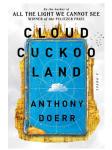
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### **#1 PICK**

#### **Cloud Cuckoo Land: A Novel**

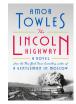
By Anthony Doerr

(Scribner, 9781982168438, \$30, Sept. 28, Fiction)

"I haven't felt this hopeful after closing a book in a very long time. What does it mean to be alive? An ageless question, yet throughout time the answer is always human connection and the stories we tell to live, thrive, survive."

-Julie Slavinsky, Warwick's, La Jolla, CA





# The Lincoln Highway: A Novel By Amor Towles

(Viking, 9780735222359, \$30, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Trish Brown, One More Page Books, Arlington, VA



## A Spindle Splintered (Fractured Fables) By Alix E. Harrow

(Tordotcom, 9781250765352, \$17.99, Oct. 5, Fiction/Fantasy)

Recommended by Katie Harveson, Front Street Books, Alpine, TX



## **Under the Whispering Door**By TJ Klune

(Tor Books, 9781250217349, \$26.99, Sept. 21, Fiction/Fantasy)

Recommended by Stacey Montalto, BookTowne, Manasquan, NJ



#### The Last Graduate: A Novel

By Naomi Novik

(Del Rey, 9780593128862, \$28, Sept. 28, Fiction/Fantasy)

Recommended by Amber Brown, Quail Ridge Books, Raleigh, NC

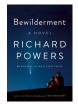


#### My Monticello: Fiction

By Jocelyn Nicole Johnson

(Henry Holt and Co., 9781250807151, \$26.99, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Javier Ramirez, Exile in Bookville, Chicago, IL



#### **Bewilderment: A Novel**

By Richard Powers

(W.W. Norton & Company, 9780393881141, \$27.95, Sept. 21, Fiction)

Recommended by Lesley Rains, City of Asylum Bookstore, Pittsburgh, PA

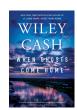


### Smile: The Story of a Face

By Sarah Ruhl

(Simon & Schuster, 9781982150945, \$27, Oct. 5, Memoir)

Recommended by Keith Mosman, Powell's Books, Portland, OR



## When Ghosts Come Home: A Novel By Wiley Cash

(William Morrow, 9780062312662, \$28.99, Sept. 21, Fiction)

Recommended by Amanda Gawthorpe, Page 158 Books, Wake Forest, NC



### Sankofa: A Novel

By Chibundu Onuzo

(Catapult, 9781646220830, \$26, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Shane Mullen, Left Bank Books, St. Louis, MO



#### **Fight Night: A Novel**

By Miriam Toews

(Bloomsbury Publishing, 9781635578171, \$24, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Mia Wigmore, DIESEL, A Bookstore, Brentwood, CA



#### The Last House on Needless Street: A Novel

**By Catriona Ward** 

(Tor Nightfire, 9781250812629, \$27.99, Sept. 28, Fiction/Horror)

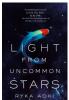
Recommended by Robert Connolly, Jabberwocky Bookshop & Café, Newburyport, MA



# The Book of Form and Emptiness: A Novel By Ruth Ozeki

(Viking, 9780399563645, \$30, Sept. 21, Fiction)

Recommended by Bennard Fajardo, Politics and Prose Bookstore, Washington, DC



### **Light From Uncommon Stars: A Novel**

By Ryka Aoki

(Tor Books, 9781250789068, \$25.99, Sept. 28, Science Fiction)

Recommended by Katherine Nazzaro, Porter Square Books, Cambridge, MA



## What Storm, What Thunder: A Novel By Myriam J.A. Chancy

(Tin House Books, 9781951142766, \$27.95, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Alana Haley, Schuler Books, Grand Rapids, MI



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### The Ex Hex: A Novel

By Erin Sterling

(Avon, 9780063027473, \$15.99, paperback, Sept. 28, Fiction/Romance)

Recommended by Carrie Deming, The Dog Eared Book, Palmyra, NY



#### We Are Not Like Them: A Novel

By Christine Pride, Jo Piazza

(Atria Books, 9781982181031, \$27, Oct. 5, Fiction)

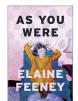
Recommended by Mary Kay Burnett, Buttonwood Books and Toys, Cohasset, MA



#### Payback's a Witch: A Novel

By Lana Harper

(Berkley, 9780593336069, \$16, paperback, Oct. 5, Fiction/Romance)
Recommended by Emma Reilly, A Likely Story, Sykesville, MD



#### As You Were: A Novel

By Elaine Feeney

(Biblioasis, 9781771964432, \$16.95, paperback, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Kelly Shrader, Third Place Books, Lake Forest Park, WA



## The Man Who Died Twice: A Thursday Murder Club Mystery

By Richard Osman

(Pamela Dorman Books, 9781984880994, \$26, Sept. 28, Fiction/Mystery)

Recommended by Kira Wizner, Merritt Bookstore, Millbrook, NY

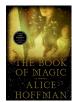


## An Elderly Lady Must Not Be Crossed: Stories

By Helene Tursten, Marlaine Delargy (Transl.)

(Soho Crime, 9781641291675, \$14.99, Oct. 5, Fiction/Mystery)

Recommended by Annette Steinmetz, The Well-Read Moose, Coeur d'Alene. ID



### The Book of Magic: A Novel

By Alice Hoffman

(Simon & Schuster, 9781982151485, \$27.99, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Laura Taylor, The Oxford Exchange, Tampa, FL



#### A Lot Like Adiós: A Novel

**By Alexis Daria** 

(Avon, 9780062959966, \$15.99, paperback, Sept. 14, Fiction/Romance)

Recommended by Leah Grover, Bards Alley, Vienna, VA

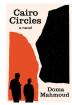


### **Jacket Weather: A Novel**

By Mike DeCapite

(Soft Skull, 9781593766931, \$16.95, paperback, Oct. 12, Fiction)

Recommended by Laura Lowry, Mind Chimes Bookshop, Three Lakes. WI



#### **Cairo Circles: A Novel**

By Doma Mahmoud

(Unnamed Press, 9781951213367, \$28, Oct. 12, Fiction) 👖

Recommended by Carrie Koepke, Skylark Bookshop, Columbia, MO



### **NOW IN PAPERBACK**



#### The Cold Millions: A Novel

By Jess Walter

(Harper Perennial, 9780062868091, \$17, Sept. 28, Fiction)

Recommended by Ariana Paliobagis, Country Bookshelf, Bozeman, MT



#### Plain Bad Heroines: A Novel

By Emily M. Danforth, Sara Lautman (Illus.)

(William Morrow Paperbacks, 9780062942869, \$17.99, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Sandra Cararo, The Book Dragon, Staunton, VA



#### The Fortunate Ones: A Novel

By Ed Tarkington

(Algonquin Books, 9781643752006, \$16.95, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by Damita Nocton, The Country Bookshop, Southern Pines, NC

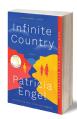


#### Send for Me: A Novel

By Lauren Fox

(Vintage, 9781101972045, \$16.95, Sept. 7, Fiction)

Recommended by Ken Favell, Books & Company, Oconomowoc, WI



#### Infinite Country: A Novel

By Patricia Engel

(Avid Reader Press/Simon & Schuster, 9781982159474, \$17, Oct. 5, Fiction)

Recommended by James Harrod, Malaprop's Bookstore/Café, Asheville. NC



#### The Shadows: A Novel

By Alex North

(Celadon Books, 9781250318046, \$16.99, Sept. 28, Fiction/Thriller)

Recommended by Pamela Klinger-Horn, Excelsior Bay Books, Excelsior, MN