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A Kind of Freedom Bristol Green Publishing Throughout his career, David Grossman has been a voice for peace and reconciliation in the Israeli-Palestinian divide. In this groundbreaking collection of essays on literature and politics, he addresses the conscience of

present-day Israel, a country that has lost faith in its leaders and its ideals. Writing in the Dark ends with the speech in which Grossman famously attacked Israel's disastrous Lebanon war that tragically took the life of his twenty-one-year-old son, Uri. Moving, brave and clearsighted, these essays on literature, political ethics and the morality of the imagination are a cri de coeur from a calm voice of reason at a time of doubt and despair.

The Slaughterman's Daughter Open Road

Media "If the Coen brothers ever ventured beyond the in late-nineteenth-United States for their films, they would find ample material in this novel." --The New York Times Book Review "Occasionally a book comes along so as a vilde chaya fresh, strange, and (wild animal), original that it seems peerless, utterly unprecedented. This shtetl in the Pale is one of those books." -Kirkus Reviews (starred review) **Winner of anxiety-ridden the 2021 Wingate Literary Prize** **Finalist for the 2021 National Jewish Book Awards, to Minsk, "Book Club Award"** abandoning her and

An irresistible, picaresque tale of two Jewish sisters century Russia, The Slaughterman's Daughter is filled with "boundless imagination and a vibrant style" (David Grossman). With her reputation Fanny Keismann isn't like the other women in her of Settlement-certa inly not her obedient and sister, Mende, whose "philosopher" of a husband, Zvi-Meir, has run off

their two children. sets off to track As a young girl, Fanny felt an inexorable pull toward her father's the mute and profession of ritual slaughterer and, under his reluctant guidance, became a master with a knife. And though she long ago gave up that unsuitable profession-she's now the wife of a cheesemaker and a mother of five-Fanny still keeps the knife tied to her right leg. Which might come in handy when, heedless of the dangers facing a Jewish woman Comma Press traveling alone in czarist Russia, she

down Zvi-Meir and bring him home, with the help of mysterious ferryman Zizek Breshov, an ex-soldier with his own sensational past. Yaniv Iczkovits spins a family drama into a far-reaching comedy of errors that will pit the czar's army against the Russian secret police and threaten the very foundations of the Russian Empire. The Slaughterman's Daughter is a rollicking and unforgettable work of fiction. A Horse Walks Into a Bar A long lost library. A priceless

manuscript. A deadly secret... About to depart on his first vacation in years, Edward Wozny, a young hot-shot banker, is sent to help one of his firm's most important and mysterious clients. When asked to unpack and organise a personal library of rare books, Edward's indignation turns to intrigue as he realises that secrets that could threaten his life among the volumes there may be hidden a unique medieval codex, a treasure kept sealed away for many years and for many reasons. to sacrifice along the way? Edward's intrigue becomes an obsession that only deepens as friends draw him into a peculiar and addictive computer game, as mystifying parallels between the game's virtual reality and the legend of the codex emerge and the lines between reality, fantasy and mysterious legend start to blur ...

The Zigzag Kid Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Deaf since early childhood, Caleb Zelic used to meet life head-on. Now he's struggling just to get through the day. His best mate is dead, his ex-wife, Kat, is avoiding him, and nightmares haunt his waking hours. But

when a young woman is killed after pleading for his help in sign language, Caleb is determined to find out who she was. And the trail leads straight to his hometown, Resurrection Bay. The town is on bushfire alert and simmering with racial tensions. As he delves deeper, Caleb uncovers and any chance of reuniting with Kat. Driven by his demons, he pushes on. But who is he willing

Mr. Splitfoot

McClelland & Stewart In exhilarating and lucid prose, Grossman gives us a provocative new take on the story of Samson: his battle with the lion, the three hundred burning foxes, the women he bedded. the one he loved and who betrayed him and the destruction of the temple. It reveals the journey of a lonely and tortured soul, whose

search for a true home INFLUENTIAL BOOKS echoes our own private OF THE DECADE, AND struggles. ONE OF ENTERTAINMENT Death as a Way of Life WEEKLY'S BEST **Ppct Research Publications** BOOKS OF THE #1 NEW YORK TIMES DECADE ONE OF THE **BESTSELLER** • The TEN BEST BOOKS OF " mercilessly THE YEAR: Janet entertaining" (Vanity Maslin, The New York Fair) instant classic Times, People, " about the nature of Entertainment Weekly, identity and the O: The Oprah terrible secrets that Magazine, Slate, can survive and thrive Kansas City Star, USA in even the most Today, Christian intimate relationships " Science Monitor On a (Lev Grossman, Time warm summer morning " One of the Best Booksin North Carthage, of the Decade ")-now Missouri, it is Nick and featuring never-before-Amy Dunne's fifth published deleted wedding anniversary. scenes ONE OF Presents are being TIME'S 100 BEST wrapped and MYSTERY AND reservations are being THRILLER BOOKS OF made when Nick 's ALL TIME, ONE OF clever and beautiful **CNN'S MOST** wife disappears.

Husband-of-the-Year Post-Dispatch, The Nick isn 't doing himselfChicago Tribune, any favors with cringe-HuffPost, Newsday See Under: LOVE Penguin worthy daydreams Winner of the National about the slope and Book Award for Fiction shape of his wife 's Introduction by Jhumpa head, but passages Lahiri Bernard Malamud's from Amy's diary first book of short stories. reveal the alpha-girl The Magic Barrel, has perfectionist could have been recognized as a classic from the time it put anyone dangerously was published in 1959. on edge. Under The stories are set in New mounting pressure from York and in Italy (where the police and the Malamud's alter ego, the media-as well as struggleing New York Jewish Painter Arthur Amy's fiercely doting Fidelman, roams amid the parents-the town ruins of old Europe in golden boy parades an search of his artistic endless series of lies, patrimony); they tell of deceits. and egg candlers and inappropriate behavior. shoemakers, matchmakers, and rabbis, in a voice that Nick is oddly evasive, blends vigorous urban and he's definitely realism, Yiddish idiom, and bitter-but is he really a a dash of artistic magic. killer? ONE OF THE The Magic Barrel is a book BEST BOOKS OF THE about New York and about YEAR: San Francisco the immigrant experience, and it is high point in the Chronicle, St. Louis

modern American short story. Few books of any kind have managed to depict struggle and frustration and heartbreak with such delight, or such artistry.

Sleeping on a Wire ABRAMS

Canada's premier author of historical mystery fiction returns with a brand new and highly anticipated Murdoch Mystery, with an older and wiser Detective Murdoch. It is November 1917. The Great War is grinding on, chewing up young men by the thousands. Initially, in the loyal Dominion of Canada, people are mostly eager to support the Motherland and fight for the Empire. Men perceived as slackers or cowards are shunned. But the carnage is horrendous and with enforced conscription, the enthusiasm for war is dimming. William Murdoch is a widower, a senior detective who, thanks to

the new temperance laws, spends his time tracking down bootleggers and tipplers; most unsatisfying. His wife, Amy, died giving birth to their second child. a girl who lived only a few hours more. Murdoch. racked by grief, withdrew from four-year-old, Jack. This he regrets and would dearly love to make up for his negligence. As we enter the story, Jack, now twentyone, has returned from France after being wounded and gassed at the Battle of Passchendaele. It is soon apparent that he is deeply troubled but he's not confiding in his father. He does, however, seem to be bound by shared secrets to another wounded former soldier, Percy McKinnon. Murdoch suddenly has much more serious crimes than rum-running on his hands. The night after Jack and McKinnon arrive home, a young man is found stabbed to death in the impoverished area of

Toronto known as the Ward. Soon after, Murdoch has to deal with a tragic suicide, also a young man. Two more murders follow in quick succession. The only common denominator is that all of the men were exempted from conscription. Increasingly worried that Jack knows more than he is letting on. Murdoch must solve these crimes before more innocents lose their lives. It imagining these is a solution that will give him only sorrow. Land of Cockaigne Vintage " Mamet 's intellectual

"Mamet's intellectual rigor is evident on every page. There is not a wasted word " in this novel based on the wrongful murder conviction of a Jewish man (Time Out). In 1913, a young woman was found murdered in the National Pencil Factory in Atlanta. The investigation focused on the Jewish manager of the factory, Leo Frank, who was subsequently forced to stand trial for the crime he didn 't commit and railroaded to a life sentence in prison. Shortly after being incarcerated, he was abducted from his cell and lynched in front of a gleeful mob. In vividly rehorrifying events, Pulitzer Prize – winning author David Mamet inhabits the consciousness of the condemned man to create a novel whose every word seethes with anger over prejudice and injustice. The Old Religion is infused with the dynamic force and the remarkable ear that have made David Mamet one of the most acclaimed voices of our

contemporary civilian time. It stands beside To society. Psychologist and Kill a Mockingbird as a US Army Ranger Dave powerful exploration of Grossman writes that the justice, racism, and the vast majority of soldiers " rush to judgment." are loath to pull the trigger " Mamet 's philosophical in battle. Unfortunately, intensity, concision, and modern armies, using unpredictable narrative Pavlovian and operant strategies are at their full conditioning, have power. " — The Washingtoneveloped sophisticated Post "In this historical ways of overcoming this novel, playwright, instinctive aversion. The filmmaker, and novelist mental cost for members of the military, as witnessed Mamet presents by the increase in postdisturbing cameos of traumatic stress, is Jewish uncertainty in a devastating. The Christian world." sociological cost for the -Library Journal "The rest of us is even worse: horror of the story is Contemporary civilian beautifully countered by society, particularly the the unusual grace of media, replicates the Mamet's prose." — The army's conditioning Irish Times techniques and, Grossman Che tu sia per me il coltello argues, is responsible for Picador the rising rate of murder A controversial and violence, especially psychological examination among the young. Drawing of how soldiers ' from interviews, personal willingness to kill has been accounts, and academic encouraged and exploited studies, On Killing is an to the detriment of important look at the

techniques the military uses York Times Book Review to overcome the powerful NAMED ONE OF THE reluctance to kill, of how BEST BOOKS OF THE killing affects the soldier, YEAR BY TIME AND and of the societal NPR Inspired by the implications of escalating Cervantes classic, Sam violence. DuChamp, mediocre On Killing Farrar, Straus writer of spy thrillers, and Giroux creates Quichotte, a NEW YORK TIMES courtly, addled salesman **BESTSELLER** • An epic obsessed with television Don Quixote for the who falls in impossible modern age, " a brilliant, love with a TV star. funny, world-Together with his encompassing wonder " (imaginary) son Sancho, (Time) from Quichotte sets off on a internationally picaresque quest across bestselling author America to prove worthy Salman Rushdie of her hand, gallantly SHORTLISTED FOR braving the tragicomic THE MAN BOOKER perils of an age where PRIZE • "Lovely, " Anything-Can-Happen." unsentimental, heart-Meanwhile, his creator, in affirming . . . a a midlife crisis, has remembrance of what equally urgent challenges holds our human lives in of his own. Just as some equilibrium—a way Cervantes wrote Don of feeling and a way of Quixote to satirize the telling. Love and culture of his time, language. "-Jeanette Rushdie takes the reader Winterson, The New

on a wild ride through a dimensional game of snakes and ladders. . . country on the verge of moral and spiritual This novel can fly, it can collapse. And with the float, it's anecdotal, kind of storytelling magic effervescent, charming, that is the hallmark of and a jolly good story to Rushdie 's work, the fullyboot. "-The Sunday realized lives of Times "Quichotte [is] an DuChamp and Quichotte updating of Cervantes 's intertwine in a profoundly story that proves to be human guest for love and an equally complicated a wickedly entertaining literary encounter. portrait of an age in jumbling together a which fact is so often chivalric quest, a satire indiscernible from fiction. on Trump's America and Praise for Quichotte a whole lot of "Brilliant . . . a perfect fitpostmodern playfulness for a moment of in a novel that is as sharp as a flick-knife and as transcontinental derangement." - Financialclever as a barrel of Times "Quichotte is one monkeys.... This is a of the cleverest, most novel that feeds the heart enjoyable metafictional while it fills the capers this side of mind. "—The Times (UK) postmodernism.... The To the End of the Land narration is fleet of foot. **Random House** always one step ahead of NATIONAL the reader—somewhere **BESTSELLER** • A between a pinball stunning novel that machine and a threetells the powerful story

of Ora, an Israli mother, begins to conjure her and her extraordinary son. Ofer 's story, as love for her son, Ofer, told by Ora, becomes a in a haunting meditation surprising balm both for on war and family. "Onener and for Avram. of the few novels that The Journal of Helene Berr Crown feel as though they NATIONAL BESTSELLER have made a difference • From the winner of the to the world "-The Nobel Prize in Literature New York Times Book and author of Never Let Review Just before his Me Go and the Booker release from service in Prize – winning novel The Remains of the Day comes the Israeli army, Ora's a luminous meditation on son Ofer is sent back to the act of forgetting and the front for a major the power of memory. In offensive. In a fit of post-Arthurian Britain, the preemptive grief and wars that once raged magical thinking, so between the Saxons and the Britons have finally that no bad news can ceased. AxI and Beatrice, reach her, Ora sets out an elderly British couple, on an epic hike in the set off to visit their son. Galilee. She is joined whom they haven't seen in by an unlikely years. And, because a companion-Avram, a strange mist has caused mass amnesia throughout former friend and lover the land, they can scarcely with a troubled remember anything about past—and as they sleep him. As they are joined on out in the hills. Ora their journey by a Saxon

warrior, his orphan charge, and an illustrious knight, AxI and Beatrice slowly begin to remember the dark and troubled past they all share. By turns savage, suspenseful, and intensely moving, The Buried Giant is a luminous meditation on the act of forgetting and the power of memory. Unfettered A&C Black A beautifully written food memoir chronicling one woman's journey from her rural Midwestern hometown to the intoxicating world of New York City fine dining-and back againsearch of her culinary roots Before Amy Thielen frantically plated rings of truffled potatoes in some of New York City 's finest kitchens-for chefs David Bouley, Daniel Boulud, and Jean-Georges Vongerichten—she grew up in a northern

Minnesota town home to the nation 's largest French fry factory, the headwaters of the fast food nation, with a mother whose generous cooking dripped with tenderness, drama, and an overabundance of butter. Inspired by her grandmother's tales of cooking in the family farmhouse. Thielen moves north with her artist husband to a rustic. off-the-grid cabin deep in the woods. There. standing at the stove -inthree times a day, she finds the seed of a growing food obsession that leads her to the sensory madhouse of New York 's top haute cuisine brigades. But, like a magnet, the foods of her youth draw her back home, where she comes face to face with her past and a curious truth: that

beneath every foie gras sauce lies a rural foundation of potatoes and onions. Amy Thielen's coming-of-age she loves. In 1982, story pulses with energy, Evelyn's daughter, a cook 's eye for intimateJackie, is a frazzled detail, and a dose of dry Midwestern humor, Give a Girl a Knife offers a fresh, vivid view into New York's high-end restaurants before returning Thielen to her roots, where she realizes that the marrow running through her bones is not demi-glace but gravy-thick with nostalgia and hard to resist. And Fire Came Down Harmony Evelyn is a Creole woman who comes of age in New Orleans at the height of World War II. Her family inhabits the upper echelon of Black society, and when

she falls for no-account Renard, she is forced to choose between her life of privilege and the man single mother grappling with her absent husband's drug addiction. Just as she comes to terms with his abandoning the family, he returns, ready to resume their old life. Jackie's son. T.C., loves the creative process of growing marijuana more than the weed itself. He was a square before Hurricane Katrina, but the New Orleans he knew didn't survive the storm. Fresh out of a fourmonth stint for drug charges, T.C. decides to start over-until an old friend convinces him to stake his new beginning on one last deal.

<u>Lovers and Strangers</u> John Murray

"Wholly original . . . the work of the newest major talent in fantasy." - The Wall Street Journal " Freakishly compelling . . . through heart-thumping acts of violence and laughout-loud moments. this book practically dares you to keep reading. "-Atlanta Magazine A missing God. A library with the secrets to the universe. A woman too busy to notice her heart slipping away. Carolyn's not so different from the other people around her. She likes guacamole and cigarettes and steak. She knows how to use a phone. Clothes are a bit tricky, but everyone says nice things about her outfit with the Christmas sweater over the gold bicycle shorts. After all, she was a normal American herself once. That was a long time ago, of course. Before her parents died. Before she and the others were taken

in by the man they called Father. In the years since then, Carolyn hasn't had a chance to get out much. Instead, she and her adopted siblings have been raised according to Father's ancient customs. They've studied the books in his Library and learned some of the secrets of his power. And sometimes, they've wondered if their cruel tutor might secretly be God. Now, Father is missing—perhaps even dead-and the Library that holds his secrets stands unguarded. And with it, control over all of creation. As Carolyn gathers the tools she needs for the battle to come, fierce competitors for this prize align against her, all of them with powers that far exceed her own. But Carolyn has accounted for this. And Carolyn has a plan. The only trouble is that in the war to make a new God, she's forgotten to protect the things that

make her human. Populated by an unforgettable cast of characters and propelled by a plot that will shock you again and again, The Library at Mount Char is at once horrifying and hilarious, mind-blowingly alien and heartbreakingly human, sweepingly visionary and nail-bitingly thrilling—and signals the arrival of a major new voice una pasión vital. La in fantasy. Praise for The Library at Mount Char An engrossing fantasy world full of supernatural beings and gruesome consequences."-Boston Globe "Vivid . . . the dialogue sings . . . you'll spend equal time shuddering and chortling."-Dallas Morning News" Pale Fire A&C Black Una bell í sima historia de amor de la mano de uno de los grandes escritores israel í es de la actualidad. Yair, un vendedor de libros

neur ó tico y adoqu í n, escribe una carta desesperada a Miriam, una hermosa mujer extranjera que encuentra en una reunión de antiguos alumnos. Este acto inocente desemboca en una relación epistolar entre ambos, infelizmente casados y anhelantes de correspondencia entre ellos reactivar á sentimientos escondidos desde hace tiempo y adquirir á el aire de las confesiones jam á s desveladas. Reseñas: « En esta novela extraordinaria, Grossman despliega todas sus armas. Es un trabajo de ficci ó n totalmente logrado, un torrente de las emociones más profundas.» The New York Times Book Review « Grossman revela la amplitud de su visión

universal y de su enorme talento.» Le Monde des Livres Lion's Honey Farrar, Straus and Giroux A bestselling love story of two teenagers - and one missing dog - on the run in Jerusalem by the highly esteemed author of The Zigzag Kid 'Brings together the differing aspects of his writing in a book that unites social realism and dizzv teenage romance ... This is a book about feelings, about highs and lows, chemical, emotional, religious' Daily Telegraph Earnest, awkward and painfully shy, sixteen-yearold Assaf is having the worst summer of his life. With his big sister gone and his best friend suddenly the most popular kid in their class. Assaf spends his days at a lowly summer job in Jerusalem City Hall and his evenings alone, watching television and playing games on the

Internet. One morning, Assaf's routine is interrupted by an absurd assignment: to find the owner of a stray yellow labrador. Meanwhile on the other side of the city, Tamar, a talented singer with a lonely, tempestuous soul, undertakes an equally unpromising mission: to rescue a young drug addict from the Jerusalem underworld ... and. eventually, to find her dog. Let Darkness Bury the Dead Farrar, Straus and Giroux The novel tells the story of a platonic relationship between a man and a woman, who are each married to someone else. The book is made up of letters written by the man, Yair, and the woman, Miriam. On Combat Haus Pub. The strange odysseys of two young women

animate this "hypnotic

and glowing " American gothic novel that blurs the line between the real and the supernatural (Gregory Maguire, The New York Times Book Review). A New York Times Editors' Choice A on foot. Where is she Paris Review Staff Pick Ruth and Nat are seventeen. They are orphans living at The Love of Christ! Foster Home in upstate New York. And they may be able to talk to the dead. Enter Mr. Bell, a con man stories. "-The New with mystical interests who knows an opportunity when he sees one. Together they embark on an unexpected journey that connects meteor sites, utopian communities, lost mothers, and a scar that maps its way across Ruth's face. Decades later, Ruth visits her niece, Cora. But while

Ruth used to speak to the dead, she now doesn ' t speak at all. Even so, she leads Cora on a mysterious mission that involves crossing the entire state of New York taking them? And who-or what-is hidden in the woods at the end of the road? " [A] gripping novel...The narratives. which twist together into a shocking dénouement, are marked by ghost Yorker