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ADULT FICTION

LB 12957 BLINDSIDE PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

New York's mayor has a daughter who's missing and Detective Michael Bennett has a son who's in prison. The two strike a deal. Sources lead Bennett to a homicide in the Bronx. The victim has ties to a sophisticated hacking operation--and also to the mayor's missing twenty-one-year-old computer prodigy daughter. Violence. Bestseller. 2020. Variant title: Blind Side. Related title: Blind Side. Related names: Born, James O., author.

**LB 13187 MURDER ON PLEASANT AVENUE: A GASLIGHT
MYSTERY THOMPSON, VICTORIA (VICTORIA E.)**

When midwife Sarah and detective Frank Malloy's friend and new partner Gino Donatelli is accused of murder, he and Sarah must catch the real killer. Gino and Frank set out to learn more about the disreputable Black Hand gang and soon find a lead: a saloon-owning gangster named Nunzio Esposito. Gino hates that a fellow immigrant would stoop so low and decides to confront his wayward countryman. But he discovers the man has been murdered.... Unrated. 2020.

LB 13192 SILENT STABBING MAXWELL, ALYSSA

As England recovers from its costly involvement in the Great War, Lady Phoebe Renshaw and her lady's maid, Eva Huntford, find the steady comforts of their lives unsettled by a local case of murder. Unrated. 2020.

**LB 13197 NEMESIS MANIFESTO: EVAN RYDER, BOOK 1
LUSTBADER, ERIC**

When her fellow agents are systematically eliminated, black-ops field agent Evan Ryder must investigate the matter before she joins her colleagues on the kill list. In the process, she uncovers a mysterious cabal known as Nemesis. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13182 HADLEY BECKETT'S NEXT DISH TURNER, BETHANY

Celebrity chef Maxwell Cavanagh is known for many things: his multiple Michelin stars, his top-rated Culinary Channel show *To the Max*, and most of all his horrible temper. Hadley Beckett, host of the Culinary Channel's other top-rated show, *At Home with Hadley*, is beloved for her Southern charm and for making her viewers feel like family. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13183 THESE GHOSTS ARE FAMILY CARD, MAISY

Thirty years after he faked his death, Stanford Solomon--formerly Abel Paisley--decides to tell his family the truth, including the daughter he abandoned all those years ago. Everyone struggles with Stanford's revelations and reflects on what their lives may have been like if he'd told the truth. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13184 HOLDOUT MOORE, GRAHAM, 1981-

When a fifteen-year-old heiress vanishes on her way home from school, her twenty-five-year-old black teacher is arrested. Young juror Maya Seale persuades the others not to convict. Ten years later, when a docuseries reassembles the jury, one of them is found dead in Maya's hotel room. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of violence. 2020.

LB 13185 TOUGH TEXAN LEHMAN, PAUL EVAN

The Republic of Texas, 1842. The Texans fought long and hard to win victory over Mexico. They had won independence at last, and now bent to the task of rebuilding their war-wasted land. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13193 YES, I DO DAILEY, JANET

Two classic romance tales come together in a volume that includes *Enemy in Camp*, about a newspaper columnist who does not know that the woman with whom he is spending the summer has fallen in love with him, and *Difficult Decision*, in which an ambitious woman is offered a job as an assistant to a sexy CEO. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13199 CHAOS JOHANSEN, IRIS

When CIA agent Alisa Flynn flaunts the rules by breaking into a mansion in the middle of the night, she skillfully circumvents alarms and outwits guards to find herself standing in billionaire Gabe Korgan's study--facing Korgan

himself. Now she must convince him to help her rescue kidnapped African schoolgirls. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12946 LONG PETAL OF THE SEA ALLENDE, ISABEL

Roser Bruguera finds her life intertwined with that of Victor Dalmau as they both flee into France during the Spanish Civil War. Along with two thousand others, they board the SS Winnipeg, a ship chartered by the poet Pablo Neruda to take refugees to Chile. Translated from the original 2019 Spanish edition. Violence. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12948 IT'S NOT ALL DOWNHILL FROM HERE MCMILLAN, TERRY

On the eve of her sixty-seventh birthday, Loretha Curry has a booming beauty-supply empire, a gaggle of lifelong friends, and a husband whose moves still surprise her. She certainly doesn't think her best days are behind her. But an unexpected loss turns her world upside down. Strong language. 2020.

LB 12939 APEIROGON MCCANN, COLUM, 1965-

Palestinian Bassam and Israeli Rami come together after their daughters, ten-year-old Abir and thirteen-year-old Smadar, are killed in violent acts. As they share their stories of their daughters and their histories, they find they have more in common than previously thought, and work for peace. Violence and some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12975 CHILD'S PLAY STEEL, DANIELLE

A senior partner at a prestigious New York law firm, Kate Morgan couldn't be prouder of her three grown children. One summer, she realizes she doesn't really know them--one has been keeping a big secret, while another reveals an equally shocking truth. Some violence, some strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 2019.

LB 12978 BLESSING IN DISGUISE STEEL, DANIELLE

As a young intern at an art gallery in Paris, Isabelle McAvoy meets a gentle older man. When she gets pregnant, she goes alone back to New York, where she has other relationships and two more daughters. The three daughters grow up to be very different women. Some strong language. 2019.

LB 12980 BIRTHDAY GIRL DE LA CRUZ, MELISSA, 1971-

Before she became a glamorous fashion designer, Ellie was a trailer-park teen turning sixteen. But her birthday celebration descended into a night she'll never be able to forget. Hiding those skeletons has a cost, and the bill comes due the night of her fortieth birthday party. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

LB 12941 BOOK OF LOST FRIENDS WINGATE, LISA 1867.

Three women--Hannie who has been freed from enslavement, plantation heiress Lavinia, and Lavinia's Creole half-sister Juneau Jane--travel to Texas in search of family and fortune. In 1987, the results of their quest reverberate in Augustine, Louisiana, where Benedetta teaches in a poor rural school. Some violence. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12933 ALL ADULTS HERE STRAUB, EMMA

When Astrid Strick witnesses a school bus accident in the center of town, it jostles loose a repressed memory from her young parenting days decades earlier. Suddenly, Astrid realizes she was not quite the parent she thought she'd been to her three, now-grown children. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12972 ALL WE EVER WANTED GIFFIN, EMILY

Soon after being accepted into Princeton, son of privilege Finch Browning is accused of taking and circulating a compromising photo of his classmate, scholarship student Lyla. As the scandal spreads, tensions rise in both families. Some violence and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2018.

LB 12953 BROKEN WINSLOW, DON, 1953-

Six short novels connected by the themes of crime, corruption, vengeance, justice, loss, betrayal, guilt and redemption. Explores a world of high-level thieves and low-life crooks, obsessed cops struggling with life on and off the job, private detectives, dope dealers, bounty hunters and fugitives. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12932 END OF OCTOBER WRIGHT, LAWRENCE, 1947-

At an internment camp in Indonesia, forty-seven people are pronounced dead with acute hemorrhagic fever. When epidemiologist Henry Parsons

investigates for the World Health Organization, he discovers that an infected man is on his way to join the millions of worshippers in the annual Hajj to Mecca. Unrated. 2020.

**LB 12993 EVERYTHING INSIDE: STORIES DANTICAT,
EDWIDGE, 1969-**

A collection of short stories exploring the forces that pull people together or drive them apart--community, family, and love. A romance sparks between friends; a marriage ends with irreparable consequences; two lovers reunite after unimaginable tragedy; a man remembers his life while falling to his death. Unrated. 2019.

LB 12964 BURNING DAYLIGHT JOHNSTONE, WILLIAM W.

When twelve-year-old Aaron puts up a wanted poster for his father, Three-Fingered Jack McKinney, Luke Jensen feels compelled to take the job. Aaron wants revenge on his daddy for abandoning him and his mom, and when he tags along with Luke, the result is a life-or-death reunion. Sequel to Legion of Fire (DB 94972). Unrated. 2019. Related names: Johnstone, J.A., author.

LB 12963 88 NAMES RUFF, MATT

John Chu works as a guide to those new to virtual reality gaming. While working with a couple anonymous wealthy clients, John begins to suspect them of being North Korean dictator Kim Jong-Un and an agent of the People's Republic of China. Soon his online adventure spills into the real world. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12966 GLASS HOTEL MANDEL, EMILY ST. JOHN, 1979-

Vincent Smith is a bartender at an upscale hotel on Vancouver Island when she meets Jonathan Alkaitis, a man running an international Ponzi scheme. She poses as his wife, but walks away after Alkaitis is exposed. Years later, she disappears at sea. Strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12938 DEACON KING KONG MCBRIDE, JAMES, 1957- 1969.

On a cloudy September morning, Deacon Cuffy Lambkin--known as Sportcoat to his friends--walks into the plaza of a Brooklyn project and shoots the local drug dealer point blank in the face. His reasons for this uncharacteristic act of violence slowly unfold. Strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12950 DESPERATE MEASURES WOODS, STUART

Stone Barrington meets a stunning woman who is an ideal candidate to handle some of his professional--and personal--needs. But Stone is soon protecting his new hire when New York City is rocked by a series of disturbing crimes, and it looks as if she might be the next target. Unrated. 2018.

LB 12965 BOOK OF LONGINGS KIDD, SUE MONK

Ana has struggled her life to become educated. When her family tries to engage her to a much older man, a chance encounter with Jesus changes the course of her life, and they marry. But their lives are upended further by her brother Judas's treasonous actions. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12952 GLASS HOUSES PENNY, LOUISE

When a mysterious figure appears in Three Pines one cold November day, Armand Gamache and the rest of the villagers are curious but wary. Through rain and sleet, the figure stands unmoving, staring ahead. After the figure vanishes overnight, a body is discovered. Strong language and some violence. Bestseller. 2017.

LB 12962 GREAT RECKONING: A NOVEL PENNY, LOUISE

When an intricate old map is found stuffed into the walls of the bistro in Three Pines, it at first seems no more than a curiosity. Given to Armand Gamache the first day of his new job, the map eventually leads him to shattering secrets. Some strong language. Bestseller. 2016.

LB 12976 GRACE IS GONE ELGAR, EMILY

Everyone in Ashford, Cornwall, knows Meg Nichols and her daughter, Grace. Meg has been caring for Grace for years, and Grace--smiling and optimistic in spite of her many illnesses--adores her mother. So when Meg is found brutally bludgeoned in her bed and her daughter missing, the community is rocked. Through multiple viewpoints and diary entries, the truth about Grace emerges... Unrated. 2020.

LB 12935 RED LOTUS BOHJALIAN, CHRIS, 1962-

After six months of dating, Alexis and Austin go on a Vietnam bike tour so that Austin can pay his respects to the place where his father and uncle

fought in the war. But as Alexis waits for him to return from a solo ride, Austin vanishes into thin air. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12982 RIVER MURDERS PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

After being rejected by the Navy SEALs, Mitchum becomes his small town's unofficial private eye. But his investigation skills are put to the test when he searches for his missing teenage cousin - and uncovers a government conspiracy in the process. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12981 PLAYGROUND SHEMILT, JANE

Over the course of a long, hot summer in London, the lives of three very different married couples collide when their children join the same tutoring circle, resulting in illicit relationships, shocking violence, and unimaginable fallout. Strong language, some violence and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

LB 12987 SPRINGFIELD 1880 JOHNSTONE, WILLIAM W.

Captain Jed Foster steals new Springfield rifles, bayonets, and ammunition meant to resupply the troops at Fort Bowie in Arizona Territory and intends to sell them to the highest bidder. Tasked with going after Foster, Lieutenant Grat Holden and his motley crew must first face off with war chiefs, banditos, and cutthroat outlaws. Unrated. 2019.

LB 12983 STOLEN THINGS HERRON, RACHAEL

Laurie Ahmadi, a 911 dispatcher, receives the worst call of her long career: her teenage daughter is on the line, drugged, disoriented, and in pain. Even though the whole police department springs into action, there is nothing Laurie can do to help. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2019.

LB 12979 SUCH A FUN AGE REID, KILEY

African American babysitter Emira Tucker is accused by a security guard of having kidnapped the toddler she is caring for when she takes the girl to an upscale market. The incident is caught on film and her white employer is determined to make things right. Strong language. Bestseller. 2019.

LB 12989 SWORD OF KINGS CORNWELL, BERNARD

Ships from Uhtred of Bebbanburg's holdings are disappearing. He begins to investigate, but turmoil from Edward's kingdom threatens to disrupt what peace he has. Eventually an oath, along with the cause of the attacks on the ships, spur him to head south. Unrated. 2019.

LB 12971 TATTOOIST OF AUSCHWITZ MORRIS, HEATHER
(SCREENWRITER)

1942. Lale Sokolov, a Slovakian Jew, has been transported to Auschwitz. When the Nazis discover he can speak multiple languages, he is put to work tattooing the incoming prisoners. He does what he can to keep his fellow prisoners alive and falls in love with Gita. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2018 .

LB 12944 ROBERT LUDLUM'S THE TREADSTONE RESURRECTION
HOOD, JOSHUA

Operation Treadstone, the top-secret CIA Black Ops program, has nearly ruined Adam Hayes. Working as a carpenter in rural Washington state, Adam thinks he has left Treadstone in the past, until he is attacked by an unknown hit team at his job site. Adam must regain the skills that Treadstone taught him--lightning reflexes and a cold conscience--in order to discover who the would-be killers are and why they have come after him now. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12992 NINE PERFECT STRANGERS MORIARTY, LIANE

Nine people gather at a remote health resort called Tranquillum House, each for their own reasons. Among them is Frances, a romance novelist who is intrigued by both her fellow guests and the charismatic owner, while fighting the feeling she should run while she still can. Unrated. Bestseller. 2018.

LB 12936 NUMBERS GAME STEEL, DANIELLE

Eileen Jackson was happy to set aside her own dreams to raise a family with her husband, Paul. But when Eileen discovers that Paul is having an affair with a younger woman, she wonders whether it is too late for her to start over. Some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12969 20TH VICTIM PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

Three victims, three bullets, three cities. Simultaneous murders in LA, Chicago, and San Francisco--SFPD Sergeant Lindsay Boxer's jurisdiction, and local reporter Cindy Thomas's beat. The shooters' aim is as fearsomely precise as their target selection. Lindsay realizes that the fallen men and women excel in a lucrative, criminal activity. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020. Variant title: Twentieth Victim. Related title: Twentieth Victim. Related names: Paetro, Maxine, author.

LB 12967 WEDDING DRESS STEEL, DANIELLE

For richer or for poorer, in cramped apartments and grand mansions, a treasured wedding dress made in Paris in 1928 follows each generation of a California family of women into their new lives, and represents different hopes for each bride as they marry very different men. Some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12991 VIRGIL WANDER ENGER, LEIF

After his car crashes in an icy Lake Superior, Virgil survives with damage to his language and memory. The people in the small Minnesota town where he owns a struggling movie house help Virgil piece back together his personal history. Unrated. 2018.

LB 12988 WONDER OF LOST CAUSES TROUT, NICK

A single mom and her chronically ill child receive a valuable lesson from an unlikely source; a very special dog who unexpectedly enters their lives and shows them that one person's lost cause can be another's greatest gift. Unrated. 2019.

LB 12947 WHEN YOU SEE ME: A NOVEL GARDNER, LISA

FBI agent Kimberly Quincy turns to Boston detective D. D. Warren, confidential informant Flora Dane, and true-crime enthusiast Keith Edgar for help when the skeletal remains of a long-missing young woman are found off a hiking trail in Georgia. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12974 HOW HARD CAN IT BE? PEARSON, ALLISON, 1960-

Kate Reddy is turning fifty. With her children now in their teens and her husband having a midlife crisis, she considers restarting her career. Lying about her age, she gets an entry-level job at the hedge fund she created. Sequel to *I Don't Know How She Does It* (DB 55057). Some strong language, some descriptions of sex. 2017.

LB 12986 HOUSE NEXT DOOR PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

Three novellas. In the title entry, a married mother was thrilled when her new neighbor invited her on some errands. But it became a long lunch--and now things could go too far with a man who isn't what he seems. Includes *The Killer's Wife* and *We. Are. Not. Alone.* Unrated. Bestseller. 2018. Related names: Arnold, Tim (Journalist), author. DiLallo, Max, author. DiLallo, Susan, 1947-, author.

LB 12984 OTHER'S GOLD AMES, ELIZABETH, 1981-

Four young women--Alice, Ji Sun, Margaret, and Lainey--first meet their freshman year of college. They become inseparable. But each makes a terrible mistake, affecting their relationships. As they grow and become new parents, they must deal with consequences. Unrated. 2019.

LB 12977 HOUSE ON FIRE FINDER, JOSEPH

Nick Heller learns his old army buddy Sean has died of an overdose. Sean, who once saved Nick's life, got addicted to opioids after returning home wounded from war. At Sean's funeral, a stranger approaches Nick with a job, which may be a way for Nick to hold someone accountable. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12949 HOW MUCH OF THESE HILLS IS GOLD ZHANG, C PAM

Twelve-year-old Lucy and eleven-year-old Sam lose their only parent, Ba. In a land that is unwelcoming to the orphans of Chinese immigrants, they begin a quest for two silver dollars with which to bury Ba. They must rely on each other to claim their future. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12985 RABBIT HUNTER KEPLER, LARS

A masked stranger stands in the shadows, watching his victim through the window. He will kill him slowly--make him pay. Soon the Rabbit Hunter has

claimed another three victims and it's up to Joonas Linna and Saga Bauer to untangle one of the most complex cases of their career. Unrated. 2019.

LB 12961 REVENGE PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

Former SAS soldier David Shelley learns of the shocking death of a young woman he once helped protect. When her parents discover that Emma had fallen into drugs and online pornography, the father demands retribution. But that will make enemies of people that even Shelley may not be able to protect them from. Unrated. Bestseller. 2020. Related names: Holmes, Andrew (Andrew Mark), author.

LB 12973 RAIN WATCHER DE ROSNAY, TATIANA

Linden Malegarde returns to Paris for his father Paul's seventieth birthday celebration. His family has gathered in an uneasy harmony as hidden secrets and the rising Seine threaten their peace. They must all reconcile themselves to the revelations and confront their personal fears. Some descriptions of sex. 2018.

LB 12990 LOST PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

Detective Tom Moon attended University of Miami on a football scholarship before becoming a Miami PD officer. Now--as the new leader of an FBI task force--Moon discovers that two opportunistic Russian nationals have built a vast, powerful, and deadly crime syndicate throughout Europe and metropolitan Miami. Unrated. Bestseller. 2020. Related names: Born, James O., author.

LB 12940 HOUSE OF KENNEDY PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

Bestselling novelist recounts the storied history of the Kennedy family and describes the unique place the Kennedys have occupied in the American imagination across decades and generations. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020. Related names: Fagen, Cynthia, author.

LB 12931 LAST ODYSSEY ROLLINS, JAMES, 1961-

For eons, the city of Troy was believed to be myth, until archaeologists in the nineteenth century uncovered its ancient walls buried beneath the sands. In Greenland, modern-day researchers stumble on a medieval ship that contains a clockwork gold map with an astrolabe. It traces the path of

Odysseus's ship as it sailed away from Troy. But the map opens to reveal the subterranean world of Tartarus, and tensions explode in this volatile region... Unrated. 2020.

LB 12960 TEXAS OUTLAW PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

Texas Ranger Rory Yates travels to the remote town of Rio Lobo to investigate a death that may be less accidental than it seems. As he uncovers a tangle of secrets, favors, and lies, Rory takes liberties with the investigation to uncover the truth. Sequel to Texas Ranger (DB 92241). Violence and some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12959 TALENTED MR. VARG MCCALL SMITH, ALEXANDER, 1948-

The Department of Sensitive Crimes is renowned for taking on the most obscure and irrelevant cases. So when the girlfriend of an infamous author who insists her bad-boy beau is being blackmailed approaches Ulf Varg, the department's lead detective, he is determined to help. But Ulf is also tasked with looking into a group of dealers exporting wolves...and is distracted by his ongoing attraction to his co-worker, Anna. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12945 MUSEUM OF DESIRE: AN ALEX DELAWARE NOVEL KELLERMAN, JONATHAN

Four people have been slaughtered and left displayed horrifically in a stretch limousine. None of the victims seems to have any connection to any other, and a variety of methods have been used to dispatch them. Psychologist Alex Delaware and LAPD Lieutenant Milo Sturgis investigate a crime that stretches the definitions of evil. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12937 NIGHT WATCHMAN ERDRICH, LOUISE

1953. Chippewa Council member Thomas Wazhashk tries to balance the demands of his job as a night watchman at the new jewel bearing plant outside the Turtle Mountain reservation and monitoring the consequences of the bill purporting emancipation for Native American tribes wending its way through Congress. Violence, strong language, and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 12930 OPERATOR BERG, GRETCHEN

Nobody knows the people of Wooster, Ohio, better than switchboard operator Vivian Dalton, and she'd be the first to tell you that. She calls it intuition. Her teenage daughter, Charlotte, calls it eavesdropping. Vivian and the other women who work at Bell on East Liberty Street connect lines and lives. They aren't supposed to listen in on conversations, but they do, and they all have opinions on what they hear--especially Vivian. Unrated. 2020.

ADULT NON-FICTION

LB 13191 HONEYBEE HEART HAS FIVE OPENINGS: A YEAR OF KEEPING BEES JUKES, HELEN

Reflections of personal distress due to life changes, the caring for a honeybee hive, and human interaction with nature. Topics covered include settling into a new home, myths and meanings surrounding bees, apiculture techniques and considerations, and harvesting honey. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13196 HILL WOMEN: FINDING FAMILY AND A WAY FORWARD IN THE APPALACHIAN MOUNTAINS CHAMBERS, CASSIE

Drawing on her own journey as well as those of her fellow women from the Kentucky Appalachians, the author paints a portrait of life in that region. Discusses child marriage, young motherhood, subsistence farming, education, domestic violence, poverty, the opioid crisis, and community leadership. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13198 DO IT AFRAID: EMBRACING COURAGE IN THE FACE OF FEAR MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

Author of Living Courageously (DB 81079) presents a guide to using faith to address issues of fear. Topics are centered around understanding what causes fear, confronting what you fear, and adjusting your mindset for moving forward in the future. Unrated. 2020.

LB 12958 SIMPLE ABUNDANCE: 365 DAYS TO A BALANCED AND JOYFUL LIFE BAN BREATH NACH, SARAH

This series of daily lessons for women is based on six principles the author developed to help define her life and to reconcile her spiritual and creative

longings with her often overwhelming and conflicting commitments. Bestseller. 2019.

**LB 12942 MY WIFE SAID YOU MAY WANT TO MARRY ME: A
MEMOIR ROSENTHAL, JASON B.**

On March 3, 2017, Amy Krouse Rosenthal penned a Modern Love column for the New York Times, "You May Want to Marry My Husband." It appeared ten days before her death from ovarian cancer. Jason Rosenthal describes what came next, even as he struggled with her loss. As he reflects on Amy's gift to him, Jason describes how he continues to honor Amy's life and her last wish, and how he seeks to appreciate every day. Unrated. 2020.

**LB 12954 HELL AND OTHER DESTINATIONS: A 21ST-CENTURY
MEMOIR ALBRIGHT, MADELEINE KORBEL**

First female Secretary of State Madeleine Albright reflects on the late years of her career and her transition out of her time in office. She discusses her decisions on how to fill the subsequent twenty years, navigating half a dozen professions, continuously learning, and spending time with her family. Some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

**LB 12934 HIDDEN VALLEY ROAD: INSIDE THE MIND OF AN
AMERICAN FAMILY KOLKER, ROBERT A**

A journalist looks at the case of the Galvin family and their twelve children, six of whom were diagnosed with schizophrenia in the 1970s. Using scientific research and interviews with family members, the author shows the personal devastation of the disease and the shadowy history of its study. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2020.

**LB 12955 SOME ASSEMBLY REQUIRED: DECODING FOUR BILLION YEARS
OF LIFE, FROM ANCIENT FOSSILS TO DNA SHUBIN, NEIL**

Author of *Your Inner Fish* (DB 67828) presents an overview of the evolution of life on Earth. Discusses ways this history has been constructed, work of paleontologists, and the use of DNA to build the family trees of species. Examines the mechanics of evolution. 2020.

LB 12943 *SPLENDID AND THE VILE: A SAGA OF CHURCHILL, FAMILY, AND DEFIANCE DURING THE BLITZ* LARSON, ERIK, 1954-

The author of *Dead Wake* (DB 80936) describes Winston Churchill and London during the Blitz. He examines this dark year of London's history primarily through the domestic drama of Churchill and his family's day-to-day experiences. Unrated. Bestseller. 2020.

JUVENILE FICTION

LB 13188 *OTHER WORDS FOR HOME* WARGA, JASMINE

When her Syrian hometown is overshadowed by violence, Jude is sent with her mother to the safety of a relative's home in America. She worries for the family members who were left behind and adjusts to a new life filled with surprises. For grades 4-7. 2019.

LB 13200 *SILVER ARROW* GROSSMAN, LEV

Kate's humdrum life is transformed when her eccentric Uncle Herbert brings her a colossal locomotive train, the *Silver Arrow*, as her eleventh birthday gift, leading her and her younger brother on a mysterious quest. For grades 4-7. 2020.

LB 12956 *MONSTER CALLS: INSPIRED BY AN IDEA FROM SIOBHAN DOWD* NESS, PATRICK, 1971-

Thirteen-year-old Conor is tormented by his mother's impending death, a school bully, and recurring nightmares. But one night a monster comes to Conor, tells him three tales, and instructs Conor to tell the fourth--and scariest--of all the tales. For junior and senior high and older readers. 2011.

LB 12970 *HIRED GIRL* SCHLITZ, LAURA AMY

1911. Fourteen-year-old Joan endures a hard life on a Pennsylvania farm, but when her father bans education from her life, she flees to Baltimore in desperation. With some help and a little luck, Joan becomes Janet Lovelace--a hired girl with a future. For junior and senior high and older readers. 2015.

YOUNG ADULT FICTION

LB 13186 EVERYTHING, EVERYTHING YOON, NICOLA

Madeline has severe combined immunodeficiency and is literally allergic to the outside world. When a new family moves in next door, she and neighbor Olly begin a complicated romance that challenges everything she's ever known. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

LB 13189 PERMANENT RECORD CHOI, MARY H.K.

Pablo Neruda Rind is working in an upscale health food store in New York City when celebrity Leanna Smart rushes in and turns his life upside down. Strong language and descriptions of sex. For senior high and older readers. 2019.

**LB 13190 ALL-AMERICAN MUSLIM GIRL COURTNEY, NADINE
JOLIE**

Allie Abraham has it all going for her--she's a straight-A student, with good friends and a close-knit family, and she's dating popular, sweet Wells Henderson. One problem: Wells's father is Jack Henderson, America's most famous conservative shock jock, and Allie hasn't told Wells that her family is Muslim. As Allie witnesses Islamophobia in her small town and across the nation, she decides to embrace her faith. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13194 ONE OF US IS LYING MCMANUS, KAREN M.

When the creator of a high school gossip app mysteriously dies in front of four high-profile students during detention, the four--all subjects of an upcoming post--become suspects. It's up to them to solve the case. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. For senior high and older readers. 2017.

LB 13195 FIVE FEET APART LIPPINCOTT, RACHEL

Teens Stella and Will, both suffering from cystic fibrosis, realize the only way to stay alive is to stay apart. But their love for each other slowly pushes the boundaries of physical and emotional safety. Unrated. For senior high and older readers. 2018. Related names: Daughtry, Mikki, author. Iaconis, Tobias, 1971-, author.

LB 12968 DIG KING, A.S. (AMY SARIG), 1970-

Five white teenage cousins who are struggling with the failures and racial ignorance of their dysfunctional parents and their wealthy grandparents reunite for Easter. Unrated. For senior high and older readers. 2019.

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