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Jemima J Random
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'My son, I have
nothing I can give, but
this chance that you
may live.' With these

words, a Hebrew
mother places her
infant son, Moses, in a
basket and sets him
adrift on the Nile
River. From his
carefree days as a
prince of Egypt to his
flight into the desert,
nothing can fully
prepare Moses for
what is to come. Lynne
Reid Banks, author of
the best-selling novel

The Indian in the
Cupboard, brings the
timeless story of Moses
to life in this spirited
retelling. Enriched with
a full-color insert
depicting characters
and scenes from the
film, this is a popular
format that will enable
older children to
experience the movie
again and again.

The Farthest
Away Mountain

HarperCollins
UK

The L-shaped room is in a squalid house in Fulham, to which Jane Graham, pregnant and unmarried, retreats from the world.

She is drawn back into life by the kindness of her oddly assorted neighbours.

The Making of
Jane Austen

HarperCollins

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SELLER • From

the indie rockstar of Japanese Breakfast fame, one of TIME's Most Influential People of 2022, and author of the viral 2018 New Yorker essay that shares the title of this book, an unflinching, powerful memoir about growing up Korean American, losing her mother, and forging her own identity. In this exquisite story of family, food, grief, and endurance, Michelle Zauner proves herself far more than a dazzling singer, songwriter, and guitarist. With humor and heart, she tells of growing up one of the few Asian American kids at

her school in Eugene, Oregon; of struggling with her mother's particular, high expectations of her; of a painful adolescence; of treasured months spent in her grandmother's tiny apartment in Seoul, where she and her mother would bond, late at night, over heaping plates of food. As she grew up, moving to the East Coast for college, finding work in the restaurant industry, and performing gigs with her fledgling band--and meeting the man who would become her husband--her Koreanness began to feel ever more

distant, even as she found the life she wanted to live. It was her mother's diagnosis of terminal cancer, when Michelle was twenty-five, that forced a reckoning with her identity and brought her to reclaim the gifts of taste, language, and history her mother had given her. Vivacious and plainspoken, lyrical and honest, Zauner's voice is as radiantly alive on the page as it is onstage. Rich with intimate anecdotes that will resonate widely, and complete with family photos, *Crying in H Mart* is a book to cherish, share,

and reread. *Crying in H Mart* Yearling
As his adventures with *Little Bear* continue, Omri travels from the French and Indian wars to the present, and then back to the Old West at the tum-of-the-century. **Ghost Boys** Knopf
In her U.S. debut, bestselling British novelist Green introduces an irresistible heroine who sets out to tackle attraction, addiction, and the meaning of true love. *Angela and Diabola* HarperCollins UK
NATIONAL BOOK AWARD FINALIST ONE

OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR NPR • Time Magazine • The Washington Post • Entertainment Weekly • The Boston Globe A NEW YORK TIMES NOTABLE BOOK From one of our most accomplished and widely admired historians—a revelatory portrait of Benjamin Franklin's youngest sister, Jane, whose obscurity and poverty were matched only by her brother's fame and wealth but who, like him, was a passionate reader, a gifted writer, and an

astonishingly shrewd political commentator. Making use of an astonishing cache of little-studied material, including documents, objects, and portraits only just discovered, Jill Lepore brings Jane Franklin to life in a way that illuminates not only this one extraordinary woman but an entire world.

Harry the Poisonous Centipede: A Story To Make You Squirm

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers
It all started with a shattering

bang. Maura found herself flat on her face on the pavement. For moments there was nothing, just blackness and silence. But she knew. Once again, a bomb had exploded in the streets of Belfast. And lying beside Maura, with her face buried in her arms, was a stranger. When the other girl moved her head sharply and looked up, Maura got the strangest feeling. It was like looking in a mirror, but not exactly... 00-01

Keystone to Reading Book Award Masterlist
The Magic Hare
Thomas Nelson Publishers
A heartbreaking and powerful story about a black boy killed by a police officer, drawing connections through history, from award-winning author Jewell Parker Rhodes. Only the living can make the world better. Live and make it better.
Twelve-year-old Jerome is shot by a police officer who mistakes his toy gun for a real

threat. As a ghost, he observes the devastation that's been unleashed on his family and community in the wake of what they see as an unjust and brutal killing. Soon Jerome meets another ghost: Emmett Till, a boy from a very different time but similar circumstances. Emmett helps Jerome process what has happened, on a journey towards recognizing how historical racism may have led to the events that ended his life.

Jerome also meets Sarah, the daughter of the police officer, who grapples with her father's actions. Once again Jewell Parker Rhodes deftly weaves historical and socio-political layers into a gripping and poignant story about how children and families face the complexities of today's world, and how one boy grows to understand American blackness in the aftermath of his own death. **The Backward**

Shadow Center Street
On marijuana, there is no mutual federal-state policy; will this cause federalism to go up in smoke? More than one-half the 50 states have legalized the use of marijuana at least for medical purposes, and about a dozen of those states have gone further, legalizing it for recreational use. Either step would have been almost inconceivable just a couple decades ago.

But marijuana remains an illegal “controlled substance” under a 1970 federal law, so those who sell or grow it could still face federal prosecution. How can state and federal laws be in such conflict? And could federal law put the new state laws in jeopardy at some point? This book, an edited volume with contributions by highly regarded legal scholars and policy analysts, is the first detailed examination of

these and other questions surrounding a highly unusual conflict between state and federal policies and laws. Marijuana Federalism surveys the constitutional issues that come into play with this conflict, as well as the policy questions related to law enforcement at the federal versus state levels. It also describes specific areas—such as banking regulations—in which federal law has particularly

far-reaching effects. Readers will gain a greater understanding of federalism in general, including how the division of authority between the federal and state governments operates in the context of policy and legal disputes between the two levels. This book also will help inform debates as other states consider whether to jump on the bandwagon of marijuana legalization. *Alice By Accident*

Yearling
The bestselling workbook and grammar guide, revised and updated! Hailed as one of the best books around for teaching grammar, *The Blue Book of Grammar and Punctuation* includes easy-to-understand rules, abundant examples, dozens of reproducible quizzes, and pre- and post-tests to help teach grammar to middle and high schoolers, college students, ESL students, homeschoolers, and more. This concise, entertaining workbook makes learning English grammar and usage simple and fun. This updated

12th edition reflects the latest updates to English usage and grammar, and includes answers to all reproducible quizzes to facilitate self-assessment and learning. Clear and concise, with easy-to-follow explanations, offering "just the facts" on English grammar, punctuation, and usage Fully updated to reflect the latest rules, along with even more quizzes and pre- and post-tests to help teach grammar Ideal for students from seventh grade through adulthood in the US and abroad For anyone who wants to understand the major rules and subtle guidelines of English grammar

and usage, *The Blue Book of Grammar and Punctuation* offers comprehensive, straightforward instruction.

Two Is Lonely
HarperCollins UK
The LitJoy Classics edition of *Jane Eyre* features a fully illustrated cover and interior end pages, five full-page illustrations, gold-color ribbon, custom slip cover, gilded gold page edges, and artwork by Felix Abel Klaer.

Uprooted - A Canadian War Story
Doubleday Books for Young Readers
From the author of *The Indian in*

the Cupboard
and The L-
Shaped Room
comes a
fascinating story
of a wartime
childhood,
heavily
influenced by her
own experience.
Dark Quartet
Hachette UK
To Libby Mason,
Mr. Right has
always meant
Mr. Rich. A
twenty seven-
year-old
publicist, she's
barely able to
afford her
fashionable and
fabulous lifestyle
and often has to
foot the bill for
dates with
Struggling Writer
Nick, a sexy but

perpetually
strapped-for-
cash guy she's
dating (no
commitments –
really). So when
Ed, Britain's
wealthiest but
stodgiest
bachelor, enters
the picture, her
idea of the fairy
tale romance is
turned on it's
head. Mr. Maybe
is the tale of her
heartfelt but
hilarious
deliberation,
irresistibly
chronicled by
bestselling
author Jane
Green. On one
hand, Nick
makes up for his
low bank-
account balance

by his
performance in
the sack, or in
the bathtub, as
the case may be.
But life with him
means little more
than nightly trips
to the bar, a dark
and grungy
apartment, and
plenty of dull
political tirades to
boot. But those
blue eyes, and
that tender
heart... On the
other hand,
there's Ed,
whose luxurious
house and
gargantuan bank
account are quite
tempting to the
starving Libby.
But his unsavory
mustache and
bumbling ways

make Libby wonder if the platinum AMEX and unlimited "retail therapy" are worth it. He may have fallen in love with her at first sight, but nothing seems to solve his lackluster performance in the sack – even speed reading *The Joy of Sex*. When the diamond shopping commences, Libby is forced to realize that the time for "maybe" is up. Taking romantic comedy to a hip, sparkling new level, Mr. Maybe

is a classic tale of what happens to one girl when her heart and her head aren't looking for the same thing. With a laugh and a minute and a heroine whose struggles in the dating jungle will remind you of your own, Mr. Maybe is a story that all will leave you smitten. *The Indian in the Cupboard* Brookings Institution Press A delightfully squirmy story starring Harry the Poisonous Centipede in a scary world of flying swoopers, furry biters and

the dreaded Hoo-Mins! With wonderful humour and brilliant illustrations, this is the perfect book for wriggly young readers.

Jane Two
Bloomsbury Publishing
One family's household has been in a state of disarray because of one small furry problem. Meet Houdini, an extraordinarily brilliant escapologist. No, not that Houdini. This one is a hamster. Once you meet him, you will understand that his owners just couldn't name him anything else,

for his name is quite fitting. He can escape from anything—a cage or the clutches of a mean cat. While on his escapades, he causes all kinds of trouble from chewing through wires to causing a flood. But Houdini thinks it's all worth it, because he is desperate to explore the great Outdoors. But once he gets out, will he ever come back? Or will this be his final escape?

The L-shaped Room

HarperCollins UK
Whether you're a devoted Janeite or simply Jane-curious, The

Making of Jane Austen will have you thinking about how a literary icon is made, transformed, and handed down from generation to generation.

The Warning

Bell The L-

shaped roomThe

L-shaped

RoomThe Indian

in the Cupboard

Angela and

Diabola are

twins, but from

the moment they

enter the world -

one with a smile

and the other

with a vengeance

- they have

nothing in

common. Angela

is the perfect

daughter while

Diabola wreaks havoc. Yet even in their world of extremes, a balance needs to be sought.

The Blue Book of Grammar and Punctuation

Penguin

Nine-year-old

Alice must write

about herself for

a school

assignment, and

in doing so, she

sorts out her

feelings about

her somewhat

prickly single

mother, the

father she has

never met, her

flamboyant

paternal

grandmother

and the rest of

her sometimes

confusing life.
Mr. Maybe Harper
Collins
From Dakin's
bedroom window,
the farthest-away
mountain looks
quite close, its peak
capped with pink
and purple and
green snow rising
above the pine
wood just beyond
the village.

*Saturday Night
and Sunday*

Morning William
Morrow &
Company

'For man walketh
in a vain shadow
... he keepeth up
riches and cannot
tell who shall
gather them' -
these words are
spoken at the
funeral service for
old Colonel
Winthorpe who
does not

bequeathe much
except worldly
goods to any
gathered there -
except his
granddaughter,
Joanna. This
novel is
concentrated on
the four days
which attend his
death; on the
many proprieties
and pretenses
which shroud its
reality (the
arrangements, his
immediate and
permanent
disposition, the
formalities from
the church to the
crematorium, and
finally the less
mortal remains -
the will). The
Colonel leaves a
widow whose
marriage to him
had been loveless

to begin with and
joyless to the end;
three sons of
middle age. None
mourn him but his
presence is
everywhere as
they drink his port,
usurp his chair.
Only Joanna is left
with the desire
and capacity to
live more fully.