

THIS MONTH'S #1



The Guest Book: A Novel

By Sarah Blake

(Flatiron Books, 9781250110251, \$27.99)

"I began *The Guest Book* expecting an excellent family saga set, in part, on an island in Maine. The magic of the family home is palpable as three generations build loyalty, identity, and memories there. But what I read was far, far more. This is a history of our country's evolution through matters of race, class, and politics, and it relates compellingly to our current struggles with those topics as the characters grapple with the underpinnings of privilege, familial love, and morality. Sarah Blake has written a stunning and complex novel that lingers in your mind long after the last page."

—Dana Brigham, Brookline Booksmith, Brookline, MA



Southern Lady Code: Essays

By Helen Ellis

(Doubleday, 9780385543897, \$22)

Recommended by Beth Reynolds, Norwich Bookstore, Norwich, VT

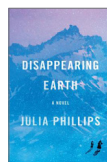


Rules for Visiting: A Novel

By Jessica Francis Kane

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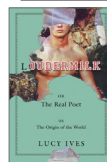


Disappearing Earth: A Novel

By Julia Phillips

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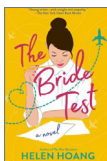


Loudermilk

By Lucy Ives

(Soft Skull Press, 9781593763909, trade paper, \$16.95)

Recommended by Lane Jacobson, Paulina Springs Books, Sisters, OR



The Bride Test: A Novel

By Helen Hoang

(Berkley, 9780451490827, trade paper, \$15)

Recommended by Stephanie Cszasz, Books Around the Corner, Gresham, OR



Cape May: A Novel

By Chip Cheek

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Recommended by Mary Cotton, Newtonville Books, Newton Centre, MA



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By Jayson Greene

(Knopf, 9781524733537, \$25)

Recommended by Michelle Cavalier, Cavalier House Books, Denham Springs, LA



Miracle Creek: A Novel

By Angie Kim

(Sarah Crichton Books, 9780374156022, \$27)

Recommended by Sara Hinckley, Hudson Booksellers, Marietta, GA



Exhalation: Stories

By Ted Chiang

(Knopf, 9781101947883, \$25.95)

Recommended by Kasey Kane, Country Bookshelf, Bozeman, MT

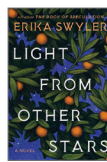


The Binding: A Novel

By Bridget Collins

(William Morrow, 9780062838094, \$26.99)

Recommended by Angela Shores, Adventure Bound Books, Morganton, NC

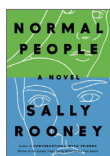


Light From Other Stars: A Novel

By Erika Swyler

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Recommended by Steve Haruch, Parnassus Books, Nashville, TN

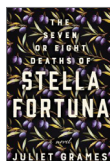


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By Sally Rooney

(Hogarth, 9781984822178, \$26)

Recommended by Georgiana Dix Blomberg, Magnolia's Bookstore, Seattle, WA



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(Ecco, 9780062862822, \$27.99)

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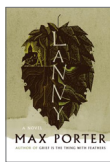


Rough Magic: Riding the World's Loneliest Horse Race

By Lara Prior-Palmer

(Catapult, 9781948226196, \$25)

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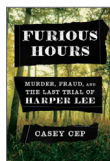


Lanny: A Novel

By Max Porter

(Graywolf Press, 9781555978402, \$24)

Recommended by Erin Mazza, BookBar, Denver, CO



Furious Hours: Murder, Fraud, and the Last Trial of Harper Lee

By Casey Cep

(Knopf, 9781101947869, \$26.95)

Recommended by Beth Stroh, Viewpoint Books, Columbus, IN



Out East: Memoir of a Montauk Summer

By John Glynn

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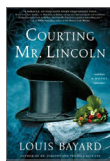
Recommended by Chris Klim, Buffalo Street Books, Ithaca, NY



The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek: A Novel

By Kim Michele Richardson

Recommended by Mary Patterson, The Little Bookshop, Midlothian, VA



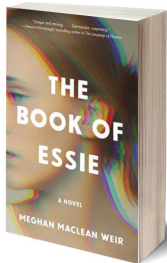
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By Louis Bayard

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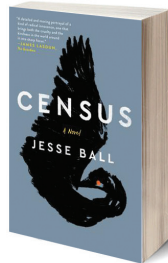
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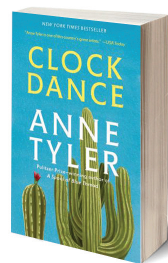
The Book of Essie: A Novel

By Meghan MacLean Weir
Vintage
9780525436072, \$16
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Books Are Magic,
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By Jesse Ball
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Nashville, TN



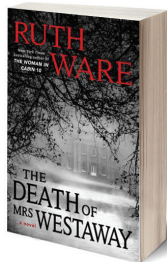
Clock Dance: A Novel

By Anne Tyler
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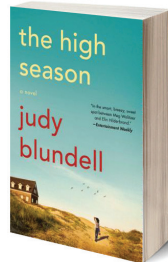
Dear Mrs. Bird: A Novel

By AJ Pearce
Scribner
9781501170072, \$17
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by Nancy Simpson-Brice,
Book Vault,
Oskaloosa, IA



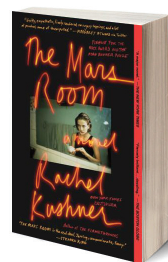
The Death of Mrs. Westaway: A Novel

By Ruth Ware
Gallery/Scout Press
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Cambridge, NY



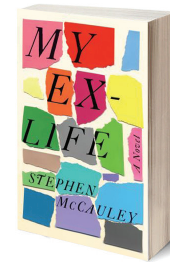
The High Season: A Novel

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Random House Trade Paperbacks
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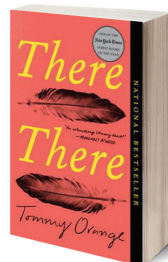
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Anderson's Bookshop,
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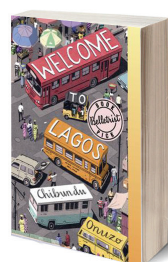
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Del Rey
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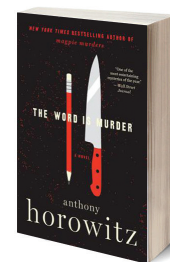
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