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A Murderous Procession Sarah Crichton Books

Named a Notable Fiction Book of 2013 by The Washington Post “ An engrossing adventure, with mystery, romance, humor, and impeccable historical detail. ” – The Boston Globe Devon, 1815. The charming Lord Nicholas Davenant and the beguiling Julia Percy should make a perfect match. But before their love has a chance to grow, Nicholas is presumed dead in the Napoleonic war. Nick, however, is lost in time. Somehow he escaped certain death by leaping two hundred years forward to the present day where he finds himself in the care of a mysterious society – the Guild. Questioning the limits of the impossible, Nick is desperate to find a way back to the life he left behind. Yet with the future of time itself hanging in the balance, could it be that the girl who first captured his heart has had the answers all along? Can Nick find a way to return to her?

Three Cups of Tea Penguin

A Finalist for the Edgar Award for Best First Novel

“Remarkable . . . This isn’t your ordinary coming-of-age novel, but with his bone-cutting insights into these men and the region that bred them, Joy makes it an extraordinarily intimate experience.”—Marilyn Stasio, The New York Times Book Review "Lyrical, propulsive, dark and compelling. Joy knows well the grit and gravel of his world, the soul and blemishes of the place."--Daniel Woodrell In the country-noir tradition of Winter's Bone meets 'Breaking Bad,' a savage and beautiful story of a young man seeking redemption. The area surrounding Cashiers, North Carolina, is home to people of all kinds, but the world that Jacob McNeely lives in is crueller than most. His father runs a methodically organized meth ring, with local authorities on the dime to turn a blind eye to his dealings. Having dropped out of high school and cut himself off from his peers, Jacob has been working for this father for years, all on the promise that his payday will come eventually. The only joy he finds comes from reuniting with Maggie, his first love, and a girl clearly bound for bigger and better things than their hardscrabble town. Jacob has always been resigned to play the cards that were dealt him, but when a fatal mistake changes everything, he’s faced with a choice: stay and appease his father, or leave the mountains with the girl he loves. In a place where blood is thicker than water and hope takes a back seat to fate, Jacob wonders if he can muster the strength to rise above the only life he’s ever known.

The Glass Woman Simon and Schuster

In 1683, an Ottoman army that stretched from horizon to horizon set out to seize the “Golden Apple,” as Turks referred to Vienna. The ensuing siege pitted battle-hardened Janissaries wielding seventeenth-century grenades against Habsburg armies, widely feared for their savagery. The walls of Vienna bristled with guns as the besieging Ottoman host launched bombs, fired cannons, and showered the populace with arrows during the battle for Christianity's bulwark. Each side was sustained by the hatred of its age-old enemy, certain that victory would be won by the grace of God. The Great Siege of Vienna is the centerpiece for historian Andrew Wheatcroft's richly drawn portrait of the centuries-long rivalry between the Ottoman and Habsburg empires for control of the European continent. A gripping work by a master historian, *The Enemy at the Gate* offers a timely examination

of an epic clash of civilizations.

The Baklava Club Penguin

A richly imagined story of unexpected love, independence, and belonging – The Morning Gift is a classic WWII romance from Eva Ibbotson, with an introduction from Sarra Manning. Eighteen-year-old Ruth lives in the sparkling city of Vienna with her family, where she delights in its music, energy and natural beauty. She is wildly in love with the brilliant young pianist Heini Radik and can't wait until they are married. But Ruth's world is turned upside down when the Nazis invade Austria and her family are forced to flee to England, and through a devastating misunderstanding she is left behind. Her only hope to escape Vienna comes from Quin, a young English professor, who unexpectedly offers her a marriage of convenience to bring her back to London. Ruth throws herself into her new life – but a secret marriage is more difficult than she expected, especially as she and Quin find themselves drawn together. 'I have binged on Eva Ibbotson . . . her elegantly written, witty and well-observed fables' – Nigella Lawson, The Times Rediscover Eva Ibbotson, award-winning author of *Journey to the River Sea*, in her sweeping historical romances, including *The Morning Gift*, *A Song For Summer* and *The Secret Countess*.

Winter Siege Harper Collins

“A poignant, tender story of families and sisters divided by the cruelty of political chance—my heart ached for them on every page.” Kate Quinn, New York Times bestselling author of *The Alice Network*

Get in Trouble The Writers Block, Inc.

“Superb...an appropriate homage”—Marilyn Stasio, New York Times The much-anticipated final installment in Ariana Franklin's popular *Mistress of the Art of Death* historical mystery series, finished by the author's daughter after her death. England. 1191. After the death of her friend and patron, King Henry II, Adelia Aguilar, England's vaunted Mistress of the Art of Death, is living comfortably in retirement and training her daughter, Allie, to carry on her craft—sharing the practical knowledge of anatomy, forensics, and sleuthing that catches murderers. Allie is already a skilled healer, with a particular gift for treating animals. But the young woman is nearly twenty, and her father, Rowley, Bishop of Saint Albans, and his patron, the formidable Queen Eleanor of Aquitaine, have plans to marry Allie to an influential husband . . . if they can find a man who will appreciate a woman with such unusual gifts. When a friend in Cambridgeshire falls ill, Allie is sent to Ely, where her path will cross with Lord Peverill, a young aristocrat who would be a most suitable match for the young healer. But when Allie arrives, all is chaos. A village girl has disappeared—and she's not the first. Over the past few months, several girls from the villages surrounding Ely have vanished. When the body of one of the missing is discovered, Allie manages to examine the remains before burial. The results lead her to suspect that a monstrous predator is on the loose. Will her training and her stubborn pursuit of the truth help her find the killer...or make her the next victim? A richly detailed, twisty thriller, *Death and the Maiden* is historical mystery at its finest—and a superb final episode in Ariana Franklin's much-loved, much-acclaimed series.

The Girl Behind the Wall Penguin

The astonishing, uplifting story of a real-life Indiana Jones and his humanitarian campaign to use education to combat terrorism in the Taliban's backyard Anyone who despairs of the individual's power to change lives has to read the story of Greg Mortenson, a homeless mountaineer who, following a 1993 climb of Pakistan's treacherous K2, was inspired by a chance encounter with impoverished mountain villagers and promised to build them a school. Over the next decade he built fifty-five schools—especially for girls—that offer a balanced education in one of the most isolated and dangerous regions on earth. As it chronicles Mortenson's quest, which has brought him into conflict with both enraged Islamists and uncomprehending Americans, *Three Cups of Tea* combines adventure with a celebration of the humanitarian spirit.

A Murder of Magpies Grand Central Publishing

In this hilarious novel, Bonfiglioli takes us back in time to an ironical maritime romp?Master and Commander by way of Monty Python.

The Forgotten Queen Penguin UK

Forced by Sir Robert Walpole into a distasteful marriage and then ruined by her husband, Lady Cecily Fitzhenry vows revenge on the Prime Minister and the creaking Hanoverian

court. Lady Cecily turns her hand to highway robbery and spying for the Old Pretender while transforming her sole remaining asset, a ruinous tavern on the Great North Road, into a great coaching inn. But in trying to save her people from the notorious Black Acts and encroaching slavery laws, Cecily finds a new cause to fight for and she begins to doubt if the restoration of the Stuarts is really the answer. And eventually, Cecily saves her country and herself in ways she had never imagined... This gripping historical saga of intrigue and bravery is perfect for fans of Elizabeth Chadwick and Kate Mosse. 'Diana Norman always strikes gold' The Times

This Sacred Life Bloomsbury Publishing USA

A cultured city scarred by war. . . . An eastern émigré with scars and secrets of her own. . . . A young woman claiming to be a Russian grand duchess. . . . A brazen killer, as vicious as he is clever. . . . A detective driven by decency and the desire for justice. . . . A nightmare political movement steadily gaining power. . . . This is 1922 Berlin. One of the troubled city's growing number of refugees, Esther Solomonova survives by working as secretary to the charming, unscrupulous cabaret owner "Prince" Nick, and she's being drawn against her will into his scheme to pass a young asylum patient off as Anastasia, the last surviving heir to the murdered czar of all Russia. But their found "princess," Anna Anderson, fears that she's being hunted—and this may turn out to be more than paranoia when innocent people all around her begin to die.

Tenderness Penguin

'Original, atmospheric and genuinely moving . . . captures the imagination and does not let go' Giles Kristian It's 1141 and freezing cold. Gwil, a battle-hardened mercenary, is horrified to stumble across a little girl close to death. She has been attacked, just one more victim in a winter of atrocities. Clutching a sliver of parchment, she is terrified - but Gwil knows what he must do. He will bring her back to life. He will train her to fight. And together, they will hunt down the man who did this to her. But danger looms wherever they turn. As castle after castle falls victim to siege, the icy Fens ring with rumours of a madman, of murder - and of a small piece of parchment with a terrible secret to tell, the cost of which none of them could have imagined . . . 'An absorbing re-creation of the 12th Century . . . this is a fast-moving story of humbler folk caught up in cruel battles' Independent _____ Readers are gripped by *Winter Siege*: 'Unputdownable . . . The characters were brought to life in seconds. Superb!' ***** 'Mediaeval mystery at its best . . . Loved it' ***** 'A rip-roaring, swash-buckling romp of a book' *****

When Christ and His Saints Slept Baker Books

The follow-up to *Mistress of the Art of Death*- in the national bestselling series hailed as "the medieval answer to *Kay Scarpetta* and the *CSI* detectives." When King Henry II's mistress is found poisoned, suspicion falls on his estranged queen, Eleanor of Aquitaine. The king orders Adelia Aguilar, expert in the science of death, to investigate-and hopefully stave off civil war. A reluctant Adelia finds herself once again in the company of Rowley Picot, the new Bishop of St. Albans...and her baby's father. Their discoveries into the crime are shocking- and omens of greater danger to come.

The Fatal Crown HarperCollins UK

A mysterious and captivating tale of love, fear and superstition set in the Icelandic wilderness . . . 'An Icelandic Jane Eyre' SUNDAY TIMES 'Gripped me in a cold fist. Beautiful' SARA COLLINS 'Enthralling' STACEY HALLS 'Moving and atmospheric' LAURA PURCELL _____ 1686, Iceland. When Rósa is betrothed to Jón Eiríksson, she is sent to a remote village. There she finds a man who refuses to speak of his recently deceased first wife, and villagers who view her with suspicion. Isolated and disturbed by her husband's strange behaviour, her fears deepen. What is making the strange sounds in the attic? Who does the mysterious glass figure she is given represent? And why do the villagers fear the fast-approaching winter? . . . _____ 'A perfect, gripping winter read. I loved it' SOPHIE MACKINTOSH 'Crackles with tension. Moving and atmospheric, I couldn't put it down' LAURA PURCELL 'Memorable and compelling. A novel about what haunts us - and what should' SARAH MOSS, author of *GHOST WALL* 'Evocative, compelling, with a

brilliant twist' DAILY EXPRESS 'Intensely written and atmospheric, with an unusual setting'
DAILY MAIL 'A chilling tale' GOOD HOUSEKEEPING 'Like a ghost story told around a
winter fire' TIM LEACH, author of SMILE OF THE WOLF SHORTLISTED FOR THE
HISTORICAL WRITERS ASSOCIATION DEBUT AWARD

Snowdrops Open Road Media

When Archie graduates high school, he explores two different paths for the future of his
life--if he marries teen heiress Veronica, or if he marries Betty, the girl next door.

The Huntington Family in America Penguin

The Siege WinterHarper Collins

The Chalice Random House

This fascinating book is the first volume in a projected cultural 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 from 1789 to
1988, and still help to shape attitudes toward education, government, gender, and violence, on
which differences between American regions are greater than between European nations.

A Time to Bloom (Leah's Garden Book #2) HarperCollins

Tess Garritsen calls this one "my favorite book of the year!" In 1176, King Henry II sends
his daughter Joanna to Palermo to marry his cousin, the king of Sicily. Henry chooses
Adelia Aguilar to travel with the princess and safeguard her health. But when people in the
wedding procession are murdered, Adelia and Rowley must discover the killer's identity,
and whether he is stalking the princess or Adelia herself.

Where All Light Tends to Go Minotaur Books

In *When Christ and His Saints Slept* master storyteller and historian Sharon Kay
Penman illuminates one of the lesser-known but fascinating periods of English
history. The next addition in this highly acclaimed historical fiction series of the
middle ages, and the first of a trilogy that will tell the story of Henry II and Eleanor of
Aquitaine. *When Christ and His Saints Slept* begins with the death of King Henry I,
son of William the Conqueror and father of Maude, his only living legitimate offspring.

Mistress of the Art of Death Harry N. Abrams

A powerful historical novel by the late Ariana Franklin and her daughter Samantha Norman,
The Siege Winter is a tour de force mystery and murder, adventure and intrigue, a battle for
a crown, told by two courageous young women whose fates are intertwined in twelfth
century England's devastating civil war. 1141. England is engulfed in war as King Stephen
and his cousin, the Empress Matilda, vie for the crown. In this dangerous world, not even
Emma, an eleven-year-old peasant, is safe. A depraved monk obsessed with redheads
kidnaps the ginger-haired girl from her village and leaves her for dead. When an archer for
hire named Gwyl finds her, she has no memory of her previous life. Unable to abandon her,
Gwyl takes the girl with him, dressing her as a boy, giving her a new name—Penda—and
teaching her to use a bow. But Gwyn knows that the man who hurt Penda roams free, and
that a scrap of evidence she possesses could be very valuable. Gwyl and Penda make
their way to Kenilworth, a small but strategically important fortress that belongs to fifteen-
year-old Maud. Newly wedded to a boorish and much older husband after her father's
death, the fierce and determined young chatelaine tempts fate and Stephen's murderous
wrath when she gives shelter to the empress. Aided by a garrison of mercenaries, including
Gwyl and his odd red-headed apprentice, Maud will stave off Stephen's siege for a long,
brutal winter that will bring a host of visitors to Kenilworth—kings, soldiers . . . and a sinister
monk with deadly business to finish.

Child 44 Simon and Schuster

A rich, passionate, multilayered portrayal of family strength and endurance from bestselling
author Sara Donati In the spring of 1824, in the remote village of Paradise on the New York
frontier, Nathaniel and Elizabeth Bonner celebrate a glorious reunion as their children
return from far-off places: Lily and her husband from Italy, and Martha Kirby, the Bonners'
ward, from Manhattan. In the peace that follows a devastating flood, childhood friends
Martha and Daniel, Lily's twin brother, suddenly begin to see each other in a new light. But
their growing bond is threatened when Martha's estranged mother arrives back in
Paradise. Jemima Southern is a dangerous schemer who has destroyed more than one
family, and her anger touches everyone, as do her secrets. Has Jemima come to claim her
daughter—or does she have other, darker motives? Whatever transpires, Martha, Daniel,
and all the Bonners must stand united against the threats to both heart and home.