New Books January 2025: Adult

Fiction



She's Always Hungry by Eliza Clark

They buy from a restaurant that only serves food they didn't order. They do everything the song from the ocean demands. This outstanding first collection cements Eliza Clark's place as one of the UK's most extraordinary voices.



Shred Sisters by Betsy Lerner

LONGLISTED FOR THE CENTER FOR FICTION FIRST NOVEL PRIZE No one will love you more or hurt you more than a sister. "I love this book."



A New Lease on Death by Olivia Blacke

But Daisy finds herself on the receiving end in Misha Popp's cozy series debut, a sweet-as-buttercream treat for fans of Ellery Adams and Mary Maxwell. The first time Daisy Ellery killed a man with a pie, it was an accident.



The Starlets by Lee Kelly and Jennifer Thorne

One perfect island.



Madwoman by Chelsea Bieker

It's about being crushed and rising strong." - Cheryl Strayed "The rare kind of book that lives in your bones" (Ashley Audrain), this novel tells a gripping story of motherhood and motherloss and the brutal, mighty things women do ...



A Monsoon Rising by Thea Guanzon

"Thea Guanzon's talent is limitless, and she is the kind of writer that comes around once in a generation."



Murder in the Ranks by Kristi Jones

In this World War II debut mystery filled with spies, murder, and a touch of romance, newly minted squad leader Dorothy Lincoln is caught in the crosshairs of a devious plot, perfect for fans of Susan Elia MacNeal and Ashley Weaver.



ATTICA LOCKE Guide Me Home by Attica Locke

In this "captivating" crime novel (People), Texas Ranger Darren Mathews is on the hunt for a missing child -- but it's the boy's family of white supremacists who are his real target. 9-year-old Levi King knew he should have left for home ...



How Does That Make You Feel

How Does That Make You Feel? obliterates the boundaries between the shrink and the one being shrunk with unabashedly candid writers breaking confidentiality and telling all about their experiences in therapy.



The Cloverton Charade by Sarah E. Ladd

The Cloverton Charade is the third book in the Houses of Yorkshire series but can be read on its own.



The Gardener's Plot by Deborah J. Benoit

The Gardener's Plot takes readers to the heart of the Berkshires and introduces amateur sleuth Maggie Walker in Deborah J. Benoit's Minotaur Books/Mystery Writers of America First Crime Novel Award-winning debut.



Mystery in the Title by Ian Ferguson & Will Ferguson

Miranda Abbott Mystery Book 1: I Only Read Murder by Ian Ferguson and Will Ferguson Book 2: Mystery in the Title by Ian Ferguson and Will Ferguson



To Die For by David Baldacci

From a #1 New York Times bestselling author, the 6:20 Man returns, this time sent to the Pacific Northwest to aid in a complicated FBI case—and he's about to come face-to-face with his nemesis, the girl on the train.



The Cinnamon Bun Book Store by Laurie

Dream Harbor is not short of a vibrant and hilarious cast of characters to help breathe life into the already charming town' Every book in the Dream Harbor series can be read as a standalone.



Academy of Liars by Alexis Henderson

A young woman living in a rigid, puritanical society discovers dark powers within herself in this stunning, feminist fantasy debut.



Women's Hotel by Daniel M. Lavery

As trenchant as the novels of Dawn Powell and Rona Jaffe and as immersive as The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel and Lessons in Chemistry, Women's Hotel is a modern classic—and it is very, very funny.



Pony Confidential by Christina Lynch

An NPR "Book of the Day" In this one-of-a-kind mystery with heart and humor, a hilariously grumpy pony must save the only human he's ever loved after discovering she stands accused of a murder he knows she didn't commit.



Magda Eklund? by Anna Montague

A funny and moving novel about love, loss, and new beginnings found on an unlikely road trip Most days, Magda is fine.



Ghosts of Waikiki by Jennifer K. Morita

After the newspaper she works for folds and the freelance assignments no longer pay the bills, Maya Wong reluctantly returns to her native Hawai'i to ghostwrite controversial land developer Parker Hamilton's biography.



Murder Island by James Patterson and Brian Sitts

They thought they found heaven on earth.



The Broken Places by Mia Sheridan

In this twisted journey into the shadows of the Golden Gate, an inspector and an FBI agent must track down the source of an unknown drug, but their attraction and their own secrets keep getting in the way.



Lies He Told Me by James Patterson and David Ellis

The Mistress is darkly atmospheric and erotically charged -- a tour-de-force with stunning twists and turns that will haunt readers long after its secrets have been revealed.



Raised by Wolves by James Paterson and Emily Raymond

Their clothes are torn and filthy, their hands and bare feet callused, they have fangs. They're sister and brother, alone against the world. Where did they come from? Raised by wolves, they say.



Variation by Rebecca Yarros

Elite ballerina Allie Rousseau is no stranger to pressure.

Large Print



Kill Them with Canvas by Bailee Abbott

In Bailee Abbott's second book in the Paint by Murder mysteries, Chloe and Izzie are taking their paint party business on the road—with murder as the first stop!



Peg and Rose Play the Ponies by Laurien Berenson

Murder, She Wrote meets The Odd Couple in awardwinning author Laurien Berenson's brand-new mystery series, spun off from her much-loved Melanie Travis Canine series and featuring Melanie's elderly aunts—tough-as-nails Peg and soft ...



The Sawmill Book Club by Carolyn Brown

Originally published in 2011 by Avalon Books.



The Night We Lost Him by Laura Dave

With Laura Dave's "signature blend of pulse-pounding suspense" (People) and "trademark emotional heft" (New York Post), The Night We Lost Him is a "propulsive" (Oprah Daily) must-read, with a heartbreaking final twist you'll ...



Miss Morton and the Deadly Inheritance by Catherine Lloyd

Social standing is everything in Regency England—and no one knows better than Miss Caroline Morton, a lady's companion from a disgraced line.



A Merry Little Murder Plot by Jenn McKinlay

'Tis the season in Briar Creek, and this year festivities become fatalities in the newest Library Lover's Mystery from the New York Times bestselling author of Fatal First Edition.



The Wealth of Shadows by Graham Moore

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • "A thriller of a different kind—with an unlikely band of economists and bureaucrats working in the shadows to save the world."—Charles Frazier, New York Times bestselling author of Cold Mountain An ordinary ...



The Last One at the Wedding by Jason Rekulak

Frank Szatowski is taken by surprise when his estranged daughter, Maggie, calls him after three years and invites him to her wedding in New Hampshire.



Tell Me Everything by Elizabeth Strout

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • An unforgettable cast of small-town characters copes with love and loss in this "compulsively readable" (San Francisco Chronicle) novel from the Pulitzer Prize—winning author of Olive Kitteridge and My ...



The Boyfriend by Freida McFadden

"Sydney Shaw, like every single woman in New York, has terrible luck with dating.

Non-Fiction

Parents in Recovery by Sarah Allen Benton

"This book is an essential resource that fills a gap in offerings for parents in recovery.

Defiant Hope by Michael Gerson

Defiant Hope is his writings about the things he loved—humanity, faith in God, his dog, and his boys. Essays feature the immensely complicated sadness when you drop your children off at college for the first time.





Truths by Vivek Ramaswamy

In Truths: The Future of America First, Ramaswamy shows exactly how honesty about the most important issues will get our country back on track.



American Heroes by James Patterson and Matt Eversmann

In this powerful collection of never-before-told stories, James Patterson and First Sergeant US Army (Ret.) Matt Eversmann salute America's most courageous military heroes



Justine Cooks by Justine Doiron

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • Find and refine your cooking style through 110 approachable and innovative plant-forward recipes from popular blogger and social media storyteller Justine Doiron. "Justine Cooks is like your culinary buddy, ...



What Goes with What by Julia Turshen

In Simply Julia, readers will find 110 foolproof recipes for more nutritious takes on the simple, comforting meals Julia cooks most often.



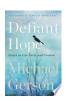
Heartbreak Is the National Anthem by Rob Sheffield

Nobody can tell the story like Rob Sheffield, the bestselling and award-winning author of Dreaming the Beatles, On Bowie, and Love Is a Mix Tape.



A Certain Idea of America by Peggy Noonan

This book is a celebration of what America has been, is, and can be.



THE RISE OF Blue Anon by David Harsanyi

David Harsanyi delves into the mindset of people who think Republicans would usher in the Handmaid's Tale and who compare Trump's Madison Square Garden rally to a pro-Nazi rally held there eight decades earlier.



The Exclusion Effect by Kirsty Duncan

As a newly minted Ph.D. in medical geography, Kirsty Duncan led an international expedition to remote Svalbard, Norway, to search for the cause of the deadly 1918 influenza.



Everybody Loves Chocolate by Jennifer Donovan

Delicious recipes from around the world Jennifer Donovan. First published as The Big Book of Chocolate in the UK and USA in 2008 by Duncan Baird Publishers Ltd This edition published in the UK ...



The Parent-Teen Connection by Susan Caso

Josh and Kat from the bestselling The Club series, tell their love story.



The Siege of Tyre by David A. Guenther

The Siege of Tyre: Alexander the Great and the Gateway to Empire by David A. Guenther is the first book-length treatment of this critical and fascinating campaign, featuring catapults, triremes, religious invocations, close combat, and



Bandit Heaven by Tom Clavin

Clavin's Bandit Heaven is the entertaining story of these tumultuous times and the colorful characters who rode the Outlaw Trail through the frigid mountain passes and throat-parching deserts that connected the three hideouts—well-guarded ...

Biography



The Message by Ta-Nehisi Coates

Written at a dramatic moment in American and global life, this work from one of the country's most important writers is about the urgent need to untangle ourselves from the destructive myths that shape our world—and our own souls—and ...



Be Ready When the Luck Happens by Ina Garten

Now, she invites them to come closer to experience her story in vivid detail and to share the important life lessons she learned along the way: do what you love because if you love it you'll be really good at it, swing for the fences, and ...