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House of Anansi Shortlisted for the 2014 Miles Franklin Literary Award An exhilarating new book from Australia's most acclaimed writer Tim Winton is Australia's most decorated and beloved literary

novelist. Short-listed twice for the Booker Prize and the winner of a record four Miles Franklin Awards for Best Australian Novel, he has a gift for language virtually unrivaled among English-language novelists. His work is both tough and tender, primordial and new—always revealing the raw, instinctual drives that lure us together and rend us apart. In *Eyrie*, Winton crafts the story of Tom Keely, a man struggling to accomplish good in an utterly fallen world. Once an ambitious, altruistic environmentalist, Keely now finds himself broke, embroiled in scandal, and struggling to piece together some semblance of a life. From the heights of his urban high-rise apartment, he surveys the wreckage of his life and the world he's tumbled out of love with. Just before he descends completely into pills and sorrow, a woman from his past and her preternatural child appear, perched on the edge of disaster, desperate for help. When you're fighting to keep your head above water, how can you save someone else from drowning? As Keely slips into a nightmarish world of con

artists, drug dealers, petty violence, and extortion, Winton confronts the cost of benevolence and creates a landscape of uncertainty. Eyrie is a thrilling and vertigo-inducing morality tale, at once brutal and lyrical, from one of our finest storytellers.

The Living Sea of Waking Dreams

HarperCollins

The undisputed classic of running novels and one of the most beloved sports books ever

published, *Once a Runner* tells the story of an athlete's dreams amid the turmoil of the 60s and the Vietnam war. Inspired by the author's experience as a collegiate champion, the novel follows Quenton Cassidy, a competitive runner at fictional Southeastern University whose lifelong dream is to run a four-minute mile. He is less than a second away when the turmoil of the Vietnam War era intrudes into the staid recesses of his school's athletic department. After he becomes involved in an athletes' protest, Cassidy is suspended from his track team. Under the tutelage of his

friend and mentor, Bruce Denton, a graduate student and former Olympic gold medalist, Cassidy gives up his scholarship, his girlfriend, and possibly his future to withdraw to a monastic retreat in the countryside and begin training for the race of his life against the greatest miler in history. A rare insider's account of the incredibly intense lives of elite distance runners, *Once a Runner* is an inspiring, funny, and spot-on tale of one individual's quest to become a champion.

[The Unknown Terrorist](#)

Grove/Atlantic, Inc.

A 2021 World Fantasy Award

Finalist! A 2020 Crawford Award Finalist An Indie Next Pick! Named a Best of 2020 Pick for NPR Transformation, enchantment, and the emotional truths of family history team in Kathleen Jennings' stunning debut, *Flyaway*. "Kathleen Jennings' prose dazzles, and her magic feels real enough that you might even prick your finger on it."—Kelly Link
“ An unforgettable tale, as beautiful as it is thorny. ” —The New York Times Book Review In a small Western Queensland town, a reserved young woman receives a note from one of her

vanished brothers—a note that makes her question memories of their disappearance and her father ' s departure. A beguiling story that proves that gothic delights and uncanny family horror can live—and even thrive—under a burning sun, *Flyaway* introduces readers to Bettina Scott, whose search for the truth throws her into tales of eerie dogs, vanished schools, cursed monsters, and enchanted bottles. *Flyaway* enchants you with the sly, beautiful darkness of Karen Russell and a world utterly its own. At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without

Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.
The Exiles Black Inc. To ten-year-old Suse Hansen, the fighting in Europe seems far away from the blue skies and quiet streets of her Bay Area home in Mendoza, California—despite newspaper war photographs and the tense radio broadcasts. But Pearl Harbor changes everything. Caught up in the fear and uncertainty of air raid drills, draft calls, and the mysterious departure of her Japanese and Italian neighbors, Suse becomes obsessed with the war. As Mendoza and the rest of America adjust to their new lives, Suse, too, will face

challenges of her own
as she begins to
navigate the uncharted
terrain of adolescence.
Over the next four
years she will
confront the
complexities of
life—the demands of
school, evolving
friendships, brothers
and sisters leaving
home, the disturbing
thrill of sexual
awakening—while
trying to understand
who she is and what
the future may hold
for a world consumed
by the horror of war.
A rediscovered
classic, *Rumors of
Peace* is an
extraordinary coming-
of-age story
chronicling the loss of
American innocence
through the voice of
one remarkable young
girl.

My 60

Memorable

Games Hardie

Grant Books
In this
"captivating
saga" of the p
ost-
Reconstruction
era, a black
female
journalist
blazes her own
trail—"unforge
table;
gripping; an
instant
classic"
(Elle). Ivoe
Williams, the
precocious
daughter of a
Muslim cook
and a
metalsmith
from central-
east Texas,
discovers a
lifelong
obsession with
journalism
when she
steals a
newspaper from
her mother's
white

employer.
Living in the
segregated
quarter of
Little Tunis,
Ivoe immerses
herself in the
printed word
until she earns
a scholarship
to the
prestigious
Willetson
Collegiate in
Austin. Finally
fleeing the Jim
Crow South to
settle in
Kansas City,
Ivoe and Ona,
her former
teacher and
present lover,
start the first
female-run
African
American
newspaper, *Jam
On the Vine*. In
the throes of
the Red
Summer—the 1919
outbreak of

lynchings and Oprah
 race riots Magazine).
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 freedom and her Books
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 of the American WINNING AUTHOR
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 On the Vine is has been
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 'Haunting' New
 York Times
 'Stunning'
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 plunge'
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Wanting You to
Want Me
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 In a triumph
 of marketing,
 the Tasmanian
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 industry has
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 succeeded in
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 What could be

more appealing than the idea of Atlantic salmon sustainably harvested in some of the world's purest waters? But what are we eating when we eat Tasmanian salmon? Richard Flanagan's exposé of the salmon farming industry in Tasmania is chilling. In the way that Rachel Carson took on the pesticide industry in her ground-breaking book *Silent Spring*, Flanagan tears open an industry that is as secretive as its practices are destructive and its product disturbing. From the burning forests of the Amazon to the petrochemicals you aren't told about to the endangered species being pushed to extinction you don't know about; from synthetically pink-dyed flesh to seal bombs . . . If you care about what you eat, if you care about the environment, this is a book you need to read. Toxic is set to become a landmark book of the twenty-first century. *The Dress*

Lodger
 Penguin Group
 Australia
 NOW A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE
 STARRING JESSICA CHASTAIN AND RALPH FIENNES • A haunting novel exploring the reverberations of a random accident on the lives of Moroccan Muslims and Western visitors who converge on a luxurious desert villa for a

decadent
weekend-long
party.
"Surprising
and dark and
excellent .
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entertainmen
t."—The New
York Times
NAMED ONE OF
THE BEST
BOOKS OF THE
YEAR BY The
Economist •
The Guardian
• Library
Journal
David and Jo
Henniger, a
doctor and a
children's
book author,
in search of
an escape
from their

less than
happy lives
in London,
accept an
invitation
to attend a
bacchanal at
their old
friends'
home, deep
in the
Moroccan
desert. But
as a groggy
David
navigates
the dark
desert
roads, two
young men
spring from
the
roadside,
the car
swerves . .
. and one
boy is left
dead. When

David and Jo
arrive at
the party,
the Moroccan
staff,
already
disgusted by
the rich,
hedonistic
foreigners
in their
midst, soon
learn of
David's
unforgivable
act. Then
the boy's
irate Berber
father
appears, and
events begin
to spin
beyond
anyone's
control.
With spare,
evocative
prose,

searing sensuality, and a gift for the unexpected, Lawrence Osborne memorably portrays the privileged guests wrestling with their secrets amid the remoteness and beauty of the desert landscape. He gradually reveals the jolting backstory of the young man who was killed and leaves

David's fate in the balance as the novel builds to a shattering conclusion. *The Banksia Bay Beach Shack* Three Rivers Press Notes on the exodus of refugees from Syria, by Man Booker Prize winner Richard Flanagan. With illustrations from Archibald Prize winner Ben Quilty. In January 2016 Richard Flanagan and Ben Quilty

travelled to Lebanon, Greece, and Serbia to follow the river that is the exodus of our age- that of refugees from Syria. Flanagan's 'notes' and Quilty's sketches bear witness to the remarkable people they met on that journey and their stories. These individual portraits from the Man Booker Prize-winning author and Archibald

Prize-winning artist combine to form a powerful testament to human dignity and courage in the face of war, death, and suffering. Refugees are not like you and me. They are you and me. That terrible river of the wretched and the damned flowing through Europe is my family. *The Shepherd's View* Grove/Atlantic, Inc. Futh, a middle-aged, recently separated man heads to Germany for a restorative walking holiday. During his circular walk along the Rhine, he contemplates the formative moments of his childhood. At the end of the week, Futh returns to what he sees as the sanctuary of the Hellhaus hotel, unaware of the events which have been unfolding there in his absence. *Maid Marian* Penguin UK MAN BOOKER PRIZE FINALIST • A novel all about art's versatility, borrowing from painting's fresco technique to make an original literary double-take. "Cements Smith's reputation as one of the finest and most innovative of our contemporary writers. By some divine alchemy, she is both funny and moving; she combines intellectual rigor with whimsy" —The Los Angeles Review of Books One of the New York Times's 100 Best Books of the 21st Century How to be both is a fast-moving genre-bending

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tries to
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himself as a
sixty-five-
year-old
man, *Fifty
in Reverse*
is a thought-
provoking
and
enlightening
novel about
second
chances and
appreciating
where you
are in life.
*The Australian
Disease*
Vintage
Non-freedom to
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German
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Jong Il's
haircut. But
non-freedom
these days is
also iPads,
iPhones and a
dazzling array
of less iconic
but ubiquitous
consumer goods
that flood our
stores, our
homes and which
increasingly
are used to
define our
ideas of worth
and happiness.
It is a full-
lipped smile
achieved with
the aid of
collagen made
from skin
flensed from
dead Chinese
convicts. The
*Australian
Disease* is
Richard
Flanagan's

perceptive,
hilarious,
searing exposé
of the
conformity that
afflicts our
public life.
From *Weary
Dunlop* to
*Vassily
Grossman*, from
David Hicks to
Craig Thomson,
Flanagan takes
us on a wildly
entertaining
and unsettling
trip. If we are
to find hope,
he says, we
must take our
compass more
from ourselves
and less from
the powerful.
**Seize the
Fire** Grove/At
lantic, Inc.
*Wanting You
to Want Me* is
a collection
of anonymous

stories from the world of London strip clubs, documented by the women themselves. The stories range from behind-the-scenes conversations in the changing rooms, to dancefloor and private room etiquette, from emotional and intellectual connections between dancer and client, to the often-blurred boundaries that exist in

between. Journalist Emily Dinsdale and filmmaker Bronwen Parker-Rhodes have collected images and stories from the women working in the London strip clubs over several years. Having been part of the industry themselves, they have a unique and intimate access to the seldom-heard stories, giving voice to an age-old industry, from the

perspective of the traditionally voiceless workers. Supported by original, behind the scenes photography from the authors, these narratives express vulnerability, empowerment, curiosity and the complexity and duplicity of relationships--in short, what it is to be human. **Wanting** Anchor From The New

York Times
bestselling
author of
The
Shepherd's
Life, a
breathtaking
book of
photography
and wisdom
that
chronicles
an ancient
way of
living that
deeply
resonates in
our modern
world. With
over eighty
full color
photographs
The English
Lake
District
comes into
full focus:
the sheep

competitions
of the
spring, the
sweeping
pastures of
the summer,
beloved
sheep dogs
in the fall
and the
harsh snows
of winter. A
celebration
of a way of
life still
very much
alive, The
Shepherd's
View is a
poetic, and
artistic
achievement
from one of
England's
most
celebrated
new voices.
Flyaway

Random House
Australia
Drawing upon
his Cree and
Scandinavian
roots,
Harold R.
Johnson
merges myth,
fantasy, and
history in
this epic
saga of
exploration
and
adventure.
While
sorting
through the
possessions
of his
recently
deceased
neighbour,
Harold
Johnson
discovers an
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handwritten into contact sacred trees.
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containing devious saga
epic stories story-trader chronicles
composed in Anthony de the journey
an obscure Marchand, a of Lilly as
Swedish group of gun- she travels
dialect. toting across the
Together, aliens in universe to
they form search of bring aid to
The Björkan Heaven, and Juha and the
Sagas. The an ethereal Björkans,
first saga Medicine who face
tells of Woman named their
three Lilly. In deadliest
Björkans, the second enemy yet.
led by Juha saga, Juha The Björkan
the is called Sagas is a
storyteller, upon to bold,
who set out protect his innovative
from their people from fusion of
valley to invaders narrative
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what lies stealing the set in an
beyond its secrets enchanted
borders. contained world of
Their quest within the heroic
brings them valley's storytellers

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and fire- modest a scandalous
breathing success, a trial in
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joining the Spanish return.
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Thirty-seven-Jake's critique of
year-old impotent social mores
Jake Hersh dreams. When as it is

uproariously funny, St. Urbain's Horseman confirms Mordecai Richler's reputation as a pre-eminent observer of the hypocrisies and absurdities of modern life.
Jam on the Vine Farrar, Straus and Giroux
After the trouble starts and the soldiers arrive on Matilda's island, only

one white person stays behind. Mr. Watts, whom the kids call Pop Eye, wears a red nose and pulls his wife around on a trolley, and he steps in to teach the children when there is no one else. His only lessons consist of reading from his battered copy of Great Expectations, a book by his friend Mr. Dickens.

For Matilda, Dickens's hero Pip becomes as real to her as her own mother, and the greatest friendship of her life has begun. Soon Mr. Watts's book begins to inflame the children's imaginations with dreams about Dickens's London and the larger world. But how will they answer when the soldiers demand to

know: where imagination.
is this man
named Pip?
Set against
the stunning
beauty of
Bougainville
in the South
Pacific
during the
civil war in
the early
1990s, Lloyd
Jones's
breathtaking
novel shows
what magic a
child's
imagination
makes
possible
even in the
face of
terrible
violence and
what power
stories have
to fuel the