

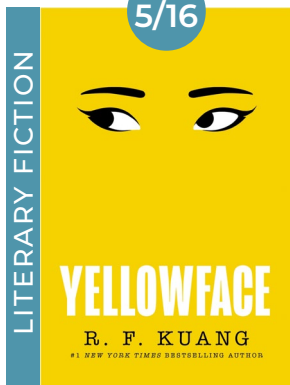


book buzz

SUMMER 2023

All the newest, buzzworthy book releases.

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[Yellowface](#)
by R.F. Kuang

White lies. Dark humor. Deadly consequences. Juniper Song is not who she says she is, a bestselling Asian American author. How far will she go to hide the truth?

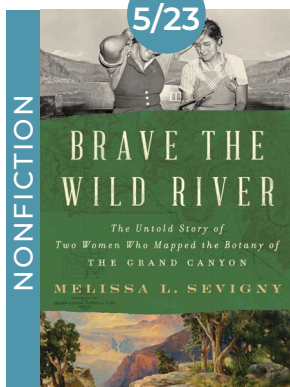
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[Mrs. Nash's Ashes](#)
by Sarah Adler

Millicent is a starry-eyed romantic who is determined to keep a promise that takes her on a madcap road trip with some unlikely travel companions, all in the name of love.

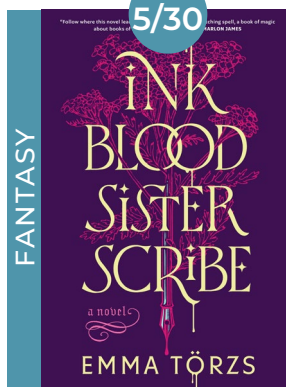
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[Brave the Wild River](#)
by Melissa L. Sevigny

Summer 1938. Two pioneering female botanists set off on an historic – and sometimes treacherous – boat trip down the Colorado River on an unprecedented survey of the Grand Canyon's wilds.

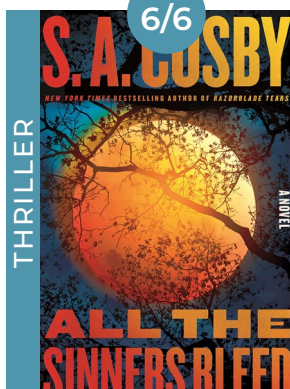
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[Ink Blood Sister Scribe](#)
by Emma Törzs

Two estranged half-sisters tasked with guarding their family's library of magical books must work together to unravel a deadly secret at the heart of their collection in this tale of loyalty, betrayal, magic, and power. For fans of Leigh Bardugo.

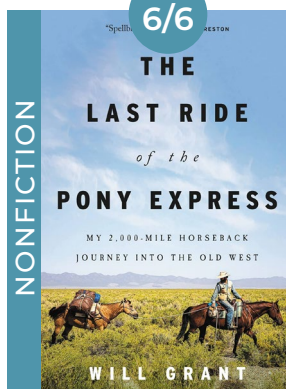
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[All the Sinners Bleed](#)
by S. A. Cosby

Recently elected Sheriff Titus Crowne is thrown into a tangled web of Southern small-town secrets as he tracks down a killer who is hiding in plain sight.

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[Last Ride of the Pony Express](#)
by Will Grant

Follow Will Grant's journey across the Pony Express trail as he captures the spirit of the American West through encounters with ranchers, businesspeople, farmers, and historians along the trail.



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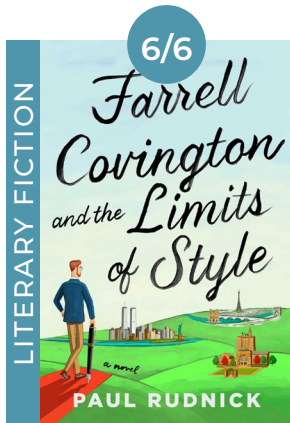
Same Time Next Summer
by Annabel Monaghan

Sam has the perfect job and the perfect fiancé, but when she runs into her first love – the one who broke her heart 14 years ago – her perfect life is turned upside down.



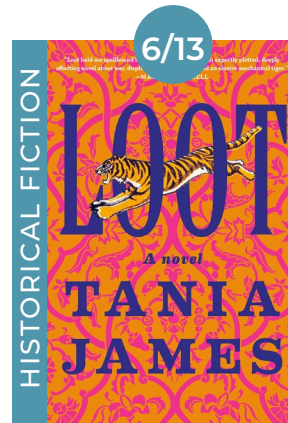
Everything's Fine
by Cecilia Rabess

When Jess lands a new job, she finds herself face-to-face with an old adversary. Their working relationship soon turns romantic but leaves Jess questioning whether it is more important to be happy than right.



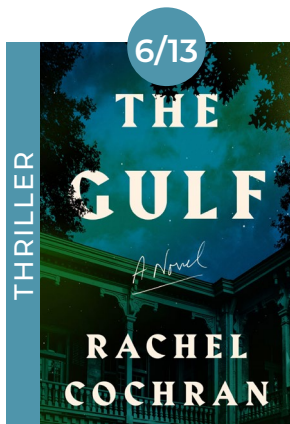
Farrell Covington and the Limits of Style
by Paul Rudnick

Insanely rich Farrell and aspiring middle-class author Nate find themselves in a passionate, catastrophic, decades-long romance that, at its heart, is a story of chances lost and found.



Loot
by Tania James

A hero's quest, a love story, a young artist, and an exuberant heist adventure that traces the bloody legacy of colonialism across two continents and fifty years.



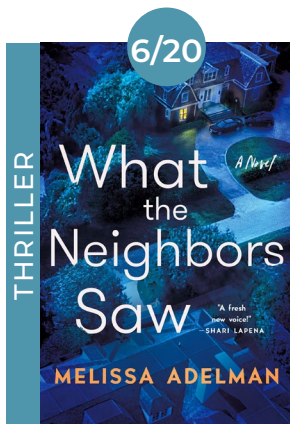
The Gulf
by Rachel Cochran

Texas, 1970s. Twenty-nine-year-old Lou thought she was just renovating her late elderly neighbor's mansion, but as people begin to show back up and secrets are revealed, everything becomes much more sinister.



Surviving Sky
by Kritika Rao

In a world held together by tradition, technology, and arcane society, the last of humanity is left floating high above in a city, threatening to plummet down to the planet below.



What the Neighbors Saw
by Melissa Adelman

In a chilling story of murder and intrigue set in a well-to-do DC suburb, sometimes the darkest acts occur in the most beautiful houses. For fans of *The Couple Next Door* and *Desperate Housewives*.



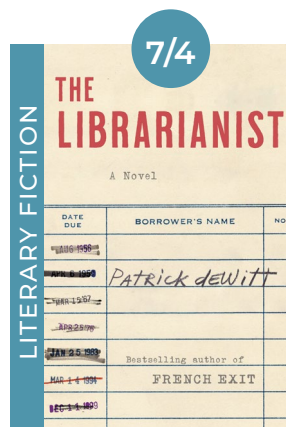
Dead Eleven
by Jimmy Juliano

As a grieving mother tries to come to terms with her son's mysterious death, she is pulled deep into an island's strange, complicated, and insular world.



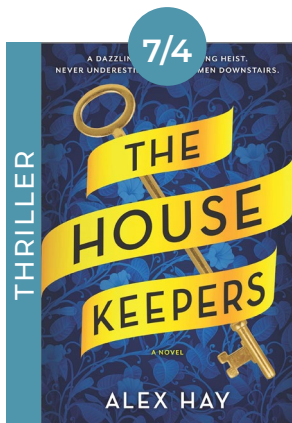
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[Charlotte Illes is Not a Detective](#)
 by Katie Sigel

Charlotte Illes had an uncanny knack for sleuthing as a child but now at 25, as she is pulled into one last mystery, everything is much more complicated.



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[Librarianist](#)
 by Patrick deWitt

Retired librarian Bob Comet begins volunteering at a senior center where, following a happenstance brush with a painful complication from his past, the events of his life and the details of his character are revealed.



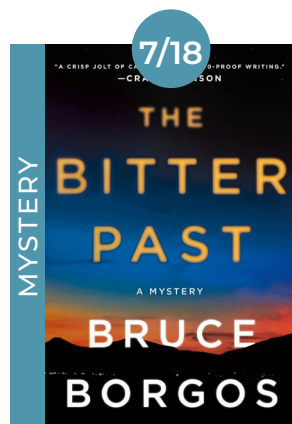
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[The Housekeepers](#)
 by Alex Hay

On the night of London's grandest ball, a bold group of women downstairs launch a daring revenge heist against Mayfair society in this dazzling historical novel about power, gender, and class.



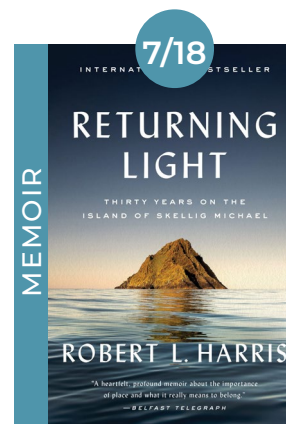
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[Good Fortune](#)
 by C.K. Chau

Debut author Chau reimagines Pride and Prejudice set in contemporary Chinatown, exploring class divides, family ties, cultural identity, and the pleasures and frustrations of love.



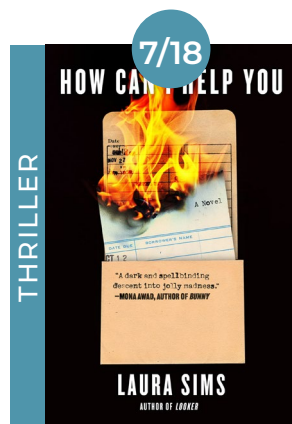
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[Bitter Past](#)
 by Bruce Borgos

A Nevada sheriff races to solve two murders committed decades apart in a high-stakes game of international treason. For fans of CJ Box and Craig Johnson.



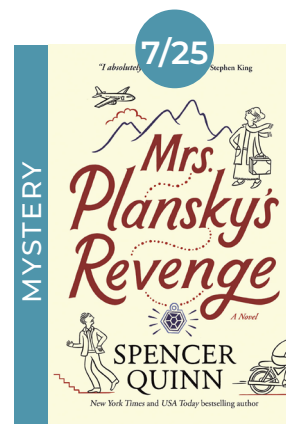
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[Returning Light](#)
 by Robert L. Harris

In 1987 Robert Harris set up camp in one of Ireland's most remote locations, unaware that he would be making that same journey every May for the next 30 years.



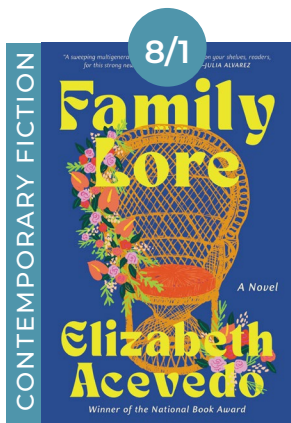
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[How Can I Help You](#)
 by Laura Sims

When a patron turns up dead, the lives of small-town librarians Margo and Patricia become dangerously intertwined. Something sinister is lurking in the stacks; could it be one of them?



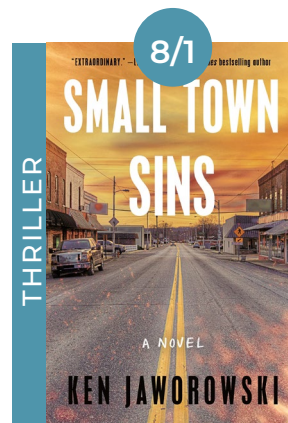
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[Mrs. Plansky's Revenge](#)
 by Spencer Quinn

When a retired grandmother is swindled out of her life savings, she follows her only clue on a whirlwind adventure to a small Romanian village to get her money and her dignity back.



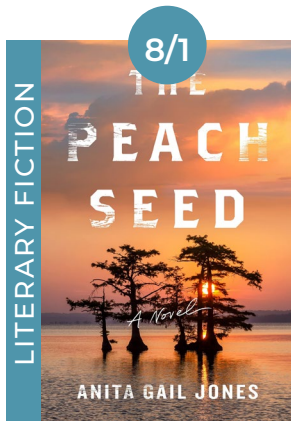
Family Lore
by Elizabeth Acevedo

The story of one Dominican-American family told through the voices of its women as they await a gathering that will forever change their lives.



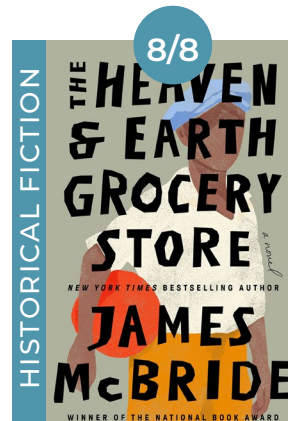
Small Town Sins
by Ken Jaworowski

This evocative debut captures the characters of a down-and-out community in Pennsylvania's Rust Belt, revealing their troubled pasts and the crimes that could cost them their lives.



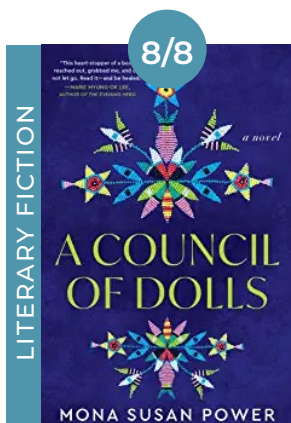
Peach Seed
by Anita Gail Jones

Fletcher Dukes and Altovise Benson reunite after decades apart—and a mountain of secrets—to explore the repercussions of a single choice in this family portrait of sorrow, joy, and strength.



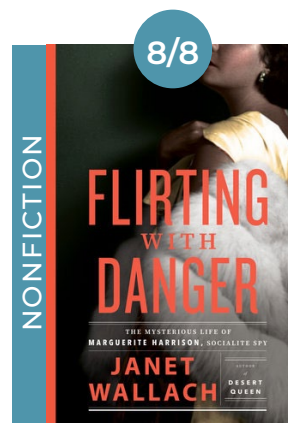
The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store
by James McBride

In 1972, when workers were digging the foundations for a new development, the last thing they expected to uncover was a skeleton at the bottom of a well and the long-buried secrets surrounding it.



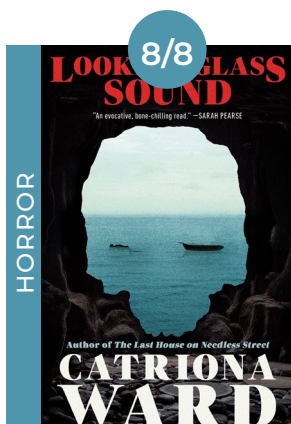
A Council of Dolls
by Mona Susan Power

Three generations of Yanktonai Dakota women from the 19th century to the present day shine a light on the echoing damage wrought by Indian boarding schools and through the stories of the dolls they carried.



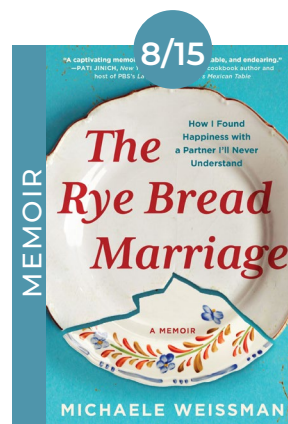
Flirting with Danger
by Janet Wallach

Fans of *Woman of No Importance* will enjoy the true story of Baltimore socialite Marguerite Harrison, who spied for U.S. military intelligence in Russia and Germany in the fraught period between the world wars.



Looking Glass Sound
by Catriona Ward

Wilder Harlow begins the last book he will ever write: the story of his childhood summer companions and the killer that stalked the small town. But as Wilder writes, the lines between memory and fiction blur.



The Rye Bread Marriage
by Michaela Weissman

A humorous and unusual love story about learning to live with another human being and how every relationship is a mystery—and a miracle.