

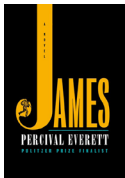


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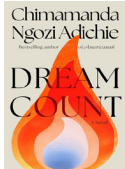
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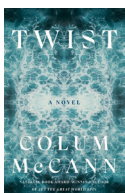
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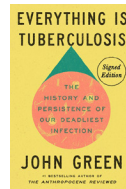
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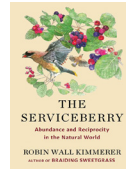
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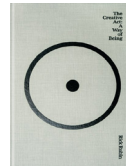
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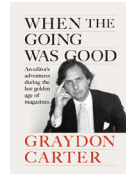
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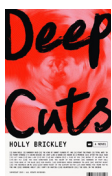


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James Clear, Avery, \$27

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OTHER HARDCOVER INDIE FAVORITES



Deep Cuts: A Novel
Holly Brickley, Crown, \$28
"This book is a love song. It's a love letter to music, to connection, to friendship and romance and collaboration and connection and talent and pain. I wish I could have written this book. I'm jealous of people who haven't read this book yet."
—Jamie Thomas, Women & Children First, Chicago, IL



Count My Lies: A Novel
Sophie Stava, Gallery/Scout Press, \$28.99
"Count My Lies is an absolute thrill ride! A woman lies her way into the lives of a couple and their young daughter. But is she the only one keeping secrets? Order some take-out and settle in. Once you start reading, it's impossible to stop!"
—Mary O'Malley, Skylark Bookshop, Columbia, MO



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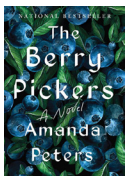
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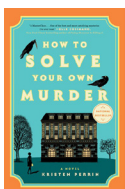
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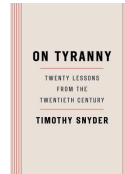
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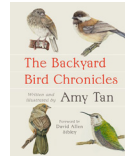
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OTHER PAPERBACK INDIE FAVORITES



Go Luck Yourself: A Royals and Romance Novel
Sara Raasch, Bramble, \$19.99

"Go Luck Yourself is absolutely everything I could have hoped for in a sequel to *The Nightmare Before Kissmas*. I was delighted to see Kris' inner workings and his quest for his own happily ever after, and I adored Lochlann and his sisters."

—Emily Hall Schroen, Main Street Books, St. Charles, MO

MASS MARKET

- 1 **1984** George Orwell, Signet, \$10.99
- 2 **Animal Farm** George Orwell, Signet, \$9.99
- 3 **The Diary of a Young Girl** Anne Frank, Bantam, \$8.99
- 4 **The Way of Kings** Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$12.99
- 5 **Mistborn: The Final Empire** Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$10.99
- 6 **Dune** Frank Herbert, Ace, \$10.99
- 7 **Slaughterhouse-Five** Kurt Vonnegut, Laurel Leaf, \$9.99
- 8 **The Exchange** John Grisham, Vintage, \$10.99
- 9 **It Can't Happen Here** Sinclair Lewis, Signet, \$10.99
- 10 **Lord of the Flies** William Golding, Penguin, \$12



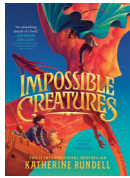
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CHILDREN'S

RANK EARLY & MIDDLE GRADE



1 Impossible Creatures
Katherine Rundell, Ashley Mackenzie (Illus.), Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99



2 A Wolf Called Fire
Rosanne Parry, Mónica Armijo (Illus.), Greenwillow Books, \$18.99

3 A Song for You and I: A Graphic Novel
K. O'Neill, Random House Graphic, \$13.99



4 Warriors Graphic Novel #1
Erin Hunter, Natalie Riess (Illus.), Sara Goetter (Illus.), HarperAlley, \$15.99

5 The Lost Library
Rebecca Stead, Wendy Mass, Square Fish, \$8.99



6 Drama: A Graphic Novel
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99

7 The New Girl: A Graphic Novel
Cassandra Calin, Graphix, \$12.99

8 Resist: A Story of D-Day
Alan Gratz, Scholastic Press, \$9.99



9 The One and Only Bob
Katherine Applegate, Patricia Castelao (Illus.), Harper, \$10.99

10 The Squad: A Graphic Novel
Christina Soontornvat, Joanna Cacao (Illus.), Graphix, \$12.99

11 The Bletchley Riddle
Ruta Sepetys, Steve Sheinkin, Viking Books for Young Readers, \$18.99

12 Besties: Prank War
Kayla Miller, Sarah K. Turner (Illus.), Jeffrey Canino, Clarion Books, \$15.99

13 Super Duper Extra Deluxe Essential Handbook (Pokémon)
Scholastic, \$16.99

14 Smile: A Graphic Novel
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99

15 Sisters: A Graphic Novel
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99

RANK YOUNG ADULT



1 Our Infinite Fates (Deluxe Limited Edition)
Laura Steven, Wednesday Books, \$20

2 Powerless
Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

3 Better Than the Movies
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$12.99



4 Pride and Prejudice
Jane Austen, Anna Bond (Illus.), Puffin Books, \$17

5 Rebel Witch: The Crimson Moth: Book 2
Kristen Ciccarelli, Wednesday Books, \$20

6 If Only I Had Told Her
Laura Nowlin, Sourcebooks Fire, \$12.99



7 If He Had Been with Me
Laura Nowlin, Sourcebooks Fire, \$10.99

8 Wings of Starlight
Allison Saft, Disney Press, \$18.99

9 Heartless Hunter: The Crimson Moth: Book 1
Kristen Ciccarelli, Wednesday Books, \$20



10 The Outsiders
S. E. Hinton, Viking Books for Young Readers, \$14.99

11 Betting on You
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$12.99

12 Reckless
Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$21.99



13 Nothing Like the Movies
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

14 All Better Now
Neal Shusterman, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$21.99

15 The Book Thief
Markus Zusak, Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$14.99

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OTHER CHILDREN'S INDIE FAVORITES



AGES 8 TO 12

Whale Eyes: A Memoir About Seeing and Being Seen ii
James Robinson, Brian Rea (Illus.), Penguin Workshop, \$18.99
"Whale Eyes is an essential text for helping us to further understand the way that we as a society treat disabled kids by putting us in their shoes. If you have ever been ostracized and treated poorly because of ableism, you will feel seen by this story."
—Ava Budavari, All She Wrote Books, Somerville, MA



TEEN READERS

They Bloom at Night
Trang Thanh Tran, Bloomsbury YA, \$19.99
"Noon and her mom are living on a houseboat after a natural disaster and red algae have decimated their town. As Noon confronts her past as well as her current situation, the question is: who really is the monster? This will resonate for readers of *SPEAK*."
—Audrey I-Wei Huang, Belmont Books, Belmont, MA

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CHILDREN'S

RANK ILLUSTRATED

- ★ 1 **Little Blue Truck and Racer Red**
Alice Schertle, Jill McElmurry (Illus.), Clarion Books, \$19.99
- 2 **Goodnight Moon**
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (Illus.), Harper, \$10.99
- 3 **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
Eric Carle, World of Eric Carle, \$10.99
- 4 **Will the Pigeon Graduate?**
Mo Willems, Union Square Kids, \$18.99
- 5 **Where the Wild Things Are**
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$21.99
- 6 **I Am Glinda (Little Golden Book)**
Mary Man-Kong, Elsa Chang (Illus.), Golden Books, \$5.99
- 7 **Dragons Love Tacos**
Adam Rubin, Daniel Salmieri (Illus.), Dial Books, \$18.99
- 8 **Little Blue Truck**
Alice Schertle, Jill McElmurry (Illus.), Clarion Books, \$10.99
- 9 **I Am Elphaba (Little Golden Book)**
Mary Man-Kong, Elsa Chang (Illus.), Golden Books, \$5.99
- 10 **Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?**
Bill Martin, Jr., Eric Carle (Illus.), Henry Holt and Co. BYR, \$8.99
- 11 **Pat the Bunny**
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden Books, \$9.99
- 12 **Dragon's First Taco**
Adam Rubin, Daniel Salmieri (Illus.), Dial Books, \$8.99
- 13 **Knight Owl and Early Bird**
Christopher Denise, Christy Ottaviano Books, \$18.99
- 14 **The Going to Bed Book**
Sandra Boynton, Boynton Bookworks, \$6.99
- 15 **Knight Owl**
Christopher Denise, Christy Ottaviano Books, \$17.99

RANK SERIES

- 1 **The Hunger Games**
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic Press
- 2 **Dog Man (hardcover)**
Dav Pilkey, Graphix
- 3 **Wings of Fire**
Tui T. Sutherland, Mike Holmes (Illus.), Scholastic
- 4 **Diary of a Wimpy Kid (hardcover)**
Jeff Kinney, Harry N. Abrams
- 5 **The Wild Robot**
Peter Brown, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
- 6 **InvestiGators (hardcover)**
John Patrick Green, Christopher Hastings, Pat Lewis (Illus.), First Second
- 7 **I Survived**
Lauren Tarshis, Karen De la Vega (Illus.), Scholastic
- 8 **Elephant & Piggie (hardcover)**
Mo Willems, Hyperion
- 9 **Baby-Sitters Club Graphix**
Ann M. Martin, Arley Nopra (Illus.), Scholastic
- 10 **Spy School**
Stuart Gibbs, Anjan Sarkar (Illus.), Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers

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OTHER CHILDREN'S INDIE FAVORITES

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Dear Bookstore
Emily Arrow, Geneviève Godbout (Illus.), Candlewick, \$17.99
"No picture book has so beautifully captured the magic and belonging of bookstores quite like this one. I teared up through the entire read and I'm sure you will, too."
—Jordan Leon, Lion's Mouth Bookstore, Green Bay, WI





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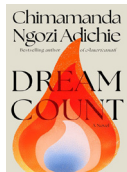
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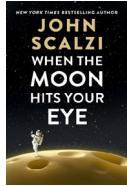
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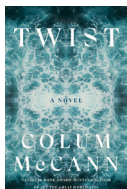
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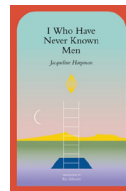
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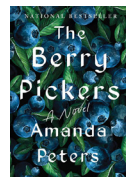
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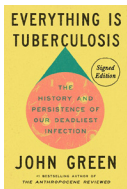


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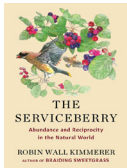
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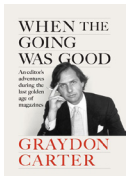


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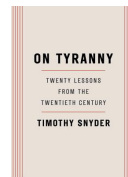
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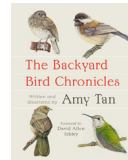
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