MARCH 2025 Your Next Great Read



#1 PICK

Wild Dark Shore: A Novel

By Charlotte McConaghy

(Flatiron Books, 9781250827951, \$28.99, Mar. 4, Fiction)

"An achingly beautiful novel, a page-turning thriller, and an ode to the landscapes disappearing before our eyes. It so perfectly captures the deep heartbreak of loving a place in your very bones and knowing there is nothing you can do to save it. Still, the book was full of hope."

-Nina Lundstrom, Maria's Bookshop, Durango, CO





The Unworthy: A Novel

By Agustina Bazterrica, Sarah Moses (Transl.)

(Scribner, 9781668063705, \$28.99, Hardcover; 9781668051887, \$18.99, Paperback, Mar. 4, Fiction)

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



The Café with No Name: A Novel

(Europa Editions, 9798889660644, \$25, Feb. 25, Fiction)

By Robert Seethaler, Katy Derbyshire (Transl.)

Recommended by Susan Reckers, Rakestraw Books, Danville, CA



The River Has Roots

Bv Amal El-Mohtar

(Tordotcom, 9781250341082, \$24.99, Mar. 4, Fantasy)

Recommended by Becca Title, Meet Cute Romance Bookshop, San Diego, CA



Kate & Frida: A Novel of Friendship, Food, and Books

By Kim Fay

(G.P. Putnam's Sons, 9780593852385, \$28, Mar. 11, Fiction)

Recommended by Leslie Logemann, Highland Books, Brevard, NC



Deep Cuts: A Novel

By Holly Brickley

(Crown, 9780593799086, \$28, Feb. 25, Fiction)



Recommended by Jamie Thomas, Women & Children First, Chicago, IL

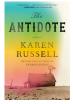


I Got Abducted by Aliens and Now I'm Trapped in a Rom-Com

By Kimberly Lemming

(Berkley, 9780593818633, \$19, Paperback, Feb. 18, Romance)

Recommended by Vanessa Nicolle, Femme Fire Books, Jacksonville, FL



The Antidote: A Novel

By Karen Russell

(Knopf, 9780593802250, \$30, Mar. 11, Historical Fiction)

Recommended by Hunter Gillum, Beaverdale Books, Des Moines, IA



Red Dog Farm: A Novel

By Nathaniel Ian Miller

(Little, Brown and Company, 9780316575140, \$28, Mar. 4, Fiction)

Recommended by Ann Woodbeck, Excelsior Bay Books, Excelsior, MN



Broken Country: A Novel

By Clare Leslie Hall

(Simon & Schuster, 9781668078181, \$28.99, Mar. 4, Fiction)

Recomended by Leslie Jennings, Brewster Book Store, Brewster, MA



Dream State: A Novel

By Eric Puchner

(Doubleday, 9780385550666, \$28, Feb. 18, Fiction)

Recommended by Stan Hynds, Northshire Bookstore, Manchester Center, VT



Count My Lies: A Novel

By Sophie Stava

(Gallery/Scout Press, 9781668079348, \$28.99, Mar. 4, Thriller)

Recommended by Mary O'Malley, Skylark Bookshop, Columbia, MO



The Jackal's Mistress: A Novel

By Chris Bohjalian

(Doubleday, 9780385547642, \$29, Mar. 11, Historical Fiction)

Recommended by Caroline Buchta, Andover Bookstore, Andover, MA



One Day, Everyone Will Have Always Been **Against This**

By Omar El Akkad

(Knopf, 9780593804148, \$28, Feb. 25, Memoir)

Recommended by Paul Yamazaki, City Lights Books, San Francisco, CA



Swordheart

By T. Kingfisher

(Bramble, 9781250400222, \$28.99, Feb. 25, Fantasy/Romance)

Recommended by Tori Finklea, Union Avenue Books, Knoxville, TN



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Go Luck Yourself: A Royals and Romance Novel

By Sara Raasch

(Bramble, 9781250333216, \$19.99, Paperback, Mar. 11, Fantasy/Romance) Recommended by Emily Hall Schroen, Main Street Books,



Stag Dance: A Novel & Stories

By Torrey Peters

St. Charles, MO

(Random House, 9780593595640, \$28, Mar. 11, Fiction)

Recommended by Grace Sullivan, Fountain Bookstore, Richmond, VA



Raising Hare: A Memoir

Bv Chloe Dalton

(Pantheon, 9780593701843, \$27, Mar. 4, Memoir)

Recommended by Shannon Guinn-Collins, Bookworks, Albuquerque, NM



33 Place Brugmann: A Novel

By Alice Austen

(Grove Press, 9780802164087, \$28, Mar. 11, Fiction)

Recommended by Cody Morrison, Square Books, Oxford, MS



The Women on Platform Two: A Novel

By Laura Anthony

(Gallery Books, 9781668047385, \$28.99, Mar. 11, Fiction)

Recommended by Terry Gilman, Creating Conversations, Redondo Beach, CA



A Dumb Birds Field Guide to the Worst **Birds Ever**

By Matt Kracht

(Chronicle Books, 9781797232751, \$15.95, Paperback, Mar. 11, Humor)

Recommended by Meghan Hayden, River Bend Bookshop, Glastonbury, CT



The Garden: A Novel

By Nick Newman

(G.P. Putnam's Sons, 9780593717738, \$29, Feb. 18, Science Fiction) Recommended by Andrea Iriarte, Molly's Bookstore, Melrose, MA



Optional Practical Training: A Novel

By Shubha Sunder

(Graywolf Press, 9781644453247, \$17, Paperback, Mar. 4, Fiction) Recommended by Kazumi Fish, Yu & Me Books, New York, NY



Fundamentally: A Novel

By Nussaibah Younis

(Tiny Reparations Books, 9780593851388, \$28, Feb. 25, Fiction) Recommended by Desirae Wilkerson, Paper Boat Booksellers, Seattle, WA



The Passenger Seat

By Vijay Khurana

(Biblioasis, 9781771966306, \$17.95, Paperback, Mar. 4, Fiction)

Recommended by Austin Carter, Pocket Books Shop, Lancaster, PA



NOW IN PAPERBACK



After Annie: A Novel

By Anna Quindlen

Recommended by Pamela Klinger-Horn, Valley Bookseller, Stillwater, MN





Clear: A Novel

By Carys Davies

(Scribner, 9781668030677, \$17.99, Mar. 4, Fiction)

Recommended by Miriam Roskam, Mountain Shire: Books & Gifts, Winter Park, CO

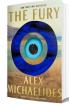


Funny Story

By Emily Henry

(Berkley, 9780593441213, \$19, Feb. 25, Romance)

Recommended by Nyawira Nyota, Page 158 Books, Wake Forest, NC

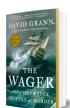


The Fury: A Novel

By Alex Michaelides

(Celadon Books, 9781250758996, \$17.99, Mar. 4, Thriller)

Recommended by Becky Doherty, Northshire Bookstore, Saratoga Springs, NY



The Wager: A Tale of Shipwreck, Mutiny and Murder

By David Grann

(Vintage, 9780307742490, \$21, Feb. 25, History)

Recommended by Stuart McCommon, Novel., Memphis, TN



Wandering Stars: A Novel

By Tommy Orange

(Vintage, 9780593311448, \$18, Feb. 18, Fiction)

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

