

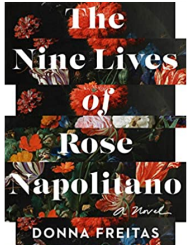
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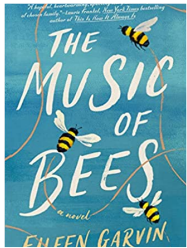
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THE NINE LIVES OF ROSE NAPOLITANO

DONNA FREITAS

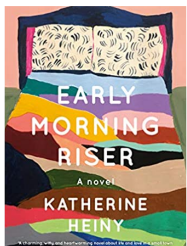
A woman who never wanted to be a mother reconnects with her estranged husband in the wake of unexpected news and is challenged to reevaluate herself in an unanticipated role.



THE MUSIC OF BEES

EILEEN GARVIN

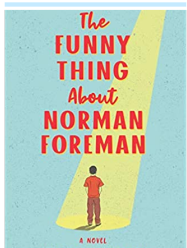
Three strangers navigating grief and devastating setbacks cross paths in a rural Oregon town, where they find unexpected friendship, healing and new chances on local honeybee farm.



EARLY MORNING RISER

KATHERINE HEINY

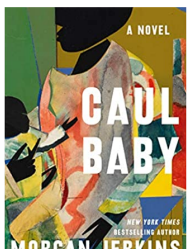
Jane falls in love with Duncan easily. He is charming, good-natured, and handsome but unfortunately, he has also slept with nearly every woman in Boyne City, Michigan. A new novel explores love, disaster and unconventional family.



THE FUNNY THING ABOUT NORMAN FOREMAN

JULIETTA HENDERSON

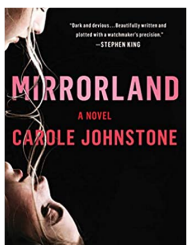
A 12-year-old aspiring comedian pushes the limits of his lesser talents to travel across the country and honor a dead best friend's dream of performing in the Edinburgh Festival Fringe.



CAUL BABY

MORGAN JERKINS

A fiction debut by the author of Wandering in Strange Lands finds a would-be mother rendered the unexpected caregiver of a niece's unplanned baby, who a matriarch predicts will restore their family's prosperity.



MIRRORLAND

CAROLE JOHNSTONE

Returning to her gothic childhood home in the wake of her estranged twin's disappearance, Cat uncovers long-held secrets involving her sister's left-behind clues and a mysterious treasure hunt.

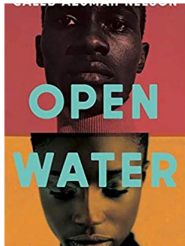
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THE DROWNING KIND

JENNIFER MCMAHON

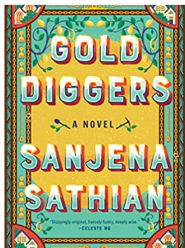
Investigating an estranged sibling's suspicious drowning at their grandmother's estate, a social worker connects the tragedy to the unsolved case of a housewife who in 1929 allegedly succumbed to the consequences of a wish-granting spring.



OPEN WATER

CALEB AZUMAH NELSON

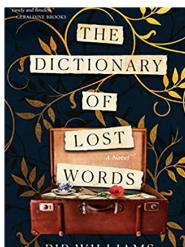
A young British-Ghanaian photographer falls for a dancer and the two quickly develop a magnetic yet complicated relationship. Both were among the only Black students at a mostly white private school.



GOLD DIGGERS

SANJENA SATHIAN

A satirical coming-of-age story follows the experiences of an Indian-American teen in the Bush-era Atlanta suburbs, who joins his crush's plot to use an ancient alchemical potion to meet high parental expectations, triggering devastating consequences.

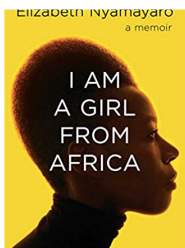


THE DICTIONARY OF LOST WORDS

PIP WILLIAMS

In a debut novel based on actual events, as a team of male scholars compiles the first Oxford English Dictionary, one of their daughters decides to collect the "objectionable" words they omit.

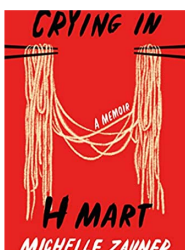
NON-FICTION



I AM A GIRL FROM AFRICA

ELIZABETH NYAMAYARO

The award-winning humanitarian and former United Nations Senior Advisor on Gender Equality describes how an aid volunteer saved her life and inspired her work as an advocate for positive change in communities throughout the world.



CRYING IN THE H MART

MICHELLE ZAUNER

The Japanese Breakfast indie pop star presents a full-length account of her viral New Yorker essay to share poignant reflections on her experiences of growing up Korean-American, becoming a professional musician and caring for her terminally ill mother.