

# Hello From Moyer

## **Debra Miller as Mary Shelley On Thursday**

In celebration of Women's History Month, Debra Miller returns to Moyer on Thursday, March 27th at 6:30 PM. You may remember her as Jane Austen last year or her previous visits as Agatha Christie and Mary Todd Lincoln. This spring, she's appearing at Mary Shelley.

Everyone 10 years old and up are welcome to attend. No RSVP is necessary for this free show. The performance will begin at 6:30. Please arrive a few minutes early to select a seat.

Learn more and see photos at Miller's website:

<https://www.historicalwomenofletters.com/>

## **Why Add Rooms?**

We are one week into our construction project at Moyer. The rooms have been framed and we are getting closer to drywall. During construction, we'll try to keep our routines at Moyer. You may hear extra sounds, find a little dust, and notice moved and rearranged items. We appreciate your patience! Please ask if you need help finding anything.

One question we've been asked this week is: why add rooms?

We want Moyer to accommodate people in many ways. We want children playing, people chatting, and no shushing. We're not looking for whispering or tiptoeing.

We love our open design. However, sound does carry. Sometimes people need quiet or privacy. Our current space makes this challenging. Adding rooms solves problems. You can work with or without headphones. Make phone calls, take a test, meet with a small group, read without distractions, and more. The rooms will cut down on interruptions. Our program room will remain available for larger groups and library programs at the same time.

We want Moyer to be a space for playing with your grandkids and meeting to discuss books. Come chat with a friend while

making one of our table crafts. Ask us questions! Also, we want to provide a quiet space whenever it's needed. These rooms allow us to meet both styles of library use.

### **New Large Print Collection Has Arrived**

Moyer is part of a group of Illinois Heartland libraries that share large print books. Every two months, we receive a new collection for you to read. Rotating collections include a little bit of everything. If you've ever felt like you've read everything we have, they're a perfect place to browse.

The rotating collection is located on the shelves beneath the new large print books.

### **Making Your Family Tree Returns in April!**

Thanks to everyone who braved the weather for our first Local History / Genealogy program last week! If you couldn't make it or want to come again, Derrick Babb has offered to host another history night. Mark your calendar for Wednesday, April 16th from 5-6PM.

Bring a name, a question, information you have so far, or simply an interest in genealogy and local history. Derrick will be here to help! Learn about his favorite researching materials and start finding out more about your past.

This is a hands-on, casual, drop-in event for those 16 and older.

### **Spring Activity Pack**

Take a screen break with our Spring Adult Activity Pack. Pick up your free printed collection of puzzles at Moyer today. It includes a little of everything: word searches, idioms, scattergory prompts, word games, and more.

If there was a puzzle or activity you especially like from the Spring or Winter packs, let us know! We're planning on creating a Summer version and would love to include your favorites.





### New Books

- Blood Moon by Sandra Brown (Mystery)
- Broken Country by Clare Leslie Hall (Romance)
- Caitlin Clark: College Basketball Goat by Kristen Rajczak Nelson (Middle Grade Biography)
- The Charlie Method by Elle Kennedy (Romance)
- Cornered by Lynette Easton and others (Large Print Thriller Romance Short Stories)
- Dinosaurs in Trucks Because Hey, Why Not? by Sandra Boynton (Board Book)
- Dream Count by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie (Fiction)
- Dream State by Eric Puchner (Fiction)
- Everything Is Tuberculosis: The History and Persistence of Our Deadliest Infection by John Green (Nonfiction)
- Famous Last Words by Gillian McAllister (Thriller)
- The Fifteen: Murder, Retribution, and the Forgotten Story of Nazi POWs in America by William Geroux (Nonfiction)
- Get Well, Pug by Kyla May (Chapter Book)
- Good Golden Sun by Brendan Wenzel (Picture Book)
- Grave Amish Secrets by Patricia Johns (Large Print Romance)
- Heroes by Stephen Fry (Mythology Nonfiction)
- Home by Matt de la Peña (Picture Book)
- Junie by Erin Crosby Eckstine (Fiction)
- Lethal Prey by John Sandford (Mystery)

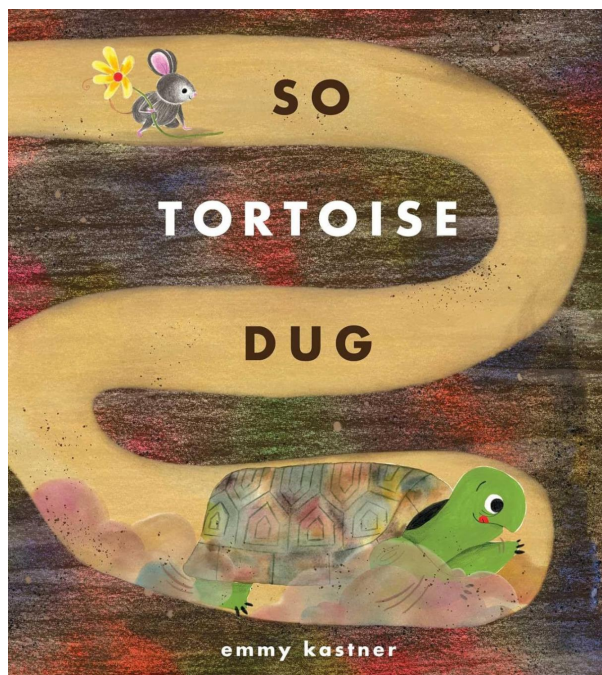
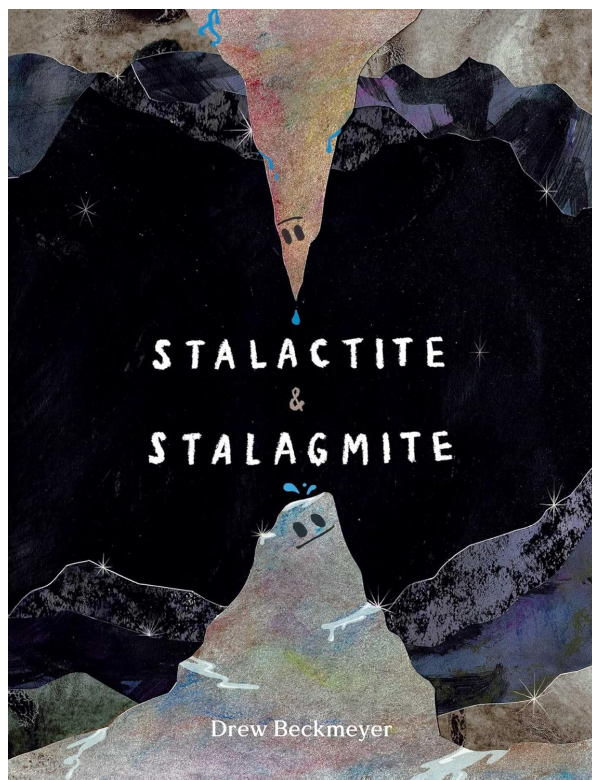
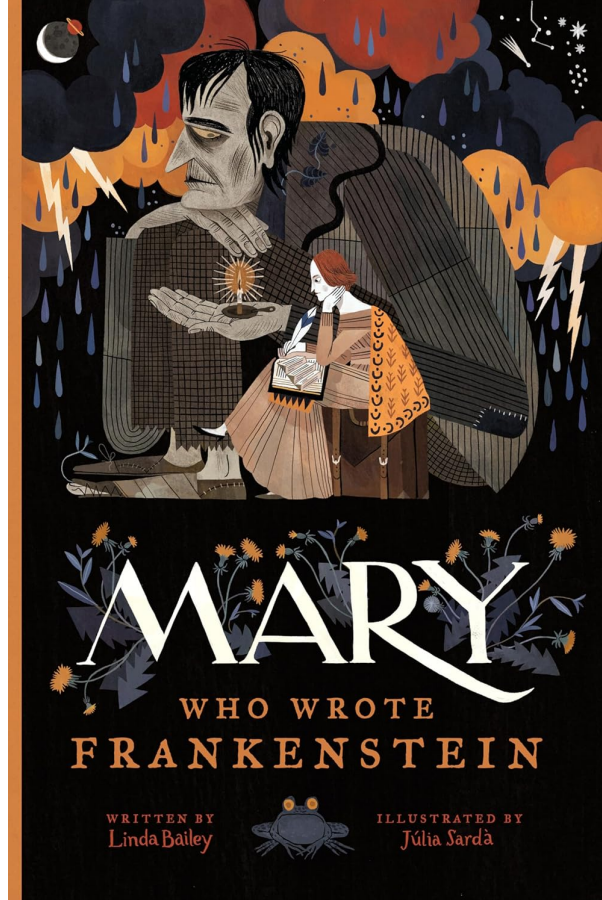
- Mary Who Wrote Frankenstein by Linda Bailey (Middle Grade Biography)
- Meet the Boxcar Children by Gertrude Chandler Warner (Easy Reader)
- Mermaids Are the Worst! by Alex Willan (Middle Grade Graphic Novel)
- Oathbound by Tracy Deonn (YA Fantasy)
- Papilio by Ben Clanton (Picture Book)
- The Paris Express by Emma Donoghue (Historical Fiction)
- Pete the Kitty and the Mermaid's Sandcastle by James Dean (Easy Reader)
- The Ragpicker King by Cassandra Clare (YA Fantasy)
- Return of the Monarchs by Beth Wiseman (Large Print Amish)
- So Tortoise Dug by Emmy Kastner (Picture Book)
- Stalactite & Stalagmite: A Big Tale from a Little Cave by Drew Beckmeyer (Picture Book)
- Story of My Life by Lucy Score (Romance)
- The Summer Guests by Tess Gerritsen (Thriller)
- This Is a Love Story by Jessica Soffer (Fiction)
- While We're Young by K. L. Walther (YA Romance)
- Why We Remember: Unlocking Memory's Power to Hold on to What Matters by Charan Ranganath (Nonfiction)

#### New Movies

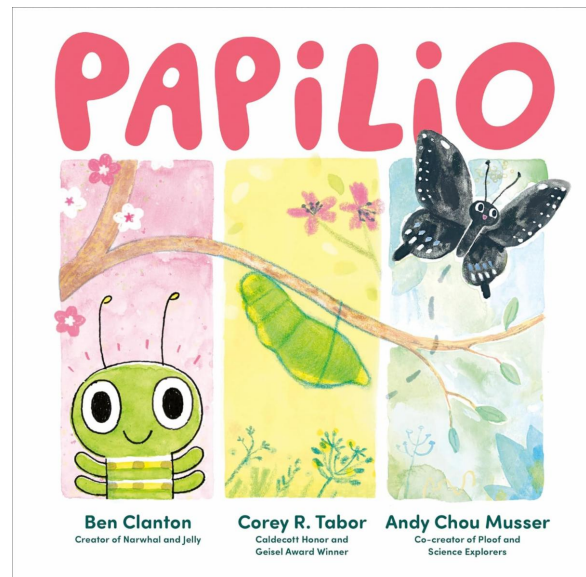
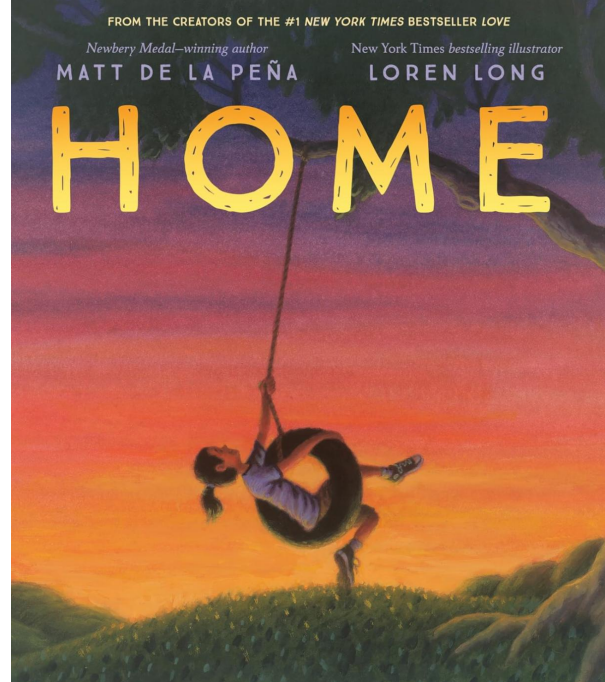
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# SANDRA BROWN

## BLOOD MOON

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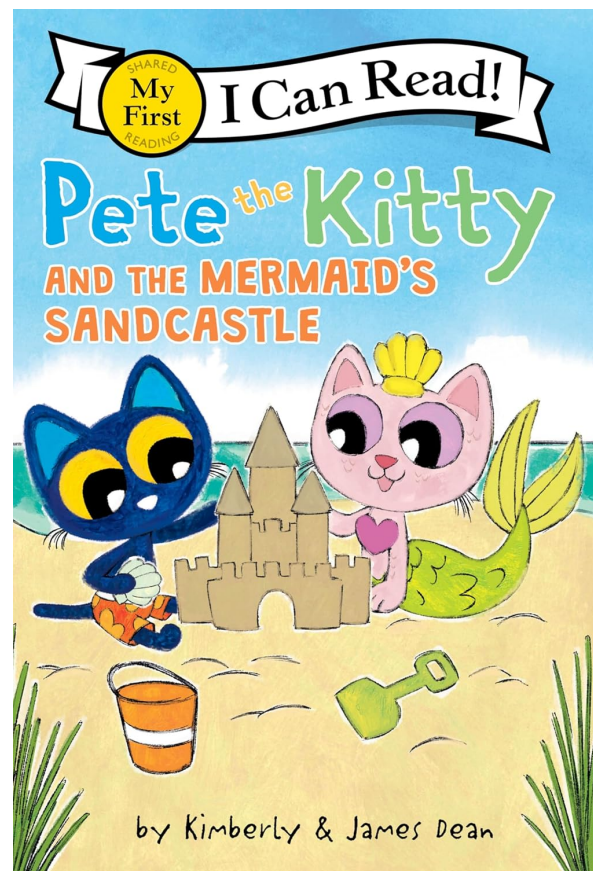
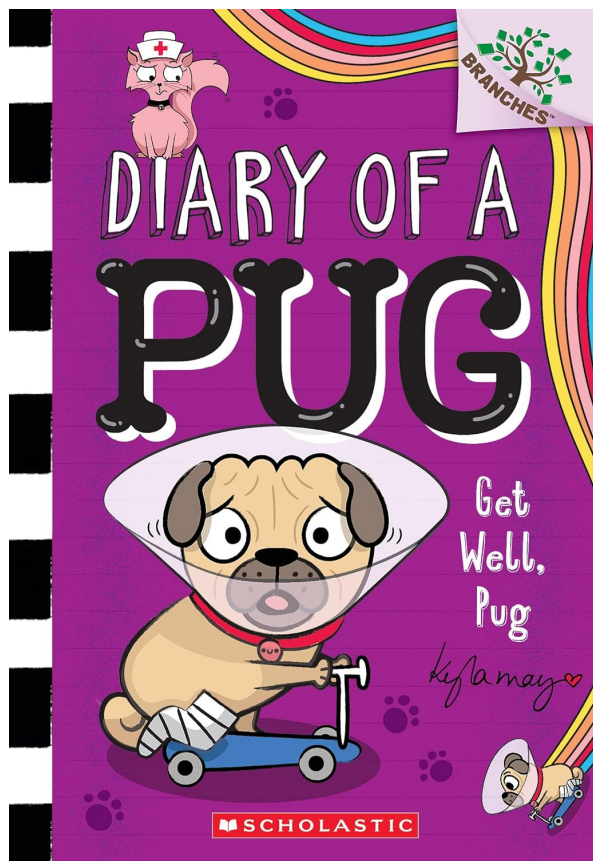
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—Shelby Van Pelt, author of *Remarkably Bright Creatures*

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NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF ROOM





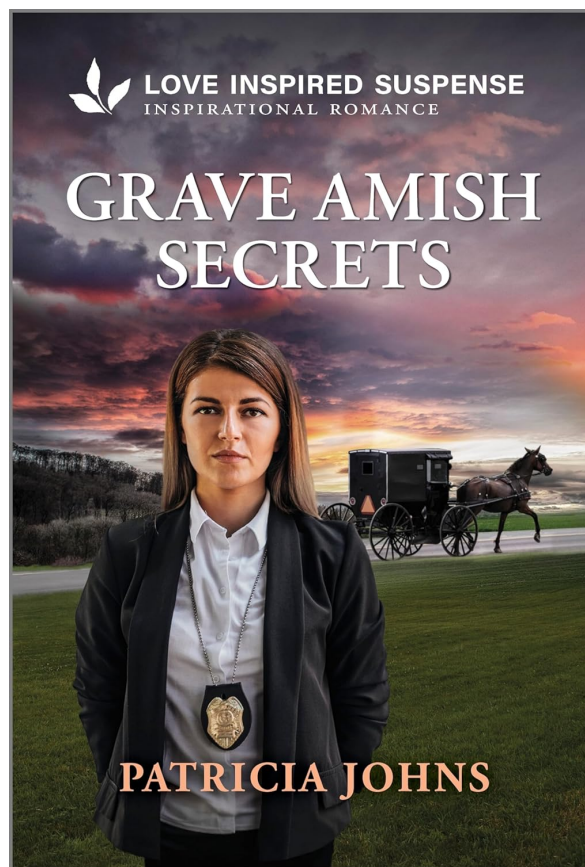
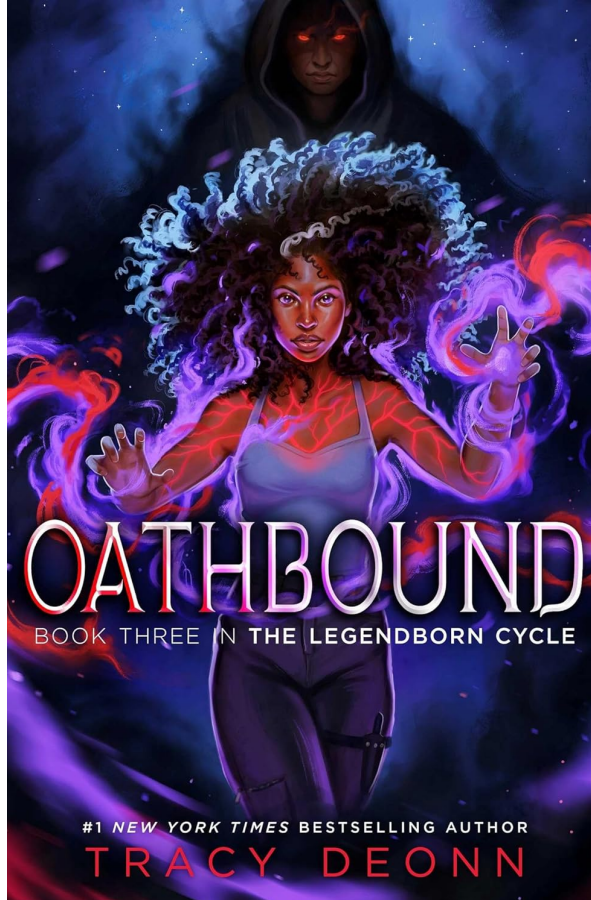
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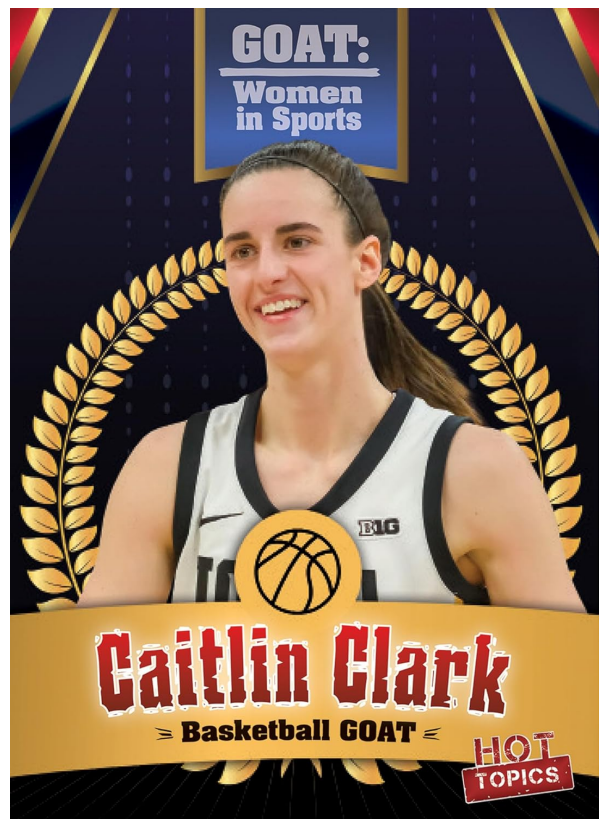
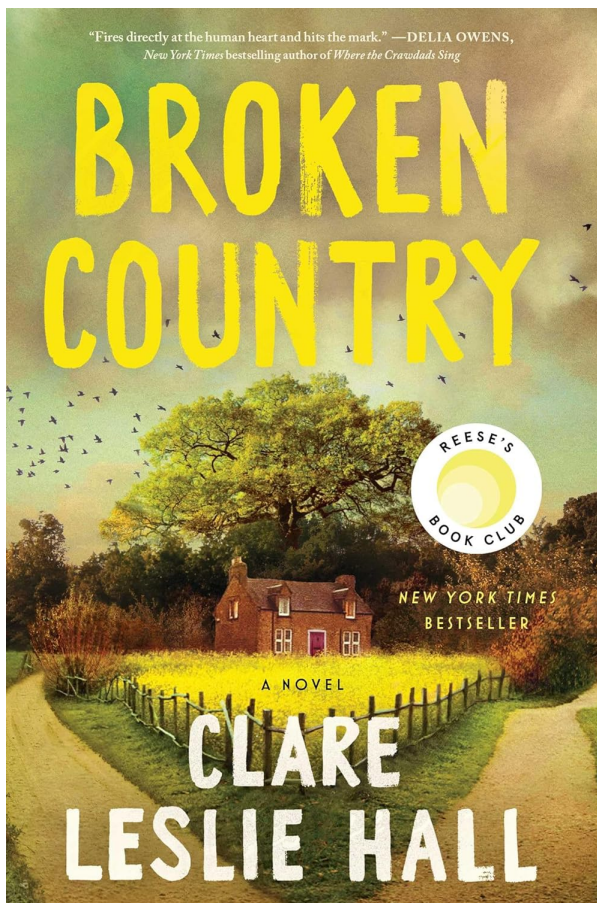
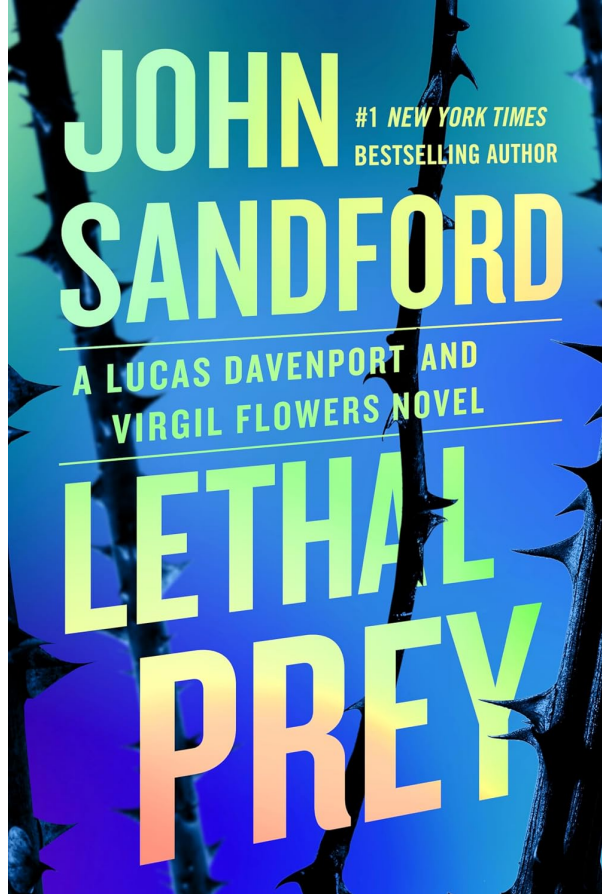
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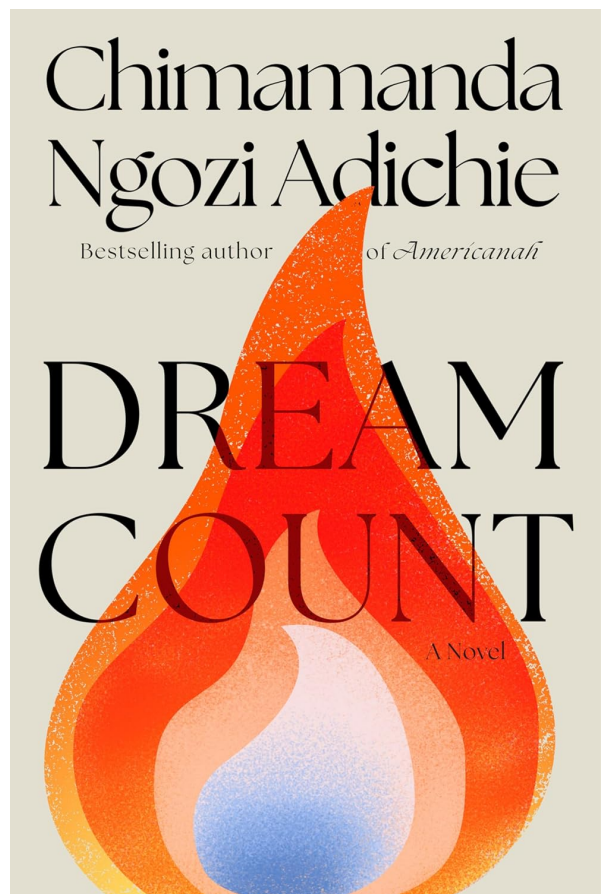
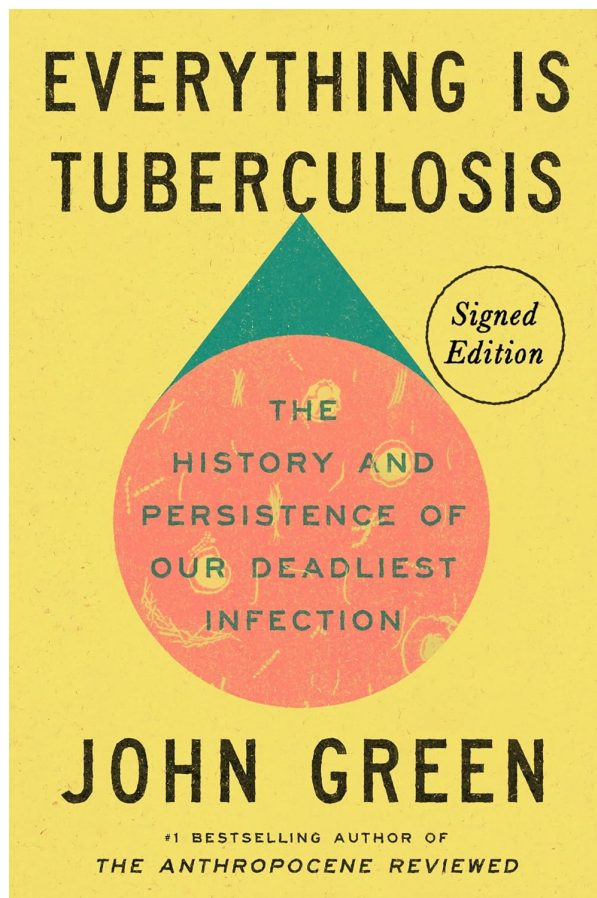
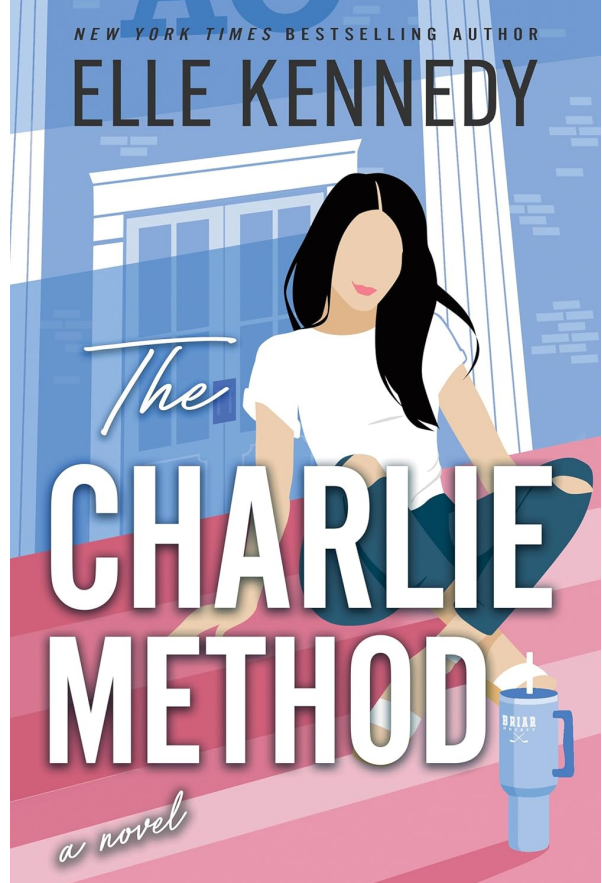
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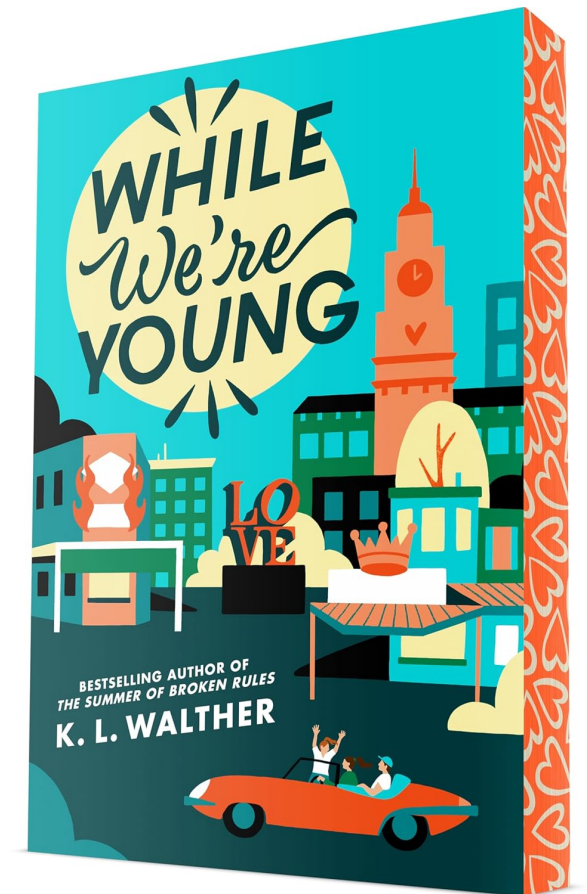
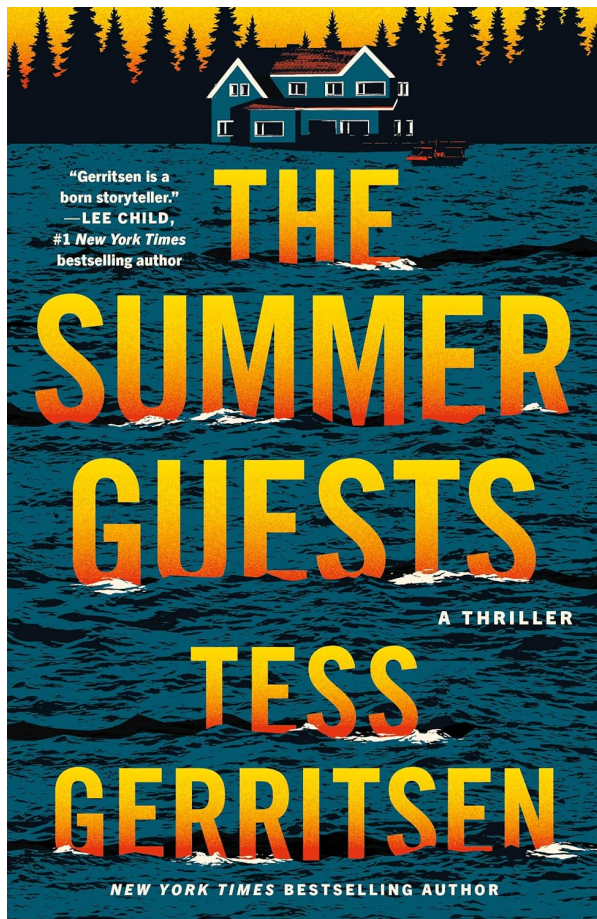
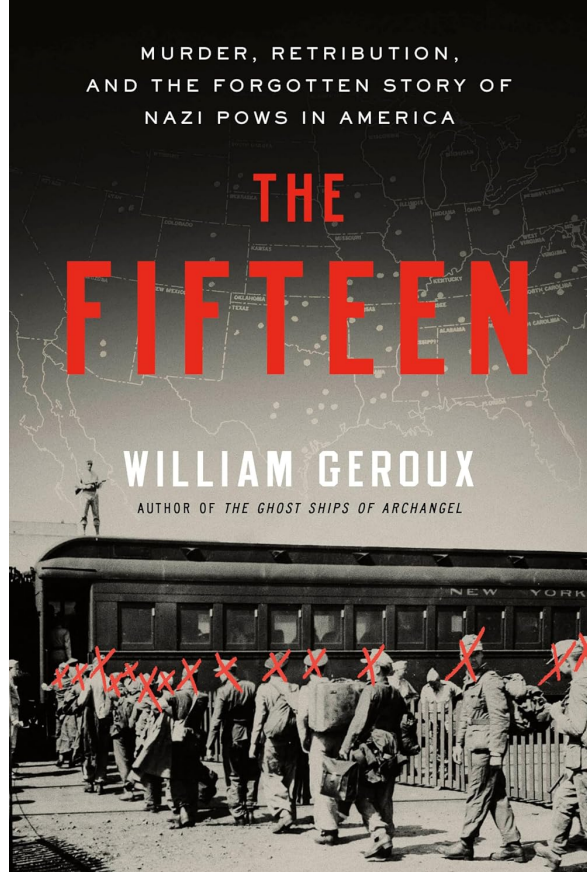
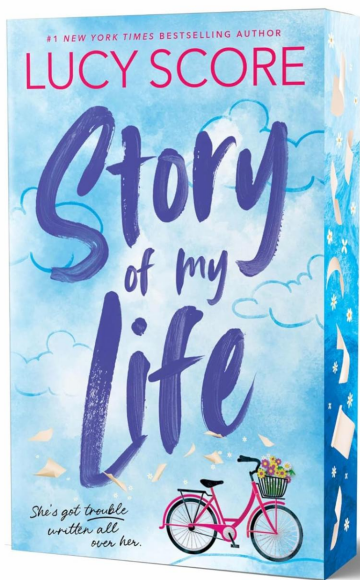




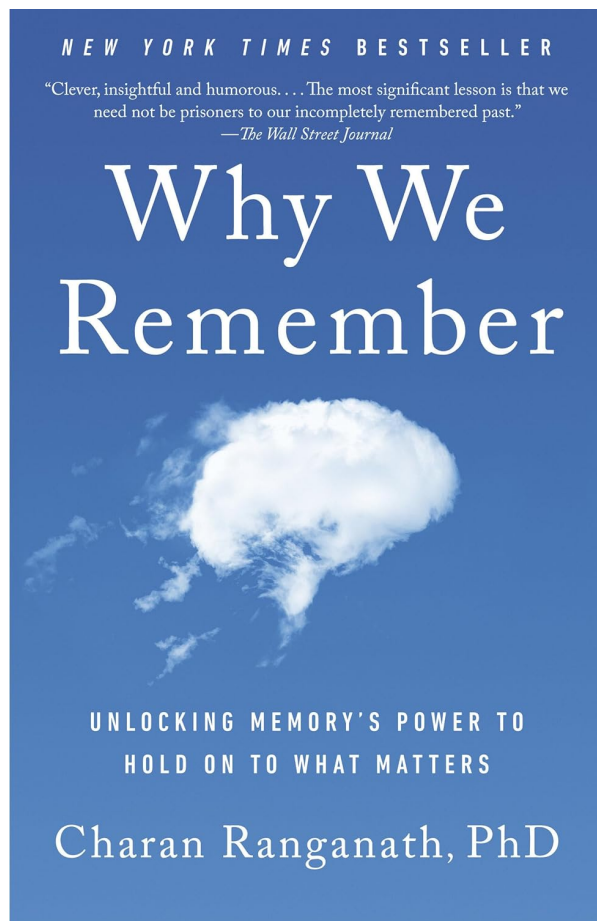
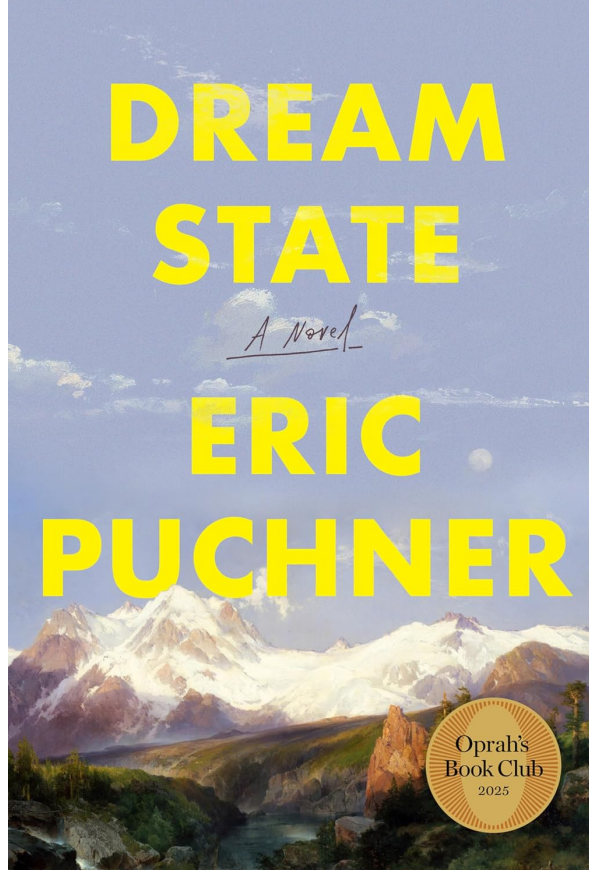
















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