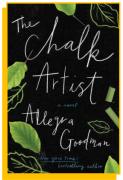
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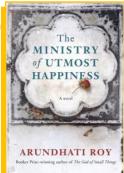
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Upcoming Fiction Highlights...



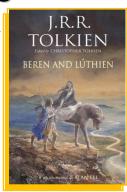
The Chalk Artist by Allegra Goodman

"A finely rendered portrait of modern love and a celebration of all the realms we inhabit: real and imagined, visual and virtual, seemingly independent yet hopelessly tangled."



The Ministry of Utmost Happiness by Arundhati Roy

"An aching love story and a decisive remonstration, a story told in a whisper, in a shout, through unsentimental tears and sometimes with a bitter laugh."



Beren and Luthien by J. R. R. Tolkien

"The tale of *Beren* and *Luthien* was, or became, an essential element in the evolution of *The Silmarillion*, the myths and legends of the First Age of the World conceived by J.R.R. Tolkien."

More Forthcoming Fiction...

The Child - Fiona Barton

Murder at the Puppy Fest - Laurien Berenson

Love Like Blood - Mark Billingham

Murder in Saint-Germain - Cara Black

Fateful Mornings - Tom Bouman

The Black Elfstone - Terry Brooks

Farmers' Market Mishap - Wanda Brunstetter

MatchUp - Lee Child, et al.

Trap the Devil - Ben Coes

You'll Never Know Dear - Hallie Ephron

Dangerous Minds - Janet Evanovich

The Switch - Joseph Finder

Seven Stones to Stand or Fall - Diana Gabaldon

The Rise and Fall of D.O.D.O. - Nicole Galland

and Neal Stephenson

Unsub - Meg Gardiner

A House Among the Trees - Julia Glass

The Corners of the Globe - Robert Goddard

Grief Cottage - Gail Godwin

The Sunshine Sisters - Jane Green

Camino Island - John Grisham

Indigo - Charlaine Harris, et al.

You Belong to Me - Colin Harrison

The Identicals - Elin Hilderbrand

Magpie Murders - Anthony Horowitz

What the Dead Leave Behind - David Housewright

Defectors - Joseph Kanon

He Said/She Said - Erin Kelly

Lockdown - Laurie R. King

Love Story - Karen Kingsbury

The Silent Corner - Dean Koontz

Every Last Lie - Mary Kubica

Death of a Bachelorette - Laura Levine

Robert Ludlum's The Bourne Initiative - Eric Lustbader

Tom Clancy Point of Contact - Mike Maden

Take Out - Margaret Maron

Death on Nantucket - Francine Mathews

The Map That Leads to You - Joseph Monninger

Beach House for Rent - Mary Alice Monroe

The Supremes Sing the Happy Heartache Blues

- Edward Kelsey Moore

Dis Mem Ber and Other Stories - Joyce Carol Oates

Undaunted - Diana Palmer

Murder Games - James Patterson

The Right Side - Spencer Quinn

The Ultimatum - Karen Robards Sin of a Woman - Kimberla Lawson Roby

The Duchess - Danielle Steel

Midnight at the Bright Ideas Bookstore - Matthew Sullivan

The Shark Club - Ann Kidd Taylor

Use of Force - Brad Thor

Kiss Carlo - Adriana Trigiani

Everybody's Son - Thrity Umrigar

Cocoa Beach - Beatriz Williams

The Force - Don Winslow

Indecent Exposure - Stuart Woods

Author Spotlight: Ann Beattie

This author is best known for her many short stories appearing in *The New Yorker* and elsewhere. Many of these stories have since been published in collections, including:

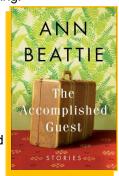
Follies

The New Yorker Stories

Perfect Recall

The State We're In: Maine Stories

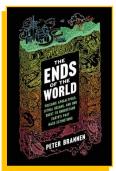
Her latest collection of stories is *The Accomplished Guest*, which is described as: "surprising and revealing, set along the East Coast from Maine to Key West, Ann Beattie's astutely observed new collection explores unconventional friendships, frustrated loves, mortality, and aging."



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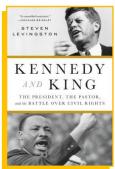
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June 2017 Nonfiction Highlights...



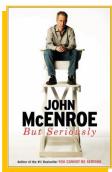
The Ends of the World by Peter Brannen

"Award-winning science journalist Peter Brannen takes us on a wild ride through the planet's five mass extinctions and, in the process, offers us a glimpse of our increasingly dangerous future."



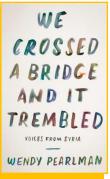
Kennedy and King by Steven Levingston "As America still grapples with the

legacy of slavery and the persistence of discrimination, Kennedy and King is a vital, vivid contribution to the literature of the Civil Rights Movement."



But Seriously by John McEnroe

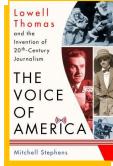
"McEnroe confronts his demons and reveals his struggle to reinvent himself from champion and tennis legend to father, broadcaster, and author. The result is a richly personal account, blending anecdote and reflection with razor sharp and brutally honest opinions."



We Crossed a Bridge and It Trembled

by Wendy Pearlman

"Án astonishing collection of intimate wartime testimonies and poetic fragments from a cross-section of Syrians whose lives have been transformed by revolution, war, and flight."



The Voice of America by Mitchell Stephens

"The first and definitive biography of an audacious adventurer, the most famous journalist of his time, who more than anyone invented contemporary journalism."



Dare to Be Kind by Lizzie Velasquez

"YouTube sensation and celebrated motivational speaker Lizzie Velasquez shows us how we can learn to accept all parts of ourselves and others, and in doing so create a 'culture of kindness" and a more compassionate world."

More Forthcoming Nonfiction...

If I Understood You Would I Have This Look on My

Face? - Alan Alda

Swamp - Eric Bolling

Called to Rise - David O. Brown

Return To Glory - Matthew Debord

Hunger - Roxane Gay

Understanding Trump - Newt Gingrich

I Can't Make This Up - Kevin Hart

Believe Me - Eddie Izzard

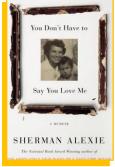
My Lai - Howard Jones

The Trial of Adolf Hitler - David King

Enjoy Your Journey - Joyce Meyer

Runnin' with the Devil - Noel Monk

Unshackling America - Willard Sterne Randall



Nonfiction Author Spotlight: Sherman Alexie This critically-acclaimed Native American author has won the National Book Award along with many other

This critically-acclaimed Native American author has won the National Book Award along with many other literary honors and praise for his fiction (novels, short stories) as well as his poetry. His latest book takes an autobiographical turn through essays and poems: **You Don't Have to Say You Love Me**, is described as a "deeply moving memoir about family, love, loss, and forgiveness." Other popular works by Alexie include:

The Lone Ranger and Tonto Fistfight in Heaven (fiction) Reservation Blues (fiction)

The Toughest Indian in the World (fiction)

You can learn more about the author at his website (www.fallsapart.com) as well as through the extensive biography (with some poems) provided by the Poetry Foundation: https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems-and-poets/poets/detail/sherman-alexie

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