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Washington Square Simon group's longest-lived and Schuster Adventure thriller set in Renaissance Italy starring Leonardo da Vinci as a young apprentice who witnesses a murder and becomes involved in a plot to take over the city. *Starting Over* A&C Black

It is 1919 and the Great War has come to a close. But in the shadows of the world's major cities, the killing has just begun. In this perilous time, as the division between order and chaos grows increasingly slim, a select group of visionaries have taken it upon themselves to ensure the safety of humanity. They are known as the Arcanum. In London's stormy Hyde Park, Konstantin Duvall, the Arcanum's founder, has been killed in a suspicious accident. Dismayed, the

member, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, determines to avenge Duvall's death—and uncover the secret left in his wake. For the dead man possessed the world's most powerful—now missing—artifact: the Book of Enoch, the chronicle of God's mistakes, within whose pages lie the seeds for the end of everything. From the scene of the crime, Conan Doyle embarks on a path that leads him to the sleazy underworld of New York City's Bowery and a series of deceptively disparate—but decidedly connected—murders. And as he calls upon the scattered members of the Arcanum for aid, he also finds himself embroiled in a story of war as old as time itself. Not of a struggle between countries, but between darkness and

light. Peopled with the twentieth century's most famous—and infamous—figures, here is an extraordinary tale in which the stakes go beyond the realm of humankind—into the divine.

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Random House

Incorporated

Against a teeming canvas of Borgia politics, Niccolò Machiavelli and Leonardo da Vinci come together to unmask an enigmatic serial killer, as we learn the secret history behind one of the most controversial works in the western canon, *The Prince*... When Pope Alexander dispatches a Vatican courtesan, Damiata, to the remote fortress city of Imola to learn the truth behind the murder of Juan, his most beloved illegitimate son, she

cannot fail, for the scheming Borgia pope holds her own young son hostage. Once there, Damiata becomes a pawn in the political intrigues of the pope's surviving son, the charismatic Duke Valentino, whose own life is threatened by the condottieri, a powerful cabal of mercenary warlords. Damiata suspects that the killer she seeks is one of the brutal condottierri, and as the murders multiply, her quest grows more urgent. She enlists the help of an obscure Florentine diplomat, Niccolò Machiavelli, and Valentino's eccentric military engineer, Leonardo da Vinci, who together must struggle to decipher the killer's taunting riddles: Leonardo with his groundbreaking "science of observation" and

Machiavelli with his new
“science of men.”

Traveling across an Italy
torn apart by war, they will
enter a labyrinth of ancient
superstition and erotic
obsession to discover at its
center a new face of
evil—and a truth that will
shake the foundations of
western civilization.

Freak! Random House

The Malice of FortuneMcClelland
& Stewart

Redbone Onyx Books

The first graduating
class at the
Massachusetts
Institute of
Technology is thrown
into turmoil by
bizarre phenomena
that cause
instruments to
inexplicably spin
out of control,
challenging
enterprising
students to protect

lives while combating
Harvard rivals.

Game All Points
Books

In Beg, Borrow,
Steal Michael
Greenberg regales
us with his wry and
vivid take on the
life of a writer of
little means trying
to practice his
craft or simply
stay alive. He
finds himself
doctoring doomed
movie scripts;
selling cosmetics
from an ironing
board in front of a
women's department
store; writing
about golf, a game
he has never
played; and
botching his debut
as a waiter in a
posh restaurant.

Central characters include Michael's father, whose prediction that Michael's "scribbling" wouldn't get him on the subway almost came true; his artistic first wife, whom he met in a Greenwich Village high school; and their son who grew up on the Lower East Side, fluent in the language of the street and in the language of the parlor. Then there are Greenberg's unexpected encounters: a Holocaust survivor who on his deathbed tries to leave Michael his	fortune; a repentant communist who confesses his sins; a man who becomes a woman; a Chilean filmmaker in search of his past; and rats who behave like humans and cease to live underground. Hilarious and bittersweet, Greenberg's stories invite us into a world where the familial, the literary, the tragic and the mundane not only speak to one another, but deeply enjoy the exchange. <i>Lost Worlds</i> Bantam This fascinating book is the first volume in a projected cultural
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history of the United States, from the earliest English settlements to our own time. It is a history of American folkways as they have changed through time, and it argues a thesis about the importance for the United States of having been British in its cultural origins. While most people in the United States today have no British ancestors, they have assimilated regional cultures which were created by British colonists, even while preserving ethnic identities at the same time. In this sense, nearly all Americans are "Albion's Seed," no matter what their ethnicity may be. The concluding section of this remarkable book explores the ways that regional cultures have continued to dominate national politics and still help to shape attitudes toward education, government, gender, and violence, on which differences between American regions are greater than between European nations.

Beg, Borrow, Steal
Simon and Schuster
A sweeping, intense historical thriller starring two of the great minds of Renaissance Italy: Niccolò Machiavelli and Leonardo da Vinci. Based on a real historical

mystery, and becomes, in effect, involving serial the first criminal murder and a profiler, while his gruesome cat and contemporary and mouse game at the sometime colleague, highest levels of the erratic genius the Church -- it Leonardo da Vinci, was the era of the brings his infamous Borgias -- observational The Malice of powers to the Fortune is a increasingly delicious treat for desperate hunt for fans of Umberto a brilliant, Eco, Sarah Dunant, terrifying serial and Elizabeth murderer. Their Kostova. This foil and partner is brilliant novel is the exquisite an epic tale Damiata, scholar exploring the and courtesan. All backdrop of the three know their most controversial quarry is someone work of the Italian who holds enormous Renaissance, The power, both to tear Prince. Here, Italy apart, and Niccolò destroy each of Machiavelli, the their most beloved great "scientist" dreams. And every of human behaviour thrilling step is

based on historical fact.

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Granta

The full, frank story of a remarkable life's journey—to the pinnacle of success as a basketball player, icon, and entrepreneur, to the depths of personal trauma and back, to a place of flourishing and peace—made possible above all by a family's love Grant Hill always had game. His choice of college was a subject of national interest, and his arrival at Duke University cemented the program's arrival at the top. In his freshman year, he led the team to its first NCAA championship, and three championship appearances in four years. His Duke career produced some of the

most iconic moments in college basketball history, and Coach K proved to be a lifelong mentor. Later, as one of the NBA's best players and a new face of the Detroit Pistons franchise, Hill was the first person with the potential to give Michael Jordan a run for his money, not just as a player but as a brand. His \$45 million rookie contract was almost the least of it. He turned down Nike for Fila, and soon Method Man and Tupac Shakur were wearing his shoes. Hill writes candidly about all of it, including the transactional impermanence of life in the league and the isolation caused by his growing fame. His parents and friends helped ground him, and

eventually he met a gifted musician named Tamia. The love he found with her and the arrival of their two beautiful daughters would be his rock as a brutal and mysterious injury sidelined him, coinciding with his wife's own serious health struggles. With openness and insight, Hill relates his entire path, including post-career highlights like his Hall of Fame induction, co-ownership of the Atlanta Hawks, the directorship of the USA Basketball Men's National Team, and even a yearly gig calling the Final Four. Hill's father, Calvin, used to tell him that there were always a lot of reasons but never any excuses, and *Game* is a distillation of a lifetime's effort to

understand the reasons—the good and the bad. At his hardest moments, Hill sought out wisdom from others, stories of inspiration and overcoming obstacles. Now, with *Game*, he has returned the favor.

War and Peace

Vintage

BOOKER PRIZE

FINALIST • Based on

a true event, this novel is "a blues song cut straight from the heart ...

about the unjust death of an

innocent Black man caught up in a

corrupt system"

(Walter Mosley,

best-selling author of *Devil in a Blue Dress*).

In Cardiff, Wales in 1952,

Mahmood Mattan, a

young Somali sailor, is accused of a crime he did not commit: the brutal killing of Violet Volacki, a shopkeeper from Tiger Bay. At first, Mahmood believes he can ignore the fingers pointing his way; he may be a gambler and a petty thief, but he is no murderer. He is a father of three, secure in his innocence and his belief in British justice. But as the trial draws closer, his prospect for freedom dwindles. Now, Mahmood must stage a terrifying fight for his life, with all the chips

stacked against him: a shoddy investigation, an inhumane legal system, and, most evidently, pervasive and deep-rooted racism at every step. Under the shadow of the hangman's noose, Mahmood begins to realize that even the truth may not be enough to save him. A haunting tale of miscarried justice, this book offers a chilling look at the dark corners of our humanity.

Fourteen Byzantine

Rulers Hachette Books

You are at a nightclub talking to a girl with a shaved head. The club is either Heartbreak or the

Lizard Lounge. All might become clear if you could just slip into the bathroom and do a little more Bolivian Marching Powder. Then again, it might not... So begins our nameless hero's trawl through the brightly lit streets of Manhattan, sampling all this wonderland has to offer yet suspecting that tomorrow's hangover may be caused by more than simple excess. Bright Lights, Big City is an acclaimed classic which marked Jay McInerney as one of the major writers of our time.

Den of Thieves

Author Level Up LLC
This chronicle of the Byzantine Empire, beginning in 1025, shows a profound

understanding of the power politics that characterized the empire and led to its decline.

The Borgia Bride Anchor

La Toya Jackson was always closer to Michael than anyone knew. In this heartfelt memoir, she pays tribute to his tortured soul, revealing the intimate moments she shared with the deeply troubled pop legend. The first sibling to arrive at the hospital after Michael was rushed there, and the informant on his death certificate, La Toya noticed suspicious details

and demanded a second autopsy. For the first time, she unveils shocking behind-the-scenes dealings that she believes led to her brother's death, and she provides unprecedented insight into the destruction of one of the most dynamic artist/performers in history.

On the Move! Biteback Publishing

The #1 New York Times bestseller from Walter Isaacson brings Leonardo da Vinci to life in this exciting new biography that is "a study in creativity: how to define it, how to achieve it...Most important, it is a powerful story of an exhilarating mind and

life" (The New Yorker). Based on thousands of pages from Leonardo da Vinci's astonishing notebooks and new discoveries about his life and work, Walter Isaacson "deftly reveals an intimate Leonardo" (San Francisco Chronicle) in a narrative that connects his art to his science. He shows how Leonardo's genius was based on skills we can improve in ourselves, such as passionate curiosity, careful observation, and an imagination so playful that it flirted with fantasy. He produced the two most famous paintings in history, The Last Supper and the Mona Lisa. With a passion that sometimes became obsessive, he pursued innovative studies of anatomy, fossils, birds, the heart,

flying machines, botany, geology, and weaponry. He explored the math of optics, showed how light rays strike the cornea, and produced illusions of changing perspectives in The Last Supper. His ability to stand at the crossroads of the humanities and the sciences, made iconic by his drawing of Vitruvian Man, made him history's most creative genius. In the "luminous" (Daily Beast) Leonardo da Vinci, Isaacson describes how Leonardo's delight at combining diverse passions remains the ultimate recipe for creativity. So, too, does his ease at being a bit of a misfit: illegitimate, gay, vegetarian, left-handed, easily distracted, and at times heretical. His

life should remind us of the importance to be imaginative and, like talented rebels in any era, to think different. Here, da Vinci "comes to life in all his remarkable brilliance and oddity in Walter Isaacson's ambitious new biography...a vigorous, insightful portrait" (The Washington Post). *Leonardo da Vinci* Harper Collins An instant New York Times bestseller, Dan Lyons' "hysterical" (Recode) memoir, hailed by the Los Angeles Times as "the best book about Silicon Valley," takes readers inside the maddening world of fad-chasing venture capitalists, sales bros, social climbers, and

sociopaths at today's role of "marketing tech startups. For fellow." What could twenty-five years Dango wrong? HubSpotters Lyons was a magazine were true believers: writer at the top of They were making the his profession--until world a better place one Friday morning ... by selling email when he received a spam. The office vibe phone call: Poof. His was frat house meets job no longer cult compound: The existed. "I think party began at four they just want to thirty on Friday and hire younger people," lasted well into the his boss at Newsweek night; "shower pods" told him. Fifty years became hook-up dens; old and with a wife a push-up club met at and two young kids, noon in the lobby, Dan was, in a word, while nearby, in the screwed. Then an idea "content factory," hit. Dan had long Nerf gun fights reported on Silicon raged. Groups went on Valley and the tech "walking meetings," explosion. Why not and Dan's absentee join it? HubSpot, a boss sent cryptic Boston start-up, was emails about flush with \$100 employees who had million in venture "graduated" (read: capital. They offered been fired). In the Dan a pile of stock middle of all this options for the vague was Dan, exactly

twice the age of the average HubSpot employee, and literally old enough to be the father of most of his co-workers, sitting at his desk on his bouncy-ball "chair." St. Martin's Griffin

After a decade as Conservative Party leader and six years as Prime Minister, he remains an enigma to those outside his exclusive inner circle. Now, in the wake of his dramatic resignation following the sensational EU referendum campaign, this new edition of the book

that 'got the world talking' (Daily Mail) revisits the real David Cameron, bringing the story of his premiership to its final chapter. Based on hundreds of interviews with colleagues past and present, friends and foes, this unauthorised biography charts Cameron's path from a blissful childhood in rural Berkshire through to the most powerful office in the country, giving a fascinating insight into his most intriguing relationships, both political and personal. Exploring

the highs and lows
of his
administration,
from his brush with
disaster over the
Scottish question
and his humiliation
over Syria to his
surprise election
victory in 2015 and
his controversial
win on gay
marriage, this
fully updated
edition offers a
comprehensive
assessment of
Cameron's legacy in
office, weighing up
the extraordinary
achievements of
Britain's youngest
Prime Minister for
200 years.

The Sorcerer's

Apprentice Oxford

University Press

Rita, Dan, Max and Ted
are on the move in

Trucktown! Kids will
have hands-on fun with
a movable part on each
spread! Swing Wrecker
Rosie's wrecking ball,
spin Monster Truck
Max's wheel, dump
gravel from Dump Truck
Dan's bed, and move
Tow Truck Ted's hook
up and down as he
saves a good friend!
Sylvia & Michael Other
Press, LLC

"[A] subtle and
unnerving story of the
little things that can
tip the balance of
one's life and send it
spiraling into chaos."

—Publishers Weekly

Stephen King called

Michael Marshall's

debut novel *The Straw*

Men, "a masterpiece...br

illiantly written and

scary as hell." With

Killer Move, the

acclaimed author of

Bad Things and *The*

Intruders demonstrates

that he has only

gotten better with

time. The electrifying story of a man on the fast track to success who finds that his life has been chillingly "modified" by someone, somewhere with a very different master plan for his future, *Killer Move* is a remarkably intelligent, genuinely creepy thriller from Phillip K. Dick Award-winner Marshall.

Leonardo and the Death

Machine Courier Dover Publications

Welcome to the Devil's house. A nest of vipers dwells within. And a trail of blood leads to the Borgia Palace ... Against a teeming canvas of Borgia politics, Niccolò Machiavelli and Leonardo da Vinci come together to unmask a serial killer. Through a labyrinth of ancient superstition and

erotic obsession they discover an evil and terrible secret - one that still lies buried in the lines of Machiavelli's greatest work, *The Prince*.

Byzantium

HarperCollins UK

When a young man inherits a vast mansion from an estranged great-uncle, his apparent good fortune sours when unsettling things begin to happen ... A terrifying psychological thriller cum gothic ghost story from the bestselling author of *A Suitable Lie*. 'A beautifully written tale, original, engrossing and scary. It's a wonderful mixture, a psychological thriller with a touch of a ghost story (sort of), a dollop of the supernatural (but not really) and murder

(perhaps), told through his estranged great-
the vision of a nephew grew up.
druggie poet who Entering his new-found
hasn't taken his home, it seems Great-
medicine and is uncle Alexander has
therefore an turned it into a
unreliable witness (or temple to the written
is he?) ... a dark joy' word - the perfect
The Times 'A deeply place for poet Ran.
satisfying read' But everything is not
Sunday Times 'A fine, as it seems. As he
page-turning thriller' explores the Hall's
Daily Mail endless corridors,

_____ What Ran's grasp on reality
you see isn't always appears to be
real... Ran McGhie's loosening. And then he
world has been turned comes across an
upside down. A young, ancient lift; and in
lonely and frustrated that lift a mirror.
writer, and suffering And in the mirror ...
from mental-health the reflection of a
problems, he discovers woman. A terrifying
that his long-dead psychological thriller
mother was related to with more than a hint
one of Glasgow's of the gothic, House
oldest merchant of Spines is a love
families. Not only letter to the power of
that, Ran has books, and a reminder
inherited Newton Hall, that lust and betrayal
a vast mansion that can be deadly...
belonged to his great-
uncle, who had been
watching from afar as

_____ Praise for Michael J.
Malone: 'House of

Spines is a gothic ghost story and psychological thriller all rolled into one. Brilliantly creepy, with a dash of Glasgow humour, I couldn't turn the pages fast enough. A spine-tingling treat' Lisa Gray, Daily Record 'From the stunning opening chapter, I was hooked. House of Spines is an intriguing tale with a haunting, gothic quality that compels you to keep reading till the end' Howard Linskey 'At first it seems like a poet's paradise, but something sinister lurks within the corridors ... a MUST READ' Daily Express 'The story twists and feints, pulling us along with it at every turn, the edginess of its central character making every

development even more unsettling ... a chilling read, best savoured late on a dark night' Herald Scotland 'You might not want to be alone when you read this spine-chilling gothic thriller ... As he explores its endless corridors his grip on reality seems to be evaporating in this terrifying exploration of lust and betrayal' Sunday Post 'Prepare to have your marrow well and truly chilled by this deeply creepy Scottish horror ... A complex and multi-layered story - perfect for a wintry night' Sunday Mirror 'Beautifully crafted and colourfully descriptive ... keeps the reader gripped by an uneasy presence, a chill, literally, down the spine' Undiscovered Scotland

'Malone is a massive
talent ... get on board
now so you can brag
you were reading his
books long before the
rest of the world'
Luca Veste