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Interpreting Nightingales Random House
THE BRAND NEW NIGHTINGALES NOVEL
BY SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR
DONNA DOUGLAS.

It is Christmas, 1945.
The war is over, but its scars remain. Matron Kathleen Fox has the job of putting the Nightingale Hospital back together. But memories and ghosts of those lost fill the bomb-damaged buildings, and she wonders if she's up to the task. In the name of festive cheer Kathleen decides to

put on a Christmas Show for the patients. The idea is greeted with mixed feelings by the nurses, who are struggling with their own post-war problems. And the newly-formed rivalry between newcomer Assistant Matron Charlotte Davis and ward sister Violet Tanner is not helping matters. As rehearsals begin however, it seems the show is not just a tonic for the patients - could the Nightingale Christmas Show be just what the doctor ordered for the nurses too?

John McCain Random House
Across the Nightingale Floor is Book 1 in the five-part Tales of the Otori series. More than four million copies have been sold in over 36 countries. 'The best story of magic, love, sex, revenge and suspense to have come this way since Philip Pullman' Independent On Sunday (UK) In his fortress at Inuyama, the murderous warlord

Iida Sadamu surveys his famous nightingale floor. Constructed with exquisite skill, it sings at the tread of each human foot. No assassin can cross it unheard. Brought up in a remote village among the Hidden, a reclusive and spiritual people, Takeo has learned only the ways of peace. Why, then, does he possess the deadly skills that make him so valuable to the sinister Tribe? These supernatural powers will lead him to his violent destiny within the walls of Inuyama - and to an impossible longing for a girl who can never be his. His journey is one of revenge and treachery, beauty and magic, and the passion of first love. 'masterful storytelling ... a

fantastic read' The Age Coming soon - the spellbinding new TALE OF SHIKANOKO, set 300 years before Otori: THE EMPEROR OF THE EIGHT ISLANDS (Books 1 & 2 in THE TALE OF SHIKANOKO) and THE LORD OF THE DARKWOOD (Books 3 & 4). PRAISE FOR THE TALES OF THE OTORI 'An engrossing fantasy saga of literary quality.' The Age Lian Hearn's marvellous storytelling talent ... makes reading these books a moment of pure bliss.' Le Monde 'an enthralling and original work of fantasy' The Times

Nightingales at War National Geographic Books

"Florence Nightingale to Her Nurses" is a collection of Miss Nightingale's addresses to probation officers and nurses who were serving at St. Thomas's Hospital's Nightingale School. Florence Nightingale (1820-1910) was an English social reformer, statistician, and the founder of modern nursing. Nightingale came to prominence. She gave nursing a favorable reputation and became an icon of Victorian culture, especially

in the persona of "The Lady with the Lamp" making rounds of wounded soldiers at night. Nightingale's lasting contribution has been her role in founding the modern nursing profession. The first official nurses' training program, her Nightingale School for Nurses, opened in 1860 and is now called the Florence Nightingale Faculty of Nursing and Midwifery at King's College London.

The Nightingale Girls Del Rey

Despite being neglected by the emperor, the little nightingale revives the dying ruler with its beautiful song.

The Nightingale Sisters Vintage Books

A heart-warming and moving tale of courage and friendship set in Victorian Liverpool, for fans of Call the Midwife, Daisy Styles and Nadine Dorries. 'Deftly written and moving' Woman's Own

_____ Liverpool, 1870 One act of kindness will change a young woman's life forever . . . On the dirty backstreets of Liverpool, housemaid Maud Linklater witnesses an appalling accident. Rushing young chimney-sweep Alfie to hospital, she helps nurse the boy on the overcrowded ward - and finds herself with

a new job. Maud cannot believe her luck at joining trainees Alice and Eddy at the new Nurses' Training School and they form the closest of bonds. Then one day Alfie is abducted. Maud and the girls know the alleyways and slums of Liverpool are no place for a lost little boy. Can these determined women find Alfie before it's too late? 'A heartwarming and tear-inducing tale with wonderfully realistic characters'

Woman

The Nightingale Sisters East India Press

Three very different girls sign up as student nurses in 1936, while England is still mourning the death of George V. Dora is a tough East Ender, driven by ambition, but also desperate to escape her squalid, overcrowded home and her abusive stepfather. Helen is the quiet one, a mystery to her fellow nurses, avoiding fun, gossip and the limelight. In fact she is in the formidable shadow of her overbearing mother, who dominates every aspect of her life. Can a nursing career free Helen at last? The third of our heroines is naughty, rebellious Millie an aristocrat on the run from her conventional upper

class life. She is doomed to clash over and over again with terrifying Sister Hyde and to get into scrape after scrape especially where men are concerned.

This utterly delightful novel brings a London pre-war hospital vividly to life.

The Nurses of Steeple Street Random House

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'Poetic and compelling, with a heart-stopping plot twist, *Death and Nightingales* seems to me a perfect novel' Hilary Mantel 'A miracle of a novel which combines prose of bleak, unadorned beauty with a plot that keeps you up all night wondering how it will end... a masterpiece' Colm Tóibín It is 1883 and against the fearsome, unforgiving beauty of the Fermanagh landscape, the fate of Beth Winters unfolds. Beth is determined to decide her own destiny but charmed by the roguish Liam Ward she seems doomed to repeat the tragic mistakes of her family's past. Through the events of her twenty-fifth birthday, decades of pain and betrayal build to a devastating, deadly climax.

Armageddon in Retrospect Random House
All that Dora Riley wants is her husband home

safe for Christmas... The Nightingale Hospital, London, 1944: With her husband Nick away fighting, Dora struggles to keep the home fires burning and is put in charge of a ward full of German prisoners of war. Can she find it in her heart to care for her enemies? Fellow nurse Kitty thinks she might be falling for a German soldier, whilst Dora's old friend Helen returns from Europe with a dark secret. Can the women overcome their prejudices and the troubles of their past to do their duty for their country?

The Barley Bird DigiCat

For the first time, a Nightingale nurses novel set during the First World War. Follow the senior staff as they overcome the trials of their training years. From Sunday Times top ten bestselling author, Donna Douglas. East London, 1914: Britain is preparing for war. As young men queue up across the country to enlist, the Nightingale Hospital has its own set of new recruits... Anna has had a happy upbringing in her parent's bakery in Bethnal Green. But as war descends her family's German roots will wrench them apart in ways Anna never could have imagined. Kate dreams of following in her father's footsteps and becoming a doctor. With female doctors virtually unheard of, it will take courage to face off the prejudice around her. Sadie joins the Nightingale Hospital for a new life away from her mother's interference. But the legacy of her family may not be so easy to escape... As

the shadow of war descends, will the promise of Christmas help to bring the students together?

The Bear and the Nightingale A&C Black

As Christmas 1938 approaches, the staff at the Nightingale Hospital have their own wishes for the festive season. Ward sister Frannie Wallace is hoping she won't have to live through another war like the one that claimed her beloved fiance. But with bomb defences going up all around London, it seems as if her hopes are in vain. Staff Nurse Helen Dawson wants to find happiness again after the death of her husband Charlie. A handsome stranger seems to offer the chance she wants. But is she looking for love in the wrong place? Matron Kathleen Fox struggles to keep up morale amongst her nurses as the hospital faces the threat of evacuation. But while everyone else worries about the future of the Nightingale, it's for her own future that Kathleen truly fears. As the country prepares itself for war, one thing is for sure – by the time next Christmas

comes, nothing at the Nightingale Hospital will be the same again...
Death and Nightingales Diggory Press Limited

A HEARTWARMING WARTIME TALE
FEATURING THE NURSES OF THE
NIGHTINGALE HOSPITAL BY
SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLING
AUTHOR DONNA DOUGLAS _____

____ FOR THE NIGHTINGALE NURSES,
THE WEDDING BELLS ARE
RINGING. . . East London, 1917. Anna
is over the moon when her sweetheart
Edward returns from the front line. As
he recovers from injuries sustained in
war, they make plans to be married.
But the horrors of the trenches cast a
long shadow. Caring for shell-shocked
soldiers brings untold challenges for
Grace, and her parents have very
different dreams for her future. Will she
have the strength to forge her own
path? Meanwhile Dulcie has her sights
firmly set on her own happy ending. Yet
sometimes we find love where we least
expect to. Each nurse has her own
battle to fight but they must pull

together to find true happiness.
The Nightingale Simon and Schuster
From National Book Award finalist
Susan Straight comes a haunting
historical novel about a Louisiana slave
girl's perilous journey to
freedom. Daughter of an African mother
and a white father she never knew,
Moinette is a house maid on a
plantation south of New Orleans. At
fourteen she is sold, separated from
her mother without a chance to say
goodbye. Bright, imaginative and well
aware of everything she risks, Moinette
at once begins to prepare for an
opportunity to escape. Inspired by a
true story, A Million Nightingales
portrays Moinette's experience—and
the treacherous world she must
navigate—with uncommon richness,
intricacy, and drama.

The Nightingale Random House
In this kids' biography, discover the
fascinating story of Florence
Nightingale, who cared for British
soldiers during wartime as the "Lady of
the Lamp" and changed the field of
nursing. Florence Nightingale was a

pioneer of nursing at a time when
women were discouraged from working
outside the home, especially in the field
of science. She saved many lives both
on and off the battlefield through
implementing a new standard of
medical care, and by leading groups of
nurses to improve conditions. In this
biography for kids ages 8-12, learn all
about the inspiring story of Florence
Nightingale--social reformer, statistician,
and mother of modern nursing who
bucked the social norms of her day and
changed the world. DK Life Stories go
beyond the basic facts to tell the true
life stories of history's most interesting
people. Full-color photographs and
hand-drawn illustrations complement
thoughtfully written, age-appropriate
text to create an engaging book children
will enjoy reading. Definition boxes,
information sidebars, fun facts, maps,
inspiring quotes, and other nonfiction
text features add depth, and a handy
reference section at the back makes
this series perfect for school reports and
projects. Each book also includes an
author's introduction letter, a glossary,

and an index.

A Mother's Journey Hachette UK

The poetic nightingale is so familiar it seems hardly to merit serious attention. Yet its ubiquity is significant, suggesting associations with erotic love, pathos and art that cross culture and history. This book examines the different nightingales of European literature, starting with the Greek myth of Philomela, the raped girl, silenced by having her tongue cut out, and then transformed into the bird whose name means poet, poetry and nightingale simultaneously. Moving from the classical to the Christian worlds, Jeni Williams discusses nightingales and nature in the early church and sees the emergence of the figure as an emotive emblem of the aristocracy in mediaeval vernacular debate poetry. Her final chapters use the nightingale and the myth to examine Elizabeth Barrett Browning's struggle for an active female voice in Victorian poetry.

Nightingale's Nest Random House

Welcome to the district nurses' home on Steeple Street, where everyone has a secret... Ambitious young nurse Agnes Sheridan had a promising future ahead of her until a tragic mistake brought all her dreams crashing down and cost her the love and respect of everyone around her. Now she has

come to Leeds for a fresh start as a trainee district nurse. But Agnes finds herself facing unexpected challenges as she is assigned to Quarry Hill, one of the city's most notorious slums. Before she can redeem herself in the eyes of her family, she must first win the trust and respect of her patients and fellow nurses. Does Agnes have what it takes to stay the distance? Or will the tragedy of her past catch up with her?

Notes on Nursing Random House

Christmas 1941 and the nurses at the Nightingale are facing their toughest winter yet. With shortages everywhere, and every news bulletin announcing more defeats and losses, the British people are weary and demoralised and The Nightingale Hospital is suffering too. Millie is recently widowed and dealing with the demands of her family's estate. It's not long before her old world of The Nightingale begins to beckon, along with a long-lost love... Jess is struggling with her move from East London to the quiet of the countryside. Effie finds herself exiled to a quiet village, but the quiet doesn't last for long as she soon finds excitement in the shape of a smooth-talking GI. As Christmas approaches, even the shelter of the countryside can't protect the girls from heartache.

Florence Nightingale's Lost Log Penguin UK

¿ We all become lost children at one time or another. When no one else can find us, we must find ourselves.¿ ¿ Olivia Bron Jones was abandoned as a newborn. Thrown into foster care, he is rejected by one family after another, until he meets Olivia, a gifted and devoted high-school teacher who recognizes him for what he really is¿ what her people call a ¿nightingale.¿ But Bron isn't ready to learn the truth. There are secrets that have been hidden from mankind for hundreds of thousands of years, secrets that should remain hidden. Some things are too dangerous to know. Bron's secret may be the most dangerous of all. In his remarkable young adult fantasy debut, David Farland shows why critics have called his work ¿compelling,¿ ¿engrossing,¿ ¿powerful,¿ ¿profound,¿ and ¿ultimately life-changing.¿

A Nightingale Christmas Carol Anchor

From the author of *The Nightingale Girls*, *The Nightingale Sisters* and *The Nightingale Nurses* â€" perfect for fans of *Call the Midwife* 1937 sees new challenges for the trainee nurses Dora and her old enemy Lucy are paired up on the children's ward for the final three months of their training. The two nurses couldn't seem more different, but they may have more in

common than they think, as each hides a secret heartache. and new faces at the Nightingale Jess is the feisty eldest daughter of a notorious East End family and determined to prove herself as a ward maid. And new trainee nurse Effie can't wait to escape her small Irish village, and make her way as a nurse in London. But Effie's sister Katie soon begins to worry that Effie's behaviour is out of control. Nightingales on call and in crisis: have they got what it takes?

Danish Fairy Tales... Random House

The Nightingale nurses are doing their bit for king and country... Dora is the devoted mother of twin babies but, determined to help the war effort, she goes back to work at the Nightingale Hospital. More used to nights out in the West End, Jennifer and Cissy volunteer in the hope of tending to handsome soldiers. For shy and troubled Eve, the hospital provides an escape from the pressures of home. But as the war takes its toll, will the Nightingale Hospital survive the Blitz?

The Owl and the Nightingale Random House

Katherine Arden's bestselling debut

novel spins an irresistible spell as it announces the arrival of a singular talent with a gorgeous voice. "A beautiful deep-winter story, full of magic and monsters and the sharp edges of growing up."—Naomi Novik, bestselling author of *Uprooted* Winter lasts most of the year at the edge of the Russian wilderness, and in the long nights, Vasilisa and her siblings love to gather by the fire to listen to their nurse's fairy tales. Above all, Vasya loves the story of Frost, the blue-eyed winter demon. Wise Russians fear him, for he claims unwary souls, and they honor the spirits that protect their homes from evil. Then Vasya's widowed father brings home a new wife from Moscow. Fiercely devout, Vasya's stepmother forbids her family from honoring their household spirits, but Vasya fears what this may bring. And indeed, misfortune begins to stalk the village. But Vasya's stepmother only grows harsher, determined to remake the village to her liking and to groom her rebellious stepdaughter for marriage or a convent. As the village's defenses weaken and evil from the

forest creeps nearer, Vasilisa must call upon dangerous gifts she has long concealed—to protect her family from a threat sprung to life from her nurse's most frightening tales. Praise for *The Bear and the Nightingale* "Arden's debut novel has the cadence of a beautiful fairy tale but is darker and more lyrical."—*The Washington Post* "Vasya [is] a clever, stalwart girl determined to forge her own path in a time when women had few choices."—*The Christian Science Monitor* "Stunning . . . will enchant readers from the first page. . . . with an irresistible heroine who wants only to be free of the bonds placed on her gender and claim her own fate."—*Publishers Weekly* (starred review) "Utterly bewitching . . . a lush narrative . . . an immersive, earthy story of folk magic, faith, and hubris, peopled with vivid, dynamic characters, particularly clever, brave Vasya, who outsmarts men and demons alike to save her family."—*Booklist* (starred review) "An extraordinary retelling of a very old tale . . . *The Bear and the Nightingale* is a

wonderfully layered novel of family and
the harsh wonders of deep winter
magic.”—Robin Hobb