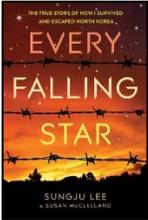


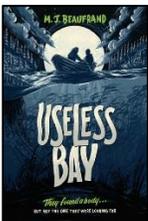
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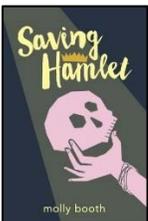
Every Falling Star by Sungju Lee & Susan Elizabeth McClelland  - Amulet Books- 978-1-4197-2132-8- HC- \$19.95- Young Adult Non-Fiction- 336 pp.- September 2016- Ages 13+
Every Falling Star, is the intense memoir of a North Korean boy named Sungju who is forced at age twelve to live on the streets and fend for himself. Sungju richly re-creates his scabrous story, depicting what it was like for a boy alone to create a new family with his gang, his “brothers”; to be hungry and to fear arrest, imprisonment, and even execution.



And the Trees Crept In by Dawn Kurtagich- Little, Brown Young Readers- 978-0-316-29870-7- HC- \$23.49- Young Adult Fiction- 320 pp.- September 2016- Ages 15+
When Silla and Nori arrive at their aunt's home, it's immediately clear that the "blood manor" is cursed. The creaking of the house and the stillness of the woods surrounding them would be enough of a sign, but there are secrets too--and questions that Silla can't ignore.



Useless Bay by M. J. Beaufrand- Amulet Books- 978-1-4197-2138-0- HC- \$21.95- Young Adult Fiction- 240 pp.- October 2016- Ages 13+
On Whidbey Island, the Gray quintuplets are the stuff of legend. Pixie and her brothers have always been bigger and blonder than their neighbors, as if they were birthed from the island itself. They serve as an unofficial search-and-rescue team for the island, saving tourists and locals alike from the forces of nature. But, when a young boy goes missing, the mysteries start to pile up.



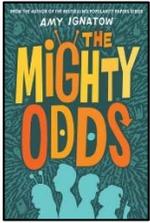
Saving Hamlet by Molly Booth- Disney Hyperion- 978-1-4847-5274-6- HC- \$18.99- Young Adult Fiction- 352 pp.- November 2016- Ages 12+
Emma couldn't be more excited to start her sophomore year. Not only is she the assistant stage manager for the drama club's production of *Hamlet*, but her crush Brandon is directing, and she's rocking a new haircut that's sure to get his attention. But soon after school starts, everything goes haywire, and one night after rehearsal from bad to worse when Emma distractedly falls through the stage's trap door . . . landing in the basement of the Globe Theater.



Howard Wallace, P.I. by Casey Lyall  - Sterling Publishing- 978-1-4549-1949-0- HC- \$16.95- Middle Grade Fiction- 272 pp.- September 2016- Ages 8-12
Howard lives by his list of rules of private investigation. He knows more than anyone how to work with what he's got: a bathrobe for a trench coat, a makeshift office behind the school equipment shed, and not much else—least of all, friends. So when a hot case of blackmail lands on his desk, he's ready to take it on himself . . . until the new kid, Ivy Mason, convinces him to take her on as a junior partner.



The Bone Sparrow by Zana Fraillon- Orion- 978-1-5101-0154-8- HC- \$18.99- Middle Grade Fiction- 240 pp.- September 2016- Ages 9-12
Born in a refugee camp, all Subhi knows is that he's at least 19 fence diamonds high, the nice Jackets never stay long, and at night he dreams that the sea finds its way to his tent, bringing with it unusual treasures. And one day it brings him Jimmie. Carrying a notebook that she's unable to read and wearing a sparrow made out of bone around her neck - both talismans of her family's past and the mother she's lost - Jimmie strikes up an unlikely friendship with Subhi beyond the fence.



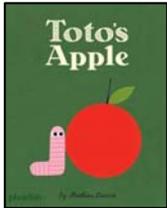
The Mighty Odds by Amy Ignatow- Amulet Books- 978-1-4197-1271-5- HC- \$19.95- Middle Grade Fiction- 240 pp.- September 2016- Ages 10-14

When a sweet nerd, an artsy cartoonist, a social outcast, and the most popular girl in school are involved in a mysterious bus accident, this seemingly random group of kids starts to notice some very strange abilities they did not have before. This group—who would never hang out under normal circumstances—must now combine all of their strengths to figure out what happened during the bus accident.



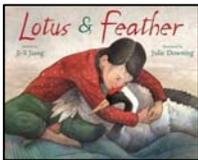
The Adventurer's Guide to Successful Escapes by Wade Albert White - Little, Brown- 978-0-316-30528-0- HC- \$22.49- Middle Grade Fiction- 384 pp.- September 2016- Ages 8-12

Anne has spent most of her thirteen years dreaming of the day she and her best friend Penelope will finally leave Saint Lupin's Institute for Perpetually Wicked and Hideously Unattractive Children. When the big day arrives, a series of very curious happenings lead to Anne being charged with an epic quest.



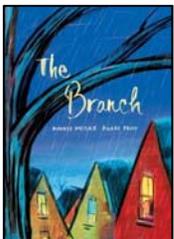
Toto's Apple by Mathieu Lavoie - Phaidon- 978-0-7148-7251-3- HC- \$24.95- Picture Book- 64 pp.- September 2016- Ages 2-5

The apple is up high. Toto is down low. A bird flies by. Toto has an idea. And so this hilariously expressive little worm gets busy creating plan after plan to reach his desired meal. His crafty strategies are successfully executed but miserably unproductive... until the opportunity presents itself and Toto seizes the moment without foresight.



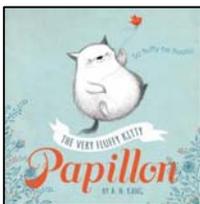
Lotus and Feather by Ji-li Jiang & Julie Downing- Disney Hyperion- 978-1-4231-2754-3- HC- \$18.99- Picture Book- 40 pp.- December 2016- Ages 3-5

A winter illness left Lotus, a little girl, without a voice and without friends. A hunter's bullet left Feather, a crane, injured and unable to fly. As Lotus nurses Feather back to health, their bond grows. Feather is a true friend to Lotus, but the time comes when Lotus must be a true friend to him--by encouraging him to migrate with the rest of the cranes.



The Branch by Mireille Messier & Pierre Pratt - Kids Can Press- 978-1-77138-564-0- HC- \$18.95- Picture Book- 32 pp.- September 2016- Ages 3-7

When an ice storm snaps a small girl's favorite branch from the tree in her yard, she's crestfallen. Luckily, her neighbor Mr. Frank understands. And so, with imagination and spirit, and Mr. Frank's guidance and tools, the girl transforms the broken branch into something whole and new, giving it another purpose, and her another place to treasure.



The Very Fluffy Kitty, Papillon by A. N. Kang- Disney Hyperion- 978-1-4847-1798-1- HC- \$17.99- Picture Book- 40 pp.- September 2016- Ages 3-5

Papillon is a very fluffy kitty. So fluffy that he's lighter than air! His owner tries to weigh him down, but Papillon just wants to fly. One particularly sunny day, he floats right out the window! Exploring the wide world is exhilarating, but it's also a little scary. Will his new friend, a bird, be able to help him find his way home?

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