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Daughters of Chivalry Yale

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Reissue of the second novel in the Wideacre
Trilogy, a compulsive drama set in

the eighteenth century.

MarieAntoinette
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'She imagines
the
experiences

of the sisters and handsome with empathy and patience ... and ably manages to coax the few sparks of evidence into flames of personality ... Whoop, whoop! If anyone can find me another clutch of rebel princesses, let's get cro wd-funding.' Hermione Eyre, Spectator Virginal, chaste, humble. patiently waiting for rescue by brave knights

princes: this idealized and largely mythical notion of the medieval noblewoman still lingers. Yet the reality was very different, as Kelcey Wilson-pageantry, Lee shows in this vibrant account of the five daughters of the great English king, Edward I. The lives of these sisters - Eleanora, Joanna, Margaret, Mary and Elizabeth ran the full

gamut of experiences open to royal women in the Middle Ages. Living as they did in a courtly culture founded on romantic longing and brilliant they knew that a princess was to be chaste vet a mother to many children, preferably sons, meek yet able to influence a recalcitrant husband or even command a host of menat-arms.

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Edward's daughters were of course expected to cement alliances and secure lands and territory by making great dynastic marriages, or endow religious houses with royal favour. But they also skilfully managed enormous households, navigated choppy diplomatic waters and promoted their family's cause

throughout Europe - and had the courage to defy their royal father. They might never wear the crown in their own right, but they were utterly confident of their crucial role in the spectacle of medieval kingship. Drawing on a wide range of contemporary sources, Daughters of Chivalry offers a rich portrait of these spirited Plantagenet

women. With their libraries of beautifully illustrated psalters and tales of romance, their rich silks and gleaming iewels, we follow these formidable women throughout their lives and see them - at long last - shine from out of the shadows, revealing what it was to be a princess in the Age of Chivalry. Order of Darkness Volumes I-III

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Markham, Ont.: Penguin Books Canada A sequel to Earthly Joy follows the life of John Tradescant the Younger, who works as a gardener to King Charles I before fleeing to the Royalist colony of Virginia in order to protect his family, a decision that tests his botanical talents and involves him in the plight of Native Americans whose lives are threatened by colonial settlers. Reprint. 85,000 first printing. **Dawnlands Simon** and Schuster This New York Times bestseller from "one of the great storytellers of our time " (San Francisco Book Review) turns from

the glamour of the royal courts to tell the story of an ordinary woman, Alinor, living in a dangerous time for a woman to be at war A king with a dangerous secret On Midsummer 's Eve, Alinor waits in of the kingdom. the church graveyard, hoping to encounter the ghost of her missing watching each husband and thus confirm his death. Until she can, she is be disloyal to the neither maiden nor wife nor widow, living in a perilous limbo. Instead she meets James, a young man on the

the secret ways across the treacherous marshy landscape of the Tidelands, not knowing she is leading a spy and different. A country an enemy into her life. England is in beheaded A woman the grip of a bloody civil war that reaches into the most remote parts Alinor 's suspicious neighbors are other for any sign that someone might new parliament, and Alinor's ambition and determination mark her as a woman who run. She shows him doesn 't follow the

rules. They have always whispered about the sinister power of Alinor 's ages" (People). beauty, but the secrets they don 't 3-Book Tudor know about her and James are far more damning. This is the time of witch-mania, and if the villagers discover the truth. they could take matters into their own hands. "This is Gregory par excellence " (Kirkus Reviews). " Fans of Gregory 's works and of historicals in general will delight in this page-turning tale " (Library Journal, starred review) that is " superb... A

searing portrait of a Alongside Lady woman that resonates across the and confidant. Philippa Gregory Collection 1: The Constant Princess, The Other Bolevn Girl, The Boleyn Inheritance Simon and Schuster Enter a world of romance, danger, and superstition in the in the fourth thrilling book in the Order of Darkness series from #1 New York Times bestselling author Philippa Gregory. Luca Vero is a member of the secret Order of Darkness, tasked by his master to uncover the truth behind strange happenings.

Isolde, her friend Ishraq, Luca's manservant, Freize, and Brother Peter, Luca travels miles acorss medieval Europe—seeking out the signs of the end of days, judging the supernatural, and test the new science. Trapped in a village possessed by a dancing madness, the group fights to keep their own sanity. When Isolde dances away in red shoes and Ishraq takes dramatic revenge on their covert assassin, the young people discover that the greatest risk in the men who have come to their rescue. These are the truly

dangerous madmen of Europe, who carry a dark hatred that will last for centuries. Juliet HarperCollins UK Set in 18th century England, "Wideacre" introduces Beatrice Lacey, a heroine who makes Scarlett O'Hara look like a simpering weakling. Readers will fall in love with Philippa Gregory's mesmerizing trilogy. **Stormbringers** Simon and Schuster In this stunning novel, C. W. Gortner brings to life Juana of Castile, the third child of Queen Isabel and King Ferdinand of Spain, who would become the last queen of Spanish blood to

inherit her country's a battle for power throne. Along the way, Gortner takes the reader from the somber majesty of Spain to the glittering and lethal courts of Flanders. France, and Tudor struggle to unify and her everything. strengthen their kingdom, Juana, at the age of sixteen, is excerpt from C. W. sent to wed Philip, passion with her dashing young husband, and at first creates the passion, she is content with her children and her married life. But and she becomes heir to the Spanish throne. Juana finds herself plunged into

against her husband that grows to involve the major monarchs of Europe. Besieged by foes on all sides, Juana vows to secure her crown England. Born amid and save Spain from her parents' ruthless ruin, even if it costs **BONUS: This** edition contains an Gortner's The heir to the Habsburg Queen's Vow. Praise Empire. Juana finds for The Last Queen unexpected love and "This moving tale of Juana la Loca (the Mad) vividly repolitics, and betrayals that drove a smart and spirited when tragedy strikes queen to the brink of insanity . . . or perhaps, as C. W. Gortner suggests, to the pretense of

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insanity-a pretense that baffled Juana's vibrant tapestry of enemies and led to triumph for her children and her country. The Last Queen is an absorbing account of one of history's most fascinating women, from her never-before-told point of view."—Donna Woolfolk Cross. author of Pope Joan "I ached for this intelligent, one-of-a- "Gripping and kind queen. Her struggle and passion captures Juana of kept me up until the early hours of the morning. A pageturner, a nail-biter, an eye-opener: I loved being possessed by The Last Queen!"—Ki Longfellow, author of The Secret

Magdalene "A love and hate . . . brings to life an extraordinary queen at an unforgettable time in history."—Sandra Worth, author of Lady of the Roses "An exquisite evocation of a dangerous era and of once-great Lacey a forgotten queen."—Holly Payne, author of The Virgin's Knot unforgettable . . . Castile's electrifying drama."—Judith Merkle Riley, author of The Water Devil The Last Queen Simon and Schuster

York Times bestselling author and "queen of royal fiction" (USA TODAY) Philippa Gregory comes the thrilling sequel to the New York Times bestseller Wideacre as the estate is restored to its former grandeur—though not without cost. The Wideacre estate is bankrupt. The villagers are living in poverty and formerly stunning hall is a smoke-blackened ruin. But, in the **Dower House** nearby, two children are being raised in protected

From #1 New

innocence. Equal claimants to the estate, rivals for the love of the village, they are tied by a secret childhood betrothal but forbidden to marry. Only one can be the favored child—only one canfamous legend to inherit the magical understanding between the land and the Lacey family that can make the Sussex village grow green again. Only one can be Beatrice Lacey's true heir. Sensual, gripping, and mystical, The Favored Child irresistibly sweeps the reader into a world of secrets.

betrayals, and power in this revolutionary period of English history. The Favoured Child (The Wideacre Trilogy, Book 2) Sourcebooks, Inc. This "wonderfully gripping biography" digs beneath the present a nuanced and revealing portrait of a serious-mined monarch (Allan Massie, Wall Street Journal). As the last Oueen of France before the French Revolution, Marie-Antoinette was mistrusted and reviled in her own time, while today she is portrayed as a lightweight incapable of understanding the events that engulfed her. But who was she really? In this new

account, John Hardman redresses the balance and sheds fresh light on her story. Hardman shows how Marie-Antoinette played a significant but misunderstood role in the crisis of the monarchy. Drawing on new sources, he describes how she refused to prioritize the aggressive foreign policy of her mother, bravely took over the helm from her faltering husband, and, when revolution broke out, worked closely with repentant radicals to give the constitutional monarchy a fighting chance. For the first time, Hardman demonstrates exactly what influence Marie-Antoinette had and when and how she exerted it. Named a 2020 Book of the Year by The Spectator

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Beyond Words/Atria Books "Everyone who has raved about Elizabeth Chadwick vindictive new king as an author of historical novels is right."—Devourer of Marshal lands for Books on The Greatest Knight In another remarkable work of medieval fiction. Elizabeth Chadwick continues Crown suddenly the tale of The Greatest Knight, and shares a story of power, chaos, and the price of loyalty. William Marshal's skill with a sword and loyalty to his word have earned him the favor of kings, the lands of a magnate, and the hand of Isabelle de Clare, one of England's

The Sunset Murders wealthiest heiresses. expected. Brilliantly But he is thrust back researched and into the chaos of court when King Richard dies The clashes with William, claims the the Crown—and takes two of William's sons hostage. The price of his loyalty to the seems too high and the very heart of William and Isabelle's family is at stake. Fiercely intelligent and fearing for the man and marriage that light her life, Isabelle plunges with her husband down a rebellious path that will lead William to more power than he ever

deeply compelling, Elizabeth Chadwick delivers another masterpiece of medieval historical fiction, with favor. drama, and damaged loyalty that will keep you rapt until the very end. "Elizabeth Chadwick is a gifted novelist and a dedicated researcher: it doesn't get any better than that."—Sharon Kay Penman, New York Times bestselling author More Novels of Elizabeth Chadwick's William Marshal: The Greatest Knight The Scarlet Lion For the King's Favor Templar Silks To Defy a King

Changeling **Ballantine Books** THE WHITE **OUEEN** and THE **OTHER** BOLEYN GIRL. discover Philippa Gregory's sweeping and passionate epic, The Wideacre Trilogy The Favoured Child Pan Macmillan #1 New York Times bestselling author Philippa Gregory weaves an unforgettable tale of a young woman's sorcery and desire in Henry VIII's England, where magic, lust, and power are forever

intertwined. Growing up as an From the author of abandoned outcast on the moors. young Alys' only company is her cruel foster mother, Morach, the local wise woman who is whispered to practice the dark arts. Alys joins a nunnery to escape the poverty and loneliness she has felt all her life, but all too soon her sanctuary is destroyed. King Henry VIII's followers burn the holy place to the ground, and Alys only just manages to escape with her life, haunted by the into uncharted screams of her

sisters as they burned to death She finds work in a castle not far from where she grew up as an old lord's scribe, where she falls obsessively in love with his son Hugo. But Hugo is already married to a proud woman named Catherine. Driven to desperation by her desire, she summons the most dangerous powers Morach taught her, but quickly the passionate triangle of Alys, Hugo, and Catherine begins to explode, launching them sexual waters. The

great estate comes last to Wideacre. magic Alys has conjured now has a home at last. The lost heir of life of its own—a Meridon knows one of England's life that is great estates would she does not horrifyingly and belong in the dirty, take her place as disastrously out of vagabond life of a its mistress... control. Is she a gypsy bareback Meridon is a rich, witch? Since rider. The halfimpassioned remembered vision tapestry of a young heresy means the stake, and of another life woman's journey witchcraft the burns in her heart. from dreams to rope, Alys is in even as her glittering drawing mortal danger, beloved sister. rooms and treading a perilous Dandy, risks elaborate deceits. path between her everything for from a simple hope faith and her own their future. Alone, to a deep and Meridon follows fulfilling love. Set power. **Tidelands** the urgings of her in the savage HarperCollins UK dream, riding in contrasts of From the #1 New the moonlight past Georgian York Times the rusted gates, up England—a time alive with bestselling author the winding drive of The Other treachery, to a Boleyn Girl comes house—clutching grandeur, and the final book of the golden clasp of intrigue—Meridon the extraordinary the necklace that is Philippa was her Gregory's Wideacre trilogy as the heir to the birthright—home atmasterwork.

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Daddy Simon and Schuster A romantic triangle in the age of divorce. The heroine is Olivia Beckett, 15, daughter of divorced parents. The mother takes a lover, he becomes interested in Olivia. she in him, and the inevitable follows. A first novel. Wideacre HarperCollins UK The forgotten story of Cecily Neville, Duchess of York. A strong woman who claimed the throne for her family in a time of war... 'A compelling story of divided loyalties and family betrayals.

Dramatic and highly evocative' Woman & Home The Favoured Child Ballantine Books The Son She Loved. The Betrayal She Faced. The Legend She Became. The stunning conclusion to the Eleanor of Aquitaine trilogy Imprisoned by her husband. Separated from her children If King Henry II thought these things would push his queen into submission, he was wrong. Eleanor of Aquitaine refused

to give into his tyranny. Freed by his death, she became dowager Queen of England. But the competition for land and power that Henry bred among his sons had grown into a dangerous rivalry that Eleanor must skillfully control. Eleanor would need every ounce of courage and fortitude as she crossed the Alps in winter to bring her son Richard his bride, ransom him from imprisonment and deal with his brother John's treachery. Her indomitable spirit would be tested to

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its limits as she attempted to keep the peace between her warring sons, fend off enemies. and negotiate a magnificent future for a chosen granddaughter. Fallen Skies Little, Brown Books for Young Readers A bind-up of all three titles:Changeling; Stormbringers; Fools' Gold. The Queen's Rival Simon and Schuster **#1 New York Times** bestselling author and "queen of royal fiction" (USA TODAY) Philippa Gregory brings to life the passionate, turbulent times of seventeenth-century England as seen

through the eyes of the always been faithful to country's most famous royal gardener. John Tradescant's fame and skill as a gardener outrageously are unsurpassed in seventeenth-century England, but it is his clear-sighted honesty and loyalty that make him an invaluable servant. As an informal confident of Sir Robert Cecil. adviser to King James as he follows I. he witnesses the making of history, from the Gunpowder Plot to the accession of King Charles I and the growing animosity Pocket Star Books between Parliament and court. Tradescant's talents soon come to the attention of the most powerful man in the country, the irresistible Duke of Buckingham, the lover of King Charles I. Tradescant has

his masters, but Buckingham is unlike any he has ever known: flamboyant, charming, and utterly reckless. Every certainty upon which Tradescant has based his life—his love of his wife and children, his passion for his work, his loyalty to his country—is shattered Buckingham to court, to war, and to the forbidden territories of human love. The Wise Woman Dark myths, medieval secrets, intrigue, and romance populate the pages of the first-ever teen series from the #1 bestselling author of "The Other Boleyn Girl."

Illustrations. The Other Boleyn Girl (Movie Tie-*In*) Simon and Schuster A sweeping novel of intrigue and identity, of love and legacy, as a young woman discovers that her own fate is irrevocably tied—for better or worse—to literature's greatest starcrossed lovers. Tw enty-five-year-old Julie Jacobs is heartbroken over the death of her beloved aunt Rose. But the shock goes even deeper when she learns that the woman who has

been like a mother turned medieval to her has left her entire estate to Julie's twin sister. The only thing Julie receives is a key—one carried by eaching its her mother on the day she herself died—to a safetydeposit box in Siena, Italy. This key sends Julie on a journey that will change her life forever—a journey into the troubled past of her ancestor Giulietta Tolomei. In 1340. still reeling from parents, Giulietta was smuggled into Giulietta, and the Siena, where she met a young man named Romeo.

Siena upside-down and went on to inspire generations of poets and artists, the story pinnacle in Shakespeare's famous tragedy. But six centuries have a way of catching up to the present, and Julie gradually begins to discover that here, in this ancient city, the past and present are hard to tell apart. The deeper she delves the slaughter of her into the history of Romeo and closer she gets to the treasure they allegedly left Their ill-fated love behind, the greater

the danger those rare novels surrounding that have it all . . . her—superstitions, I was swept ancient hostilities, away"—Sara and personal Gruen, author of vendettas. As Julie Water for crosses paths with Elephants "Juliet the descendants of leads us on a the families thrilling treasure involved in the hunt through unforgettable present-day Italy that makes the blood feud, she classic tragedy begins to fear that the notorious itself spellbinding curse—"A plague all over again."—Elle on both your houses!"—is still at "Boldly imagined, work, and that she brilliantly plotted, is destined to be its beautifully described, Juliet next target. Only someone like will carry you spellbound until Romeo, it seems. could save her the gripping end."—Susan from this dreaded Vreeland, author fate, but his story ended long ago. Or of Clara and Mr. did it? Praise for Tiffany "The Juliet "One of Shakespearean

scholarship on display is both impressive and wel l-handled."—The Washington Post

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