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Atwood, Nina

Be Your Own Dating Service

Henry Holt, 1995

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Atwood, a relationship therapist and seminar leader, offers incredibly wise advice in a step-by-step guide to the *process of dating* with an emphasis on *creating healthy relationships*. Other books do not *combine* these two vital aspects to finding the *right* mate. “Ms. Atwood’s book empowers singles in their journey toward healthy romantic love.” –John Gray.

Ayres, D.D.

Irresistible Force - Book #1, K-9 Rescue Series

St. Martin’s Press, 2014

Rights Available: Film

Shay Appleton never suspected that her new pet is actually a trained police K-9 named Bogart—until Bogart’s gorgeous human partner, Officer James Cannon, shows up on her doorstep. Once James gets close to Shay, he realizes that this independent woman not only needs a guard dog, she needs him because someone is stalking her and threatening her life.

In the first week on sale, the ebook edition was in the Top 50 in Suspense and the top 1,000 in the entire Kindle store of eight million books.

“Heavy-duty sensuality and solidly researched K-9 operations are hallmarks of this appealing series and will delight fans of smart dogs, exciting action, and steamy romance.”—Publishers Weekly

“Irresistible Force is simply fabulous! With exhilarating action and stunning sensuality, Ayres draws you in and doesn’t let go.” –New York Times bestselling author Cherry Adair

“If you think dogs and romantic suspense are an excellent mix, then Ayres has just the book and new series for you...a tasty helping of intrigue, danger, and burgeoning romance!”—RT Bookreviews

Force of Attraction - Book #2, K-9 Rescue Series

St. Martin’s Press, 2015

Rights Available: Film

Seasoned DEA Special Agent Scott Lucca works with his K-9 Izzy, a chocolate Lab, investigating illegal drug trafficking in the U.S. He falls hard and fast for Police Officer Nicole “Cole” Jamieson. They wed but their marriage ends quickly and sadly. Two years later he teams

up with Nicole and her K-9 partner to break up illegal trafficking using puppies as drug mules, and it rekindles the force of attraction between them.

“The mastery of Ayres' storytelling is with the equal balance between the suspense and romance... an enthusiastic book-recommendation thumbs up.”—USA TODAY Happily Ever After blog

Primal Force – Book #3, K-9 Rescue Series

St. Martin's Press, 2015

Rights Available: Film

Military Police veteran Lauray “Law” Batisse was wounded in Afghanistan and is haunted by the loss of his K-9 partner in combat. He's reluctant to accept a service dog named Samantha into his life. But once he meets her trainer, Jori, he can't fight his primal instincts. And when unseen enemies start hunting them down, he and his new K-9 partner might be Jori's only hope...to survive.

“Exciting...Ayres offers up another sizzling, heartwarming story of redemption and adventure.”
—Publishers Weekly

Rival Forces - Book #4, K-9 Rescue Series

St. Martin's Press, 2016

Rights Available: Film

Yardley Summers has been waiting to say “yes” to a proposal from ‘Doctors without Borders’ doc Jean Auguste. However, the doc is missing and presumed dead. Desperate to learn his fate, she sends out an SOS. The one man who shows up to help is the last man Yardley expected, Benjamin Frost. Ten years earlier they had a love affair that didn't end well. Yardley hires Ben, who's the owner of a private K-9 search and rescue team with his SARS dog Ulaf. Their work relationship thaws into a hot affair that threatens Yardley's plans for happiness—as well as her life—as they hope to find the missing doc, who may not be the person she thought he was.

Explosive Forces - Book #5, K-9 Rescue Series

St. Martin's Press, 2016

Rights Available: Film

When Carly Reese's fashion boutique catches fire, her dreams go up in smoke. Fortunately, Carly was saved from the blaze by a barking dog nearby. She soon discovers the heroic dog is a trained K-9 who's guarding his unconscious partner ... a gorgeous firefighter who ends up in Carly's arms. Noah Glover and his K-9 are a fearless duo, and Noah meets his match with the brave beautiful Carly. They team up to track down the arsonist behind the blast – a psychotic criminal who is intent on framing Noah. While the sparks fly between them, the arsonist can strike again as they hunt him down in a terrifying race.

Physical Forces - Book #6, K-9 Rescue Series

St. Martin's Press, 2017

Rights Available: Film

Brand, Dana***The Last Days of Shea: Delight and Despair in the Life of a Mets Fan***

Taylor Trade Publishing, 2009

Rights Available: Film

Written in a personal, moving, and humorous style, *The Last Days of Shea* chronicles the New York Mets from October 2006, when the team lost the National League Championship Series, to October 2008, when the team began to dismantle its antiquated, inadequate, and dearly loved Shea Stadium. The book is about following a baseball team with one's heart, mind, and soul. It represents the experience of being in a crowd at a ballpark, following a pennant race, enduring an off-season, experiencing streaks, slumps, triumph, and heartbreak. All of this is represented against the imminent destruction of a stadium “that is not likely to be represented as well in the perfect and profitable little park that will replace it.”

Mets Fan

McFarland, 2007

Rights Available: Film

This collection of beautifully written essays spans more than 40 years of franchise history but hews to a single theme: the experience – sometimes humorous, sometimes painful – of being a fan of the New York Mets. From the sound of jets overhead to Keith Hernandez and the *Seinfeld* connection, Hofstra University professor Dana Brand writes about the experiences and lore that makes baseball in Queens unique. Mets fans will recognize themselves in this book, and everyone who enjoys great baseball writing will delight in the reading.

Brienza, Laura***Discovering Vintage Washington, D.C.: A Guide to the City's Timeless Shops, Bars, Restaurants & More***

Globe Pequot Press, 2015

Rights Available: Audio, Film

Discovering Vintage Washington, DC is a guide to all of the city's timeless classic spots that take you back in time. The book spotlights the charming stories that tell you what each place is like now and how it got that way. It includes indexes that let you choose the places you want to visit by neighborhood, by category, and — naturally — by era. *Discovering Vintage Washington, D.C.* takes you to classic restaurants, shops, and other establishments that still thrive today and evoke the unique character of the city. They're all still around — but they won't be around forever.

New York's Historic Restaurants, Inns, and Taverns

Globe Pequot Press, September 2016

Rights Available: Audio, Film

New York's Historic Inns, Restaurants, and Taverns explores the history of over forty institutions throughout New York City and the Hudson Valley that are still in existence today. Travel to the tavern where George Washington hosted a farewell dinner for his officers at the close of the American Revolution. Eat steak at one of the city's oldest steakhouses. Rest your head in one of the original houses built by Dutch colonists in the Hudson Valley. Part historical record and part travelogue, the book tells tales about the region's most historical and storied establishments.

Broder, Mitch

New York's One-Food Wonders: A Guide to the Big Apple's Unique Single-Food Spots

Globe Pequot Press, 2015

Rights Available: Audio, Film

New York's One-Food Wonders is the first and only book to collect all of the city's weird, wacky, delicious and wonderful onesies—the spots where a single food is the star. From OatMeals to Egg Shop and from Crif Dogs to Caviar Russe, it details scores of places where people with dreams relentlessly pursued their passions in a single-minded quest to supply the best of one food. It's about one of the unique joys that is New York! *Selected as one of the 35 best books of 2015 by Men's Journal.*

Discovering Vintage New York: A Guide to the City's Timeless Shops, Bars, Delis & More

Globe Pequot Press, 2013

Rights Available: Audio, Film

Fortunately for locals and visitors alike, a number of Manhattan classic restaurants, shops, and other establishments still thrive today that evoke the unique charm of the city. From The Four Seasons to Serendipity 3, from Katz's Deli to Café Carlyle, from the Oyster Bar to Papaya King, all the landmarks are here in the first and only book to collect all the best of Manhattan's timeless spots. This guide profiles 50 restaurants, shops, delis, nightspots, bars, and cafés that have lasted half a century or more.

Browning, Geil

Emergenetics

HarperCollins, 2005

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Piatkus), Japan (Sony Magazine)

Who you are is a result of certain characteristics that have *emerged* from your life experiences, plus the *genetics* with which you were born. Your *Emergenetics* Profile gives you an immediate picture of your strengths today. It gives you the key to how you think and behave, how you approach new situations, how you get things done, how others see you, and how you react to them. Based upon the latest brain research and technology.

Castoro, Laura

A New Lu

Ebook, Diversion Books, 2011

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

"I'm about to turn 50. I'm recently divorced. Now I'm going to be an unwed mother.

And you thought you had issues!" Strap in for the ultimate midlife crisis comedy ride. Lu Nichols is the lifestyle columnist for *FIVE-O*, the magazine for women of a certain age. After her husband unexpectedly asks for a divorce, Lu discovers she's pregnant by him, but decides to go it alone. Of course, everyone has an opinion on that. Far from being alone, Lu is about to discover life doesn't just continue at fifty, it can move into fifth gear. Especially when there's a sexy younger doctor that keeps finding ways to be part of Lu's life with more than just a medical interest in her.

Chercover, Sean

Big City, Bad Blood

Morrow/Avon, 2007/2008

Rights Available: British, Translation

Rights Sold: TV/Film

Winner of the Shamus Award for Best First Novel and the Gumshoe Award for Best First Novel.

On location in Chicago, Bob Loniski, a locations manager from Hollywood, saw something he was not meant to see. Now he's been deposed as a witness against a member of the Chicago Outfit (a.k.a. The Mob) and is receiving threatening phone calls. He contacts Ray Dudgeon, a disillusioned newspaper reporter turned private detective, for help. Ray is reluctant, but his Outfit contacts assure him that they have no interest in Loniski, so he takes the bodyguard gig. Then people start dying, and everything goes awry. Ray's investigation leads him to a stash of blackmail files involving sex, political corruption, and a power-struggle within Chicago's organized crime hierarchy. Ray holds evidence against top-ranking cops and politicians, but doesn't know who he can trust. With bodies piling up around him, Ray Dudgeon must take sides in a mob war in order to survive.

"The story is tight, the voice self-assured, and the characters as hardboiled as they come – especially the protagonist, Ray Dudgeon. Chercover really delivers the goods here, in as solid a debut as I've seen in a long, long time." –Steve Hamilton, Edgar Award-Winning author of *A Stolen Season*

"Chercover delivers the goods; his rapid-fire style paints every page with hardboiled authenticity." —GM Ford

Trigger City

Morrow/Avon, 2008/2009

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Still recovering from the physical and mental trauma he suffered in *Big City, Bad Blood*, Chicago P.I. Ray Dudgeon embarks on a search for a truth that others have killed to suppress... The facts are clear: Joan Richmond, 44, single, no kids, was killed by a mentally ill coworker. The killer committed suicide, leaving a signed confession behind. The Chicago police have cleared the case and the press has moved on to the next story. But the dead woman's grieving father, retired Army Intelligence Colonel Isaac Richmond, can't move on. He hires Ray to dig beneath the facts of the case and find the truth about a daughter he never really knew.

Uncovering that truth will lead Ray into the secret world of America's military contractors and the blackest corners of the U.S. intelligence community, where the dead are supposed to stay buried and there are two questions for every answer. Ray's investigation unleashes forces beyond his control, triggering alarms at Hawk River and a dogfight between the FBI and the Department of Homeland Security. The bad news is, Ray is expendable. To avoid becoming collateral damage in the war on terror, he must discover who's *really* pulling the strings. And he must confront his biggest enemy: himself.

Cheung, Derek & Brach, Eric

Conquerors of the Electron: The Geniuses, Visionaries, Egomaniacs & Scoundrels Who Built Our Electronic Age

Rowman & Littlefield, 2014

Rights Available: Film, Audio, Translation (except China and Korea)

Originally published in China, and the *winner of the Golden Book Award* as the best original popular science book published in Taiwan, Hong Kong or China from 2010 to 2012, *Conquerors of the Electron* traces the history of the electron from the initial discovery of static electricity to the current day iPhone. It explains the science behind each significant discovery and also connects the dots, linking each invention to its successors', illuminating the science path that brings us to the current day technology. The beauty of this narrative is that it also tells the backstory, i.e., the personal saga of each inventor and their discovery, and reveals little-known but fascinating facts. The references in the subtitle to Geniuses, Visionaries, Egomaniacs, and Scoundrels are true and add the human-interest dimension to the science, which makes for a highly educational yet thoroughly entertaining combination.

Cohen, Rabbi Daniel

What Will They Say About You When You're Gone?

HCI Books, February 2017

Rights Available: Film, Audio

Written by a highly regarded Rabbi whose experiences conducting hundreds of funerals has provided an elevated viewpoint about life, the author has condensed his wisdom into a program designed to awaken people to the preciousness of each moment and guide them toward a life that maximizes love, creativity and fulfillment. The goal of this program, which starts by having the reader write his/her own obituary, is for each individual to create a life of legacy. It contains interviews with Ron Howard, Ann Curry, Rudy Giuliani and others. His is a beautiful voice of wisdom.

Costaras, Anna & Liss, Gail

The College Bound Organizer: A Step-by-Step Organization to Get into the College of Your Choice

Sourcebooks, 2013

Rights Available: Translation

This is a comprehensive guide to organizing every step of the college application process from college search through college admission. It offers step-by-step organization to help students gain acceptance to the college of their choice.

Cotner, June

Amazing Graces

Morrow Junior Books, 2001

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

"The definitive prayer book for children," *Amazing Graces* includes submissions from both children and adults. These short, inspirational poems and prayers written from a child's perspective evoke a thought or an experience in a child and express gratitude for life experiences, family and friends, or food.

Animal Blessings: Prayers and Poems Celebrating Our Pets

Harper San Francisco, 2000

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

In *Animal Blessings*, June Cotner has carefully chosen readings by some of the world's greatest writers celebrating the animals in our lives. Included are poems and prayers for pets, as well as selections devoted to wild animals and blessings for all the creatures of the world. Other quotations offer inspiration or comfort, or guide us gracefully through private reflections. The book is as warm and inviting as it is uplifting—a wonderfully engaging tribute to the animals of the world and a perfect gift book for animal lovers everywhere.

Baby Blessings: Prayers and Poems Celebrating Mothers and Babies

Harmony Books, 2002

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

This book offers inspirational and reflective poems for new mothers as well as seasoned mothers who already have at least one child. It makes an excellent gift for baby showers, new mothers, or as a christening gift. Chapters include Pregnancy, Birth, New Babies, Babyhood, Baby Naming Ceremonies, Christenings, Reflections, and Inspiration.

Bedside Prayers

Harper San Francisco, 1997

Rights Available: Translation, Film

A marvelous collection of 120 prayers, meditations, sentiments, and quiet celebrations honor the dawning of each new day with purpose, joy and hope, and bid the world goodnight with gratitude for all the day's rich blessings. The perfect book for the nightstand, *Bedside Prayers* is arranged in thematic sections, making it easy to dip into upon rising or before turning out the light.

Gathered for those seeking inspiration, comfort, quiet reflection, or to celebrate nightfall and morning, these prayers draw from a rich spectrum of traditions and writers. *Bedside Prayers* has 95,000 in print with 11 printings.

Christmas Blessings

Andrews McMeel, 2015

Rights Available: Translation, Film

This heartwarming keepsake will find its way into many Christian homes. It includes selections from many faiths and beliefs. The book is inspirational with the intention of fostering an appreciation of the blessings of this holiday season, offering the same inspirational tone as Cotner's other successful anthologies.

Comfort Prayers

Andrews McMeel, 2014

Rights Available: Translation, Film

This anthology of prayers and poems encourages and inspires readers as they meet challenging situations, both personal and global—personal issues from the loss of a loved one, career loss, divorce, and health setbacks. Cotner's adult anthologies of prayers and poems are perennial backlist bestsellers.

Dog Blessings

Andrews McMeel, 2017

Rights Available: Translation, Film

This heartwarming anthology of poetry about man's best friend will appeal to dog-lovers everywhere. Selections describe the exuberance of puppies, the unconditional love of a canine best friend, the joy of a shared day at the beach, and the simple pleasure of coming home each day to a wagging tail and unbridled affection. This is the perfect book to be revisited and shared for years to come.

Earth Blessings

Viva Editions 2016

Rights Available: Translation, Film

In this book of poems and prayers, there is not only beautiful prose, but illuminating passages and reflections on the condition of the Earth and humanity's place on this beautiful planet. Cotner and her contributors contemplate every aspect of the environment, from grasslands to ocean, to desert and mountains, with gorgeous meditations on the world around us. *Earth Blessings* features work both from ancient tomes and from modern, award-winning writers about how we are nurtured by nature, and the relationship of humankind and the environment. The book fosters environmental awareness and insight, and it inspires individuals to view the Earth as sacred and cherish it as they explore writings about the relationship of humans and the environment. The selections in the book remind readers of the necessity for sharing and conservation. The overriding intention is to create an ecological celebration of inspiring poems, interfaith prayers, and spiritual prose. By nature of the spiritual focus of *Earth Blessings*, the selections energize readers to recognize and embrace environmental stewardship.

Get Well Wishes

Viva Editions 2015

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

This is a collection of prayers and sympathy poems to inspire those with physical illnesses or ailing hearts. The nurturing words gathered here offer everyone who is ill and their families and friends the courage to move toward recovery and healing—to summon faith and grace in the midst of pain. Wise and compassionate, this uplifting volume encourages anyone touched by illness to find solace in simplicity, take comfort in ritual, and welcome the healing touch of a loved one's warm embrace.

Garden Blessings

Viva Editions, 2014

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

This book is an eloquent tribute to the wonders of the garden, a place where our souls are nourished and memories grown. June Cotner's books comprise a balance of about 20 percent classic and famous writers and 80 percent lesser-known, award-winning writers, uncovering many selections not found anywhere else. Ranging from childhood memories of planting and harvesting to celebrations of the changing seasons to contemplation on the joyful art of gardening, *Garden Blessings* is a moving collection of poems, prayers, and reflections that reminds us of what really matters — making and sharing memories. Our gardens grow us, and this collection of readings takes us down a path of pleasure. The overriding intention of *Garden*

Blessings is to provide a heartwarming, spiritually focused collection of uplifting prayers, prose, and poems that share a common joy and appreciation for the love of gardening and the many blessings that gardens bring to our lives. June Cotner, a best-selling inspirational author, has gathered a bounty of garden blessings here, offering gems of wisdom that remind the reader and gardener in all of us just how much we learn from our gardens.

Graces

Harper San Francisco, 1994

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

This is an elegant gift and reference book with about 140 graces organized by themes to help readers quickly locate a grace suitable for a specific occasion. There are sections for holidays, weddings, and births, as well as one for children. It includes seasonal graces, Native American graces and international graces. *Over 450,000 copies have been sold.*

Gratitude Prayers

Andrews McMeel, 2013

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Gratitude Prayers is an uplifting collection of inspiring prayers, reflective poems, and motivating quotes that will open the reader to experience more joy and wonder in life. In this gracious anthology, June Cotner offers more than 100 motivational selections that remind you to embrace each and every day with abundance and thankfulness. The book includes the voices of classic visionaries such as Rumi, Anne Frank, Walt Whitman and Helen Keller, whose words mingle eloquently alongside contemporary writers such as Michael S. Glaser and Barbara Crooker. The writers in this exuberant book share how to seek out tiny moments of joy, which will point the way toward finding the good in every situation. Divided into ten chapters, *Gratitude Prayers* offers a transformational perspective on finding happiness through gratefulness. Chapters include: Simple Pleasures, Everyday Life, The Natural World, Friends and Family, Joy and Wonder, Faith and Courage, Prayers and Blessings, as well as Reflections, and Inspirations. In addition, the book closes with a chapter dedicated to what Cotner calls “Gratitude Boosters,” short, easily read passages that offer the reader an instantaneous paradigm shift.

Miracle of Motherhood: Prayers & Poems for a New Mother

Center Street, 2007

Rights Available: World

This collection provides encouragement and inspiration for a new mother from mothers who’ve experienced every aspect of motherhood—from the joy to the weary sleepless nights. This collection from a wide range of mothers offers a unique spiritual perspective on motherhood.

Serenity Prayers

Andrews McMeel, 2014

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Best-selling author June Cotner presents a calming collection of prayers, poems, and quotes chosen for their power to offer serenity and tranquility. *Serenity Prayers* is a lovely and timeless collection of prayers, prose, and poems that leaves readers feeling relaxed, peaceful, hopeful, and encouraged. It’s a thoughtful resource for facing everyday challenges.

Soar! Follow Your Dreams

Andrews McMeel, 2014

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Soar! is a thoughtful collection of inspirational quotes and original prose that delivers a meaningful gift book for graduates. Chapters about choices, dreams, perseverance, inspiration, success, and more offer the right words at the right time for anyone heading down a new path.

Teen Prayers: Prayers and Poems to Comfort, Encourage, and Inspire

Harper Children's Books, 2002

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Teen Prayers is a heartwarming book with a spiritual tone accessible to teens. The selections uplift, encourage and help teens cope with the normal ups and downs of adolescence while deepening their connection to God. The prayers help teens find inspirations for everyday life and solace in their relationships with God. Chapters include Inspiration, Comfort, Encouragement, Relationships, The World, Reflections, Nightfall, and Morning. With the success of *Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul* and other books, teen spirituality is doing phenomenally well.

Wedding Blessings: Prayers and Poems Celebrating Love, Marriage, and Anniversaries

Broadway Books, 2003

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

This book is a great gift as well as an inspirational anthology to help couples plan the readings and vows for their weddings and anniversary celebrations that reflect their tastes and desires. It is a convenient resource for multi-faith prayers and blessings for pastors, priests, and rabbis.

Soar, Serenity Prayers, Forever in Love, Comfort Prayers, Christmas Blessings

Andrews McMeel, 2015/2016/2017

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

June Cotner, best-selling author and creator of *Graces*, *Wedding Blessings*, and 26 other inspirational gift books, offers an inspirational anthology of prayers and blessings on many different topics.

Cotner, June & Mayer, Barb

We Are Women: Celebrating Our Wit and Grit

Andrews McMeel, 2016

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

The authors celebrate women with vintage photos coupled with inspirational and humorous quotes by famous women about women and their charms.

Cotner, June & Tupper Ling, Nancy

Toasts

Viva Editions, 2014

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

A well-chosen toast can make simple moments special and special moments memorable. Whether it's celebrating a wedding, a job promotion, a birthday, or a new direction in life, toasting is a tradition that remains a part of honoring important occasions. For nearly 20 years

June Cotner has been the go-to for blessings, housewarmings, new babies, graces, and all of life's rites of passage. Here, she joins forces with award-winning poet and author Nancy Tupper Ling to provide the right words for every occasion. *Toasts* is the perfect resource for any moment where one needs to raise a glass. Organized by category and containing many original toasts written just for this book, this timely tome contains sayings famous and profound, suitable and sentimental. Covering births, weddings, graduations, and other events both major and minor, *Toasts* also provides inspiration for adding meaning to life's special moments. When it comes to making a toast, knowing what to say and how to say it is a talent that takes practice. *Toasts* is the perfect place to find fresh original toasts in addition to traditional favorites.

Cozean, PT, DPT, WCS, CSCS, Nicole, & Cozean, Jessie

The Interstitial Cystitis Solution: A Holistic Plan for Treating Flare-Ups, and Taking Back Your Life

Fair Winds Press, 2016

Rights Available: Film

This book covers the most current information and available treatments for interstitial cystitis. It includes a holistic treatment plan that can be modified based on the reader's condition.

Cramer, Ph.D., Kathryn D.

Roads Home: Seven Pathways to Midlife Wisdom

William Morrow, 1995

Rights Available: Film

Here is a revolutionary message for mid-life that goes far beyond the merely motivational. Dr. Cramer reveals that tremendous inner growth is available in mid-life that was not possible in earlier years—as confirmed by fascinating discoveries in neuroscience, psychology, physiology and anthropology.

When Faster, Harder, Smarter Is Not Enough

McGraw-Hill Publishers, 2001

Rights Available: Film

This is a remarkable 6-Step Process that helps the reader tap into creativity and transform stress into strength. This book is written for successful executives, professionals, and individuals who want to be energized instead of drained by the pressures of life in today's hard-charging atmosphere. For over 20 years Dr. Cramer has studied successful people who have demonstrated an ability to reach their goals, even in the heat of high-stress environments. Her 6-Step Process includes imagining the best possible outcome, respect and work with pressure and stress—instead of against it—to get what you want out of life, reeling in excitement of winning and share your achievements.

Lead Positive: What Highly Effective Leaders See, Say, and Do

Jossey-Bass, 2014

Rights Available: Film

Lead Positive takes the fundamentals of Asset-Based Thinking (ABT) and turns them into a playbook for successful leadership. ABT is a mindset management process that shows people how to make small shifts in perception and thinking to achieve great results. Cramer shows leaders how to apply ABT to shift their attention away from what is negative and learn to

intentionally shine the spotlight on the positive, beneficial facts of a situation. As they make this mental shift from negative to positive aspects, they improve their optimism, empathy, and confidence. When their mindset zooms in on what is strong, valuable, and possible, what they say and do is far more likely to inspire others to action. In short, ABT helps leaders shift internally so they can excel externally.

Cramer, Ph.D., Kathryn, & Wasiak, Hank

Change the Way You See Everything Through Asset-Based Thinking

Running Press, 2006

Rights Available: Film, Audio

A visually dynamic business/self-help book with pictures and graphics, this book offers tools to make small shifts in the way we perceive, filter, and interpret in order to focus on what's working rather than what's not. It emphasizes strengths rather than weaknesses. By focusing on the positive, we change the way we see everything, leading to dramatic improvements in the way we live. Asset-Based Thinking increases our chances of success. ABT is *not* the power of positive thinking, nor does it use traditional self-help skills. It's based on systematic observation of how highly effective, satisfied people think, feel and act.

Darnall, Ph.D., Douglas

Divorce Casualties: Understanding Parental Alienation (Second Edition)

Taylor Publishing, 2008

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

This book is for the parent that feels that their children are being unduly negatively influenced by the other divorced parent. After divorce, some parents can subtly or blatantly attempt to influence their child against the other parent through the use of secrecy, spying, threats, accusations of abuse and denying access to the other parent. This book helps the reader identify such behavior. It offers solutions on how to address these kinds of behaviors to repair and preserve the relationship with their children. The author, Douglas Darnall, Ph.D. is a licensed psychologist and CEO of nine mental health facilities. He is considered an expert in the field, has testified in court, and has been featured on TV and radio.

Beyond Divorce Casualties: Reunifying the Alienated Family

Taylor Publishing, 2010

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

The companion to Douglas Darnall's *Divorce Casualties*, this book is a workbook for severely alienated children and their parents.

Falvey, Patricia

The Girls of Ennismore

Kensington Publishers, 2017

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Atlantic/Corvus), Audio (Brilliance)

From an idyllic Irish country estate to the turbulent streets of 1916 Dublin, *The Girls of Ennismore* is the sweeping saga of two young women struggling to maintain their friendship in the face of class prejudice, dire poverty, family loyalty, and forbidden romances. But when clamor for a free Ireland erupts into an armed rebellion and the women find themselves on

opposing sides, their friendship faces the greatest test of all. Can they summon the will and the courage to fight for it or will they let their precious bond be destroyed?

The Linen Queen

Center Street (Hachette), 2011

Rights Available: Film

Abandoned by her father and neglected by her self-centered, unstable mother, Sheila McGee cannot wait to escape the drudgery of her mill village life in Northern Ireland. Her classic Irish beauty helps her win the 1941 Linen Queen competition, and the prize money that goes with it finally gives her the opportunity she's been dreaming of. But Sheila does not count on the impact of the Belfast blitz, which brings World War II to her doorstep. Now even her good looks are useless in the face of travel restrictions, and her earlier resolve is eroded by her ma's fear of being left alone. When American troops set up base in her village, some see them as occupiers but Sheila sees them as saviors--one of them may be her ticket out. As the war moves steadily closer to those she has grown to love, Sheila confronts more abandonment and loss, and finds true strength, compassion, and a meaning for life outside of herself.

The Yellow House

Center Street (Hachette), 2010

Rights Available: Film

Falvey's exceptional debut novel delves into the passion and politics of Northern Ireland at the beginning of the 20th Century. Eileen O'Neill's family is torn apart by religious intolerance and secrets from the past. Determined to reclaim her ancestral home and reunite her family, Eileen begins working at the local mill, saving her money and holding fast to her dream. As war is declared on a local and global scale, Eileen cannot separate the politics from the very personal impact the conflict has had on her own life. She is soon torn between two men, each drawing her to one extreme. One is a charismatic and passionate political activist determined to win Irish independence from Great Britain at any cost, who appeals to her warrior's soul. The other is the wealthy and handsome black sheep of the pacifist family who owns the mill where she works, and whose persistent attention becomes impossible for her to ignore.

Fisher, Sheila

The Selected Canterbury Tales: A New Verse Translation

W.W. Norton & Company, 2012

Rights Available: Film

Sheila Fisher's *The Selected Canterbury Tales* is a vivid, lively, and readable translation of the most famous work of England's premier medieval poet. Preserving Chaucer's rhyme and meter, Fisher makes these tales accessible to a contemporary ear while inviting readers to the Middle English original on facing pages. Her informative introduction highlights Chaucer's artistic originality in his memorable portrayals of surprisingly modern women and men from across the spectrum of medieval society.

Foy, Sean

The Burst! Workout

Workman Publishing, 2014

Rights Available: Translation

From Sean Foy, M.A.—exercise physiologist, behavioral coach, and co-author of the million-copy *New York Times* #1 bestseller *The Daniel Plan*—is *The Burst! Workout™*, a complete program for 10-minute interval and circuit workouts that can be done practically anywhere, anytime. Study after study proves the effectiveness of high-intensity interval training. Now, here's exactly how to do it. The book features three four-week programs. The simple, scientifically devised exercises are illustrated with step-by-step photographs and are easy to master. The results are astonishing: The workouts boost metabolic rate, promote weight loss, target all major muscle groups, increase cardiovascular endurance, have a positive effect on cholesterol levels and blood pressure, and deliver a sense of well-being—all in just a few minutes.

Guccione, Leslie Davis

The Chick Palace

Ebook, 2013

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Johanna Lawrence and Lilly Covington have a friendship that spans decades. From their days as college roommates to the years as lakeside neighbors, they've offered each other sympathy, support, and solace for life's rough edges. They find themselves together for another summer and a new set of crossroads in their lives as they commandeer their sons' treehouse for morning coffee, evening margaritas, and soulful contemplation. When Johanna's first love reappears in her life and dubs the treehouse The Chick Palace, he embroils Johanna and Lilly in a triangle and proves himself adept at stealing hearts and turning summers upside down.

SALE POINT: This Nook First title was BN.com's #1 bestselling ebook when it debuted in January 2012 and remained in the top 10 bestselling ebooks for over a month. It has over 170 reviews on BN.com and continues to sell.

Jansen, Julie

I Don't Know What I Want, But I Know It's Not This: A Step-by-Step Guide to Finding Gratifying Work – Third Edition

Penguin, 2016

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Piakus), German (Linde Verla), Czech (Management Press/Albastros Media)

This is the quintessential guide for *any country or culture* to finding a meaningful career that you love. It is fully revised and updated for the always-changing modern job market. Career coach Julie Jansen offers a practical, indispensable resource for anyone—regardless of age, industry background or experience—who wants to find gratifying work. It is jam-packed with self-assessments, job search tips, real success stories, and a robust resource section to put the reader on the path to gratifying work whether changing careers, looking for a new job, or starting a business.

“A must-read for anyone who is working and feeling dissatisfied, unfulfilled, or unhappy with their current work situation.” —Paul Tieger, author of *Do What You Are*

“A solid resource for people who know they don't like what they do; it might also be a wakeup call for others numbed into job complacency.” —Publishers Weekly

You Want Me to Work With Who?

Penguin, 2005

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

This book is a practical guide that identifies The Ten Key Characteristics which, when used appropriately, are instrumental to someone's ability to relate to, collaborate with, connect with, understand, influence and persuade people at work...all keys to success and satisfaction. Each of the Ten Characteristics is covered in its own chapter. The reader will read a definition of the characteristic, then identify his own skill in using the characteristic by answering questionnaires and doing diagnostic exercises. Each chapter is filled with stories of how people have used a characteristic well, or overused it in their work relationships.

Koenig, Debbie

Parents Need to Eat Too: 150+ Simple, Healthy Recipes For Sleep-Deprived Frazzled New Moms & Dads

HarperCollins, January 2012

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

Food blogger (Words to Eat By) and former Crown Group marketing executive, Debbie Koenig, has written a cookbook for new parents who often struggle to feed *themselves* once baby comes home. This wonderful cookbook is chock full of easy, flavorful and nutritious recipes that cater to parents who have little time. It includes recipes that can be eaten with one hand or made in installments while baby naps. She even provides recipes for parents who can't cook a lick!

Leader-Chivee, Lauren

Crossing the Thinnest Line: The Possibility, Power, and Payoff of Embracing Diversity

Center Street (Hachette), September 2016

Rights Available: Film

Leader-Chivee, co-founder of non-profit and non-partisan All In Together and diversity consultant to global corporations, offers a compelling and inspiring argument about the need for diversity and the best practices, solutions and strategies to achieve diversity in American society. Through positive stories of companies, organizations and individuals who are successfully using diversity to enrich their lives, enhance their creativity and expand their horizons, Leader-Chivee passionately argues that we must find a way to make our multifaceted diversity an asset, or else it will continue to be our deepest and most painful source of strife. In *Crossing the Thinnest Line*, she explains it *is* possible to bridge our divides and turn our differences into a source of ingenuity, innovation, and prosperity. It *is* possible to talk about difference so that everyone becomes part of the solution.

Marcus, Jeff

All-Time, All-Team Pro Football Quiz

Taylor Trade Publishing, 2014

Rights Available: Audio, Film

Combining off-the-wall trivia questions with hardcore stats and nickname puzzlers, the *All-Time, All-Team Pro Football Quiz* contains stumpers for even the most well-versed football fan. Whether you're a Cheesehead or a Broncomaniac, you'll find quizzes for every team in the league--from the teams you love to the teams you love to hate.

Mattimore, Bryan

21 Days to A Big Idea: Creating Breakthrough Business Concepts

Diversion Books, 2015

Rights Available: Translation

Rights Sold: Indonesia, Italy, Turkey

The first book on business creativity to give both aspiring entrepreneurs and corporate innovation teams a proven 21-day process for generating an on-going stream of breakthrough business concepts. By devoting less than an hour a day for 21 days, using a variety of easy-to-use creative thinking strategies and exercises, anyone can learn to create their idea for “the next big thing.” Based on his experience leading innovation projects for over 150 of the Fortune 500 companies, creativity guru, Mattimore shares his proven, idea-generation techniques for creating wildly successful new products and business concepts.

Idea Stormers: How to Lead and Inspire Creative Breakthroughs

Jossey-Bass, 2012

Rights Available: Japanese, Film

Every organization needs a steady supply of fresh, relevant ideas, but managers can't just lock teams in a room with a mandate to brainstorm and hope for the best. Ideation is both a science and an art, and when group ideation processes are well designed and well-facilitated, anyone can generate an abundance of creative, implementable options, not to mention true breakthroughs, for any business need. Drawing on his work leading high-stakes ideation sessions at over 300 organizations, Mattimore explains the how, what, and why of successful ideation and provides a framework for when and how to apply various techniques. Mattimore is a world-class expert on applied creativity and an innovation process consultant to over one-third of the Fortune 100 companies; he and his team have helped create and launch products and services worth over \$3 billion in annual U.S. retail sales.

McComas, Mary Kay

What Happened to Hannah

Avon, 2012

Rights Available: Translation, Film

What Happened to Hannah is a powerful tale of love, lost childhood and the secrets that tie a family as closely together as they eventually rip it apart. Hannah Benson fled her home as a teenager, leaving behind a mystery that takes twenty years to solve. Called back to her hometown to take custody of her 15 year-old niece she didn't know existed, Hannah once again meets head-on with the pain and danger of her youth—and the love that saved her life. No longer a frightened girl, she creates a new family and discovers the truth about the secret that has tortured her for decades. *What Happened to Hannah* is an emotional read with characters so real you'll think you've known them forever.

“Blending poignancy with humor, crafting characters as real and recognizable as your next-door neighbor, Mary Kay McComas weaves stories that brighten the heart.” –Nora Roberts

“I love Mary Kay McComas. Her books are honest and real, and transport you to a place that feels like home.” –Patricia Gaffney

Something About Sophie

Avon, 2013

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Something About Sophie is a story about the destructive forces of guilt. Answering the call to a stranger's deathbed, a reluctant Sophie Shepard is too late to hear what he was so anxious to impart to her about her birth mother. Instead he sets in motion a spiral into madness that will put her in peril as the secrets of her birth begin to emerge and threaten the lives of those involved. It's a story about the power of love ... and the things people will do, both right and wrong, to protect it.

McGill, Billy & Brach, Eric

Billy "The Hill" and the Jump Hook: The Autobiography of a Forgotten Basketball Legend

University of Nebraska Press, 2013

Rights Available: Audio, Film

Growing up on the hardscrabble streets of L.A. in the late 1950s, Billy McGill stood out. At fifteen he was playing in pickup games against Bill Russell and Wilt Chamberlain—and holding his own, in part because he invented the jump hook shot, which no one could defend. How he went from college phenom, well on his way to becoming the greatest player LA ever produced, to sleeping in abandoned houses and washing up in a Laundromat sink is the story Billy “the Hill” McGill recounts here. The first African American to play basketball for the University of Utah and the highest-scoring big man in NCAA history (whose scoring record is still unbroken), McGill was the first pick of the 1962 NBA draft. But the injury that would undo him—a knee injury in his junior year of high school would worsen until his career faded away. College star to troubled player, bouncing around the NBA and the ABA, McGill takes us from the heights to his precipitous fall—and the slow recovery of his life.

Meekhof, Kristin & Windell, James

Just Widowed: Support and Advice for the First Years from Experts and Widows Who've Been There

Sourcebooks, 2015

Rights Available: Audio, Film

This book, a one-of-a-kind first-aid kit for new widows, is *destined to become the go-to book for widows, their family and friends*. It offers a unique blend of compassion and advice for coping with grief and practical tools in a step-by-step guide for widows in the overwhelming first few weeks after a spouse's death *and* through the first years. Co-author Kristin Meekhof was widowed at age 33. She shares her experience and the reflections of more than 50 widows ages 30 to 80. Their memories and insights provide inspiration, comfort and support. Most importantly, the authors provide *a strategy* for coping with the business of life while grieving.

Moran, Sandra

Letters Never Sent

Bedazzled Ink Publishing, 2013

Rights Available: Translation

Three women, united by love and kinship, struggle to conform to the social norms of the times in which they lived. In 1931, Katherine Henderson leaves behind her small town in Kansas and the

marriage proposal of a local boy to live on her own and work at the Sears & Roebuck glove counter in Chicago. There she meets Annie — a bold, outspoken feminist who challenges Katherine’s idea of who she thinks she is and what she thinks she wants in life. In 1997, Katherine’s daughter, Joan, travels to Lawrence, Kansas, to clean out her estranged mother’s house. Hidden away in an old suitcase, she finds a wooden box containing trinkets and a packet of sealed letters to a person identified only by a first initial. Joan reads the unsent letters and discovers a woman completely different from the aloof and unyielding mother of her youth – a woman who had loved deeply and lost that love to circumstances beyond her control. Now she just has to find the strength to use the healing power of empathy and forgiveness to live the life she’s always wanted to live. *Winner of 2014 Ann Bannon Popular Fiction Award (GCLS), 2014 General Fiction Award (GCLS), 2013 Rainbow Award for Historical Fiction, and the 2013 Rainbow Award for Lesbian Debut Novel. It was also a finalist for the prestigious Edmund White Award for Debut Fiction (Triangle Awards).*

Riley, Sheri

Exponential Living: Stop Spending 100% of Your Time on 10% of Who You Are

Berkley Books, 2017

Rights Available: Translation (except British)

Empowerment Speaker and Life Strategist Sheri Riley believes the key to reconnecting with yourself is to stop spending 100% of your time on 10% of who you are and make choices that lead to more peace, less stress, better clarity, and a more fulfilling life. In *Exponential Living*, Riley offers simple, practical solutions to help the busiest goal-oriented people integrate their personal desires into their life without detriment to their career achievement. As an Empowerment Speaker and Life Strategist, Riley works with high achievers to make choices that lead to less stress, more clarity, and inner peace. She served as an instructor for Steve Harvey’s Radical Success Institute, serves as a featured columnist for BlackAmericaWeb.com and BlackEnterprise.com and is a founding partner of John Maxwell’s global Coaching, Speaking, Training Team.

Roberts, Jane

Seth Speaks: The Eternal Validity of the Soul

Amber-Allen Publishing and New World Library, 1994

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Rights sold: France, Japan, China, Germany, Taiwan

The most popular of the Seth books, this is the first book written entirely by Seth (a channeled personality) for the public. In it he discusses the eternal validity of the soul and presents his very unique and original view of physical and non-physical reality. Topics include: what to expect immediately after death, how to glimpse into past lives, ways to contact friends and relatives who have died, dreams and out-of-body experiences, the three lost civilizations that preceded Atlantis, and much more. “What I will tell you has been told before throughout the centuries, and given again when it was forgotten. I hope to clarify many points that have been distorted through the years... I am primarily a personality with a message: you create the world that you know. You have been given perhaps the most awesome gift of all: the ability to project your thoughts outward into physical form.” *Seth has sold over two million copies.*

The Nature of Personal Reality: Specific, Practical Techniques for Solving Everyday Problems and Enriching the Life You Know

Amber-Allen Publishing and New World Library, 1994

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Rights sold: France, Japan, China, Germany, Taiwan

Considered by many to be Seth's greatest work, *The Nature of Personal Reality* is simply the best manual ever written on the art of consciously creating your reality. In it Seth provides a clear articulation of how people create their reality from their thoughts, emotions, and beliefs, and provides the tools for individuals to truly take charge of their minds and their lives. To this day it stands out as one of the finest metaphysical books ever written.

The Magical Approach: Seth Speaks About the Art of Creative Living

Amber-Allen Publishing and New World Library, 1995

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Rights Sold: France, Japan, China, Germany, Taiwan

The Magical Approach teaches us to live our lives spontaneously, creatively, and according to our own natural rhythms. It is an approach to reality that develops from understanding that each individual creates their own reality and possesses amazing sources of knowledge and power. By applying the principles in this book, readers will learn to trust their impulses and discover the highest expression of their creativity.

Sears, M.D., Robert

The Autism Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2010

Rights Available: Translation, Film

With the continuing rise in autism, early detection and intervention is critical. Dr. Bob Sears provides parents with all the tools they need to detect developmental problems at the earliest possible age. *The Autism Book* offers indispensable information, a complete treatment plan, and extensive resources to assist parents in navigating the maze of autism. Dr. Sears also provides a simple and clear explanation of the integrative treatment approach that he has used successfully with many of his young patients. This book is a comprehensive guide to detecting, treating, and preventing autism.

The Vaccine Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2007, 2011 Revised Edition

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Rights Sold: Korean (Tindrum), Czech (Argo), Arabic (King Saud)

When you're considering what vaccinations are right for your child and when to administer them, there's a lot to think about. And with so much conflicting information available today, these decisions can seem overwhelming. Dr. Bob Sears offers help. In this first-ever, authoritative, open-minded guide to childhood vaccinations, he provides an in-depth look at each disease/vaccine pair and covers everything you need to know. In a clear, accessible tone, Dr. Sears lays out the reasons both for and against administering each vaccine and provides the essential tools for making informed decisions about your child's health. The completely revised edition offers updated information on vaccines, the side effects, combination vaccines, additional options for alternative vaccine schedules, and much more.

Sears, M.D., Robert & Sears, M.D., James

Father's First Steps: 25 Things Every New Father Should Know

Harvard Common Press, 2006

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Bulgarian (Mont Ltd), Turkish (Pozitif), Japanese (Shufuno Tomo Sha)

For a small book, *25 Things Every Father Should Know* is packed with practical advice for first-time fathers. Written by two pediatricians who are fathers themselves and sons of America's renowned pediatrician, Dr. William Sears, the book is filled with wisdom presented in a delightfully humorous and reassuring tone.

The Omega-3 Effect

Little, Brown & Company, 2012

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Romania (Editura All), Ukraine (Krajna Mriy), Korea (1 Sange Media Publishers)

In *The Omega-3 Effect*, physician and healthcare author Dr. William Sears offers a practical and science-made-simple approach to a more healthful life for the entire family. Omega-3s play a critical role in the body. By adding just one vital nutrient to your diet you'll discover how omega-3s contribute to a healthier heart; a smarter brain; happier moods; healthier pregnancies; smarter and healthier babies; better-behaved children; smoother skin, clearer vision, and stronger bones; reduced inflammation; stronger immune system and faster wound healing; better weight control; and slowed aging. Based on extensive research and written in the wise, accessible tone that has made Dr. Sears a household name, *The Omega-3 Effect* offers useful, sound guidance on the myriad health benefits of omega-3.

Sears, M.D., Robert, & Sears, M.D., William

The Allergy Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2015

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Allergic disorders plague children at an alarming rate. Twenty percent of children suffer through their early years with stuffy noses, itchy skin, and irritated bellies; these years of chronic inflammation take their toll. Left undiagnosed, untreated, and unresolved, a child can grow up with an unhealthy immune system and nervous system that can lead to chronic asthma, eczema, inflammatory bowel disease, and neurological disorders. Solving a child's allergic puzzle in the early years can lead to a life of health and happiness. This is best accomplished through a combination of traditional and natural medicine: using the standard medical approach of allergy testing, allergen removal, treatment to suppress symptoms, and desensitizing the immune system with allergy shots, combined with safe and effective natural treatment approaches and diet changes that reduce a child's allergic reactivity. Having suffered from allergies and asthma most of his life, Dr. Bob Sears shares how he has achieved healing and resolution from his own allergies.

Sears, M.D., William & Sears, R.N., Martha

Attachment Parenting

Little, Brown & Company, 2001

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Finnish (Green Spot Media), Croatian (Mladinska Knjiga Zalozba), Slovenian (Peter Cerny), Korean (Prunyuka), Chinese Simplified (Jiangsu Literature), Czech (Argos), Turkish (Dogan Egmont), German (Tologo Verlag), Polish (Mamania Anna)

This book is considered the “Sears’ Mission Statement.” Attachment Parenting is the “in” style of parenting. In the past few years there has been a flurry of interest about what style of parenting builds brighter, better-behaved babies. Both science and experience validate that the attachment style of parenting is the style most likely to bring out the best in babies and in parents. Parents are having babies later in life and, with new technology, previously infertile couples are now able to conceive. These groups of special parents of long-awaited babies tend to prefer this high-touch, high-responsive, and high-reward style of parenting, and they are hungry for parenting style resources. This book is a why and how book, providing information on why Attachment Parenting is the best for most families and practical tools on how to enjoy this style of parenting.

The Healthy Pregnancy Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2013

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Rights Sold: Japanese (Shufono Tomo Sha)

This comprehensive month-by-month pregnancy guide will guide expectant parents through all the stages of pregnancy, focusing especially on how they can improve the health of their pregnancy and of their baby. The book addresses emotional and physical changes that take place during pregnancy, baby’s brain and bodily development, common pregnancy questions, healthy pregnancy habits, the best pregnancy foods and exercises, choosing the right doctor, birthing choices, and much more.

Feeding the Picky Eater

Little, Brown & Company, 2001

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

One of four mass-market books, in this collection of Q&As the Sears share their expertise on: when and how to introduce your baby to solid foods, feeding the toddler who’s too busy to eat, homemade vs. store-bought foods, avoiding common food allergens, coping with dinnertime disasters, juice abuse, the foods that keep children awake, resolving constipation with food, how much milk your child really needs, dealing with a child’s sweet tooth, marketing green vegetables to your preschooler, what to do when your baby can’t tolerate formula, playing tea party and other tricks, what to do if your child is overweight, and much more.

How to Get Your Baby to Sleep

Little, Brown & Company, 2001 (Mass Market Pbk)

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

One of four mass-market books in a collection of Q&A’s. In this one the Sears share their expertise on nighttime routines, safe sleep environments, how to dress your baby for sleep, cribs and infant beds, avoiding SIDS, sleep-sharing, bedtime music, determining how much sleep your child needs, light sleepers, early risers, night-time feeding and more.

Keeping Your Baby Healthy

Little, Brown & Company, 2001 (Mass Market Pbk)

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

One of four mass-market books in a collection of Q&A's. In this one the Sears share their expertise on vaccines, immunizations, teething discomfort, fever medication, allergies, asthma, formula intolerance, infant gassiness, tracking a child's motor development, treating digestive disorders, ear infections, vitamins, rashes, finding the perfect pediatrician and more.

Parenting the Fussy Baby and High-Need Child

Little, Brown & Company, 1996

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Ebook

Rights Sold: British (HarperCollins UK), Korean (Prunyuka), Indonesian (Lentera Hati)

Call them “fussy babies” or “challenging children” –whatever the label, some kids truly stretch their parents. Using a kinder and more accurate term, “high-need children,” Bill and Martha Sears draw on their personal experience with their own high-need children, plus their many years of counseling parents of high-need children, and present practical wisdom on thriving and surviving the parenting years. Using real-life stories, Bill and Martha show parents how to both cope with the draining features of these children and channel their positive characteristics to work to their advantage. By teaching parents how to identify these children early and how to give them the tools they need to succeed in life, the Sears show how parents and children can bring out the best in each other.

Prime-Time Health: A Proven Plan for Living Younger Longer

Little, Brown & Company, 2010

Rights Available: Translation, Film

For the first time Dr. William Sears, America's foremost pediatrician, provides health advice to his own generation—baby boomers and beyond—in this comprehensive guide for staying healthy as you age. In 1997 Dr. Sears was diagnosed with colon cancer. He shares his personal experiences how this diagnosis was a catalyst for transforming his own life. The result of 12 years of his research, the book applies decades of clinical experience showing how to begin and maintain lifestyle changes. These changes make a powerful difference in one's health and well-being—and much more quickly than had once been thought possible. Dr. Sears takes the reader through the major organs and systems of the body describing how each works and how to maintain them for healthy, youthful life. *Major promotion; First time in hardcover.*

SIDS: A Parent's Guide to Understanding & Preventing Sudden Infant Death Syndrome

Little, Brown & Company, 1995

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

As the number one cause of death in infants under one year of age, this disease is high on every parent's worry list. Here, Dr. Sears combines the latest SIDS research with his own experience to present a seven-step program that reduces the worry as well as the risk of SIDS.

The A.D.D. Book

Little, Brown & Company, 1998

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Indonesian (Lentera Hati)

This is a unique and exciting book for the hundreds of thousands of parents who are unhappy with the choice of Ritalin and associated drugs for their kids with ADD—Attention Deficit

Disorder. The book explains what ADD is and what it isn't—and how to tell if your child is affected. In addition, the Sears offer a comprehensive guide to different strategies and methods for managing ADD. They explore options besides Ritalin, including an innovative technique called Neurofeedback.

The Baby Book

Little, Brown & Company, 1993, Revised 2003, Updated Edition 2013

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (HarperCollins UK), Turkish (GunYayincilik), Taiwanese (Commonwealth), Indonesian (Serambi Ilmu Semesta), Korean (Idamedia), Chinese Simplified (Thin Kingdom), Ukrainian (Krajina Mriy), Russian (Eksmo), Bulgarian (Skyprint), Japanese (Shufuno Tomo Sha), Croatia (Mladinska Knjiga Zalozba), Polish (Mamania Anna), Hebrew (Keter Books)

From the creator of the baby sling, and also his wife, a registered nurse, comes the flagship book—a comprehensive infant care book that covers pre-birth to age two years. *The Baby Book* emphasizes the five major parental concerns: eating, sleeping, comforting, development and health. This was a major new childcare book that the publisher supported with \$100,000 in advertising and promotion—and it became a best-seller! Dr. Sears has become the next Dr. Spock. *Over one million copies sold!*

The Baby Sleep Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2005

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (HarperCollins UK), Spain (RBA Libros), Polish (KE Liber SC)

This is a unique guide to balancing the sleeping needs for the whole family. It offers flexible, adaptable techniques for helping your baby go to sleep—and stay asleep—and advice for parents to get the sleep they need.

The Birth Book: Everything You Need to Know to Have a Safe & Satisfying Birth

Little, Brown & Company, 2001

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Here, nationally renowned pediatric specialists and parents of eight children thoroughly explore the choices couples face when anticipating the birth of their child.

The Breastfeeding Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2000

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Chinese Simplified (Jiangsu Literature)

Around the world, parents have turned to Martha Sears, R.N. and William Sears, M.D. as authoritative resources for advice and information on all aspects of pregnancy, birth, childcare and family nutrition. There's a resurgence of interest in the benefits garnered by both the mother and the child from breastfeeding. In a comprehensive encyclopedic style, *The Breastfeeding Book* introduces new mothers to the entire process while offering seasoned mothers helpful hints they may not have known.

The Discipline Book: Everything You Need to Know to Have a Better Behaved Child—from Birth to Age Ten

Little, Brown, 1995, 2002

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Ebook

Rights Sold: British (HarperCollins UK), Croatian (Mladinska Knjiga Založba), Russian (Eksmo), Korean (Dongnyoklife), Simplified Chinese (Huaxia Publishers)

This is the definitive guide to raising happy, well-adjusted, well-behaved children. The authors draw upon personal experience and their professional knowledge as childcare experts to prove an authoritative approach to a broad range of disciplinary issues and practices. *Over 130,000 copies sold!*

The Family Nutrition Book: Everything You Need to Know to Feed Your Child—from Birth to Adolescence

Little, Brown & Company, 1999

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

Rights Sold: Russian (Eksmo), Ukrainian (Krajina Mriy)

A complete guide to the proper way to feed children, this book is the bible of nutritional guides. It contains plenty of fresh ideas for getting kids to eat as well as the whole family!

The First Three Months

Little, Brown & Company, 2001 (Mass Market Pbk)

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

This is one of four mass-market books in a collection of Q&A's. The Sears share their expertise on bonding with your baby, breastfeeding, baby formula, boosting your infant's IQ, establishing routines, diaper rash, skin conditions, weight gain, first shots, screening tests, baby's breathing, traveling with your baby and more.

The L.E.A.N. Program for Kids

Little, Brown & Company, 2003

Rights Available: British, Film, Ebook

Dr. Sears presents a roadmap for children's health in an all-in-one book based on the synergy among the four pillars of health: Lifestyle, Exercise, Attitude and Nutrition. This is not just a "diet book" for children. The LEAN KIDS Program is being used as a pilot program for the Boys and Girls Club of Southern California.

The N.D.D. Book: How Nutrition Deficit Disorder Affects Your Child's Learning, Behavior, and Health, and What You Can Do About It—Without Drugs

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Nutrition Deficit Disorder, or N.D.D., is based on the idea that if "you put junk food into a child's brain, you get back junk behavior and learning." Dr. Sears explores the latest scientific research on the effects of nutrition on the brain, presenting case studies of his own patients with A.D.D., learning issues, and more. Instead of medicating his patients, Dr. Sears looked for a better solution. With simple diet changes, his patients showed major improvement in learning and behavior and were able to greatly reduce or even stop their medication. *The N.D.D. Book* is a must-have for all parents who want to help their children become healthier, happier, and better prepared to learn.

The Premature Baby Book

Little, Brown & Company, 2004

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

Rights Sold: Indonesian (Lentera Hati), Arabic (King Saud University), Croatia (Mladinska Krjiga Zalizba)

This book is a comprehensive guide to parenting the premature baby from birth to age two, surveying all the most up-to-date information on the treatment of premature newborns, common medical problems, developmental and cognitive issues and what parents can do.

The Successful Child: What Parents Can Do to Help Kids Turn Out Well

Little, Brown & Company, 2002

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film, Ebook

Rights Sold: Simplified Chinese (Beijing Mediatime Books), Turkey (Yakamoz Yayincilik,), Arabic (Abdul Manan Mulla Barr), Korea (Prunyuka)

In this book, the Sears bring the reason and common sense of their philosophy of parenting to the hurdles of raising the older child. Attachment parenting is not just for babies; as children grow, they need to expand the web of their secure attachments to friends, teachers, community and the wider world. As there is no single plan for any one family, they show a range of ways a parent can retain a child's trust and wield a positive influence as their child matures. By following the advice laid out in this book, parents can see that the bonds they have nurtured since infancy will provide the anchor that will ground their children through the challenging teen years to adulthood.

25 Things Every New Mother Should Know

Harvard Common Press, 1995

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Turkey (Pozitif)

Busy moms will find refuge in this warm, heartfelt, and concise book by America's foremost childcare experts.

Sears, M.D., William, Sears, R.N., Martha, Sears, M.D., James, & Sears, M.D., Robert

The Healthiest Kid in the Neighborhood

Little, Brown & Company, 2006

Rights Available: Translation, Film

From America's foremost childcare experts: a practical, appetizing, easy-to-follow eating plan for shaping children's tastes and metabolisms toward optimal health. The Sears provide the tools, the tips, the knowledge that parents need in virtually every nutritional circumstance, from dealing with a picky eater to curbing an adolescent's junk food cravings. In the wise but accessible tone that has made theirs the most trusted voice in childcare, the Sears explore the latest research in biochemistry and nutrition science and explain (with recipes!) how parents can instill a healthy, balanced way of eating that will set kids on the "right track" for life.

Sears, M.D., William, Sears, R.N., Martha, Sears, M.D., James, Sears, Robert, M.D., & Sears, M.D., Peter

The Portable Pediatrician

Little, Brown & Company, 2011

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: Russian (Exmo), Ukraine (Krajhina Mriy), Simplified Chinese (Beijing Mediatime Books)

The Portable Pediatrician is the definitive, encyclopedic guide to complete medical care for your child, from birth to adolescence. Written by the most trusted names in pediatrics, this comprehensive book presented in an A to Z format offers timely and practical information on every pediatric concern, illness, and emergency. Whether parents are up in the middle of the night with a sick child or are looking for reliable preventive advice, the Sears family has the answers. In *The Portable Pediatrician*, readers will find everything they need to know to keep their child healthy and happy, all in the Sears' trademark reassuring and accessible tone.

Shepard, Molly, Dean, Peter, & Stimmler, Jane

Breaking into the Boys' Club: The Complete Guide for Women to Get Ahead in Business (Revised Edition)

Taylor Trade Publishing, 2014

Rights Available: Translation, Film, Audio

Rights Sold: Czechoslovakia

Women across the globe are making painfully slow progress climbing the ladder to positions of corporate power. Though women continue to become more educated, and are increasingly an important part of the workforce talent, less than a quarter of senior business positions are held by women, the average percentage of women on boards in Europe as a whole is just 12%, and only 3.5% of the CEOs in Australia are female. *Breaking Into the Boys' Club* is a practical guide for women striving to get ahead in the workplace—straight talk about business mistakes women often make and how to remedy them. The book offers stories, quizzes and tips to help readers diagnose problems and discover solutions to work issues that may be holding them back from advancing. Key topics included in the book are: getting their ideas heard, networking strategically, promoting skills and accomplishments, navigating organizational politics, maximizing mentoring opportunities, and developing impact and presence. Molly Shepard is the CEO of a women's executive leadership development firm and founder of one of the world's largest career development firms. Jane Stimmler is the principal of a marketing and communications firm and lecturer/writer on women in business. Peter Dean, author of several books on leadership and CEO of an executive leadership development firm for men, provides a male's point of view.

Silverman, Matthew

One-Year Dynasty: Inside the Rise and Fall of the 1986 Mets, Baseball's Impossible One-and-Done Champions

Taylor Trade Publishing, 2016

Rights Available: Audio

Relive the games, moves, and players of the hard-hitting team that won the 1986 World Series. Vin Scully called the tenth-inning groundball in Game Six of the 1986 World Series—Mets versus Red Sox—that sealed a comeback, fueled a curse, and turned a batting champion into a

scapegoat. But getting there was a long, hard slog with plenty of heartache. After being knocked out of contention the previous two seasons, the Mets blasted through the National League that year. They won blowouts, nail-biters, fights, and a 14-inning game that ended with one pitcher on the mound, another in right field, and an All-Star catcher playing third base. Matt Silverman covers famous baseball players including: Ron Darling, Dwight Gooden, Keith Hernandez, Darryl Strawberry and more. Going beyond the partying and excess, Silverman recounts in this book, step by step, the team's meteoric rise in 1986, when they captured their first division title in over a decade, shattered the franchise record, and then won it all.

Best Mets: Fifty Years of Highlights and Lowlights From New York's Most Agonizingly Amazin' Team

Taylor Trade Publishing, 2012

Rights Available: Translation, Audio

The New York Mets are a psychologist's dream. Since their 1962 birth, the Mets have brought their fans incredible highs as well as jaw dropping lows. Their 1969 world championship—the first ever won by an expansion team—was deemed no less than a miracle. Even the dominating 1986 club required an amazin' finish to claim its world championship. Five times their post-season fate has come down to the final day; they have played in the postseason seven times, never lost a Division Series, and appeared in four World Series. *Best Mets* looks at the club's best seasons—and its worst ones—and ranks the top 50 Mets of all time as well as the team's greatest games.

Sokol, Ph.D., Leslie, & Fox, Ph.D., Marci G.

Think Confident, Be Confident: A Four-Step Program to Eliminate Doubt and Achieve Lifelong Self-Esteem

Penguin Group, 2009

Rights Available: Film, Audio

Long-time associates of the Beck Institute, Drs. Sokol and Fox share their innovative, four-step cognitive therapy program for overcoming self-doubt and fear, building confidence, and maximizing potential in all areas of life. Their unique program enables the reader to identify and examine those areas where self-doubt gets triggered and interferes with their potential. As the self-doubt becomes more externalized, readers are shown step-by-step how to determine if their fear is valid, and if not, how to overcome it. Readers will learn how to develop confidence and to base their actions on a new, more positive belief structure, resulting in a true and lasting form of solid self-esteem and confidence.

Think Confident, Be Confident for Teens: A Cognitive Therapy Guide to Overcoming Self-Doubt and Creating Unshakable Self-Esteem

Instant Help, 2011

Rights Available: Film, Audio

Using powerful skills based in cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), *Think Confident, Be Confident for Teens* shows teens how to tap into their self-esteem so they can be themselves in every situation, no matter how awkward they feel or scary that may sound. The fun exercises and tips in this confidence-coaching workbook guide teens past feelings of self-doubt and encourage them to believe in themselves, strengthen their friendships, and meet every challenge head-on.

Spiegelman, Peter

Dr. Knox

Knopf Publishing, July 2016

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Quercus/Hachette)

A gripping new thriller whose physician protagonist has a powerful humanitarian impulse, an unhealthy appetite for risk, and a knack for finding himself between a rock and a hard place. When Dr. Adam Knox served with an NGO in Central African Republic, his attempt to protect patients from a brutal militia ended in disaster and disgrace. Now, he runs a clinic near Los Angeles' Skid Row, making ends meet by making house calls—for cash and no questions asked—on those too famous or too criminal to seek other medical care. When a young boy is abandoned at his clinic, Knox is determined to find his family and save him from the not-so-tender mercies of the child welfare bureaucracy. Knox's search for the volatile woman who may or may not be the boy's mother leads him and his friend—former Special Forces operator Ben Sutter—into a labyrinth of human traffickers, Russian mobsters, and corporate security thugs, and to a powerful, secretive, and utterly ruthless family that threatens to destroy Dr. Knox and all that he holds dear.

Praise for Dr. Knox

"Dr. Knox portrays an all-new Los Angeles, rendered in a wild, all-new style. It's a crackerjack crime novel; everything pop-pop-pops and lures you deeper and deeper into Peter Spiegelman's luminous vision. It's a thrilling book." –James Ellroy, author of the epic *L.A. Confidential*

"Dr. Knox is a stark, beautifully written revelation. As Ellroy did before him, Spiegelman turns a new page on LA neo-noir, and on the contradictions of that city: its glamour and gore, its wealthy and weak, its merciful and mercenary. Part Robin Hood, part Batman, Knox and Sutter are edgy urban knights for a dark, new age." –Reed Farrel Coleman, *New York Times* bestselling author of Robert B. Parker's *The Devil Wins*

"Peter Spiegelman's Dr. Knox is a bruised wonder of a crime novel. Filled with page-turning intrigue and an L.A. atmosphere so richly rendered you can practically smell the 'eucalyptus and dust,' it is both thrilling and rueful, harrowing and moving. Don't miss it." –Megan Abbott, award-winning author of *The Fever* and *You Will Know Me*

"The great American question, the great question of civilization itself, lies in how much an individual gives over to society and how much that individual keeps to him- or herself. Peter Spiegelman's story of a free spirit given to helping others is, as it must be, sweet and bitter in equal parts. Spiegelman takes us so securely into the world of his characters that we look up from Dr. Knox blinking, wondering where this is. Nothing looks quite the same." –James Sallis, winner of the Hammett Award for literary excellence in crime writing and the Grand Prix de Littérature policière, author of *Drive and Driven*

Black Maps

Knopf Publishing, 2004

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Century UK), Spain (El Anden), Bulgarian (Colibri), Dutch (Quercas), Czech (BB/Art), French (Lattes), Italian (Garzanti Libre, Norwegian (NW Damm), Swedish (Norstedt Forlag)

Winner of the Shamus Award for Best First Novel, Black Maps features John March, a private investigator with a dark past. He's the black sheep of a large, wealthy New York banking family, which runs a prestigious merchant bank. While his siblings are high-powered Wall Street executives in the firm, March is the only one who's eschewed the family business. In fact, he was a sheriff's deputy in rural, upstate New York, until a personal tragedy and professional disaster ended that career. We meet him as a private investigator in Manhattan. His friend, a lawyer named Mike Metz, on behalf of Metz's client, investment banker Rick Pierro, hires March. Pierro is being blackmailed and March must find out who is blackmailing him and why.

Death's Little Helpers

Knopf Publishing, 2005

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Century UK), Spain (El Anden), Italy (Arnolodo)

Death's Little Helpers is set against the backdrop of Wall Street, and peopled with characters that make their living in and around banking, trading and high finance. Its plot comes straight from today's financial headlines, exploring the tangled intersection of financial markets, media, celebrity and conflict-of-interest. Herbert Bails was once the star equity analyst at Pace Layette Securities (PLS), often quoted in the financial pages, and a frequent guest on all the business news channels. But when the equity markets collapsed, so did Bails's fortunes, and nearly as fast. Now the former wunderkind is missing, and his ex-wife, Nina Sachs, hires John March to find him.

Red Cat

Knopf Publishing, 2007

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Century/Random House), Spain (El Anden), Japan (Enterbrain)

P.I. John March is hired by his older brother, David, to save his reputation and marriage from scandal. Arrogant and powerful, David, head of the family's investment banking firm, engages in anonymous sexual encounters with introductions made through websites. David was pleased with his secrets, until one of his partners pierced his protective shell of anonymity and laid siege to his life. Now, a woman David knows only as Wren suddenly knows all too much about him. She's leaving threatening messages and David is scared. He wants John to find the woman and make her stop her threats. Stunned by these revelations, John March agrees to take the case. March's investigation into Wren's death and strange life reveals an angry, brilliant and deeply disturbed woman—an artist whose media included video, adultery and voyeurism, whose message was all about crime and punishment, and whose sideline just might have been blackmail. But March has to work fast: the police are following the same twisted trail that he is, and it's leading to his brother's door.

Thick as Thieves

Knopf Publishing, 2011

Rights Available: Translation, Film

Rights Sold: British (Quercas); French (Editions du Seuil), Turkish (Yakamoz Yayincilik Hizmetleri Tic. Ltd. Sti.)

Carr (no first name)—ex-CIA, ex-corporate security, nomadic ex-pat—works what he hopes is his last job: leading a dysfunctional crew of high-line thieves in a massively complex bank robbery. Their target is a Cayman Islands investment firm, and its owner, Curtis Prager, a hedge fund manager turned money launderer, whose clientele includes drug cartels, arms dealers, and human traffickers, among other assorted villains. Their haul should be more than enough to see them all into long and luxurious retirements, provided they don't get themselves killed—or kill each other—first.

Praise for Thick as Thieves:

“Superlative prose lifts this gritty stand-alone from Shamus Award-winner Spiegelman (Black Maps) ... makes the mission both intricate and plausible.” —Publishers Weekly (starred review)

“Slick, sophisticated, and satisfying . . . this is thriller fiction at its best.” —Lee Child

“Thick as Thieves showcases the further development of Peter Spiegelman, one of our best writers of suspense and intrigue. His characters are forceful, smart, and his prose is supple, precise, and often poetic. Spiegelman gives us a deep inside look at scams and scammers of various sorts, and puts a big whirling plot into motion that ultimately delivers every satisfaction it promises at the start.” —Daniel Woodrell, author of *Winter's Bone*

Trapani, Iza

Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star

Charlesbridge, 1994

Rights Available: Film, Audio

An irresistible young heroine wishes upon a mischievous, twinkling star. Granting her wish, the little star takes her on a dazzling journey through the swirling, iridescent lights of the night sky. Iza's flowing watercolors and reassuring verses make this journey a night wish for every star gazing child.

The Itsy Bitsy Spider

Charlesbridge, 1998

Rights Available: Film, Audio

The spirited and irresistible itsy bitsy spider has captured the hearts of generations of children by climbing up that waterspout. Now she's back—on a new magical journey! This all-new itsy bitsy spider has exciting encounters with a fan, a mouse, a rocking chair, a cat and a big maple tree. Finally, the itsy bitsy spider finds a lovely spot to rest and spin a new silky web. Children will enjoy time and again the delightful adventures of the energetic itsy bitsy spider. *Over one million copies sold.*

Windell, James

Children Who Say No When You Want Them to Say Yes

Macmillan, 1996

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

This book details reasons why children are stubborn and opposition and the various ages and stages when young people are likely to be more stubborn and noncompliant. It features suggestions and recommendations for parents in the proper handling of oppositional children and adolescents.

Discipline: 50 Fail-Proof Techniques for Raising Your Child from Toddler to Teen

Macmillan, 1991

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

This book is a rational, straightforward compilation of methods and approaches to child discipline that every parent should read at one time or another. Windell stresses the need for patience, empathy, and, above all, diagnosis. He asks parents to look at the nature of their discipline problems, their own expectations, the personality of the child involved, and the results they hope to achieve from any disciplinary move.

Six Steps to an Emotionally-Intelligent Teenager

John Wiley & Sons, 1999

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Social skills and emotional intelligence empower us to navigate the world in a healthy and competent manner. This book instructs parents to look at unwanted behavior caused by social skill deficits as opportunities to teach improved social skills to their teenagers. The social skills include: Emotional support of others, recognition of one's own feelings, self-control, anger control, empathy, and resisting the negativity in life. Teenagers who learn proper social skills are able to deal with daily frustrations enabling them to become happy and successful individuals.

8 Weeks to a Well-Behaved Child

Macmillan, 1994

Rights Available: British, Translation, Film

Based on the author's award-winning parent-training courses, here is a sensible and effective program designed to give parents the tools, confidence, and competence to transform children's behavior problems.

Woods, Sherryl

Single Titles

Amazing Gracie

MIRA, 2009

Rights Available: Film

“Southern scoundrel” lawyer Kevin Douglas stands squarely between hard-as nails businesswoman Gracie MacDougal and the dilapidated old Victorian house she wants to transform into a gracious bed and breakfast. Gracie's not afraid of hard work; Kevin's not afraid of a challenge. It isn't long before their business dealings yield to the pleasure they find in love.

Flamingo Diner

MIRA, 2008; MIRA Ebook 2015

Rights Available: Film

Flamingo Diner has always been a friendly place where everyone knows your name. Unfortunately, in the small town of Winter Cove, Florida, it is also the place where everyone knows everything else about you as well. As a teenager Emma Killian didn't recognize what a remarkable business her family had created, and so she moved away. Now, after her father's tragic death, Emma must return home to face a mountain of secrets, debts and questions about why and how her beloved father died. Onetime bad boy Matt Atkins is now the Winter Cove police chief. Matt always had a penchant for trouble and an eye for Emma. Now it seems he's the only one who can help Emma discover the answers to her questions...and give her a whole new reason to stay home.

Mending Fences

MIRA, 2009

Rights Available: Film

For ten years Emily Dobbs and Marcie Carter have been the closest of friends. They've raised their kids together, shared joy and heartache, exchanged neighborhood gossip over tea. But when Marcie's son, now a college freshman sports star, is arrested for date rape, the bond between the families could be shattered forever.

Related Duos

Home to Seaview Key

MIRA, 2014

Rights Available: Film

Falling for a handsome stranger on the very morning they meet is hardly what recently divorced Abby Miller planned for her return to Seaview Key. Hoping to mend an old friendship and to give back to the community she loves, Abby's definitely not looking for love. For ex-soldier Seth Landry, Seaview Key seems like the perfect place to heal a broken heart...eventually. And when he rescues a beautiful woman on the beach, his nightmares about the past are eclipsed by daydreams about the future. Neither Abby nor Seth is looking for forever, but powerful love has its own timetable. And taking a chance on the future will test their courage in ways neither of them could possibly have anticipated.

Seaview Inn

MIRA, 2008

Rights Available: Film

Hannah Matthews is undeniably tough—a single mom, a top-tier PR exec, a breast cancer survivor. On the job and in her family she prides herself on being go-to Hannah, who can handle any crisis. But with her eighty-five-year-old grandmother balking at going into a retirement home, her twenty-year-old daughter unexpectedly pregnant, and an old flame suddenly underfoot, Hannah is facing a few crises of her own. Sometimes, though, the unexpected is just what it takes to start over...and to heal the heart.

Temptation

MIRA, 2013

Rights Available: Film

An ex-stock broker finds herself in the middle of sizzling romance and danger when a sexy network television executive handpicks her to become a soap opera star.

Twilight

MIRA, 2013

Rights Available: Film

Ever since her beloved husband, Ken, was gunned down on the mean streets of Chicago, Dana Miller has been living for one thing: to see his killer caught and punished. After giving the police one month to do it, she takes matters into her own hands. The last person she can trust becomes the only man she can turn to help penetrate the violent, twilight world of the inner-city. Their alliance leads to danger, passion, and ultimately, the end of their mystery.

After Tex

MIRA, 2012

Rights Available: Film

A USA Today Bestseller! One of a two-book series, features Megan O'Rourke, who must return to her grandfather's ranch in Whispering Wind, Wyoming, for his funeral and to settle his estate. Upon her return she finds her "inheritance" is Tex O'Rourke's eight-year-old bundle of trouble Megan had never known existed.

Angel Mine

MIRA, 2013

Rights Available: Film

A USA Today Bestseller! Heather Reed thought she was making the right choice when she decided to raise her daughter, Angel, on her own. But three years later, Heather realizes she needs help. Her career as an actress is faltering and Angel is more than she can handle alone. It's time to track down Angel's father. The only problem is he doesn't know Angel exists.

Ocean Breeze Trilogy

Sand Castle Bay

MIRA, 2013

Rights Available: Film

In a trade-off she's lived to regret, Emily Castle left home years ago to become an interior designer. The youngest of three sisters, Emily desperately wanted to prove herself. Success, though, came at the cost of leaving behind the man she loved. For Boone Dorsett, losing Emily left his heart shattered, but another woman was waiting in the wings. Now a widower with a young son, Boone has a second chance with Emily when a storm brings her home. But with his former in-laws threatening a custody suit, the stakes of loving her are higher than ever. Will fate once again separate them—or is the time finally right for these two star-crossed lovers?

Sea Glass Island

MIRA, 2013

Rights Available: Film

With her two younger sisters heading for the altar, will Samantha Castle exchange old dreams for new ones? Lately she'd rather be on the North Carolina coast with family than in New York with agents and actors. Though she vows not to let her teenage crush on Ethan Cole influence her decision, it's hard to ignore her feelings for the local war hero. Ethan lost more than his leg in Afghanistan. He lost his belief in love. Even being surrounded by couples intent on capturing

happily-ever-after won't open this jaded doctor's heart. It's going to take a sexy, determined woman—one who won't take no for an answer.

Wind Chime Point

MIRA, 2013

Rights Available: Film

Facing a personal crisis, ambitious and driven Gabriella Castle retreats to the welcoming arms of her family. Everything she's worked for has been yanked out from under her, and she seeks the serenity of her grandmother's home on the North Carolina coast. With difficult decisions to make about her future, the last thing she wants is an unexpected love. Wade Johnson fell for Gabi the first time he saw her. It's not the only time he's found himself in the role of knight in shining armor, but Gabi isn't looking for a rescuer. To get her to stay, Wade will need a whole lot of patience and gentle persuasion...and maybe the soothing sound of wind chimes on a summer breeze.

The Trinity Harbor Trilogy

About That Man

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

A USA Today Bestseller! The picture-perfect town of Trinity Harbor, Virginia, is in an uproar when Robert "King" Spencer's sensible, spinster daughter takes in a modern-day Huck Finn she found hotwiring her car. But Daisy, a spirited beauty with a tragic past, needs this orphaned then-year-old boy to love. She's confident she can handle her bullheaded father—the self-appointed town patriarch—her two bossy brothers, concerned pastor and social services. The only real obstacle is...that man.

Along Came Trouble

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

Trinity Harbor's sheriff Tucker Spencer has seen some action...but finding an almost-naked woman asleep in his bed leaves him speechless. Especially because this same woman—Mary Elizabeth Chandler—broke Tucker's heart six years ago by marrying a charismatic Virginia politician. Now her philandering husband has been shot dead and Mary Elizabeth needs Tucker's help. She needs Tucker...period. But can he forgive her—and will he want a future with her once murder and mayhem are behind them?

Ask Anyone

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

Waking up to discover an antique carousel horse and an armed guard in his front yard is not what Bobby Spencer needs on a quiet Sunday morning. Once again the Spencers are going to be the talk of Trinity Harbor, Virginia. And Bobby isn't feeling very kindly toward the person responsible. But Jenna Pennington Kennedy is a desperate woman. That carousel horse is her ticket to capturing Bobby's attention and convincing him to offer her the opportunity to plan the town's new riverfront development. It is also her chance to prove to her father that she is a

responsible woman and not reckless kid she'd once been. The last thing Bobby wants is his life is a sexy single mom! Ask anyone!

The Charleston Trilogy

Flirting with Disaster

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

Opposites attract, but they don't last. At least that's what improper Southern belle Maggie Forsythe thinks after being unceremoniously dumped two weeks before marrying a man even her mother approves of. Maggie has never given two figs what anyone thinks, so why is she hiding away from her South Carolina Low Country home? That is until concerned friends arrive to her aid and a project foreman Josh Parker get interested in her. They have enough sparks to ignite a bonfire, but he's corn bread to her caviar.

The Backup Plan

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

When an internationally acclaimed war correspondent gets caught up in a tragedy in Afghanistan that destroys her professional confidence, she abandons her high-profile career for the safety of home and the man she left behind...her personal backup plan. It's quickly evident, however, that it's going to take more than Bobby Beaufort to restore Dinah Davis's confidence. It's going to require all the persuasive powers of his black sheep brother, Cordell, a man who's every bit as dangerous in his own way as the life she left behind.

Waking Up in Charleston

MIRA, 2011

Rights Available: Film

Caleb knows his attraction to the widowed Amanda is just plain wrong. Especially after her arrogant and wealthy father burdens him with two family secrets in hopes that he can reconcile with his daughter. Amanda O'Leary didn't set out to fall for the most gorgeous (and unattainable) man this side of South Carolina Low Country. But after he organized building a cozy home for her and her children at a time when the future looked darker than molasses, she couldn't help but fall for her preacher, Caleb.

The Sweet Magnolias Series

In the Sweet Magnolias novels, Woods shines a light on the power of friendships among women as they deal with complex, real-life issues and discover the healing power of love.

A Slice of Heaven

MIRA, 2015 (reissue)

Rights Available: Film

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance)

Dana Sue Sullivan has spent her whole life stirring up trouble, but nothing's prepared her for the turmoil that results after she kicks out her cheating husband. Starting her own restaurant is stress enough, but add in her own occupational hazard... a mid-life weight gain... plus the threat of diabetes and her daughter's severe eating disorder and things couldn't get much worse. When

teenaged Annie winds up in the hospital, Dana Sue finds herself turning to her ex-husband who might be able to bring her daughter back from a very dangerous precipice. Dana Sue struggles to decide if she's willing to risk her heart a second time with a man who once betrayed her.

Catching Fireflies

MIRA, 2012

Rights Available: Film, Audio

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance)

High school teacher Laura Reed and pediatrician J.C. Fullerton take on a devastating case of bullying that threatens a student's future and rallies the entire town of Serenity to take a stance. As they work together, professional respect turns into something much more personal, but will it be enough to overcome J.C.'s belief that Fullerton men will never find lasting love?

Feels Like Family

MIRA, 2007

Rights Available: Film

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance)

Helen Decatur spent a lifetime setting goals — getting through college and law school, opening her own practice, becoming financially secure and establishing herself as one of the most highly respected matrimonial attorneys in the state of South Carolina. The most driven — and cynical — of the Sweet Magnolias, Helen is forty-two, single, and suddenly ready for the family she's put on the back burner. Having a child at her age comes with lots of complications, not the least of which is the absence of a serious relationship in her life. Taking charge of her own destiny puts her at odds with her two best friends, sets sparks flying with a man who doesn't want a family, and leads her straight into the most unexpected complication of all...love.

Home in Carolina

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

There's no place like home, especially if it's Serenity, South Carolina. For Annie Sullivan, though, the homecoming is bittersweet. She'd always envisioned a life there with her childhood best friend, Tyler Townsend. But Ty's betrayal has cost her the family and the future they'd once planned. For Ty, losing Annie was heartbreaking. Still, he can't imagine life without the three-year-old-son whose mother left him for Ty to raise. Ty wants it all—Annie, his child, and the future he'd dreamed about—and he's back home in Serenity to fight for it. But getting Annie to forgive and forget may be the hardest challenge he's ever faced. With the stakes so high, this one game he can't afford to lose.

Honeysuckle Summer

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

Her devastating marriage behind her, Raylene Hammond is truly thankful for her best friends, the Sweet Magnolias. They've taken her in, shielding her from the world. Then she meets sheriff's deputy Carter Rollins, and suddenly Raylene's haven no longer feels quite so safe. Carter understands why Raylene is trapped inside. He's even taken to bringing the outside world to her. But with two kid sisters to raise, just how much time can he devote to this woman who's

stolen his heart? Raylene knows Carter is a man worth loving, but she may never be strong enough to accept what he's offering. How long can she ask him to wait? Maybe they'll never have more than this one sweet summer.

Midnight Promises

MIRA, 2012

Rights Available: Film

When Elliott Cruz first courted struggling single mom Karen Ames, it was a romance worthy of any Sweet Magnolias fantasy. Now, though, reality has set in as they try to keep priorities in order and the romance alive. Their complex emotional journey to save their marriage is counterpointed with his sister's crumbling marriage. The difference? Karen and Elliott share a love strong enough to triumph against all odds.

Stealing Home

MIRA, 2014 (reissue)

Rights Available: Film

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance)

New York Times bestseller *Stealing Home* is the first book in the *Sweet Magnolias* series. Maddie Townsend might live in a town called Serenity, but there's been nothing calm or peaceful about her life since her marriage broke up. This stay-at-home mom has no job skills, an out-of-control sixteen-year-old son, a talkative fourteen-year-old who's suddenly gone silent, a six-year-old daughter whose heart is broken, an ex-husband whose younger girlfriend is expecting their baby and two best friends who think she's somehow qualified to help them open a fitness spa for women. It's nothing compared to the chaos that ensues when she discovers that her son's baseball coach has feelings for her and the whole town disapproves.

Swan Point

MIRA, 2014

Rights Available: Film

Determined to build a new life for her family after her divorce, Adelia Hernandez has bought a home in the historic Swan Point neighborhood of Serenity. Promoted to manager of Main Street's most fashionable boutique, she feels revitalized and ready for a fresh start as a single mom. But barely into this new independent phase, she crosses paths with the sexiest man to hit Serenity in years. Gabe Franklin, back in town to make amends for past mistakes, has no intention of settling down, but Adelia's proving irresistible. Cheered on by their friends "the Sweet Magnolias," Gabe is bringing long-absent passion and laughter into Adelia's life. To his surprise—and hers—sometimes a rolling stone is just what it takes to build the rock-solid foundation of a family.

Sweet Tea at Sunrise

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

In #2 *New York Times* best-seller *Sweet Tea at Sunrise*, a Sweet Magnolias series book, emotionally-wounded single mom Sarah Price has come home to Serenity, South Carolina, for a fresh start. With support from her two best friends – the newest generation of Sweet Magnolias – she can face any crisis. But sometimes a woman needs more than even treasured friends can provide. Sexy Travis McDonald may be exactly what Sarah's battered self-confidence requires.

The newcomer is intent on getting Sarah to work his fledgling radio station...and maybe into his bed, as well. Sarah has learned not to trust sweet words. She'll measure the man by his actions. Is Travis the one to heal her heart? Or will he break it again?

The Sweet Magnolias Cookbook

MIRA, 2012

Rights Available: Film

New York Times bestselling author Sherryl Woods invites you into the world of Serenity, South Carolina, where good food and good friends await. Based on her beloved Sweet Magnolias series, this gorgeous cookbook is full of Southern classics and heartwarming stories of friendship and fun. Join Dana Sue Sullivan, a popular character and Southern cook herself, as she shares her favorite down-home recipes as well as secrets, stories and small-town gossip from the world of the Sweet Magnolias! Whether you're making flaky, buttery, too-good-to-be-true biscuits, or spicy seafood gumbo, the 150 recipes found in these pages will bring your family and friends together to celebrate the comforts of home. From legendary margarita nights to indulgent Sunday brunches to heartening holiday meals, every recipe in this book is sure to infuse your life and your kitchen with the warmth of the South and the comfort of good food.

Welcome to Serenity

MIRA, 2010

Rights Available: Film

In this Sweet Magnolias series book, Jeanette Broche helps launch The Corner Spa in Serenity, South Carolina, she finds a whole lot more than professional satisfaction. She discovers the deep and loyal friendships that had been missing from her life. But even the Sweet Magnolias can't mend the terrible rift between Jeanette and her family or persuade her that the holidays are anything more than a season of misery. Pushed into working on the town's annual Christmas festival, Jeannette teams up with sexy Tome McDonald, the new town manager. He may be the only person in Serenity less enthused about family and the holidays than she is. But with tree decorations going up and a bit of romance in the air, Jeanette and Tom take a fresh look at the past and a helpful look into the future. Together they discover that this just may be a season of miracles after all.

Where Azaleas Bloom

MIRA, 2012

Rights Available: Film

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance)

Widower Mitch Franklin once had a teenage crush on Lynn Morrow, but she only had eyes for the man she eventually married. Now with her marriage over, Lynn's financial struggles to keep her family in their home and to put food on the table arouse all of Mitch's protective instincts and rekindle a love he thought he never had a chance. But Mitch turned to alcohol in the wake of his wife's death. Though he's put that dark period behind him, will Lynn be able accept that or will it be the thing that keeps them apart for a second time?

Chesapeake Shores Series

The Chesapeake Shores novels capture the struggles of a large Irish-American family in a small,

picturesque bayside community to make peace with their complicated past. These are stories of love and forgiveness.

A Chesapeake Shores Christmas

MIRA, 2011

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

Mick and Megan O'Brien finally make plans to walk down the aisle, but not everyone is as happy about the upcoming wedding as they are. There's a good chance complications will keep this reunited couple from ever saying "I do."

A Seaside Christmas

MIRA, 2013

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

As the only child of a single mom, Jenny Collins wanted nothing more than to be part of a large, rambunctious family like the O'Briens. Ironically, though, when her mother married into that family, Jenny found herself feeling more like an outsider than ever. Now, after years in Nashville as an established songwriter, Jenny's drawn back to Chesapeake Shores to collaborate on a Christmas production...and to make peace with the past. As if that's not challenging enough, Caleb Green, the singer who broke her heart, has followed her to town, determined to win her back. With the help of a little O'Brien holiday magic, will Jenny and Caleb find a way to make sweet music forever?

An O'Brien Family Christmas

MIRA, 2011

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

The O'Brien family travels from Chesapeake Shores to Ireland for a Christmas they'll never forget.

Beach Lane

MIRA, 2011

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

In the close-knit community of Chesapeake Shores, Maryland, Susie O'Brien and Mack Franklin's "not dating" claim befuddles everyone, especially since the two spend every spare minute together. Susie's thrilled when their friendship finally heats up. Then, just when happily-ever-after seems within reach, Mack loses the job he loves and Susie faces a devastating diagnosis. But O'Briens always unite in a crisis. Even her cousin Jess, Susie's rival for most of their lives, becomes her staunches supporter—especially when Mack's former lover comes to town. The stakes are higher than ever before, but Susie's definitely up to the challenge...as long as Mack's right there by her side.

Dogwood Hill

MIRA, 2015

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

When former pro football quarterback Aidan Mitchell comes to Chesapeake Shores to take a high school coaching job, he's embraced by the town—especially the O'Briens. But Aidan has a secret that could alter all their lives. For wounded Liz March, who's trying for a fresh start after a devastating betrayal, taking a chance on Aidan may be more than she can handle. Her heart,

however, refuses to listen to her head. But just when forever seems within reach, Aidan's secret threatens to change everything. Does this tempting stranger who's made her feel alive have the power to convince her to look beyond the past and reach for the future?

Driftwood Cottage

MIRA, 2011

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

Single mom Heather Donovan's dreams of home and family are tantalizingly within reach when she settles in Chesapeake Shores. The welcoming arms of the boisterous, loving O'Brien clan embrace her and her son. But accepting their support seems to further alienate her son's father, Connor O'Brien. His parents' divorce and his career as a high-powered attorney have left him jaded about marriage. Then everything changes. Will the possibility of a future without Heather make Connor look at love and his career differently? Heather is just about to give up on her old dreams—of love, family and especially of Driftwood Cottage, the home she secretly wishes were hers. It's going to take a lot of persuasion—and some help from the O'Brien family—to make Heather believe that some dreams are worth fighting for.

Flowers on Main

MIRA, 2009

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

When her last two plays are dismal failures and her relationship with her mentor falls apart, writer Bree O'Brien abandons Chicago and the regional theater where she hoped to make a name for herself to return home. Opening *Flowers on Main* promises to bring her a new challenge and a new kind of fulfillment. But not all is peaceful and serene in Chesapeake Shores, with her estranged mother on the scene and her ex-lover on the warpath. Jake Collins has plenty of reasons to want Bree out of his life, and one reason to want her to stay: he's still in love with her.

Harbor Lights

MIRA, 2009

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

Struggling in his role as a newly single father, former army medic Kevin O'Brien moves home to Chesapeake Shores. He wants a haven for himself and his toddler son, surrounded by the family he knows he can count on. But Kevin is suddenly facing a risk he hadn't anticipated—Main Street bookseller Shanna Carlyle. Shanna immediately recognizes Kevin as a wounded soul—she's had way too much experience with the type. Still, this charming O'Brien man and his son are almost impossible to resist. But just when the barriers are toppling, someone from Shanna's past appears. With their hard-won serenity threatened, Kevin and Shanna face their toughest challenge—learning to trust again.

Moonlight Cove

MIRA, 2011

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

Jess O'Brien has overcome a lot—the challenges of attention deficit disorder, the near bankruptcy of her beloved Inn at Eagle Point and her self-perception as a screw-up in a family of overachievers. Now she's ready to share the future with a man. Her friends persuade her to join a dating service—but she gets no takers. Which is fine with her child friend, psychologist Will Lincoln, who's already chosen the perfect man for Jess: himself. Will has loved Jess practically

forever. He knows her faults and her strengths. But for all Will's sincerity and charm, Jess fears he views her as some psychological case study. With her family and the town of Chesapeake Shores behind him, Will finally makes his case. But is it enough to convince Jess to take the risk of a lifetime?

The Christmas Bouquet

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Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

For the very driven medical student Caitlyn Winters, catching the bridal bouquet at a Christmas wedding has set off a chain reaction that she's sure is more curse than blessing. Not only has she fallen in love with family medicine resident Noah McIlroy, but an unexpected pregnancy threatens her well-laid plans for the future. It doesn't help that Noah—with a whole lot of help from Caitlyn's O'Brien relatives—is completely on board with the prospect of marriage and happily-ever-after. It takes a whole lot of patience, love and family persuasion to help Caitlyn realize that she can still have everything she ever wanted, including a home in her beloved Chesapeake Shores and a man who understands all her dreams.

The Inn at Eagle Point

MIRA, 2009

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

It's been years since Abby O'Brien Winters set foot in Chesapeake Shores. The Maryland town her father built has too many sad memories and Abby has too few spare moments, thanks to her demanding career, crumbling marriage, and energetic twin daughters. Then one panicked phone call from her youngest sister brings her racing home to protect Jess's dream of renovating the charming Inn at Eagle Point. But saving the inn from foreclosure means dealing not only with her own fractured family, but also with Trace Riley, the man Abby left ten years ago. Trace can be a roadblock to her plans...or proof that second chances happen in the most unexpected ways.

The Summer Garden

MIRA, 2012

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

Falling for "Maddening Moira" O'Malley was the unexpected highlight of Luke O'Brien's Dublin holiday. So when she pays a surprise visit to Chesapeake Shores, Luke is thrilled...at first. A fling with this wild Irish rose is one thing, but forever? Maybe someday, but not when he's totally focused on establishing a business that will prove his mettle to his overachieving family. Given Luke's reaction, Moira has some soul-searching of her own to do. Scarred by her father's abandonment, she wonders if Luke, with his playboy past, is truly the family man she longs for. Adding to her dilemma, she's offered an amazing chance at a dream career of her own. Deep down, though, Moira knows home is the real prize, and that love can be every bit as enchanted as a summer garden.

Willow Brook Road

MIRA, 2015

Rights Sold: Audio (Brilliance), Film/TV (Hallmark Channel)

Spirited, spontaneous Carrie Winters has grown up under the watchful eyes of not only her grandfather Mick O'Brien, but the entire town of Chesapeake Shores. Now that she's home from Europe, a glamorous fashion career behind her and her heart broken, there seem to be far too

many people watching to see if she'll live up to the expectations her family has for her. As if that weren't enough pressure, Carrie finds herself drawn to sexy, grief-stricken Sam Winslow, who is yearning for someone to help him raise the nephew who's unexpectedly come into his life after a tragedy. With her own life in turmoil, is Carrie really ready to take on a new career and a new man? Or is Sam exactly what she needs to create the strong, loving family she's always wanted?

The Molly DeWitt Mysteries

Hot Money

Rosetta Books, 2011

Rights Available: Film

The party at Miami's palatial Vizcaya estate draws not only the region's movers and shakers, but a murderer. When the body of a socialite is found in the mangroves, homicide investigator Michael O'Hara reluctantly teams up with Molly DeWitt to solve the crime and keep her out of a killer's aim. Michael's beginning to think the only place she's really safe is in his arms.

Hot Property

Rosetta Books, 2011

Rights Available: Film

Single mom Molly DeWitt hoped for some peace and quiet when she moved from Miami to the wealthy enclave of Key Biscayne with her son. Instead she lands right in the middle of a murder investigation when the knife in the back of her condo president seems to be her own. With sexy Cuban-American homicide investigator Michael O'Hara on the case, Molly's in more trouble than she ever imagined . . . and only some is related to the case. Michael has a disconcerting effect on her heart as well.

Hot Schemes

Rosetta Books, 2011

Rights Available: Film

Things get personal for homicide investigator Michael O'Hara when an explosion on his uncle Miguel's charter fishing boat looks a lot like murder. Amid the tensions of Miami's Cuban exile community, Michael and Molly DeWitt face a tight deadline to unravel a complex plot before one explosion turns into an international incident.

Hot Secret

Rosetta Books, 2011

Rights Available: Film

In her job with the Miami film office, Molly DeWitt is used to a fair amount of drama, but she's definitely not expecting to stumble into a real-life murder . . . again. When the investigation heats up on a South Beach film set, so do things between Molly and homicide investigator Michael O'Hara, who's less than pleased to find this exasperating amateur sleuth caught up in yet more danger.

The Amanda Roberts Mysteries

Bank On It

Warner Books, 1993

Rights Available: Film

Amanda fends off the advances of an amorous international arms dealer, while delving into a complicated scheme to sell high-tech military equipment to the Iraqis.

Body and Soul

Warner Books, 1994

Rights Available: Film

Finding the body of an aerobics instructor on the steam room floor in a popular health club sends Amanda and Joe on a trail that leads to illegal steroid sales to top Georgia college athletes.

Deadly Obsession

Warner Books, 1995

Rights Available: Film

Amanda finds herself in the middle of a child custody battle that turns deadly. Two parents are battling over a six-year-old daughter, whom the mother has reportedly kidnapped. When the mother's body is found, Amanda must determine if prominent attorney Hamilton Kenilworth has deviously involved her in the investigation of the perfect murder, or if another killer is at work, which would mean the life of a six-year-old child is in danger as well.

Hide and Seek

Warner Books, 1993

Rights Available: Film

Investigating the disappearance of a jogger pits Amanda squarely against a serial killer and puts her in the greatest danger of her career.

Reckless

Warner Books, 1989

Rights Available: Film

Witty repartee makes this mystery stand out in the crowd. It features wry female journalist Amanda Roberts and burned out ex-cop Joe Donelli, who reluctantly solve crimes together while falling for each other. When a famous French chef keels over in a chocolate soufflé during a department store cooking demonstration, Amanda and Joe battle wits and time to catch the murderer.

Stolen Moments

Warner Books, 1990

Rights Available: Film

A slightly dotty contingent of Georgia's aging grand dames draws Amanda and Joe into solving the thefts of their prized Civil War antiques.

Ties That Bind

Warner Books, 1991

Rights Available: Film

When Amanda Roberts's fiancé, ex-New York cop Joe Donelli, disappears on the day of their wedding, she has no choice but to follow his trail deep into Dixie, where she discovers not only

teenage skinheads, but violence, old hatreds, and desperate measures—leading straight to her missing groom.

Wages of Sin

Warner Books, 1994

Rights Available: Film

When a beautiful, successful congressional aide from Georgia commits suicide, Amanda suspects murder in a case that involves allegations of sexual harassment on Capitol Hill.

White Lightning

Warner Books, 1995

Rights Available: Film

Amanda solves the mystery of both a recent murder and a 50-year-old murder, exonerating the loved one of her friend, Miss Martha, who's dying.

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