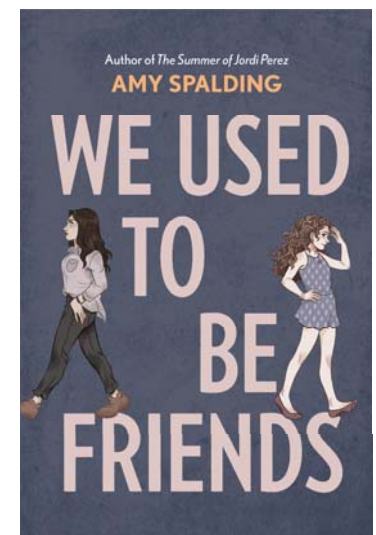
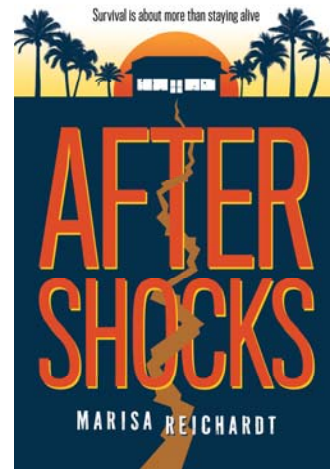
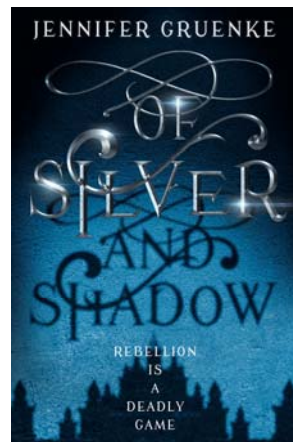
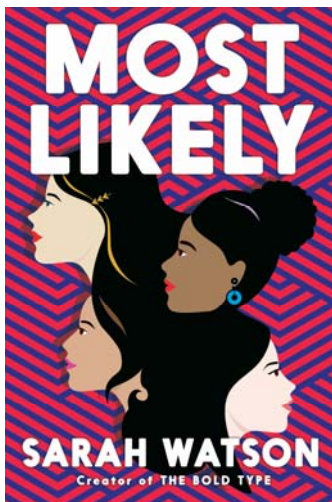
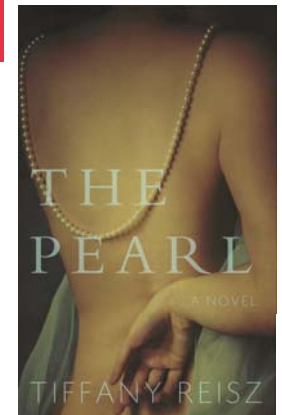
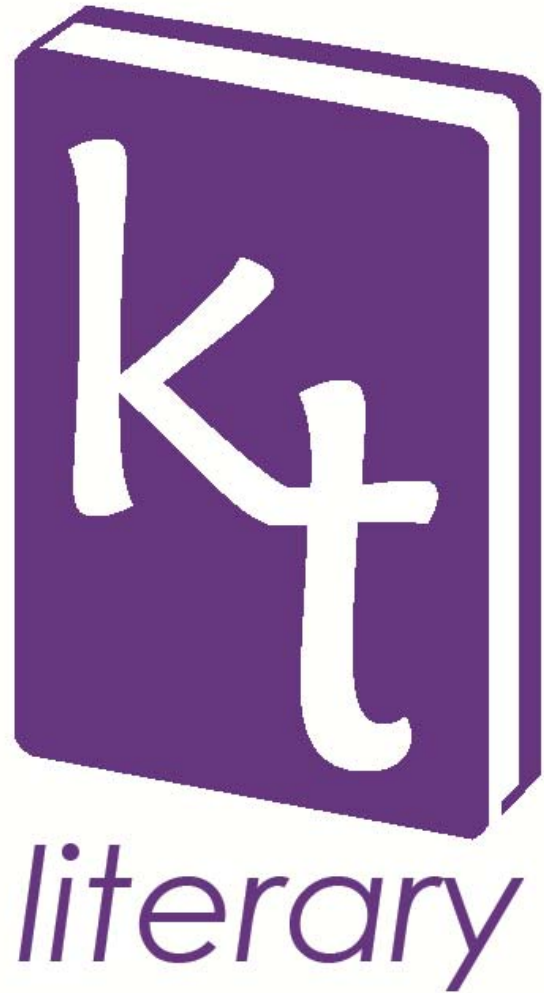


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# Adult Books

Fall 2020





## Demon King (*Claimed By Lucifer #1*)

by Elizabeth Briggs

Self-published; October 2020

*I made a deal with the devil. Now he's claimed me as his mate.*

When my best friend goes missing in Las Vegas, there's only one man I can turn to for help: Lucas Ifer. Billionaire playboy. CEO of Abaddon Inc. King of Sin City. And...the devil himself?

Lucas—aka Lucifer—agrees to help me, but in exchange he wants one thing: me. He's dark, dangerous, and wickedly handsome. Oh, and evil incarnate. I should say no, but I can't. I'm that desperate.

But when you make a deal with the devil, there's no escaping it. Now he owns my body for seven nights of sin. Even worse, he owns my soul for all eternity.

I'm Persephone being claimed by Hades, and I have no choice but to enter his underworld and become his dark queen.

Is there any light left in that black heart? Or will his darkness consume me?

*Demon King is a sinfully sexy retelling of Hades and Persephone with a Lucifer twist, perfect for fans of Jennifer Armentrout, Sarah J. Maas, Laura Thalassa, and Amelia Hutchins.*

Elizabeth Briggs is a full-time geek who writes books for teens and adults. She graduated from UCLA with a degree in Sociology, currently mentors teens in writing, and volunteers with a dog rescue group. She's also the author of the young adult *New York Times* bestselling FUTURE SHOCK series. Elizabeth lives in Los Angeles with her husband and a pack of fluffy dogs.



Romance  
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Audio Rights: Audible  
Dramatic Rights: Mary Pender at UTA  
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**SERAPHIM ACADEMY series:**

*Wicked Wings, Sinful Things, and Fallen Kings*  
by Elizabeth Briggs

Self-published; December 2019, April 2020, June 2020

We rescued my brother. We fought the secret society. We tried to stop them. We lost.

Now they have an object so powerful it could destroy everything, but this little succubus is coming for them.

I'll do whatever it takes to bring the secret society down, and this time I've got help. My angelic princes. My fallen professor. My brother. My friends. We won't stop until they're defeated. Even if it means going up against the Archangels themselves. They may be ancient and powerful, but we've got tricks of our own too.

I just need to convince my four lovers to get along first. Easier said than done, especially when none of us knows who to trust, and dark secrets emerge from the past.

But I'll have to be careful, because if we fail? It'll be the start of a new war between angels and demons – and I'll be caught in the middle.

*Join Olivia for her final year at Seraphim Academy!*

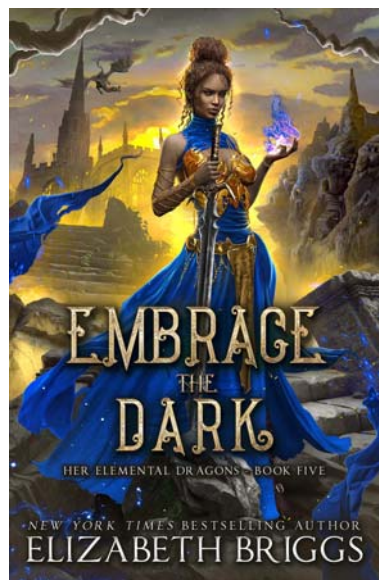
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**THE HOURGLASS THRONE**  
**Book #3 in the Tarot Sequence**  
**by K.D. Edwards**

**Pyr Books/ Spring 2021**

*"If you are a fan of D & D, or any other type of role-playing game of that nature, then you will love these books...Probably the best books I've ever read!" – Two Gay Geeks*

*"Intriguing characters, a fast-paced mystery, and an original magical hierarchy will immediately hook readers." – Library Journal, starred review of THE LAST SUN*

**#1 in LGBTQ Fantasy Fiction**  
**WINNER BookBub Best Fantasy 2018**

Coming in 2021...THE HOURGLASS THRONE is Book #3 in this epic Tarot and Atlantis-inspired queer urban fantasy series about the heir to a lost throne who must navigate a cutthroat society with a ragtag band of allies.

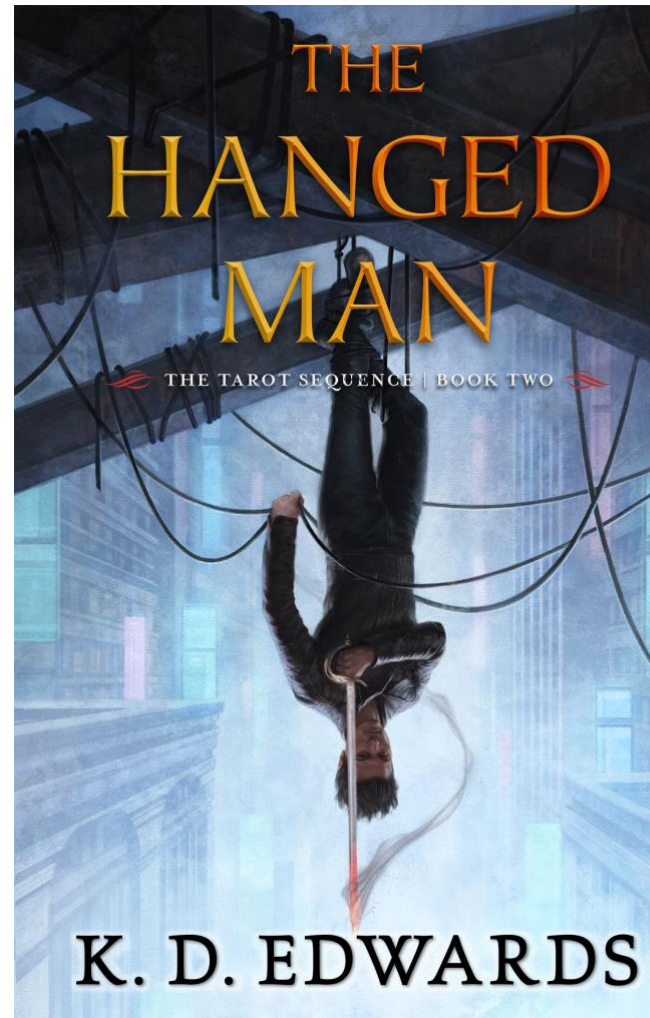
K.D. Edwards lives and writes in North Carolina, but has spent time in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Montana and Washington. (Common theme: Snow. So, so much snow.) Mercifully short careers in food service, interactive television, corporate banking and bariatric furniture has led to a much less short career in Higher Education.

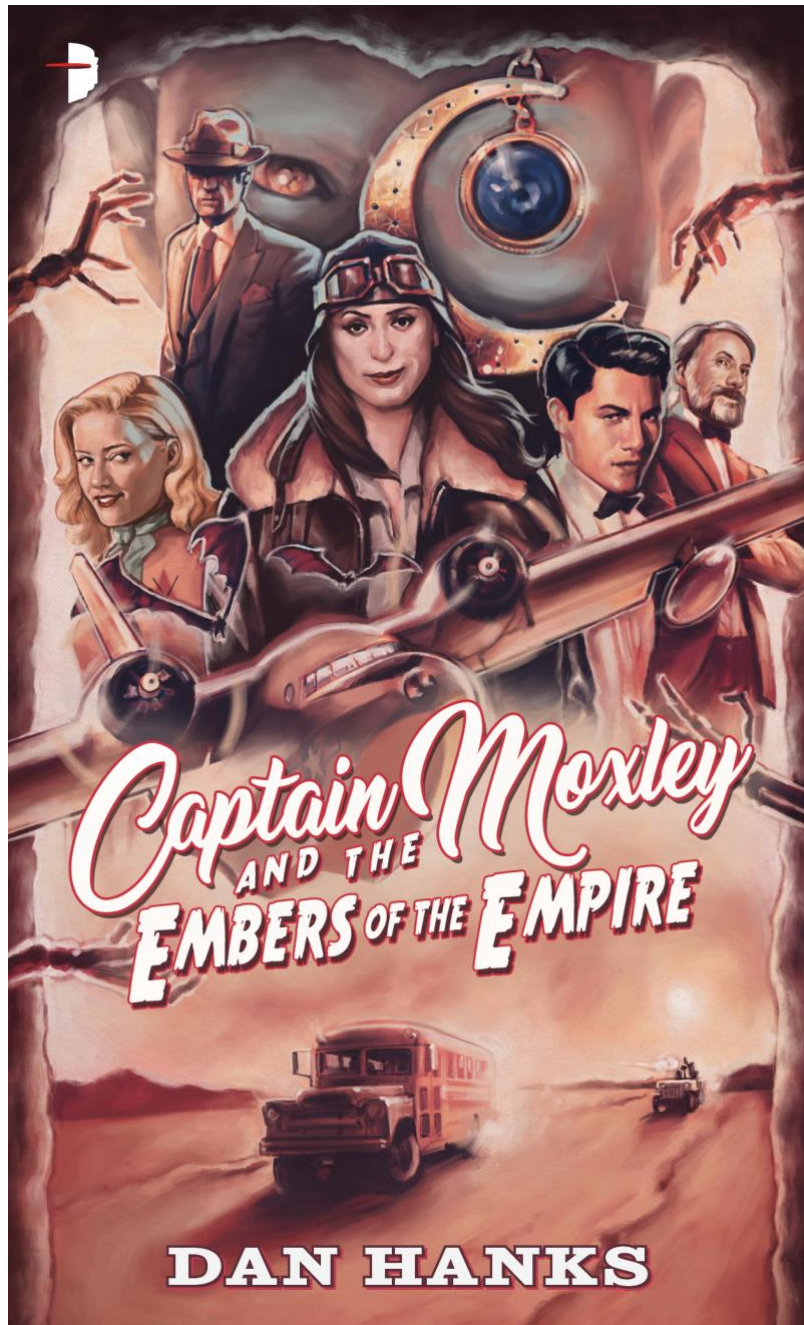


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## CAPTAIN MOXLEY AND THE EMBERS OF THE EMPIRE

by Dan Hanks

Angry Robot, October 6, 2020

*A "pulpy, energetic debut with gritty violence, snazzy super-science, and high-flying adventure...fans are sure to enjoy" - Publishers Weekly*

In post-war 1952, the good guys are supposed to have won. But not everything is as it seems when ex-Spitfire pilot Captain Samantha Moxley is dragged into a fight against the shadowy US government agency she used to work for.

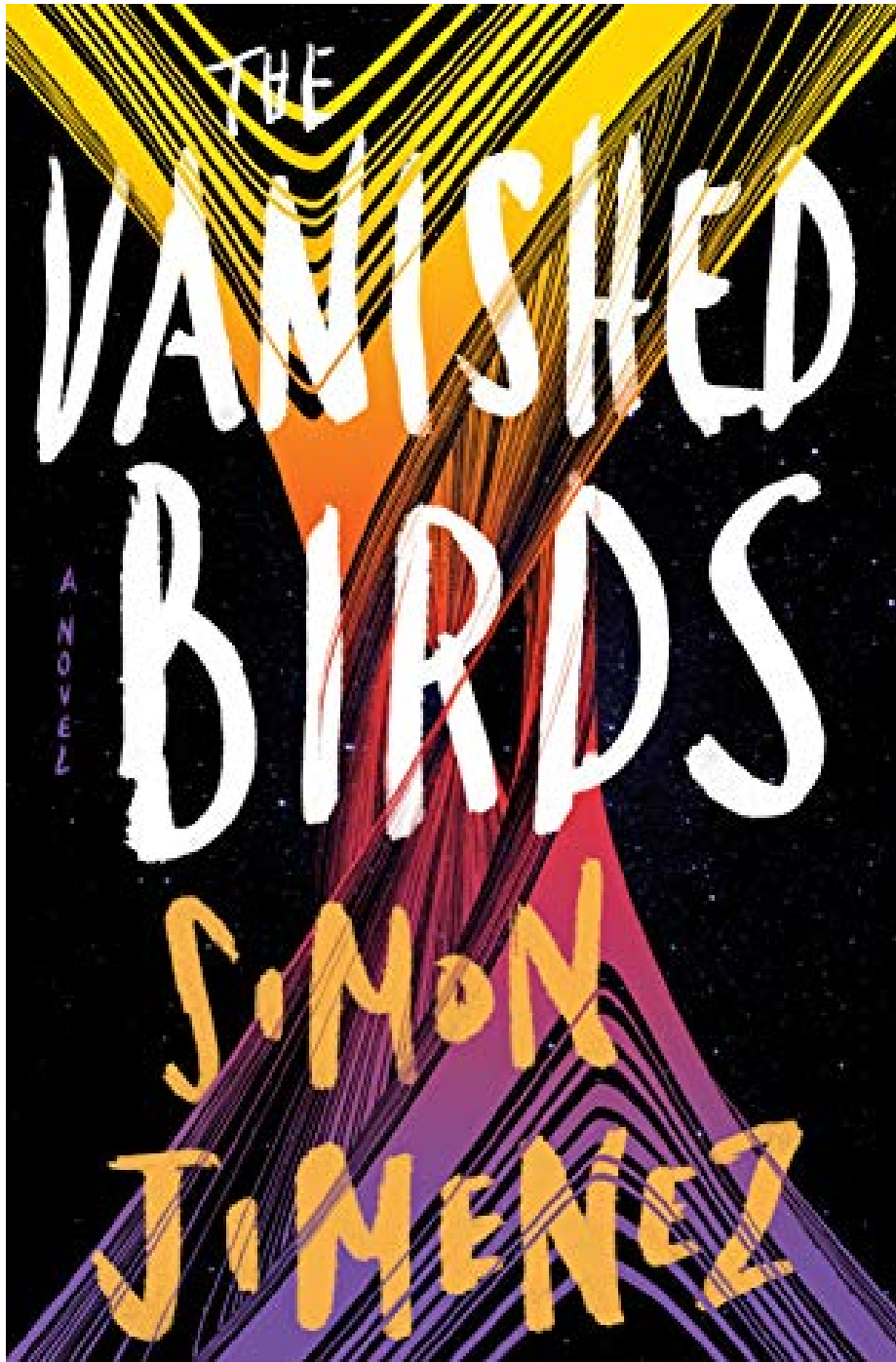
Now, with former Nazis and otherworldly monsters on her trail, Captain Moxley is forced into protecting her archaeologist sister in a race to retrieve two ancient keys that will unlock the secrets of a long-lost empire - to ensure a civilisation-destroying weapon doesn't fall into the wrong hands. But what will she have to sacrifice to save the world.

Dan is a writer and editor based in the UK. He co-founded the OctBR challenge and was a former fantasy reviewer at Fantasy Faction.



Adult Fantasy  
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Translation Rights: KT Literary  
Audio Rights: Sold to Recorded Books  
Dramatic Rights: KT Literary  
Manuscript Available





## THE VANISHED BIRDS

by Simon Jimenez

Del Rey, January 2020

A “highly imaginative and utterly exhilarating” (Thrillist) debut that is “the best of what science fiction can be: a thought-provoking, heartrending story about the choices that define our lives” (Kirkus Reviews, starred review).

A mysterious child lands in the care of a solitary woman, changing both of their lives forever.

A ship captain, unfettered from time. A mute child, burdened with unimaginable power. A millennia-old woman, haunted by lifetimes of mistakes. In this captivating debut of connection across space and time, these outsiders will find in each other the things they lack: a place of love and belonging. A safe haven. A new beginning.

But the past hungers for them, and when it catches up, it threatens to tear this makeshift family apart.

Simon Jimenez completed his MFA in 2018. His short fiction has appeared in Canyon Voices, and 100 Word Story’s anthology of flash fiction, Nothing Short Of.



Literary Science Fiction  
World English Rights Sold  
Translation Rights: KT Literary  
Audio Rights: Penguin Random House  
Dramatic Rights: Steve Fisher, APA Agency  
Books Available

## Praise for *The Vanished Birds*:

“Simon Jimenez’s touching, bold, surprising, gorgeous debut novel—a certain manner of postmodern space opera, despite the fantasy-resonant title—is not only the best debut novel I’ve read in ages, but simply one of the best SF novels in recent memory.”

— *Locus Mag*

“This extraordinary science fiction epic, which delves deep into the perils of failing to learn from one’s mistakes, is perfect for fans of big ideas and intimate reflections.”

— *Publishers Weekly* (starred review)

“This powerful, suspenseful story asks us to consider what we’d sacrifice for progress—or for the ones we love.”

— *Kirkus Reviews* (starred review)

“A lyrical and moving narrative of space travel, found families, and lost loves set against an evocative space-opera background.”

— *Booklist* (starred review)

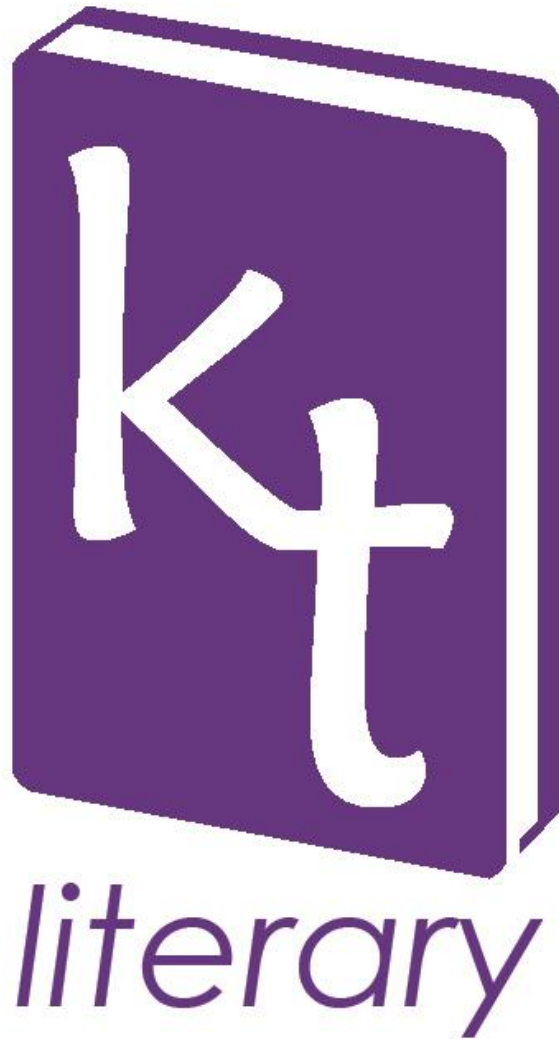
“Reminiscent of Justin Cronin’s *The Passage*, yet the journey itself evokes Bryce Courtenay’s *The Power of One*, creating crossover appeal for readers who enjoy a bit of emotional attachment with their time travel . . . The story takes on a tone and depth that recalls an N.K. Jemisin novel.”

— *Library Journal*

## And coming in Fall 2021:

THE SPEAR CUTS THROUGH WATER is a queer reimagining of Princess Mononoke, about a reluctant warrior on the run with an ancient goddess through a lush world full of wild magic, wondrous creatures, and hidden enemies.





## SERVING SIN

by **Angelina M. Lopez**

Carina Press/ Harlequin HarperCollins, February 2021

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*"Everything fans of sexy contemporary romances could ever crave." – Booklist, starred review on LUSH MONEY*

*"Sinfully delicious!" – Entertainment Weekly on HATE CRUSH*

*Featured in Forbes, Frolic, NPR and Book Riot*

**Powerful, wealthy women who get what they want because they've earned it.**

Book #3 in the Filthy Rich series stars Roman Sheppard, a reluctant warrior-turned-prince who must protect a Mexican heiress he rescued once before when she was a teen.

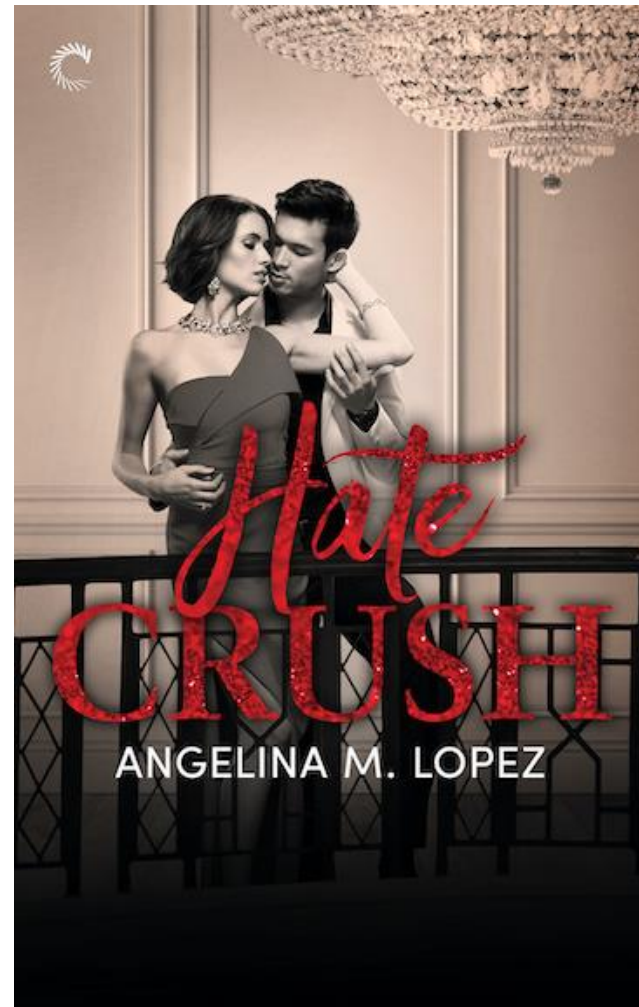
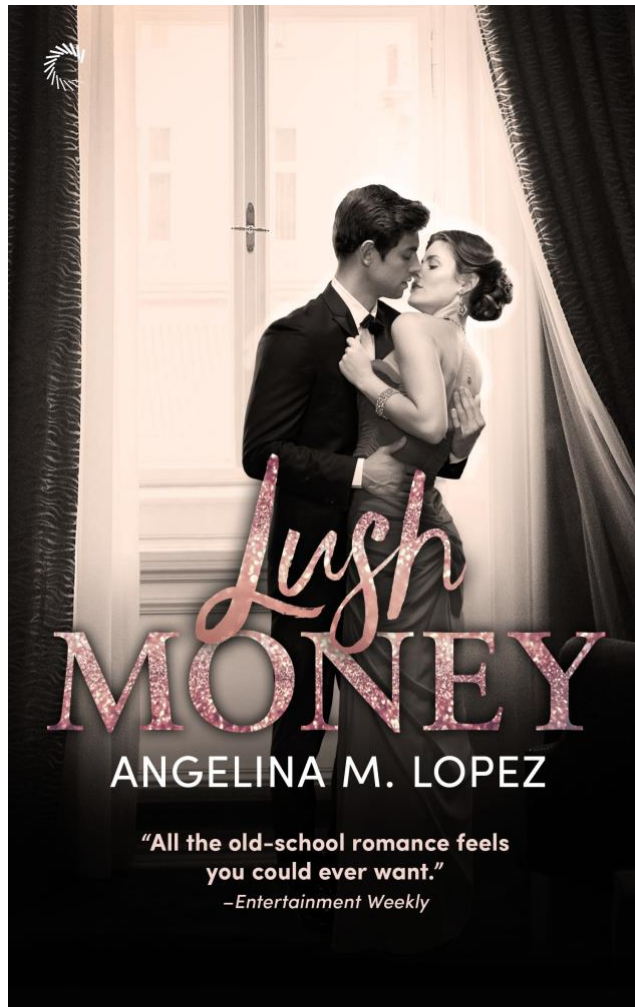
Angelina has been writing professionally her whole life: first as a journalist, then as a freelance magazine writer, and now as a romance author. She writes sexy, contemporary stories about strong women and the confident men lucky to fall in love with them.



Contemporary Romance  
World English Rights Sold  
Translation Rights: KT Literary  
Audio Rights: Dreamscape  
Dramatic Rights: KT Literary  
Manuscript Available

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"Absolutely unputdownable! Roni Loren is a new favorite."

—COLLEEN HOOVER,

#1 New York Times bestseller for *The One You Can't Forget*



New York Times and USA Today Bestselling Author

RONI LOREN

## YES & I LOVE YOU

Book#1 in the brand new Say Anything series  
by Roni Loren

Sourcebooks Casablanca, March 2021

*New York Times and USA Today bestselling author!*

Everyone knows Miz Poppy, the vibrant reviewer whose commentary brightens the New Orleans nightlife. But no one knows Hollyn, the real face behind the media star...or the fear that keeps her isolated. When her boss tells her she needs to add video to her blog or lose her job, she's forced to rely on an unexpected source to help her face her fears.

When aspiring actor Jasper Deares finds out the shy woman who orders coffee every day is actually Miz Poppy, he realizes he has a golden opportunity to get the media attention his acting career needs. All he has to do is help Hollyn come out of her shell...and through their growing connection, finally find her voice.

The first time KT Literary has controlled translation rights for a frontlist Roni Loren series...

### **Rights Sold to Roni's backlog:**

French to City Editions  
Portuguese to 2020 Editora  
Italian to Newton Compton  
Hebrew to Steimatzky Ltd.  
Dutch to Zomer & Keuning  
German to Bastei Lubbe  
Czech rights to MOBA



Contemporary Romance  
World English Rights Sold  
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True love isn't always diplomatic.

The  
New York  
Times  
Bestseller

RED,

WHITE &

ROYAL

BLUE



a novel

CASEY McQUISTON

**RED, WHITE & ROYAL BLUE**

by Casey McQuiston

St. Martins Griffin, May 2019

The instant New York Times bestseller!

*What happens when America's First Son falls in love with the Prince of Wales?*

**Foreign Rights sold:**

Spanish to Editorial Molino

Hungarian to Konyvmolykepzo Kiado

German to Droemer

Portuguese in Brazil to Seguinte/ Comapanhia das Letras

Polish to Proszynski Media Sp. z o.o

Italian to Hope Edizioni

Complex Chinese Character rights in Taiwan to Global Group Holdings

Czech to Euromedia Group

Romanian to CORINT BOOKS SRL

Swedish to Lavender Lit

Russian to ST Licence Agency Ltd

French to Lumen

Dutch to Zomer & Keuning

Turkish to Ephesus

Korean to Sallim Publishing

Danish to Memoris

Japanese to Futami





The feel-good book of the summer. – *Booklist* (starred review)



McQuiston's outstanding debut pivots on an inspired rom-com premise: What if Alex Claremont-Diaz, the half-Mexican son of the first female president of the United States, fell in love with Prince Henry, England's heir? [...] The impossible relationship between Alex and Henry is portrayed with quick wit and clever plotting. The drama, which involves political rivals, possible betrayals, and even a meeting with the queen, is both irresistible and delicious. – *Publishers Weekly* (starred review)



A clever, romantic, sexy love story. – *Kirkus Reviews* (starred review)



McQuiston's debut is an irresistible, hopeful, and sexy romantic comedy that considers real questions about personal and public responsibility. – *Library Journal* (starred review)

**More RED, WHITE & ROYAL BLUE News:**

*New York Times* bestseller  
*USA Today* bestseller  
Indie Next bestseller  
ABA Indie Next Top Pick  
WINNER, YALSA's Alex Award  
WINNER, Best Romance at Entertainment Weekly  
WINNER Audie Award for Best  
Goodreads Choice Award WINNER, Best Romance  
Goodreads Choice Award WINNER, Best Debut

**FILM NEWS!**

"In spirited bidding, Amazon Studios won an auction for the Casey McQuiston novel *Red White & Royal Blue*, an unexpected power couple romance. Ted Malaver is set to adapt. Berlanti Productions will produce."  
- *Deadline Hollywood*

**A BEST BOOK OF 2019**

**OPRAH MAGAZINE** **KIRKUS REVIEWS**  
**POPSUGAR**

**NPR**

**VOGUE**

**BOOKRIOT**

**SHE READS**

**HARPER'S BAZAAR**

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**PUBLISHERS WEEKLY**

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**NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY**



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Casey McQuiston

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF  
RED, WHITE & ROYAL BLUE

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A NOVEL

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Sometimes love  
stops you in your tracks.

STOP

## ONE LAST STOP By Casey McQuiston

St. Martins Griffin, June 1, 2021

"Dreamy, other worldly, smart, swoony, thoughtful, hilarious!" - Jasmine Guillory, *New York Times* bestselling author

Cynical twenty-three-year old August doesn't believe in much. She doesn't believe in psychics, or easily forged friendships, or finding the kind of love they make movies about. And she certainly doesn't believe her ragtag band of new roommates, her night shifts at a 24-hour pancake diner, or her daily subway commute full of electrical outages are going to change that.

But then, there's Jane. Beautiful, impossible Jane.

All hard edges with a soft smile and swoopy hair and saving August's day when she needed it most. The person August looks forward to seeing on her subway commute every day. The one who makes her forget about the cities she lived in that never seemed to fit, and her fear of what happens when she finally graduates, and even her cold-case obsessed mother who won't quite let her go. And when August realizes her subway crush is impossible in more ways than one—namely, displaced in time from the 1970s—she thinks maybe it's time to start believing.

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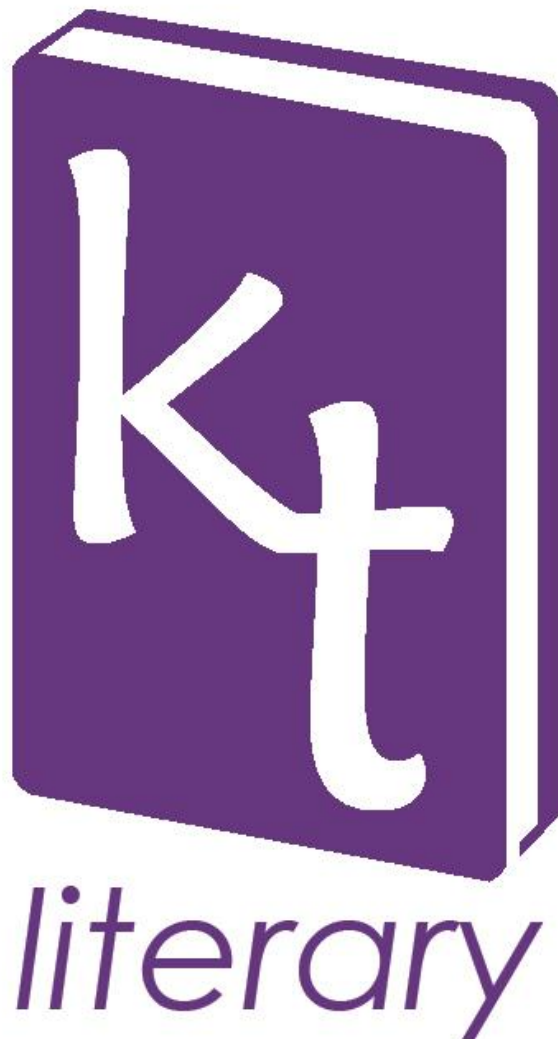
Czech Rights to Euromedia Group

Casey writes stories to make you laugh, to make you feel your feelings, to make the marginalized and queer and weird people of the world feel like there's a place for them in bright, joyful fiction, too.



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**ECHOES OF ASH & TEARS**  
**Novella #3.5 in the Earthsinger Chronicles series**  
**by L. Penelope**

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**Heartspell Media, December 2020**

The third and final novella in this epic fantasy series - Set two years before the events of Song of Blood & Stone (Book #1), this action-packed novella answers the question of what happened to Jasminda's family and sets the stage for the events in Cry of Metal & Bone (Earthsinger Chronicles, Book #3) releasing August 2020 from Macmillan.

*"Wonderful characters, unique setting, and an engaging romance set against the backdrop of ancient magic."--Ilona Andrews, #1 New York Times bestselling author*

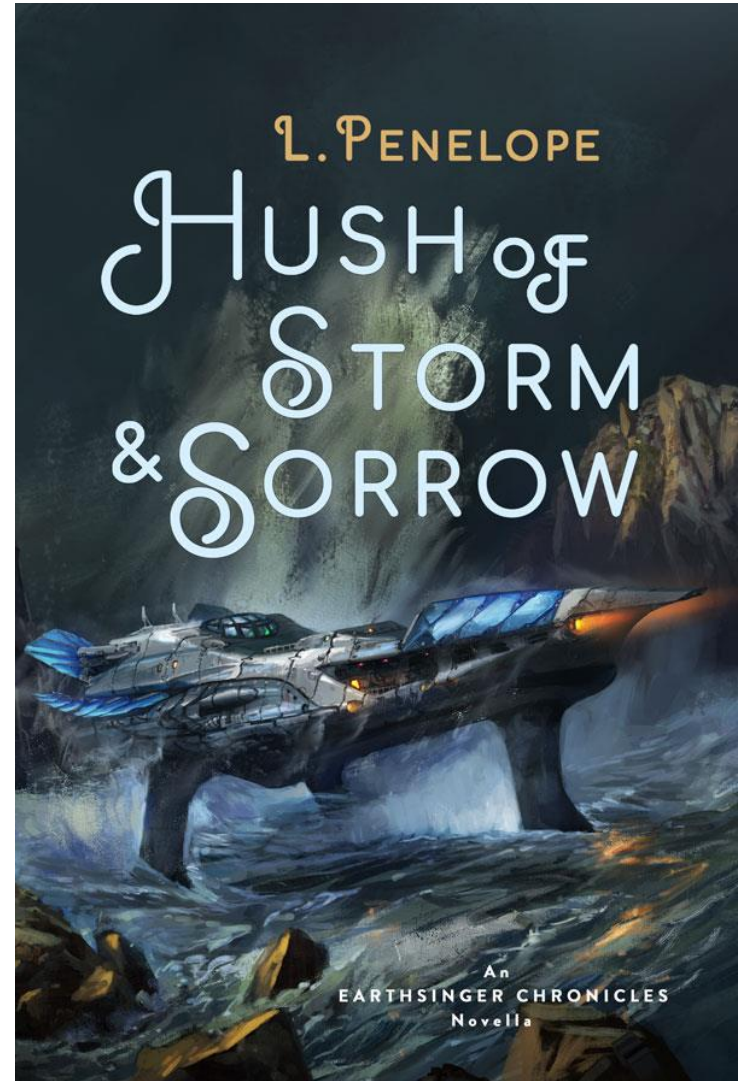
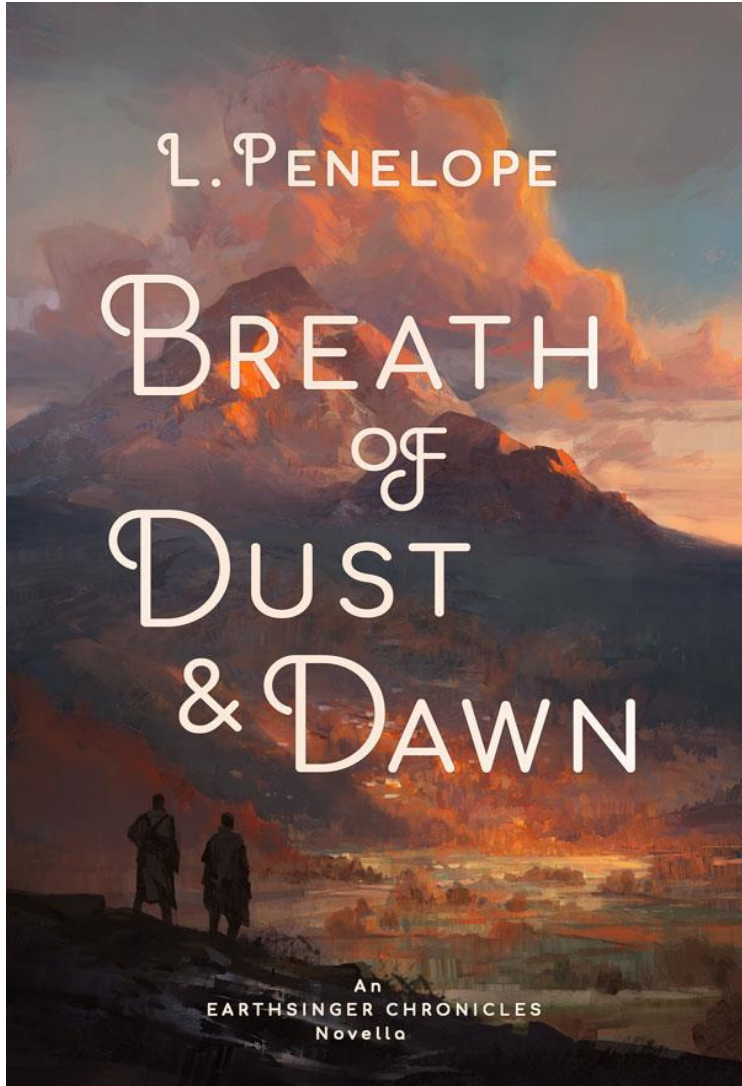
Leslye Penelope was born in the Bronx, just after the birth of hip hop, but left before she could acquire an accent. She's an award-winning independent filmmaker, co-founded a literary magazine.

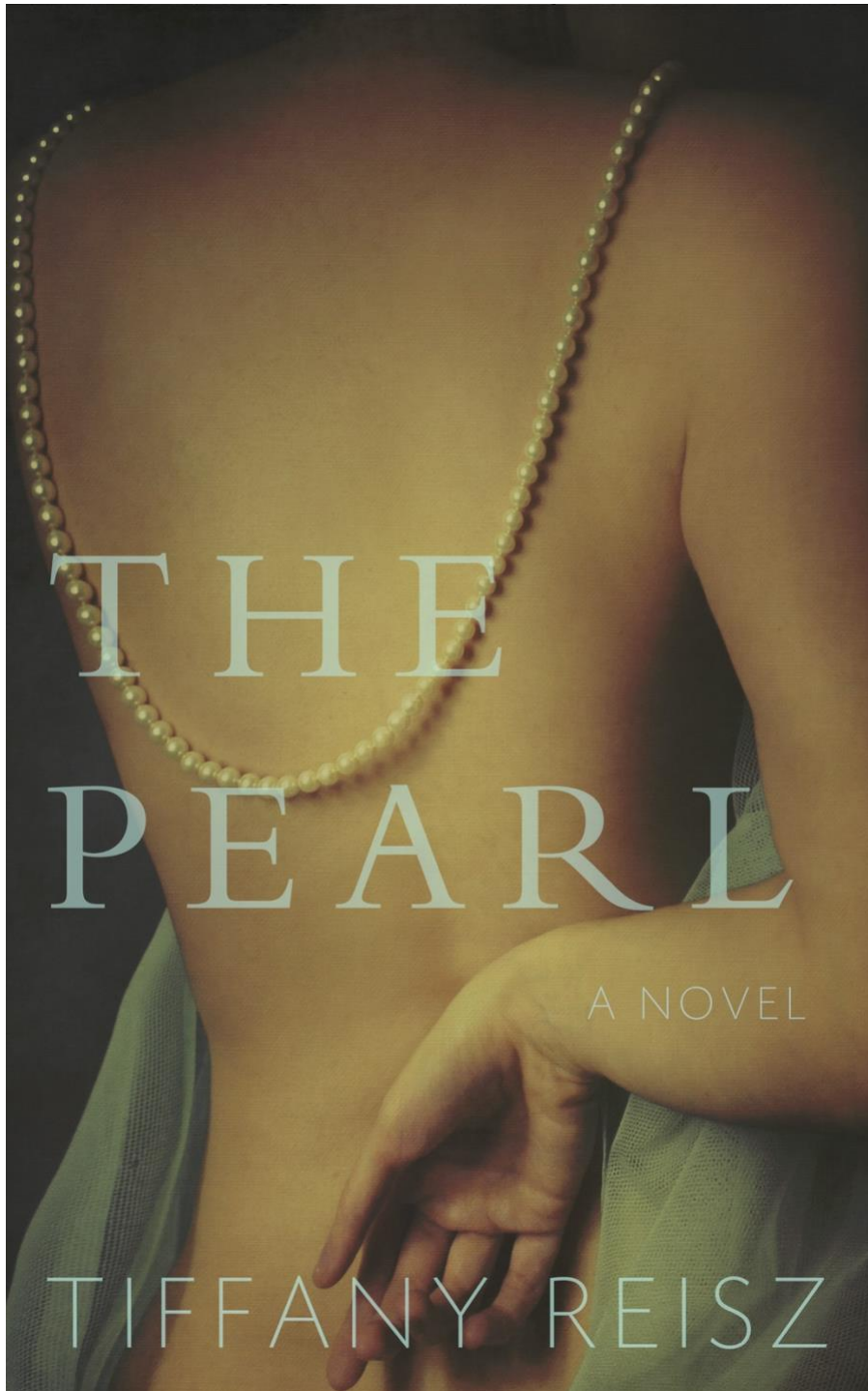


Fantasy Novella  
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Manuscript Available



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## **THE PEARL**

**Book #3 in the Godwicks series**

**by Tiffany Reisz**

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**8th Circle Press, November 2020**

*"This is erotica done right" – Publishers Weekly, starred review*

A new erotic fantasy set in the world of THE RED and THE ROSE.

When Lord Arthur Godwick learns his younger brother is up to his bollocks in debt to Regan Ferry, owner of The Pearl Hotel, he agrees to work off the tab...in her bed. Soon the handsome but troubled Arthur discovers he's a pawn in an erotic game of revenge – and nothing, including his lover, is what it seems.

### **Rights Sold in the series:**

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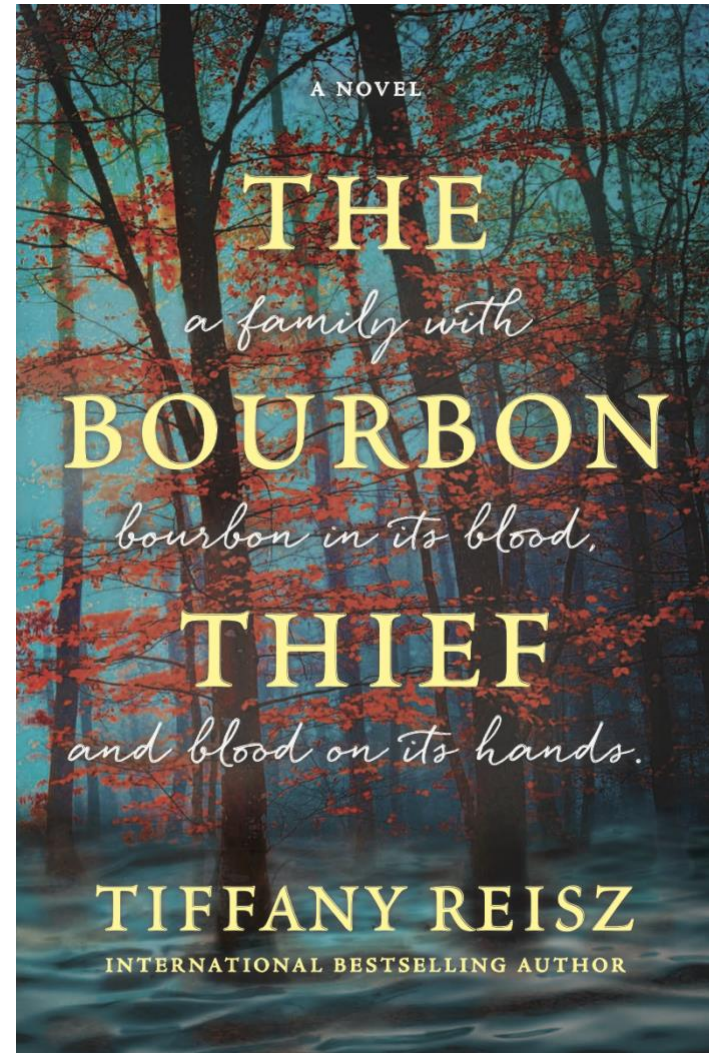
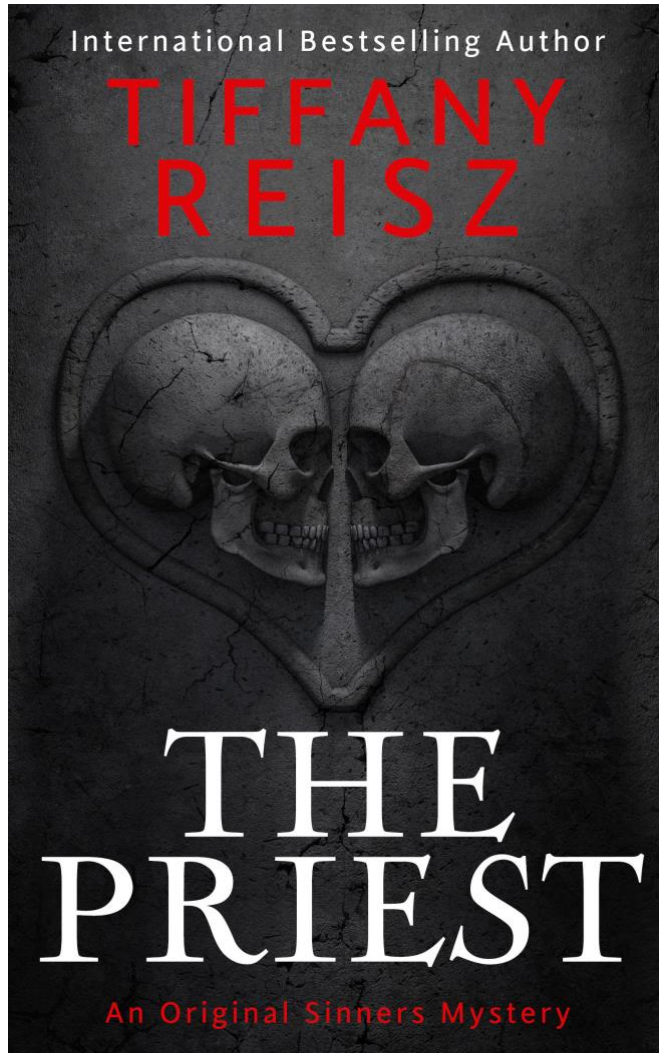
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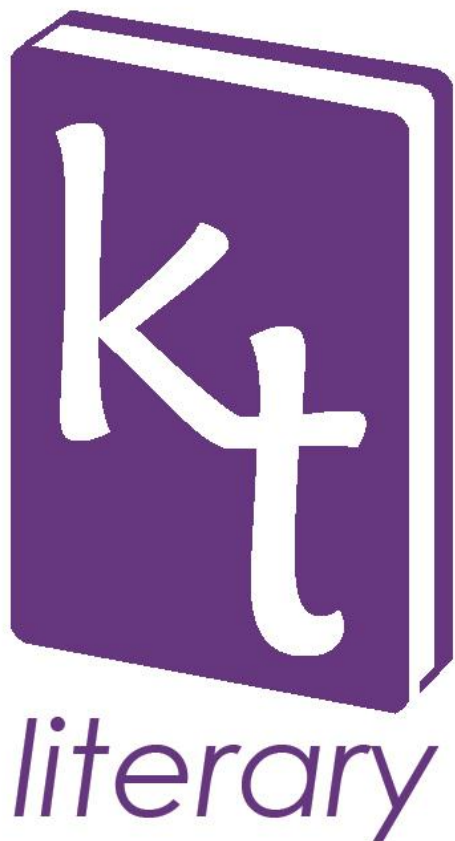


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## SIXTEEN SWORDS

The Final Adventure in the Ascendant Trilogy

by **K Arsenault Rivera**

TOR Books, Winter 2020

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*"Rich, expansive, and grounded in human truth...simply exquisite."* —V. E. Schwab,  
New York Times bestselling author of the *Shades of Magic* series

*"Immense imagination"* – Publishers Weekly, starred review

Indie Next List October 2017 Pick

io9's Best Books Coming in 2017

*The Verge's* SF/F Books to Read in October 2017

*BookRiot's* Most Anticipated Titles of 2017

*Medium's* Most Anticipated Books of 2017

*Bookish's* Fall 2017's Hottest SF/F Books

### Even Gods can be slain...

The epic tale of Qorin warrior, Barsalayaa Shefali and divine warrior empress, O Shizuka starts and ends on the Steppes as Shefalis' famous mother leads Sixteen of her best swordfighters in the ultimate battle for victory.

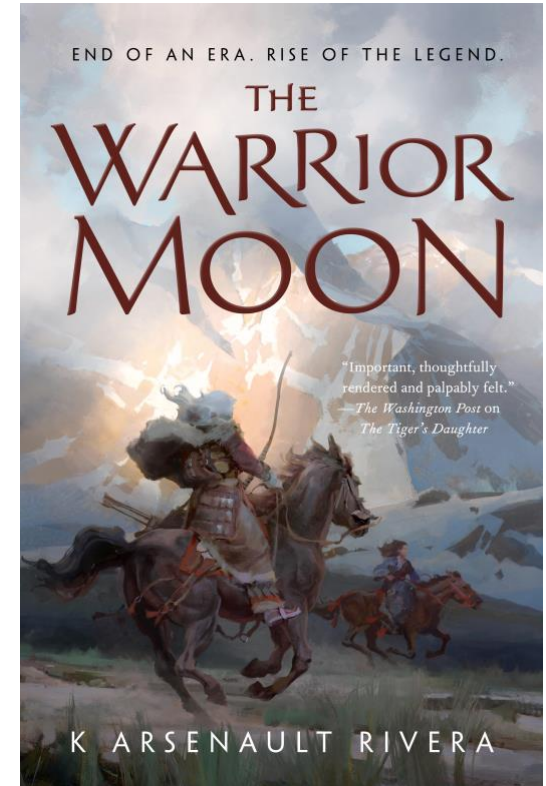
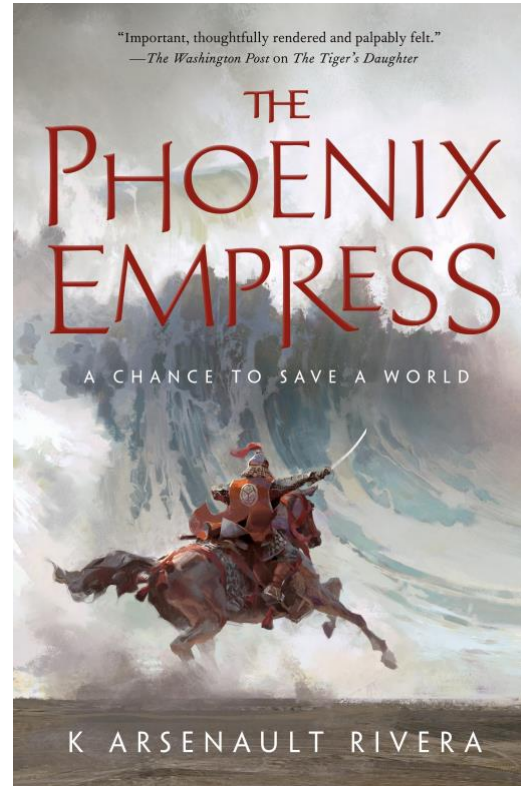
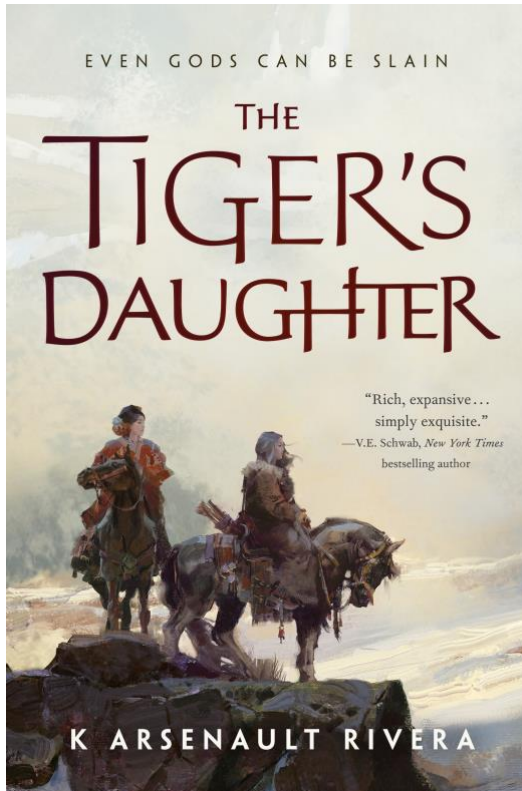
K Arsenault Rivera was born on a tropical island and moved to New York in the middle of a blizzard. She currently lives in Brooklyn with her partner, an unwarranted amount of anime merchandise, and at least two pounds of polyhedral dice.



Epic Fantasy  
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Audio Rights: Sold to Audible  
Dramatic Rights: KT Literary  
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Also Available!







**TO MAKE YOU FEEL MY LOVE**  
**by Maggie Wells**  
**Ethridge Press, May, 2020**

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*"a perfectly paced and gutsy romance that takes the push-pull heat of competitive flirtation to the max." – Publishers Weekly, starred review for LOVE GAME*

Brittany Owens is a legacy musician - her grandparents, her mother, her whole family are in the music business. Against all odds and with a will of iron, she is on the cusp of greatness in her career just as her first love, Cash Dorsett, comes back into her life.

Cash is a musician who experienced success a decade ago and bears the scars of it. He's chosen to dial back on his music career in exchange for his health and Brit is literally the only thing on earth important enough to make him rethink these vows.

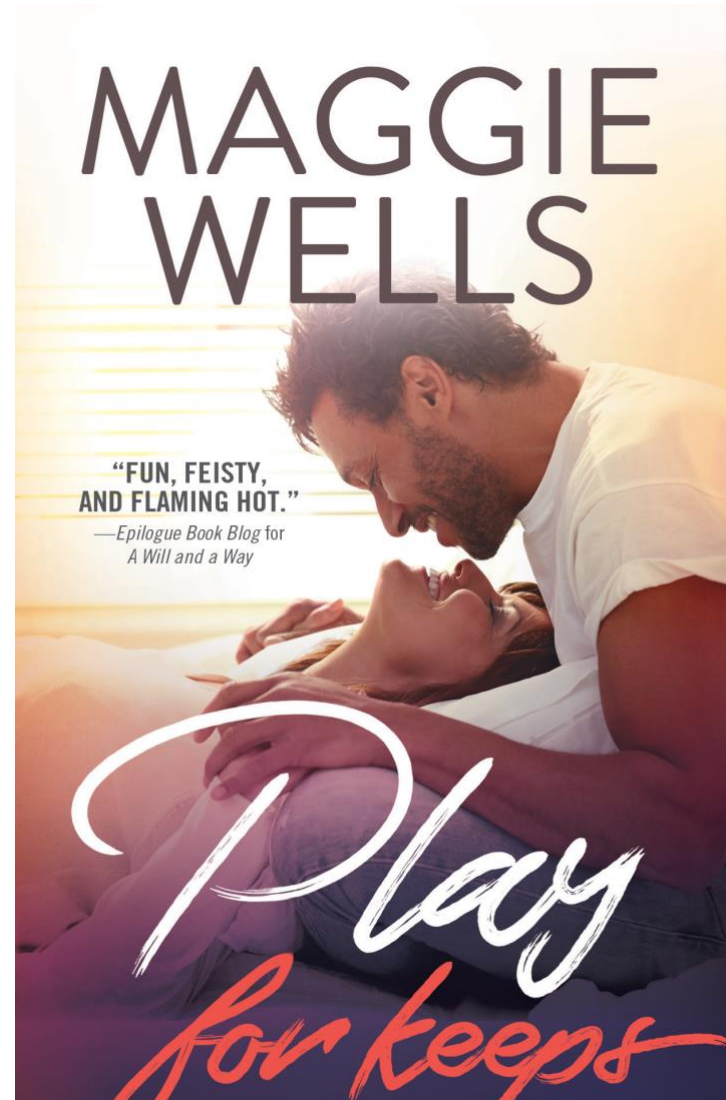
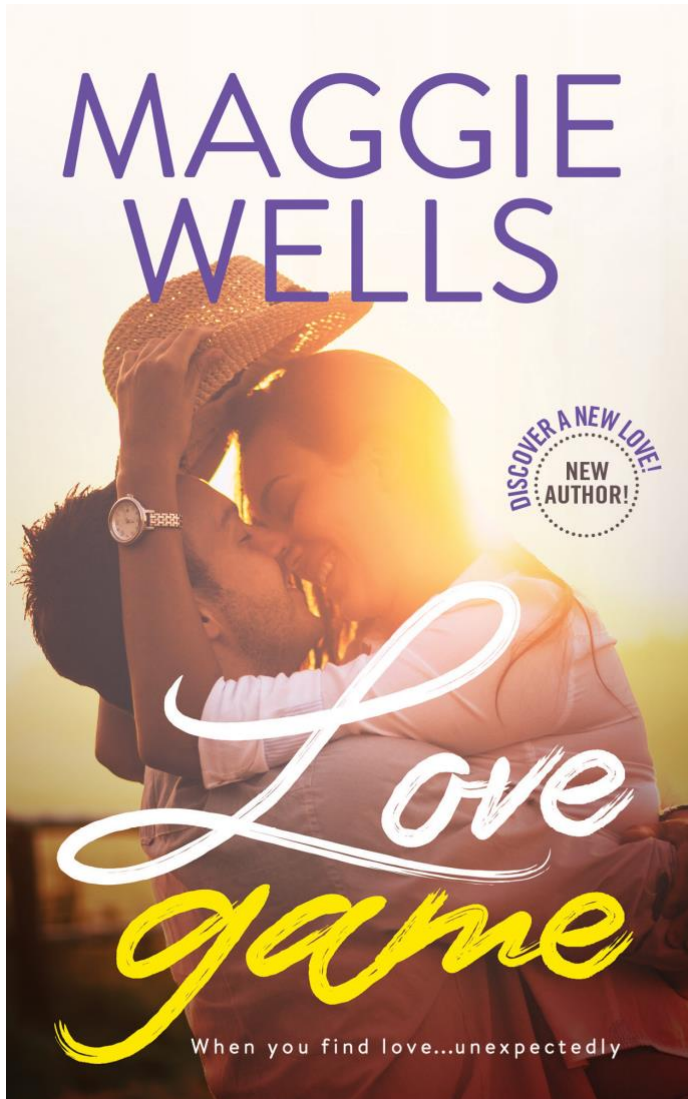
Brit's in the spotlight and that's the last place Cash should be.

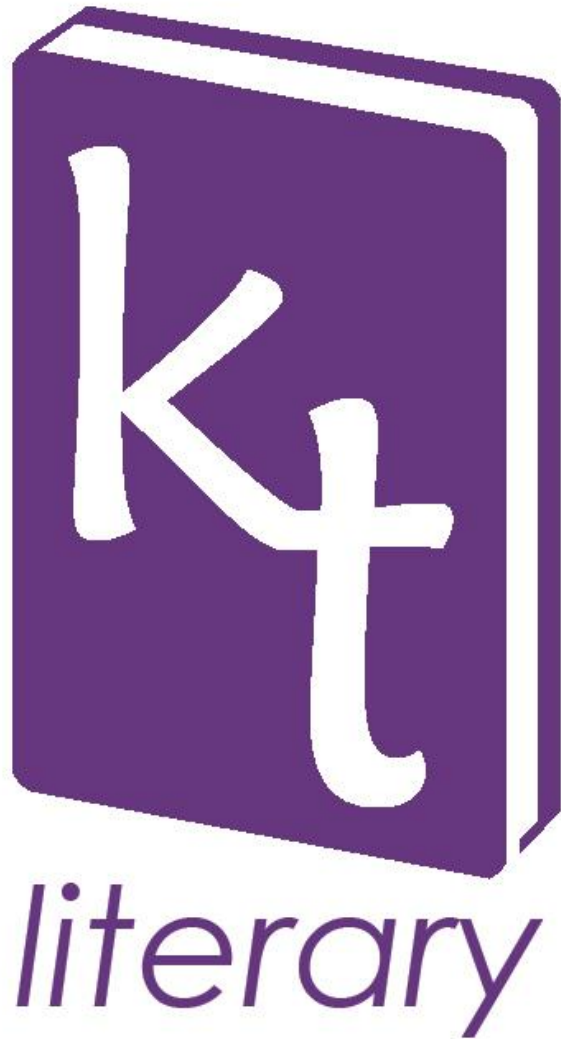
By day, Maggie Wells is buried in spreadsheets. At night she pens tales of people tangling up the sheets. The product of a charming rogue and a shameless flirt, you only have to scratch the surface of this mild-mannered married lady to find a naughty streak a mile wide.



Contemporary Romance  
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## **THE SWEET LIFE**

**by Jamie Wesley**

**St. Martins Press/ Macmillan, early 2022**

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**Sold in a mid-six figure, four-house auction!**

The Football and Cupcakes series...

Professional football players Donovan Dell, August Hodges, and Nicholas Connors are more than just teammates. They're best friends who've turned their mutual love of baking into Sugar Blitz, the newest cupcake shop in San Diego. But running a successful business isn't as easy as it seems. Neither is falling in love.

Jamie holds a Masters Degree in Sports Management from the University of Texas, Austin and has been reading and writing romance novels her whole life.



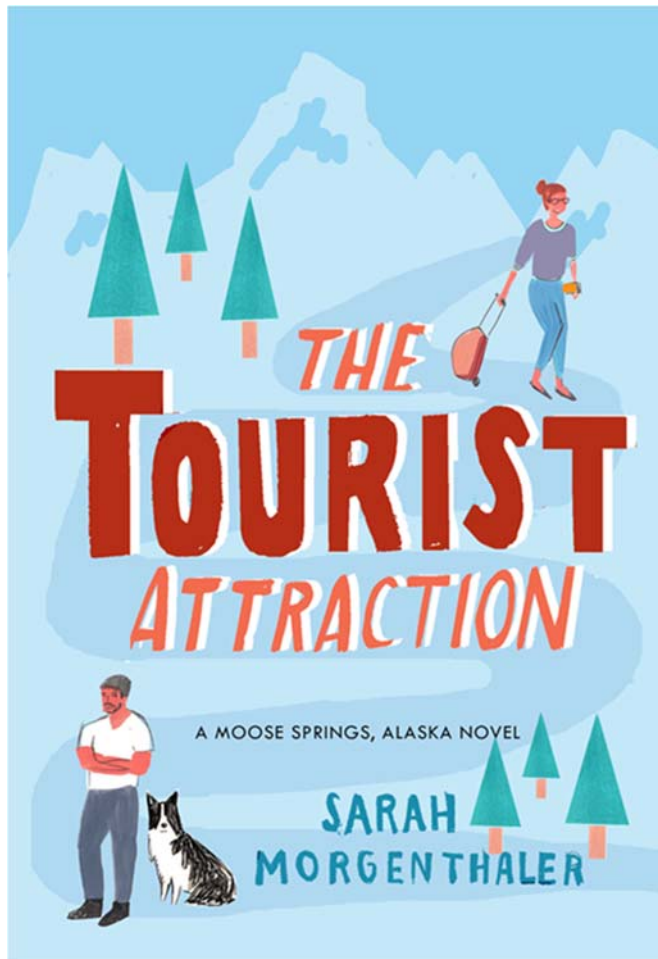
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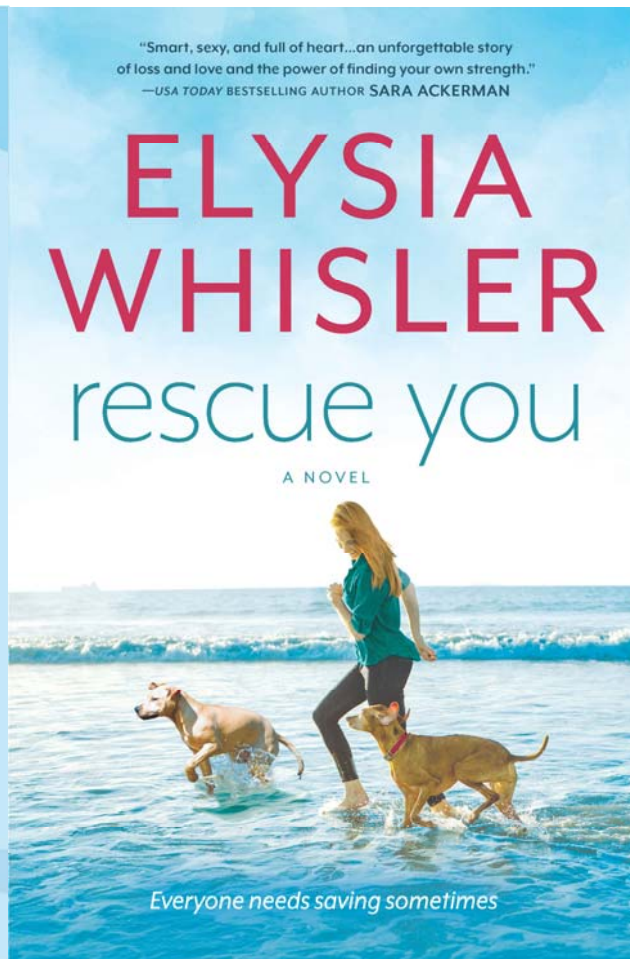


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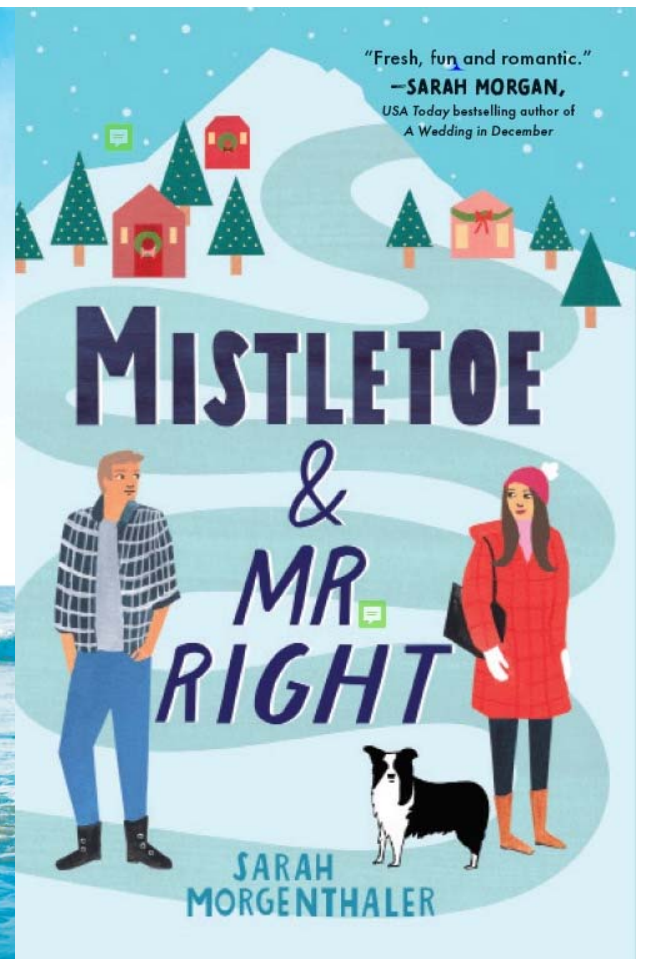
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THE TOURIST ATTRACTION  
by Sarah Morgenthaler  
Sourcebooks, May 2020



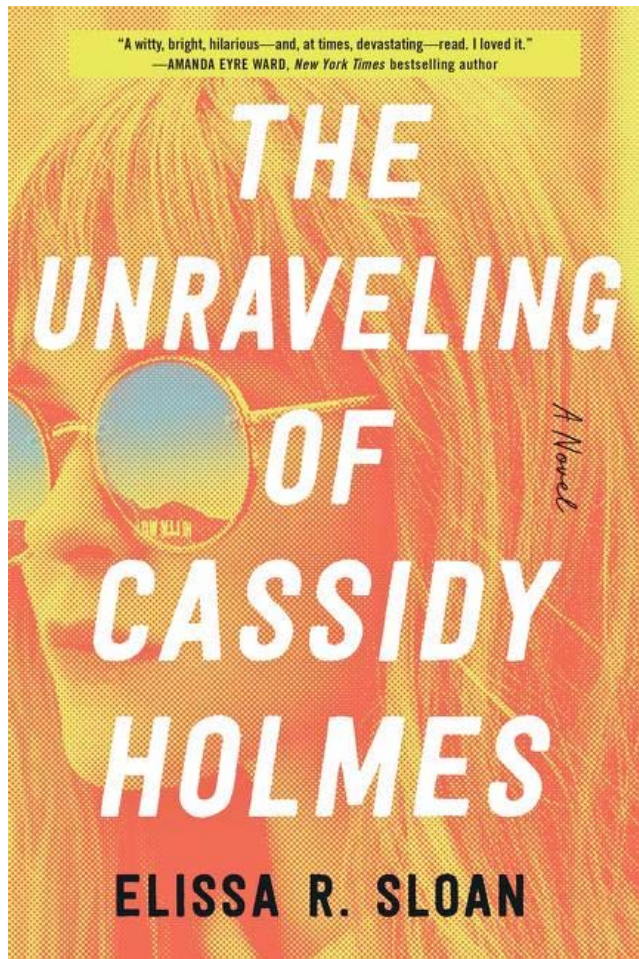
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by Elysia Whisler  
MIRA, October 2020



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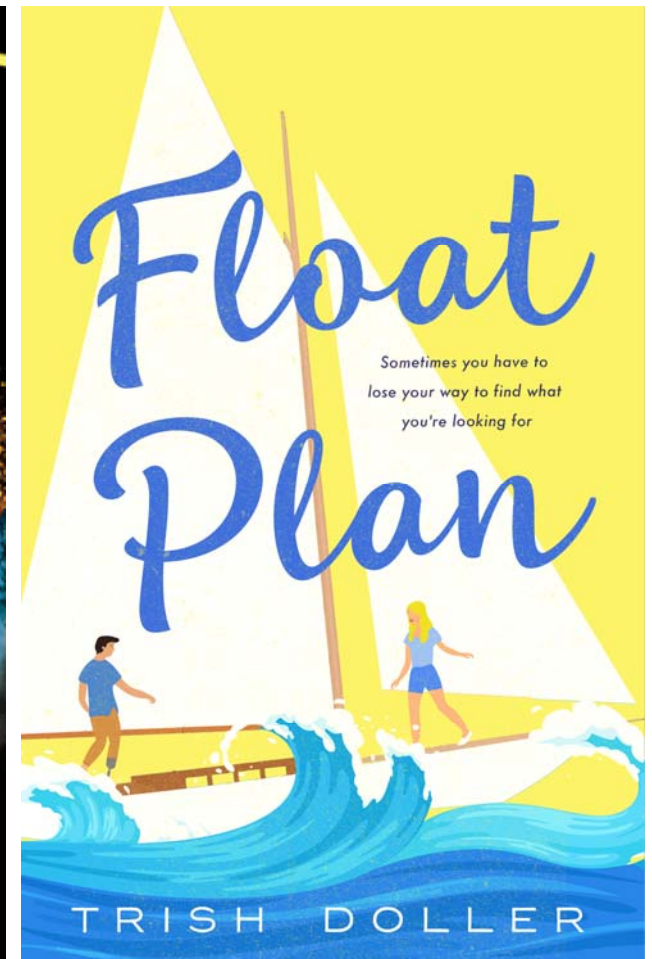
William Morrow, September 2020



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by Rebecca Roanhorse

Saga / S&S, October 2020



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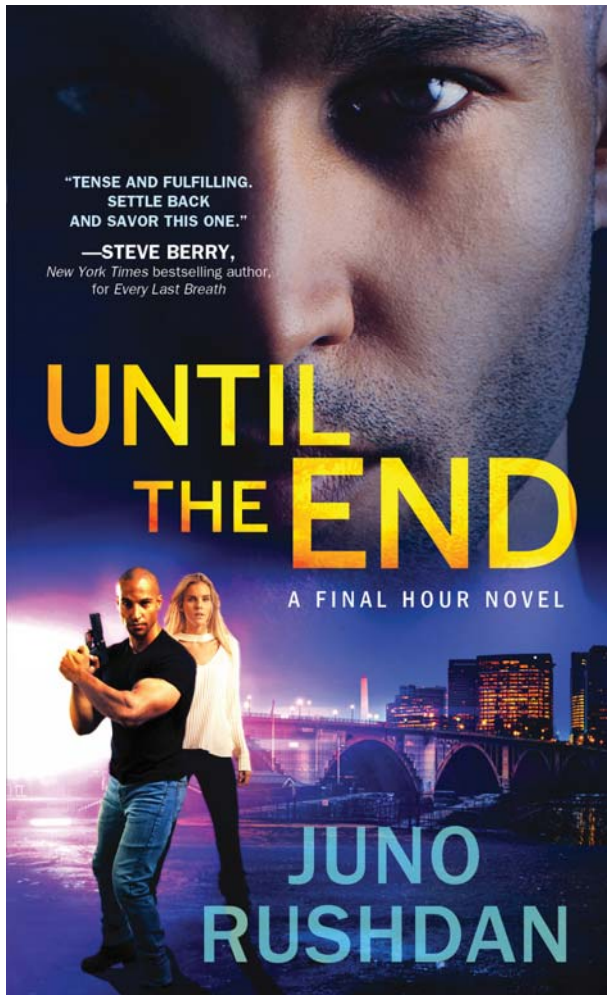
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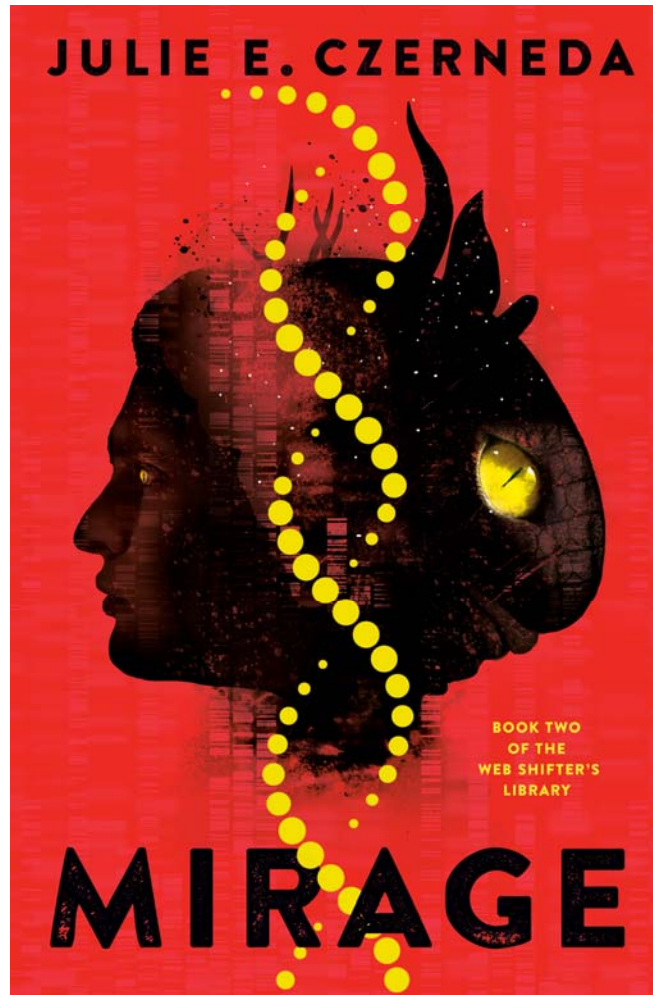
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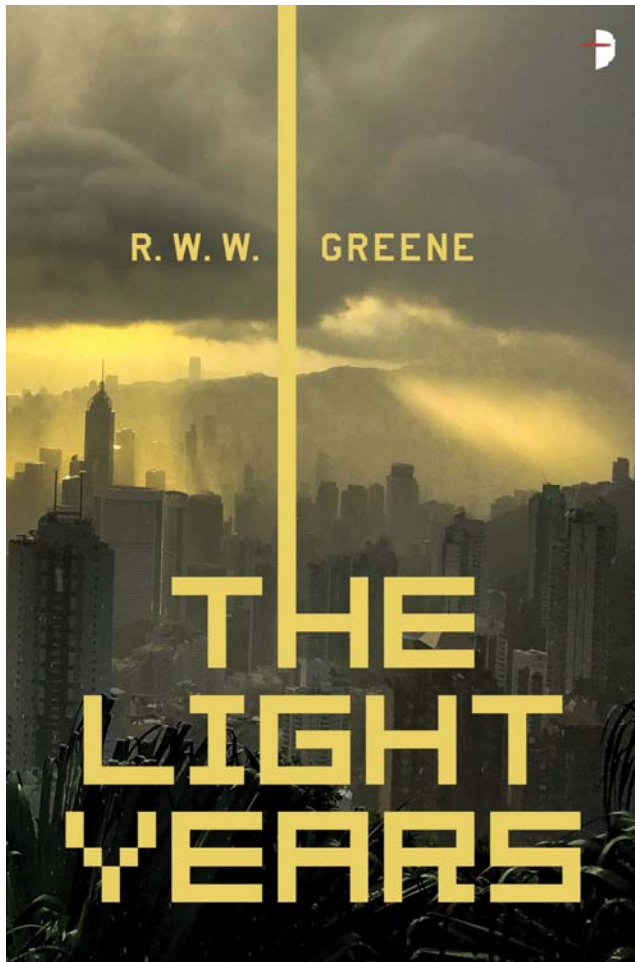
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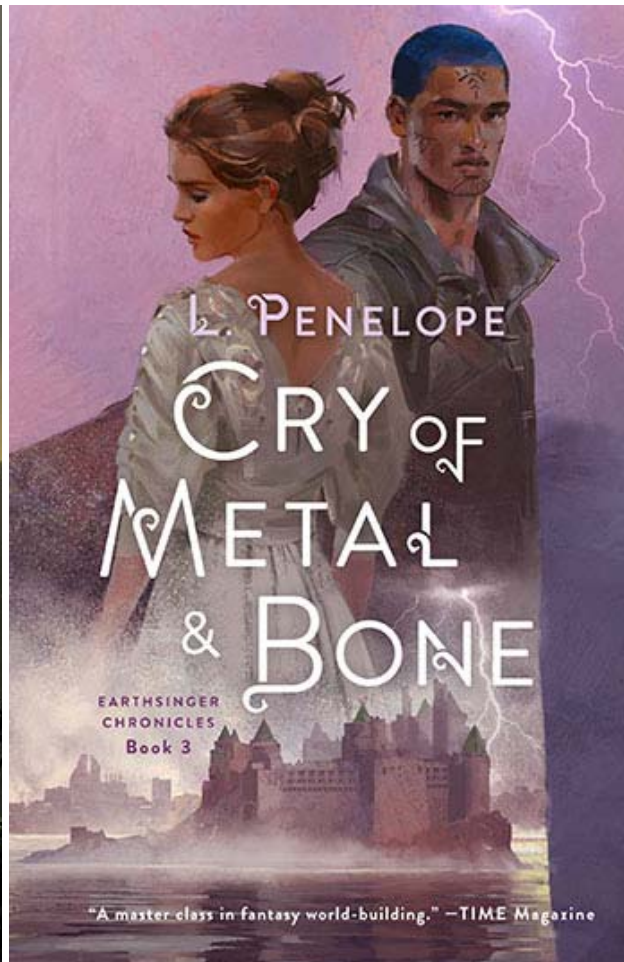
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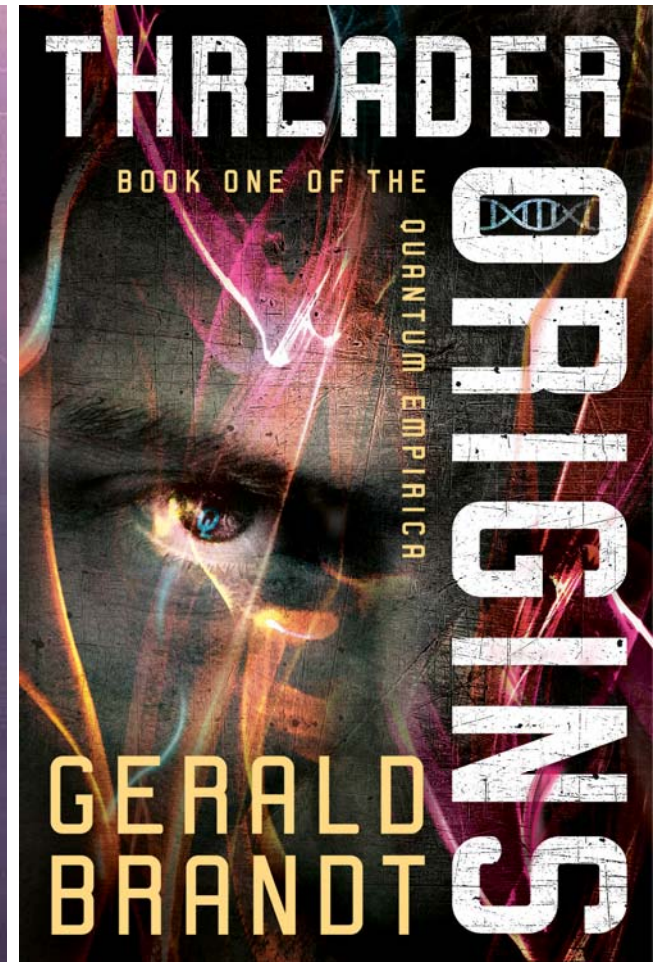
Angry Robot, February 2020



CRY OF METAL & BONE

by L. Penelope

St. Martin's Griffin, August 2020



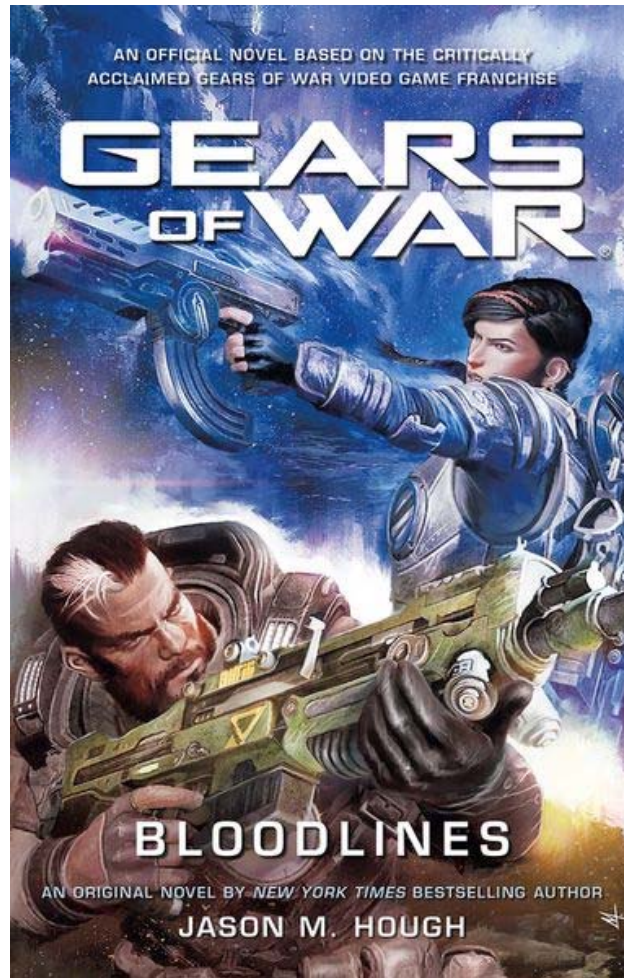
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by Gerald Brandt

DAW Books, January 2021

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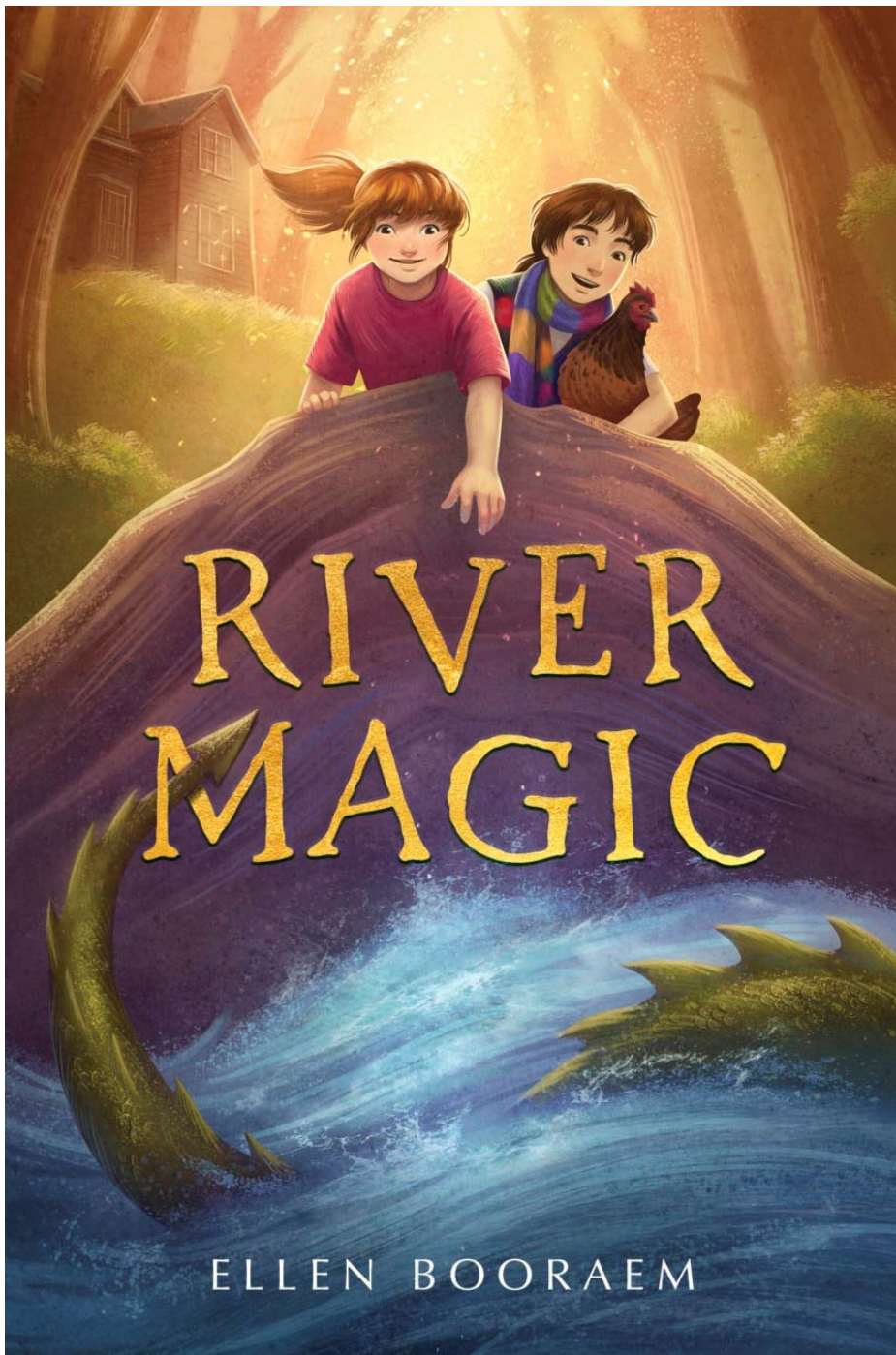
Titan Books, April 2020



# Children's Books

Fall 2020





## RIVER MAGIC

by Ellen Booraem

Dial Books, April 2021

**Magic moves in next door in this hilarious and heartfelt middle grade fantasy about a resourceful girl battling a temperamental thunder wizard.**

Donna's always liked her life by the river—that is, until her beloved aunt Annabelle died in a tragic kayaking accident. Now money's tight, her mom works all the time, and her best friend, Rachel, would rather hang out with her basketball teammates than with Donna. When a strange old woman moves in next door and hires Donna to clean part-time, she figures this is the perfect chance to get over her friendship troubles and help her family out—especially since the woman pays in gold. Turns out, Donna's new neighbor is an ancient, ornery thunder mage, and it doesn't take much to make her angry. Before Donna knows it, Rachel is in danger and Donna's family is about to lose their home. To save the day, Donna will need the help of a quirky new friend and the basketball team . . . plus the mysterious, powerful creature lurking in the river.

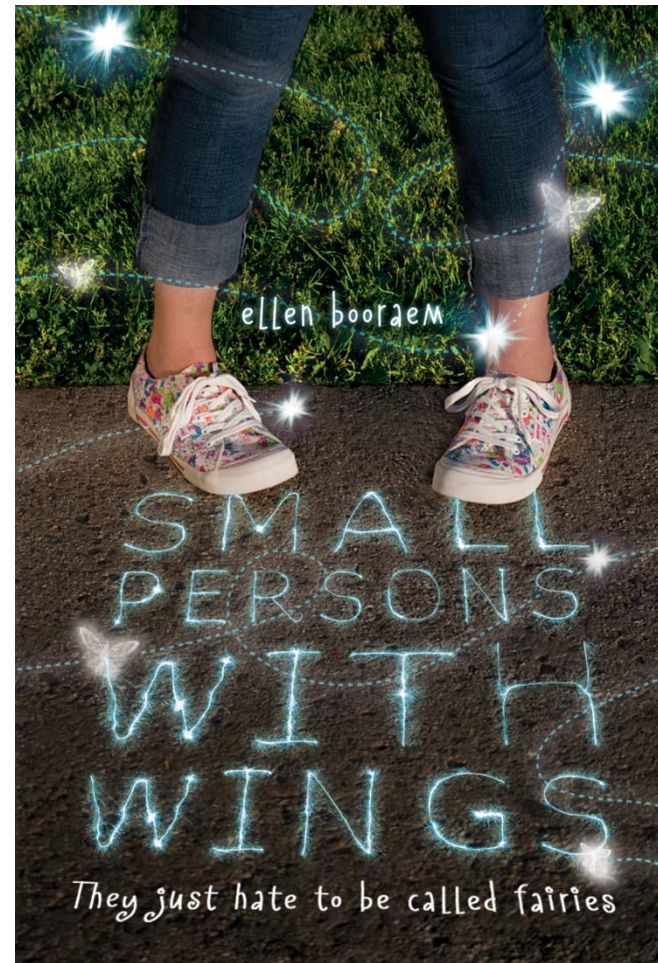
Ellen Booraem, a native of Massachusetts, now lives in Downeast Maine. She is the author of *The Unnameables* (an ALA Best Book for Young Adults), *Small Persons With Wings*, and *Texting the Underworld*. All of Ellen's books have, among other awards, been picked as Best Books of the Year by *Kirkus Reviews*. In addition to being a writer, Ellen is also a mentor and a writing coach. She lives with a cat, a dog, and an artist in a house they (meaning the humans) built with their own hands.

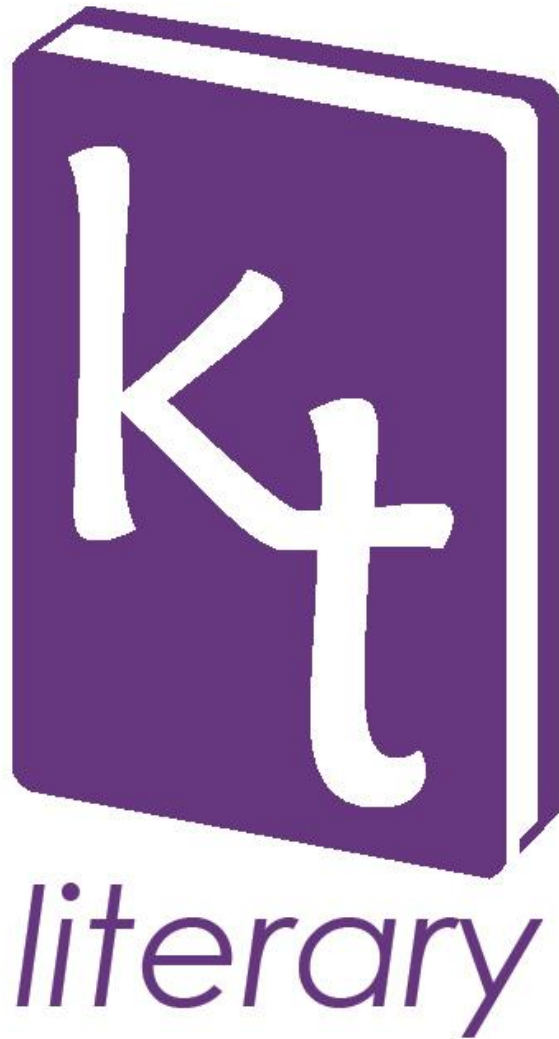


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**WHERE SHADOWS REIGN**  
**First in a new fantasy duology**  
**by Patrice Caldwell**

**Wednesday Books/ Macmillan, September 2022**

*Sold at auction in a mid six-figure deal!!*

*“an incredible work of art that should set the stage for a Black fantasy revolution” – Bookpeople starred review for A PHOENIX FIRST MUST BURN*

Set in the aftermath of a war between vampires, humans, and the gods that created them, the book follows a vampire princess who teams up with a seer, who only has visions of death, to journey to the island of the dead – a mythical place where all souls go at their end – to save her kidnapped best friend.

Patrice Caldwell is a graduate of Wellesley College and the founder of People of Color in Publishing—a grassroots organization dedicated to supporting, empowering, and uplifting racially and ethnically marginalized members of the book publishing industry.

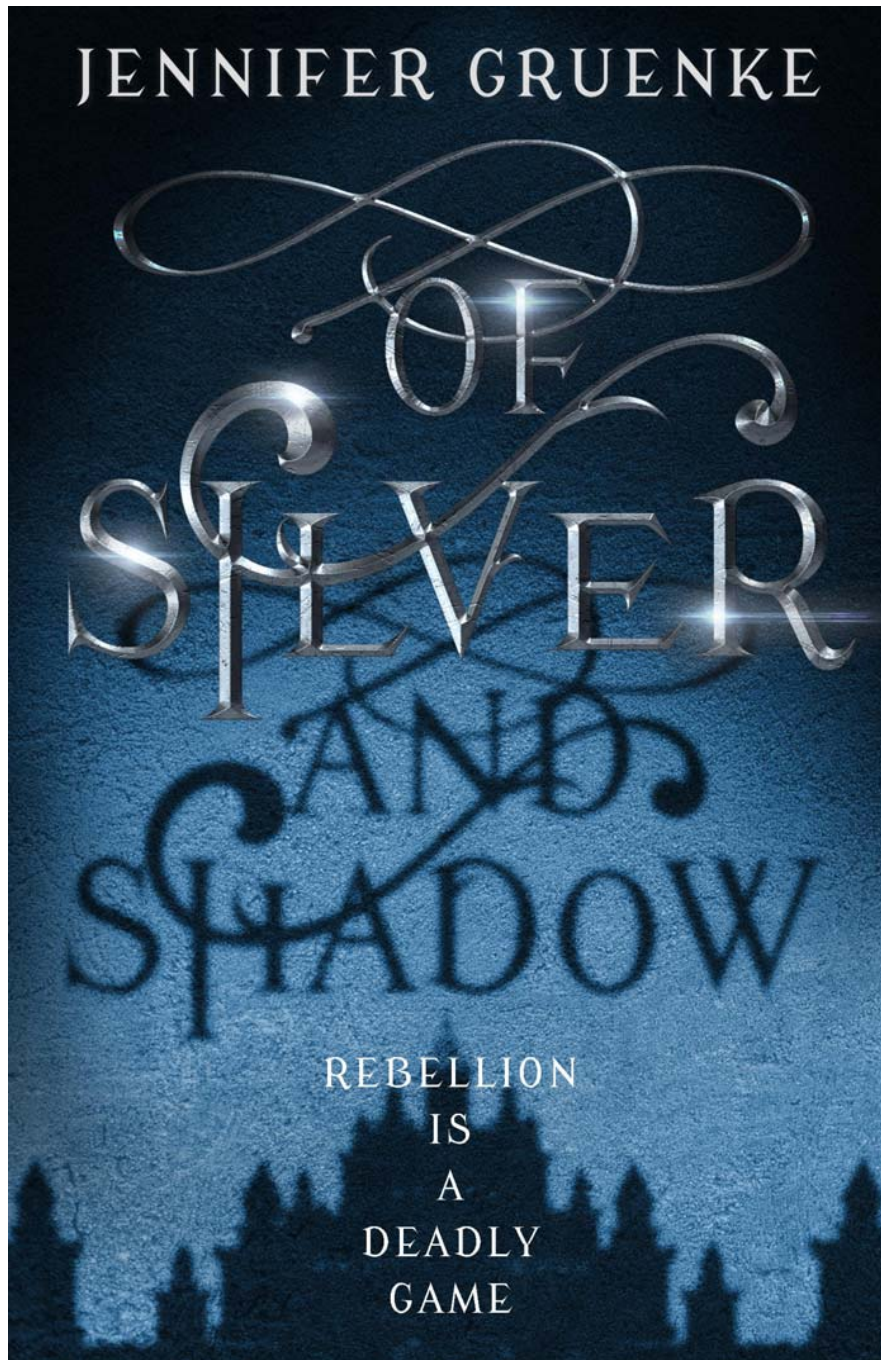
She’s been named a Publishers Weekly Star Watch honoree and featured on Bustle’s inaugural “Lit List” as one of ten women changing the book world.



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## OF SILVER AND SHADOW

by Jennifer Gruenke

Flux/Northstar Editions, February 2021

A diverse, dark YA fantasy that's FROSTBLOOD meets SIX OF CROWS.

Ren Kolins is a silver wielder. A dangerous thing to be in the kingdom of Erdis, where magic has been outlawed for a century. When a wealthy rebel leader discovers her secret, he offers her six hundred and fifty thousand gold coins to join his revolution. The caveat: she won't see a single coin until they overthrow the King.

Behind the castle walls, a brutal group of warriors known as the King's Children is engaged in a competition: the first to find the rebel leader will be made King's Fang, the right hand of the King of Erdis. And Adley Farre is hunting down the rebels one by one, torturing her way to Ren and the rebel leader, and the coveted King's Fang title.

But time is running down for all of them. The crown prince is on a warpath to overthrow the King, a power-grab that would bring darkness on the kingdom, and Ren and the rebels must take the throne before he does — that is if Adley and the King's Children don't capture them first.

Jennifer Gruenke is a graduate of UC Santa Barbara, where she studied communication and writing. She grew up among the redwoods of Northern California, but now lives in Charlotte with her books and houseplants. She is a former journalist, a current technical writer, and the future owner of many puppies. If she's not writing or reading at a coffee shop, you're most likely to find her in a music venue, a kickboxing class, or the aisles of Trader Joe's.

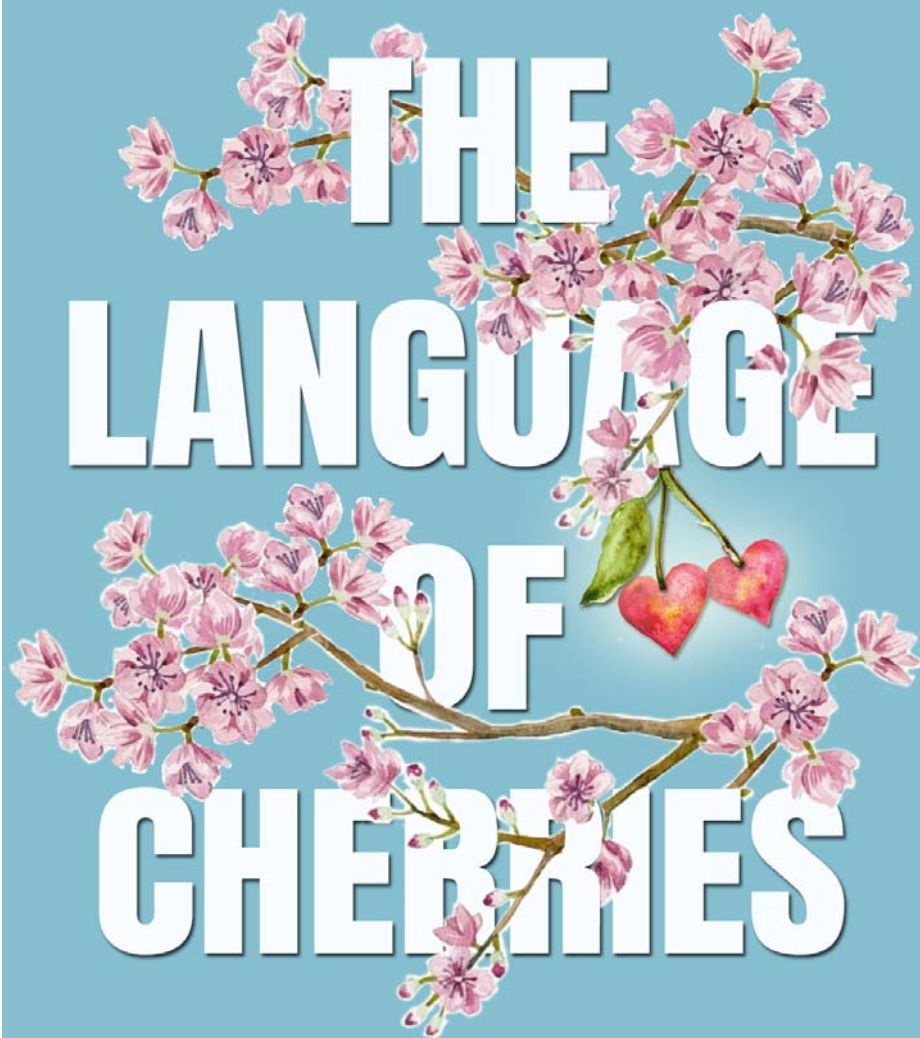


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“...a lush, heady, magical book, much like first love itself.”

—Rachel Lynn Solomon, author of *Our Year of Maybe*



Jen Marie Hawkins

## THE LANGUAGE OF CHERRIES

by Jen Marie Hawkins

Owl Hollow Press, February 11, 2020

“A luminous YA love story with magnetic characters and literary flair.” ~Starred [Kirkus Review](#)

Sixteen-year-old artist Evie Perez is cut off from everything—her Abuela, her friends, and the comfort of the Miami heat—when her father’s job transfer drops her into Iceland for the summer. Angry with him for upending her life, and desperate for a connection to home, she takes her canvas and paintbrushes into the picturesque cherry orchard behind her guesthouse. As she stains her lips with stolen cherries in the midnight sun, her muse takes over, and she paints a boy she’s never met.

Oskar is startled to discover Evie in his family's orchard, and even more surprised to see himself on her canvas. He's too ashamed to reveal his stutter, so he lets her believe he doesn't speak English. When Evie returns day after day to paint, spilling confessions about her family she wouldn't tell her priest, Oskar remains silent. At first, he's content to be near the charming girl who looks at him without pity.

But what began as an innocent escape from loneliness becomes a mutual passion when he realizes her paintings are messages from the orchard itself, evoking images of the family he lost—to an accident he believes was his fault.

Jen Marie Hawkins is a South Carolinian masquerading as a Texan. She writes books for young adults (and the young at heart), and she is a Book Coach for Author Accelerator. She has been a Pitch Wars mentor since 2015.



Young Adult contemporary  
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**THE MANY HALF-LIVED LIVES OF SAM SYLVESTER**  
**by Maya Macgregor**  
**Boyd's Mills Press, Summer 2021**

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*"I want to steal these amazing world-building skills!" – actress & author  
Amber Benson (Buffy The Vampire Slayer)*

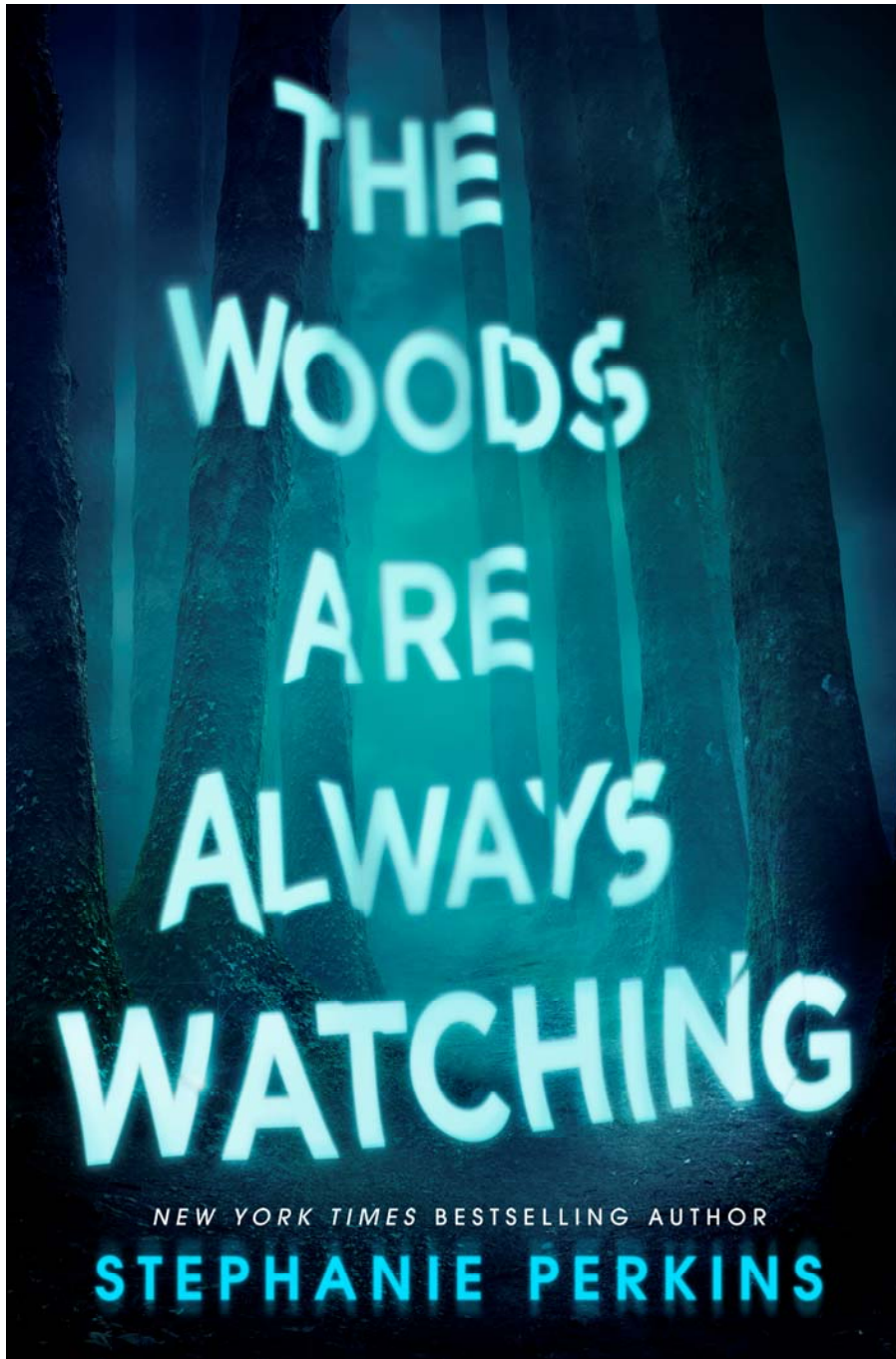
A debut young adult novel about an autistic genderqueer protagonist who, with the support of their loving father, leaves an intolerant school for a new high school. Finding a Rainbow Club and accepting friends, they must all come together to solve the decades-old mystery of the murder of a teenage boy while confronting the Sam's own fears of early death.

Evan writes books, short stories and poetry in English and Gaelic. They write stories they always needed to read about characters they wish they could be. Evan is multilingual, autistic, agender, and a bad pescetarian. They make their home with two cats in Glasgow, Scotland.



Young Adult Mystery  
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## THE WOODS ARE ALWAYS WATCHING

by Stephanie Perkins

Dutton Children's Books, August 2021

Another blood-chilling contemporary horror novel, the perfect companion to her *New York Times* bestseller *THERE'S SOMEONE INSIDE YOUR HOUSE*, soon to be a Netflix feature.

Spanish and Catalan rights sold to La Galera.

Stephanie Perkins is the *New York Times* bestselling author of multiple books for teens, including *Anna and the French Kiss*, *Lola and the Boy Next Door*, *Isla and the Happily Ever After*, *My True Love Gave to Me* and *Summer Days & Summer Nights*. She has always worked with books--first as a bookseller, then as a librarian, and now as a novelist. Stephanie lives in the mountains of North Carolina with her husband. Every room of their house is painted a different color of the rainbow.



Young Adult thriller  
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Dramatic Rights: Dana Spector at CAA  
Manuscript available shortly

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## THERE'S SOMEONE INSIDE YOUR HOUSE

by Stephanie Perkins

Dutton Children's Books, September 2017

Soon to be a Netflix Original Film, releasing 2021 from 21 Laps Entertainment (*Stranger Things*) and James Wan (*Saw*, *The Conjuring*), from a script by Henry Gayden (*Earth To Echo*, *Shazam!*), directed by Patrick Brice.

Perkins lulls readers into a false sense of security before twisting the knife, figuratively and literally. The murders are both grisly and psychologically unnerving, and the novel's intense realism makes them all the more disturbing. – *Publishers Weekly*

With a diverse cast of misfits and a heroine with secrets of her own, the plot never slows down, racing to a bloody and heart-stopping end! – Indie Next List for Fall 2017

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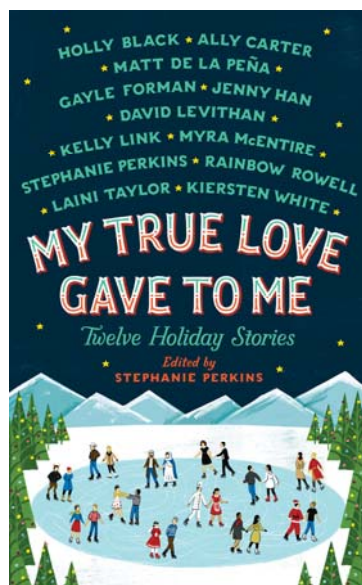
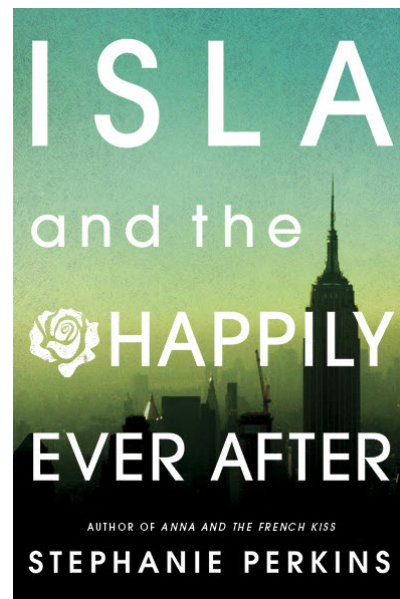
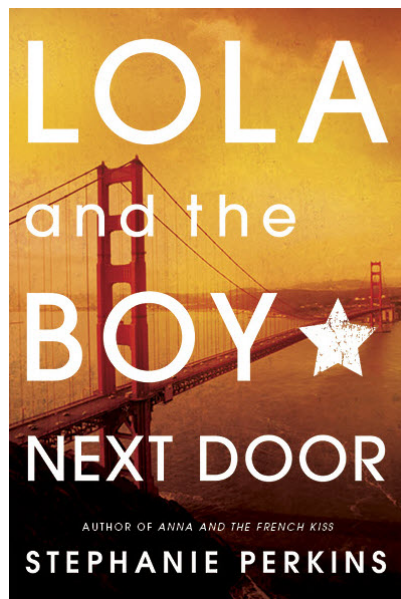
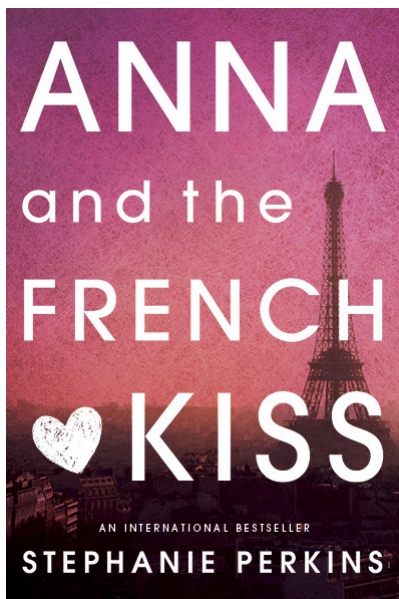
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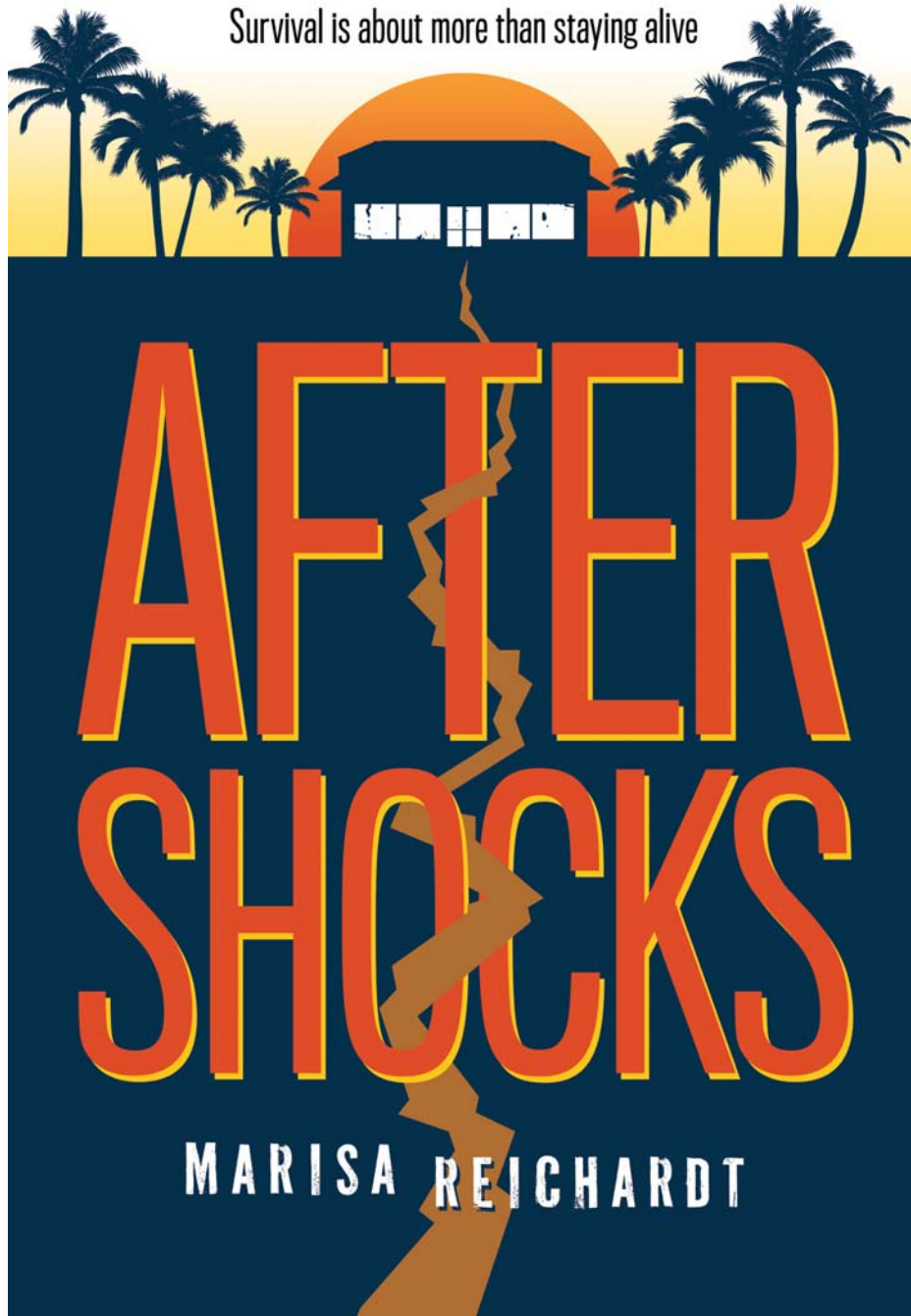


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Survival is about more than staying alive



## AFTERSHOCKS by Marisa Reichardt

Amulet Books, September 2020

“Two teens, one laundromat, a magnitude 7.8 earthquake, and a whole bunch of regrets – Reichardt (*Underwater*, 2016) provides the perfect formula for a tale of disaster and drama... Ruby and Charlie try their best to keep their spirits up, talking about their pasts and dreams for the future. But things take a turn for the worse as aftershocks roll through, making the likelihood of survival even less likely. **Reichardt’s skillful use of language will have readers feeling as claustrophobic and frightened as Ruby and Charlie, especially when the teens confront past events they would do anything to change. This is a thrilling, provocative, and empowering look at fighting for survival while remembering the important things in life, like friendship, family, and love.**” – *Booklist*

“This is an inspiring and complex survival story that examines self-doubt, addiction, loss, love, and the human condition. VERDICT Reichardt pens a captivating story that is sure to be a popular title in any young adult collection. For fans of Susan Beth Pfeffer’s *Life As We Knew It*, Ruta Sepetys’s *Salt to the Sea*, or Michael Northrop’s *Trapped*.” – *School Library Journal*

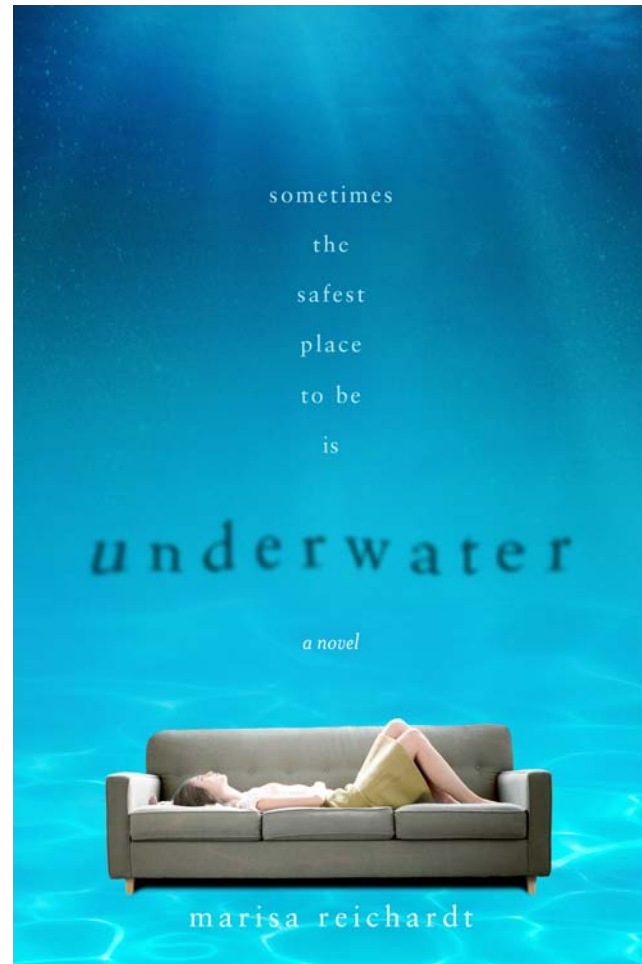
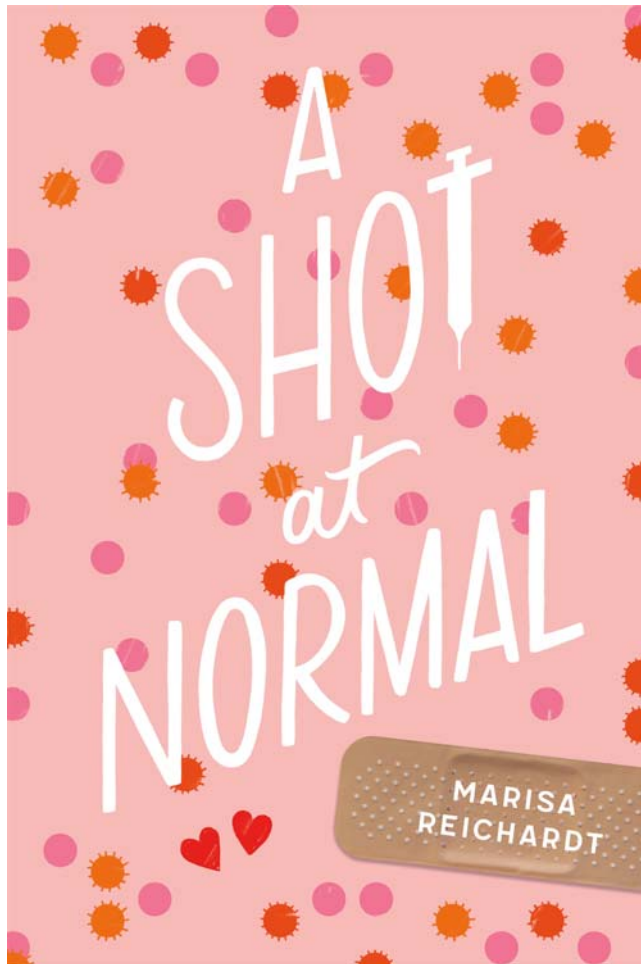
Marisa Reichardt was born and raised in Southern California. Her debut novel, *Underwater*, was an Indies Introduce New Voices pick and a Kids' Indie Next Top Ten pick, and received a starred review from *Publishers Weekly*. Rights to *Underwater* were sold in the UK, Spain, and Indonesia. Marisa lives in Los Angeles with her family, and can usually be found huddled over her laptop in a coffeehouse or swimming in the ocean.



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## SORCERY OF THORNS

by Margaret Rogerson

Margaret K. McElderry Books/ Simon & Schuster, June 2019

*An Instant New York Times bestseller!*

2020 YALSA Best Fiction For Young Adults  
Best Book of the Year at Kirkus and at the New York Public Library  
ABA Top 10 Kids Next List and Summer Indie Best List

*"An enthralling adventure replete with spellbinding characters, a slow-burning love story, and a world worth staying lost in." – Kirkus, starred review*

*"An ideal pick for fans of Holly Black, Maggie Stiefvater, and Laini Taylor." – Publishers Weekly, starred review*

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Portuguese language in Brazil to Literalize  
Turkish to Ephesus  
Italian to Mondadori  
Taiwanese to Sun Color Culture  
Czech to Albatros Media

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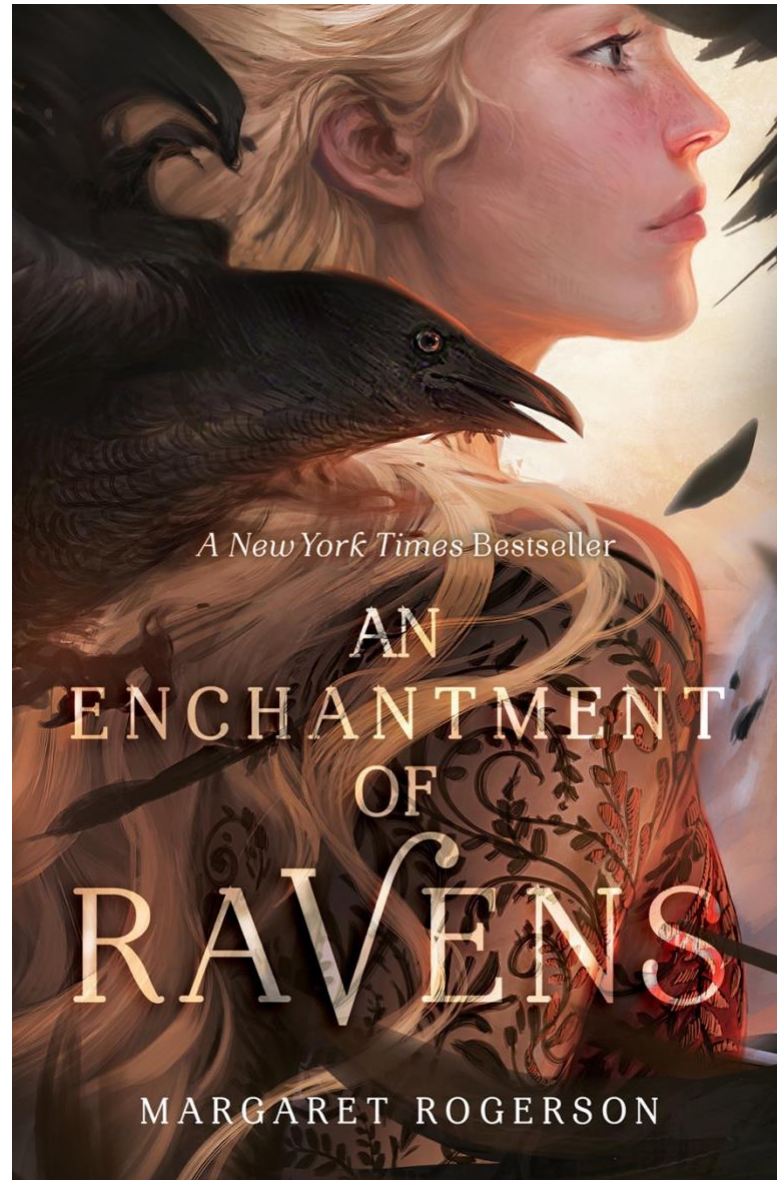


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Author of *The Summer of Jordi Perez*

**AMY SPALDING**

# WE USED TO BE FRIENDS



## WE USED TO BE FRIENDS

by Amy Spalding

Amulet Books, January 2020

*"A must-read for anyone who's ever had or lost a friend."* – Becky Albertalli

Told in dual timelines—half of the chapters moving forward in time and half moving backward—*We Used to Be Friends* explores the most traumatic breakup of all: that of childhood besties.

Funny, honest, and full of heart, *We Used to Be Friends* tells of the pains of growing up and growing apart.

*"A captivating snapshot of a friendship that many teens will relate to... A recommended purchase for all libraries serving teens."* – *School Library Journal*

*"The author effectively conveys the ways that a desire for perfection can keep people at arm's length, how not telling people things makes it harder to tell them later, and how silence can come to feel like a lie... Spalding shows with sensitivity how the pain of losing a close friend can seep into everything."* – *Publishers Weekly*

*"This book will break your heart like only a best friend can."* – Maureen Goo

Amy Spalding has a BA in advertising and marketing communications from Webster University and an MA in media studies from the New School. Amy studied long-form improv at the Upright Citizens Brigade Theatre. By day, she manages the digital media team for an indie film advertising agency. By later day and night, Amy writes, performs, and pets as many cats as she can. She grew up in St. Louis, but now lives in the better weather of Los Angeles.



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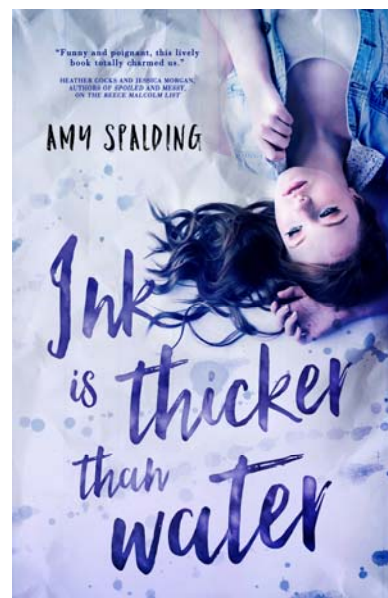
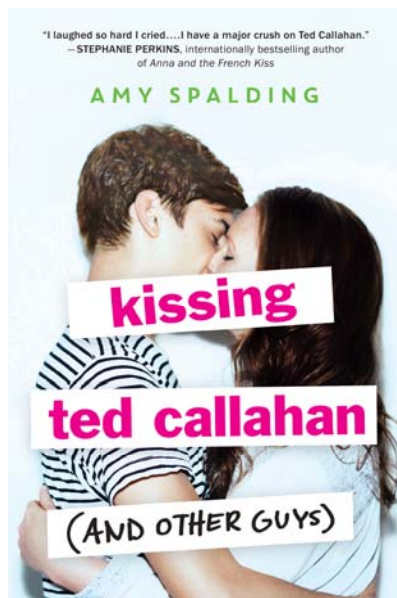
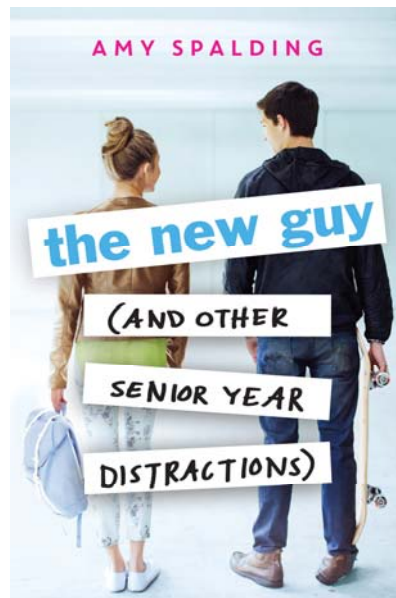
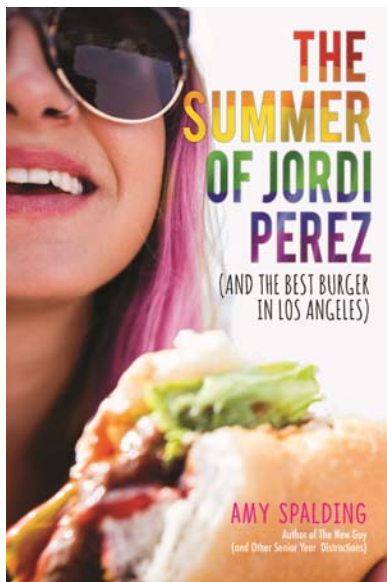
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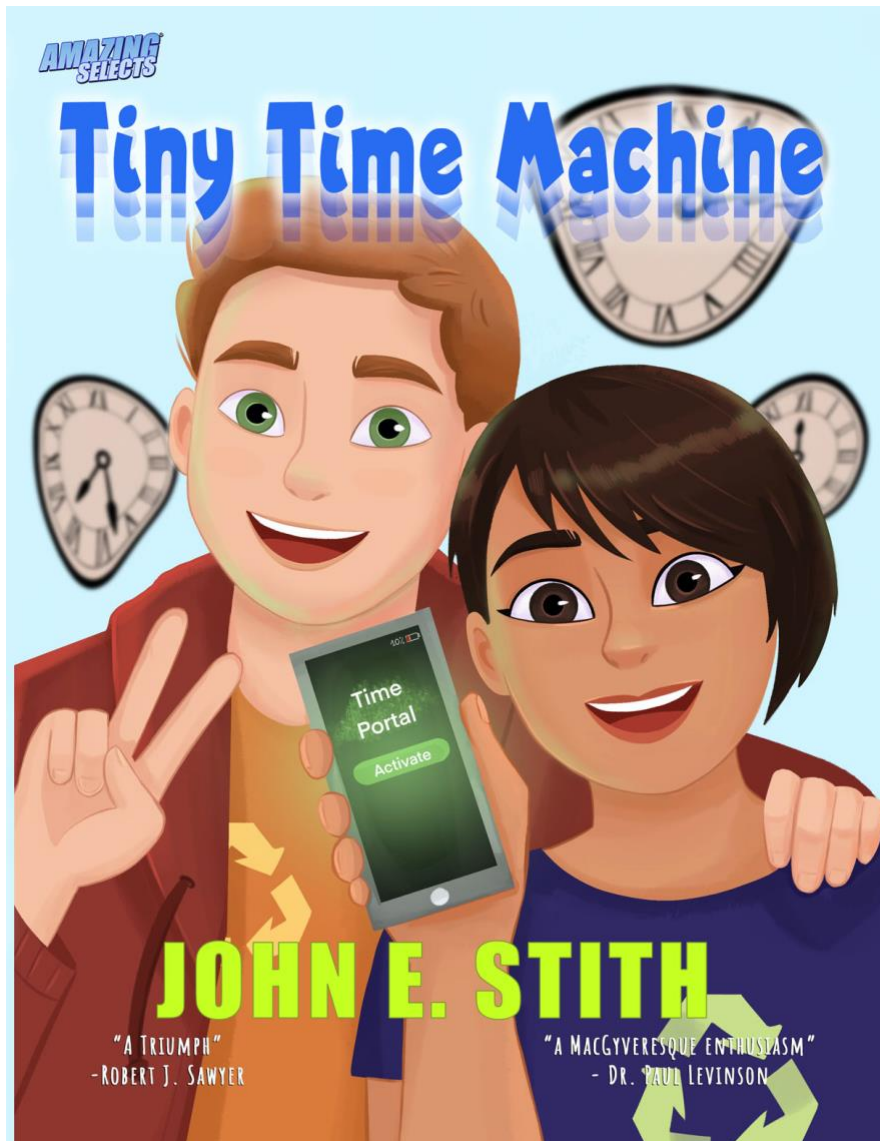
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## TINY TIME MACHINE

by John E. Stith

Amazing Stories, January 2021

*"John E. Stith is one of our very best writers, and this is one of his very best stories: a big idea explored from every conceivable angle. Tiny Time Machine is a triumph." -- Robert J. Sawyer, Hugo Award-winning author of The Oppenheimer Alternative*

Can two young activists wanted by the police save the world?

A time machine holds the key to humanity's future. Meg and Josh must do the impossible – work as a team to thwart cops, a powerful billionaire, a Russian profiteer and a romantic rival – to save the world and each other.

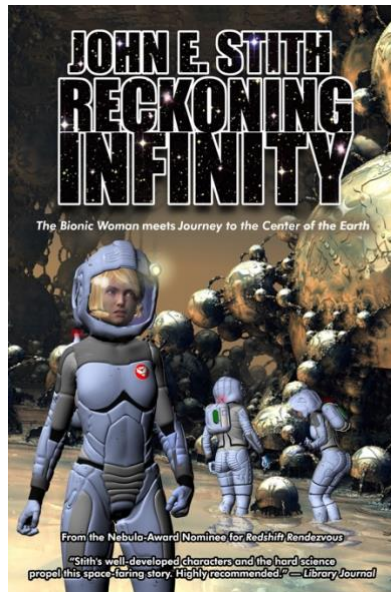
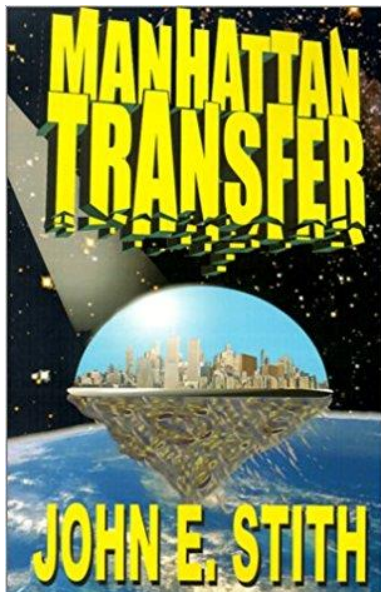
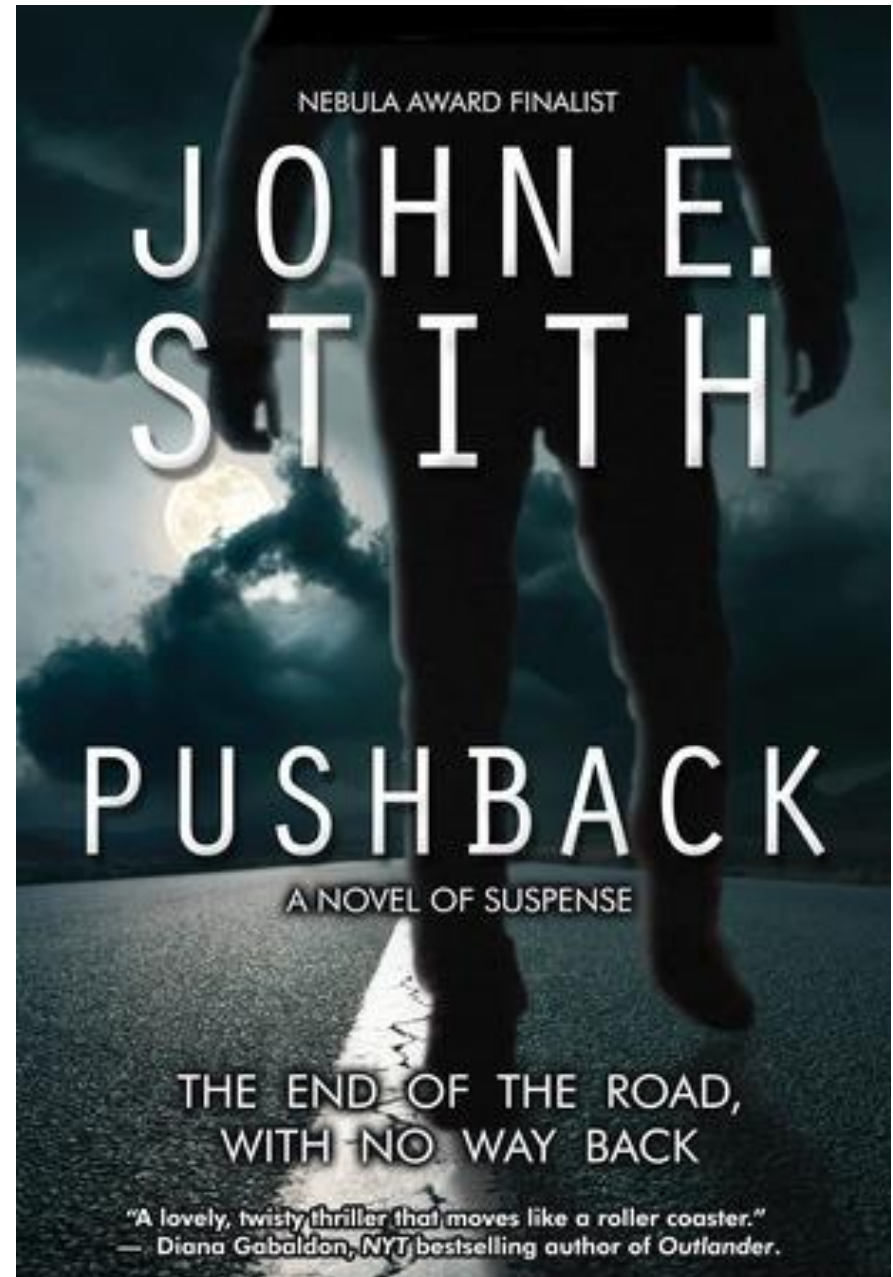
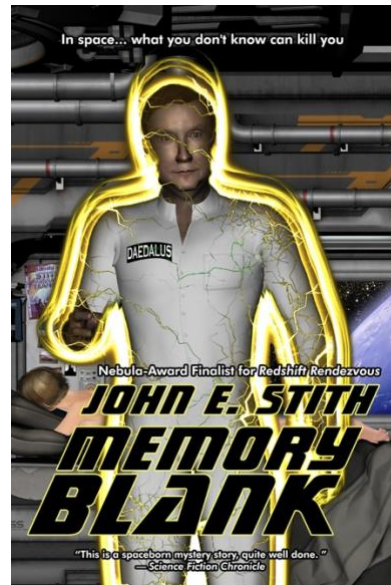
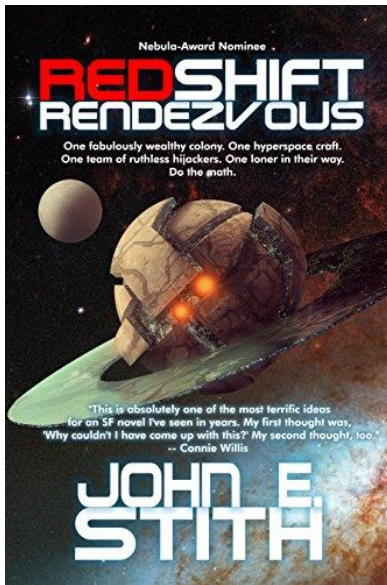


John is a member of Science Fiction Fantasy Writers of America. He's been nominated for Nebula Award and a Hugo Award and classifies his books as "hard SF."

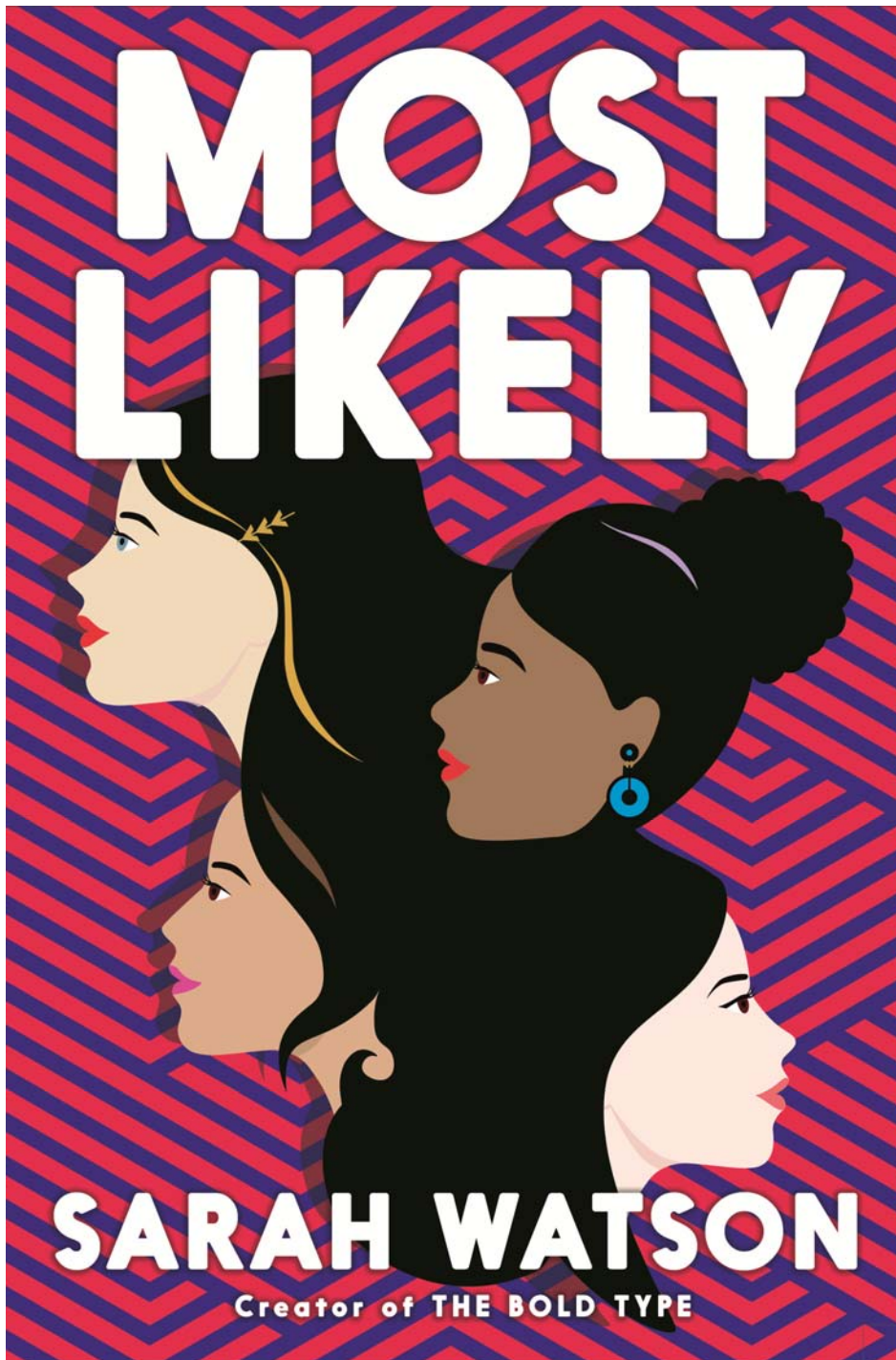
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## MOST LIKELY by Sarah Watson

Poppy/Little Brown, March 2020



"A romantic and heartfelt look at how friendships define us and save us, MOST LIKELY manages to be fun, suspenseful, moving, and important all at once. I didn't want it to end!" – Lauren Graham, actor and author of the *New York Times* bestseller TALKING AS FAST AS I CAN

"The characters are superbly drawn; portrayed as whole people, the various elements of their identities are not the entirety of who they are. Inspiring and heartwarming." – Starred *Kirkus Review*

"Featuring an ethnically and socioeconomically varied cast, Watson's well-plotted debut delicately balances humor and weighty intersectional issues. Fast-paced action and sharp-witted dialogue prove to be a winning combination, drawing out suspense all the way to the presidential reveal." – *Publishers Weekly*

**British Commonwealth rights to Scholastic UK, with World Spanish rights to Planeta. French rights sold at auction to Pocket Jeunesse. Dramatic rights sold to Amazon Studios, with Sarah developing it as a tv series.**

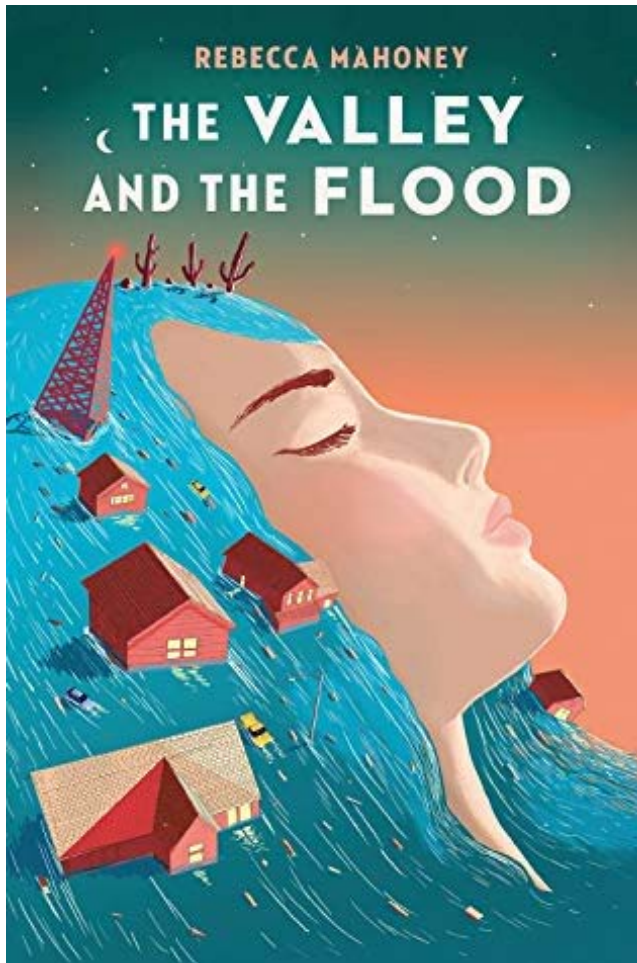
Sarah Watson is the creator of the Freeform series, *The Bold Type*, the show that The New York Times described as, "Sex and the Single Girl for Millennials." Previously she was a Writer and Executive Producer of the critically acclaimed NBC drama, *Parenthood*. When not writing, she can be found in Santa Monica where she lives with her golden retriever, Daisy, or on Twitter as @sarahwatson42.



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THE VALLEY AND THE FLOOD  
by Rebecca Mahoney  
Razorbill, February 2021



DATING MAKES PERFECT  
by Pintip Dunn  
Entangled, August 2020

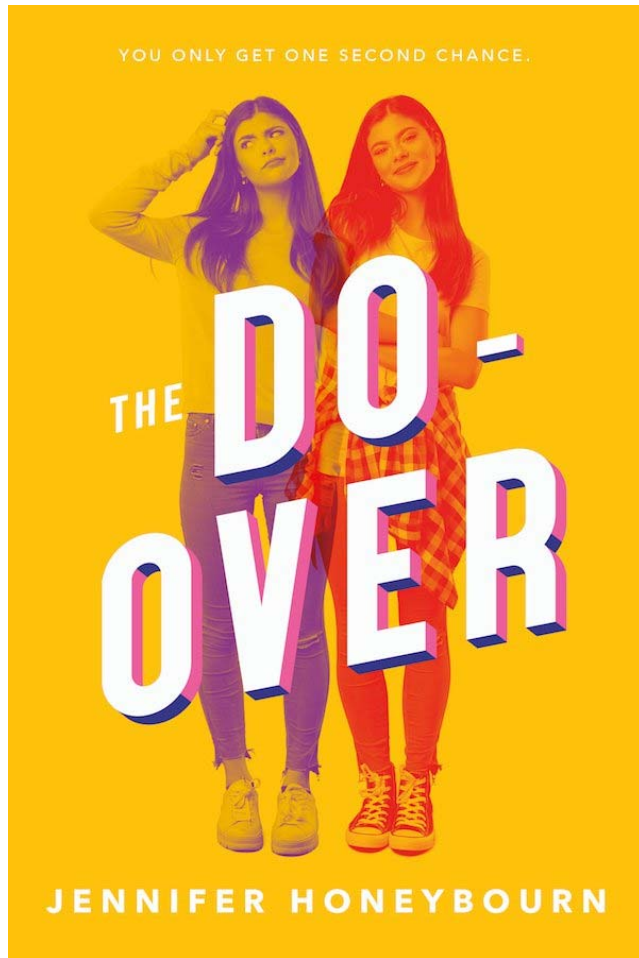


THE LIFE AND (MEDIEVAL) TIMES OF  
KIT SWEETLY by Jamie Pacton  
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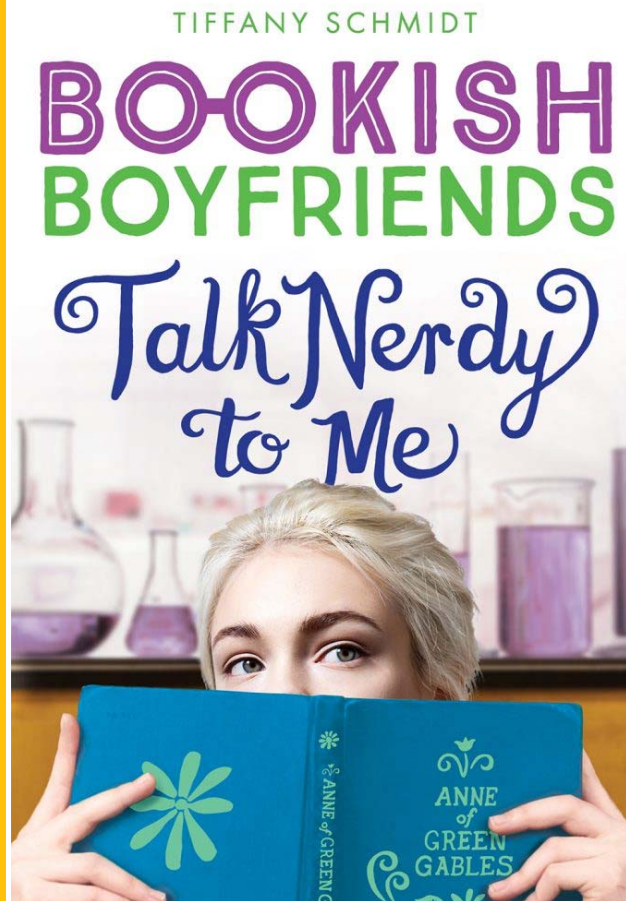
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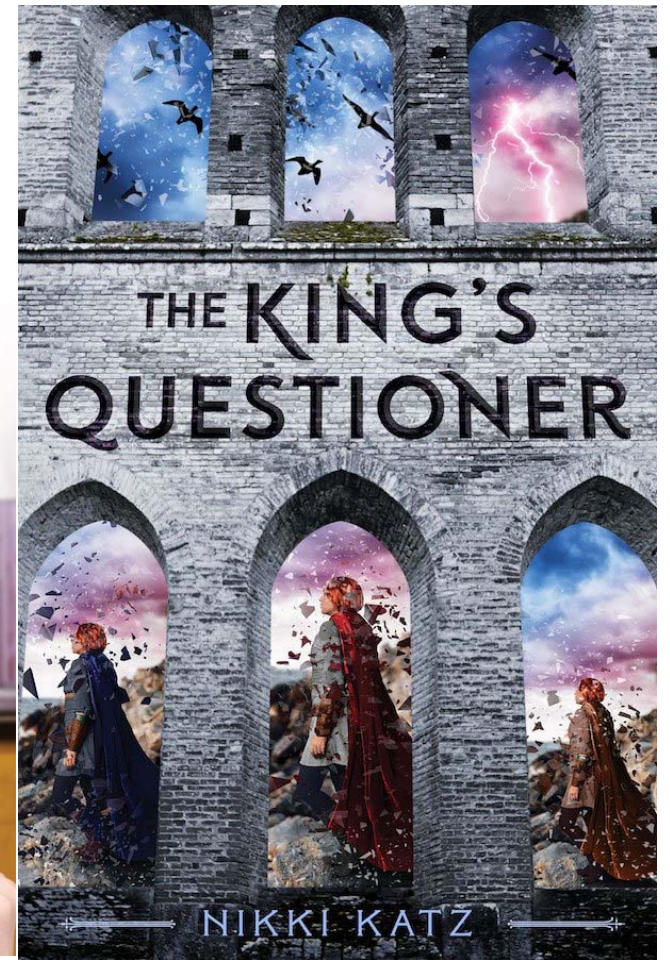
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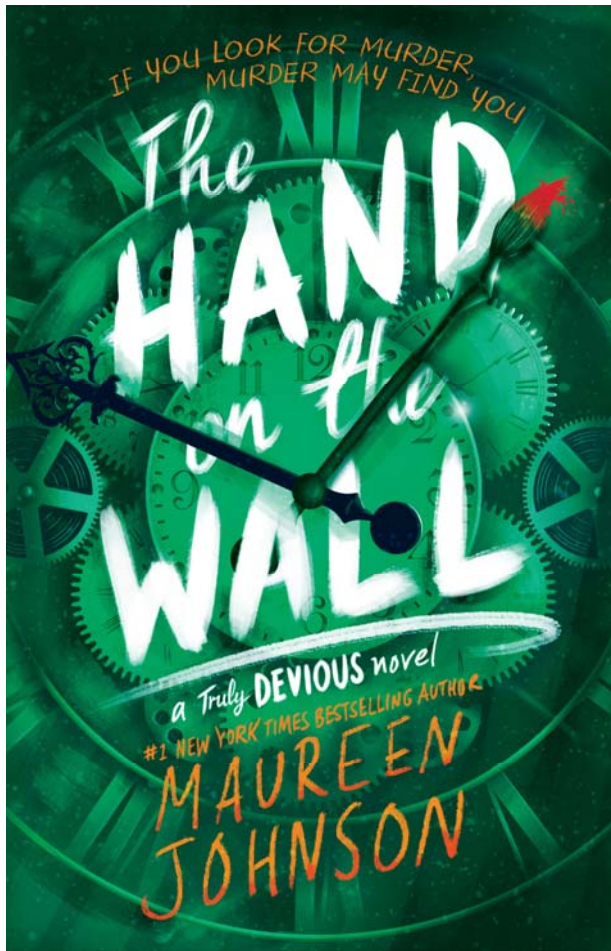
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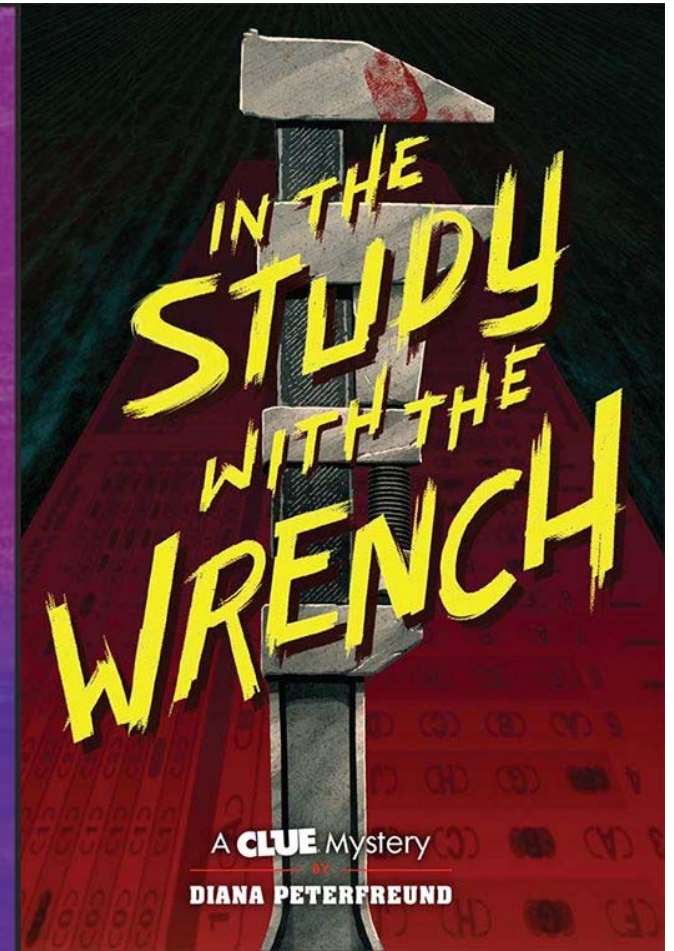
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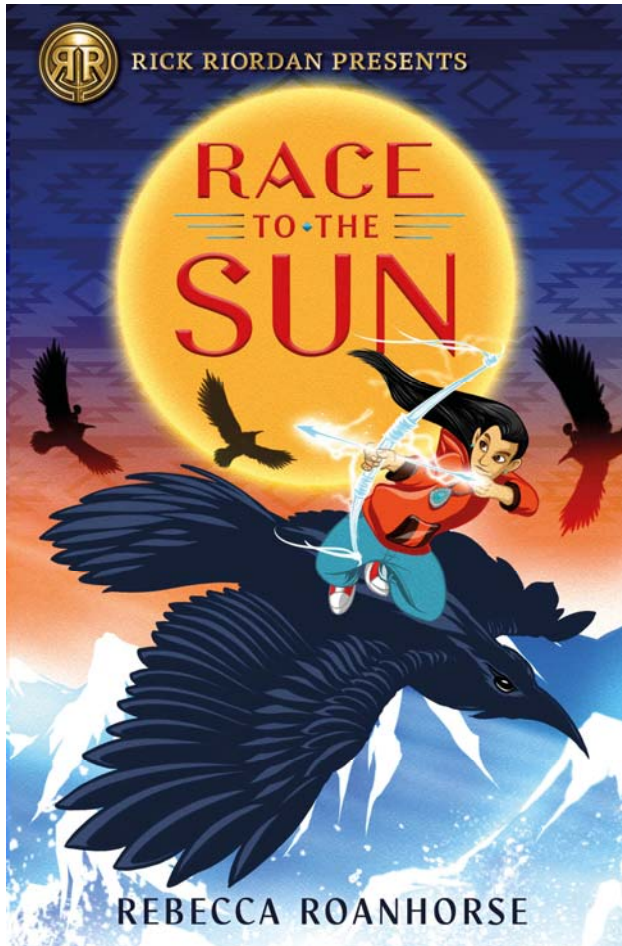


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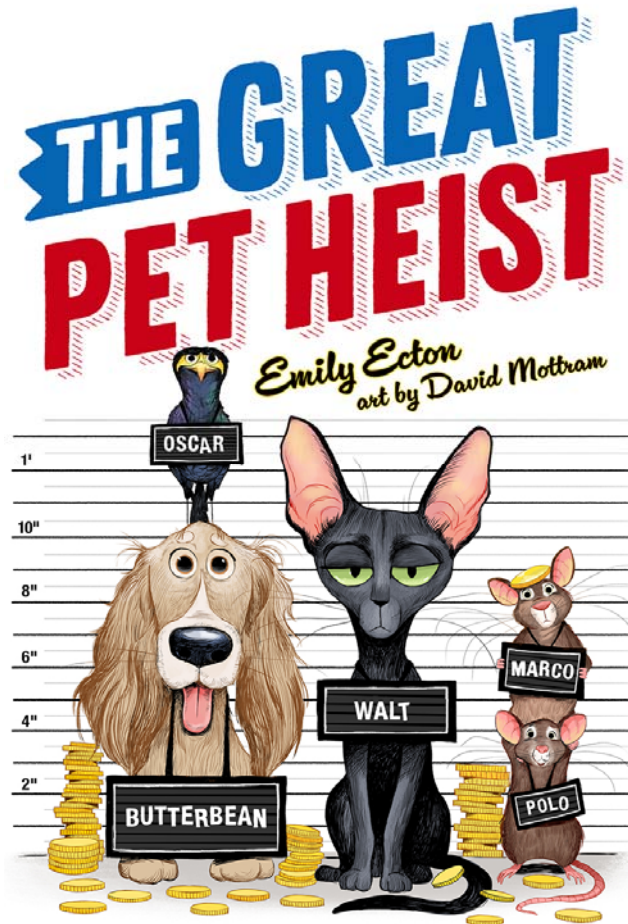
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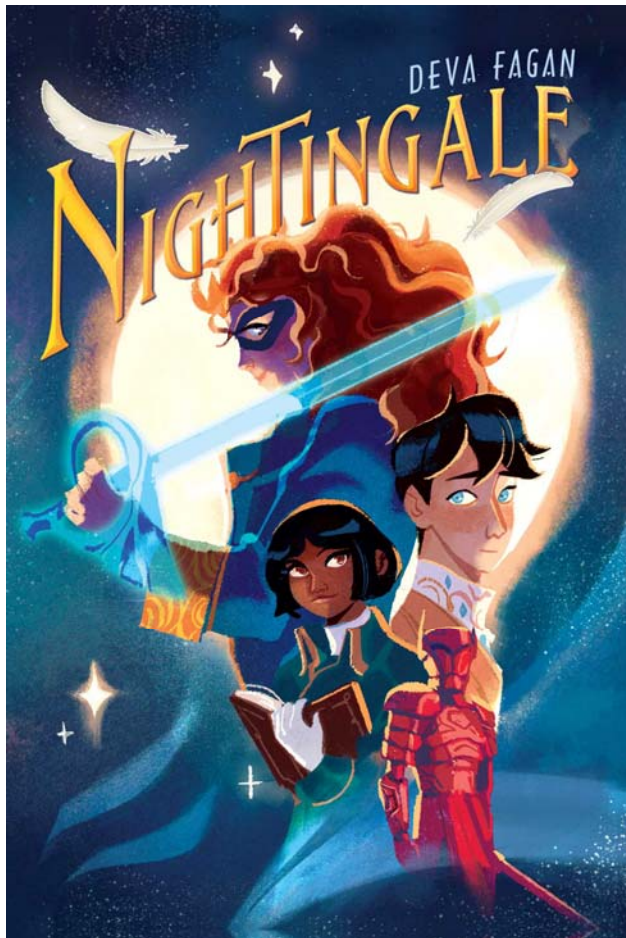
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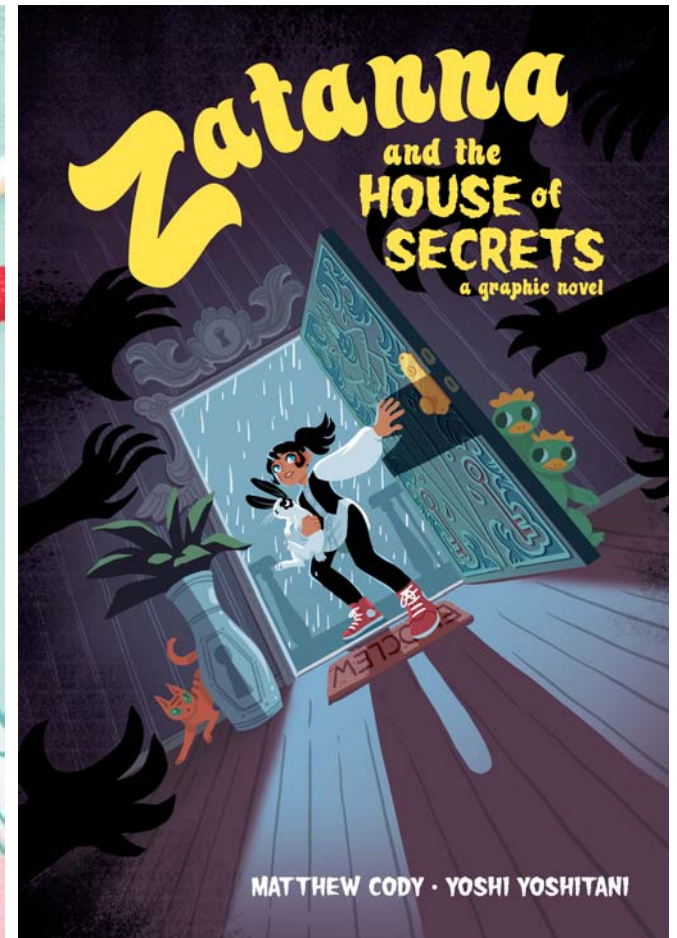
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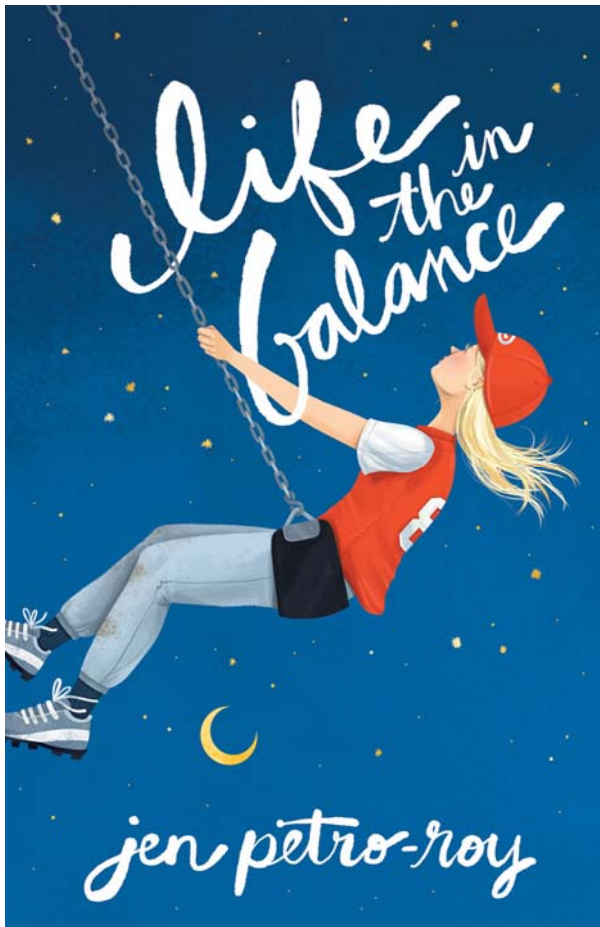
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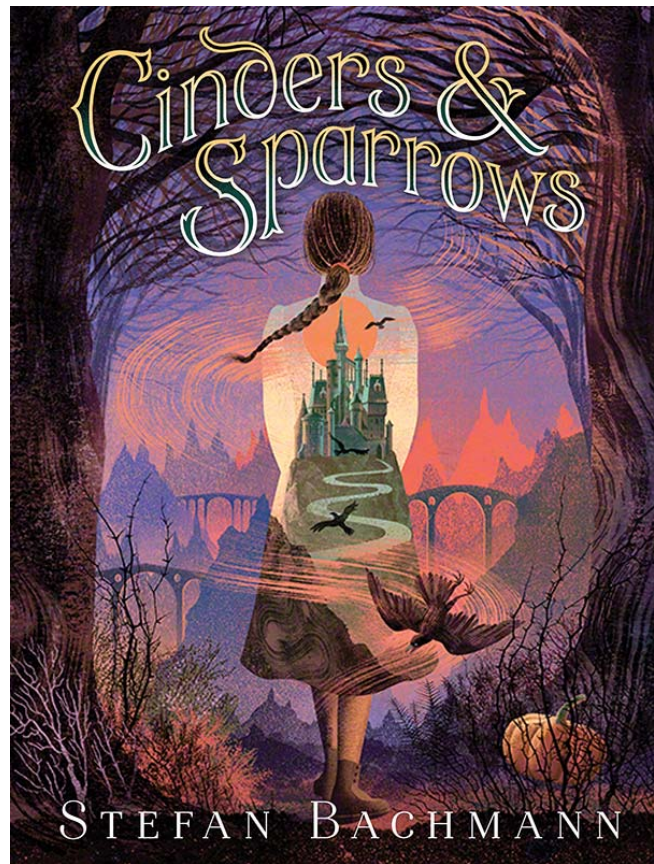
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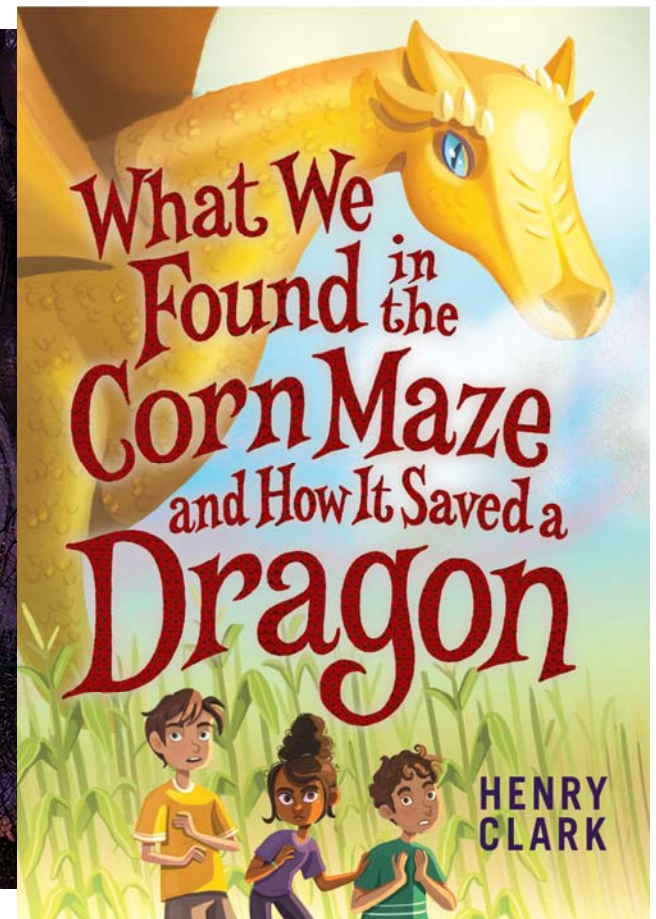
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