

## NEW BOOKS AND NON-BOOKS

September 2012

### JUVENILE FICTION:

**CALL OF THE WILD (THE), c2005 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>HO / Oliver Ho**

An abridged version of the tale of an unusual dog, part St. Bernard, part Scotch shepherd, that is forcibly taken to the Klondike gold fields where he eventually becomes the leader of a wolf pack.

**JUNGLE BOOK (THE), c2008 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>CHURCH / Lisa Church**

An abridged retelling of the adventures of Mowgli, a boy reared by a pack of wolves, and the wild animals of the jungle. Includes discussion questions.

**ATTACK OF THE FIEND, c2008 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>DELANEY / Joseph Delaney**

When witches steal Tom's inheritance and kidnap his relatives, Tom, the Spook, and Alice set out for Pendle Hill, a particularly dangerous district, in hopes of preventing the three witch clans from uniting to raise the Fiend, the Devil himself, thus bringing about an age of darkness.

**CLASH OF THE DEMONS, c2009 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>DELANEY / Joseph Delaney**

Tom is reunited with his mother and must return to Greece to face a new and terrible threat from the dark forces, and a momentous decision must be made, causing a serious rift between Tom and the Spook that threatens to separate them forever.

**WRATH OF THE BLOODEYE, c2008 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>DELANEY / Joseph Delaney**

The continuing adventures of Tom, the seventh son of a seventh son and apprentice to the local Spook, who faces danger and death daily in his job protecting the region from evil.

**LUCINDA'S SECRET, c2008 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>DELANEY / Joseph Delaney**

With goblins, trolls, and the house boggart all trying to get them, the Grace children turn to Great Aunt Lucinda for help

**FORGOTTEN WARRIOR (THE), c2011 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>HUNTER / Erin Hunter**

When an outsider appears in the ThunderClan's midst, it drives the Clans further apart and as tension mounts they must decide who they can trust before it is too late.

**SON OF NEPTUNE (THE), c2011 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>RIORDAN / Rick Riordan**

Demigod Percy Jackson, still with no memory, and his new friends from Camp Jupiter, Hazel and Frank, go on a quest to free Death, but their bigger task is to unite the Greek and Roman camps so that the Prophecy of Seven can be fulfilled

**IRONWOOD TREE, c2004 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>DELANEY / Joseph Delaney**

After Mallory is kidnapped at her fencing meet, Jared and Simon search for her near an old quarry and find themselves amidst dwarves and goblins

**WRATH OF MULGARATH (THE), c2004 / J<sup>^</sup>FIC<sup>^</sup>DiTERLIZZI / Tony DiTerlizzi**

After returning home from their latest adventure, Mallory, Jared, and Simon find Mulgarath, an ogre and leader the goblins, has taken captive their mother along with Uncle Arthur's field guide.

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#### **ADULT FICTION:**

**BROTHERS OF THE FIRE STAR: A NOVEL, c2012 / FIC^ARVIDSON / Douglas Arvidson**

When Japanese soldiers invade the island of Guam at the start of World War II, thirteen-year-old native Napu and American Joseph, nearly as old, escape in a small sailboat, guided by the "Spirit of the Voyage" and learning the secrets of ancient navigators as they go.

**WONDERLAND CREEK, c2011/ FIC^AUSTIN / Lynn N. Austin**

Happily-ever-after librarian Alice Ripley unexpectedly finds herself in a real-life adventure filled with mystery and romance in the 1930s as she serves rural communities in Kentucky

**CLOTHES ON THEIR BACKS (THE), c2008/ FIC^GRANT/ Linda Grant**

A powerful story of family, love, and the hold the past has on the present. A woman, having endured unbearable loss, finds solace in the family secrets her estranged uncle reveals.

**FAITH OF ASHISH (THE), c2011/ FIC^STROM/ Kay Marshall Strom**

Virat and Latha are Untouchables, but when their young son, Ashish, becomes ill they are in need of a doctor, and with the help of a British nurse, Virat defies the caste system to save his son.

**ORCHID AFFAIR (THE), c2011/ FIC^WILLIG/ Lauren Willig**

Laura Grey, a veteran governess, joins the Selwick Spy School and her first assignment is serving as governess for the children of Andre Jaouen, right-hand man to Bonaparte's minister of police. Soon, Laura and Jaouen are forced on the run with the children, and with the help of the Pink Carnation they escape to the countryside, traveling as husband and wife.

**ENEMIES AMONG US: A THRILLER, c2010/ FIC^HAMER/ Bob Hamer**

FBI agent Matt Hogan is assigned to pose as a volunteer at a nonprofit charity in an effort to track a terrorist cell group.

**HOUSE OF DARK SHADOWS, c2008/ FIC^LIPARULO/ Robert Liparulo**

When fifteen-year-old Xander and his family move into an old, abandoned house in the middle of a dense forest outside of a small California town, they discover that not only are some of the rooms portals into other places, but that malevolent forces are at work.

**MIRACLE ON 49<sup>TH</sup> STREET, c2006/ FIC^LUPICA/ Mike Lupica**

After her mother's death, twelve-year-old Molly learns that her father is a basketball star for the Boston Celtics.

**LOST HERO (THE), c2010/ FIC^RIORDAN/ Rick Riordan**

Jason, Piper, and Leo, three students from a school for "bad kids," find themselves at Camp Half-Blood, where they learn that they are demigods and begin a quest to free Hera, who has been imprisoned by Mother Earth herself.

**SKYCLAN'S DESTINY, c2010/ FIC^HUNTER/ Erin Hunter**

Leafstar struggles to maintain control of her Clan as she figures out how Skyclan can survive in the gorge

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### ADULT NON-FICTION:

**WILD SWANS: THREE DAUGHTERS OF CHINA, c1991 / 951.05092^JUNG / Chang Jung**

Tells the story of three women--Jung Chang, her mother, and her grandmother--whose lives and fortunes mirror the tumultuous twentieth century in China

**BALKAN GHOSTS: A JOURNEY THROUGH HISTORY, c1993/ 949.6^KAPLAN/ Robert D. Kaplan**

Author's account of his travels through the Balkan countries and a history of the region.

**MOUNTAINS TOUCHED WITH FIRE, c1995/ 973.7359^SWORD/ Wiley Sword**

Historian Wiley Sword offers a richly detailed account that captures the vivid personalities behind the battle for Chattanooga. Grant, Thomas, Bragg, William Tecumseh Sherman, Phil Sheridan, William Rosecrans, Pat Cleburne, Jefferson Davis, Abraham Lincoln - all come alive in a narrative that combines furious battle action with behind-the-scenes political maneuvering and astute analysis. Sword's storytelling gifts Read more...

**GENTLE THUNDER (A), c1995/ 242.5^LUCADO/ Max Lucado**

Meditations based on the Gospel of John that call for us to trust God in difficult times.

**SHILOH: THE BATTLE THAT CHANGED THE CIVIL WAR, c1997/ 973.731^DANIEL/ Larry J. Daniel**

The Battle of Shiloh was fought in April 1862 on the banks of the Tennessee River in south central Tennessee. In two days of vicious combat more casualties were inflicted than in all of the rest of America's wars added together up to that time. Despite the bloody butcher's list, no land exchanged hands. The North was stunned to hear that one of its principal armies had been taken by surprise. The Federal commander, Read more...

**MARLEY & ME: LIFE AND LOVE WITH THE WORLD'S WORST DOG, c2005/ 636.752^GROGAN/ John Grogan**

The story of a family in the making and the wondrously neurotic dog who taught them what really matters in life. Is it possible for humans to discover the key to happiness through a bigger-than-life, bad-boy dog? Just ask the Grogans.-- From publisher description.

**PURPOSE-DRIVEN LIFE: WHAT ON EARTH AM I HERE FOR, c2002 / 248.4^WARREN / Richard Warren.** Offers spiritual fulfillment through an understanding of God's plan for a meaningful life.

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