

One More Day

New York Times Bestseller A startlingly original debut from the actor, writer, director, and executive producer hailed as “a gifted observer of the human condition and a very funny writer capable of winning that rare thing: unselfconscious, insuppressible laughter” (The Washington Post). A boy wins a \$100,000 prize in a box of Frosted Flakes—only to discover that claiming the winnings might unravel his family. A woman sets out to seduce motivational speaker Tony Robbins—turning for help to the famed motivator himself. A new arrival in Heaven, overwhelmed with options, procrastinates over a long-ago promise to visit his grandmother. We meet Sophia, the first artificially intelligent being capable of love, who falls for a man who might not be ready for it himself; a vengeance-minded hare, obsessed with scoring a rematch against the tortoise who ruined his life; and post-college friends who try to figure out how to host an intervention in the era of Facebook. Along the way, we learn why wearing a red T-shirt every day is the key to finding love, how February got its name, and why the stock market is sometimes just . . . down. Finding inspiration in questions from the nature of perfection to the icing on carrot cake, *One More Thing* has at its heart the most human of phenomena: love, fear, hope, ambition, and the inner stirring for the one elusive element just that might make a person complete. Across a dazzling range of subjects, themes, tones, and narrative voices, the many pieces in this collection are like nothing else, but they have one thing in common: they share the playful humor, deep heart, sharp eye, inquisitive mind, and altogether electrifying spirit of a writer with a fierce devotion to the entertainment of the reader.

From the New York Times bestselling author of *If I Stay* Allyson Healey's life is exactly like her suitcase—packed, planned, ordered. Then on the last day of her three-week post-graduation European tour, she meets Willem. A free-spirited, roving actor, Willem is everything she's not, and when he invites her to abandon her plans and come to Paris with him, Allyson says yes. This uncharacteristic decision leads to a day of risk and romance, liberation and intimacy: 24 hours that will transform Allyson's life. A book about love, heartbreak, travel, identity, and the “accidents” of fate, *Just One Day* shows us how sometimes in order to get found, you first have to get lost. . . and how often the people we are seeking are much closer than we know. The first in a sweepingly romantic duet of novels. Willem's story—*Just One Year*—is coming soon! Eddie is a wounded war veteran, an old man who has lived, in his mind, an uninspired life. His job is fixing rides at a seaside amusement park. On his 83rd birthday, a tragic accident kills him, as he tries to save a little girl from a falling cart. He awakes in the afterlife, where he learns that heaven is not a destination. It's a place where your life is explained to you by five people, some of whom you knew, others who may have been strangers. One by one, from childhood to soldier to old age, Eddie's five people revisit their connections to him on earth, illuminating the mysteries of his “meaningless” life, and revealing the haunting secret behind the eternal question: “Why was I here?” This is the story of Charley, a child of divorce who is always forced to choose between his mother and his father. He grows into a man and starts a family of his own. But one fateful weekend, he leaves his mother to secretly be with his father--and she dies while he is gone. This haunts him for years. It unravels his own young family. It leads him to depression and drunkenness. One night, he decides to take his life. But somewhere

between this world and the next, he encounters his mother again, in their hometown, and gets to spend one last day with her--the day he missed and always wished he'd had. He asks the questions many of us yearn to ask, the questions we never ask while our parents are alive. By the end of this magical day, Charley discovers how little he really knew about his mother, the secret of how her love saved their family, and how deeply he wants the second chance to save his own.

From the author of *The Five People You Meet in Heaven* and *Tuesdays with Morrie*, a new novel that millions of fans have been waiting for. "Every family is a ghost story . . ." This is the story of Charley, a child of divorce who is always forced to choose between his mother and his father. He grows into a man and starts a family of his own. But one fateful weekend, he leaves his mother to secretly be with his father--and she dies while he is gone. This haunts him for years. It unravels his own young family. It leads him to depression and drunkenness. One night, he decides to take his life. But somewhere between this world and the next, he encounters his mother again, in their hometown, and gets to spend one last day with her--the day he missed and always wished he'd had. He asks the questions many of us yearn to ask, the questions we never ask while our parents are alive. By the end of this magical day, Charley discovers how little he really knew about his mother, the secret of how her love saved their family, and how deeply he wants the second chance to save his own.

Wanted: Nanny to help an overworked single-dad with two adorable but energetic boys. Jackson is in way over his head raising two boys after the death of his wife. He needs his sanity and his kids need a nanny who can keep up with their tricks. The perfect solution, his next door neighbor who is in need of a change for the summer. Ridley is fun and playful and the kids love her. Good reason for him to ignore how much he's starting to love coming home to her each night. His temporary nanny just might be his forever love. But the perfect girl next door is hiding one huge secret. A heartwarming novel about family, friendship and finding your place from RITA® Award winner, M. MALONE. The first book in a USA Today bestselling series. Over 100,000+ copies sold!

As a young man I experienced many things that I found not only intriguing but relevant to young men like me. Afraid for where I am, afraid of where I am going, and not sure how I may get there with a growing family. I started to write this book out of experience I was having and didnt know what to do. So I decided to write all my good and bad times down so if I ran into a problem like that again I would know what to do by looking back over my life experience I was born in a country area where we work and took care of each other and shared each other hope and dreams I miss one grade in high school this book is for everyone who has or will have to face life and grow from the real time discussion you would have to face this book is one section of my life from nineteen seventy four until nineteen eighty-nine.

In the context of bullying, we tend to focus on the don'ts. Don't point. Don't stare. Don't use hurtful words. Being the eternal optimist that he is, Joe challenges us to redirect our energy. Instead of not acting like a bully, he calls us to imitate the compassion of a friend. Subtle yet powerful, the examples Joe gives of people going out of their way to treat him like they would anyone else call all of us to action. After hearing about the experiences that have shaped his life, we can't help but be inspired to reciprocate kindness and grace - the same kind that was extended to Joe - to people in our own

lives.

The motorcycle adventurer and author of *Two Wheels Through Terror* delivers a “spectacular and gripping read” of his solo journey around the world (*Friction Zone*). In November of 2001, on a motorcycle trip to the tip of South America, Glen Heggstad was kidnapped at gunpoint by Colombian rebels and held captive for five weeks. Yet even after his traumatic incarceration, Glen did what few others would—finished his trip. Three years later, frustrated by the climate of fear in a media-saturated world and the resulting stranglehold of self-imposed security in the United States, Glen decided to look for truth on his own terms—on the back of his motorcycle. Starting in Japan, Glen wound his way through Siberia, Mongolia, Europe, the Middle East, Southeast Asia, and Africa, stopping in over thirty countries. This was not a tourist’s bus tour—Glen battled extreme temperatures, knee-deep mud, bureaucratic roadblocks, health problems, and loneliness, but these problems faded to insignificance with the thrill of the open road and the smiling receptions he received from locals and fellow bikers at every turn. With *One More Day Everywhere*, readers can share Glen Heggstad’s vision of a world ungoverned by fear and, like Glen, embrace each experience, with one eye always on the horizon. “If anyone knows determination, perseverance, agony and terror it is Glen Heggstad. And that motorcycles are fun!” —Jimmy Lewis, editor, *Cycle World Magazine* “This is a story of extreme travel at its finest.” —RoadRunner “Heggstad manages to illustrate the joys and hardships and benefits and drawbacks of two-wheeled global travel to some of the most difficult places on the planet.” —*Friction Zone*

"One Extra Day" is the story of one day when Allison Clarke is a background extra in a movie. She makes friends on set with other extras, principal actors, and crew members. Her day gets even better when she meets another extra, Cole Myers. Together, they spend the day on set acting and learning about the film industry. Will they keep in touch after their One Extra Day? Sometimes Ruby needs just one more minute of sleep, one more thingy for her hair, one more push on the swing, and one more scoop on her cone, (and one more, and one more, and one more . . .) until one more is just too much. Maybe it's time for just one? If you know a someone like Ruby, Just One More will be just right!

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If you, or someone you know, have ever had to put a beloved pet to sleep, then you will know the pain and guilt surrounding this most difficult decision. Are we playing God, or are we fulfilling a beautiful and compassionate act of Love? As a dog lover, one of the toughest decisions you may face will be putting your companion to sleep. Regardless of the "when" or "how," it is a heartbreaking decision. Geoffrey Bain has compiled priceless information with stories and guidelines for you to have comfort in knowing "when it's time" to say good-bye. How and why does one make this type of decision? Are their options to taking your beloved one to the clinic? Will your veterinarian come to your home? If you have euthanized your pet, are you troubled with guilt - guilt over making the decision too soon or too late? In this Award-winning and compassionately informative book, you will learn to see the signs your dog is telling you about its health. The book is a compilation of warm and loving remembrances, heart-warming stories, pet loss poems and pet loss quotes dealing with the loss of our canine friends. Sprinkled with counseling from professionals in the field of veterinary science, psychology and education, "Just One More Day - A Dog Lovers Guide to Quality of Life and Healing from Pet Loss" is a welcome guide to assist those in need of comfort during a most difficult time and it will help ease their pain, their guilt, and their suffering. Because truly, all we really want is Just One More Day with our best friend-our dog. This book is a must-read for those about to lose their pet or those that are grieving the loss of a pet "Just One More Day - A Dog Lovers Guide to Quality of Life and healing from Pet Loss" is the winner of the prestigious Ben Franklin Award from the IBPA (Independent Book Publishers Awards), and has won the

Gold Medal from the eLit Digital Excellence in Publishing Awards. It also received a Bronze Medal Award from the IPA (Independent Publishers Association), and an Honorable Mention from the USA Book News "Best Book" Awards.

Explores the world of homelessness and drug addiction in contemporary United States, discussing such themes as violence, race relations, sexuality, family trauma, social inequality, and power relations.

Each of us was born into this life having to travel our individual journey. No two journeys are the same, just as no two people are the same. We all have different dreams, goals, and callings. I am not on this earth by accident nor are you. God does not create accidents. There is a greater power working in us, a Paraclete. If we surrender ourselves to His guidance and purpose, God can do more through us than we ever thought possible. Although life can be joyous, at some point throughout our journey, we will face obstacles. You may have experienced some failure along the way in the past but you are not a failure. This book was written with the same hope and inspiration that comes to me from God to encourage people not to give up when faced with adversity. This book is about having the perseverance to move forward even when you do not feel like taking another step. Your callings and dreams are too important for you to give up on. You can position yourself to reach your destiny. You can achieve success. It is my prayer as you read this book that God will clothe you with hope. Hope, that no matter what you are facing, you will believe one more day. For more information about this book or the author, please visit www.believeonemoreday.com

On the short side of eternity, depression, self-harm, addiction, and abuse are only a few of the issues that sent seventeen-year-old Zane Banks into the perfect downward spiral with no other choice. In "One Word," P. C. Houtzer introduces us to Zane's soulmate, Adda Hawkins, who spends her days in tears, clinging to the remnants of a four-year fallen short forever. Zane's best friend since kindergarten, Hailey Miller, descends into an impulsive, depressive addiction as another burning ember sears her skin. Then his best friend of six years, Kyle Jones, tries his best to step into the shoes Zane left behind while juggling the high-school football team with a father who's less than a star. Each one wanted the best for Zane, and now it's getting the best of them in this unexpected, addicting, and inspiring journey where one word would have changed everything. The "On the Short Side of Eternity" series is my attempt at creating a steppingstone for the conversation about mental health: while sending a message to all who are suffering to let them know that they aren't alone. This book expresses one of many possible narrative pathways that arise from the repercussions of suicide: in addition to giving an in-depth example of what it means to be silently struggling. This is the story of Charley, a child of divorce who is always forced to choose between his mother and his father. He grows into a man and starts a family of his own. But one fateful weekend, he leaves his mother to secretly be with his father and she dies while he is gone. This haunts him for years. It unravels his own young family. It leads him to depression and drunkenness. One night, he decides to take his life. But somewhere between this world and the next, he encounters his mother again, in their hometown, and gets to spend one last day with her the day he missed and always wished he had. He asks the questions many of us yearn to ask, the questions we never ask while our parents are alive. By the end of this magical day, Charley discovers how little he really knew about his mother, the secret of how her love saved their family, and how deeply he wants the second chance to save his own.

You have big dreams that fire you up, and yet a fear of failure is holding you back. You see the success others have achieved and doubt you could ever do what they've done.

You tell yourself you lack the smarts, skills, or leadership capabilities to live out your dream, but the truth is, there's a massive gap between what you think you can do and what you can do.

"We've all had situations in our lives where we just couldn't see how we'd make it through another day. With this book, you'll be encouraged and lifted up by Rachel, a friend who understands how to seek God's strength and healing in the midst of the pain!" —Lysa TerKeurst, author of *It's Not Supposed to Be This Way: Learn How to Overcome Obstacles—One Step at a Time Through Your Faith in God*. Life often sends hard things our way: illness, financial struggles, broken relationships, and so many kinds of loss. Sometimes we can't imagine a way forward. So how do we keep going when everything is going wrong? Rachel Wojo has learned that hope rises to greet us when we find the strength to take One. More. Step. Like you, Rachel has faced experiences that crushed her dreams of the perfect life: a failing marriage, a daughter's heartbreaking diagnosis, and more. In this book she transparently shares her pain and empathizes with yours, then points you to the path of God's Word, where you'll find hope to carry you forward. *One More Step* gives you permission to ache freely—and helps you believe that life won't always be this hard. No matter the circumstances you face, through these pages you'll learn to:

- run to God's Word when discouragement strikes
- replace feelings of despair with the truth of Scripture
- persevere through out-of-control circumstances and gain a more intimate relationship with Jesus

Rachel identifies the reasons you may be tempted to quit and shows you where to find the courage to keep going, one step at a time. You're not alone. So don't give up. God won't let you down. That's a promise.

A simple sentimental quote from the song "One Day More" in the Broadway musical, "Les Misérables." For fans of the popular music soundtrack, as well as, fans of Les Mis motion picture actors/actresses: Hugh Jackman (Jean Valjean), Russel Crowe (Javert), Anne Hathaway (Fantine), Amanda Seyfried (Cosette), Sacha Baron Cohen (Thénardier), Helena Bonham Carter (Madame Thénardier), Eddie Redmayne (Marius), and others. *** This journal alternates between 8 LINED pages for writing and 2 BLANK pages for sketching/drawing throughout the interior - Size 5.2" x 8" with 110-pages total. *** Not only does it make a wonderful gift for fans of hit movie and timeless Broadway musical, "Les Misérables," but its pages can be used as a travel log, diary of milestones, a record of special memories, a place for random sketches and diagrams, a very long bucket list, a notebook for tips and tricks, and a place to document everything you learn about love and romance. Make the gift even more special by writing advice or a special message or two of your own - and tucking a little cash or gift certificate into the folds. Related terms: The Miserable, Les Mis, French historical novel, The Wretched, The Miserable Ones, The Poor Ones, The Wretched Poor, The Victims and The Dispossessed, June Rebellion in Paris, history of France. On the BACK COVER: Novel, Motion Picture, and Broadway Musical: "Les Misérables" -- A poignant quote from the song "One Day More" from the motion picture soundtrack with solos from each character revealing their motivations, and leaving the audience wondering what will happen next.

NOW A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE starring ANNE HATHAWAY and JIM STURGESS
It's 1988 and Dexter Mayhew and Emma Morley have only just met. But after only one day together, they cannot stop thinking about one another. Over twenty years,

snapshots of that relationship are revealed on the same day—July 15th—of each year. Dex and Em face squabbles and fights, hopes and missed opportunities, laughter and tears. And as the true meaning of this one crucial day is revealed, they must come to grips with the nature of love and life itself. "One of the most hilarious and emotionally riveting love stories you'll ever encounter." —People #1 INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLER

A series of meditations based on sources from the Bible to contemporary writers and scientists offers inspiration and courage to those suffering from painful and debilitating illnesses--whether physical or psychological

This novella by the maverick Tamil prose writer G. Nagarajan centres on one eventful day in the life of a small-scale operator, fix-it man, pimp and procurer, Kandan. It offers a reading of the seamy margins of society and explores time and temporality, human desire and the possibility of love in the harsh and often violent underworld of a small town in Tamil Nadu. Translated by Abbie Ziffren, one of the finest readers of modern Tamil prose, and with an insightful introduction by David Shulman, *Tomorrow Is One More Day* presents a major Tamil novelist to a whole new audience.

Longtime journalist Kym Klass tells an amazing true story of suicide and depression, and its effect on faith and family in this emotional book, "One More Day." It tells the story of Kym's journey in dealing with the suicide death of her little sister Katie in 2015 and how Katie's struggles with depression led Kym to question her faith and deal with severe emotional issues herself. "One More Day" is a must-read for another who's dealt with depression and suicide, either themselves or with a friend or family member.

"Your book is going to help - and has helped - so many people. It will continue to augment destinies forever, and that's a beautiful thing... You should be proud of that." - Kevin Hines, International Suicide Prevention Speaker, Author & Award-Winning Documentary Filmmaker
Featuring inspiring stories of hope and resilience after trauma, 'Reasons to Live: One More Day, Every Day' follows the lives of 10 high profile and everyday individuals (including global hip hop artist L-FRESH The LION) who have found a way to rise above the darkness of mental illness, past trauma, or suicide attempts. Described as raw, powerful, and life-changing, and endorsed by influential figures such as Kevin Hines, and members of Lifeline and Royal Flying Doctor Service, 'Reasons to Live' features memoirs of surviving and thriving after a variety of adversities, including childhood cancer, veteran PTSD, disabilities, eating disorders, the death of a child, and more. A must-read for anyone searching for hope, inspiration, and reasons to live one more day, every day. PAPERBACK VERSION available via www.jasrawlinson.com ***

"A remarkable book" - Professor Patrick McGorry "Powerful...superbly disguised...a critical component in overcoming the darkness" - Dion Jensen, Founder of Success for Soldiers "I highly commend this book" - Robert Sams, Lifeline Hunter Valley

A grandfather's death inspires his grandchildren to create a book of wishes in this sensitive portrayal of dealing with the loss of a loved one. When Anna and her little brother Joey hear the sad news about their Poppy's death, they begin to think about what they would do if they could have one more day with him. They smile thinking about Poppy's crazy birthday hat, giggle at the silly songs Poppy used to plunk out on the piano, and laugh out loud at the weekly chicken-soup game they played with him at the deli. As the list grows into a pile, the pile becomes a book—a book of wishes for one more day with Poppy—or, as their mother explains, a memory book of the love and fun they shared with him, since all of their wishes have already come true. This treasured memento celebrates Poppy's life and helps Anna and Joey keep his memory alive for years to come.

When Britain declares war on Germany in 1939, Carolyn Maddison is still a schoolgirl. Her elder brother Alastair wastes no time in joining the RAF as a flying officer, and Carolyn decides

that when she is eighteen she will follow him into the service by joining the Women's Auxiliary Air Force. While reporting to the Air Ministry in London she meets a good-looking, charismatic pilot, Charlie Wade, currently employed in propaganda work. He believes that with her calm demeanor and resilience, Carolyn should work as an Intelligence officer, and suggests she serve on an active bombing station. At her side throughout the courses and postings that follow is Lucy Gaston, naturally quick-witted and sparky, a perfect foil for her friend. The young WAAFs both obtain prestigious postings in 5 Group Bomber Command, where they perform the vital tasks of briefing and debriefing aircrew returning from operations over Germany. Lucy, an incorrigible optimist, falls head over heels for a member of a Lancaster bomber crew while Carolyn resists her feelings for its dashing pilot. She decides it's not worth the risk of loving a man in wartime. . . only to wonder if she has done the right thing when a new WAAF on the station sets her cap at him. For Lucy and Carolyn, life on a WWII bombing station brings drama, heartbreak and suspense in this touching love story.

Tom Hall's centenary is fast approaching and the Sea View Nursing home administrator, the bossy and self-important Martha Branigan, doesn't want anyone to ruin the birthday celebrations she's planned. However, feisty old Tom's no pushover and if he can prevent Martha from getting her own way just once then life would have been worthwhile.

Bob and Sue Ann Varner live in a small town in Northern Missouri where they raised their two sons and a daughter. They have shared their journey and their family's story of survival after their oldest son, Eric, committed suicide. The Varners experienced a lack of attention from medical facilities in Missouri; an unwillingness to help Eric when he needed it most led to tragic results. The Varner family desires that their story will offer hope to others, as well as promote awareness for the crucial need for treatment of patients suffering from mental illness.

Why would anyone want to read this book? Just because girl on girl is hot? Truth be told, I'm not even sure she's all there, but a little bit of crazy can be very enticing; you certainly can never be assured of a calm day. Granted, a little calm isn't too bad every once in a while, especially when you have to put up with a friend who probably should've been diagnosed with A.D.D. years ago, just so the rest of us can get a little break when she medicates. I don't want to talk about her, though; no, my thoughts are revolving around the beautiful long-haired brunette whose very presence is a balm to the pain shattering throughout my soul. Don't get me wrong; I'm just an ordinary college student... I think we all have pain of some kind or another, brutally destroying the innocence of our youth in order to allow the inner adult to stride forth from the ruins with the ash of smothering childhood nightmares clinging tenaciously to our newly sensitized skin. The following is just the artistic rendering of my story, which, unfortunately, had to be put into words, which is not my strongest suit; I just want to be drawing, you know?

A special 20th anniversary edition of the beloved international bestseller that changed millions of lives Maybe it was a grandparent, or a teacher, or a colleague. Someone older, patient and wise, who understood you when you were young and searching, helped you see the world as a more profound place, gave you sound advice to help you make your way through it. For Mitch Albom, that person was Morrie Schwartz, his college professor from nearly twenty years ago. Maybe, like Mitch, you lost track of this mentor as you made your way, and the insights faded, and the world seemed colder. Wouldn't you like to see that person again, ask the bigger questions that still haunt you, receive wisdom for your busy life today the way you once did when you were younger? Mitch Albom had that second chance. He reconnected with Morrie in the last months of the older man's life. Knowing he was dying, Morrie visited with Mitch in his study every Tuesday, just as they used to back in college. Their rekindled relationship turned into one final "class:" lessons in how to live. Tuesdays with Morrie is a magical chronicle of their time together, through which Mitch shares Morrie's lasting gift with the world.

One More Day Book Three, MacLarens of Fire Mountain Contemporary Romance

Series “Thrillingly captivating, with psychologically sound character development, and emotionally heartfelt storytelling. Shirleen Davies is one of those rare jewels who has never disappointed.” “If you’re a reader who wants to discover an entire family of characters you can fall in love with, this is the series for you.” – Authors to Watch

Cameron “Cam” Sinclair is smart, driven, and dedicated, with an easygoing temperament that belies his strong will and the personal ambitions he holds close. Besides his family, his job as head of IT at the MacLaren Cattle Company and his position as a Search and Rescue volunteer are all he needs to make him happy. At least that’s what he thinks until he meets, and is instantly drawn to, fellow SAR volunteer, Lainey Devlin. Lainey is compassionate, independent, and ready to break away from her manipulative and controlling fiancé. Just as her decision is made, she’s called into a major search and rescue effort, where once again, her path crosses with the intriguing, and much too handsome, Cam Sinclair. But Lainey’s plans are set. An opportunity to buy a flourishing preschool in northern Arizona is her chance to make a fresh start, and nothing, not even her fierce attraction to Cam Sinclair, will impede her plans. As Lainey begins to settle into her new life, an unexpected danger arises—threats from an unknown assailant—someone who doesn’t believe she belongs in Fire Mountain. The more Lainey begins to love her new home, the greater the danger becomes. Can she accept the help and protection Cam offers while ignoring her consuming desire for him? Even if Lainey accepts her attraction to Cam, will he ever be able to come to terms with his own driving ambition and allow himself to consider a different life than the one he’s always pictured? A life with the one woman who offers more than he’d ever hoped to find? Read *One More Day*, another heart-warming and romantic story of passion, love, choices, and commitment in the MacLarens of Fire Mountain Contemporary Romance series. From the Author Join Shirleen Davies’ Newsletter to Receive Notice of: · New Releases · Contests · Free Reads & Sneak Peeks To sign up copy and paste this site address into your browser’s address bar: <http://bit.ly/1KqhKwm>

As I reflect upon the times that I spent with my mother doing the simple things, my heart fills with joy. These are the instances that I miss the most when I think about my childhood. Her constant love and care were ever present, surrounding me like a warm blanket. My life has not been the same since my mother’s passing. Holding on to the pleasant memories and the many lessons that she taught brings me the strength to move on. If I had one more day on earth with my beloved mother, I would do the simple things like talking, laughing, taking her for a drive the way I used to do on the weekends, helping her with her shopping, and sitting with her to enjoy a nice meal. This book describes such a day.

From three design partners at Google Ventures, a unique five-day process--called the sprint--for solving tough problems using design, prototyping, and testing ideas with customers.

One of NPR's Great Reads of 2018 An unforgettable portrait of one of the most inspiring historical figures of the twentieth century, published on the centenary of his birth. Arrested in 1962 as South Africa’s apartheid regime intensified its brutal campaign against political opponents, forty-four-year-old lawyer and African National Congress activist Nelson Mandela had no idea that he would spend the next twenty-seven years in jail. During his 10,052 days of incarceration, the future leader of South

Africa wrote a multitude of letters to unyielding prison authorities, fellow activists, government officials, and, most memorably, to his courageous wife, Winnie, and his five children. Now, 255 of these letters, many of which have never been published, provide exceptional insight into how Mandela maintained his inner spirits while living in almost complete isolation, and how he engaged with an outside world that became increasingly outraged by his plight. Organized chronologically and divided by the four venues in which he was held as a sentenced prisoner, *The Prison Letters of Nelson Mandela* begins in Pretoria Local Prison, where Mandela was held following his 1962 trial. In 1964, Mandela was taken to Robben Island Prison, where a stark existence was lightened only by visits and letters from family. After eighteen years, Mandela was transferred to Pollsmoor Prison, a large complex outside of Cape Town with beds and better food, but where he and four of his comrades were confined to a rooftop cell, apart from the rest of the prison population. Finally, Mandela was taken to Victor Verster Prison in 1988, where he was held until his release on February 11, 1990. With accompanying facsimiles of some of his actual letters, this landmark volume reveals how Mandela, a lawyer by training, advocated for prisoners' human rights. It reveals him to be a loving father, who wrote to his daughter, "I sometimes wish science could invent miracles and make my daughter get her missing birthday cards and have the pleasure of knowing that her Pa loves her," aware that photos and letters he sent had simply disappeared. More painful still are the letters written in 1969, when Mandela—bidden from attending the funerals of his mother and his son Thembi—was reduced to consoling family members through correspondence. Yet, what emerges most powerfully is Mandela's unfaltering optimism: "Honour belongs to those who never forsake the truth even when things seem dark & grim, who try over and over again, who are never discouraged by insults, humiliation & even defeat." Whether providing unwavering support to his also-imprisoned wife or outlining a human-rights philosophy that resonates today, *The Prison Letters of Nelson Mandela* reveals the heroism of a man who refused to compromise his moral values in the face of extraordinary punishment. Ultimately, these letters position Mandela as one of the most inspiring figures of the twentieth century. From *The Prison Letters of Nelson Mandela* "A new world will be won not by those who stand at a distance with their arms folded, but by those who are in the arena, whose garments are torn by storms & whose bodies are maimed in the course of contest." "I am convinced that floods of personal disaster can never drown a determined revolutionary nor can the cumulus of misery that accompanies tragedy suffocate him." "My respect for human beings is based, not on the colour of a man's skin nor authority he may wield, but purely on merit." "A good pen can also remind us of the happiest moments in our lives, bring noble ideas into our dens, our blood & our souls. It can turn tragedy into hope & victory."

The test results are back, and they say it's cervical cancer. As if that isn't bad enough, getting laid off from her job means Mackenzie can't afford to pay her bills, including the medical ones! She's convinced it's the worst day of her life. Not even meeting that Super Hot Guy from the coffee shop can make it better. Or can it? Ryan has been trying to get the nerve to talk to her for months. Her art is amazing. It's exactly the type of thing he'd like to ink onto his skin forever. For the first time, the beautiful artist wasn't lost in her work. Nope, she was lost in something else. Something that brought tears to those gorgeous eyes. It's the excuse he needs to finally get up the nerve and talk to

her. She needs a shoulder, and he's more than willing to give it - plus a job that lets her use her art. Mackenzie never expected to be working in a tattoo parlor, but it will pay the bills, and being around Ryan is pretty nice. Maybe too nice. His shy smiles make her stomach flip, or that could be the chemo. It all comes back to the cancer, so why should she even try? The Super Hot Guy is her boss, and maybe this is as good as her life is going to get... because the cancer's getting worse. Mackenzie may want to protect him, but Ryan isn't going to lose the girl. Not because he's her boss, not because he's too scared to make a move, and he's certainly not going to let some disease screw this up. She thinks the cancer is going to win, but he has other plans. He just needs one more day to prove it, but she may not give him that option. **This book contains some mature situations and is recommended for readers 18+**

Don't look away No one wants to be the mother whose child disappears. It's unthinkable, the stuff of nightmares. But when she turns her back to pay a parking meter, Carrie Morgan becomes that mother. Ben is gone, and more than a year later, it's clear that he is never coming back. Until he does...for just twenty-four hours, before once again vanishing from his crib without a trace. Rumors start to circulate through Carrie's small town. Whispers that she's seeing things. That her alibi doesn't quite add up. Her husband and friends start to think she's crazy. The police start to think she's guilty. As the investigation heats up, Carrie must decide what to share, and why. Because the crime is about to be solved... and her secret revealed.

Culled from 7,500 columns and spanning four decades, the writings in this collection reflect a radically changing America as seen by a man whose keen sense of justice and humor never faltered. 11 halftones.

In 1960s Bristol, a family is overshadowed by tragedy While Susan, a typically feisty seven-year-old, is busy being brave, her mother, Eddress, is struggling for courage. Though bound by an indestructible love, their journey through a world that is darkening with tragedy is fraught with the kind of misunderstandings that bring as much laughter as pain, and as many dreams as nightmares. How does a child cope when faced with a wall of adult secrets? What does a mother do when her biggest fear starts to become a reality? Because it's the Sixties, and because it's shameful to own up to feelings, Eddress tries to deny the truth, while Susan creates a world that will never allow her mother to leave. Set in a world where a fridge is a luxury, cars have starting handles, and where bingo and coupons bring in the little extras, Just One More Day is a deeply moving true-life account, told by mother and daughter, of how the spectre of death moved into their family, and how hard they tried to pretend it wasn't there.

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