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MIDWEST INDIE BESTSELLER LIST

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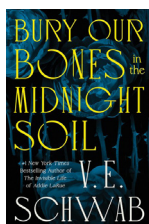
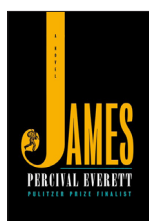
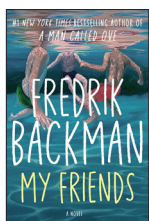
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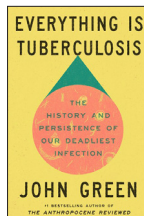
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8. **Abundance**
Ezra Klein, Derek Thompson, Avid Reader Press/Simon & Schuster, \$30.00

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Omar El Akkad, Knopf, \$28.00

10. **Class Clown**
Dave Barry, Simon & Schuster, \$28.99

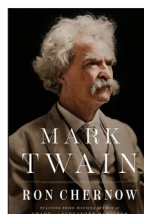
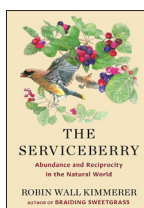
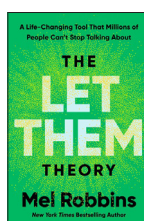
11. **Big Dumb Eyes: Stories from a Simpler Mind**
Nate Bargatze, Grand Central Publishing, \$30.00

12. **We Can Do Hard Things**
Glennon Doyle, Abby Wambach, Amanda Doyle, The Dial Press, \$34.00

13. **Dinner with King Tut**
Sam Kean, Little, Brown and Company, \$32.50

14. **The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse**
Charlie Mackesy, HarperOne, \$22.99

15. **Lessons from Cats for Surviving Fascism**
Stewart Reynolds, Grand Central Publishing, \$13.00



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Unsung Voices Books
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Horrible Women, Wonderful Girls: A Jaycee Grayson Novel
by Julie Ann Sipos
Dartmouth Park LLC
ISBN: 979-8-991999-49-6

What happens when a sharp-tongued misfit pierces the billion-dollar brand story floated by Littleburgh's world-famous doll empire? Fleeing #MeToo Hollywood on the false promise of female unity, Jaycee Grayson embarks on a heartbreaking and hilarious race for the truth, battling backstabbing Prairie Karens locked in a profitable web of pastel-perfect secrets and lies.



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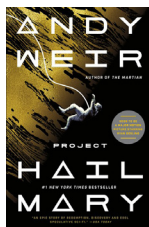
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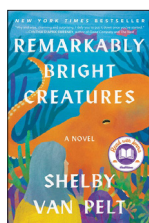
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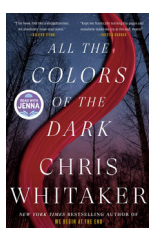
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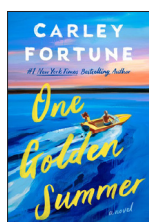
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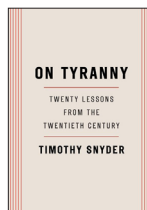
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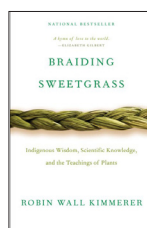
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Abraham Verghese, Grove Press, \$22.00

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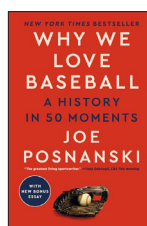
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Timothy Snyder, Crown, \$12.00



2. **Braiding Sweetgrass**
Robin Wall Kimmerer, Milkweed Editions, \$22.00



3. **The Light Eaters**
Zoë Schlanger, Harper Perennial, \$19.99



4. **Why We Love Baseball: A History in 50 Moments**
Joe Posnanski, Dutton, \$19.00

5. **All the Beauty in the World**
Patrick Bringley, Simon & Schuster, \$18.99

6. **The Backyard Bird Chronicles**
Amy Tan, Knopf, \$36.00

7. **A Dumb Birds Field Guide to the Worst Birds Ever**
Matt Kracht, Chronicle Books, \$15.95

8. **Jrnl Persian Grove**
unknown, Peter Pauper Press, \$12.99

9. **A People's History of the United States**
Howard Zinn, Harper Perennial Modern Classics, \$23.99

10. **The Anthropocene Reviewed**
John Green, Dutton, \$20.00

11. **On Tyranny Graphic Edition**
Timothy Snyder, Nora Krug (Illus.), Ten Speed Graphic, \$16.99

12. **Ew, It's Beautiful: A False Knees Comic Collection**
Joshua Barkman, Andrews McMeel Publishing, \$14.99

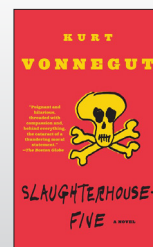
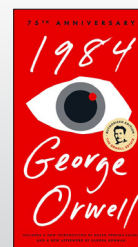
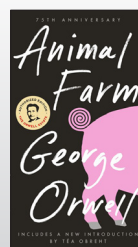
13. **Typhoid Mary: An Urban Historical**
Anthony Bourdain, Bloomsbury Publishing, \$17.99

14. **Mushrooms of the Upper Midwest**
Teresa Marrone, Kathy Yerich, Adventure Publications, \$16.95

15. **The Myth of Sisyphus**
Albert Camus, Vintage, \$16.00

MASS MARKET

1. **Animal Farm**, George Orwell, Signet, \$9.99
2. **Jurassic Park**, Michael Crichton, Ballantine, \$10.99
3. **1984**, George Orwell, Signet, \$10.99
4. **Slaughterhouse-Five**, Kurt Vonnegut, Dell, \$9.99
5. **The Name of the Wind**, Patrick Rothfuss, DAW, \$10.99
6. **The Diary of a Young Girl**, Anne Frank, Bantam, \$8.99
7. **The Shining**, Stephen King, Vintage, \$9.99
8. **The Long Walk**, Stephen King, Pocket, \$11.99
9. **The Well of Ascension**, Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$11.99
10. **The Way of Kings**, Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$12.99

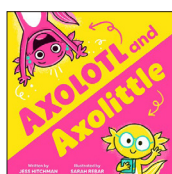
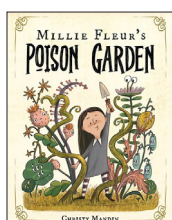
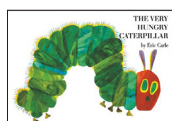
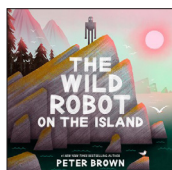


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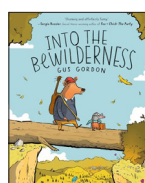
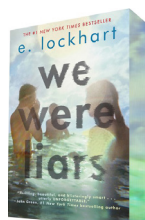
ILLUSTRATED



1. **The Wild Robot on the Island**
Peter Brown, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$19.99
2. **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
Eric Carle, World of Eric Carle, \$10.99
3. **Millie Fleur Saves the Night**
Christy Mandin, Orchard Books, \$18.99
4. **Axolotl and Axolittle**
Jess Hitchman, Sarah Rebar (Illus.), Sourcebooks Jabberwocky, \$14.99
5. **Don't Trust Fish**
Neil Sharpson, Dan Santat (Illus.), Dial Books, \$18.99
6. **Goodnight Loon**
Abe Sauer, Nathaniel Davauer (Illus.), University of Minnesota Press, \$9.95
7. **I'll Love You Till the Cows Come Home**
Kathryn Cristaldi, Kristyna Litten (Illus.), HarperCollins, \$9.99
8. **Good Night, Gorilla**
Peggy Rathmann, G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers, \$8.99
9. **Little Blue Truck Feeling Happy**
Alice Schertle, Clarion Books, \$14.99
10. **I Am Elphaba (Little Golden Book)**
Mary Man-Kong, Elsa Chang (Illus.), Golden Books, \$5.99

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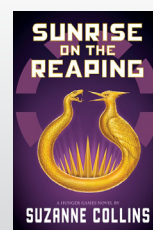
YOUNG ADULT & MIDDLE GRADE



1. **We Were Liars (Deluxe Edition)**
E. Lockhart, Delacorte Press, \$14.99
2. **Miss Camper: A Graphic Novel**
Kat Fajardo, Graphix, \$14.99
3. **Bluey 5-Minute Stories: 6 Stories in 1 Book? Hooray!**
Penguin Young Readers, \$14.99
4. **Into the Bewilderness: A Graphic Novel**
Gus Gordon, HarperAlley, \$15.99
5. **Better Than the Movies**
Lynn Painter, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$12.99
6. **Catty Corner Lands on Her Feet**
Julie Murphy, Eve Farb (Illus.), Union Square Kids, \$6.99
7. **Snoop**
Gordon Korman, Scholastic Press, \$18.99
8. **Kill Creatures**
Rory Power, Delacorte Press, \$19.99
9. **Ghosts: A Graphic Novel**
Raina Telgemeier, Graphix, \$12.99
10. **Impossible Creatures**
Katherine Rundell, Ashley Mackenzie (Illus.), Knopf Books for Young Readers, \$19.99

CHILDREN'S SERIES

1. Sunrise on the Reaping (A Hunger Games Novel), Suzanne Collins, Scholastic Press, \$27.99
2. The Wild Robot Protects, Peter Brown, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$8.99
3. The Wild Robot, Peter Brown, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$9.99
4. The Inheritance Games, Jennifer Lynn Barnes, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$10.99
5. The Wild Robot Escapes, Peter Brown, Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$8.99
6. Powerless (The Powerless Trilogy), Lauren Roberts, Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, \$19.99
7. The Lightning Thief (Percy Jackson & the Olympians, #1), Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$9.99
8. Mac Undercover (Mac B., Kid Spy, #1), Mac Barnett, Mike Lowery (Illus.), Orchard Books, \$12.99
9. Dog Man: The Scarlet Shedder, Dav Pilkey, Graphix, \$14.99
10. Sunny Figures It Out: A Graphic Novel (Sunny #6), Jennifer L. Holm, Matthew Holm (Illus.), Graphix, \$12.99



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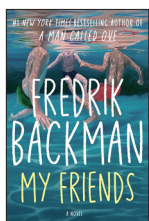
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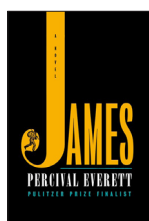
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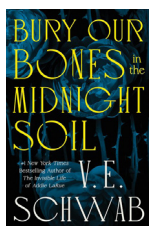
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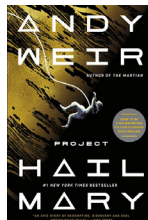
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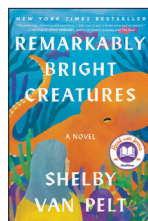
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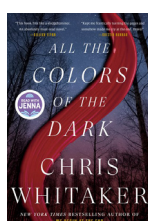
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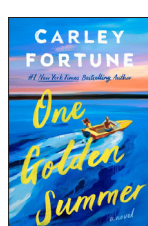
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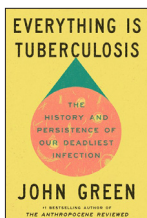
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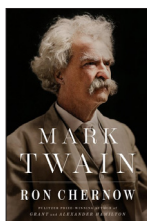
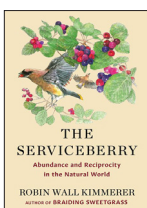
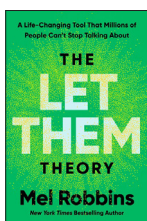
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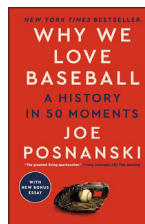
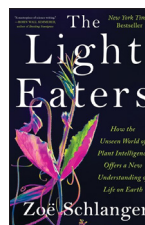
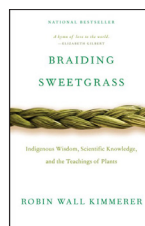
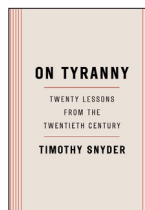


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6. **The Anxious Generation**
Jonathan Haidt, Penguin Press, \$30.00
7. **On Her Game**
Christine Brennan, Scribner, \$29.99
8. **Abundance**
Ezra Klein, Derek Thompson, Avid Reader Press/Simon & Schuster, \$30.00
9. **One Day, Everyone Will Have Always Been Against This**
Omar El Akkad, Knopf, \$28.00
10. **Class Clown**
Dave Barry, Simon & Schuster, \$28.99
11. **Big Dumb Eyes: Stories from a Simpler Mind**
Nate Bargatze, Grand Central Publishing, \$30.00
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Glennon Doyle, Abby Wambach, Amanda Doyle, The Dial Press, \$34.00
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Sam Kean, Little, Brown and Company, \$32.50
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Charlie Mackesy, HarperOne, \$22.99
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Stewart Reynolds, Grand Central Publishing, \$13.00



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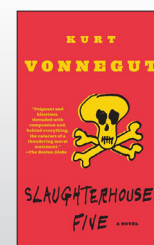
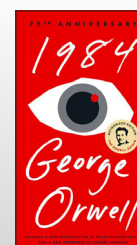
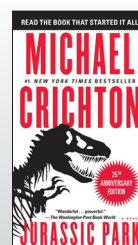
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Robin Wall Kimmerer, Milkweed Editions, \$22.00
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Zoë Schlanger, Harper Perennial, \$19.99
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Joe Posnanski, Dutton, \$19.00
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Amy Tan, Knopf, \$36.00
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Matt Kracht, Chronicle Books, \$15.95
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unknown, Peter Pauper Press, \$12.99
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Howard Zinn, Harper Perennial Modern Classics, \$23.99
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Timothy Snyder, Nora Krug (Illus.), Ten Speed Graphic, \$16.99
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Joshua Barkman, Andrews McMeel Publishing, \$14.99
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Anthony Bourdain, Bloomsbury Publishing, \$17.99
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Teresa Marrone, Kathy Yerich, Adventure Publications, \$16.95
15. **The Myth of Sisyphus**
Albert Camus, Vintage, \$16.00

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6. **The Diary of a Young Girl**, Anne Frank, Bantam, \$8.99
7. **The Shining**, Stephen King, Vintage, \$9.99
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10. **The Way of Kings**, Brandon Sanderson, Tor, \$12.99



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