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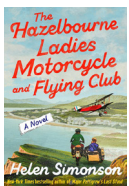
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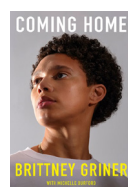
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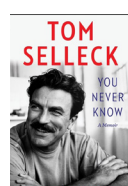
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OTHER HARDCOVER INDIE FAVORITES



Colton Gentry's Third Act: A Novel
Jeff Zentner, Grand Central Publishing, \$30
"I loved this second-chance romance about a high school football star turned Country singer who heads back to Kentucky after his marriage and career fall apart. Zentner captures Colton and Luann's nostalgia and reconnection beautifully."
—Amy Traugher, pages: a bookstore, Manhattan Beach, CA



Sipsworth
Simon Van Booy, David R. Godine, Publisher, \$26.95
"Simon Van Booy performs a special type of alchemy by taking the simplest of tales — a woman approaching the end of her life discovering a small mouse in her house — and turning it into an astonishingly moving story of love and resilience."
—Luisa Smith, Book Passage, Corte Madera, CA



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Ilyon Woo, 37 Ink, \$19.99
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Camille T. Dungy, Simon & Schuster, \$19.99

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A Living Remedy: A Memoir
Nicole Chung, Ecco, \$19.99
"A heartbreaking, yet deeply loving memoir about the complexities of healthcare inequality. Chung draws on her experiences in her white adoptive family to understand how inequalities perpetuate distance and divisiveness."
—Erin Pastore, Water Street Bookstore, Exeter, NH

MASS MARKET

- 1 **Dune** Frank Herbert, Ace, \$10.99
- 2 **Dune Messiah** Frank Herbert, Ace, \$9.99
- 3 **1984** George Orwell, Signet, \$9.99
- 4 **Children of Dune** Frank Herbert, Ace, \$9.99
- 5 **The Boys from Biloxi** John Grisham, Vintage, \$10.99
- 6 **The Way of Kings** Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$11.99
- 7 **The Paris Apartment** Lucy Foley, William Morrow, \$10.99
- ★ 8 **Dead Fall** Brad Thor, Pocket, \$10.99
- ★ 9 **Suspect** Scott Turow, Grand Central, \$10.99
- 10 **Private Moscow** James Patterson, Adam Hamdy, Grand Central, \$10.99



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CHILDREN'S

RANK EARLY & MIDDLE GRADE

- ★ 1 **The One and Only Family**
Katherine Applegate, Harper, \$19.99
- 2 **Orris and Timble: The Beginning**
Kate DiCamillo, Carmen Mok (Illus.), Candlewick, \$16.99
- ★ 3 **Swim School: A Bluey Storybook**
Penguin Young Readers, \$5.99
- 4 **The Eyes and the Impossible**
Dave Eggers, Shawn Harris (Illus.), Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99
- ★ 5 **Plain Jane and the Mermaid**
Vera Brosgol, First Second, \$14.99
- 6 **96 Facts About Taylor Swift: Quizzes, Quotes, Questions, and More!**
Arie Kaplan, Risa Rodil (Illus.), Grosset & Dunlap, \$6.99
- 7 **Drama: A Graphic Novel**
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99
- 8 **Heroes: A Novel of Pearl Harbor**
Alan Gratz, Scholastic Press, \$18.99
- 9 **Super Extra Deluxe Essential Handbook (Pokémon)**
Scholastic, \$14.99
- 10 **Smile: A Graphic Novel**
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99
- 11 **The Night War**
Kimberly Brubaker Bradley, Dial Books, \$17.99
- ★ 12 **The Secret Library**
Kekla Magoon, Candlewick, \$18.99
- 13 **Guts: A Graphic Novel**
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99
- 14 **Wings of Fire: A Guide to the Dragon World**
Tui T. Sutherland, Joy Ang (Illus.), Scholastic Press, \$24.99
- 15 **Sisters: A Graphic Novel**
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99

RANK YOUNG ADULT

- 1 **The Reappearance of Rachel Price**
Holly Jackson, Delacorte Press, \$20.99
- 2 **Powerless**
Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$19.99
- 3 **If He Had Been with Me**
Laura Nowlin, Sourcebooks Fire, \$10.99
- 4 **Powerful: A Powerless Story**
Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$14.99
- 5 **Divine Rivals**
Rebecca Ross, Wednesday Books, \$18.99
- 6 **If Only I Had Told Her**
Laura Nowlin, Sourcebooks Fire, \$12.99
- 7 **Pride and Prejudice**
Jane Austen, Anna Bond (Illus.), Puffin Books, \$17
- ★ 8 **Blood at the Root**
LaDarrion Williams, Labyrinth Road, \$20.99
- 9 **Five Survive**
Holly Jackson, Ember, \$14.99
- 10 **Check & Mate**
Ali Hazelwood, G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers, \$14
- 11 **Lightlark**
Alex Aster, Amulet, \$12.99
- 12 **Turtles All the Way Down**
John Green, Penguin, \$14.99
- 13 **Better Than the Movies**
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$12.99
- 14 **Heartless Hunter**
Kristen Ciccarelli, Wednesday Books, \$20
- ★ 15 **Anatomy: A Love Story**
Dana Schwartz, Wednesday Books, \$14

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OTHER CHILDREN'S INDIE FAVORITES



AGES 8 TO 12

Deep Water

Jamie Sumner, Atheneum Books for Young Readers, \$17.99
"I dove into this middle grade novel and didn't come up for air until the end. I love a well written novel-in-verse, and I was right there in the water with Tully, cheering her on and feeling her pain as she tried to process why her mother might have left."
—Angela Sides, Monkey and Dog Books, Fort Worth, TX



TEEN READERS

What's Eating Jackie Oh?

Patricia Park, Crown Books for Young Readers, \$19.99
"Loved this book. Patricia Park brings us a complicated, smart, compelling heroine in Jackie Oh. She manages to merge threads of family strife, race, secrets — and lots of great food — all so smoothly and beautifully done."
—Kathy Crowley, Belmont Books, Belmont, MA



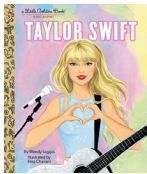
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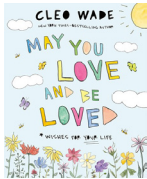
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RANK ILLUSTRATED



1 Taylor Swift: A Little Golden Book Biography
Wendy Loggia, Elisa Chavarri (Illus.), Golden Books, \$5.99

2 Goodnight Moon
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (Illus.), Harper, \$10.99



★ **3 May You Love and Be Loved: Wishes for Your Life**
Cleo Wade, Feiwel & Friends, \$18.99

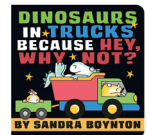
4 The Very Hungry Caterpillar
Eric Carle, World of Eric Carle, \$10.99



5 Oh, the Places You'll Go!
Dr. Seuss, Random House Books for Young Readers, \$18.99

6 Little Blue Truck Feeling Happy
Alice Schertle, Clarion Books, \$14.99

7 My Mum Is the Best by Bluey and Bingo
Penguin Young Readers Licenses, \$9.99



★ **8 Dinosaurs in Trucks Because Hey, Why Not?**
Sandra Boynton, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$7.99

9 Bubbly Beautiful Kitty-Corn
Shannon Hale, LeUyen Pham (Illus.), Harry N. Abrams, \$19.99

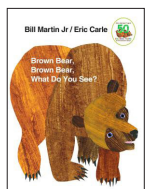


10 Buffalo Fluffalo
Bess Kalb, Erin Kraan (Illus.), Random House Studio, \$18.99

11 Dragon's First Taco
Adam Rubin, Daniel Salmieri (Illus.), Dial Books, \$8.99

12 Where the Wild Things Are
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$21.99

13 Dragons Love Tacos
Adam Rubin, Daniel Salmieri (Illus.), Dial Books, \$18.99



14 Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?
Bill Martin, Jr., Eric Carle (Illus.), Henry Holt and Co. BYR, \$8.99

15 Bluey: Butterflies
Penguin Young Readers, \$5.99

RANK SERIES



1 Dog Man (hardcover)
Dav Pilkey, Graphix

2 Diary of a Wimpy Kid (hardcover)
Jeff Kinney, Amulet

3 Elephant & Piggie (hardcover)
Mo Willems, Hyperion



4 Wings of Fire
Tui T. Sutherland, Mike Holmes (Illus.), Scholastic

5 Percy Jackson and the Olympians
Rick Riordan, Hyperion

6 I Survived
Lauren Tarshis, Brian Churilla (Illus.), Scholastic



7 Magic Tree House
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (Illus.), Random House Books for Young Readers

8 InvestiGators
John Patrick Green, Christopher Hastings, Pat Lewis (Illus.), First Second



9 Baby-Sitters Little Sister Graphic Novels
Ann M. Martin, Katy Farina (Illus.), Graphix
New in Series: Karen's Sleepover

10 Wild Robot
Peter Brown, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers

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OTHER CHILDREN'S INDIE FAVORITES



AGES 4 TO 8

Two Together

Brendan Wenzel, Chronicle Books, \$18.99

"Two friends, Cat and Dog, share everything the day brings as they venture home together, yet see it all in their own unique way. The brilliant artwork shows us how they see the world differently until they are home at last asleep by the fire."

—Lisa Plummer, Interabang Books, Dallas, TX



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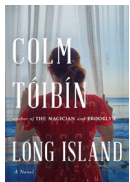
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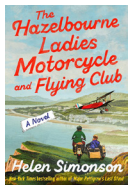
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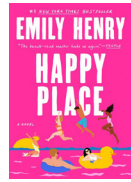


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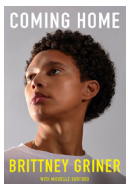
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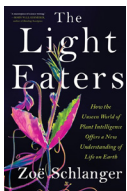
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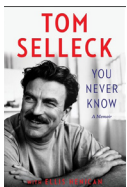
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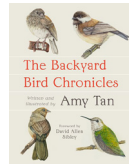


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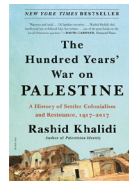
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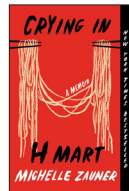


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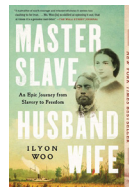
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