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#### LOLA'S SECRET

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*Ballantine Books* Sending her family away at Christmas so she can host guests at the Valley View Motel, mischievous octogenarian Lola Quinlan unveils the reasons her guests are not with their loved ones until drama in her own family threatens her plans.

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#### LOLA'S SUPER CLUB #1

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#### MY DAD IS A SUPER SECRET AGENT

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*Papercutz*

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#### LOLA'S FANDANGO

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*Barefoot Books* Little Lola is tired of living in her big sister's shadow. But when she starts taking secret flamenco lessons from her Papi, will she find the courage to share her new skill with the world?

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#### THE ALPHABET SISTERS

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##### A NOVEL

*Ballantine Books* As girls growing up in Clare Valley, Australia, Anna, Bett, and Carrie Quinlan were childhood singing stars known as The Alphabet Sisters. The unbridled enthusiasm of their flamboyant grandmother Lola was the glue that held them together. As adults, though, the women haven't spoken in years-ever since Bett's fiancé deserted her to marry the younger Carrie. Now Lola is turning eighty and she is determined to reunite the girls for a blowout bash. And no one ever says no to Lola. Bett, who fled to London after the scandal of losing her fiancé, is hesitant to face her sisters and her hometown-especially since she has yet to find another man. Sophisticated Anna, the eldest sister, isn't too keen on the prospect either, though she's secretly grateful for any excuse to leave her crumbling marriage behind in Sydney. And Carrie, who remained in Clare Valley, is perhaps the most apprehensive. Her marriage-the nominal cause of the sisters' estrangement-is also on the rocks. Was she wrong to have followed her heart and run off with Bett's fiancé? When Lola shares her special request, that the girls stage a musical she has written, their short visit becomes a much longer commitment. As they are forced to spend more time together, the sisters must confront the pain that lingers between them. Preconceptions and misunderstandings are slowly put aside and the three find themselves gradually, irresistibly enveloping one another once again-until an unexpected turn of events changes everything in ways none of them could have ever imagined. . . . Layering the lighthearted antics of small-town life with a heartbreaking story of loyalty lost and found, The Alphabet Sisters is an unforgettable story of two generations of women who learn that being true to themselves means being true to one another. **BONUS:** This edition contains excerpts from Monica McInerney's *Lola's Secret*, *At Home with the Templetons*, *The Faraday Girls*, *Family Baggage*, *Greetings from Somewhere Else*, and *Upside Down Inside Out*.

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#### THE SECRET OF WHITE STONE GATE

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*Sourcebooks, Inc.* In this exciting sequel to *The Mystery of Black Hollow Lane*, Emmy's adventures continue as she deals with a sinister organization, a missing father, and secrets she's not sure who to trust with. After spending the summer at home in Connecticut, Emmy cannot wait to return to Wellsworth for the new school year and reunite with her best friends, Lola and Jack. Before she leaves Emmy receives a note from her father telling her to hide the remaining relics The Order of Black Hollow Lane are after—and to trust no one. When Lola is framed for a serious crime she didn't commit, Emmy knows that she and her friends are not safe. The Order wants Emmy to give up her father's location... if she doesn't, those she loves will pay the price. Emmy and Jack need to figure out a way to clear Lola's name without bending to the Order's sinister demands. And Emmy needs to figure out who she can trust with her secrets before it's too late.

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#### LOLA

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##### A NOVEL

*Crown* **WINNER OF THE JOHN CREASEY DEBUT DAGGER AWARD** Nominated for the Edgar Award for best first novel An astonishing debut crime thriller about an unforgettable woman who combines the genius and ferocity of Lisbeth Salander with the ruthless ambition of Walter White The Crenshaw Six are a small but up-and-coming gang in South Central LA who have recently been drawn into an escalating war between rival drug cartels. To outsiders, the Crenshaw Six appear to be led by a man named Garcia . . . but what no one has figured out is that the gang's real leader (and secret weapon) is Garcia's girlfriend, a brilliant young woman named Lola. Lola has mastered playing the role of submissive girlfriend, and in the man's world she inhabits she is consistently underestimated. But in truth she is much, much smarter--and in many ways tougher and more ruthless--than any of the men around her, and as the gang is increasingly sucked into a world of high-stakes betrayal and brutal violence, her skills and leadership become their only hope of survival. Lola marks the debut of a hugely exciting new thriller writer, and of a singular, magnificent character unlike anyone else in fiction.

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#### AT HOME WITH THE TEMPLETONS

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*Welbeck Publishing Group* When the Templeton family from England takes up residence in a stately home in Australia, they set the locals talking - and with good reason. From the outside, the seven Templetons seem so unusual . . . peculiar even. No one is more intrigued by the family than their neighbours, single mother Nina Donovan and her young son, Tom. Before long, the two families' lives become entwined in unexpected ways, to the delight of Gracie, the youngest of the Templeton daughters. In the years that follow, the relationships between the Templetons and the two Donovans twist and turn in unpredictable and life-changing direction, until a tragedy tears them all apart. What will it take to bring them back together again? From Australia's top-selling female novelist comes her best book yet - a wonderfully entertaining and touching story about the perils and pleasures of love, friendship and family.

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#### THE BRIEF WONDROUS LIFE OF OSCAR WAO

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*Faber & Faber* Things have never been easy for Oscar. A ghetto nerd living with his Dominican family in New Jersey, he's sweet but disastrously overweight. He dreams of becoming the next J.R.R. Tolkien and he keeps falling hopelessly in love. Poor Oscar may never get what he wants, thanks to the Fukú - the curse that has haunted his family for generations. With dazzling energy and insight Díaz immerses us in the tumultuous lives of Oscar; his runaway sister Lola; their beautiful mother Belicia; and in the family's uproarious journey from the Dominican Republic to the US and back. Rendered with uncommon warmth and humour, *The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao* is a literary triumph, that confirms Junot Díaz as one of the most exciting writers of our time.

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#### LOLA IS MISSING

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#### A TOTALLY GRIPPING CRIME THRILLER

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#### LOLA'S ICE CREAMS AND SUNDAES

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#### ICED DELIGHTS FOR ALL SEASONS

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*Random House* Morfudd Richards ran a very popular London restaurant called Lola's. When she closed it in 2004 she bought an ice-cream van and started a business - Lola's on Ice - selling her homemade ice creams. From here springs this mouthwatering book, based on four years' experience of mastering the art of making ice cream and the discovery of a passion. Morfudd shares over 100 sumptuous recipes for ice creams, sorbets, granitas and sundaes - for use with an ice-cream maker or by hand. She reveals why beetroot is the perfect partner for blackcurrant in a sorbet; how to make the creamiest vanilla ice cream and why your tastebuds won't fail to be tantalised by burnt orange caramel or rhubarb crumble ice cream or pea and wasabi sorbet. She also teaches you how to marry flavours to create irresistible sundaes, how to make ices throughout the year using seasonal ingredients and provides a handy Q&A section to help solve your ice-cream dilemmas. With eye-catching design and stunning colour photography throughout, this book is THE definitive guide to all things iced and will have you licking your bowl clean to savour every last drop of your delectable desserts.

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## ATONEMENT

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*Vintage Canada* From the Booker Prize winning author of *Amsterdam*, a brilliant new novel. On the hottest day of the summer of 1935, thirteen-year-old Briony Tallis sees her sister Cecilia strip off her clothes and plunge into the fountain in the garden of their country house. Watching her is Robbie Turner, son of the Tallis's cleaning lady, whose education has been subsidized by Cecilia's and Briony's father, and who, like Cecilia, has recently come down from Cambridge. By day's end, their lives will be changed - irrevocably. Robbie and Cecilia will have crossed a boundary they had not imagined at its start. And Briony will have witnessed mysteries, seen an unspeakable word, and committed a crime for which she will spend the rest of her life trying to atone... Brilliant and utterly enthralling in its depiction of love and war and class and childhood and England, *An Atonement* is a profound - and profoundly moving - exploration of shame and forgiveness, of atonement and of the possibility of absolution.

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## SWEET HEARTS: MODEL BEHAVIOUR

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*Random House* The fifth title in this wonderful series. For all fans of Cathy Cassidy and Jacqueline Wilson - *Sweet Hearts* follows a huge cast of girls and their friendships, families and first loves! Lola Cassidy has it all - wealthy parents, a gorgeous boyfriend and the daughter of a Bollywood producer as her best friend. She's going to be a model, just like her mother and is looking forward to her work experience at a famous fashion house. But things don't go to plan, and when her place in designer heaven falls through she ends up having to work in an animal sanctuary. Can Harry, as mysterious as he is good-looking, help her enjoy her new situation . . . ?

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## THE BRIEF WONDROUS LIFE OF OSCAR WAO

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*Penguin* Winner of: The Pulitzer Prize The National Book Critics Circle Award The Anisfield-Wolf Book Award The Jon Sargent, Sr. First Novel Prize A Time Magazine #1 Fiction Book of the Year One of the best books of 2007 according to: The New York Times, San Francisco Chronicle, New York Magazine, Entertainment Weekly, The Boston Globe, Los Angeles Times, The Washington Post, People, The Village Voice, Time Out New York, Salon, Baltimore City Paper, The Christian Science Monitor, Booklist, Library Journal, Publishers Weekly, New York Public Library, and many more... Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's The Great American Read Oscar is a sweet but disastrously overweight ghetto nerd who—from the New Jersey home he shares with his old world mother and rebellious sister—dreams of becoming the Dominican J.R.R. Tolkien and, most of all, finding love. But Oscar may never get what he wants. Blame the fuku—a curse that has haunted Oscar's family for generations, following them on their epic journey from Santo Domingo to the USA. Encapsulating Dominican-American history, *The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao* opens our eyes to an astonishing vision of the contemporary American experience and explores the endless human capacity to persevere—and risk it all—in the name of love.

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## AN OFFER YOU CAN'T REFUSE

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*Sourcebooks, Inc.* What's a girl to do with...An offer you can't refuse? A new bestseller from one of the UK's biggest authors! Nothing could tear Lola and Dougie apart, except his mother... Seventeen-year-old Lola has no intention of accepting when her boyfriend's snobbish mother offers her a huge bribe to break up with him. Then Lola discovers a secret that makes her think again, and the only way she can help one of the people she loves most in the world is to take the money and break Dougie's heart. Ten years later, when Lola meets Dougie again, her feelings for him are as strong as ever. She'll do almost anything to get him back, but she can never tell him the truth. Can she overcome his bitterness and win his heart? She's attractive, persuasive, and endlessly optimistic, but even Lola's got her work cut out for her this time. PRAISE FOR AN OFFER YOU CAN'T REFUSE "Pick this up at your peril: you won't get a thing done till it's finished!" "You won't be disappointed in this gem." - Hot Stars Magazine "Pick this up at your peril: you won't get a thing done till it's finished." - Heat magazine "Witty and charming, this easygoing tale is full of twists that make it hard to put down." - Woman "Classy chick-lit that appeals to women of all ages. She [Jill Mansell] has a fantastic ability to keep a number of storylines running at the same time without losing the reader in a labyrinth." -Daily Express "Warm and funny." -Heat magazine "A romantic romp full of larger-than-life characters." -Express "Fast, furious and fabulous fun. To read it is to devour it." -Company "A light-hearted and likeable tale." -Prima "A jaunty summer read." -Daily Mail "A great, comical read." -Birmingham Post

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## BLOOD HUNGER

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*Totally Entwined Group (USA+CAD)* Can a vampire with deadly enemies conceal her nature from her mortal lover when the pair are framed for a murder they didn't commit? Raven-haired femme fatale Lola Devereaux is used to wrapping men around her finger, but when handsome Dillon Chambers walks into her life, passion sizzles between them. To her surprise, she finds she's the one who yearns to submit this time. But Lola's keeping a dark secret. Lola is a vampire, and she fears that if Dillon finds out, he'll reject her forever, just like her mortal ex did. Keeping a secret this big is hard enough, but when the urgency to feed causes Lola to make a serious lapse in judgment, an old enemy takes the opportunity to wreak revenge, putting Dillon in the frame for murder. Lola has to find a way to clear his name or risk never feeling his strong arms around her again. Does one stupid error have to mean kissing goodbye to the only guy who makes her heart race? And is telling the truth really so incompatible with true love?

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## LOLAS' HOUSE

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## FILIPINO WOMEN LIVING WITH WAR

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*Northwestern University Press* During World War II more than one thousand Filipinas were kidnapped by the Imperial Japanese Army. *Lolas' House* tells the stories of sixteen surviving Filipino "comfort women." M. Evelina Galang enters into the lives of the women at *Lolas' House*, a community center in metro Manila. She accompanies them to the sites of their abduction and protests with them at the gates of the Japanese embassy. Each woman gives her testimony, and even though the women relive their horror at each telling, they offer their stories so that no woman anywhere should suffer wartime rape and torture. *Lolas' House* is a book of testimony, but it is also a book of witness, of survival, and of the female body. Intensely personal and globally political, it is the legacy of *Lolas' House* to the world.

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## LOLA AND THE MILLIONAIRES: PART TWO

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Lola is being hunted by her past, stalked with every step she takes. Sheltered with the pack of her dreams, at first it seems like the hardest challenge isn't even staying safe from Indy. Tensions at work are at a tipping point and after taking the role of management's spy, Lola's in the crossfire if anything goes wrong. As romances between Lola and the pack members are developing left and right, the woman who swore she wanted nothing to do with alpha is turning to them like a bloom to the sun. If only it weren't just one monstrous alpha that twisted her own thoughts. Lola is quickly realizing that her worst enemy is herself, and it's like walking the tightrope to find a balance with the pack that gives her strength rather than sends her toppling to the ground. But Indy won't be ignored. One way or another, he's determined to get his hands on her again. Lola needs more than a pack to shield her. She needs to be ready to fight.

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## LOLA, CALIFORNIA

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### A NOVEL

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*Farrar, Straus and Giroux* The year is 2008, the place California. Vic Mahler, famous for having inspired cult followers in the seventies, serves time on death row, now facing a countdown of ten days. For years, his daughter, Lana, has been in hiding. Meanwhile, her friend Rose, a lawyer, is determined to bring the two together. When Rose succeeds in tracking down Lana at a California health spa, the two friends must negotiate land mines of memory in order to find their future. In sharp episodes infused with pathos and wit, Edie Meidav brings her acclaimed insight and poetry to the hope of friendship, parenthood, dystopia, and the legacy of the seventies. *Lola, California* speaks to our contemporary crisis of faith, asking: Can we survive too much choice?

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## HELLO, UNIVERSE

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*HarperCollins* Winner of the Newbery Medal "A charming, intriguingly plotted novel."—Washington Post Newbery Medalist Erin Entrada Kelly's *Hello, Universe* is a funny and poignant neighborhood story about unexpected friendships. Told from four intertwining points of view—two boys and two girls—the novel celebrates bravery, being different, and finding your inner bayani (hero). "Readers will be instantly engrossed in this relatable neighborhood adventure and its eclectic cast of misfits."—Booklist In one day, four lives weave together in unexpected ways. Virgil Salinas is shy and kindhearted and feels out of place in his crazy-about-sports family. Valencia Somerset, who is deaf, is smart, brave, and secretly lonely, and she loves everything about nature. Kaori Tanaka is a self-proclaimed psychic, whose little sister, Gen, is always following her around. And Chet Bullens wishes the weird kids would just stop being so different so he can concentrate on basketball. They aren't friends, at least not until Chet pulls a prank that traps Virgil and his pet guinea pig at the bottom of a well. This disaster leads Kaori, Gen, and Valencia on an epic quest to find missing Virgil. Through luck, smarts, bravery, and a little help from the universe, a rescue is performed, a bully is put in his place, and friendship blooms. The acclaimed and award-winning author of *Blackbird Fly* and *The Land of Forgotten Girls* writes with an authentic, humorous, and irresistible tween voice that will appeal to fans of Thanhha Lai and Rita Williams-Garcia. "Readers across the board will flock to this book that has something for nearly everyone—humor, bullying, self-acceptance, cross-generational relationships, and a smartly fateful ending."—School Library Journal

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## CONFESSIONS OF A TEENAGE DRAMA QUEEN

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*Candlewick Press* Dyan Sheldon's vain, melodramatic, and utterly lovable Lola will appeal to any young reader who has angled for acceptance. Mary Elizabeth Cep (or Lola, as she prefers to be called) longs to be in the spotlight. But when she moves to New Jersey with her family and becomes a student at Dellwood "Deadwood" High, Lola discovers that the role of resident drama queen is already filled--by the Born-to-Win, Born-to-Run-Everything Carla Santini. Carla has always gotten everything she wants--that is, until Lola comes along and snags the lead in the school play. Can Lola survive Carla's attempts at retaliation? Will Lola and her best friend, Ella, find a way to crash their favorite band's concert hall and farewell party in New York City--to which Carla has already gained entrance? And once the curtain goes up on the school play, which drama queen will take center stage?

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## EVERYTHING SECRET DEGENERATES

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### THE FBI'S USE OF MURDERERS AS INFORMANTS : THIRD REPORT

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### LEO'S WORDS DISAPPEARED AND CAME BACK

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### ACTIVITY BOOK

*CreateSpace* As Leo starts school, something strange happens. His words disappear! Now Leo must find new ways to give his words the courage to come back. This is the companion book to Leo's Words Disappeared Book written to help children with selective mutism. This activity book and journal takes learning into the practical phase by providing questions that generate personal awareness. It reinforces key tools and techniques, and allows Leo's journey to be a conduit for personal growth.

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### THE HIDDEN GIRL

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### A TRUE STORY OF THE HOLOCAUST

*Perfection Learning* After deciding to donate the dress her mother had made for her to a museum, Lola Rein Kaufman, survivor of the Nazi Holocaust, decides that it's finally time to speak publicly about her experiences.

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### FORBIDDEN LOVE

*CreateSpace* Jude and Haven share a secret. One he willingly hides and she tries to forget, but it regardless, it has tied them together. It's not until their relationship is discovered that Haven has a choice to make. She can pine for the man who walked away or choose a new path. But secrets have a way of showing themselves, making it difficult for Haven to let go... And when she does, can Jude live with the consequences?

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### ANGEL DE LA LUNA AND THE 5TH GLORIOUS MYSTERY

*Coffee House Press* Angel leaves Manila for snowy Chicago, taking a tradition of protest—and some old family hurts—with her.

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### ANNA AND THE FRENCH KISS

*Usborne Publishing Ltd* Anna is less than thrilled to be shipped off to boarding school in Paris, leaving a fledgling romance behind - until she meets Étienne St. Clair. Smart, charming, beautiful, Étienne has it all...including a girlfriend. But in the City of Light, wishes have a way of coming true. Will a year of romantic near-misses end with a longed-for French kiss? "Magical...really captures the feeling of being in love" - Cassandra Clare, author of The Mortal Instruments series NPR's Year's Best Teen Reads, 2010. NPR's 100 Best-Ever Teen Novels, Number 53. Cybils Award Finalist for Young Adult Fiction, 2011. YALSA's Best Fiction for Young Adults. 2012 list YALSA's Popular Paperbacks for Young Adults: Forbidden Romance, 2012. TAYSHAS Reading List, 2012. Georgia Peach Book Award for Teen Readers, Honor, 2012-13.

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### THE T70 AND CAN-AM CARS

*Evro Publishing Limited* This important new book exhaustively records the racing history of the Lola T70 and the Can-Am models that followed -- from T160 to T310 -- complete with a superb array of over 600 photographs.

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### PART OF YOUR WORLD

*Forever* A refreshingly modern fairy tale and instant New York Times bestseller that Love Hypothesis author Ali Hazelwood hails as "an uplifting, feel-good, romantic read." After a wild bet, gourmet grilled-cheese sandwich, and cuddle with a baby goat, Alexis Montgomery has had her world turned upside down. The cause: Daniel Grant, a ridiculously hot carpenter who's ten years younger than her and as casual as they come—the complete opposite of sophisticated city-girl Alexis. And yet their chemistry is undeniable. While her ultra-wealthy parents want her to carry on the family legacy of world-renowned surgeons, Alexis doesn't need glory or fame. She's fine with being a "mere" ER doctor. And every minute she spends with Daniel and the tight-knit town where he lives, she's discovering just what's really important. Yet letting their relationship become anything more than a short-term fling would mean turning her back on her family and giving up the opportunity to help thousands of people. Bringing Daniel into her world is impossible, and yet she can't just give up the joy she's found with him either. With so many differences between them, how can Alexis possibly choose between her world and his? "Abby Jimenez's words are like fairy dust... they sprinkled humor and warmth all over my life. Pick up Part of Your World if you're looking for an uplifting, feel-good, romantic read—and for a beautiful reminder that we should always try to live the life that makes us the happiest." --Ali Hazelwood, New York Times bestselling author of The Love Hypothesis

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### QUEEN OF BROKEN HEARTS

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### STONEVIEW SHORT STORIES BOOK 1

*Independently Published* Rachel In another life, Rose White was the woman who brought kings to their knees. They started wars for her and burnt down entire kingdoms. All for her beauty, for her charisma, and her sex appeal. I made a mistake by looking into her eyes. She caught me and cursed me into loving her. She trapped me in her web and has kept me to herself ever since. Now I worship her altar. I give her my heart and my body, I bend to her will and let her use me as she wishes. I would do anything for her love. The problem is...I'm not the only one. So on this Halloween night, her birthday, all I ask is to be the only one. Just for one night, Rose, let's play it my way. And tomorrow, I can go back to being just another subject. Another heart the Queen breaks when she pleases. This book is a FF novella of approximately 27k. It's a dark romance set in the Stoneview world and is intended for mature readers, please read the author's trigger warning in the book.

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### LOLA ONLINE #1: #THESECRETUPSTAIRSFANCLUBPARTY

*Omnibus Books* MEET LOLA. Lola has her own YouTube channel, a little brother, and a lot to say. Oh, and a rather unusual country-music loving cat, Stampy. It's time for Lola's first double digits birthday-which should mean double the fun, right? WRONG. Because when Lola's crazy number one fan hijacks the party plans, it could end up meaning... double the trouble!

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### OLLIE AND LOLA'S WOODLAND ADVENTURE

*Austin Macauley* Each day, Ollie and Lola embark on a new journey together. Today's journey begins with helping some of their woodland friends from Treehouse Woods. This is a story about friendship and helping each other, accompanied by beautiful illustrations.

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### HELLO FROM THE GILLESPIES

*Penguin* For the last thirty years, Angela Gillespie's annual Christmas letter has been full of her family's triumphs. But this year Angela surprises everyone, including herself - she tells the truth. Angela's husband is in the throes of a mid-life crisis. Her grown-up daughters are more out of control than ever. And her youngest child spends all of his time talking to an imaginary friend. With fantasy thoughts of a life before marriage and motherhood becoming more than just an innocent daydream, Angela's real life is slowly slipping out of focus. But, as the repercussions of her ruthlessly honest letter begin to pile up, a shocking event takes Angela from her family, and she realises she should have been more careful of what she wished for

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### ACE OF SHADES

*Harlequin* "Ace of Shades has it all ...an utter delight."—Claire Legrand, New York Times bestselling author of Furyborn From the New York Times bestselling coauthor of All of Us Villains. Welcome to the City of Sin, where casino families reign, gangs infest the streets...and secrets hide in every shadow. New Reynes, the so-called City of Sin, is no place for a properly raised young lady. But when her mother goes missing, Enne Salta must leave her finishing school—and her reputation—behind to follow her mother's trail in the city where no one survives uncorrupted. Frightened and alone, Enne's only clue leads her to Levi Glaiyser—a street lord and a con man in desperate need of the compensation Enne offers. Their search sends this unlikely duo through glamorous casinos, illicit cabarets, and into the clutches of a ruthless Mafia donna. But as Levi's enemies close in on them, a deadly secret from Enne's past comes to light and she must surrender herself to the City of Sin — to a vicious game of execution... Where the players never win. Praise for Ace of Shades: "A rich, satisfying, complicated story. One of the best fantasy series I've read in years."—Christine Lynn Herman, author of The Devouring Gray "Thieves, rogues, and shady characters have always fascinated me, and so I enjoyed my dive into the morally ambiguous world of New Reynes." -New York Times bestselling author Cinda Williams Chima The Shadow Game Series: Ace of Shades King of Fools Queen of Volts

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### FULFILL MY DESIRES SEBASTIAN & LOLA PART I

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### STEELE INTERNATIONAL, INC. A BILLIONAIRES ROMANCE SERIES BOOK 1

Lola Independent Woman Lewis founder of her eponymous luxury lingerie company Lola's Coterie based in Paris; who's savvy, feisty, confident, business driven, has no time for

relationships... battles her desire for punishment... Wait, what? Sebastian Steele Powerful Billionaire heir apparent to his family's luxury real estate development and management global empire; playboy who's never with the same woman twice until his latest hookup at the Club is the owner of the company he's meeting with the next morning... Can they overcome the taboo: never mix business with pleasure? Travel with Sebastian and Lola from New York City to Monte Carlo to St. Barth's as their love affair sparks in Part One of their steamy duet. Cliffhanger with HEA promised! Fulfill My Desires is the first book in the STEELE International, Inc. An Alpha Billionaires Romance Series of sizzling, contemporary romance novels that feature captivating couples of Possessive Males, Powerful Billionaires, and the women they lust after and love that ultimately have happily ever after endings. Attention: If you enjoy Sexy Fantasies that immerse you in billionaire romance with possessive males and strong females that keeps you on the edge, then come along for their racy rides. Visit CharmaineLouise.com The Sensual Lifestyle for CharmaineLouise Books Sexy Fantasies and CharmaineLouise Intimates Sexy Under Things & Loungewear to keep you in the mood.

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## MY HOLLYWOOD

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*Vintage* A wonderfully provocative and appealing novel, from the much-loved author of *Anywhere But Here* and *A Regular Guy*, her first in ten years. It tells the story of two women whose lives entwine and unfold behind the glittery surface of Hollywood. Claire, a composer and a new mother, comes to LA so her husband can follow his passion for writing television comedy. Suddenly the marriage—once a genuine 50/50 arrangement—changes, with Paul working long hours and Claire left at home with a baby, William, whom she adores but has no idea how to care for. Lola, a fifty-two-year-old mother of five who is working in America to pay for her own children's higher education back in the Philippines, becomes their nanny. Lola stabilizes the rocky household and soon other parents try to lure her away. What she sacrifices to stay with Claire and "William" remains her own closely guarded secret. In a novel that turns satirical and heartbreaking, where mothers' modern ideas are given practical overhauls by nannies, we meet Lola's vast network of fellow caregivers, each with her own story to tell. We see the upstairs competition for the best nanny and the downstairs competition for the best deal, and are forced to ask whether it is possible to buy love for our children and what that transaction costs us all. We look into two contemporary marriages—one in America and one in the Philippines—and witness their endangerment, despite the best of intentions. *My Hollywood* is a tender, witty, and resonant novel that provides the profound pleasures readers have come to expect from Mona Simpson, here writing at the height of her powers.

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## THERE'S A PAIR OF US

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### A MEMOIR OF A MARRIAGE

*Tate Publishing* Eleven years of marriage boiled down to one truth: the one who had promised fidelity for better or worse, who'd fathered their three children and joined her in quoting Emily Dickinson lines, had been unfaithful. For years Juliene Anne had endured the embarrassment of Lee having one too many drinks and showing too much interest in other women. But she trusted him to never go too far. Until the message she overheard that changed her life. You need to stop coming out here to California, and screwing around with my girlfriend, and screwing around on your wife, and screwing up my life. The ensuing confrontation and painful interactions that followed reinforced Juliene's perception of Lee as the problem. As they struggled to patch up their marriage, she came to a far more startling conclusion: she could choose to be happy. She could choose to love. Regardless of Lee's actions, Juliene could take steps to strengthen her contentment. This honest memoir of a marriage in tatters brings to light a major misconception throughout society: that we are helpless to resist the feelings accompanying life's troubles. Having passed through one of the most trying tests of marriage, Juliene shares her struggles with the hope of one whose marriage has been strengthened through twenty-five years of openness and commitment. Juliene's heartfelt story reinforces the enduring bond of Christian marriage and the faithfulness of God to those who choose to trust his love.

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## LOLA FLUFFYWHISKERS POPS UP

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### BOOK 22

*Hachette UK* Join Lily and Jess on Magic Mountain, where all of Friendship Forest's special magic grows. But when the magic crystals start not working properly, the girls know wicked Grizelda is behind it. Can tiny chipmunk Lola Fluffywhiskers help, before magic is lost from Friendship Forest forever?

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## RARE ENCOUNTER

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### A WAR NOVEL

*Windage & Elevation Press* *Rare Encounter* is a work of historical fiction. The novel is woven around an Ivy League professor (Columbia University, Union Theological Seminary) and a rough-hewn Southern rifle champion from the Dust Bowl of Oklahoma. Together they fought in the Second World War's deadliest Allied campaign. Roger Lincoln Shinn, now an esteemed professor of social ethics and one of the nation's leading religious scholars, had faced the unspeakable as a young combat infantryman. Two decades after World War II at the onset of the Vietnam War, Shinn reveals for the first time his harrowing story as a captive in Nazi prisoner-of-war camps—and the saga of his colleague, John William Hall. En route to war on the *Queen Mary*, the grand ocean liner converted into a troopship, the outwardly conventional Shinn, just out of divinity school, meets Hall, a hard-bitten officer with a renegade's temperament. An unlikely friendship develops and their destinies ultimately intertwine at the ominous Battle of the Bulge where Shinn witnesses Hall reject common notions of warfare. For Hall, Shinn's counsel, a remarkable nurse who puts herself in harm's way, and the warnings of a prescient lieutenant weigh heavily on his decisions of life and death. *Rare Encounter* will grip readers intrigued by vivid human stories formed from inside monumental events.

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## BIG LITTLE MAN

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### IN SEARCH OF MY ASIAN SELF

*Houghton Mifflin Harcourt* "Alex Tizon fearlessly penetrates the core of not just what it means to be male and Asian in America, but what it means to be human anywhere."—Cheryl Strayed, *New York Times* bestselling author *Shame*, Alex Tizon tells us, is universal—his own happened to be about race. To counteract the steady diet of American television and movies that taught Tizon to be ashamed of his face, his skin color, his height, he turned outward. ("I had to educate myself on my own worth. It was a sloppy, piecemeal education, but I had to do it because no one else was going to do it for me.") Tizon illuminates his youthful search for Asian men who had no place in his American history books or classrooms. And he tracks what he experienced as seismic change: the rise of powerful, dynamic Asian men like Yahoo! cofounder Jerry Yang, actor Ken Watanabe, and NBA starter Jeremy Lin. Included in this new edition of *Big Little Man* is Alex Tizon's "My Family's Slave"—2017's best-read digital article. Published only weeks after Tizon's death in 2017, it delivers a provocative, haunting, and ultimately redemptive coda. "A ruthlessly honest personal story and a devastating critique of contemporary American culture."—*The Seattle Times* "Part candid memoir, part incisive cultural study, *Big Little Man* addresses—and explodes—the stereotypes of Asian manhood. Alex Tizon writes with acumen and courage, and the result is a book at once illuminating and, yes, liberating."—Peter Ho Davies, author of *The Welsh Girl* "This personal narrative of self-education and growth will engage any reader captivated by the sources of American, and Asian-American, manhood—its multitude of inheritances and prospects."—*Minneapolis Star Tribune*

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## THE GIRLS IN THE ATTIC

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*Lake Union Publishing* The bestselling author of *The Designer* presents a sweeping story of blind faith, family allegiance and how love makes one man question everything he thought he knew. Max Wolff is a committed soldier of the Reich. So when he is sent home wounded, only to discover that his mother is sheltering two young Jewish women in their home, he is outraged. His mother's act of mercy is a gross betrayal of everything Max stands for. He has dedicated his life to Nazism, fighting to atone for the shame of his anti-Hitler father's imprisonment. It's his duty to turn the sisters over to the Gestapo. But he hesitates, and the longer Max fails to do his duty, the harder it becomes. When Allied bombers fill the skies of Germany, Max is forced to abandon all dogma and face the brutality of war in order to defend precious lives. But what will it cost him?