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BEST YA BOOKS OF
ALL TIME The
extraordinary,
beloved novel about
the ability of
books to feed the
soul even in the
darkest of times.
When Death has a
story to tell, you
listen. It is 1939.
Nazi Germany. The
country is holding
its breath. Death
has never been
busier, and will
become busier

still. Liesel
Meminger is a
foster girl living
outside of Munich,
who scratches out a
meager existence
for herself by
stealing when she
encounters
something she can't
resist—books. With
the help of her
accordion-playing
foster father, she
learns to read and
shares her stolen
books with her
neighbors during
bombing raids as
well as with the
Jewish man hidden
in her basement. In
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writing that burns
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has given us one of
the most enduring

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OF CLAY, MARKUS
ZUSAK'S FIRST NOVEL
SINCE THE BOOK
THIEF.

Eat Pray Love Vintage
With clarity and
compassion, Dr. Love
helps the 40 million
women entering
menopause sort through
all the choices they face.
She explains how to cope
with short-term
symptoms (hot flashes,
night sweats, mood
swings, etc.) and
addresses such long-
term concerns as
osteoporosis, heart
disease, breast cancer,
and endometrial cancer.
Dr. Love also discusses:

lifestyle changes (diet, exercise, stress management), alternatives (including herbs and homeopathic remedies), other medications, and the pros and cons of hormone therapy. A new Introduction discusses the controversies raised by the hardcover publication.

Love Big Macmillan

A celebration of the extraordinary courage, dedication, and sacrifice of this generation of American veterans on the battlefield and their equally valuable contributions on the home front. Starbucks CEO Howard Schultz and National Book Award nominee Rajiv Chandrasekaran honor acts of uncommon valor in Iraq and Afghanistan, including an army sergeant who runs into a hail of gunfire to protect his comrades; two marines who chose to stand and defend their outpost from an oncoming truck bomb; and a sixty-year-old doctor who joined the navy after his son was killed at war, saving dozens of lives during his service. We also see how veterans turn their leadership skills into community-building initiatives once they return home: former soldiers who aid residents in rebuilding after natural disasters; an infantry officer who trades in a Pentagon job to teach in an inner-city neighborhood; the spouse of a severely injured soldier assisting families in similar positions. These powerful, unforgettable stories demonstrate just how indebted we are to those who protect us and what they have to offer our nation

when their military service is over.

America Is Not the Heart Penguin

Travis Maddox, Eastern University's playboy, makes a bet with good girl Abby that if he loses, he will remain abstinent for a month, but if he wins, Abby must live in his apartment for the same amount of time.

The Beautiful Ones Hogarth
What has that dog done now? You'll recognize your own canine companion in this collection of 101 stories about how very good and very bad our dogs can be. From clever dogs that sneak food to heroic dogs that save lives—from mischievous dogs that chew shoes to intuitive dogs that repair families—from goofy dogs that crack us up to nurturing dogs that act like therapists—you'll have a new appreciation for your own dog's unique skills. With a special emphasis on the joy of adopting dogs from shelters, these stories will make you laugh out loud and maybe even shed a tear or two. And your purchase will help support the great work of the American Humane Association!

On My Own Country
Simon and Schuster
2018 Mom's Choice Awards Gold Award Recipient Set in the heart of the African Savanna, Love Big follows moody Baboon as he discovers another powerful secret.

The once lush, thriving, African savanna has turned dry and desolate. Hungry, miserable, and mean animals seek only their own interests. Baboon watches as, one by one, Rhinoceros destroys Termite's castle in his race to find food, Hare chooses not to share food with her family, and Lion steals food from his pride. But after Baboon sees Rhinoceros give Hare his snack-on-a-stick, everything changes! Baboon realizes that a transformative power exists between the animals and the star-dust that surrounds them once they share smiles and truly believe in themselves and each other. When Baboon tries out this secret by helping Lion, they share a smile, and CATCH-M, The Magical, Mystical, Miraculous Star-dust that surrounds them, whooshes into their lives to wham! ignite the courage in their chests too. Read on to see if Baboon can save the savanna with this new secret and a very stinky, unlikely hero . . . ? Love Big takes place generations after the magic in Kat

Kronenberg's best-selling book, *Dream Big*. This new book's beautiful message makes it a wonderful gift for those who want to build a loving WE community—from home to school, neighborhoods, church, or travel. If people can begin to encourage one another to pursue their passions—with kindness, sharing, listening, and care—we can overcome anything and achieve extraordinary dreams together.

Act of God Penguin

Itzik Malpesh was born the son of a goose-plucking factory manager during the Russian pogroms - his life saved on the night it began by the young daughter of a kosher slaughterer. Or so he believes... Exiled during the war, Itzik eventually finds himself in New York, working as a typesetter and writing poetry to his muse, the butcher's daughter, whom he is sure he will never see again. But it is here in New York that Itzik is unexpectedly reunited with his greatest love - and, later, his greatest enemy - with results both serendipitous and tragic.

His story is recounted in his memoirs thanks to the most unlikely of translators - a twenty-one-year-old Boston Catholic college student who, in meeting Itzik, has embarked upon a great lie that will define his future and the most extraordinary friendship he'll ever know.

Heroic Hearts Greenleaf Book Group

Hanging over the porch of the tiny New England bookstore called Island Books is a faded sign with the motto "No Man Is an Island; Every Book Is a World." A.J. Fikry, the irascible owner, is about to discover just what that truly means. A.J. Fikry's life is not at all what he expected it to be. His wife has died, his bookstore is experiencing the worst sales in its history, and now his prized possession, a rare collection of Poe poems, has been stolen. Even the books in his store have stopped holding pleasure for him. These days, A.J. can only see them as a sign of a world that is changing too rapidly. And then a mysterious package appears at the bookstore. It's a small package, but large in

weight. It's that unexpected arrival that gives A.J. the opportunity to make his life over, the ability to see everything anew. It doesn't take long for the locals to notice the change overcoming him or for a determined sales rep named Amelia to see her curmudgeonly client in a new light. The wisdom of all those books again become the lifeblood of A.J.'s world and everything twists into a version of his life that he didn't see coming. As surprising as it is moving, *The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry* is an unforgettable tale of transformation and second chances, an irresistible affirmation of why we read and why we love.

Listening Is an Act of Love

Riverhead Books

With over 200,000 copies sold in the UK, a Richard & Judy pick, rights sold in 19 countries, called "riveting" and "mesmerizing," this is a cinematic debut from a gifted new writer. Based on real family events, Danny Scheinmann's novel paints a dramatic portrait of two epic love stories. 1992: Traveling through South America with his girlfriend, Leo wakes up in a hospital to find his girlfriend is dead. He blames himself for the tragedy and is sucked into a spiral of despair. But a

surprising secret leads Leo to discover something that will change his life forever. 1917: Moritz is a POW fugitive, with seven thousand kilometers of the Russian steppes separating him from his first love, whose memory has kept him alive through carnage and captivity. The war may be over, but he now faces a perilous journey and the insecurity of whether his love is still waiting.

The Tsar of Love and

Techno Random House

Soon to be a major motion picture starring Adrien Brody and Salma Hayek In the aftermath of the Iranian revolution, rare-gem dealer Isaac Amin is arrested, wrongly accused of being a spy. Terrified by his disappearance, his family must reconcile a new world of cruelty and chaos with the collapse of everything they have known. As Isaac navigates the terrors of prison, and his wife feverishly searches for him, his children struggle with the realization that their family may soon be forced to embark on a journey of incalculable danger.

Heir Apparent Charnwood

In this debut novel, Danny Scheinmann paints a dramatic portrait of two men sustaining their lives through the memory of love; two men whose hidden connections are revealed in a stunning climax that lives long in the heart.

Random Acts Of Heroic Love Houghton Mifflin

Harcourt

If you have ever loved an animal, you have already suspected that there is something special about them. This book proves it! In these true, heartwarming stories, you will meet remarkable beings - not only dogs and cats, but gorillas, dolphins, bears, seagulls, rats and even a pig - who have performed amazing acts of love and compassion. You will also learn fascinating facts about the inherent kindness of animals toward humans and one another. This is a uniquely memorable and inspiring gift for animal lovers around the world.

Beloved Simon and Schuster

An all-star urban fantasy collection featuring short stories from #1 New York Times bestselling authors Jim Butcher, Patricia Briggs, Charlaine Harris, Kelley Armstrong, and more . . . In this short story collection of courage, adventure, and magic, heroes—ordinary people who do the right thing—bravely step forward. But running toward danger might cost them everything. . . . In #1 New York Times bestselling author Jim Butcher's "Little Things," the pixie Toot-Toot discovers an invader unbeknownst to the wizard Harry Dresden . . . and in order to defeat it, he'll have to team up with the dread cat Mister. In #1 New York Times bestselling author Patricia

Briggs's "Dating Terrors," the werewolf Asil finds an online date might just turn into something more—if she can escape the dark magic binding her. In #1 New York Times bestselling author Charlaine Harris's "The Return of the Mage," the Britlingen mercenaries will discover more than they've bargained for when they answer the call of a distress beacon on a strange and remote world. And in #1 New York Times bestselling author Kelley Armstrong's "Comfort Zone," the necromancer Chloe Saunders and the werewolf Derek Souza are just trying to get through college. But they can't refuse a ghost pleading for help.

ALSO INCLUDES STORIES

BY Annie Bellet * Anne Bishop * Jennifer Brozek * Kevin Hearne * Nancy Holder * Kerrie L. Hughes * Chloe Neill * R.R. Virdi

Random Acts of Heroic Love Macmillan

Traces the author's decision to quit her job and travel the world for a year after suffering a midlife crisis and divorce, an endeavor that took her to three places in her quest to explore her own nature, experience fulfillment and learn the art of spiritual balance. (Biography & autobiography). Reissue. A best-selling book. Movie tie-in.

Songs for the Butcher's Daughter Simon and Schuster

Based on real family events, "Random Acts of Heroic Love" is the internationally bestselling

debut novel that paints a dramatic portrait of two apparently unconnected epic love stories.

Random acts of heroic love Ecco

Named one of the best books of 2018 by NPR, Real Simple, Lit Hub, The Boston Globe, San Francisco Chronicle, The New York Post, Kirkus Reviews, and The New York Public Library "A saga rich with origin myths, national and personal . . . Castillo is part of a younger generation of American writers instilling literature with a layered sense of identity." --Vogue How many lives fit in a lifetime? When Hero De Vera arrives in

America--haunted by the political upheaval in the Philippines and disowned by her parents--she's already on her third. Her uncle gives her a fresh start in the Bay Area, and he doesn't ask about her past. His younger wife knows enough about the might and secrecy of the De Vera family to keep her head down. But their daughter--the first American-born daughter in the family--can't resist asking Hero about her

damaged hands. An increasingly relevant story told with startling lucidity, humor, and an uncanny ear for the intimacies and shorthand of family ritual, *America Is Not the Heart* is a sprawling, soulful debut about three generations of women in one family struggling to balance the promise of the American dream and the unshakeable grip of history. With exuberance, grit, and sly tenderness, here is a family saga; an origin story; a romance; a narrative of two nations and the people who leave one home to grasp at another.

The Stars Beneath Our Feet Penguin

Small gestures can make a big difference in someone's day, even someone's life. This collection of 101 uplifting, true stories will help you see the beauty in small, meaningful gestures and how such acts can make a difference in someone else's life. From random acts of kindness to doing what's right, this book shows how positive attitudes and good deeds can change the world. This book shines a bright light on the widespread goodwill in our world as everyday heroes demonstrate acts of kindness, compassion and commitment to others. The stories in *Chicken Soup for the Soul: Random Acts of*

Kindness will uplift you, inspire you, and brighten your day.

Beloved Three Rivers Press

Raise a smiling, caring, and kind child who truly cares for the people around him. Being kind and attentive to others is your child's passport to a lifetime of mental health and success. This compelling story highlights the true power of kindness and how a simple smile can bring positivity and happiness to an entire town. This book emphasizes the importance of looking at the bright side of any experience and highlights the positive outcomes it can bring. This inspiring tale tells the story of a young boy named Kyle who one day, out on a walk with his mother, offers his beaming smile to a sad stranger who immediately smiles back. Later that day, the same stranger makes the mighty decision to pay it forward to his former teacher which causes a domino effect of positivity from there. Follow Kyle on his adventure to spread positivity and happiness with a single smile and see how it brings joy to

those around him. Will this circle of good deeds continue forever? How many people will be affected by Kyle's smile? Will Kyle's smile once again start a new circle? Will the circle of good deeds come back to find him? Can Kyle's smile make the world a better place? This book will help your children see the endless power that they hold in their very own hands - while being attentive to their environment. This book will encourage your children to offer their smile or some other small, but very significant gesture, to the people around them - especially in their time of need. This book also demonstrates what comes around, does in fact, goes around in very unique and unpredictable ways, as the saying goes: "Smile to the world and the world will smile back to you". Research shows that people who often smile will also benefit from better health and increased longevity while also achieving more in life. The lesson of this book is best expressed in this inspirational quote by Leo Buscaglia. "Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around." Kyle's Smile is a charming and compelling story to read before bedtime, with the whole family, or as self-reading for older children. So if you see someone without a smile, give them one of yours!

The Septembers of Shiraz
Random House
Trapped in the dangerous game of Heir Apparent, Giannine is forced to obtain a magic ring, find stolen treasure, solve the dwarf's stupid riddles, and slay a dragon--among other challenges--in order to survive. 20,000 first printing.

Random Acts of Heroic Love
Harper Collins
Although John Dryden the poet is best known for his alexandrine epics, John Dryden the playwright is most honored for this blank verse tragedy. The summit of Dryden's dramatic art, *All for Love* (1677) is a spectacle of passion as felt, feared, and disputed in the suspicious years following the English Civil War. Due to its dramatic compression and elegance, *All for Love* is one of the most enduring plays of the Restoration

successful that in the eighteenth century Dryden's tragedy drove Shakespeare's Antony and Cleopatra from the stage. The play depicts the catastrophic passion of Cleopatra and Marc Antony, who could not be conquered but by love. Fidelity to family and friends, adherence to codes of honor, national loyalties, and the rule of law compete with each other, tearing the world with violence.