

# Euphoria Lily King

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Dirty Love Jul 16 2021 A collection of short stories examines the lives of suburbanites seeking and gratification in food, sex, work, and love.

Mating Jul 04 2020 The narrator of this splendidly expansive novel of high intellect and grand is an American anthropologist at loose ends in the South African republic of Botswana. She has an exacting mind, a good waist, and a busted thesis project. She also has a yen for Nelson D, a charismatic intellectual who is rumored to have founded a secretive and unorthodox utopian settlement in a remote corner of the Kalahari—one in which he is virtually the only man. What ensues is both a love story and an exuberant comedy of manners, a book that explores the deepest canyons of eros ever written. It asks large questions about the good society, the geopolitics of poverty, and the baffling mystery of what men and women really want.

The Testament of Harold's Wife Sep 25 2019 "A glorious—and unique—tale of tragedy, resilience, and hope, told from the perspective of one kick-ass grieving widow and grandmother. I laughed, cried, and cheered." —Barbara Claypo White, bestselling author of The Perfect Son This ebook contains a bonus essay from the author about the inspiration for the book! After losing her husband, Harold, and her beloved grandson, Cody, in the past year, Louisa has two choices. She can fade away on her Indiana family farm, where her solitude and companionship comes courtesy of her aging chickens and an argumentative cat. Or, she can choose to live. Plan. Louisa, a retired schoolteacher who's as smart, sassy, and irreverent as ever, isn't the fade-away type. The drunk driver who killed Cody got off scot-free by lying about a deer on the road. Louisa had tried to take matters into his own hands, but was thwarted by Gus, the local sheriff. Now Louisa decides to take up Harold's cause, though it will mean outsmarting Gus, who's developed an unwelcome crush on her, and staying ahead of her adult son who's found solace in a money-crazed cult and terrible art. Louisa's love of life is rekindled as the spring sun warms her cornfields and

goes into action. But even the most Perfect Plans can go awry. A wounded buck and a teen on the land she treasures help Louisa see that the enduring beauty of the natural world and the human connection are larger than revenge . . . and so is justice. "Part romp, part suspense, but all, a love story. I adored this fun yet poignant book." —Diane Chamberlain, *New York Times* best-selling author

**Euphoria** Sep 29 2022 A *New York Times* Bestseller Winner of the 2014 Kirkus Prize Winner of the 2014 New England Book Award for Fiction A Finalist for the National Book Critics Circle Award Best Book of the Year for: *New York Times* Book Review, *Time*, NPR, *Washington Post*, *Entertainment Weekly*, *Newsday*, *Vogue*, *New York Magazine*, *Seattle Times*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Boston Globe*, *The Guardian*, *Kirkus Reviews*, *Amazon*, *Publishers Weekly*, *Our Man in Boston*, *Oprah.com*, *Salon* *Euphoria* is Lily King's nationally bestselling breakout novel of three gifted anthropologists of the '30's caught in a passionate love triangle that threatens their careers, and, ultimately, their lives. Inspired by events in the life of revolutionary anthropologist Margaret Mead, *Euphoria* is "dazzling ... suspenseful ... brilliant...an exhilarating novel."—*Boston State of Wonder* Oct 24 2019 The #3 *New York Times* Bestseller

**Euphoria** Jul 28 2022 The *New York Times* Top Ten Bestseller From the author of *Writers & Lovers* *Euphoria* is Lily King's gripping novel inspired by the true story of a woman who changed the way we understand our world. 'Pretty much perfect' – Curtis Sittenfeld, author of *Rodham* In 1933 three gifted anthropologists are thrown together in the jungle of New Guinea. They are Nell Stone, a brilliant, fascinating, magnetic and famous for her controversial work studying South Pacific tribes, her brilliant and intelligent and aggressive husband Fen, and Andrew Bankson, who stumbles into the lives of this strange couple and becomes totally enthralled. Within months the trio are producing their best work, but soon a firestorm of fierce love and jealousy begins to burn out of control, threatening their bonds, their careers, and, ultimately, their lives . . . 'Dazzling' – Emma Donoghue, author of *Rooftop* 'Witty, fiercely intelligent . . . Exquisite' – *New York Times*

**Penelope Fitzgerald** Dec 29 2019 Intimate, perceptive, critically acute, funny and moving, this is the first full biography of one of the finest English novelists of the last century. Penelope Fitzgerald (1916-2000) was a great English writer, who would never have described herself in such grandiose terms. Her novels were short, spare masterpieces, self-concealing, oblique and subtle. She won the Booker Prize for her novel *Offshore* in 1979, and her last work, *The Blue Flower*, was acclaimed as a masterpiece of genius. The early novels drew on her own experiences -- a boat on the Thames in the 1960s; a bookshop in Suffolk; an eccentric stage-school. The later ones opened up worlds that encompass historical worlds which, magically, she seemed to possess entirely: Russia before the Revolution; post-war Italy; Germany in the time of the Romantic writer Novalis. Fitzgerald's life was as various and as cryptic as her fiction. It spans most of the twentieth century, and moves from a grand house in London to a Palace to a sinking barge, from a demanding intellectual family to hardship and poverty, from teaching and obscurity to a blaze of renown. She was first published at sixty and became famous at eighty. This is a story of lateness, patience and persistence: a private form of heroism. Loved, admired, and increasingly recognised as one of the outstanding novelists of her time, she remained mysterious and intriguing. She liked to mislead people with a good imitation of an absent-minded lady, but under that scatty front were a steel-sharp brain and an imagination of wonderful range. A brilliant account -- by a biographer whom Fitzgerald herself admired -- pursues her life, her work and her secret self, with fascinated interest.

**Five Tuesdays in Winter** May 26 2022 "Five Tuesdays in Winter moved me, inspired me, thrilled me. It filled up every chamber of my heart. I loved this book." —Ann Patchett By the award-winning, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Writers & Lovers* and *Euphoria* comes a masterful new collection of

stories Lily King, one of the most "brilliant" (New York Times Book Review), "wildly talented" (Chicago Tribune), and treasured authors of contemporary fiction, returns after her recent bestselling *Five Tuesdays in Winter*, her first book of short fiction. Told in the intimate voices of complex, endearing characters, *Five Tuesdays in Winter* intriguingly subverts expectations as it explores loss, jolting violence, and the inexorable tug toward love at all costs. A reclusive bookseller begins to feel the discomfort of love again. Two college roommates have a devastating middle-aged reunion. A proud old man rages powerlessly in his granddaughter's hospital room. A writer receives a visit from the men who have tried to suppress her voice. Romantic, hopeful, brutally raw, and unsparing, this wide-ranging collection of ten selected stories by one of our most accomplished chroniclers of the human heart is an exciting addition to Lily King's oeuvre of acclaimed fiction.

*Vexation Lullaby* Jun 02 2020 Winner of the 2017 Maine Literary Award for Fiction • One of *AR* Best Books of the Month, April 2016 "Justin Tussing rocks the rock novel. *Vexation Lullaby* is a pleasure from start to finish."—Lily King, author of *Euphoria* Peter Silver is a young doctor treating a patient in the wake of a breakup—his ex-girlfriend called him a "mama's boy" and his best friend considers him a "homebody," a squanderer of adventure. But when he receives an unexpected call for a house call, he obliges, only to discover that his new patient is aging, chameleonic rock star Cross. Soon Peter is compelled to join the mysteriously ailing celebrity, his band, and his entourage on the road. The so-called "first physician embedded in a rock tour," Peter is thrust into a way of life that embraces disorder and risk rather than order and discipline. Trailing the band at every tour stop is Arthur Pennyman, Cross's number-one fan. Pennyman has not missed a performance in twenty years, sacrificing his family and job to chronicle every show on his website. Cross insists that "being a fan is how we teach ourselves to love," and, in the end, Pennyman does learn. And when he hears a song as-yet-unperformed he starts to piece together the puzzle of Peter's role in Cross's past.

*The Pleasing Hour* Jan 22 2022 The award-winning novel of a young American girl in France—has been hailed as "an impressive debut" that is "written with quiet, lyric forcefulness" (Elle). A New York Times Notable Book Young, inexperienced, and fleeing a terrible personal loss, Rosie—the new au pair at the Tivot family estate in France—finds herself ill at ease when trying to connect with Nicole, the distant, and beautifully polished mother of the three children she cares for. There is something about the woman that both fascinates and unnerves Rosie. The same is true of the rest of the Tivot clan: the dissatisfied husband, Marc, and their children all seem to be caught in an unending struggle against each other for love and acceptance. Only when Rosie is sent to care for Nicole's now-elderly guardian—the storyteller of the family's secrets—does she finally discover the truth. There, Rosie learns of a past darkened by war, duplicity, and a tragedy that still resonates in the Tivot's lives. In this novel of family, betrayal, and the naïveté of youth, Lily King has spun a story that is "powerful and splendid . . . [and all] so assured that it's hard to believe the book itself is her debut" (The New York Times Book Review). "Expertly constructed, full of surprises, superbly paced and sweetly sad, this book hardly reads like a first novel." —Publishers Weekly

*Blood Work: A Tale of Medicine and Murder in the Scientific Revolution* Sep 17 2021 "Excellent...Tucker's chronicle of the world of 17th-century science in London and Paris is fascinating." —The Economist In December 1667, maverick physician Jean Denis transfused calf's blood into the veins of Paris's most notorious madmen. Days later, the madman was dead and Denis was framed for the crime. In this riveting exposé of the fierce debates, deadly politics, and cutthroat rivalries behind the first transfusion experiments, *Blood Work* takes us from dissection rooms in palaces to the streets of Paris, providing an unforgettable portrait of an era that wrestled with the same questions about morality and experimentation that haunt medical science today.

*Euphoria* Aug 29 2022 Set in 1930s Papua New Guinea, this gorgeous novel is about three young

ground-breaking anthropologists caught in a love triangle that threatens their bonds, their careers, and ultimately, their lives. English anthropologist Andrew Bankson has been alone in the field for several years studying the Kiona river tribe in the Territory of New Guinea. Haunted by the memory of his brothers' deaths and increasingly frustrated and isolated by his research, Bankson is on the verge of suicide when a chance encounter with two colleagues, the controversial Nell Stone and her mercurial Australian husband, Fen, pulls him back from the brink. Nell and Fen have just fled the bloodthirsty Mumbanyo and, in spite of Nell's poor health, are hungry for a new discovery. When Bankson finds them a new tribe to divert them from leaving New Guinea, he ignites an intellectual and romantic firestorm between the three of them that burns out of anyone's control. King's writing is effortlessly elegant and the setting wonderfully rich and evocative. What really sets this novel apart, though, are the brilliantly realized characters absorbed in the work of understanding the fundamental humanity that connects us all. Set between two world wars and inspired by events in the life of the revolutionary anthropologist Margaret Mead, *Euphoria* is an enthralling story of passion, possibility, exploration and sacrifice.

**This Is Paradise** Dec 09 2020 Elegant, brutal, and profound—this magnificent debut captures the beauty and glory of modern Hawai'i with breathtaking force and accuracy. In a stunning collection that announces the arrival of an incredible talent, Kristiana Kahakauwila travels the islands of Hawaii, making the fabled place her own. Exploring the deep tensions between local and tourist, tradition and expectation, façade and authentic self, *This Is Paradise* provides an unforgettable portrait of life truly being lived on Maui, Oahu, Kaua'i and the Big Island. In the gut-punch of "Wanle," a beautiful and tough young woman wants nothing more than to follow in her father's footsteps as a legendary cockfighter. With striking versatility, the title story employs a chorus of voices—the women of the island tell the tale of a young tourist drawn to the darker side of the city's nightlife. "The Old Paniolo" limns the difficult nature of legacy and inheritance when a patriarch tries to settle the affairs of his estate before his death. Exquisitely written and bursting with sharply observed detail, Kahakauwila's stories remind us of the powerful desire to belong, to put down roots, and to have a place to call home.

**The Magician's Book** Feb 08 2021 Enchanted by Narnia's fantastic world as a child, prominent critic Laura Miller returns to the series as an adult to uncover the source of these small books' mysterious power by looking at their creator, Clive Staples Lewis. What she discovers is not the familiar, iconic image of the author, but a more interesting and ambiguous truth: Lewis's tragic and troubled life, his unconventional love life, and his intense but ultimately doomed friendship with J.R.R. Tolkien. Finally reclaiming Narnia "for the rest of us," Miller casts the *Chronicles* as a profoundly literary creation, and the portal to a lifelong adventure in books, art, and the imagination.

**Margaret Mead** Aug 05 2020

**I Don't Expect Anyone to Believe Me** Jun 14 2021 "I don't expect anyone to believe me," warns the narrator of this novel, a Mexican student called Juan Pablo Villalobos. He is about to fly to Barcelona on a scholarship, when he's kidnapped in a bookshop and whisked away by thugs to a basement where gangsters are threatening his cousin - a wannabe entrepreneur known to some as "Projects" and others as "dickhead" - who is gagged and tied to a chair. The thugs say Juan Pablo must work for them. His mission? To bring Laia, a Mexican student in Barcelona and the daughter of a corrupt politician, to fall in love with him. He accepts, albeit unwillingly, and albeit after the crime boss has forced Villalobos at gunpoint into a discussion on the limits of humour in literature. Part campus novel, part gangster thriller, *I Don't Expect Anyone to Believe Me* is Villalobos at his best, exuberantly foul-mouthed and intellectually agile. This hugely entertaining novel, the winner of Spain's prestigious Herralde Prize, makes light work of difficult subjects - immigration, corruption, family loyalty and love - in a way where the bad guys aren't as expected . . . and nor is anyone else.

[The Evening of the Holiday](#) May 07 2020 During the Feast of the Ascension, Sophie, a young English girl visiting Italy, meets, allows herself to be seduced by, and falls in love with Tancredi, a mid-century architect separated from his wife. Reprint. 10,000 first printing.

[The Trashing of Margaret Mead](#) Oct 26 2019 In 1928 Margaret Mead published *Coming of Age in Samoa*, a fascinating study of the lives of adolescent girls that transformed Mead herself into an academic celebrity. In 1983 anthropologist Derek Freeman published a scathing critique of Mead's Samoan research, badly damaging her reputation. Resonating beyond academic circles, his case against Mead tapped into important public concerns of the 1980s, including sexual permissiveness, cultural relativism, and the nature/nurture debate. In venues from the *New York Times* to the TV show *60 Minutes*, Freeman argued that Mead had been "hoaxed" by Samoans whose innocent lies she took at face value. In *The Trashing of Margaret Mead*, Paul Shankman explores the many dimensions of the Mead-Freeman controversy as it developed publicly and as it played out privately, including the personal relationships, professional rivalries, and larger-than-life personalities that drove it. Providing a new perspective on Freeman's arguments, Shankman reviews key questions about Samoan sexuality, the alleged hoaxing of Mead, and the meaning of the controversy. Why were Freeman's arguments readily accepted by pundits outside the field of anthropology? What did Samoans themselves think of Mead's reputation be salvaged from the quicksand of controversy? Written in an engaging, clear style and based on a careful review of the evidence, *The Trashing of Margaret Mead* illuminates questions of enduring significance to the academy and beyond. 2010 Distinguished Lecturer in Anthropology, American Museum of Natural History "The Trashing of Margaret Mead reminds readers of the dangers of academia. It urges scholars to avoid personal attacks and to engage in healthy debate. The book redeems Mead while also redeeming the field of anthropology. By showing the uniqueness of the Freeman case, Shankman places his continued confidence in academia, scholars, and the field of anthropology."—H-Net Reviews

[Father of the Race](#) Dec 21 2021 A *New York Times* Editors' Choice—"a gripping epic about a father and daughter that plumbs the dark side of a family riven by addiction and mental illness" (Entertainment Weekly). Gardiner Amory's life is reeling—Nixon is being impeached, his wife is leaving him, and his worldview is rapidly becoming outdated. His daughter, Daley, has spent the first 15 years of her life negotiating her parents' conflicting worlds: the liberal, socially committed realm of her mother and the conservative, liquor-soaked life of her father. But when the pair divorces, Gardiner's basest impulses are unleashed in a deluge, the chasm between all of them widens, and Daley jumps thinly across it. As she reaches adulthood, Daley rejects the narrow world of her father's prejudices and embarks on her own life—until Gardiner hits rock bottom. Returning home to help her father, Daley risks everything she's found beyond him, including a chance at love, in an attempt to rebuild the trust that was broken long ago . . . In this Winner of the New England Book Award for Fiction, *Father of the Race* pulls readers into "a brilliant exploration of the attraction of martyrdom, the intoxication of power, and the search for a savior. . . . An absorbing, insightful story written in cool, polished prose right to the last conflict." (Washington Post).

[With a Daughter's Eye](#) Sep 05 2020 In *With a Daughter's Eye*, writer and cultural anthropologist Catherine Bateson looks back on her extraordinary childhood with two of the world's legendary anthropologists, Margaret Mead and Gregory Bateson. This deeply human and illuminating portrait sheds new light on her parents' prodigious achievements and stands alone as an important contribution for scholars of Mead and Bateson. But for readers everywhere, this engaging, poignant, and powerful book is first and foremost a singularly candid memoir of a unique family by the only person who has written it.

[Hidden Lives](#) Apr 12 2021 Margaret Forster's grandmother died in 1936, taking many secrets

grave. Where had she spent the first 23 years of her life? Who was the woman in black who made her mysterious visit shortly before her death? How had she borne living so close to an illegitimate child without acknowledging her? The search for answers took Margaret on a journey into her family, examining not only her grandmother's life, but also her mother's and her own. The result is both a moving, evocative memoir and a fascinating commentary on how women's lives have changed in the past century.

**The No Club** Aug 17 2021 In this "long overdue manifesto on gender equality in the workplace, a practical playbook with tips you can put into action immediately...simply priceless" (Angela Duckworth, bestselling author of *Grit*), *The No Club* offers a timely solution to achieving equity at work: unlearning the ways women's careers are pulled from work that goes unrewarded. The No Club started when four women, frustrated by endless to-do lists, banded together to get their work lives under control. Running faster than the men, they still trailed behind male colleagues. And so, they vowed to say no to requests that pulled them away from the work that mattered most to their careers. This book reveals how their over-a-decade journey and subsequent groundbreaking research showing that women everywhere are unfairly burdened with "non-promotable work," a tremendous problem we can—and must—solve. All organizations have work that no one wants to do: planning the office party, screening interns, responding to that time-consuming client, or simply helping others with their work. A woman, most often a woman of color, is asked to do these tasks. In study after study, professors Linda Babcock (bestselling author of *Women Don't Ask*) and Brenda Peyser, Lise Vesterlund, and Laurie Weingart—the original "No Club"—document that women are disproportionately asked and expected to do this work. The imbalance leaves women overburdened and underutilized as companies forfeit revenue, productivity, and top talent. *The No Club* walks through how to change your workload, empowering women to make savvy decisions about what to take on. The authors also illuminate how organizations can reassess how they assign and reward work to level the playing field. With hard data, personal anecdotes from women of all stripes, self-assessments for immediate use, and innovative advice from the authors' consulting work with 500 companies, this book will forever change the conversation about how we advance women and achieve equity in the 21st century.

**Life Drawing** Oct 19 2021 NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY NPR "Taut, elegant . . . Black is a writer of great wisdom."—Claire Messud, *The Guardian* (UK) Look for special features inside. Join the Random House Reader's Circle for author chats and more. Augusta Edelman—Gus to her friends—is a painter, a wife, and not always the best judge of her own character. When she and her husband, Owen, have fled their longtime city home and are surrounded by reminders of troubling events. Now, three years into their secluded country life, Gus works to rebuild her marriage she nearly lost, discovers new inspiration for her art, and contemplates the mysterious childhood tragedy. But this quiet, healing rhythm is forever shattered one hot July day when a stranger moves into the abandoned house next door and crosses more boundaries than just those between neighbors. A fierce, honest, and moving portrait of a woman grappling with her fate, *Life Drawing* is a novel as beautiful and unsparing as the human heart. Praise for *Life Drawing* "The page-turning suspense of Robin Black's novel comes from her beautiful, honest portrait of a marriage, of a woman's struggle to save her marriage, and a stunning one."—*San Francisco Chronicle* "Gripping . . . the power of the story is how it illuminates, in utterly compelling detail, the complex give-and-take of a couple trying to save their marriage."—*O: The Oprah Magazine* "Truly brilliant . . . [Black] is that rare writer whose skill for prose is matched by her mastery of the other elements that make a great novel. . . . [Her] psychological prowess and incisive observations lend an edge even to seemingly straightforward scenes."—*Chicago Tribune* "Races to its resolution . . . Black's writing is clear and direct [with] her observations about the way people relate that resonate well after the book is closed."—*The New York Times*

## Times Book Review

**The English Teacher** Apr 24 2022 From the author of *The Pleasing Hour*: A "moving and deeply absorbing" novel of painful truths and the refuge of fiction set in a New England prep school. A Chicago Tribune and Publishers Weekly Best Novel Fifteen years ago, English teacher Vida Arrington arrived alone and pregnant at the elite Fayer Academy. Living on the campus off the coast of England, she worked to become a beloved fixture of the school—and to shelter herself and her child from a painful secret she left behind. Then she accepts the impulsive marriage proposal of a widower Tom Belou, and the prescribed life Vida has constructed begins to come apart. As Peter with Tom and his new stepsiblings, Vida retreats further into the books she teaches. To embrace a chance at happiness, she will have to face the nightmares of her former self—and shed the armor she held onto for far too long. Following her multiple award-winning debut, *The Pleasing Hour*, Lily King has written a "domestic drama with the adrenalin-fueled beating heart of a thriller" (Elle). "King is a wonderfully engaging writer who creates characters and situations we can't resist." —The Washington Post

**The Paris Wife** May 02 2020 An instant national bestseller, this stunningly evocative, beautifully rendered story told in the voice of Ernest Hemingway's first wife, Hadley, has the same powerful historical richness that made *Loving Frank* a bestseller. No twentieth-century American writer captured the popular imagination as much as Ernest Hemingway. This novel tells his story from a unique point of view - that of his first wife, Hadley. Through her eyes and voice, we experience the Lost Generation and meet fascinating characters such as Scott and Zelda Fitzgerald, Gert and Ezra Pound, and Gerald and Sara Murphy. The city and its inhabitants provide a vivid backdrop for an engrossing and wrenching story of love and betrayal that is made all the more poignant knowing the end, Hemingway would write of his first wife, "I wish I had died before I loved anyone but you."

**Euphoria** Feb 20 2022 English anthropologist Andrew Bankson has been alone in the field for years, studying the Kiona river tribe in the Territory of New Guinea. Haunted by the memory of his brothers' deaths and increasingly frustrated and isolated by his research, Bankson is on the verge of suicide when a chance encounter with colleagues, the controversial Nell Stone and her wry and mercurial Australian husband Fen, pulls him back from the brink. Nell and Fen have just fled the bloodthirsty Mumbanyo and, in spite of Nell's poor health, are hungry for a new discovery. When Bankson finds them a new tribe to divert them from leaving Papua New Guinea, the artistic, female-dominated Tam, he ignites an intellectual and romantic firestorm between the three of them that is out of anyone's control. Set between two World Wars and inspired by events in the life of revolutionary anthropologist Margaret Mead, *Euphoria* is an enthralling story of passion, possession, exploration, and sacrifice. "A taut, witty, fiercely intelligent tale of competing egos and desires in a landscape of exotic menace - a love triangle in extremis... King is brilliant" - NEW YORK TIMES BOOK REVIEW "Atmospheric and sensual, with startling images throughout, *Euphoria* is an intellectually stimulating tour de force." -NPR.com WINNER OF THE 2014 KIRKUS PRIZE FOR FICTION FINALIST FOR THE NATIONAL BOOK CRITICS CIRCLE AWARDS

**The Chimes** Aug 24 2019 "A HIGHLY ORIGINAL DYSTOPIAN MASTERPIECE" --Geraldine Brooks, Pulitzer Prize winning author of *March* "FOR ALL THE POETRY AND LYRICISM, THE CHIMES IS A SOLID SUSPENSEFUL ADVENTURE STORY AT HEART" --NPR Books A mind-expanding literary debut composed of memory, music and imagination. A boy stands on the roadside on his way home alone in the rain. No memories, beyond what he can hold in his hands at any given moment. No directions, as written words have long since been forbidden. No parents--just a melody that threads a thread to follow. A song that says if he can just get to the capital, he may find some answers about what happened to them. The world around Simon sings, each movement a pulse of rhythm, each

weaving its own melody, music ringing in every drop of air. Welcome to the world of *The Chimes*: life is orchestrated by a vast musical instrument that renders people unable to form new memories. The past is a mystery, each new day feels the same as the last, and before is blasphemy. But slowly and inexplicably, Simon is beginning to remember. He emerges from sleep each morning with a prickling feeling, and sense there is something he urgently has to do. In the city Simon meets Lucien, a man with a gift for hearing, some secrets of his own, and a theory about the danger lurking in Simon's past. A stunning debut composed of memory, music, love and freedom, *The Chimes* pulls you into a world that will captivate, enthrall and inspire.

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*Saint Mazie* Nov 27 2019 From the bestselling author of *The Middlesteins* comes this unforgettable novel about a forgotten heroine of the 1930s. Meet Mazie Phillips: big-hearted and feisty, she runs the Venice, the famed movie theatre in the rundown Bowery district of New York City. She spends her nights taking tickets, chatting with drunks and eccentrics, and chasing out the troublemakers. After Prohibition the nights are her own, and she fills them with romance and booze aplenty—even during Prohibition. When the Great Depression hits, and homelessness soars, Mazie opens The Venice to those in need, giving them shelter and dimes for food and booze, and earning the nickname 'Saint Mazie'. Inspired by Joseph Mitchell's essay about Mazie in *Up in the Old Hotel*, acclaimed author Jami Attenberg's novel honours an extraordinary life and heralds a completely original approach to writing historical fiction. Weaving together fictionalised diaries, writings and interviews, Attenberg has constructed an incredibly convincing portrait of Mazie Phillips, which is also a deeply moving portrait of New York as it passes through the First World War, Prohibition, the boom of the '20s, and then the terrible depression of the '30s.

*The People in the Trees* Jan 28 2020 Readers of exciting, challenging and visionary literary fiction—including admirers of Norman Rush's *Mating*, Ann Patchett's *State of Wonder*, Barbara Kingsolver's *The Poisonwood Bible*, and Peter Matthiessen's *At Play in the Fields of the Lord*—will be drawn to this astonishingly gripping and accomplished first novel. A decade in the writing, this is an anthropological adventure story that combines the visceral allure of a thriller with a profound and tragic vision of what happens when cultures collide. It is a book that instantly catapults Hanyu Yanagihara into the company of young novelists who really, really matter. In 1950, a young doctor called Norton Perina signs on with the anthropologist Paul Tallent for an expedition to the remote Micronesian island of Ivu'ivu in search of a rumored lost tribe. They succeed, finding not only the tribe but also a group of forest dwellers they dub "The Dreamers," who turn out to be fantastically long-lived but progressively more senile. Perina suspects the source of their longevity is a hard-to-find substance. Unable to resist the possibility of eternal life, he kills one and smuggles some meat back to the States. He scientifically proves his thesis, earning worldwide fame and the Nobel Prize, but he soon discovers that its miraculous property comes at a terrible price. As things quickly spiral out of his control, his demons take hold, with devastating personal consequences.

*A Daring Arrangement* Oct 07 2020 Set in New York City's Gilded Age, Joanna Shupe's first book in her *Four Hundred* series features an English beauty with a wicked scheme to win the man she loves: the American scoundrel who ruins her best laid plans... Lady Honora Parker must get engaged as possible, and only a particular type of man will do. Nora seeks a mate so abhorrent, so completely unacceptable, that her father will reject the match—leaving her free to marry the artist she loves. But who then is the most appalling man in Manhattan? The wealthy, devilishly handsome financier, Julius Hatcher, of course.... Julius is intrigued by Nora's ruse and decides to play along. But to Nora's surprise, Julius transforms himself into the perfect fiancé, charming the very people she hoped he would never see. It seems Julius has a secret plan all his own—one that will solve a dark mystery from his past, and

turn him into the kind of man Nora could truly love.

100 Essays I Don't Have Time to Write © 2021 "One hundred incisive, idiosyncratic essays on life and theater from a major American playwright "Don't send your characters to reform school!" Sarah Ruhl in one of her essays. With titles as varied as "On Lice" to "On Sleeping in Theaters" "Motherhood and Stools (The Furniture Kind)," these essays are artful meditations on life in theater and joyous jumbles of observations on everything in between. The pieces combine admonition and celebration, inquiry, jokes, assignments, entreaties, prayers, and advice: honest reflections distilled from years of working in the theater. They offer candid accounts of what it is like to be a mother and artist along with descriptions of how Ruhl's children's dreams, jokes, and songs work themselves into her writing. 100 Essays is not just a book about the theater. It is a map of a very particular artist's sensibility and a guide for anyone who has chosen an artist's life"--

The Ice Cream Queen of Orchard Street © 2020 "An upside-down, funhouse treat. You'll lick it up." - USA Today In 1913, little Malka Treynovsky flees Russia with her family. Bedazzled by the gold and movie stardom, she tricks them into buying tickets for America. Yet no sooner do they reach the squalid Lower East Side of Manhattan when Malka is crippled and abandoned in the street by an Italian ices peddler, she manages to survive through cunning and inventiveness. As she uncovers the secrets of his trade, she begins to shape her own destiny. She falls in love with a gorgeous, idealistic radical named Albert, and they set off across America in an ice cream truck. Slowly, she transforms herself into Lillian Dunkle, "The Ice Cream Queen" -- doyenne of an empire of ice cream franchises and a celebrated television personality. Yet Lillian Dunkle is nothing like the whimsical motherly persona she crafts for herself in the media. Conniving, profane, and irreverent, she is a supremely complex woman who prefers a good stiff drink to an ice cream cone. And when her past begins to catch up to her, everything she has spent her life building will be at stake.

Euphoria Oct 31 2022 Frustrated by his research efforts and depressed over the death of his mother, Andre Banson runs into two fellow anthropologists, a married couple, in 1930s New Guinea and enters into a tumultuous relationship with them. 25,000 first printing.

Writers & Lovers Mar 24 2022 "I loved this book not just from the first chapter or the first paragraph... from the first paragraph... The voice is just so honest and riveting and insightful about creative life." —Curtis Sittenfeld #ReadWithJenna Book Club Pick as Featured on Today Emma Roberts Book Club Pick A New York Times Book Review's Group Text Selection An extraordinary new novel of art, love, and ambition from Lily King, the New York Times bestselling author of *Euphoria* Following the breakout success of her critically acclaimed and award-winning novel *Euphoria*, Lily King returns with another instant New York Times bestseller: an unforgettable portrait of an artist as a young woman. Blindsided by her mother's sudden death, and wrecked by a recent love affair, Casey has arrived in Massachusetts in the summer of 1997 without a plan. Her mail consists of wedding invitations and final notices from debt collectors. A former child golf prodigy, she now waits tables at Harvard Square and rents a tiny, moldy room at the side of a garage where she works on the novel she's been writing for six years. At thirty-one, Casey is still clutching onto something nearly all her friends have let go of: the determination to live a creative life. When she falls for two very different men at the same time, her world fractures even more. Casey's fight to fulfill her creative ambition while balance the conflicting demands of art and life is challenged in ways that push her to the brink. *Writers & Lovers* follows Casey—a smart and achingly vulnerable protagonist—in the last days of a long time when every element of her life comes to a crisis. Written with King's trademark humor, intelligence, *Writers & Lovers* is a transfixing novel that explores the terrifying and exhilarating tension between the end of one phase of life and the beginning of another.

Enchanted Island Mar 12 2021 Born to immigrant parents in Minnesota just before the turn of

century, Frances Frankowski grew up coveting the life of her best friend, Rosalie Mendel. And decades later, when the women reconnect in San Francisco, their lives have diverged. Rosalie is a housewife and mother, while Frances works for the Office of Naval Intelligence and has just been given a top-secret assignment: marry handsome spy Ainslie Conway and move to the Galápagos Islands to investigate the Germans living there in the build-up to World War II. Amid active volcanoes, foreign wildlife and flora, and unfriendly neighbors, Ainslie and Frances carve out a life for themselves. The secrets they harbor—from their friends, from their enemies, and even from each other—may lead to their undoing.

**Landslide** May 14 2021 This beautiful portrait of a family in a fishing village in Maine is "a fresh look at marriage, motherhood, and the wondrous inner lives of teenagers. A truly beautiful and unforgettable love story of a family on the brink" (Lily King, author of *Writers & Lovers*). A must-read from the critically acclaimed author of *Elsie Comes Home*. "I loved *Landslide*. You are right there with them in that fishing village in Maine, feeling the wind, the sea, the danger. Smart, honest, and funny, this is a story you won't forget." —Judy Blume, best-selling author of *In the Unlikely Event* After a fishing accident leaves her husband hospitalized across the border in Canada, Jill is left to look after her teenage boys—"the wolves"—alone. Nothing comes easy in their remote corner of Maine: money is tight, Sam is getting into more trouble by the day; her eldest, Charlie, is preoccupied with a new girlfriend, and Jill begins to suspect her marriage isn't as stable as she once believed. As one disaster gives way to the next, she begins to think that it's not enough to be a caring wife and mother anymore—she needs to show up when needed, to nudge her boys in the right direction, to believe everything will be okay. How to protect this life she loves, this household, this family? With remarkable poise and starry-eyed beauty, *Landslide* ushers us into a modern household where, for a family at odds, Instagram positivity talks, and old fishing tales mingle to become a kind of love language. It is a beautiful portrait of a family, as compelling as it is moving, and raises the question of how to remain devoted when the storm closes in.

**Under the Mountain** ~~Wat~~ 22 2019 A remarkable firsthand view of a lost culture in all its simplicity and violence by renowned writer Peter Matthiessen (1927 to 2014), author of the National Book Award-winning *The Snow Leopard* and the novel *In Paradise*. In the Baliem Valley in central New Guinea live the Kurelu, a Stone Age tribe that survived into the twentieth century. Peter Matthiessen visited the Kurelu with the Harvard-Peabody Expedition in 1961 and wrote *Under the Mountain* as an account not of the expedition, but of the great warrior Weaklekek, the swineherd Tukum, and his family, and the boy Weake, killed in a surprise raid. Matthiessen observes these people in their timeless rhythm of work and play and war, of gardening and wood gathering, feasts and funerals, stealing and ambushes. Drawing on his great skills as a naturalist and novelist, Matthiessen offers an exceptional account of an ancient culture on the brink of incalculable change.

**Euphoria**: By Lily King (Trivia-On-Books) 19 2021

**Imperfect Tense** Feb 29 2020 *Imperfect Tense* is a meditation on language, and the poems in this collection are grounded in teaching, learning, and living between languages and cultures. Much like the imported "dragon fruit," these poems grasp displacement as opportunity; they relish in perpetual outsider-ness as a way inside a fundamentally shared human condition. The first section of the "Imperfect Tense" is a specific meditation on Americans' pursuits of Spanish as a second language. "Past Tense" revolves around experiences as an English language and poetry teacher working in immigrant communities. Finally, "Ever Present Tense" is a meditation on the language of family.

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