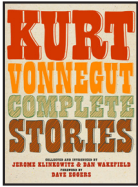


October Indie Playlist

Special promotions from Indie Publishers. Plus a \$500 display contest.



A Jump on the Holidays



Complete Stories

KURT VONNEGUT, Edited by JEROME KLINKOWITZ and DAN WAKEFIELD

Here for the first time is the complete short fiction of one of the twentieth century's foremost imaginative geniuses. More than half of Vonnegut's output was short fiction, and never before has the world had occasion to wrestle with it all together. Features five never-before-published stories. A must read for every Vonnegut fan.

"This collection pulses with relevance . . . and provides an almost shameful amount of unadulterated reading pleasure."—Dave Eggers, from the Foreword

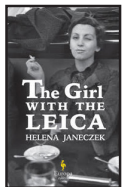
Seven Stories Press | 9781609808082 | \$45.00 | HC | Contact your Penguin Random House representative | Promo Code = RHP081 | Reason Code = E38

A Treasury of African-American Christmas Stories

BETTYE COLLIER-THOMAS

A collection of Christmas stories written by African-American journalists, activists, and writers from the late 19th century to the modern civil rights movement. Featuring stories by W. E. B. Du Bois, Pauline Hopkins, Langston Hughes, and John Henrik Clarke, these enchanting Christmas tales are part of the black literary tradition that flourished after the Civil War.

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The Girl With The Leica

HELENA JANECEK

A novel based on the life of Gerda Taro, a German-Jewish war photographer, anti-fascist activist, artist and innovator who, together with her partner, the Hungarian Endre Friedmann, was one half of the alias Robert Capa, widely considered to be the twentieth century's greatest war and political photographer. She was killed while documenting the Spanish Civil War and tragically became the first female photojournalist to be killed on a battlefield. Gerda Taro is at the heart of this kaleidoscopic novel but so is the era itself, the 1930s, the rise of Nazism, the cultural ferment, and the ascendancy of photography as the age's quintessential art form.

"A story of bravery and determination that leaves us breathless and with a sense of emptiness, as if we have known [Gerda Taro] personally."—*Repubblica*

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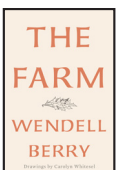
Virgil Wander

LEIF ENGER

Virgil Wander is a sweeping story of new beginnings against all odds that follows the inhabitants of a hard-luck town in their quest to revive its flagging heart.

"*Virgil Wander* is a lush crowd-pleaser about meaning and second chances and magic. And in these Trumpian times, isn't that just the kind of book and protagonist we're all searching for?"—*New York Times Book Review*

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The Farm

WENDELL BERRY

First printed in 1995 by Gray Zeitz of the beloved Larkspur Press in Monterey, Kentucky, this new collector's edition is a beautiful reproduction of Berry's book-length poem, illustrated with the original drawings by Carolyn Whitesel.

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The Mental Load

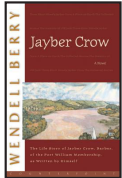
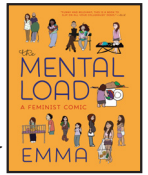
EMMA

Most of us carry some form of mental load—about our work, household responsibilities, financial obligations and personal life; but what makes up that burden and how it's distributed within households and understood in offices is not always equal or fair. In her strips, Emma deals with themes ranging from maternity leave (it is not a vacation!) to domestic violence, to other feminist issues, in a straightforward way that is both hilarious and deadly serious. If you're not laughing, you're probably crying in recognition.

"Funny and relevant, this is a book to slip on all your colleagues' desks."—*Elle*

"Emma's strong, smart, clear-eyed book gives us the language (and the urgent desire) to shout from the rooftops about the maddening, unacknowledged injustices women face every day. It validates all the thoughts I have about being a woman and didn't have words for."—Liana Finck, author of *Passing for Human: A Graphic Memoir*

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Jayber Crow

WENDELL BERRY

Jayber Crow, born in Goforth, Kentucky, orphaned at age ten, began his search as a "pre-ministerial student" at Pigeonville College. There, freedom met with new burdens and a young man needed more than a mirror to find himself. In this novel full of remarkable characters, Jayber Crow tells his story that becomes the story of his town and its transcendent membership.

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Incidental Inventions

ELENA FERRANTE

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"Reading Ferrante is an extraordinary experience. There's a powerful and unsettling candor in her writing."—Nick Romeo, *The Boston Globe*

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Convenience Store Woman

MURATA SAYAKA

Convenience Store Woman is an ironic and sharp-eyed look at contemporary work culture and a charming, fresh portrait of an unforgettable heroine.

"Murata celebrate[s] the quiet heroism of women who accept the cost of being themselves."—John Powers, NPR "Fresh Air"

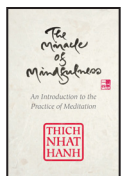
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The Miracle of Mindfulness: An Introduction to the Practice of Meditation

THICH NHAT HANH

A new gift edition of the classic guide to meditation and mindfulness, featuring archival photography and beautiful calligraphy by Thich Nhat Hanh. *The Miracle of Mindfulness* has introduced generations of readers to the life-changing beauty of mindful awareness. Zen Master Thich Nhat Hanh offers gentle anecdotes and practical exercises as a means of learning the skills of mindfulness. From washing the dishes to answering the phone to peeling an orange, he reminds us that each moment holds within it an opportunity to work toward greater self-understanding and peacefulness.

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