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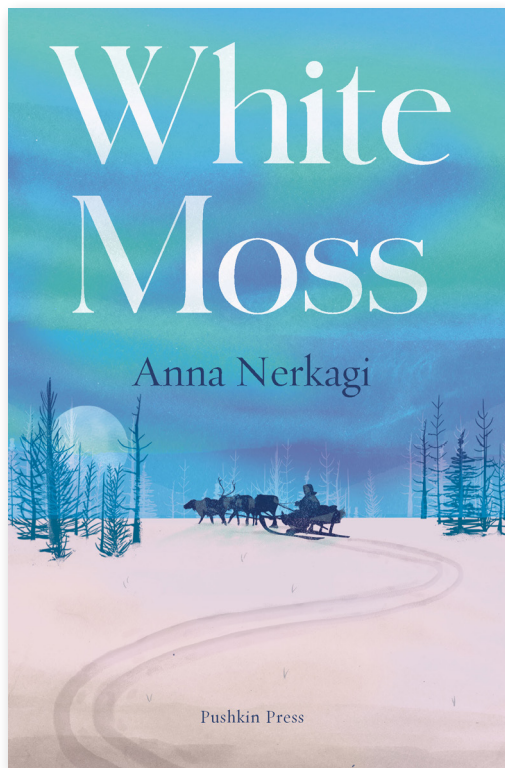


# WHITE MOSS

ANNA NERKAGI



*A poetic and fiercely moving novel of tradition, change and thwarted desire by an internationally celebrated writer from the Indigenous Nenets community*



Deep in northern Siberia, Alyoshka pines for an earlier love while struggling against the ancient Nenets customs of home and family. With Chekhovian eye for human frailty, Anna Nerkagi crafts a multi-voiced drama of lost love and the clash between youthful dreams and the complex ties of home.

ANNA NERKAGI belongs to the Indigenous Nenets community on the Yamal Peninsula in Siberia. As a child, she was separated from her parents by the Soviet authorities and sent to a boarding school, where Indigenous languages were banned. *White Moss* was adapted into the first-ever Nenets-language feature film.

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*"Has few parallels  
in contemporary  
Russian literature"*  
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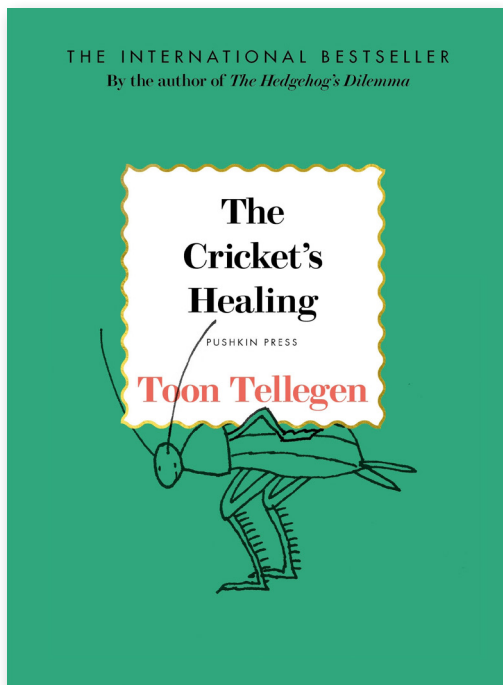
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# THE CRICKET'S HEALING

## TOON TELLEGEN



*The next book in internationally bestselling author Toon Tellegen's witty, philosophical series of animal fables about mental health, which started with The Hedgehog's Dilemma*



One day, the cricket notices a strange feeling in his head: a heavy feeling that won't go away. The animals start calling him 'the gloomy cricket'.

Only after a long time does that feeling disappear

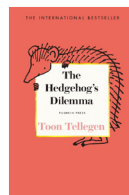
Toon Tellegen sketches a sharply funny and humane portrait of someone struggling with depression and finally overcoming it.

TOON TELLEGEN is one of the Netherlands' best-loved authors. His series of animal fables has sold more than a million copies in the Netherlands alone and the books have become international bestsellers.

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# HOLLOW INSIDE

## ASAKO OTANI



*An offbeat, darkly funny Japanese novel about two women seeking lives outside of traditional relationships*



Stuck in a bland, low-paying job, Hirai, 38, agrees to move in with her colleague Suganuma, 42. Both single and defying social expectations, they create their own soothing domestic routines. But when Suganuma reveals a secret affair, Hirai anxiously rejoins the world of dating apps. In a dating world sapped of genuine connection, where can she turn to feel less hollow?

ASAKO OTANI was born in Chiba Prefecture in 1990. Her debut novel, *Hollow Inside*, won the 2022 Subaru Literary Prize.

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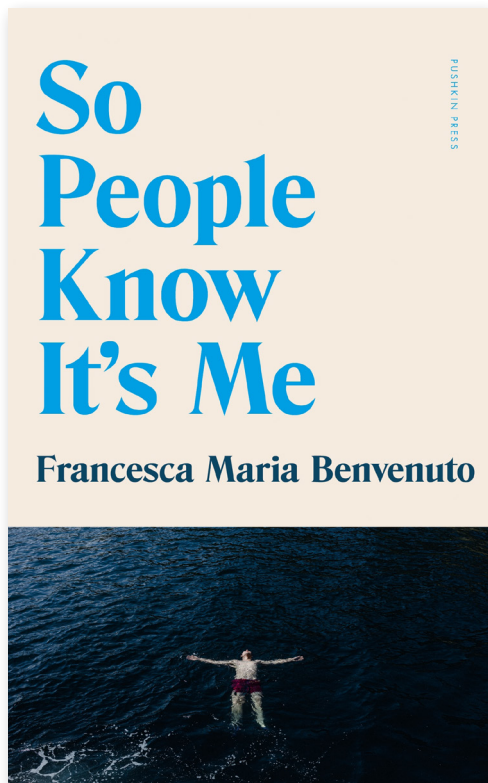
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# SO PEOPLE KNOW IT'S ME

## FRANCESCA MARIA BENVENUTO



*In this audaciously original Italian debut, a teenager is sent to a juvenile prison-island off the coast of Naples and starts committing his innermost thoughts to paper*



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Zeno is 15, in the eyes of the law still a child. But Zeno grew up long ago in Forcella, working as a criminal to support his mother and take his girlfriend Natalina out for pizza. Then one day, Zeno shoots a boy from a rival gang and is sent to Nisida, a juvenile prison-island off the Neapolitan coast. Under the guidance of Ms Martina, a teacher at the prison school, he begins to put pen to paper and write his innermost thoughts. *So People Know It's Me* unveils Zeno's raw, unguarded, glistening voice, as he dreams of a better future.

FRANCESCA BENVENUTO was born in Naples. She started her own law firm in Paris, where she currently works as a criminal lawyer. Her debut novel, *So People Know It's Me*, was published in Italy by Mondadori in 2024.

*"An extraordinary tale of crime and punishment in Naples"*

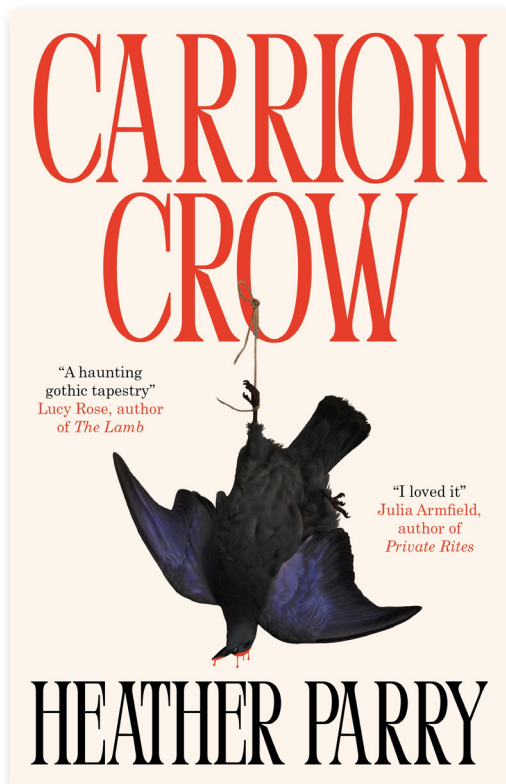
FINANCIAL TIMES

# CARRION CROW

## HEATHER PARRY



*A transportive and gloriously gothic tale exploring mother-daughter relationships, sexuality, and class, set in late Victorian London*



Marguerite Périgord is locked away with only a sewing machine, Mrs. Beeton's *Book of Household Management*, and a crow for company. Her mother, Cécile, insists it's for her own protection. Marguerite's engagement to a penniless solicitor threatens their reputation. Yet both women conceal dangerous secrets. As Marguerite's patience curdles into rage, her mind and body begin to fray, and neither can see what the other is becoming.

HEATHER PARRY'S debut, *Orpheus Builds a Girl*, was shortlisted for the Saltire Fiction Book of the Year award.

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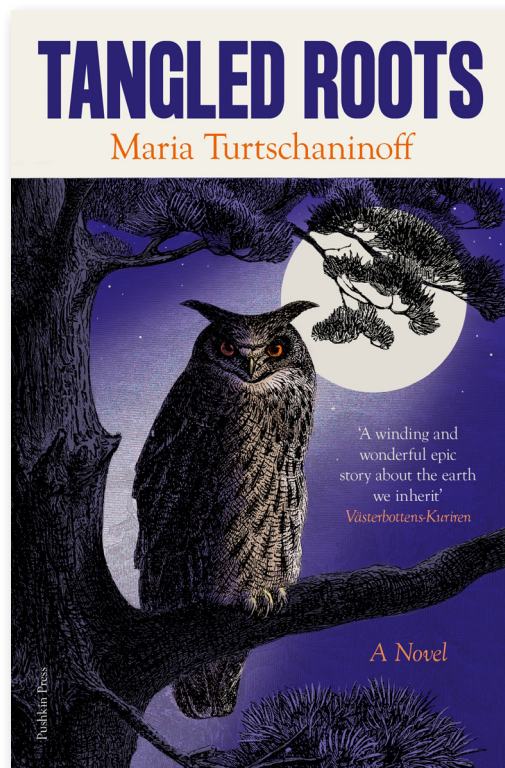
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# TANGLED ROOTS

## MARIA TURTSCHANINOFF



*Spanning over 400 years, Tangled Roots is an epic, multi-generational drama set in one evolving landscape filled with folklore*



An old soldier carves a croft out of the Finnish forest and calls it home. For centuries his descendants will work the farm, through days of plenty and famine, love and war, their fates entangled with the rhythms of the ancient wilderness: a young girl entranced by the forest folk, a faithless fiancé who meets his match beneath the age-old branches, a farmhand with a strange obsession....

MARIA TURTSCHANINOFF is a multi-award-winning author of lyrical, historically inspired stories filled with magic and fantasy.

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*"As beautiful as a jewel  
and as rich as a forest"*

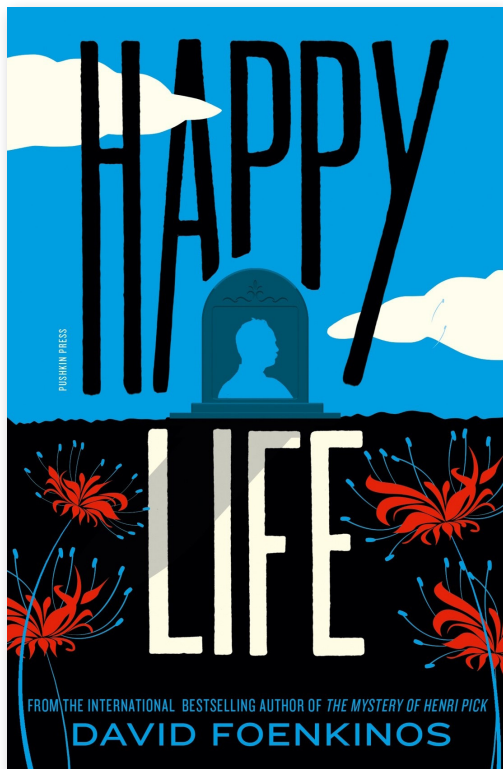
ÅBO UNDERRÄTTELSE

# HAPPY LIFE

## DAVID FOENKINOS



*A poignant and satirical novel about grief, hope and mid-life romance from the internationally-bestselling author of The Mystery of Henri Pick*



Eric Kherson - forty, divorced, distracted - has put everything into personal success. But as a business trip to Seoul starts unravelling, Eric feels more lost than ever.

Then he comes across Happy Life, a store offering a curious service: fake funerals. Could this encounter with death reawaken Eric's appetite for life?

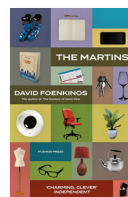
DAVID FOENKINOS is the bestselling author of 17 novels. He received the 2014 Prix Renaudot and Prix Goncourt des Lycéens for *Charlotte*.

*"Here is a lucid and jubilant novel about death!"*  
LE JOURNAL DE QUEBEC

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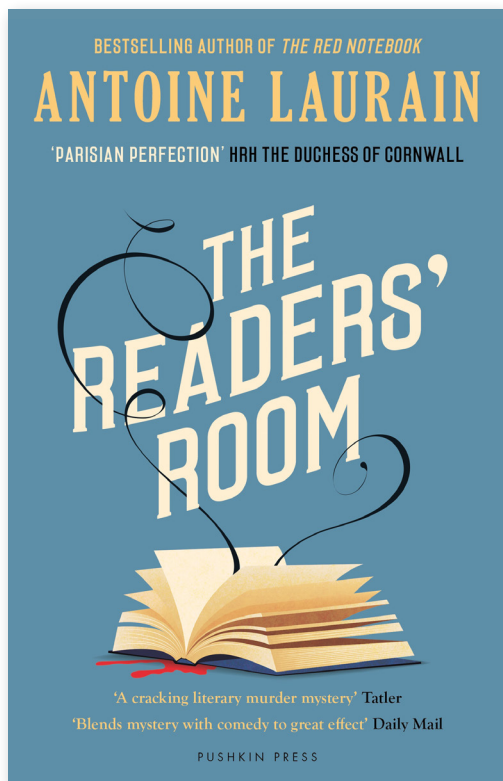


# THE READERS' ROOM

## ANTOINE LAURAIN



*A thrilling murder mystery set in the world of publishing*



When the manuscript of a debut crime novel arrives at a Parisian publishing house, everyone in the readers' room is convinced it's something special. But there's a problem for editor Violaine Lepage: she has no idea of the author's identity.

As the police begin to investigate a series of murders strangely reminiscent of those recounted in the book, Violaine is not the only one looking for answers – but with her memory impaired after an accident, she might be the last to find them.

ANTOINE LAURAIN is the award-winning author of ten novels, including *The Red Notebook* and *The President's Hat*. His books have been translated into 25 languages.

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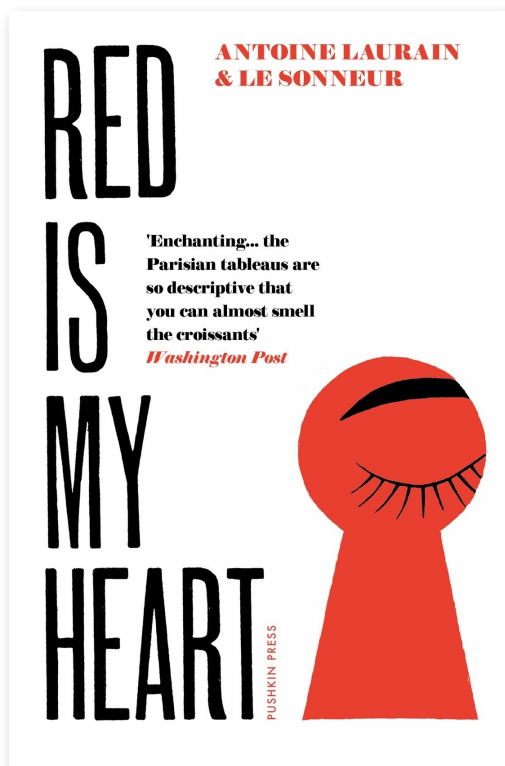
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# RED IS MY HEART

## ANTOINE LAURAIN, LE SONNEUR



*From the author of The Red Notebook, a stunning collection of words and images in collaboration with Parisian street artist, Le Sonneur, about how to mend a broken heart*



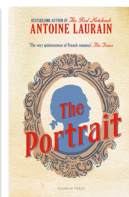
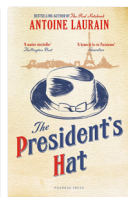
How can you mend a broken heart? Combining the wry musings of a rejected lover with playful drawings in red, black and white, bestselling author Antoine Laurain and renowned street artist Le Sonneur have created a striking addition to the literature of unrequited love.

ANTOINE LAURAIN was born in Paris and lives there still. He is a journalist, antiques collector and award-winning author of ten novels, including *The Red Notebook* and *The President's Hat*. His books have been translated into 25 languages and sold more than 200,000 copies in English.

*"You can almost smell  
the croissants"*  
WASHINGTON POST

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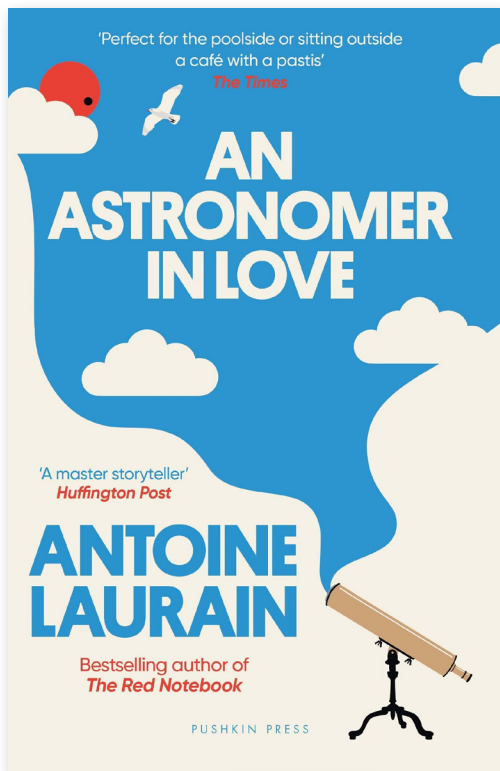
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# AN ASTRONOMER IN LOVE

## ANTOINE LAURAIN



*From the author of The Red Notebook, a historical adventure and part modern-day love story, an enchanting tale of destiny and the power of love*



In 1760, Guillaume le Gentil, astronomer to King Louis XV, sets sail for India. In the end he will live through 11 years of adventures and misadventures, enduring illness, shipwreck, and the loss of more than he could have imagined, before he returns home.

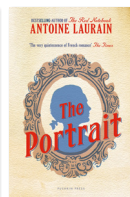
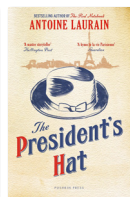
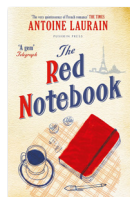
250 years later, Xavier Lemercier chances upon Guillaume's telescope in a flea market. Xavier, a divorced single father struggling to keep his business afloat, will find meaning in pursuing the same quest as Guillaume did centuries earlier.

ANTOINE LAURAIN was born in Paris and lives there still. He is a journalist, antiques collector and award-winning author of ten novels, including *The Red Notebook* and *The President's Hat*.

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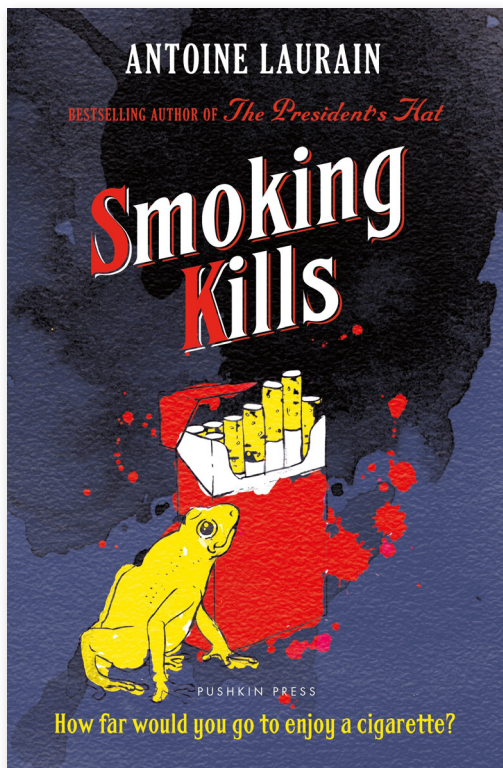
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# SMOKING KILLS

## ANTOINE LAURAIN



*In Antoine Laurain's witty black comedy his anti-hero, Fabrice, can only make smoking pleasurable by committing the ultimate crime*



When headhunter Fabrice Valentine faces a smoking ban at work, he gets hypnotherapy. His habit is cured, but then he accidentally causes a man's death, and the cigarette he smokes after is the best of his life. What will he do to recapture that feeling? An original and totally French black comedy.

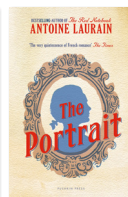
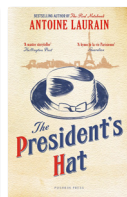
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*"A brisk black comedy"*  
GUARDIAN

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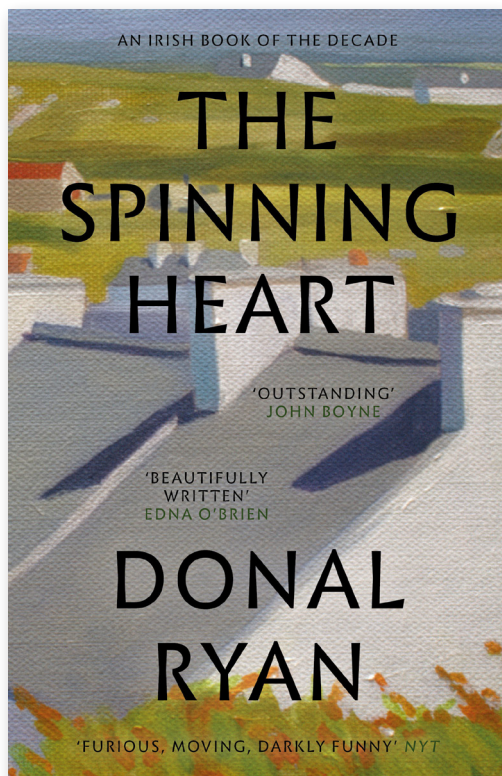


# THE SPINNING HEART

DONAL RYAN



*As Ireland reels from economic ruin, a community's buried tensions come to light.  
Winner of the Irish Book Award and Finalist for the Booker Prize*



Wry, vulnerable, and profoundly moving, *The Spinning Heart* is at its core a story about identity—how people present themselves to the world, and the inner truths they conceal. The narrative unfolds through a chorus of 21 distinct voices, capturing the language and spirit of rural Ireland with uncanny perception and articulating the thoughts and anxieties of a generation.

DONAL RYAN, from Nenagh, County Tipperary, is the author of several #1 bestselling novels. His work has won the European Union Prize for Literature, the Guardian First Book Award, and six Irish Book Awards, and twice been longlisted for the Booker Prize.

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# THE KING IN YELLOW

## ROBERT W. CHAMBERS



*A beautiful new paperback edition of this cult classic of supernatural fiction*



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The weird tales in this volume are all linked by a play, the second act of which reveals truths so terrible and beautiful that it drives all who read it to despair: *The King in Yellow*.

These four macabre, uncanny stories are some of the most thrilling ever written in the field of weird fiction, and since their first publication in 1895 have become a cult classic, influencing many writers from H.P. Lovecraft to the creator of HBO's *True Detective*.

ROBERT W. CHAMBERS (1865-1933) was a hugely influential American author and artist. *The King in Yellow* is regarded as one of the most important works of American supernatural fiction.

*"One of the greatest weird tales ever written"*

H.P. LOVECRAFT

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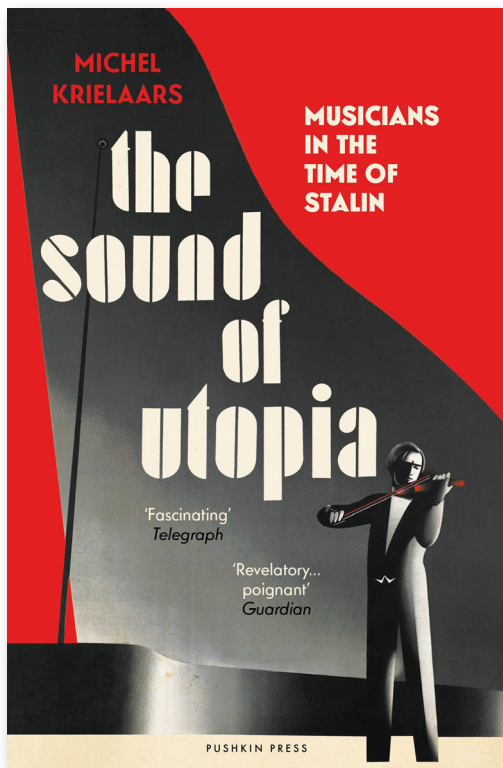


# THE SOUND OF UTOPIA: MUSICIANS IN THE TIME OF STALIN

## MICHEL KRIELAARS



*An engrossing, wide-ranging account of the artists trying to make music in the dangerous time of Stalin's purges*



In Stalin's Russia, making music was acutely dangerous. In *The Sound of Utopia*, Michel Krielaars vividly depicts Soviet musicians and composers struggling to create art in a climate of risk, suspicion and fear. Tracing the twists and turns of these artists' fortunes, he paints a fascinating and disturbing portrait of Soviet musical life.

MICHEL KRIELAARS is a writer and a journalist specialising in Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union, who currently writes for the Dutch daily newspaper NRC.

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*"Revelatory... poignant"*  
**GUARDIAN**

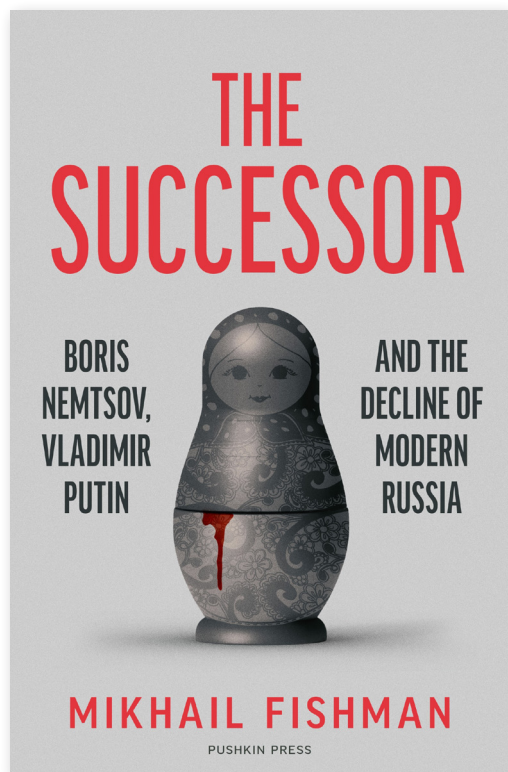


# THE SUCCESSOR: BORIS NEMTSOV, VLADIMIR PUTIN AND THE DECLINE OF MODERN RUSSIA



MIKHAIL FISHMAN

*A landmark work of political history that tells the story of the decline of modern Russia through the tumultuous life of Boris Nemtsov*



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Charismatic liberal leader Boris Nemtsov began his political career in the late 80s, at a time of optimism for Russia's democratic future; he was murdered on a Moscow bridge near the Kremlin in 2015, with the country deep in dictatorship. He took part in or witnessed all the landmark events that shaped Russia and its political trajectory, from the first free national elections to the annexation of Crimea in 2014. Nemtsov's fate reflects Russia's fate.

MIKHAIL FISHMAN is one of Russia's leading political journalists. He served as editor-in-chief of *Russian Newsweek* and *The Moscow Times*, as well as hosting a programme at independent news network TV Rain. He lives in exile with his family in Amsterdam.

*"Tells the Nemtsov story with extraordinary reportorial detail"*

DAVID REMNICK

# THE MADMAN'S GUIDE TO STAMP COLLECTING



ROBERT IRWIN

*A fascinating, one-of-a-kind journey through the world of stamps and collecting by  
maverick historian and writer Robert Irwin*



Why do we collect? Is it to rescue objects from oblivion? Is it a kind of desire – or even a kind of madness? In this mosaic of fiction, philosophy, sociology, biography and autobiography, virtuoso thinker Robert Irwin takes us on a wayward journey through the art of collecting. This is a book of wonders; of labyrinthine digressions, good humour and a delight in small things. It is a meditation on the stuff of life.

ROBERT IRWIN (1946-2024) was a novelist, publisher, reviewer, Arabist and historian.

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*"Encyclopedic,  
curious, labyrinthine  
and surprising"*

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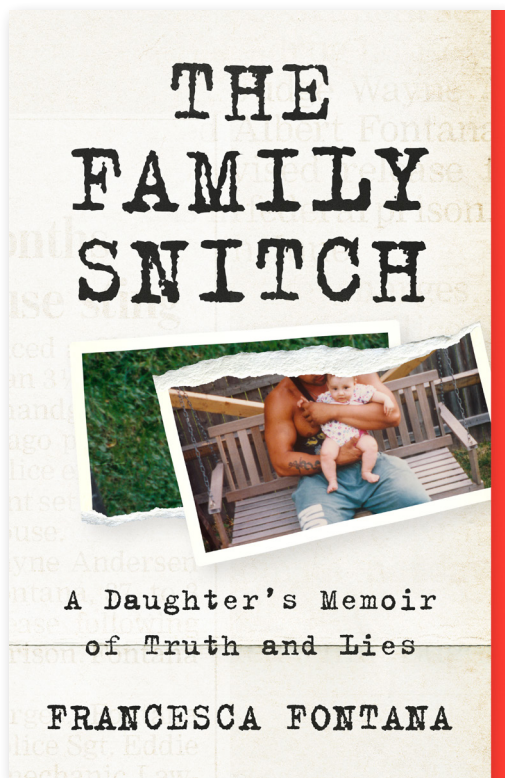


# THE FAMILY SNITCH: A DAUGHTER'S MEMOIR OF TRUTH AND LIES

FRANCESCA FONTANA

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*A Wall Street Journal reporter confronts the most difficult subject she's ever covered, her own father. A stunning debut*



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A distant father with a larger-than-life past, but could you trust anything he said?

A loving mother who kept her youth private, saying, "My life started when you were born."

A daughter in search of the truth: verifiable, objective, unimpeachable.

A family story that illuminates the many ways we inherit more than blood from our parents. And yet, their destiny isn't ours.

FRANCESCA FONTANA is a reporter at the *Wall Street Journal* and recipient of a Front Page Award from the Newswomen's Club of New York. She lives in Brooklyn.

*"Superb! A relentless, true-crime memoir"*

PJ VOGT, HOST OF  
SEARCH ENGINE

# UNSHAMING: A MEMOIR OF RECOVERY, RELAPSE, AND WHAT COMES AFTER

JOWITA BYDLOWSKA

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*A dangerously honest and grimly funny memoir that also contains useful information, guidance, and wisdom*

## UNSHAMING



JOWITA BYDLOWSKA

Bestselling author of *Drunk Mom*

In prose that is at turns harsh and beautiful, the author writes about her spiral into alcoholism, and the climb back out, and explores the fundamental role shame plays in addiction.

*Unshaming* is for anyone who has ever felt the quiet, corrosive grip of shame — and who is ready to learn how to recognize and loosen its hold.

JOWITA BYDLOWSKA was born in Warsaw, Poland, and moved to Canada as a teenager. She is also the author of the bestselling memoir *Drunk Mom*, and she lives in Toronto.

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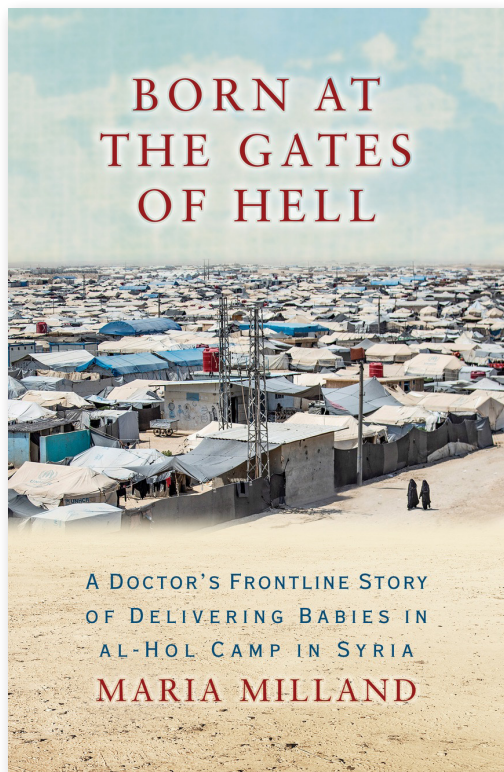
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# BORN AT THE GATES OF HELL: A DOCTOR'S FRONTLINE STORY OF DELIVERING BABIES IN AL-HOL CAMP IN SYRIA

MARIA MILLAND

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*An OB-GYN recounts 9 grueling months at the notorious al-Hol refugee camp in Syria*



Imagine what it's like to be pregnant and give birth — or to try to care for and protect a family in the middle of hopelessness?

This testament to human resilience provides a vivid firsthand account of life inside a desolate and dangerous tent city where refugees have been detained for more than thirty years behind razor wire fences with armed guards.

MARIA MILLAND is a Danish obstetrician and gynecologist who has been deployed 12 times for international organizations to various countries throughout Africa, the Middle- and Far-East, and the Caribbean.

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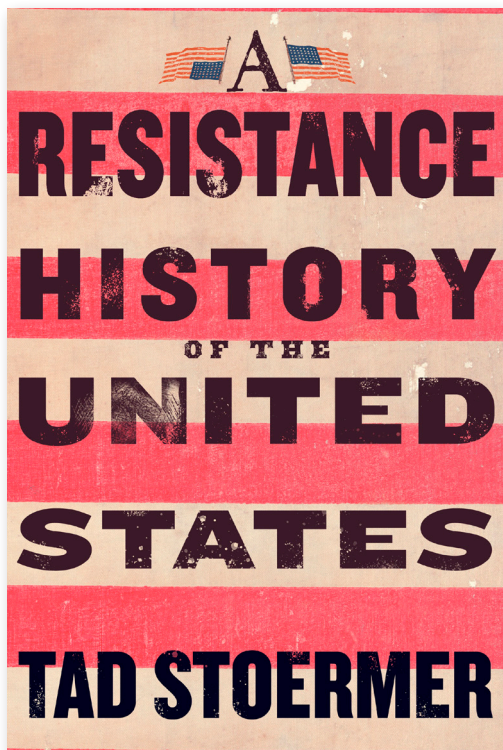


# A RESISTANCE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

TAD STOERMER

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*A bold new history of the United States through the prism of resistance movements and the principles we can learn from them to shape and change the present and future*



The tension between liberty and oppression has defined the American experience more than the Enlightenment ideals enshrined in the Declaration of Independence and Constitution.

Events like the Salem Witch Trials and figures like John Brown's supporters are part of our nation's DNA.

This indispensable volume also features a "Resistance Toolkit" to help understand and employ the principles this history reveals.

TAD STOERMER is a public historian who trained at the University of Virginia, Johns Hopkins, and Harvard, a former Congressional staffer and US Army reconnaissance scout. He lives in Denmark.

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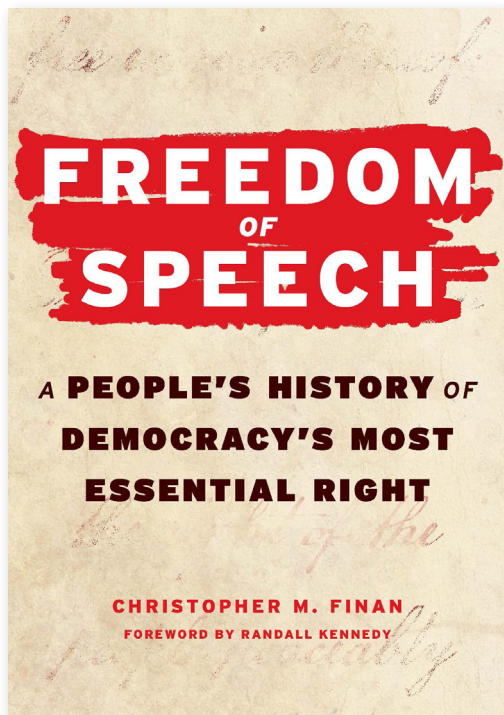
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# FREEDOM OF SPEECH: A PEOPLE'S HISTORY OF DEMOCRACY'S MOST ESSENTIAL RIGHT

CHRISTOPHER M. FINAN

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*An essential look at how the powerless have exercised their First Amendment right to free speech, informing how we can defend democracy today*



Today, books are being banned at a level not seen in decades, and officials are attacking First Amendment rights to consolidate power.

Finan's page-turning storytelling introduces readers to unsung heroes from American history whose examples show that the most effective antidote for hate speech, misinformation, political violence, and anti-democratic efforts is a robust marketplace of ideas.

CHRISTOPHER M. FINAN is former executive director of the National Coalition Against Censorship and former president of the American Booksellers Foundation for Free Expression. He has a Ph.D. in American History from Columbia University.

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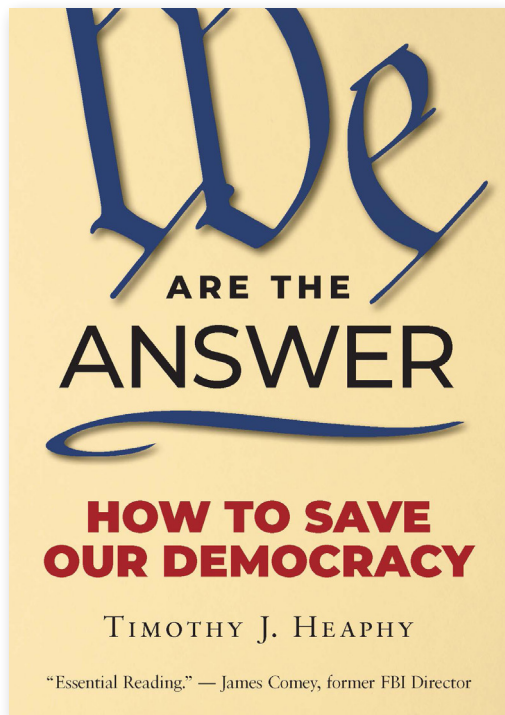


# WE ARE THE ANSWER: HOW TO SAVE OUR DEMOCRACY

TIMOTHY J. HEAPHY

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*Inspiration and practical ideas for preserving democracy, countering political violence, and restoring institutional legitimacy from the lead investigator of Charlottesville and January 6*



The two seminal investigations that he led into political violence taught Tim Heaphy the American political system was broken.

Balancing practical considerations with defiant hopefulness, Heaphy provides ways to empower ourselves and others to defend the rule of law.

TIMOTHY J. HEAPHY was lead investigator for Congress's January 6th committee and into the 2017 riot in Charlottesville and is a former US Attorney and University of Virginia general counsel.

*"Heaphy's ideas about our country's future should be listened to by all"*

JOHN GRISHAM

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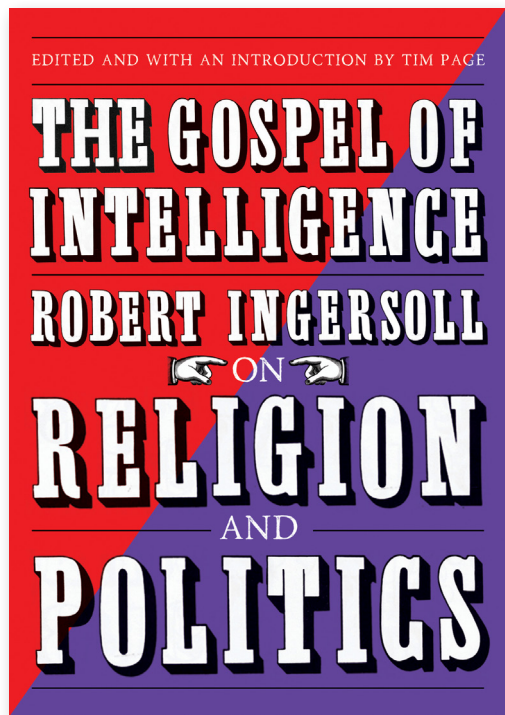
# THE GOSPEL OF INTELLIGENCE:

## ROBERT INGERSOLL ON RELIGION AND POLITICS

### ROBERT INGERSOLL

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PRESS

*A selection from the works of America's most pivotal free thinker that challenges misunderstandings and faulty logic about our nation's founding that persist today*



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Robert Ingersoll is one of the great lost figures in US history, all but forgotten at a time America needs him most. A champion of the separation of church and state and the rights of women and Black Americans, he drew enormous crowds in the late 19th century.

In a new biographical introduction, Pulitzer Prize-winner Tim Page puts Ingersoll back where he belongs: at the forefront of independent American thought.

**ROBERT INGERSOLL** (1833-1899), was for a long stretch during the 19th century one of the most famous men in America.

*"Ingersoll's ideas force a reader to reexamine the words freedom, liberty, truth and democracy"*

**LOS ANGELES TIMES**

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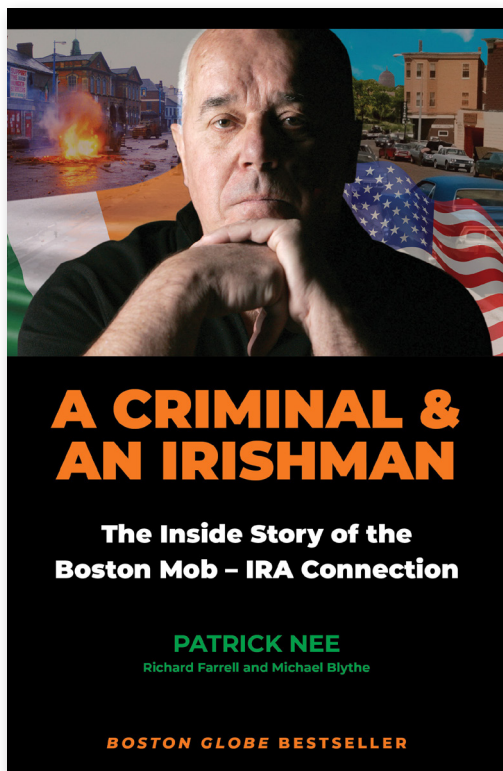


# A CRIMINAL AND AN IRISHMAN: THE INSIDE STORY OF THE BOSTON MOB – IRA CONNECTION

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PATRICK NEE, RICHARD FARRELL AND MICHAEL BLYTHE

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In this 20th anniversary edition of a bestselling true-crime classic, Pat Nee details his evolution from tough street kid to armed robber and potential killer, disclosing how he used his underworld connections to smuggle weapons and money from the US to Ireland, including the transatlantic shipment of 7 ½ tons of munitions aboard the fishing trawler *Valhalla*.

PATRICK NEE a Marine veteran of Vietnam and former rival and associate of Whitey Bulger, used his underworld connections to advance the IRA's efforts to end British rule in Northern Ireland.

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*"A profane, often brutal  
memoir"*

THE BOSTON HERALD

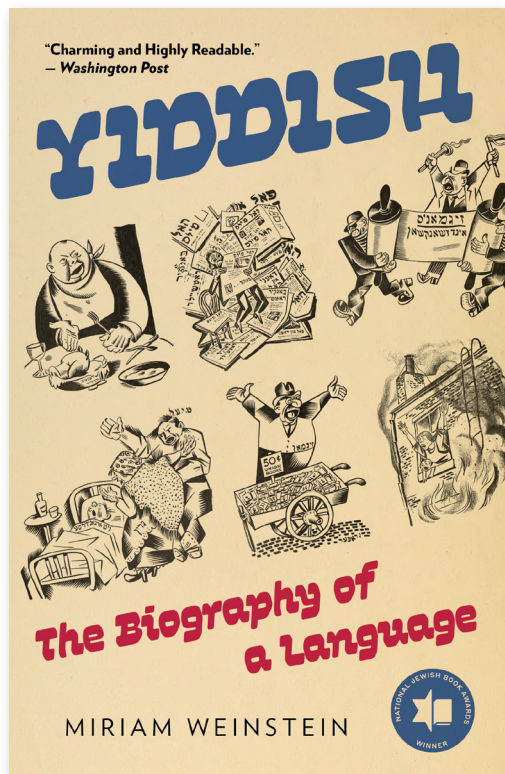
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# YIDDISH: THE BIOGRAPHY OF A LANGUAGE

MIRIAM WEINSTEIN

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*For a people of exile, the language took the place of a nation. . .*



This 25th anniversary edition of a popular history of Yiddish is so full of life that it reads like a biography of the language. Its tales range far beyond Europe, from North America to Israel to the Russian-Chinese border, and from the end of the first millennium to the present day. In a time of rising antisemitism, greater awareness of the history of Yiddish speakers is a way to foster understanding.

MIRIAM WEINSTEIN writes about family, friendship, how we navigate time, and how we make meaning in our lives.

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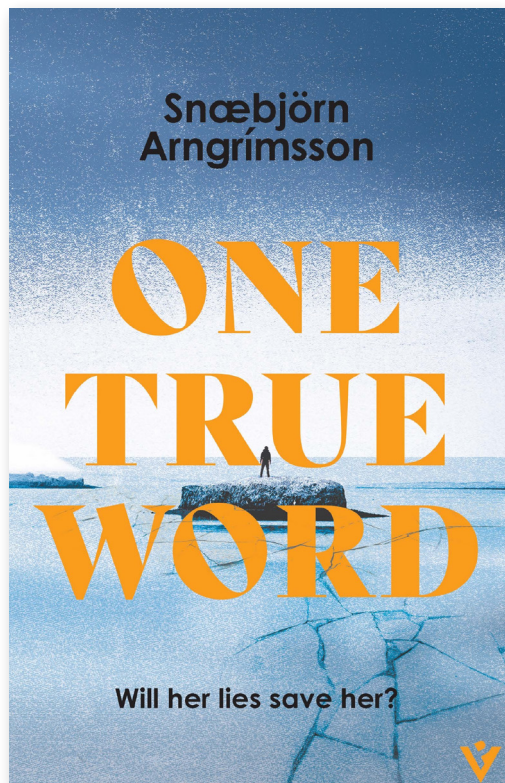


# ONE TRUE WORD

SNÆBJÖRN ARNGRÍMSSON



*A #1 bestselling hypnotic psychological thriller from Iceland, in which a woman abandons her husband on an uninhabited island*



Why did she do it? After a day of simmering tension, Júlía snaps and abandons her husband Gíó on an uninhabited island in a freezing fjord.

When she returns the next morning, he is nowhere to be found. The police launch a manhunt, but soon their suspicion falls on Júlía.

Is Gíó alive or dead? In hiding or hunting her down? And can Júlía get to the truth before it destroys her?

SNÆBJÖRN ARNGRÍMSSON is a bestselling author and award-winning translator.

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*"For fans of Ruth Ware's  
The Lying Game and  
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I Lie"*

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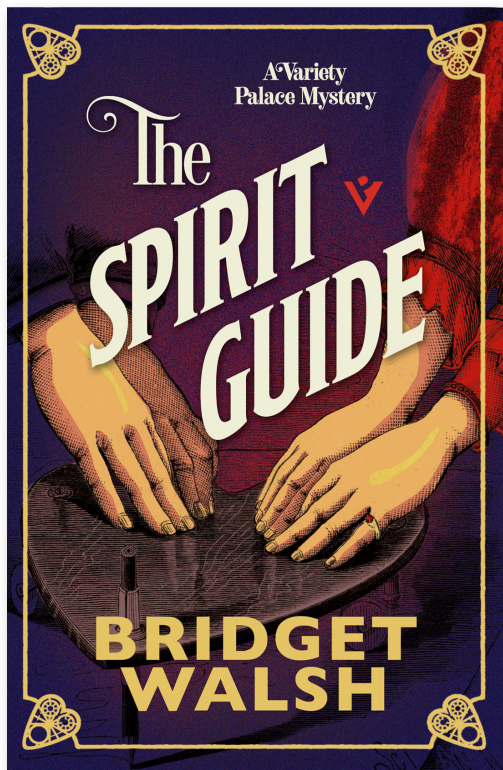


# THE SPIRIT GUIDE

## BRIDGET WALSH



*A witty, fast-paced novel of murder, manipulation and quest for celebrity in Victorian London: the third in the beloved Variety Palace Mysteries series*



1879, London.

An investigation into two mysterious deaths leads detectives Minnie Ward and Albert Easterbrook to the doors of the Spirit Sisterhood, a female-only spiritualist group that facilitates communion with the dead. Minnie isn't buying it. She goes undercover at the organisation's countryside home, and finds herself drawn into the world of ghosts and mediumship. Can she find a way out before time runs out?

**BRIDGET WALSH** is a British-Irish author of historical mysteries. Her 2024 novel *The Tumbling Girl* was longlisted for a CWA Gold Dagger award.

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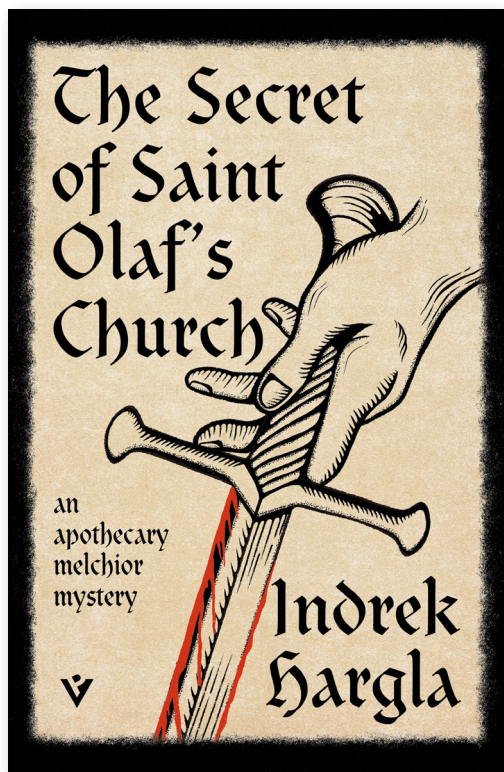


# THE SECRET OF SAINT OLAF'S CHURCH:

## AN APOTHECARY MELCHIOR MYSTERY

### INDREK HARGLA

*The first in a series of gripping historical murder mysteries, set in fifteenth century Estonia*



Fifteenth-century Tallinn: a town of merchants and engineers, dominated by the mighty castle of Toompea and the construction of St Olaf's Church, soon to become the tallest building in the world...

And a serial killer is loose. Apothecary Melchior – famed for his scientific knowledge – is determined to uncover the truth. But as the city's networks of corruption begin to close around him, it becomes clear that here, speaking out spells untold danger...

INDREK HARGLA is a prolific and bestselling Estonian author. His *Apothecary Melchior* series has been adapted into a popular film trilogy.

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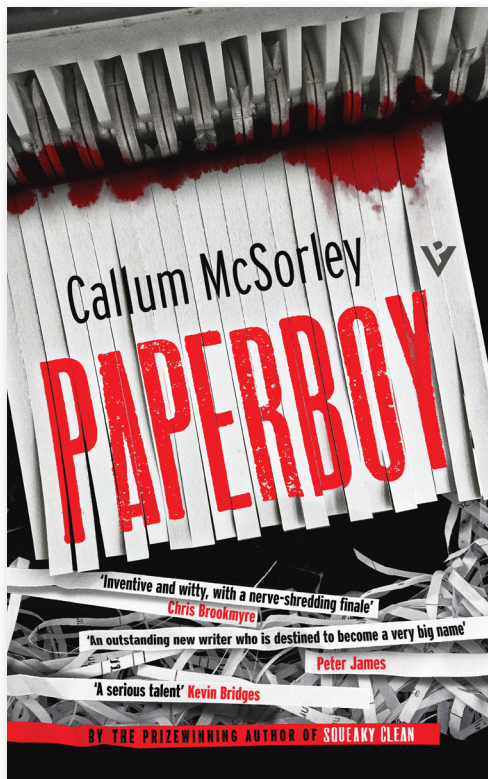
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# PAPERBOY

## CALLUM MCSORLEY



*The dark, rawly comic follow-up to Squeaky Clean, winner of the McIlvanney Prize for best Scottish crime book of the year*



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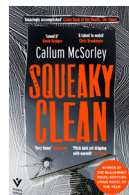
DCI Alison McCoist is back: newly promoted and even less popular.

Chuck Gardner is the proud owner of both a confidential paper-shredding business and a serious betting habit. When Chuck finds some scandalous paperwork and McCoist investigates a rat-nibbled corpse under a flyover, they are both sucked into a deadly stramash of gangland wars and police corruption...

**CALLUM MCSORLEY** is an award-winning writer based in Glasgow. His first two DCI Ally McCoist books respectively won and were longlisted for the McIlvanney Prize.

*"A serious talent"*  
**KEVIN BRIDGES**

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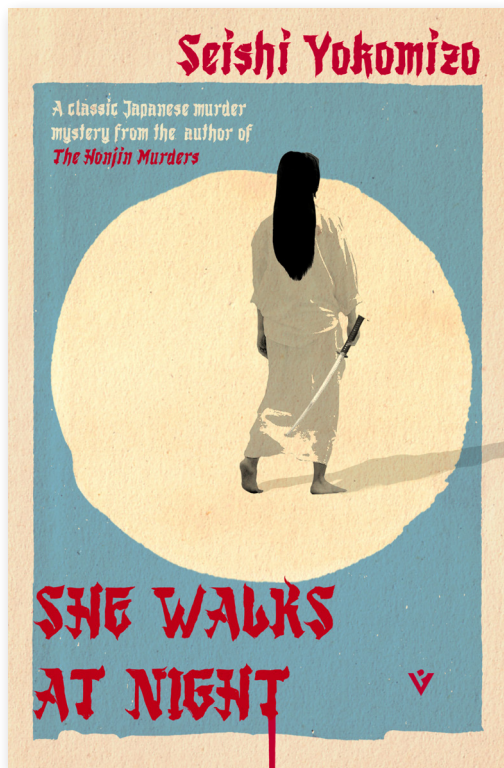
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# SHE WALKS AT NIGHT

## SEISHI YOKOMIZO



*The latest classic Japanese mystery featuring beloved detective Kosuke Kindaichi is filled with bloody murders, mysterious family scandals and madness*



The luxurious Furugami family estate is beset by madness, murder and a terrifying curse. When a mutilated, headless body is discovered on the estate, all the evidence points to Yachiyo – a captivating, unstable young woman living with the family. Enter famed detective Kosuke Kindaichi, to pick apart the threads of the family's carefully-woven story. But can he find the killer before the family is destroyed by its own secrets?

SEISHI YOKOMIZO (1902-81) was one of Japan's most famous mystery writers. Another seven of his famed Kosuke Kindaichi mysteries, including *The Honjin Murders*, are available from Pushkin Vertigo.

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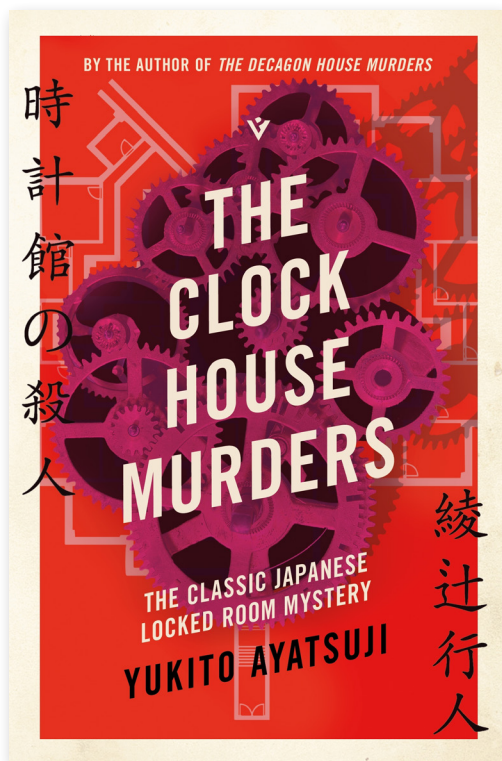
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# THE CLOCK HOUSE MURDERS

## YUKITO AYATSUJI



*A twisty classic Japanese locked-room mystery from the author of The Decagon House Murders*



A group of paranormal investigators plan to spend three days locked in the reputedly haunted Clock House. But when a gruesome murder is committed, the survivors find they are trapped in the mansion, with no possibility of escape...

Outside, detective Shimada Kiyoshi investigates the house's dark secrets. As the team are killed off one by one, can he solve the mystery before it's too late?

YUKITO AYATSUJI is a Japanese writer of mystery and horror novels and one of the founding members of the Honkaku Mystery Writers Club of Japan.

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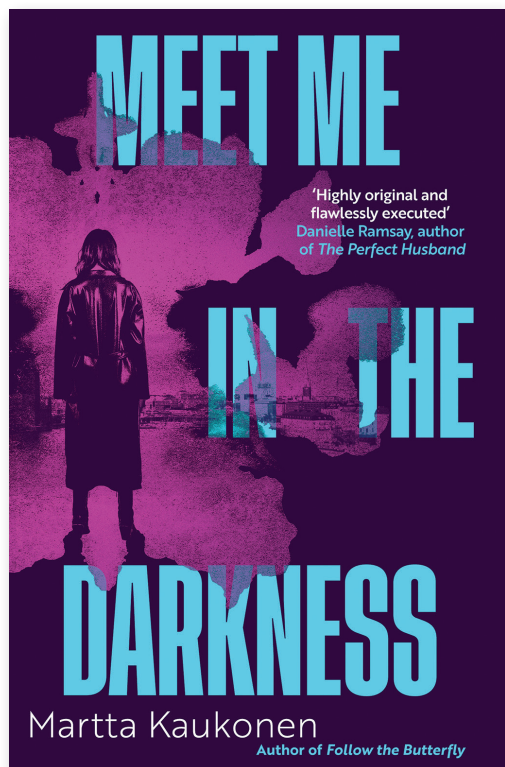


# MEET ME IN THE DARKNESS

MARTTA KAUKONEN



*The propulsive sequel to Martta Kaukonen's internationally-bestselling thriller*  
Follow the Butterfly



Investigative journalist Ida stumbles upon a series of murders that all point to a hidden serial killer stalking the streets of Helsinki. Leading the official investigation is DCI Kerttu Leppänen, a veteran homicide officer with retirement in sight and ghosts she can't lay to rest. Haunted by unsolved cases and her own regrets, Kerttu is determined to uncover the truth before the killer strikes again. But the past has a way of tightening its grip. And it's not finished with them yet.

MARTTA KAUKONEN is the internationally-bestselling author of *Follow the Butterfly*.

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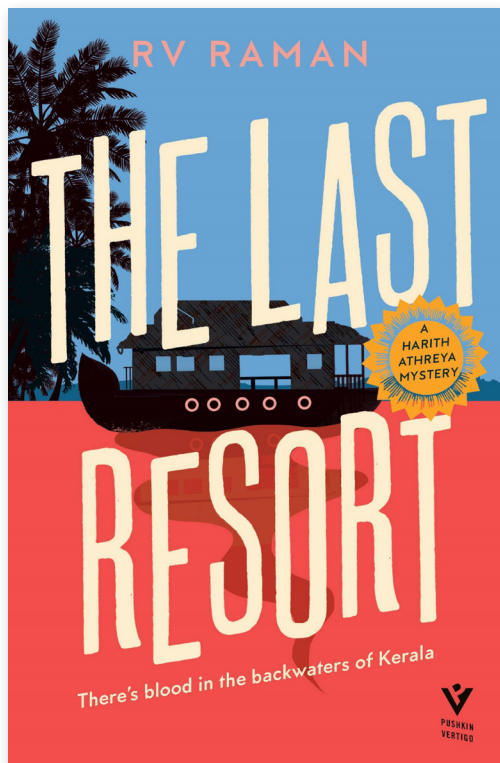
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# THE LAST RESORT

## RV RAMAN



*Cinematic, expertly plotted, contemporary stand-alone mysteries featuring “an Indian Hercule Poirot”*



Detective Harith Athreya is recuperating in the beautiful backwaters of Kerala when he meets a family of vacationing Bollywood royalty, who ask for his help making a murder mystery film.

But the family is not what it seems—there are rumours of major money troubles and links to organised crime.

When one of them is found dead, Athreya puts his holiday on hold to solve the case...

RV RAMAN turned to writing after a corporate career spanning four decades and has published four novels in the acclaimed *Detective Harith Athreya* series.

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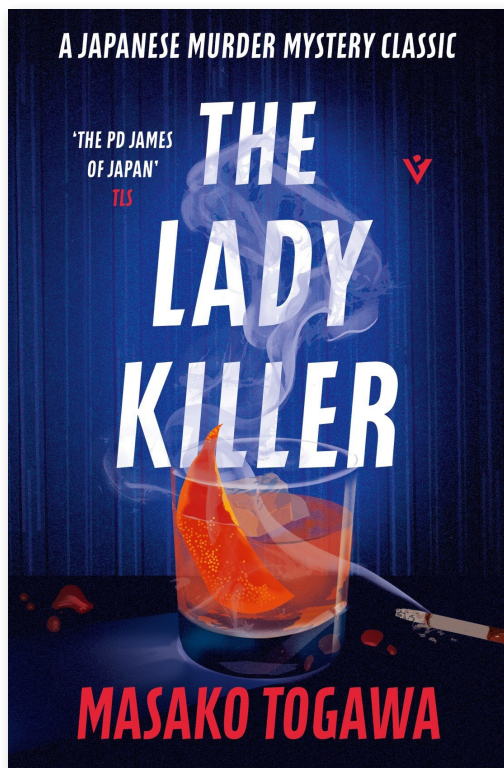


# THE LADY KILLER

## MASAKO TOGAWA



*A dizzying tale of lust and murder, from one of Japan's greatest mystery writers.*



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A hunter prowls the night spots of Shinjuku. But he's the one walking into a trap...

By day Ichiro Honda is a devoted husband and diligent worker, by night he moves through the shadow world of Tokyo's clubs in search of vulnerable women to seduce, then abandon. But when a trail of bodies seems to appear in his wake, the hunter becomes the prey and Ichiro realises he has been caught in a snare...

MASAKO TOGAWA (1931-2016) was one of Japan's foremost writers of crime fiction, as well as a singer, actress, feminist nightclub owner and queer icon.

*"Subtly menacing tensions and sharp psychological insights"*

KIRKUS

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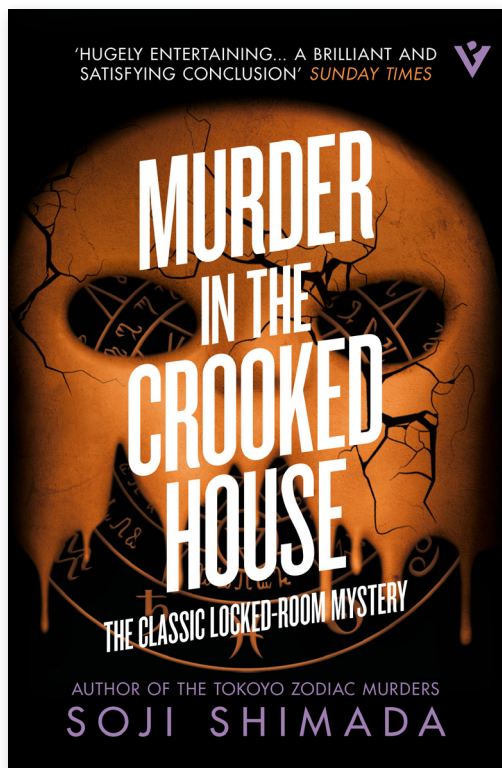


# MURDER IN THE CROOKED HOUSE

## SOJI SHIMADA



*A new edition of the follow-up to the acclaimed Tokyo Zodiac Murders – a fiendish locked room mystery from a Japanese master of the genre*



The Crooked House sits on a snowbound cliff in Northern Japan. When a guest is found murdered in impossible circumstances, the police are unable to solve the puzzle, and more bizarre deaths follow.

Enter renowned sleuth Kiyoshi Mitarai... But you have all the clues too - can you solve the mystery of the murders in the Crooked House first?

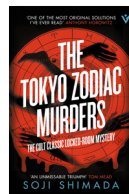
SOJI SHIMADA has been dubbed the 'God of Mystery' by international audiences. He is the author of over a hundred works. In 2009 Shimada received the prestigious Japan Mystery Literature Award in recognition of his life's work.

*"A tour de force"*  
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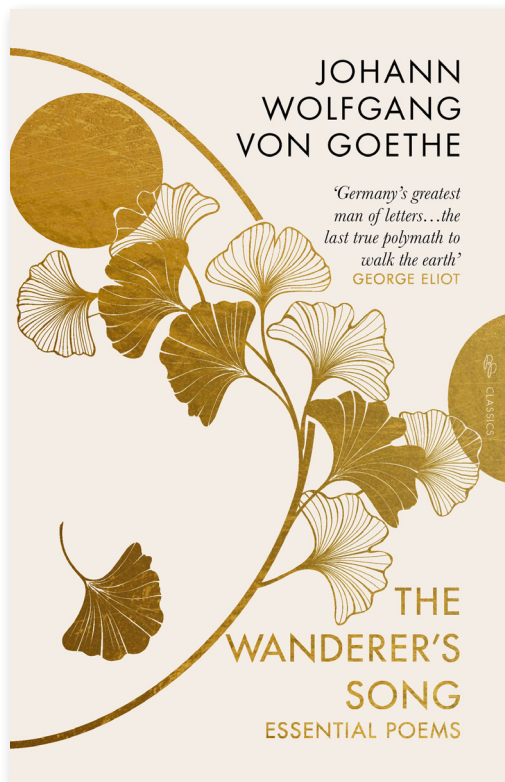
# THE WANDERER'S SONG:

## ESSENTIAL POEMS

### JOHANN WOLFGANG VON GOETHE

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*A fresh translation of the lyric poetry of German Romantic and polymath Johann Wolfgang von Goethe, capturing Goethe's life through his verse*



A fresh translation of the lyric poetry of German Romantic and polymath Johann Wolfgang von Goethe. Goethe is undoubtedly Germany's greatest poet, as Shakespeare is England's. This selection provides a portrait of Goethe's life from childhood to old age: full of travel, romantic fixations, curiosity, nostalgia, deep thought, and above all, writing.

JOHANN WOLFGANG VON GOETHE (1749-1832), best remembered for his *Faust* and his novel *The Sorrows of Young Werther*, is one of the foundational figures of the Romantic movement and a giant of German literature.

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*"The last true polymath to walk the earth"*  
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# WOLF MOON

## JULIO LLAMAZARES

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*A tense, lyrical novel of life on the run in Francoist Spain, full of action and dramatic landscapes*



1937. Having lost the Civil War in Spain, four republican soldiers lead a fugitive existence deep in the Cantabrian mountains. On the run, skirmishing with Franco's soldiers, surrender means execution – and it is only a matter of time before the fascists hunt them down.

First published in 1985, *Wolf Moon* was the first novel to break with the pact of silence which followed Franco's death in 1975.

JULIO LLAMAZARES (b. 1955), poet, novelist, essayist, journalist and screenwriter, whose work has been translated into over twenty languages.

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*"Close to perfection"*  
BENJAMIN MYERS

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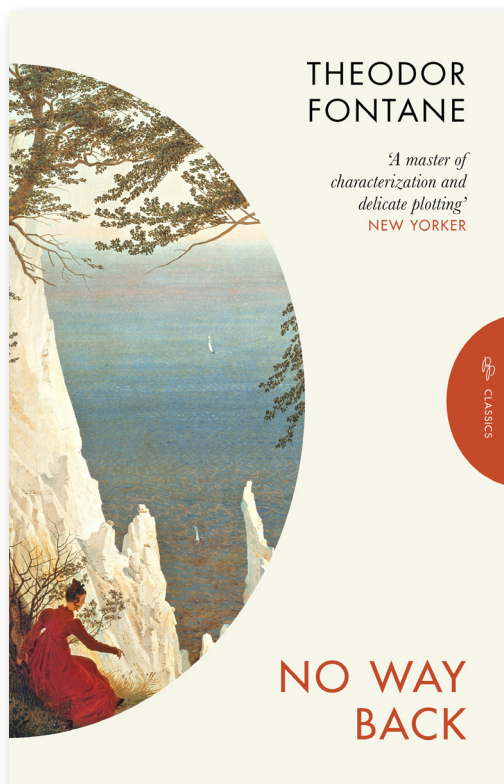
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# NO WAY BACK

## THEODOR FONTANE

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CLASSICS

*An affable but naïve German count's determination to build a castle by the sea sets off a chain of events that end in disaster for his family, in this elegantly ironic realist masterpiece*



As war between Prussia and Denmark brews, a German nobleman is called to serve as a gentleman-in-waiting at the Danish court.

Seduced by the worldly ways of the Danish courtiers, Count Holk begins an affair, and drifts ever farther away from his wife Christine. When they meet again, will they be able to find a way back to the love they once shared?

THEODOR FONTANE (1819-98) worked for most of his life as a journalist, but began writing novels at the age of fifty-seven, including the realist masterpiece *Effi Briest*.

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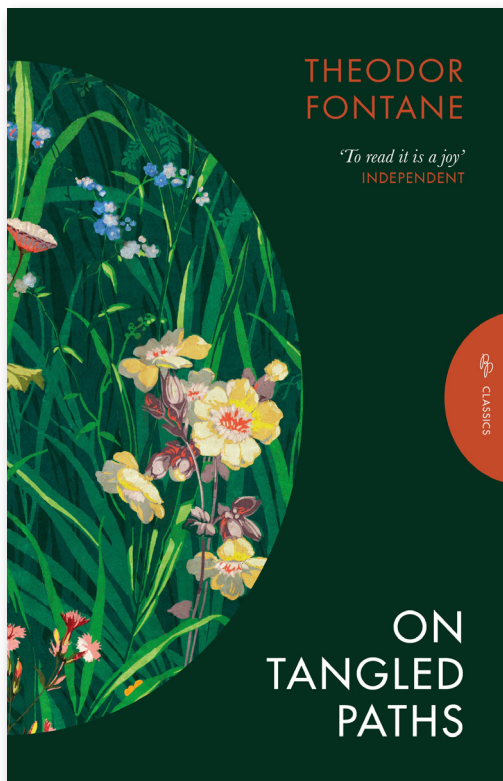
*"A master of  
characterization and  
delicate plotting"*  
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# ON TANGLED PATHS

## THEODOR FONTANE

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*An orphaned seamstress and an aristocratic cavalry officer fall in love across the class divide in 19th-century Berlin, in this tender and witty portrait of a changing society*



Lene is an orphaned seamstress; Botho is a nobleman and an officer in one of the Prussian army's most glittering regiments. But whatever their differences of class and education, their hearts are equal to each other. Over the course of a summer in 1870s Berlin, they enjoy a clear-eyed, tender love affair, in spite of the judgements and warnings of those around them.

THEODOR FONTANE (1819-98) worked for most of his life as a journalist, but began writing novels at the age of fifty-seven, including the realist masterpiece *Effi Briest*.

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*"Sparkling,  
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delicately ironic"*

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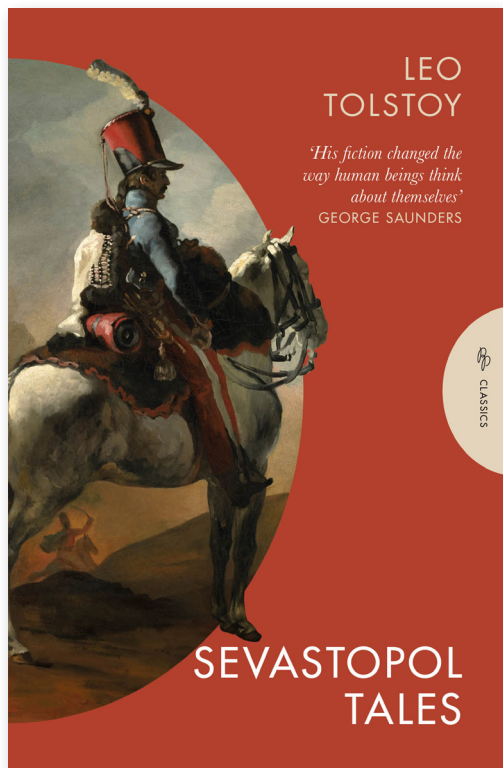


# SEVASTOPOL TALES

## LEO TOLSTOY

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*A new translation of Tolstoy's shockingly immersive, formally inventive and masterfully ironic account of life under siege during the Crimean War*



Leo Tolstoy's vivid, inventive, ironic account of battle and bravery was based on his own experiences in the Crimean War. Written in the 1850s, his questions – about the nature of truth and heroism, and the human price of conflict – are as relevant as ever.

LEO TOLSTOY (1828-1910) was born into the Russian aristocracy, spent his youth in aimless dissolution, and joined the army in a bid to escape his gambling debts. He later became a pacifist, as well as Russia's most revered writer, famous for works such as *War and Peace* and *Anna Karenina*.

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*"His fiction changed the way human beings think about themselves"*

GEORGE SAUNDERS

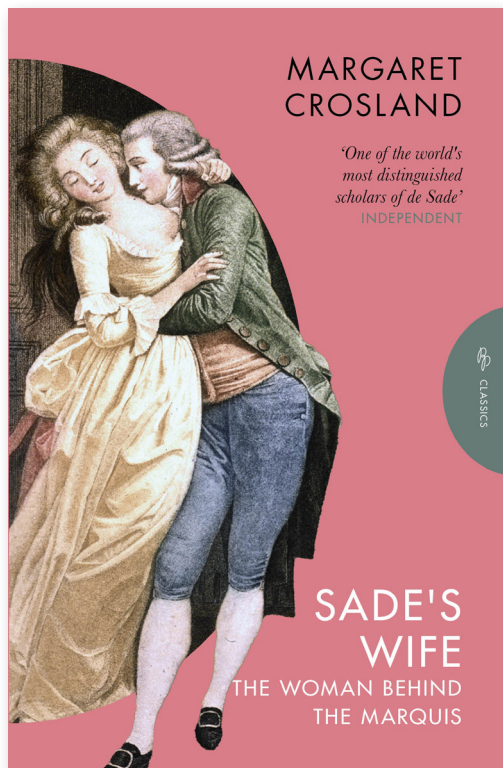
# SADE'S WIFE:

## THE WOMAN BEHIND THE MARQUIS

### MARGARET CROSLAND

CLASSICS

*A biography of the Marquis de Sade's wife Renée-Pélagie de Montreuil and a portrait of their surprisingly happy decades-long marriage*



The Marquis de Sade, infamous for his obscenity, nonetheless enjoyed a happy marriage. Despite her husband's peccadilloes, the Marquise de Sade loved him devotedly for thirty years, through betrayal, imprisonment, and national turmoil – and managed to find independence in an era when women were entitled to little of their own.

MARGARET CROSLAND (1920-2017) translated works by the Marquis de Sade – including *Gothic Tales*, also published by Pushkin Press – Émile Zola, Colette, Simone de Beauvoir and Cesare Pavese, among others, as well as writing biographies and works of literary criticism.

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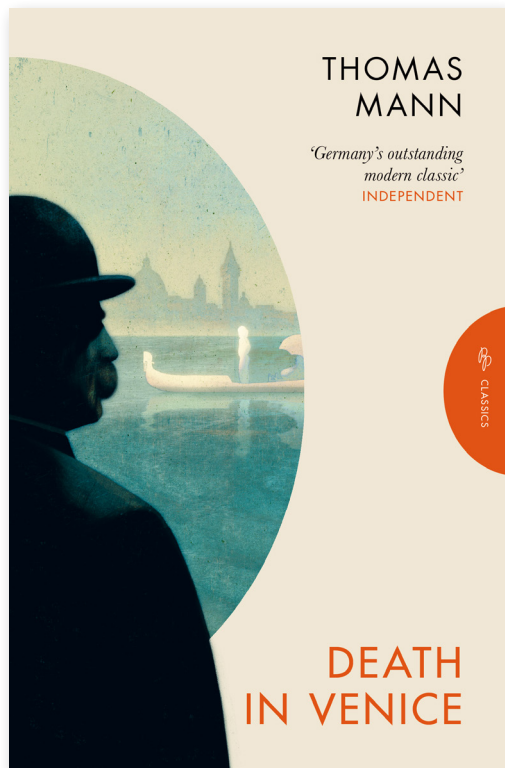
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# DEATH IN VENICE

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*A stunning fresh translation of one of the most powerful stories of desire and undoing in modern literature*



This enthralling story of desire, beauty and obsession is one of the pre-eminent works of modern European literature. Eminent writer Gustav von Aschenbach's structured life begins to fall into chaos on a trip to Venice, as he becomes consumed by an erotic obsession with a young boy.

THOMAS MANN (1875-1955) was perhaps Germany's most famous twentieth-century writer.

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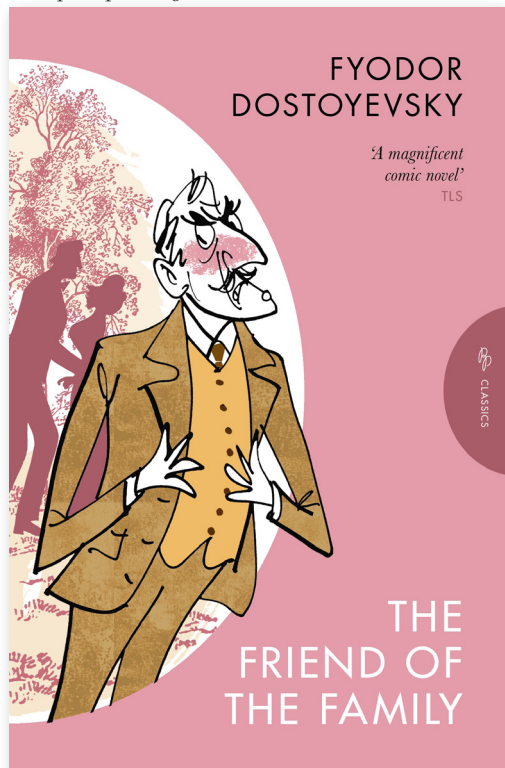
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# THE FRIEND OF THE FAMILY: OR, THE VILLAGE OF STEPANCHIKOVO AND ITS INHABITANTS

## FYODOR DOSTOYEVSKY

*A rare comic novel from the great Russian writer, about a parasitic houseguest and the redemptive power of love*

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On his country estate, soft-hearted Colonel Rostanev has fallen under the sway of a bullying charlatan, Foma Opiskin, whose selfish plans may prevent Rostanev's marriage to his true love. Can the outraged villagers put things right? This comic novel from the Russian master teems with eccentric characters and farcical effervescence.

FYODOR DOSTOYEVSKY was born in Moscow in 1821. His criticism of the tsarist regime led to years in exile and forced military service. His fictional masterpieces include *Crime and Punishment*, *The Idiot*, *The Brothers Karamazov* and *Notes from the Underground*.

*"A magnificent comic novel"*  
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Rarely translated into English, but revered in Japan as the country's first professional woman writer, Ichiyo Higuchi drew on her life in Tokyo's turn-of-the-century red light district to inspire her work. This new translation of her best stories showcases the pioneering author's sensitivity and lyricism.

ICHIYO HIGUCHI (1872-1896) began publishing her short stories in an effort to shore up her family's finances. They quickly earned her a reputation as a major new writer, but she died of tuberculosis shortly after the beginning of this brilliant literary career, aged only twenty-four.

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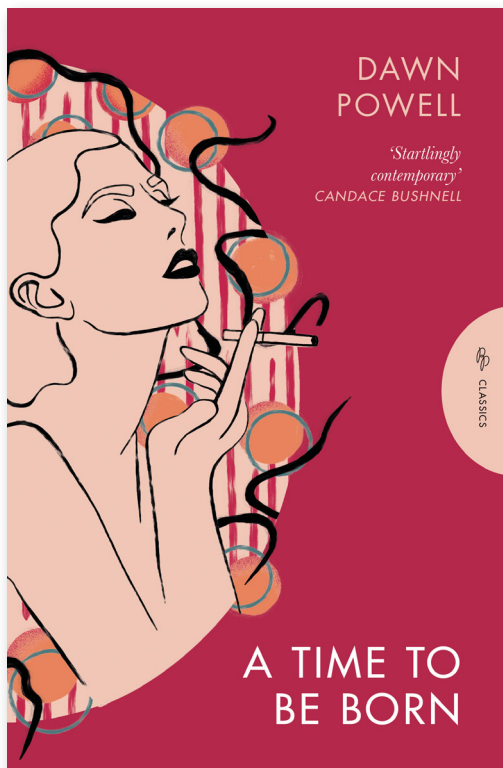
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# A TIME TO BE BORN

## DAWN POWELL

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*A long-overdue revival of Dawn Powell with this dazzling tale of ambition, betrayal and romantic chaos set amid the upper reaches of Manhattan's media elite*



Amanda Keeler has clawed her way out of Ohio into the affections of Julien Evans, New York's newspaper magnate. To those back home, she has it all. But behind the glittering façade, Amanda is restless. When a school friend, Vicky, arrives in the city, Amanda finds the perfect cover for secret trysts with old flame Ken. But desire doesn't follow plans. Vicky falls for Ken, and a volatile love triangle ignites.

**DAWN POWELL** (1896–1965) was a prolific American novelist, known for her sharp wit and named by Ernest Hemingway as his favourite writer.

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the hunger for status  
and success"*

NYT

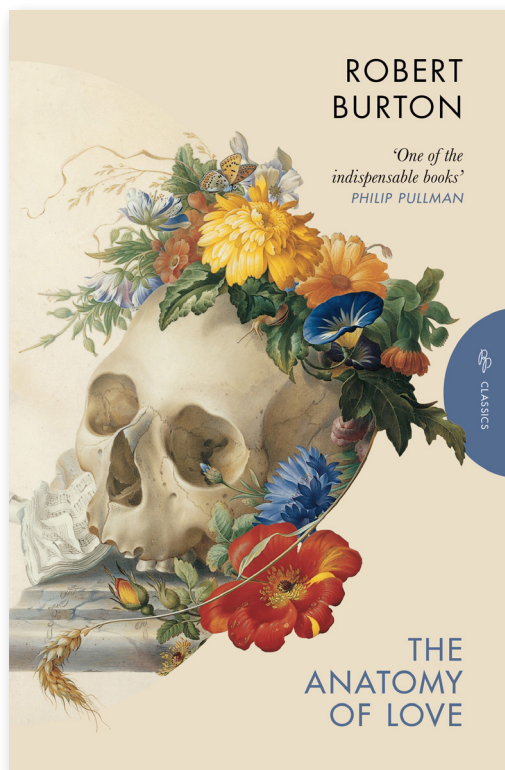
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# THE ANATOMY OF LOVE

## ROBERT BURTON

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*This selection from Robert Burton's Anatomy of Melancholy, introduced by essayist Becca Rothfeld, focuses on love, the crazy things we do for it and the cure for when it ails us*



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Paleness, sighing, frenzy, death: love's repercussions can be dire. The largest part of the pioneering seventeenth century psychological work *The Anatomy of Melancholy* is devoted to this supreme passion. This abridged version preserves all the fantastic variety of the original, knitting together stories and quotations drawn from millennia of European literature to understand love's causes, consequences, and cures.

With an introduction by Becca Rothfeld, author of *All Things are Too Small*.

ROBERT BURTON (1577-1640) matriculated at Oxford at the age of 15 and stayed, becoming Christ Church librarian. His wildly popular *Anatomy* was expanded and reprinted five times over the course of Burton's life.

*"One of the indispensable books; for my money, it is the best of all"*

PHILIP PULLMAN

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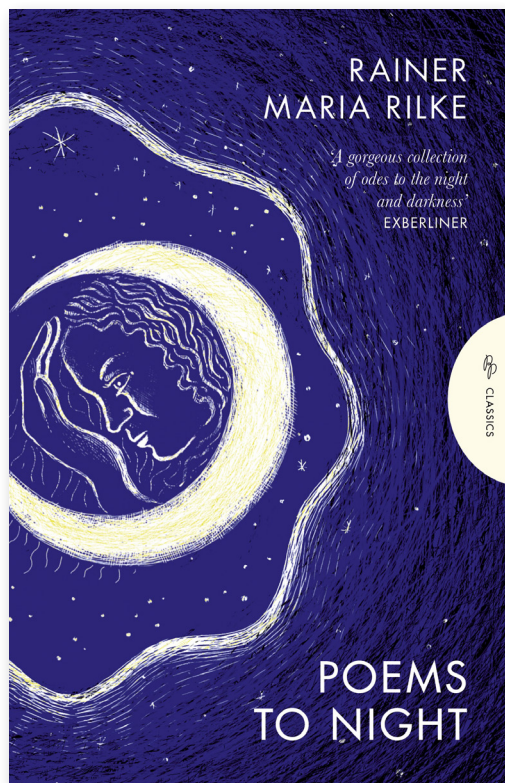


# POEMS TO NIGHT

## RAINER MARIA RILKE

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*This collection of haunting, mystical poems of the night by the great Rainer Maria Rilke is the only English translation to bring them all together*



In 1916, Rainer Maria Rilke presented his friend Rudolf Kassner with a notebook, containing twenty-two meticulously inscribed poems under the title *Poems to Night*. This evocative sequence, which echoes some of the great themes of German romanticism, represents one of the key stages in the creative breakthrough and spiritual evolution of the preeminent European poet of the twentieth century.

RAINER MARIA RILKE (1875-1926) is among the greatest of all German-language writers. He is best known for his *Duino Elegies*, *Sonnets to Orpheus*, and *The Notebooks and Malte Laurids Brigge*.

*"A gorgeous collection of odes to the night and darkness"*  
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# NOCTURNAL APPARITIONS:

## ESSENTIAL STORIES

### BRUNO SCHULZ

*The best of cult author Bruno Schulz's captivatingly strange and beautiful short stories*

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The stories in this collection showcase Schulz's darkly modern sensibility, and his status as one of the great transformers of the ordinary into the fantastical. Along winding city streets, strange figures roam; flocks of birds obscure the sun; and cockroaches emerge from the cracks in shadowy shops selling no one knows what.

**BRUNO SCHULZ** was a Polish Jewish writer who has influenced Salman Rushdie, Roberto Bolaño, David Grossman and Cynthia Ozick. He published two story collections during his lifetime. He was shot by a German SS officer in 1942.

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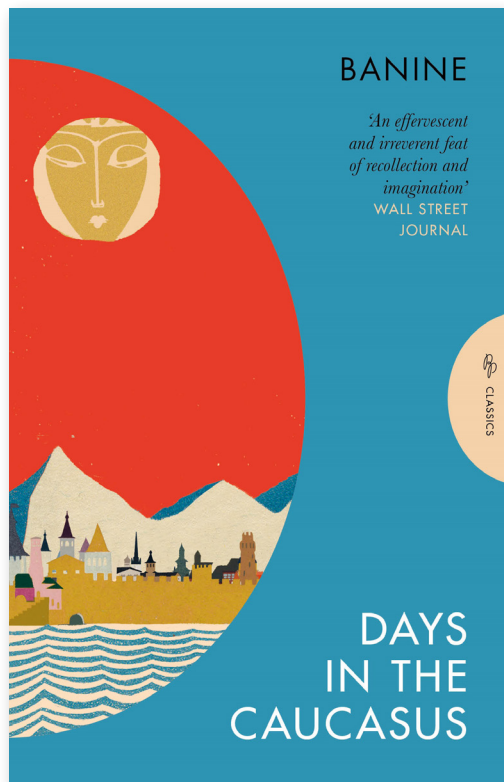
*"An accessible,  
 exhilarating introduction  
 to Schulz's oeuvre"*  
**WASHINGTON POST**

# DAYS IN THE CAUCASUS

## BANINE

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*A scintillatingly witty memoir telling the story of a young woman's determined struggle for freedom*



In this extraordinary memoir, Banine remembers her luxurious home; her imperious, swearing, strict Muslim grandmother; her bickering, poker-playing, chain-smoking relatives. She recalls how the Bolsheviks came, and they lost everything. How, amid revolution and bloodshed, she fell passionately in love, only to be forced into marriage with a man she loathed – until the chance of escape arrived.

Born in Baku in 1905, BANINE fled after the Russian Revolution, settling in Paris, where she became a writer. *Days in the Caucasus* is her most famous work.

*"An effervescent and irreverent feat of recollection and imagination"*

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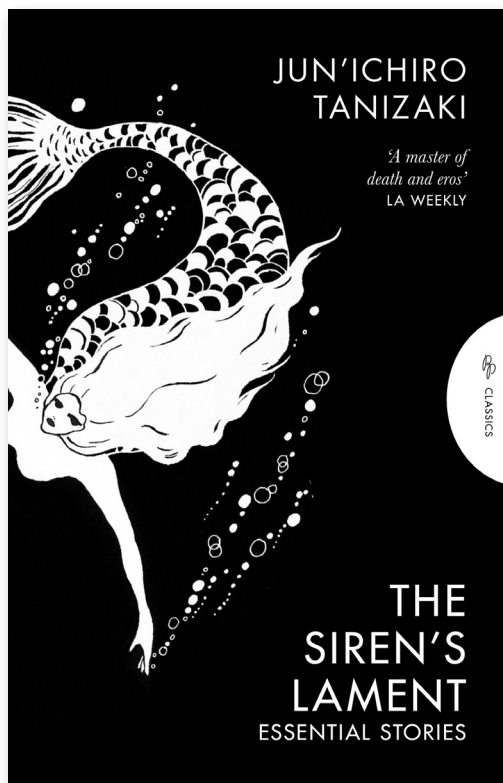
# THE SIREN'S LAMENT:

## ESSENTIAL STORIES

### JUN'ICHIRO TANIZAKI

*A new selection and translation of short stories by one of Japan's most prominent 20th-century writers, showcasing his characteristic blend of the erotic and the sinister*

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A cultured duke's pursuit of virtue is threatened by his dazzling, malicious consort. A naïve servant elopes with his master's daughter, plunging with her into murder and corruption. A debauched young prince becomes obsessed with a sorrowful, beguiling mermaid. These stories explore Tanizaki's essential theme: the dark side of desire and the paper-thin line between the sublime and the depraved.

JUN'ICHIRO TANIZAKI (1886-1965) came from a family of printers, and published numerous plays, essays, novels and short stories. One of Japan's most prestigious literary awards is named in his honor.

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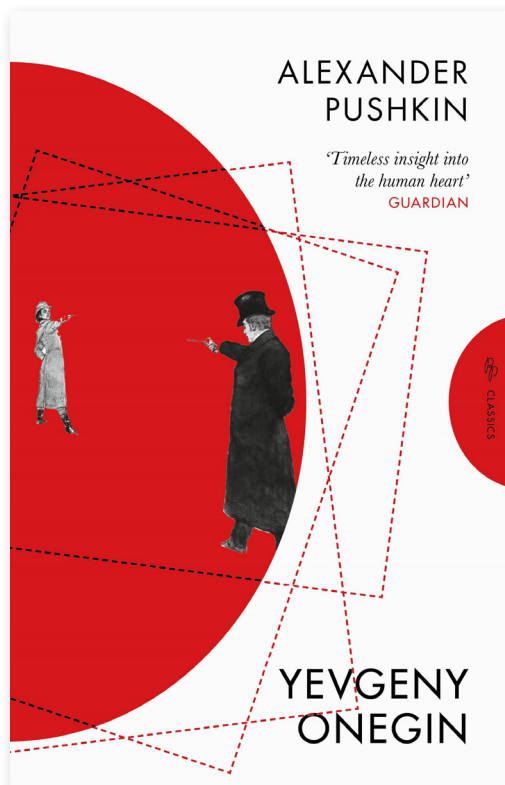
*"A monument of 20th-century Japanese literature"*  
 GUARDIAN

# YEVGENY ONEGIN

## ALEXANDER PUSHKIN

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*The greatest work by the founder of modern Russian literature – a timeless story of vanity and love, in a startlingly modern translation*



The aristocratic Yevgeny Onegin has come into his inheritance, leaving the glamour of St Petersburg's social life behind to take up residence at his uncle's country estate. When the shy and passionate Tatyana falls in love with him, Onegin condescendingly rejects her, and instead carelessly diverts himself by flirting with her sister, Olga – with terrible consequences.

ALEXANDER PUSHKIN was born in 1799, and in his brief career became the foundational figure of Russian literature. He died aged just 37, having been wounded in a duel by his brother-in-law.

*"Timeless insight into the human heart"*  
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# BULLFIGHT

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*The prize-winning debut of one of Japan's greatest authors, about a journalist's ambitious scheme to stage a bullfight in postwar Osaka*



Tsugami, the editor-in-chief of a newspaper in war-scarred Osaka, agrees to sponsor a bullfight. Consumed by his great gamble, he becomes ever more distant, leaving his lover Sakiko unsure if she would like him to succeed or be destroyed. Yasushi Inoue's novella won him the prestigious Akutagawa Prize and established him as one of Japan's most acclaimed authors.

YASUSHI INOUE (1907-1991) published fifty novels and 150 short stories, writing alongside his career as a journalist and literary editor. Pushkin Press also publishes *Life of a Counterfeiter* and *The Hunting Gun*.

*"A wonderful book"*  
IRISH TIMES

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*Three perfectly balanced stories of love lost and hopes disappointed, from one of Japan's greatest authors*



A master forger lives in obscurity and disappointment, oppressed by the shadow of the artist whose work he copies. A young man is consumed with curiosity about his grandfather's mistress, who cherishes a pair of gloves given to her by a visiting Englishman. Each of these stories is a perfectly balanced exploration of regret from one of Japan's most beloved writers.

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*"A masterly meditation on fate and obscurity"*  
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