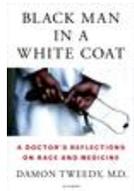


**The Beautiful Bureaucrat : A Novel**

Helen Phillips
9781627793766, 1627793763
Pub Date: 8/11/15
\$25.00
192 pages / 2 illustrations
Hardcover
Fiction / Literary
Ctn Qty: 24
Announced Market Distribution: 40000

A young wife's new job pits her against the unfeeling machinations of the universe in a dazzling first novel Ursula K. Le Guin hails as "funny, sad, scary, beautiful. I love it."

Summary: In a windowless building in a remote part of town, the newly employed Josephine inputs an endless string of numbers into something known only as The Database. After a long period of joblessness, she's not inclined to question her fortune, but as the days inch by and the files stack up, Josephine feels increasingly anxious in her surroundings—the office's scarred pinkish walls take on a living quality, the drone of keyboards echoes eerily down the long halls. When one evening her husband Joseph disappears and then returns, offering no e...

**Black Man in a White Coat : A Doctor's Reflections on Race and Medicine**

Damon Tweedy, M.D.
9781250044631, 1250044634
Pub Date: 9/8/15
\$26.00
304 pages
Hardcover
Biography & Autobiography / Medical / General
Ctn Qty: 20
Announced Market Distribution: 50000

One doctor's passionate and profound memoir of his experience grappling with racial identity, bias, and the unique health problems of black Americans

Summary: When Damon Tweedy first enters the halls of Duke University Medical School on a full scholarship, he envisions a bright future where his segregated, working class background will become largely irrelevant. Instead, he finds that he has joined a new world where race is front and center. When one of his first professors mistakes him for a maintenance worker, it is a moment that crystallizes the challenges he will face throughout his early career. Making matters worse, in lecture after lecture the common refrain for numerous diseases reso...

**The Clasp : A Novel**

Sloane Crosley
9780374124410, 0374124418
Pub Date: 10/6/15
\$26.00
384 pages
Hardcover
Fiction / Literary
Announced Market Distribution: 75000

Part comedy of manners, part treasure hunt, the first novel from the writer whom David Sedaris calls "perfectly, relentlessly funny"

Summary: Kezia, Nathaniel, and Victor are reunited for the extravagant wedding of a college friend. Now at the tail end of their twenties, they arrive completely absorbed in their own lives—Kezia the second-in-command to a madwoman jewelry designer in Manhattan; Nathaniel the former literary cool kid, selling his wares in Hollywood; and the Eeyore-esque Victor, just fired from a middling search engine. They soon slip back into old roles: Victor loves Kezia. Kezia loves Nathaniel. Nathaniel loves Nathaniel.

In the midst of all this semi-merri...

**Dream Things True : A Novel**

Marie Marquardt
9781250070456, 1250070457
Pub Date: 9/1/15
Ages 13 to 18
\$18.99
352 pages
Hardcover
Juvenile Fiction / Love & Romance
Ctn Qty: 20
Announced Market Distribution: 50000

A modern-day Romeo and Juliet story in which a wealthy Southern boy falls in love with an undocumented Mexican girl and together they face perils in their hostile Georgia town

Summary: Evan, a soccer star and the nephew of a conservative Southern Senator, has never wanted for much -- except a functional family. Alma has lived in Georgia since she was two-years-old, excels in school, and has a large, warm Mexican family. Never mind their differences, the two fall in love, and they fall hard. But when ICE (Immigration and Customs Enforcement) begins raids on their town, Alma knows that she needs to tell Evan her secret. There's too much at stake. But how to tell her country-club boyfriend that she's an undocumented imm...

Everybody Rise : A Novel

Stephanie Clifford
 9781250077172, 1250077176
 Pub Date: 8/18/15
 \$26.99
 384 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Contemporary Women
 Ctn Qty: 12
 Announced Market Distribution: 300000



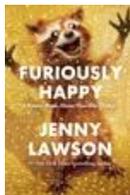
An extraordinary debut novel by *New York Times* reporter Stephanie Clifford—a *Bonfire of the Vanities* for the 21st century mixed with Curtis Sittenfeld's *Prep* and Amor Towles's *Rules of Civility*.

Summary: It's 2006 in the Manhattan of the young and glamorous. Money and class are colliding in a city that is about to go over a financial precipice and take much of the country with it. At 26, bright, funny and socially anxious Evelyn Beegan is determined to carve her own path in life and free herself from the influence of her social-climbing mother, who propelled her through prep school and onto the Upper East Side. Evelyn has long felt like an outsider to her privileged peers, but when she gets a job at a social network aimed at the elite,...

Flatiron Books

Furiously Happy : A Funny Book About Horrible Things

Jenny Lawson
 9781250077004, 1250077001
 Pub Date: 9/22/15
 \$26.99
 352 pages
 Hardcover
 Biography & Autobiography / Personal
 Memoirs
 Announced Market Distribution: 300000



A new book by #1 *NYT* bestselling author Jenny Lawson about the most compelling theme in her work: living with severe depression and mental illness—and taxidermied roadkill raccoons.

Summary: "We're all pretty bizarre. Some of us are just better at hiding it." -John Hughes

In *Furiously Happy*, a humor memoir tinged with just enough tragedy and pathos to make it worthwhile, Jenny Lawson, the *Bloggess*, examines her own experience with severe depression and a host of other conditions, and explains how it has led her to live life in the fullest:

"According to the many shrinks I've seen in the last two decades, I am a high-functioning depressive with severe

Flatiron Books

Home Is Burning

Dan Marshall
 9781250068828, 1250068827
 Pub Date: 10/20/15
 \$27.99
 320 pages / Includes 15 black-and-white photographs throughout
 Hardcover
 Biography & Autobiography / Personal
 Memoirs
 Ctn Qty: 12
 Announced Market Distribution: 75000



Dave Eggers meets David Sedaris in this uproariously funny, unflinchingly honest, and tender memoir.

Summary: Dan's mom has always had cancer. First diagnosed when he was only ten years old, she was the model of resilience throughout his childhood, fighting her disease with tenacity and a mouth foul enough to make a sailor blush. But just as she faces a relapse, her husband—a successful businessman and devoted father—is diagnosed with ALS. He is told that in a few months' time, he will be unable to walk, eat, or breathe on his own. Dan, a recent college graduate living the good life in Los Angeles, has no choice but to return home to help.

Re...

St. Martin's Press

Humans of New York: Stories

Brandon Stanton
 9781250058904, 1250058902
 Pub Date: 10/13/15
 \$29.99
 432 pages / Includes color photographs throughout
 Hardcover
 Photography / Subjects & Themes / Travel
 Announced Market Distribution: 750000

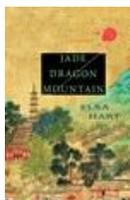


The follow-up to *Humans of New York*—#1 *New York Times* Bestseller

Summary: In the summer of 2010, photographer Brandon Stanton began an ambitious project—to single-handedly create a photographic census of New York City. The photos he took and the accompanying interviews became the blog *Humans of New York*. In the first three years, his audience steadily grew from a few hundred to over one million. In 2013, his book *Humans of New York*, based on that blog, was published and immediately catapulted to the top of the *NY Times Bestseller List*. It has appeared on that list for over twenty-five weeks to date. The app...

Jade Dragon Mountain

Elsa Hart
 9781250072320, 1250072328
 Pub Date: 9/1/15
 \$25.99
 336 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Mystery & Detective / Historical
 Ctn Qty: 20
 Announced Market Distribution: 50000



In Elsa Hart's stunning debut, an exiled librarian traveling through the 18th-century Chinese/Tibetan borderlands must learn the truth about a Jesuit priest's death before the Emperor arrives

Summary: On the mountainous border of China and Tibet in 1708, a detective must learn what a killer already knows: that empires rise and fall on the strength of the stories they tell.

Li Du was an imperial librarian. Now he is an exile. Arriving in Dayan, the last Chinese town before the Tibetan border, he is surprised to find it teeming with travelers, soldiers, and merchants. All have come for a spectacle unprecedented in this remote province: an eclipse of the sun commanded by the Emperor himself.

Keep Calm : A Thriller

Mike Binder
 9781627793476, 162779347X
 Pub Date: 2/2/16
 \$28.00
 384 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Political
 Ctn Qty: 20
 Announced Market Distribution: 60000



When a bombing at 10 Downing Street wounds the Prime Minister and tests Great Britain's resolve, American ex-cop Adam Tatum must confront a conspiracy in the highest halls of power

Summary: Former Michigan cop Adam Tatum receives an unexpected offer from Heaton Global Investments, a golden opportunity that seems almost too good to be true. He travels to 10 Downing Street to help implement a new pension program for the British Civil Service. The deal goes off without a hitch—and so does a bomb in the conference room. The Prime Minister is gravely wounded. And the only attendee with a checkered past is Adam Tatum.

Sensing a trap, Tatum flees with his family, desperately fighting for survival in an unfamiliar country. The li...

The Last Pilot : A Novel

Benjamin Johncock
 9781250066640, 1250066646
 Pub Date: 7/7/15
 \$26.00
 320 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Historical / General
 Ctn Qty: 24
 Announced Market Distribution: 50000



From an award-winning writer, a gripping debut novel of the Space Race that explores the inner life of a national hero—and asks what it means to be courageous in the face of unthinkable loss

Summary: Jim Harrison is a test pilot in the United States Air Force, one of the exalted few. He spends his days in a precarious dance with death above the Mojave Desert and his nights at his friend Pancho's bar, often with his wife, Grace. Both are secretly desperate for a child and, against all odds, Grace learns that she is pregnant.

When NASA, newly formed, offers Harrison the chance to man space before the Russians, he turns it down and becomes a father to Florence, his baby girl. Yet his life—as a father and a pilot—grinds to a halt when s...

Made to Kill

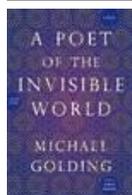
Adam Christopher
 9780765379184, 076537918X
 Pub Date: 11/3/15
 \$24.99
 240 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Science Fiction / General
 Series: L.A. Trilogy
 Ctn Qty: 24
 Announced Market Distribution: 30000



Raymond Chandler's detective fiction meets Lawrence Block's Keller novels . . . with robots

Summary: *It was just another Tuesday morning when she walked into the office--young, as I suspected they all might be, another dark brunette with some assistance and enough eye black to match up to Cleopatra. And who am I? I'm Ray, the world's last robot, famed and feared in equal measure, which suits me just fine--after all, the last place you'd expect to find a Hollywood's best hit man is in the plain light of day.*

Raymond Electromatic is good at his job, as good as he ever was at being a true Private Investigator, the lone employee of ...

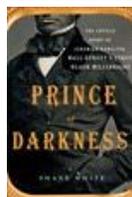
**A Poet of the Invisible World : A Novel**

Michael Golding
 9781250071286, 1250071283
 Pub Date: 10/6/15
 \$16.00
 336 pages
 Paperback
 Fiction / Literary
 Ctn Qty: 20
 Announced Market Distribution: 50000

In the tradition of *The Alchemist* by Paulo Coelho, this is a spiritual fable seven years in the writing about a boy who embarks on a remarkable journey through pain and loss to transcendence.

Summary: *A Poet of the Invisible World* is the story of a boy born in thirteenth-century Persia with four ears instead of two. Orphaned as an infant, he's taken into a Sufi order, where he meets an assortment of dervishes and is placed upon a path towards spiritual awakening. He studies the Koran and the principles of Sufism. He meets his first love, a handsome youth named Vishpar. When marauders attack the lodge, however, he's swept off to a series of grueling adventures and an assortment of shifting roles: tea boy in the court of a Spanish sul...

Palgrave Macmillan Trade

**Prince of Darkness : The Untold Story of Jeremiah G. Hamilton, Wall Street's First Black Millionaire**

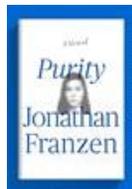
Shane White
 9781250070562, 1250070562
 Pub Date: 10/13/15
 \$28.00
 368 pages
 Hardcover
 History / United States / 19th Century
 Announced Market Distribution: 50000

The amazing and forgotten story of Wall Street's first black millionaire in pre-Civil War New York

Summary: In the middle decades of the nineteenth century Jeremiah G. Hamilton was a well-known figure on Wall Street. Cornelius Vanderbilt, America's first tycoon, came to respect, grudgingly, his one-time opponent. The day after Vanderbilt's death on January 4, 1877, an almost full-page obituary on the front of the *National Republican* acknowledged that, in the context of his Wall Street share transactions, "There was only one man who ever fought the Commodore to the end, and that was Jeremiah Hamilton."

What Vanderbilt's obituary failed to men...

Farrar, Straus and Giroux

**Purity : A Novel**

Jonathan Franzen
 9780374239213, 0374239215
 Pub Date: 9/1/15
 \$28.00
 576 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Literary
 Ctn Qty: 12
 Announced Market Distribution: 350000

A magnum opus for our morally complex times from the author of *Freedom*

Summary: Young Pip Tyler doesn't know who she is. She knows that her real name is Purity, that she's saddled with \$130,000 in student debt, that she's squatting with anarchists in Oakland, and that her relationship with her mother-her only family-is hazardous. But she doesn't have a clue who her father is, why her mother chose to live as a recluse with an invented name, or how she'll ever have a normal life. Enter the Germans. A glancing encounter with a German peace activist leads Pip to an internship in South America with the Sunlight Project,...

Henry Holt and Co.

**Tenacity : A Thriller**

James Law
 9781627794565, 1627794565
 Pub Date: 11/3/15
 \$27.00
 320 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Crime
 Ctn Qty: 20
 Announced Market Distribution: 60,000

Two hundred meters below the ocean's surface, you can't run, you can't hide, and the truth won't set you free

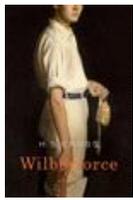
Summary: An officer hangs himself in the engine room of naval submarine HMS Tenacity. A woman's murder bears disturbing similarities to an old case. Lieutenant Danielle "Dan" Lewis grasps for the truth before it submerges in the gray waters of the English Channel.

Cramped, claustrophobic, and under strict command, the confines of HMS Tenacity are unwelcoming in the best of circumstances. For Dan, the only female aboard, who must methodically interrogate a tightknit and hostile crew, it's her own special place in hell.

Recently reassigned to the...

Wilberforce : A Novel

H. S. Cross
 9780374290108, 0374290105
 Pub Date: 9/15/15
 \$27.00
 464 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Literary
 Ctn Qty: 16
 Announced Market Distribution: 25000



An unforgettable novel of adolescent lust and cruelty

Summary: At St. Stephen's Academy, the students are on the verge of revolt. While the younger boys plot an insurrection, the older ones are preoccupied with sneaking out-of-bounds, thrashing each other, tearing each other's clothes off-or some combination of the three. Morgan Wilberforce, for one, can't take it any longer. Everything Wilberforce touches turns to disaster in his desperate attempts to fight off desire, boredom, and angst. He knocks himself unconscious tackling the unattainable Spaulding on the rugby pitch, his headmast...

Flatiron Books**An Unrestored Woman**

Shobha Rao
 9781250073822, 1250073820
 Pub Date: 3/15/16
 \$24.99
 256 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Literary
 Ctn Qty: 12
 Announced Market Distribution: 40,000



A debut of astonishing scope and lyricism: searing, intimate portraits of men and women whose lives have reached tipping points.

Summary: The twelve paired stories in Shobha Rao's *An Unrestored Woman* trace their origins to the formation of India and Pakistan in 1947, but they transcend that historical moment. A young woman in a crushingly loveless marriage seizes freedom in the only way left to her; a mother is forced to confront a chilling, unforgiveable crime she committed out of love; an ambitious servant seduces both master and mistress; a young prostitute quietly, inexorably plots revenge on the madam who holds her hostage; a husband and wife must forgive each other...

Minotaur Books**Orphan X**

Gregg Hurwitz
 9781250067845, 1250067847
 Pub Date: 1/19/16
 \$25.99
 368 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Crime
 Announced Market Distribution: 100000



"The most exciting thriller I've read since *The Bourne Identity*. Fans of Jack Reacher, Mitch Rapp, and Jason Bourne will LOVE Evan Smoak. A new thriller superstar is born!" -Robert Crais

Summary: "*Orphan X* is the most gripping, high-octane thriller I've read in a long, long time. Hang onto your seat because Gregg Hurwitz will take you on a dizzying ride you'll not soon forget!" -Tess Gerritsen

The Nowhere Man is a legendary figure spoken about only in whispers. It's said that when he's reached by the truly desperate and deserving, the Nowhere Man can and will do anything to protect and save them.

But he's no legend.

St. Martin's Press**The Things We Keep**

Sally Hepworth
 9781250051905, 1250051908
 Pub Date: 2/9/16
 \$25.99
 352 pages
 Hardcover
 Fiction / Contemporary Women
 Announced Market Distribution: 75000



A novel about the power of love to grow and endure even when faced with the most devastating of obstacles.

Summary: Anna Forster, in the early stages of Alzheimer's disease at only thirty-eight years old, knows that her family is doing what they believe to be best when they take her to Rosalind House, an assisted living facility. She also knows there's just one another resident her age, Luke. What she does not expect is the love that blossoms between her and Luke even as she resists her new life at Rosalind House. As her disease steals more and more of her memory, Anna fights to hold on to what she knows, including her relationship with Luke.

When E...