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The High Divide

by Lin Enger

Algonquin

Hardcover

On sale: September 23rd


ISBN 13: 9781616203757

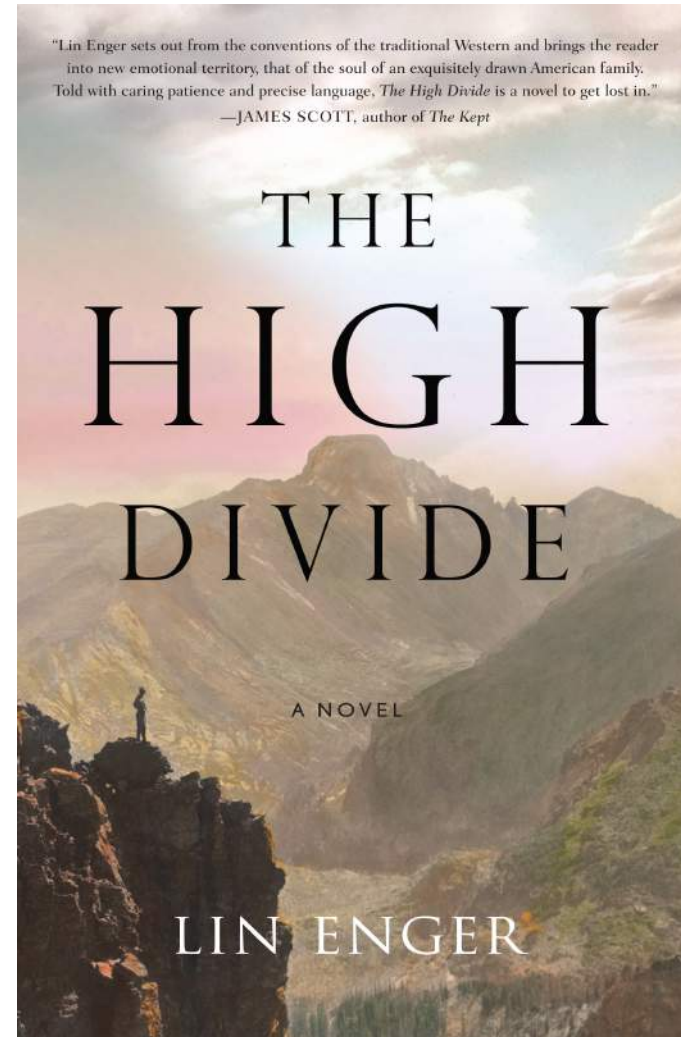
\$24.95

Set in 1886, ten years after the Indian Wars on the northern plains, this novel, both intimate and epic in its scope, chronicles the journey of two boys in search of their father—a man trying to come to terms with his buried past—and the trials endured by their mother, who discovers that she never really knew the man she married.

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Descent

by Tim Johnston

Algonquin

Hardcover

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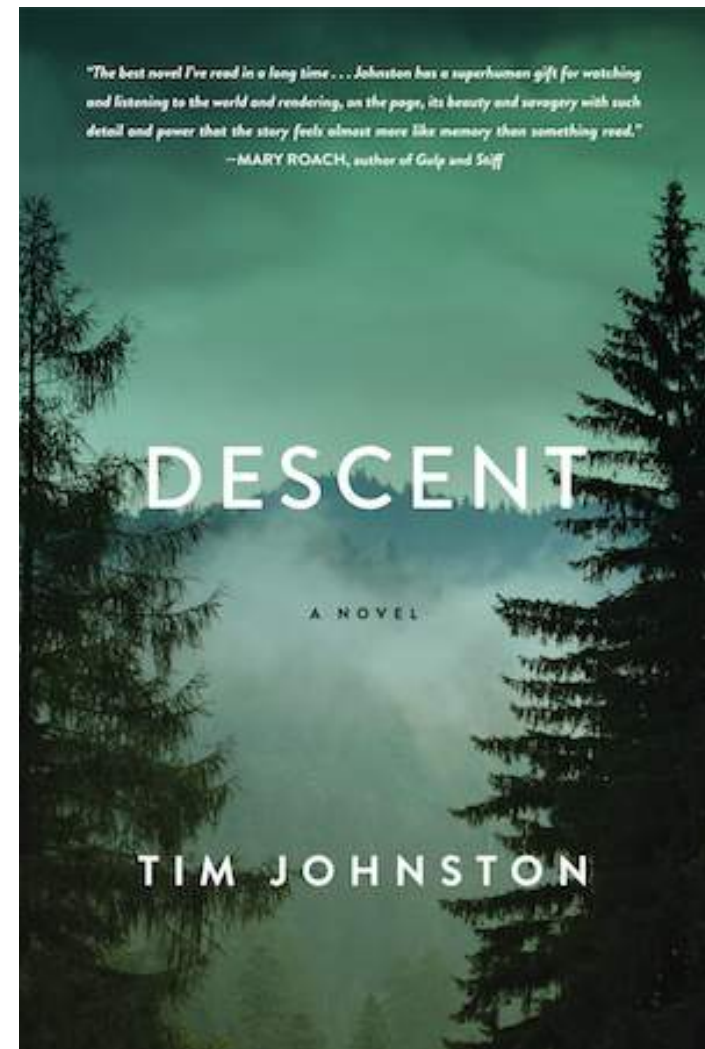
\$25.95

The stunning vistas of the Rocky Mountains reveal a dark and deadly side when a teenager disappears during a family vacation in this brilliantly conceived literary thriller about family ties and a heart-pounding fight for survival.

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The Birds of Pandemonium

by Michele Raffin

Algonquin

Hardcover

On sale: October 7th


ISBN 13: 9781616201364

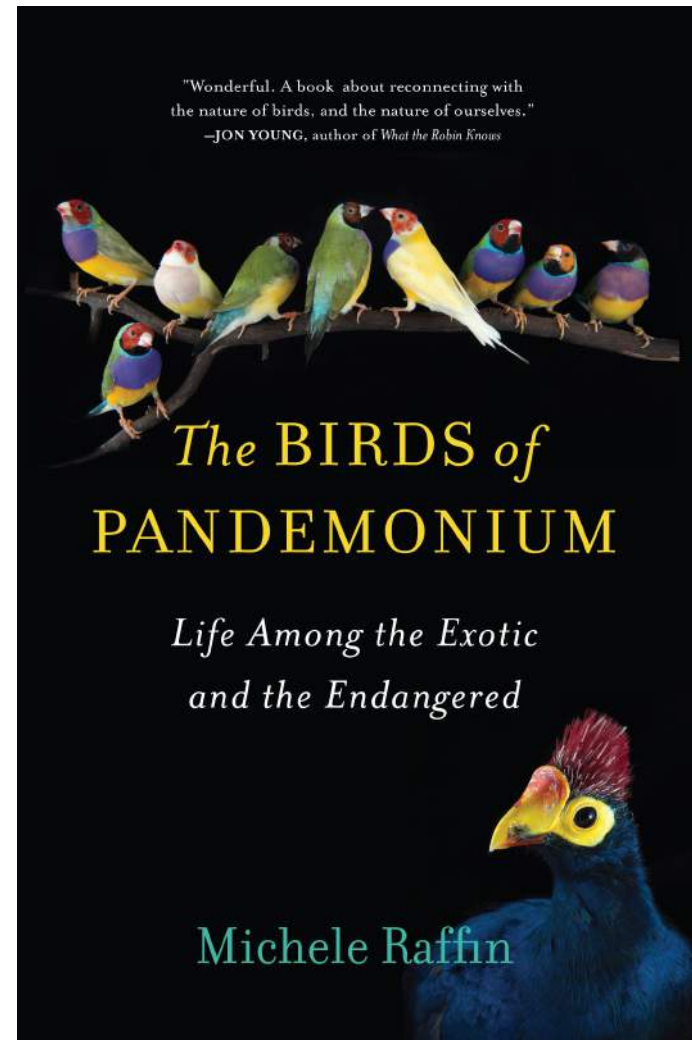
\$24.95

This story of one woman's crusade to save precious lives, bird by bird, takes you inside Pandemonium Aviaries—a conservation organization dedicated to saving and breeding birds that are at the edge of extinction—to meet the remarkable residents.

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The Happiest People in the World

by Brock Clarke

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Hardcover

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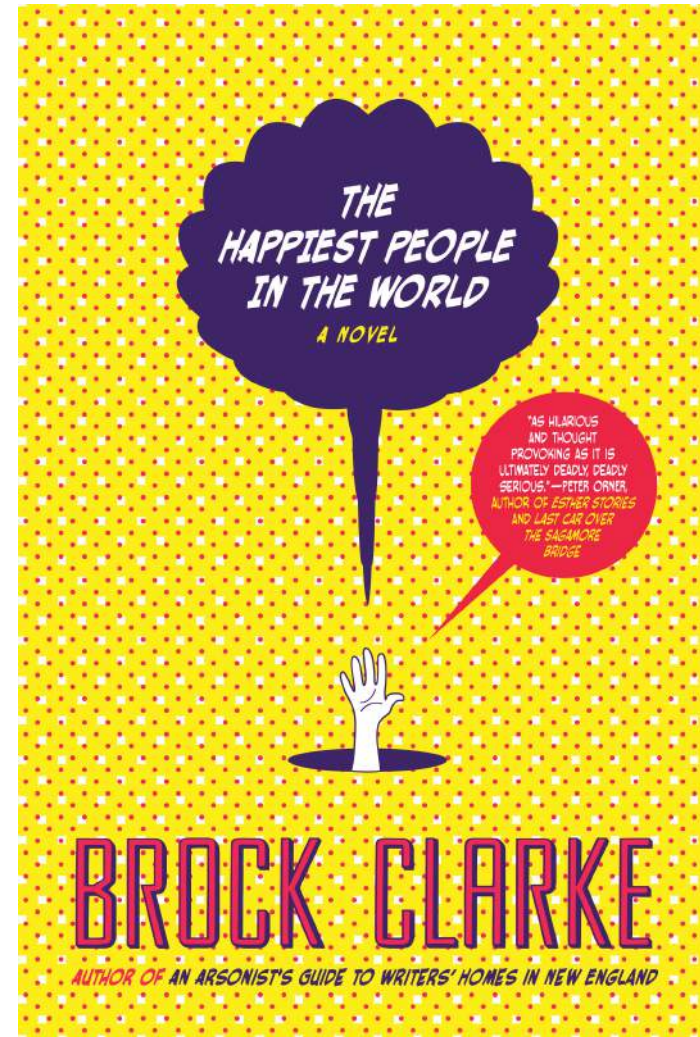
\$24.95

Brock Clarke, author of the bestselling *AN ARSONIST'S GUIDE TO WRITERS' HOMES IN NEW ENGLAND*, pushes the limits of the absurd to hilarious and profoundly moving effect in his new satirical novel, which follows a Danish cartoonist who is placed in witness protection in a small town in upstate New York.

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The Remedy for Love

by Bill Roorbach

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Hardcover

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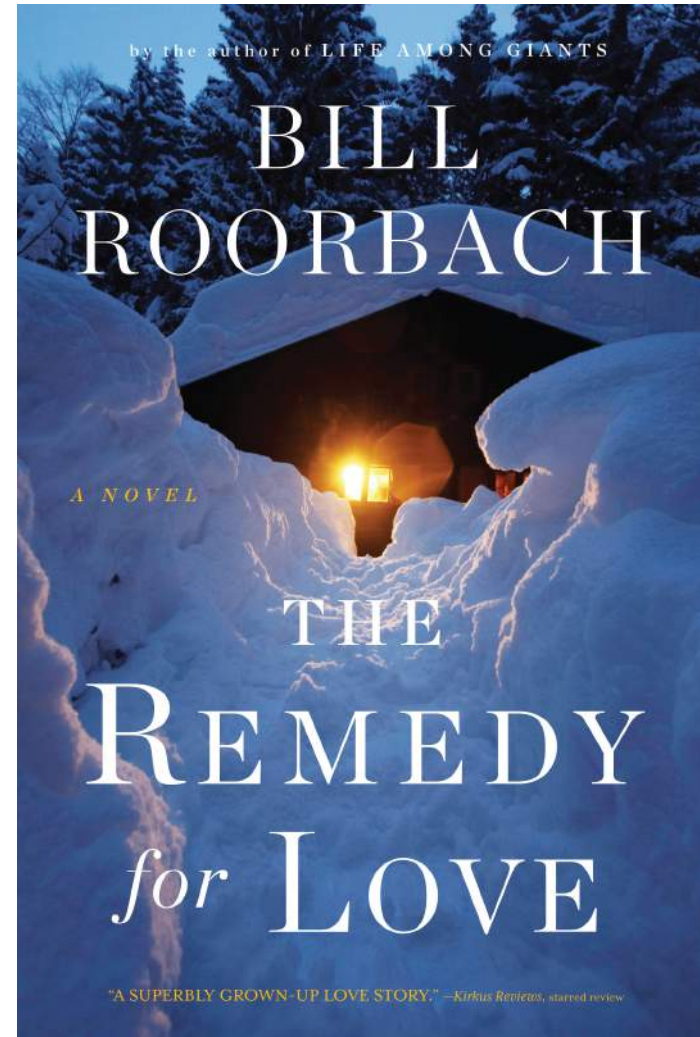
\$24.95

Two strangers are stranded together in a remote Maine cabin during a ferocious winter storm in this harrowing novel about the truths we reveal when there is no time or space for artifice, from the acclaimed author of *LIFE AMONG GIANTS*.

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Flirting with French

by William Alexander

Algonquin

Trade Paperback Original with Flaps

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ISBN 13: 9781616200206

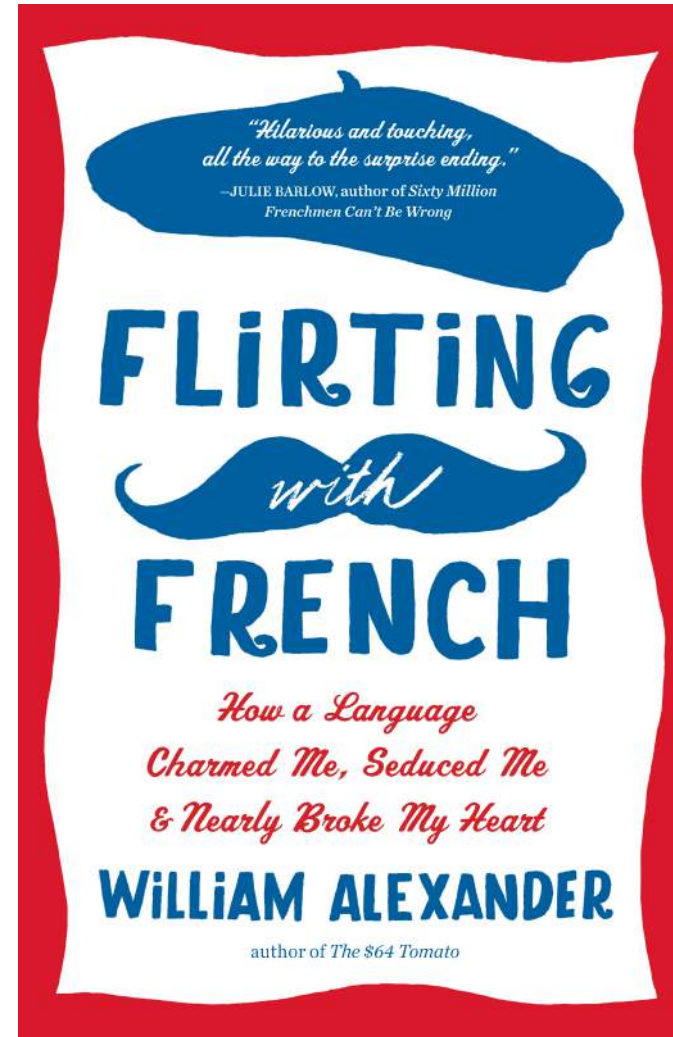
\$15.95

William Alexander is more than a Francophile. He wants to *be* French. But among the many things standing in his way is the fact that he can't actually speak the language, so in this hilarious and touching tale, he sets out to learn it.

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Virgin

by Radhika Sanghani

Berkley

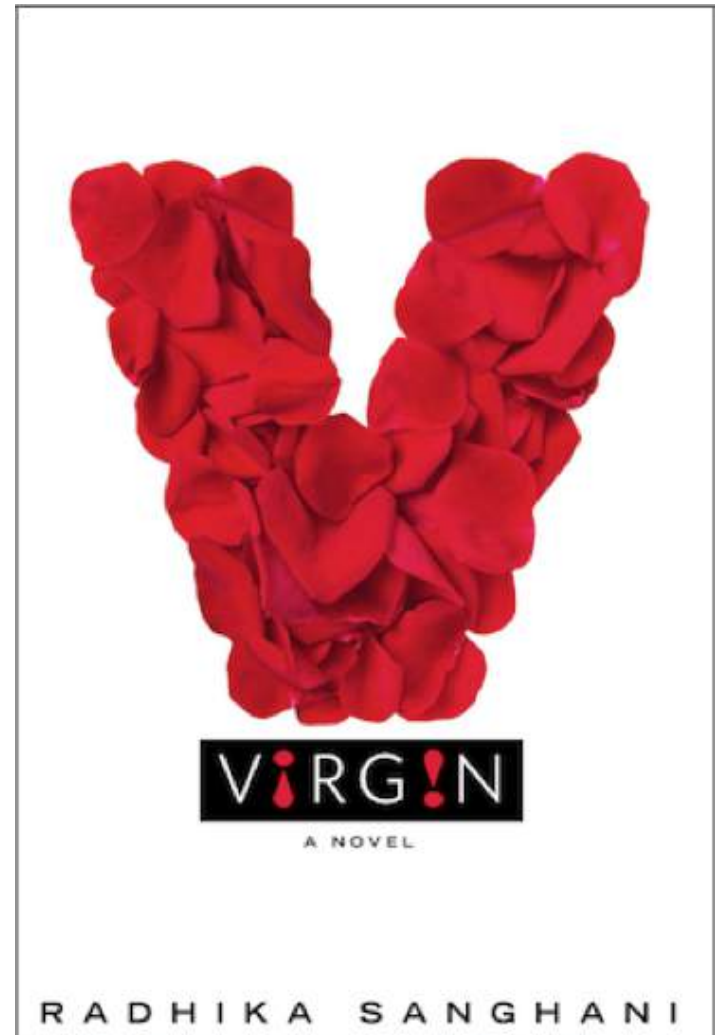
Trade Paperback

On sale: August 5th

ISBN 13: 9780425276310

\$16.00

VIRGIN is the hilarious novel from debut author Radhika Sanghani, hailed by Joan Rivers as “laugh out loud, share with a friend entertainment.”



Virgin

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The Garden of Letters

by Alyson Richman

Berkley

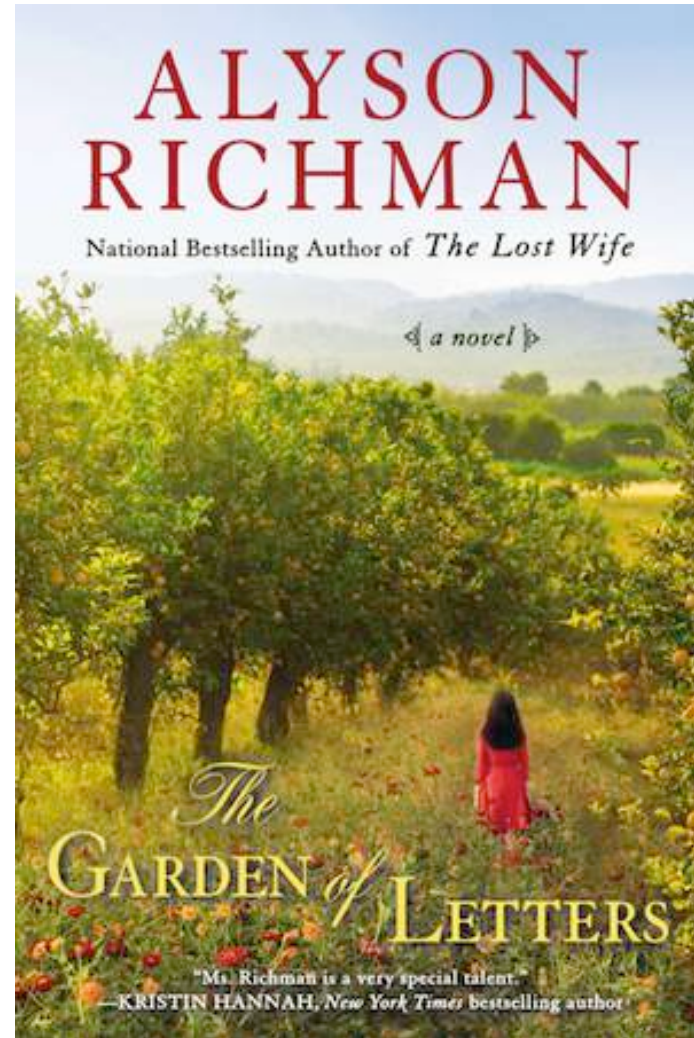
Trade Paperback

On sale: September 2nd

ISBN 13: 9780425266250

\$16.00

Brand-new from the bestselling author of *THE LOST WIFE*, *THE GARDEN OF LETTERS* delivers an epic intertwining story of first love, tragedy and bravery in World War II Italy.



An Unseemly Wife

by E. B. Moore

New American Library

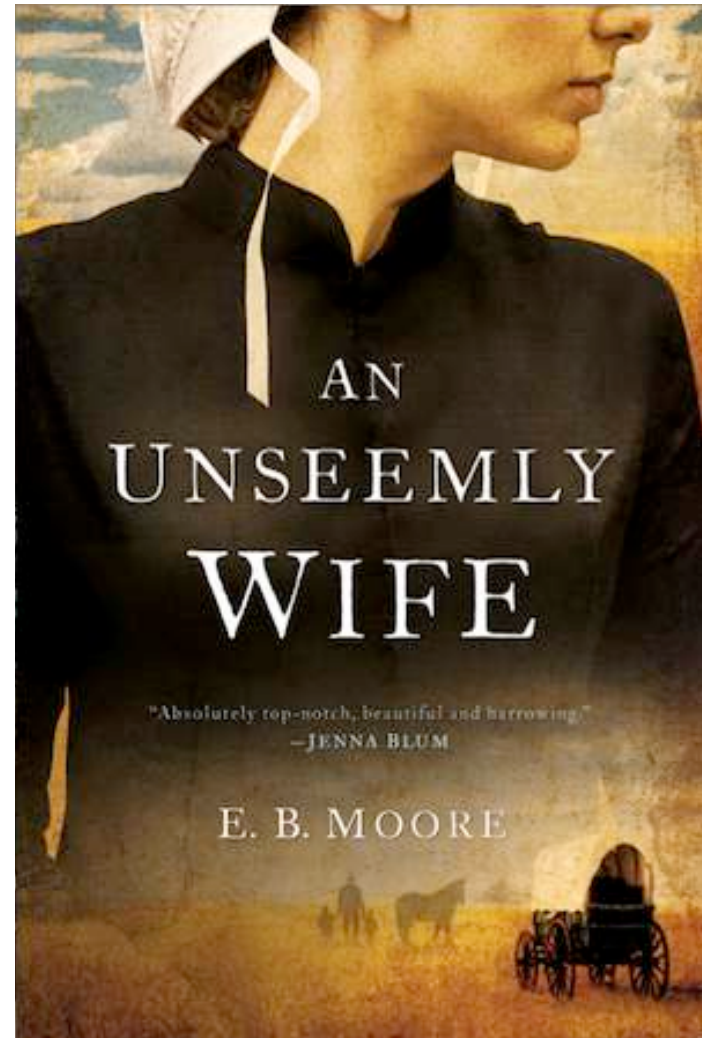
Trade Paperback

On sale: October 7th

ISBN 13: 9780451469984

\$15.00

Based on the life of her great-grandmother, E. B. Moore's debut novel follows a 19th century Amish woman who risks her faith and family as she crosses the U.S. by covered wagon.



The Forgotten Girl

by David Bell

New American Library

Trade Paperback

On sale: October 7th

ISBN 13: 9780451417527

\$15.00

From the bestselling author of CEMETERY GIRL and THE HIDING PLACE comes a thrilling suspense novel about a man whose life is turned upside-down after his sister who disappeared years ago suddenly shows up on his doorstep.



Fives and Twenty-Fives

by Michael Pitre

Bloomsbury

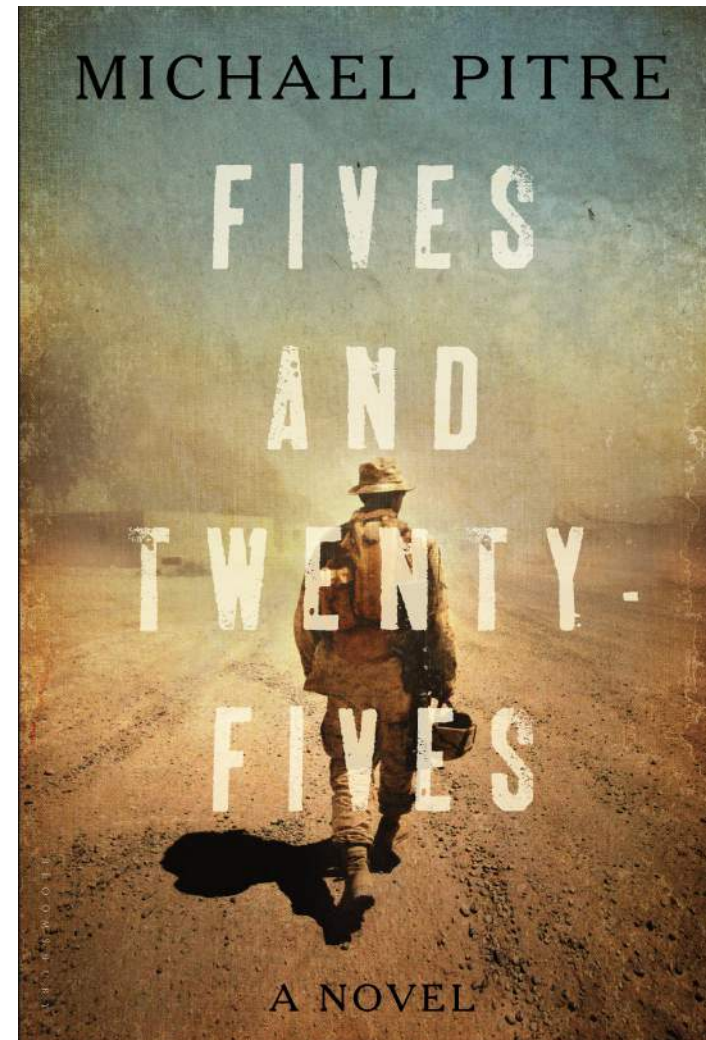
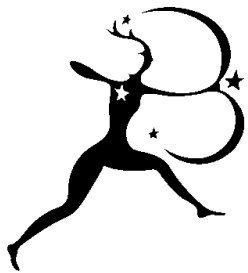
Hardcover

On sale: August 26th

ISBN 13: 9781620407547

\$27.00

A heart-stopping debut novel about war and its aftermath by an Iraq War veteran.



The Impulse Society

by Paul Roberts

Bloomsbury

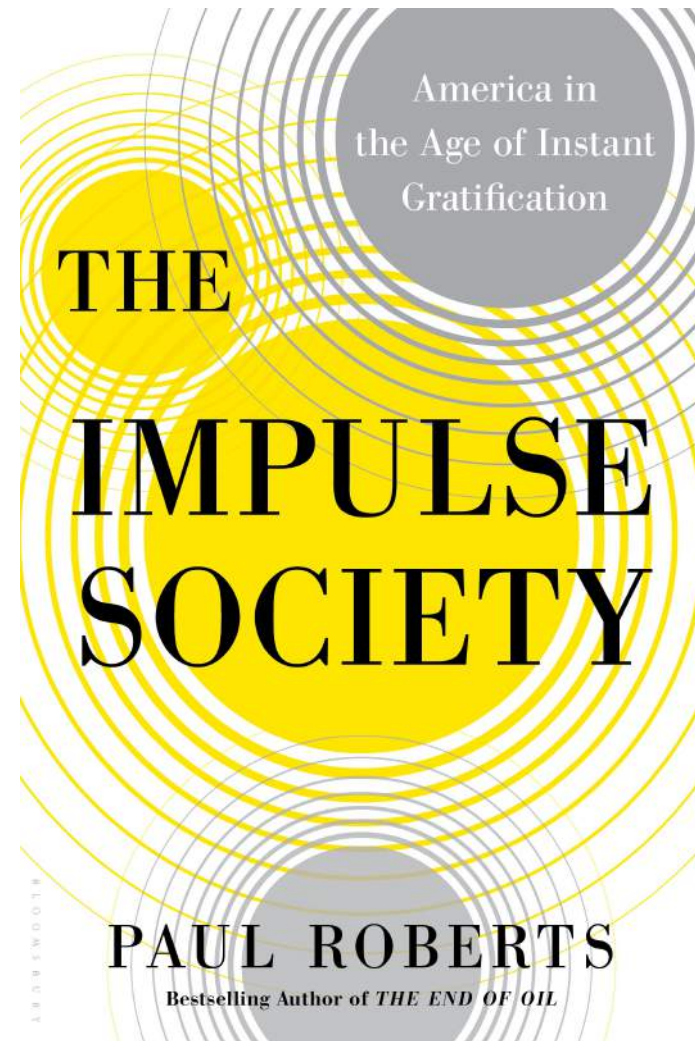
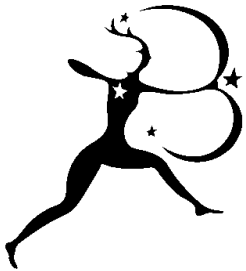
Hardcover

On sale: September 2nd

ISBN 13: 9781608198146

\$28.00

How our entire socioeconomic system has become one giant engine devoted to the selfish, short-term impulses of individuals, CEOs and politicians—while ignoring the pressing, long-term needs of society.



The Miniaturist

by Jessie Burton

Ecco

Hardcover

On sale: August 26th

ISBN 13: 9780062306814

\$26.99

Set in 17th century Amsterdam—against the backdrop of the Calvinist Church's oppressive grip, the gossip of the Guilds and the overblown trading of the Dutch East India Company—THE MINIATURIST is a masterful, mystery-laden debut in the tradition of Emma Donoghue, Sarah Waters and Sarah Dunant.

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The Prince of Los Cucuyos

by Richard Blanco

Ecco

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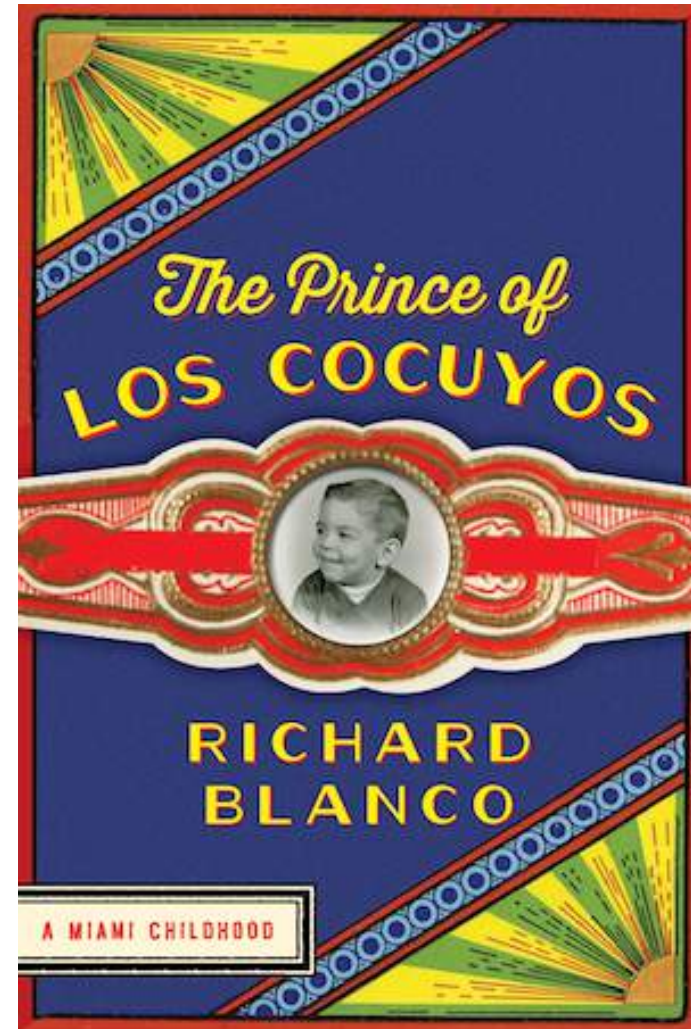
On sale: September 30th

ISBN 13: 9780062313768

\$25.99

A powerful, hilarious and inspiring memoir from Richard Blanco, the first Latino and openly gay inaugural poet, which explores his coming-of-age as the child of Cuban immigrants, and his attempts to understand his place in America while grappling with his burgeoning artistic and sexual identities.

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Rooms

by Lauren Oliver

Ecco

Hardcover

On sale: September 23rd

ISBN 13: 9780062223197

\$25.99

From the *New York Times* bestselling author of *BEFORE I FALL* and the *DELIRIUM* trilogy comes Lauren Oliver's brilliant adult debut *ROOMS*, in which two ghosts inhabit the walls of an old house and steer the lives of one family.

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Let Me Be Frank With You

by Richard Ford

Ecco

Hardcover

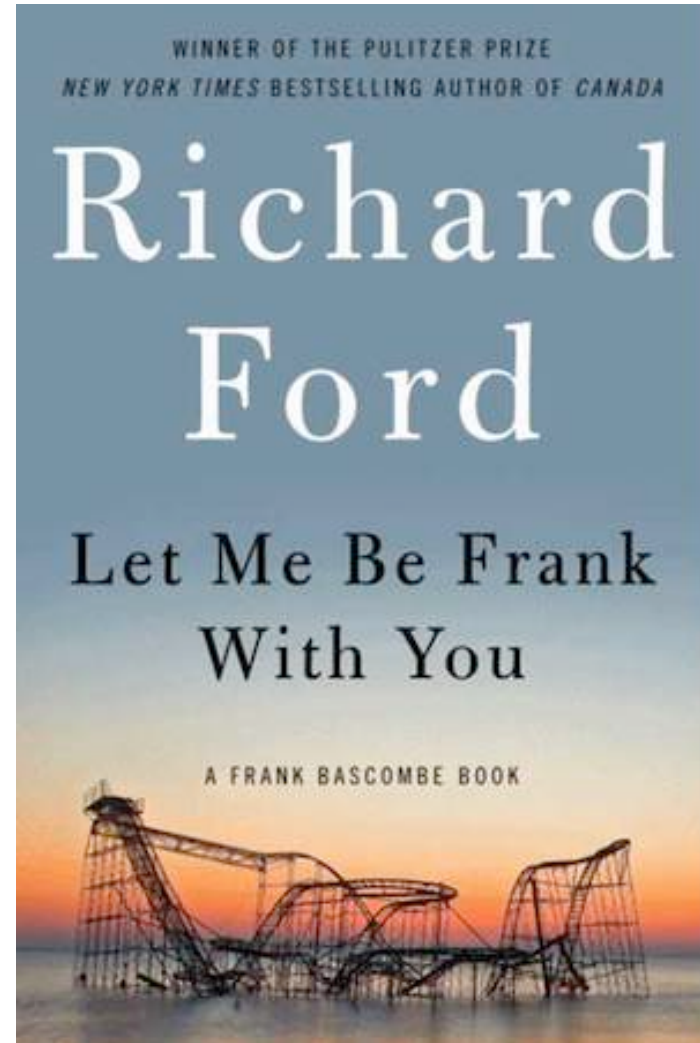
On sale: November 4th

ISBN 13: 9780061692062

\$27.99

A quartet of masterful novellas that returns Richard Ford to the territory that sealed his reputation as an American master: the life of Frank Bascombe, hero of his Pulitzer Prize-winning novel INDEPENDENCE DAY.

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Those Who Leave and Those Who Stay

by Elena Ferrante

Europa Editions

Trade Paperback Original

On sale: September 2nd

ISBN 13: 9781609452339

\$18.00

"[Offers a] teeming vision of working-class Naples, with its cobblers and professors, communists and mobbed-up businessmen, womanizing poets and downtrodden wives...One of modern fiction's richest portraits of a friendship."

—John Powers, Fresh Air, NPR

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Those Who Leave and Those Who Stay

Book Three
of the Neapolitan Novels



Arctic Summer

by Damon Galgut

Europa Editions

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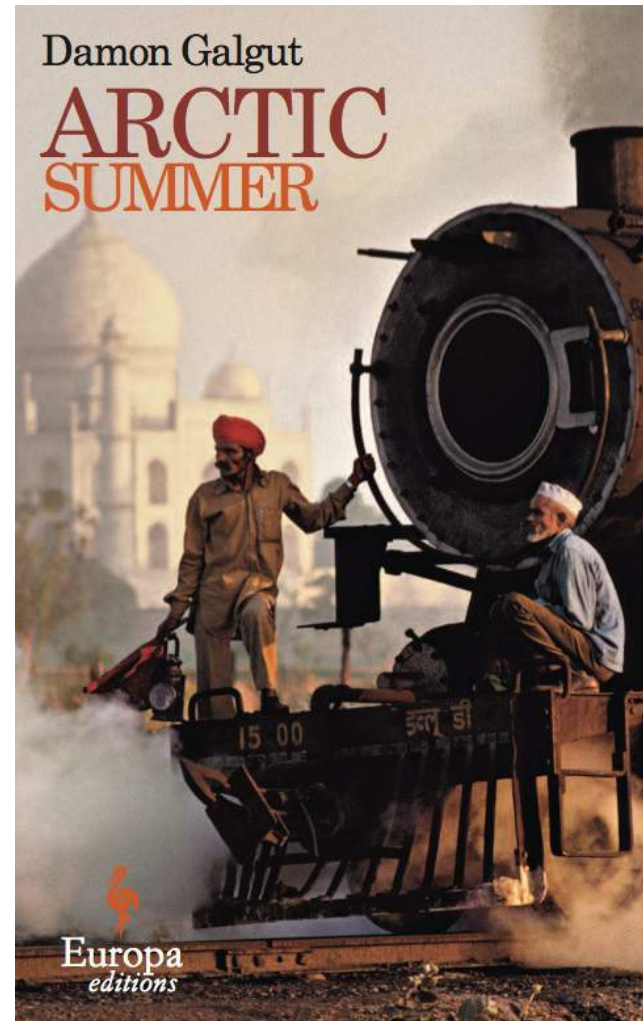
ISBN 13: 9781609452360

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A stunningly vivid fictionalized biography of E.M. Forster by Booker Prize-shortlisted author.

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The Undertaking

by Audrey Magee

Atlantic Monthly Press

Hardcover

On sale: September 2nd

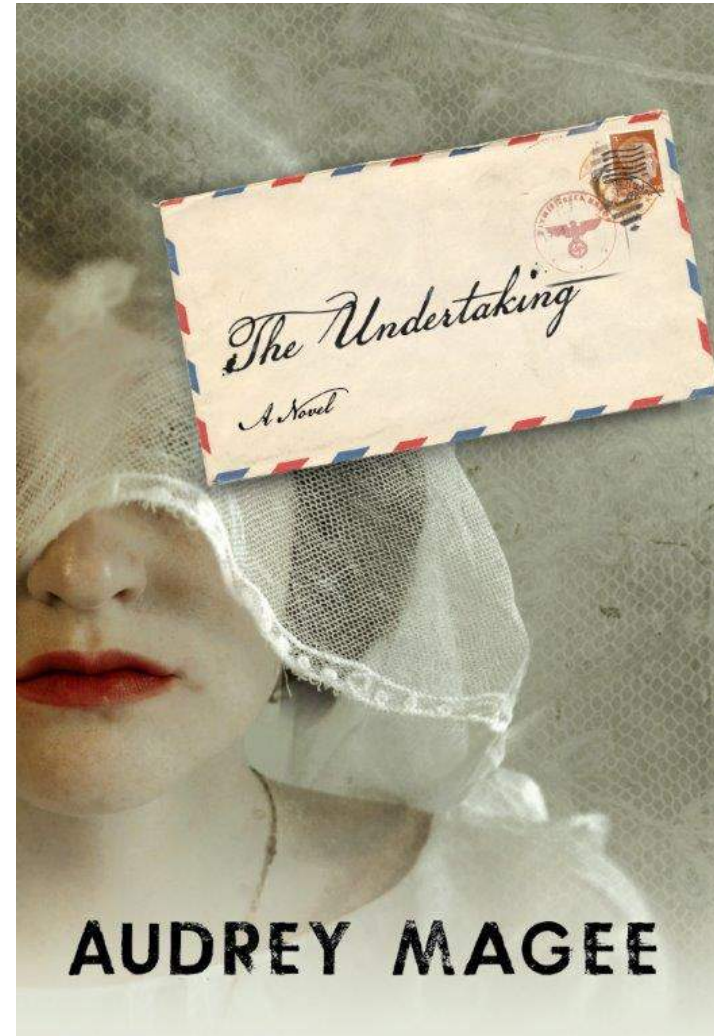
ISBN 13: 9780802122452

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Shortlisted for Baileys Women's Prize for fiction, THE UNDERTAKING is a terrifyingly intimate story of a war marriage caught up in the calamity of World War II.

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Painted Horses

by Malcolm Brooks

Grove Press

Hardcover

On sale: August 5th

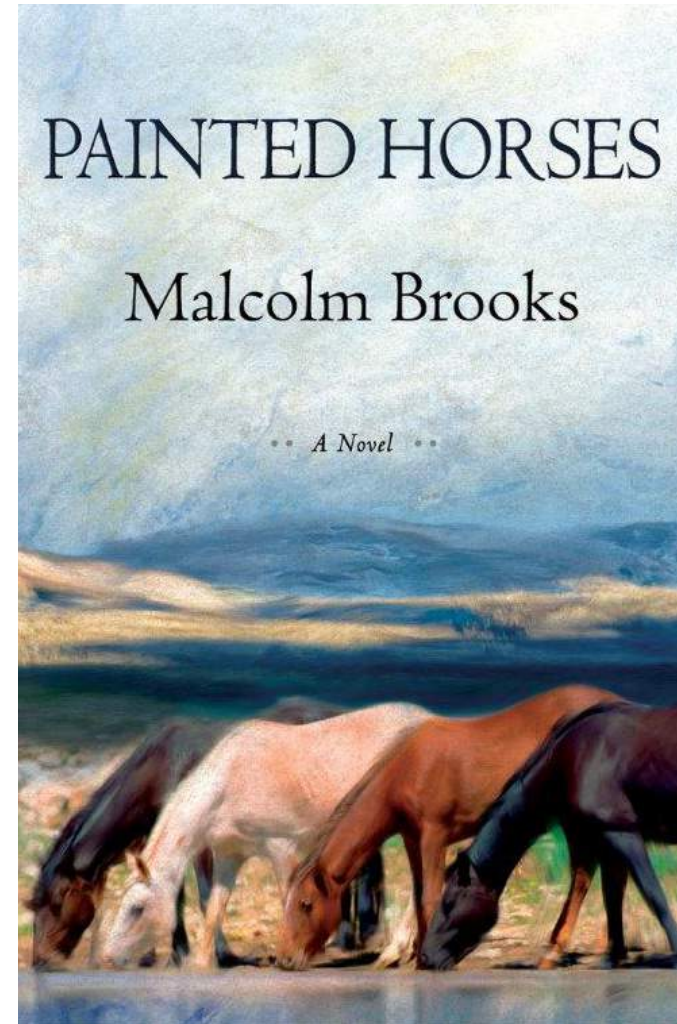
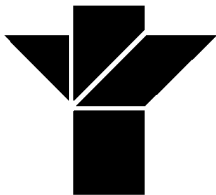
ISBN 13: 9780802121646

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A sweeping romance between a young female archaeologist tasked with researching a vast canyon in 1950s Montana, and a fugitive mustanger who helps her see the beauty in both the stark landscape and the horseman's way of life.

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Keep Your Friends Close

by Paula Daly

Grove Press

Hardcover

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ISBN 13: 9780802123206

\$25.00

A riveting, white-knuckle story of a husband and wife and the devious best friend who comes between them.

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