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FICTION			
Author	Title	Genre	Date
Ackerman, Elliot	2054	Political Science Fiction	3/12
Stavridis, James			

Combining a deep understanding of AI, biotech, and the possibility of a coming Singularity, along with their signature geopolitical sophistication, Elliot Ackerman and Admiral James Stavridis have once again written a visionary work. 2054 is a novel that reads like a thriller even as it demands that we consider the trajectory of our society and its potentially calamitous destination.

Banks, Russell American Spirits Rural Literary Fiction 3/5

Suspenseful, thrilling, and expertly crafted, *American Spirits* explores the hostile undercurrents of our communities and American politics at large, as well as the ways local tragedies can be both devastating and, somehow, everyday. Ushering the reader through the town of Sam Dent, Russell Banks has etched yet another brilliant entry into the bedrock of American fiction.

Beaird, Rowan The Divorcées Domestic Historical Fiction 3/19

Set in the glamorous, dizzying world of 1950s Reno, where housewives and movie stars rubbed shoulders at gin-soaked casinos, *The Divorcées* is a riveting page-turner and a dazzling exploration of female friendship, desire, and freedom.

Black, Cara Murder at La Villette Detective Mystery 3/5

Parisian private investigator Aimée Leduc has been framed for the murder of her daughter's father—now she's on the lam, and must find the real killer to clear her name in this thrilling 21st installment of Cara Black's New York Times bestselling mystery series.

Bohjalian, Chris The Princess of Las Vegas Psychological Thriller 3/19

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Bowen, Rhys In Sunshine or in Shadow Historical/Detective Mystery 3/12
Broyles, Clare

Retired Detective Molly Murphy Sullivan is back with *In Sunshine or in Shadow*, the latest book in this beloved series by *New York Times* bestselling author Rhys Bowen and Clare Broyles.

Cavanagh, Steve Kill for Me, Kill for You Psychological Thriller 3/19

One dark evening on New York City's Upper West Side, two strangers meet by chance. Over drinks, Amanda and Wendy realize they have much in common, especially loneliness and an intense desire for revenge against the men who destroyed their families. As they talk into the night, they come up with the perfect plan: if you kill for me, I'll kill for you.

Childs, Laura | Murder in the Tea Leaves | Cozy Mystery | 3/5

When Theodosia Browning reads the tea leaves on the set of the movie, Dark Fortunes, things go from spooky to worse. Lights are dimmed, the camera rolls, and red hot sparks fly as the film's director is murdered in a tricky electrical accident.

Coelho, Paulo	Maktub	Literary Short Stories	3/5	
Costa, Margaret Jull				

From one of the greatest writers of our age comes a collection of stories and parables unlocking the mysteries of the human condition. Gathered from Paulo Coelho's daily column of the same name, *Maktub*, meaning "it is written," invites seekers on a journey of faith, self-reflection, and transformation. As Paulo Coelho explains, "*Maktub* is not a book of advice—but an exchange of experiences." Each story offers an illuminated path to see life and the lives of our fellow people around the world in new ways, allowing us to tap into universal truths about our collective and individual humanity.

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Colgan, Jenny	Studies at the School by the Sea	Contemporary Fiction	3/26

The long-awaited and never-before published finale in New York Times bestselling author Jenny Colgan's delightful School by the Sea series. After all those lessons, it's time to graduate....

Cosimano, Elle Finlay Donovan Rolls the Dice Humor/Mystery 3/5

From New York Times bestseller Elle Cosimano comes Finlay Donovan Rolls the Dice—the fiercely anticipated next installment in the beloved Finlay Donovan series. Finlay Donovan and her nanny/partner-in-crime Vero are in sore need of a girls' weekend away. They plan a trip to Atlantic City, but odds are—seeing as it's actually a cover story to negotiate a deal with a dangerous loan shark, save Vero's childhood crush Javi, and hunt down a stolen car—it won't be all fun and games. When Finlay's ex-husband Steven and her mother insist on tagging along too, Finlay and Vero suddenly have a few too many meddlesome passengers along for the ride.

Croft, Jennifer The Extinction of Irena Rey Mystery/Literary Fiction 3/5

Eight translators arrive at a house in a primeval Polish forest on the border of Belarus. It belongs to the world-renowned author Irena Rey, and they are there to translate her magnum opus, Gray Eminence. But within days of their arrival, Irena disappears without a trace.

Dodd, Christina | Every Single Secret | Psycological Thriller | 3/5 |

Never whisper the truth. Never reveal the past. In an isolated lighthouse on the California coast, Rowan Winterbourne lives a solitary life with only her secrets for company. For she has a mission that drives her—to avenge herself against Gregory Torval, the powerful drug and arms dealer who murdered her mother and vowed to eliminate everyone in her family.

Dray, Stephanie Becoming Madam Secretary Political Historical Fiction 3/12

She took on titans, battled generals, and changed the world as we know it...Frances is destined to rise in a political world dominated by men, facing down the Great Depression as FDR's most trusted lieutenant—even as she struggles to balance the demands of a public career with marriage and motherhood. And when vicious political attacks mount and personal tragedies threaten to derail her ambitions, she must decide what she's willing to do—and what she's willing to sacrifice—to save a nation.

Estes, Christina Off the Air Mystery/Contemporary 3/26

Jolene Garcia is a local TV reporter in Phoenix, Arizona, splitting her time between covering general assignments—anything from a monsoon storm to a newborn giraffe at the zoo—and special projects. Stories that take more time to research and produce. Stories that Jolene wants to tell. When word gets out about a death at a radio station, Jolene and other journalists swarm the scene, intent on reporting the facts first. The body is soon identified as Larry Lemmon, a controversial talk show host, who died under suspicious circumstances. Jolene conducted his final interview, giving her and her station an advantage. But not for long.

Everett, Percival L. James Retelling/Historical Fiction 3/19

When the enslaved Jim overhears that he is about to be sold to a man in New Orleans, separated from his wife and daughter forever, he decides to hide on nearby Jackson Island until he can formulate a plan. Meanwhile, Huck Finn has faked his own death to escape his violent father, recently returned to town. As all readers of American literature know, thus begins the dangerous and transcendent journey by raft down the Mississippi River toward the elusive and too-often-unreliable promise of the Free States and beyond.

Fisher, Tarryn Good Half Gone Mystery/Thriller 3/19

Iris Walsh saw her twin sister, Piper, get kidnapped—so why does no one believe her? Iris narrowly escaped her pretty, popular twin sister's fate as a teen: kidnapped, trafficked and long gone before the cops agreed to investigate. With no evidence to go on but a few scattered memories, the case quickly goes cold. Now an adult, Iris wants one thing—proof. And if the police still won't help, she'll just have to find it her own way.

French, Nicci Has Anyone Seen Charlotte Salter? Mystery/Thriller 3/19

A nerve-tingling and atmospheric thriller from master of suspense Nicci French about two families shattered by tragedy and the secrets that have been waiting decades to be revealed.

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French, Tana	The Hunter	Crime Thriller	3/5	

It's a blazing summer when two men arrive in a small village in the West of Ireland. One of them is coming home. Both of them are coming to get rich. One of them is coming to die.

Gardner, Lisa Still See You Everywhere Detective Thriller 3/12

Frankie Elkin is an expert at finding the missing persons that the rest of the world has forgotten, but even she couldn't have anticipated this latest request—to locate the long-lost sister of a female serial killer facing execution in three weeks' time. She has called herself "death," but people called her the devil.

Gonzalez, Xochitl Anita De Monte Laughs Last Mystery/Literary Fiction 3/5

New York Times bestselling author Xochitl Gonzalez delivers a mesmerizing novel about a first-generation lvy League student who uncovers the genius work of a female artist decades after her suspicious death. Moving back and forth through time and told from the perspectives of both women, Anita de Monte Laughs Last is a propulsive, witty examination of power, love, and art, daring to ask who gets to be remembered and who is left behind in the rarefied world of the elite.

Graves, Tracey Garvis The Trail of Lost Hearts Contemporary Romance 3/26

Thirty-four-year-old Wren Waters believes that if you pay attention, the universe will send you exactly what you need. But her worldview shatters when the universe delivers two life-altering blows she didn't see coming, and all she wants to do is put the whole heartbreaking mess behind her. No one is more surprised than Wren when she discovers that geocaching—the outdoor activity of using GPS to look for hidden objects—is the only thing getting her out of bed and out of her head. She decides that a weeklong solo quest geocaching in Oregon is exactly what she needs to take back control of her life.

Greer, Sierra Annie Bot Psychological Science Fiction 3/19

Annie Bot was created to be the perfect girlfriend for her human owner Doug. Designed to satisfy his emotional and physical needs, she has dinner ready for him every night, wears the pert outfits he orders for her, and adjusts her libido to suit his moods. True, she's not the greatest at keeping Doug's place spotless, but she's trying to please him. She's trying hard. She's learning, too.

Gudenkauf, Heather Everyone Is Watching Crime Thriller 3/26

Five contestants have been chosen to compete for ten million dollars on the game show One Lucky Winner. The catch? None of them knows what (or who) to expect, and it will be live streamed all over the world. Completely secluded in an estate in Northern California, with strict instructions not to leave the property and zero contact with the outside world, the competitors start to feel a little too isolated.

Hall, Tamron Watch Where They Hide Detective Thriller 3/12

From Emmy Award winner Tamron Hall comes an edge-of-your-seat thriller featuring journalist Jordan Manning as she delves into the case of a mother in danger and uncovers a dangerous web of secrets that could lead right to the missing woman—or put Jordan in the crosshairs of her abductors.

| Henriquez, Cristina | The Great Divide | Literary/Historical Fiction | 3/5 |

A powerful novel about the construction of the Panama Canal, casting light on the unsung people who lived, loved, and labored there. It is said that the canal will be the greatest feat of engineering in history. But first, it must be built. Searing and empathetic, *The Great Divide* explores the intersecting lives of activists, fishmongers, laborers, journalists, neighbors, doctors, and soothsayers—those rarely acknowledged by history even as they carved out its course.

| James, Simone St. | Murder Road | Supernatural Thriller | 3/5 |

July 1995. April and Eddie have taken a wrong turn. They're looking for the small resort town where they plan to spend their honeymoon. When they spot what appears to a lone hitchhiker along the deserted road, they stop to help. But not long after the hitchiker gets into their car, they see the blood seeping from her jacket and a truck barreling down Atticus Line after them.

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Johnson, Micaiah	Those Beyond the Wall	Adventure Science Fiction	3/12	

A searing sci-fi thriller about a woman reckoning with her past to solve a series of sudden and inexplicable deaths in the face of a coming apocalypse—from the Compton Crook Award—winning author of *The Space Between Worlds*. In Ashtown, a rough-and-tumble desert community, the Emperor rules with poisoned claws and an iron fist. He can't show any sign of weakness, as the neighboring Wiley City has spent lifetimes beating down the people of Ashtown and would love nothing more than its downfall. There's only one person in the desert the Emperor can fully trust—and her name is Scales.

Jones, Stephen Graham The Angel of Indian Lake Indigenous Horror 3/26

The final installment in the most lauded trilogy in the history of horror novels picks up four years after *Don't Fear the Reaper* as Jade returns to Proofrock, Idaho, to build a life after the years of sacrifice—only to find the Lake Witch is waiting for her in *New York Times* bestselling author Stephen Graham Jones's finale.

Kiste, Gwendolyn The Haunting of Velkwood Gothic Horror 3/5

From Bram Stoker Award--winning author Gwendolyn Kiste comes a chilling novel about three childhood friends who miraculously survive the night everyone in their suburban hometown turned into ghosts—perfect for fans of Yellowjackets.

Labuskes, Brianna The Lost Book of Bonn WWII Historical Fiction 3/19

Germany, 1946: Emmy Clarke is a librarian not a soldier. But that doesn't stop the Library of Congress from sending her overseas to Germany to help the Monuments Men retrieve and catalog precious literature that was plundered by the Nazis. The Offenbach Archival Depot and its work may get less attention than returning art to its rightful owners, but for Emmy, who sees the personalized messages on the inside of the books and the notes in margins of pages, it feels just as important.

Lovering, Carola Bye, Baby Mystery/Thriller 3/5

From the author of the Hulu sensation *Tell Me Lies* comes an obsessive, addictive novel about female friendship, a missing baby, and the toxic, secret history between two women.

Mahmood, Imran Finding Sophie Domestic Thriller 3/5

Two parents conduct an increasingly desperate search for their missing daughter in a clever, chilling thriller that is also unexpectedly moving.

|Maupin, Armistead | Mona of the Manor | Contemporary LGBTQ | 3/5 |

Set in the early 1990s, the long-awaited tenth novel in Armistead Maupin's beloved and enduring Tales of the City series follows the adventures of Mona Ramsey, now the widowed Lady of a glorious old manor in Britain's golden Cotswolds, and her fabulous adopted son Wilfred, as they come to the aid of an American visitor with a troubling secret.

Michaels, Fern The Wild Side Domestic Thriller 3/26

A seemingly ordinary guidance counselor goes undercover as a high-class escort to bring down a dangerous network of ruthless and powerful men in the gripping new standalone page-turner from legendary, #1 international bestseller Fern Michaels.

Morris, Joel H. All Our Yesterdays Historical Literary Fiction 3/12

Scotland, the 11th Century. Born in a noble household and granddaughter of a forgotten Scotlish king, a young girl carries the guilt of her mother's death and the weight of an unknowable prophecy. When she is married, at fifteen, to the Mormaer of Moray, she experiences firsthand the violence of a sadistic husband and a kingdom constantly at war. To survive with her young son in a superstitious realm, she must rely on her own cunning and wit, especially when her husband's downfall inadvertently sets them free.

Obreht, Téa | The Morningside | Literary Magical Realism | 3/19 |

Startling, inventive, and profoundly moving, *The Morningside* is a novel about the stories we tell—and the stories we refuse to tell—to make sense of where we came from and who we hope we might become.

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Oyeyemi, Helen	Parasol Against the Axe	Literary Magical Realism	3/5	

An adventurous, kaleidoscopic novel, *Parasol Against the Axe* considers the lines between illusion and delusion, fact and interpretation, and weighs the risks of attaching too firmly to the stories of a place, or a person, or a shared history. How much is a tale influenced by its reader, or vice versa? And finally, in a battle between friends, is it better to be the parasol or the axe?

Pataki, Allison | Finding Margaret Fuller | Historical Literary Fiction | 3/19

Young, brazen, beautiful, and unapologetically brilliant, Margaret Fuller accepts an invitation from Ralph Waldo Emerson, the celebrated Sage of Concord, to meet his coterie of enlightened friends. There she becomes "the radiant genius and fiery heart" of the Transcendentalists, a role model to a young Louisa May Alcott, an inspiration for Nathaniel Hawthorne's Hester Prynne and the scandalous Scarlet Letter, a friend to Henry David Thoreau as he ventures out to Walden Pond . . . and a muse to Emerson. But Margaret craves more than poetry and interpersonal drama, and her restless soul needs new challenges and adventures.

Patterson, James	The #1 Lawyer	Legal Thriller	3/18
Allen, Nancy			

America's top lawyer is on trial for murdering his beautiful wife. Biloxi's best criminal defense attorney has never lost a case. Then his wife is murdered, and he becomes the #1 suspect.

Perrin, Kristen How to Solve Your Own Murder Cozy Mystery 3/26

For fans of Knives Out and The Thursday Murder Club, an enormously fun mystery about a woman who spends her entire life trying to prevent her foretold murder only to be proven right sixty years later, when she is found dead in her sprawling country estate.... Now it's up to her great-niece to catch the killer.

Ryan, Jennifer The Underground Library WWII Historical Fiction 3/12

When the Blitz imperils the heart of a London neighborhood, three young women must use their fighting spirit to save the community's beloved library in this novel based on true events from the author of *The Chilbury Ladies' Choir*.

Ryan, Kennedy This Could Be Us Contemporary Romance 3/5

Soledad Barnes has her life all planned out. Because, of course, she does. She plans everything. She designs everything. She fixes everything. She's a domestic goddess who's never met a party she couldn't host or a charge she couldn't lead. The one with all the answers and the perfect vinaigrette for that summer salad. But none of her varied talents can save her when catastrophe strikes, and the life she built with the man who was supposed to be her forever, goes poof in a cloud of betrayal and disillusion.

Scotch, Allison Winn Take Two, Birdie Maxwell Romance/Comedy 3/5

Hollywood's biggest rom-com star tries to recover from her damaged reputation by staging her own rom-com and following a lead on a lost love in the new romantic comedy from *New York Times* bestselling author Allison Winn Scotch.

Scottoline, Lisa The Truth About the Devlins Detective Thriller 3/26

Lisa Scottoline, the #1 bestselling author of What Happened to the Bennetts, presents another pulse-pounding domestic thriller about family, justice, and the lies that tear us apart.

Serle, Rebecca Expiration Dates Contemporary Romance 3/19

Daphne Bell believes the universe has a plan for her. Every time she meets a new man, she receives a slip of paper with his name and a number on it—the exact amount of time they will be together. The papers told her she'd spend three days with Martin in Paris; five weeks with Noah in San Francisco; and three months with Hugo, her ex-boyfriend turned best friend. Daphne has been receiving the numbered papers for over twenty years, always wondering when there might be one without an expiration. Finally, the night of a blind date at her favorite Los Angeles restaurant, there's only a name: Jake.

Steel, Danielle Never Too Late Contemporary Romance 3/5

From #1 New York Times bestselling author Danielle Steel, a stirring novel about a woman striking out on her own after loss as her adult daughters try to find their own independent paths in life. In this powerful and moving new novel, Danielle Steel illuminates the importance of human connection and embracing brave change, proving it's never too late for a brand-new start.

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Sutanto, Jesse Q.	The Good, the Bad, and the Aunties	Contemporary Romance	3/26	

What should have been a family celebration of Chinese New Year descends into chaos when longtime foes crash the party in this hilariously entertaining novel by Jesse Q. Sutanto, bestselling author of *Dial A for Aunties*.

Swinarski, Claire The Funeral Ladies of Ellerie County Cozy Small Town Fiction 3/12

Armed with a Crock-Pot and a pile of recipes, a grandmother, her granddaughter, and a mysterious young man work to bring a community together in this uplifting novel for readers of *The Chicken Sisters*.

Tintera, Amy Listen for the Lie Small Town Mystery 3/5

What if you thought you murdered your best friend? And if everyone else thought so too? And what if the truth doesn't matter?

Unger, Lisa The New Couple in 5B Psychological Thriller 3/5

Rosie and Chad Lowan are barely making ends meet in New York City when they receive life-changing news: Chad's late uncle has left them his luxury apartment at the historic Windermere in glamorous Murray Hill. With its prewar elegance and impeccably uniformed doorman, the building is the epitome of old New York charm. One would almost never suspect the dark history lurking behind its perfectly maintained facade.

Wan, Sophie Women of Good Fortune Contemporary Romance/Heist 3/5

Set against a high-society Shanghai wedding, a heartfelt, funny, dazzling novel about a reluctant bride and her two best friends, each with their own motives and fed up with the way society treats women, who forge a plan to steal all the gift money on the big day.

NONFICTION			
Author	Title	Genre	Date
Baker, Kevin	The New York Game	New York Baseball History	3/5

A hugely entertaining history of baseball and New York City, bursting with larger-than-life figures and fascinating stories from the game's beginnings to the end of World War II.

Ballour, Amani	The Cave	Memoir	3/5	
Abouzeid, Rania				

This searing memoir tells the story of a young doctor and activist who ran an underground hospital in Damascus, humanizing the enduring crisis in Syria.

Butler, Judith Who's Afraid of Gender? Gender Studies 3/19

The aim of Who's Afraid of Gender? is not to offer a new theory of gender but to examine how "gender" has become a phantasm for emerging authoritarian regimes, fascist formations, and transexclusionary feminists. In their vital, courageous new book, Butler illuminates the concrete ways that this phantasm of "gender" collects and displaces anxieties and fears of destruction. Operating in tandem with deceptive accounts of "critical race theory" and xenophobic panics about migration, the anti-gender movement demonizes struggles for equality, fuels aggressive nationalism, and leaves millions of people vulnerable to subjugation.

Davies, Simone	The Montessori Child	Parenting	3/5
Uzodike, Junnifa			

The book includes dozens of hands-on activities to help foster your child's love of numbers and literacy, art and science, and ones that encourage community-building, social awareness, and connection with the natural world. The Montessori Child offers a powerful alternative for parents who feel that family life has gotten too complicated by showing parents how to make more intentional choices for your family, how to better understand the needs of your children, and support them as they develop their unique potential.

Ervin, Kristine S. Rabbit Heart Memoir 3/26

Kristine S. Ervin was just eight years old when her mother, Kathy Sue Engle, was abducted from an Oklahoma mall parking lot and violently murdered in an oil field. First, there was grief. Then the desire to know: what happened to her, what she felt in her last terrible moments, and all she was before these acts of violence defined her life.

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Ford, Christine Blasey	One Way Back	Memoir	3/19	

On September 27, 2018, Christine Blasey Ford testified before the Senate Judiciary Committee which was considering the nomination of Judge Brett Kavanaugh to the United States Supreme Court. She described an alleged sexual assault by the Supreme Court nominee that took place at a high school party in the 1980s. Her words and courage on that day provided some of the most credible and unforgettable testimony our country has ever witnessed.

Gooch, Brad Radiant Biography 3/5

In the 1980s, the subways of New York City were covered with art. In the stations, black matte sheets were pasted over outdated ads, and unsigned chalk drawings often popped up on these blank spaces. These temporary chalk drawings numbered in the thousands and became synonymous with a city as diverse as it was at war with itself, beset with poverty and crime but alive with art and creative energy. And every single one of these drawings was done by Keith Haring.

Hauser, Marc D. Vulnerable Minds Developmental Psychology 3/12

A new, hopeful pathway to understanding children's trauma and providing effective interventions to build healthier communities. While human suffering experienced by children is the most devastating, it also presents the most promise for recovery; the plasticity of young people's brains makes them vulnerable, but it also makes them apt to take back the joy, wonder, innocence, and curiosity of childhood when given the right support. *Vulnerable Minds* is a call to action for parents, policymakers, educators, and doctors to reclaim what's been lost and commit ourselves to our collective responsibility to all children.

Heuck, Lidey	Cooking in Real Life	Cooking	3/12	
Garten, Ina				

From the rising star who learned to cook when she worked for Ina Garten and inherited the Barefoot Contessa's intuition for what people want to cook, 100 recipes that are cook-pleasing and crowd-pleasing and written with the shopper, chopper, and dish-doer in mind.

Kino, Carol Double Click Biography 3/5

The McLaughlin twins were trailblazing female photographers, celebrated in their time as stars in their respective fields, but have largely been forgotten since. Here, in *Double Click*, author Carol Kino provides us with a fascinating window into the golden era of magazine photography and the first young women's publications, bringing these two brilliant women and their remarkable accomplishments to vivid life.

McCammon, Sarah The Exvangelicals History/Religion 3/19

Rigorously reported and deeply personal, *The Exvangelicals* is the story of the people who make up this generational tipping point, including McCammon herself. Part memoir, part investigative journalism, this is the first definitive book that names and describes the post-evangelical movement--identifying its origins, telling the stories of its members, and examining its vast cultural, social, and political impact.

|Montgomery, Sy | Secrets of the Octopus | Natural Sciences | 3/19 |

This magical journey into the world of the octopus will reveal how the large and capable brain of these creatures occupies their whole body—not just their heads—and they can actually adjust their genetic makeup to respond to the demands of the environment. It will allow readers to watch them change shape and color in order to camouflage themselves more effectively than any other species. And it will divulge how octopus mothers give their all in order to bring forth a new generation.

Mosconi, Lisa, Ph.d. | The Menopause Brain | Health | 3/12 |

Menopause and perimenopause are still a black box to most doctors, leaving patients exasperated as they grapple with symptoms ranging from hot flashes to insomnia to brain fog. As a leading neuroscientist and women's brain health specialist, Dr. Mosconi unravels these mysteries by revealing how menopause doesn't just impact the ovaries—it's a hormonal show in which the brain takes center stage.

Moss, Candida God's Ghostwriters History & Religion 3/26

Filled with profound revelations both for what it means to be a Christian and for how we read individual texts themselves, *God's Ghostwriters* is a groundbreaking and rigorously researched book about how enslaved people shaped the Bible, and with it all of Christianity.

NONFICTION				
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RuPaul	The House of Hidden Meanings	Biography	3/5	

From international drag superstar and pop culture icon RuPaul, comes his most revealing and personal work to date—a brutally honest, surprisingly poignant, and deeply intimate memoir of growing up Black, poor, and queer in a broken home to discovering the power of performance, found family, and self-acceptance. A profound introspection of his life, relationships, and identity, *The House of Hidden Meanings* is a self-portrait of the legendary icon on the road to global fame and changing the way the world thinks about drag.

Scarlata, Kate	Mind Your Gut	Health	3/5	
Riehl, Megan				
Chey, William D., M.d.				

Offering everything from science-based interventions, targeted mind-gut behavioral strategies (such as body relaxation methods and stress management skills), as well as delicious gut-soothing recipes and nutrition tips, *Mind Your Gut* combines diet and behavioral interventions for a full toolbox of therapeutic options for your IBS.

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Hannah, Kristen The Women War/Historical Fiction 3/1

"Women can be heroes, too." When twenty-year-old nursing student Frances "Frankie" McGrath hears these unexpected words, it is a revelation. Raised on idyllic Coronado Island and sheltered by her conservative parents, she has always prided herself on doing the right thing, being a good girl. But in 1965 the world is changing, and she suddenly imagines a different choice for her life. When her brother ships out to serve in Vietnam, she impulsively joins the Army Nurse Corps and follows his path.

Mallery, Susan The Summer Book Club Domestic/Contemporary 3/27

In the small town of Los Lobos, California, three women join a local indie bookstore's summer book club—devoted entirely to romance novels—and become life-long friends as they navigate the messiness of motherhood, second chances and becoming the person you've always wanted to be.

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AUDIOBOOK CD's			
Author Genre Date			
Carney, Timothy	Family Unfriendly	Parenting	3/19

Parenting seems harder these days, and Millennials and Generation Z don't seem up for it. Why? It's easy to blame cost or selfishness, but kids have long been an economic drag, and adults have always been selfish. The question: What's changed? The answer is culture. Our culture is less friendly to parenting that it used to be, and should be.

Cosimano, Elle Finlay Donovan Rolls the Dice Humor/Mystery 3/5

From New York Times bestseller Elle Cosimano comes Finlay Donovan Rolls the Dice—the fiercely anticipated next installment in the beloved Finlay Donovan series. Finlay Donovan and her nanny/partner-in-crime Vero are in sore need of a girls' weekend away. They plan a trip to Atlantic City, but odds are—seeing as it's actually a cover story to negotiate a deal with a dangerous loan shark, save Vero's childhood crush Javi, and hunt down a stolen car—it won't be all fun and games. When Finlay's ex-husband Steven and her mother insist on tagging along too, Finlay and Vero suddenly have a few too many meddlesome passengers along for the ride.

Obreht, Téa	The Morningside	Literary Magical Realism	3/19	

Startling, inventive, and profoundly moving, *The Morningside* is a novel about the stories we tell—and the stories we refuse to tell—to make sense of where we came from and who we hope we might become.

Scottoline, Lisa The Truth About the Devlins Detective Thriller 3/26

Lisa Scottoline, the #1 bestselling author of What Happened to the Bennetts, presents another pulse-pounding domestic thriller about family, justice, and the lies that tear us apart.

Serle, Rebecca Expiration Dates Contemporary Romance 3/19

Daphne Bell believes the universe has a plan for her. Every time she meets a new man, she receives a slip of paper with his name and a number on it—the exact amount of time they will be together. The papers told her she'd spend three days with Martin in Paris; five weeks with Noah in San Francisco; and three months with Hugo, her ex-boyfriend turned best friend. Daphne has been receiving the numbered papers for over twenty years, always wondering when there might be one without an expiration. Finally, the night of a blind date at her favorite Los Angeles restaurant, there's only a name: Jake.

Steel, Danielle	Never Too Late	Contemporary Romance	3/5

From #1 New York Times bestselling author Danielle Steel, a stirring novel about a woman striking out on her own after loss as her adult daughters try to find their own independent paths in life. In this powerful and moving new novel, Danielle Steel illuminates the importance of human connection and embracing brave change, proving it's never too late for a brand-new start.

Unger, Lisa	The New Couple in 5B	Psychological Thriller	3/5	
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Rosie and Chad Lowan are barely making ends meet in New York City when they receive life-changing news: Chad's late uncle has left them his luxury apartment at the historic Windermere in glamorous Murray Hill. With its prewar elegance and impeccably uniformed doorman, the building is the epitome of old New York charm. One would almost never suspect the dark history lurking behind its perfectly maintained facade.

AUDIOBOOK CD's				
Author	uthor Title Genre Date			
Lester, Anne	Your Best Financial Life	Buisness	3/12	

Saving for the future can seem anywhere from daunting to downright impossible—especially for Millennials and Gen Z'ers, who've had to contend with economic setbacks, recessions, and layoffs since graduating college. But everyone—yes, even YOU—can find a way to save for your future, and *Your Best Financial Life* can show you exactly how.

Lewis, Daniel Twelve Trees Natural Sciences 3/12

A compelling global exploration of nature and survival as seen via a dozen species of trees that represent the challenges facing our planet, and the ways that scientists are working urgently to save our forests and our future.

Murphy, C., Mary Cultures of Growth Team Organization 3/12

From the protégé of Carol Dweck, the bestselling author of *Mindset*, award-winning social psychologist Mary Murphy offers a definitive reconsideration of teamwork—showing how to better achieve a growth mindset together as part of any organization's culture.

RuPaul The House of Hidden Meanings Biography 3/5

From international drag superstar and pop culture icon RuPaul, comes his most revealing and personal work to date—a brutally honest, surprisingly poignant, and deeply intimate memoir of growing up Black, poor, and queer in a broken home to discovering the power of performance, found family, and self-acceptance. A profound introspection of his life, relationships, and identity, *The House of Hidden Meanings* is a self-portrait of the legendary icon on the road to global fame and changing the way the world thinks about drag.

Shechtman, Anna The Riddles of the Sphinx Memoir 3/5

Combining the soul-baring confessional of *Brain on Fire* and the addictive storytelling of *The Queen's Gambit*, a renowned puzzle creator's compulsively readable memoir and history of the crossword puzzle as an unexpected site of women's work and feminist protest.

DVD's			
Title	Genre	Rating	Date
All Creatures Great and Small:	Comedy/Drama	TV-PG	3/12
Season 4			

The numerous adventures of a countryside veterinarian practice in 1930s to 1940s Yorkshire, England.

American Experience: Nazi	Documentary	TV-14	3/26
Town			

The story of the German American Bund, a pro-Nazi group active across the US in the 1930's.

Aquaman and the Lost Kingdom Action/Adventure PG-13 3/12

Black Manta seeks revenge on Aquaman for his father's death. Wielding the Black Trident's power, he becomes a formidable foe. To defend Atlantis, Aquaman forges an alliance with his imprisoned brother. They must protect the kingdom.

The Color Purple | Musical/Drama | PG-13 | 3/12 |

A woman faces many hardships in her life, but ultimately finds extraordinary strength and hope in the unbreakable bonds of sisterhood.

Ferrari Biography/Drama R 3/12

Set in the summer of 1957, with Enzo Ferrari's auto empire in crisis, the ex-racer turned entrepreneur pushes himself and his drivers to the edge as they launch into the Mille Miglia, a treacherous 1,000-mile race across Italy.

Inshallah a Boy Drama NR 3/12

A widow pretends to be pregnant with a son in order to save her daughter and home from a relative exploiting Jordan's patriarchal inheritance laws.

Title	Genre	Rating	Date	
Inside the Yellow Cocoon Shell	Drama	NR	3/19	

A man returns to his hometown, where he's haunted by past memories and desires.

Space: The Longest Goodby	Documentary	NR	3/12

Training for a Mars mission, daring astronauts work with a NASA psychologist to cope with space isolation in this Sundance-premiering documentary.