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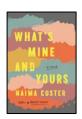
#### Nick by Michael Farris Smith- Little, Brown- 978-0-316-52976-1- HC- \$34.00- Fiction- 304 pp.- January 2021

Before Nick Carraway moved to West Egg and into Gatsby's periphery, he was at the center of a very different story. An epic portrait of a truly singular era and a sweeping, romantic story of self-discovery, this rich and imaginative novel breathes new life into a character that many know but few have pondered deeply.



#### The Light of the Midnight Stars by Rena Rossner- Redhook- 978-0-316-48346-9- HC-\$35.00- Fiction- 432 pp.- April 2021

An evocative combination of fantasy, history, and Jewish folklore, *The Light of the Midnight Stars* is fairytale-inspired novel from the author of *The Sisters of the Winter Wood*.



#### What's Mine and Yours by Naima Coster- Grand Central- 978-1-5387-0234-5- HC- \$35.00-Fiction- 352 pp.- March 2021

A community in the Piedmont of North Carolina rises in outrage as a county initiative draws students from the largely Black east side of town into predominantly white high schools on the west. For two students, Gee and Noelle, the integration sets off a chain of events that will tie their two families together in unexpected ways over the span of the next twenty years.



#### Who Is Maud Dixon? by Alexandra Andrews- Little, Brown- 978-0-316-50031-9- HC-\$35.00- Fiction- 336 pp.- March 2021

For readers of *The Silent Patient* - a taut, twisty, character-driven suspense novel about a famous novelist and a small-town striver locked in a struggle for fortune and fame.



# We Are Watching Eliza Bright by A. E. Osworth- Grand Central- 978-1-5387-1763-9- HC-\$35.00- Fiction- 416 pp.- April 2021

Eliza Bright was living the dream as an elite video game coder at Fancy Dog Games when her private life suddenly became public. But is Eliza Bright a brilliant, self-taught coder bravely calling out the toxic masculinity and chauvinism that pervades her workplace and industry? Or, is Eliza Bright a woman who needs to be destroyed to protect "the sanctity of gaming culture"?



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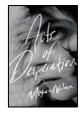
#### This Close to Okay by Leesa Cross-Smith- Grand Central- 978-1-5387-1537-6- HC- \$34.00-Fiction- 320 pp.- February 2021

From the award-winning writer Roxane Gay calls "a consummate storyteller" comes a cathartic novel about the life-changing weekend shared between two strangers.



# The Willow Wren by Philipp Schott ECW Press- 978-1-77041-573-7- TPB- \$22.95-Fiction- 280 pp.- March 2021

Based on a true story, The Willow Wren is a touching and nuanced portrait of the rise and fall of Nazi Germany through the eyes of a resourceful German boy.



### Acts of Desperation by Megan Nolan- Little, Brown- 978-0-316-42985-6- HC- \$34.00-Fiction- 288 pp.- March 2021

Sure to resonate with anyone who has ever degraded themselves in the pursuit of love, Acts of Desperation is narrated by an unnamed young woman caught up in a toxic romance with a beautiful but cold and distant artist named Ciaran.



#### While Paris Slept by Ruth Druart- Grand Central- 978-1-5387-3518-3- HC- \$35.00- Fiction-464 pp.- February 2021

Santa Cruz, 1953. Jean-Luc is a man on the run from his past. Paris, 1944. A young Jewish woman's past is torn apart in a heartbeat. On a darkened platform, two destinies became intertwined, and the choices each person made will change the future in ways neither could have imagined.



#### Lightseekers by Femi Kayode- Mulholland Books- 978-0-316-53661-5- HC- \$35.00- Fiction-432 pp.- March 2021

When Dr. Philip Taiwo is called on by a powerful Nigerian politician to investigate the public torture and murder of three university students in Port Harcourt, he has no idea that he's about to be enveloped by a perilous case that is far from cold.



#### Magpie Lane by Lucy Atkins- Mobius- 978-1-7864-8557-1- HC- \$32.49- Fiction- 368 pp.-February 2021

When the eight-year old daughter of an Oxford College Master vanishes in the middle of the night, police turn to the Scottish nanny, Dee, for answers. Roaming through Oxford's secret passages and hidden graveyards, *Magpie Lane* explores the true meaning of family--and what it is to be denied one.

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