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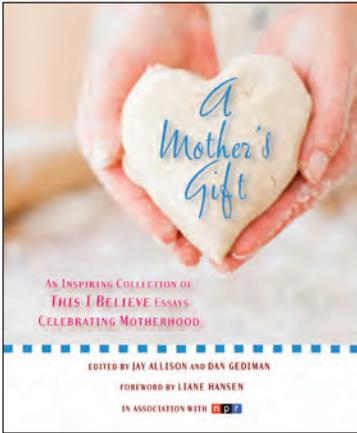
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- Google keyword ads promotion for Mother's Day
- Online promotion and giveaways with mommy blogs
- Audio feature on SheLovesHotReads.com
- Promotion on ThisIBelieve.org and NPR.org
- Social networking promotion

# A MOTHER'S GIFT

An Inspiring Collection of *This I Believe* Essays Celebrating Motherhood

EDITED BY JAY ALLISON AND DAN GEDIMAN  
FOREWORD BY LIANE HANSEN

Read by the authors

*With a focus on motherhood, this inspiring collection reflects the personal philosophies and core values of a fascinating group of Americans. The perfect Mother's Day gift.*

**B**ased on the NPR series of the same name, this new collection of *This I Believe* essays will again gather a diverse group of essayists—ranging from famous to previously unknown—completing the thought behind the series with respect to mothers and motherhood. The result will be another stirring and provocative trip inside the minds and hearts of people whose beliefs—and the remarkably varied way in which they choose to express them—reveal the American spirit at its best.

Compiled from the first two *This I Believe* audiobooks, these essays include:

- “In Giving I Connect With Others” by Isabel Allende
- “There Is No Job More Important Than Parenting” by Benjamin Carson
- “The People Who Love You When No One Else Will” by Cecile Gilmer
- “The Person I Want To Bring Into This World” by Laura Shipler Chico
- “There Is No Blame; There Is Only Love” by Ann Karasinski

JAY ALLISON, the host and curator of *This I Believe*, is an independent broadcast journalist. His work appears often on NPR and has earned him five Peabody Awards. He is the founder of the public radio stations that serve Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, and Cape Cod, where he lives. DAN GEDIMAN is the executive producer of *This I Believe*. His work has been heard on *All Things Considered*, *Morning Edition*, *Fresh Air*, *Marketplace*, *Jazz Profiles*, and *This American Life*. He has won many of public broadcasting's most prestigious awards, including the duPont-Columbia Award.

“The essays, each read by the author, surprise, inspire, and touch the heart... Do not miss it.”

—AudioFile magazine on *This I Believe*

April Publication

# MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS

RAE MEADOWS

*A rich and luminous novel about three generations of women in one family: the love they share, the dreams they refuse to surrender, and the secrets they hold*

**S**amantha is lost to the joys of new motherhood—the softness of her eight-month-old daughter’s skin, the lovely weight of her child in her arms—but in trading her artistic dreams to care for her child, Sam worries she’s lost something of herself. And she is still mourning another loss; her mother, Iris, died just one year ago.

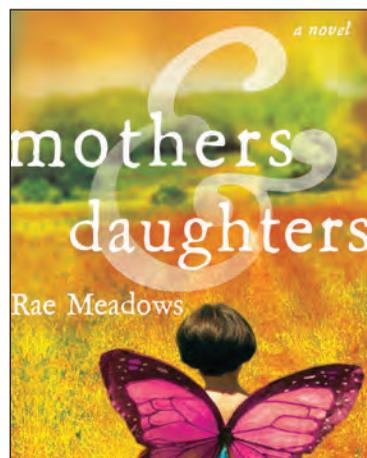
When a box of Iris’s belongings arrives on Sam’s doorstep, she discovers links to pieces of her family history but is puzzled by much of the information the box yields up. She learns that her grandmother, Violet, left New York City as an eleven-year-old girl, traveling by herself to the Midwest in search of a better life. But what was Violet’s real reason for leaving? And how could she have made that trip alone at such a tender age?

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RAE MEADOWS is the author of *Calling Out*, which received the 2006 Utah Book Award for fiction, and *No One Tells Everything*, a *Poets and Writers* Notable Novel. She lives with her husband and two daughters in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

## April Publication

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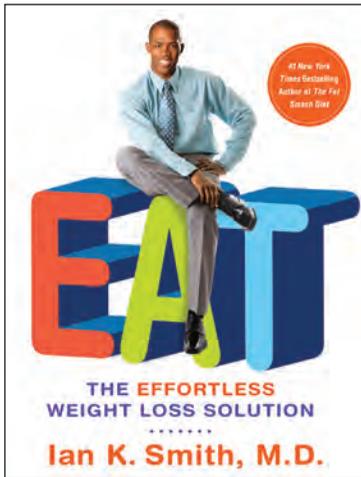


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  - Regional Author Tour: Midwest bookstores
  - IndieBound promotion
  - Industry Big Mouth mailing
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  - Library Marketing Campaign
  - Retail Special Offer
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#### AUDIO MARKETING

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- Social Networking promotion
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
  - National Author Tour
  - National Broadcast Publicity
  - National Radio Publicity
  - National Print Publicity
  - Online Advertising Campaign

# EAT

## The Effortless Weight Loss Solution

IAN K. SMITH, M.D.

Read by the author

*The #1 bestselling author of The Fat Smash Diet and The 4 Day Diet creates an eating plan for a different kind of dieter: one who won't do it*

With *EAT*, Dr. Ian Smith he has created a diet book in the flexible spirit of Mireille Guiliano's *French Women Don't Get Fat* or Michael Pollan's *The Food Rules*: it doesn't dictate quantities, portion sizes, or verboten foods. Instead, it intelligently and persuasively lays out the ten simple rules anyone can internalize and follow in any situation for stress-free weight loss and lifetime maintenance.

Dr. Ian's rules are straight-forward and simple: once a reader understands why whole wheat bread is almost nutrition-free, but whole grain bread is a magic food; why soda—both regular and diet—can sabotage any diet; why “diet” food may be having a distinctly non-dietetic effect, *EAT* will become their bible. Fans everywhere will ask each other: “You look thinner—are you doing *EAT*?”

IAN K. SMITH, M.D., is a medical contributor to ABC's *The View*, a health expert for *Rachael Ray Show*, a columnist for *Men's Health* and the medical/diet expert on VH1's *Celebrity Fit Club*. In 2008, he created The 50 Million Pound Challenge, a free national weight-loss initiative, currently sponsored by CVS. He has written for a variety of publications, including *Time*, *Newsweek*, and *New York Daily News*. In 2010, he was named a member of the President's Council on Physical Fitness by President Obama.

#### April Publication

- Simultaneous release with the St. Martin's Press hardcover edition:  
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# MORNING SONG

## Poems for New Parents

SUSAN TODD AND CAROL PURINGTON

*An ideal gift for any new parent or parent-to-be, this beautiful collection of poetic classics will become a treasured companion during the many hours spent waiting and caring for a child*

**P**oignant, inspiring, and full of wisdom, *Morning Song* celebrates the joy a new child brings to the life of parents and family. This beautifully packaged CD features classic poems by Shakespeare, Browning, and Longfellow and contemporary gems by Patti Smith, Billy Collins, Pablo Neruda, and Richard Wilbur. These unique voices bring forth the cosmic and the comic, the spiritual and the pragmatic, the whimsical and the divine. From selections like “Conception and Grace,” “Waiting,” and “Sleep and Song,” these poems speak to the scope of the parenting experience and beautifully capture this magical period of time.

**SUSAN TODD** graduated from Smith College and is the mother of three grown daughters. She was an elementary school teacher for many years before becoming head of the Heath School in Heath, Massachusetts. She was a founding editor of *Parents’ Choice* magazine and a contributing editor of *FamilyFun* magazine. Her retrospective on Laura Ingalls Wilder appeared in the *Atlantic Monthly*. Susan lives in Ashfield, Massachusetts.

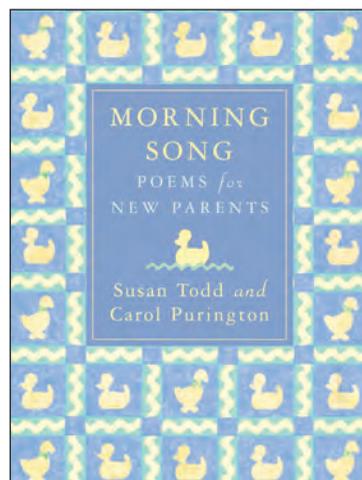
**CAROL PURINGTON** has been writing haiku and tanka poems since the early 1980s. Her works have appeared in many English-language haiku/tanka publications, both print and online, and they have won recognition in international contests. She has published two books of haiku (*Woodslawn Farm* and *Family Farm*) and three books of tanka (*The Trees Bleed Sweetness*, *A Pattern for This Place*, and *Gathering Peace*). Carol lives on a multi-generation farm in Colrain, Massachusetts.

“I know of no other anthology like it. I can imagine any number of friends and relatives giving it to new parents. It’s not a bunch of poems about babies, but great poems about the trajectories of new lives.”

—Tracy Kidder, Pulitzer Prize winner and author of *Strength in What Remains*

### May Publication

- Simultaneous release with the St. Martin’s Press Hardcover edition: ISBN: 978-0-312-64426-0 \$21.99/\$24.99 CAN



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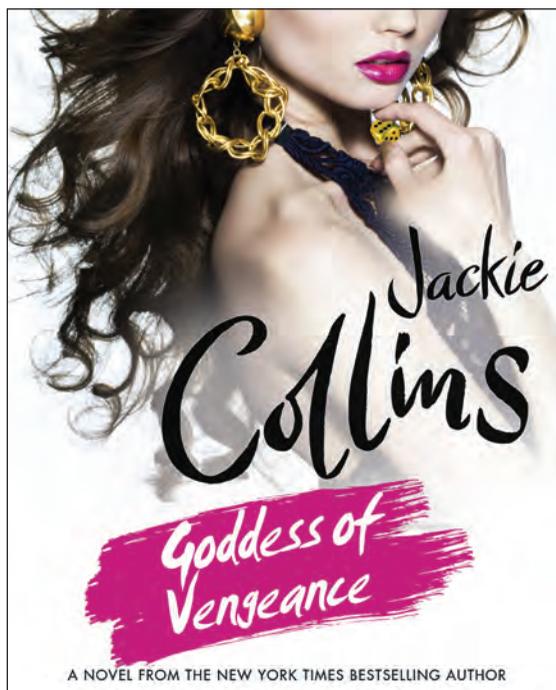
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### AUDIO MARKETING

- Print Advertising: Mother’s Day
- Online promotion and outreach to poetry and parenting sites
- Social networking promotion
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
  - Major online promotion including consumer giveaways on mommy blogs and parenting sites

# JACKIE COLLINS

*Lucky Santangelo is back with a vengeance—in a novel full of power, passion, revenge, and the raging family dynamics of the Santangelo clan—and, as always, Lucky comes out on top*



**I**n *Goddess of Vengeance* Lucky rules with her high profile casino and hotel complex, *The Keys* in Vegas. Lennie, her ex-movie star husband is still writing and directing successful independent movies, while Max, her wild and gorgeous teenage daughter is about to celebrate her eighteenth birthday, and her son, Bobby, owns a string of hot clubs.

Lucky has everything. Family. Love. Life.

And everything is exactly what billionaire businessman Armand Jordan is determined to take from her one way or the other.

Born a Prince in the small but affluent Middle Eastern country of Akramshar, Armand comes to America with his American mother at an early age, and rises to become a real estate business titan. Armand regards women as nothing more than breeding mares or sexual playthings, so when his people

inform him that the one property he covets more than anything, *The Keys*, is not for sale, he is shocked. That a mere woman would turn down his offer to buy *The Keys* is unthinkable, and Armand vows to force Lucky's hand whatever it takes.

And so the battle for power begins...

Meanwhile Bobby and Max are getting into their own trouble. Bobby inadvertently becomes involved in his ex-best friend, Frankie Romano's, drug problems, causing friction between him and his girlfriend, L.A. Deputy D.A., Denver Jones. And young Max is getting restless. Not interested in college, she fights with Lucky, and embarks on a series of adventures that could turn out to have deadly consequences. But Max is like a little Lucky, and eventually she proves her strength in more ways than one.

## May Publication

- Simultaneous release with the St. Martin's Press hardcover edition:  
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# GODDESS OF VENGEANCE

## PRAISE FOR JACKIE COLLINS:

“Nothing says summer like lathering on the sunblock, laying on a lounge chair, and pulling a very steamy novel from the queen of romance from your beach bag.”

—NBC’s *The Today Show*

“Collins is at her seasoned best with this raunchy, retro hot-sheets romance...And it’s impossible not to fall for it. Again.”

—*Publishers Weekly* on *Poor Little Bitch Girl*

“The fabulous *Married Lovers* has plenty of Hollywood women kicking ass with a trio of new heroes.”

—*The New York Post* on *Married Lovers*



Greg Gorman

JACKIE COLLINS is the author of twenty-seven *New York Times* bestselling novels. Over 400 million of her books have sold in more than 40 countries. From *Hollywood Wives* to *Lady Boss*, from *Lethal Seduction* to *Hollywood Divorces*, Jackie Collins has chronicled the lives of the rich and famous with “devastating accuracy” (*Los Angeles Times*). She lives in Beverly Hills.

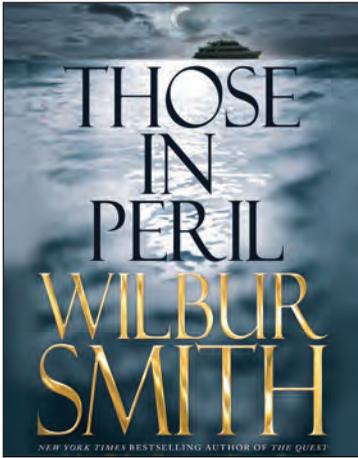
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### AUDIO MARKETING

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  - Online Advertising: Shelf Awareness, Casale Network
  - Outreach to chick lit/beach read blogs and websites
  - Facebook and Twitter promotion
- Bonus interview with the author
- This Is Audible Show on XM/Sirius Radio
- Twitter giveaway of signed audio editions
- Audio feature on SheLovesHotReads.com
- Promotion on JackieCollins.com
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
  - National One-Day Laydown: April 26, 2011
  - Author Appearances: NYC, LA, Las Vegas
  - National Broadcast Publicity
  - National Radio Publicity
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Print Advertising: *People*
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  - National Online Advertising
  - 14-Copy Mixed Floor Display with Audio
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  - Online Advertising:
    - Mystery Scene, The Strand, Crimespree*
  - Promotion at Thrillerfest VI
  - Audio promotion in *The Criminal Element*
  - Outreach to mystery/thriller blogs and websites
  - Promotion: Facebook, Twitter
- Online Promotion:  
Read ch. 1, Listen to ch. 2
- Facebook engagement ads: outreach to fans of Stephen Coonts and Clive Cussler
- Promotion on WilburSmithBooks.com
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
  - National Print Publicity
  - Massive Radio and Online Advertising and Promotion with Glenn Beck and O'Reilly
  - National Print Advertising Campaign
  - Online Advertising Campaign
  - Advance Readers' Editions
  - Major Online Promotion
  - Library Marketing Campaign

## THOSE IN PERIL

WILBUR SMITH

*Internationally bestselling author Wilbur Smith gives Clive Cussler a run for his money with a brand-new tale of piracy off the coast of Africa*

**H**azel Bannock is the heir to the Bannock Oil Corp, one of the major oil producers with global reach. While cruising in the Indian Ocean, Hazel's private yacht is hijacked by African Muslim pirates. Hazel is not on board at the time, but her nineteen-year-old daughter, Cayla, is kidnapped and held to ransom. The pirates demand a crippling twenty-billion-dollar ransom for her release.

Complicated political and diplomatic considerations render the major powers incapable of intervening. When Hazel is given evidence of the horrific torture which Cayla is being subjected to, she calls on Hector Cross to help her rescue her daughter.

Hector is the owner and operator of Cross Bow Security, the company which is contracted to Bannock Oil to provide all their security. He is a formidable fighting man. Between them Hazel and Hector are determined to take the law into their own hands.

**WILBUR SMITH** was born in Central Africa. He has written thirty novels, all meticulously researched on his numerous expeditions worldwide. His books are now translated into twenty-six languages and have sold over 100 million copies.

#### PRAISE FOR WILBUR SMITH:

"Best Historical Novelist: I say Wilbur Smith." —Stephen King

"Smith is a master." —Publishers Weekly

"One of the world's most popular adventure writers."  
—The Washington Post Book World

#### May Publication

- Simultaneous release with the Thomas Dunne Books hardcover edition: ISBN: 978-0-312-56725-5 \$27.99/NCR

# STORIES I ONLY TELL MY FRIENDS

## AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY

ROB LOWE

Read by the author

*A wryly funny and surprisingly moving account of an extraordinary life lived almost entirely in the public eye*

**A**teen idol at fifteen, an international icon and founder of the “Brat Pack” at twenty, and one of Hollywood’s top stars to this day, Rob Lowe chronicles his experiences as a painfully misunderstood child actor in Ohio uprooted to the wild counterculture of Malibu in the “feel good” mid-seventies, where he embarked on his unrelenting drive for a career in Hollywood.

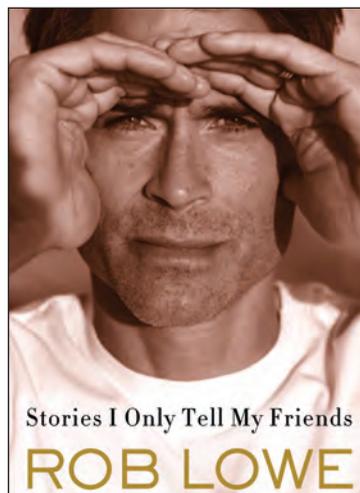
With *The Outsiders*, Rob Lowe was present at the birth of the modern youth movement in the entertainment industry. With *The West Wing*, he witnessed the surreal nexus of show business and politics both on the set and in the actual White House. And in-between are deft and humorous stories of the wild excesses that marked the 1980s, leading to his quest for family and sobriety.

Never mean-spirited or salacious, Lowe delivers unexpected glimpses into his successes, disappointments, relationships, and one-of-a kind encounters with people who shaped our world in the last twenty-five years. These “Stories” are as entertaining as they are unforgettable.

**ROB LOWE** is a film and television actor who has played such diverse characters as a teenaged rebel (*The Outsiders*) and a White House senior staffer (*The West Wing*). Outside of acting, he is involved in politics—campaigning for Arnold Schwarzenegger’s two successful runs for California governor, and getting involved in local Santa Barbara government. He lives with his wife and two sons in California.

### May Publication

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### AUTOBIOGRAPHY

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### AUDIO MARKETING

- National media outreach for review coverage
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- Video feature of in-studio footage of Lowe recording
- Bonus features on program
- Promotion on author website
- Social Networking promotion
  
- Audio tie-in to the Holt marketing plans, including:
  - Jacketed galleys for top accounts
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Broadcast Publicity
  - National Radio Publicity
  - National Print and Online Advertising
  - Author Video
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### THE CHISOLM TRAIL

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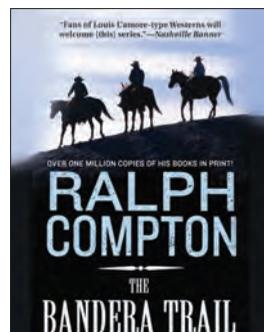
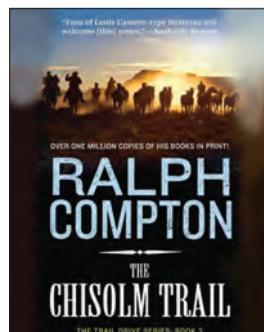
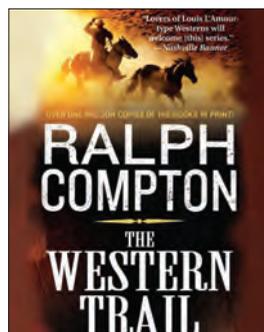
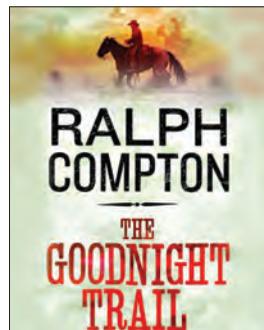
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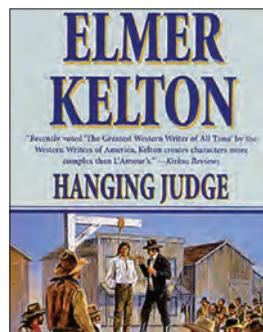
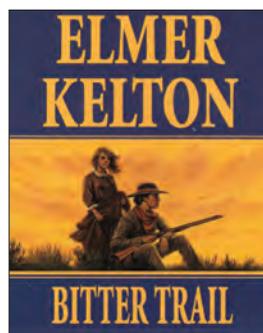
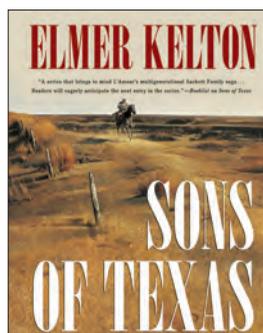
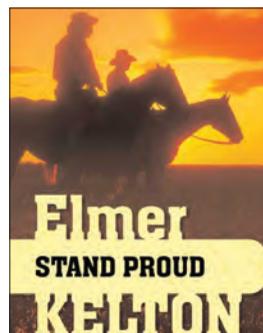
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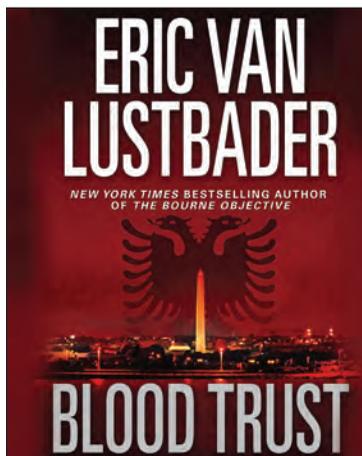
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  - Outreach to mystery/thriller blogs and websites
  - Facebook & Twitter promotion
- Online outreach to Jason Bourne fans
- Promotion in the Forge e-newsletter
- Promo on EricVanLustbader.com
- Audio tie-in to the Forge marketing plans, including:
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  - National Radio Advertising on Westwood One
  - Google Ad Words Campaign and e-Card mailing
  - National Radio Publicity
  - National Satellite Radio Tour
  - Blog tour
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  - Extensive galley distribution

## BLOOD TRUST

ERIC VAN LUSTBADER

Read by Richard Ferrone

*The third book in the New York Times bestselling series featuring Jack McClure and Alli Carson*

Alli Carson, the daughter of the deceased President, is now a hot shot student of Fearington Institute, an academy that produces the United States' top FBI agents. But a murder on campus puts Alli on a short suspect list, and triggers a multi-faceted investigation that employs local homicide detectives, the FBI itself, the secret service, and National Security agent Jack McClure.

What follows is a dark and treacherous journey that leads them all into a manipulative web of a powerful Washington lobbyist and deep into the sex slave trade. But in D.C., Jack has been tasked with the elimination of a powerful Albanian crime lord, whose ability to go global is growing with each day. Teaming up with Alli, the two find themselves in the crosshairs of vast global enterprise, whose influence and power lurks in the shadows and has infiltrated Washington in way neither of them could ever fathom.

ERIC VAN LUSTBADER is the acclaimed author of many bestselling thrillers, including the *New York Times* bestsellers *The Testament* and *The Ninja*. His first two Jack McClure books, *First Daughter* and *Last Snow*, were also *New York Times* bestsellers. Lustbader was chosen by Robert Ludlum's estate to continue the Jason Bourne series, and his Jason Bourne novels include *The Bourne Legacy* and *The Bourne Betrayal*. He and his wife live in New York City and on the South Fork of Long Island.

"Narrator Richard Ferrone's versatile vocal range and skill are a good match for the suspenseful story. With careful pacing and understatement, Ferrone blends action and suspense to produce an unforgettable thriller."

—AudioFile on *First Daughter*

#### May Publication

- Simultaneous release with the Forge hardcover edition:  
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## JUNE IS AUDIOBOOK MONTH

*Every June, the Audio Publishers Association carries out a campaign to enhance visibility, awareness, and popularity for audiobooks. Working with authors, publishers, and audiobook fans acting as advocates for this cause, the goal is to share the joys and benefits of listening with over 10 million consumers.*

**L**ast year, over 100 celebrated authors, such as David Baldacci, Deepak Chopra, Jackie Collins, Michael Connelly, Vince Flynn, Emily Giffin, Stephen King, James Patterson, and Lisa Scottoline used media interviews, websites, and social media outlets such as Facebook and Twitter (hashtag #JIAM), to share their experiences in the recording studio or working with narrators, and how listening has affected their writing and their lives.

*Look for more information in June 2011 and Get Caught Listening.*

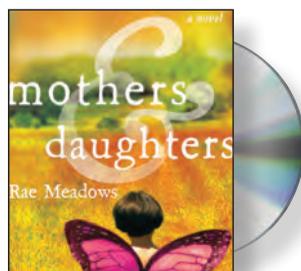
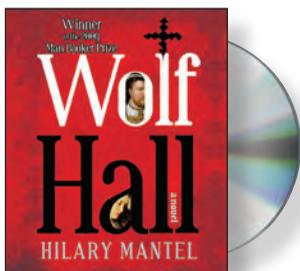
## LISTEN UP! BOOK CLUBS

*This June, take an opportunity to turn your reading group into a listening group!*

**Listen Up!**  
Book Clubs 

**W**hen it comes to book clubs, audiobooks can make the most of your time in today's multitasking world. Too busy to sit down and read? Stressed about finishing this month's choice before the meeting? Listen while you drive, exercise, cook, or clean.

As the narrators of these reading group-perfect audiobooks transport you to a different world, you'll see just how audio can bring your book club to life. And while reading books can spark a variety of interesting conversations, listening provides a whole new level for discussion. In addition to the plot, characters, and writing, listeners can exchange opinions on the performance, character portrayal, and overall production. Go to [macmillanaudio.com](http://macmillanaudio.com) for suggestions on integrating audiobooks into your book club.



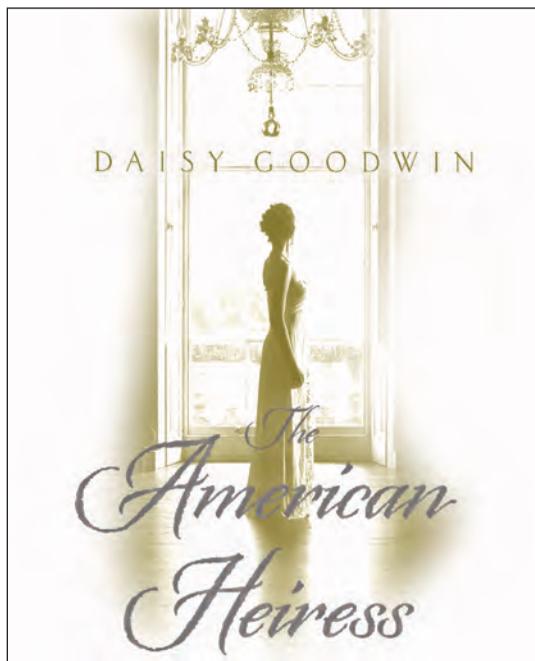
# DAISY GOODWIN

*The deliciously literate and compelling story of a fantastically rich American heiress who marries an English Duke—and gets more than she bargained for*

Read by Katherine Kellgren

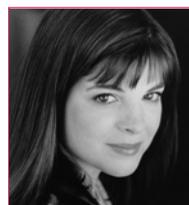
**B**e careful what you wish for. Traveling abroad with her mother at the turn of the twentieth century to seek a titled husband, beautiful, vivacious Cora Cash, whose family mansion in Newport dwarfs the Vanderbilts', suddenly finds herself Duchess of Wareham, married to Ivo, the most eligible bachelor in England. Nothing is quite as it seems, however: Ivo is withdrawn and secretive, and the English social scene is full of traps and betrayals. Money, Cora soon learns, cannot buy everything, as she must decide what is truly worth the price in her life and her marriage.

Witty, moving, and brilliantly entertaining, Cora's story marks the debut of a glorious storyteller who brings a fresh new spirit to the world of Edith Wharton and Henry James.



Mike Hogan

**DAISY GOODWIN**, a Harkness scholar who attended Columbia University's film school after gaining a degree in History at Cambridge University, is a leading television producer in the UK. After a number of years at the BBC she set up her own production company and has been responsible for many successful programs and series. Her poetry anthologies, including *101 Poems That Could Save Your Life* have introduced many new readers to the pleasures of poetry. She has also written articles for the *Guardian*, *Evening Standard*, *Elle*, and *Cosmopolitan* in the UK, and was Chair of the judging panel of the 2010 Orange Prize for Fiction. She and her husband, an ABC TV executive, have two daughters and live in London. *The American Heiress* is her first novel.



**KATHERINE KELLGREN** has recorded well over 100 audiobooks and won four Audie Awards, three ALA Odyssey Honors, and eight *AudioFile* Earphones Awards. Katherine has also appeared on stage in London, New York and Frankfurt. She has recorded numerous plays and dramatizations of novels for the radio, including winners of the *AudioFile* Earphones Award and the Peabody Award. She is a graduate of The London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art.

# THE AMERICAN HEIRESS

## ADVANCE PRAISE FOR *THE AMERICAN HEIRESS*:

“I guarantee any woman reader will be seduced by the tactile descriptions of frocks and furs, but it is the piercing, fearless insights into human motive and behaviour which lift this book above mere romance and make it so enthralling.”

—Allison Pearson, author of the *New York Times* bestseller, *I Don't Know How She Does It*

“Deliciously classy. A story that gallops along, full of exquisite period detail.”

—Kate Mosse, author of the *New York Times* bestsellers *Labyrinth* and *Sepulchre*

“I was seduced by this book, rather as Cora was seduced by her duke: with great skill and confidence. Intriguing, atmospheric, and extremely stylish, I was still thinking about it long after I had reached the end.”

—Penny Vincenzi, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Best of Times*

“A wonderful, guilty pleasure of a read...The detailing is beautiful, the great phalanx of historical characters amusing, and the relief of reading a novel that puts enjoyment first, so rare and gratifying that I am ready for a sequel.”

—Amanda Foreman, author of the *New York Times* bestseller, *Georgiana, Duchess of Devonshire*, winner of the Whitbread Prize for biography

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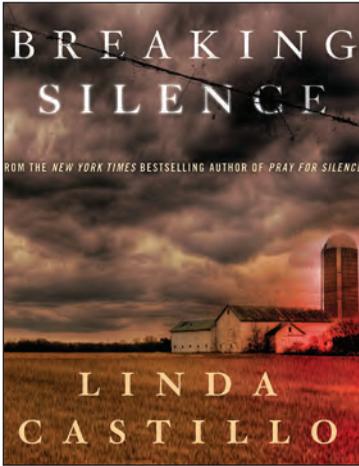
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- A Hear it First selection
- Reading Group Gold promotion
- Bonus interview with the author
- Outreach to book clubs
- Promotion to Vanderbilt and historical book blogs and sites

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  - Early Buzz Campaign
  - [BookReporter.com](http://BookReporter.com) Advertising and Promotion Campaign
  - Advance Readers' Editions
  - A [Read-It-First.com](http://Read-It-First.com) Selection
  - Reading Group Guide and Promotion on [ReadingGroupGold.com](http://ReadingGroupGold.com)
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  - Library Marketing Campaign incl. ALA Appearance
  - 4-Color Sell-Piece
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  - Author Website: [daisygoodwin.co.uk](http://daisygoodwin.co.uk)

### June Publication

- Simultaneous release with the St. Martin's Press hardcover edition:  
ISBN: 978-0-312-65865-6 \$25.99/\$29.99 CAN



# BREAKING SILENCE

LINDA CASTILLO

Read by Kathleen McInerney

*New York Times bestselling author Linda Castillo's third book returns to the small Amish community of Painter's Mill, Ohio*

**T**he Slabaugh family are model Amish farmers, prosperous and hardworking, with four children and a happy extended family. When the parents and an uncle are found dead in their barn, it appears to be a gruesome accident: methane gas asphyxiation caused by a poorly ventilated cess pit. But in the course of a routine autopsy, the coroner discovers that one of the victims suffered a head wound before death; clearly, foul play was involved. But who would want to make orphans of the Slabaugh's children? And is this murder somehow related to a recent string of vicious hate crimes against the Amish?

Having grown up Amish, Kate is determined to bring the killer to justice. Because the other series of attacks are designated hate crimes, the state sends in agent John Tomasetti, with whom Kate has a long and complex relationship.

Together, they search for the link between the crimes—and uncover a dark secret at work beneath the placid surface of this idyllic Amish community.

*New York Times* bestselling author **LINDA CASTILLO** lives in Texas with her husband and is currently at work on her next book in this series, also set in Amish Country and featuring Chief of Police Kate Burkholder.

*"Silence is the opening salvo in what promises to be a gripping series."*  
—*People* (3½ out of 4 stars)

*"Kathleen McInerney does an excellent job portraying this diverse cast... A compelling listen, well-written, and expertly narrated."*  
—*Publishers Weekly* on *Pray for Silence*

## June Publication

- Simultaneous release with the Minotaur hardcover edition:  
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  - Promotion at Thrillerfest VI
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- A Hear it First selection
- Bonus interview with the author
- Audio feature on [SheLovesHotReads.com](http://SheLovesHotReads.com)
- Promotion on [LindaCastillo.com](http://LindaCastillo.com)
- Audio tie-in to the Minotaur marketing plans, including:
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Author Tour
  - Online Advertising Campaign
  - Advance Readers' Editions
  - IndieBound Campaign
  - Excerpt in the St. Martin's Griffin Edition of *Pray for Silence*
  - [www.LindaCastillo.com](http://www.LindaCastillo.com)

# SUMMER RENTAL

MARY KAY ANDREWS

Read by Isabel Keating

*The New York Times bestselling author of The Fixer Upper delivers a novel filled with her trademark warmth and humor: four women, a month at the beach, and the healing power of friendship and second chances*

**E**llis, Julia, and Dorie. Best friends since Catholic grade school, they now find themselves, in their mid-thirties, at the crossroads of life and love. Ellis, recently fired from a job she gave everything to, is rudderless. Julia has a man who loves her and is offering her the world, but she can't hide from her insecurity about her looks, her brains, her life. And Dorie has just been shockingly betrayed by the man she loved and trusted the most in the world. A month in North Carolina's Outer Banks is just what they need.

Ty Bazemore is their landlord, though he's hanging on to the rambling old beach house by a thin thread.

Maryn Shackleford is a stranger, and a woman on the run.

Five people questioning everything they ever thought they knew about life. Five people on a journey that will uncover their secrets and point them on the path to forgiveness. Five people who need a sea change, and one month that might just give it to them.

MARY KAY ANDREWS is the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Fixer Upper*, *Deep Dish*, *Blue Christmas*, *Savannah Breeze*, *Hissy Fit*, *Little Bitty Lies*, and *Savannah Blues*. A former journalist for the *Atlanta Journal Constitution*, she lives in Atlanta, Georgia. Visit [www.marykayandrews.com](http://www.marykayandrews.com).

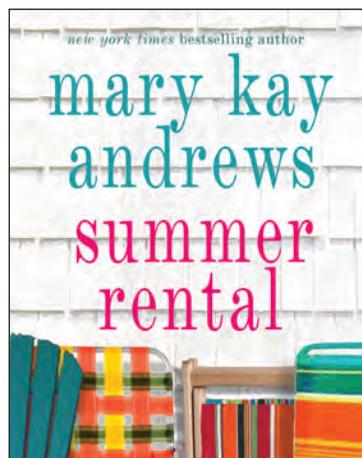
"Smart, Sassy, and fun to read." —*Booklist on Savannah Blues*

"You'll want to bitch, bond, and run through the backyard sprinklers in your underwear with the characters."

—*Washington Post on Little Bitty Lies*

## June Publication

- Simultaneous release with the St. Martin's Press hardcover edition:  
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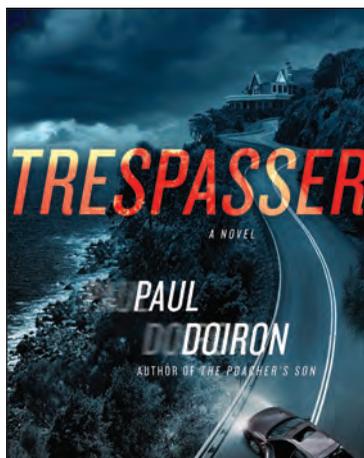


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- Reading Group Gold promo
- Audio feature on [SheLovesHotReads.com](http://SheLovesHotReads.com)
- Audio tie-in to e-newsletter
- Promo on [MaryKayAndrews.com](http://MaryKayAndrews.com)
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
  - National One-Day Laydown: June 7, 2011
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Author Tour
  - National Print Advertising
  - Online Advertising
  - Indiebound Campaign
  - Bookreporter Campaign
  - Promotion on [SheLovesHotReads.com](http://SheLovesHotReads.com)
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  - Advance Readers' Editions
  - Feature in The Criminal Element eNewsletter
  - Promotion with Maine Writers and Publishers Alliance
  - Social Networking Campaign
  - Email Marketing Campaign
  - Blog Review Campaign
  - A Read-it-First.com Selection
  - Excerpt in the St. Martin's Griffin edition of *The Poacher's Son* (April 2011)

# TRESPASSER

PAUL DOIRON

*Mike Bowditch returns to the fog-shrouded coast of Maine to hunt for a psychopath who may already have gotten away with murder—and who will strike at anyone who threatens to expose his secrets*

**S**even years ago, a jury convicted lobsterman Erland Jefferts of the rape and murder of a wealthy college student and sentenced him to life in prison. For all but his most fanatical defenders, justice seemed to be served. Then while on patrol one cold March evening, game warden Mike Bowditch receives a mysterious summons. A woman has reportedly struck a deer on a lonely coast road. When Bowditch arrives on the scene, he finds blood in the road—but both the driver and the deer have gone missing. And when the woman is later found brutalized in a manner that suggests Jefferts might have been framed, Bowditch receives an ominous warning from state prosecutors to stop asking questions.

For Mike Bowditch, whose own life was recently shattered by a horrific act of violence, doing nothing is not an option. His clandestine investigation reopens old wounds between Maine locals and rich summer residents and puts both his own life, and that of the woman he loves, in jeopardy. As he closes in on his quarry, he suddenly discovers how dangerous his opponents are and how far they will go to prevent him from bringing a killer to justice.

Critically acclaimed author **PAUL DOIRON** is the editor in chief of *Down East: The Magazine of Maine*. A native of Maine, he attended Yale University, where he graduated with a degree in English and he holds an MFA in creative writing from Emerson College. *The Poacher's Son* was his first book. Paul lives on a trout stream in coastal Maine with his wife, Kristen Lindquist.

### PRAISE FOR THE POACHER'S SON:

"Stunning vistas...eye-popping scenes."

—*New York Times Book Review*

"With precise and evocative prose, Paul Doiron weaves a riveting tale...a compelling, moving, and utterly impressive debut!"

—*Andre Dubus III*

### June Publication

- Simultaneous release with Minotaur hardcover edition:  
ISBN: 978-0-312-55847-5 \$24.99/\$28.99 CAN

# 40 LOVE

MADELEINE WICKHAM

Read by Katherine Kellgren

*From the author of the sensational bestselling Sophie Kinsella novels and the New York Times bestsellers The Wedding Girl and Sleeping Arrangements, this perceptive comedy skewers the shallow rich, displaying a wicked backhand along the way*

Everyone wins this game of literary tennis, a comedy of manners about envy in which Wickham skewers the nouveau riche. At their country estate, Patrick Chance and his wife host a weekend tennis party. As four couples gather on the sunny terrace, it seems obvious who among them is succeeding, and who is falling behind. But by the end of the party, nothing will be quite as certain. While the couples' children amuse themselves with pony rides and rehearsals for a play, the adults suffer a series of personal revelations and crises. Wickham's nonstop action reveals at every turn that matters may not be as they seem, and in the end one thing is crystal clear: the weekend is about anything but tennis.

MADELEINE WICKHAM is the author of several novels, including *A Desirable Residence*, *The Wedding Girl* and *Sleeping Arrangements*. As Sophie Kinsella, she has written a number of bestsellers including the Shopaholic series.

## PRAISE FOR 40 LOVE:

"Wickham aces the shallow rich... in this light, fast-paced novel."

—*Publishers Weekly*

"This featherweight comedy delivers a decided satisfaction."

—*Kirkus*

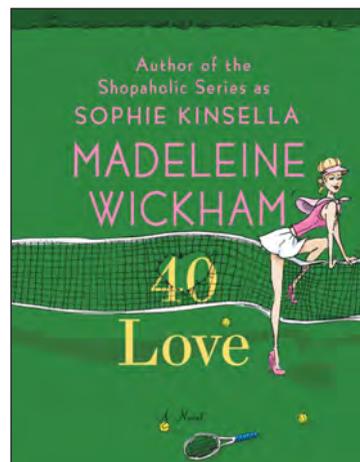
## PRAISE FOR KATHERINE KELLGREN'S NARRATION:

"Brimming with humor, quirky characters, and heartfelt compassion, the story is further enhanced by the talents of Katherine Kellgren, who hurdles a range of voices, male and female, London shop girl, Oxford academic and upper-crust English solicitor."

—*Publishers Weekly* (starred review) on *The Wedding Girl*

## July Publication

- Simultaneous release with the Thomas Dunne Books Hardcover edition: ISBN: 978-0-312-56275-6 \$25.99/NCR



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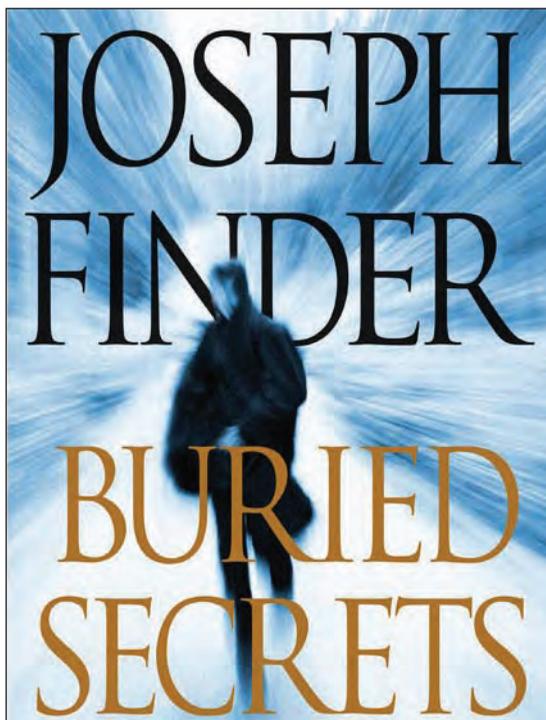
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- Online promotion to Sophie Kinsella fan sites
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  - National Print Publicity
  - National Online Advertising Campaign
  - Online Marketing Campaign to Sophie Kinsella Fans
  - Giveaways to Goodreads and LibraryThing readers
  - A Read-It-First.com Selection
  - Library Marketing Campaign

# JOSEPH FINDER

Read by Holter Graham

**J**oseph Finder introduced Nick Heller, a “private spy” who finds out things powerful people want to keep hidden, in the *New York Times* bestselling novel *Vanished*. Now, in *Buried Secrets*, Nick Heller returns, finding himself in the middle of a life-or-death situation that’s both high-profile and intensely personal.

Nick has returned to his old home town of Boston to set up his own shop. There he’s urgently summoned by an old family friend. Hedge fund titan Marshall Marcus desperately needs Nick’s help. His eighteen-year-old daughter, Alexa, has just been kidnapped. Her abduction was clearly a sophisticated professional job, done with extraordinary precision. Alexa, whom Nick has known since she was young, is now buried alive, held prisoner in an underground crypt, a camera trained on her, her suffering streaming live over the internet. She’s been left with a limited supply of food and water and, if her father doesn’t meet the demands of her shadowy kidnappers, she’ll die. And as Nick begins to probe, he discovers that all is not quite right with Marshall Marcus’s business. He’s being investigated by the FBI, he has a lot of shady investors, his fund is in danger and now he has a lot of powerful enemies who may have the motivation to go after Marcus’s daughter. But to find out who’s holding Alexa Marcus hostage, Nick has to find out why. Once he does, he uncovers an astonishing conspiracy that reaches far beyond anything he could have imagined. And if he’s going to find Alexa in time, he will have to flush out and confront some of his deadliest opponents ever.



**JOSEPH FINDER** is the author of five successive *New York Times* bestsellers, including *Paranoia*, *Power Play*, and *Vanished*, which introduced Nick Heller. He lives in Boston, Massachusetts.

# BURIED SECRETS

## PRAISE FOR VANISHED:

“*Vanished* has the familiar trappings of a Finder novel, including well-crafted characters, lots of unpredictable plot twists and a furious pace.”

—*San Francisco Chronicle*

“Quite possibly the year’s best thriller...Nick Heller is a promising new hero, one of Finder’s best creations yet, and *Vanished* is an excellent start to a new series.”

—*The Daily Beast*

“This devilishly plotted thriller is so engrossing that you may not even mind when your own life is stalled in traffic.”



—*AudioFile*, Earphones Award winner

“Cliffhangers galore, the fascinating tradecraft of corporate espionage, and an engrossing story...outstanding thriller.”

—*Library Journal* (starred review)

“A heart-stopping saga of suspense, smoothly read aloud by Holter Graham.”

—*The Midwest Book Review*

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  - Author Tour: NYC, Boston, DC
  - National Print Advertising
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### June Publication

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# JOHN HART

*With three consecutive bestsellers and over a million copies of his books in print, John Hart delivers his most devastating novel yet*

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**J**ohn Hart's *New York Times* bestselling debut, *The King of Lies*, announced the arrival of a major talent. With *Down River*, he surpassed his earlier success, transcending the barrier between thriller and literature and winning the 2008 Edgar Award for best novel. His most recent novel, *The Last Child*, earned an unprecedented second Edgar® Award for best novel, and cracked the top ten on the *New York Times* bestseller list in both hardcover and paperback.

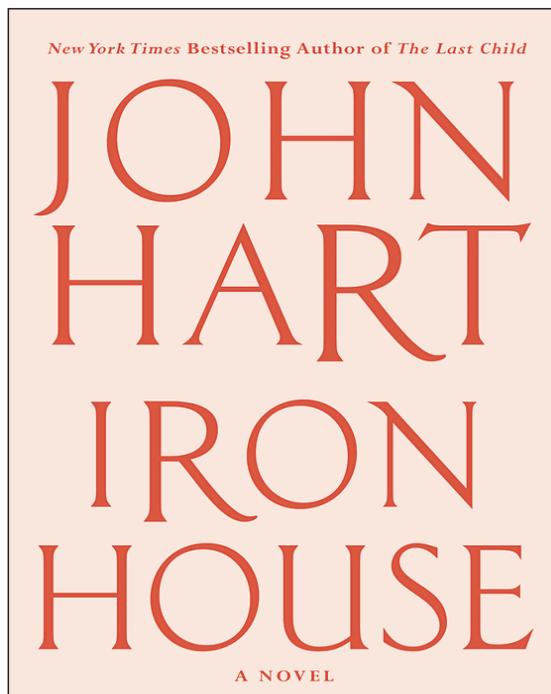
With over 300,000 trade paperback copies in print and 24 weeks on the *New York Times* printed bestseller list, *The Last Child* exploded an already impressive fan base eager for Hart's signature blend of gothic atmosphere, family secrets, murder and redemption.

Now, with *Iron House*, Hart tells the remarkable story of two orphaned brothers separated by violence at a tender age. When a boy is brutally killed in their orphanage, one brother runs and takes the blame with him. Two decades later—a seasoned killer—he returns to North Carolina with a sentence on his head, the mob in hot pursuit, and his long-lost brother in trouble of a different kind. With vast sums in play, political fortunes at risk, and bodies piling up, the brothers reunite to solve the mystery of their shared past in a tour de force narrative of loss, courage, and the aftermath of violence.



**JOHN HART's** books have been translated into twenty-six languages and published in over thirty countries. A former criminal defense attorney, John has also worked as a banker, stockbroker, and apprentice helicopter mechanic. Other than writing, his favorite job was pouring pints in a London pub. A husband and father of two, John still lives in his native North Carolina, where he writes full-time.

# IRON HOUSE



## PRAISE FOR JOHN HART:

“Huck Finn channeled through *Lord of the Flies*...an early masterpiece in a career that continues to promise great things.”

—*Washington Post* on *The Last Child*

“Johnny’s heartbreaking quest is described with great energy and sympathy.”

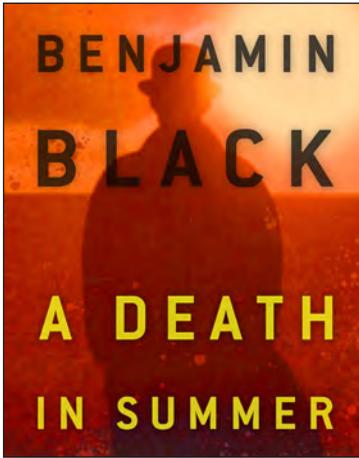
—*People* on *The Last Child*

“*Down River* should settle once and for all the question of whether thrillers and mysteries can also be literature.”

—*Publishers Weekly* (starred review)

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#### AUDIO MARKETING

- Sounds of Summer Suspense promotion, including:
  - Print and Online Advertising
  - Promotion at Thrillerfest VI
  - Audio promotion in *The Criminal Element*
  - Outreach to mystery/thriller blogs and websites
  - Facebook & Twitter promotion
- Audio tie-in to the Holt marketing plans, including:
  - National Author Tour/
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Radio Publicity
  - National Broadcast Publicity
  - National Advertising Campaign: *New York Times Book Review, New York Times daily, The Strand*
  - Jacketed galleys for top accounts
  - Amazon Vine promotion
  - Featured in *The Criminal Element* eNewsletter
  - Online Marketing Campaign
  - A Read-it-First.com Selection
  - Author Website: BenjaminBlackBooks.com

## DEATH IN SUMMER

BENJAMIN BLACK

Read by John Keating

*One of Dublin's most powerful men meets a violent end—and an acknowledged master of crime fiction delivers his most gripping novel yet*

**O**n a sweltering summer afternoon, newspaper tycoon Richard Jewell—known to his many enemies as Diamond Dick—is discovered with his head blown off by a shotgun blast. But is it suicide or murder? For help with the investigation, Detective Inspector Hackett calls in his old friend Quirke, who has unusual access to Dublin's elite.

Jewell's coolly elegant French wife, Francoise, seems less than surprised by her husband's death. But Dannie, Jewell's high-strung sister, is devastated, and Quirke is surprised to learn that in her grief she has turned to an unexpected friend: David Sinclair, Quirke's ambitious assistant in the pathology lab at the Hospital of the Holy Family. Even more startling, Quirke realizes that Sinclair has begun seeing his fractious daughter Phoebe, and that an unlikely romance is blossoming between the two. As a record heat wave envelopes the city and the secret deals underpinning Diamond Dick's empire begin to be revealed, Quirke and Hackett find themselves caught up in a dark web of intrigue and violence that threatens to end in disaster.

**BENJAMIN BLACK**, the pen name of the acclaimed novelist John Banville, is the author of the bestselling and critically acclaimed series of Quirke novels—*Christine Falls*, *The Silver Swan*, and *Elegy for April*. Banville lives in Dublin.

#### PRAISE FOR *ELEGY FOR APRIL*:

“Striking, filled with thematic gloom, yet the writing sparkles... Like Chandler, [Black's] a poet of locale, preoccupied by weather and by light or its absence.”  
—*Los Angeles Times*

“Elegant.... [Black/Banville's] sinuous prose, subtle eroticism and 1950s period detail do more than enough to put [his] series on the map.”  
—*New York Times*

#### July Publication

- Simultaneous release with the Henry Holt hardcover edition:  
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# ALWAYS SOMETHING THERE TO REMIND ME

BETH HARBISON

Read by Orlagh Cassidy

New York Times bestselling author Beth Harbison makes an emotional and literary leap, with her most powerful novel yet

Two decades ago, Erin Edwards was sure she'd found the love of her life: Nate Lawson. Her first love. The one with whom she shared everything. The one she thought she would spend the rest of her life with. Until one terrible night when Erin made a mistake Nate could not forgive and left her to mourn the relationship she could never forget.

Today, Erin is involved with a phenomenal guy, maneuvering a successful career, and raising a daughter all on her own. So why would the name "Nate Lawson" be the first thing to enter her mind when her boyfriend asks her to marry him? In the wake of the proposal, Erin finds herself coming unraveled over the past, and the love she never forgot. The more she tries to ignore it and move on, the more it haunts her.

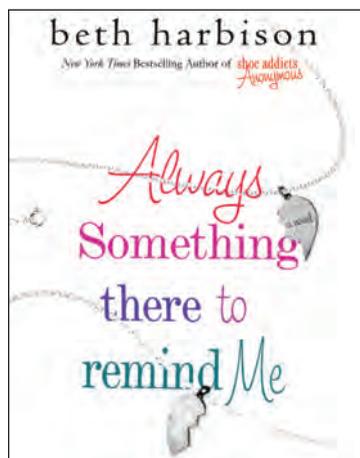
BETH HARBISON is the *New York Times* bestselling author of *Thin, Rich, Pretty*, *Hope In A Jar*, *Secrets of a Shoe Addict*, and *Shoe Addicts Anonymous*. She grew up in Potomac, Maryland, and now shares her time between that suburb, New York City, and a quiet home on the eastern shore.

"Kick off your Keds (unless you're driving) and meet a motley group of D.C. women who bond over designer shoes. It's chick lit with heart and sole."

—People on the audio edition of *Shoe Addicts Anonymous*

## July Publication

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  - National Print Advertising Campaign
  - Online Advertising Campaign
  - Advance Readers' Editions
  - Featured on SheLovesHotReads.com
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# DARYNDA JONES

*Charley Davidson, Grim Reaper Extraordinaire, is back in this sexy, suspenseful novel of supernatural shenanigans*

**W**hen Charley is rudely awakened in the middle of the night by her best friend, she can't help but wonder what Cookie's up to. After dragging Charley out the door, Cookie finally explains that a friend of hers named Mimi disappeared five days earlier and that she just got a text from her setting up a meet at a coffee shop downtown. They show up at the coffee shop, but no Mimi. After a brief investigation, Charley finds a message on the bathroom wall. Mimi left a clue, a woman's name. Mimi's husband explains that his wife had been acting strange since she found out that a friend had been murdered. The same woman Mimi named in her message.

Meanwhile, Reyes Alexander Farrow (otherwise known as the Son of Satan. Yes. Literally.) has left his corporeal body and is haunting Charley. He's left his body because he's being tortured by demons who want to lure Charley closer. But Reyes can't let that happen. Because if the demons get to Charley, they'll have a portal to heaven. Can Charley handle hot nights with Reyes and even hotter days tracking down a missing woman? Will Cookie ever get a true fashion sense? And is there enough coffee and chocolate in the world to fuel them as they do?

Donita Massey Privett



Winner of the 2009 Golden Heart® for Best Paranormal Romance for her manuscript *First Grave on the Right*, **DARYNDA JONES** can't remember a time when she wasn't putting pen to paper. Darynda lives in the Land of Enchantment, also known as New Mexico, with her husband of more than twenty-five years and two beautiful sons, aka the Mighty, Mighty Jones Boys.

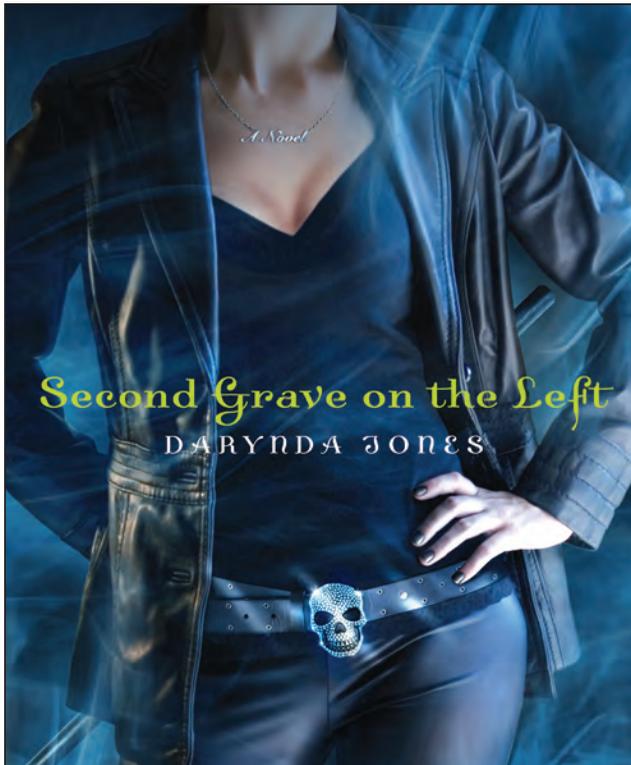


**LORELEI KING's** many screen credits include *Notting Hill*, *House of Mirth*, and *Cold Feet*, among others. She has recorded over 200 audiobooks, including several titles from Janet Evanovich's bestselling Stephanie Plum series. Her many awards include the 2008 Audie Award for Female Solo Narration for *Tallgrass* by Sandra Dallas, the *Radio Times* performer of the Year for *The Blind Assassin* by Margaret Atwood, and *AudioFile* Earphones Awards for *Eleven on Top* and *Twelve Sharp*, both by Janet Evanovich. *AudioFile* also deemed her one of the "Best Voices of 2008."



# SECOND GRAVE ON THE LEFT

Read by Lorelei King



## EARLY PRAISE FOR *FIRST GRAVE ON THE RIGHT*:

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bestselling author of *Lover Avenged*

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—Mary Janice Davidson, *New York Times*

bestselling author of *Undead and Unwelcome*

## August Publication

- Simultaneous release with the St. Martin’s Press hardcover edition: ISBN: 978-0-312-36081-8 \$21.99/\$24.99 CAN

## MYSTERY/ROMANCE

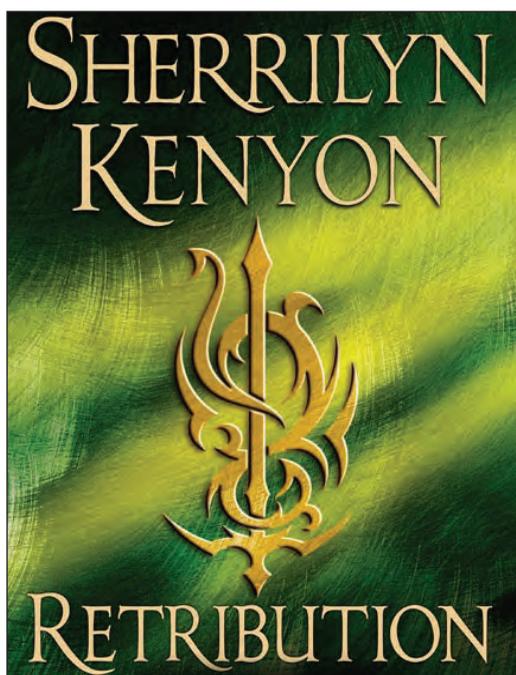
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  - Outreach to chick lit/beach read blogs and websites
  - Facebook and Twitter promotion
- CDs in ARCs
- Bonus interview with the author and narrator
- Excerpt on *FIRST GRAVE ON THE RIGHT* audio program
- Audio feature on *SheLovesHotReads.com*
- Tor.com promotion: Read Ch. 1, Listen to Ch. 2
- Online promotion to paranormal romance sites & blogs
- Promo on *DaryndaJones.com*
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Print and Online Advertising Campaign
  - Pre-Pub Advertising in Shelfawareness
  - Advance Readers’ Editions
  - IndieBound Campaign: White Box Mailing
  - Massive Online Promotion and Buzz-building via blogs, social networking
  - Promotion at *SheLovesHotReads.com* including homepage features, eNewsletter promotion and sweeps to win books
  - Library Marketing Campaign
  - Author Website: [www.DaryndaJones.com](http://www.DaryndaJones.com)

# SHERRILYN KENYON

*From twelve-time #1 New York Times bestselling author Sherrilyn Kenyon comes the next thrilling installment in her blockbuster Dark-Hunter® series*



**H**arm no human...

A hired gunslinger, William Jessup Brady lived his life with one foot in the grave. He believed that every life had a price. Until the day when he finally found a reason to live. In one single act of brutal betrayal, he lost everything, including his life. Brought back by a Greek goddess to be one of her Dark-Hunters, he gave his immortal soul for vengeance and swore he'd spend eternity protecting the humans he'd once considered prey. Orphaned as a toddler, Abigail Yager was taken in by a family of vampires and raised on one belief—Dark-Hunters are the evil who prey on both their people and mankind, and they must all be destroyed. While protecting her adoptive race, she has spent her life eliminating the Dark-Hunters and training for the day when she will meet the man who killed her family: Jess Brady.

Jess has been charged with finding and terminating the creature who's assassinating Dark-Hunters. The last thing he expects to find is a human face behind the killings, but when that face bears a striking resemblance to the one who murdered him centuries ago, he knows something evil is going on. He also knows he's not the one who killed her parents. But Abigail refuses to believe the truth and is determined to see him dead once and for all.

Brought together by an angry god and chased by ancient enemies out to kill them both, they must find a way to overcome their mutual hatred or watch as one of the darkest of powers rises and kills both the races they've sworn to protect.

Sheri Reno/Nashville



In the past two years, *New York Times* bestselling author, **SHERRILYN KENYON** has claimed the #1 spot twelve times. This extraordinary bestseller continues to top every genre she writes. With more than 23 million copies of her books in print in over 30 countries, her current series include: *The Dark-Hunters*, *The League*, *Lords of Avalon*, *BAD Agency*, *Chronicles of Nick*, and the forthcoming *Nevermore*.

# RETRIBUTION

Read by Holter Graham



**HOLTER GRAHAM** is a stage, television, and screen actor. He has recorded numerous audiobook for authors such as Stephen King, Nicholas Sparks, Lisa Gardner, Scott Turow, and Sherrilyn Kenyon. His film credits include *Home*, *Maximum Overdrive*, and *Hairspray*. On television he has appeared in *Rescue Me*, *Law & Order*, and *Damages*. He is the recipient of seven *AudioFile* Earphones Awards.

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 —*AudioFile* on *Acheron*, Earphones Award winner

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—*Publishers Weekly*

"Kenyon's writing is brisk, ironic and relentlessly imaginative. These are not your mother's vampire novels."

—*Boston Globe* on *Dark Side of the Moon*

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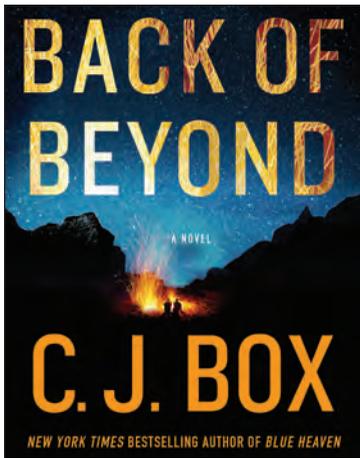
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- Audio tie-in to Sherrilyn Kenyon e-newsletter blast
- Promotion on *SherrilynKenyon.com*, *Dark-Hunter.com*, *OfficialSanctuary.com*
- Social networking promotion
- Audio tie-in to the SMP marketing plans, including:
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  - National Author Tour
  - National Print Advertising: *The New York Times*
  - National Television Advertising
  - National Video Advertising: Pre-Rolls on Gaming sites
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  - Promotion at Thrillerfest VI
  - Audio promotion in *The Criminal Element*
  - Outreach to mystery/thriller blogs and websites
  - Facebook & Twitter promotion
- Bonus interview with the author
- Promotion on CJBox.net
- Audio tie-in to the Minotaur marketing plans, including:
  - National Author Tour
  - National Print Publicity
  - National Advertising
  - Advance Readers' Editions
  - Featured in Spring 2011 Minotaur Presents Mailing
  - IndieBound Campaign
  - AuthorBuzz Campaign
  - Featured in The Criminal Element eNewsletter
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  - A Read-it-First.com Selection
  - Author Website: CJBox.net

## BACK OF BEYOND

C. J. BOX

*The Edgar Award-winning and New York Times bestselling author delivers a thriller about a troubled cop searching for his son*

**C**ody Hoyt, while a brilliant cop, is an alcoholic struggling with two months of sobriety when his mentor and AA sponsor Hank Winters is found burned to death in a remote mountain cabin. At first it looks like a suicide, but Cody knows Hank better than that.

When Cody takes a closer look at the scene of his friend's death, it becomes apparent that foul play is at hand. After years of bad behavior with his department, he's in no position to be investigating a homicide, but this man was a friend and Cody's determined to find his killer. When clues found at the scene link the murderer to an outfitter leading tourists on a multi-day wilderness horseback trip into the remote corners of Yellowstone National Park—a pack trip that includes his son Justin—Cody is desperate to get on their trail and stop the killer before the group heads into the wild. In a fatal cat and mouse game, where it becomes apparent the murderer is somehow aware of Cody's every move, Cody treks into the wilderness to stop a killer hell bent on ruining the only thing in his life he cares about.

C. J. BOX is the bestselling author of *Three Weeks To Say Goodbye*, and ten novels including the award-winning Joe Pickett series. *Blue Heaven* won the Edgar Award for Best Novel in 2009, and he's won the Anthony Award, Prix Calibre 38 (France), the Macavity Award, the Gumshoe Award, and the Barry Award. His first novel, *Open Season*, was a *New York Times* Notable Book and an Edgar Award and L. A. Times Book Prize finalist. The novels have been translated into twenty-five languages. Box lives in Wyoming.

“Skilled pacing and well developed suspense in what might be called Juno with a body count.”

—*People on Three Weeks to Say Goodbye*

“Box builds suspense so brilliantly that *Blue Heaven* could serve as a textbook of how to do it.”

—*Booklist* (starred review) on *Blue Heaven*

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# SUMMER AUDIO PROMOTIONS



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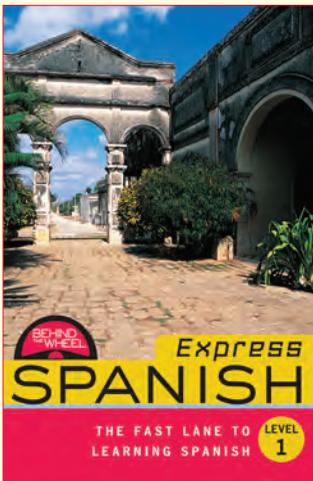
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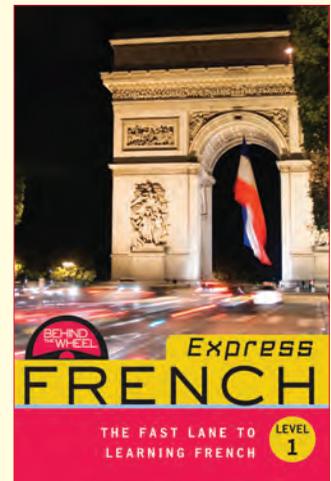
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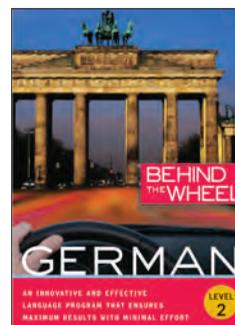
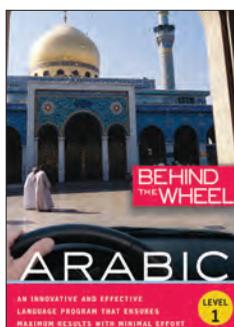
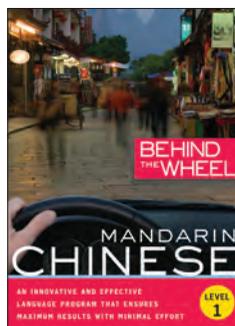
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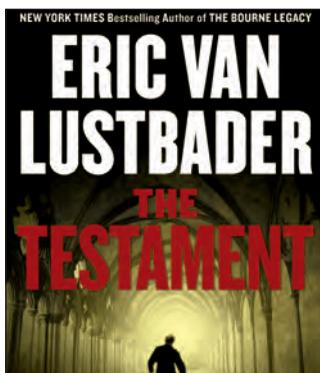


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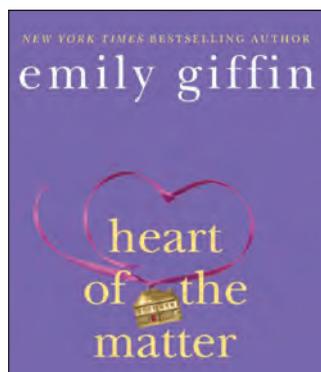
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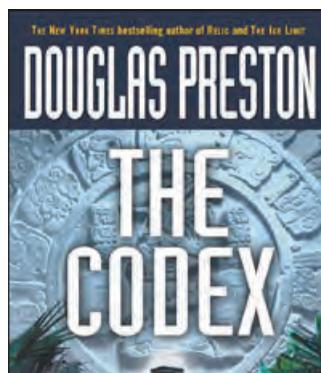
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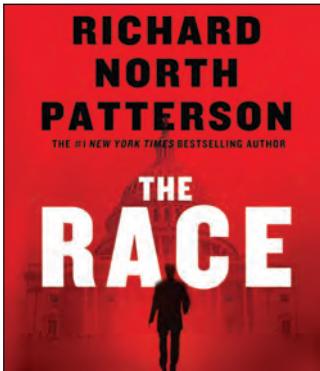
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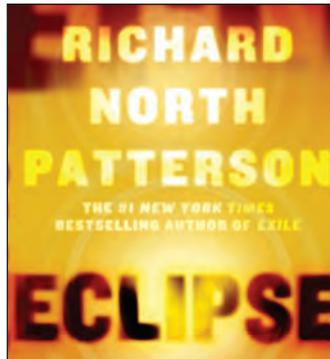
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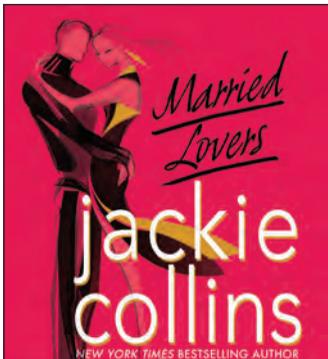
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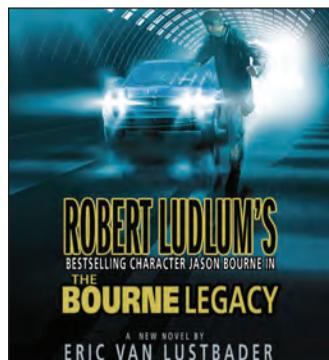
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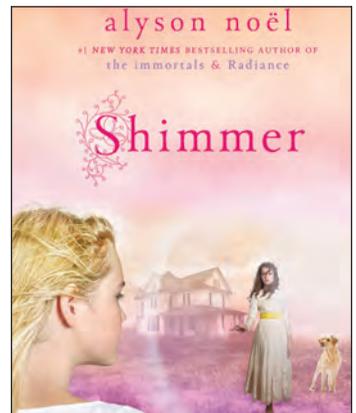
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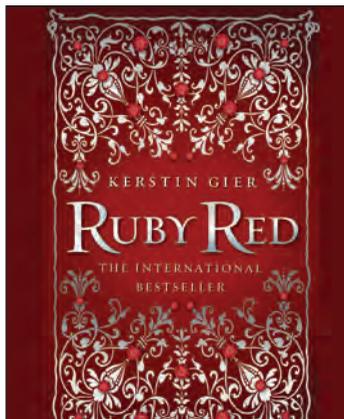
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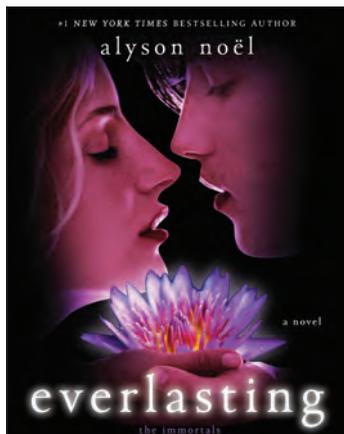
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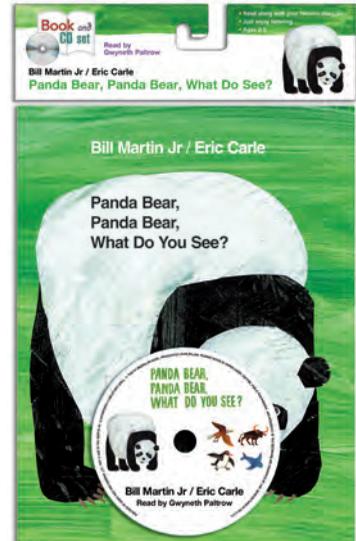
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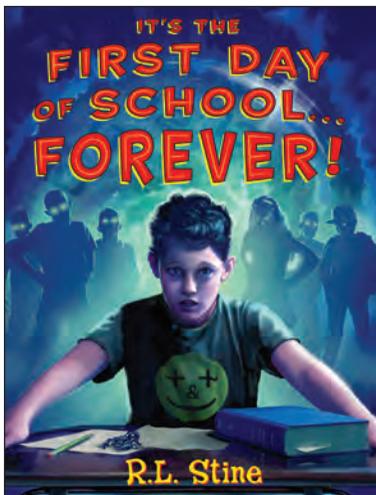


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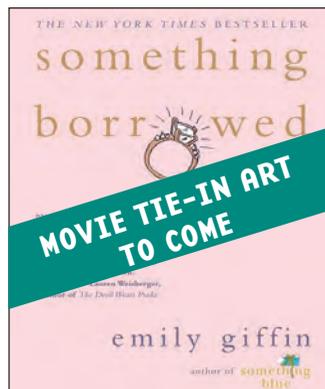
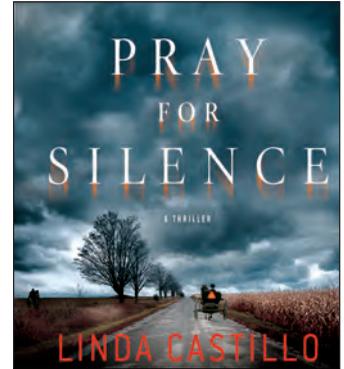
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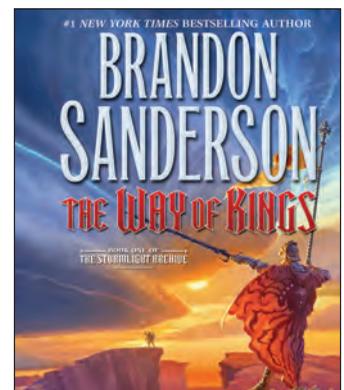
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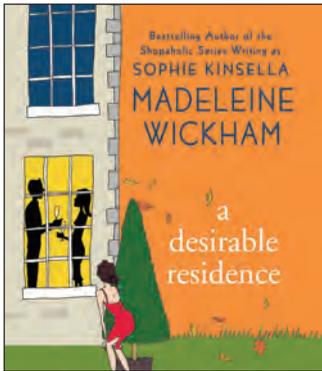
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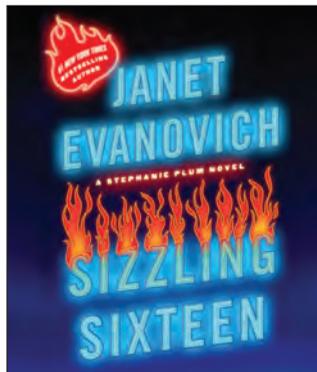
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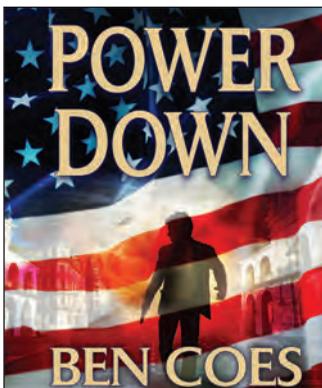
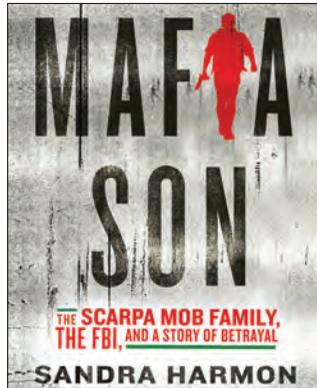
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