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FICTION

| Title | Author | Genre |
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| Leave the World Behind | Alam, Rumaan | Fiction |
| Violeta | Allende, Isabel | Fiction |
| Shrines of Gaiety | Atkinson, Kate | Fiction |
| Anxious People | Backman, Frederick | Fiction |
| △ Woman on Fire | Barr, Lisa | Fiction |
| The Only Woman in the Room | Benedict, Marie | Fiction |
| The Children's Blizzard | Benjamin, Melanie | Fiction |
| The Vanishing Half | Bennett, Britt | Fiction |
| Fahrenheit 451 | Bradbury, Ray | Fiction |
| △ The Collected Regrets of Clover | Brammer, Mikki | Fiction |
| The Last Flight | Clarke, Julie | Fiction |
| Marrying the Ketchups | Close, Jennifer | Fiction |
| American Dirt | Cummins, Jeanine | Fiction |

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| The Last Thing He Told Me | Dave, Laura | Fiction |
| Last Bus to Wisdom | Doig, Ivan | Fiction |
| △ First Lie Wins | Elston, Ashley | Mystery |
| △ The Measure | Erlick, Nikki | Fiction |
| The Woman in the Window | Finn, A.J. | Fiction |
| The Guest List | Foley, Lucy | Fiction |
| ◆ △ Mrs. Quinn's Rise to Fame | Ford, Olivia | Fiction |
| Relic | Foster, Alan Dean | Fiction |
| ◆ △ One Two Three | Frankel, Laurie | Fiction |
| The Secret Place | French, Tana | Mystery |
| The Searcher | French, Tana | Mystery |
| He Gets That from Me | Friedland, Jacqueline | Fiction |
| The Christie Affair | Gramont, Nina de | Fiction |
| △ Lessons in Chemistry | Garmus, Bonnie | Fiction |
| Less | Greer, Andrew Sean | Fiction |
| Camino Winds | Grisham, John | Mystery |
| △ The Midnight Library | Haig, Matt | Fiction |
| And Now She's Gone | Hall, Rachel Howzell | Fiction |
| The Four Winds | Hannah, Kristin | Fiction |

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|---|-------------------------|-----------------|
| The Sweetness of Water | Harris, Nathan | Fiction |
| ♦ △ The Scarlet Letter | Hawthorne, Nathaniel | Fiction |
| Night Will Find You | Heaberlin, Julia | Mystery |
| The Mother-In-Law | Hepworth, Sally | Mystery |
| Dune | Herbert, Frank | Science Fiction |
| △ Clark and Division | Hirahara, Naomi | Mystery |
| Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine | Honeyman, Gail | Fiction |
| Then She Was Gone | Jewell, Lisa | Mystery |
| An American Marriage | Jones, Tayari | Fiction |
| The Henna Artist | Joshi, Alka | Fiction |
| △ The Kamogawa Food Detectives | Kashiwai, Hisashi | Mystery |
| Ask Again, Yes | Keane, Mary Beth | Fiction |
| The Bean Trees | Kingsolver, Barbara | Fiction |
| △ The Exiles | Kline, Christina Baker | Fiction |
| △ The House in the Cerulean Sea | Klune, T.J. | Fiction |
| △ Lightning Strike | Krueger, William Kent | Mystery |
| This Tender Land | Krueger, William Kent | Mystery |
| △ Yellowface | Kuang, Rebecca F. (R.F) | Fiction |
| A Town Called Solace | Lawson, Mary | Fiction |
| ♦ △ Hester | Lico Albanes, Laurie | Fiction |

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| The Most Fun We Ever Had | Lombardo, Claire | Fiction |
| The Lost Vintage | Mah, Ann | Fiction |
| The Great Believers | Makkai, Rebecca | Fiction |
| ♦ Δ The Heaven & Earth Grocery Store | McBride, James | Fiction |
| Apeirogon | Mccann, Collum | Fiction |
| The Ruin | McTiernan, Dervla | Mystery |
| Sisters of the Lost Nation | Medina, Nick | Fiction |
| Circe | Miller, Madeline | Fiction |
| Δ The Song of Achilles | Miller, Madeline | Fiction |
| Shubeik Lubeik | Mohamed, Deena | Graphic Novel |
| Δ Certain Dark Things | Moreno-Garcia, Silvia | Fiction |
| Δ All Her Little Secrets | Morris, Wanda | Fiction |
| Dear Edward | Napolitano, Ann | Fiction |
| Δ Hello Beautiful | Napolitano, Ann | Fiction |
| Little Fires Everywhere | Ng, Celeste | Fiction |
| Δ True Biz | Novic, Sara | Fiction |
| Hamnet: A Novel of the Plague | O'Farrell, Maggie | Fiction |
| The Nature of Fragile Things | Meissner, Susan | Fiction |

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| The Dutch House | Patchett, Ann | Fiction |
| All The Devils Are Here | Penny, Louise | Mystery |
| Kingdom of the Blind | Penny, Louise | Mystery |
| The Madness of Crowds | Penny, Louise | Mystery |
| The Book of Two Ways | Picoult, Jodi | Fiction |
| Δ The Seven Year Slip | Poston, Ashley | Fiction |
| The Secrets We Kept | Prescott, Lara | Fiction |
| The Maid | Prose, Nita | Fiction |
| Such a Fun Age | Reid, Kiley | Fiction |
| Daisy Jones & The Six | Reid, Taylor Jenkins | Fiction |
| Malibu Rising | Reid, Taylor Jenkins | Fiction |
| The Gown | Robson, Jennifer | Fiction |
| An American Immigrant | Rojas Vann, Johanna | Fiction |
| The Guncle | Rowley, Steven | Fiction |
| The Order | Silva, Daniel | Mystery |
| Δ The Violin Conspiracy | Slocumb, Brendan | Mystery |
| Perestroika in Paris | Smiley, Jane | Fiction |
| Olive Again | Strout, Elizabeth | Fiction |
| More Than Human | Sturgeon, Theodore | Science Fiction |
| Eight Perfect Murders | Swanson, Peter | Mystery |

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| The Joy Luck Club | Tan, Amy | Fiction |
| Δ Listen for the Lie | Tintera, Amy | Mystery |
| The Last Trial | Turow, Scott | Mystery |
| The Lincoln Highway | Towles, Amor | Fiction |
| French Braid | Tyler, Anne | Fiction |
| Δ Remarkably Bright Creatures | Van Pelt, Shelby | Fiction |
| The Love of My Life | Walsh, Rosie | Fiction |
| One by One | Ware, Ruth | Mystery |
| The Turn of the Key | Ware, Ruth | Mystery |
| Δ Project Hail Mary | Weir, Andy | Science Fiction |
| Δ The Two Lives of Sara | West. Catherine Adel | Fiction |
| Δ Black Cake | Wilkerson, Charmaine | Fiction |
| The Seed Keeper | Wilson, Diane | Fiction |
| Nothing to See Here | Wilson, Kevin | Fiction |
| Before We Were Yours | Wingate, Lisa | Fiction |
| The Book of Lost Friends | Wingate, Lisa | Fiction |
| The One-In-A-Million Boy | Wood, Monica | Fiction |

NONFICTION

| Title | Author |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Finding Chika a Little Girl, an Earthquake and the Making of a Family | Albom, Mitch |
| Becoming Duchess Goldblatt | Anonymous |
| △ Briefly Perfectly Human: Making an Authentic Life by Getting Real About the End | Arthur, Alua |
| Bad blood: Secrets and Lies in a Silicon Valley Startup | Carreyrou, John |
| The Long Game: How to be a Long-term Thinker in a Short-term World | Clark, Dorie |
| Vanderbilt: The Rise and Fall of an American Dynasty | Cooper, Anderson and Howe Katherine |
| Poverty, By America | Desmond, Matthew |
| The Greatest Beer Run Ever | Donohue, John “Chick” |
| △ The Death and Life of the Great Lakes | Egan, Dan |
| △ A Fever in the Heartland: The Ku Klux Klan's Plot to Take Over America, and the Woman Who Stopped Them | Egan, Timothy |
| Hangry: A Startup Journey | Evans, Mike |
| Hooked: How Crafting Saved My Life | Foster, Sutton |
| Competing in the New World of Work | Ferrazzi, Keith |
| The Book of Pride | Funk, Mason |

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| △ The Other Dr. Gilmer: Two Men, a Murder, and an Unlikely Fight for Justice | Gilmer, Benjamin |
| Outliers the Story of Success | Gladwell, Malcom |
| Respect Yourself: Stax Records and the Soul Explosion | Gordon, Robert |
| Maybe You Should Talk to Someone: A Therapist, Her Therapist, and our Lives Revealed | Gottlieb, Lori |
| The Wager: A Tale of Shipwreck, Mutiny and Murder Revealed | Grann, David |
| The Last Ride of the Pony Express: My 2,000-mile Horseback Journey into the West | Grant, Will |
| △ The Many Lives of Mama Love : A Memoir of Lying, Stealing, Writing, and Healing | Hardin, Lara Love |
| All Creatures Great and Small | Herriott, James |
| Five Days in November | Hill, Clint |
| Code Breaker: Jennifer Doudna, Gene Editing, and the Future of the Human Race | Isaacson, Walter |
| The Last Queen: Elizabeth II's Seventy Year Battle to Save the House of Windsor | Irving, Clive |
| Braiding Sweetgrass | Kimmerer, Robin Wall |
| Hidden Valley Road: Inside the Mind of an American Family | Kolker, Robert |
| The Splendid and the Vile: A Saga of Churchill, Family, and Defiance During the Blitz | Larson, Erik |

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| Broken (in the Best Possible Way) | Lawson, Jenny |
| The Spy and the Traitor | Macintyre, Ben |
| The Pioneers | McCullough, David |
| River of the Gods: Genius, Courage, and Betrayal in the Search for the Source of the Nile | Millard, Candice |
| ♦ I Know Who You Are: How an Amateur DNA Sleuth Unmasked the Golden State Killer and Changed Crime Fighting Forever | Rae-Venter, Barbara |
| Whiskey Tender: A Memoir | Taffa, Deborah |
| ♦ The Swans of Harlem | Valby, Karen |