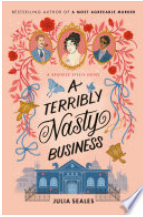


New Books September 2025: Adult

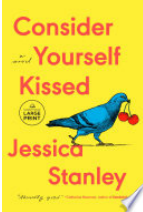
Fiction



A Terribly Nasty Business by Julia Seales

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • London provides fabulously deadly opportunities for a fledgling inspector in the twisty follow-up to Julia Seales's bestselling debut, *A Most Agreeable Murder*, hailed by *People* as a "delightful cocktail."

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Consider Yourself Kissed by Jessica Stanley

"A grown-up love story told through ten years in the life of one woman as she finds a perfect partner, builds a longed-for family and career, and works desperately to be all things to all people without losing herself."

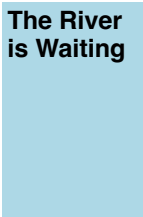
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Fox by Joyce Carol Oates

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • An "enthraling" (*Los Angeles Times*) and "remarkably engrossing" (*The New York Times Book Review*, Editors' Choice) novel of literary and psychological suspense about the dark secrets that surface after the shocking disappearance of a charismatic, mercurial teacher at an elite boarding school —by legendary author Joyce Carol Oates "Eerie, shocking, provoking, and beautifully written." —Gillian Flynn "I found it mesmerizing front to back." —Michael Connelly "I can't remember the last time I read something so (darkly, disconcertingly) addictive." —Rebecca Makkai "An extraordinary novel."

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The River Is Waiting by Wally Lamb

"From the New York Times bestselling author of *Oprah Bookclub Picks I Know This Much Is True* and *She's Come Undone* comes the heart wrenching story of a young father who, after an unbearable tragedy, reckons with the possibility of atonement for the u...

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The Woman in Suite 11 by Ruth Ware

Paradise comes at a price . . . The stunning mountain views. The beautiful shore of Lake Geneva. The terrified woman held in the suite belonging to the hotel's millionaire owner. Lo Blacklock's all-expenses paid trip to a luxury Swiss chateau should have been the ideal return to work.

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We Are All Guilty Here by Karin Slaughter

An instant #1 New York Times bestseller! The first thrilling mystery in the new North Falls series from Karin Slaughter, New York Times bestselling author of *Pretty Girls* and the *Will Trent* Series. Welcome to North Falls—a small town where everyone knows everyone.

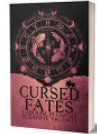
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Cold Eternity by S.A. Barnes

"You'll want to read this one with the lights on." —Katee Robert, New York Times bestselling author *Cold Eternity* is the newest action-packed space horror from S.A. Barnes perfect for fans of *Severance*, where desperation for eternal life leads to a fate worse than death...

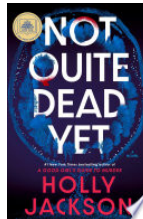
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Cursed Fates by Caroline Peckham and Susanne Valenti

The Zodiac Academy series from the Twisted Sisters and Amazon and Wall Street Journal #1 bestselling authors Caroline Peckham and Susanne Valenti is a Booktok phenomenon. This print re-issue includes an exclusive bonus chapter, brand new world map, and a new cover.

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Not Quite Dead Yet by Holly Jackson

GOOD MORNING AMERICA BOOK CLUB PICK • The #1 New York Times bestselling author of *A Good Girl's Guide to Murder*—now a hit Netflix series—returns with her first novel for adults: a twisty thriller about a young woman trying to solve her own murder.

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The Two Lies of Faven Sythe by Megan E. O'Keefe

A search for a missing person uncovers a galaxy-spanning conspiracy in this thrilling standalone space opera from award-winning author Megan E. O'Keefe. The *Black Celeste* is a ghost story. A once-legendary spaceship collecting dust in a cosmic graveyard known as the Clutch.

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Tusk Love by Thea Guanzon

A merchant's daughter who yearns for adventure gets more than she bargained for when she falls for a broodingly handsome stranger in this saucy romantasy from the New York Times bestselling author of *The Hurricane Wars*.

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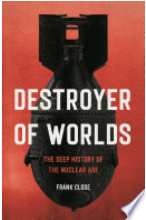
Non-Fiction



7-Ingredient Mediterranean

Transport yourself to the sun-soaked shores of the Mediterranean with over 100 quick, effortless, and vibrant recipes all using just seven ingredients. Welcome to the Mediterranean, simplified. From the coastal regions of Italy to the spice markets of Morocco, these meals harness the power of a few select ingredients to create dishes that are rich in flavors and textures.

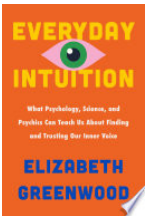
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Destroyer of Worlds by Frank Close

The thrilling and terrifying seventy-year story of the physics that deciphered the atom and created the hydrogen bomb Although Henri Becquerel didn't know it at the time, he changed history in 1896 when he left photographic plates and some uranium rocks in a drawer.

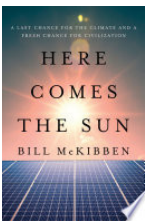
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Everyday Intuition by Elizabeth Greenwood

A captivating and insightful deep dive into the world of human intuition, exploring the power of this elusive phenomenon and how it can be harnessed to better know and trust ourselves. We rely on our intuition, even though we don't fully understand what it is, how it works, or if we can even trust it.

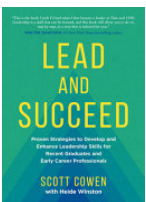
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Here Comes the Sun by Bill McKibben

From the acclaimed environmentalist, a call to harness the power of the sun and rewrite our scientific, economic, and political future. Our climate, and our democracy, are melting down. But Bill McKibben, one of the first to sound the alarm about the climate crisis, insists the moment is also full of possibility.

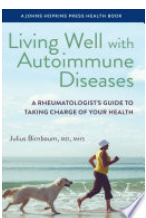
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Lead and Succeed by Scott Cowen

In contrast to the many books on leadership featuring broad principles and prescribed steps, Scott Cowen's Lead and Succeed is unique in inviting readers to engage in a process of personal development as they begin to build their careers.

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Living Well with Autoimmune Diseases by Julius Birnbaum

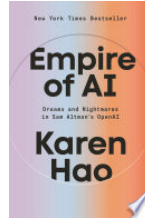
A comprehensive guide to managing autoimmune diseases. Twenty million adults in the United States live with an autoimmune disease. In this compassionate guide, Dr. Julius Birnbaum offers essential advice for navigating the complex world of various autoimmune diseases.



Black Capitalists by Rachel Laryea

A groundbreaking look at how Black visionaries—from Wall Street to Lagos and beyond—are reimagining capitalism to benefit the needs of Black people and, ultimately, everyone. "Black Capitalists is a dive into the history of how money is made and our attitudes about wealth.

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Empire of AI by Karen Hao

An Instant New York Times Bestseller "Excellent and deeply reported." —Tim Wu, The New York Times "Startling and intensely researched . . . an essential account of how OpenAI and ChatGPT came to be and the catastrophic places they will likely take us." —Vulture "Hao's reporting inside OpenAI is exceptional, and she's persuasive in her argument that the public should focus less on A.I.'s putative 'sentience' and more on its implications for labor and the environment." —Benjamin Wallace-Wells, New Yorker From a brilliant longtime AI insider with intimate access to the world of Sam Altman's OpenAI from the beginning, an eye-opening account of arguably the most fateful tech arms race in history, reshaping the planet in real time, from the cockpit of the company that is driving the frenzy When AI expert and investigative journalist Karen Hao first began covering OpenAI in 2019, she thought they were the good guys.

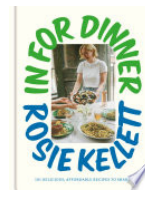
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Flex Your Feelings by Emily Anhalt

This is Atomic Habits for your mental health—a data-driven, practical, step-by-step plan for developing the 7 essential traits of emotional strength necessary to face all of life's challenges and become the best leader, entrepreneur, and human you can be.

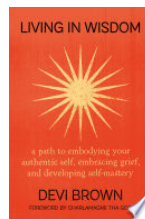
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In For Dinner by Rosie Kellett

101 delicious and achievable, budget-friendly, vegetable-forward recipes made for communal eating and entertaining, from food writer, chef, and supper club host Rosie Kellett. Sharing a warehouse home in London with her six flatmates has taught supper club host and former Violet Bakery employee Rosie Kellett that making delicious food is possible on any budget.

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Living in Wisdom by Devi Brown

From a wellness educator and voice of the Chopra app, this guide will help you relieve your internal suffering that is blocking your spiritual and personal growth. Sometimes trauma can keep us from realizing and embracing all the good we cultivate; our successes and achievements and positive relationships—the beauty of life.

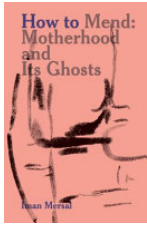
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Made From Scratch by Taste of Home Books

The pros at Taste of Home received hundreds of requests to lighten up family-favorite recipes—and they did! Whether cutting calories from a bubbling casserole, trimming fat from a cheesy pizza or skimming sugar from a heavenly dessert, these experts revamped classic dishes while keeping all the mouthwatering flavor in tact.

Place Hold



Motherhood and Its Ghosts by Iman Mersal

If I'd been more aware and someone had asked me about "my mother's picture" I would have shown them the bird she'd stitched onto the canvas herself. It is not aesthetic vision or skill that summons my mother's presence in this canvas, but the slight punctum the bird gives me.

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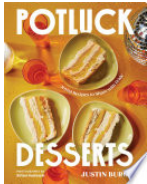
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Out East From Above by Lainey Stewart & Kaeley Michaelson

Generations of vacationers have headed "Out East" to the South Fork of Long Island, which is renowned for its storied past, beloved beaches, and trendy restaurants and shops. Stitched together by personal anecdotes and local history, this well-curated visual tour of the South Fork provides a unique window into the heart and soul of Montauk and the surrounding areas.

Place Hold



Potluck Desserts by Justin Burke

Named a standout cookbook of Summer 2025 by Epicurious Named a standout cookbook of 2025 by Real Simple Justin Burke credits his first queer potluck with changing his life. Gathering around a table piled high with homemade food evoked a sense of unity that bridged individuals beyond societal norms, sparking within him a passion for food that launched his career as a baker.

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Raising Hare by Chloe Dalton

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • A moving and fascinating meditation on freedom, trust, loss, and our relationship with the natural world, explored through the story of one woman's unlikely friendship with a wild hare.

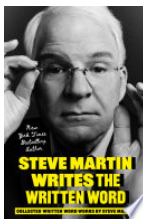
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Return to Fukushima by Thomas A. Bass

Return to Fukushima captures the aftermath of the 2011 nuclear disaster in Fukushima, chronicling the resilience of displaced communities navigating life amidst radioactivity. Thomas Bass explores the transformative journey from desolation to revitalization, offering a survival guide to our atomic future.

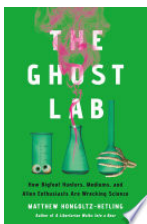
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Steve Martin Writes the Written Word by Steve Martin

With an exclusive new introduction and some never-before-published pieces, a collection of greatest hits from one of the most beloved comedians of our time, Steve Martin, now starring in Hulu's Only Murders in the Building.

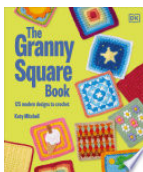
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The Ghost Lab by Matthew Hongoltz-Hetling

A surprising and compelling journey into the business of paranormal investigation, and the state of scientific literacy in America. In 2010, a sleepy small-town business plaza in rural New Hampshire rented space to an unusual tenant: a ghost laboratory.

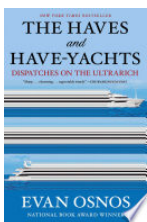
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The Granny Square Book by Katy Mitchell

Mix and match your next crochet project with over 150 modern granny square designs. These aren't your granny's granny squares. Combining bold colors and playful, eye-catching patterns, this unique crochet collection contains over 150 designs covering a wide range of themes for all ages.

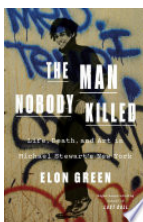
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The Haves and Have-Yachts by Evan Osnos

INSTANT NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER From the National Book Award-winning author Evan Osnos comes a timely and provocative collection of essays exploring American oligarchy and the culture of excess, providing a wry, unfiltered look at how the ultrarich shape—and sometimes warp—our social and political landscape.

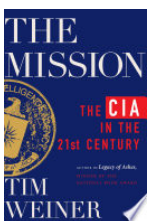
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The Man Nobody Killed by Elon Green

The first comprehensive book about Michael Stewart, the young Black artist and model who was the victim of a fatal assault by police in 1983, from Elon Green, the Edgar Award-winning author of Last Call.

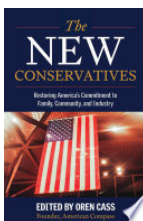
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The Mission by Tim Weiner

New York Times Bestseller A New Yorker Best Book of 2025 A New York Times Editors' Choice "No one has opened up the CIA to us like Weiner has, and The Mission deserves to win Weiner a second Pulitzer.

Place Hold



The New Conservatives edited by Oren Cass

For the fifth anniversary of American Compass, the conservative think tank hailed by the Wall Street Journal as "the forefront of rethinking traditional conservative economic ideas," comes a collection of its best, most influential writing American Compass is the nerve center of the New American Right, the political strategists and policy experts navigating a new Republican path through the economic issues shaping today's political landscape —trade and immigration, technology and finance, industrial policy, education, welfare, labor, family, and more.

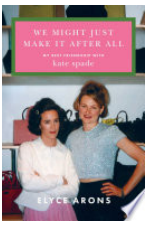
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The Playing Lesson by Michael Bamberger

You are cordially invited to join Michael Bamberger on a year-long golfing adventure—playing alongside the pros of the PGA Tour, the LPGA Tour, LIV Golf, and more—as he seeks to unlock golf’s most stubborn secrets in various and surprising ways, all in the name of...improvement!

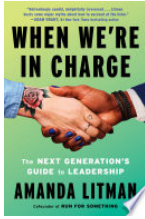
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We Might Just Make It After All by Elyce Arons

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER A moving portrait of friendship by Elyce Arons as she reflects on her long relationship with Kate Spade, whom she met in college and with whom she cofounded the multi-billion-dollar fashion company as they came of age in 1990s New York.

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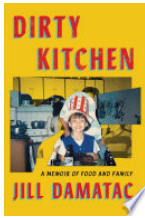


When We're In Charge by Amanda Litman

Featured on Forbes, Morning Joe, Teen Vogue, Pod Save America, and more From Amanda Litman, cofounder of Run for Something, “a refreshingly candid, delightfully irreverent guide to leadership for the next generation.” —Adam Grant “The workplace is evolving more rapidly than ever.

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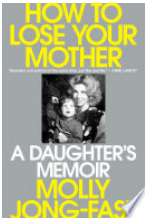
Biography



Dirty Kitchen by Jill Damatac

Filmmaker Jill Damatac combines memoir, food writing, and historical context to explore her experiences as an undocumented immigrant from the Philippines living in the United States for twenty-two years.

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How to Lose Your Mother by Molly Jong-Fast

Instant New York Times Bestseller “With propulsive humor and perspective on her annus horribilis, Jong-Fast achieves the memoir’s transformative work of alchemy, arming us all with lines so good you won’t just want to underline them, you will want to cut them out to share.” — The Washington Post “This raw, intimate memoir is a stunning portrait of difficult relationships and how we survive them.” —People “Molly Jong-Fast’s memoir is mesmerizing, intimate, wise, unputdownable, crazily honest, heartbreaking, funny, illuminating—beautiful and painful at the same time, just like real life.” —Anne Lamott From the political writer and podcaster, a ferociously honest and disarmingly funny memoir about her elusive mother’s encroaching dementia and a reckoning with her complicated childhood Molly Jong-Fast is the only child of a famous woman, writer Erica Jong, whose sensational book Fear of Flying launched her into second-wave feminist stardom.

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Not My Type by E. Jean Carroll

AN INSTANT INDIE, USA TODAY, AND NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER! "Delightful . . . We already know that E. Jean Carroll looked smashing when she went to court versus Donald J. Trump. But her irrepressible voice was, necessarily, repressed...Now she is saying pretty much everything.

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