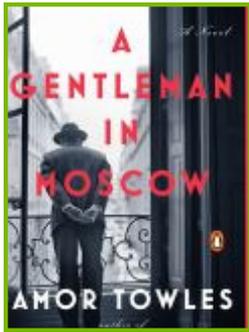


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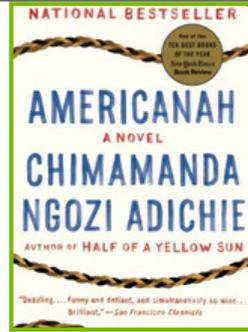
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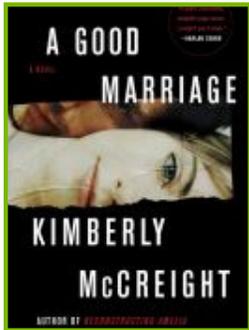
A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles Netflix

Wealthy Count Alexander Rostov lives under house arrest for a poem deemed incendiary by the Bolsheviks, and meets Nina. Nina is a precocious and wide-eyed young girl who holds the keys to the entire hotel, wonders what it means to be a princess, and will irrevocably change his life.



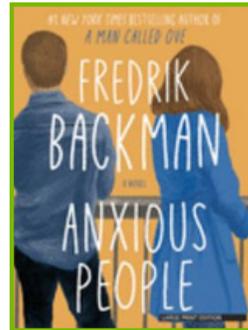
Americanah by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie HBO Max

A young woman from Nigeria leaves behind her home and her first love to start a new life in America, only to find her dreams are not all she expected.



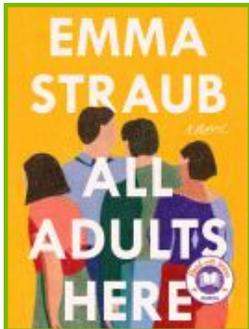
A Good Marriage by Kimberly McCreight Amazon

The last thing Lizzie needs right now is a call from an inmate at Rikers asking for help—even if Zach Grayson is an old friend. But Zach is desperate: his wife, Amanda, has been found dead at the bottom of the stairs in their Brooklyn brownstone. And Zach's the primary suspect. In the end, she's left wondering not only whether her own marriage can be saved, but what it means to have a good marriage in the first place.



Anxious People by Fredrik Backman Netflix

Viewing an apartment normally doesn't turn into a life-or-death situation, but this particular open house becomes just that when a failed bank robber bursts in and takes everyone in the apartment hostage. As the pressure mounts, the eight strangers begin slowly opening up to one another and reveal long-hidden truths.



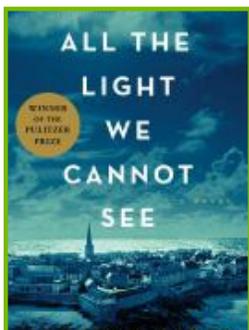
All Adults Here by Emma Straub

Astrid's youngest son is drifting and unfocused, making parenting mistakes of his own. Her daughter is pregnant yet struggling to give up her own adolescence. And her eldest seems to measure his adult life according to standards no one else shares. It might be that only Astrid's thirteen-year-old granddaughter and her new friend really understand the courage it takes to tell the truth to the people you love the most.



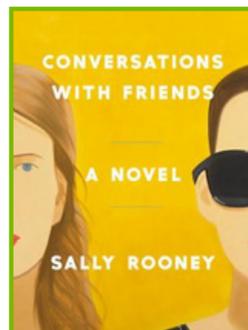
Circe by Madeline Miller HBO Max

In the house of Helios, a daughter is born. But Circe is a strange child -- not powerful, like her father, nor viciously alluring like her mother. Turning to the world of mortals for companionship, she discovers that she does possess power -- the power of witchcraft, which can transform rivals into monsters and menace the gods themselves.



All The Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr Netflix

When the Germans occupy Paris, father and Marie-Laure flee to Saint-Malo. In another world in Germany, an orphan boy, Werner, becomes a master at building and fixing radios. He travels through the heart of Hitler Youth to the far-flung outskirts of Russia, and finally into Saint-Malo, where his path converges with Marie-Laure's.



Conversations With Friends by Sally Rooney Hulu

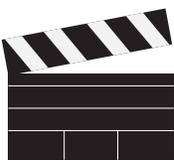
Frances meets a well-known photographer, and is drawn into her world, she is reluctantly impressed by the older woman's sophisticated home and handsome husband, Nick. But however amusing Frances and Nick's flirtation seems at first, it begins to give way to a strange and then painful intimacy.



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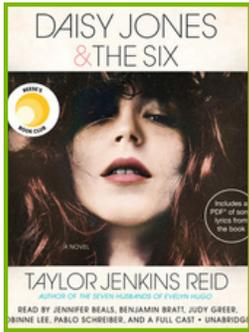
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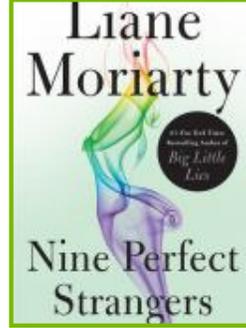
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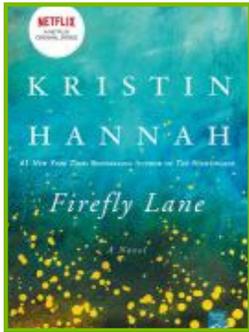
Daisy Jones & The Six by Taylor Jenkins Reid Amazon

Two rising 70s rock-and-roll artists are catapulted into stardom when a producer puts them together, a decision that is complicated by a pregnancy and the seductions of fame.



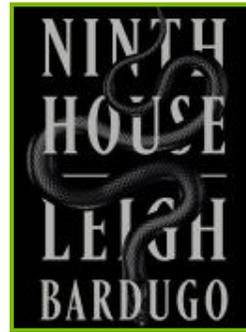
Nine Perfect Strangers by Liane Moriarty Hulu

Could ten days at a health resort really change you forever? These nine perfect strangers are about to find out. But none of them could imagine just how challenging the next ten days are going to be.



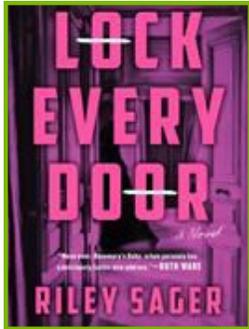
Firefly Lane by Kristin Hannah Netflix

Kate Mularkey has accepted her place at the bottom of the eighth-grade social food chain. Then the "coolest girl in the world" moves in across the street and wants to be her friend. Tully Hart seems to have it all--beauty, brains, ambition. They make a pact to be best friends forever; by summer's end they've become TullyandKate. Inseparable.



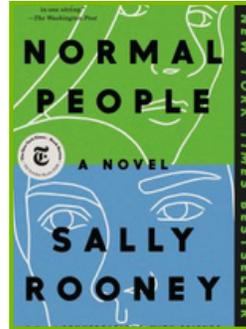
Ninth House by Leigh Bardugo Amazon

Alex is offered a second chance: to attend one of the world's most prestigious universities on a full ride. What's the catch, and why her? Still searching for answers, Alex arrives in New Haven tasked by her mysterious benefactors with monitoring the activities of Yale's secret societies. They tamper with forbidden magic. They raise the dead. And, sometimes, they prey on the living.



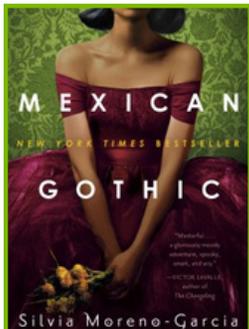
Lock Every Door by Riley Sager

Recently heartbroken and just plain broke, Jules is taken in by the splendor of her surroundings and accepts the terms of her new housesitting job. Searching for the truth about a fellow house sitters disappearance, Jules races against the clock as she tries to unmask a killer, expose the building's hidden past, and escape the Bartholomew before her temporary status becomes permanent.



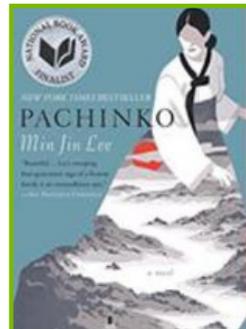
Normal People by Sally Rooney Hulu/BBC

CConnell is popular and well-adjusted, star of the school football team, while Marianne is the opposite. A year later, they're both studying at Trinity College. Marianne has found her feet in a new social world while Connell hangs at the sidelines. As she veers into self-destruction and he begins to search for meaning elsewhere, each must confront how far they are willing to go to save the other.



Mexican Gothic by Silvia Moreno-Garcia Hulu

After receiving a frantic letter from her newly-wed cousin begging for someone to save her, Noemí Taboada heads to High Place. She begins to unearth stories of violence and madness. And Noemí, mesmerized by the terrifying yet seductive world of High Place, may soon find it impossible to ever leave this enigmatic house behind.



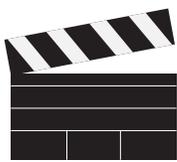
Pachinko by Min Jin Lee Apple TV

Deserted by her lover, Sunja is saved when a young tubercular minister offers to marry her. So begins the saga of a family in exile from its homeland. Through desperate struggles and hard-won triumphs, its members are bound together by deep roots as they face enduring questions of faith, family, and identity.



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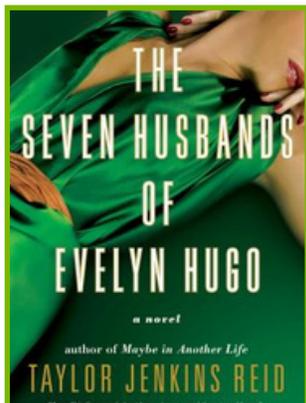
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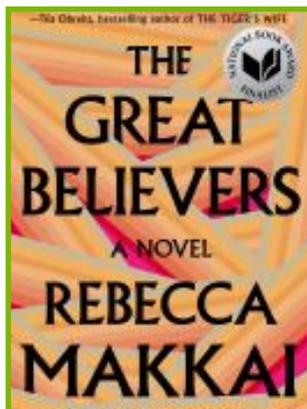
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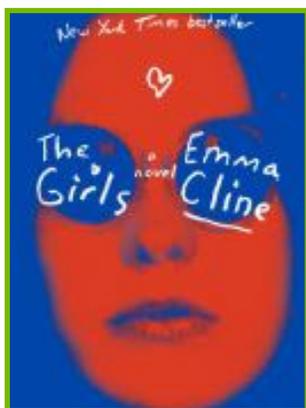
Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo by Taylor Jenkins Reid

Aging and reclusive Hollywood movie icon Evelyn Hugo is finally ready to tell the truth about her glamorous and scandalous life. But when she chooses unknown magazine reporter Monique Grant for the job, no one in the journalism community is more astounded than Monique herself. Why her? Why now?



The Great Believers by Rebecca Makkai

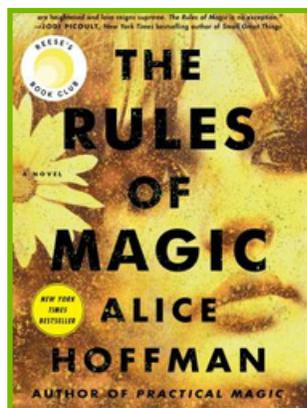
As Yale Tishman's career begins to flourish, the carnage of the AIDS epidemic grows around him. After his friend Nico's funeral the only person he has left is Fiona, Nico's little sister. Thirty years later, Fiona is in Paris tracking down her estranged daughter. She finds herself finally grappling with the devastating ways AIDS affected her life and her relationship with her daughter. The two intertwining stories take us through the struggle to find goodness in the midst of disaster.



The Girls by Emma Cline

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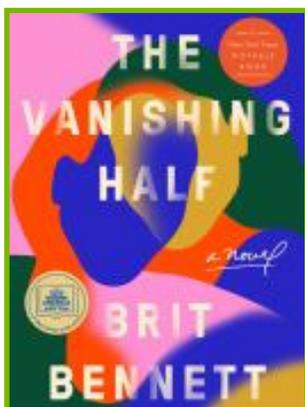
Evie is in thrall to Suzanne, a mesmerizing older girl, and is drawn into the circle of a soon-to-be infamous cult and the man who is its charismatic leader. As she spends more time away from her mother and the rhythms of her daily life, and as her obsession with Suzanne intensifies, Evie does not realize she is coming closer and closer to unthinkable violence.



The Rules of Magic by Alice Hoffman

HBO Max

From the start Susanna sets down rules for her children: No walking in the moonlight, no red shoes, no wearing black, no cats, no crows, no candles, no books about magic. And most importantly, never, ever, fall in love. The Owens children cannot escape love even if they try, just as they cannot escape the pains of the human heart.



The Vanishing Half by Brit Bennett

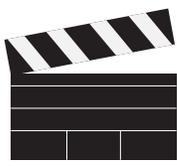
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The Vignes twin sisters will always be identical. But after growing up together in a small, southern black community and running away at age sixteen, it's not just the shape of their daily lives that is different as adults, it's everything: their families, their communities, their racial identities.



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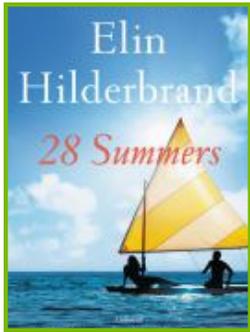
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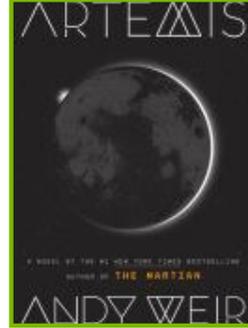
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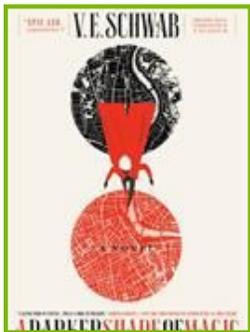
28 Summers by Elin Hilderbrand

When Mallory Blessing's son, Link, receives deathbed instructions from his mother to call a number on a slip of paper in her desk drawer, he's not sure what to expect. But he certainly does not expect Jake McCloud to answer. 28 Summers explores the agony and romance of a one-weekend-per-year affair and the dramatic ways this relationship complicates and enriches their lives, and the lives of the people they love.



Artemis by Andy Weir

Life on Artemis, the first and only city on the moon, is tough. Jazz sees the chance to commit the perfect crime, with a reward too lucrative to turn down. She soon learns that she's stepped square into a conspiracy for control of Artemis itself-and that now, her only chance at survival lies in a gambit even riskier than the first.



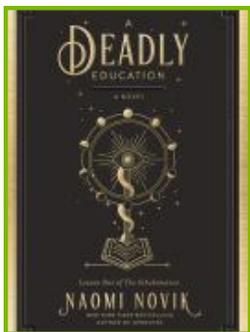
A Darker Shade Of Magic by V.E. Schwab

Kell is one of the last Travelers; magicians with a rare, coveted ability to travel between parallel universes. He can choose where he lands. There's Grey London, dirty and boring, without any magic. Then there's Red London, where life and magic are revered, and the Maresh Dynasty presides over a flourishing empire. White London, ruled by whoever has murdered their way to the throne. And once upon a time, there was Black London. But no one speaks of that now.



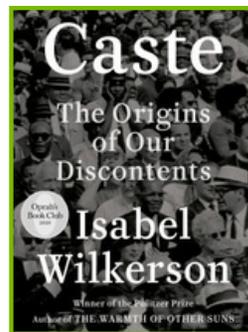
Ask Again, Yes by Mary Beth Keane

Francis Gleeson and Brian Stanhope are two NYPD rookies assigned to the same Bronx precinct in 1973. They aren't close friends on the job, but end up living next door to each other outside the city. What goes on behind closed doors in both houses--the loneliness of Francis's wife, Lena, and the instability of Brian's wife, Anne, sets the stage for the stunning events to come.



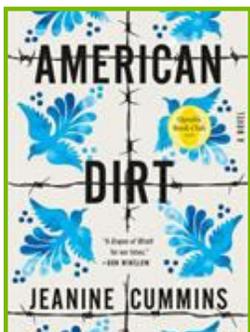
A Deadly Education by Naomi Novik

Enter a school of magic unlike any you have ever encountered: There are no teachers, no holidays, and no friendships save strategic ones. Survival is more important than any letter grade, for the school won't allow its students to leave until they graduate . . . or die. The rules are deceptively simple: Don't walk the halls alone. And beware of the monsters who lurk everywhere.



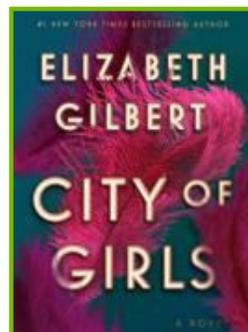
Caste by Isabel Wilkerson

A masterful portrait of America through deeply researched narrative and stories about real people, how America today and throughout its history has been shaped by a hidden caste system, a rigid hierarchy of human rankings. Beyond race, class, or other factors, there is a powerful caste system that influences people's lives and behavior and the nation's fate.



American Dirt by Jeanine Cummins

One day a man enters Lydia's shop to browse and comes up to the register with four books he would like to buy--two of them her favorites. Javier is erudite and charming. And, unbeknownst to Lydia, he is the jefe of the newest drug cartel that has gruesomely taken over the city. When Lydia's husband's tell-all profile of Javier is published, none of their lives will ever be the same.



City Of Girls by Elizabeth Gilbert

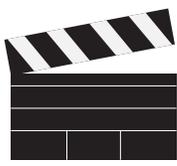
Vivian Morris has just been kicked out of Vassar College, and her affluent parents send her to Manhattan to live with her Aunt Peg, who owns a flamboyant, crumbling midtown theater. It ultimately leads her to a new understanding of the kind of life she craves -- and a love that stands out from all the rest.



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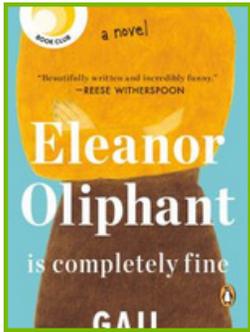
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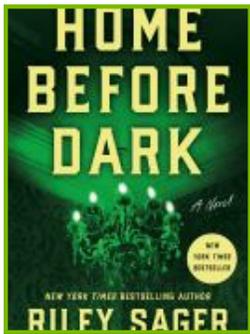
Eleanor Oliphant Is Completely Fine by Gail Honeyman

Meet Eleanor Oliphant: she struggles with appropriate social skills and tends to say exactly what she's thinking. Eleanor has become a creature of habit (to say the least) and a bit of a loner. Nothing is missing in her carefully timetabled life of avoiding social interactions. But everything changes when Eleanor meets Raymond, the bumbling and deeply unhygienic IT guy from her office.



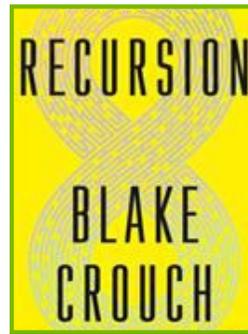
Ready Player Two by Ernest Cline

Hidden within Halliday's vaults, waiting for his heir to find, lies a technological advancement that will once again change the world and make the OASIS a thousand times more wondrous, and addictive, than even Wade dreamed possible.



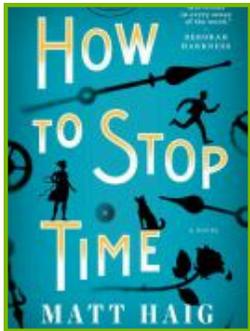
Home Before Dark by Riley Siger

Twenty-five years ago, Maggie and her parents, Ewan and Jess, moved to Baneberry Hall, a rambling Victorian estate in the Vermont woods. They spent twenty days there before fleeing in the dead of night, an ordeal Ewan later recounted in a horror memoir, House of Horrors. After Maggie inherits the home, she experiences strange occurrences straight out of Ewan's book, she starts to wonder if what he wrote was more fact than fiction.



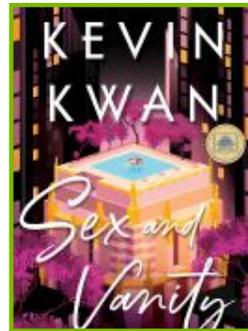
Recursion by Blake Crouch Netflix

New York City cop Barry Sutton investigates the devastating phenomenon the media has dubbed False Memory Syndrome-- a mysterious affliction that drives its victims mad with memories of a life they never lived. Memory makes reality - and the force is beginning to unmake the world as we know it.



How To Stop Time by Matt Haig

Tom Hazard has a dangerous secret. He may look like an ordinary 41-year-old, but owing to a rare condition, he's been alive for centuries. Now, he just wants an ordinary life. So Tom moves back to London, his old home, to become a high school history teacher. Tom will have to decide once and for all whether to remain stuck in the past, or finally begin living in the present.



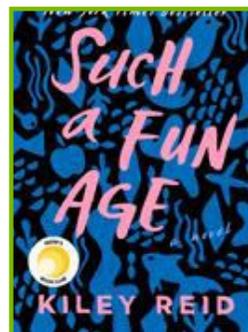
Sex and Vanity by Kevin Kwan

A young woman finds herself torn between two worlds--the WASP establishment of her father's family and George Zao, a man she is desperately trying to avoid falling in love with.



Leave The World Behind by Rumaan Alam Netflix

Amanda and Clay head out to a remote corner of Long Island expecting a vacation, quality time with their teenage son and daughter. But a late-night knock on the door breaks the spell. Ruth and G.H. are an older couple, it's their house, and they've arrived in a panic. They bring the news that a sudden blackout has swept the city. Should Amanda and Clay trust this couple, and what happened back in New York?



Such A Fun Age by Kiley Reid

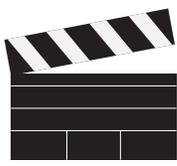
Babysitter, Emira Tucker, is confronted while watching Alix Chamberlains' toddler one night, walking the aisles of their local high-end supermarket. The store's security guard, seeing a young black woman out late with a white child, accuses Emira of kidnapping two-year-old Briar. Alix resolves to make things right.



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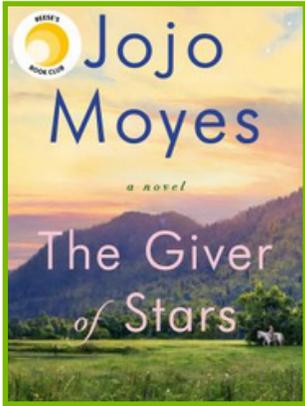
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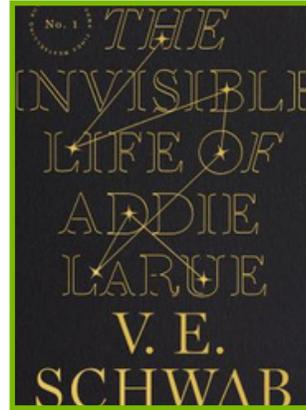
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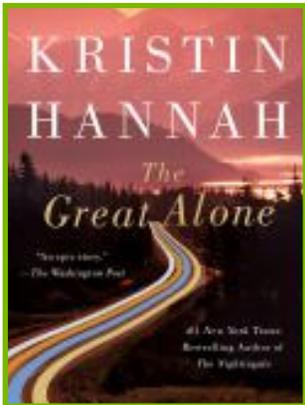
The Giver Of Stars by Jojo Moyes

Alice Wright marries handsome American Bennett Van Cleve hoping to escape her stifling life in England. But small-town Kentucky quickly proves equally claustrophobic. So when a call goes out for a team of women to deliver books as part of Eleanor Roosevelt's new traveling library, Alice signs on enthusiastically. Though they face all kinds of dangers, they're committed to their job--bringing books to people who have never had any, sharing the gift of learning that will change their lives.



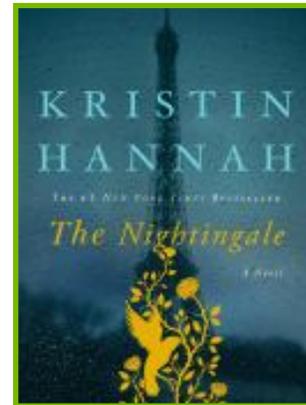
The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue by V.E. Schwab

In a moment of desperation, a young woman makes a Faustian bargain to live forever, and is cursed to be forgotten by everyone she meets. Thus begins the extraordinary life of Addie LaRue and a dazzling adventure that will play out across centuries and continents, across history and art, as a young woman learns how far she will go to leave her mark on the world. But everything changes when, after nearly 300 years, Addie stumbles across a young man in a hidden bookstore and he remembers her name.



The Great Alone by Kristin Hannah

Ernt Allbright came home from the Vietnam War a changed and volatile man. Cora will do anything for the man she loves, even if means following him into the unknown. Thirteen-year-old Leni, caught in the riptide of her parents' passionate, stormy relationship, has little choice but to go along. But as winter approaches and darkness descends, Ernt's fragile mental state deteriorates. In their small cabin, covered in snow, blanketed in eighteen hours of night, Leni and her mother learn the terrible truth: they are on their own.



The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah

Younger, bolder sister Isabelle lives in Paris while Viann lives a quiet and content life in the French countryside with her husband Antoine and their daughter. When World War II strikes and Antoine is sent off to fight, Viann and Isabelle's father sends Isabelle to help her older sister cope. As the war progresses, it's not only the sisters' relationship that is tested, but also their strength and their individual senses of right and wrong. Viann and Isabelle will find themselves facing frightening situations and responding in ways they never thought possible as bravery and resistance take different forms in each of their actions



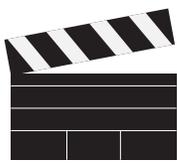
The Secrets We Kept by Laura Prescott

At the height of the Cold War, two secretaries are pulled out of the typing pool at the CIA and given the assignment of a lifetime. Their mission: to smuggle Doctor Zhivago out of the USSR, where no one dare publish it, and help Pasternak's magnum opus make its way into print around the world. Glamorous and sophisticated Sally Forrester is a seasoned spy who has honed her gift for deceit all over the world -- using her magnetism and charm to pry secrets out of powerful men. Irina is a complete novice, but under Sally's tutelage quickly learns how to blend in, make drops, and invisibly ferry classified documents.



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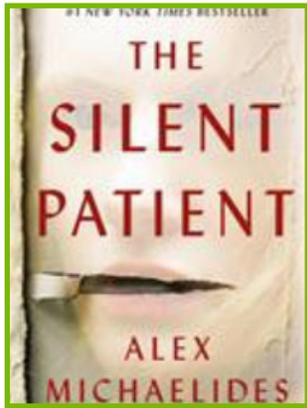
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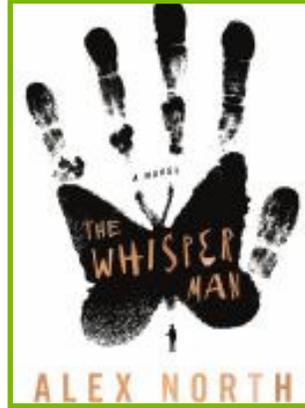
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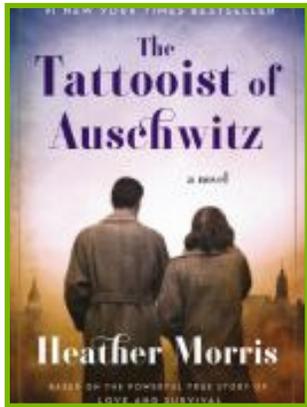
The Silent Patient by Alex Michaelides

A famous painter married to an in-demand fashion photographer, Alicia lives in a grand house overlooking a park in one of London's most desirable areas. One evening, her husband, Gabriel, returns home late from work, and Alicia shoots him five times in the face and then never speaks another word. Alicia's refusal to talk, or give any kind of explanation, turns a domestic tragedy into something far grander, a mystery that captures the public imagination and casts Alicia into notoriety.



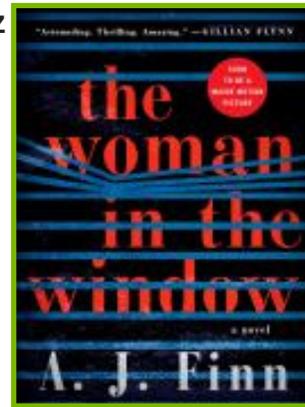
The Whisper Man by Alex North

After the sudden death of his wife, Tom Kennedy believes a fresh start will help him and his young son Jake heal. A new town, but the town has a dark past. Twenty years ago, a serial killer abducted and murdered five residents. Just as Tom and Jake settle into their new home, a young boy vanishes. Now, detectives Amanda Beck and Pete Willis must find the boy before it is too late, even if that means Pete has to revisit his great foe in prison: The Whisper Man.



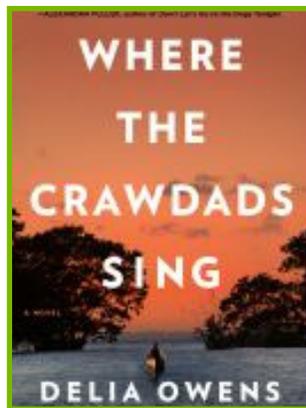
The Tattooist Of Auschwitz by Heather Morris

In April 1942, Lale Sokolov, a Slovakian Jew, is forcibly transported to the concentration camps at Auschwitz-Birkenau. When his captors discover that he speaks several languages, he is put to work as a Tatowierer (the German word for tattooist), tasked with permanently marking his fellow prisoners. Imprisoned for more than two and a half years, Lale witnesses horrific atrocities and barbarism--but also incredible acts of bravery and compassion.



The Woman In The Window by AJ Finn

It isn't paranoia if it's really happening...Anna Fox lives alone--a recluse in her New York City home, drinking too much wine, watching old movies...and spying on her neighbors. Then the Russells move next door: a father, a mother, their teenaged son. The perfect family. But when Anna sees something she shouldn't, her world begins to crumble--and its shocking secrets are laid bare. What is real? What is imagined? Who is in danger? Who is in control? In this gripping Hitchcockian thriller, no one and nothing are what they seem.



Where The Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens

For years, rumors of the "Marsh Girl" have haunted Barkley Cove, a quiet town on the North Carolina coast. She's barefoot and wild; unfit for polite society. So in late 1969, when handsome Chase Andrews is found dead, the locals immediately suspect Kya Clark. But Kya is not what they say. Abandoned at age ten, she has survived on her own in the marsh that she calls home. A born naturalist with just one day of school, she takes life lessons from the land, learning from the false signals of fireflies the real way of this world. But while she could have lived in solitude forever, the time comes when she yearns to be touched and loved. Drawn to two young men from town, who are each intrigued by her wild beauty, Kya opens herself to a new and startling world -- until the unthinkable happens.



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