eyes*. 75,000 first printing. . (fiction - science fiction)

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Pratchett, Terry. Harper. 9780061161704. \$25.99. Pages 384.

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Barr, Nevada. Vanguard Pr (MacMillan). 9781593155537. \$25.95. Pages 336.

Single mother of two Polly Deschamps's wedded bliss upon marrying architect Marshall Marchand soon turns to fear as his moods darken--due, Polly believes, to the sway of Marshall's brother, Danny--and she wonders what the brothers' dark secret could be and whether it has anything to do with the infamous "Butcher Boy" murders of 1971. By the best-selling author of *Anna Pigeon* mysteries. 125,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - suspense)

Abandoned, No. 4 (Smoky Barrett)

McFadyen, Cody. Bantam Bks (Random House). 9780553806953. \$25.00. Pages 368.

Investigating the works of a serial killer for hire who kills wives and effectively hides all evidence until the cases are closed, FBI Special Agent Smoky Barrett and her team fight to crack his operation and discover that he may be targeting Smoky. By the author of *The Face of Death*. 75,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - suspense)

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Rollins, James. William Morrow (HarperCollins). 9780061231421. \$27.99. Pages 448.

Pregnant veterinarian Maura Kelly, along with U.S. Marshall Jack Menard and two nervelessness, risks everything, including the life of her unborn child, to unravel the mystery of a smuggler's cache of mutated animals, a puzzle that involves fractal intelligence, stem-cell research, and a secret history of the Book of Genesis. By a best-selling author. 350,000 first printing. 6" x 9". (fiction - suspense)

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Kava, Alex. Mira Bks (Harlequin). 9780778326519. \$24.95. Pages 432.

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In the aftermath of a senator's daughter's murder, Eve Duncan is horrified by the killer's tactic of draining the victim's blood, a case during which she is drawn into the web of a serial killer who taunts her with sadistic messages and hints about her missing daughter. 500,000 first printing. 6 1/8" x 9 1/4". (fiction - suspense)

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Roslund, Anders & Hellström, Börge. Farrar, Straus & Giroux. 9780374282950. \$26.00. Pages 400.

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Larry Vaughan must do whatever she needs, even break the rules, to protect those she loves when a deadly psychopath re-enters her life, in a globe-trotting thriller from an internationally best-selling author. . (fiction - suspense)

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Billingham, Mark. Harper. 9780061432750. \$25.99. Pages 464.

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Connelly, Michael. Little, Brown. 9780316166317. \$27.99. Pages 384.

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Sandford, John. Putnam (Penguin Group). 9780399155987. \$26.95. Pages 400.

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Cornwell, Patricia. Putnam (Penguin Group). 9780399156397. \$27.95. Pages 512.

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