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BIOGRAPHIES

- By the Time You Read This: The Space Between Cheslie's Smile and Mental Illness—Her Story in Her Own Words**
-Kryst, Cheslie & Simpkins, April
Tells the story former Miss USA Cheslie Kryst was about to publish before her tragic suicide, with her mother, April, wrapping up the narrative by exploring the mental illness and depression that took her daughter's life.
- A Gentleman from Japan: The Untold Story of an Incredible Journey from Asia to Queen Elizabeth's Court**
-Lockley, Thomas
This story of the first Japanese man to set foot on North America and England follows his 1588 journey from Japan to Mexico, Java and Southern Africa and up the River Thames to meet Queen Elizabeth I.
- Life's Too Short**
-Rucker, Darius
The three-time Grammy award-winning, Diamond-selling lead singer of Hootie & the Blowfish and country music star tells the story of his life through the music that made him and his own music with Hootie and as a solo artist, sharing stories of his road-hardened life that are raw, real, funny and deeply emotional.
- Love Is a Burning Thing**
-St. Pierre, Nina
In this mesmerizing, moving portrait of a mother-daughter relationship that also examines mental health, stigma, poverty, gender and spirituality, the author, when her mother is imprisoned for felony arson, discovers her own capacity for self-destruction and eventually pieces together the truth.
- Say More: Lessons from Work, the White House, and the World**
-Psaki, Jen
Sharing her journey to the Briefing Room and beyond, a former White House Press Secretary, current MSNBC host and one of the most prominent voices in American politics today explains her straightforward approach to communication and offers unique yet universal advice about how to be a more effective communicator in any situation.
- You Never Know: A Memoir**
-Selleck, Tom
An American icon and famed actor bring us on his uncharted but serendipitous journey to the top in Hollywood, clearing up misconceptions; sharing dozens of never-before-told stories from both his personal and professional lives; and offering a truly fresh perspective on a changing industry and a changing world.

CHRISTIAN/INSPIRATIONAL FICTION

By Evening's Light

-Gould, Leslie

Heartbroken after a failed relationship, Treva Zimmerman returns to Lancaster County to visit her Amish relatives before leaving her Plain past behind her for good. While caring for her elderly Aunt Rosene, Treva finds inspiration in her aunt's story of a dramatic trip to Cold War Germany--but is it enough to change her plan?

Letters from My Sister

-Luesse, Valerie Fraser

Two Sisters. One Single Event. A Family Changed Forever. At the turn of the twentieth century, sisters Emmy and Callie Bullock are living a privileged life as the only daughters of a wealthy Alabama cotton farmer when their well-ordered household gets turned upside down by the arrival of Lily McGee.

Of Love and Treason

-Ogle, Jamie

Valentine defies the emperor and becomes a hero . . . and the most wanted man in the empire. Compelled by his faith, he has nothing to lose, until a chance encounter with the daughter of a Roman jailor changes everything. Rome, AD 270.

Until Then

-Woodsmall, Cindy

Vin is saved by the kindness of strangers and gradually learns to survive and even to use his skills to help his new friends in this unfamiliar time and place. But all the while he prays desperately for God to return him to his family, before Celeste makes a new life without him.

FANTASY & SCI-FI

Black Shield Maiden

-Smith, Willow & Hendel, Jess

Yafeu, an African warrior stolen from her home in the Ghanaian Empire, ignites a revolution in the frozen north of the Vikings and forges an unlikely friendship with a timid princess as the pair fight to control their destinies.

Five Broken Blades

-Corland, Mai

The five most dangerous liars in the kingdom have been mysteriously summoned to work together to kill the God King Joon, who unfairly imprisons, ruins or sells the poor and innocent while the nobles flourish.

I'm Afraid You've Got Dragons

-Beagle, Peter S.

Unhappily inheriting his late father's job as a dragon catcher/exterminator, Robert dreams of quitting and becoming a princess valet because he just really likes the dragons in the new novel by the best-selling author of The Last Unicorn.

When Among Crows

-Roth, Veronica

Draws from the deep well of Slavic folklore and asks if redemption and atonement can be found in embracing what we most fear.

GENERAL FICTION

Every Time We Say Goodbye

-Jenner, Natalie

With her future in 1955 London not looking bright, at the suggestion of her friend, Peggy Guggenheim, Vivien Lowry takes a job as a script doctor on a major film shooting in Rome's Cinecitta Studios.

The Guncle Abroad, No. 2

-Rowley, Steven

With his brother getting remarried in Italy, Patrick takes his niece and nephew back under his wing, and as they travel through Europe, he tries his best to help them understand love, while dealing with a groom with cold feet, his over-flirtatious sister and other disasters.

GENERAL FICTION (CONTINUED)

- Land of No Regrets**
-Muktadir, Sadi
Determined to break free from Al Haque Islamic Academy, four classmates stumble upon the diary of a student who lived on the grounds when it was an all-girls Catholic school, which inspires them to hatch a plot to escape, hurtling them down a path that changes their lives forever.
- Long Island**
-Toibin, Colm
In 1976 Lindenhurst, Long Island, Ellis Lacey, an Irishwoman in her 40s with no one to rely on in this still-new country, discovers her husband got a woman pregnant and the woman's husband refuses to raise it, forcing Ellis to decide what she will do and not do in this unexpected situation.
- The Ministry of Time**
-Bradley, Kalliane
A time travel romance, a spy thriller, and an ingenious exploration of the nature of power and the potential for love to change it all.
- The Summer Swap**
-Morgan, Sarah
A recent widow's plan to spend the summer in Cape Cod hiding from her interfering family is upended when she discovers her beach house has an unexpected guest, and the secret she's been keeping about her marriage threatens to be exposed.
- This Strange Eventful History**
-Messud, Claire
Inspired in part by long-ago stories from her own family's history, Claire Messud animates her characters' rich interior lives amid the social and political upheaval of the recent past. As profoundly intimate as it is expansive, This Strange Eventful History is "a tour de force...one of those rare novels that a reader doesn't merely read but lives through with the characters"

HISTORICAL FICTION

- Butcher**
-Oates, Joyce Carol
A disgraced doctor's quest for surgical renown in 19th-century America leads him down a horrifying path of experimentation on marginalized women at a New Jersey asylum, until his obsession with a young Irish indentured servant brings about his ultimate destruction.
- The Lost Letters from Martha's Vineyard**
-Callahan, Michael
A novel about two women bound by blood but divided by a long-buried secret and about the island that holds the key to the fateful summer that changed everything forever.
- The Shadow of War: A Novel of the Cuban Missile Crisis**
-Shaara, Jeff
From a best-selling author comes the story of rising conflict between the super-powers that gripped the world, a global war that almost happened: The Cuban Missile Crisis.
- The Stolen Child**
-Hood, Ann
An unlikely duo ventures through France and Italy to solve the mystery of a child's fate.

MYSTERY & DETECTIVE

- Disturbing the Dead, No. 3 (Rip Through Time Novels)**
-Armstrong, Kelley
A modern-day homicide detective trapped in the body of an 1860s housemaid investigates when the body discovered in an unwrapped mummy is not very old, in the third novel of the series following The Poisoner's Ring.

MYSTERY & DETECTIVE (CONTINUED)

- Every Time I Go on Vacation, Someone Dies**
-Mack, Catherine
Best-selling author Eleanor Dash's Italian book tour turns into a real-life murder mystery as her life starts to imitate her fictional world.
- First Frost, No. 20 (Longmire Mysteries)**
-Johnson, Craig
Sheriff Walt Longmire tries to manage his increasingly complicated personal life while staving off the violent underworld that is encroaching on the Old West in the twentieth novel of the series following *The Longmire Defense*.
- The Hunter's Daughter**
-Solvinic, Nicola
A decorated sheriff's lieutenant serving a rural county, Anna Koray, who is secretly the daughter of a notorious serial killer, finds her suppressed memories returning when a new serial killer emerges, copying her father, and must use her father's tricks to stop him before everything she's built for herself is destroyed.
- Lights, Camera, Bones**
-Haines, Carolyn
When the heir to a wealthy and influential political family in Greenville, MS, goes missing while filming his family's heroic efforts during the 1927 flood, Sarah Booth and Tinkie, when a severed foot is found, must discover if this is a freak bull shark attack or a killer with a bite.
- Locked in Pursuit**
-Weaver, Ashley
Working once again with her handler in the British government, safecracker Ellie McDonnell, as a rash of burglaries plague London and an unknown object arrives by a mysterious courier, must beat the thieves at their own game as WWII looms over the city.

NONFICTION

- Challenger: A True Story of Heroism and Disaster on the Edge of Space**
-Higginbotham, Adam
Based on fascinating new archival research and deep reporting, this gripping and riveting narrative provides the definitive story of the 1986 Challenger disaster and how it led to America changing its view of itself.
- The Everything War: Amazon's Ruthless Quest to Own the World and Remake Corporate Power**
-Mattioli, Dana
From veteran Amazon reporter for *The Wall Street Journal* comes an untold, devastating exposé of Amazon's endless strategic greed, from destroying Main Street to remaking corporate power, in pursuit of total domination, by any means necessary.
- Fighting the Night: Iwo Jima, World War II, and a Flyer's Life**
-Hendrickson, Paul
The acclaimed best-selling author of Hemingway's *Boat* tells an intense and powerful story of violence, love, forgiveness and loss through the story of his own father's experiences as a night fighter pilot in World War II.
- Game Plan: A Proven Approach to Work, Live, and Play at the Highest Level Possible—for as Long as Possible**
-Mancias, Mike
The personal trainer to LeBron James shares his blueprint to attain peak physical and psychological performance through the right combination of nutrition, physical training and recovery with tips on stretching, breathing techniques and the benefits of naps.
- I Curse You with Joy**
-Haddish, Tiffany
The comedian, actress and best-selling author presents a collection of essays chronicling the lessons learned on her journey to superstardom, from the legacy of her childhood trauma to difficulties being a black woman in the entertainment industry.

ROMANCE

Evergreen Christmas

-Dailey, Janet

A newcomer to Noel, North Carolina, horse breeder Jordyn Banks decides to take on the reigning Christmas tree decorating champ, who happens to be the handsome single dad who lives next door with his adorable little girl.

Mind Games

-Roberts, Nora

With the ability to see into minds and souls, Thea, who brought her parents' killer to justice years ago, discovers the inmate who shattered her childhood has the same ability when she can hear his twisted thoughts and witness his evil acts from miles away as he plots his revenge.

Mistakes We Never Made

-Brown, Hannah

Frenemies Emma and Finn are reunited for a mutual friend's wedding, but when the bride goes missing, they must embark on an adventure-filled road trip in hopes of saving someone else's happily-ever-after but find themselves crossing more than just state lines as old feelings spark once more.

Summers at the Saint

-Andrews, Mary Kay

The widowed owner of the St. Cecelia, a landmark hotel, Traci Eddings has one summer season to restore it to its former glory, but when a tragic death changes everything, she must put wrongs to right, put guilty parties in their place and maybe even find a new romance along the way.

SUSPENSE/THRILLER

The 24th Hour, No. 24 {(Women's Murder Club)}

-Patterson, James & Paetro, Maxine

While celebrating Cindy's engagement at one of San Francisco's finest restaurants, a woman is assaulted and Lindsay, Claire and Yuki spring into action, but when the victim's story keeps changing, Lindsay must expose a high-society killer before the Women's Murder Club is short a bridesmaid...or two.

Camino Ghosts, No. 3

-Grisham, John

Bay Books shop owner Bruce Cable is reunited again with best-selling author Mercer Mann to solve another murder on Camino Island, Florida in the third novel of the series following Camino Winds.

Clive Cussler's The Heist, No. 14 (Isaac Bell Adventures)

-Du Brul, Jack

Detective Isaac Bell investigates an attack on the Federal Reserve being led by a master thief and his assassin accomplice in 1914 Washington, D.C. in the fourteenth novel of the series following The Sea Wolves.

Death Behind Every Door

-Graham, Heather

Posing as a tourist, an FBI special agent visits a Scottish castle that's been turned into a bed and breakfast to infiltrate a society of twisted killers named after the man believed to be America's first serial killer.

I Will Ruin You

-Barclay, Linwood

A teacher's act of heroism inadvertently makes him the target of a dangerous blackmailer who will stop at nothing to get what he wants.

Red Sky Mourning

-Carr, Jack

When three seemingly disconnected events are about to ignite a power grab unlike anything the world has seen, Navy SEAL sniper James Reece, to save America, must reconnect to a quantum computer called "Alice" who is positioned to act as either the county's greatest savior or its worst enemy.

Southern Man

-Iles, Greg

A man—and a town—are rocked by anarchy and tragedy, but he's unbowed in the fight to save those he loves.

SUSPENSE/THRILLER (CONTINUED)

You Like it Darker

-King, Stephen

Delving into the darker part of life—both metaphorical and literal, the legendary storyteller and expert in short fiction presents this exhilarating collection of 12 tales, many never-before-published, about fate, mortality, luck and the folds in reality where anything can happen.

CD AUDIOBOOKS

Broadway Butterfly

-DiVello, Sara

From Broadway's glittering lights to its sordid underbelly to the machinations of the country's most powerful men, Julia embarks on a quest for justice. What she discovers, twist after breathtaking twist, might be even more nefarious than murder.

Kingdom of Love

-Peterson, Tracie

Three unique historical novels, rereleased for longtime and new fans alike. Liberty and love—even life itself—are fragile commodities for those living in medieval England. Will God's love and power triumph in the lives of three courageous women? Find out in soul-searing historical novels of romance and suspense!

Toxic Prey, No. 34 (Prey)

-Sandford, John

When a renowned expert in infectious diseases disappears without a trace, Letty Davenport, with the world on high alert, calls in her father, Lucas, to locate him, and when their worst fears are confirmed, they must race against time to stop the virus he created from becoming the perfect weapon.

PLAYAWAY AUDIOBOOKS

Mind Games

-Roberts, Nora

Over time, Thea will make friends, build a career, find love. But that ability to see into minds and souls still lurks within her, and though Grammie calls it a gift, it feels more like a curse—because the inmate who shattered her childhood has the same ability.

The One and Only Family

-Applegate, Katherine

In the tradition of timeless classics like *Charlotte's Web* and *Stuart Little*, the one and only Katherine Applegate has crafted a poignant, delightful, heartbreaking, unforgettable final foray into the world of Ivan, the world's favorite silverback.

Pay Dirt

-Paretsky, Sara

Legendary detective V.I. Warshawski uncovers a mystery with roots dating back to the Civil War in this edge-of-your-seat thriller from New York Times bestseller Sara Paretsky.

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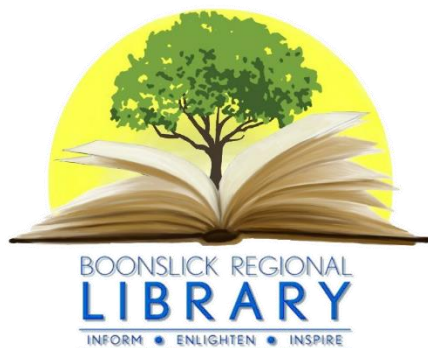
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