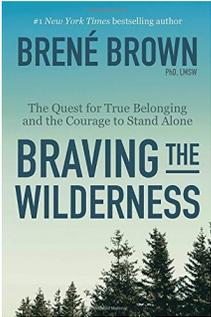


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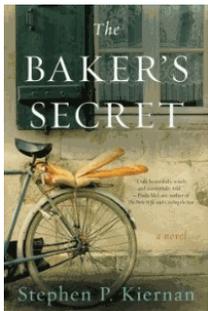
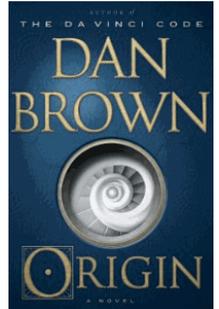


## *Braving the Wilderness by Brené Brown*

Brown redefines what it means to truly belong in an age of increased polarization. With her trademark mix of research, storytelling, and honesty, Brown will again change the cultural conversation while mapping a clear path to true belonging.

## *Origin by Dan Brown*

Robert Langdon, Harvard professor of symbology and religious iconology, arrives at the ultramodern Guggenheim Museum Bilbao to attend a major announcement—the unveiling of a discovery that 'will change the face of science forever.' The evening's host is Edmond Kirsch, a forty-year-old billionaire and futurist whose dazzling high-tech inventions and audacious predictions have made him a renowned global figure. Kirsch, who was one of Langdon's first students at Harvard two decades earlier, is about to reveal an astonishing breakthrough—one that will answer two of the fundamental questions of human existence.

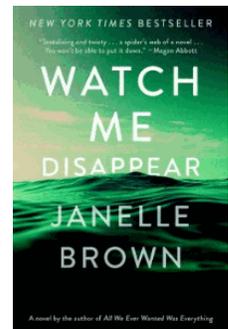


## *The Baker's Secret by Stephen Kiernan*

After her kind mentor is arrested because of his Jewish heritage, a young baker's apprentice in Normandy engages in discreet resistance activities, baking contraband loaves of bread for the hungry using surplus ingredients taken from occupying forces.

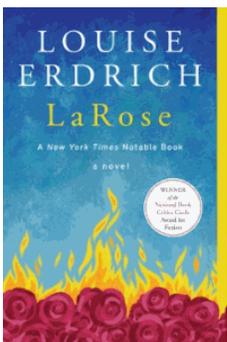
## *Watch Me by Janelle Brown*

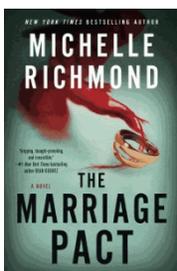
A beautiful Berkeley mom with a radical past vanishes while hiking, leaving her family to piece together her secrets.



## *LaRose by Louise Erdrich*

When recovered alcoholic Landreaux Irons accidentally shoots his neighbor's five-year-old son, he seeks the advice of an Ojibwe tribe and then offers his own son LaRose in atonement.



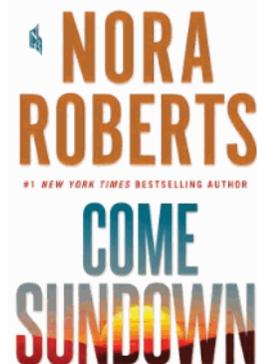


## *The Marriage Pact by Michelle Richmond*

After receiving an enticing wedding gift from one of Alice's prominent clients, they decide to join an exclusive and mysterious group known only as The Pact.

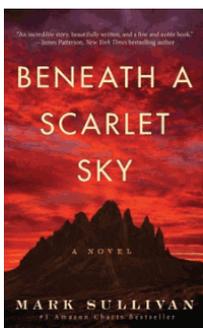
## *Come Sundown by Nora Roberts*

The Bodine ranch and resort in western Montana is a family business, an idyllic spot for vacationers. A little over thirty thousand acres and home to four generations, it's kept running by Bodine Longbow with the help of a large staff, including new hire Callen Skinner. There was another member of the family once: Bodine's aunt, Alice, who ran off before Bodine was born. She never returned, and the Longbows don't talk about her much. The younger ones, who never met her, quietly presume she's dead. But she isn't. A novel of suspense, family ties, and twisted passions.



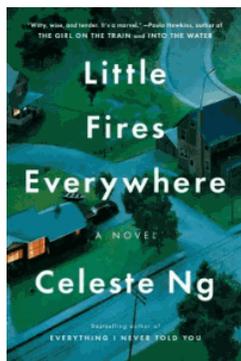
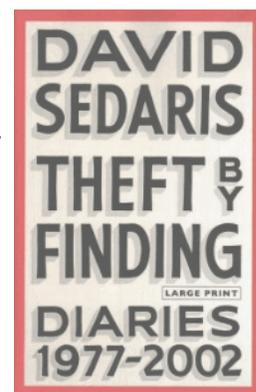
## *Beneath a Scarlet Sky by Mark Sullivan*

Pino Lella wants nothing to do with the war or the Nazis. He's a normal Italian teenager—obsessed with music, food, and girls—but his days of innocence are numbered. When his family home in Milan is destroyed by Allied bombs, Pino joins an underground railroad helping Jews escape over the Alps, and falls for Anna, a beautiful widow six years his senior. In an attempt to protect him, Pino's parents force him to enlist as a German soldier—a move they think will keep him out of combat. But after Pino is injured, he is recruited at the tender age of eighteen to become the personal driver for Adolf Hitler's left hand in Italy, General Hans Leyers, one of the Third Reich's most mysterious and powerful commanders.



## *Theft by Finding: Diaries 1977-2002 by David Sedaris*

Presents the diary writings from 1977 through 2002 by American humorist, comedian, and author, David Sedaris.



## *Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng*

In Shaker Heights, a placid, progressive suburb of Cleveland, everything is planned --from the layout of the winding roads, to the colors of the houses, to the successful lives its residents will go on to lead. And no one embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson, whose guiding principle is playing by the rules. Enter Mia Warren--an enigmatic artist and single mother--who arrives in this idyllic bubble with her teenaged daughter Pearl, and rents a house from the Richardsons.

## *The Last Ballad by Wiley Cash*

The eagerly awaited next novel from the author of the New York Times bestselling *A Land More Kind Than Home* about a young mother desperately trying to hold her family together in the years before the Great Depression, a haunting and moving story of cowardice, courage and sacrifice.

