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"The Gift of the Magi" is a short story by O. Henry first published in 1905. The story tells of a young husband and wife and how they deal with the challenge of buying secret

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Christmas gifts for each other with very little money. As a sentimental story with a moral lesson about gift-giving, it has been popular for adaptation, especially for presentation at Christmas time.

Woman Hollering Creek
Sourcebooks, Inc.

"The press secretary of the Carter administration calls the national press to account in anecdotes involving all the media and analyses of the methods and standards of journalists."

--Amazon

These Precious Days

Anchor

Includes stories featured in
Pantheon—now an animated

series on AMC+ "I know this is going to sound hyperbolic, but when I'm reading Ken Liu's stories, I feel like I'm reading a once-in-a-generation talent. I'm in awe." —Jamie Ford, New York Times bestselling author "Captivating." —BuzzFeed "Extraordinary." —The Washington Post "Brilliant." —The Chicago Tribune With the release of *The Paper Menagerie and Other Stories*, Ken Liu's short fiction has resonated with a generation of readers. From stories about time-

traveling assassins, to *Black Mirror*-esque tales of cryptocurrency and internet trolling, to heartbreaking narratives of parent-child relationships, *The Hidden Girl and Other Stories* is a far-reaching work that explores topical themes from the present and a visionary look at humanity's future. This collection includes a selection of Liu's speculative fiction stories over the past five years—seventeen of his best—plus a new novelette. In addition, it also features an excerpt from *The Veiled*

<p>Throne, the third book in Liu's epic fantasy series The Dandelion Dynasty. Stories include: Ghost Days; Maxwell's Demon; The Reborn; Thoughts and Prayers; Byzantine Empathy; The Gods Will Not Be Chained; Staying Behind; Real Artists; The Gods Will Not Be Slain; Altogether Elsewhere, Vast Herds of Reindeer; The Gods Have Not Died in Vain; Memories of My Mother; Dispatches from the Cradle: The Hermit—Forty-Eight Hours in the Sea of Massachusetts;</p>	<p>Grey Rabbit, Crimson Mare, Coal Leopard; A Chase Beyond the Storms (an excerpt from The Veiled Throne, Book 3 of the Dandelion Dynasty); The Hidden Girl; Seven Birthdays; The Message; Cutting <i>Other Stories and Other Stories</i> Tuttle Publishing *** CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BRITISH BOOK AWARDS AUTHOR OF THE YEAR 2022*** Step into the lives of three women</p>	<p>whose ambitions collide in the hilarious and heart-warming novel from the No. 1 bestselling author of <i>Grown Ups</i> 'Wonderful, subtle, hilarious and highly sophisticated. You can't stop reading' EVENING STANDARD 'It had me in tears . . . and barking with laughter' DAILY TELEGRAPH 'There</p>
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are three sides to every story. Your side, their side, and the truth . . . ' Jojo, a sharkish literary agent, has just made a very bad career move - she's slept with her married boss Mark. Lily, Jojo's bestselling author, has blown her advance on a house with new boyfriend Anton, only to come down with writer's block. Gemma used _____ to be Lily's best friend until Lily ran off with Anton. Now she's pouring her heart out, and a certain literary agent likes her style . . . Soon the fortunes of Jojo, Lily and Gemma are horribly entangled. But each is about to discover that there's more than one side to every story . . .

'Keyes's genius lies in making the darkest, most difficult aspects of humanity mentionable and manageable . . . Keyes's plot is cracking, but the story becomes even bolder and brighter because she lets her characters tell it' Independent 'Packed with sound writing, wit and common sense' Guardian Praise for

Marian Keyes:
'Mercilessly funny'
The Times 'Funny,
tender and
completely
absorbing!' Graham
Norton 'Keyes is in
a class of her own'
Daily Express
Winner of 'Author
of the Year' at the
British Book Awards
May 2022

The Other Side of the
Story Vintage

The first official
account of the iconic
record label.

The Other Side of the
Story Bloomsbury
Publishing USA
From Super Bowl
champion and literacy
crusader Malcolm
Mitchell comes an
exciting new story that
shows even reluctant
readers that there is a
book out there for
everyone! Meet Henley,
an all-around good kid,
who hates to read. When
he's supposed to be
reading, he would rather
do anything else. But one
day, he gets the scariest
homework assignment in

the world: find your
favorite book to share
with the class
tomorrow. What's a kid to
do? How can Henley find
a story that speaks to
everything inside of
him? Malcolm Mitchell,
best-selling author of *The
Magician's Hat*, pulls from
his own literary triumph
to deliver another
hilarious and empowering
picture book for readers
of all abilities. Through
his advocacy and his
books, Malcolm imparts
the important message
that every story has the

potential to become a favorite.

The Hidden Girl and Other Stories Penguin UK

2019 NATIONAL BOOK AWARD FINALIST Winner of the Arab American Book Award in Fiction Finalist for the Kirkus Prize in Fiction Finalist for the California Book Award Longlisted for the Aspen Words Literary Prize A Los Angeles Times bestseller Named a

Best Book of the Year by The Washington Post, Time, NPR, Minneapolis Star Tribune, Dallas Morning News, The Guardian, Variety, and Kirkus Reviews Late one spring night in California, Driss Guerraoui—father, husband, business owner, Moroccan immigrant—is hit and killed by a speeding car. The aftermath of his death brings together a diverse cast of

characters: Guerraoui's daughter Nora, a jazz composer returning to the small town in the Mojave she thought she'd left for good; her mother, Maryam, who still pines for her life in the old country; Efra í n, an undocumented witness whose fear of deportation prevents him from coming forward; Jeremy, an old friend of Nora ' s and an Iraqi War veteran; Coleman, a detective

who is slowly discovering her son's secrets; Anderson, a neighbor trying to reconnect with his family; and the murdered man himself. As the characters—deeply divided by race, religion, and class—tell their stories, each in their own voice, connections among them emerge. Driss's family confronts its secrets, a town faces its hypocrisies, and

love—messy and unpredictable—is born. Timely, riveting, and unforgettable, *The Other Americans* is at once a family saga, a murder mystery, and a love story informed by the treacherous fault lines of American culture.

Facing the Other Way: The Story of 4AD Bloomsbury
Publishing USA
From playwright, screenwriter, and director Laurents comes a mesmerizing book about theater, art and the artist,

the insider and the outsider--and the making of two of the greatest musicals of the American stage: "Gypsy" and "West Side Story."

Somebody with a Little Hammer St.
Martin's Press

Examines the economic underworld of migrant farm workers, the aged, minority groups, and other economically underprivileged groups. *The Other Americans*
North Atlantic Books

In April 2006, Mary Turner Thomson received a call

that blew her life apart. The woman on the other end of the line told her that Will Jordan, Mary's husband and the father of her two younger children, had been married to her for fourteen years and they had five children together. The Bigamist is the shocking true story of how one man manipulated an intelligent, independent woman, conning her out of £200,000 and leaving her to bring up the children he claimed he could never have. It's a story we all think could never happen to us, but this shameless con man has been doing the

same thing to various other women for at least 27 years, spinning a tangled web of lies and deceit to cover his tracks. How far would you go to help the man you love? How far would he go to deceive you? And what would you do when you found out it was all a lie?

The Paper Menagerie and Other Stories Knopf

A vitally alive and ever-surprising collection of stories from the Booker Prize-shortlisted, Women's Prize-winning author of How to be both and the critically

acclaimed Seasonal quartet 'Bold and sensitive. Smith's prose is a joy' Independent Individually lucid and luminous, these tales resonate subtly together. In examining the distances and connections between ourselves and others, expertly inching us closer to the bone, Ali Smith's storytelling has never seemed so necessary, so moving or so joyous. ***** 'Captures quiet epiphanies of the extraordinary in the mundane' Sunday Times

'These stories fizz with life' The Times Literary Supplement
Top Five Regrets of the Dying Penguin UK
A New York Times best seller! From the New York Times and international best-selling author Tatiana de Rosnay comes *The Other Story*, "[a] brilliant pager-turner" (BookPage), layered and beautifully written, that is a reflection on identity, the process of being a

writer and the repercussions of generations-old decisions as they echo into the present and shape the future. Vacationing at a luxurious Tuscan island resort, Nicolas Duhamel is hopeful that the ghosts of his past have finally been put to rest... Now a bestselling author, when he was twenty-four years old, he stumbled upon a troubling secret about his family-a secret that

was carefully concealed. In shock, Nicolas embarked on a journey to uncover the truth that took him from the Basque coast to St. Petersburg-but the answers wouldn't come easily. In the process of digging into his past, something else happened. Nicolas began writing a novel that was met with phenomenal success, skyrocketing him to literary fame whether he was ready for it or

not - and convincing him that he had put his family's history firmly behind him. But now, years later, Nicolas must reexamine everything he thought he knew, as he learns that, however deeply buried, the secrets of the past always find a way out. "The tension of Nicholas's unsustainable half-truths and the gradual parceling out of his father's secrets will keep readers in de

Rosnay's thrall, hoping redemption will come. Readers in real life should anticipate de Rosnay's latest with all the fervor Nicholas's fans show in awaiting his."-Shelf Awareness "de Rosnay's fans...will not be disappointed."-Library Journal
Flying Lessons & Other Stories Farrar, Straus and Giroux
By the author of the Newbery Honor Book *The Night Diary*, a thoughtful and relatable story about

cultural identity, friendship, and what it means to fit in without losing who you are. After her father loses his job, Sonia Nadhamuni, half Indian and half Jewish American, finds herself yanked out of private school and thrown into the unfamiliar world of public education. For the first time, Sonia's mixed heritage makes her classmates ask questions—questions Sonia doesn't always know how to answer—as she navigates between a group of popular girls who want her to try out for the cheerleading squad and other students who aren't part of the "in"

crowd. At the same time that Sonia is trying to make new friends, she's dealing with what it means to have an out-of-work parent—it's hard for her family to adjust to their changed circumstances. And then, one day, Sonia's father goes missing. Now Sonia wonders if she ever really knew him. As she begins to look for answers, she must decide what really matters and who her true friends are—and whether her two halves, no matter how different, can make her a whole. What greater praise than to be compared to Judy Blume!--"Each [Blume and

Hiranandani] excels in charting the fluctuating discomfort zones of adolescent identity with affectionate humor."--Kirkus Reviews, Starred
A Man in Full Random House
As seen on Oprah ' s Super Soul Sunday A beacon of hope in the face of our current world crises, this uplifting book demonstrates how embracing our interconnectedness is key to world

transformation In a time of social and ecological crisis, what can we as individuals do to make the world a better place? This inspirational and thought-provoking book serves as an empowering antidote to the cynicism, frustration, paralysis, and overwhelm so many of us are feeling, replacing it with a grounding reminder of what ' s true: we are all connected, and our small, personal choices

bear unsuspected which, he shows, has sounding a clarion call to
transformational power. generated the present surrender our old
By fully embracing and planetary crisis. He worldview of
practicing this principle brings to conscious separation, so that we
of interconnectedness—awareness a deep more beautiful world
alled interbeing—we wisdom we all innately our hearts know is
become more effective know: until we get possible. With chapters
agents of change and ourselves in order, any covering separation,
have a stronger positive action we take—no interbeing, despair,
influence on the world. matter how good our hope, pain, pleasure,
Throughout the book, intentions—will consciousness, and
Eisenstein relates real- ultimately be wrong- many more, the book
life stories showing how headed and wrong- invites us to let the old
small, individual acts of hearted. Above all, Story of Separation fall
courage, kindness, and Eisenstein invites us to away so that we can
self-trust can change embrace a radically stand firmly in a Story
our culture ' s guiding different understanding of Interbeing.
narrative of separation, of cause and effect,

The Gift of the Magi Yearling

Revised edition of the best-selling memoir that has been read by over a million people worldwide with translations in 29 languages. After too many years of unfulfilling work, Bronnie Ware began searching for a job with heart. Despite having no formal qualifications or previous experience in the field, she found herself working in palliative care. During the time she spent tending to those who were dying, Bronnie's life was transformed. Later, she wrote an Internet blog post,

outlining the most common regrets that the people she had cared for had expressed. The post gained so much momentum that it was viewed by more than three million readers worldwide in its first year. At the request of many, Bronnie subsequently wrote a book, *The Top Five Regrets of the Dying*, to share her story. Bronnie has had a colourful and diverse life. By applying the lessons of those nearing their death to her own life, she developed an understanding that it is possible for everyone, if we make the right choices, to

die with peace of mind. In this revised edition of the best-selling memoir that has been read by over a million people worldwide, with translations in 29 languages, Bronnie expresses how significant these regrets are and how we can positively address these issues while we still have the time. *The Top Five Regrets of the Dying* gives hope for a better world. It is a courageous, life-changing book that will leave you feeling more compassionate and inspired to live the life you are truly here to live.

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William Morrow
Featured in the Netflix
series Love, Death &
Robots Bestselling author
Ken Liu selects his
multiple award-winning
stories for a
groundbreaking
collection—including a
brand-new piece
exclusive to this volume.
With his debut novel, *The
Grace of Kings*, taking
the literary world by
storm, Ken Liu now
shares his finest short
fiction in *The Paper
Menagerie and Other
Stories*. This

mesmerizing collection
features many of Ken 's
award-winning and award-
finalist stories, including:
“ The Man Who Ended
History: A Documentary ”
(Finalist for the Hugo,
Nebula, and Theodore
Sturgeon Awards), “ Mond
No Aware ” (Hugo Award
winner), “ The Waves ”
(Nebula Award finalist),
“ The Bookmaking Habits
of Select Species ”
(Nebula and Sturgeon
Award finalists), “ All the
Flavors ” (Nebula Award
finalist), “ The Litigation
Master and the Monkey

King ” (Nebula Award
finalist), and the most
award-winning and award-
awarded story in the
genre 's history, “ The
Paper Menagerie ” (The
only story to win the
Hugo, Nebula, and World
Fantasy awards).
Insightful and stunning
stories that plumb the
struggle against history
and betrayal of
relationships in pivotal
moments, this collection
showcases one of our
greatest and original
voices.
[The Other Story](#)
Penguin UK

When Mr. Cheeseman and his three "smart, polite, and relatively odor-free" children journey to the not-so-distant past, they meet something utterly surprising--the alternate versions of themselves.

The Story of the Other Wise Man Yearling
In essays on matters literary, social, cultural, and personal, Mary Gaitskill explores date rape and political adultery, the transcendentalism of the Talking Heads, the

melancholy of Björk, and the playfulness of artist Laurel Nakadate. She celebrates the clownish grandiosity and the poetry of Norman Mailer's long career and maps the sociosexual cataclysm embodied by porn star Linda Lovelace. Witty, wide-ranging, tender, and beautiful, Somebody with a Little Hammer displays the same heat-seeking, revelatory understanding for which Gaitskill's writing has always been known. The More Beautiful World Our Hearts Know Is Possible Hay House, Inc That's NOT the way it was!

say five characters from some of the worlds most beloved fairy tales. In reality, Cinderella wasn't the sweetest belle of the ball. She was an annoying chatterbox. Jack was a petty thief. And Little Red Riding Hood? Spoiled rotten! Its all about point of view. Pull up a chair, and get the full scoop straight from the mouths of the wicked stepmother, the giant, the prince, Baby Bear, and the wolf. Get the Other Side of the Story! The Warmth of Other Suns Scholastic Inc. NATIONAL BESTSELLER • A

moving and powerful account by an acclaimed journalist that "informs the heart. [This] meticulous portrait of two boys in a Chicago housing project shows how much heroism is required to survive, let alone escape" (The New York Times). "Alex Kotlowitz joins the ranks of the important few writers on the subject of urban poverty."—Chicago Tribune The story of two remarkable boys struggling to survive in Chicago's Henry Horner

Homes, a public housing complex disfigured by crime and neglect.