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In a once-grand, now down-at-its-heels bungalow in a South Delhi colony lives Naina with her mother, sister, and the stigma that madness 'runs in the family'. When a woman's face peeps in from the mists of her childhood memories, Naina sets out in search of

the truth behind her father's disappearance . Then comes a call that begins to unspool the past. People on our Roof is a portrait of one woman's undying commitment to her kin; her struggle with relationships and a heart-wrenching story of indestructible love between two people. A coming of age story, it also explores the world of people whose minds are wired

differently. On The Roof McGill-Queen's Press - MQUP
A Vietnamese family flees its war-torn home and resettles in California, in a novel that offers a "brilliant exploration of exile, loss, and identity" (Robert Olen Butler). Told from multiple perspectives and spanning several decades, Grass Roof, Tin Roof begins with the story of Tran, a Vietnamese writer facing

government persecution, who flees her homeland during the exodus of 1975 and brings her two children to the West. Here, she marries a Danish American man who has survived a different war. He promises understanding and guidance—but the psychic consequences of his past soon hinder his relationships with the family, as the children, for whom the war is now a distant

shadow, struggle to understand the world around them on their own terms. In delicate, innovative prose, Strom's characters experience the collision of cultures and the spiritual aftermath of war on the most visceral level. Grass Roof, Tin Roof is "an affecting study on the slippery nature of home" (Los Angeles Times). "[Strom] explores the mysteries of loss, culture

and identity, with skill, poignancy and imagination." —Detroit Free Press
People on our Roof St.
Martin's Press
After rising from poverty to earn two Ivy League degrees, an Appalachian lawyer pays tribute to the strong "hill women" who raised and inspired her, and whose values have the potential to rejuvenate a struggling region. "Destined to be compared to Hillbilly Elegy and Educated."—B

ookPage (starred review) “A gritty, warm love letter to Appalachian communities and the resourceful women who lead them.”—Slate Nestled in the Appalachian mountains, Owsley County, Kentucky, is one of the poorest places in the country. Buildings are crumbling as tobacco farming and coal mining decline. But strong women find creative ways to subsist in the hills. Through

the women who raised her, Cassie Chambers traces her path out of and back into the Kentucky mountains. Chambers’s Granny was a child bride who rose before dawn every morning to raise seven children. Granny’s daughter, Ruth—the hardest-working tobacco farmer in the county—staye d on the family farm, while Wilma—the sixth child—became the first in the

family to graduate from high school. Married at nineteen and pregnant with Cassie a few months later, Wilma beat the odds to finish college. She raised her daughter to think she could move mountains, like the ones that kept her safe but also isolated from the larger world. Cassie would spend much of her childhood with Granny and Ruth in the hills of Owsley County. With her “hill women” values guiding

her, she went on to graduate from Harvard Law. But while the Ivy League gave her opportunities, its privileged world felt far from her reality, and she moved home to help rural Kentucky women by providing free legal services. Appalachian women face issues from domestic violence to the opioid crisis, but they are also keeping their towns together in the face of a system that continually fails them.

With nuance and heart, Chambers breaks down the myth of the hillbilly and illuminates a region whose poor communities, especially women, can lead it into the future.

On the Roof of the World

Child's Play International
The 2014 discovery of HMS Erebus - a ship lost during Sir John Franklin's 1845 expedition to find the Northwest Passage - reignited popular,

economic, and political interest in the Arctic's exploration, history, anthropology, and historical geography. Lines in the Ice investigates the allure of the North through topographical views, maps, explorers' diaries, and historic photographs. Following the course of major journeys to the Arctic, including those of Martin Frobisher, Henry Hudson, and John

Franklin, Philip Hatfield assesses the impact of these incursions on the North's numerous indigenous communities and reveals the role of exploration in making the modern world. Besides detailing the area's vivid history, *Lines in the Ice* also focuses on beautiful works created over the last 500 years by people who live and travel in the Arctic. Lavishly illustrated with reproductions

of items rarely seen outside of the British Library, this volume meditates on humans' relationships with the Arctic at a time when climate change poses a catastrophic threat to the peoples and ecosystems of this enigmatic region. A timely work that traces the past's influence on the present day, *Lines in the Ice* showcases the rich visual history of Arctic exploration, indigenous cultural works,

and the longstanding ways in which the North has captivated the public. [Under My Roof](#) Grove Press First-ever monograph on Carlo Mollino as an architect. Demonstrates Mollino's prowess in architectural design. Based on extensive new research and drawing on rich archival material. Lavishly illustrated with previously unpublished images, plans, drawings, and documents.

Today, Italian architect and designer Carlo Mollino (1905-73) is known chiefly for his furniture designs. He is famous also for his erotic polaroid photography of the 1960s, which has been subject of many exhibitions and has lost nothing of its great appeal to the fashion world today. Much less attention has so far been given to Mollino's architecture, and a comprehensive critical study

of his work in this field has been lacking. Yet his built work, although relatively small, constitutes a seminal contribution to modernism that is uniquely marked by a strong relationship with Surrealism. Based on years of research and drawing on rich archival material as well as on Mollino's own writings, this new book is the overdue tribute to an extraordinary

personality in 20th-century architecture. It features an exemplary selection of his key designs, both built and unrealised, lavishly illustrated with images and reproductions of previously unpublished plans, drawings, and documents. Rounded out with scholarly essays by expert authors, this is a long-awaited addition to the library of architecture lovers, professionals, and scholars.

It's Getting Dark

Vanguard Press

After a life of crime and poverty in her hometown of Columbus, Ohio, forty-two-year-old Juanita Lewis, craving a simpler life, drops everything, including her three grown, deadbeat children, to move to Montana.

Reprint.

The Rooftop Growing Guide

Guardian Books

A CLASSIC COMING-OF-AGE STORY WHICH HAS HELD

GENERATIONS OF READERS

SPELLBOUND

Rusty, a sixteen-year-old Anglo-Indian boy, is orphaned, and has to live with his English guardian in the claustrophobic European part in Dehra Dun. Unhappy with the strict ways of his guardian, Rusty runs away from home to live with his Indian friends.

Plunging for the first time into the dream-bright world of the bazaar, Hindu festivals and

other aspects of Indian life, Rusty is enchanted . . . and is lost forever to the prim proprieties of the European community. This special edition marks the 60th anniversary of this award-winning book, written when the author was just seventeen.

Poignant, heart-warming and an absolute classic, this book is forever a joy to read.

THE ROOM ON THE ROOF

Simon and Schuster

Nayeli es una chica de diecinueve años que trabaja en una taquería de tres Camarones, un poblado mexicano. Ve en sueños a su padre, que emigró al norte cuando era niña. Recientemente se ha dado cuenta de que su padre no es el único hombre que se ha ido del pueblo, de hecho ya casi no quedan hombres, todos se han ido al otro lado, a los Estados Unidos. Un grupo de

narcotraficant es también se ha percatado de ese hecho y ven la oportunidad para apoderarse. Pero una noche, durante la exhibición de la película Los Siete Magníficos, Nayeli tiene una revelación: Debe dirigirse al norte a reclutar sus propios Siete Magníficos, para que la protejan de los criminales y coadyuven a repoblar Tres Camarones. Ella y sus amigas viajan al norte y en

el camino hacia esa extraña y fascinante tierra de sus sueños, ese mítico lugar donde su padre desapareció, van sumando una colección de inusitados y sorprendentes aliados. La meta es un poblado del estado de Illinois, donde Nayeli espera encontrar a su padre y reclutar a sus guerreros. Con suerte, hará realidad también su destino.

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World

Frances
Lincoln
A USA Today
Bestseller!
From the New
York Times
bestselling
author of *The
Love
Hypothesis*
comes a new
steamy,
STEMinist
novella... A
scientist
should never
cohabitate
with her
annoyingly
hot
nemesis—it
leads to
combustion.
Mara, Sadie,
and Hannah
are friends
first, scientists
always.
Though their
fields of study
might take

them to
different
corners of the
world, they
can all agree
on this
universal
truth: when it
comes to love
and science,
opposites
attract and
rivals make
you burn... As
an
environmental
engineer,
Mara knows
all about the
delicate
nature of
ecosystems.
They require
balance. And
leaving the
thermostat
alone. And not
stealing
someone
else's food.
And other
rules Liam,

her detestable
big-oil lawyer
of a
roommate,
knows nothing
about. Okay,
sure,
technically
she's the
interloper.
Liam was
already
entrenched in
his aunt's
house like
some
glowering
grumpy giant
when Mara
moved in, with
his big
muscles and
kissable
mouth just
sitting there
on the couch
tempting
respectable
scientists to
the dark
side...but
Helena was

her mentor and Mara's not about to move out and give up her inheritance without a fight. The problem is, living with someone means getting to know them. And the more Mara finds out about Liam, the harder it is to loathe him...and the easier it is to love him. To read Sadie and Hannah's stories look for the novellas *Stuck with You* and *Below Zero*, coming soon from Berkley! [The Lying Game](#) Park

Publishing (WI) Sometimes people aren't who you think they are. Everyone knew what was going on in Ballard, Washington: developers were building a giant shopping mall, but a house belonging to a feisty octogenarian named Edith Wilson Macefield was in the way. They offered her a million dollars. She told them to take a hike. Everyone knew that Barry Martin, head of the

construction project, was involved in the push to get her out of the house so that the project could proceed without further delay. Everyone was wrong. When Barry took the job as construction supervisor for the shopping mall that was being erected around Edith's little house, he determined to make things as easy for her as he could. He didn't expect that she'd ask him to drive her to a hair appointment—but he did

offer to help, after all. And it was in that one small gesture that an unlikely friendship was sparked, one that changed them both forever. The story of Barry Martin and Edith Macefield is a tale of balance and compassion, of giving enough without giving too much, of helping our elderly loved ones through the tough times without taking away their dignity. In the end, *Under One Roof* is a tale

of grace, and one from which all of us can take solace and strength. From Barry and Edith we have much to learn about love and letting go and, just possibly, about seeing through fading light to find great joy. [Grass Roof](#), [Tin Roof](#) Signet
A poor old man collects acorns in the forest every year. One day an acorn in his store grows and grows. [Moore's Rural New-Yorker](#) Simon & Schuster

From Newbery Honor author Kathryn Lasky comes a fascinating journey through the rainforest canopy that's perfect for budding environmentalists. *A Woman's Journey Round the World* Ballantine Books
Introduction: The paleolithic settlement of rain forests / Julio Mercader -- Pt. 1. African pioneers. The archaeology of West Africa from the Pleistocene to the Mid-Holocene /

<p>Joanna Casey ; The middle stone age occupation of Atlantic central Africa: new evidence from equatorial Guinea and Cameroon / Julio Mercader and Raquel Martí ; Foragers of the Congo: the early settlement of the Ituri forest / Julio Mercader -- Pt. 2. Australasian settlers. Hunter- gatherer occupation of the Malay Peninsula from the Ice Age to the Iron Age / F.</p>	<p>David Bulbeck ; More than a million years of human occupation in insular southeast Asia: the early archaeology of eastern and central Java / Franc_ois Se´mah, Anne-Marie Se´mah, and Truman Simanjuntak ; An archaeological assessment of rain forest occupation in northeast Queensland, Australia / Brit Asmussen -- Pt. 3. The last frontier: newcomers in a new world. Late Glacial and early</p>	<p>Holocene occupation of Central American tropical forests / Anthony J. Ranere and Richard G. Cooke ; Holocene climate and human occupation in the Orinoco / William P. Barse ; Archaeological hunter- gatherers in tropical forests: a view from Colombia / Santiago Mora and Cristo´bal Gnecco ; Hunter- gatherers in Amazonia during the Pleistocene-</p>
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Holocene transition / Betty J. Meggers and Eurico Th. Miller. Under the Canopy Harvard University Press Architects, we like to believe, shape the world as they please. Reinier de Graaf draws on his own tragicomic experiences to present a candid account of what it is really like to work as an architect. To achieve anything, he notes, architects

must serve the powers they strive to critique, finding themselves in a perpetual conflict of interest. Why Peacocks? Crown Instagram sensation Clark Little shares his most remarkable photographs from inside the breaking wave, with a foreword by world surfing champion Kelly Slater. "One of the world's most amazing water photographers . . . Now we get to

experience up-close these moments of bliss."—Jack Johnson, musician and environmentalist Surfer and photographer Clark Little creates deceptively peaceful pictures of waves by placing himself under the deadly lip as it is about to hit the sand. "Clark's view" is a rare and dangerous perspective of waves from the inside out. Thanks to his uncanny ability to get the perfect shot--and live

to share it-- Little has garnered a devout audience, been the subject of award-winning documentaries, and become one of the world's most recognizable wave photographers . Clark Little: *The Art of Waves* compiles over 150 of his images, including crystalline breaking waves, the diverse marine life of Hawaii, and mind-blowing aerial photography. This collection

features his most beloved pictures, as well as work that has never been published in book form, with Little's stories and insights throughout. Journalist Jamie Brisick contributes essays on how Clark gets the shot, how waves are created, swimming with sharks, and more. With a foreword by eleven-time world surfing champion Kelly Slater and an afterword by the author on

his photographic practice and technique, Clark Little: *The Art of Waves* offers a rare view of the wave for us to enjoy from the safety of land. *Under One Roof* Other Press, LLC Describes the work of Meg Lowman in the rainforest canopy, an area unexplored until the last ten years and home to previously unknown species of plants and animals. *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof* One

World
Until Flynn's
neighbor in
North Carolina
offered him
one, he had
never
considered
whether he
wanted a
peacock. His
family became
the owners of
not one but
three
charming yet
fickle birds:
Carl, Ethel,
and Mr. Pickle.
Here he
chronicles
their first year
as peacock
owners, from
struggling to
build a pen to
assisting the
local bird
doctor in
surgery to
triumphantly
watching a

peahen lay
her first egg.
He also
examines the
history of
peacocks,
from their
appearance in
the Garden of
Eden. And
Flynn travels
across the
globe to learn
more about
the birds
firsthand. His
book offers
surprising
lessons about
love, grief,
fatherhood,
and family. --
adapted from
jacket.

[A Woman's
Journey Round
the World,
from Vienna to
Brazil, Chili,
Tahiti, China,
Hindustan,
Persia, and](#)

[Asia Minor](#)
Niyogi Books
A story of
adventure,
survival,
courage, and
hope, set in
the vivid
Himalayan
landscape of
Tibet and
India that
introduces
young readers
to a
fascinating
part of the
world and the
threat to its
people's
religious
freedom.

**The Tree
that Grew
Through the
Roof**

Houghton
Mifflin
A new story
collection
from "one of
Europe's most

exciting writers" (New York Times Book Review) deftly evokes and explores the shifts that occur when the world grows dark. Snowed in at a remote artists' residency in Vermont, Peter recalls another Christmas some thirty years earlier, when he met Marcia by chance on a trip to New York City. Only now, in this eerie, isolated place, does he begin to see the consequences of their brief affair through

a series of connections. When Hubert asks Sabrina to model for a sculpture, she's flattered and happy to help. But facing the finished product, looking at herself from previously hidden angles, disturbs her, and she becomes determined to follow her double after it's sold to a collector. Uneasy in his own skin and with the humdrum life set out for him, David decides to rob a bank. He

already has a mask for the purpose, but won't be using it today. He's heard that bank robbers often study the scene for weeks before they strike. So he's started to lurk. We think we know our world, but then the familiar suddenly turns strange, and even frightening. In these powerfully affecting, minutely constructed stories, Peter Stamm illustrates how fragile our reality really is, how

susceptible to
tricks of the
heart and
mind.

*Ένα παγώνι
στη στέγη*

Sleeping Bear
Press
When
authorities

threaten to
take 12-year-
old Sophie
away from
Charles, who
has been her
guardian since
she was one
and both

survived a
shipwreck, the
pair goes to
Paris to find
Sophie's
mother, and
they are aided
by Matteo and
his band of
"rooftoppers."