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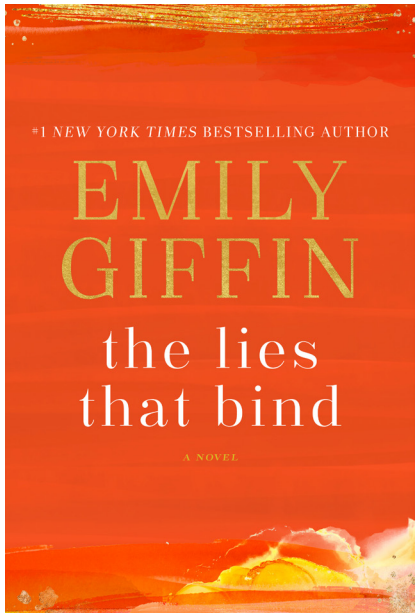
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HOLLYWOOD WEEKLY - BOOKS TO DEVOUR



The Lies That Bind by Emily Giffin

In the irresistible new novel from the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *All We Ever Wanted and Something Borrowed*, a woman falls hard for an impossibly perfect man before he disappears without a trace. *The Lies that Bind* is an emotionally resonant exploration of the never-ending search for love and truth--in our relationships, careers, and deep within our own hearts.

EmilyGiffin.com

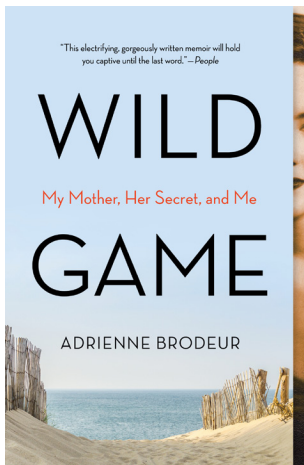


Search Heartache by Carla Malden

Maura Fielder looks like she has the perfect life: every expectation fulfilled. But under the illusory surface of perfection, Maura finds herself blindsided by what she discovers on her husband's computer. She has no emotional cubby hole into which she can shove this ghost from her husband's past, so instead, Maura upends her life—thrashing her marriage, alienating her daughter, and eroding her own moral center. On the verge of sacrificing everything she holds dear to her own obsession, how does Maura manage to regain her equilibrium and reclaim her life?

CarlaMalden.com

Wild Game: My Mother, Her Secret, and Me



by Adrienne Brodeur

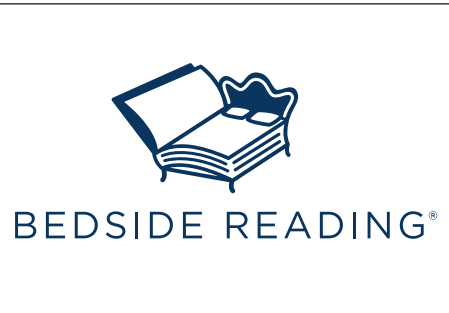
“Exquisite and harrowing.” —*New York Times Book Review*

“This electrifying, gorgeously written memoir will hold you captive until the last word.” —*People*

NAMED A BEST BOOK BY People * Refinery29 * Entertainment Weekly * BuzzFeed * NPR's On Point * Town & Country * Real Simple * New York Post * Palm Beach Post * Toronto Star * Orange County Register * Bustle * Bookish * BookPage * Kirkus* BBC Culture* Debutiful

A daughter's tale of living in the thrall of her magnetic, complicated mother, and the chilling consequences of her complicity.

AdrienneBrodeur.com



Eye of the Moon by Ivan Obolensky

“*Eye of the Moon* is a gothic mystery of the finest order, Eyes Wide Shut meets Agatha Christie.”

“It's gripping, intense, thorough. Everything I wanted in a thriller and then some.”

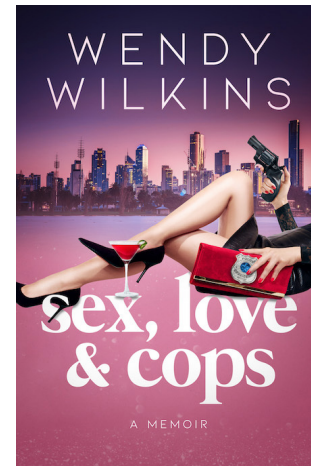
“This was such a surprise. If you like big house mysteries, *Downton Abbey* and *Cluedo* ‘who done its’, you will love this.”

“*Eye of the Moon* kept me engaged from start to finish. I read it in three days.”

“This story held me spellbound throughout.”

“I could not stop reading as I was entangled in the many twists and turns, a fun and unforgettable read.”

IvanObolensky.com



Sex, Love & Cops by Wendy Wilkins

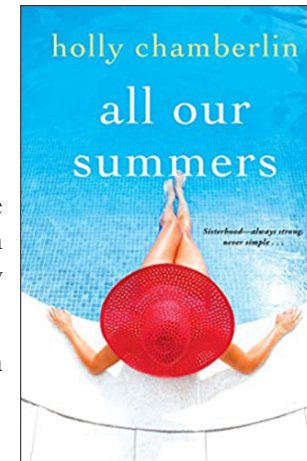
Following the true story of a naive young female cop as she joins the police force, and discovers many firsts, her first arrest, murder, dead body, love, sexual awakening, cop culture and a #metoo moment. A fast paced, entertaining read with some wonderful characters, who just happen to be real. Vignettes in style of Candace Bushnell's "Sex and The City" novella

SexLoveAndCops.com

All Our Summers by Holly Chamberlin

Against the picturesque coastal Maine setting that she evokes so well, bestselling author Holly Chamberlin creates a heartfelt story of family bonds and new beginnings.

HollyChamberlin.com



ROMeANTICALLY CHALLENGED by Marina Adair

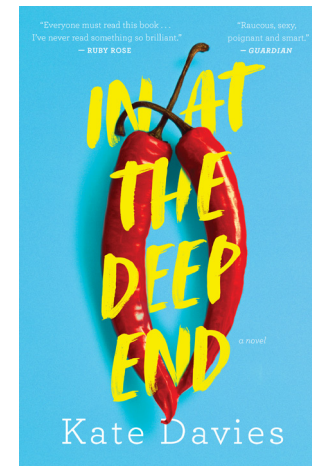
#1 nationally bestselling author Marina Adair's ROMeANTICALLY CHALLENGED, is a humorous romantic comedy riff on Three Men and a Baby meets 27 Dresses, in which a newly single physician's assistant who sets out on an exotic—and man-free—adventure gets stranded in a decidedly not exotic coastal Rhode Island town full of eccentric residents, nosy neighbors, and an infuriatingly sexy bunkmate who makes her question her anti-romance diet.

MarinaAdair.com

BALLGOWNS TO YOGA PANTS: Entrepreneurial Secrets for Creating Your Dream Business and Brand by Dr. Shellie Hipsky

Now is the time to create your dream business and brand. Whether you want to be leading rocking high heels or comfy yoga pants, you need this book! Author and CEO, Dr. Shellie Hipsky rose from tenured professor to award-winning “Best Business Woman” and “Entrepreneur of the Year”. Inside are Dr. Shellie's Success Secrets, research on multimillionaire business boss strategies, and questions to guide you as you monetize your passion!

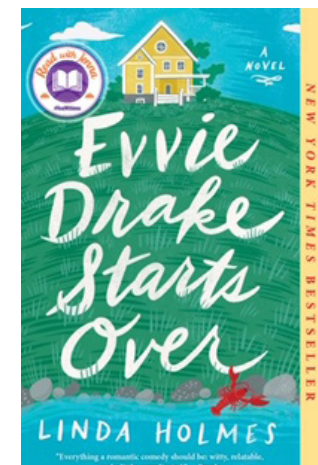
ShellieHipsky.com



In at The Deep End by Kate Davies

A deliciously disarming debut novel about a twenty-something Londoner who discovers that she may have been looking for love—and pleasure—in all the wrong places (i.e., from men).

KateDaviesWriter.com



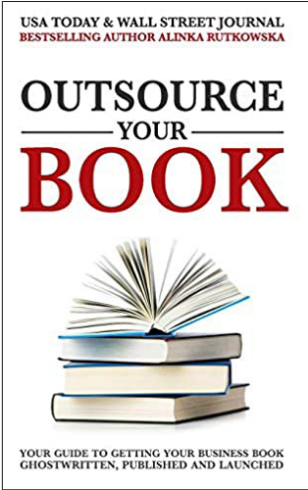
Evvie Drake Starts Over by Linda Holmes

“Everything a romantic comedy should be: witty, relatable, and a little complicated.”—*People*

#ReadWithJenna Book Club Pick as Featured on *Today Now* in paperback, this instant *New York Times* bestseller centers around the unlikely relationship between a young woman who's lost her husband and a major league pitcher who's lost his game.

AnnGarvin.net

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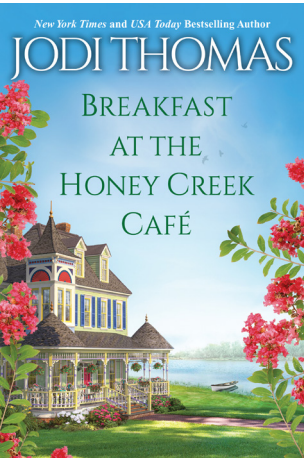
Do you want to get your book out without lifting a finger?

Outsource Your Book shares the secrets of a *USA Today* and *Wall Street Journal* bestselling author on how to hire experts to write, publish, and launch your bestseller.

Warning: reading this book and following the advice within can result in having your name on a bestselling book and on top of the charts!

Breakfast at the Honey Creek Café by Jodi Thomas.

From *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author Jodi Thomas, a romantic, heartwarming new romance set in Honey Creek, Texas—a little town nestled in the rolling hills bordering the Brazos River, where family bonds and legends run deep, and friendship and love are always close at hand. Filled with Jodi’s characteristic warmth, endearing characters, and authentic Texan flair, the town of Honey Creek is about to become your favorite place to visit.

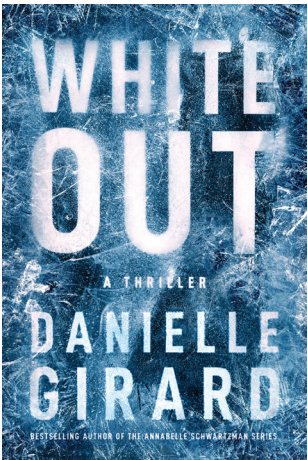


JodiThomas.com

WHITE OUT (Badlands Thriller Book 1) by Danielle Girard

From the bestselling author of the *Annabelle Schwartzman* series comes a chilling story of a woman with a forgotten past and a town with dark secrets.

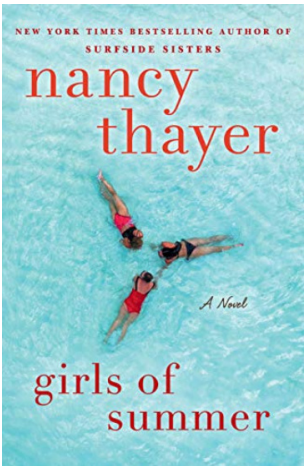
After surviving a car accident on an icy road in Hagen, North Dakota, Lily Baker regains consciousness with no idea where or who she is. Scattered Bible verses and the image of a man lying in a pool of blood haunt her memory.



The same night of the accident, a young woman is murdered and tossed in a dumpster. Kylie Milliard, Hagen’s only detective, doesn’t immediately recognize the victim, but Kylie soon discovers that Lily and the dead woman share a dark past...if only Lily could remember what it was.

Lily and Kylie both want answers. But Kylie has to play by the book. Lily has to play it safe. And the more Lily learns about her identity, the more she fears the truth.

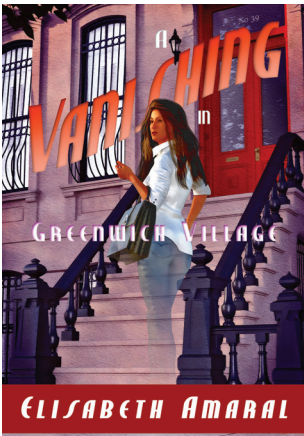
DanielleGirard.com



Girls of Summer by Nancy Thayer

One life-changing summer on Nantucket brings about exhilarating revelations for a single mother and her two grown children in this sensational novel from *New York Times* bestselling author Nancy Thayer.

NancyThayer.com



A Vanishing in Greenwich Village by Elisabeth Amaral

In this multi-layered romance novel, real estate agent Ellie is fed up with her husband's infidelity and strikes up a passionate relationship with a handsome retired detective. At the same time she begins an ill-fated friendship with the mysterious Valeria and gets drawn into the web of her friend's troubled past. This novel reads like a real-life conversation between two friends and is a must read to the finish.

A CONVERSATION WITH AN AUTHOR

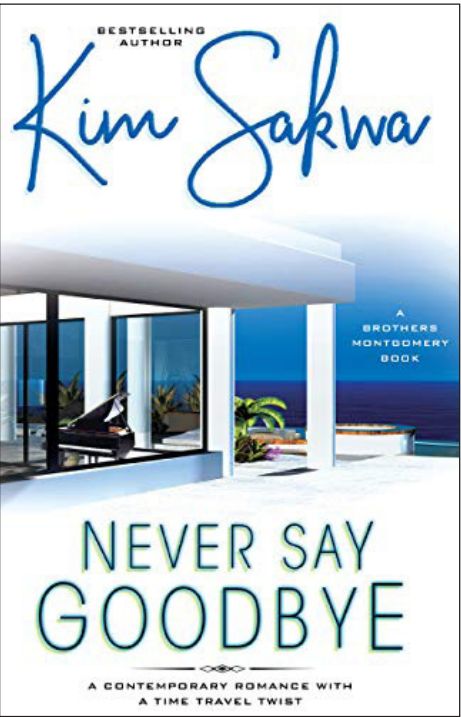


NEVER SAY GOODBYE by Kim Sakwa

An electrifying contemporary romance with a time travel twist. Stunning and talented, Amanda Marceau has lost her memory of the time she spent in 18th-century Britain. Royal Navy Admiral Alexander Montgomery has followed her into the present, intent on restoring it.

Q: You’ve now written two books, the bestseller *The Prophecy* and now *Never Say Goodbye*. How was your experience writing your second book versus your first?

A: Writing *Never Say Goodbye* was a completely different experience. I had a new business (being an author and cultivating my brand), a team I was working with, a deadline looming, and a slew of obstacles that were hard to navigate and ultimately overcome. Through the process however, I found myself again and realized where home and heart is.



Q: We hear you love linking music to what you are writing. What were the top three songs that formed the “soundtrack” to your novel *Never Say Goodbye*?

A: The books’ characters Amanda, Alexander, and Callie had been with me for years, which is why I have three soundtracks related to the book on my website not to mention the countless playlists I created while working through the final iteration. If pressed, however—like now—I’ll pick one for each of them. “Dream On” by Aerosmith (Alexander), “Secrets” by One Republic (Amanda), and “The Climb” by Miley Cyrus (Callie).

Q: Who are your go-to authors?

A: Julie Garwood, Sherrilyn Kenyon, Cherry Adair, Karen Marie Moning, Lori Foster, Lynn Kurland. Seriously, I could go on!

Q: When you need a break from writing, what do you do?

A: I’m smiling just thinking of it. I go for a walk and listen to music.

AuthorKimSakwa.com



Q: You got to visit New York’s Hamptons for the first time this February. What’s your favorite memory of your visit?

A: Pinch me, I’m attending an author weekend in the Hamptons! I was instantly embraced within the folds of Bedside Reading founder Jane Ubell-Meyer, my fellow authors, and their families which was a life-changing experience of its own, so it’s hard to pinpoint a favorite. The entire weekend was incredible, from the kickoff at the Topping Rose House to our final event at The Maidstone. But if pressed, I’d have to say sitting within the spectator 1650 Baker House—enveloped in warmth and exceptional hospitality (thank you, Antonella!)—while author Hank Phillippi Ryan mesmerized the crowd (me included). Our late-night intimate dinners at local spots happened to be off the charts too. It was extraordinary and an experience I would repeat in a heartbeat.