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"With her debut erotic romance CRASH INTO YOU, Roni Loren has penned a sexy, sizzling tale that is sure to have readers begging for more!" -Jo Davis, author of I Spy a Dark Obsession
Brynn LeBreck has dedicated herself to helping women in crisis, but she never imagined how personal her work

would get, or where it would take her. Her younger sister is missing, suspected to be hiding from cops and criminals alike at a highly secretive BDSM retreat-a place where the elite escape to play out their most extreme sexual fantasies. To find her, Brynn must go undercover as a sexual submissive.

Unfortunately, The Ranch is invitation only. And the one master who can get her in is from the darkest corner of Brynn's past. Brynn knows what attorney Reid Jamison is like once stripped of his conservative suit and tie. Years ago she left herself vulnerable only to have him crush her heart. Now she needs him again. Back on top.

And he's all too willing to engage. But as their primal desires and old wounds are exposed, the sexual games escalate—and so does the danger. Their hearts aren't the only things at risk. Someone else is watching, playing by his own rules. And his game could be murder. Crash Into You Simon & Schuster (UK)
Thirty-six of the most interesting

writers in the Pacific Northwest came together for a week-long marathon of writing live on stage. The result? Hotel Angeline, a truly inventive novel that surprises at every turn of the page. Something is amiss at the Hotel Angeline, a rickety former mortuary perched atop Capitol Hill in rain-soaked Seattle. Fourteen-year-old Alexis Austin is fixing the plumbing, the tea, and all the problems of the world, it seems, in her landlady mother's absence. The quirky tenants—a hilarious mix of misfits and rabble-rousers from days gone by—rely on Alexis all the more when they discover a plot to sell the Hotel. Can Alexis save their home? Find her real father? Deal with her surrogate dad's dicey past? Find

true love? Perhaps only their feisty pet crow, Habib, truly knows. Provoking interesting questions about the creative process, this novel is by turns funny, scary, witty, suspenseful, beautiful, thrilling, and unexpected.

The Beauty of Broken Harper Collins

"In the summer of 1990, 14-year-old Trevor Riddell gets his first glimpse of Riddell House. Built from the spoils of a massive timber fortune, the legendary family mansion is constructed of giant, whole trees, and is set on a huge estate overlooking Puget Sound. Trevor's bankrupt parents have begun a trial

separation, and his father, Jones Riddell, has brought Trevor to Riddell House for the summer with a goal: he will join forces with his sister, Serena, to dispatch Grandpa Samuel--who is flickering in and out of dementia--to a graduated living facility, sell off the house and property for development into "tract housing for millionaires," divide up the profits, and live happily ever after. But Trevor soon discovers there's someone else living in Riddell House: a ghost with an agenda of his own. For while the land holds tremendous value, it is also burdened by the final wishes of	the family patriarch, Elijah, that it be allowed to return to untamed forestland as a penance for the millions of trees harvested over the decades by Riddell Timber. As he uncovers secrets of his family's past that are hidden deep within the house, guided by the whisperings of the ghost, Trevor discovers a legacy of family trauma and terrible guilt. The ghost will not rest until Elijah's wish is fulfilled, and Trevor's willingness to face the past holds the key to his family's future"--	your best writing life. Whether you're a fledgling writer or a veteran with years of experience, fearlessness--that elusive blend of self-acceptance, confidence, and curiosity--is the defining quality of those who find fulfillment and success. Truly fearless authors banish writer's blocks with ease, receive critiques gracefully, and infuse their passion for the craft into every word they write. Filled with insightful wisdom and practical advice, Fearless Writing teaches you how to
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thrive as a writer, no matter your genre or career path. You'll learn how to:

- Find and enter a Flow state in which writing is a natural, deeply satisfying process.
- Quiet both internal and external critics and embrace the inherent value in your work.
- Use love, emotional engagement, and curiosity as the guiding principles for what you write and how you share it with others.

Overcome rejection, procrastination, and other obstacles that stifle your creativity. From the blank

page to the first draft, and from querying to marketing, the writing life is filled with challenges, roadblocks, and new experiences. With *Fearless Writing*, you'll find the inner strength to embark on a bold journey--and build a lifelong career in the process.

The Art of Racing in the Rain Harper Collins

The prize-winning, New York Times bestselling short story collection from the internationally bestselling author of *Lincoln in the Bardo* 'The best book you'll

read this year' New York Times 'Dazzlingly surreal stories about a failing America' Sunday Times
WINNER OF THE 2014 FOLIO PRIZE AND SHORTLISTED FOR THE NATIONAL BOOK AWARD
2013 George Saunders's most wryly hilarious and disturbing collection yet, *Tenth of December* illuminates human experience and explores figures lost in a labyrinth of troubling preoccupations. A family member recollects a backyard pole dressed for all occasions; Jeff faces

horrifying ultimatums and the prospect of Darkenfloxx(TM) in some unusual drug trials; and Al Roosten hides his own internal monologue behind a winning smile that he hopes will make him popular. With dark visions of the future riffing against ghosts of the past and the ever-settling present, this collection sings with astonishing charm and intensity.

The Death of Ivan Ilych

A&C Black

With an introduction by Rosamund Bartlett and an afterword by Tatiana

Tolstaya Turgenev's depiction of the conflict between generations and their ideals stunned readers when *Fathers and Sons* was first published in 1862. But many could also sympathize with Arkady's fascination with its nihilist hero whose story vividly captures the hopes and regrets of a changing Russia. For more than seventy years, Penguin has been the leading publisher of classic literature in the English-speaking world. With more than 1,700 titles, Penguin Classics represents a global

bookshelf of the best works throughout history and across genres and disciplines. Readers trust the series to provide authoritative texts enhanced by introductions and notes by distinguished scholars and contemporary authors, as well as up-to-date translations by award-winning translators.

A Sudden Light Harper

“Deeply moving, superbly crafted, and highly unconventional.”

—Washington Times
Raven Stole the Moon is the stunning first novel from

Garth Stein, author of the phenomenal New York Times bestseller *The Art of Racing in the Rain*. A profoundly poignant and unforgettable story of a grieving mother's return to a remote Alaskan town to make peace with the loss of her young son, *Raven Stole the Moon* combines intense emotion with Native American mysticism and a timeless and terrifying mystery, and earned raves for a young writer and his uniquely captivating imagination. When Jenna Rosen abandons her

comfortable Seattle life to visit Wrangell, Alaska, it's a wrenching return to her past. The old home of her Native American grandmother, Wrangell is located near the Thunder Bay resort, where Jenna's young son Bobby disappeared two years before. His body was never recovered, and Jenna is determined to lay to rest the aching mystery of his death. But whispers of ancient legends begin to suggest a frightening new possibility about Bobby's fate, and Jenna must sift through the beliefs of her ancestors, the

Tlingit -- who still tell of powerful, menacing forces at work in the Alaskan wilderness. Jenna is desperate for answers, and she appeals to a Tlingit shaman to help her sort fact from myth, and face the unthinkable possibilities head-on. Armed with nothing but a mother's ferocious protective instincts, Jenna's quest for the truth about her son -- and the strength of her beliefs -- is about to pull her into a terrifying and life-changing abyss....
With or Without You
Minotaur Books

The instant #1 New York Times bestseller. In time for the twentieth anniversary of 9/11, master storyteller Alan Gratz (Refugee) delivers a pulse-pounding and unforgettable take on history and hope, revenge and fear -- and the stunning links between the past and present. September 11, 2001, New York City: Brandon is visiting his dad at work, on the 107th floor of the World Trade Center. Out of nowhere, an airplane

slams into the tower, creating a fiery nightmare of terror and confusion. And Brandon is in the middle of it all. Can he survive -- and escape? September 11, 2019, Afghanistan: Reshmina has grown up in the shadow of war, but she dreams of peace and progress. When a battle erupts in her village, Reshmina stumbles upon a wounded American soldier named Taz. Should she help Taz -- and put herself and her family in

mortal danger? Two kids. One devastating day. Nothing will ever be the same.

Enzo Races in the Rain!

Open Road Media

When his son's mother dies and leaves him a single parent to Dean, a fourteen-year-old boy he has never met, Evan Wallace is forced to confront his music career and his epilepsy.

Racing in the Rain Phoemixx Classics Ebooks

NOW A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE FROM FOX 2000
STARRING MILO VENTIMIGLIA, AMANDA

SEYFRIED, AND KEVIN
COSTNER MEET THE DOG
WHO WILL SHOW THE
WORLD HOW TO BE HUMAN

The New York Times

bestselling novel from Garth
Stein—a heart-wrenching but
deeply funny and ultimately
uplifting story of family, love,
loyalty, and hope—a captivating
look at the wonders and
absurdities of human life . . . as
only a dog could tell it.

“Splendid.” —People “The
perfect book for anyone who
knows that compassion isn’t
only for humans, and that the
relationship between two souls
who are meant for each other
never really comes to an end.
Every now and then I’m lucky

enough to read a novel I can’t
stop thinking about: this is one
of them.” —Jodi Picoult “It’s
impossible not to love Enzo.”

—Minneapolis Star Tribune

“This old soul of a dog has
much to teach us about being
human. I loved this book.”

—Sara Gruen

Ground Zero Pocket Books

California high school

student Audrey Cuttler

dumps self-involved Evan,

the lead singer of a little

band called The Do-

Gooders. Evan writes,

“Audrey, Wait!,” a break-up

song that’s so good it

rockets up the billboard

charts. And Audrey is

suddenly famous! Now rabid
fans are invading her school.

People is running articles
about her arm-warmers. The
lead singer of the Lolitas
wants her as his muse. (And
the Internet is documenting
her every move!) Audrey
can’t hang out with her best
friend or get with her new
crush without being mobbed
by fans and paparazzi. Take
a wild ride with Audrey as
she makes headlines, has
outrageous amounts of fun,
confronts her ex on MTV,
and gets the chance to show
the world who she really is.

A Sudden Light Thomas

Nelson	world around him by	friendship—one that reminds
Now a family friendly major	watching TV and by listening	us all to celebrate the
motion picture from Fox	to the words of his best	triumph of the human (and
2000 Studios—featuring Milo	friend, Denny, an up-and-	canine) spirit.
Ventimiglia, Amanda	coming race car driver, and	<i>The Art of Racing in the</i>
Seyfried, and Kevin Costner	Denny's daughter, Zoë, his	<i>Rain</i> HarperCollins
as the voice of Enzo the	constant companion. Enzo	A heart-wrenching but
dog! In this young readers'	finds that life is just like	deeply funny and ultimately
edition of the New York	being on the racetrack—it	uplifting story of family, love,
Times bestselling adult	isn't simply about going fast.	loyalty, and hope--a
novel <i>The Art of Racing in</i>	Applying the rules of racing	captivating look at the
<i>the Rain</i> , meet one funny	to his world, Enzo takes on	wonders and absurdities of
mutt—Enzo, the lovable dog	his family's challenges and	human life . . . as only a dog
who tells this story. Enzo	emerges a hero. In the end,	could tell it
knows he is different from	Enzo holds in his heart the	<u><i>The Chocolate Money</i></u>
other dogs. Most dogs love	dream that Denny will go on	Simon and Schuster
to chase cars, but Enzo	to be a racing champion with	*NEW YORK TIMES
longs to race them. He	his daughter by his side. For	BESTSELLER* Gregg
learns about racing and the	theirs is an extraordinary	Hurwitz's New York Times

bestselling series returns when Orphan X faces his most challenging mission ever in Dark Horse. Evan Smoak is a man with many identities and a challenging past. As Orphan X, he was a government assassin for the off-the-books Orphan Program. After he broke with the Program, he adopted a new name and a new mission--The Nowhere Man, helping the most desperate in their times of trouble. Having just survived an attack on

his life and the complete devastation of his base of operations, as well as his complicated (and deepening) relationship with his neighbor Mia Hall, Evan isn't interested in taking on a new mission. But one finds him anyway. Aragon Urrea is a kingpin of a major drug-dealing operation in South Texas. He's also the patron of the local area--supplying employment in legitimate operations, providing help to the helpless, rough justice to the

downtrodden, and a future to a people normally with little hope. He's complicated--a not completely good man, who does bad things for often good reasons. However, for all his money and power, he is helpless when one of the most vicious cartels kidnaps his innocent eighteen year old daughter, spiriting her away into the armored complex that is their headquarters in Mexico. With no other way to rescue his daughter, he

turns to The Nowhere Man themselves. But as rough
Now not only must Evan as things often seem, at
figure out how to get into least Evan can take
the impregnable fortress of comfort in his sweet, sexy
a heavily armed, deeply boyfriend Erik —whom
paranoid cartel leader, but he's kept secret from
he must decide if he everyone for almost a
should help a very bad year. Then Evan and
man--no matter how just Davis are recruited to join
the cause. the Chasers, a fringe
crowd that promises them
protection and status.

A Sudden Light Harper
Collins

When are you too far in to
get out? Eighteen-year-
old Evan and his best
friend, Davis, get beaten
up for being loners. For
being gay. For just being

Davis is swept up in the
excitement, but Evan is
caught between his loyalty
to Davis and his love for
Erik. Evan has lied to keep
his two worlds separate.

Now his lies are about to
implode...and destroy the
very relationships he's
been trying to protect.

Racing in the Rain

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
Soon to be a major motion
picture, this heart-
warming and inspirational
tale follows Enzo, a loyal
family dog, tells the story
of his human family, how
they nearly fell apart, and
what he did to bring them
back together. Enzo
knows he is different from
other dogs: he thinks and
feels in nearly human

ways. He has educated himself by watching extensive television, and by listening very closely to the words of his master, Denny Swift, an up-and-coming race car driver. Through Denny, Enzo realizes that racing is a metaphor: that by applying the techniques a driver would apply on the race track, one can successfully navigate the ordeals and travails one encounters in life. Enzo relates the story of his human family, sharing

their tragedies and triumphs. In the end, despite what he sees as his own limitations as a dog, Enzo comes through heroically to preserve the Swift family. *The Art of Racing in the Rain* is a testament to a man's life, given by his dog. But it is also a testament to the dog, himself. Though Enzo cannot speak, he understands everything that happens around him as he bears witness to his master's problems. His enforced muteness only

refines his listening ability, and allows him to understand many of life's nuances that are lost on most humans. With humour, sharp observation, and a courageous heart, Enzo guides the reader to the bittersweet yet ultimately satisfying conclusion: there are no limitations to what we can achieve, if we truly know where we want to be.

The Secret Ever Keeps
HarperCollins
Soon to be a family friendly

major motion picture from Fox 2000 Studios--featuring Milo Ventimiglia, Amanda Seyfried, and Kevin Costner as the voice of Enzo the dog! In this paper over board young readers' edition of the New York Times bestselling adult novel The Art of Racing in the Rain, with cover art from the movie, meet one funny mutt--Enzo, the lovable dog who tells this story. Enzo knows he is different from other dogs. Most dogs love to chase cars, but Enzo longs to race them. He learns about racing and the world around him by	watching TV and by listening to the words of his best friend, Denny, an up-and-coming race car driver, and Denny's daughter, Zoë, his constant companion. Enzo finds that life is just like being on the racetrack--it isn't simply about going fast. Applying the rules of racing to his world, Enzo takes on his family's challenges and emerges a hero. In the end, Enzo holds in his heart the dream that Denny will go on to be a racing champion with his daughter by his side. For theirs is an extraordinary friendship--one that reminds	us all to celebrate the triumph of the human (and canine) spirit. <u>Tenth of December</u> HarperCollins The Death of Ivan Ilych Leo Tolstoy - Ivan Ilyich lives a carefree life that is "most simple and most ordinary and therefore most terrible". Like everyone he knows, he spends his life climbing the social ladder. Enduring marriage to a woman whom he often finds too demanding, he works his way up to be a magistrate, thanks to the influence he has over a friend who has just been promoted, focusing more on his work as his family life becomes less
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tolerable. While hanging curtains for his new home one day, he falls awkwardly and hurts his side. Though he does not think much of it at first, he begins to suffer from a pain in his side. As his discomfort grows, his behavior towards his family becomes more irritable. His wife finally insists that he visit a physician. The physician cannot pinpoint the source of his malady, but soon it becomes clear that his condition is terminal. Confronted with his diagnosis, Ivan attempts every remedy he can to obtain a cure for his worsening situation, until the pain grows so intense that he is forced to cease working and

spend the remainder of his days in bed. Here, he is brought face to face with his mortality and realizes that, although he knows of it, he does not truly grasp it. During the long and painful process of dying, Ivan dwells on the idea that he does not deserve his suffering because he has lived rightly. If he had not lived a good life, there could be a reason for his pain; but he has, so pain and death must be arbitrary and senseless. As he begins to hate his family for avoiding the subject of his death, for pretending he is only sick and not dying, he finds his only comfort in his peasant boy servant, Gerasim, the only

person in Ivan's life who does not fear death, and also the only one who, apart from his own son, shows compassion for him. Ivan begins to question whether he has, in fact, lived a good life. In the final days of his life, Ivan makes a clear split between an artificial life, such as his own, which masks the true meaning of life and makes one fear death, and an authentic life, the life of Gerasim. Authentic life is marked by compassion and sympathy, the artificial life by self-interest. Then "some force" strikes Ivan in the chest and side, and he is brought into the presence of a bright light. His hand falls onto his

nearby son's head, and Ivan pities his son. He no longer hates his daughter or wife, but rather feels pity for them, and hopes his death will release them. In so doing, his terror of death leaves him, and as Tolstoy suggests, death itself disappears.

The Cloven: Book One Kunati Books

New York Times Bestseller A beautifully crafted and captivating look at the wonders and absurdities of human life...as only a dog could tell it—now a major motion picture from Fox 2000 starring Milo Ventimiglia, Amanda Seyfried, and Kevin Costner. “The Art of Racing in

The Rain has everything: love, tragedy, redemption, danger, and—most especially—the canine narrator Enzo. This old soul of a dog has much to teach us about being human. I loved this book.”—Sara Gruen, Author of *Water for Elephants* The Art of Racing in the Rain—the blockbuster New York Times bestselling novel—is now a major motion picture from Fox 2000, with a screenplay by Mark Bomback, starring Milo Ventimiglia as Denny, Amanda Seyfried as Eve, and Kevin Costner as the voice of Enzo, with Simon Curtis (Goodbye Christopher Robin) directing. Enzo is a very special dog who takes stock of

his life on the eve of his death. As he recalls all that he and his family have been through: the sacrifices his master, Denny Swift—an up-and-coming race car driver—has made to succeed professionally; the unexpected loss of Eve, Denny's wife; the three-year battle over their daughter, Zoë, whose maternal grandparents pulled every string to gain custody. In the end, Enzo comes through heroically to preserve the Swift family, holding in his heart the dream that Denny will become a racing champion with Zoë at his side. Having gained tremendous insight into the human condition, Enzo

discovers that the techniques
needed on the racetrack can
also be used to successfully
navigate the journey of life.

Enzo's Very Scary Halloween

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

When his son's mother dies
and leaves him a single parent
to Dean, a fourteen-year-old
boy he has never met, Evan
Wallace is forced to confront
his music career and his
epilepsy.