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FICTION			
Author	Title	Genre	Date
Adams, Taylor	Her Last Breath	Psychological Thriller	2/17

After years of excuses, Tess has finally agreed to go caving with her best friend Allie. As they descend into the depths, they realize they're not alone. A stranger who claims to be a fellow caver harasses them. Allie insults the guy--and he retaliates. Soon, Tess is trapped inside a narrow crawl space hundreds of feet underground, fighting to stay alive. Twenty-four hours later, as a hospitalized Tess recounts her harrowing story of survival, the detective interviewing her shares new and shocking secrets about Allie's true past. Together, they begin to suspect the brutal attack wasn't so random after all. Who was Allie, really? Why did this man target them? And did Tess really leave the danger behind when she escaped the cave?

Armstrong, Kelley	First Sign of Danger	Detective Mystery	2/17
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New York Times bestselling author Kelley Armstrong continues the atmospheric Haven's Rock series as Casey Duncan investigates a threat to their off-the-grid Yukon town.

Asakura, Takuya	The Vanishing Cherry Blossom Bookshop	Magical Realism	2/3
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Welcome to The Cherry Blossom Bookshop, a haven for book lovers that only appears during the fleeting cherry blossom season. Nestled amidst the bloom of delicate petals, you'll find a sanctuary for those burdened by regrets and past sorrows. Here, Sakura, the mysterious young owner, and her wise calico cat, Kobako, patiently await the arrival of souls in need of solace and healing.

Ashton, Edward	After the Fall	Science Fiction	2/24
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Part alien invasion story, part buddy comedy, and part workplace satire, *After The Fall* by Edward Ashton, author of *Mickey7*, asks an important question: would humans really make great pets?

Berry, Steve	The Devil's Bible	Historical Mystery	2/17
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Former Justice Department operative, Cotton Malone, is called to Sweden when the younger sister of King Wilhelm I is kidnapped. The ransom demand? Hand over an 800-year-old book, the Codex Gigas--the largest illuminated medieval manuscript in the world, also known as The Devil's Bible.

Borison, B. K.	And Now, Back to You	Romantic Comedy	2/24
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Two competing meteorologists are forced to find common ground in this opposites attract, *When Harry Met Sally* inspired romance, from #1 *New York Times* bestselling author B.K. Borison.

Box, C. J.	The Crossroads	Detective Mystery	2/24
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Game warden Joe Pickett fights for his life as his daughters try to uncover who shot him and left him for dead in this riveting new novel from #1 *New York Times* bestseller C. J. Box.

Brower, Beth	The Unselected Journals of Emma M. Lion	Historical/Novellas	2/1
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The Year is 1883 and Emma M. Lion has returned to her London neighborhood of St. Crispian's. But Emma's plans for a charmed and studious life are sabotaged by her eccentric Cousin Archibald, her formidable Aunt Eugenia, and the slightly odd denizens of St. Crispian's. Emma M. Lion offers up her Unselected Journals, however self-incriminating they may be, which comprise a series of novella-length volumes. Armed with wit and a sideways amusement, Emma documents the curious realities of her life at Lapis Lazuli House.

FICTION

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Bryce, Denny S.	Where the False Gods Dwell	Historical/Caribbean	2/24

Inspired by real-life legendary choreographer Katherine Dunham's groundbreaking expedition into the heart of Caribbean dance culture, this uniquely captivating novel imagines the experiences of three very different women who accompany her, hoping to find their destinies--yet finding themselves forced to survive a historic event . . .

Burcell, Robin	Clive Cussler the Serpent's Eye	Action Thriller	2/10
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Sam and Remi, a husband-and-wife treasure hunting team, explore new exotic locales and get themselves into hot water in the latest addition to the series, co-written by the best-selling "Grand Master of Adventure" and following *Wrath of Poseidon*.

Burke, James Lee	The Hadacol Boogie	Historical Mystery	2/10
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Dave Robicheaux, James Lee Burke's iconic detective, returns to investigate the death of an unidentified woman, pulling him into a vortex of corruption and violence in the Louisiana bayou at the turn of the 20th century.

Collins, Morris	The Tavern at the End of History	Jewish/Supernatural	2/10
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Over a span of five days in 2017, two strangers find themselves in a sea-rocked sanitarium on the coast of Maine where, as they gather at an auction for a piece of art stolen in the Second World War, they must reckon with the wounds of inheritance: shame, displacement, and the longing of exiles.

Coulter, Catherine	The Heir of Whitestone	Historical Romance	2/24
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A brilliant young innovator with a mysterious past and a boldly sharp-witted Lady uncover deadly secrets in #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Catherine Coulter's thrilling, new Victorian-era romantic mystery filled with daring escapes, exciting twists, witty humor, and characters you won't soon forget.

Coventry, Tobi	He's the Devil	Dark Humor/Supernatural	2/3
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An exhilarating, darkly comic debut novel about a do-gooder whose world is turned inside out when his new roommate--who might be possessed by the devil--moves in.

Day, Elizabeth	One of Us	Political Thriller	2/24
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When Fliss, the eccentric grown daughter of the powerful Fitzmaurice clan, is found dead on beach in Bali, what seems like a tragic accident stirs more suspicion than closure for those who've traded favors with--and within--her family for decades.

Dinniman, Matt	Operation Bounce House	Fantasy/Sci-Fi	2/10
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A man must fight for his planet against impossible odds when gamers from Earth attempt to remotely annihilate it in this epic, fast-paced novel from the *New York Times* bestselling author of the smash-hit *Dungeon Crawler Carl*.

El-Arifi, Saara	Cleopatra	Historical/Biographical	2/24
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Cleopatra tells her own story in this evocative and sensuous historical epic from the bestselling and award-winning author of *Faebound* and *The Final Strife*.

Farnsworth, Christopher	Robert B. Parker's Big Shot	Detective Mystery	2/10
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Police Chief Jesse Stone finds himself in the crosshairs of a rich hedge fund manager dead set on making Paradise Jesse's personal hell, in this latest installment of Robert B. Parker's beloved series.

Fawcett, Heather	Agnes Aubert's Mystical Cat Shelter	Cozy Fantasy	2/17
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A woman who runs a cat rescue in 1920s Montréal turns to a grouchy but charming magician to help save her shelter in this heartwarming cozy fantasy from the *New York Times* bestselling author of the Emily Wilde series.

FICTION			
Author	Title	Genre	Date
Garza, Cristina Rivera	Autobiography of Cotton	World Lit./Latino/Historical	2/3

In 1934, a young José Revueltas traveled to Tamaulipas to support the cotton workers' strike in Estación Camarón, which became the basis of his landmark novel *Human Mourning*. In her own groundbreaking novel, *Autobiography of Cotton*, Cristina Rivera Garza recounts her grandparents' journey from mining towns to those same cotton fields as it intersects with Revueltas's life in a vivid and evocative history of cotton cultivation along the Mexico-US border.

Ginder, Grant	So Old, So Young	Family Life/Friendship	2/17
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Five parties over the course of twenty years bring six college friends together, exploring the ways we run from and cling to our friends in love, life, and death.

Goo, Maurene	One & Only	Contemporary Romance	2/3
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Cassia Park believes in soul mates. Fated love stories. It's her family business, after all--for centuries, from Korea to Los Angeles, Park women have peered into clients' past lives to find their one true love, their fated. This magical secret is why One & Only Matchmaking has a 100% guarantee...for everyone but Cassia.

Goodman, Allegra	This Is Not About Us	Literary/Multigenerational	2/10
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When their beloved sister passes away, Sylvia and Helen Rubinstein are unmoored. A misunderstanding about apple cake turns into a decade of stubborn silence. Was this just a brief skirmish, or the beginning of a thirty-year feud? In the Rubinstein family, it could go either way.

Greaney, Mark	The Hard Line	Espionage Thriller	2/17
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The Gray Man, the world's deadliest assassin and apex predator, discovers he's really the prey in the most shocking entry of this #1 *New York Times* bestselling series.

Groff, Lauren	Brawler	Short Stories/Literary	2/24
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Ranging from the 1950s to the present day and moving across age, class, and region--from New England to Florida to California--these nine stories reflect and expand upon a shared theme: the ceaseless battle between humans' dark and light angels.

Hazelwood, Ali	Two Can Play	Contemporary Romance	2/10
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An enemies-to-lovers spicy novella set in the world of video gaming from the *New York Times* bestselling author of *Problematic Summer Romance*.

Henry, Veronica G.	The People's Library	Science Fiction	2/1
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From critically acclaimed author Veronica G. Henry comes a thought-provoking science fiction fantasy set in near-future Cleveland that follows a reluctant curator of digital human consciousness who must uncover twisted secrets and navigate ethical quandaries and dangers when anti-technology rebels attack the futuristic library.

Herring Blake, Ashley	Get Over It, April Evans	Romantic Comedy/LGBTQ+	2/3
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A summer job at a lake-town resort brings together two women with an unlikely connection in this new contemporary romance by *USA Today* bestselling author Ashley Herring Blake.

Hurwitz, Gregg	Antihero	Crime Thriller	2/10
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In the next book in this *New York Times* best-selling series, Evan Smoak takes on his most complex mission yet--one where he has to not only protect but also avenge, and find a way to balance vengeance with mercy.

Johnson, Sadeqa	Keeper of Lost Children	Historical/Post WWII	2/10
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In this new novel from the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The House of Eve*, one American woman's vision in post WWII Germany will tie together three people in an unexpected way.

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Author	Title	Genre	Date
Jones, Tayari	Kin	Literary/African American	2/24

A magnificent new novel from the bestselling, award-winning author of *An American Marriage* --Tayari Jones has written an unforgettable novel that sparkles with wit and intelligence and deep feeling about two lifelong friends whose worlds converge after many years apart in the face of a devastating tragedy.

Joseph, Lauren J.	Lean Cat, Savage Cat	Romance/Music/LGBTQ+	2/17
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A riotous and raunchy novel about a woman whose search for Romy Haag, one of David Bowie's former lovers, is sidelined when she falls into a deep obsession with a musician, who is often compared to Bowie, in pursuit of stardom.

Kellerman, Jonathan	Jigsaw	Detective Mystery	2/3
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Psychologist Alex Delaware and Detective Milo Sturgis, the most beloved duo in American crime fiction, return in this electric thriller from the #1 *New York Times* bestselling "master of suspense" (*Los Angeles Times*).

Kovatcheva, Anna	She Made Herself a Monster	Gothic/Historical	2/10
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A heady, dark-hued Gothic gem of a debut novel: in nineteenth-century Bulgaria, a self-proclaimed vampire slayer--in truth, a traveling con artist--joins forces with a teenage girl to create a monster deadly enough to vanquish their own demons.

Kubica, Mary	It's Not Her	Psychological Thriller	2/3
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Courtney Gray's peaceful vacation turns into a nightmare when she discovers her brother and sister-in-law dead in their lakeside cottage. Her niece Reese is missing. Her nephew Wyatt is asleep upstairs--unharmd. As police swarm the quiet resort, dark truths about Courtney's family--and the town itself--begin to surface. Is Reese a victim... or the killer? With everyone hiding something, Courtney races to uncover the terrible mystery. But the closer she gets, the harder it is to know who--or what--to trust.

Kwan, Katrina	The Legend of the Nine-Tailed Fox	Fantasy/Romance	2/24
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From the author of *The Last Dragon of the East* comes a sweeping fantasy adventure with a dash of romance between a nine-tailed fox and the demon-hunter who captures her, banished to the underworld together and forced to form a reluctant alliance in order to escape the circles of Hell.

Maniscalco, Kerri	Throne of Nightmares	Romance/Fantasy	2/10
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In this action-packed standalone fantasy romance from *New York Times* bestselling sensation Kerri Maniscalco, a book of dangerous magic draws two readers into a perilous quest to find it--and their own happy ending.

McKinlay, Jenn	Booking For Trouble	Cozy Mystery	2/24
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It's all hands on deck when a dead body is found near the small town of Briar Creek in this Library Lover's Mystery from the *New York Times* bestselling author of *A Merry Little Murder Plot*.

Mihesuah, Devon	Blood Relay	Mystery/Indigenous	2/24
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In this richly layered debut thriller reminiscent of the real issue of missing and murdered Indigenous people, a badass Choctaw detective discovers an insidious plot against her reservation while investigating the disappearance of a beloved champion athlete.

Munday, Oliver	Head of Household	Short Stories/Family Life	2/17
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A powerful, singular collection of short stories depicting the evolving role of fatherhood in contemporary society.

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Author	Title	Genre	Date
Murr, Naeem	Every Exit Brings You Home	Literary/Middle Eastern	2/3

As a financial crisis looms, Jamal "Jack" Shaban is trying to save his neighbors from bankruptcy. But who is Jack, really? For his flight attendant colleagues, he's an object of desire, even love, particularly for his sweetly bawdy Wisconsin best friend, Birdy. Birdy knows nothing about Dimra, Jack's traditional Muslim wife, with whom Jack is desperate to have a child. Nor does Dimra know about Jack's attraction to Marcia: an angry single mom new to the building. The resulting tangle of love, desire, and conflict returns Jack to the violence of 1980s Gaza, where a taboo affair nearly destroyed his life.

Novack, Rebecca	Murder Bimbo	Satire/Feminist	2/10
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The exhilaratingly twisty story of a sex worker turned political assassin on the run, *Murder Bimbo* is an unputdownable and wholly fresh take on truth, murder, and optics in our national moment.

O'Connor, Carlene	Murder at an Irish Session	Detective Mystery	2/24
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As pregnant Siobhán O'Sullivan awaits bringing her new life into the world, she's bringing new life to her village of Kilbane in County Cork, Ireland, with a music and matchmaking festival. But one matchmaker is about to find out that Cupid's arrow can be fatal in the latest Irish Village Mystery.

Page, Libby	This Book Made Me Think of You	Contemporary Romance	2/3
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A woman receives an unexpected gift from the man she loved and lost--a year of books, one for every month--launching a reading-inspired journey to live, dream, and love again in this glimmering and heart-stopping novel.

Paris, B. A.	When I Kill You	Domestic Thriller	2/17
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Who is watching Nell Masters? Nell Masters is certain someone is following her. The hairs on the back of her neck rise when she travels to and from work, there are silent calls to her office, and a huge bouquet of flowers arrives without a card. And Nell has a reason to be looking over her shoulder, because she has a secret that she's hiding from everyone in her life, including her new partner, Alex. But Alex also has secrets of his own.

Patterson, James	Cross and Sampson	Crime Thriller	2/9
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In latest thriller from the world's most popular storyteller, detective partners Alex Cross and John Sampson are called to separate locations to investigate a pair of serious crimes. From FBI headquarters, in police stations, on airplanes, and at murder scenes, the detectives track crimes committed hundreds of miles apart. It will take more than distance to weaken the partnership of Sampson & Cross.

Perez-Reverte, Arturo	The Final Problem	Historical Mystery	2/10
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In this locked-room mystery set in 1960, a washed-up actor puts his on-camera detective skills to the test when a suspicious death shatters the quiet peace for a group of strangers staying at an isolated Greek island resort. Perfect for fans of *Knives Out*, Benjamin Stevenson, and Anthony Horowitz.

Phillips, Susan Elizabeth	And the Crowd Went Wild	Romance/Sports	2/10
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#1 *New York Times* bestselling author Susan Elizabeth Phillips is back with the latest novel in her beloved Chicago Stars series, featuring a romance between a star quarterback and one of the country's most beautiful--and misunderstood--actresses.

Purcell, Laura	House of Splinters	Gothic Horror	2/1
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When Belinda Bainbridge's father-in-law dies at The Bridge, his remote ancestral seat, she is secretly thrilled. His death means she, her husband Wilfred and their children can relocate and finally begin to create their own happy home. But their new home quickly proves far from ideal. The garden is a wilderness, the estate is struggling financially, there are whispers about the mysterious death of a servant many years before while their young son, Freddie, seems unusually fixated on the strange wooden figures -- so-called 'silent companions' -- that were once owned by his ancestors. What really lies behind the sad history of the house? And are Belinda's children truly safe here?

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Author	Title	Genre	Date
Quindlen, Anna	More Than Enough	Family Life/Contemporary	2/24

A woman confronts the surprising results of an ancestry test and begins to question the meaning of family and friendship in this wise, tender novel teeming with life--from the beloved #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *After Annie*.

Quinn, Kate	The Astral Library	Fantasy/Contemporary	2/17
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From *New York Times* bestselling author Kate Quinn comes a gorgeously written fantastical adventure which poses the question: Have you ever wished you could live inside a book? Welcome to the Astral Library, where books are not just objects, but doors to new worlds, new lives, and new futures.

Quinn, Meghan	Just for the Cameras	Sports Romance	2/3
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From *New York Times* bestselling author Meghan Quinn comes a sizzling sports romance full of flamingo feathers, slow-burn heat, and one grump-meets-sunshine love story that's anything but fake. They're faking it for the cameras. But what if the sparks are real?

Reid, Rachel	Heated Rivalry	LGBTQ+ Sports Romance	2/1
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Nothing interferes with pro hockey star Shane Hollander's game. Now that he's captain of the Montreal Voyageurs, he won't let anything jeopardize that--definitely not the sexy rival he loves to hate. Boston Bears captain Ilya Rozanov is everything Shane's not. The self-proclaimed king of the ice, he's as cocky as he is talented. No one can beat him--except Shane. Publicly, they're enemies. Privately, they can't stop touching each other. The smart thing to do? Walk away, once a few secret hookups turn into a struggle to keep their relationship out of the press. The truth could ruin them both. But for Shane and Ilya, secrecy is soon no longer an option...

Ringo, John	Beyond the Rift	Sci-Fi/Military	2/3
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Augmented reality becomes world war nightmare. Lynn Raven thought she was fighting for glory and fortune. Instead, she finds she's fighting for humanity's very survival. But how do you defeat something you can't see or understand?

Robb, J. D.	Stolen in Death	Detective Mystery	2/3
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A violent death and a vault of stolen treasures has Eve Dallas struggling to solve crimes old and new in the next thriller in the #1 *New York Times* -bestselling series.

Robinson, Jeremy	30seven	Sci-Fi/Mystery	2/3
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Twenty-eight people are abducted from a lakeside beach--and a killer is among them--in this twisty UFO horror novel from the bestselling author of *The Others*.

Robleda, Sofia	The Other Moctezuma Girls	Historical Romance	2/24
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In sixteenth-century Mexico, a fearless young woman strives to uncover the secrets her mother kept as the last Aztec empress in a sweeping historical epic by the author of *Daughter of Fire*.

Rollins, James	Trust No One	Action Thriller	2/24
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From the #1 *New York Times* bestselling master of international intrigue comes a shocking new stand-alone thriller that thrusts a group of university students, falsely accused of murder, into a treacherous hunt across Europe, all to unlock the secrets buried within a centuries-old book that could change humankind forever.

Sabit, Patmeena	Good People	Thriller/Arab American	2/3
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A provocative novel about an immigrant family living the American dream--and the daughter whose death raises questions about just how American they really want to become.

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Author	Title	Genre	Date
Sanderson, Brandon	Isles of the Emberdark	Epic Fantasy	2/3

From #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Brandon Sanderson comes a legendary standalone novel that navigates the seas and the stars of a far-future Cosmere. Sanderson expands his thrilling novella "Sixth of the Dusk" into a mythic novel of legends, lore, and warring galactic superpowers.

Sardar, Gian	Land of Dreams	Historical Mystery	2/1
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In the 1930s, scandal, secret loves, and murder shatter a woman's Hollywood dream in a gripping novel by the *USA Today* bestselling author of *When the World Goes Quiet*.

Shalvis, Jill	Free Falling	Contemporary Romance	2/3
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First, they were rivals... Now they're stuck with each other... Retired hockey player Caleb Colburn needs this construction project to prove himself in the family business, but he also needs to recover from the injury that ended his pro career. Too bad Emma Sumner, architect liaison and Caleb's college nemesis, is back in town and assigned to the project.

Shearer, Eleanor	Fireflies in Winter	Historical/Romance	2/10
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A gripping novel about two women fighting for survival in the icy wilderness of Nova Scotia, and the love that simultaneously sustains them and threatens their very existence.

Shelton-Harris, Terah	Where the Wildflowers Grow	Literary/Southern	2/17
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Leigh is the last of the Wildes. She knows this because she watched them all die. Leigh carries on, because survival is in her blood. So, when the transport bus taking her to prison careens off the road, killing everyone onboard except her, she does what's in her nature. She survives. While searching for a place to hide, Leigh stumbles upon an unexpected sanctuary: a flower farm in rural Alabama tucked away from the world. What Leigh doesn't expect is the found family there who have built something from the wreckage of their own lives.

Stauffer, John	The American Short Story v.1	Anthology/American History	2/17
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As much a nineteenth-century American invention as the cotton gin and the steamboat, the short story emerged here with a range of innovation and a variety of styles and subjects that has still not been fully appreciated. Diverse, wide-ranging, and unprecedented in its scope, *The American Short Story: The Nineteenth Century* gathers more than one hundred stories by fifty different writers.

Stauffer, John	The American Short Story v.2	Anthology/American History	2/17
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The second volume in a landmark story collection that redefines what we thought we knew about the great American literary form. This second volume of The Library of America's two-volume anthology of nineteenth-century American short fiction follows the evolution of American short story from Bret Harte's mid-century tales of the Gold Rush frontier to Alice Dunbar-Nelson's "The Stones of the Village," a story about racial passing written around 1900 but not published in the author's lifetime.

Stothers, Greer	Apparently, Sir Cameron Needs to Die	Fantasy/Humor/LGBTQ+	2/3
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In this hilarious gay fantasy romance, a reclusive sorcerer is forced to protect a cowardly knight after a prophecy ties their fates together.

Sui, A. D.	The Iron Garden Sutra	Science Fiction/Mystery	2/24
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From Nebula Award-winning author ,A.D. Sui, comes a darkly philosophical, locked room murder mystery, as a death monk and a team of researchers trapped onboard a spaceship of the dead encounter something beyond human understanding...

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Author	Title	Genre	Date
Sullivan, Cameron	The Red Winter	Fantasy/Historical/Horror	2/24

Debut author Cameron Sullivan tears the heart out of history with this darkly entertaining retelling of the hunt for the Beast of Gévaudan. Lifting the veil on the hidden world behind our own, it reimagines the story of Europe, from Imperial Rome to Saint Jehanne d'Arc, the madness of Gilles de Rais and the first flickers of the French Revolution.

Thor, Brad	Cold Zero	Suspense Thriller	2/10
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From #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Brad Thor and *USA TODAY* bestselling author Ward Larsen, comes a heart-pounding thriller of survival, espionage, and global brinkmanship, where the frozen Arctic becomes the deadliest battlefield on Earth.

Walker, Wendy	Blade	Psychological Thriller	2/1
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Ana Robbins was an Olympic star in the making--until tragedy forced her to leave that world behind. Fourteen years later, she's a successful defense attorney, revered for her work with minors. But when her former coach turns up dead, Ana lands right back where it all began, and abruptly ended: The Palace, a world-renowned skating facility nestled high in the mountains of Colorado. Ana returns to The Palace to defend the young skater accused of the brutal crime--Grace Montgomery.

Ward, Catriona	Nowhere Burning	Horror/Psychological	2/24
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Riley and her brother Oliver set off in the pitch-black night, fleeing their troubled home. They are heading for Nowhere--an abandoned ranch, once the playground of its former eccentric movie-star owner, now a haven for runaways. What awaits could be the freedom they crave. But this mysterious clan guards dark secrets, and the scorched grounds hold the ghosts of the past. Riley quickly realizes that while she and Oliver may have escaped the devil they knew, something darker lurks in the burnt shell of Nowhere. Something which asks a terrible price for sanctuary...

Winters, Demi	Dawn of the North	Viking Romance/Fantasy	2/3
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A new age begins in the Kingdom of Íseldur in this sizzling third installment of the Viking-inspired Ashen romantasy the series.

Woods, Evie	The Violin Maker's Secret	Magical Realism	2/24
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On any given day, there are thousands of items slowly gathering dust in the Lost and Found of Heathrow Airport. Unknown to anyone, hidden among the clutter, is a very special object that can change the fortunes of those who possess it - a violin of rare beauty and power. Now, as if by chance, it has fallen into the hands of three strangers... Baggage claim agent Devlin, retired teacher Walter, and appraiser Gabrielle have nothing in common, but can these three unlikely guardians unlock the secrets of the violin?

Yamamoto, Makana	The Obake Code	Mystery/Sci-Fi	2/17
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An all-new, stand-alone sci-fi caper from the author of *Hammajang Luck*: a bored hacker is forced by vicious gangsters to take down a crooked politician...only to find herself up against a code she might not be able to crack.

NONFICTION

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Bluck, Robert	The Unofficial Buddhist	Religion/Buddhism	2/1

This book explores Buddhist-inspired teaching and practice for today's secular world - but outside the monastic traditions of Buddhism. If you have been practising Buddhism without finding a local centre where you feel comfortable - or if you are outside Buddhism, but looking in with interest - you are probably an unofficial Buddhist yourself. If so, this book is for you.

Carter, Rita	The Human Brain Book	Neuroscience/Brain	2/10
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This new edition of the award-winning *The Brain Book* uses the latest findings from neuroscience research and brain-imaging technology to take you on a journey into the human brain.

NONFICTION

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Castro, Mia	Cocina Puerto Rico	Cooking/Caribbean	2/10

Mia spent her early career working under prestigious chefs such as José Andrés, Thomas Keller, and Wolfgang Puck, and later cooked for exclusive clients worldwide as a private chef. In 2020, unexpectedly grounded in New York City, she found herself craving the foods of her native Puerto Rico. Over daily FaceTime calls (that sometimes stretched for hours) with her beloved Abuela Sara in San Juan, Mia collected the time-honored recipes that represent her family's homeland. Now, applying her professional knowledge, she has expertly adapted these dishes for you to re-create in any American home kitchen.

Chiasson, Dan	Bernie for Burlington	Politics/Campaigns	2/3
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The early days and inexorable rise of the young Bernie Sanders, the one-of-a-kind visionary who changed American politics forever, told by a son of the People's Republic of Burlington, Vermont.

Forbes Crawford, Scott	Chinese Ancient Origins	History/Ancient China	2/10
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A brand new, highly readable history by Scott Crawford, *Chinese Ancient Origins* surveys the events, cultural practices, political developments, beliefs, key individuals and roots of ancient China, from the earliest known prehistory through the collapse of the Qin dynasty (206 BCE). This span of history allows the reader to follow a clear line from the origin of humanity in China to the incipient forms of organization, then onward to feudalism and to the founding of the imperial era - a form of government persisting into the twentieth century.

Hofmann, Richie	The Bronze Arms: Poems	Poetry/Love	2/10
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Following his captivating and popular *A Hundred Lovers*, Hofmann's new collection is a queer coming-of-age, tinged with myth: poems that bring us into a fever dream of antiquity and desire at its limits.

Merrill Block, Stefan	Homeschooled	Memoir/Education/Family	2/1
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Stefan Merrill Block was nine when his mother pulled him from school, certain that his teachers were 'stifling his creativity.' Hungry for more time with her boy who was growing up too quickly, she began to instruct Stefan in the family's living room. Beyond his formal lessons in math, however, Stefan was largely left to his own devices and his mother's erratic whims, such as her project to recapture her twelve-year-old son's early years by bleaching his hair and putting him on a crawling regimen. So when, after five years away from the outside world, Stefan reentered the public school system in Plano as a freshman, he was in for a jarring awakening.

Mrie, Loubna	Defiance	Memoir/Middle East	2/24
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A stunning memoir of personal rebellion and political awakening from a young woman raised to be loyal to a brutal regime-- and the unimaginable cost of choosing freedom. *Defiance* is the unforgettable account of one woman's fight for freedom-- against a father, a dictator, and the weight of inherited belief. From the streets of Aleppo to exile in New York City, it offers an electrifying portrait of moral courage in the face of authoritarianism and violence. Told with clarity, fury, and grace, *Defiance* offers a rare ground-level portrait of what it means to wake up, to resist, and to become.

Nardozi, Charlie	The Continuous Vegetable Garden	Gardening/Vegetables	2/3
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Do you want a fruitful vegetable garden with less work and less time? Try this revolutionary method for a continuous garden that practically grows itself. With this method, there's no buying transplants or starting seeds indoors (plants sow themselves!), no yearly planting (perennial crops return year after year!), no seed buying (you collect your own seeds!), and no "off" season (with protection, some crops yield year-round!). It's a unique approach to creating a more sustainable, self-perpetuating vegetable garden that returns on its own year after year.

Pollan, Michael	A World Appears	Science/Consciousness	2/24
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In Pollan's dazzling exploration of consciousness, he discovers a world far deeper and stranger than our everyday reality. Eye-opening and mind-expanding, *A World Appears* takes us into the laboratories of our own minds, ultimately showing us how we might make better use of the gift of awareness to more meaningfully connect with the world and our deepest selves.

NONFICTION

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Robinson, Eugene	Freedom Lost, Freedom Won	Biography/Historical	2/3

Pulitzer Prize-winning former *Washington Post* columnist Eugene Robinson tells our nation's torturous racial history through his own family's story, starting with his great-grandfather's freedom from slavery and threading his way to his own narrative and reaching today's Black Lives Matter movement, asking whether this time will be different.

Rubin, Zachary	All About Allergies	Health/Allergies	2/24
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From viral social media sensation Dr. Zachary Rubin, an in-depth look at both common and surprising allergies, spotlighting patient stories, the history and science behind allergies, common myths, treatment options, and more.

Silverman, David	The Chosen and the Damned	History/Colonial/Indigenous	2/10
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In *The Chosen and the Damned*, acclaimed historian David J. Silverman traces Indian-White racial arguments across four centuries, from the bloody colonial wars for territory to the national wars of extermination justified as "Manifest Destiny"; from the creation of reservations and boarding schools to the rise of the Red Power movement and beyond.

Song, Suzan MD PhD	Why We Suffer and How We Heal	Psychology/PTSD	2/24
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A psychiatrist who has dedicated her life to treating global survivors of unspeakable horrors shares the three keys to resilience that we can use to weather stress, loss, and trauma in our own lives.

Stewart, Katherine	Money, Lies, and God	Political Ideologies	2/17
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Why have so many Americans turned against democracy? In this deeply reported book, Katherine Stewart takes us to conferences of conspiracy-mongers, backroom strategy gatherings, and services at extremist churches, and profiles the people who want to tear it all down. Stewart's reporting and comprehensive political analysis helps reframe the conversation about the moral collapse of conservatism in America and points the way toward a democratic future.

Thompson, Heather Ann	Fear and Fury	Political Science/Race	2/1
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In this masterful, groundbreaking work, Pulitzer Prize-winning author Heather Ann Thompson shines surprising new light on an infamous 1984 New York subway shooting that would unveil simmering racial resentments and would lead, in unexpected ways, to a fractured future and a new era of rage and violence.

Tu, Vivian	Well Endowed	Economics/Money Management	2/3
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From *New York Times* bestselling author of *Rich AF* and CEO and founder of Your Rich BFF, Vivian Tu, comes a guide to leveling up your finances to improve your life, relationships, and legacy.

Wong, Norma Kaweloku	Who We Are Becoming Matters	Social Science/Turtle Islands	2/10
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What makes us human? And why does it matter? Poetic and practical advice on who we are--and what we need to become--to move forward in togetherness and mutual responsibility in an age of uncertainty and climate chaos. Zen and Indigenous Hawaiian wisdom for navigating the timeplace of collapse--the highly-anticipated follow-up to *When No Thing Works*.

Yeliseyev, Vladislav	Light and Color in the Watercolor Landscape	Art/Painting/Watercolor/Landscapes	2/10
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A comprehensive guide to watercolor landscape painting, *Light and Color in the Watercolor Landscape* teaches artists how to render light, create depth, and capture atmosphere with expert instruction from Vladislav Yeliseyev.

LARGE PRINT

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Feeney, Alice	My Husband's Wife	Psychological Thriller	2/25

Eden Fox, an artist on the brink of her big break, sets off for a run before her first exhibition. When she returns to the home she recently moved into, Spyglass, an enchanting old house in Hope Falls, nothing is as it should be. Her key doesn't fit. A woman, eerily similar to her, answers the door. And her husband insists that the stranger is his wife. One house. One husband. Two women. Someone is lying.

Hoover, Colleen	Woman Down	Suspense Romance	2/25
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In this twisty thriller from *New York Times* bestselling author Colleen Hoover, a frustrated author looks for her muse in a remote hideaway, but what she finds defies all expectations...and reality.

McFadden, Freida	Dear Debbie	Psychological Thriller	2/25
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Debbie Mullen is losing it. For years, she has compiled all of her best advice into her column, *Dear Debbie*, where the wives of New England come for sympathy and neighborly advice. Through her work, Debbie has heard from countless women who are ignored, belittled, or even abused by their husbands. And Debbie does her best to guide them in the right direction. Or at least, she did. These days, Debbie's life seems to be spiraling out of control. Now, Debbie's done being the bigger person. She's done being reasonable and practical. It's time to take her own advice. And now it's time for payback against all the people in her life who deserve it the most.

Quinn, Kate	The Astral Library	Fantasy/Contemporary	2/17
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From *New York Times* bestselling author Kate Quinn comes a gorgeously written fantastical adventure which poses the question: Have you ever wished you could live inside a book? Welcome to the Astral Library, where books are not just objects, but doors to new worlds, new lives, and new futures.

Robb, J. D.	Stolen in Death	Detective Mystery	2/25
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A violent death and a vault of stolen treasures has Eve Dallas struggling to solve crimes old and new in the next thriller in the #1 *New York Times* -bestselling series.

AUDIOBOOK CD's

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Dylan, Bob	Chronicles Volume 1	Biography/Music	2/3

The celebrated first memoir from arguably the most influential singer-songwriter in the country, Bob Dylan. "I'd come from a long ways off and had started a long ways down. But now destiny was about to manifest itself. I felt like it was looking right at me and nobody else." So writes Bob Dylan in *Chronicles: Volume One*, his remarkable book exploring critical junctures in his life and career.

Fein, Louise	Book of Forbidden Words	Historical/Family Life	2/17
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From bestselling author Louise Fein comes a new historical novel about an encrypted manuscript that unleashes a chain of consequences across 400 years, set in a world of banned books, fear of new ideas, and the dangers of censorship.

Hinds, Rebecca	Your Best Meeting Ever	Business/Communication	2/3
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From Rebecca Hinds, PhD--organizational expert who has helped Fortune 500 companies fix their fractured collaboration--comes a bold, battle-tested blueprint for tackling the workplace's biggest time-wasters: meetings.

Kubica, Mary	It's Not Her	Psychological Thriller	2/3
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Courtney Gray's peaceful vacation turns into a nightmare when she discovers her brother and sister-in-law dead in their lakeside cottage. Her niece Reese is missing. Her nephew Wyatt is asleep upstairs--unharmd. As police swarm the quiet resort, dark truths about Courtney's family--and the town itself--begin to surface. Is Reese a victim... or the killer? With everyone hiding something, Courtney races to uncover the terrible mystery. But the closer she gets, the harder it is to know who--or what--to trust.

AUDIOBOOK CD's

Author	Title	Genre	Date
Phillips, Susan Elizabeth	And the Crowd Went Wild	Romance/Sports	2/10

#1 *New York Times* bestselling author Susan Elizabeth Phillips is back with the latest novel in her beloved Chicago Stars series, featuring a romance between a star quarterback and one of the country's most beautiful--and misunderstood--actresses.

Rollins, James	Trust No One	Action Thriller	2/24
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From the #1 *New York Times* bestselling master of international intrigue comes a shocking new stand-alone thriller that thrusts a group of university students, falsely accused of murder, into a treacherous hunt across Europe, all to unlock the secrets buried within a centuries-old book that could change humankind forever.

Shah, Amy	Hormone Havoc	Health/Menopause	2/24
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Doctor, author, and influencer (@DrAmyShah) Amy Shah, MD, shares a nutritional, science-based protocol to minimize hormonal havoc, hot flashes, and night sweats and take on perimenopause and menopause with improved mood, energy, and health.

DVD's

Title	Genre	Rating	Date
Five Nights at Freddy's 2	Supernatural Horror Mystery Thriller	PG-13	2/17

One year after the supernatural nightmare at Freddy Fazbear's Pizza, Abby runs away to reconnect with her animatronic friends, uncovering dark secrets about the true origins of Freddy's and unleashing a horror hidden for decades.

Now You See Me: Now You Don't	Heist Crime Thriller	PG-13	2/17
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The Four Horsemen reunite and team up with a new generation of young illusionists to expose a diamond heiress's global money laundering scheme for criminals.

The Ragin' 13	Documentary Human Interest	NR	2/24
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From the hardscrabble rural communities of Cajun country in south Louisiana to a Japanese internment camp, The Ragin 13 is the story of a group of athletes, their extraordinarily diverse backgrounds, and their emergence as one of the most successful American Olympic weightlifting teams of the 20th century.

Song Sung Blue	Docudrama Musical History	PG-13	2/17
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Lightning and Thunder, a Milwaukee husband and wife Neil Diamond tribute act, experience soaring success and devastating heartbreak in their musical journey together.