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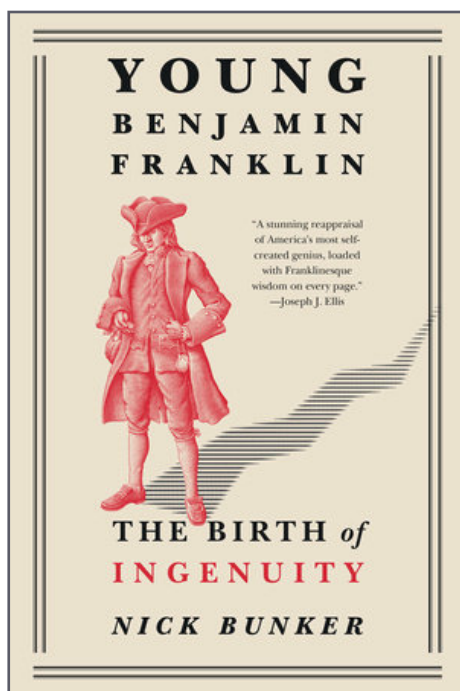


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Young Benjamin Franklin

The Birth of Ingenuity

NICK BUNKER

In this new account of Benjamin Franklin's early life, Pulitzer finalist Nick Bunker portrays him as a complex, driven young man who elbows his way to success. From his early career as a printer and journalist to his scientific work and his role as a founder of a new republic, Benjamin Franklin has always seemed the inevitable embodiment of American ingenuity. But in his youth he had to make his way through a harsh colonial world, where he fought many battles with his rivals, but also with his wayward emotions. Taking Franklin to the age of forty-one, when he made his first electrical discoveries, Bunker goes behind the legend to reveal the sources of his passion for knowledge.

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"[A] nuanced portrait of the young Franklin captures the fugitive genius of a quintessential American."

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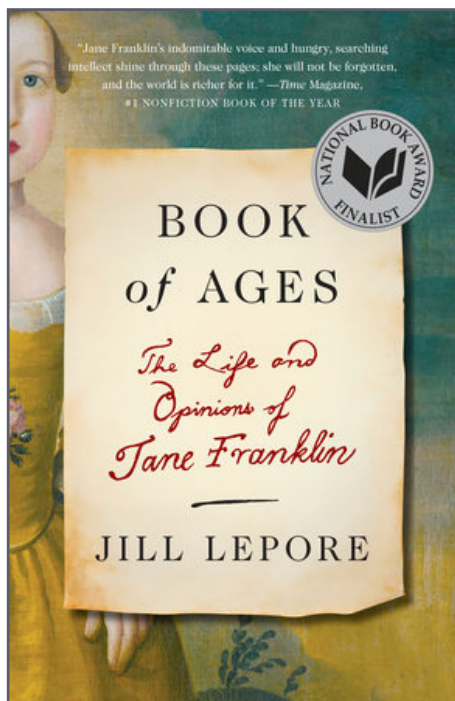
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The Life and Opinions of Jane Franklin

JILL LEPORE

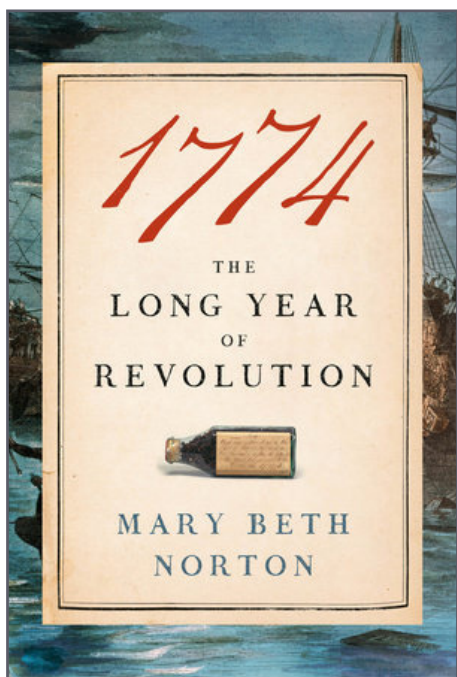
FINALIST FOR THE NATIONAL BOOK AWARD

Benjamin Franklin, who wrote more letters to his sister than he wrote to anyone else, was the original American self-made man; his sister spent her life caring for her children. They left very different traces behind. Making use of an amazing cache of little-studied material, including documents, objects, and portraits only just discovered, Jill Lepore brings Jane Franklin to life in a way that illuminates not only this one woman but an entire world—a world usually lost to history.



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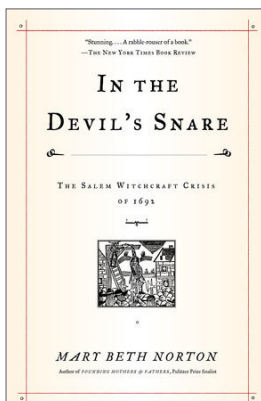
The Long Year of Revolution

MARY BETH NORTON

This masterly work of historical writing, Mary Beth Norton's first in almost a decade, looks at the sixteen months during which the traditional loyalists to King George III began their discordant "discussions" that led to their acceptance of the inevitability of war against the British Empire and to the clashes at Lexington and Concord in mid-April 1775. Drawing extensively on pamphlets, newspapers, and personal correspondence, Norton reconstructs colonial political discourse as it happened, showing the vigorous campaign mounted by conservatives criticizing congressional actions.

"A vital history of a vital time, told with an unflinching eye for the telling details and sometimes agonizing missteps that took Americans into war and independence. . . . Insightful."

—Karin Wulf, Executive Director, Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture



In the Devil's Snare

The Salem Witchcraft Crisis of 1692

MARY BETH NORTON

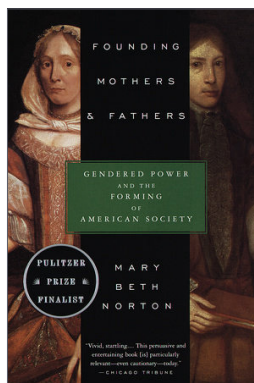
In 1692 the people of Massachusetts were living in fear, and not solely of satanic afflictions.

Horribly violent Indian attacks had all but emptied the northern frontier of settlers, and many traumatized refugees—including the main accusers of witches—had fled to communities like Salem. By providing this essential context to the famous events, Mary Beth Norton sheds new light on one of the most perplexing and fascinating periods in our history.

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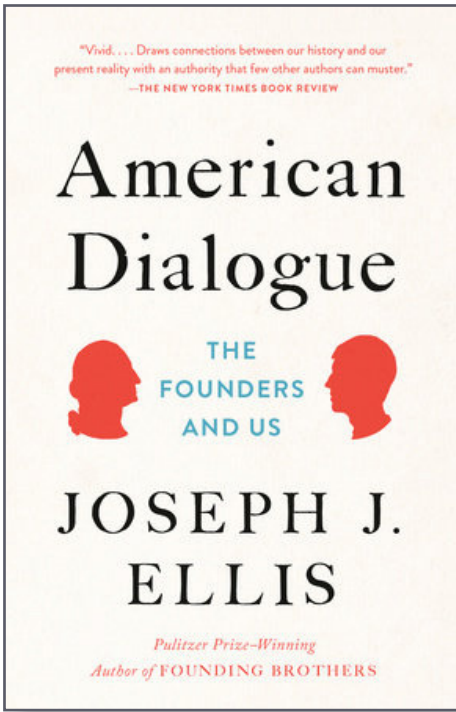
PULITZER PRIZE FINALIST

In this pioneering study of the ways in which the first settlers defined the power, prerogatives, and responsibilities of the sexes, one of our most incisive historians opens a window onto the world of Colonial America. Drawing on a wealth of contemporary documents, Norton shows how the women who wielded power in the household could carry a surprising amount of authority outside of the home.

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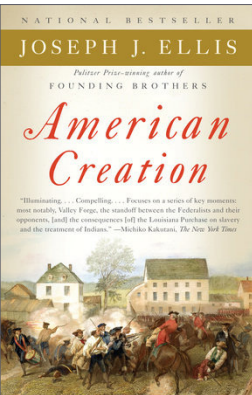
The Founders and Us

JOSEPH J. ELLIS

The story of history is a ceaseless conversation between past and present, and in *American Dialogue* Joseph J. Ellis focuses the conversation on the often-asked question “What would the Founding Fathers think?” He examines four of our most seminal historical figures through the prism of particular topics, using the perspective of the present to shed light on their views and, in turn, to make clear how their now centuries-old ideas illuminate the disturbing impasse of today’s political conflicts. Ellis illuminates the obstacles and pitfalls paralyzing contemporary discussions of these fundamentally important issues.

“Vivid. . . . [Ellis] draws connections between our history and our present reality with an authority that few other authors can muster.”

—*The New York Times Book Review*



American Creation

Triumphs and Tragedies in the Founding of the Republic

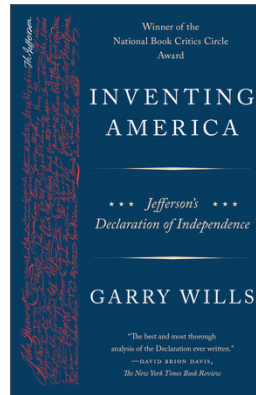
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The last quarter of the eighteenth century remains the most political-

ly creative era in American history, when a dedicated group of men undertook a bold experiment in political ideals. It was a time of both triumphs and tragedies—all of which contributed to the shaping of our burgeoning nation. Ellis casts an incisive eye on the gradual pace of the American Revolution and the contributions of such luminaries as Washington, Jefferson, and Madison.

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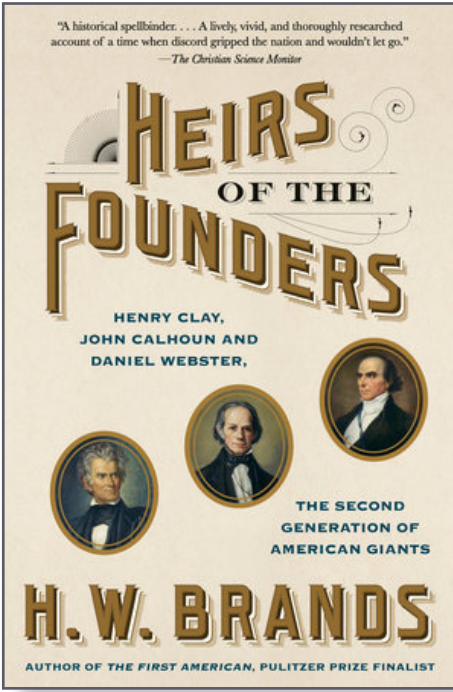
Jefferson's Declaration of Independence

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Inventing America upended decades of thinking about The Decla-

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Heirs of the Founders

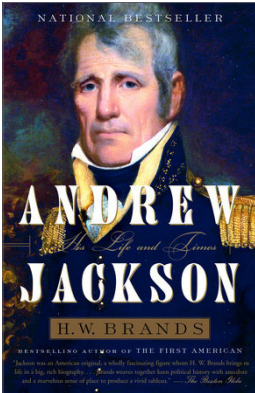
Henry Clay, John Calhoun and Daniel Webster, the Second Generation of American Giants

H. W. BRANDS

In the early 1800s, three young men strode onto the national stage, elected to Congress at a moment when the Founding Fathers were beginning to retire to their farms. Daniel Webster of Massachusetts, a champion orator known for his eloquence, spoke for the North and its business class. Henry Clay of Kentucky, as dashing as he was ambitious, embodied the hopes of the rising West. South Carolina's John Calhoun, with piercing eyes and an even more piercing intellect, defended the South and slavery. Together these heirs of Washington, Jefferson, and Adams took the country to war, battled one another for the presidency and set themselves the task of finishing the work the Founders had left undone.

"A historical spellbinder."

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Andrew Jackson

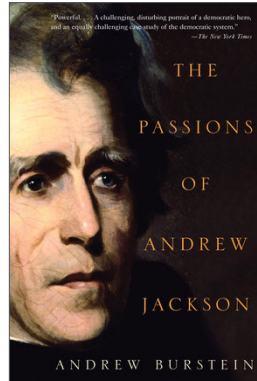
His Life and Times

H. W. BRANDS

Without formal education or the family lineage of the Founding Fathers, Jackson showed that the presidency was not the exclusive

province of the wealthy and the well-born but could truly be held by a man of the people. On a majestic, sweeping scale Brands recreates Jackson's rise from his hardscrabble roots to his days as frontier lawyer, then on to his heroic victory in the Battle of New Orleans, and finally to the White House. This is a thrilling portrait, in full, of the president who defined American democracy.

"A creditable, highly readable and definitely worthwhile study." — *Chicago Tribune*



The Passions of Andrew Jackson

ANDREW BURSTEIN

Most people vaguely imagine Andrew Jackson as a jaunty warrior and a man of the people, but

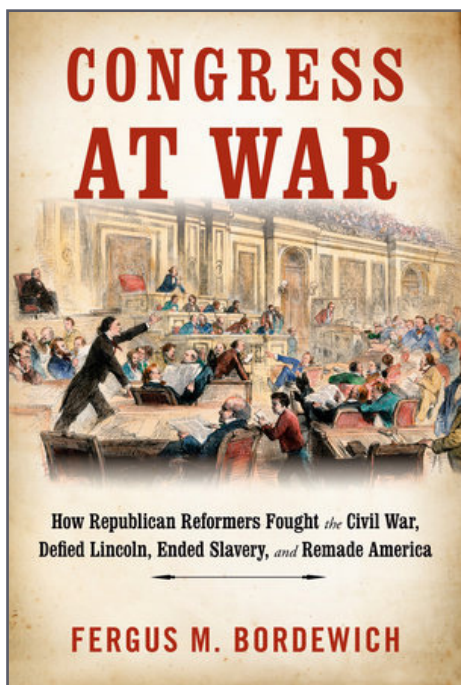
he was much more—a man just as complex and controversial as Jefferson or Lincoln. Now, with the first major reinterpretation of his life in a generation, historian Andrew Burstein brings back Jackson with all his audacity and hot-tempered rhetoric.

"Powerful. . . A challenging, disturbing portrait of a democratic hero, and an equally challenging case study of the democratic system."

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Congress at War

How Republican Reformers Fought the Civil War, Defied Lincoln, Ended Slavery, and Remade America

FERGUS M. BORDEWICH

This brilliantly argued new perspective on the Civil War overturns the popular conception that Abraham Lincoln single-handedly led the Union to victory and gives a vivid account of the essential role Congress played in winning the war. Building a riveting narrative around four influential members of Congress—Thaddeus Stevens, Pitt Fessenden, Ben Wade, and the pro-slavery Clement Vallandigham—Fergus Bordewich shows us how a newly empowered Republican party shaped one of the most dynamic periods in American history.

“Provocative. . . . Bordewich is a master of the character sketch, summarizing complicated figures in a few swift phrases.” —*The Atlantic*

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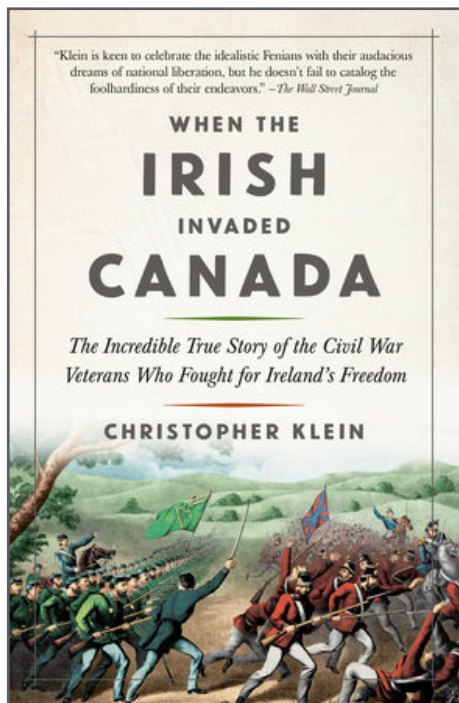
When the Irish Invaded

The Incredible True Story of the Civil War Veterans Who Fought for Ireland's Freedom

CHRISTOPHER KLEIN

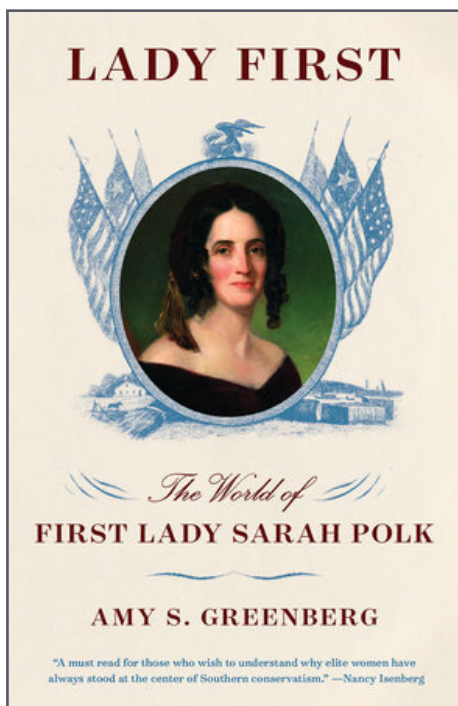
Just over a year after Robert E. Lee relinquished his sword, a band of Union and Confederate veterans dusted off their guns. But these former foes had no intention of reigniting the Civil War. Instead, they fought side by side to undertake one of the most fantastical missions in military history: to seize the British province of Canada and to hold it hostage until the independence of Ireland was secured. With the tacit support of the U.S. government and inspired by a previous generation of American revolutionaries, the group carried out a series of five attacks on Canada.

“Klein’s fresh telling of this story is an important landmark in both Irish and American history.” —James M. McPherson



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The World of First Lady Sarah Polk

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“Admirable. . . . Sarah Childress Polk was the most influential first lady in the century between Dolley Madison and Edith Wilson.”

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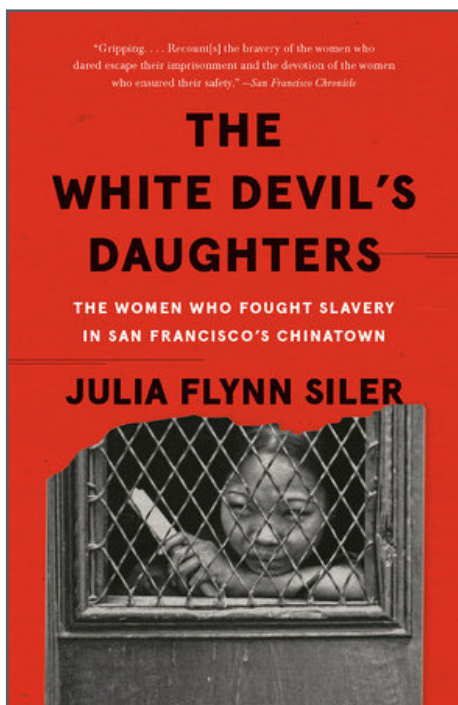
The Women Who Fought Slavery in San Francisco's Chinatown

JULIA FLYNN SILER

The White Devil's Daughters tells the riveting, revelatory history of the trafficking of young Asian girls that flourished in San Francisco during the first hundred years of Chinese immigration. Beginning in 1874, the Occidental Mission Home on the edge of San Francisco's Chinatown served as a gateway to freedom for thousands of enslaved young Chinese women and girls. With compassion and an investigative historian's sharp eye, Julia Flynn Siler tells the story of this remarkable safe house.

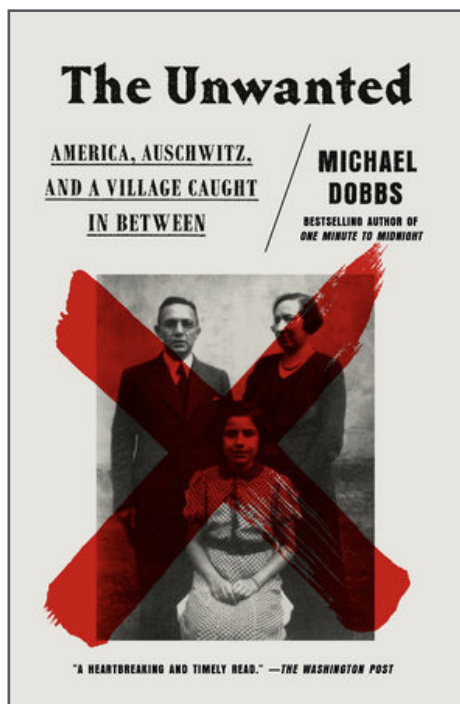
“While Harriett Tubman had her underground railroad, Margaret Culbertson . . . [had her] Presbyterian Mission House at 920 Sacramento Street in San Francisco.”

—*New York Journal of Books*



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The Unwanted

America, Auschwitz, and a Village Caught in Between

MICHAEL DOBBS

WINNER OF THE NATIONAL JEWISH BOOK AWARD

Published in association with the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, *The Unwanted* shares a riveting story of Jewish families seeking to escape Nazi Germany. Drawing on previously unpublished letters, diaries, interviews, and visa records, Michael Dobbs provides an illuminating account of America's response to the refugee crisis of the 1930s and 1940s. He re-creates the heated debates among U.S. officials over whether or not to admit refugees amid growing concerns about "fifth columnists," at a time when America was deeply isolationist, xenophobic, and antisemitic.

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A Guest of the Reich

The Story of American Heiress Gertrude Legendre's Dramatic Captivity and Escape from Nazi Germany

PETER FINN

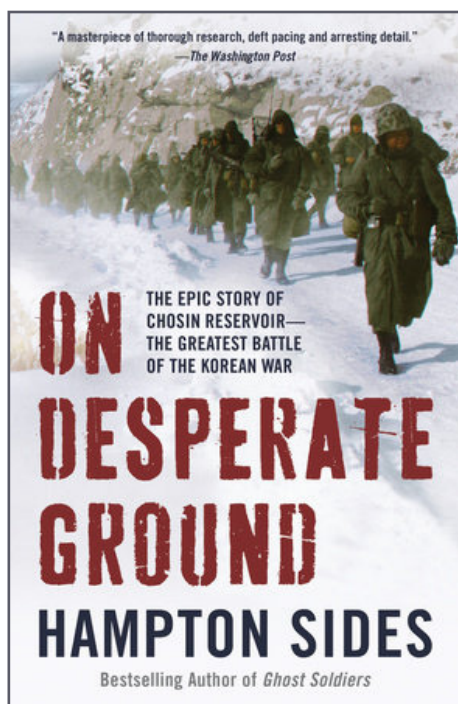
Gertrude "Gertie" Legendre was a big-game hunter from a wealthy industrial family who lived a charmed life in Jazz Age America. Her adventurous spirit made her the inspiration for the Broadway play *Holiday*, which became a film starring Katharine Hepburn. When the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor, Legendre, by then married and a mother of two, joined the OSS, the wartime spy organization that preceded the CIA. First in Washington and then in London, some of the most closely-held United States government secrets passed through her hands. Peter Finn tells the gripping story of how in 1944, while on leave in liberated Paris, Legendre was captured by the Germans after accidentally crossing the front lines.



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On Desperate Ground

The Epic Story of Chosin Reservoir—the Greatest Battle of the Korean War

HAMPTON SIDES

In October 1950, General Douglas MacArthur, Supreme Commander of UN troops in Korea, convinced President Harry Truman that the Communist forces of Kim Il-sung would be utterly defeated by Thanksgiving. The Chinese, he said with near certainty, would not intervene in the war. As he was speaking, 300,000 Red Chinese soldiers began secretly crossing the Manchurian border. What followed was one of the most heroic—and harrowing—operations in American military history, and one of the classic battles of all time.

“Gripping. . . . Master storyteller Hampton Sides, specializes in captivating readers with his trademark moment-by-moment accounts.”

— *The Christian Science Monitor*

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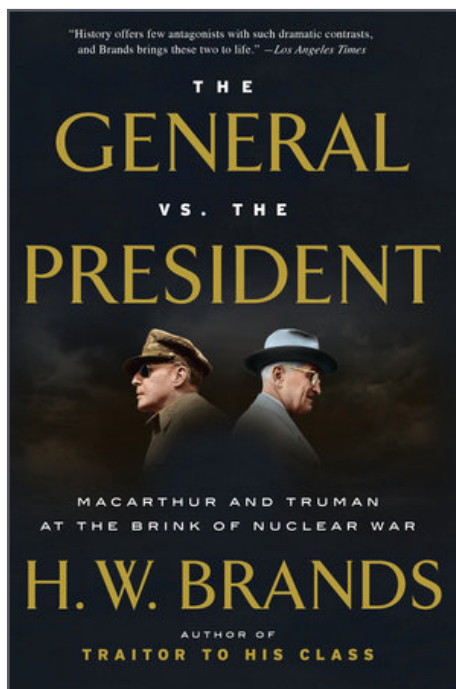
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The General vs. the President

MacArthur and Truman at the Brink of Nuclear War

H. W. BRANDS

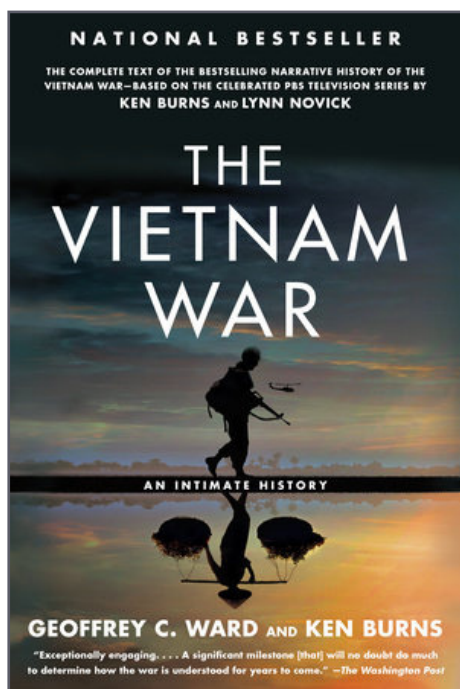
At the height of the Korean War, President Harry S. Truman committed a gaffe that sent shock waves around the world, when he suggested that General Douglas MacArthur, the willful, fearless, and highly decorated commander of the American and U.N. forces, had his finger on the nuclear trigger. At a time when the Soviets, too, had the bomb, the specter of a catastrophic third World War lurked menacingly close on the horizon. A correction quickly followed, but the damage was done; two visions for America's path forward were clearly in opposition, and one man would have to make way.



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“A highly readable take on the clash of two titanic figures in a period of hair-trigger nuclear tensions.”

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The Vietnam War

GEOFFREY C. WARD
AND KEN BURNS

More than forty years have passed since the end of the Vietnam War, but its memory continues to loom large in the national psyche. In this intimate history, Geoffrey C. Ward and Ken Burns have crafted a fresh and insightful account of the long and brutal conflict that reunited Vietnam while dividing the United States as nothing else had since the Civil War. The voices that echo from these pages belong to less exalted men and women—those who fought in the war as well as those who fought against it, both victims and victors—willing for the first time to share their memories of Vietnam as it really was.

“Exceptionally engaging. . . . [Ward tells] the story through the varied experiences and emotions of ordinary men and women whose lives were profoundly shaped by it.”

—*The Washington Post*

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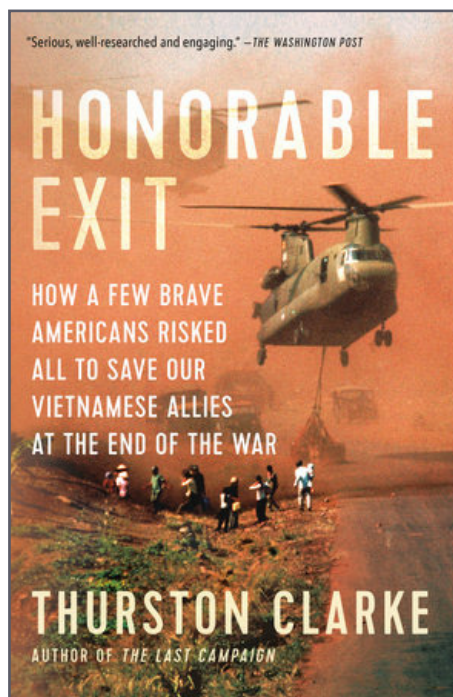
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Honorable Exit

How a Few Brave Americans Risked All to Save Our Vietnamese Allies at the End of the War

THURSTON CLARKE

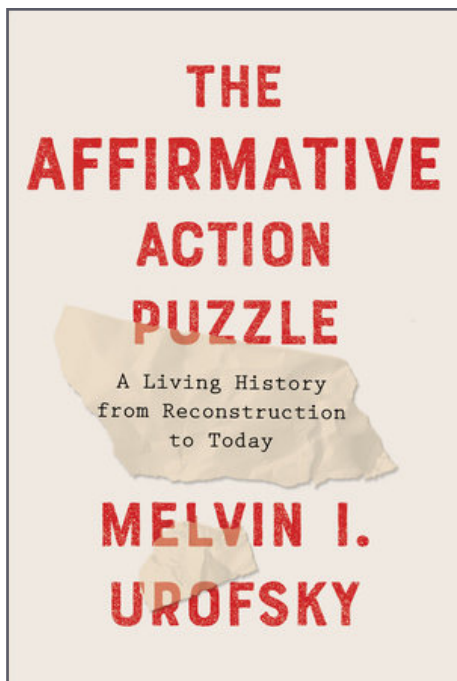
Honorable Exit offers a groundbreaking revisionist history of the last days of the Vietnam War that reveals the acts of American heroism that saved the South Vietnamese from communist revenge. For what is less known is that during those final days, scores of Americans—diplomats, businessmen, soldiers, missionaries, contractors, and spies—risked their lives to assist their current and former translators, drivers, colleagues, neighbors, friends, and even perfect strangers in escape. By the time the last U.S. helicopter left Vietnam on April 30, 1975, these righteous Americans had helped to spirit 130,000 South Vietnamese to U.S. bases in Guam and the Philippines.



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A Living History from Reconstruction to Today

MELVIN I. UROFSKY

In *The Affirmative Action Puzzle*, Melvin Urofsky explores affirmative action in relation to sex, gender, and education and shows that nearly every public university in the country has at one time or another instituted some form of affirmative action plan—some successful, others not. He writes about the affirmative action cases decided by the Supreme Court: cases that either upheld or struck down particular plans that affected both governmental and private entities. Students will come to fully understand the societal impact of affirmative action: how and why it has helped, and inflamed, people of all walks of life.

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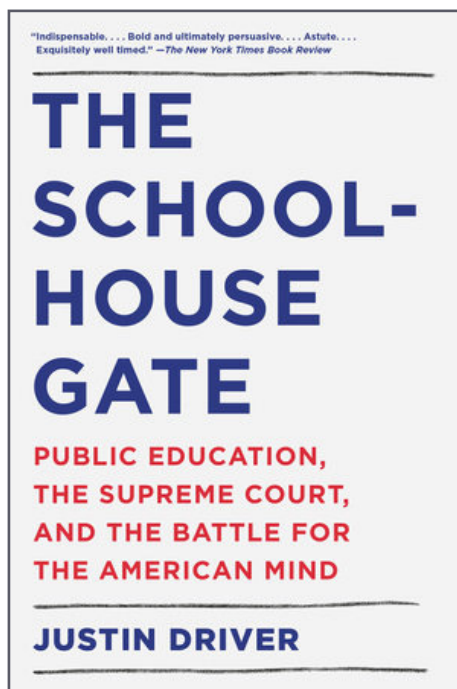
—Orlando Patterson, *The New York Times*

The Schoolhouse Gate

Public Education, the Supreme Court, and the Battle for the American Mind

JUSTIN DRIVER

Justin Driver, an award-winning constitutional law scholar at the University of Chicago, offers an engaging and alarming book that aims to vindicate the rights of public school students, which have so often been undermined by the Supreme Court in recent decades. Driver maintains that since the 1970s the Supreme Court has regularly abdicated its responsibility for protecting students’ constitutional rights and risked transforming public schools into Constitution-free zones. *The Schoolhouse Gate* surveys this legal landscape with eloquence, highlights the gripping personal narratives behind landmark clashes, and warns that the repeated failure to honor students’ rights threatens our basic constitutional order.



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Country Music

An Illustrated History

DAYTON DUNCAN
AND KEN BURNS

This illustrated and informative history begins where country music itself emerged: the American South, where people sang to themselves and to their families at home and in church, and where they danced to fiddle tunes on Saturday nights. With the birth of radio in the 1920s, the songs moved from small towns, mountain hollers, and the wide-open West to become the music of an entire nation.

“Master documentarian Burns and his stellar, longtime writer collaborator Duncan have produced another large, handsome, avidly researched volume bursting with vivid anecdotes and rare archival photographs.”

—*Booklist* (starred review)

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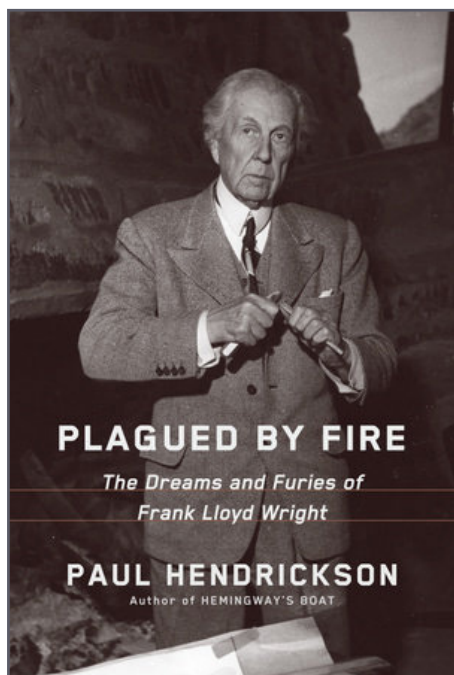
Plagued by Fire

The Dreams and Furies of Frank Lloyd Wright
PAUL HENDRICKSON

Frank Lloyd Wright has long been known as a rank egotist who held in contempt almost everything aside from his own genius. Harder to detect, but no less real, is a Wright who fully understood, and suffered from, the choices he made. This is the Wright whom Paul Hendrickson reveals in this masterful biography: the Wright who was haunted by his father, about whom he told the greatest lie of his life. In showing us Wright's facades along with their cracks, Hendrickson helps us form a fresh, deep, and more human understanding of the man himself.

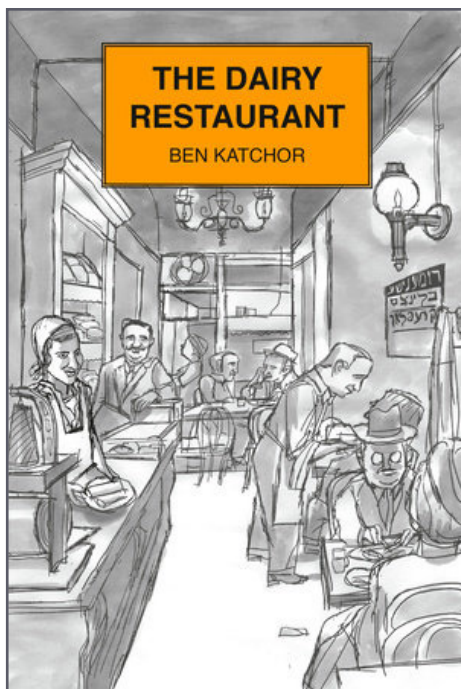
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The Dairy Restaurant

BEN KATCHOR

From the award-winning author of *Julius Knipl, Real Estate Photographer* and *The Jew of New York* comes a unique history of a beloved New York culinary institution that emerged in the late nineteenth century and had all but disappeared by the end of the twentieth. Ben Katchor retells the history of where we choose to eat—a history that starts with the first man who was allowed to enter a walled garden and encouraged by the garden's owner to enjoy its fruits. Through text and drawings, he illuminates the historical confluence of events and ideas that led to the development of a “milekhdi (dairy) personality” and the proliferation of dairy restaurants in America.

“[A] religio-cultural-culinary historical deep dive. . . . shows . . . Katchor’s gimlet eye for curious connections and obsessive attention to detail.”

—*Publishers Weekly*

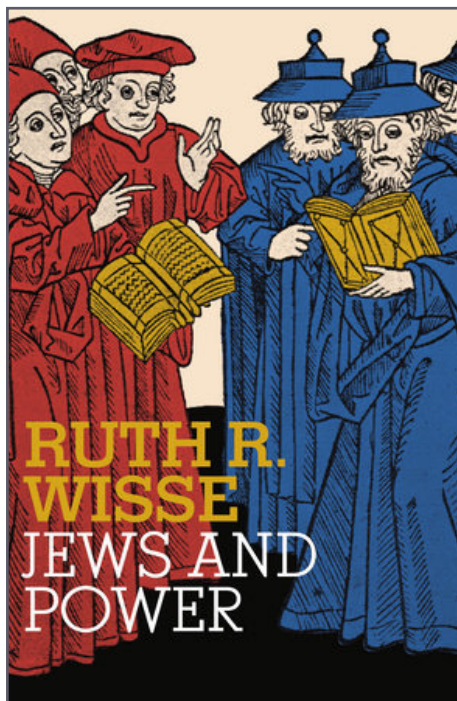
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Jews and Power

RUTH R. WISSE

Jews and Power offers a compelling argument that is rich with history and bristling with contemporary urgency. Taking in everything from the Kingdom of David to the Oslo Accords, Ruth Wisse offers a radical new way to think about the Jewish relationship to power. Traditional Jews believed that upholding the covenant with God constituted a treaty with the most powerful force in the universe; this later transformed itself into a belief that, unburdened by a military, Jews could pursue their religious mission on a purely moral plain. Wisse, an eminent professor of comparative literature at Harvard, demonstrates how Jewish political weakness both increased Jewish vulnerability to scapegoating and violence, and unwittingly goaded power-seeking nations to cast Jews as perpetual targets.

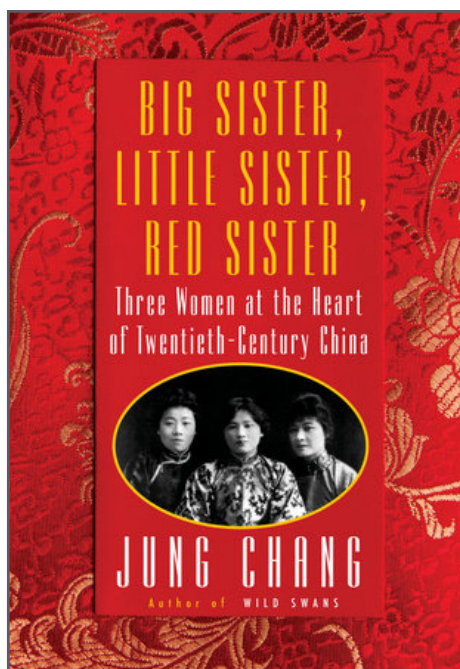


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Big Sister, Little Sister, Red Sister

Three Women at the Heart of Twentieth-Century China

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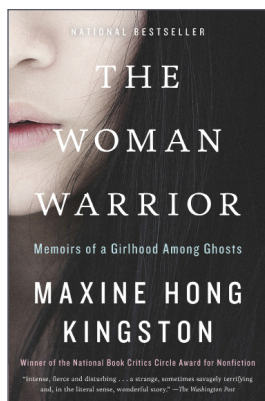
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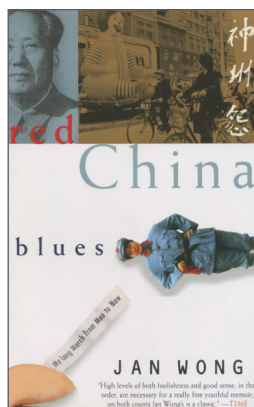
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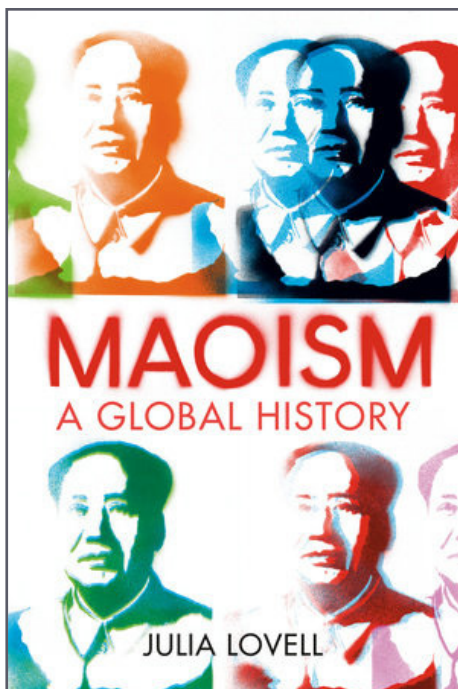
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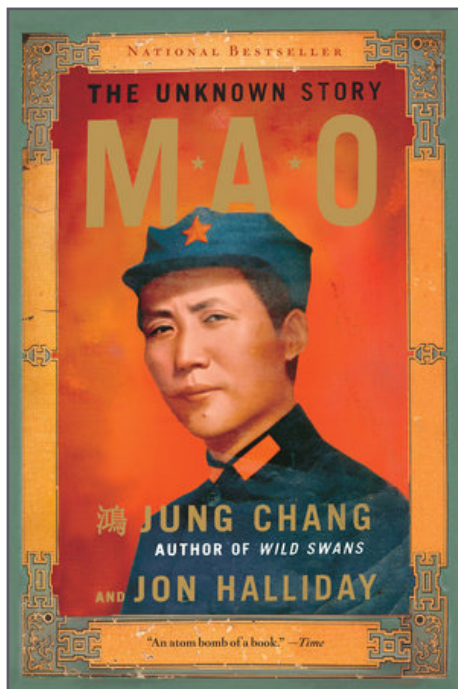
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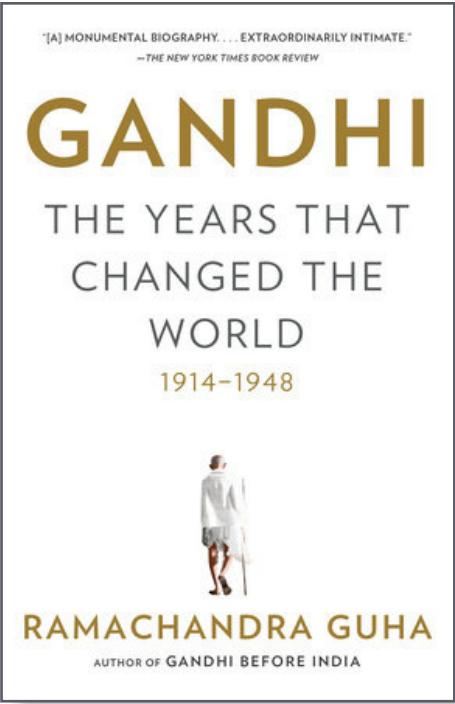
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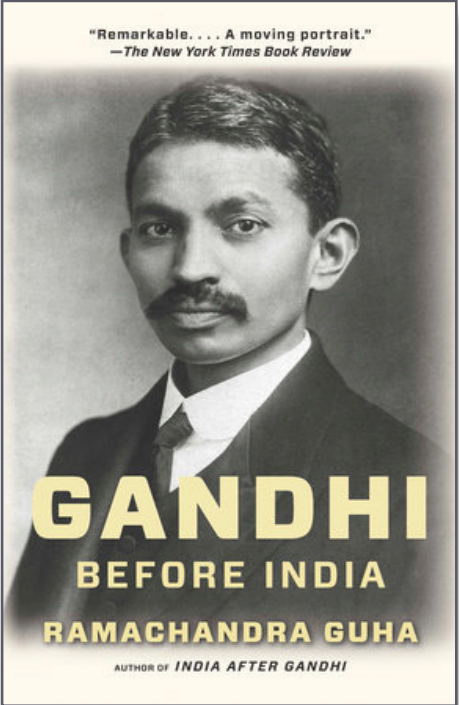
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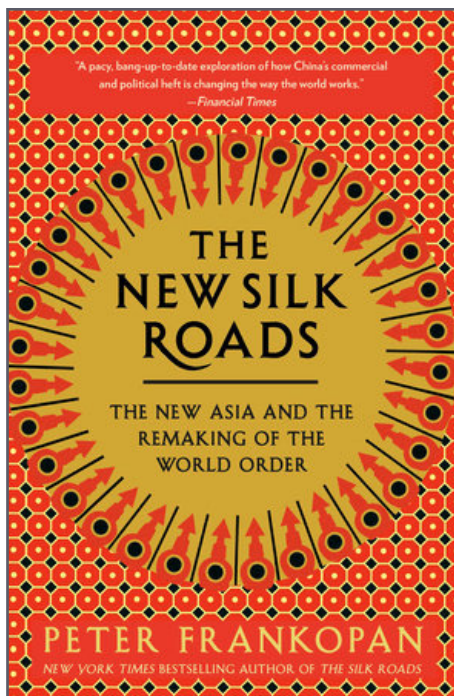
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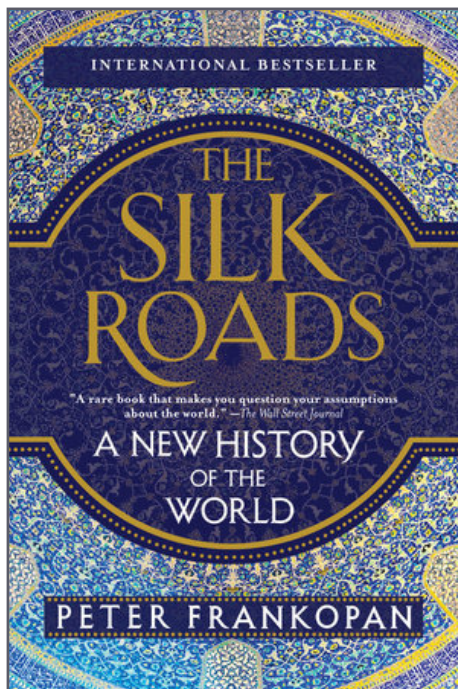
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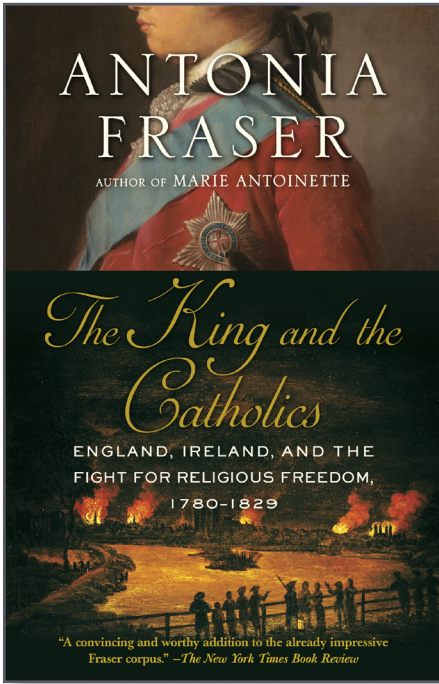
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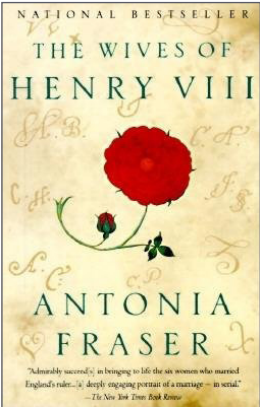
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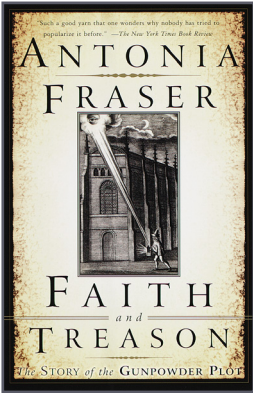
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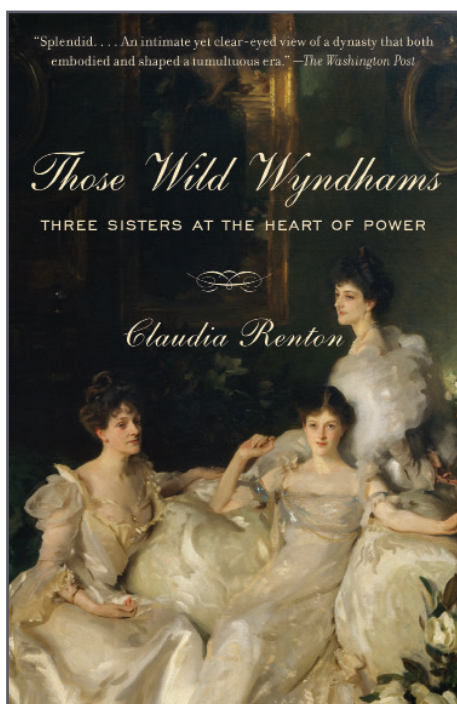
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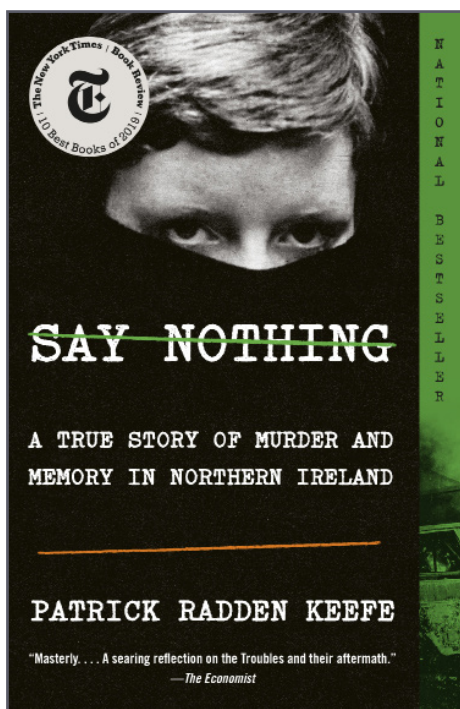
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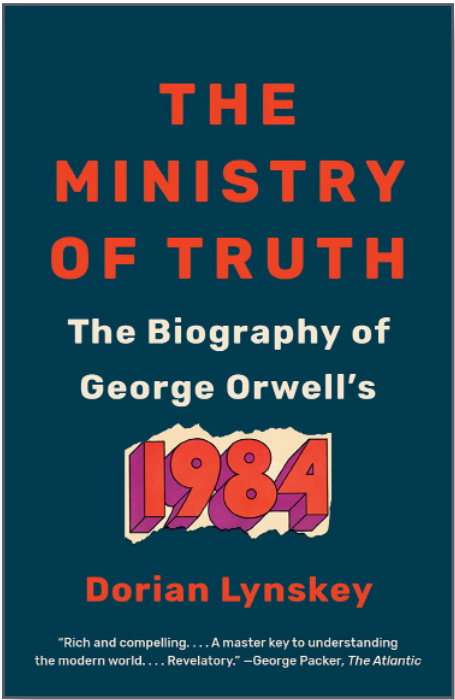
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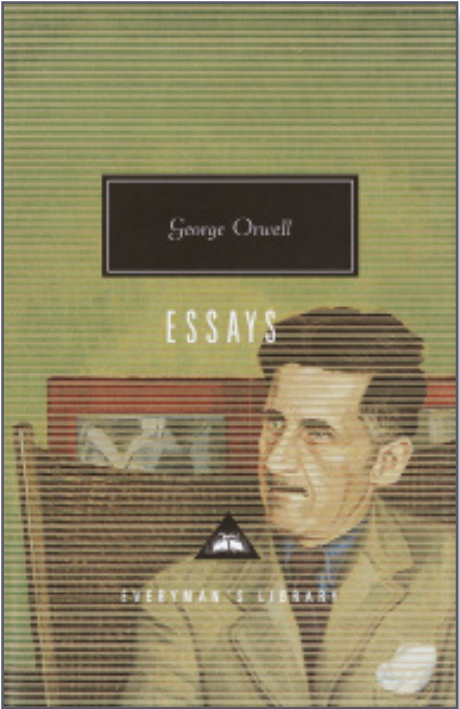
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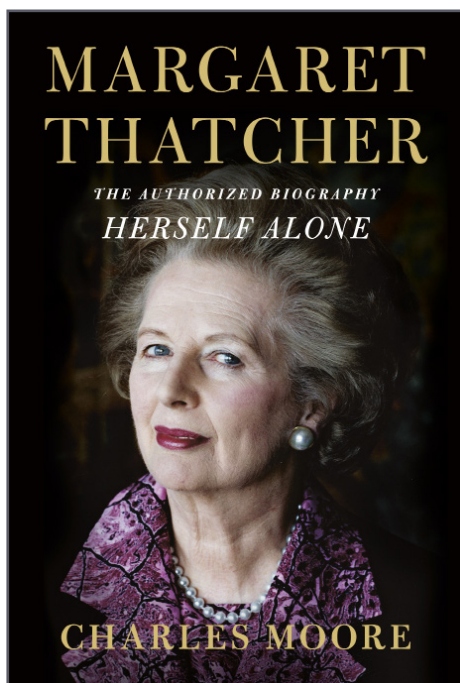
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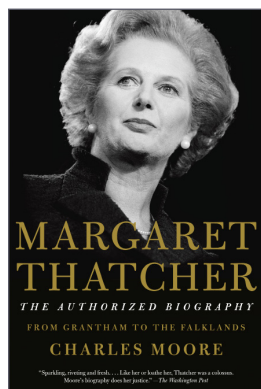
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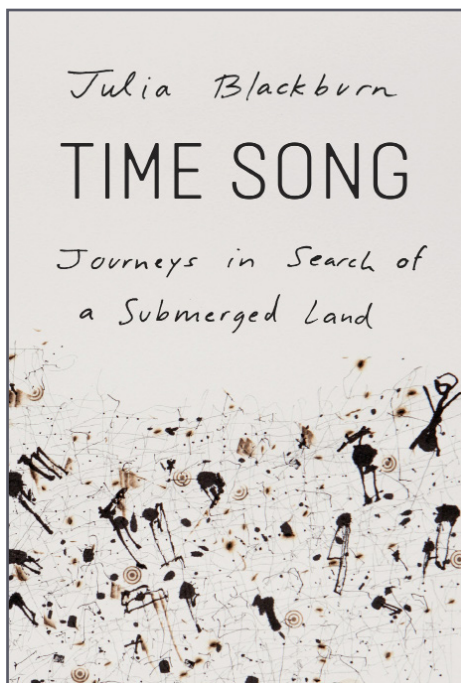
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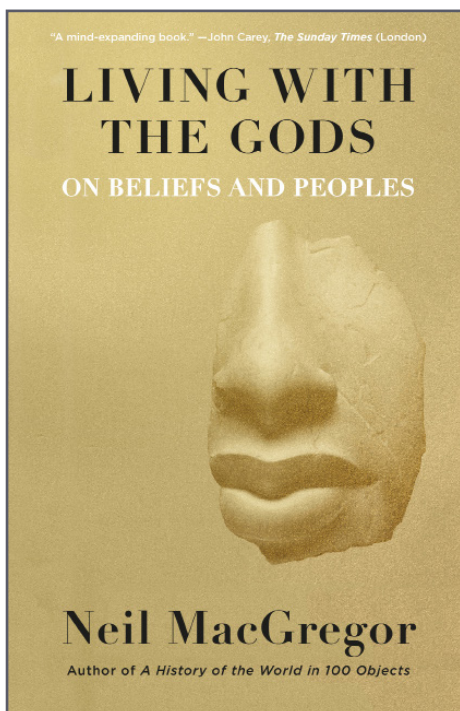
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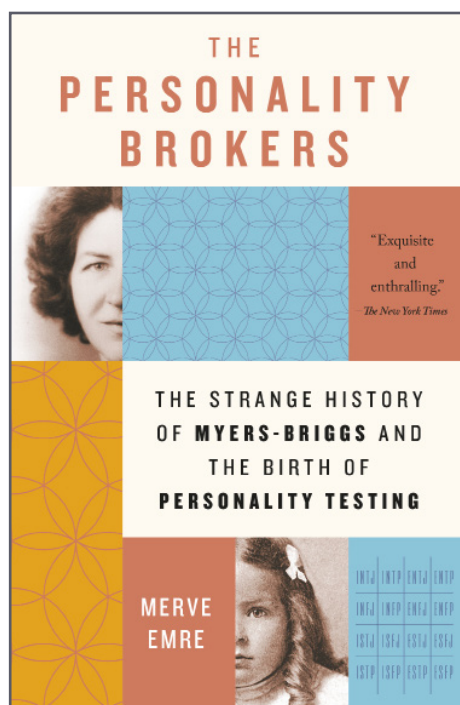
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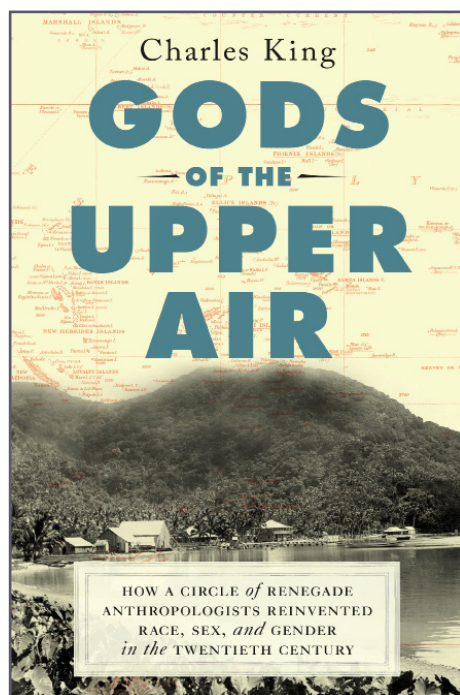
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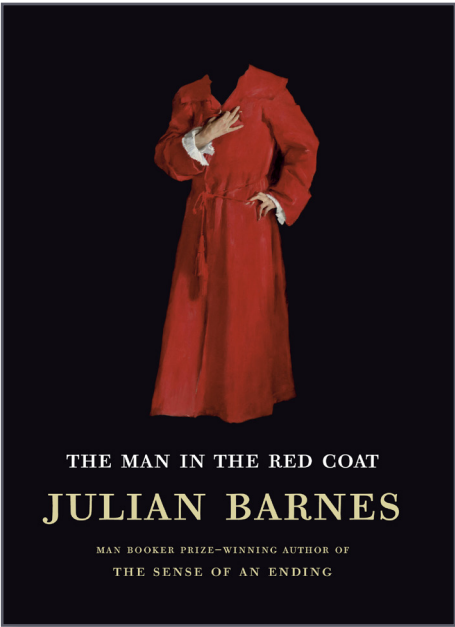
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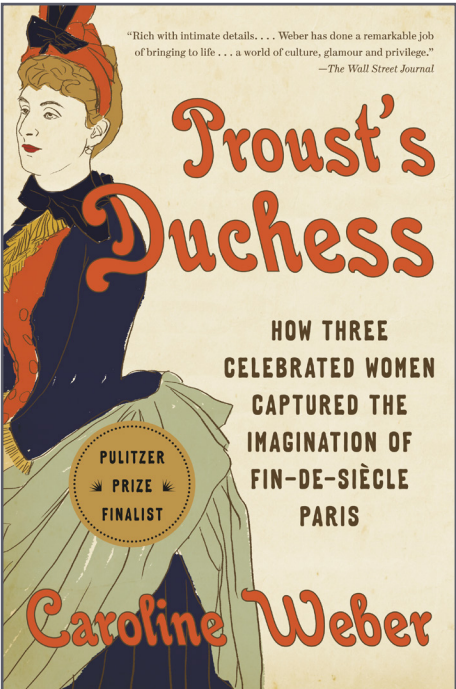
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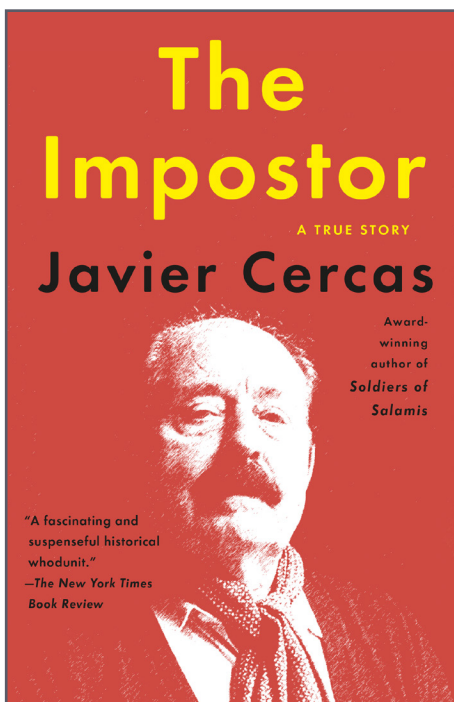
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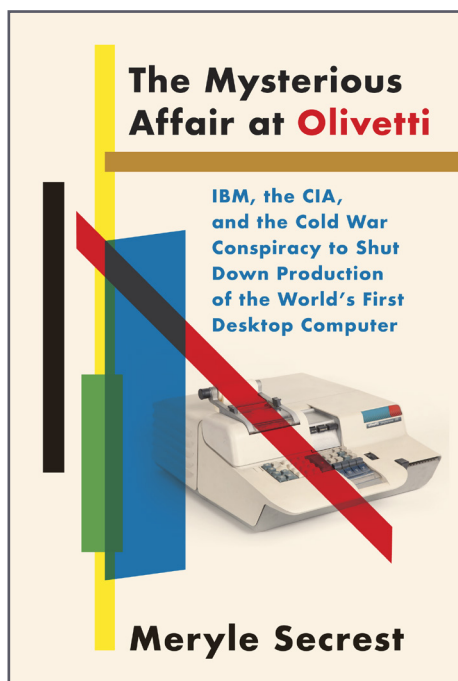
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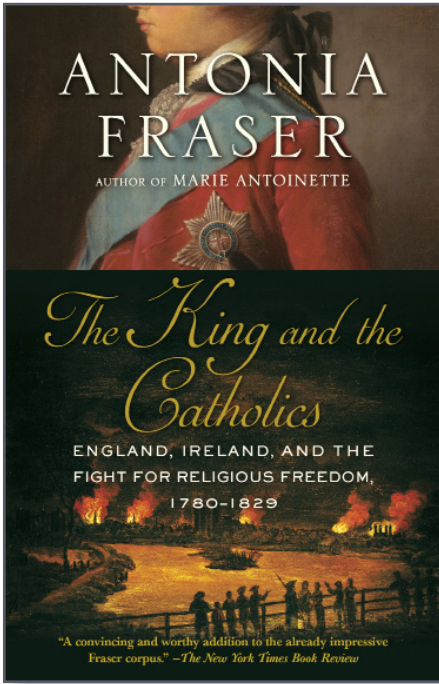


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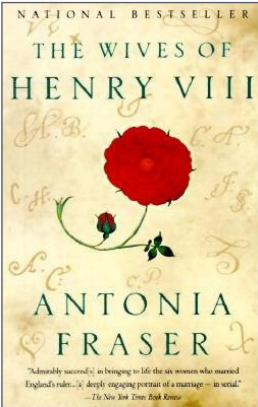
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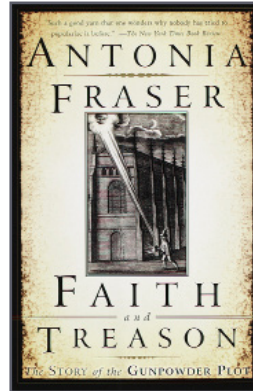
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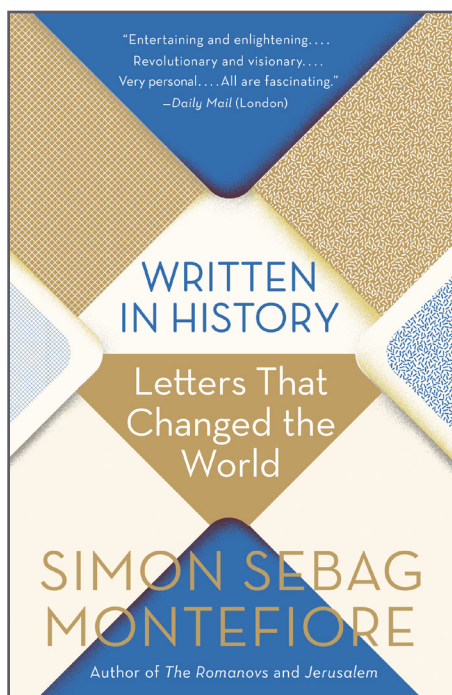
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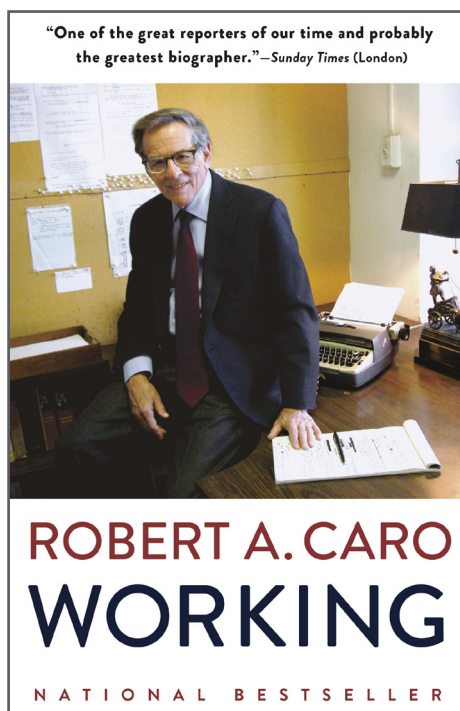
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