DECEMBER 2022 Your Next Great Read



#1 PICK

The Light Pirate: A Novel

By Lily Brooks-Dalton

(Grand Central Publishing, 9781538708279, \$28, Dec. 6, Fiction)

"A survivor of a book. In the not-too-distant future, Florida is hurricane central, and Wanda (a hurricane namesake) is in the eye of this story that wraps around you; you'll hold on for dear life, with everybody else."

-Michelle Bear, Edmonds Bookshop, Edmonds, WA





Astrid Parker Doesn't Fail: A Novel By Ashley Herring Blake

(Berkley, 9780593336427, \$17, paperback, Nov. 22, Romance)

Recommended by Aedan Richter, Nowhere Bookshop, San Antonio, TX



Ship Wrecked: A Novel

By Olivia Dade

(Avon, 9780063215870, \$16.99, paperback, Nov. 15, Romance)

Recommended by Kaitlyn Craig, Joseph-Beth Booksellers, Cincinnati, OH



Tread of Angels

By Rebecca Roanhorse

(Gallery/Saga Press, 9781982166182, \$22.99, Nov. 15, Fantasy)

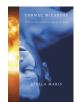
Recommended by Annie Carl, The Neverending Bookshop, Edmonds, WA



How Far the Light Reaches: A Life in Ten Sea Creatures

By Sabrina Imbler

(Little, Brown and Company, 9780316540537, \$27, Dec. 6, Essays)
Recommended by Amy Woolsey, Bards Alley, Vienna, VA



Stella Maris

By Cormac McCarthy

(Knopf, 9780307269003, \$26, Dec. 6, Fiction)

Recommended by Mary Wahlmeier, Raven Book Store, Lawrence, KS

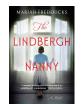


Well Traveled

By Jen DeLuca

(Berkley, 9780593200469, \$17, paperback, Dec. 6, Romance)

Recommended by Kailey Fox, Kingfisher Bookstore, Coupeville, WA



The Lindbergh Nanny: A Novel By Mariah Fredericks

(Minotaur Books, 9781250827401, \$27.99, Nov. 15, Historical Fiction)

Recommended by Susan McBeth, Adventures by the Book, San Diego, CA

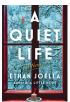


A Dangerous Business: A Novel

By Jane Smiley

(Knopf, 9780525520337, \$28, Dec. 6, Fiction)

Recommended by Brooke Beehler, Books Revisited, St. Cloud, MN



A Quiet Life: A Novel

By Ethan Joella

(Scribner, 9781982190972, \$27, Nov. 29, Fiction)

Recommended by Angela Pursel, The Next Chapter Bookstore, Hermiston, OR



Winterland: A Novel

By Rae Meadows

(Henry Holt and Co., 9781250834522, \$27.99, Nov. 29, Fiction)

Recommended by Sarah Bagby, Watermark Books & Café, Wichita, KS

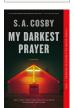


They're Going to Love You: A Novel

By Meg Howrey

(Doubleday, 9780385548779, \$28, Nov. 15, Fiction)

Recommended by Matt Nixon, A Cappella Books, Atlanta, GA



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My Darkest Prayer: A Novel

By S. A. Cosby

(Flatiron Books, 9781250867636, \$16.99, paperback, Dec. 6, Thriller)

Recommended by Alden Graves, Northshire Bookstore, Manchester Center, VT

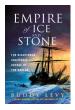


All the Broken Places: A Novel

By John Boyne

(Pamela Dorman Books, 9780593653067, \$28, Nov. 29, Historical Fiction)

Recommended by Claire Benedict, Bear Pond Books, Montpelier, VT



Empire of Ice and Stone: The Disastrous and Heroic Voyage of the Karluk

By Buddy Levy

(St. Martin's Press, 9781250274441, \$29.99, Dec. 6, History)

Recommended by Annie Philbrick, Bank Square Books, Mystic, CT

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Have I Told You This Already?: Stories I Don't Want to Forget to Remember By Lauren Graham

(Ballantine Books, 9780593355428, \$28, Nov. 15, Memoir)

Recommended by Margaret Walker, Union Avenue Books, Knoxville, TN



Heart of the Sun Warrior: A Novel

By Sue Lynn Tan

(Harper Voyager, 9780063031364, \$27.99, Nov. 15, Fantasy)

Recommended by Hillary Smith, Black Walnut Books, Hudson Falls, NY



Idol, Burning: A Novel

By Rin Usami, Asa Yoneda (Transl.)

(HarperVia, 9780063213289, \$24.99, Nov. 15, Fiction)

Recommended by Katrina Wallace, Carmichael's Bookstore, Louisville. KY



Weightless: Making Space for My Resilient Body and Soul

By Evette Dionne

(Ecco, 9780063076365, \$26.99, Dec. 6, Memoir)

Recommended by Susan Posch, The Book Shoppe, Boone, IA



Things We Found When the Water Went Down: A Novel

By Tegan Nia Swanson

(Catapult, 9781646221691, \$22.95, paperback, Dec. 6, Fiction)

Recommended by Christie Olson Day, Gallery Bookshop & Bookwinkle's Children's Books, Mendocino, CA



A Pros and Cons List for Strong Feelings By Will Betke-Brunswick

(Tin House Books, 9781953534453, \$18.95, paperback, Nov. 15, Graphic Memoir)

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



How to Survive Everything: A Novel By Ewan Morrison

(Harper Perennial, 9780063247321, \$17, paperback, Nov. 15, Thriller)

Recommended by Jordan Pulaski, Small Friend Records & Books, Richmond, VA



Shotgun Seamstress: An Anthology

By Osa Atoe

(Soft Skull, 9781593767396, \$40, Nov. 29, Music/Graphic Anthology)

Recommended by Audrey Parks, New Dominion Bookshop, Charlottesville, VA



Grocery Shopping with My Mother: PoemsBy Kevin Powell

(Soft Skull, 9781593767433, \$24, Dec. 6, Poetry)

Recommended by Shannon Alden, Literati Bookstore, Ann Arbor, MI



On Browsing

By Jason Guriel

(Biblioasis, 9781771965101, \$13.95, paperback, Nov. 15, Social Science)

Recommended by Todd Miller, Arcadia Books, Spring Green, WI



NOW IN PAPERBACK



Beasts of a Little Land: A Novel By Juhea Kim

(Ecco, 9780063093584, \$17.99, Dec. 6, Fiction)

Recommended by Amanda Hurley, Tombolo Books, St. Petersburg, FL

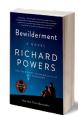


Love in the Big City: A Novel

By Sang Young Park, Anton Hur (Transl.)

(Grove Press, 9780802160379, \$17, Nov. 15, Fiction)

Recommended by Adam Possehl, Powell's Books, Portland, OR



Bewilderment: A Novel

By Ricard Powers

(W.W. Norton & Company, 9781324036142, \$17.95, Nov. 1, Fiction)

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



Sea State: A Memoir

By Tabitha Lasley

(Ecco, 9780063030848, \$16.99, Dec. 6, Memoir)

Recommended by Scott Lange, The Bookman, Grand Haven, MI



Lost & Found: Reflections on Grief, Gratitude, and Happiness

By Kathryn Schulz

(Random House Trade Paperbacks, 9780525512486, \$18, Nov. 22, Memoir)

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



The Violin Conspiracy: A Novel By Brendan Slocumb

(Vintage, 9780593315422, \$17, Dec. 6, Fiction)

Recommended by Laney Sheehan, Epilogue: Books Chocolate Brews, Chapel Hill, NC

