

New Adult Books

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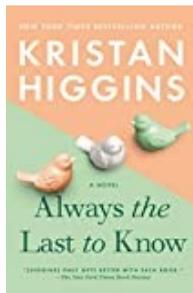
If you like Barbara Delinsky, you might like:



ALL OUR SUMMERS
By Holly Chamberlin

Two sisters, one who moved to New York to become an interior designer and the other who stayed in town to become a wife and mother, clash over the fate of the family home.

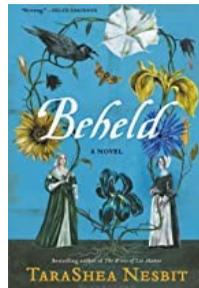
If you like domestic fiction, you might like:



ALWAYS THE LAST TO KNOW
By Kristan Higgins

When their patriarch has a stroke, the Frost family is finally forced to face the problems they have been avoiding.

If you like historical fiction, you might like:

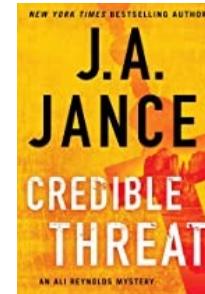


BEHELD
By TaraShea Nesbit

This story centering on Plymouth Colony's first murder and the subsequent trial gives voice to those who are usually marginalized.

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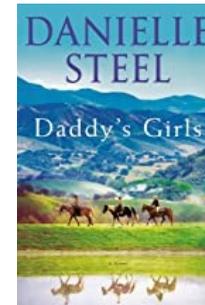
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CREDIBLE THREAT
By J. A. Jance

In book 15 in the Ali Reynolds series, Ali and her team investigate anonymous death threats against an archbishop who appears to have been targeted in connection with pedophilia accusations against a priest.

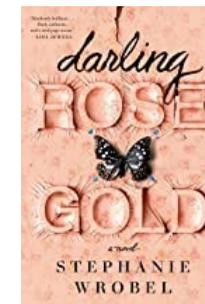
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By Danielle Steel

After larger-than-life rancher J.T.'s sudden death, a surprise revelation forces his three very different daughters to come to terms with the truth about their father.

If you liked *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides, you might like:

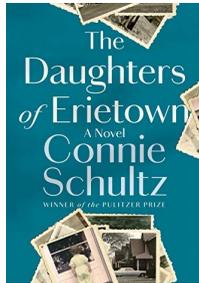


DARLING ROSE GOLD
By Stephanie Wrobel

In this riveting psychological suspense novel, a woman plots revenge on her mother for having stolen the first 18 years of her life by raising her to believe she was suffering from serious illness and disability.

Fiction

If you like family sagas, you might like:

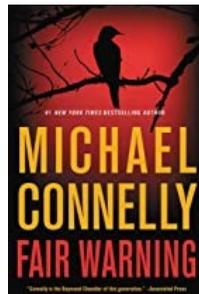


THE DAUGHTERS OF ERIETOWN

By Connie Schultz

In her debut novel, the Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist illuminates the experiences of three generations of women in a working class family, highlighting the divide between one's inner and social selves.

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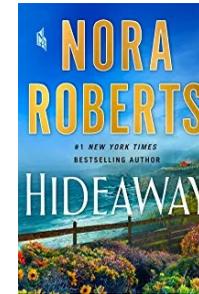
THE GIRL FROM WIDOW HILLS

By Megan Miranda

A survivor of a childhood trauma wakes up in the middle of the night to find the corpse of a man she once knew in her bedroom.

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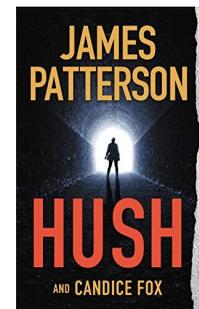


HIDEAWAY

By Nora Roberts

A former child star in recovery from the trauma of childhood abduction finds love.

If you liked Patterson's Alex Cross series, you might like:



HUSH

By James Patterson and Candice Fox

The fourth installment of the Harriet Blue series may be the most exciting yet. While Harriet sits in prison for having avenged her brother's murder by a serial killer, the officer who put her there offers her the chance to solve the abductions of two of his relatives in exchange for her freedom.

If you like Richard Russo, you might like:



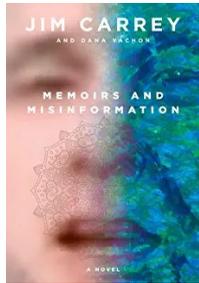
LOVE

By Roddy Doyle

A story of two old friends, Davy and Joe, who meet again after many years and spend an evening discussing their lives over some drinks.

Fiction

If you liked *A Very Punchable Face* by Colin Jost, you might like:



MEMOIRS AND MISINFORMATION

By Jim Carrey and Dana Vachon

A semi-autobiographical novel about the actor's existential crisis and how he deals with it.

If you like historical fiction, you might like:

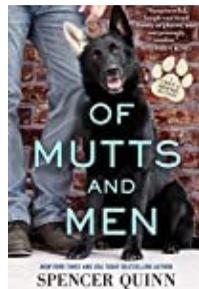


MRS. LINCOLN'S SISTERS

By Jennifer Chiaverini

The author of *Mrs. Lincoln's Dressmaker* returns to the subject of Mary Todd Lincoln, this time exploring the relationships between Mrs. Lincoln and her sisters after her husband's assassination and her own suicide attempt.

If you like David Rosenfelt, you might like:



OF MUTTS AND MEN

By Spencer Quinn

In the latest Chet and Bernie mystery, the pair dodge danger while investigating the murder of a hydrologist.

Fiction

If you like suspense, you might like:



THE OPERATOR

By Gretchen Berg

When a nosy small-town 1950's telephone operator overhears a shocking secret involving herself, she strives to get to the bottom of it and sets in motion an unstoppable chain of events.

If you like thrillers, you might like:



THE PERSUASION

By Iris Johansen

Forensic sculptor Eve Duncan is back again, but this time the focus is on the love story between her daughter, Jane, and Jane's boyfriend, Seth, as together they try to outwit a madman.

If you liked Kwan's *Crazy Rich Asians* trilogy, you might like:



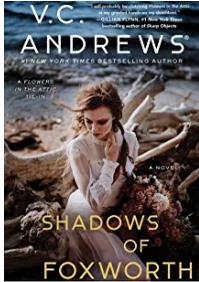
SEX AND VANITY

By Kevin Kwan

Kwan explores the theme of conformity vs. authenticity in this charming and humorous story of a young biracial woman who is torn between a Chinese man and the rich white man her parents want her to marry.

Fiction

If you like domestic suspense, you might like:



THE SHADOWS OF FOXWORTH

By V.C. Andrews

Number three in a prequel arc within the Dollanganger series, *The Shadows of Foxworth* picks up where *Out of the Attic* left off to reveal the origins of the Dollanganger curse.

If you like military thrillers, you might like:

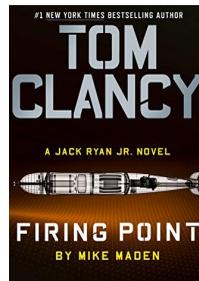


THE SUMMER HOUSE

By James Patterson and Brendan DuBois

Four Army Rangers have been accused of brutally murdering seven people inside a creepy old house. However, as the Army furthers their investigation, the case turns out to be much more complex than it appeared.

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TOM CLANCY FIRING POINT

By Mike Maden

In book 29 of the Jack Ryan Universe series, Jack Ryan, Jr. is in Spain when an old friend is killed. As the investigation progresses, he realizes that the evil he has uncovered may be too much for him to handle alone.

Fiction

If you like Toni Morrison, you might like:

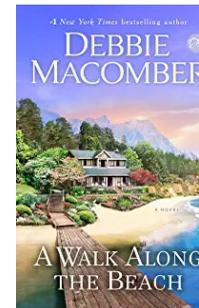


THE VANISHING HALF

By Brit Bennett

Bennett explores the issue of “passing” in this novel which covers the lives of identical twin sisters from the 1950’s to the 1990’s — one who lives as black, and the other who passes for white.

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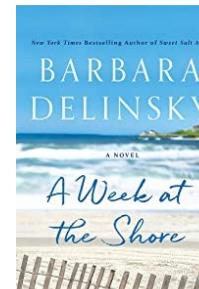


A WALK ALONG THE BEACH

By Debbie Macomber

The story of two sisters navigating the joys and sorrows of life.

If you like Mary Alice Monroe, you might like:



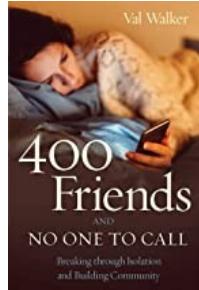
A WEEK AT THE SHORE

By Barbara Delinsky

In her latest novel, Delinsky explores the relationships among three sisters against the backdrop of the family’s Rhode Island beach house.

Non-Fiction

If you liked *Together* by Vivek H. Murthy, M.D., you might like:



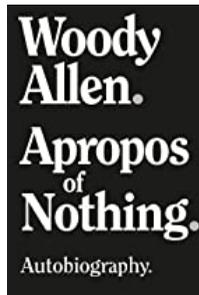
400 FRIENDS AND NO ONE TO CALL: BREAKING THROUGH ISOLATION AND BUILDING COMMUNITY

By Val Walker

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Walker discusses the timely phenomenon of social isolation despite the ubiquity of superficial connection.

If you liked *Woody Allen on Woody Allen*, you might like:



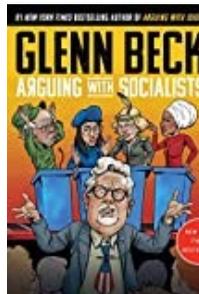
APROPOS OF NOTHING

By Woody Allen

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The actor, comedian, writer, and director reflects on the many paths he has taken in this entertaining autobiography.

If you liked Beck's *Arguing with Idiots*, you might like:



ARGUING WITH SOCIALISTS

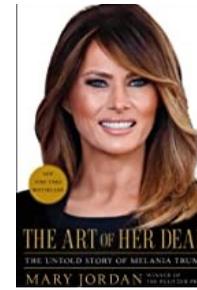
By Glenn Beck

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The conservative commentator gives his take on current events in this illustrated volume.

Non-Fiction

If you liked *Free Melania* by Kate Bennett, you might like:



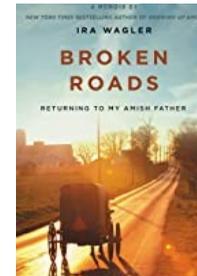
THE ART OF HER DEAL: THE UNTOLD STORY OF MELANIA TRUMP

By Mary Jordan

MCN B TRUMP

Jordan covers Melania Trump's life from her Slovenian upbringing and modeling career through the present.

If you liked Wagler's *Growing Up Amish*, you might like:



BROKEN ROADS: RETURNING TO MY AMISH FATHER

By Ira Wagler

MCN B WAGLER

A man who was raised Amish gives readers an inside view of the Amish community as he comes to terms with the religion of his youth and his relationship with his elderly Amish father before it is too late.

If you like fashion, you might like:



THE CHIFFON TRENCHES: A MEMOIR

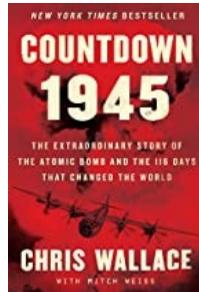
By André Leon Talley

MCN B TALLEY

The legendary fashion editor reminisces on his career, from his early days working for Andy Warhol, through his days in Paris with Yves Saint Laurent, to his days as Creative Director at *Vogue*.

Non-Fiction

If you liked *140 Days to Hiroshima* by David Dean Barrett, you might like:

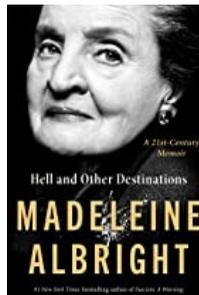


COUNTDOWN 1945: THE EXTRAORDINARY STORY OF THE ATOMIC BOMB AND THE 116 DAYS THAT CHANGED THE WORLD

By Chris Wallace
940.542 WAL

The Fox News anchor offers readers a behind-the-scenes view of the secret meetings that led to Truman's decision to bomb Hiroshima, as well as the accounts of ordinary Japanese and American citizens.

If you liked Albright's *Fascism: A Warning*, you might like:

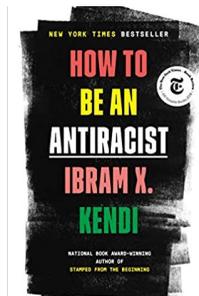


HELL AND OTHER DESTINATIONS: A 21ST-CENTURY MEMOIR

By Madeleine Albright with Bill Woodward
B ALBRIGHT

America's first female Secretary of State reflects on her impressively multi-faceted post-White House career in this uplifting and humorous memoir.

If you liked *White Fragility* by Robin DiAngelo, you might like:



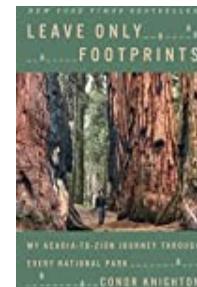
HOW TO BE AN ANTIRACIST

By Ibram X. Kendi
305.8 KEN

Kendi educates readers on how they can go from being passive non-racists to active antiracists in this best-selling, award-winning book.

Non-Fiction

If you like travel memoirs, you might like:

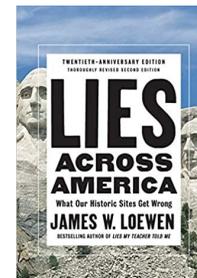


LEAVE ONLY FOOTPRINTS: MY ACADIA-TO-ZION JOURNEY THROUGH EVERY NATIONAL PARK

By Conor Knighton
917.304 KNI

The *CBS Sunday Morning* correspondent chronicles his year of adventures exploring all 59 of America's official National Parks in this book which is insightful and entertaining as well as informative.

If you like American history, you might like:

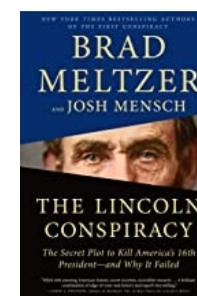


LIES ACROSS AMERICA: WHAT OUR HISTORIC SITES GET WRONG

By James W. Loewen
973 LOE

In the 20th anniversary edition of this educational yet accessible classic, Loewen discusses timely topics such as the deliberate covering up of the connection between historic sites and slavery.

If you liked *The First Conspiracy*, you might like:



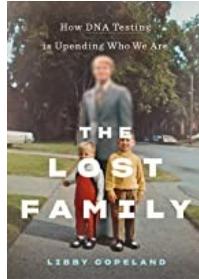
THE LINCOLN CONSPIRACY: THE SECRET PLOT TO KILL AMERICA'S 16TH PRESIDENT—AND WHY IT FAILED

By Brad Meltzer and Josh Mensch
MCN 973.709 MEL

The bestselling authors of *The First Conspiracy* share the little-known story of a failed assassination attempt on Lincoln in 1861 which was motivated by his anti-slavery stance.

Non-Fiction

If you liked *Finding Family* by Richard Hill, you might like:



LOST FAMILY: HOW DNA TESTING IS UPENDING WHO WE ARE

By Libby Copeland
929.107 COP

An exploration of the effects which home DNA testing has had on various aspects of identity, from race and ethnicity to paternity.

If you like Southern cooking, you might like:

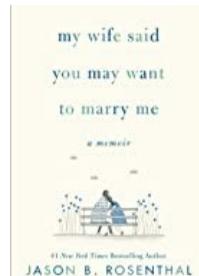


MAGNOLIA TABLE VOLUME TWO: A COLLECTION OF RECIPES FOR GATHERING

By Joanna Gaines
641.597 GAI

The HGTV star shares 145 recipes including breakfast, lunch, dinner, breads, soups, and side dishes.

If you liked *Encyclopedia of an Ordinary Life* by Amy Krouse Rosenthal, you might like:

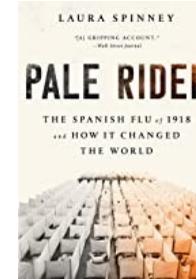


MY WIFE SAID YOU MAY WANT TO MARRY ME: A MEMOIR
By Jason B. Rosenthal
B ROSENTHAL

Before her untimely death from cancer, children's book author Amy Krouse Rosenthal published a column in the newspaper to try to find a new wife for her husband, the author of this book. In this memoir, he processes his loss and reflects on the ways in which he has tried to fulfill his wife's final wish.

Non-Fiction

If you like science history, you might like:

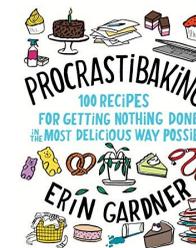


PALE RIDER: THE SPANISH FLU OF 1918 AND HOW IT CHANGED THE WORLD

By Laura Spinney
614.5 SPI

Spinney explores the causes and effects of the 1918-1920 pandemic across the spectrum of politics, religion, family, and more.

If you liked Gardner's *Erin Bakes Cake*, you might like:

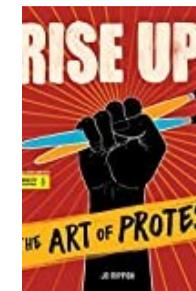


PROCRASTIBAKING: 100 RECIPES FOR GETTING NOTHING DONE IN THE MOST DELICIOUS WAY POSSIBLE

By Erin Gardner
641.815 GAR

The ErinBakes.com blogger offers this collection of recipes ranging from fast and easy to full weekend projects as replacement for a wide variety of undesirable tasks.

If you liked Rippon's *The Art of Protest*, you might like:



RISE UP!: THE ART OF PROTEST
By Jo Rippon; in collaboration with Amnesty International
322.44 RIP

A fun, illustrated guide to the last hundred years in the international struggle for human rights and environmental protection, containing authentic historical posters used in various campaigns.

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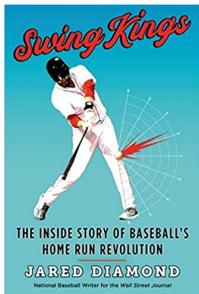


THE SIRENS OF MARS: SEARCHING FOR LIFE ON ANOTHER WORLD

By Sarah Stewart Johnson
576.839 JOH

The author blends the history of Mars exploration with the story of her own experiences as a female scientist.

If you like Diamond's *Wall Street Journal* baseball column, you might like:

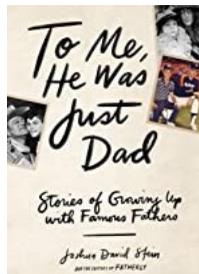


SWING KINGS: THE INSIDE STORY OF BASEBALL'S HOME RUN REVOLUTION

By Jared Diamond
796.357 HE

The author of *Guns, Germs, and Steel* turns his attention to baseball to reveal the intricacies of the swing technique which is responsible for the incredible increase in the number of home runs in recent years.

If you like the website Fatherly, you might like:



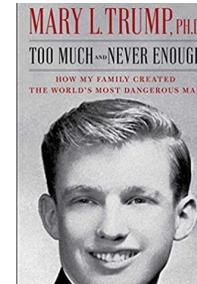
TO ME, HE WAS JUST DAD: STORIES OF GROWING UP WITH FAMOUS FATHERS

By Joshua David Stein and the editors of Fatherly
306.874 STE

The sons of celebrities including Christopher Reeve, Evil Knievel, John Wayne, and Jacques Pépin share memories of their famous fathers through personal essays and archival photos.

Non-Fiction

If you liked *The Making of Donald Trump* by David Cay Johnston, you might like:

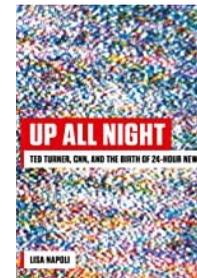


TOO MUCH AND NEVER ENOUGH: HOW MY FAMILY CREATED THE WORLD'S MOST DANGEROUS MAN

By Mary L. Trump, Ph.D.
B TRUMP

Trump's niece, who is a clinical psychologist, gives a behind-the-scenes account of the dysfunctional Trump family and analyzes its effect on Trump's development, resulting in the book only she can write.

If you liked *Call Me Ted* by Ted Turner, you might like:



UP ALL NIGHT: TED TURNER, CNN, AND THE BIRTH OF 24-HOUR NEWS

By Lisa Napoli
302 NAP

This story of the founding and early days of CNN is filled with a combination of anecdotes and analysis.

If you liked *Amelia Earhart's Daughters* by Leslie Haynsworth and David Toomey, you might like:



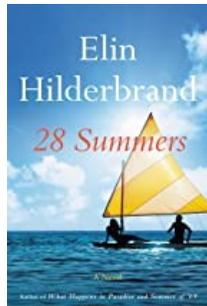
THE WOMEN WITH SILVER WINGS: THE INSPIRING TRUE STORY OF THE WOMEN AIRFORCE SERVICE PILOTS OF WORLD WAR II

By Katherine Sharp Landdeck
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The little-known story of the daring deeds of the slightly over 1,100 women who were known as WASP and their fight for recognition.

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If you liked the film *Same Time Next Year*, you might like:

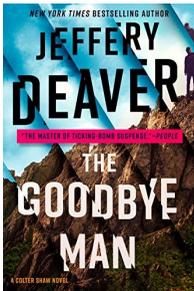


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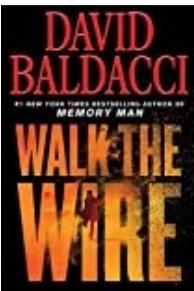


THE GOODBYE MAN

By Jeffery Deaver

Book two in the Colter Shaw series finds Shaw investigating a shocking hate crime in the Washington wilderness, which leads him to a shadowy cult.

If you like Michael Connelly, you might like:



WALK THE WIRE

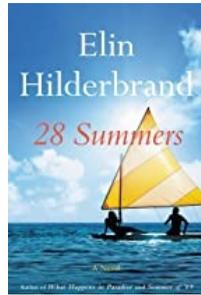
By David Baldacci

Book six in the Memory Man series finds hero Amos Decker investigating the grisly murder of a prostitute/religious educator in lonesome North Dakota.



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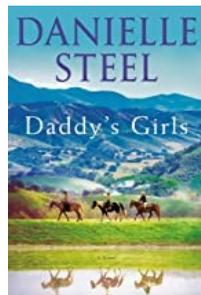


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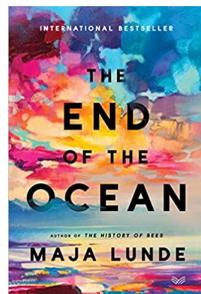


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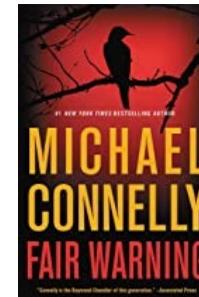
THE END OF THE OCEAN

By Maja Lunde

A father and daughter from the year 2041 discover the boat of a woman from 2019 who tried to save the future from environmental destruction.

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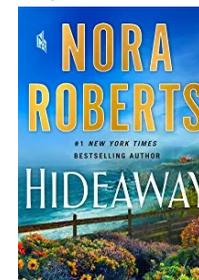


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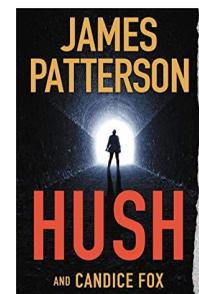


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A former child star in recovery from the trauma of childhood abduction finds love.

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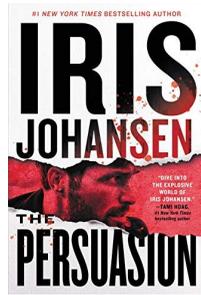
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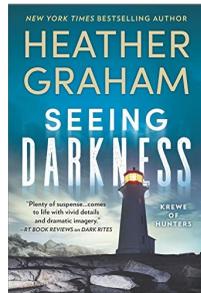


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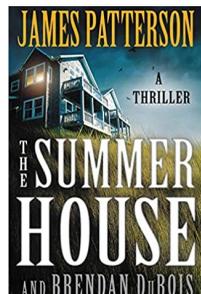


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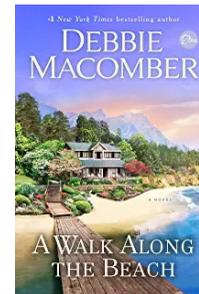


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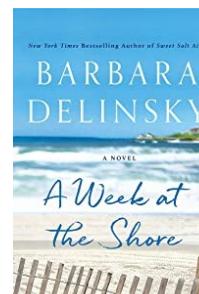


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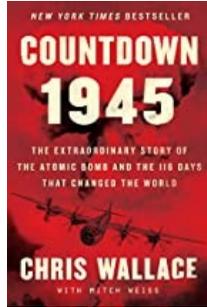
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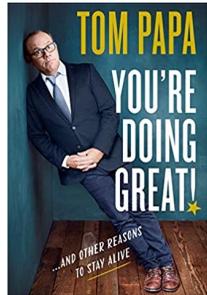
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