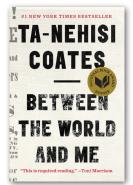


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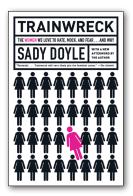
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The Women We Love to Hate, Mock, and Fear . . . and Why by SADY DOYLE

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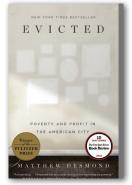
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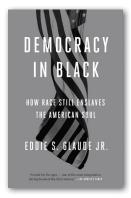


DEMOCRACY IN BLACK

How Race Still Enslaves the American Soul by EDDIE S. GLAUDE, JR.

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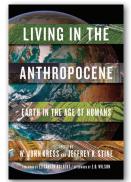
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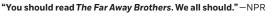
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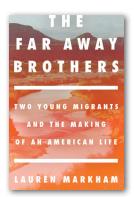
THE FAR AWAY BROTHERS

Two Young Migrants and the Making of an American Life by LAUREN MARKHAM

n this chronicle of contemporary immigration, journalist Lauren Markham follows the seventeen-year-old Flores twins as they make their harrowing journey across the Rio Grande and the Texas desert, into the hands of immigration authorities.

"The Far Away Brothers is impeccably timed, intimately reported and beautifully expressed. Markham brings people and places to rumbling life; she has that rare ability to recreate elusive, subjective experiences—whether they're scenes she never witnessed or her characters' interior psychological states—without taking undue liberties. In many ways, her book is reminiscent of Adrian Nicole LeBlanc's Random Family. It's about teenagers who raise themselves." —Jennifer Senior, The New York Times





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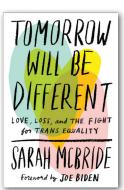
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TOMORROW WILL BE DIFFERENT

Love, Loss, and the Fight for Trans Equality by SARAH MCBRIDE

Before Sarah McBride became the first transgender person to speak at a national political convention in 2016 at the age of twenty-six, she struggled with the decision to come out. When the Facebook post announcing her truth went viral, she realized how much impact her story could have on the country. McBride would go on to become one of the nation's most prominent transgender activists, walking the halls of the White House and advocating the passing of laws. Informative, heartbreaking, and empowering, *Tomorrow Will Be Different* is McBride's story of love and loss, a powerful entry point into the LGBTQ community's battle for equal rights and what it means to be openly transgender. From issues like bathroom access to health care, McBride weaves the important political and cultural milestones into a personal journey that will open hearts and change minds.



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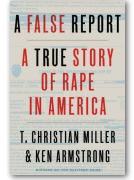
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A FALSE REPORT

A True Story of Rape in America by T. CHRISTIAN MILLER and KEN ARMSTRONG

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Stories from a South African Childhood by TREVOR NOAH

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"[A] compelling new memoir.... By turns alarming, sad and funny, [Trevor Noah's] book provides a harrowing look, through the prism of Mr. Noah's family, at life in South Africa under apartheid.... Born A Crime is not just an unnerving account of growing up in South Africa under apartheid, but a love letter to the author's remarkable mother." –Michiko Kakutani, The New York Times



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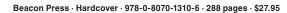
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AN AFRICAN AMERICAN AND LATINX HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

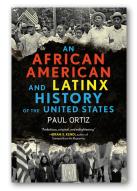
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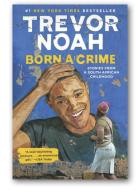
Spanning more than two hundred years, An African American and Latinx History of the United States is a revolutionary, politically charged narrative history arguing that the "Global South" was crucial to the development of America as we know it. Ortiz shows how placing African American, Latinx, and Indigenous voices unapologetically front and center transforms American history into the story of the working class organizing against imperialism.

"A fierce and masterful work of historical scholarship. Extraordinary in its depth and breadth." – Gaye Theresa Johnson, author of *Spaces of Conflict, Sounds of Solidarity*



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s a key figure in the critical study of whiteness, U.S. historian David Roediger has received both criticism and praise, alleging that he left Marxism behind to work on questions of identity. This volume challenges such a view, arguing that racial division is not only part of the history of capitalism but also of the logic of capital.

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A Killing on Bay Street by MATT TAIBBI

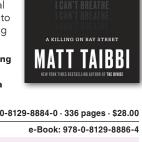
n a work of riveting literary journalism, Matt Taibbi explores the roots and repercussions of the infamous killing of Eric Garner by the New York City police. A masterly narrative of urban America and a scathing indictment of the perverse incentives built into our penal system, I Can't Breathe drills down into the particulars of one case to expose the human cost of America's broken approach to dispensing criminal justice.

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