

Title: The Whale Rider **Author:** Witi Ihimaera

ISBN: 9781459640863

Retail Price (excl. tax): 41.99 USD

Pages: 218

Publication Date: 31/05/2012

Category: FICTION / General

BISAC: FIC000000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: Eight - year - old Kahu craves her great - grandfather's love and attention. But he is focused on his duties as chief of a Maori tribe in Whangara, on the East Coast of New Zealand - a tribe that claims descent from the legendary 'whale rider'. In every generation since the whale rider, a male has inherited the title of chief. But now there is no male heir - there's only kahu. She should be the next in line for the title, but her great - grandfather is blinded by tradition and sees no use for a girl. Kahu will not be ignored. And in her struggle she has a unique ally: the whale rider himself, from whom she has inherited the ability to communicate with whales. Once that sacred gift is revealed, Kahu may be able to re - establish her people's ancestral connections, earn her great - grandfather's attention - and lead her tribe to a bold new future.

About the Author: Three - time winner of the Wattie/Montana Book of the Year award, Katherine Mansfield fellow, and playwright Witi Ihimaera is one of New Zealands most accomplished writers. Bulibasha, King of the Gypsies won the Wattie/Montana Book of the Year award in 19





Title: I Am Not Sidney Poitier: A Novel

Author: Percival Everett

ISBN: 9781458758453

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 336

Publication Date: 22/10/2010

Category: FICTION / General

BISAC: FIC000000

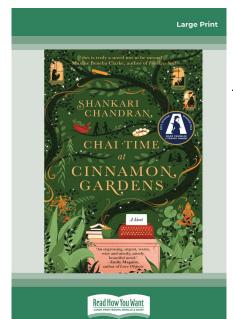
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Graywolf Press

About the Book: Not Sidney Poitier is an amiable young man in an absurd country. The sudden death of his mother orphans him at age eleven, leaving him with an unfortunate name, an uncanny resemblance to the famous actor, and, perhaps more fortunate, a staggering number of shares in the Turner Broadcasting Corporation. Percival Everett's hilarious new novel follows Not Sidney's tumultuous life, as the social hierarchy scrambles to balance his skin color with his fabulous wealth. Maturing under the less-than watchful eye of his adopted foster father, Ted Turner, Not gets arrested in rural Georgia for driving while black, sparks a dinner table explosion at the home of his manipulative girlfriend, and sleuths a murder case in Smut Eye, Alabama, all while navigating the recurrent communication problem: "What's your name?" a kid would ask. "Not Sidney," I would say. "Okay, then what is it?"

About the Author: 0





Title: Chai Time at Cinnamon Gardens

Author: Shankari Chandran

ISBN: 9781038757166

Retail Price (excl. tax): 48.99 USD

Pages: 532

Publication Date: 18/08/2023

Category: FICTION / General

BISAC: FICO00000

Format: [Large Print]

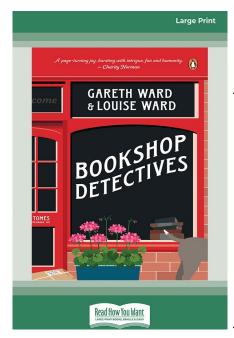
Original Publisher: Ultimo Press

About the Book: WINNER OF THE MILES FRANKLIN LITERARY AWARD 2023.

br />d gorgeously layered reading group novel about the unexpected families we create around us. Welcome to Cinnamon Gardens, a home for those who are lost and the stories they treasure. Cinnamon Gardens Nursing Home is nestled in the quiet suburb of Westgrove, Sydney - populated with residents with colourful histories, each with their own secrets, triumphs and failings. This is their safe place, an oasis of familiar delights - a beautiful garden, a busy kitchen and a bountiful recreation schedule. But this ordinary neighbourhood is not without its prejudices. The serenity of Cinnamon Gardens is threatened by malignant forces more interested in what makes this refuge different rather than embracing the calm companionship that makes this place home to so many. As those who challenge the residents' existence make their stand against the nursing home with devastating consequences, our characters are forced to reckon with a country divided. Chai Time at Cinnamon Gardens is about family and memory, community and race, but is ultimately a love letter to storytelling and how our stories shape who we are.

About the Author: Shankari Chandran was raised in Canberra, Australia. She spent a decade in London, working as a lawyer in the social justice field. She eventually returned home to Australia, where she now lives with her husband, four children and their cavoodle puppy, Be





Title: The Bookshop Detectives: Dead Girl Gone

Author: Gareth Ward and Louise Ward

ISBN: 9781038772800

Retail Price (excl. tax): 31.99 USD

Pages: 300

Publication Date: 1/11/2024

Category: FICTION / Mystery & Detective / General

BISAC: FIC022000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

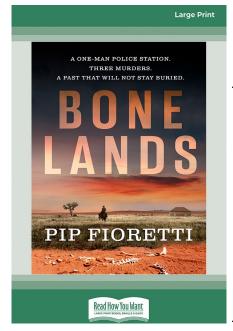
About the Book: Two small-town booksellers (and their cowardly dog) solve a decades-old murder-mystery in this witty debut novel, full of literary clues, sparkling dialogue, and comedic insights into the world of bookshops.

About the Author: Gareth and Louise Ward are the real-life owners of independent bookshop Wardini Books, with stores in Havelock North and Napier, New Zealand.

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Title: Bone Lands **Author:** Pip Fioretti

ISBN: 9781038770776

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 428

Publication Date: 3/09/2024

Category: FICTION / Mystery & Detective / Police Procedural

BISAC: FIC022020

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

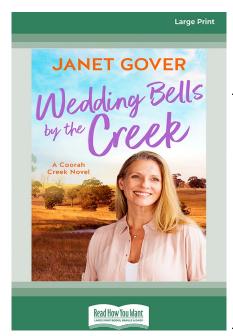
About the Book: <i>'Isn't it your job to stop people being murdered?'</i>

>1911, on a winter's night in arid New South Wales wool country, mounted trooper Augustus Hawkins discovers the bodies of three young people. They are scions of the richest family in the district, savagely murdered on a road that Hawkins should have been patrolling, had he not been busy bedding the local schoolteacher.

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 Detectives arrive from Sydney and the disgraced Hawkins, a traumatised veteran of the Boer War, comes under fierce scrutiny. With his honour and sanity at stake, he becomes hell-bent on finding the murderer. But as ever darker secrets are revealed about the people he thinks of as friends, Hawkins is forced to confront an uncomfortable question: who is paying the price for the new nation's prosperity?

About the Author: Pip Fioretti lives in Sydney, and enjoys hiking, books, friends and family. Bone Lands is her first crime novel.





Title: Wedding Bells By The Creek

Author: Janet Gover

ISBN: 9781038772862

Retail Price (excl. tax): 25.99 USD

Pages: 182

Publication Date: 1/11/2024

Category: FICTION / Romance / Contemporary

BISAC: FIC027020

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: Helen Walsh has never stopped searching for the daughter who ran away from home when she was just fifteen. Now Tia has found her. Helen longs for her daughter's forgiveness. Will a Coorah Creek wedding help heal their rift?

Then Ed's wife Stephanie returns to the tiny outback town - thirteen years after she deserted Ed and their young son, Scott. Steph was his first and only love, and now Ed is being asked to forgive.

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About the Author: Janet Gover grew up in outback Australia, surrounded by wide open spaces, horses ... and many, many books.

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Title: Breaking Free Author: Renae Black

ISBN: 9781038772879

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 354

Publication Date: 1/11/2024

Category: FICTION / Romance / Contemporary

BISAC: FIC027020

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: Georgia Williams knows firsthand how love can turn violent. Running from her past, stalked by daily phone calls she refuses to answer, she arrives in the small country town of Gleneagle looking for a place to hide. And even though the local men - admittedly one rather attractive guy in particular - try to catch her attention, the last thing she needs is another man making her life a living hell.

Country boy Trent Turner works his family's cattle stud. After a childhood marked by tragedy, he's working hard to earn his father's approval. He dreams of one day running the farm and being a husband and a father himself. But, unlucky in love, he's losing hope of finding someone to share that dream with. When Trent meets Georgia, he can't help but bank his happily ever after on their sizzling attraction. With Georgia dodging his attention and his father having secret meetings with a city accountant, is it all for nothing? Georgia can't avoid Trent entirely in their small town, and amid blossoming trust and deepening desire, she lowers her walls enough to let him in. As they grow closer, Trent notices the calls Georgia refuses to answer. Who's so desperate to speak with her? And what trouble will answering them lead to?

About the Author: Renae Black lives in Queensland with her husband and two young bookworms. By day she works as a social worker within the child protection industry. By night, she escapes to the romantic fictional realms of rural Australia that transport her back to her ch





Title: A Chance to Believe **Author:** Fiona Marsden

ISBN: 9781038766113

Retail Price (excl. tax): 26.99 USD

Pages: 292

Publication Date: 14/02/2024

Category: FICTION / Romance / Contemporary

BISAC: FIC027020

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: After a chance meeting in Brisbane, Shayne Smith and Cassie Long had a perfect fortnight together. But when Shayne returned to his historic sheep property, they both assumed there was no future in a relationship between a city girl and a grazier. Six months later, Cassie arrives at Maiden's Landing to let Shayne know they made more than memories in their brief idyll. She has no expectations, only a duty to let him know. Shayne's life is already complicated with a property to run and a sixteen-year-old daughter growing up fast. He never expected the woman he can't forget to turn up on his doorstep bringing news that is all too familiar. Fiercely independent Cassie isn't asking anything of him, but he persuades her to stay at his homestead until the twin babies are born. Cassie's difficult pregnancy means that any possibility of romance must be put on hold - despite the intense attraction they feel for each other. How long can they resist? And will each of them overcome their own baggage so they can build a future together?

About the Author: Fiona Marsden has lived most of her life in rural Australia, sharing her five-acre block with kangaroos, wallabies and the odd koala and possum. Born and bred in Queensland, Australia, Fiona grew up in the far west of the state, lived for several years in





Title: The Wild One: A Coorah Creek novel

Author: Janet Gover

ISBN: 9781038731081

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 400

Publication Date: 1/08/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / Contemporary

BISAC: FIC027020

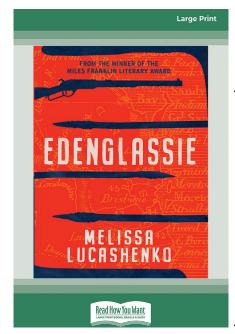
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: Iraq war veteran Dan Mitchell once disobeyed an order - and it nearly destroyed him. Now a national park ranger at Coorah Creek, he's faced with another order that he cannot obey. Professional photographer Quinn finds beauty in unlikely places. Quinn's work comforted Dan in his darkest days, and she can help him again. But she knows darkness too - and Dan soon realises that she needs his help just as much as he needs hers. Carrie Bryant was a talented jockey before a shocking race fall broke her nerve. Horse breeder Justin Fraser is fighting to save his heritage, but would gladly lose it all to heal Carrie. Four wounded souls fight for the life of a magnificent wild stallion. Could saving him save them all?

About the Author: Janet Gover grew up in outback Australia, surrounded by wide open spaces, horses ... and many, many books. When her cat lets her actually sit in her chair, she writes stories of strong women, rural communities and falling in love. Her novel Little Girl L





Title: Edenglassie

Author: Melissa Lucashenko

ISBN: 9781038770677

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 440

Publication Date: 3/09/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC014000

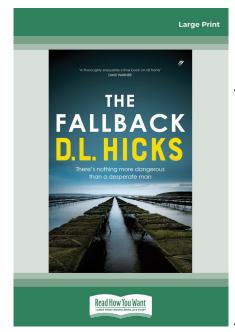
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: University Queensland Press

About the Book: Two extraordinary Indigenous stories set five generations apart. When Mulanyin meets the beautiful Nita in Edenglassie, their saltwater people still outnumber the British. As colonial unrest peaks, Mulanyin dreams of taking his bride home to Yugambeh Country, but his plans for independence collide with white justice. Two centuries later, fiery activist Winona meets Dr Johnny. Together they care for obstinate centenarian Granny Eddie, and sparks fly, but not always in the right direction. What nobody knows is how far the legacies of the past will reach into their modern lives. In this brilliant epic novel, Melissa Lucashenko torches Queensland's colonial myths, while reimagining an Australian future.

About the Author: Melissa Lucashenko is a Goorie (Aboriginal) author of Bundjalung and European heritage. Her first novel was published in 1997 and since then her work has received acclaim in many literary awards. Her sixth novel, Too Much Lip, won the 2019 Miles Franklin





Title: The Fallback **Author:** D.L. Hicks

ISBN: 9781038775207

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 408

Publication Date: 7/01/2025

Category: FICTION / Crime

BISAC: FIC050000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: <i>Deep down, there's something we'd all kill for.</i>

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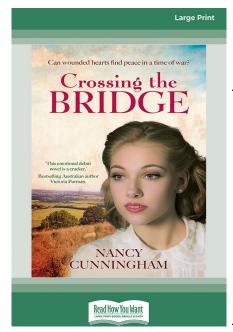
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About the Author: David Hicks is a police officer with the Victorian Police. In his twenty-five years of service he has been on the frontline of everything from drug busts to serious collisions and all manner of violent crime, a job which he describes as giving him a front





Title: Crossing the Bridge **Author:** Nancy Cunningham

ISBN: 9781038766106

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 478

Publication Date: 14/02/2024

Category: FICTION / Romance / Historical / 20th Century

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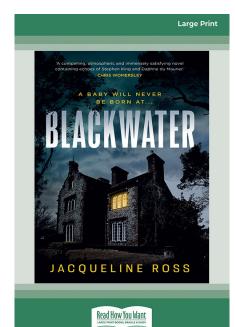
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: 1944. Widow Poppy Guilford is fighting to save her farm, the one thing tethering her to her husband - and the legacy promised for their young son. But a devastating secret from her husband's past threatens to derail her struggle to save the property and keep her son by her side. Former soldier JB Beaton's wartime injuries and personal losses have left him with scars, both inside and out. Believing he's too damaged to be the father his son deserves, he leaves him with his sister and takes on a job as a farmhand, far away from the city and his failures. Poppy, battling the elements and the heartache of her husband's secret, finds the new farmhand is never far from her thoughts, and JB's world is thrown into disarray by one of the most beautiful and capable women he has ever met. Neither can battle the surge of attraction they both feel. In a small town where gossip reigns, will they surrender to duty or follow their hearts?

About the Author: Nancy is a historical romance writer from Adelaide, South Australia where she lives with her partner, her book obsessed, gorgeous, curly-haired daughter, and a retired greyhound named Molly. When not writing fiction, Nancy works as a research scientist in





Title: Blackwater: A baby will never be born at Blackwater

Author: Jacqueline Ross

ISBN: 9781038731272

Retail Price (excl. tax): 35.99 USD

Pages: 282

Publication Date: 19/07/2023

Category: FICTION / Gothic

BISAC: FIC027040

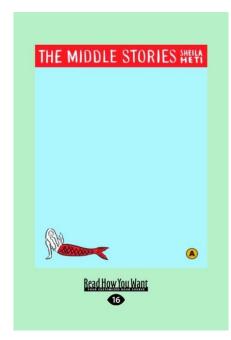
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: A tense, chilling novel that will lock you in and throw away the key.

About the Author: Dr Jacqueline Ross is the author of The Third Room and Messy Business. She also writes non-fiction books and feature articles. For the last fifteen years, she's taught writing to undergraduate and postgraduate students. Jacqueline has a PhD in writing fro





Title: The Middle Stories **Author:** Sheila Heti

ISBN: 9781459664647

Retail Price (excl. tax): 19.99 USD

Pages: 152

Publication Date: 7/05/2013

Category: FICTION / Short Stories (single author)

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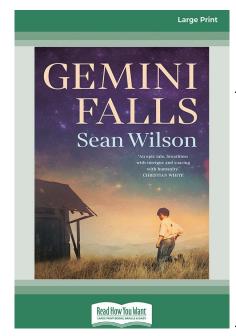
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: House of Anansi Press

About the Book: Balancing wisdom and innocence, joy and foreboding, Sheila Heti's completely original stories lead you to surprising places. <i>Globe and Mail</i> critic Russell Smith has described Heti's stories as cryptic fairy tales without morals at the end, but really the morals are in the quality of the telling and in the details disclosed along the way. Look where you weren't going to look, think what you wouldn't have thought, Heti seems to say, and meaning itself gains more meaning, more dimensions. Heti's stories are not what you expect, but why did you expect that anyway? This special new edition features nine new stories that were not available in the first Canadian edition.

About the Author: Sheila Heti is the acclaimed author of the novel <i>How Should a Person Be?</i>, the story collection <i>The Middle Stories</i>, which was published in Germany, France, The Netherlands, the United States, and Spain, and the novel <i>Tickn





Title: Gemini Falls **Author:** Sean Wilson

ISBN: 9781038721969

Retail Price (excl. tax): 38.99 USD

Pages: 396

Publication Date: 12/12/2022

Category: FICTION / Crime

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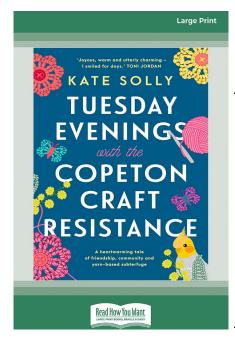
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: Melbourne, 1930, as the Great Depression is taking hold: Thirteen-year-old Morris Turner, a little anxious by nature, feels more at home gazing at the stars than spending time with his detached father Jude, a detective, and older sister, Lottie. When a young woman is murdered in Jude's home town of Gemini, he is assigned to solve the case. With fear and polio rising in the city, Jude reluctantly takes Morris and Lottie to the small town he left long ago. At the family farm in Gemini, Morris meets relations who are strangers - an aunt, an uncle, and a cousin obsessed with detective novels - and is drawn into a community reeling from a murder and a financial crash. Without a clear suspect for the killing, suspicions have turned to the downtrodden, huddled in camps outside the town. But Morris is sure there is more to this case. With the help of new friends, he turns his attention instead to the people around him, confronting his fears and searching for a killer in a town full of mysteries - a search that will bring secrets old and new to the surface, and leave someone else fighting for their life.

About the Author: Sean Wilson is a writer, playwright and communications professional from Perth, Western Australia. His short stories have been published in Australian and international journals, anthologies and literary magazines including Island and Narrative, and he wa





Title: Tuesday Evenings with the Copeton Craft Resistance

Author: Kate Solly

ISBN: 9781038725929

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 390

Publication Date: 15/03/2023

Category: FICTION / General

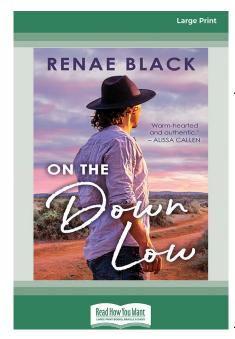
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Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Author: Kate Solly is a writer, mother of six and really quite good at getting the bubbles out of plastic book wrap. While most of her time is spent finding lost shoes and investigating what's making the car smell bad, Kate frequently escapes to write entertainin





Title: On The Down Low Author: Renae Black

ISBN: 9781038724304

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 434

Publication Date: 9/02/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / Contemporary

BISAC: FIC027020

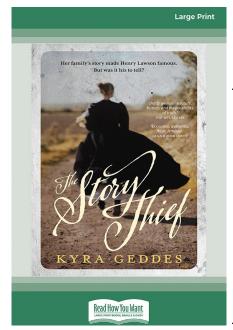
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: It's hard to hide love in the outback... Hallie Harris has gone as far away as possible to escape the city and the humiliating revelations of her last relationship. Love is the last thing on her mind when she arrives at Karilga, a remote cattle station in outback Queensland, to take on the post of teacher to eight lively children. That is, until she locks eyes on aerial mustering pilot Ryan Walker. But how could a highly skilled pilot who lives and breathes the land ever fall for this hot-mess city girl? Quiet and reserved, Ryan's used to chasing down wayward cattle and flying his helicopter in the dangerous dead man's zone. But when it comes to the beautiful girl from the city, he's out of his element. When country larrikin and Ryan's best mate, Jackson, pursues the new teacher first, Ryan buries his head...and his feelings...in the red dirt. What's the point when Jackson always gets the girl? But the spark between Hallie and Ryan can't be ignored. In the small tightknit community of Karilga Station, can they keep their feelings on the down low? Or will everything the outback has to throw at them destroy any chance of building a home together?

About the Author: Renae Black lives in Queensland with her husband and two young bookworms. By day she works as a social worker within the child protection industry. By night, she escapes to the romantic fictional realms of rural Australia that transport her back to her ch





Title: The Story Thief **Author:** Kyra Geddes

ISBN: 9781038771377

Retail Price (excl. tax): 48.99 USD

Pages: 606

Publication Date: 8/10/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

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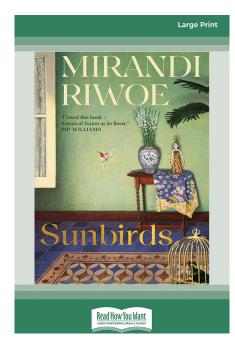
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: An elegant blend of fact and fiction, The Story Thief is a stirring drama set against pivotal moments in Australian history, about a young woman who discovers her family's story has been appropriated by Henry Lawson for his famous tale, The Drover's Wife.

About the Author: As the child of German immigrants, Kyra spent her infancy in the opal fields of South Australia. She now lives in Sydney with her husband and two children. Following a successful career in marketing, Kyra returned to university to study English and pursue





Title: Sunbirds

Author: Mirandi Riwoe

ISBN: 9781038772701

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 352

Publication Date: 1/11/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / World War II

BISAC: FIC014050

Format: [Large Print]

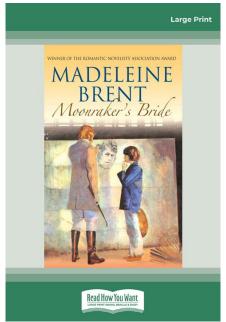
Original Publisher: University Queensland Press

About the Book: Shortly before the Japanese invade, the van Hoorn family throws their famous Sinterklaas party at their tea plantation. One of their guests, Mattijs, a Dutch pilot, hopes to forge a future in the Dutch East Indies, possibly with the family's daughter, Anna, but she is torn between her dreams of Holland and her desire to belong. Meanwhile the housekeeper, Diah, keenly observes the goings-on around the plantation, wondering how much to tell her freedom-fighter brother. When the Japanese forces finally arrive on Java's doorstep, they all have to make decisions that will affect the rest of their lives, especially those who must evacuate to Australia.

Sunbirds depicts the intricate web of identities and loyalties created by war and imperialism, and the heartbreaking compromises that so often ensue.

About the Author: Mirandi Riwoe is the author of Stone Sky Gold Mountain, which won the 2020 Queensland Literary Award - Fiction Book Award and the inaugural ARA Historical Novel Prize, and was shortlisted for the 2021 Stella Prize and longlisted for the 2021 Miles Frankli





Title: Moonraker's Bride **Author:** Madeleine Brent

ISBN: 9781459650640

Retail Price (excl. tax): 50.99 USD

Pages: 516

Publication Date: 6/11/2012

Category: FICTION / Romance / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC027050

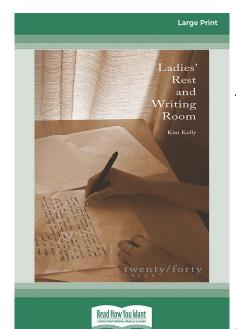
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Souvenir Press

About the Book: Born in a Mission in China, Lucy Waring finds herself with fifteen small children to feed and care for when she is thrown into the grim prison of Chengfu and meets Nicholas Sabine - a man condemned to death. He asks her the same cryptic riddle that Robert Falcon, another 'foreign devil', has asked her only the day before, and the mystery of this riddle echoes through Lucy's when she is brought to England by the Gresham family. Unused to English ways, she is constantly in disgrace and is soon involved in the long and bitter feud between the Greshams and the family who live across the valley in the house called Moonrakers. In England Lucy discovers danger, romance and heartache, and mystery as strange events lead her to doubt her own senses. How could she see a man, long dead, walking in the misty darkness of the valley? Who carried her unconscious into the labyrinth of the Chislehurst Caves and left her to die? It is only when Lucy returns to China, a country now at war, that she finds the answers to the mysteries of her past. It is in China, at the moment when all seems lost, that she at last finds where her heart belongs.

About the Author: Madeleine Brent was the pseudonym used by Peter O'Donnell, who also created the legendary thriller heroine Modesty Blaise. Madeleine Brent's real identity was one of publishing's best kept secrets. In all there were nine Madeleine Brent romances: Tregaron





Title: Ladies' Rest and Writing Room

Author: Kim Kelly

ISBN: 9781038764560

Retail Price (excl. tax): 24.99 USD

Pages: 140

Publication Date: 23/01/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC014000

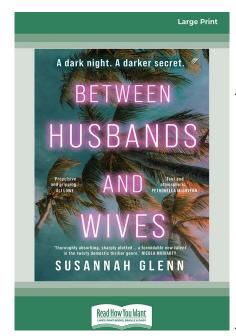
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Finlay Lloyd

About the Book: Winner of the 2023 Finlay Lloyd 20/40 prize. 'Their eyes met and Clarinda felt a seismic shift of understanding, one she could not name; she held Dotty's gaze with the silent request: Please, don't make any further fuss or they might call an ambulance, or the police, and that would be one humiliation far too far. For them both. 'But the wild, fiery anger in Dotty's eyes seemed to have extinguished itself of its own accord; she only frowned again and asked: ""Don't I know you?"" From the judging panel: Why this book is different. Two young women, brought up to expect conventional lives, are thrown together in unexpected circumstances. Each has suffered a devastating loss that challenges their belief in life and themselves. It's rare to come across a work of deep psychological insight conveyed with such verve and lightness of touch. Why we liked it. Kelly sweeps the reader into the lives and passions of her two central characters and into the bustling city streets of Sydney in the 1920s. A powerfully moving book that sparkles with vitality.

About the Author: Kim Kelly is the author of twelve novels, including the critically acclaimed novella, Wild Chicory, and The Rat Catcher: A Love Story, which was longlisted for the 2022 ARA Historical Novel Prize. Kim is also a book editor and is currently in the midst of





Title: Between Husbands And Wives

Author: Susannah Glenn

ISBN: 9781038773753

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 414

Publication Date: 3/12/2024

Category: FICTION / Thrillers / Domestic

BISAC: FIC031100

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: Desperate for a change, and with her marriage buckling under the stress, she convinces her husband Jon to move to the beautiful but wild Daintree region far away from family and friends.

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About the Author: Susannah Glenn is a former newspaper journalist, editor and corporate communications consultant whose writing career has taken her to the South Pacific as well as many far-flung regions of Australia. Her debut novel, Between Husbands and Wives, has been i





Title: Snapshots from Home **Author:** Sasha Wasley

ISBN: 9781038771391

Retail Price (excl. tax): 52.99 USD

Pages: 620

Publication Date: 8/10/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC014000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

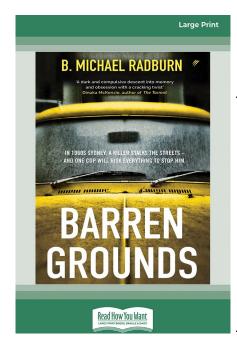
About the Book: <i>'Please send snaps of my dear mother and father, my sisters Sarah and Evelyn, and my bonzer little poddy calf, Zeus.'</i>

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About the Author: Sasha Wasley was born and raised in Perth, Western Australia. She completed a PhD in feminist literature at Murdoch University in 2006, and went on to work as a copywriter on topics ranging from mine safety to sex therapy.

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Sasha's debut novel was





Title: Barren Grounds

Author: B. Michael Radburn

ISBN: 9781038771407

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 424

Publication Date: 8/10/2024

Category: FICTION / Thrillers / Crime

BISAC: FIC031010

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: In 1960s Sydney, a killer stalks the streets - and one cop will risk everything to stop him.

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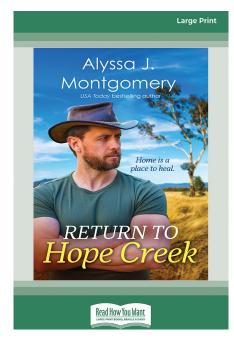
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The calling card of the killer known as 'The Jeweller' is as elegant as it is gruesome: a pair of ring fingers, separated from their owners, encircled by a band of wire, and delivered directly to Senior Detective Joe Capello. When the Jeweller taunts Joe and his team into meeting him in the diseased grounds of Barren Park, the consequences of that evening will have permanent repercussions for everyone involved. And for Joe, it gets personal.

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Two years later, Joe is off the force, but no less obsessed with the Jeweller and his horrific crimes. When a new parcel arrives at his home, Joe is invited back onto the task force and given the opportunity to redeem himself. But vindication relies on Joe finally capturing The Jeweller and now he has to decide if he's willing to do what it takes - whatever it takes - to finally bring this case to a close.

About the Author: B. Michael Radburn is an award-winning writer of short stories, novels and screen plays. He is also the founder of Dark Press Publications and the former editor of the Australian Horror and Fantasy Magazine. He is the author of Blackwater Moon, The Reach,





Title: Return To Hope Creek **Author:** Alyssa J. Montgomery

ISBN: 9781038768476

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 400

Publication Date: 5/07/2024

Category: FICTION / Romance / Western

BISAC: FIC027100

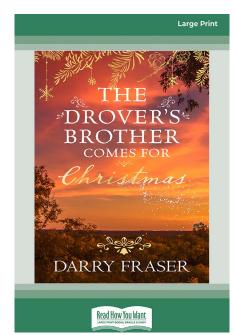
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: A horrific car accident ended former world number-one Stella Simpson's tennis career, and a betrayal ended her relationship with her fiancé/coach. When a family friend offers to sell her half of a property in the rural community where she grew up, it seems like the perfect place to escape, heal and begin the next phase of her life. Until she discovers that the man who broke her heart ten years ago has bought the other half of the same property. Mitchell Scott seemingly had it all: fame and fortune as one of the NFL's highest-paid quarterbacks, and a beautiful family. But wealth and celebrity can't compensate for a loveless, toxic marriage, and he's glad to give it all up to raise his son in the one place that always brought him peace. Encountering Stella again so long after the messy end to their relationship is a complication he doesn't need - but one he finds himself wanting. As each tries to build a new life, they are drawn to each other, and find that their chemistry is just as strong as it ever was. When the press gets wind of their romance and descend on Hope Creek looking for a scoop, Mitchell's malicious ex-wife isn't far behind. Will she tear apart everything they've built, or will their love be stronger the second time around?

About the Author: USA Today bestselling author Alyssa J. Montgomery lives with her husband and three children on a five-acre property nestled into a mountain range south of Sydney, Australia, and enjoys having the space for gardens, a dog, horses, goats and chickens. Visit





Title: Drover's Brother Comes for Christmas

Author: Darry Fraser

ISBN: 9781038761644

Retail Price (excl. tax): 24.99 USD

Pages: 154

Publication Date: 14/11/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC027050

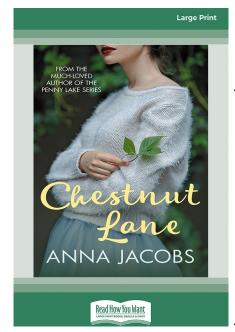
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: It's 1890. Lizzie Naylor's life is working in her grumpy father's store in Munyup, trying to bring up her six-year-old daughter, Alice, who's hellbent on finding herself a father. Christmas is nearing, and tempers are fraught, especially when mysterious Mr Nicholas is back with his pesky sidekick, Alf. Or Elf, as Alice calls him. And Elf is just about to make another big mistake. Mack Miller has returned to the district to make peace with his brother, Shep. He's weary of the life he's led, the loss he's experienced. He's longed for home for a while, but the family farm had been a contentious issue between the brothers, and Shep and he have not spoken for years. When Alice is quite taken with Mack, she tells him he's a suitable contender for the role of being her father. But then someone from her mother, Lizzie's past appears, and terrible trouble erupts. Alice is snatched away. Lizzie will do anything to have her back, Mack will do anything to find her, and Elf must redeem himself. Can Christmas, new to the town and its folk, work its special magic?

About the Author: Darry Fraser fell in love with the great Murray River when her family moved to her childhood town of Swan Hill in Victoria. Stories of the river have been with her ever since and it's where a number of her novels are set. Her stories are of ordinary peopl





Title: Chestnut Lane **Author:** Anna Jacobs

ISBN: 9781038723611

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 404

Publication Date: 2/02/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / General

BISAC: FIC027000

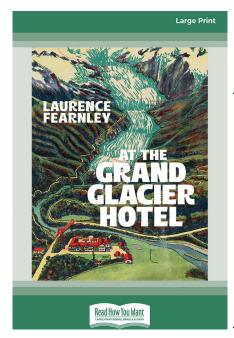
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: When novelist Sophie Carr rescues a man hiding in her garden from a group of paparazzi, she finds that her new neighbour is ageing pop star Jez Winter. She's loved his music for years and knows he's had a tough time lately, with an intruder slashing his face, then a car accident putting his ability to play music at risk. Life's not been easy for Sophie either, losing her husband just as she was taking off as a novelist and having difficulties with her control freak son William and her daughter Andi, who is into recreational drugs and has lost her way in life since her father's death. And Sophie also has a secret to hide. One that makes her very wary of getting involved with Jez.

About the Author: Anna Jacobs is the author of over ninety novels and is addicted to storytelling. She grew up in Lancashire, emigrated to Australia in the 1970s and writes stories set in both countries.





Title: At the Grand Glacier Hotel **Author:** Laurence Fearnley

ISBN: 9781038772817

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 300

Publication Date: 1/11/2024

Category: FICTION / Literary

BISAC: FIC019000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: Following a disastrous family holiday, Libby and Curtis make a promise: If they ever visit the West Coast of the South Island again, it will be to stay at the majestic Grand Glacier Hotel.

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Twenty years later, Libby is recovering from cancer and the couple finally return to the resort. Except the glacier has retreated, nothing goes to plan, and after a storm separates her from Curtis, Libby finds herself alone in the isolated hotel.

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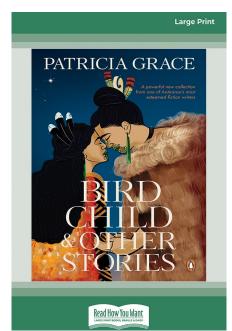
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Disappointed, she tentatively begins to explore her surroundings. Could the inaccessible hotel and its curious collection of staff and guests hold the key to Libby reconnecting with the person she once was?

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connecting on a varied soundscape, this tangible, moving portrait of physical and emotional recovery offers a way forward, one hopeful step at a time.

About the Author: Laurence Fearnley is an award-winning novelist. Her novel The Hut Builder won the fiction category of the 2011 NZ Post Book Awards. In 2014 her novel Reach was longlisted for the Ockham New Zealand Book Awards, and, in 2008, Edwin and Matilda was runner-u





Title: Bird Child and Other Stories

Author: Patricia Grace

ISBN: 9781038766274

Retail Price (excl. tax): 39.99 USD

Pages: 306

Publication Date: 19/02/2024

Category: FICTION / Short Stories (single author)

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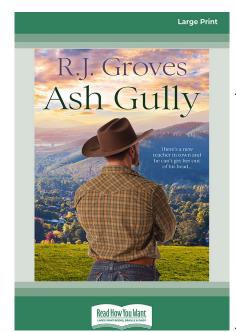
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: Mythology and contemporary Maori life are woven together seamlessly in this spectacular collection by Aotearoa's foremost short story writer.

About the Author: Patricia Grace is one of New Zealand's most celebrated writers. She has published over 35 titles, including novels, short-story collections, works of non-fiction and books for children, a number of which have been translated into te reo Maori. Among numer





Title: Ash Gully Author: R.J. Groves

ISBN: 9780369396693

Retail Price (excl. tax): 26.99 USD

Pages: 280

Publication Date: 14/11/2022

Category: FICTION / Romance / Western

BISAC: FIC027100

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: School teacher Sophie Bamford is ready for a sea change, and the small town of Ash Gully seems the perfect place to be left alone. She needs time to heal and rediscover herself, but she never anticipated what she would find as she did. Certainly not the handsome farmer the town loves so much. Goat farmer William Copely is struggling to make ends meet while trying to be the best dad he can be to his teenage daughter. He doesn't have time for a relationship, but he just can't get his daughter's new school teacher out of his head. There's an attraction there that neither of them can deny. But when William's daughter starts acting out and seems determined to hate her teacher, Sophie feels compelled to get to the bottom of it. But will the town's secrets be revealed a little too late? And is their relationship strong enough to withstand it?

About the Author: Australian author R.J. Groves has been passionate about writing since she could put pen to paper and can usually be found jotting plots and stories down on anything she can get her hands on. Describing herself as a mum, wife, author, and coffee lover, her





Title: The Gallows Bird **Author:** Barbara Sumner

ISBN: 9781038770806

Retail Price (excl. tax): 48.99 USD

Pages: 592

Publication Date: 3/09/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

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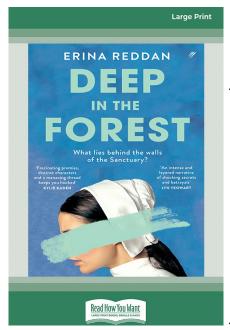
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: A story of enduring love and friendship, and bold wild women who refuse the dictates of their times. London 1833: The cast-out child of an aristocratic mother, Hannah 'Birdie' Bird is a laundry maid with a hidden past and a suspicion that the wealthy family she serves is hers. Longing for beauty and liberation, Birdie risks everything to change her circumstances. She falls into love and crime, committing an audacious heist. When she is betrayed, she finds herself swept into a wave of female convicts, transported to the ends of her known world. The journey to the early Australian settlement drives the women to deepest despair. Birdie finds wonder in even this darkest hour, and forms deep bonds with her fellow prisoners. But greater than even the trials onboard is the fear of what awaits them in Sydney Cove. What chance does Birdie have of beating the odds? Can she fight her way to freedom? Drawn from the rarely celebrated true stories of female convicts, this striking debut vividly evokes a far-off time.

About the Author: Barbara Sumner is an author and filmmaker. Her back catalogue of achievements includes producing three highly acclaimed feature documentaries, a career in journalism, event production, television, bringing up four daughters and being accepted into a Maste





Title: Deep in the Forest: What lies behind the walls of the Sanctuary?

Author: Erina Reddan

ISBN: 9781038766380

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 410

Publication Date: 20/02/2024

Category: FICTION / Crime

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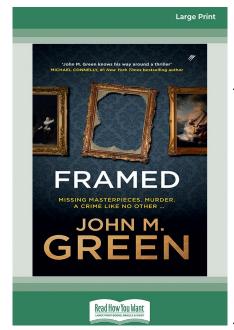
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: Urgent. Come tomorrow. Can't wait any longer.' Charli Trenthan plans to leave her hometown of Stone Lake. But when she receives a cryptic message from a member of the Sanctuary, a conservative closed community nestled in the forest, she is determined to find answers. A gruesome discovery soon lands Charli in hot water with the police, but how is the Sanctuary connected? As she digs deeper, dark secrets are uncovered and the fight to prove her innocence turns into a fight for her life. A gripping thriller with a shocking conclusion that will leave you spellbound, Deep in the Forest raises questions about who we trust and why.

About the Author: Erina has worked with words, ideas and stories all her life. She started out as a journalist, working in radio and television and was awarded the prestigious Walkley Award for her work as an ABC foreign correspondent. She has a Master's Degree in Professi





Title: Framed

Author: John M Green

ISBN: 9781038768605

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 436

Publication Date: 5/07/2024

Category: FICTION / Thrillers / Crime

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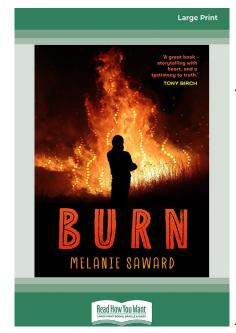
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: When art conservator JJ Jego spots a long-lost masterpiece through the window of a luxury apartment, she's drawn into a dark web of intrigue, deception and murder. JJ spies what she believes is a priceless Van Gogh. Except it can't be … that painting, Six Sunflowers, was destroyed during World War II. She also glimpses what looks like a Rembrandt, one stolen in the infamous 1990 robbery at the Isabella Stewart Gardener Museum in Boston. JJ sets out on a mission to discover if these works are fakes or genuine. But when she gets in too deep, she is forced to seek help from her estranged father, a Sydney detective. From the pubs of Belfast to the boardrooms of Monte Carlo and the shores of Sydney Harbour, this gripping art heist thriller exposes a shadowy underworld where JJ crosses paths with a global organised crime empire in her pursuit to solve some of art history's biggest mysteries.

About the Author: John M. Green is the author of Framed, Double Deal, The Tao Deception, The Trusted, Born to Run and Nowhere Man. He left his day job as a banker two years before the global financial crisis - enough of a lag so no one could accuse him of starting the whol





Title: Burn

Author: Melanie Saward

ISBN: 9781038767516

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 352

Publication Date: 20/03/2024

Category: FICTION / Coming of Age

BISAC: FIC043000

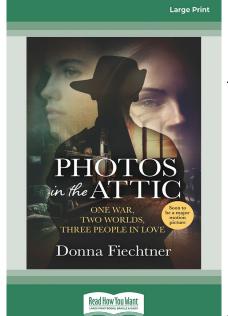
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: A poignant and powerful novel about a fire-obsessed Indigenous boy living on the margins - from an electrifying new First Nations voice in Australian fiction, Melanie Saward. For fans of Craig Silvey's Jasper Jones, Tara June Winch, Tony Birch and Melissa Lukashenko.

About the Author: Melanie Saward is a proud descendent of the Bigambul and Wakka Wakka peoples. She is a Tulmur (Ipswich) based writer, an associate lecturer in creative writing at QUT, and a PhD student. Melanie's writing has been published in Flock - First Nations Stori





Title: Photos in the Attic: One War. Two Worlds. Three People in Love

Author: Donna Fiechtner

ISBN: 9781038720887

Retail Price (excl. tax): 34.99 USD

Pages: 240

Publication Date: 1/12/2022

Category: FICTION / General

BISAC: FIC000000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Big Sky Publishing

About the Book: Photos in the Attic is a compelling romance that follows the heart-wrenching story of a soldier caught between the love of two women. The tale is brought to life with the discovery of the Thuillier photos that were taken in Vignacourt, France, during World War I. These images hold answers to some questions raised by a current-day character, VA-LERIE BERNARD, who is a village local. In 1916, ROSIE MARCHAND leaves her hometown of Albert on the Somme. A survivor of the war, she finds shelter in the home of her cousin, photographer LOUIS THUILLIER, a shell-shocked veteran of Verdun, who with his wife ANTOINETTE takes pictures of soldiers behind the lines. For Australian BILL FOSTER, the war is a faraway adventure where he is driven to go and join his brother. Bill is in love with ISABELLA DE LUCA, a passionate Queensland woman, and promises to return to her. However, MICK DE LUCA, Isabella's father, vows to do all he can to ensure this doesn't happen. JIM-MY WALTON, Bill's Indigenous mate, enlists in the army also and they both go off to war together. In the Vignacourt hospital, an injured Bill meets Nurse Rosie. Bill can't understand why Isabella hasn't written him any letters. This, along with his brother being declared dead and Jimmy being killed in battle, brings Bill to the verge of a complete breakdown. Rosie is his strength during this time, and she nurses him back to health. Their feelings for each other deepen. As the war ends, Bill makes a difficult decision to return to Australia, to Isabelle. This devastates Rosie, and they part in anger. Bill returns home and finds that Isabella was pregnant, but both mother and baby died during birth …. Will Bill's hatred for Mick De Luca rise to the surface? What is his future? Is it in Australia or France, and does it feature Rosie? How do the photos that were found in the attic tie Bill and Valerie Bernard's lives together?

About the Author: Donna has co-authored an inspiring book on the WW 1 Graffiti on cave walls in Naours in Northern France and has written the most recent screenplay and an accompanying novel for Photos in the Attic. The story is set during WWI in Vignacourt, France and Chi





Title: The Space Between **Author:** Lauren Keenan

ISBN: 9781038768186

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 396

Publication Date: 5/07/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC014000

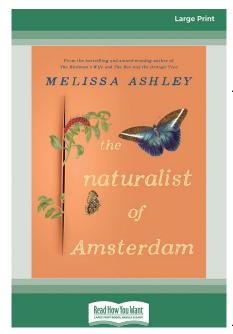
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: As English settlers wage war upon local iwi in colonial Taranaki, two women confront their pasts to survive the present. Frances is an unmarried Londoner newly landed in New Zealand, 1860, at the dawn of the First Taranaki War. Once well-regarded, her family's fall from grace sees them struggling to learn the strange etiquette of settler life. When Frances comes face-to-face with Henry White, the man who jilted her a decade earlier, he's standing outside Thorpe's General Store with a sack of flour in his arms. Henry is married now - to the proud and hardy Mataria, who is shunned by her whanau due to this controversial marriage. As conflict between settlers and iwi rises, both women must find the courage to fight for what is right, even if it costs them everything they know. As their lives intersect in surprising and catastrophic ways, the question remains - will they ever belong, or do their fates lie in the uncomfortable space between? This gripping historical debut by Lauren Keenan (Te Ati Awa ki Taranaki) is a story of the transformative power of hope, the unbreakable bonds of whenua and family, and the discovery of love in the least likely of places.

About the Author: Lauren Keenan (Te Ati Awa ki Taranaki) is a writer of creative non-fiction, novels, short stories and popular psychology. Lauren was a winner at the 2017 Pikihuia Awards for Maori writers and a finalist in the 2019 awards. She was also a participant in





Title: The Naturalist of Amsterdam

Author: Melissa Ashley

ISBN: 9781038768674

Retail Price (excl. tax): 48.99 USD

Pages: 590

Publication Date: 5/07/2024

Category: FICTION / Historical / General

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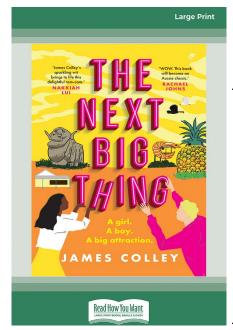
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: Another rich and sumptuously told tale based on the life of artist Dorothea Graff, from award-winning and bestselling author of The Birdman's Wife and The Bee and the Orange Tree, Melissa Ashley. Set in 1700s Amsterdam and the wilds of the South American jungle, it charts the creation of one of the most famous works by a female artist of all time: The Metamorphosis of the Insects of Suriname.

About the Author: Melissa Ashley is the author of historical fiction novels The Bee and the Orange Tree and The Birdman's Wife, which won the Queensland Literary Awards Fiction prize and the ABA Booksellers Choice Award. She has published a collection of poetry, The Hospit





Title: The Next Big Thing **Author:** James Colley

ISBN: 9781038769701

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 354

Publication Date: 1/08/2024

Category: FICTION / Humorous / General

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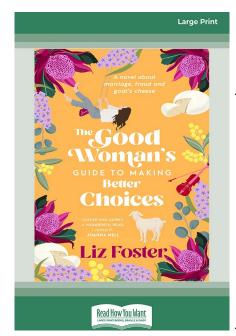
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: A heartwarming, hilarious, quintessentially Australian novel about young love, small towns and underdogs overcoming the odds. Norm has lived in Norman his whole life. It's where he grew up, where he went to school and met his best friend Ella. But the town is dying: the river has dried up, and with it all the jobs. One night at the pub, Norm announces a plan. He's going to build a Big Thing - like Coffs Harbour's Big Banana or Ballina's Big Prawn - to drive tourism to the town and give it a future. And to show Ella that she could have a future here too, maybe even with him. Will Norm from Norman build a Big Thing in time to save his town, and convince the girl of his dreams she belongs here too - or is it too late? Ella, meanwhile, plans to leave Norman for the big smoke. She's tired of being a big fish in a small pond, especially when that pond is running out of water. Ella encourages Norm's big idea nonetheless. If it works, Norm will have a larger-than-life reminder of her. And if not, at least they'll have one last perfect summer together.

About the Author: James Colley is a comedy writer and producer known for his work as head writer on Gruen, Gruen Nation, Question Everything and The Weekly with Charlie Pickering. His writing has been featured in the Sydney Morning Herald, the Guardian, Frankie, Cri





Title: The Good Woman's Guide to Making Better Choices: A novel about

marriage, fraud and goat's cheese

Author: Liz Foster

ISBN: 9781038770738

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 418

Publication Date: 3/09/2024

Category: FICTION / Women

BISAC: FIC044000

Format: [Large Print]

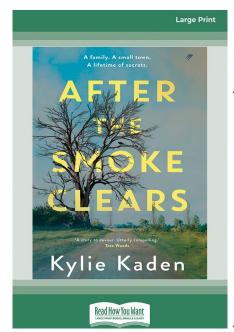
Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: How well do you ever really know your husband? And how did Libby - a thoroughly decent straighty one-eighty who's never even had a speeding ticket - end up with Ludo?

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About the Author: Liz Foster grew up in England in a family obsessed with Scrabble, Boggle, crosswords and books. When she's not writing she's thinking about it - peppering her family with questions about plot and character dilemmas, listening to podcasts, reading out loud





Title: After the Smoke Clears

Author: Kylie Kaden

ISBN: 9781038730169

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 438

Publication Date: 19/06/2023

Category: FICTION / Crime

BISAC: FIC050000

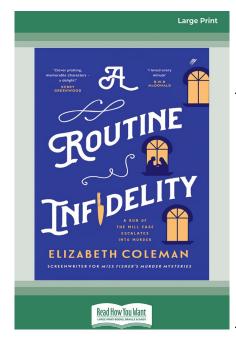
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: Would you tell your partner the worst thing you've ever done? Her family offered a life of power and privilege, until Lotti turned away from her father's grand plans - and towards a life that felt more like her own. With a new start as a teacher, Lotti may have even found the right man, a rough-around-the-edges single dad who'd never fit in with her highbrow upbringing, but who has started to feel like home. But Lotti isn't the only one running. August's strong silent demeanour may be part of his appeal, but as they get closer, his inability to talk about his past begins to jeopardise their future. After August receives a cryptic message prompting him to leave in the dead of night, Lotti follows him with his six-year-old son, Otto, on a road trip to his dusty hometown, where decades of lies begin to unravel. When details of a shocking crime emerge, Lotti is forced to decide if she trusts the man August has become more than she fears the man he once was.

About the Author: Kylie Kaden has an honours degree in psychology, was a columnist at My Child Magazine, and now works in the disability sector. She knew writing was in her blood from a young age when she snuck onto her brother's Commodore 64 to invent stories as a child.





Title: A Routine Infidelity: A run of the mill case escalates into murder

Author: Elizabeth Coleman

ISBN: 9781038725615

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 500

Publication Date: 15/03/2023

Category: FICTION / Mystery & Detective / Women Sleuths

BISAC: FIC022040

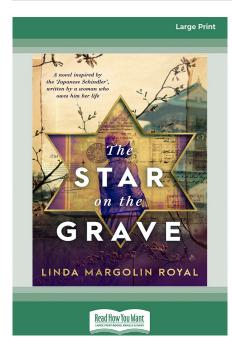
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: A delightfully sharp and clever murder mystery, perfect for fans of Richard Osman's The Thursday Murder Club Private investigator Edwina 'Ted' Bristol deals in the cheating spouses and missing chihuahuas of Melbourne, but yearns for the heart-stopping excitement of real crime. When Ted discovers her sister, Bob, has fallen prey to an internet catfishing scam, she sets out with her beloved miniature schnauzer and shrewd sidekick, Miss Marple, to catch the swindler. Meanwhile, when conducting routine surveillance on a couple suspected of having an affair, she uncovers a plot to embezzle millions. As Bob's case takes a series of bizarre twists and turns and the embezzlement investigation escalates into murder, Ted finds her own life in peril. Will she crack her first criminal case before it's too late?

About the Author: Elizabeth Coleman is a successful screenwriter who has written on every season of Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries and Miss Fisher's Modern Murder Mysteries. She is also the author of the hit play Secret Bridesmaids Business and co-created the much-loved AB





Title: The Star on the Grave: A novel inspired by the 'Japanese Schindler',

written by a woman who owes him her life

Author: Linda Margolin Royal

ISBN: 9781038771322

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 386

Publication Date: 8/10/2024

Category: FICTION / Jewish

BISAC: FIC046000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: The Star on the Grave is a powerful and moving novel inspired by the true story of Chiune Sugihara, and the thousands of people - including the author - who owe him their lives.

About the Author: Linda Margolin Royal was born in Sydney, forever thankful her father and grandparents received life-saving transit visas from Chiune Sugihara in 1940, which enabled them to enter Japan and escape the Holocaust; and ultimately meant they could find a perma





Title: Birds of a Feather: Would you open your heart to fate?

Author: Rhianna King

ISBN: 9781038770783

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 406

Publication Date: 3/09/2024

Category: FICTION / Romance / Historical / General

BISAC: FIC027050

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: Beth doesn't feel like she belongs in her rambunctious, bohemian family. Apart from the special relationship she shares with her grandma, Elise. When Beth wins the lottery (on a ticket she bought to prove she could be spontaneous), she decides to spend it on treating Elise.

br />ebr />But instead of anything material, Elise wants Beth to help her track down her first love, Gerry. It's a fun and uncomplicated little adventure, Beth thinks, until she discovers that her grandma's great love is actually a woman, and their romance was thwarted by the conservatism of the day. Grappling with her grandma's past spurs Beth to reconsider herself in the present.

br />ebr />ei>Birds of a Feather</br>
/i> is a funny, poignant and utterly charming debut novel about questioning who you are and what you might become.

About the Author: Rhianna King has spent more than two decades working as a communicator for state government environmental agencies and an Aboriginal-led not-for-profit organisation. During Melbourne's long lockdowns of 2020-21, Rhianna craved the company of people other





Title: The Night She Fell **Author:** Eileen Merriman

ISBN: 9781038768162

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 334

Publication Date: 5/07/2024

Category: FICTION / Thrillers / General

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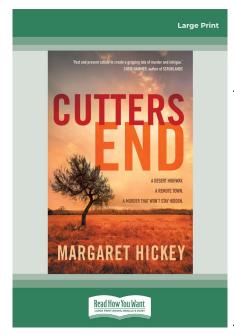
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: 'When I last saw Ashleigh, she was lying in a pool of blood . . . Her eyes were open, staring sightlessly into the sky. I'd like to think she saw the stars before she died; that in her last moments she flew, soaring on serotonin, dreamy with dopamine. I'd like to think she didn't suffer . . .' A beautiful young law student dies on the concrete below her third-storey window in chilly Dunedin. It's clear enough how she died. What isn't is why - or who's involved. Plenty of people had a reason to hate Ashleigh, with her straight As and perfect looks. She's fallen out with her flatmates, and her boyfriend Xander is having second thoughts about their future together. And then there are the weird messages. The Night She Fell is a gripping psychological thriller from one of New Zealand's most multi-talented contemporary novelists.

About the Author: Eileen Merriman's first young adult novel, Pieces of You, was published in 2017, and was a finalist in the NZ Book Awards for Children and Young Adults and a Storylines Notable Book. Since then, a stream of novels for adults and young adults have foll





Title: Cutters End

Author: Margaret Hickey

ISBN: 9780369380418

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 456

Publication Date: 27/01/2022

Category: FICTION / Mystery & Detective / General

BISAC: FIC022000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House Australia

About the Book: A scintillating crime thriller, set in the South Australian outback town of Cutters End. A mysterious death on New Year's Eve 1989 leads to a shocking murder investigation 32 years later . . . 'Past and the present collide to create a gripping tale of murder and intrigue.' Chris Hammer A desert highway. A remote town. A murder that won't stay hidden. New Year's Eve, 1989. Eighteen-year-old Ingrid Mathers is hitchhiking her way to Alice Springs. Bored, hungover and separated from her friend Joanne, she accepts a lift to the remote town of Cutters End. July 2021. Detective Sergeant Mark Ariti is seconded to a recently reopened case, one in which he has a personal connection. Three decades ago, a burnt and broken body was discovered in scrub off the Stuart Highway, 300km south of Cutters End. Though ultimately ruled an accidental death, many people including a high-profile celebrity - are convinced it was murder. When Mark's interviews with the witnesses in the old case files go nowhere, he has no choice but to make the long journey up the highway to Cutters End. And with the help of local Senior Constable Jagdeep Kaur, he soon learns that this death isn't the only unsolved case that hangs over the town...

About the Author: Margaret Hickey is an award-winning author and playwright from North East Victoria. She has a PhD in Creative Writing and is deeply interested in rural lives and communities.





Title: Kirsty's Vineyard **Author:** Anna Jacobs

ISBN: 9781038723765

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 438

Publication Date: 2/02/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / General

BISAC: FIC027000

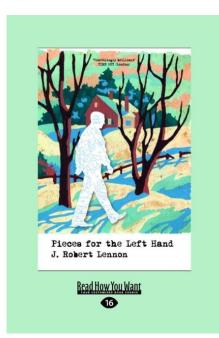
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: In the aftermath of a heartbreaking accident, Kirsty is shocked to discover that she has inherited a vineyard in Western Australia from Ed James, a lonely old man she befriended at the library. But there is a condition to his legacy: Kirsty must give up her quiet life in England and live at the vineyard for a least one year. How will a shy librarian cope on her own in a strange country? As she is forced to take her life off hold, one thing is certain, everything is about to change for Kirsty.

About the Author: Anna Jacobs is the author of over ninety novels and is addicted to storytelling. She grew up in Lancashire, emigrated to Australia in the 1970s and writes stories set in both countries.





Title: Pieces for the Left Hand: 100 Anecdotes

Author: J. Robert Lennon

ISBN: 9781458758088

Retail Price (excl. tax): 27.99 USD

Pages: 232

Publication Date: 22/10/2010

Category: FICTION / Literary

BISAC: FIC019000

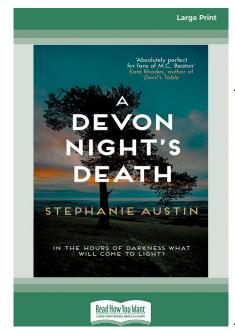
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Graywolf Press

About the Book: A student's suicide note is not what it seems. A high school football rivalry turns absurd - and deadly. A much-loved cat seems to have been a different animal all along. A pair of identical twins aren't identical at all - or even related. A man finds his own yellowed birth announcement inside a bureau bought at auction. Set in a small upstate New York town, told in a conversational style, Pieces for the Left Hand is a stream of a hundred anecdotes, none much longer than a page. At once funny, bizarre, familiar, and disturbing, these deceptively straightforward tales nevertheless shock and amaze through uncanny coincidence, tragic misunderstanding, strange occurrence, or sudden insight. Un posted letters, unexpected visitors, false memories - in J. Robert Lennon's vision of America, these are the things that decide our fate. Wry and deadpan, powerful and philosophical, these addictive little tales reveal the everyday world as a strange and eerie place.

About the Author: 0





Title: A Devon Night's Death **Author:** Stephanie Austin

ISBN: 9781038723666

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 380

Publication Date: 2/02/2023

Category: FICTION / General

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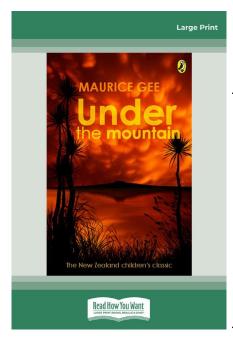
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: In the Dartmoor town of Ashburton, reluctant antique shop owner and accidental amateur sleuth, Juno Browne, has cash-flow problems. So, when the mild and gentlemanly bookbinder, Frank Tinkler, rents a room above the shop, he seems like the answer to a prayer. At home, Juno accidentally disturbs intruders and shortly afterwards, one of them falls to his death from a viaduct. Was it accident, suicide or murder? When Juno recognises his accomplice as Frank's nephew, Scott, she decides to investigate …

About the Author: Stephanie Austin has enjoyed a varied career, working as an artist and an antiques trader, but also for the Devon Schools Library Service. When not writing she is actively involved in amateur theatre as a director and actor, and attempts to be a competent





Title: Under the Mountain **Author:** Maurice Gee

ISBN: 9781459623798

Retail Price (excl. tax): 28.99 USD

Pages: 224

Publication Date: 16/08/2011

Category: FICTION / General

BISAC: FICO00000

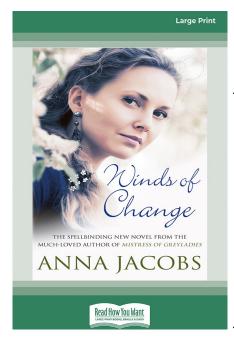
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: Beneath the extinct volcanoes surrounding the city, giant creatures are waking from a spellbound sleep that has lasted thousands of years. Their goal is the destruction of the world. Rachel and Theo Matheson are twins. Apart from having red hair, there is nothing remarkable about them - or so they think. They are horrified to discover that they have a strange and awesome destiny. Only the Matheson twins can save the world from the terror of what is under the mountain

About the Author: Maurice Gee is one of New Zealand's best-known writers, for both adults and children. He has won a number of literary awards, including the Wattie Award, the Deutz Medal for Fiction, and the New Zealand Fiction Award. He has also won the New Zealand Child





Title: Winds of Change **Author:** Anna Jacobs

ISBN: 9781038723857

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 400

Publication Date: 2/02/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / General

BISAC: FIC027000

Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: When her elderly father dies, Miranda Fox is free at last. He's promised an inheritance that will give her independence. But her domineering half-brother controls the money and has very different ideas as to how she should live her life. A new friend helps Miranda take the first steps towards freedom, but her actions uncover painful secrets from the past which still have the power to hurt. Her sister escaped the family by leaving Australia. Can Miranda do the same? In England an old friend reappears in her life and brings further turmoil. She must make difficult choices if she's to be free. Will she have the courage to stand up for herself this time? Or will her family still control her life?

About the Author: Anna Jacobs is the author of over ninety novels and is addicted to storytelling. She grew up in Lancashire, emigrated to Australia in the 1970s and writes stories set in both countries.





Title: Second Chance Love In Point Perry

Author: Joanne Speirs

ISBN: 9781038731098

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 400

Publication Date: 1/09/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / Contemporary

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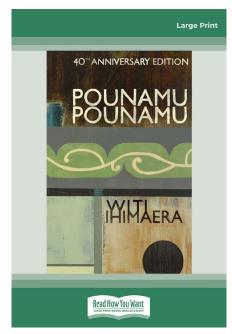
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Escape Publishing

About the Book: After a devastating tragedy shakes Erin's world, she returns to her hometown of Point Perry seeking solace and a fresh start. But just as she begins to find her footing, an unexpected visitor and an old enemy threaten to upend her life once again. Tom, a devoted single father and beloved teacher, is no stranger to turmoil. His ex-wife, now a Hollywood starlet, has descended upon Point Perry for her movie premiere, stirring up trouble and putting Tom's priorities to the test. As the town buzzes with excitement over the event, Tom must also navigate a strained relationship with his father and protect his son from his ex's manipulations. Despite their emotional scars and obstacles, Erin and Tom can't ignore their growing connection. As they begin to explore the chance for a future together, they must confront their past traumas and find a way to move forward. Will their love be enough to overcome the challenges they face, or will their emotional baggage prove too heavy to bear?

About the Author: Joanne Speirs grew on a farm in a small rural community on the Eyre Peninsula of South Australia. Scouring the school library shelves for Sweet Valley High novels and sneaking a read of her mum's Mills & Dooks became a favourite pastime in her t





Title: Pounamu Pounamu: 40th Anniversary Edition

Author: Witi Ihimeara

ISBN: 9781459637047

Retail Price (excl. tax): 42.99 USD

Pages: 252

Publication Date: 2/04/2012

Category: FICTION / General

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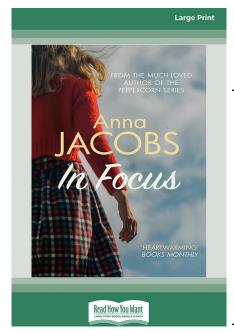
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: <i>The Pounamu Pounamu</i> 40th Anniversary Edition is a beautiful hardback collector's volume. It features a foreword by Dame Fiona Kidman and a commentary by Witi Ihimaera on each of the stories. In these author's notes Witi looks back to events from his own childhood that inspired <i>Pounamu Pounamu</i> and the experience of writing and launching the book as a young man in the early '70s.

About the Author: Three - time winner of the Wattie/Montana Book of the Year award, Katherine Mansfield fellow, and playwright Witi Ihimaera is one of New Zealands most accomplished writers. It is Witi Ihimaera's writing that also opened the door to his political career. W





Title: In Focus

Author: Anna Jacobs

ISBN: 9781038723734

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 404

Publication Date: 2/02/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / General

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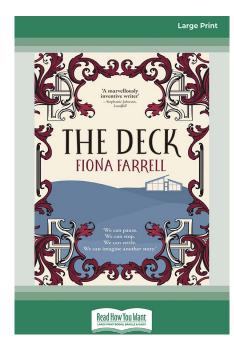
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: When a new feature on Pete Newbury's popular TV programme shows his adult image digitally transformed to that of a young child, Beth is shocked to realise that he's her baby brother, who disappeared w ithout a trace thirty-eight years ago. He vanished at the age of three and her family has grieved for him ever since, believing him to be dead. But the path to reunion and happiness is fraught with complications, not least Beth's feelings towards a close friend of her long-lost brother and then the reappearance of her runaway daughter, complete with child. Bridges take time to build, but after so many years of heartache, can Beth manage to keep hold of everything she holds dear?

About the Author: Anna Jacobs is the author of over ninety novels and is addicted to storytelling. She grew up in Lancashire, emigrated to Australia in the 1970s and writes stories set in both countries.





Title: The Deck

Author: Fiona Farrell

ISBN: 9781038725653

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 402

Publication Date: 18/04/2023

Category: FICTION / General

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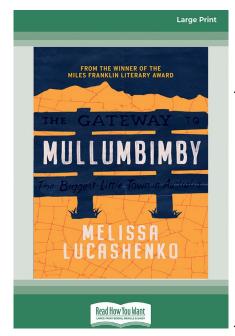
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Penguin Random House New Zealand

About the Book: A little way off in the future, during a time of plague and profound social collapse, a group of friends escapes to a house in the country where they entertain themselves by playing music, eating, drinking and telling stories about their lives. There are tales of thieves and pirates, deaths and a surprise birth, a freak wave and many other stories of misadventure resulting in unexpected felicity.

About the Author: Fiona Farrell is one of New Zealand's leading writers. Born in Oamaru and educated at the universities of Otago and Toronto, she has published volumes of poetry, collections of short stories, non-fiction works, and many novels. Her first novel, The Skinny





Title: Mullumbimby

Author: Melissa Lucashenko

ISBN: 9781038770684

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 440

Publication Date: 3/09/2024

Category: FICTION / Women

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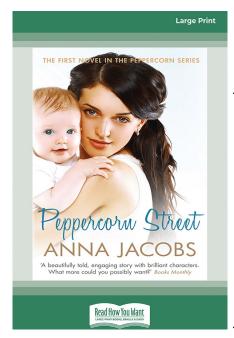
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: University Queensland Press

About the Book: When Jo Breen uses her divorce settlement to buy a neglected farm in the Byron Bay hinterland, she is hoping for a tree change, and a blossoming connection to the land of her Aboriginal ancestors. What she discovers instead is sharp dissent from her teenage daughter Ellen, trouble brewing from unimpressed white neighbours, and a looming Native Title war among the local Bundjalung families. When Jo stumbles into love on one side of the Native Title divide she quickly learns that living on country is only part of the recipe for the Good Life. Melissa Lucashenko's Mullumbimby is a modern novel set against an ancient land.

About the Author: Melissa Lucashenko is a Goorie (Aboriginal) author of Bundjalung and European heritage. Her first novel was published in 1997 and since then her work has received acclaim in many literary awards. Her sixth novel, Too Much Lip, won the 2019 Miles Franklin





Title: Peppercorn Street **Author:** Anna Jacobs

ISBN: 9781038723802

Retail Price (excl. tax): 40.99 USD

Pages: 440

Publication Date: 2/02/2023

Category: FICTION / Romance / General

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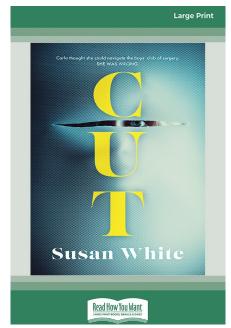
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: Three women find new hope in Peppercorn Street, a small village in a beautiful corner of Wiltshire with a mixture of homes and people. Janey is 18 and living in a small flat with her baby daughter. Just as her new life starts to show promise, her past catches up with her. Nicole is renting one of the new luxury flats. She's just walked away from her husband and teenage sons, tired of being treated as a servant, suspecting her husband of having an affair. Winifred has lived in her large family home at the top of the street for over eighty years but it's all getting too much, though she doesn't want to leave. Things are not what they seem in any of the three women's lives and danger can strike at rich and poor alike. The trick is to survive it, and for this you need good friends and courage: all freely available in Peppercorn Street

About the Author: Anna Jacobs is the author of over ninety novels and is addicted to storytelling. She grew up in Lancashire, emigrated to Australia in the 1970s and writes stories set in both countries.





Title: Cut

Author: Susan White

ISBN: 9781038721938

Retail Price (excl. tax): 38.99 USD

Pages: 432

Publication Date: 12/12/2022

Category: FICTION / General

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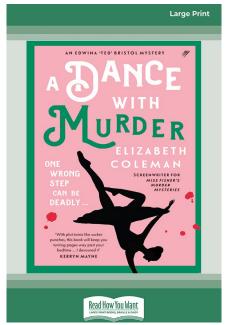
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Affirm Press

About the Book: Cut is a thrilling, provocative novel set against the backdrop of a major Melbourne hospital's surgical team in the time before #metoo blew the lid off institutionalised misogyny and sexism (and will appeal to readers of Love & Dirtue and Emotional Female). Carla is a young doctor striving to become the first female surgeon at a prestigious Melbourne hospital. When a consultant post opens up, she competes with her lover for the job and thinks she can be judged on merit. But an assault after a boozy workplace dinner leaves her traumatised and struggling to cope with the misogyny coming from every corner of her workplace. Recovering her fragmented memories from that night, Carla begins a fight for justice that will shake the foundations of the hospital she loves.

About the Author: Susan White is a doctor and a writer based in Northcote, Melbourne, Victoria. As a clinical geneticist, Susan hunts for answers to undiagnosed genetic conditions in children. Shortlisted for the Kill Your Darlings' Unpublished Manuscript Award in 2017, CU





Title: A Dance With Murder **Author:** Elizabeth Coleman

ISBN: 9781038769688

Retail Price (excl. tax): 33.99 USD

Pages: 330

Publication Date: 1/08/2024

Category: FICTION / Mystery & Detective / Cozy / General

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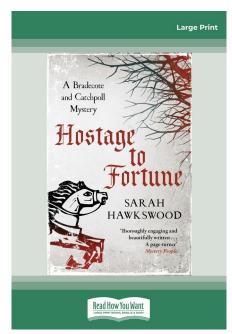
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Pantera Press

About the Book: A charming and cheeky murder mystery, perfect for fans of Phryne Fisher, The Thursday Murder Club and The Tea Ladies. A twist PI Edwina 'Ted' Bristol's latest case is proving complicated. Ballerina Giselle Tereiti is the target of a stalker, but she's also the ex-wife of Ted's new flame homicide detective Spike. While the case is a win for Ted's agency, it means she's forced to distance herself from Spike. A turn As Ted goes undercover via the dating apps in pursuit of suspects, the stalker ups the ante with a disturbing break-in at Giselle's home. Meanwhile, talented crafter Cicely Bunting is desperate to locate her husband, Duncan, who disappeared while surfing a year ago. Cicely refuses to believe that he's dead, and she's counting on Ted to find him. A dance with murder … As Ted closes in on the stalking culprit and her relationship with Spike hits rock-bottom, Cicely's case takes a bizarre twist - and then a murder turns everything upside down.

About the Author: Elizabeth Coleman is a successful screenwriter who has written on every season of Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries and Miss Fisher's Modern Murder Mysteries. She is also the author of the hit play Secret Bridesmaids Business and co-created the much-loved AB





Title: Hostage To Fortune: (Bradecote and Catchpoll Investigation series

#4)

Author: Sarah Hawkswood

ISBN: 9780369331441

Retail Price (excl. tax): 28.99 USD

Pages: 320

Publication Date: 19/03/2020

Category: FICTION / General

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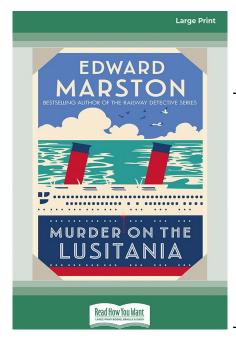
Format: [Large Print]

Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: January, 1144. Hugh Bradecote does not want his betrothed heading off on a pilgrimage to the shrine of St Edgyth at Polesworth, but the Archbishop of Canterburyââ,¬â,,¢s envoy and his entourage of monks seem Heaven-sent as escorts, right up until they are captured by a renegade who wants his forger out of the lord sheriffââ,¬â,,¢s cells; a renegade who loathes the Benedictines, and kills for pleasure. Against a backdrop of a hard winter and even a frozen River Severn, Bradecote and Catchpoll are struggling to rescue the clerics, and Christina, before a psychopath does his worst, the lord sheriff loses patience, and Bradecote cracks under the pressure.

About the Author: Sarah Hawkswood describes herself as a ââ,¬Ëœwordsmithââ,¬â,,¢ who is only really happy when writing. She read Modern History at Oxford and first published a non-fiction book on the Royal Marines in the First World War before moving on to medieval myster





Title: Murder on the Lusitania **Author:** Edward Marston

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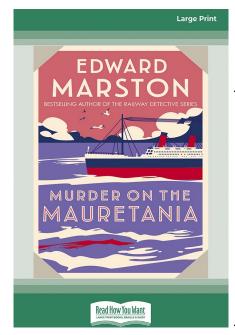
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About the Book: September 1907. George Dillman sets sail from Liverpool to New York on the Lusitania's maiden voyage. Posing as a passenger, Dillman is in fact an undercover detective hired by the Cunard Line to keep an eye out for petty crimes. But after some uneventful days aboard, the ship's blueprints are stolen and then a body is found. As Dillman works to get to the bottom of the crimes, he makes an unusual friend, first-class passenger Genevieve Masefield, and the two uncover secrets aboard the ship that prove explosive.

About the Author: Edward Marston has written over a hundred books across many series. They range from the era of the Domesday Book to the Home Front during WWI, via Elizabethan theatre and the Regency period. He is best known for the hugely successful Railway Detective ser





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About the Book: November 1907. George Dillman and Genevieve Masefield sail from Liverpool on the maiden voyage of the Mauretania. While posing as a passenger George is in fact an undercover detective hired by the Cunard Line. Dillman and Genevieve endure a nightmare voyage during which severe weather batters the vessel relentlessly and keeps the passengers away from the decks. Dillman is instrumental in rescuing a crew member from being washed overboard but he is too late to save one of the First Class passengers from the same fate. At first, it looks like a case of death by misadventure. But Dillman and Genevieve come to realise that it was an act of calculated murder, connected with the presence on board of a record shipment of gold bullion - twelve tons in all - sent from the Bank of England.

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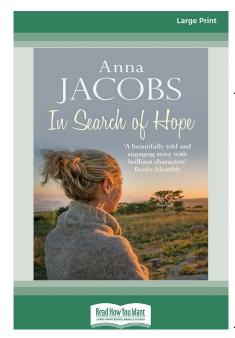
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About the Book: A runaway at fifteen, Tia Walsh lost herself amid the squats and the gangs in the inner city. Years later she's come to Coorah Creek seeking a new start. Sergeant Max Delaney senses that everything about Tia spells trouble. But that trouble is not all of her own making, and the dangerous past she tried to leave behind is hot on her heels. Sarah Travers has returned home after three years of studying to find that her parents have been keeping a devastating secret. Her teenage crush, Pete Rankin, is facing his own struggle with a harsh reality that will take him away from the girl and the life that he loves. But when a little girl goes missing in the harsh outback, all that matters is finding her safe. Winner of the Romantic Novelists' Association Epic Romantic Novel of the Year Award.

About the Author: Janet Gover grew up in outback Australia, surrounded by wide open spaces, horses ... and many, many books. When her cat lets her actually sit in her chair, she writes stories of strong women, rural communities and falling in love. Her novel Little Girl L





Title: In Search of Hope **Author:** Anna Jacobs

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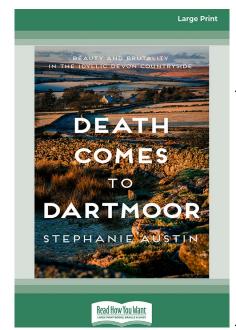
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Original Publisher: Allison & Busby

About the Book: An unexpected inheritance from her grandmother offers Libby Pulford the opportunity to escape her abusive marriage and return to her Lancashire roots with her young son Ned. But her domineering husband Steven won't let her go so easily. She turns to her new neighbour for help, former police detective Joss Atherton, to whom Libby feels a growing attraction. But Joss has troubles of his own. Emily Mattison is trying to make contact with the daughter she was forced to give up for adoption so many years before. People's lives are destined to intertwine in ways they could never have imagined.

About the Author: Anna Jacobs is the author of over ninety novels and is addicted to storytelling. She grew up in Lancashire, emigrated to Australia in the 1970s and writes stories set in both countries.





Title: Death Comes to Dartmoor

Author: Stephanie Austin

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About the Book: When Juno Browne returns to the gorgeous town of Ashburton after a brief holiday with her cousin Brian, she's relieved to find that no one has been murdered in her absence. But it's not long before Sandy Thomas, the local reporter, is brutally slain. And Olly, Juno's young friend, has accidentally caught the killing on camera. Property developer Alastair Dunston, w ith whom the victim had been having an affair, is an obvious suspect. But the police investigation cannot link him to her murder ‹ it seems that Juno's amateur sleuthing services will be called upon once again.

About the Author: Stephanie Austin has enjoyed a varied career, working as an artist and an antiques trader, but also for the Devon Schools Library Service. When not writing she is actively involved in amateur theatre as a director and actor, and attempts to be a competent