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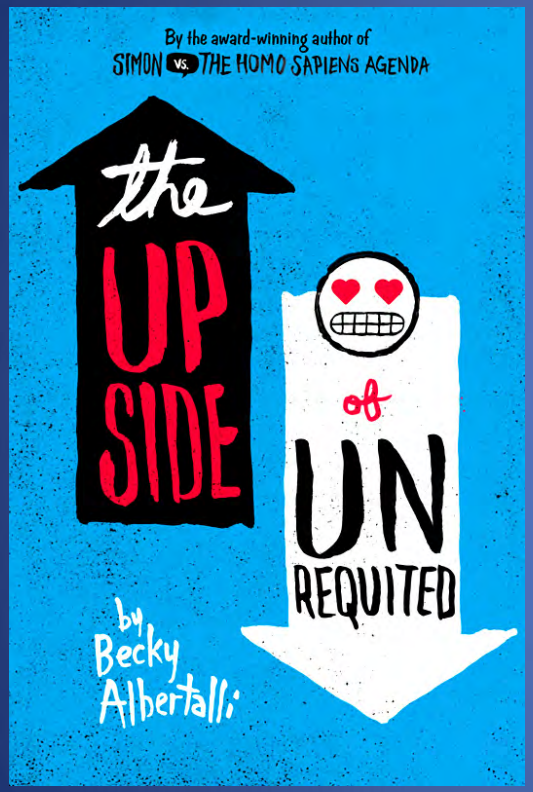
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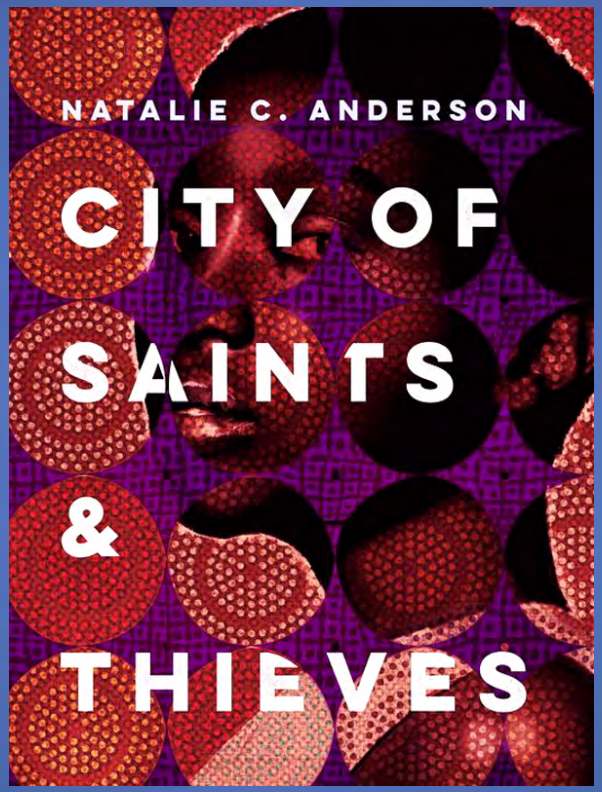
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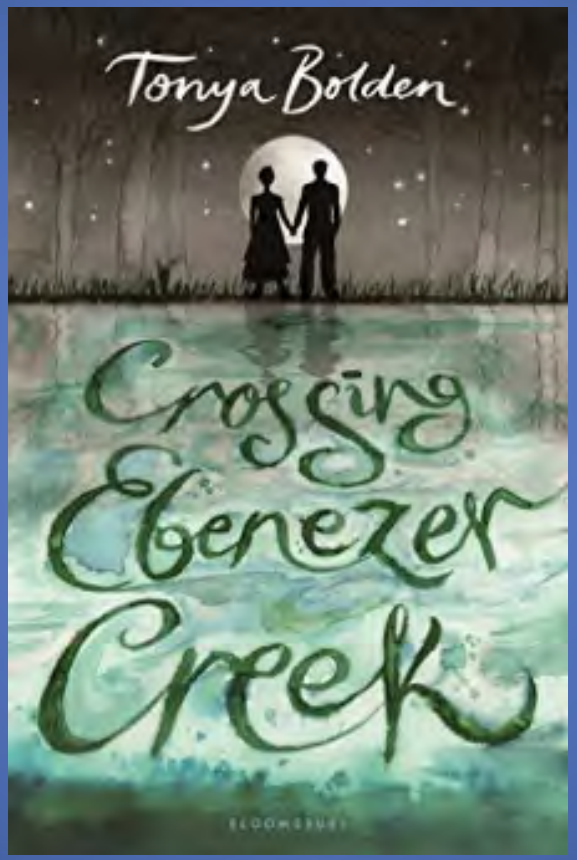
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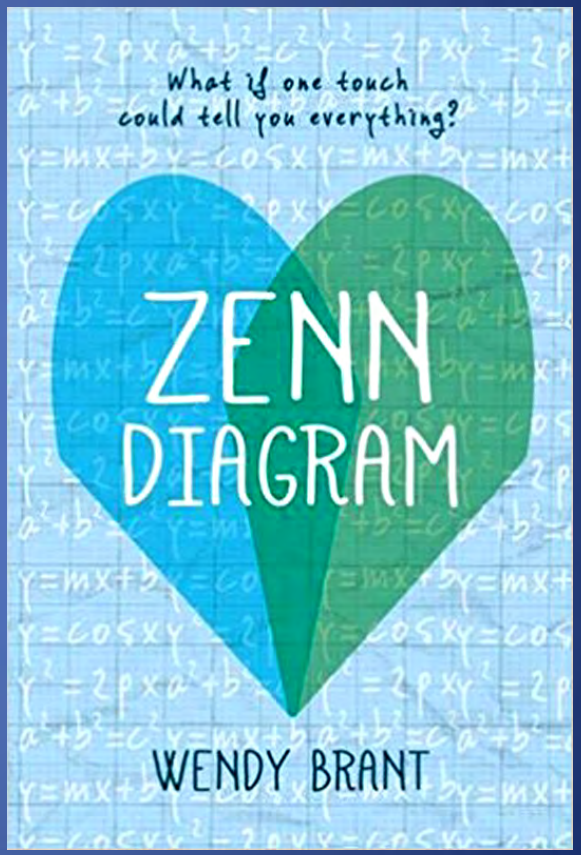
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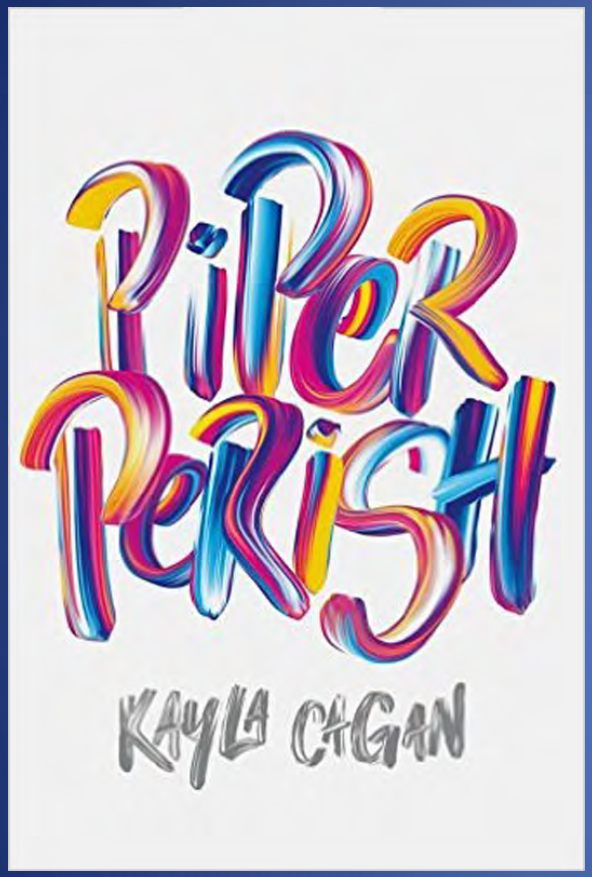
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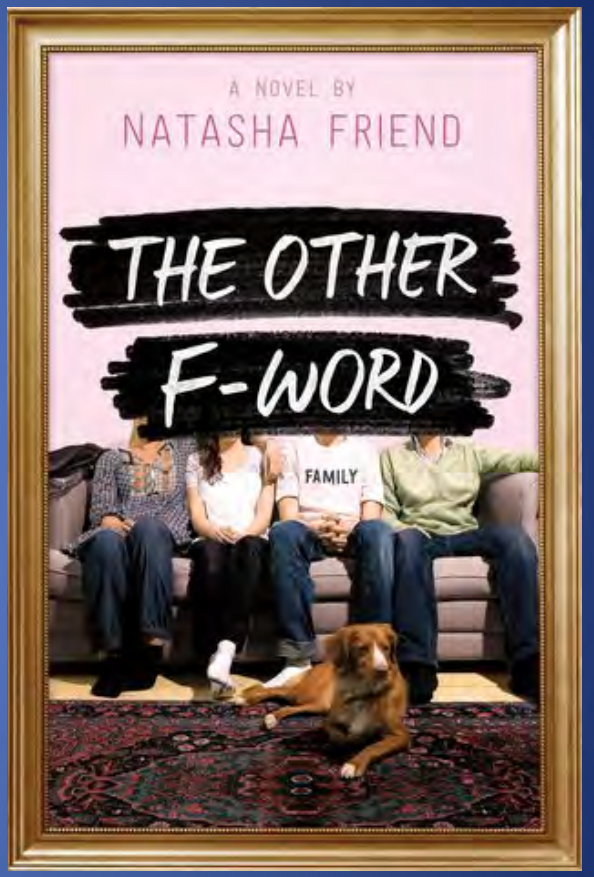
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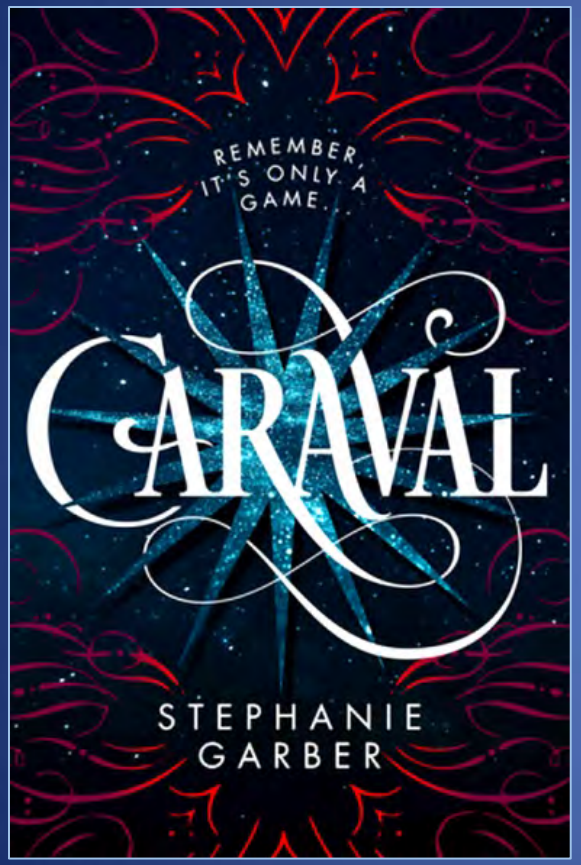
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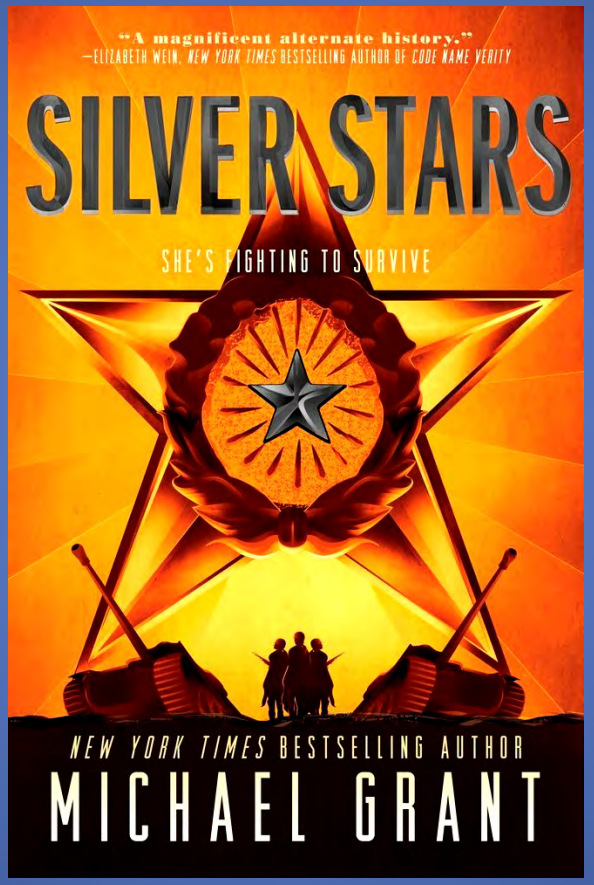
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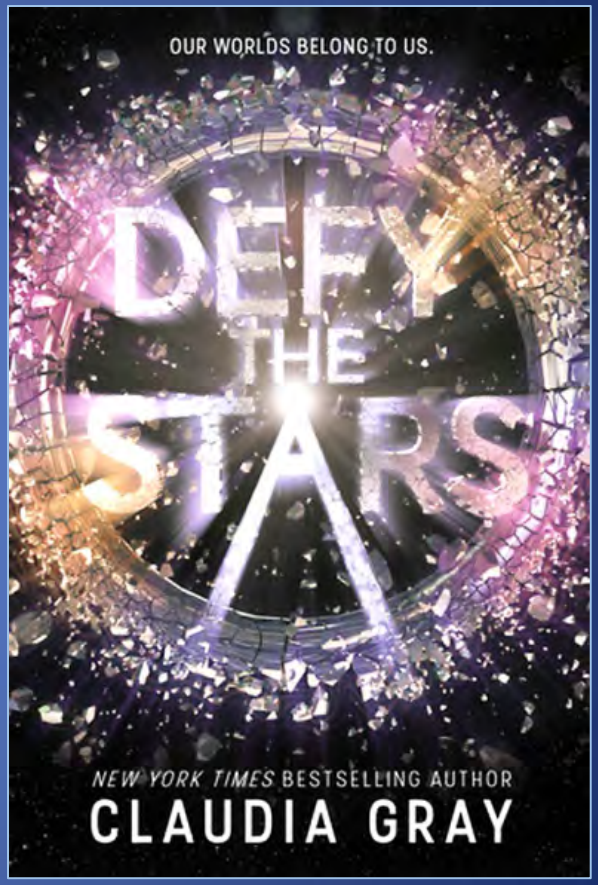
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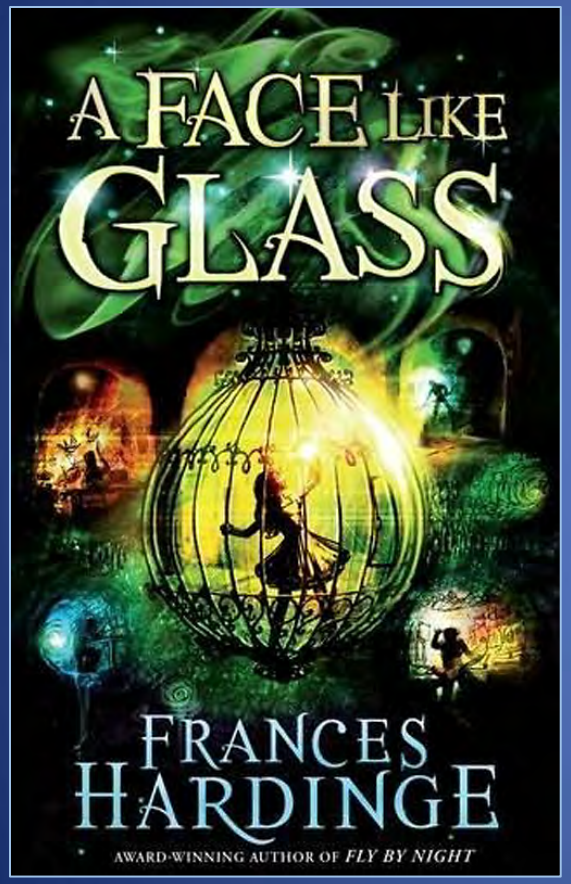
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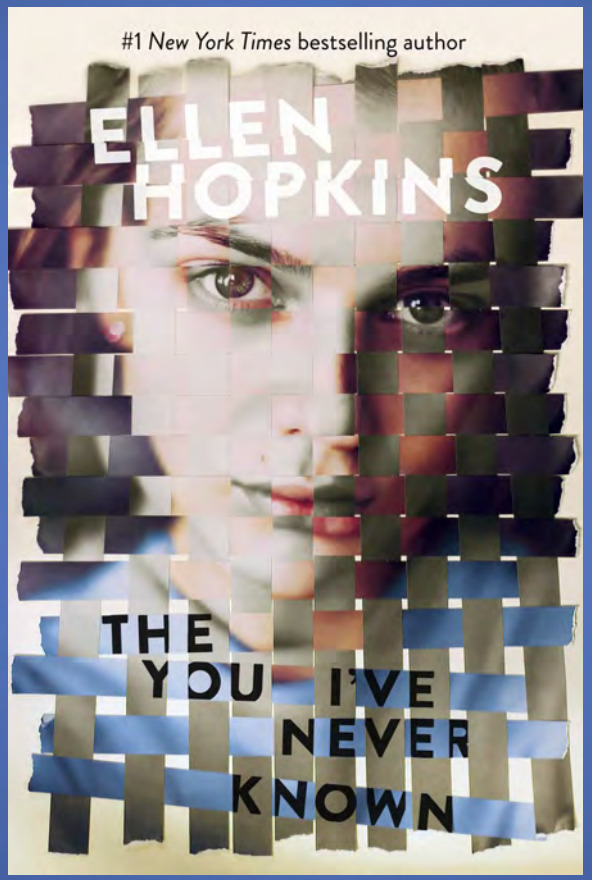
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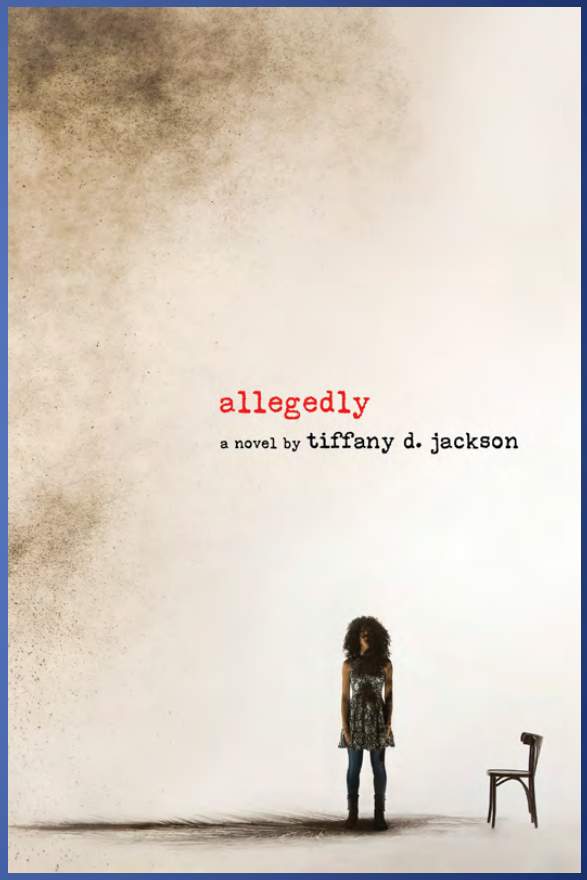
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WE ARE OKAY
Award winning author of Hold Still
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THINGS
I SHOULD
HAVE
KNOWN
A NOVEL
CLAIRE LAZEBNIK

EARTH ISN'T OURS ANYMORE
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IF YOUR WORLD HAS
JUST TURNED UPSIDE DOWN,
MAYBE YOU ARE . . .
Sophie Someone
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Freak out. Calm down. Repeat.
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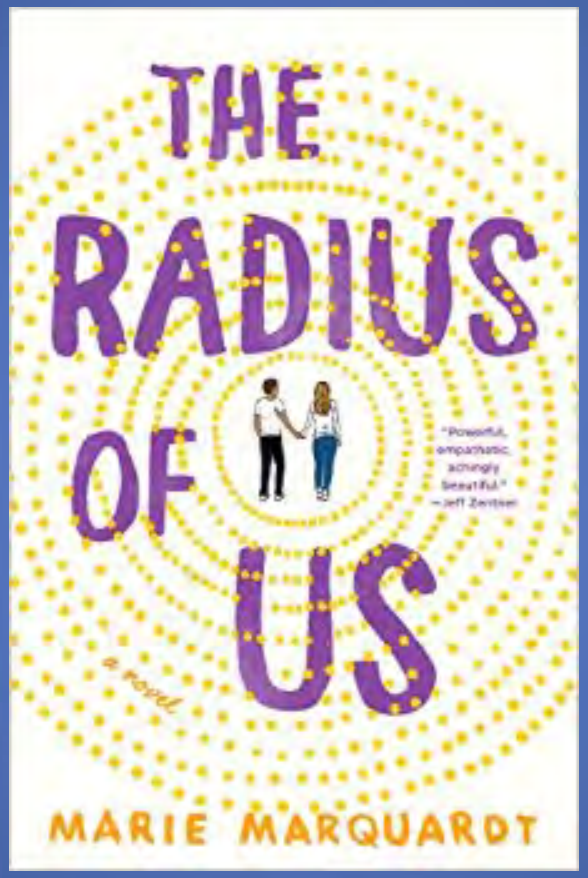
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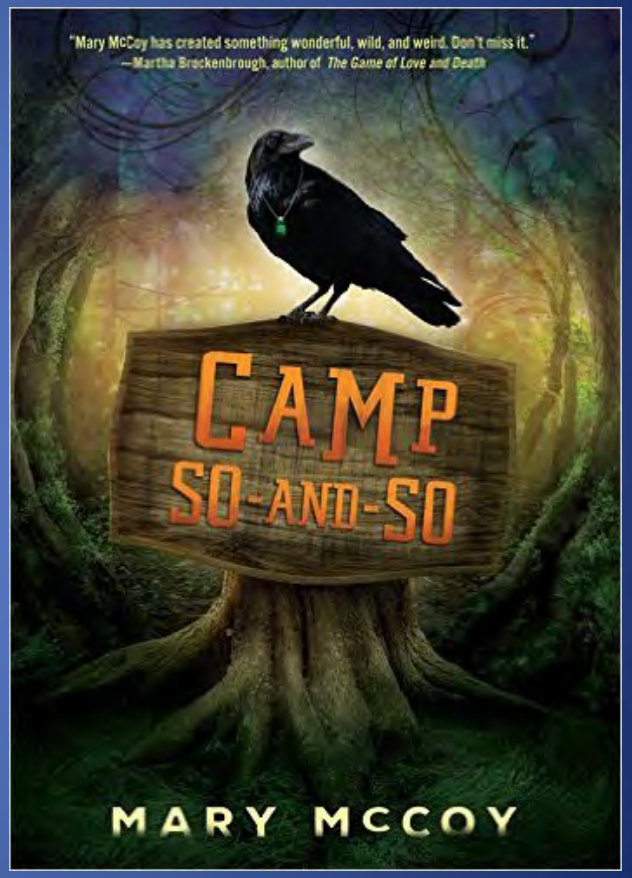
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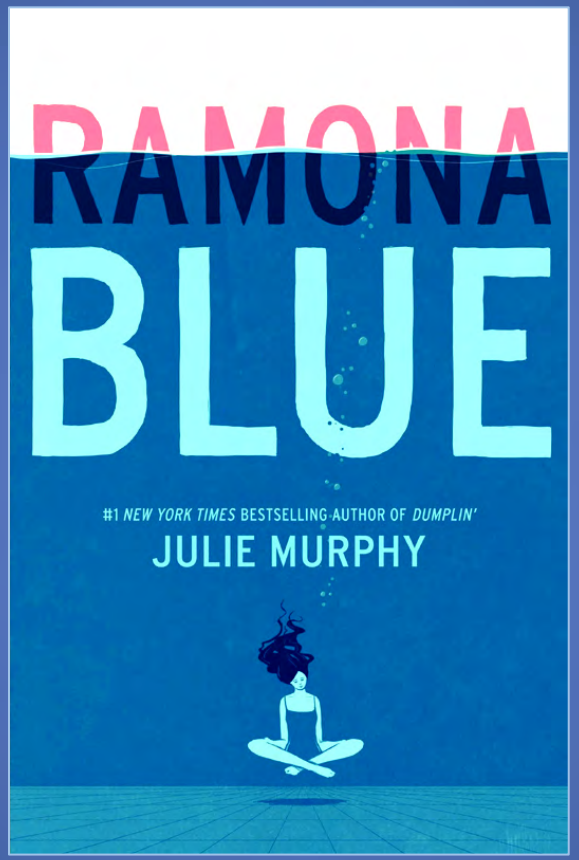
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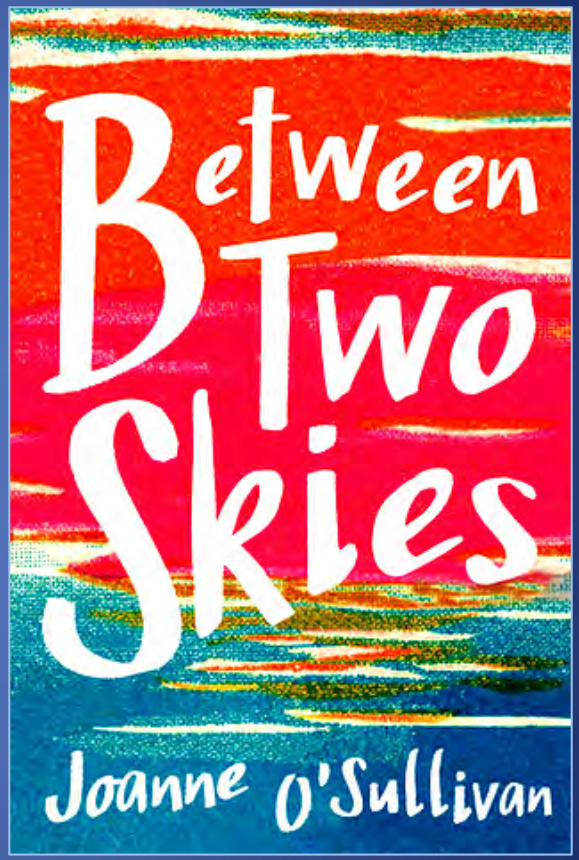
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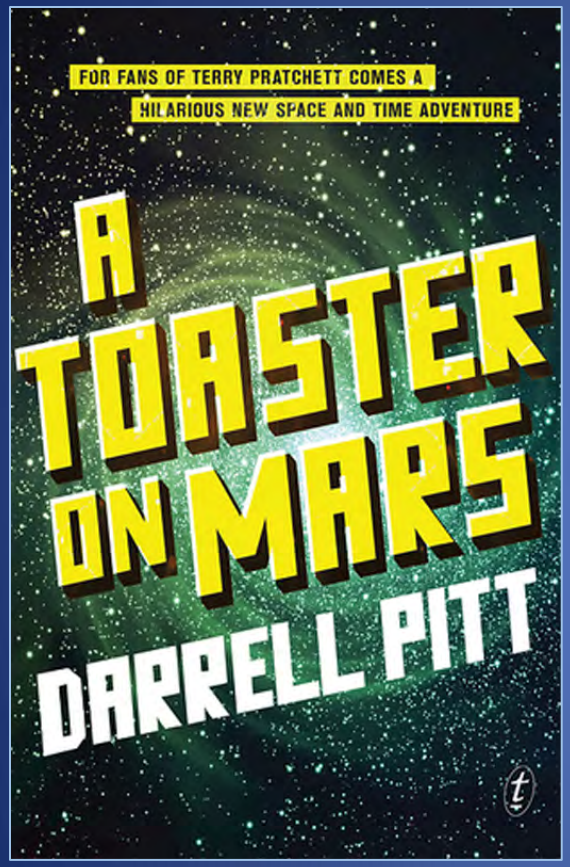
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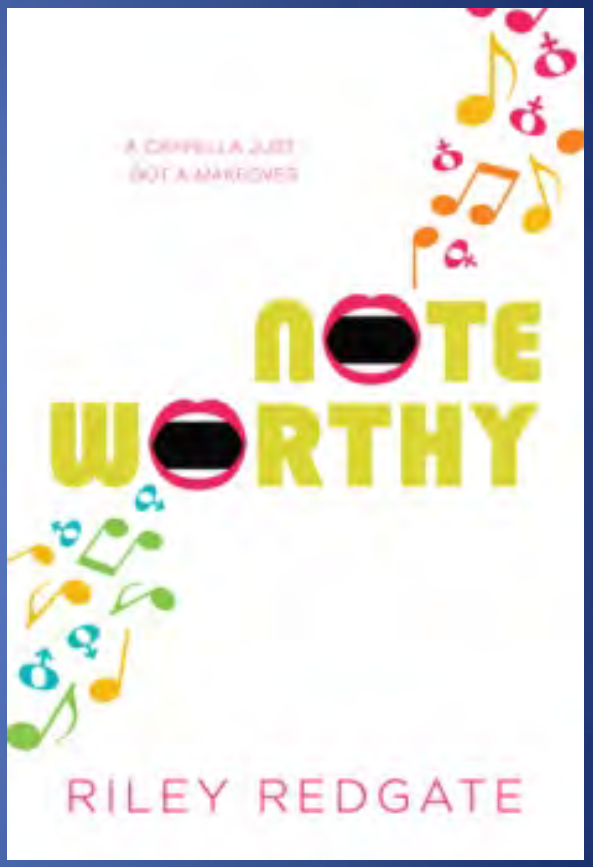
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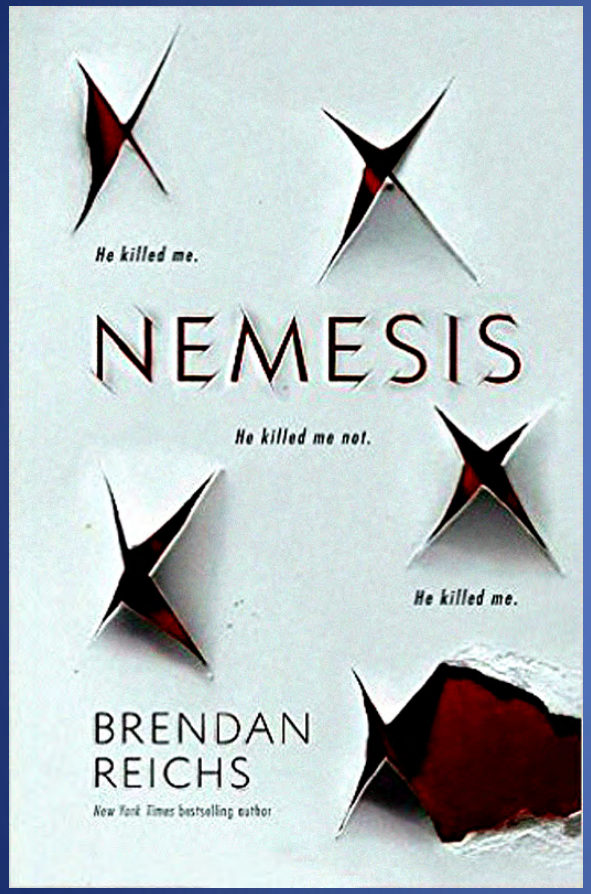
He killed me.
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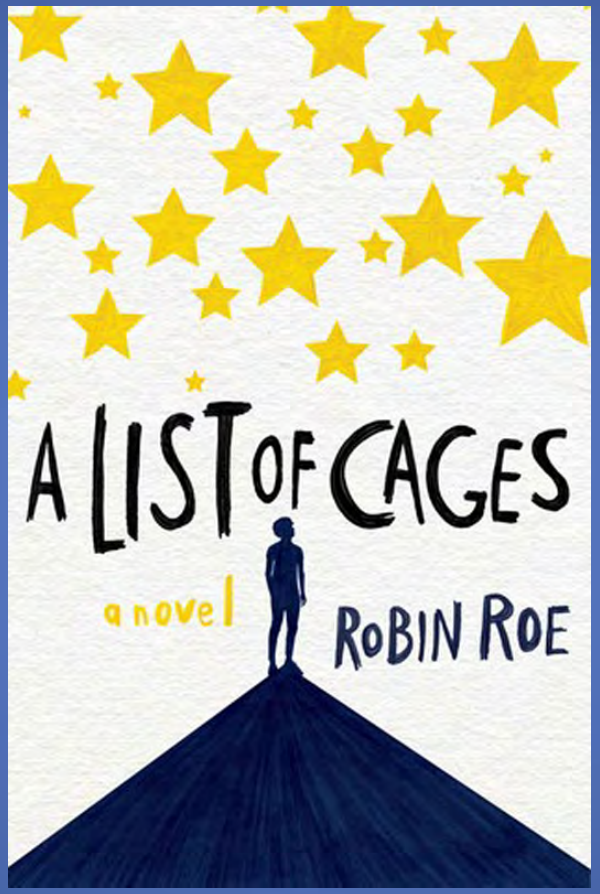
He killed me not.
He killed me.
BRENDAN REICHS
New York Times bestselling author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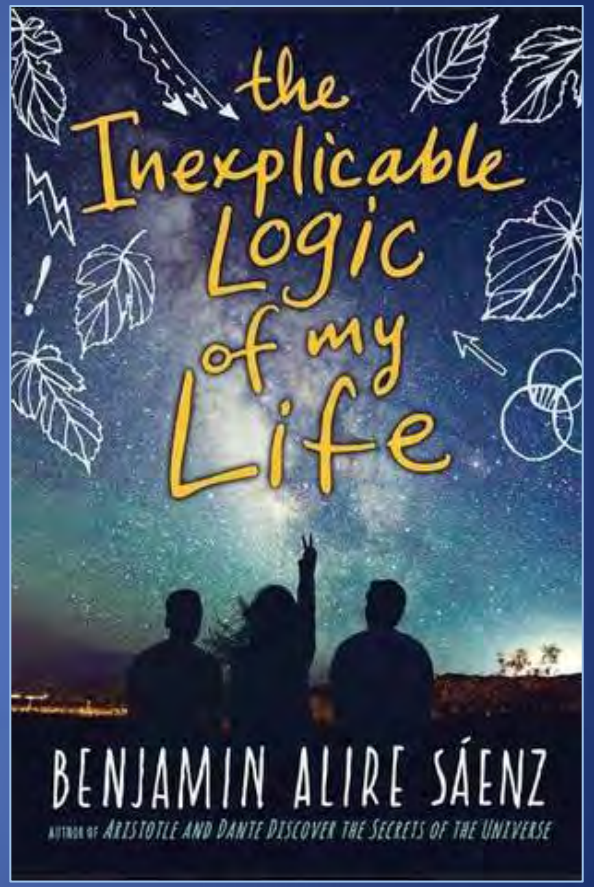
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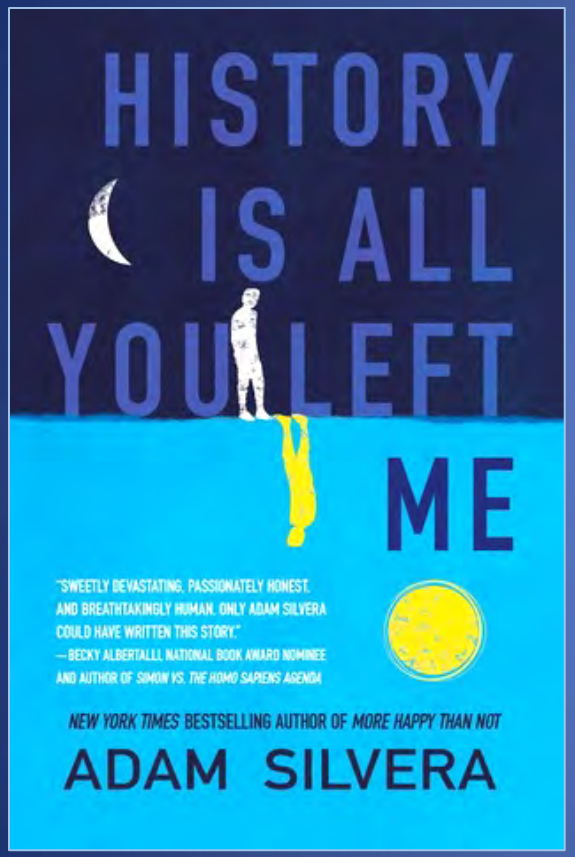
HISTORY IS ALL YOU LEFT ME
"SWEETLY DEVASTATING, PASSIONATELY HONEST, AND BREATHTAKINGLY HUMAN. ONLY ADAM SILVERA COULD HAVE WRITTEN THIS STORY."
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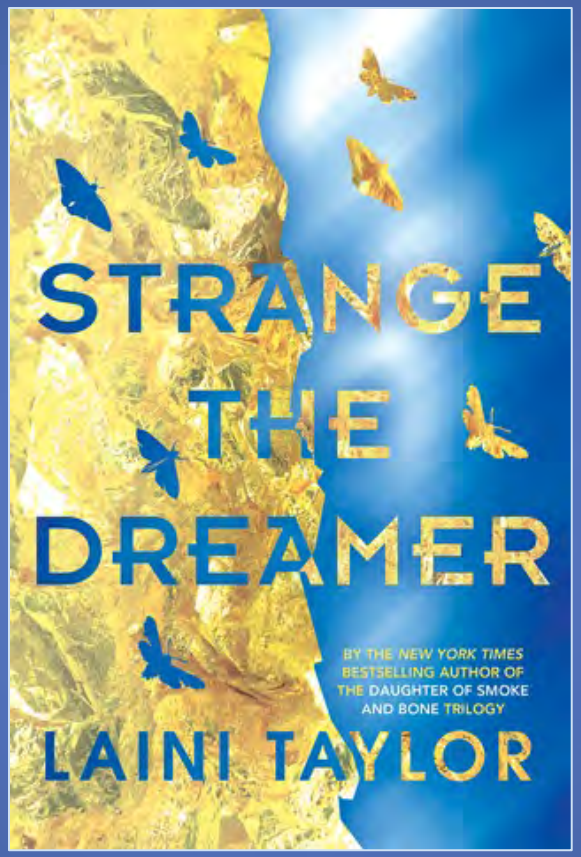
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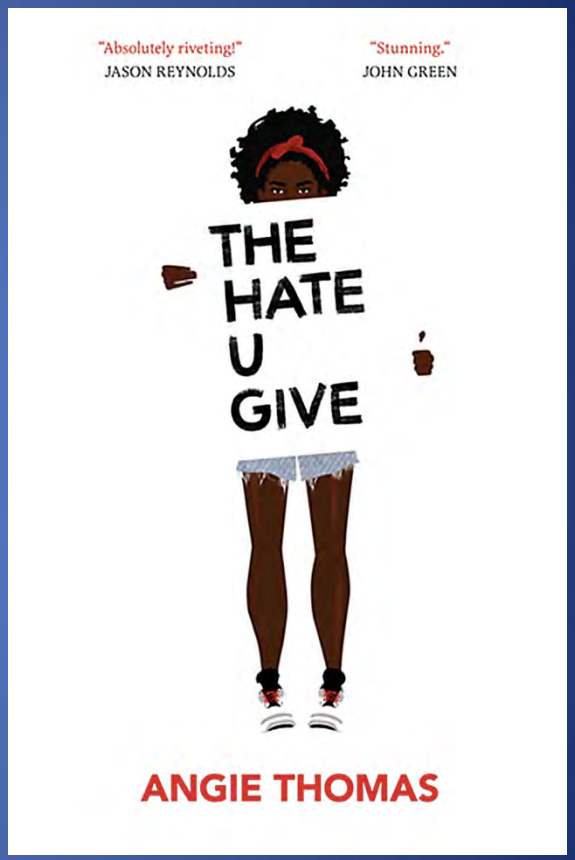
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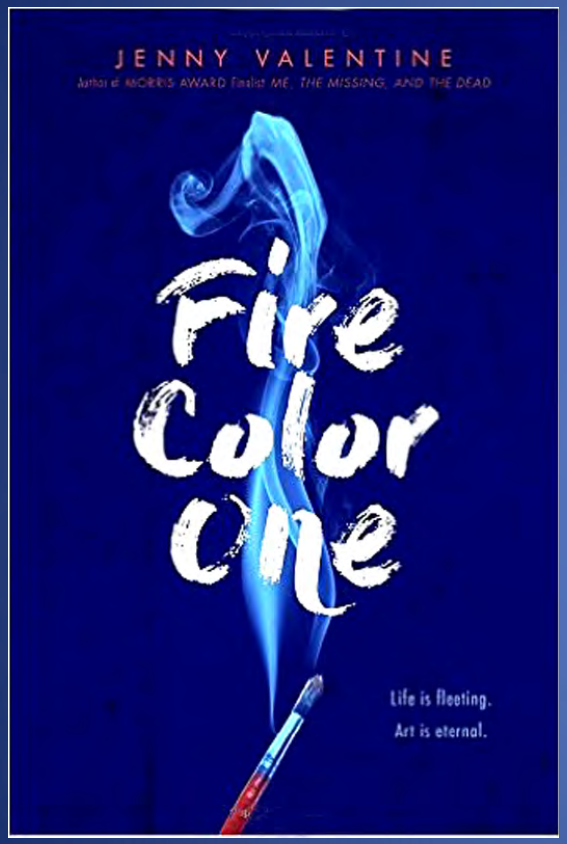
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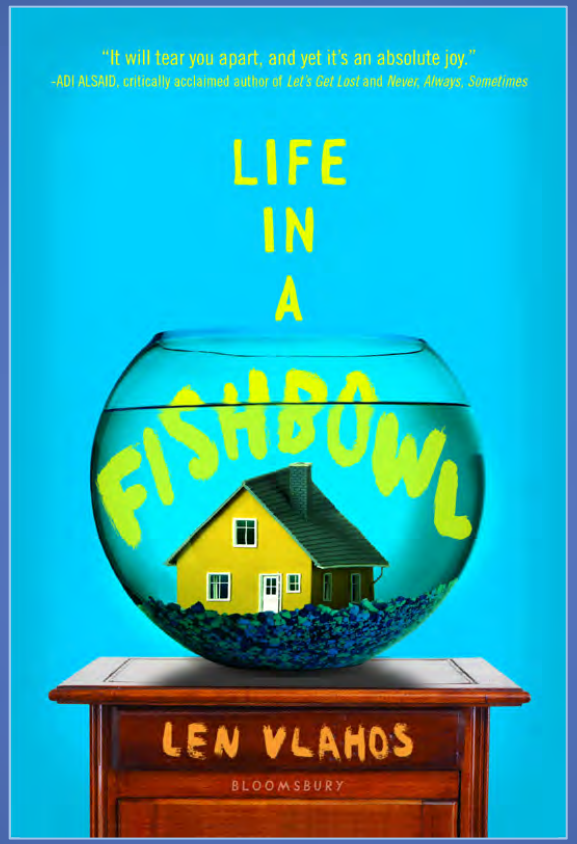
Fire Color One
Life is fleeting.
Art is eternal.


"It will tear you apart, and yet it's an absolute joy."
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LIFE IN A FISHBOWL
LEN VLAHOS
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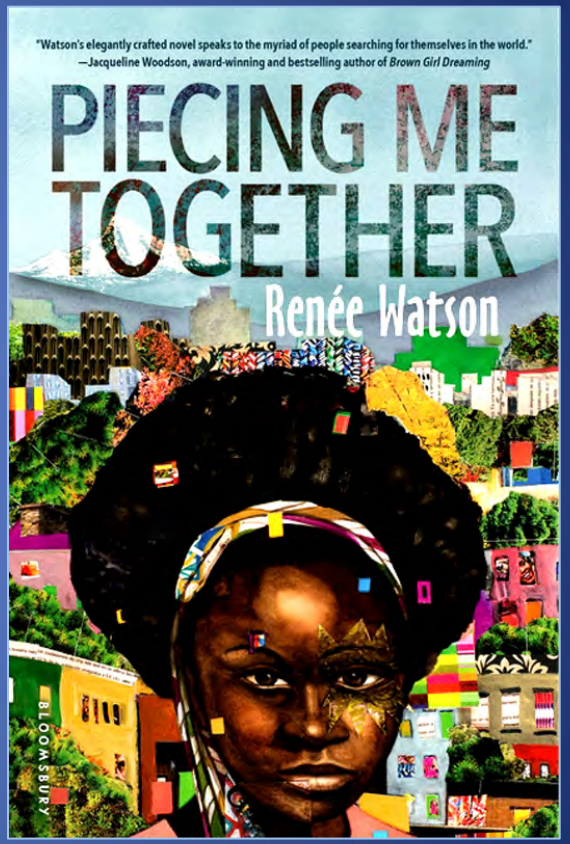
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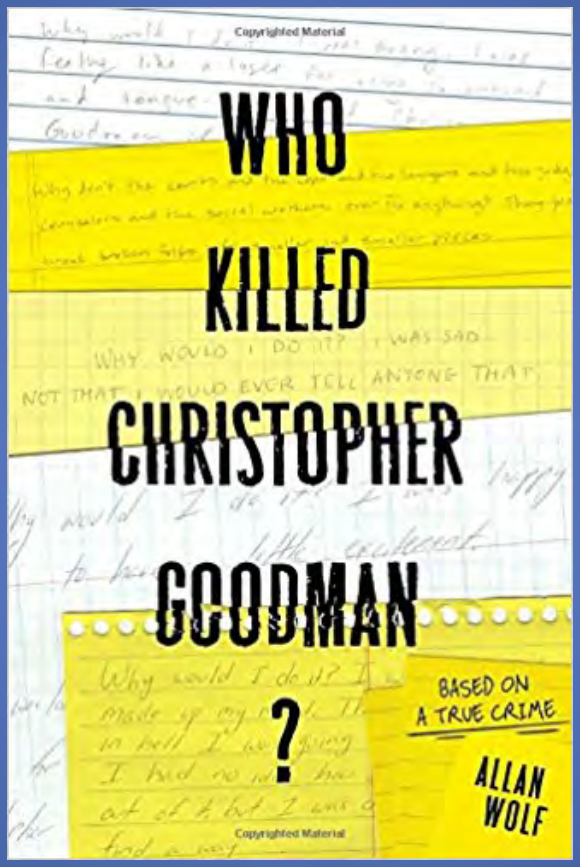
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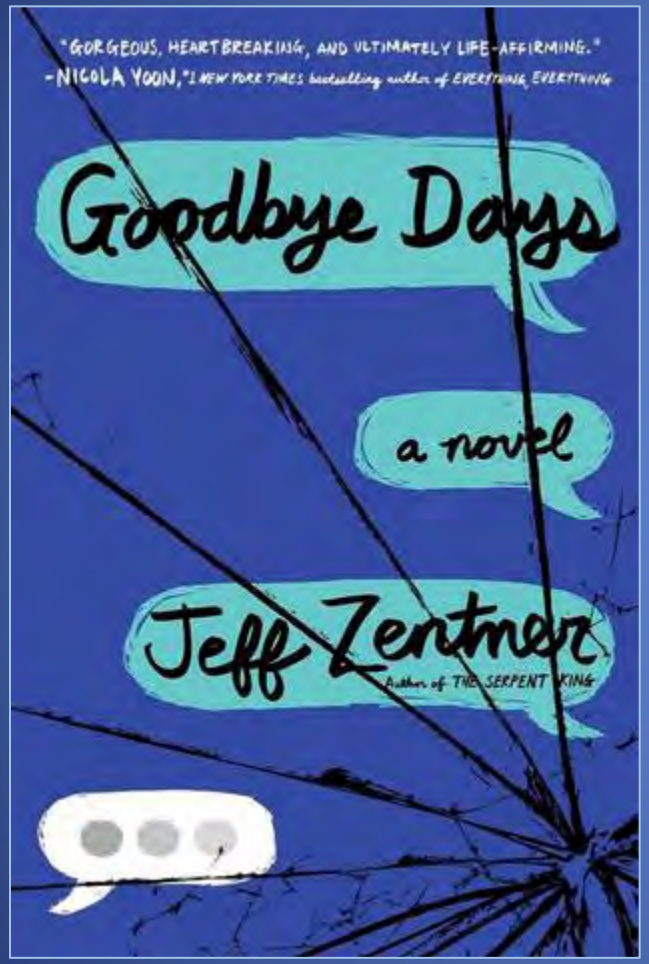
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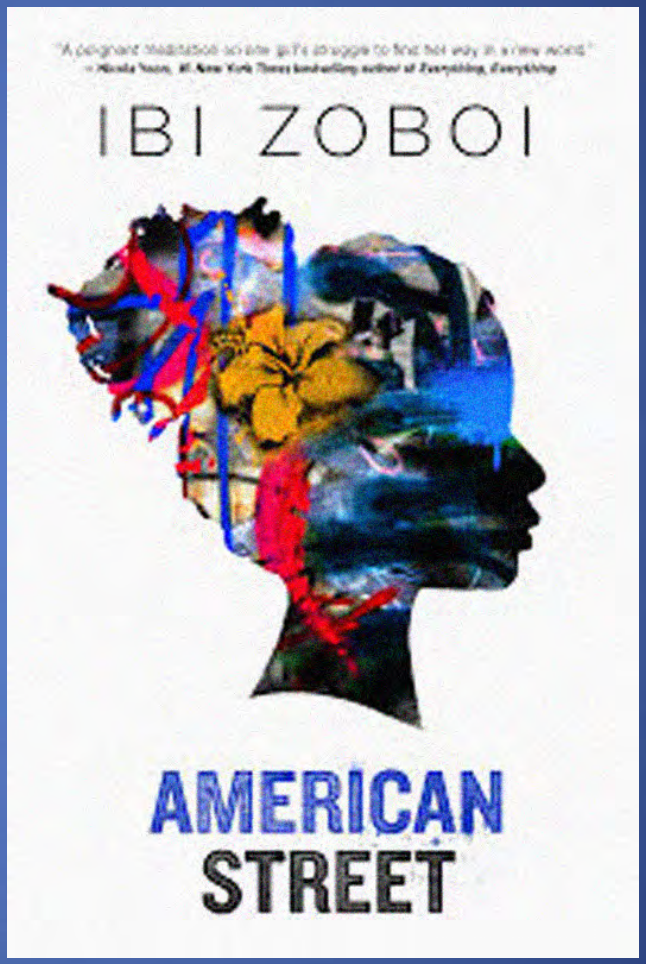
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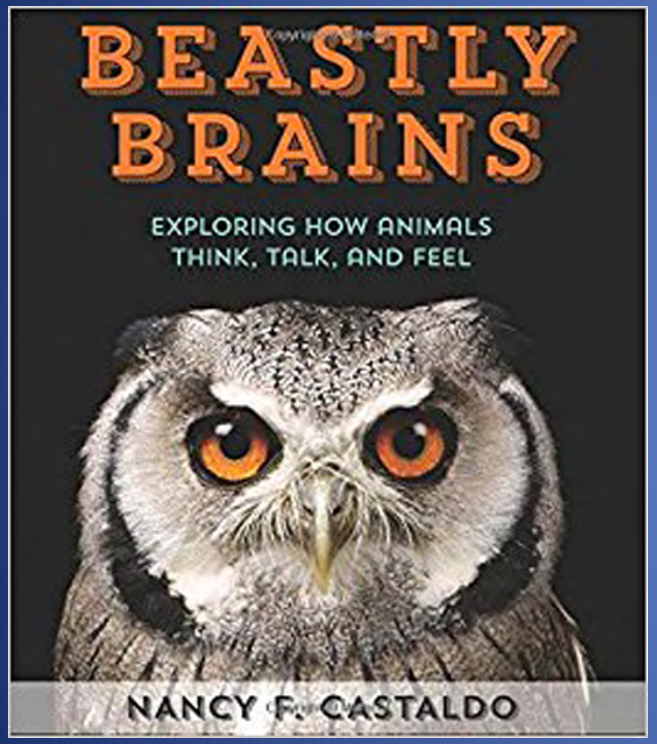
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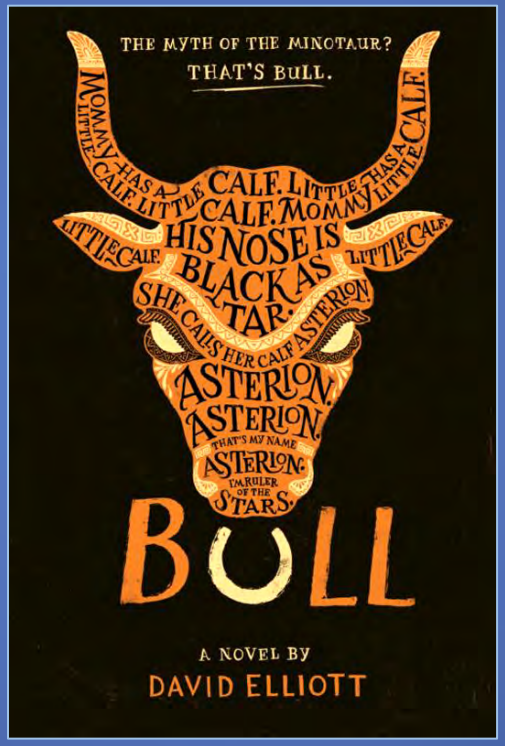
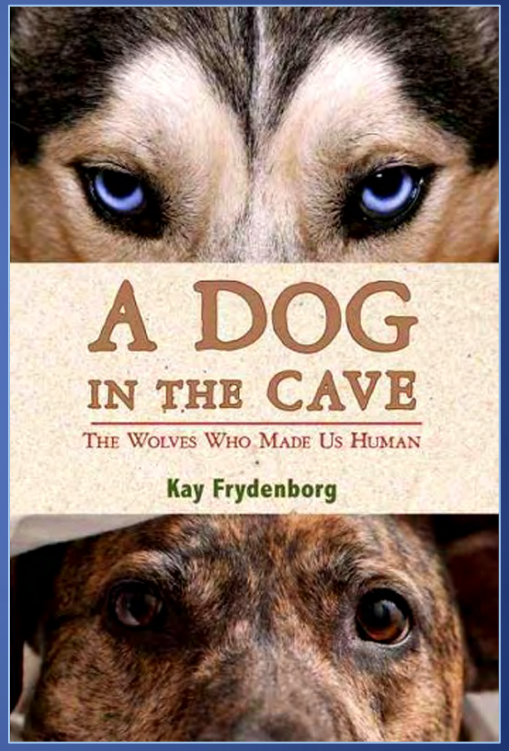

THE MYTH OF THE MINOTAUR?
THAT'S BULL.
MOMMY HAS A LITTLE CALF. LITTLE CALF. HIS NOSE IS BLACK AS TAR. SHE CALLS HER CALF ASTERION. ASTERION. ASTERION. THAT'S MY NAME. I'M RULER OF THE STARS.
BULL
A NOVEL BY
DAVID ELLIOTT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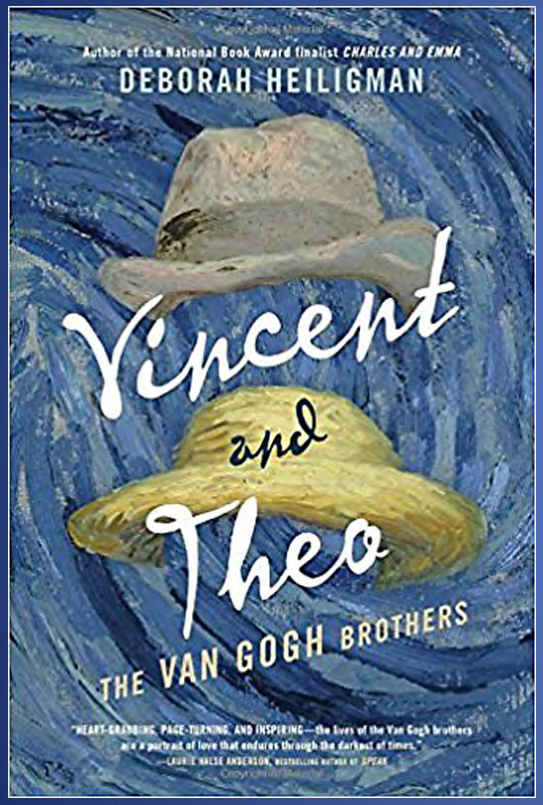
Author of the National Book Award finalist CHARLES AND EMMA
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Vincent and Theo
THE VAN GOGH BROTHERS
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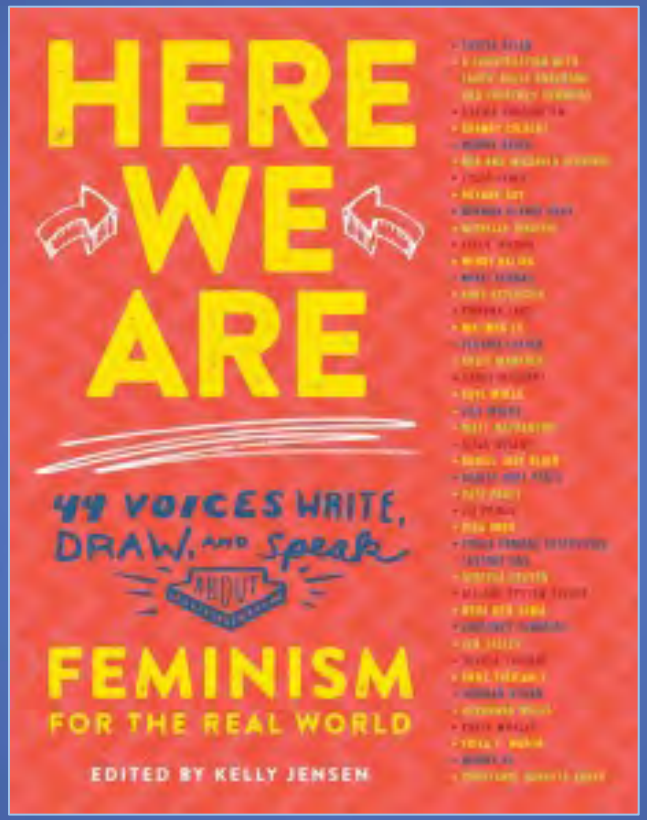
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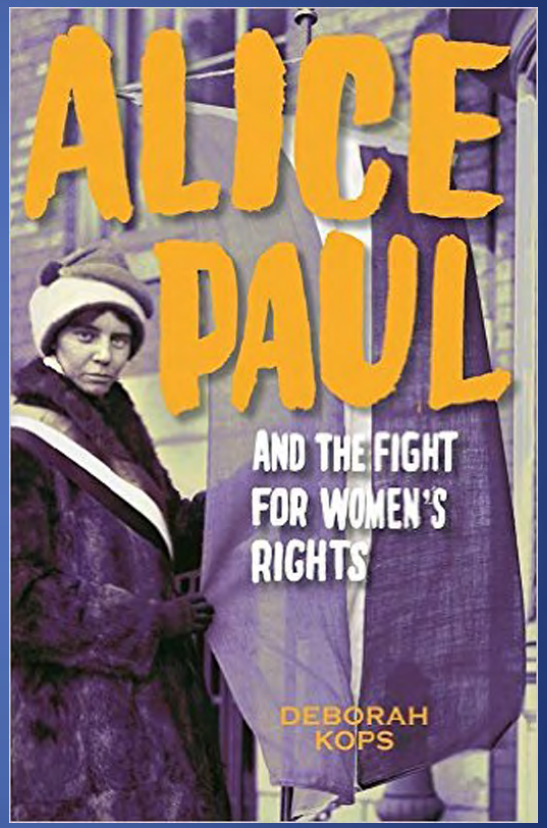
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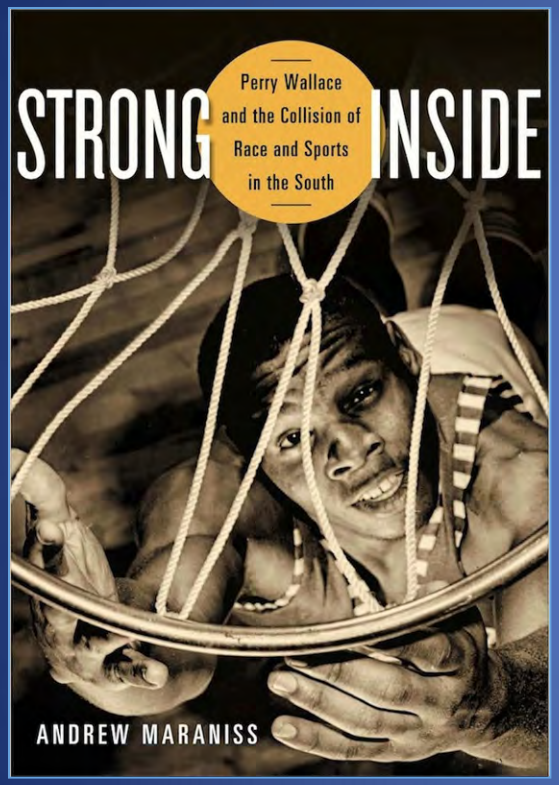
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Perry Wallace and the Collision of Race and Sports in the South
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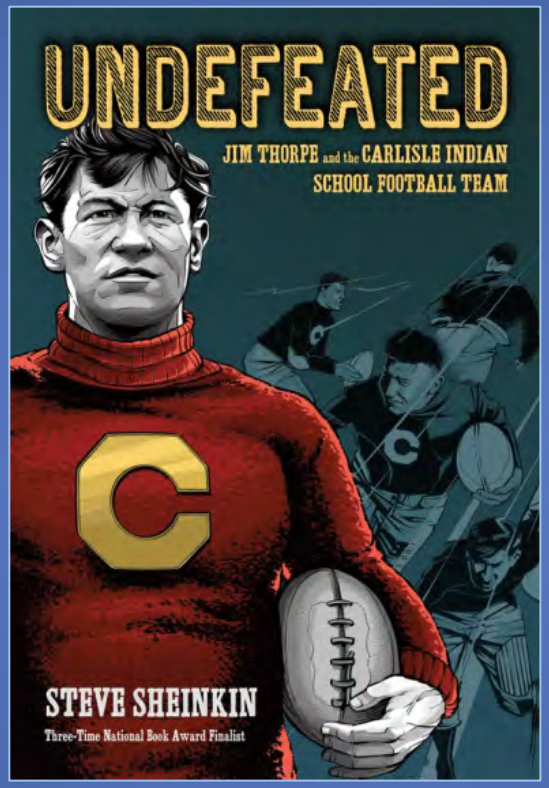
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JIM THORPE and the CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM
STEVE SHEINKIN
Three-Time National Book Award Finalist

GIRL RISING
CHANGING THE WORLD ONE GIRL AT A TIME
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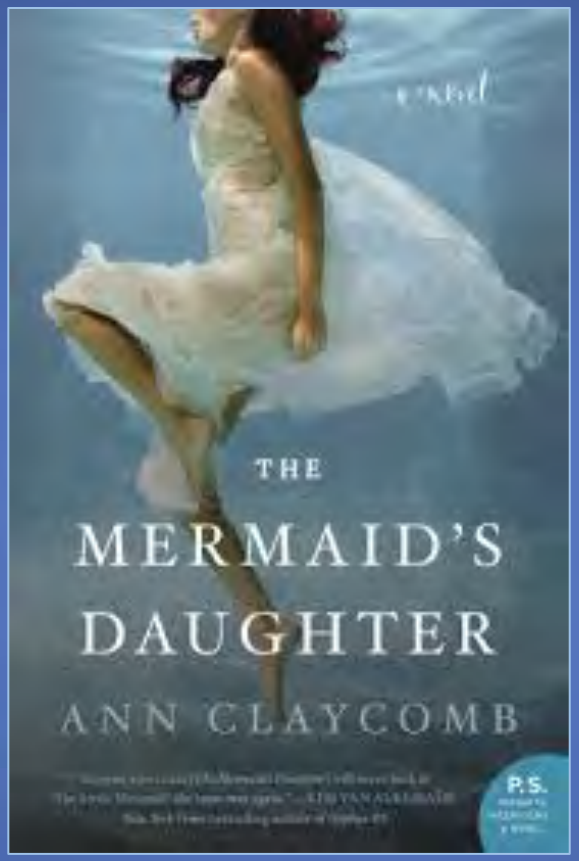
Author of Green on Blue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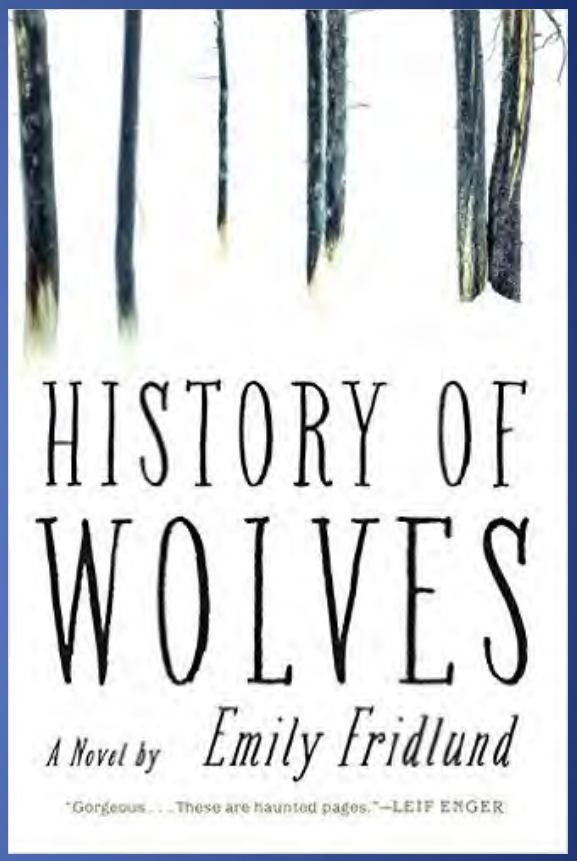
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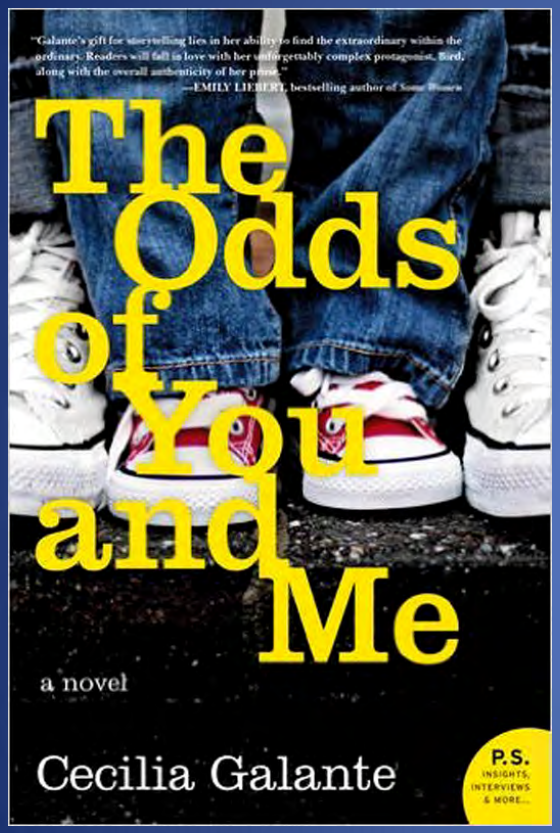
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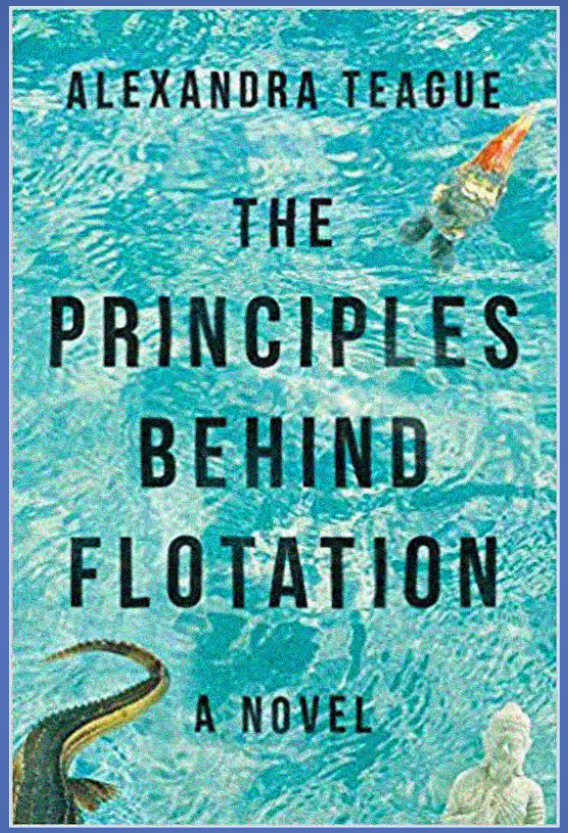
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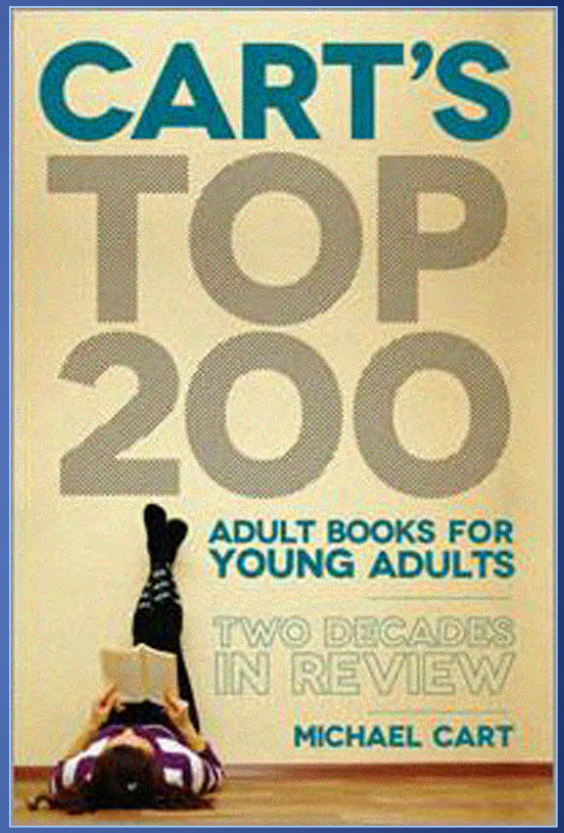
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