



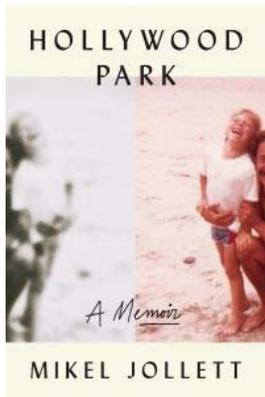
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Hollywood Park

A Memoir

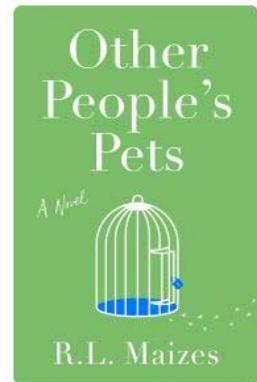
by Mikel Jollett

Celadon Books • On Sale: May 5/20 • 6.12 x 9.25 • 384 pages
9781250621566 • \$37.99 • cl • Biography / Personal Memoirs

HOLLYWOOD PARK is a remarkable memoir of a tumultuous life. Mikel Jollett was born into one of the country's most infamous cults, and subjected to a childhood filled with poverty, addiction, and emotional abuse. Yet, ultimately, his is a story of fierce love and family loyalty told in a raw, poetic voice that signals the emergence of a uniquely gifted writer.

We were never young. We were just too afraid of ourselves. No one told us who we were or what we were or where (...)

LEAD



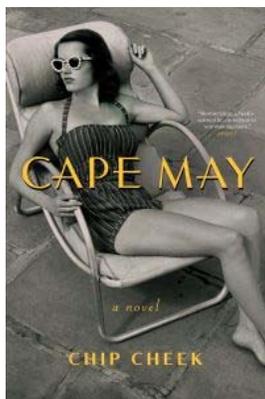
Other People's Pets

by R.L. Maizes

Celadon Books • On Sale: Jun 2/20 • 5.39 x 8.27 • 320 pages
9781250304131 • \$36.50 • CL - With dust jacket • Fiction / Family Life

La La Fine relates to animals better than she does to other people. Abandoned by a mother who never wanted a family, raised by a locksmith-turned-thief father, La La looks to pets when it feels like the rest of the world conspires against her.

La La's world stops being whole when her mother, who never wanted a child, abandons her twice. First, when La La falls through thin ice on a skating trip, and again when the accusations of unfit mother" feel too (...)



Cape May

A Novel

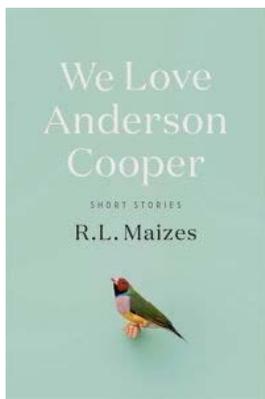
by Chip Cheek

Celadon Books • On Sale: May 5/20 • 5.39 x 8.27 • 272 pages
9781250297464 • \$22.99 • pb • Fiction / Literary

Inside this mesmerizing tale of sexual desire and discovery, naive newlyweds Henry and Effie are honeymooning in Cape May, N.J., in 1957, tentatively navigating intimacy. Then they meet Clara and Max, hard-partying lovers who dazzle the innocent pair until they've lost more than their virginity. Cheek's sensual first novel leaves you wanting more."

- PEOPLE

"Henry and Effie's honeymoon is meant to be their introduction to the pleasures of



We Love Anderson Cooper

Short Stories

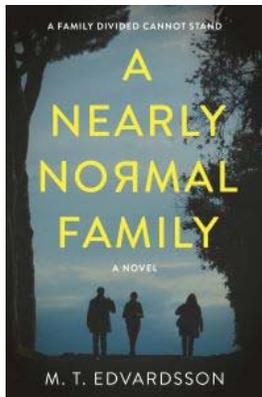
by R.L. Maizes

Celadon Books • On Sale: May 5/20 • 5.39 x 8.27 • 192 pages
9781250304087 • \$22.99 • pb • Fiction / Short Stories (Single Author)

In this quirky, humorous, and deeply human short story collection, Pushcart Prize-nominated author R.L. Maizes reminds us that even in our most isolated moments, we are never truly alone.

In *We Love Anderson Cooper*, characters are treated as outsiders because of their sexual orientation, racial or religious identity, or simply because they look different. A young man courts the publicity that comes from outing himself at his bar mitzvah. When a painter is shunned because of his appearance, he learns to ink tattoos that (...)





A Nearly Normal Family

A Novel

by M.T. Edvardsson, translated by Rachel Willson-Broyles

Celadon Books • On Sale: Jun 2/20 • 5.39 x 8.27 • 432 pages

9781250204592 • \$22.99 • pb • Fiction / Suspense

"A compulsively readable tour de force." - *The Wall Street Journal*

***New York Times Book Review* recommends M.T. Edvardsson's *A Nearly Normal Family* and lauds it as a "page-turner" that forces the reader to confront "the compromises we make with ourselves to be the people we believe our beloveds expect." (*NYTimes Book Review Summer Reading Issue*)
When the teenage daughter of responsible, upstanding parents is accused of murder, a family realizes that it isn't love ()**



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The Whisper Man

A Novel

by Alex North

Celadon Books • On Sale: Jun 2/20 • 5.38 x 8.25 • 384 pages

9781250318008 • \$22.99 • pb • Fiction / Suspense

THE INSTANT *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLER**
WORKS BEAUTIFULLY. . . If you like being terrified, *The Whisper Man* has your name on it."

- *The New York Times*, Editor's Pick

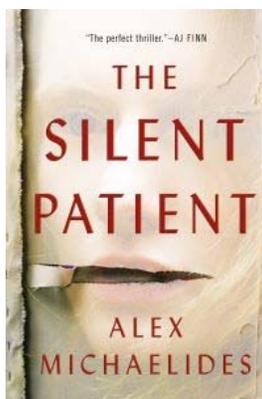
"SUPERB"

- *Publisher's Weekly*, Starred Review

"BRILLIANT. . . will satisfy readers of Thomas Harris and (...)



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The Silent Patient

by Alex Michaelides

Celadon Books • **Strict On Sale:** Jun 2/20 • 5.39 x 8.27 • 352 pages

9781250301703 • \$22.99 • pb • Fiction / Thrillers / Psychological

The instant #1 *New York Times* bestseller

An unforgettable - and Hollywood-bound - new thriller. . . A mix of Hitchcockian suspense, Agatha Christie plotting, and Greek tragedy."

- *Entertainment Weekly*

***The Silent Patient* is a shocking psychological thriller of a woman's act of violence against her husband - and of the therapist obsessed with uncovering her motive.**

Alicia Berenson's life is seemingly perfect. A famous painter married to an in-demand fashion photographer, she (...)



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This Chair Rocks

A Manifesto Against Ageism

by Ashton Applewhite

Celadon Books • On Sale: Aug 4/20 • 6.14 x 9.25 • 320 pages

9781250297259 • \$22.99 • pb • Self-Help / Aging

Author, activist, and TED speaker Ashton Applewhite has written a rousing manifesto calling for an end to discrimination and prejudice on the basis of age.

In our youth obsessed culture, we're bombarded by media images and messages about the despairs and declines of our later years. Beauty and pharmaceutical companies work overtime to convince people to purchase products that will retain their youthful appearance and vitality. Wrinkles are embarrassing. Gray hair should be colored and bald heads covered with implants. Older minds and bodies are (...)



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