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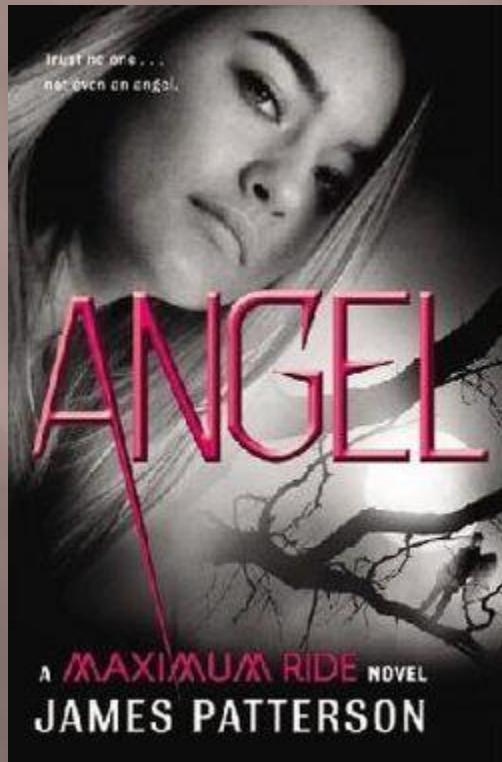
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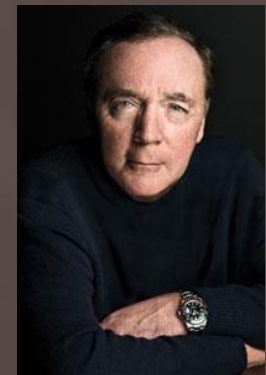
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Angel: a Maximum Ride Novel

By James Patterson

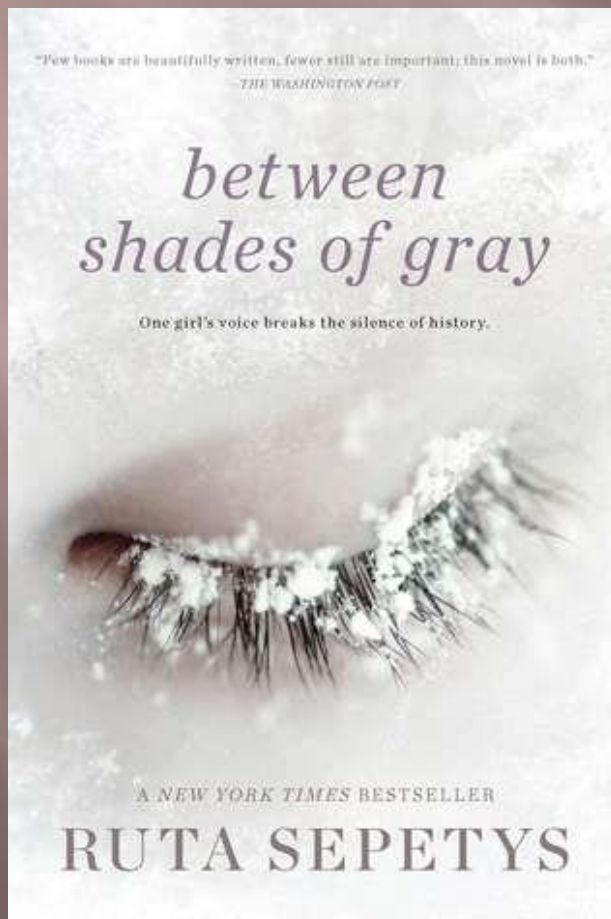


Summary: Heartbroken after her best friend and soul mate, Fang, leaves her flock, Maximum Ride begins to believe the evil scientists trying to convince her she needs to save the world, and that Dylan, the newest member of her flock, is her perfect mate.



Between Shades of Gray

By Ruta Sepetys



Summary: In 1941, fifteen-year-old Lina, her mother, and brother are pulled from their Lithuanian home by Soviet guards and sent to Siberia, where her father is sentenced to death in a prison camp while she fights for her life, vowing to honor her family and the thousands like hers by burying her story in a jar on Lithuanian soil. Based on the author's family, includes a historical note.



Daughter of Smoke & Bone

By Laini Taylor

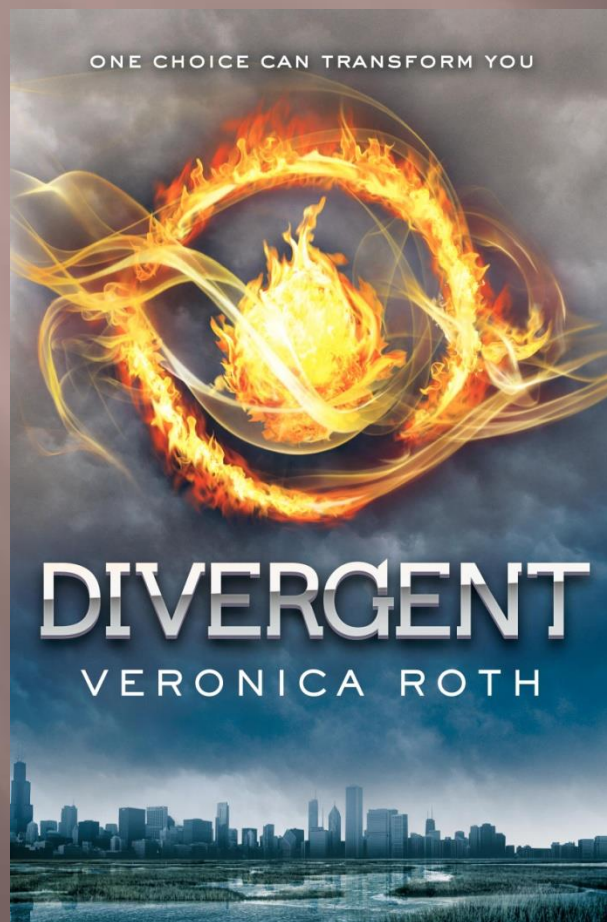


Summary: Seventeen-year-old Karou, a lovely, enigmatic art student in a Prague boarding school, carries a sketchbook of hideous, frightening monsters--the chimaerae who form the only family she has ever known.



Divergent

By Veronica Roth

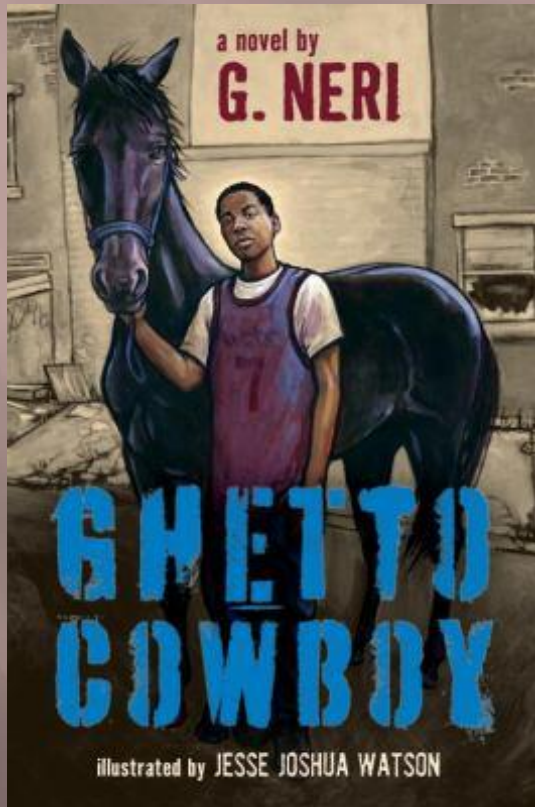


Summary: In a future Chicago, sixteen year-old Beatrice Prior must choose among five predetermined factions to define her identity for the rest of her life, a decision made more difficult when she discovers that she is an anomaly who does not fit into any one group, and that the society she lives in is not perfect after all.



Ghetto Cowboy

By Greg Neri

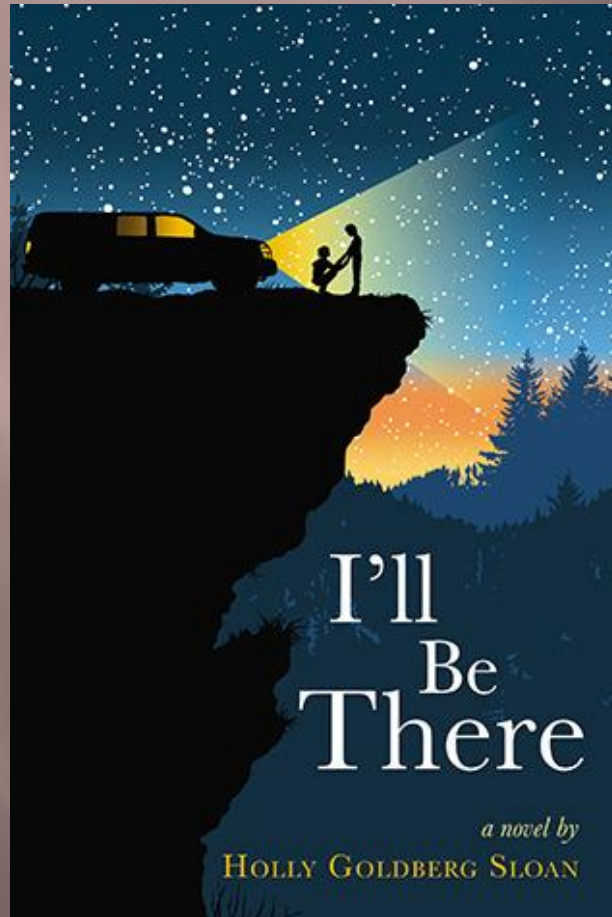


Summary: Twelve-year-old Cole's behavior causes his mother to drive him from Detroit to Philadelphia to live with a father he has never known, but who soon has Cole involved with a group of African-American "cowboys" who rescue horses and use them to steer youths away from drugs and gangs.



I'll Be There

By Holly Goldberg Sloan

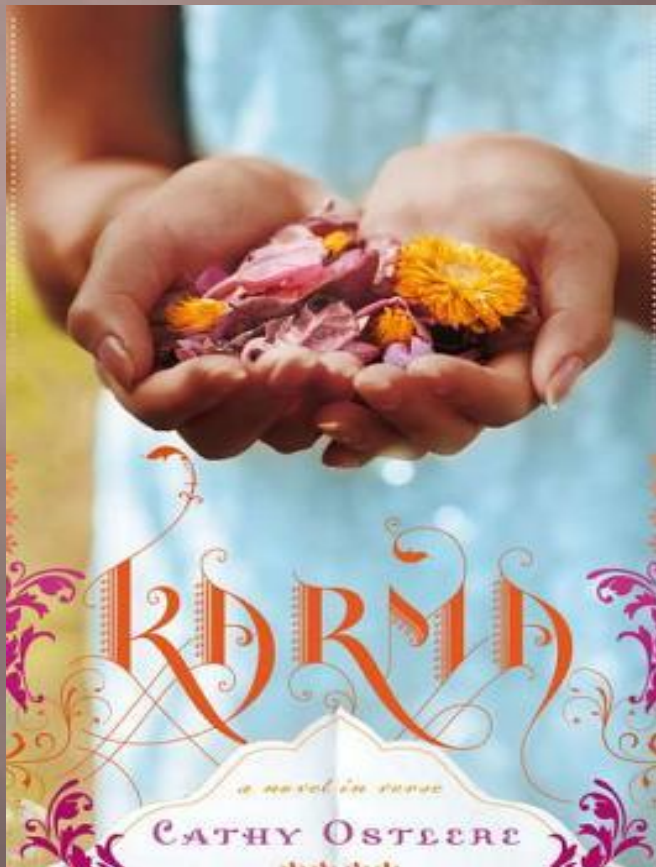


Summary: Raised by an unstable father who keeps constantly on the move, Sam Border has long been the voice of his silent younger brother, Riddle, but everything changes when Sam meets Emily Bell and, welcomed by her family, the brothers are faced with normalcy for the first time.



Karma

By Cathy Ostlere



Summary: Fifteen-year-old half Hindu, half Sikh Maya, having traveled from Canada to New Delhi to put her mother's ashes in their final resting place, finds herself in the middle of chaos after Indira Gandhi is assassinated and must disguise her identity and rely on a boy she just met in order to be reunited with her father and remain safe.



Legend

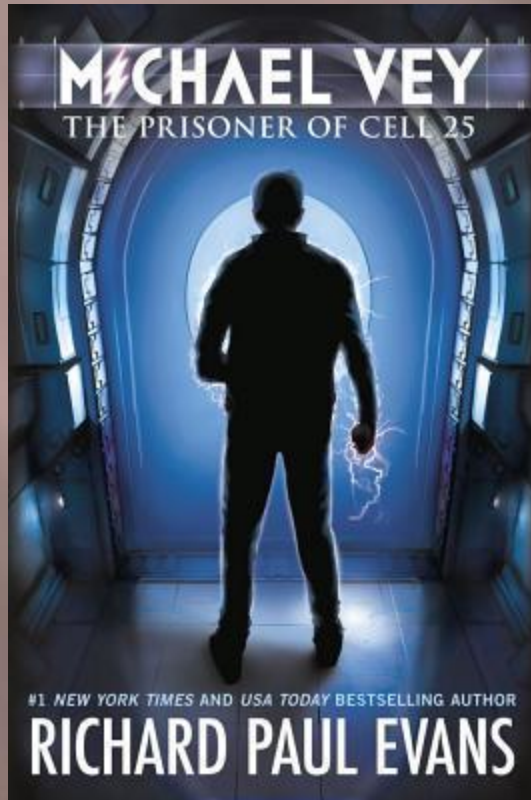
By Marie Lu

Summary: In a dark future, when North America has split into two warring nations, fifteen-year-olds Day, a famous criminal, and prodigy June, the brilliant soldier hired to capture him, discover that they have a common enemy.



Michael Vey: The Prisoner of Cell 25

By Richard Paul Evans

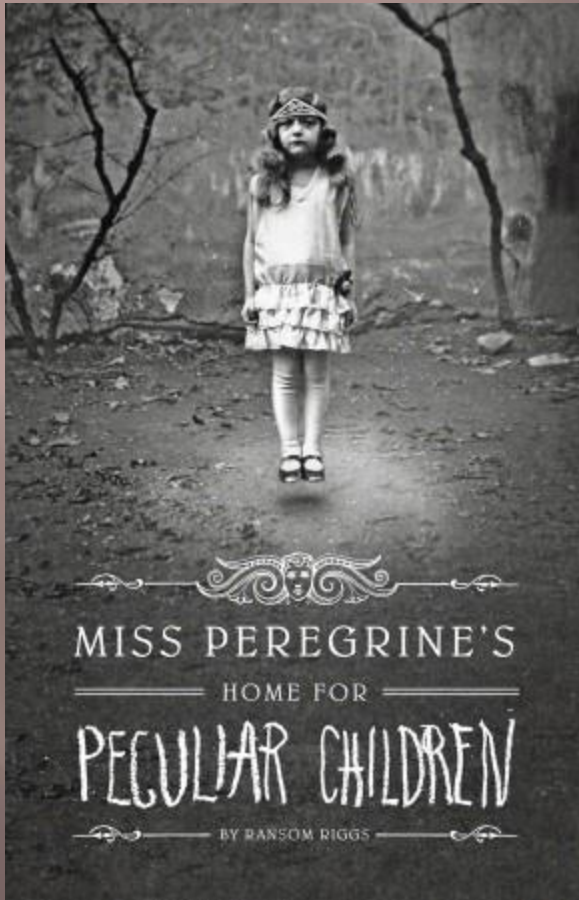


Summary: Fourteen-year-old Michael discovers he has special electrical powers and, with the help of his best friends, becomes aware that there are other teens with similar powers, but something or someone is hunting them and, after Michael's mother is kidnapped, he will need to rely on his powers and his friends to rescue his mom, protect himself, and save the others.



Miss Peregrine's Home For Peculiar Children

By Ransom Riggs



Summary: Sixteen-year-old Jacob, having traveled to a remote island after a family tragedy, discovers an abandoned orphanage, and, after some investigating, he learns the children who lived there may have been dangerous and quarantined and may also still be alive.

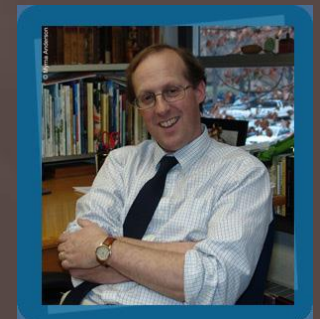


Okay For Now

By Gary D. Schmidt



Summary: Fourteen-year-old Doug Swieteck faces many challenges, including an abusive father, a brother traumatized by Vietnam, suspicious teachers and police officers, and isolation, but when he meets a girl known as Lil Spicer, he develops a close relationship with her and finds a safe place at the local library.



Ready Player One

By Ernest Cline

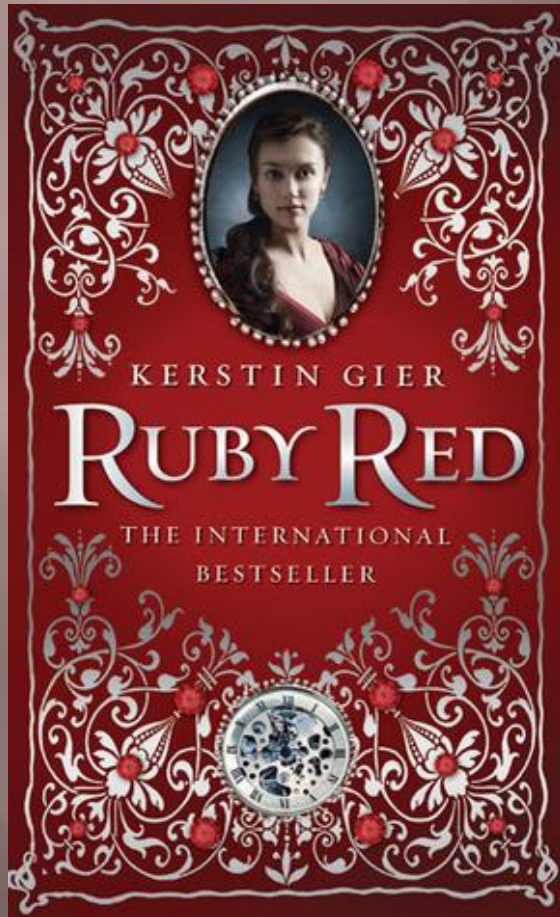


Summary: In the year 2044, Wade Watts, like the rest of humanity, chooses to escape reality and spends his waking hours in the limitless, utopian virtual world of the OASIS, but when Wade stumbles upon the first of the fiendish puzzles set up by OASIS creator James Halliday he finds he must compete with thousands of others--including those willing to commit murder--in order to claim a prize of massive fortune.



Ruby Red

By Kerstin Gier

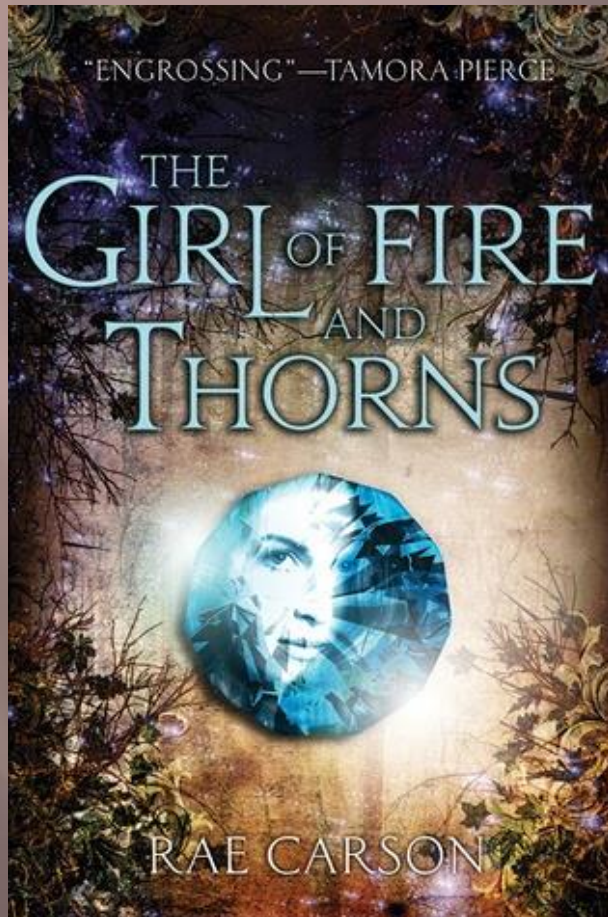


Summary: Sixteen-year-old Gwyneth Shepherd unexpectedly travels through time to the eighteenth century, and she must find out why her mother lied about her date of birth to hide her ability, research her history, and work with Gideon, another time traveler.



The Girl OF Fire And Thorns

By Rae Carson

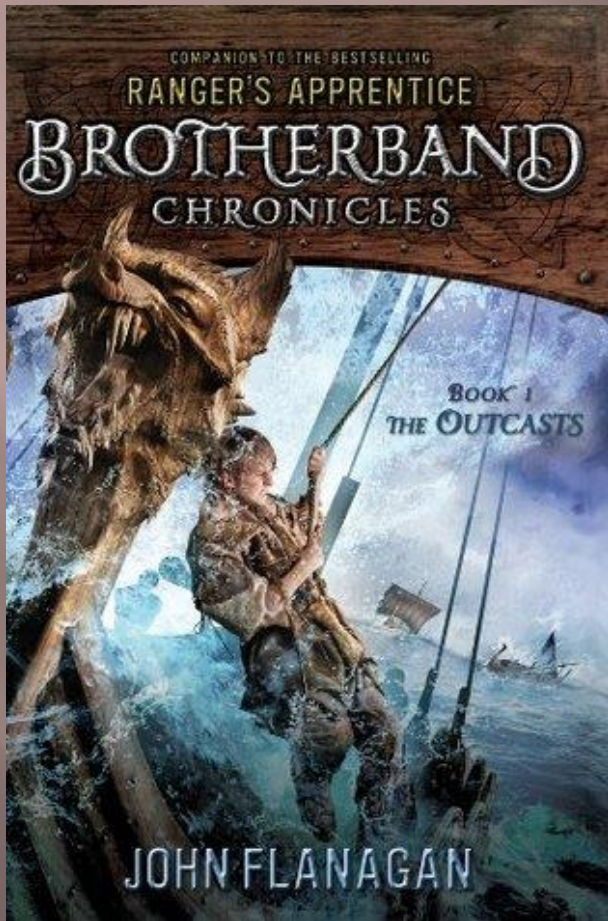


Summary: A fearful sixteen-year-old princess discovers her heroic destiny after being married off to the king of a neighboring country in turmoil and pursued by enemies seething with dark magic.



The Outcasts

By John Flanagan

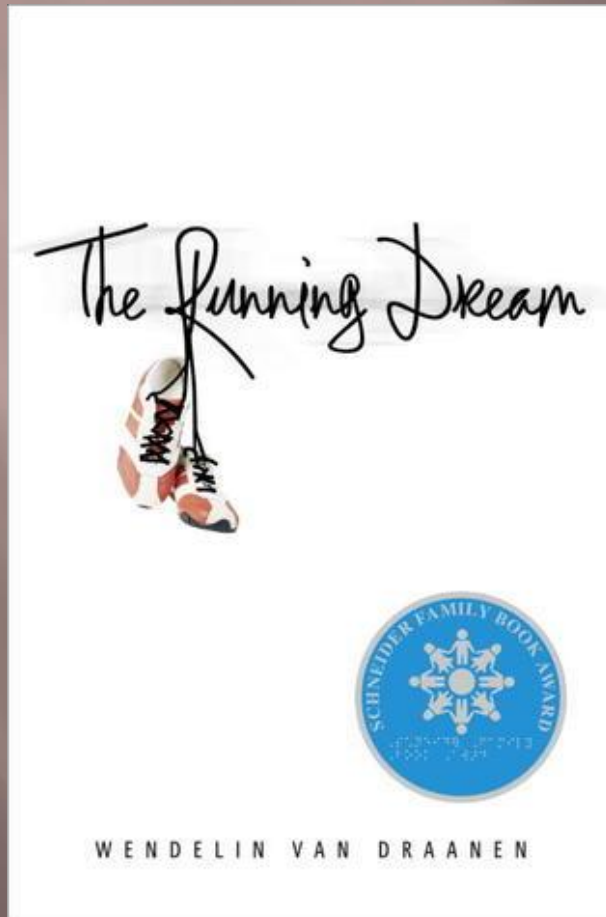


Summary: Hal, Stig, and the other outcasts do not have the size and strength of the Skandians, but when they face off against the Wolves and the Sharks in an ultimate race for survival, they hope that their courage and cunning are enough to help them win in a game that everyone seems to think is a matter of life and death.



The Running Dream

By Wendelin Van Draanen

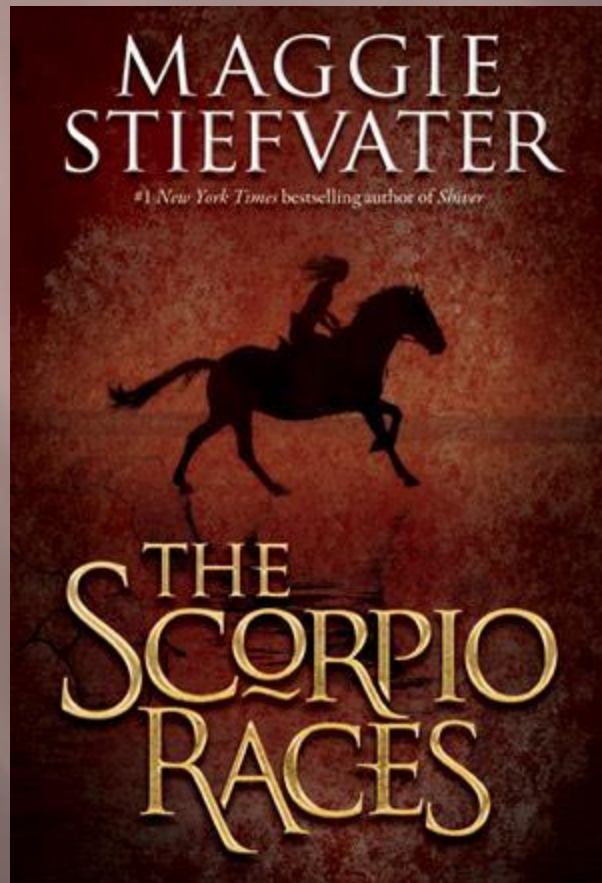


Summary: When a school bus accident leaves sixteen-year-old Jessica an amputee, she returns to school with a prosthetic limb and her track team finds a wonderful way to help rekindle her dream of running again.



The Scorpio Races

By Maggie Stiefvater

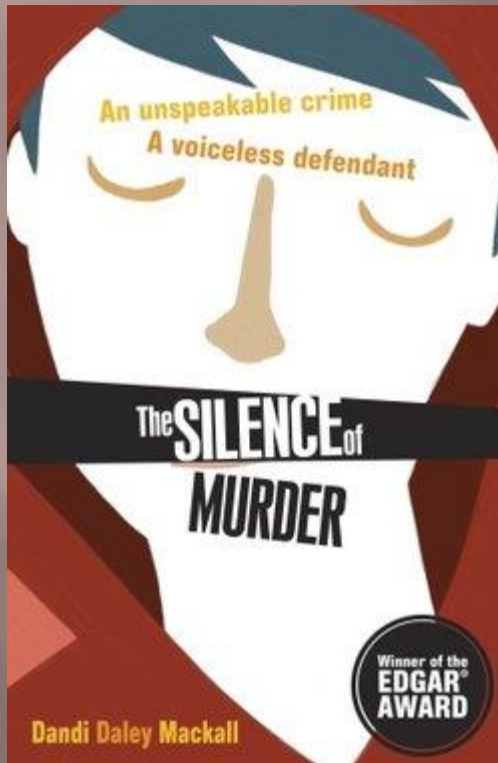


Summary: Nineteen-year-old returning champion Sean Kendrick competes against Puck Connolly, the first girl ever to ride in the annual Scorpio Races, both trying to keep hold of their dangerous water horses long enough to make it to the finish line.



The Silence of Murder

By Dandi Daley Mackall

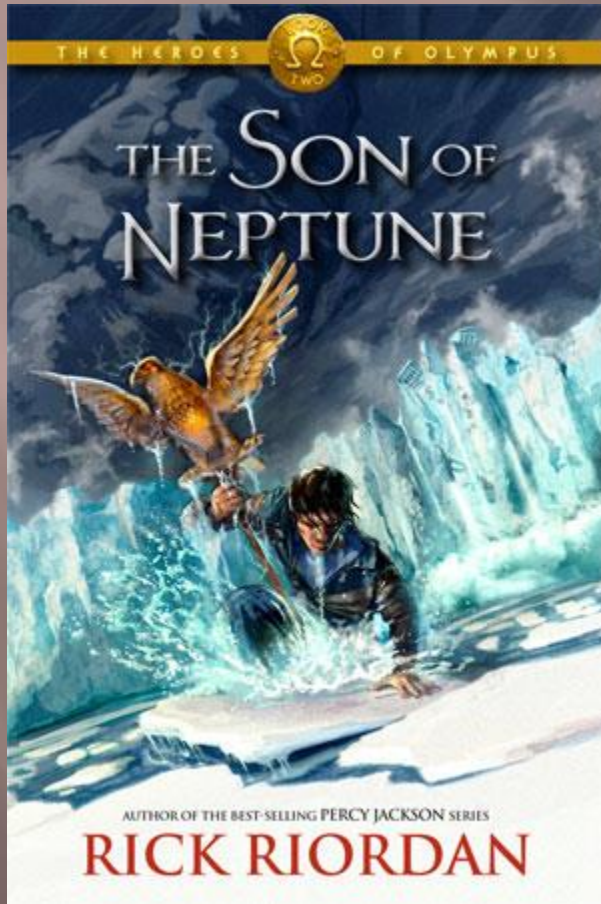


Summary: Sixteen-year-old Hope must defend her developmentally disabled brother, who has not spoken a word since he was seven years old, when he is accused of murdering a beloved high school baseball coach.



The Son Of Neptune

By Rick Riordan

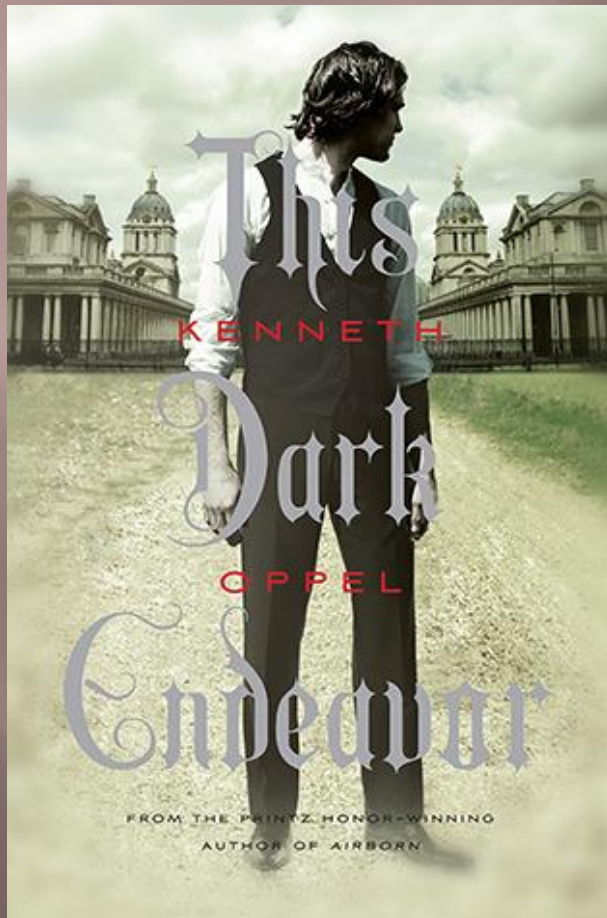


Summary: Demigod Percy Jackson, still with no memory, and his new friends from Camp Jupiter, Hazel and Frank, go on a quest to free Death, but their bigger task is to unite the Greek and Roman camps so that the Prophecy of Seven can be fulfilled.



This Dark Endeavor

By Kenneth Oppel

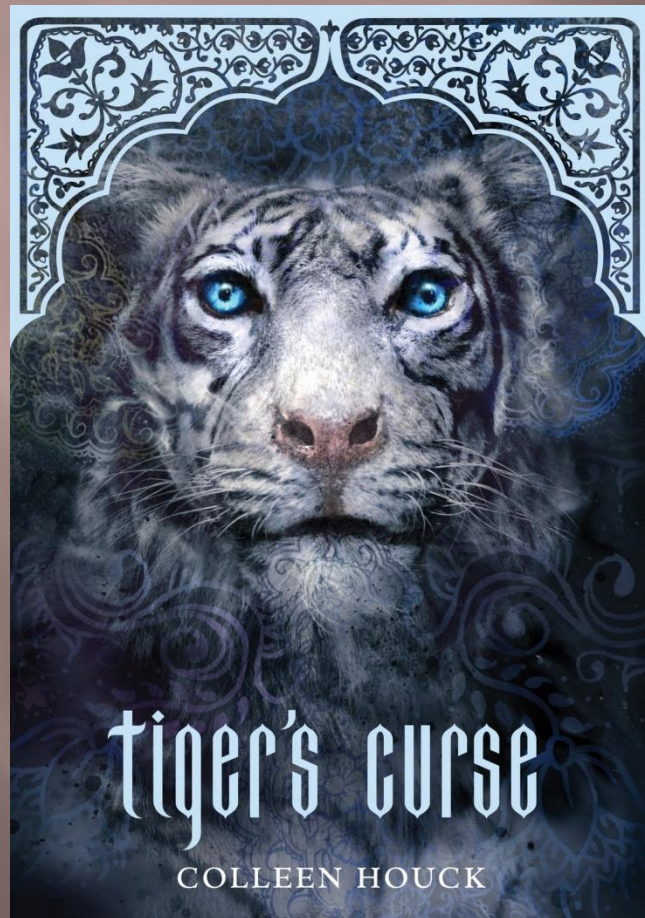


Summary: Victor and Konrad Frankenstein are inseparable twin brothers who stumble upon The Dark Library, where secret books of alchemy and ancient remedies are housed, but after their father forbids them to ever return to the library Konrad falls gravely ill and Victor seeks out a cure for his brother beyond traditional medicine.



Tiger's Curse

By Colleen Houck

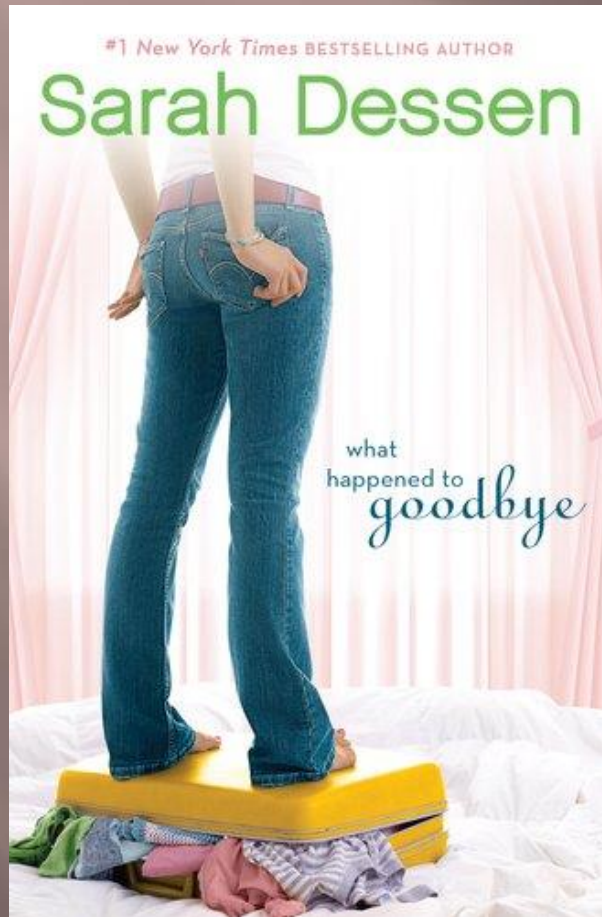


Summary: Seventeen-year-old Oregon teenager Kelsey forms a bond with a circus tiger who is actually one of two brothers, Indian princes Ren and Kishan, who were cursed to live as tigers for eternity, and she travels with him to India where the tiger's curse may be broken once and for all.



What Happened To Goodbye

By Sarah Dessen

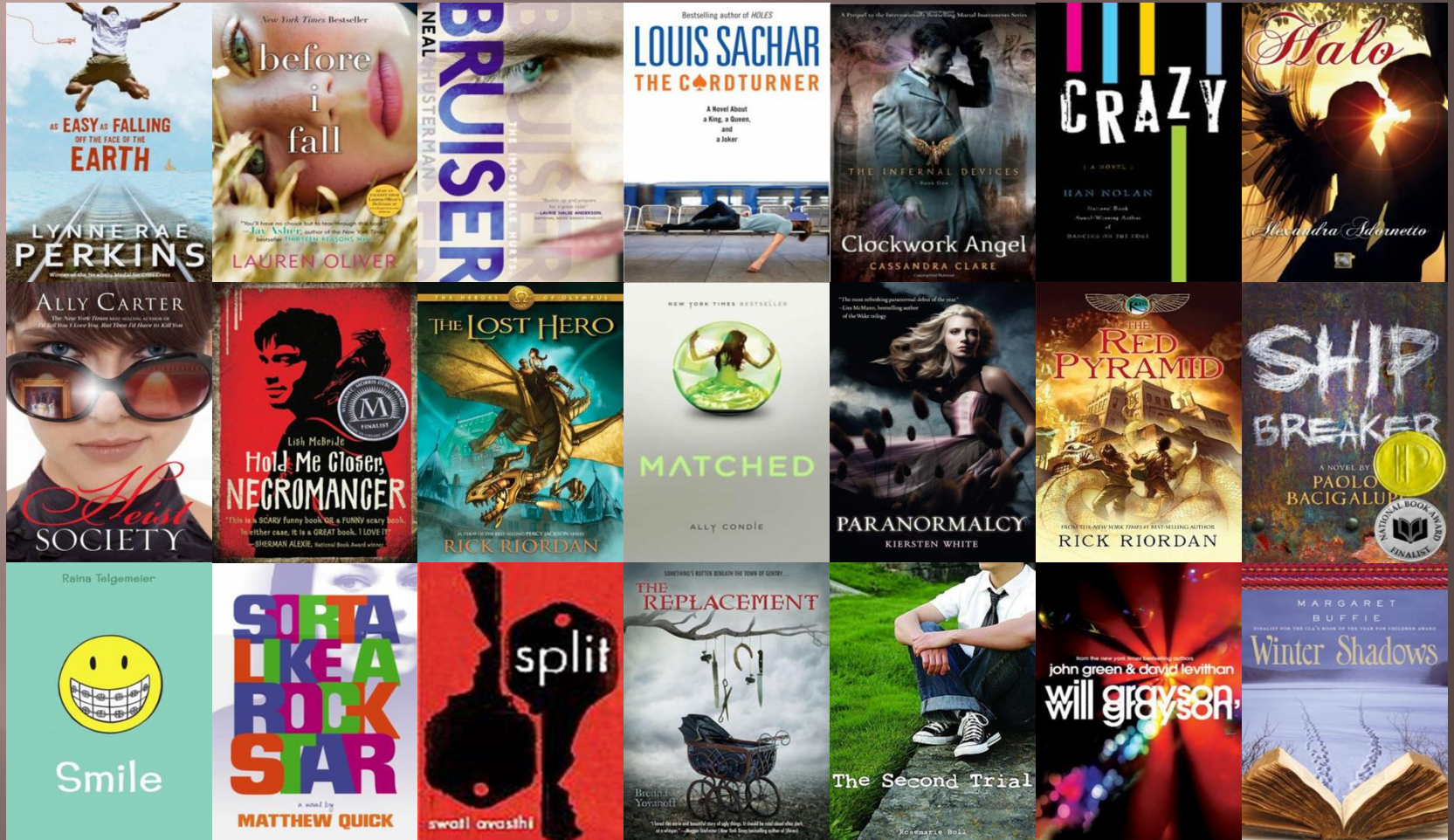


Summary: Seventeen-year-old Mclean begins to lose sight of who she really is after she tries to reinvent herself at each school she attends after her parents' divorce and her father moves her from town to town.



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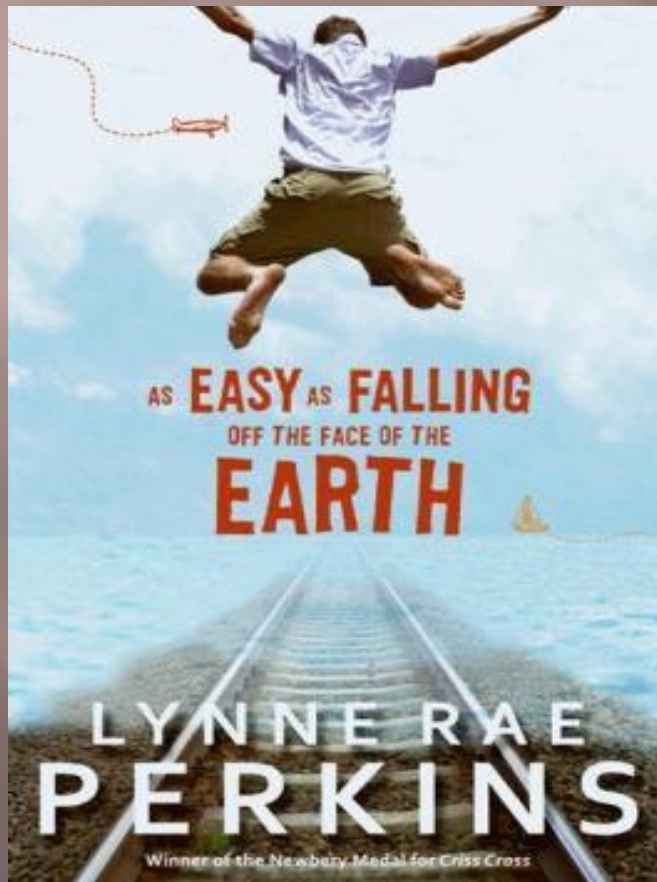
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As Easy as Falling off the Face of the Earth

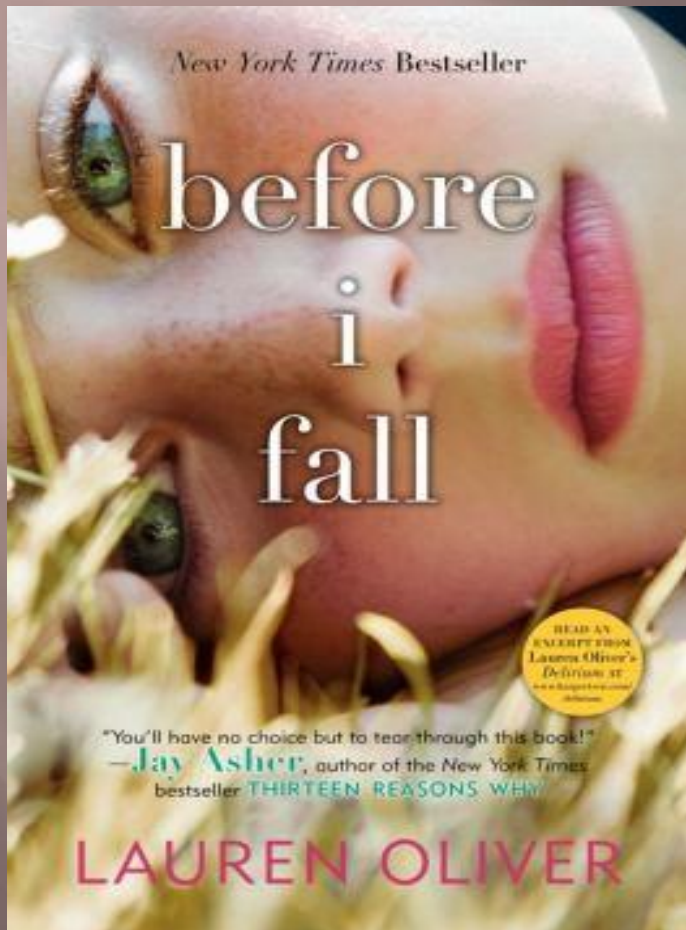
By Lynne Rae Perkins



Summary: A teenaged boy encounters one calamity after another when his train strands him in the middle of wide open spaces of back country Montana and everything comes down to luck.

Before I Fall

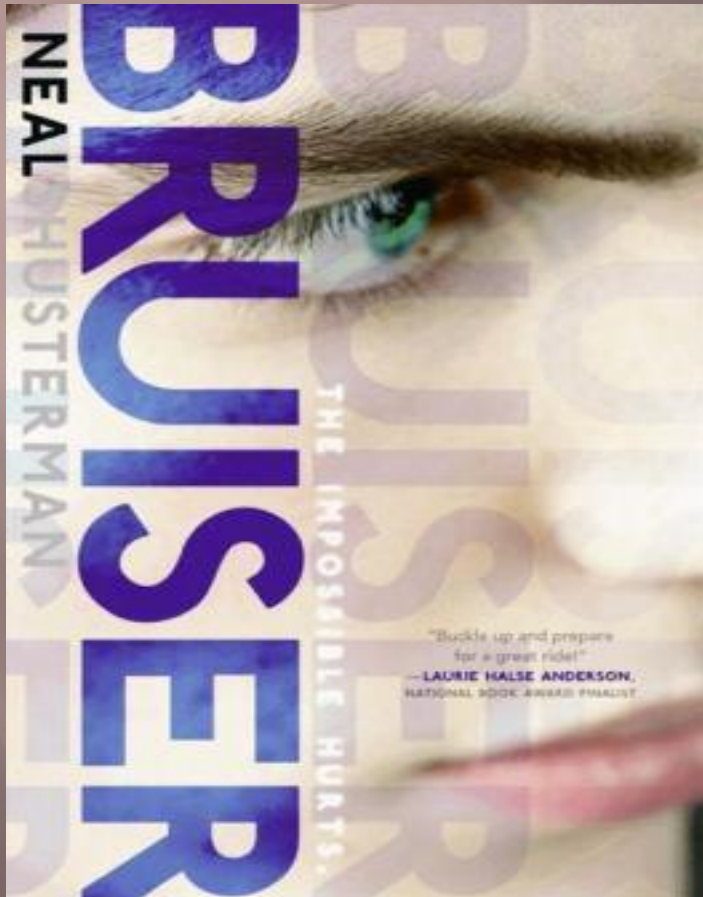
By Lauren Oliver



Summary: After she dies in a car crash, teenage Samantha relives the day of her death over and over again until, on the seventh day she finally discovers a way to save herself.

Bruiser

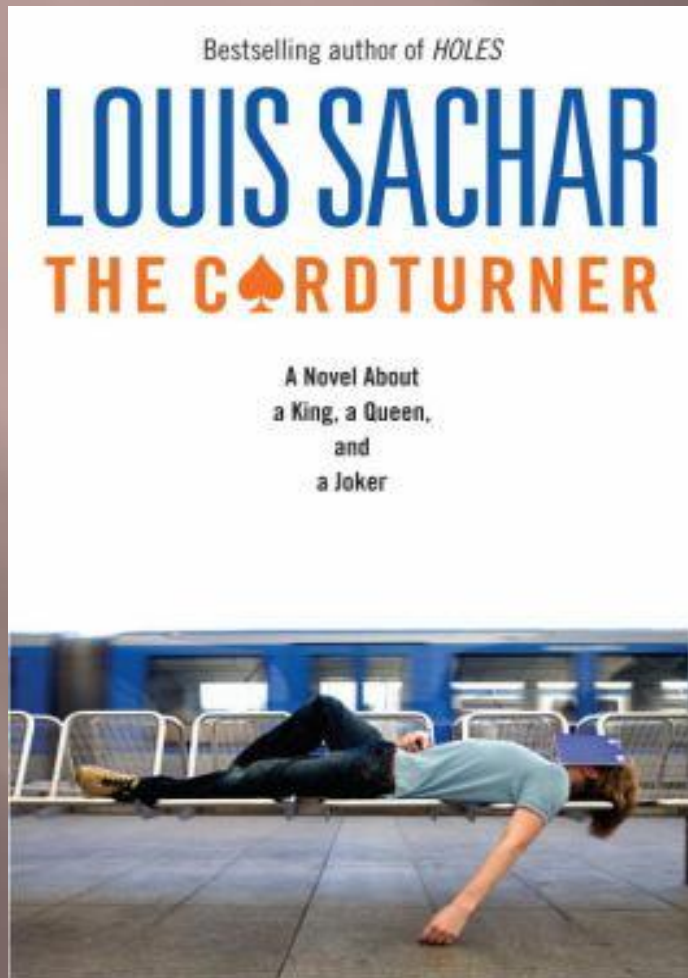
By Neal Shusterman



Summary: Inexplicable events start to occur when sixteen-year-old twins Tennyson and Brontë befriend a troubled and misunderstood outcast, aptly nicknamed Bruiser, and his little brother, Cody.

The Cardturner

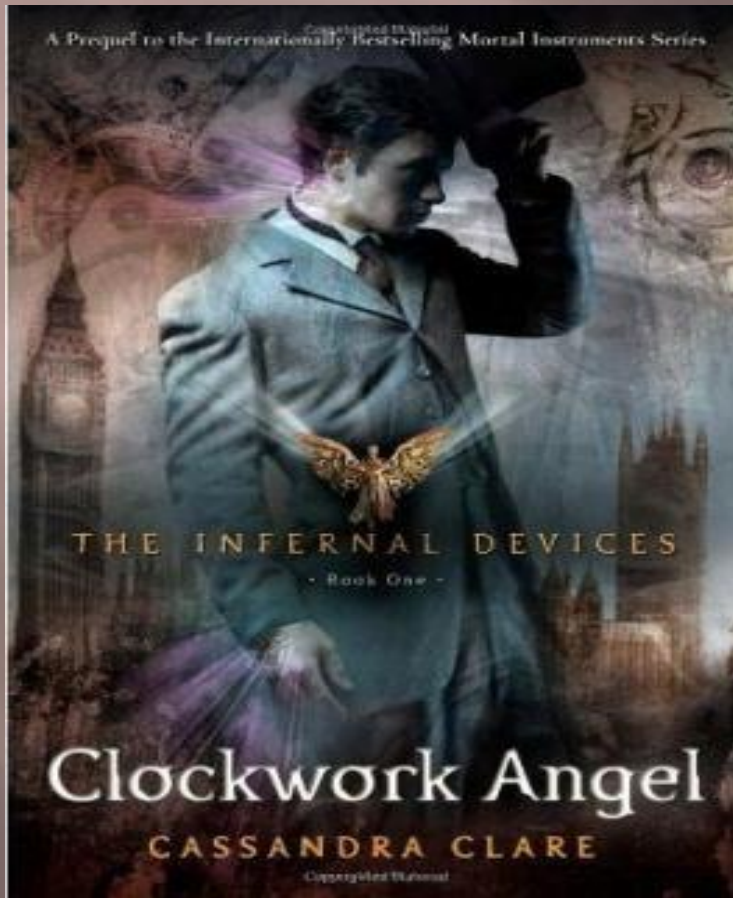
By Louis Sachar



Summary: When his wealthy uncle, a champion bridge player who has lost his vision, asks seventeen-year-old Alton to be a cardturner for him, Alton has no idea how much he will ultimately learn from his eccentric relative.

Clockwork Angel

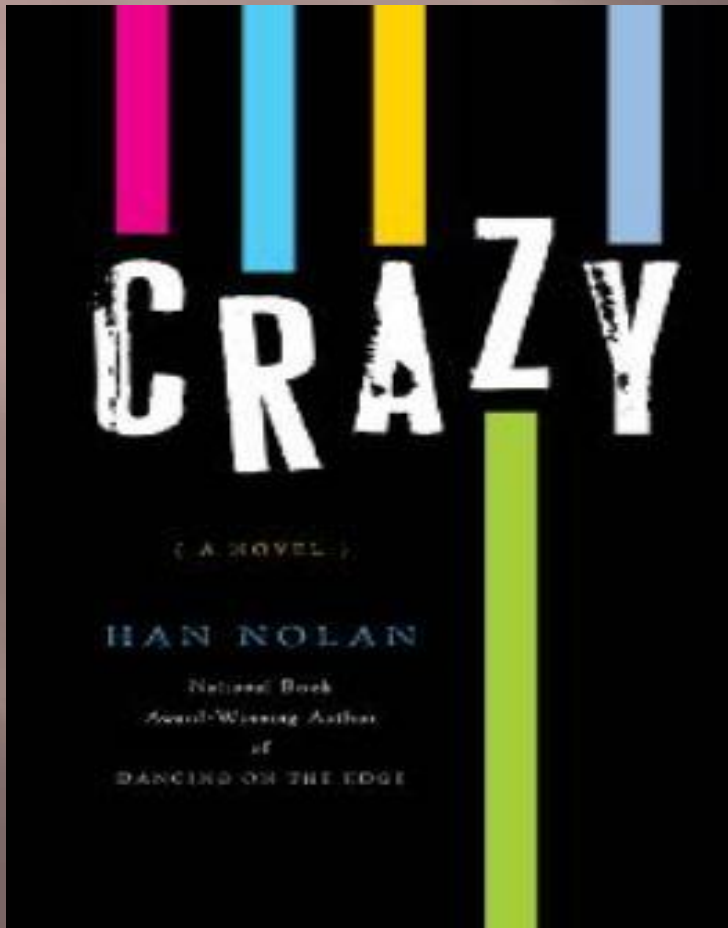
By Cassandra Clare



Summary: Sixteen-year-old Tessa Gray travels to England in search of her brother only to be abducted by the Dark Sisters, residents of London's Downworld, home to the city's supernatural folk, and she becomes the object of much attention--both good and bad--when it is discovered she has the power to transform at will into another person.

Crazy

By Han Nolan



Summary: Fifteen-year-old loner Jason struggles to hide father's declining mental condition after his mother's death, but when his father disappears he must confide in the other members of a therapy group he has been forced to join at school.

Halo

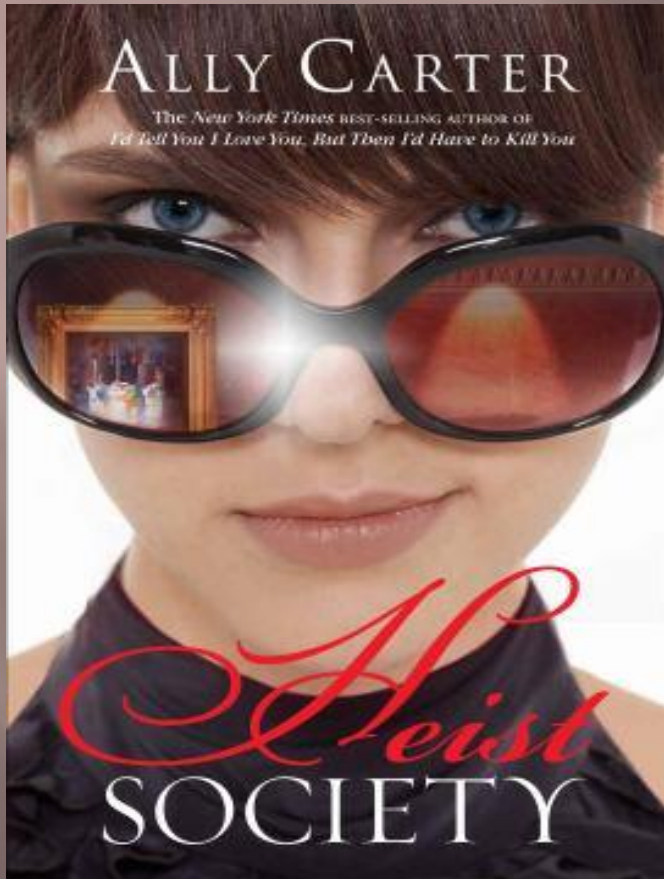
By Alexandra Adornetto



Summary: When three angels are sent from heaven to protect the town of Venus Cove against the gathering forces of darkness, their mission is threatened as the youngest angel, Bethany, enrolls in high school and falls in love with another student.

Heist Society

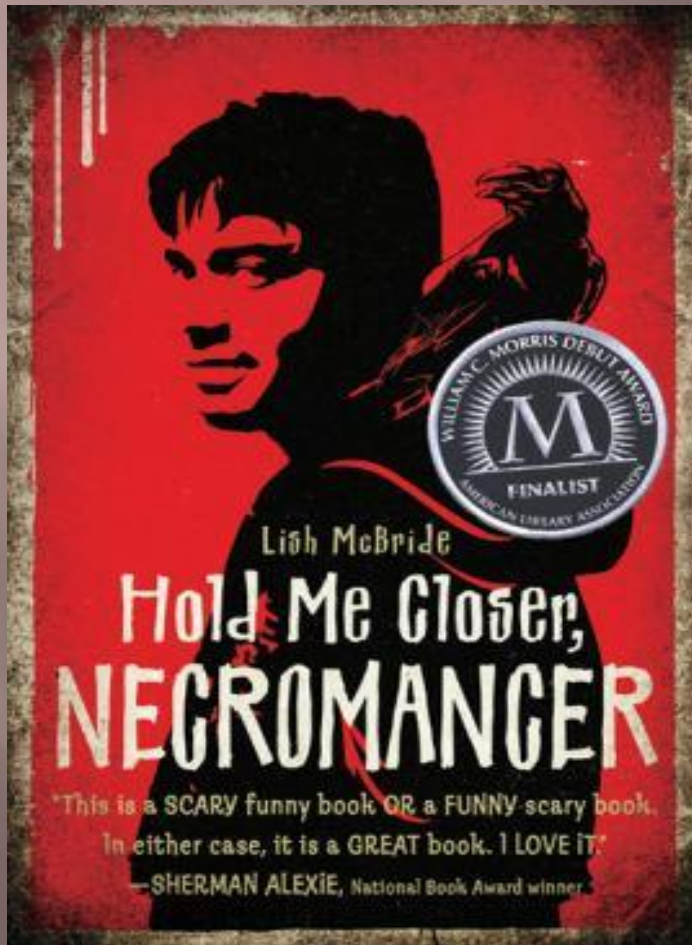
By Ally Carter



Summary: A group of teenagers uses their combined talents to re-steal several priceless paintings and save fifteen-year-old Kat Bishop's father, himself an international art thief, from a vengeful collector.

Hold Me Closer, Necromancer

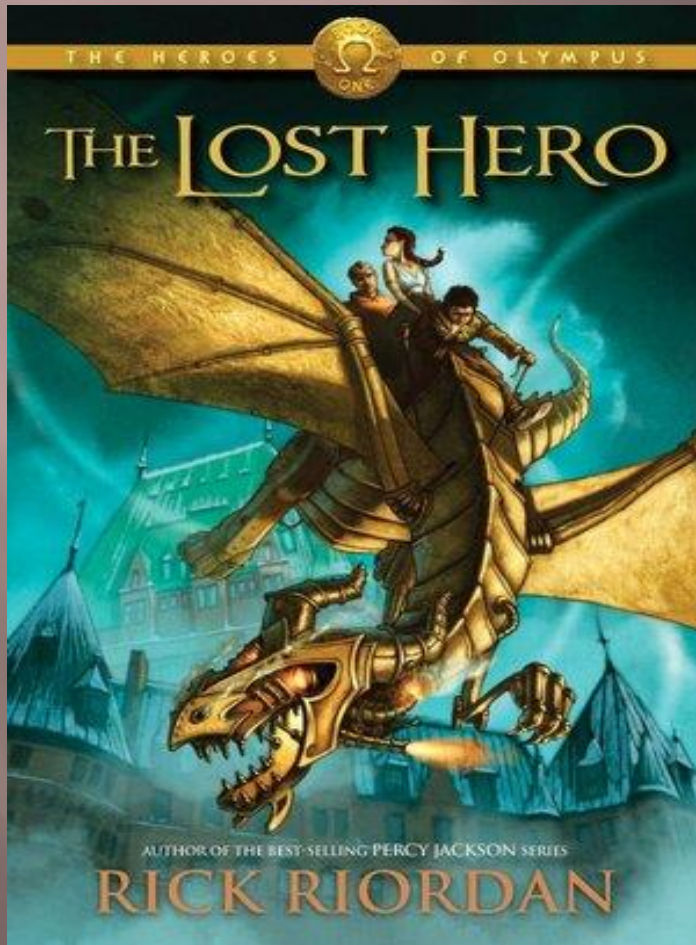
By Lish McBride



Summary: Sam LaCroix, a Seattle fast-food worker and college dropout, discovers that he is a necromancer, part of a world of harbingers, werewolves, satyrs, and one particular necromancer who sees Sam as a threat to his lucrative business of raising the dead.

The Lost Hero

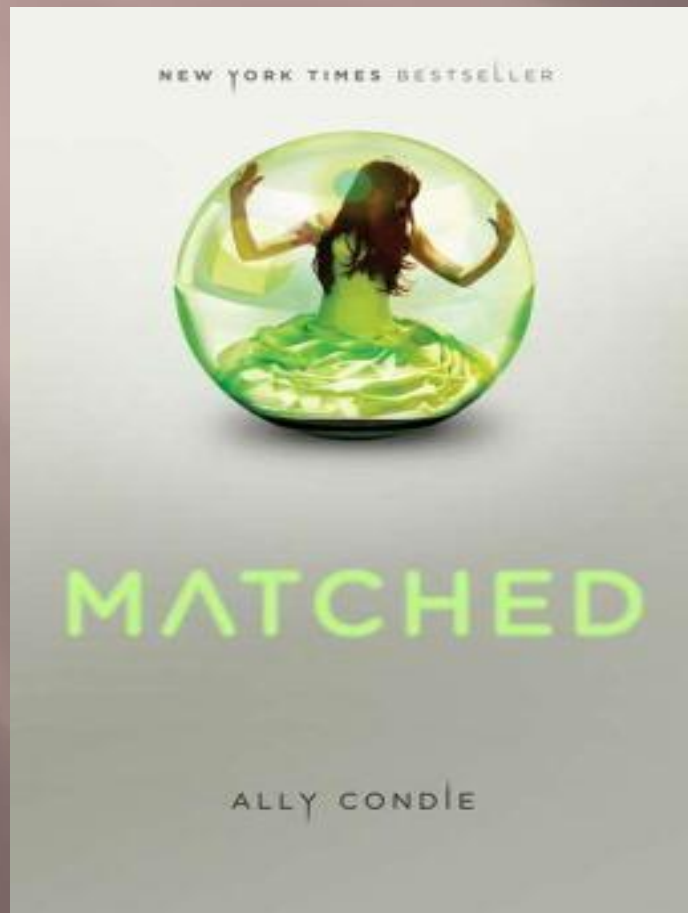
By Rick Riordan



Summary: Jason, Piper, and Leo, three students from a school for “bad kids,” find themselves at Camp Half-Blood, where they learn that they are demigods and begin a quest to free Hera, who has been imprisoned by Mother Earth herself.

Matched

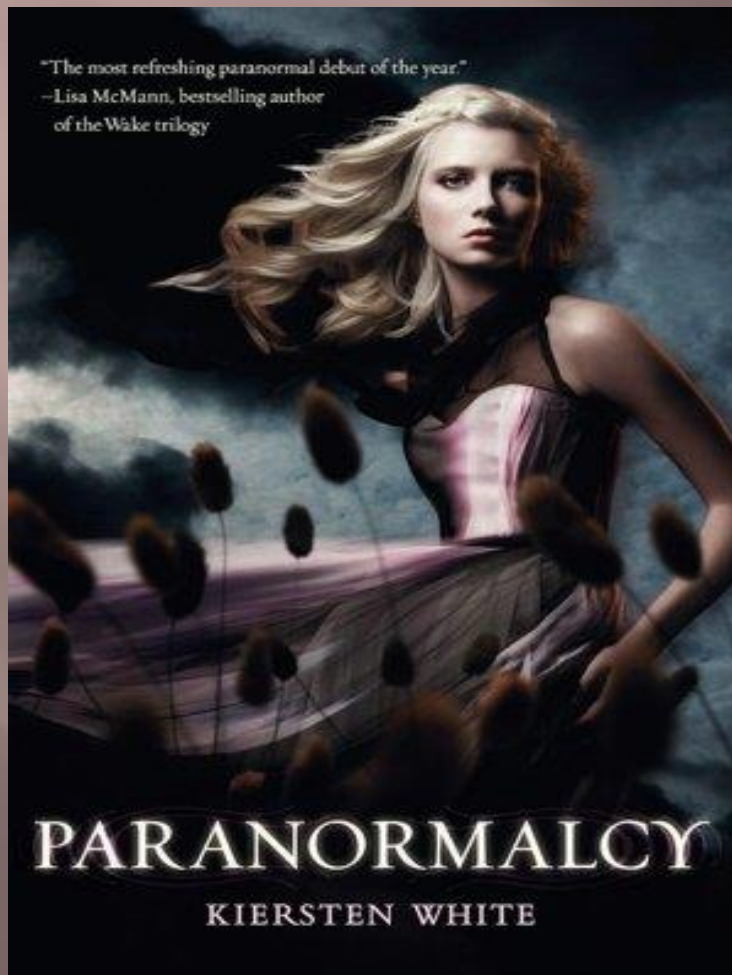
By Allie Condie



Summary: All her life, Cassia has never had a choice. The Society dictates everything: when and how to play, where to work, where to live, what to eat and wear, when to die, and most importantly to Cassia as she turns 17, who to marry. When she is Matched with her best friend Xander, things couldn't be more perfect. But why did her neighbor Ky's face show up on her match disk as well?

Paranormalcy

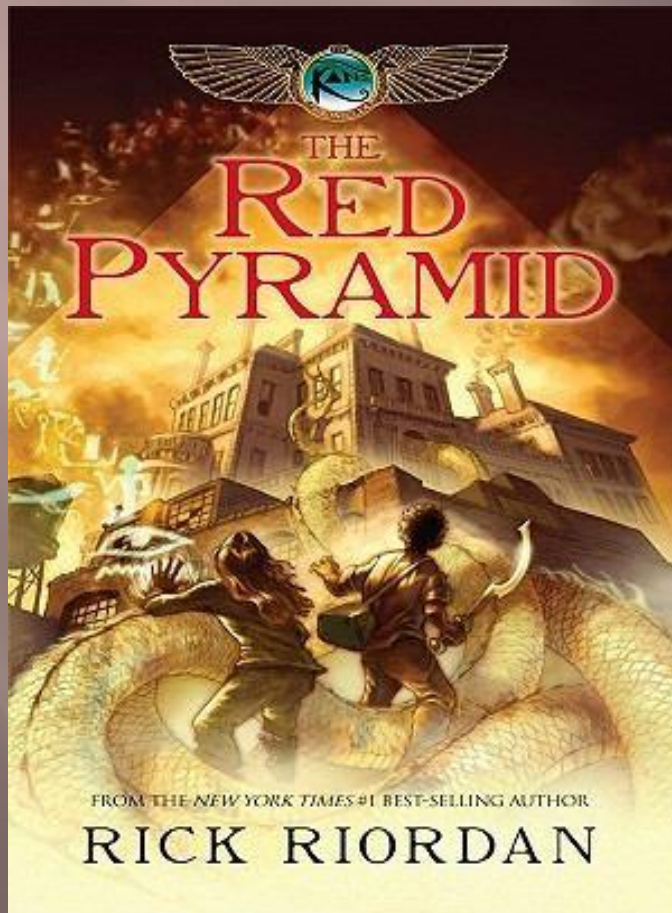
By Kiersten White



Summary: When a dark prophecy begins to come true, alluring shapeshifter, sixteen-year-old Evie of the International Paranormal Containment Agency, must not only try to stop it, she must also uncover its connection to herself and the Lend.

The Red Pyramid

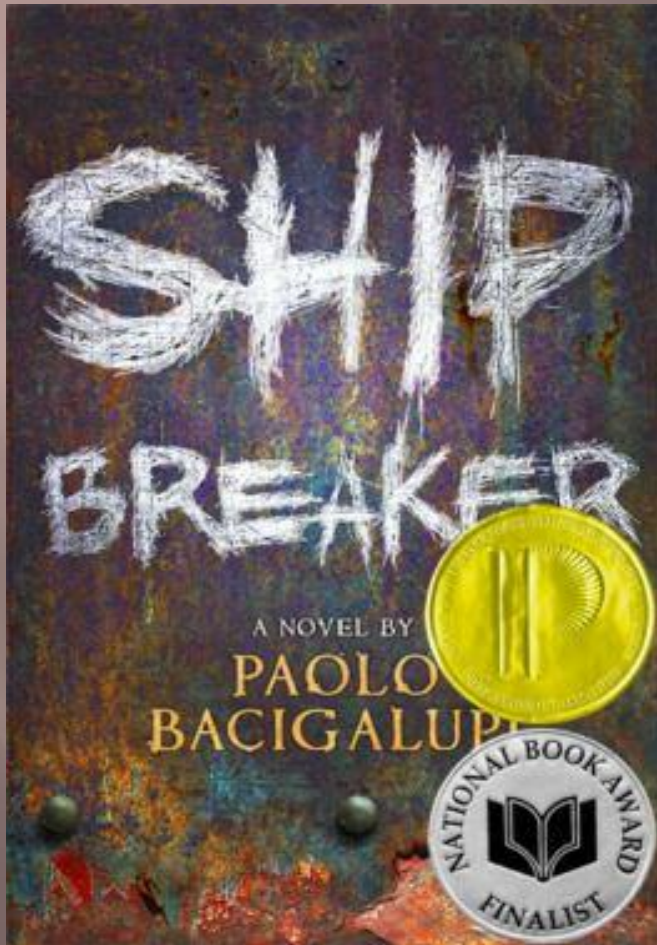
By Rick Riordan



Summary: Brilliant Egyptologist Dr. Julius Kane accidentally unleashes the Egyptian god Set, who banishes the doctor to oblivion and forces his two children to embark on a dangerous journey, bringing them closer to the truth about their family and its links to a secret order that has existed since the time of the pharaohs.

Ship Breaker

By Paolo Bacigalupi

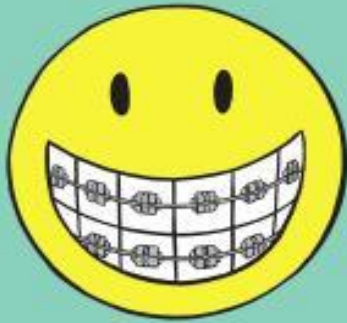


Summary: In a futuristic world, teenaged Nailer scavenges copper wiring from grounded oil tankers for a living, but when he finds a beached clipper ship with a girl in the wreckage, he has to decide if he should strip the ship for its wealth or rescue the girl.

Smile

By Raina Telgemeier

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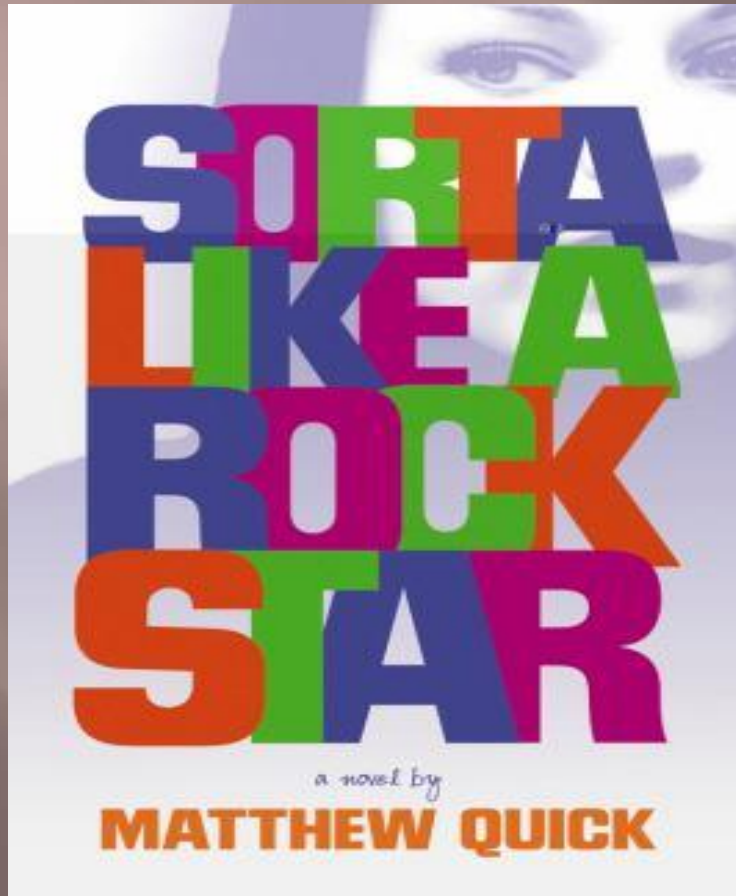


Smile

Summary: From sixth grade through tenth, Raina copes with a variety of dental problems that affect her appearance and how she feels about herself.

Sorta Like a Rock Star

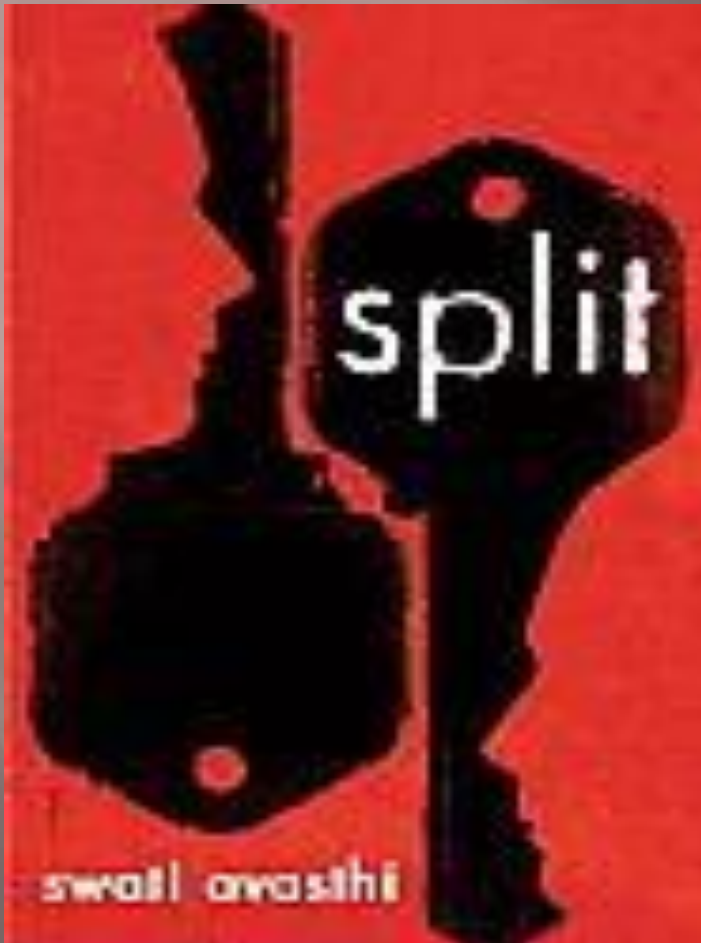
By Matthew Quick



Summary: Although seventeen-year-old Amber Appleton is homeless, living in a school bus with her unfit mother, she is a relentless optimist who visits the elderly at a nursing home, teaches English to Korean Catholic women with the use of rhythm and blues music, and befriends a solitary Vietnam veteran and his dog, but eventually she experiences one burden more than she can bear and slips into a deep depression.

Split

By Avisthi Swati



Summary: A teenaged boy thrown out of his house by his abusive father goes to live with his older brother, who ran away from home years earlier under similar circumstances.

The Replacement

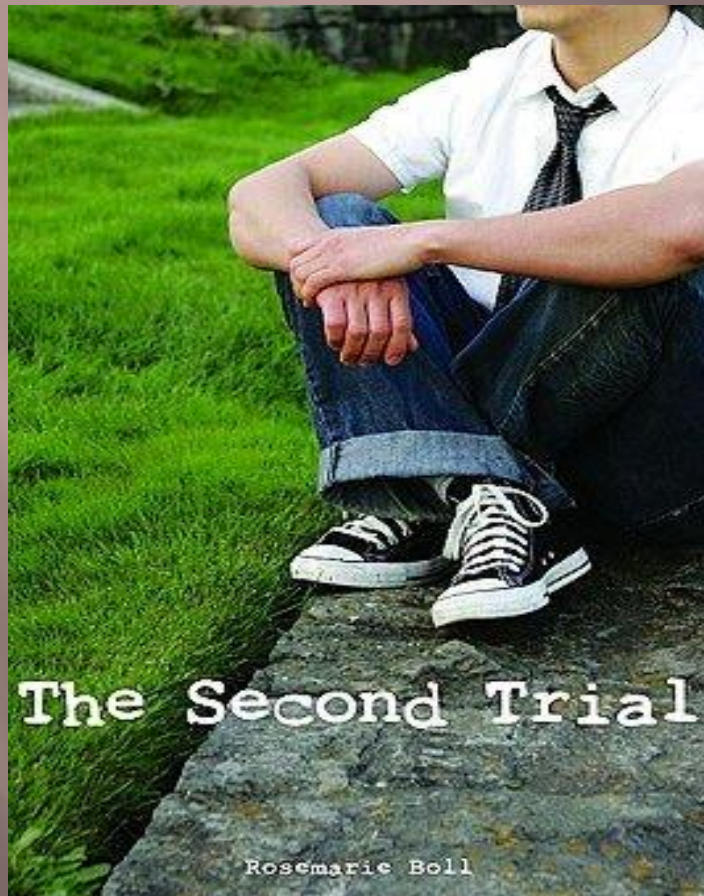
By Brenna Yovanoff



Summary: Sixteen-year-old Mackie Doyle knows that he replaced a human child when he was just an infant, and when a friend's sister disappears he goes against his family's and town's deliberate denial of the problem to confront the beings that dwell under the town, tampering with human lives.

The Second Trial

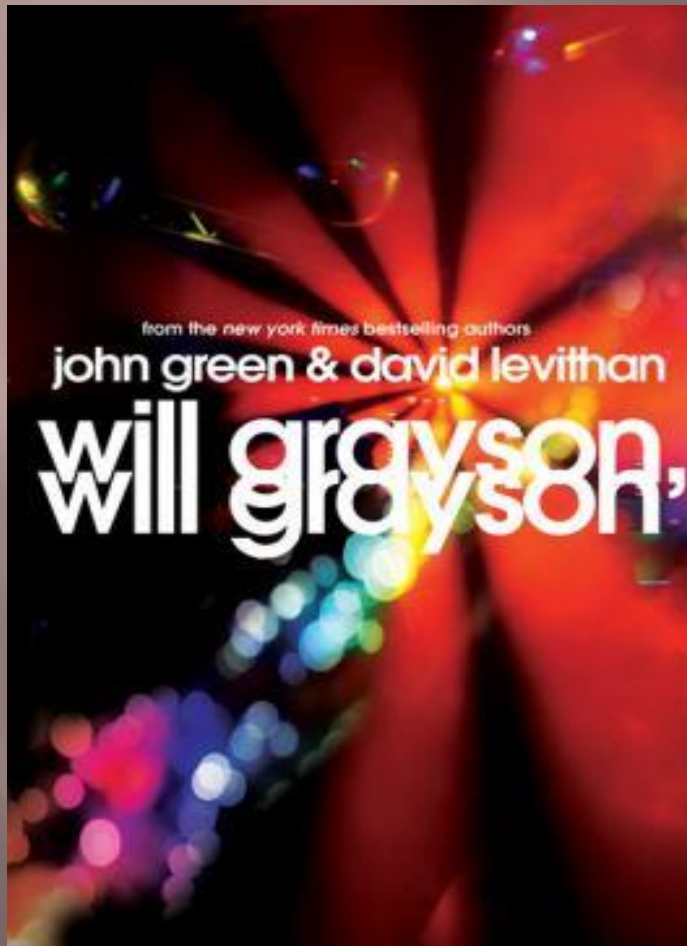
By Rosemarie Boll



Summary: Thirteen-year-old Danny never knew that his father was abusing his mother, until the day his father almost killed her. Now he finds himself in court as his mother fights to have his father kept in jail to keep the family safe. But Danny can't believe that his father is a danger to them, cannot reconcile the father he looks up to with the man who almost took his mother's life. When the limits of the justice system allow his father to be released, Danny's mother decides that he and his little sister must accompany her into hiding. They will go to another city and begin a new life, with new identities. And so begins the second trial, as everything that Danny has known is taken from him. How can he reconcile himself to this new life, where he has a new name, no friends and none of the comforts he's used to? As his mother struggles to support the family, Danny is torn between loving and hating her, blaming her for everything. In his anger he turns to the school's gang of bullies, but a young girl named Nixxie might be his way to find acceptance in this new life.

Will Grayson, Will Grayson

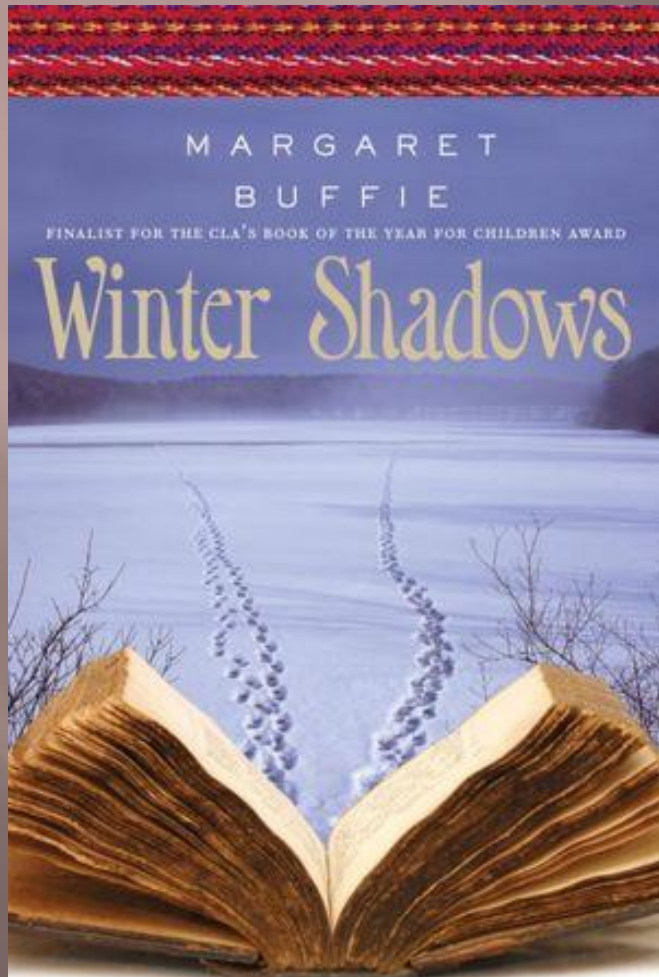
By David Levithan and John Green



Summary: When two teens, one gay and one straight, meet accidentally and discover that they share the same name, their lives become intertwined as one begins dating the other's best friend, who produces a play revealing his relationship with them both.

Winter Shadows

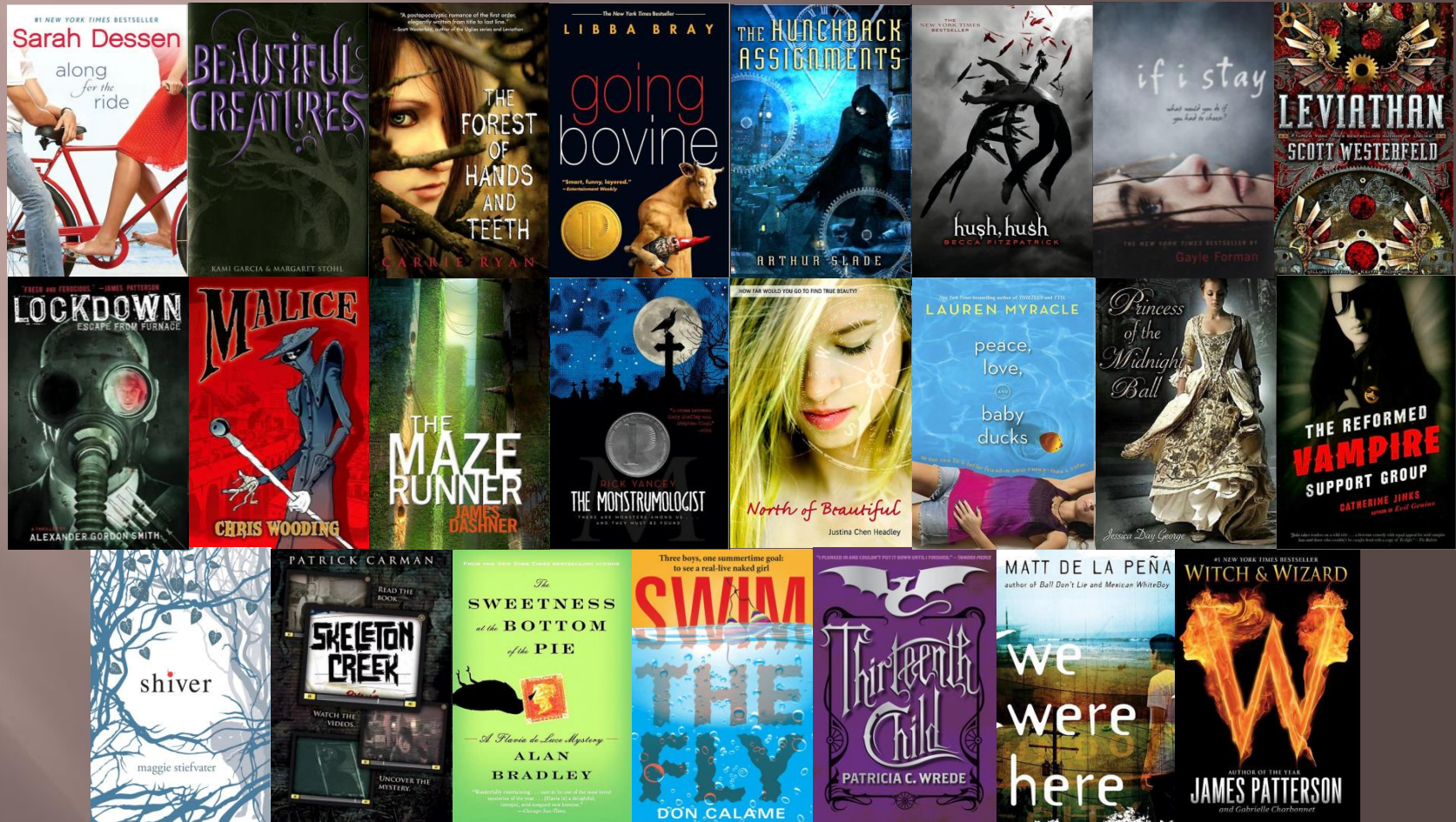
By Margaret Buffie



Summary: Cass feels the long winter shadows on her heart. Her mother died of cancer and her father has remarried a woman who has moved into their old Manitoba house with her nasty, babyish daughter and an attitude that's very hard to take. Christmas promises to be a miserable time.

More than a century earlier, Christmas is proving to be difficult for Beatrice, too, for she has shadows of her own. Some are cast by her circumstances. She sees the growing prejudice against people like her who are of mixed Cree and Scottish backgrounds. And like Cass, she has a stepmother. Her father's new wife is threatened by Beatrice and is driving a wedge into the family. Beatrice can only be sure of her beloved Cree grandmother, relegated to a room upstairs. When a way of escape presents itself to Beatrice by way of an eligible bachelor, she is torn by the choice it offers her. Should she settle for a man she doesn't love or address the problems at home? Through her journal, she explores the answer and, at the same time, inspires Cass to find the strength she needs to face her own situation. Margaret Buffie's great skill as a storyteller creates a splendid, engaging novel that offers readers a rich combination of fine history, suspenseful shifts in time, and unforgettable characters.

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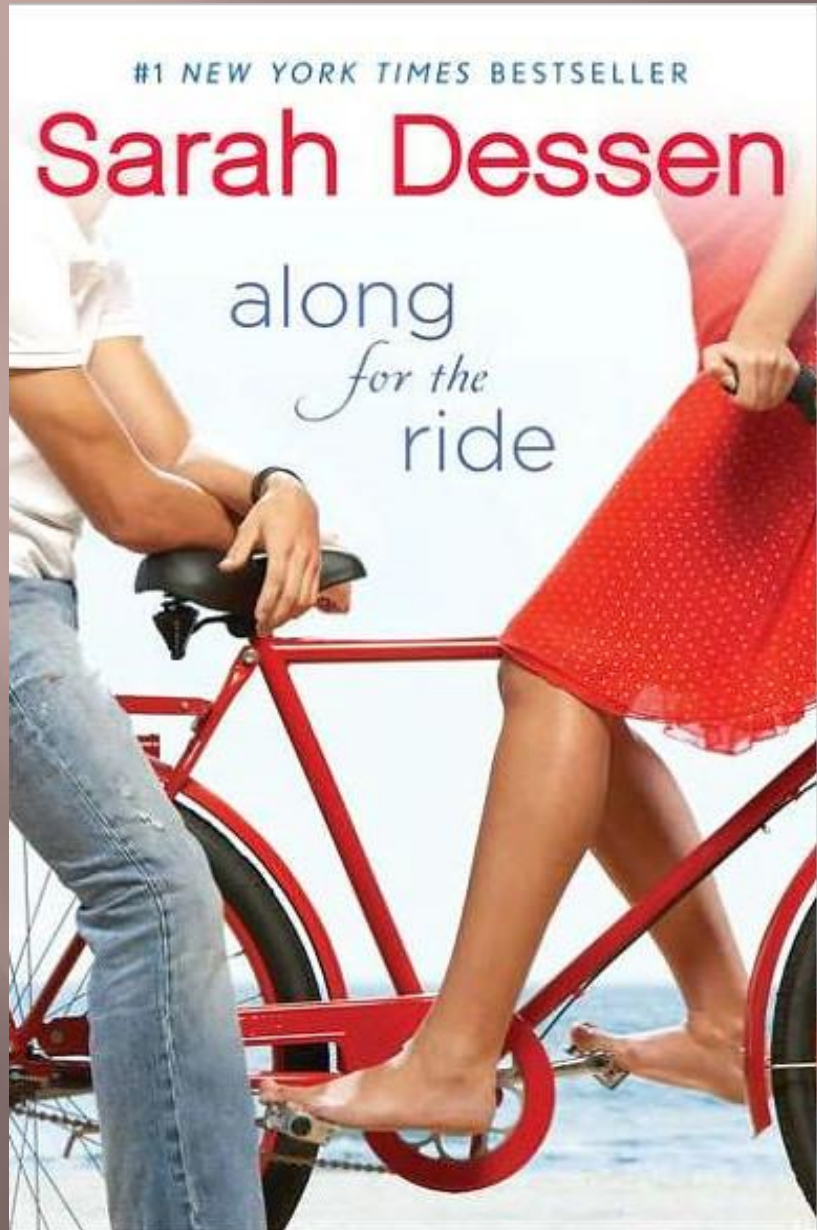
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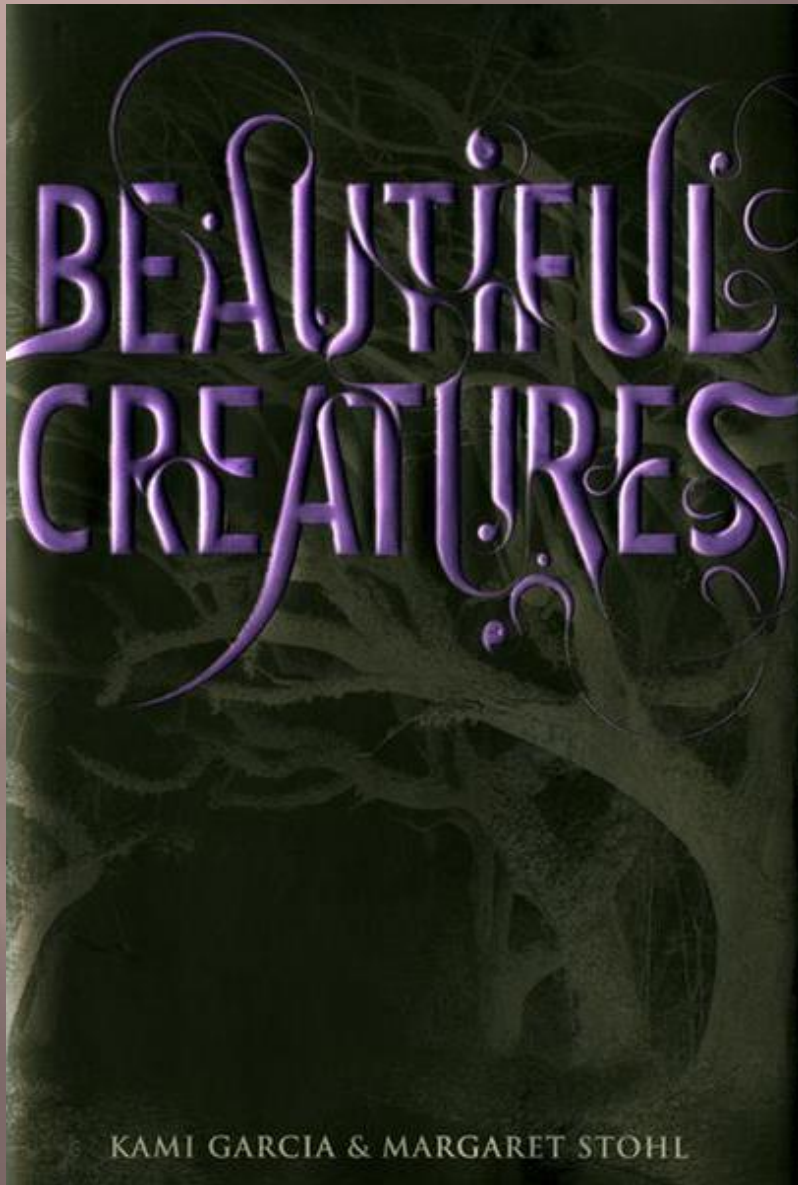
Along for the Ride

By: Sarah Dessen

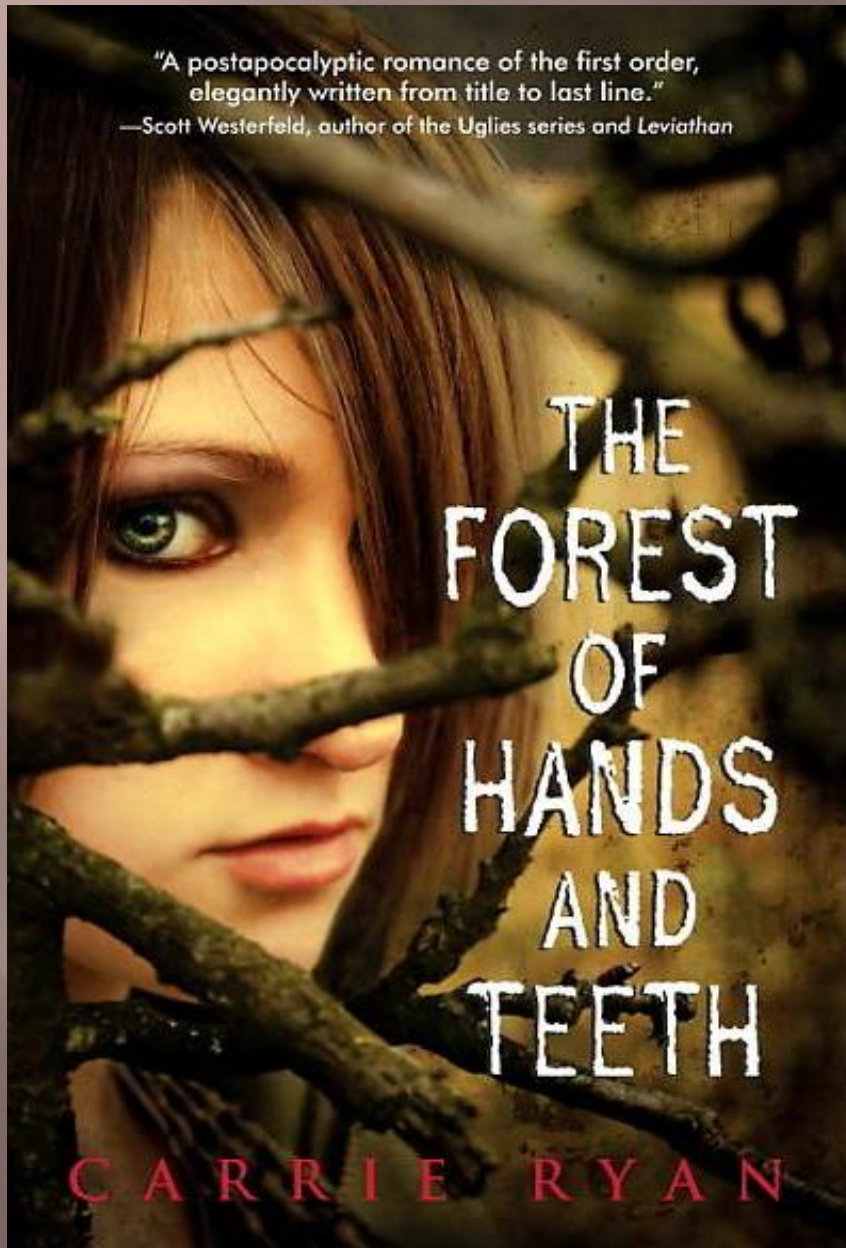
- ▣ Auden gets a chance to recapture the carefree teen life she missed while her parents were going through a divorce when she goes to spend the summer with her dad and his new family in a charming beach town and meets fellow insomniac Eli, an intriguing loner fighting demons of his own.

Beautiful Creatures

By: Kami Garcia & Margaret Stohl



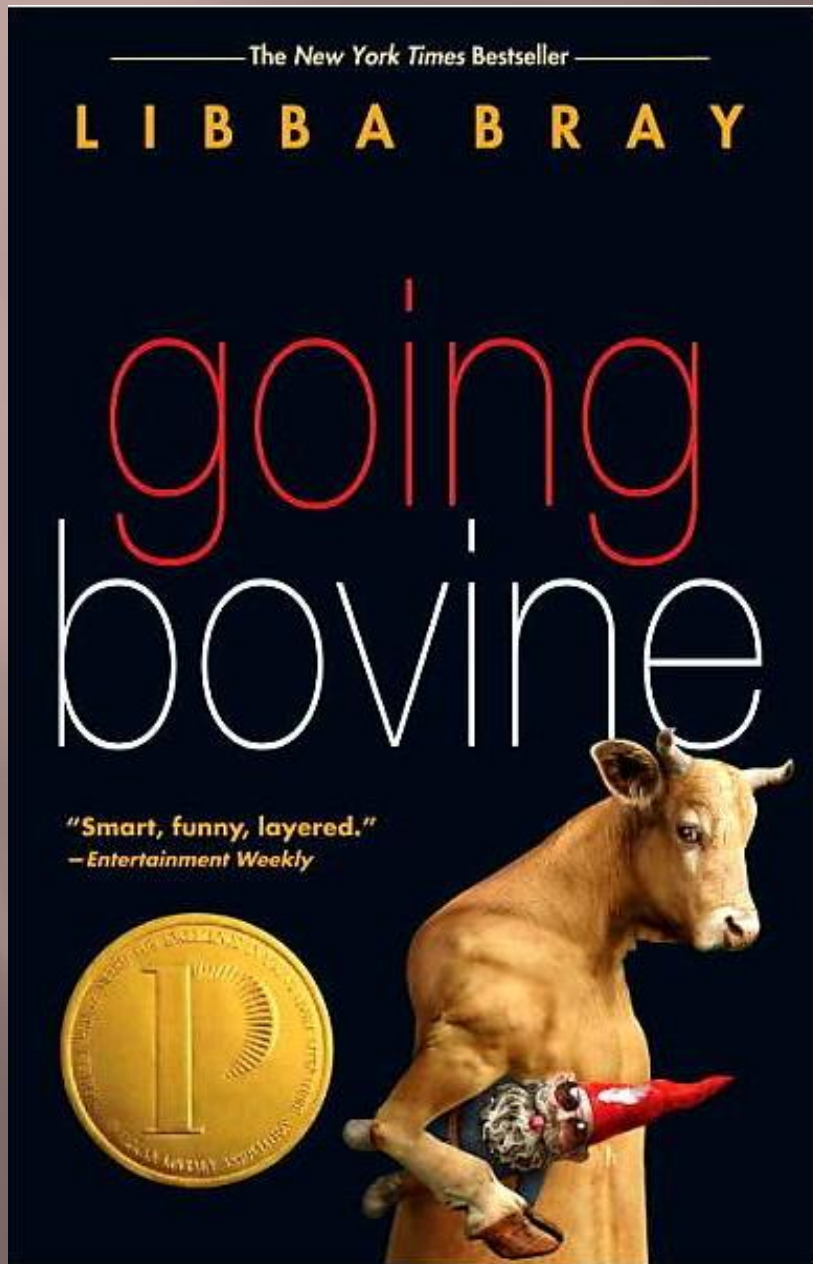
- *There was a curse.
There was a girl.
And in the end, there was a grave.*
- Lena Duchannes is unlike anyone the small Southern town of Gatlin has ever seen, and she's struggling to conceal her power and a curse that has haunted her family for generations. But even within the overgrown gardens, murky swamps and crumbling graveyards of the forgotten South, a secret cannot stay hidden forever.
- Ethan Wate, who has been counting the months until he can escape from Gatlin, is haunted by dreams of a beautiful girl he has never met. When Lena moves into the town's oldest and most infamous plantation, Ethan is inexplicably drawn to her and determined to uncover the connection between them.
- In a town with no surprises, one secret could change everything.



The Forest of Hands and Teeth

By: Carrie Ryan

- In Mary's world there are simple truths. The Sisterhood always knows best. The Guardians will protect and serve. The Unconsecrated will never relent. And you must always mind the fence that surrounds the village; the fence that protects the village from the Forest of Hands and Teeth. But, slowly, Mary's truths are failing her. She's learning things she never wanted to know about the Sisterhood and its secrets, and the Guardians and their power, and about the Unconsecrated and their relentlessness. When the fence is breached and her world is thrown into chaos, she must choose between her village and her future—between the one she loves and the one who loves her. And she must face the truth about the Forest of Hands and Teeth. Could there be life outside a world surrounded in so much death?



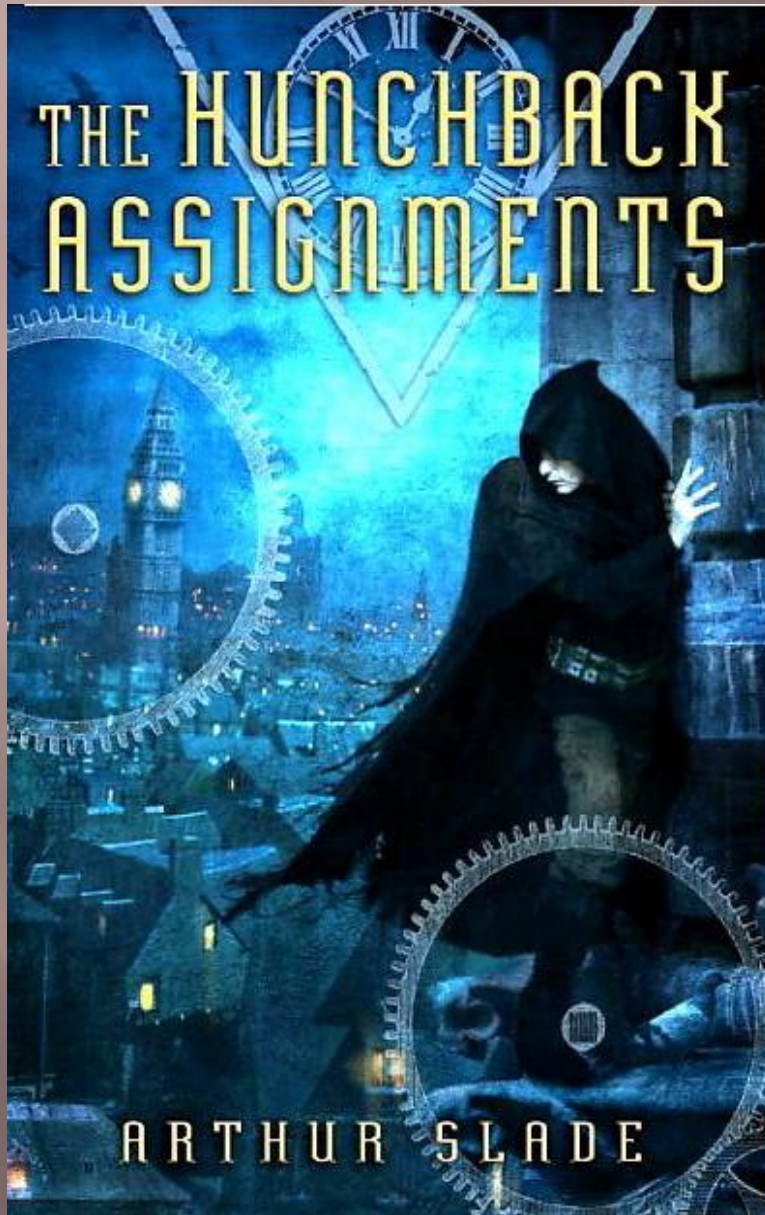
Going Bovine

By: Libba Bray

- All 16-year-old Cameron wants is to get through high school—and life in general—with a minimum of effort. It's not a lot to ask. But that's before he's given some bad news: he's sick and he's going to die. Which totally sucks. Hope arrives in the winged form of Dulcie, a loopy punk angel/possible hallucination with a bad sugar habit. She tells Cam there is a cure—if he's willing to go in search of it. With the help of a death-obsessed, video-gaming dwarf and a yard gnome, Cam sets off on the mother of all road trips through a twisted America into the heart of what matters most.

The Hunchback Assignments

By: Arthur Slade



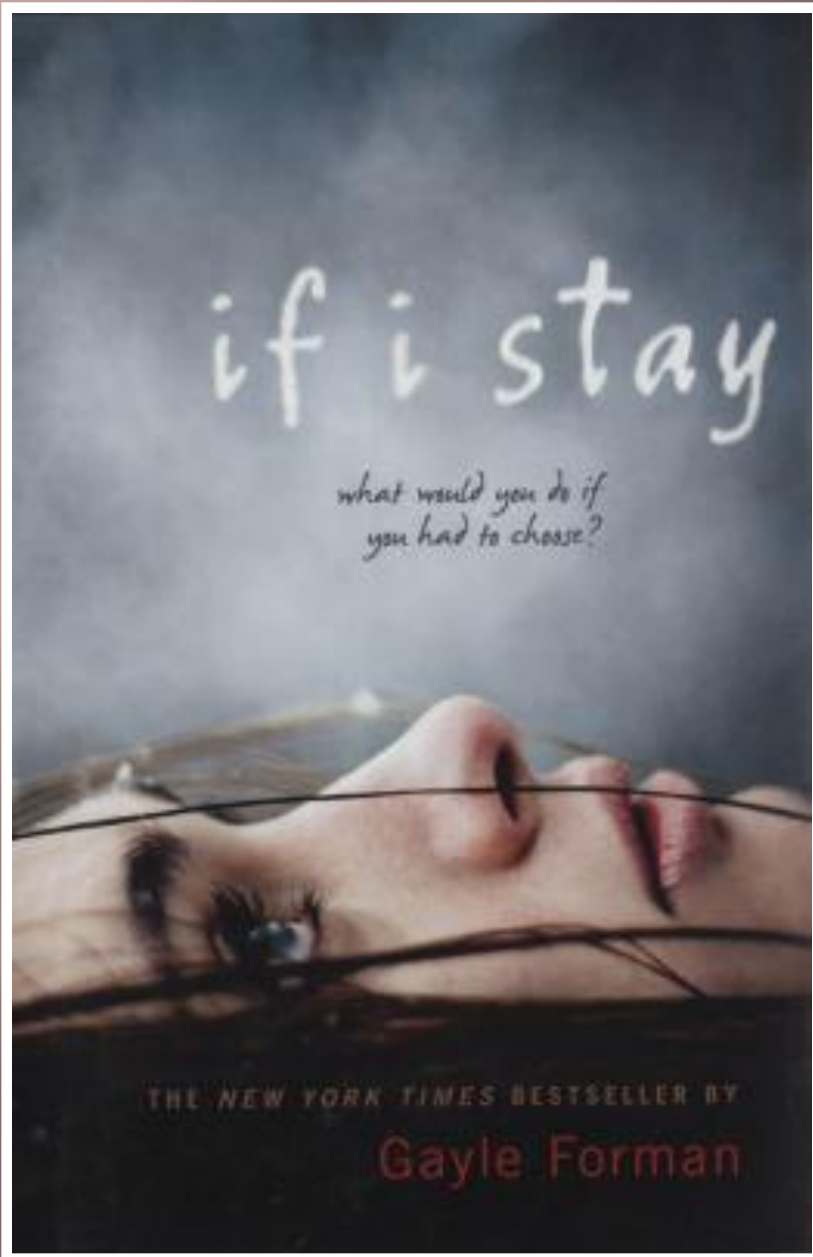
- The mysterious Mr. Socrates rescues Modo, a child in a traveling freak show. Modo is a hunchback with an amazing ability to transform his appearance, and Mr. Socrates raises him in isolation as an agent for the Permanent Association, a spy agency behind Brittania's efforts to rule the empire. At 14, Modo is left on the streets of London to fend for himself. When he encounters Octavia Milkweed, another Association agent, the two uncover a plot by the Clockword Guild behind the murders of important men. Furthermore, a mad scientist is turning orphan children into automatons to further the goals of the Guild. Modo and Octavia journey deep into the tunnels under London and discover a terrifying plot against the British government. It's up to them to save their country.



Hush, Hush

By: Becca Fitzpatrick

- ❑ For Nora Grey, romance was not part of the plan. She's never been particularly attracted to the boys at her school, no matter how much her best friend, Vee, pushes them at her. Not until Patch came along.
- ❑ Patch seems to be everywhere she is, and to know more about her than her closest friends. She can't decide whether she should fall into his arms or run and hide. And when she tries to seek some answers, she finds herself near a truth that is way more unsettling than anything Patch makes her feel.
- ❑ For Nora is right in the middle of an ancient battle between the immortal and those that have fallen - and, when it comes to choosing sides, the wrong choice will cost her life.



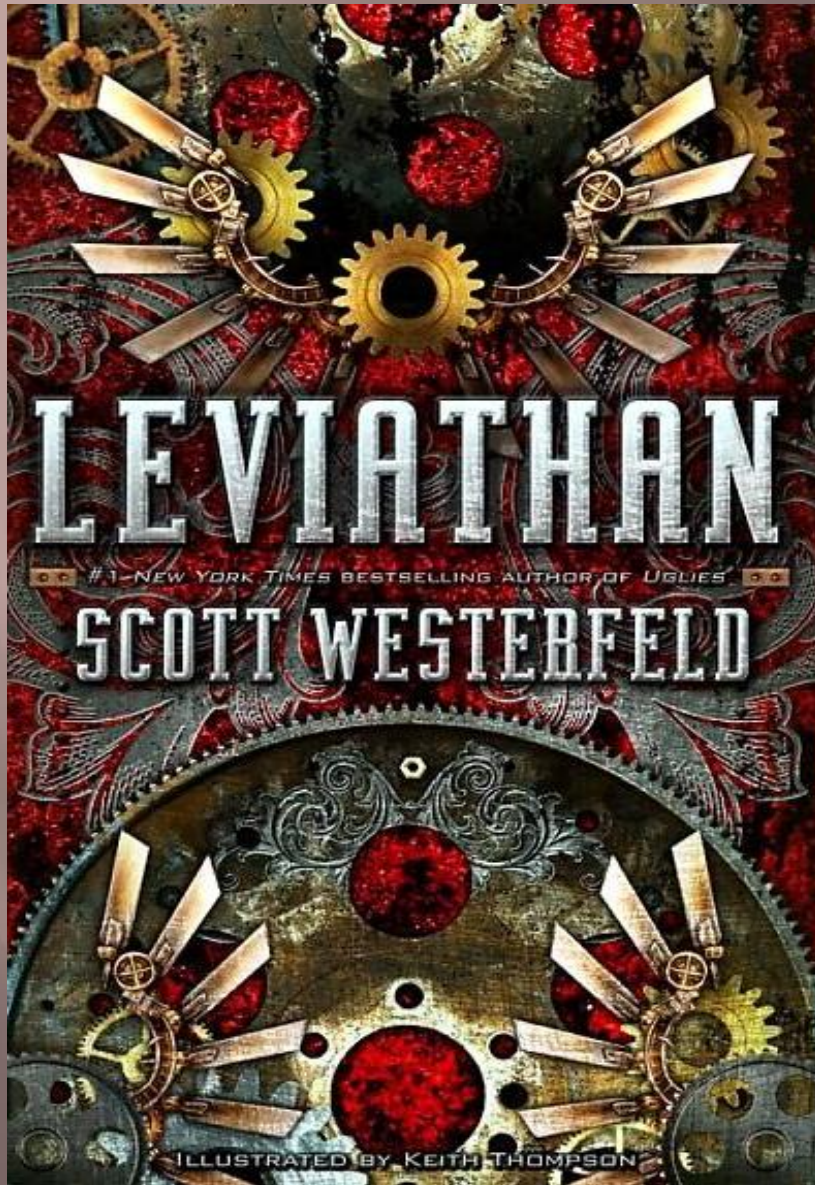
If I Stay

By: Gayle Forman

- ▣ In a single moment, *everything* changes. Seventeen year- old Mia has no memory of the accident; she can only recall riding along the snow-wet Oregon road with her family. Then, in a blink, she finds herself watching as her own damaged body is taken from the wreck...

Leviathan

By: Scott Westerfeld



- Set in an alternate version of the First World War, on the eve of World War I, conflicts in Europe are coming to a bloody boil. On every side, governments are frantically arming themselves with new weaponry and sorting out likely friends and foes. On the whole continent, perhaps the oddest pairing of all is the makeshift alliance bred in danger between Aleksandar Ferdinand, fugitive prince of the Austro-Hungarian Empire, and Deryn Sharp, a daring British airwoman disguised as a boy. Both have secrets that they must conceal and now face dangers of literally global proportions.



Lockdown

By: Alex Gordon Smith

- Furnace Penitentiary is the world's most secure prison for young offenders, buried a mile beneath the earth's surface. Alex Sawyer is the "new fish." Convicted of a murder he didn't commit, sentenced to life without parole, he knows he has two choices: find a way out, or resign himself to death in the darkness at the bottom of the world. Except in Furnace, death is the least of his worries. The prison is a place of pure evil, where inhuman creatures in gas masks stalk the corridors at night, where giants in black suits drag screaming inmates into the shadows, where deformed beasts can be heard howling from the blood-drenched tunnels below. Escape is Alex's only option. But it's not just about saving his own skin. The more he discovers, the more he understands that he is going to have to do whatever it takes to expose this nightmare hidden from the eyes of the world.

Malice

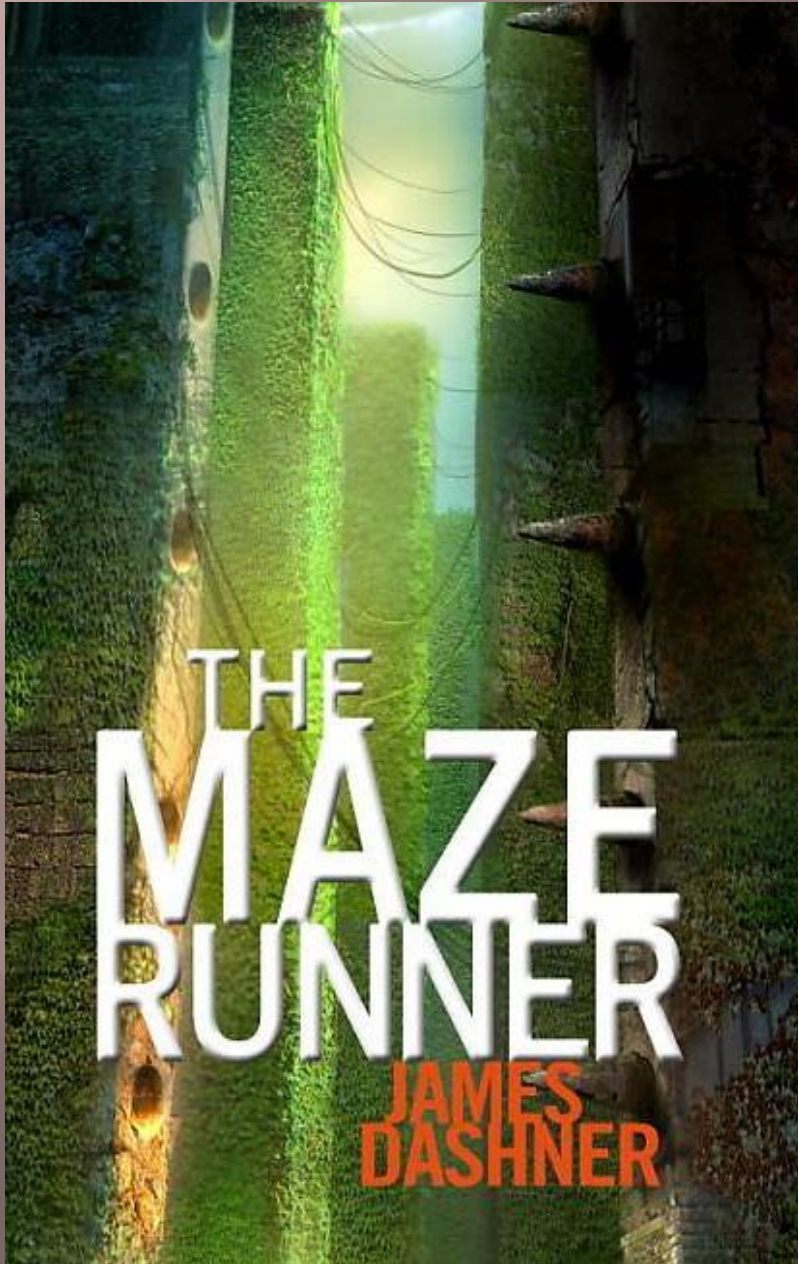
By: Chris Woodling



- ▣ It's your worst nightmare or your favorite secret fantasy: You and your friends are suddenly trapped in the world of a dangerous comic book adventure. *Malice: You Can't Escape*, tells the story of the reality plunge of Seth, Kady, and Luke.

The Maze Runner

By: James Dashner

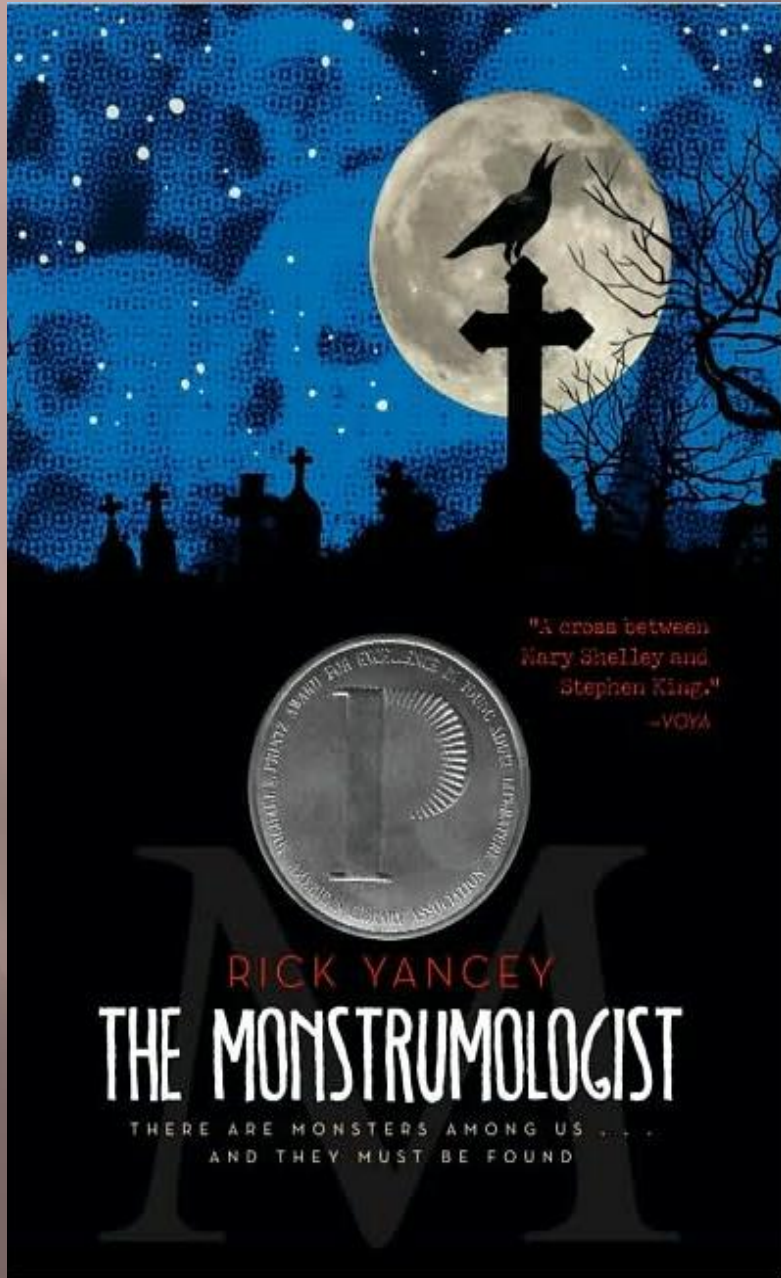


- When Thomas wakes up in the lift, the only thing he can remember is his first name. His memory is blank. But he's not alone. When the lift's doors open, Thomas finds himself surrounded by kids who welcome him to the Glade—a large, open expanse surrounded by stone walls. Just like Thomas, the Gladers don't know why or how they got to the Glade. All they know is that every morning the stone doors to the maze that surrounds them have opened. Every night they've closed tight. And every 30 days a new boy has been delivered in the lift.
- Thomas was expected. But the next day, a girl is sent up—the first girl to ever arrive in the Glade. And more surprising yet is the message she delivers.
- Thomas might be more important than he could ever guess. If only he could unlock the dark secrets buried within his mind.

The Monstrumologist

By: Rick Yancey

- *These are the secrets I have kept. This is the trust I never betrayed. But he is dead now and has been for nearly ninety years, the one who gave me his trust, the one for whom I kept these secrets. The one who saved me . . . and the one who cursed me.*
- So starts the diary of Will Henry, orphan and assistant to a doctor with a most unusual specialty: monster hunting. In the short time he has lived with the doctor, Will has grown accustomed to his late night callers and dangerous business. But when one visitor comes with the body of a young girl and the monster that was feeding on her, Will's world is about to change forever. The doctor has discovered a baby Anthropophagi—a headless monster that feeds through the mouthfuls of teeth in its chest—and it signals a growing number of Anthropophagi. Now, Will and the doctor must face the horror threatening to overtake and consume our world before it is too late.





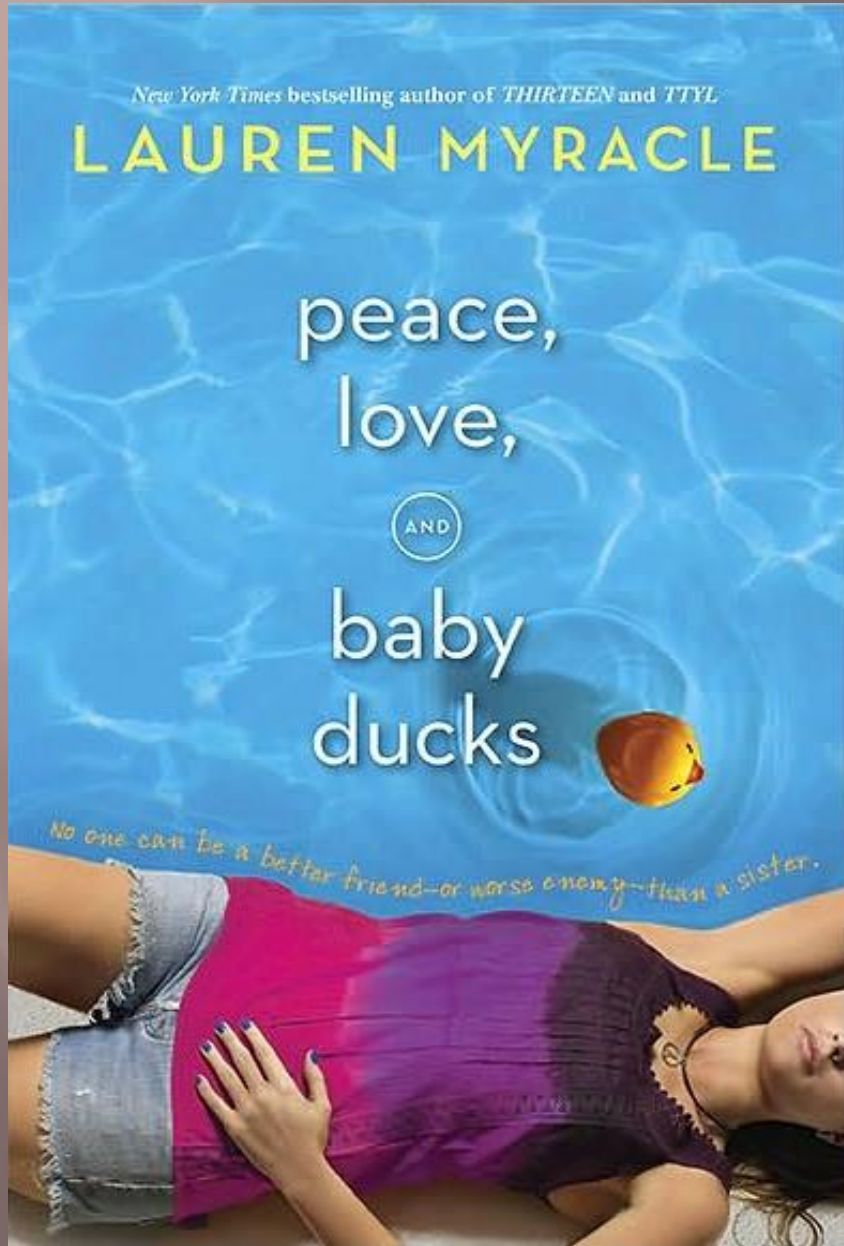
North of Beautiful

By: Justina Chen Headley

- ▣ It's hard not to notice Terra Cooper.
- ▣ She's tall, blond, and has an enviable body. But with one turn of her cheek, all people notice is her unmistakably "flawed" face. Terra secretly plans to leave her stifling small town in the Northwest and escape to an East Coast college, but gets pushed off-course by her controlling father. When an unexpected collision puts Terra directly in Jacob's path, the handsome but quirky Goth boy immediately challenges her assumptions about herself and her life, and she is forced in yet another direction. With her carefully laid plans disrupted, will Terra be able to find her true path?

Peace, Love, and Baby Ducks

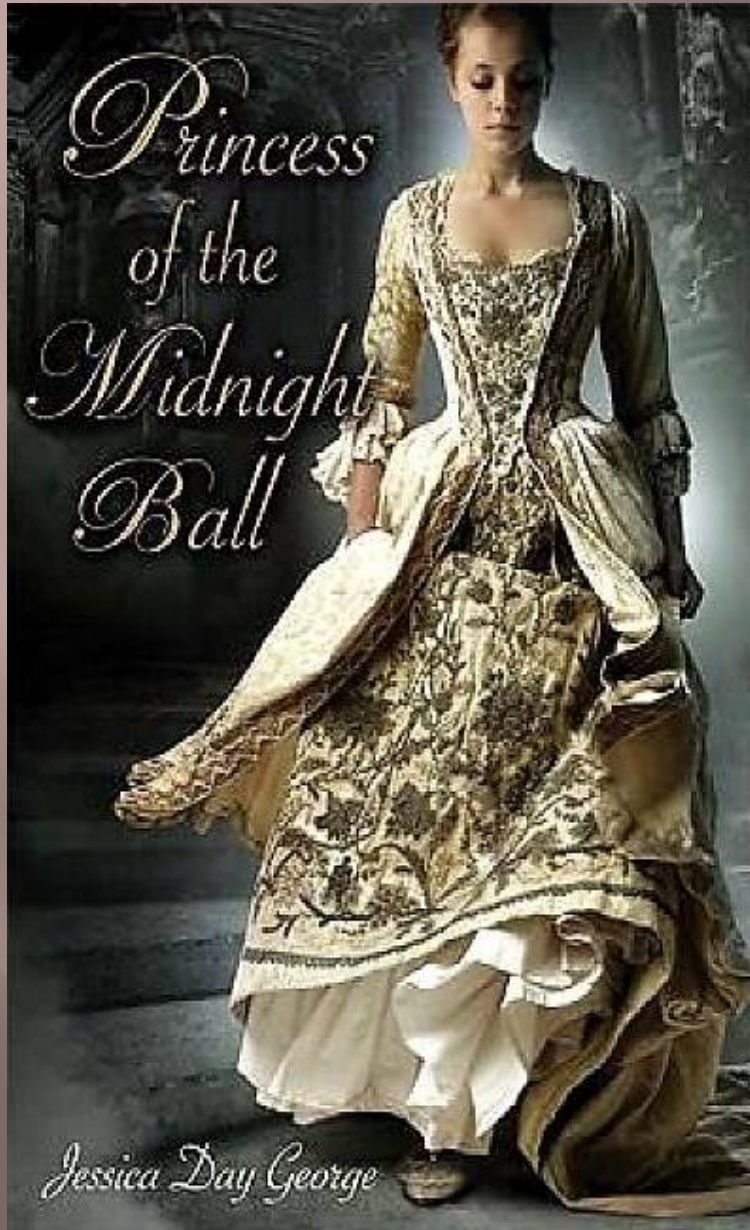
By: Lauren Myracle



- ▣ Growing up in a world of wealth and pastel-tinted entitlement, fifteen-year-old Carly has always relied on the constancy - and authenticity - of her sister, Anna. But when fourteen-year-old Anna turns plastic-perfect-pretty over the course of a single summer, everything starts to change. And *there are boys involved*, complicating things as boys always do. With warmth, insight, and an unparalleled gift for finding humor even in stormy situations, the story dives into the tumultuous waters of sisterhood and shows that even very different sisters can learn to help each other stay afloat.

Princess of the Midnight Ball

By: Jessica Day George

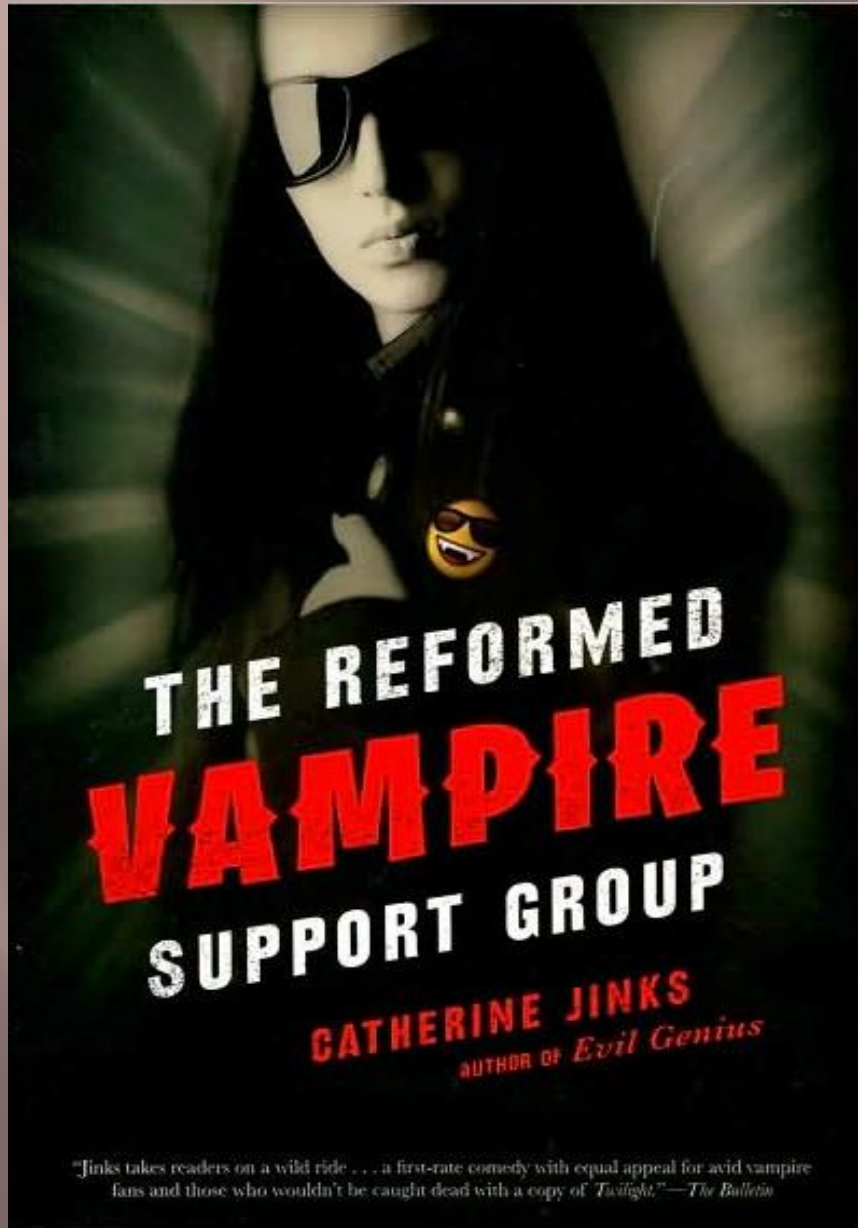


- ▣ Rose is one of twelve princesses forced to dance through the night in an underground palace. The key to breaking the spell lies in magic knitting needles, an invisibility cloak, and—of course—true love.

The Reformed Vampire

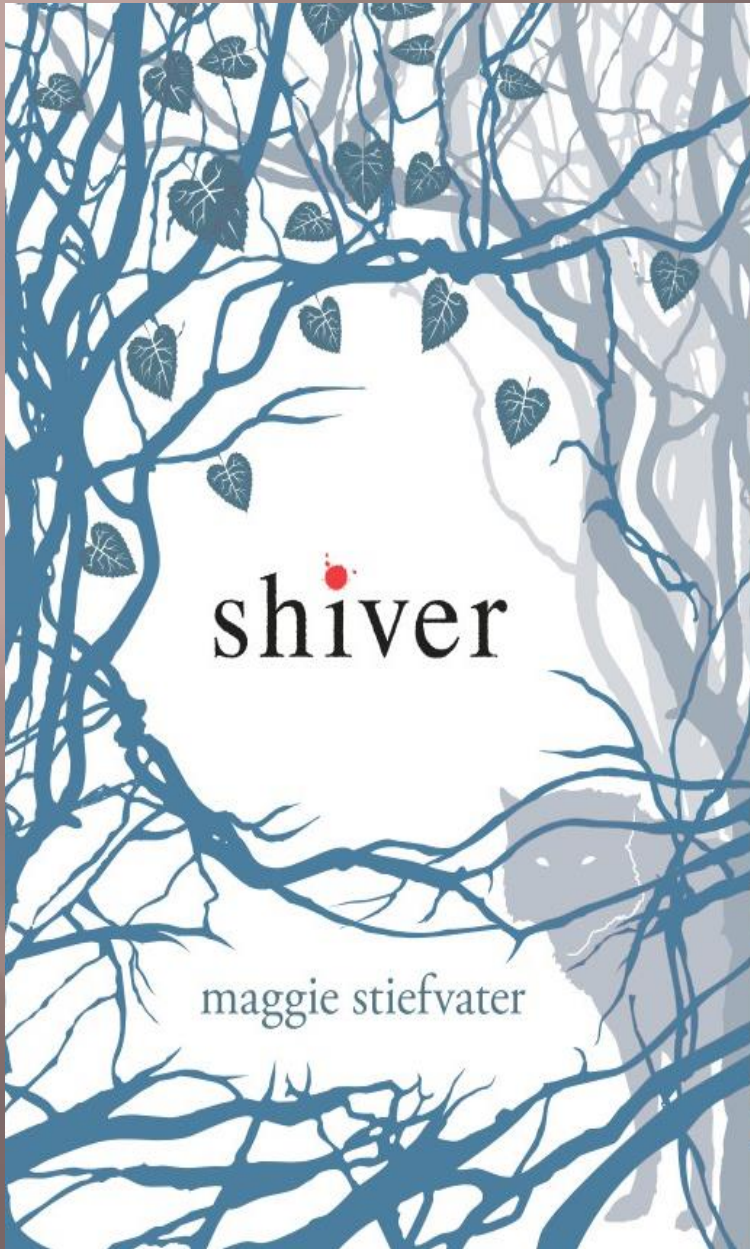
Support Group

By: Catherine Jinks



- Think vampires are romantic, sexy, and powerful? Think again. Vampires are dead. And unless they want to end up staked, they have to give up fanging people, admit their addiction, join a support group, and reform themselves.

Nina Harrison, fanged at fifteen and still living with her mother, hates the Reformed Vampire Support Group meetings every Tuesday night. Even if she does appreciate Dave, who was in a punk band when he was alive, nothing exciting ever happens. That is, until one of group members is mysteriously destroyed by a silver bullet. With Nina (determined to prove that vamps aren't useless or weak) and Dave (secretly in love with Nina) at the helm, the misfit vampires soon band together to track down the hunter, save a werewolf, and keep the world safe from the likes of themselves.



Shiver

By: Maggie Stiefvater

- ▣ Grace has spent years watching the wolves in the woods behind her house. One yellow-eyed wolf -- her wolf -- watches back. He feels deeply familiar to her, but she doesn't know why. Sam has lived two lives. As a wolf, he keeps the silent company of the girl he loves. And then, for a short time each year, he is human, never daring to talk to Grace . . . until now. For Grace and Sam, love has always been at a distance. But once spoken, it cannot be denied.



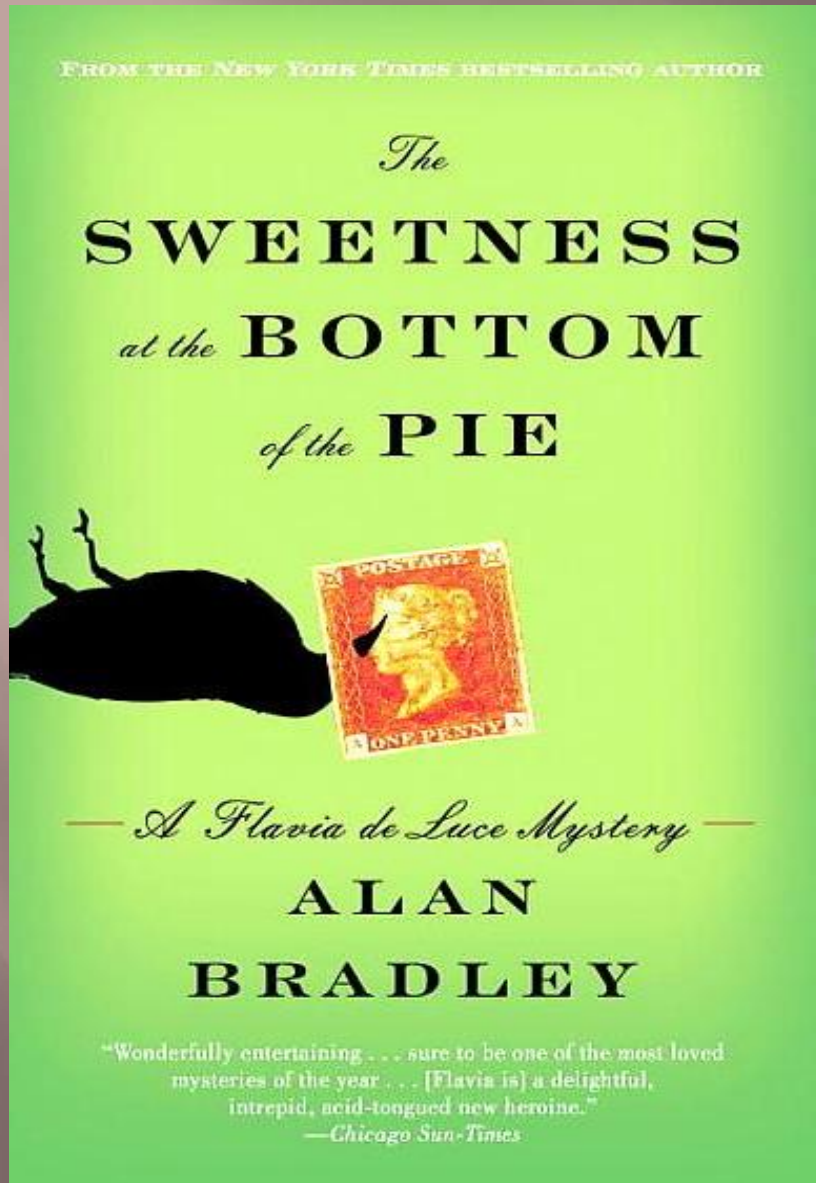
Skeleton Creek

By: Patrick Carman

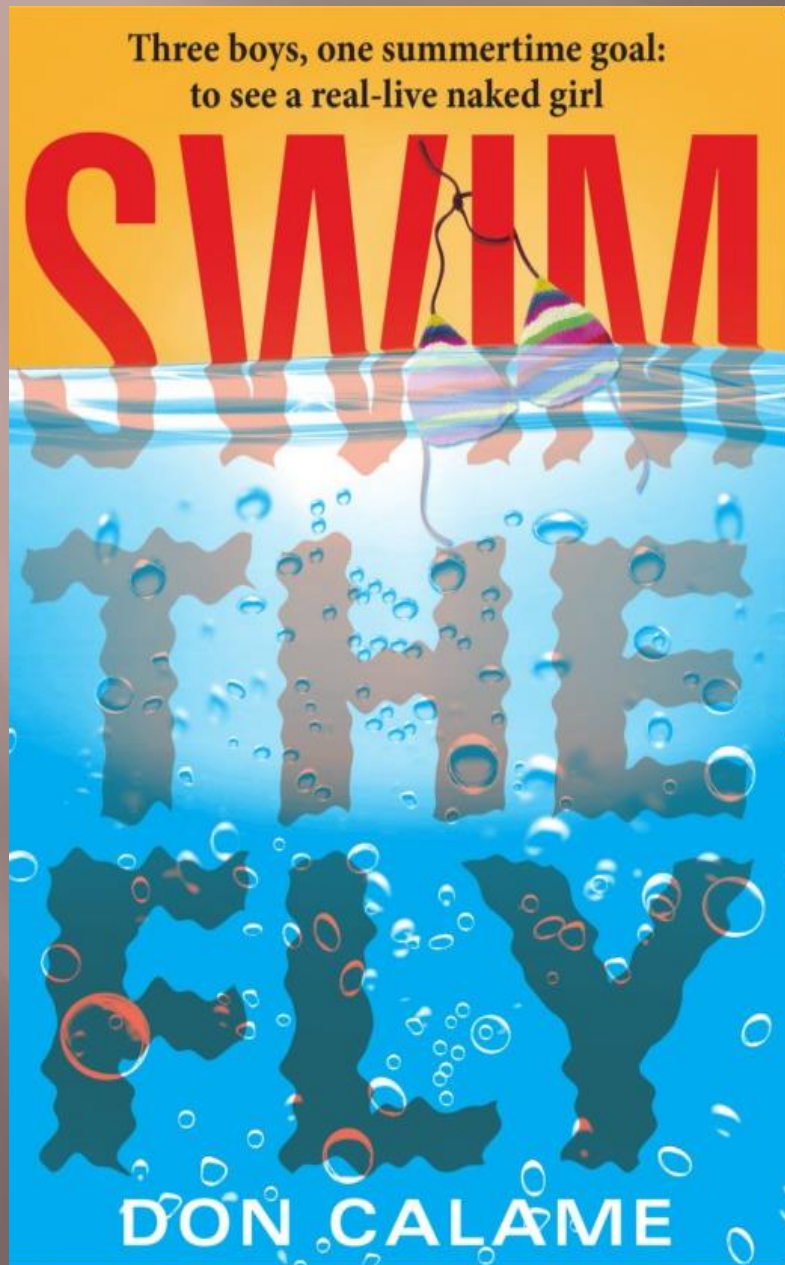
- ▣ Strange things are happening in Skeleton Creek . . . and Ryan and Sarah are trying to get to the heart of it. But after an eerie accident leaves Ryan housebound and forbidden to see Sarah, their investigation takes two tracks: Ryan records everything in his journal, while Sarah uses her videocam to search things out. . .and then email the clips for Ryan to see.

The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie

By: Alan Bradley



- It is the summer of 1950—and at the once-grand mansion of Buckshaw, young Flavia de Luce, an aspiring chemist with a passion for poison, is intrigued by a series of inexplicable events: A dead bird is found on the doorstep, a postage stamp bizarrely pinned to its beak. Then, hours later, Flavia finds a man lying in the cucumber patch and watches him as he takes his dying breath. For Flavia, who is both appalled and delighted, life begins in earnest when murder comes to Buckshaw. “I wish I could say I was afraid, but I wasn’t. Quite the contrary. This was by far the most interesting thing that had ever happened to me in my entire life.”



Swim the Fly

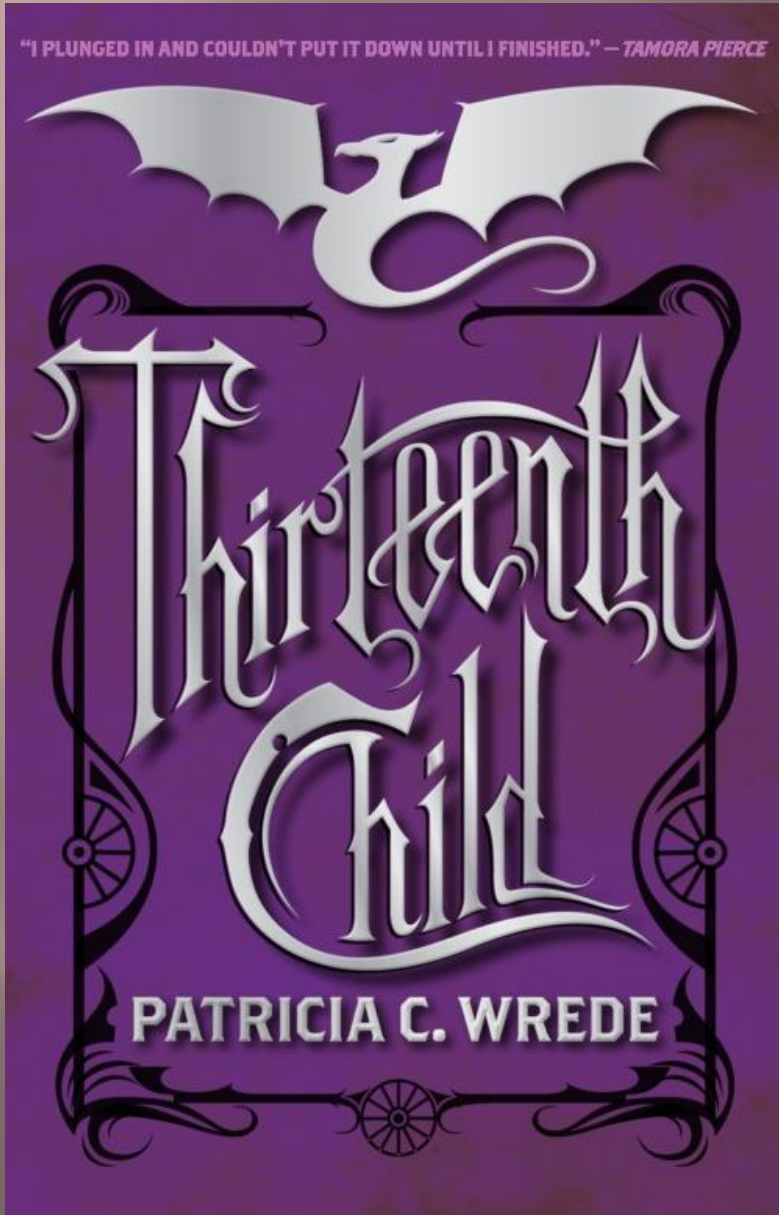
By: Don Calame

- ▣ Matt Gratton and his two best friends, Sean and Coop, always set themselves a summer-time goal. This year's? To see a real-live naked girl for the first time. As far as Matt is concerned, they'd have better luck finding the lost city of Atlantis. But seeing a girl in the buff starts to seem like child's play compared to the other summertime goal Matt sets for himself: to swim the 100-yard butterfly (the hardest stroke known to God or man) in order to impress Kelly West, the hot new girl. So what if he can't manage a single lap, let alone four? He's got the whole summer to perfect his technique. What could possibly go wrong?

Thirteenth Child

By: Patricia C. Wrede

- ▣ Eff was born a thirteenth child. Her twin brother, Lan, is the seventh son of a seventh son. This means he's supposed to possess amazing talent -- and she's supposed to bring only bad things to her family and her town. Undeterred, her family moves to the frontier, where her father will be a professor of magic at a school perilously close to the magical divide that separates settlers from the beasts of the wild.





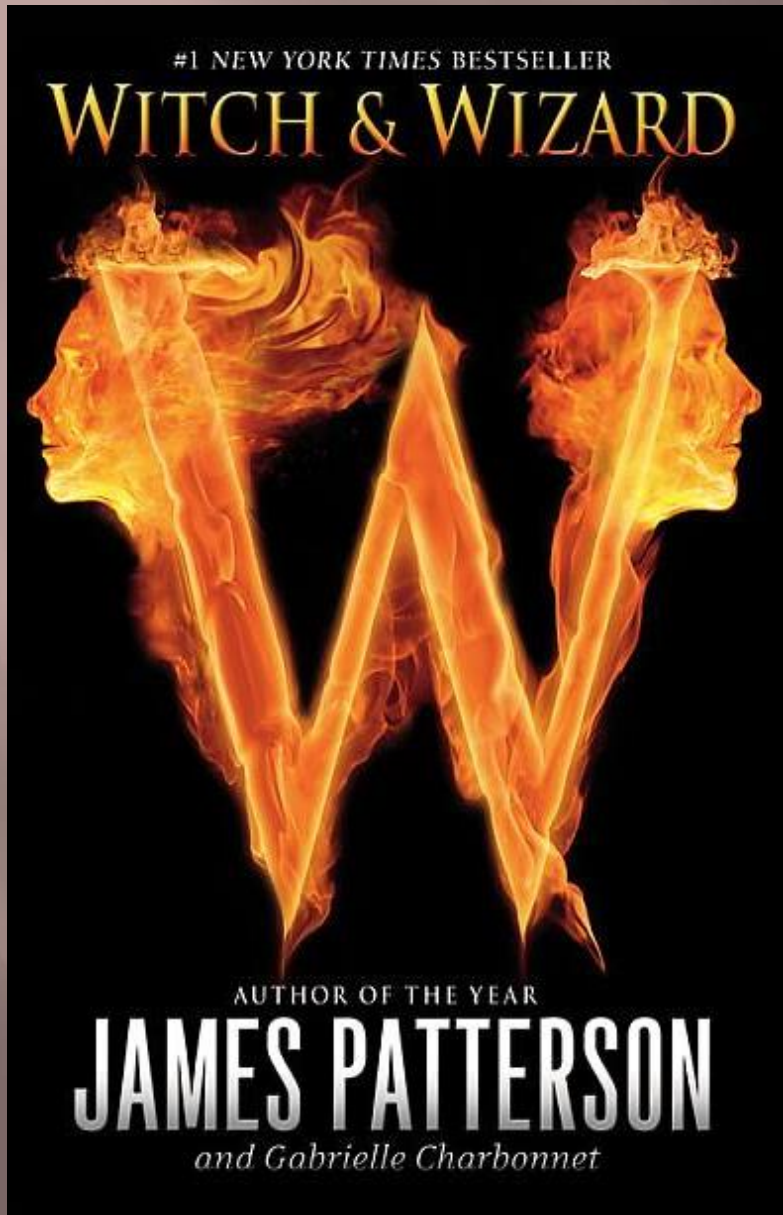
MATT DE LA PEÑA

author of *Ball Don't Lie* and *Mexican WhiteBoy*

We Were Here

Matt De La Pena

- When it happened, Miguel was sent to Juvi. The judge gave him a year in a group home—said he had to write in a journal so some counselor could try to figure out how he thinks. The judge had no idea that he actually did Miguel a favor. Ever since it happened, his mom can't even look at him in the face. Any home besides his would be a better place to live.
- But Miguel didn't bet on meeting Rondell or Mong or on any of what happened after they broke out. He only thought about Mexico and getting to the border to where he could start over. Forget his mom. Forget his brother. Forget himself.
- Life usually doesn't work out how you think it will, though. And most of the time, running away is the quickest path right back to what you're running from.



Witch & Wizard

By: James Patterson

- ▣ The world is changing: the government has seized control of every aspect of society, and now, kids are disappearing. For 15-year-old Wisty and her older brother Whit, life turns upside down when they are torn from their parents one night and slammed into a secret prison for no reason they can comprehend. The New Order, as it is known, is clearly trying to suppress Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Being a Normal Teenager. But while trapped in this totalitarian nightmare, Wisty and Whit discover they have incredible powers they'd never dreamed of. Can this newly minted witch and wizard master their skills in time to save themselves, their parents--and maybe the world?

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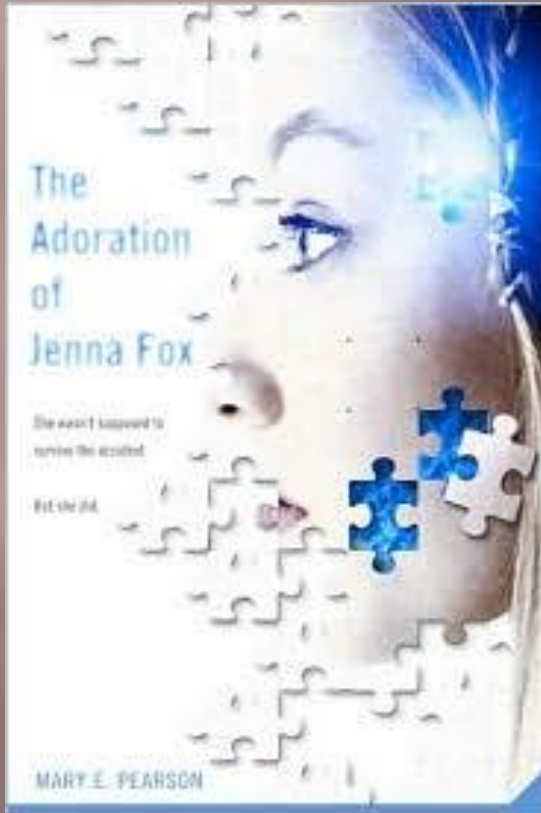
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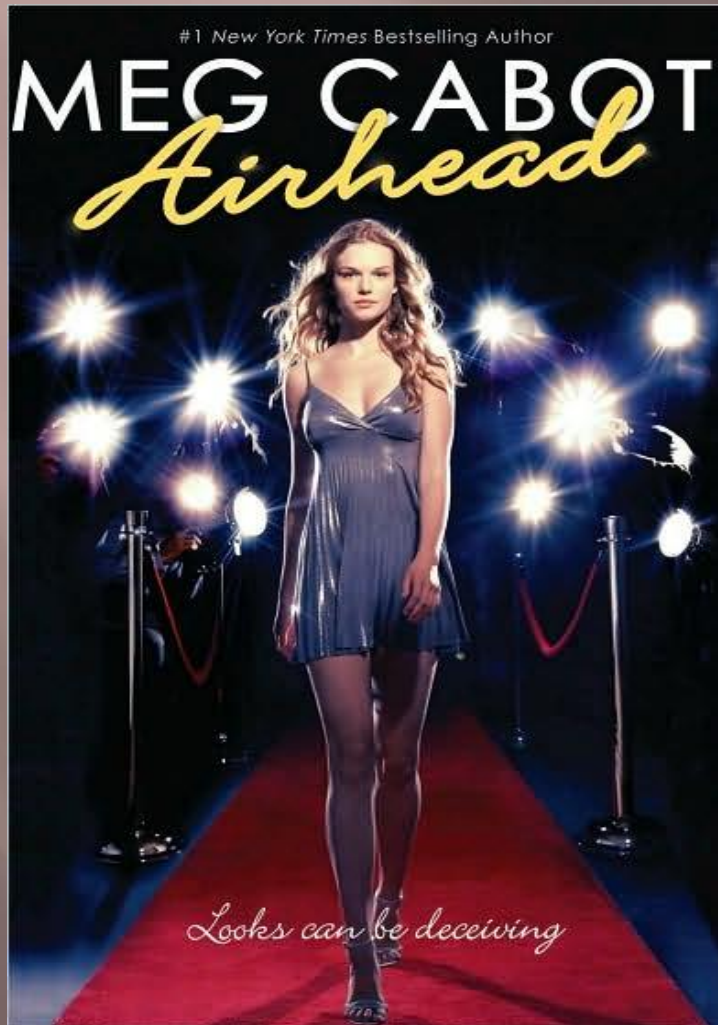
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The Adoration of Jenna Fox by Mary Pearson



- Sometime in the near future, Jenna Fox, 17, awakens from an 18-month-long coma, her memory nearly blank. She watching videos of her childhood, made by her worshipful parents, but mysteries are everywhere. Jenna can recite passages from Thoreau yet can't remember having any friends. As memories return, Jenna starts picking at the explanation her parents have spun until it unravels..

Airhead by Meg Cabot

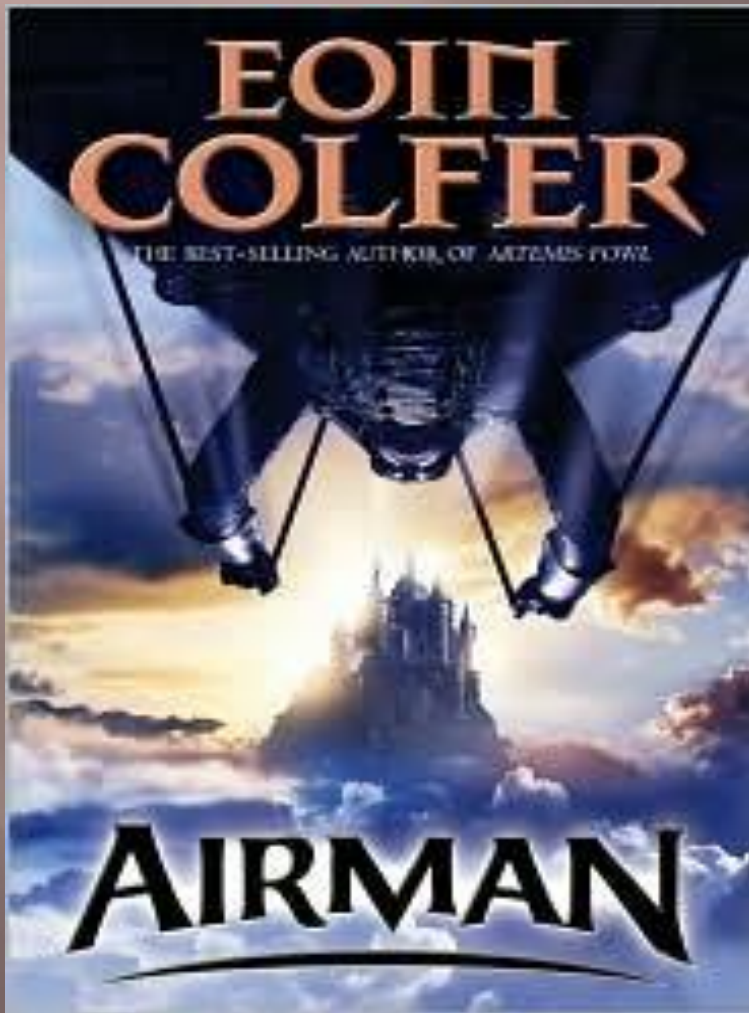


▣ EM WATTS IS GONE.....

Emerson Watts didn't even want to go to the new SoHo Stark Megastore grand opening, but someone needed to look out for her sister. Gabriel Luna, would be singing and signing autographs there-along with the newly appointed Face of Stark, teen supermodel sensation Nikki Howard. One bizarre accident later, and Em Watts, always the tomboy, never the party princess, is no longer herself. Literally.

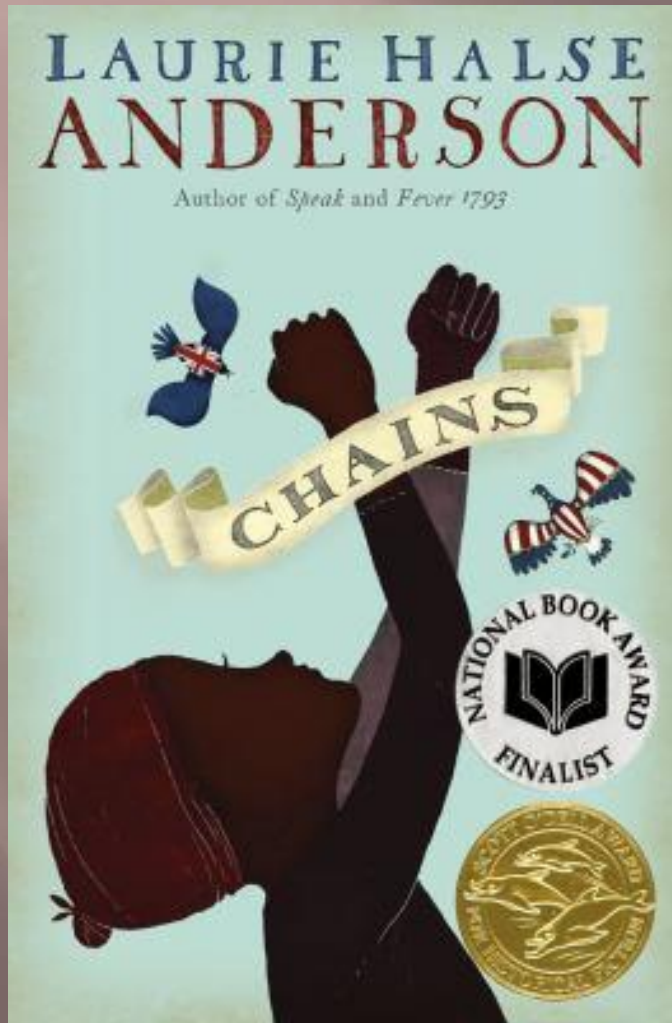
**NOW NIKKI HOWARD IS
HERE TO STAY....**

Airman by Eoin Colfer



- ▣ Conor Boekhart is blamed for murdering the king and thrown into prison. While in prison, Conor passes time by scratching designs for flying machines into the walls. After two years, Conor plans and executes a daring escape. Then Conor's entire family is arrested for his crime and escape. Conor knows that to save them he will have to build the ultimate flying machine of his dreams.

Chains: Seeds of America by Laurie Halse



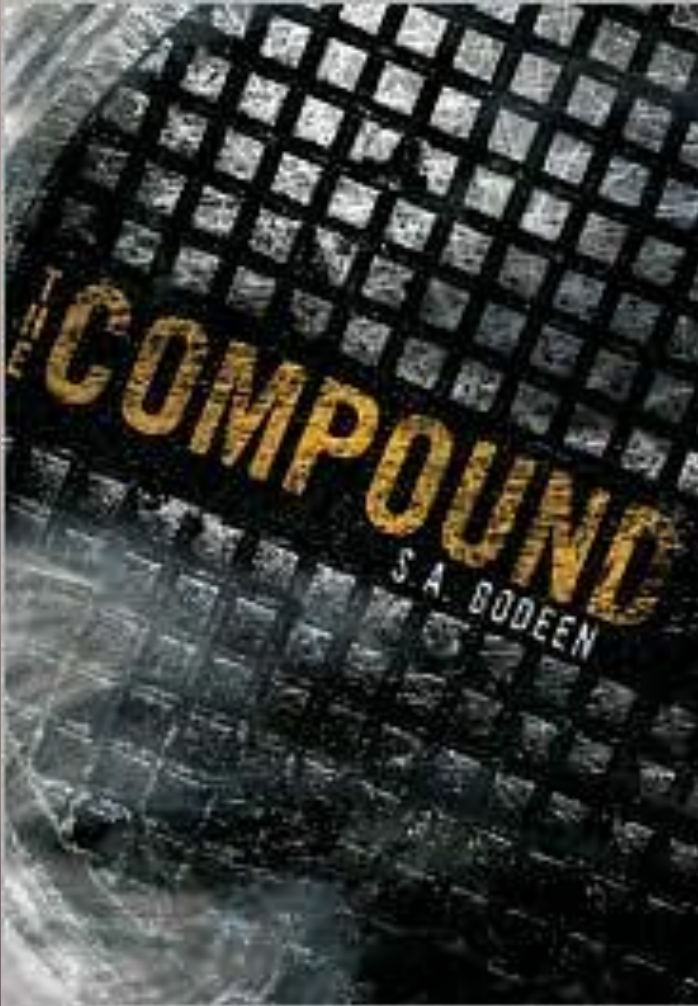
- ▣ Isabel and her five-year-old sister Ruth are slaves owned by a Loyalist couple living in New York City during the Revolutionary War. Dismayed by the conditions of her life, Isabel decides to seek freedom for herself and Ruth by becoming a spy for the rebel armies. However, she soon learns that even those fighting for independence for themselves are not to be trusted when it comes to ensuring the freedom of slaves

The Clearing by Heather Davis



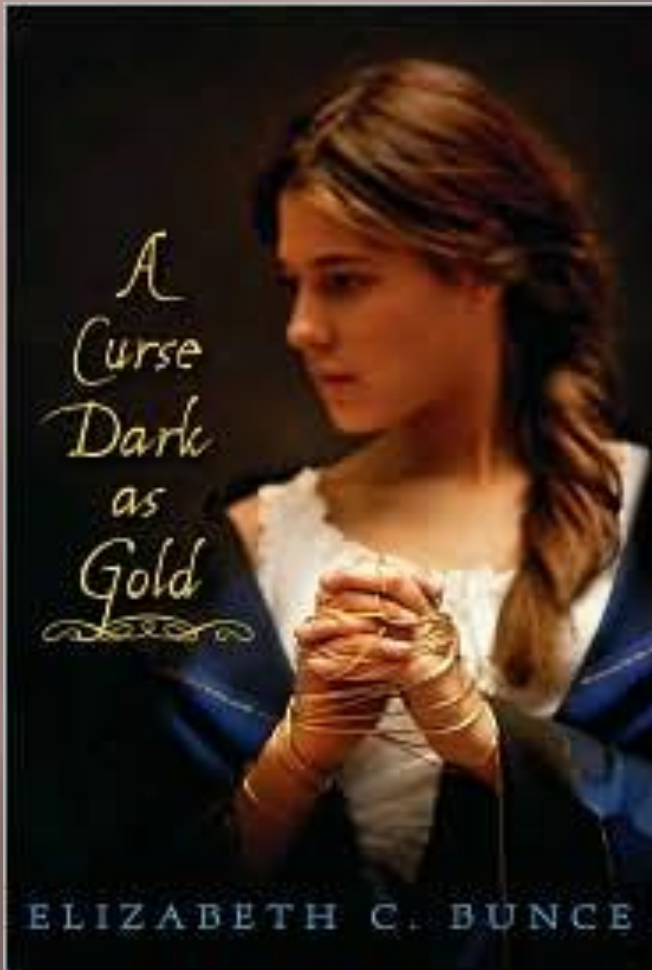
For Amy moving to the country, start a new school, and leave the memories of her broken relationship behind was the beginning of a new life.. She wasn't supposed to fall in love .. But what happens when you find true love, but he doesn't exist? Not in the 21st century anyway. In this tale about falling in love, finding strength, and having the courage to make your own destiny, two teens living in different worlds will form a bond that will change their lives forever.

The Compound by S.A. Bodeen



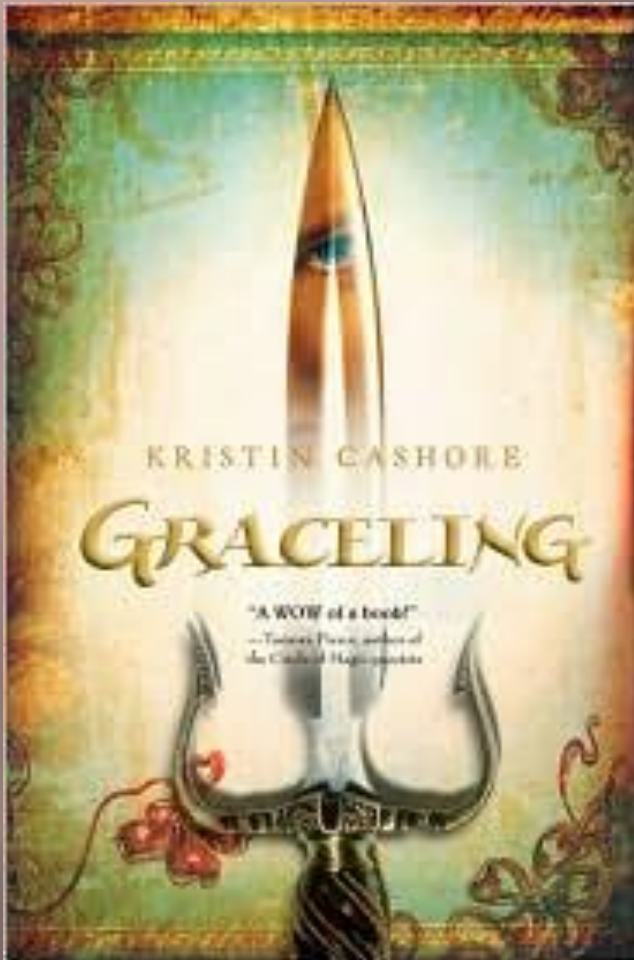
- Eli, the 15-year-old son of a billionaire techno-preneur, has spent the last six years with his family in the massive underground shelter his father has built. With nine years to go before the air outside will be safe to breathe again, the food supply shows signs of running out. Already suspicious, Eli begins investigating his father's claims, and sets up a family death match against a man who grows increasingly irrational and sinister but no less powerful.

A Curse Dark as Gold by Elizabeth Bunce



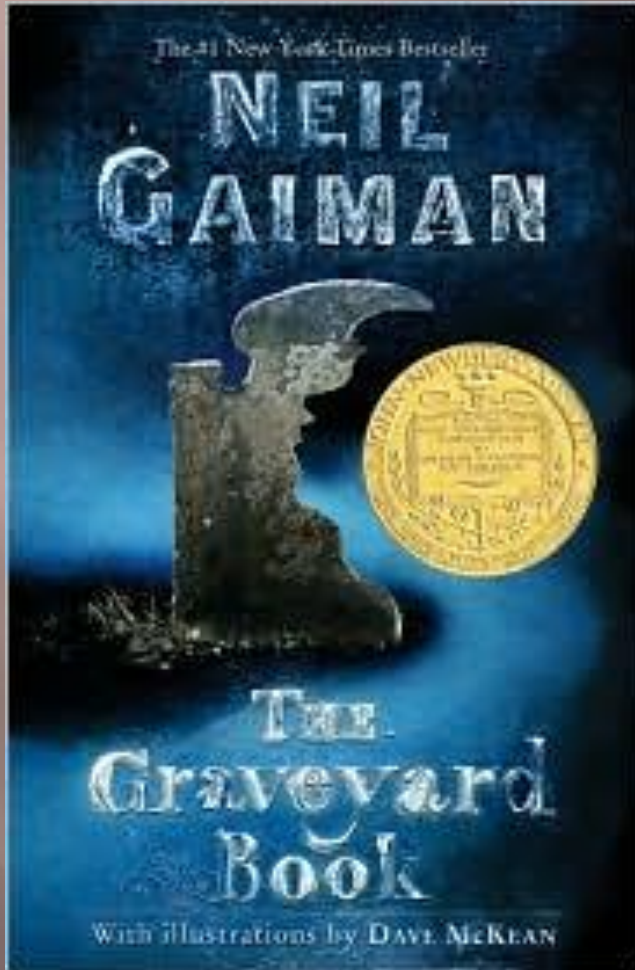
- After her father's death, Charlotte Miller, the eldest of two surviving daughters, becomes the owner and operator of Stirwaters. Charlotte prepares for the upcoming mill season, and receives an offer from Pinchfield's to buy its prestigious label and mill. Determined not to let down her family or the entire village, Charlotte refuses Pinchfield's offer and begins fixing up the aging mill in hopes of making a living. Now Charlotte is faced with the most difficult decision, will she save the mill in spite of the age-old Stirwaters Curse or will she strike a deal with the mysterious Jack Spinner in hopes to save her beloved mill.

Graceling by Kristin Cashore



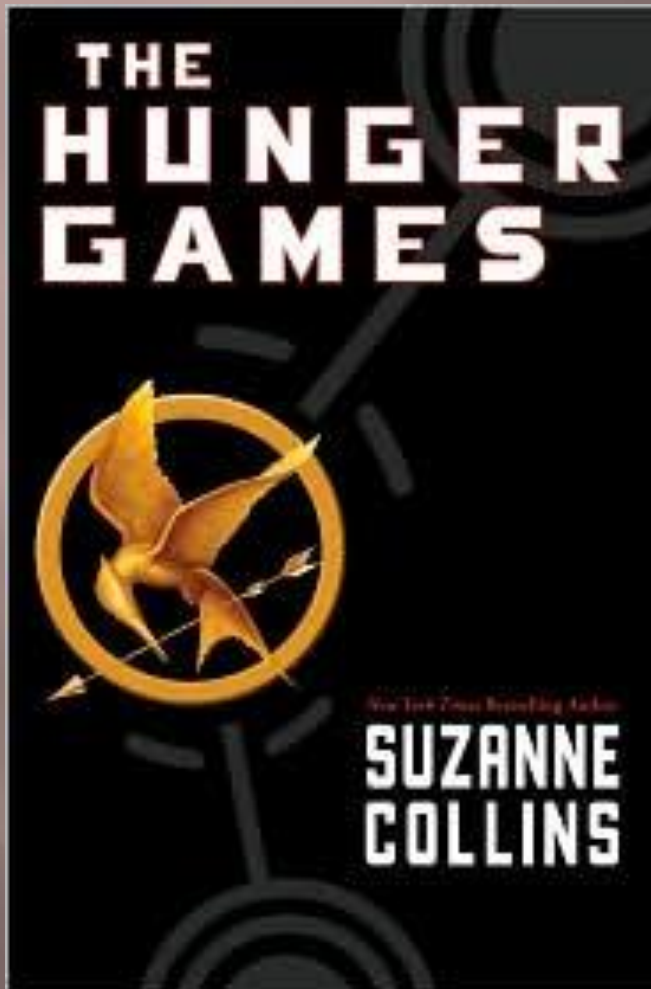
- ▣ Katsa, a warrior-girl in her late teens with one blue eye and one green eye is a haunting beauty. Marked as a Graceling, she has special talents — swimming, storytelling, dancing. Katsa's Grace is considered more useful: her ability to fight (and kill, if she wanted to) is unequalled in the seven kingdoms. Forced to act as a henchman for a manipulative king, Katsa channels her guilt by forming a secret council of like-minded citizens who carry out secret missions to promote justice over cruelty and abuses of power.

The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman



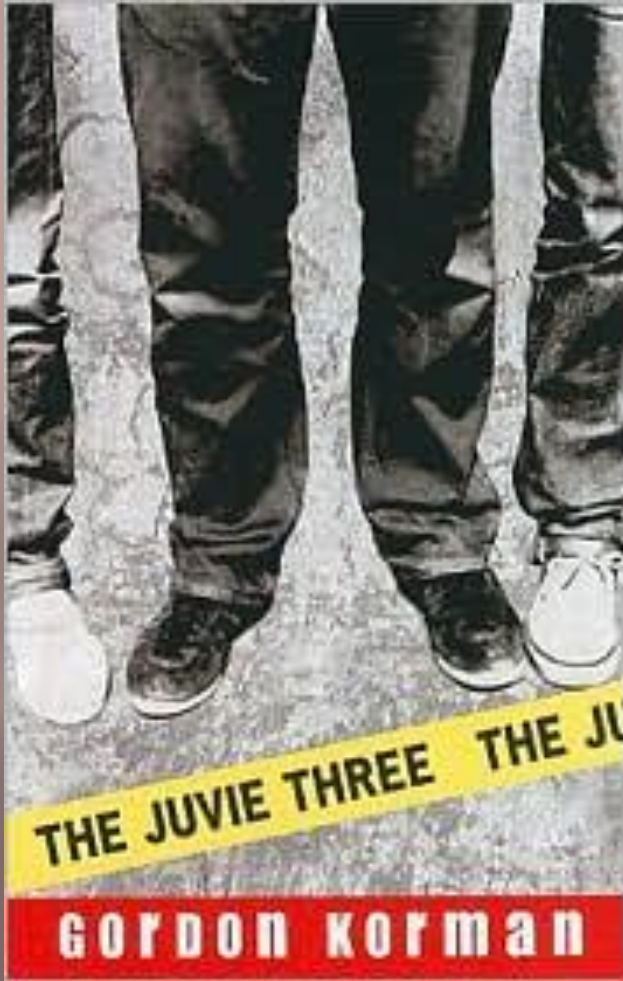
- Nobody Owens, known to his friends as Bod, is a normal boy. He would be *completely* normal if he didn't live in a sprawling graveyard, being raised and educated by ghosts, with a solitary guardian who belongs to neither the world of the living nor of the dead. There are dangers and adventures in the graveyard for a boy. But if Bod leaves the graveyard, then he will come under attack from the man Jack – who has already killed Bod's family .

The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins



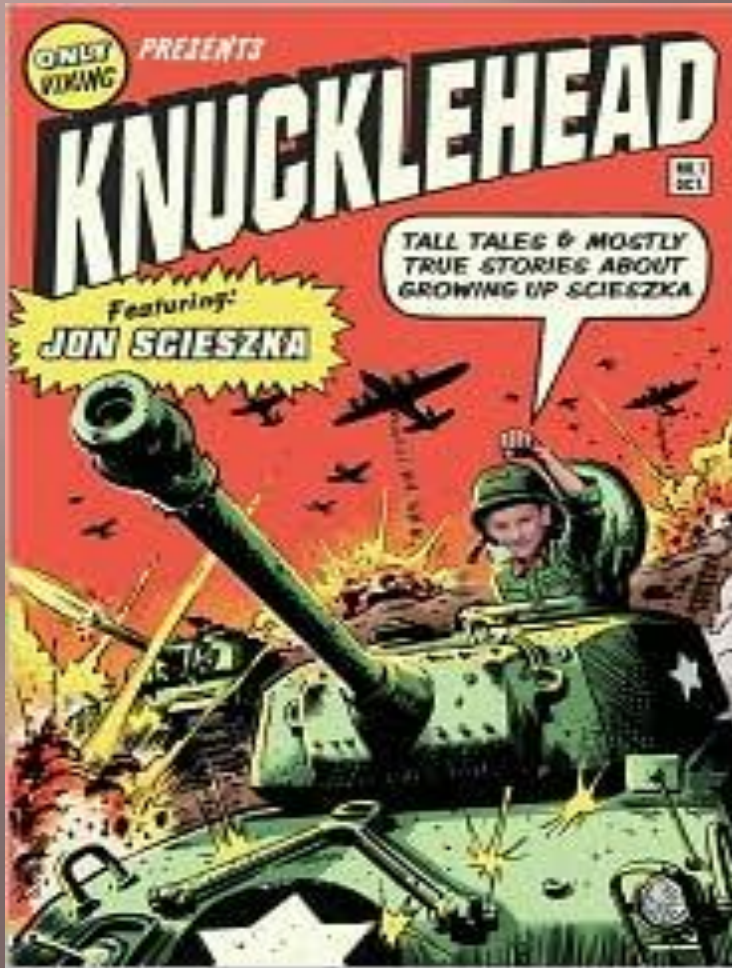
- Katniss is a 16-year-old girl living with her mother and younger sister in the poorest district of Panem, the remains of what used be the United States. Long ago the districts waged war on the Capitol and were defeated. As part of the surrender terms, each district agreed to send one boy and one girl to appear in an annual televised event called, "The Hunger Games." The terrain, rules, and level of audience participation may change but one thing is constant: kill or be killed. When Kat's sister is chosen by lottery, Kat steps up to take her place.

The Juvie Three by Gordon Korman



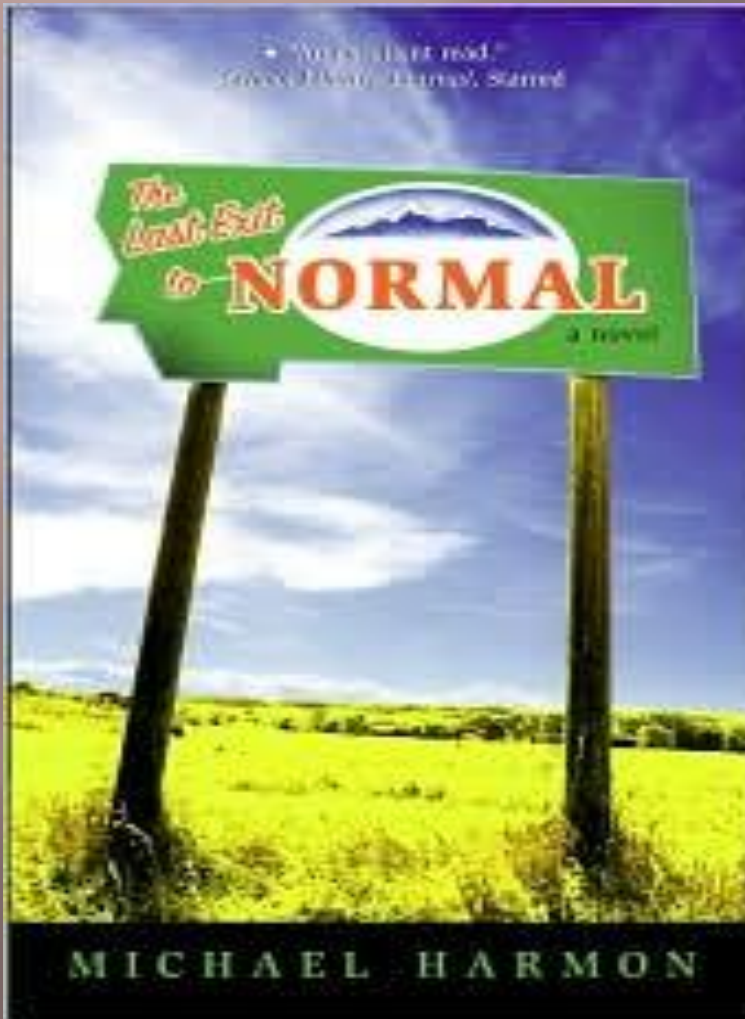
- Gecko Fosse drove the getaway car.
- Terence Florian ran with the worst gang in Chicago.
- Arjay Moran killed someone.
- A former juvenile delinquent himself, Healy's "been there, done that," and now just wants to help others. One night Healy is accidentally knocked unconscious while trying to break up a conflict among the boys. Terrified of the consequences, they drop him off at a hospital and run. When Healy awakes, he has no memory of them or the halfway house. Afraid of being sent back to Juvie, the guys hatch a hair-brained scheme to continue on as if the group leader never left. They will go to school, do their community service, attend therapy, and act like model citizens until-hopefully- Healy's memory returns and he can resume his place with them.

Knucklehead: Tall Tales and Mostly True Stories of Growing up Scieszka by Jon Scieszka



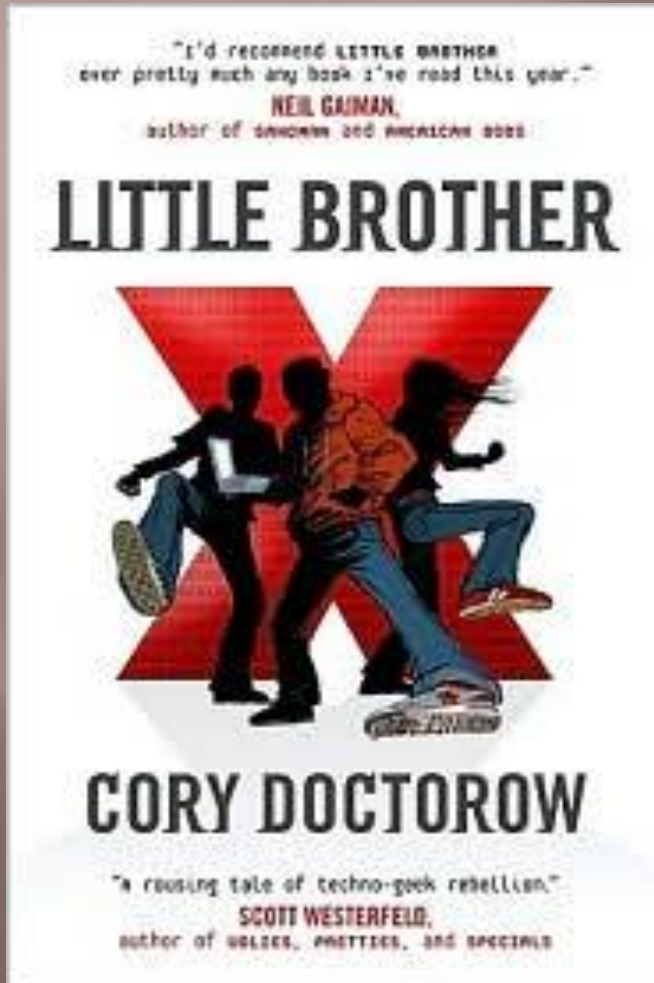
- How did Jon Scieszka get so funny, anyway? Growing up as one of six brothers was a good start, but that was just the beginning. Throw in Catholic school, lots of comic books, lazy summers at the lake with time to kill, babysitting misadventures, TV shows, jokes told at family dinner, and the result is *Knucklehead*. Part memoir, part scrapbook, this hilarious trip down memory lane provides a unique glimpse into how a truly creative person can evolve.

The Last Exit to Normal by Michael Harmon



- It's true: After 17-year-old Ben's father announces he's gay and the family splits apart, Ben never thought he'd end up yanked out of his city life.
- Is he trapped after being plunked down into a small Montana town with his dad and Edward, the Boyfriend?
- Then he soon realizes something's not quite right with Billy, the boy next door. He's hiding a secret about his family, and Ben is determined to uncover it.

Little Brother by Cory Doctorow



- When he ditches school one Friday morning, 17-year-old Marcus is hoping to get a head start on the Harajuku Fun Madness clue. But after a terrorist attack in San Francisco, he and his friends are swept up in the extralegal world of the Department of Homeland Security. After questioning that includes physical torture and psychological stress, Marcus is released. Encouraging hackers from around the city, Marcus fights against the system while falling for one hacker in particular.

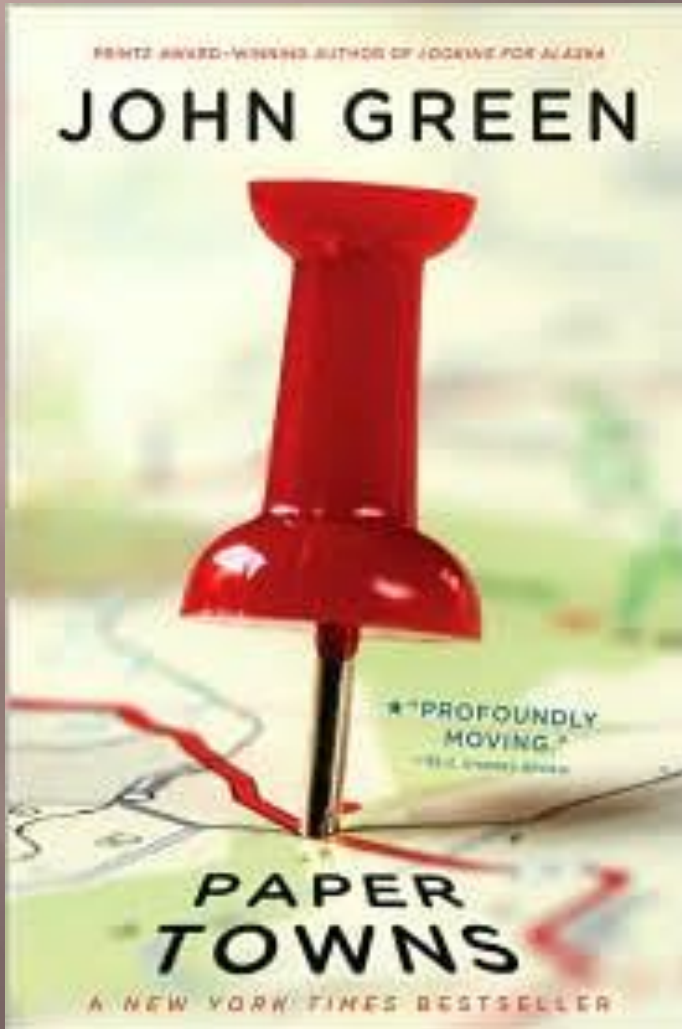
Lock and Key

by Sarah Dessen



- ▣ Ruby is used to taking care of herself. But now she's living in a fancy new house with her sister her husband Jamie. She's attending private school, wearing new clothes, and for the first time, feels the promise of a future that include college and her family. As Ruby starts to see, there's a big difference between being given help, and being able to accept it. And sometimes, in order to save yourself, you've got to reach out to someone else.

Paper Towns by John Green



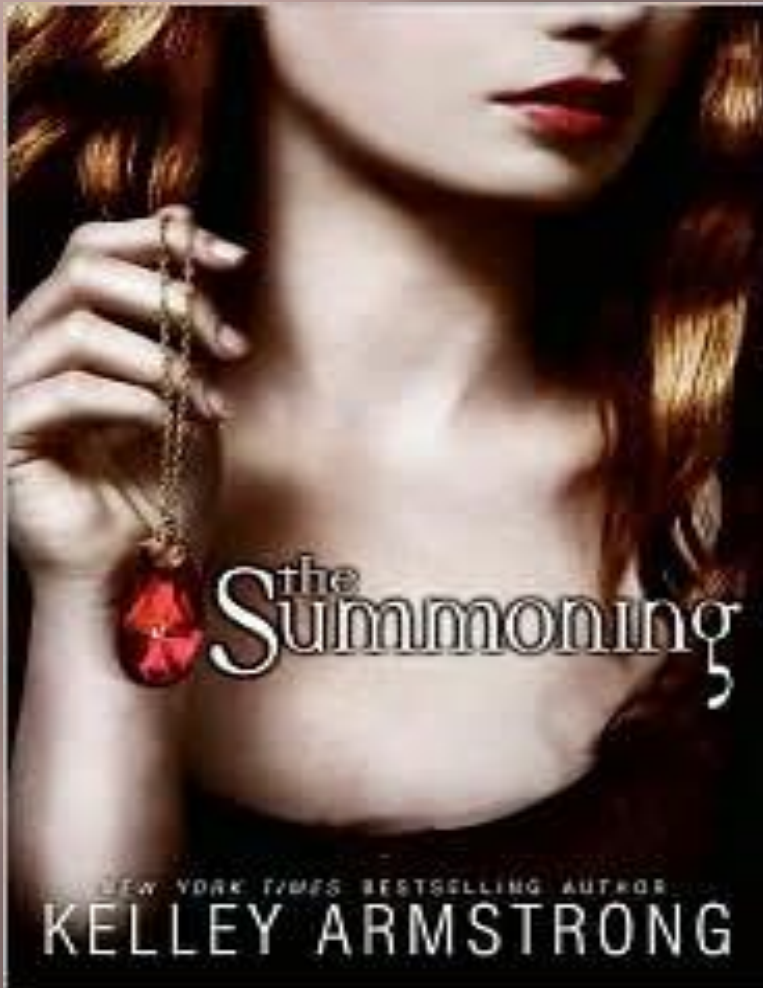
- ▣ Quentin Jacobsen has spent a lifetime loving the magnificently adventurous Margo Roth Spiegelman from afar. So when she cracks open a window and climbs back into his life. After their all-nighter ends and a new day breaks, Q arrives at school to discover that Margo, has now become a mystery. But Q soon learns that there are clues - and they're for him. Urged down a disconnected path, the closer he gets, the less Q sees of the girl he thought he knew.

Rapunzel's Revenge by Shannon Hale



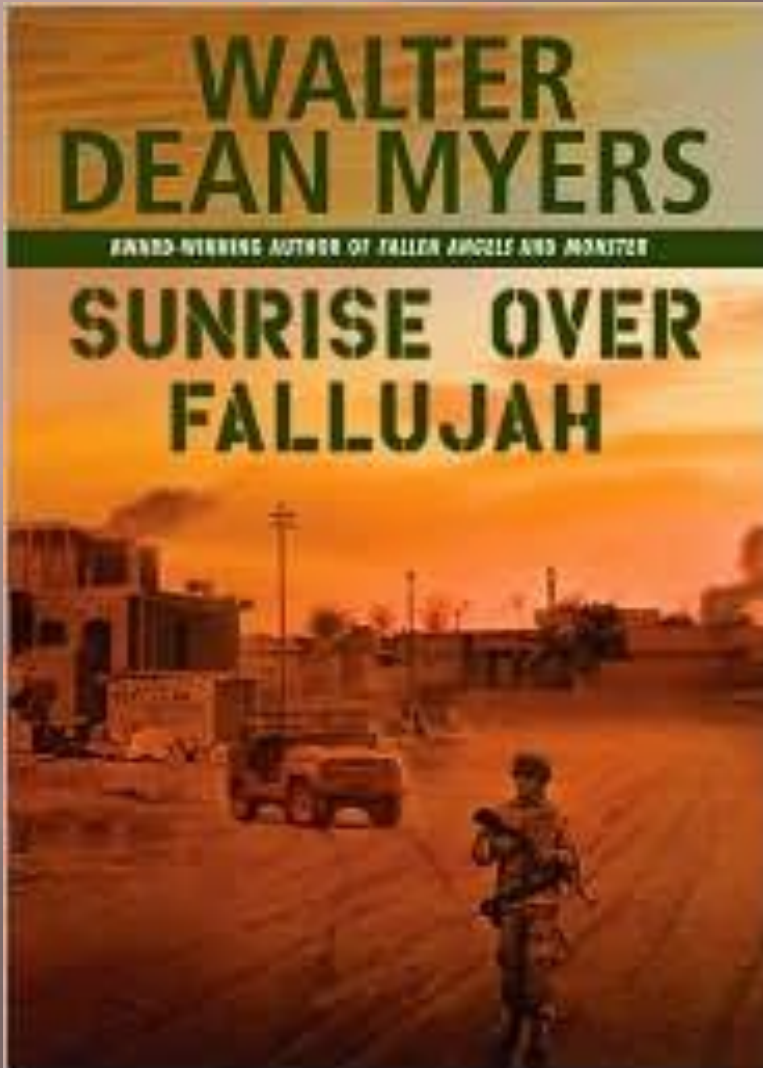
- ▣ Rapunzel and her amazing hair team up with Jack (of beanstalk fame) to gallop around the wild and western landscape, changing lives, righting wrongs, and bringing joy to every soul they encounter.

The Summoning by Kelley Armstrong



- It all started on the day that I saw my first ghost – and the ghost saw me.
- Now there are ghosts everywhere and they won't leave me alone. To top it all off, I somehow got myself locked up in Lyle House, a "special home" for troubled teens. Don't tell anyone, but I think there might be more to my housemates than meets the eye. It's up to me to figure out the dangerous secrets behind Lyle House

Sunrise Over Fallujah by Walter Myers



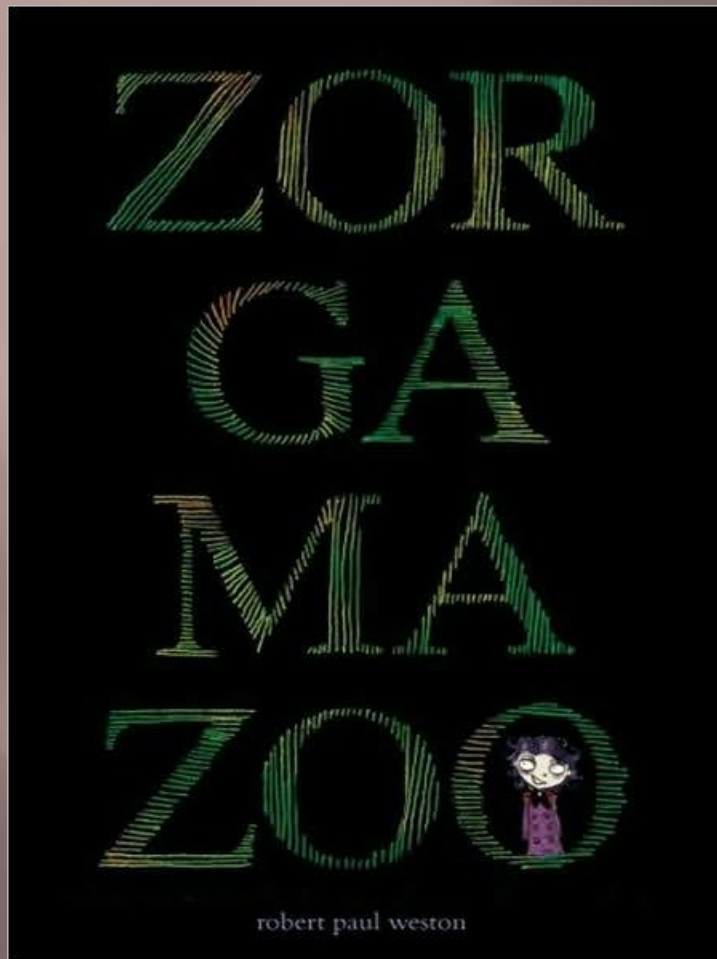
- ▣ Robin "Birdy" Perry, a new army recruit from Harlem, isn't quite sure why he joined the army, but he's sure where he's headed: Iraq. Birdy and the others in the Civilian Affairs Battalion are supposed to help secure and stabilize the country and successfully interact with the Iraqi people. But the young men and women in the CA unit have a simpler name for it:
 - ▣ WAR

Sweetheart by Sara Zare



- As children, Jennifer Harris and Cameron Quick were both social outcasts. They were also each other's only friend. So when Cameron disappeared without warning, Jennifer thought she'd lost the one person who would ever understand her. Now in high school, Jennifer has been transformed. She is now known as Jena and is everything "Jennifer" couldn't be. When Cameron suddenly reappears, they both are confronted with memories of their shared past and the drastically different paths their lives have taken

Zorgamazoo by Robert Weston



- ▣ I'll spin you the tale of Katrina Katrell, a girl full of courage who down in the subway, under the ground, saw something fantastical roaming around . . .
- ▣ I'd rather not say what she saw
- ▣ But if you are curious, clever and brave, then open this book and I'll leave it to you to uncover the secret of ZORGAMAZOO!

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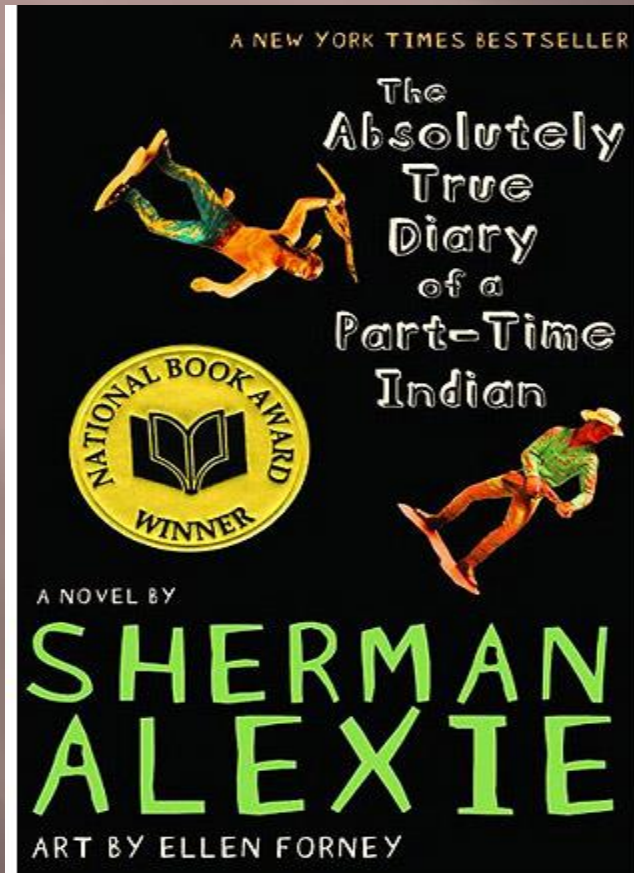
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The Absolutely True Diary of the Part-Time Indian

by Sherman Alexie

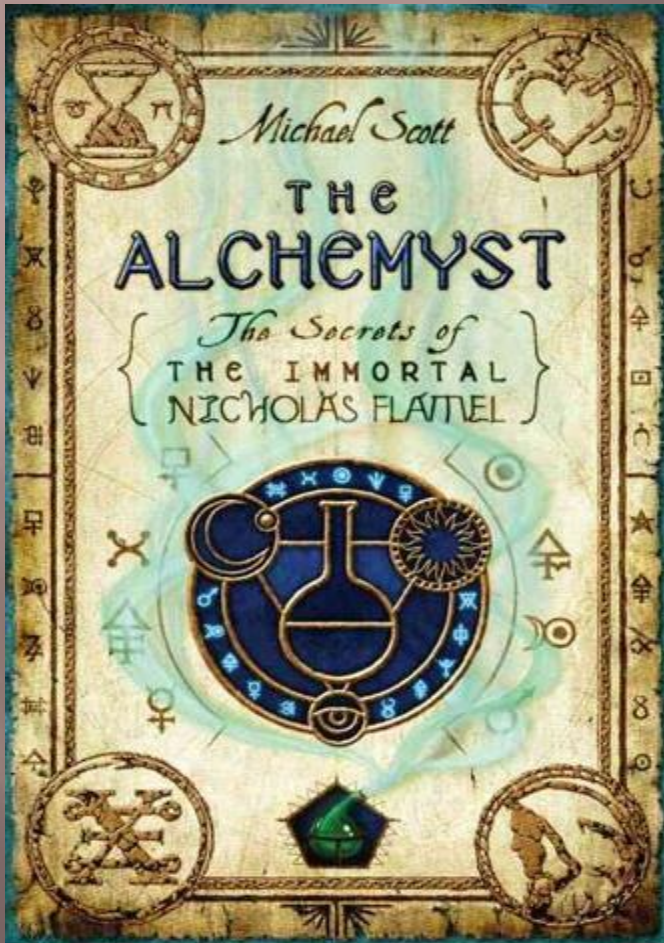


- Arnold “Jr.” spirit is 14 and lives on the rez
- He is poor-& SICK of being poor
- Chance to escape the reservation; transfers to a public “rich white school”
- At school he deals with stereotypes; alcoholism
- About figuring out who you are

- Genre: humor, coming of age

The Alchemist: The Secrets of the Immortal Nicholas Flamel

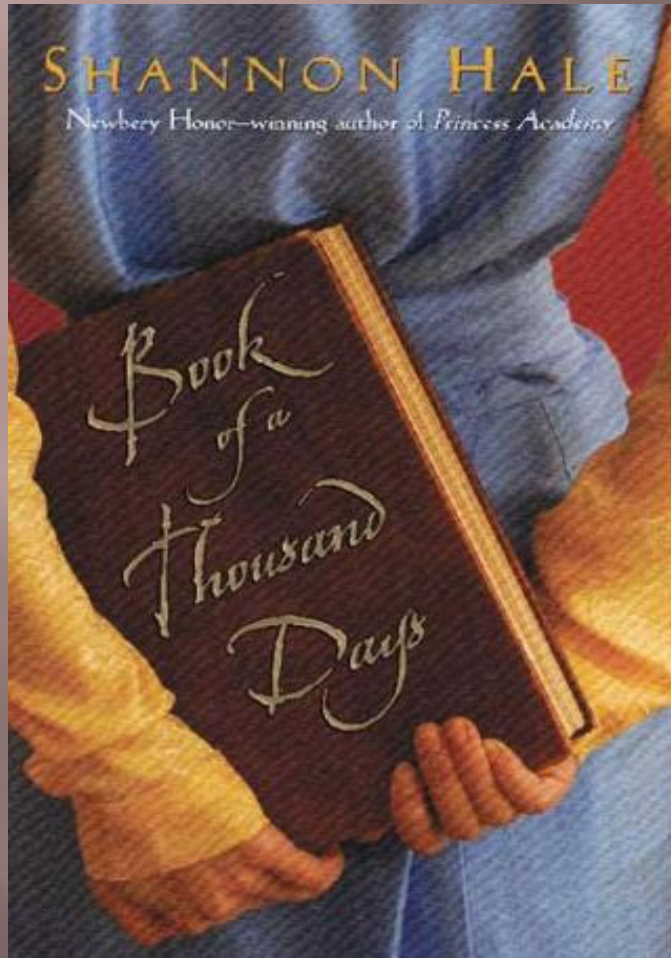
by Michael Scott



- ▣ Josh and Sophie: fifteen-year-old twins
- ▣ Caught up in a deadly struggle between 2 rival alchemists
- ▣ These men possess an ancient book with the secret formula for everlasting life and more...

The Book of a Thousand Days

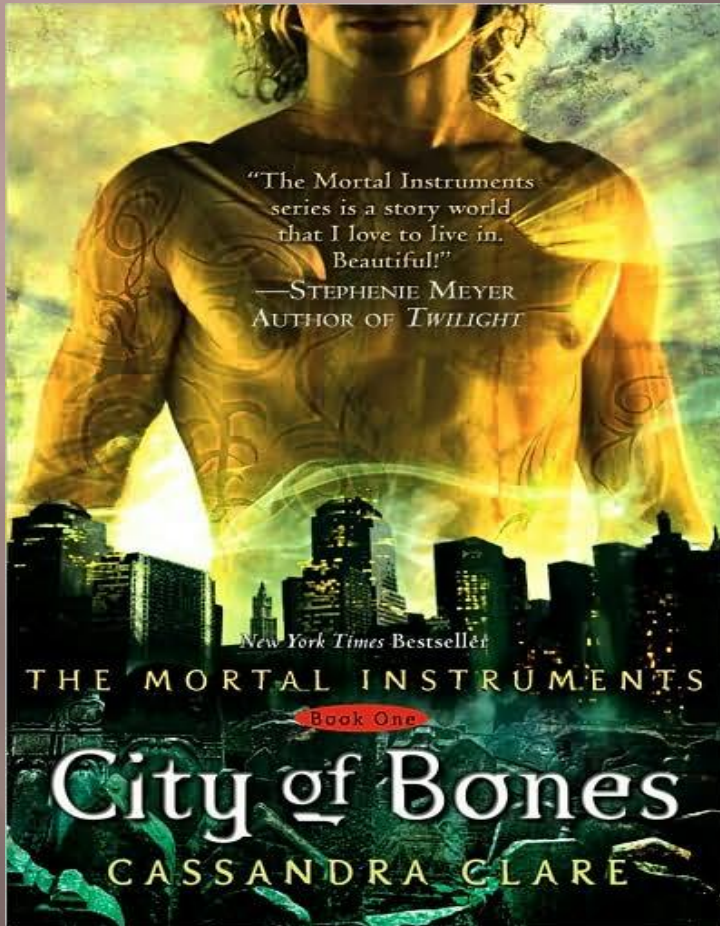
by Shannon Hale



- ▣ Dashti, fifteen, is sworn to obey her 16 year old mistress, Lady Saren
- ▣ They spend years locked in a tower as punishment
- ▣ Upon escaping, they must work as kitchen maids until Lady Saren can be brought safely to the arms of her true love

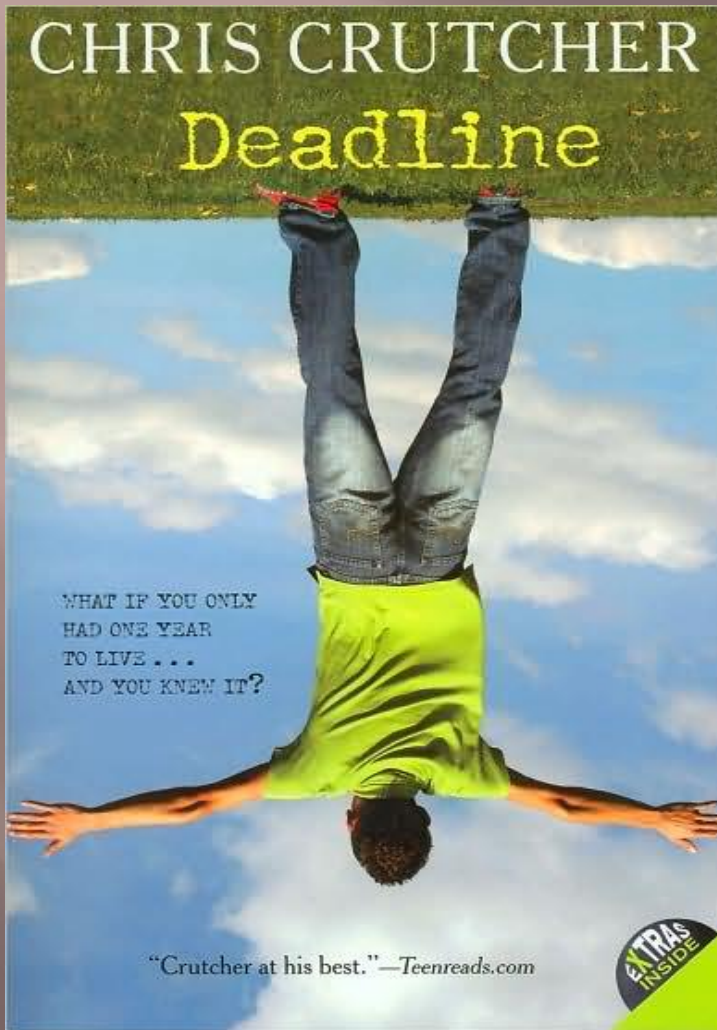
The Mortal Instruments: City of Bones

by Cassandra Clare



- ▣ Suddenly able to see demons and Dark Hunters, 15 year-old Clary Fray is drawn into a bizarre world
- ▣ Next her mother disappears, then Clary is almost killed

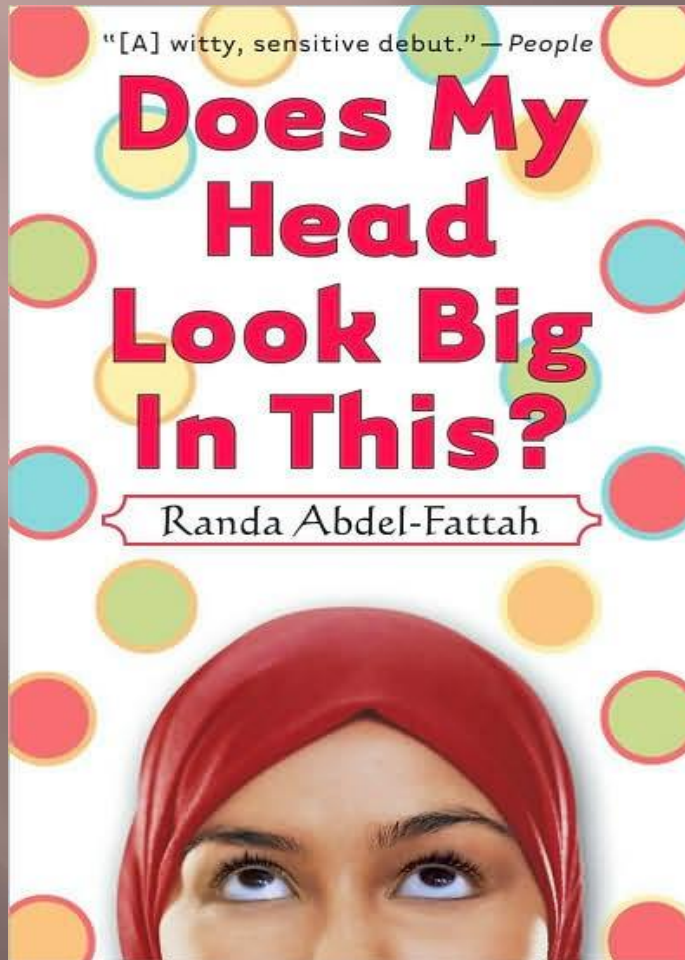
Deadline
by Chris Crutcher



- Given the medical diagnosis of 1 year to live, high school senior Ben decides to fulfill *all* his greatest fantasies
- He ponders his life purpose and legacy
- Converses through dreams with his spiritual guide “Hey-Soos”
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Does My Head Look Big in This?

by Randa Abdel-Fattah



- ▣ Grade 11 at an exclusive prep school in Melbourne, Australia, is tough enough
- ▣ Yet now Amal decides to wear the hijab, the Muslim head scarf, full-time as a badge of her faith, without losing her identity and sense of style

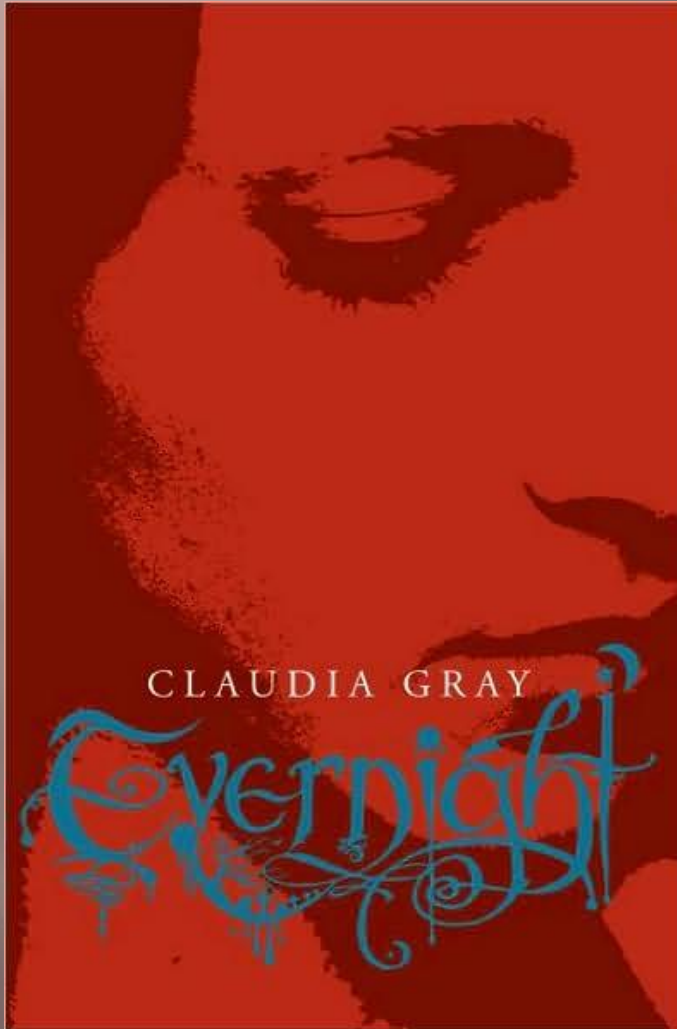
Enter Three Witches

by Caroline Cooney



- ❑ After her father is killed as a traitor, 14 year-old Lady Mary, a ward of the Macbeth's, is sent to the scullery
- ❑ Working there, she uncovers the couple's "secret plans"
- ❑ For more than Shakespeare buffs

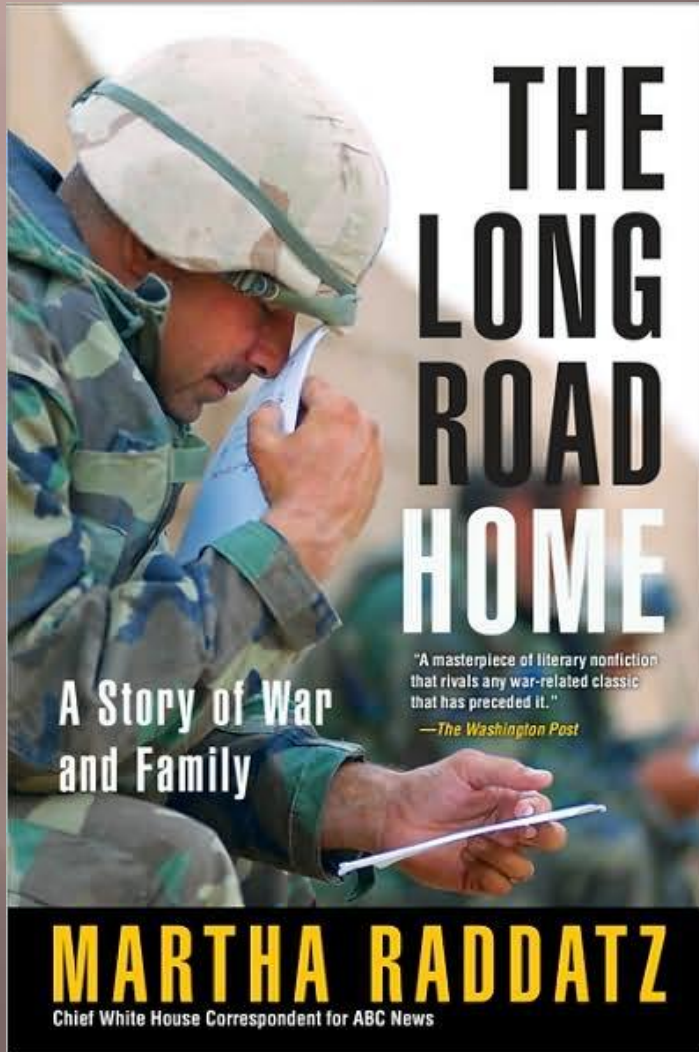
Evernight by Claudia Grey



- ▣ Bianca-
 - She never wanted to go to the Evernight Academy, a private school for the wealthy
 - She soon finds herself drawn to Lukas, another outsider
 - Both have a secret they are hiding
 - Genre: Vampire romance!

The Long Road Home

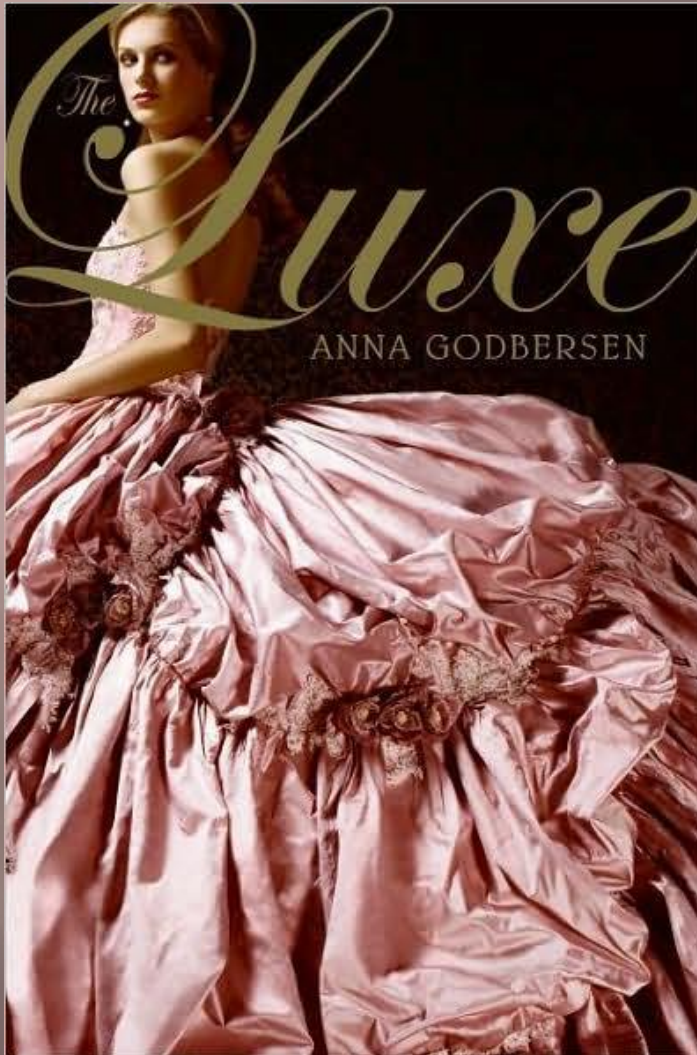
by Martha Raddatz



- ▣ A surprise attack on our troops in Sadr City, Iraq, April 2004
- ▣ Personal accounts of soldiers in battle
- ▣ Responses of family and friends waiting for news back home
- ▣ Riveting & accurate

The Luxe

by Anna Godbersen

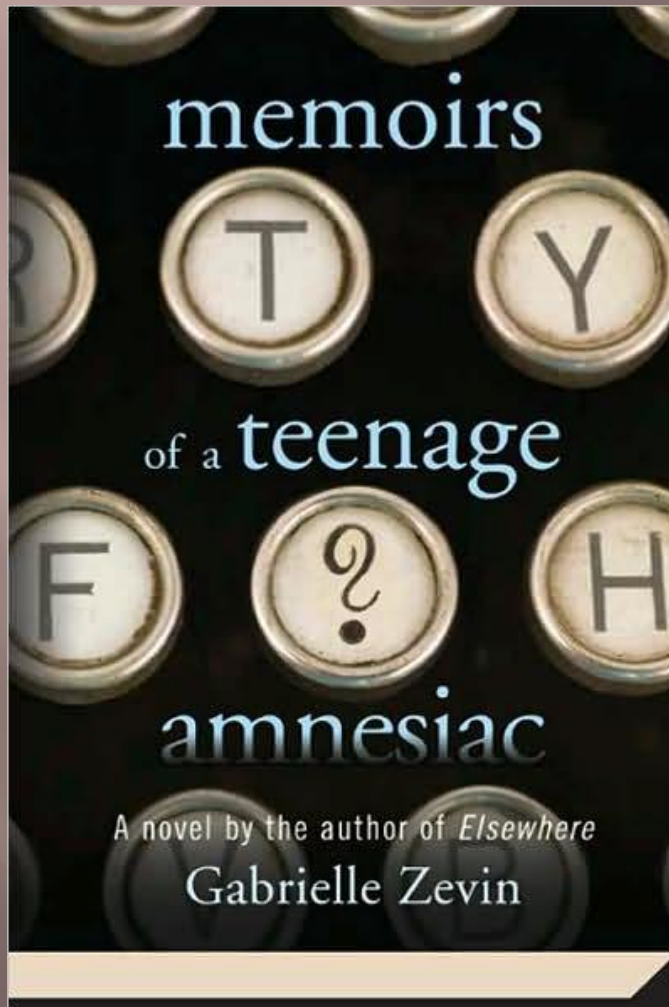


- ▣ That day was *supposed to be* her wedding, but instead it was her funeral!
- ▣ Set in 1899 in Manhattan with beautiful Elizabeth Holland, daughter of society 's ruling family in NYC
- ▣ What to do about the scandalous behavior of the teens of the time?

Memoirs of a Teenage

Amnesiac

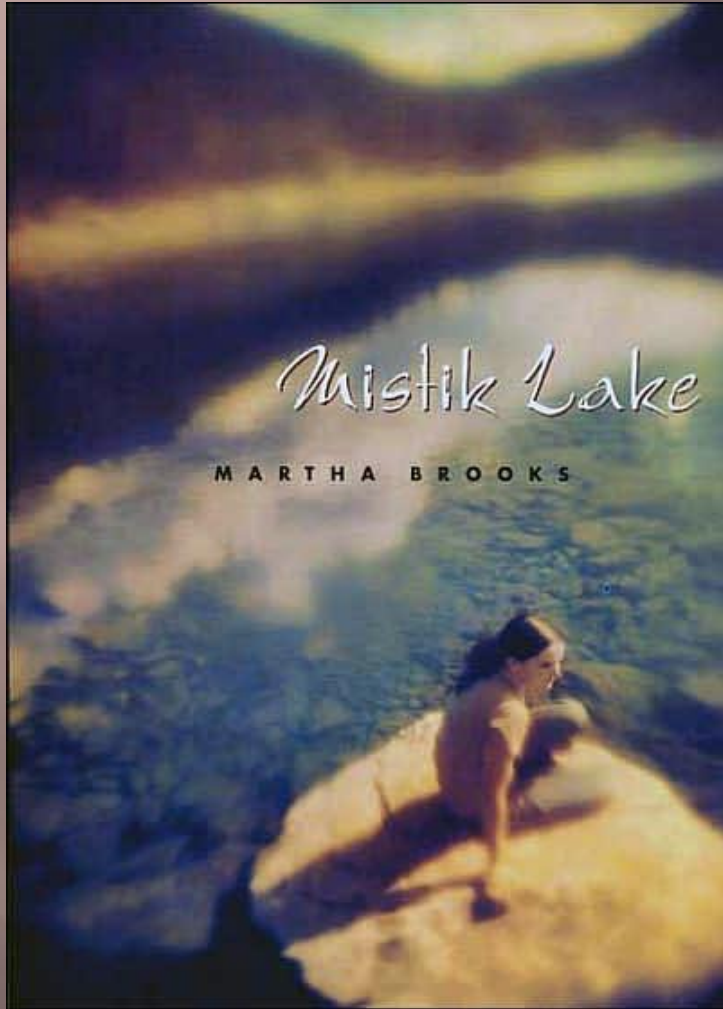
by Gabrielle Zevin



- After a nasty fall, 11th grader Naomi realizes she remembers nothing past 6th grade
- Her “boyfriend” tries to convince her of all sorts of things-as do her “best friends”
- She sets out to create a new identity, as she reassesses every aspect of the life she’s *supposed* to know

Mistik Lake

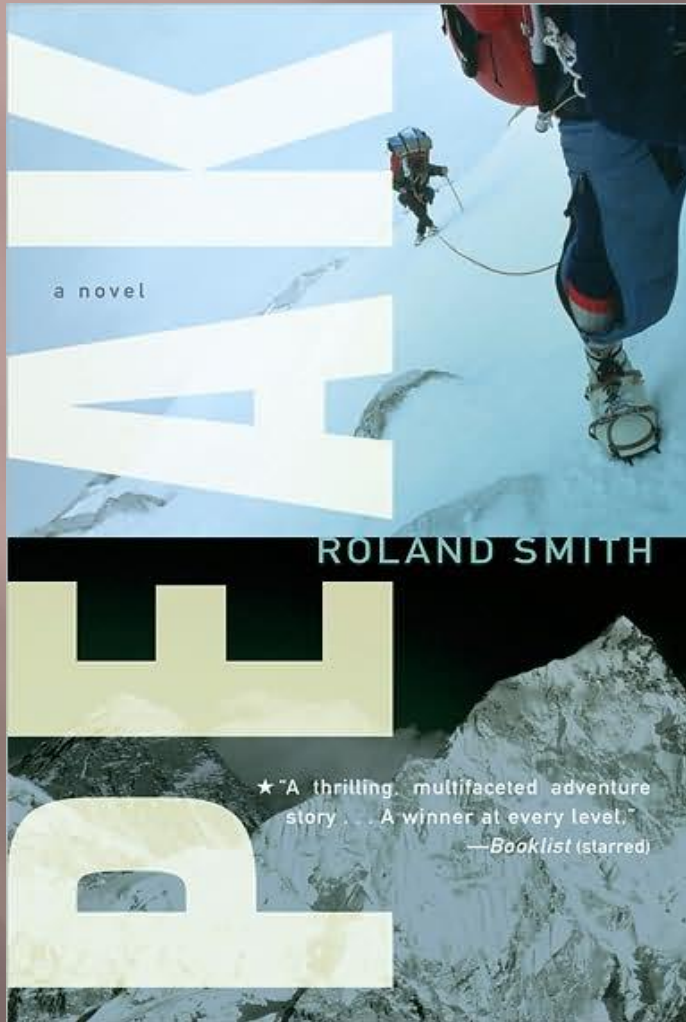
by Martha Brooks



- Odetta's mother abandons her entire family in Canada and moves to Iceland with another man
- After she dies, her children and husband finally learn some of the many secrets that have haunted them for two generations

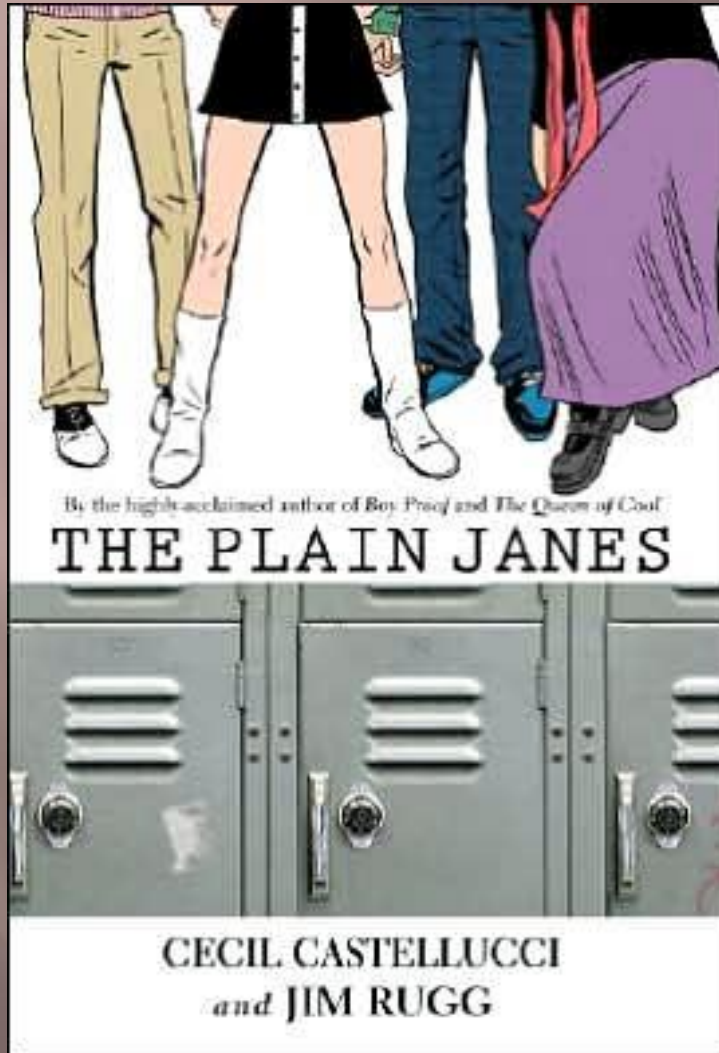
Peak

by Roland Smith



- ▣ Peak (14 years old)
- ▣ Busted for climbing and tagging the buildings of NYC
- ▣ His sentence includes leaving NYC to live with Dad, a famous mountain climber
- ▣ Trying to be the youngest kid to reach the top of Mt. Everest

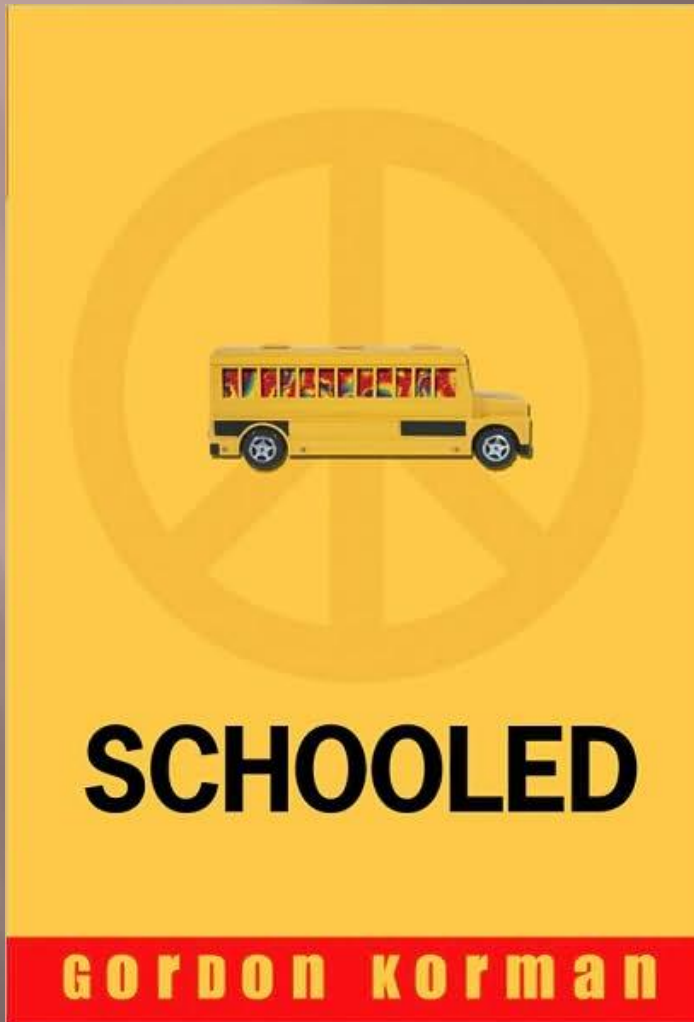
The Plain Janes by Castellucci & Rugg



- ▣ Jane is artistic and a sensitive
- ▣ 9/11 changed her world
- ▣ She's the new girl in town
- ▣ Creates an art gang of Janes

Schooled

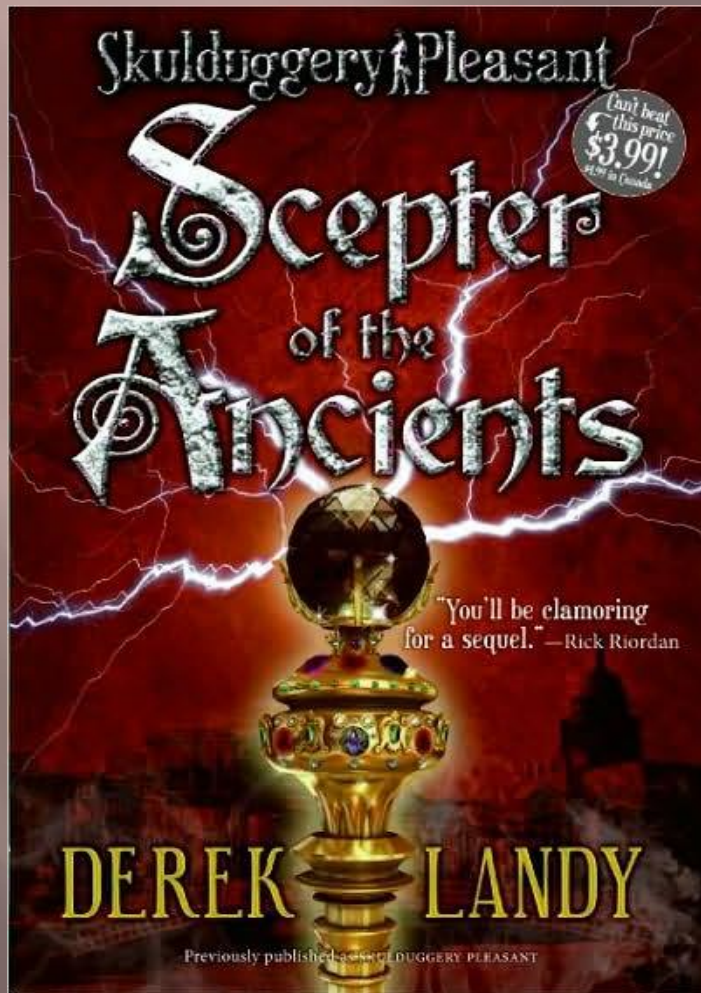
by Gordon Korman



- ▣ Cap lives in isolation with his grandmother, a former hippie
- ▣ But when she falls and breaks her leg, he's sent to a foster home
- ▣ And he has his first public school experience, complete with bullies, his first pizza, girls and Buddhism

Skulduggery Pleasant: Scepter of the Ancients

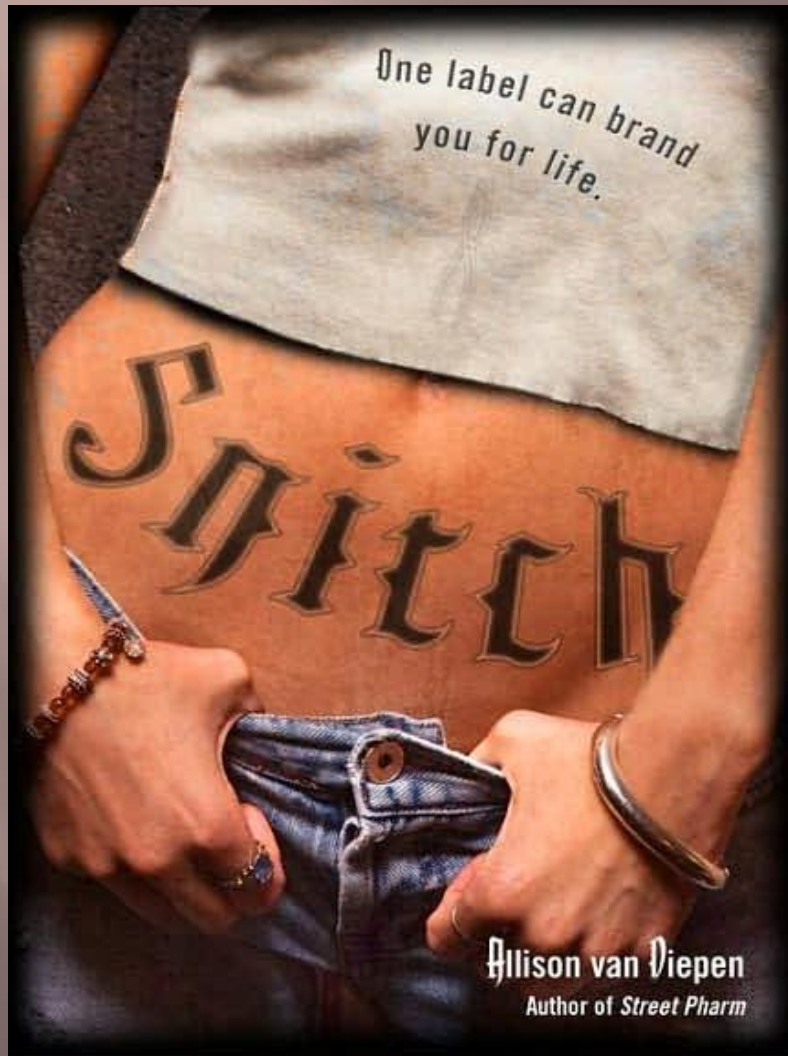
by Derek Landy



- Stephanie, bequeathed a mansion by her uncle that comes complete with a supernatural skeleton detective
- Finds herself acquiring magical powers and embarking on a quest to keep the powerful Scepter of the Ancients from falling into the hands of the evil Faceless Ones —
- All the while keeping everything a secret from her parents

Snitch

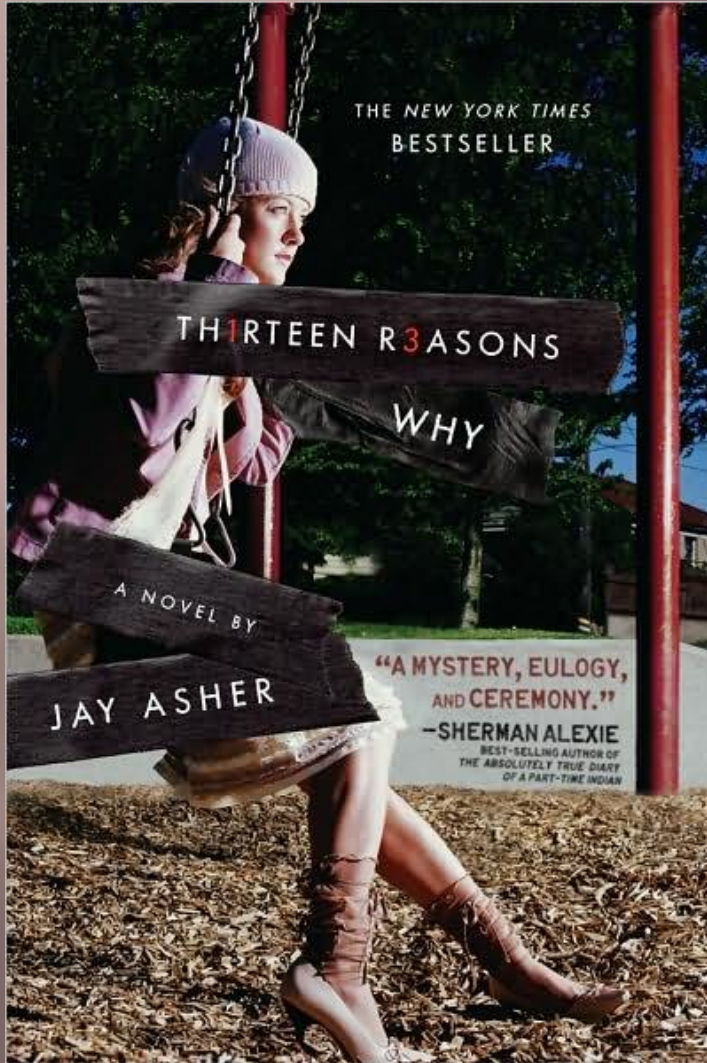
by Allison Van Diepen



- ▣ Julia DiVino, a college-bound student at South Bay High School, has vowed never to join a gang.
- ▣ Yet she faces some difficult decisions when her dream guy, Eric Valiente, becomes a gang member.

Thirteen Reasons Why

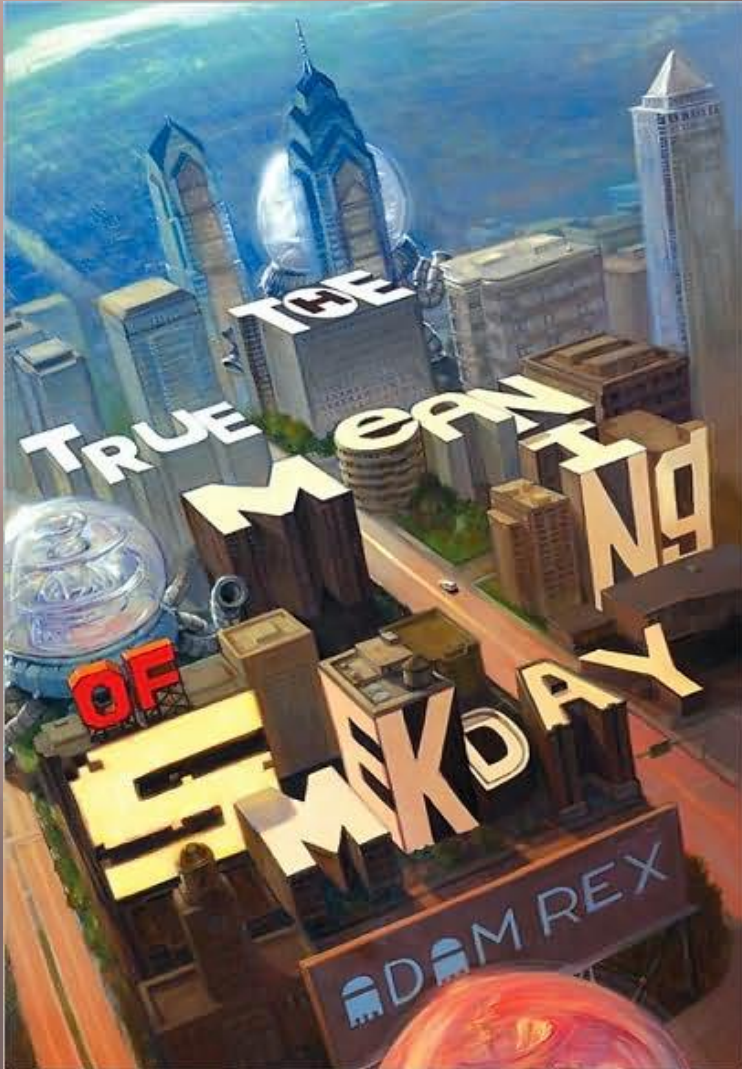
by Jay Asher



- Clay Jenkins receives a box in the mail containing tapes recorded by his dead classmate, Hannah, who was also his “crush”.
- On the tapes he hears Hannah, who committed suicide, recounting the events leading up to her death.

The True Meaning of Smekday

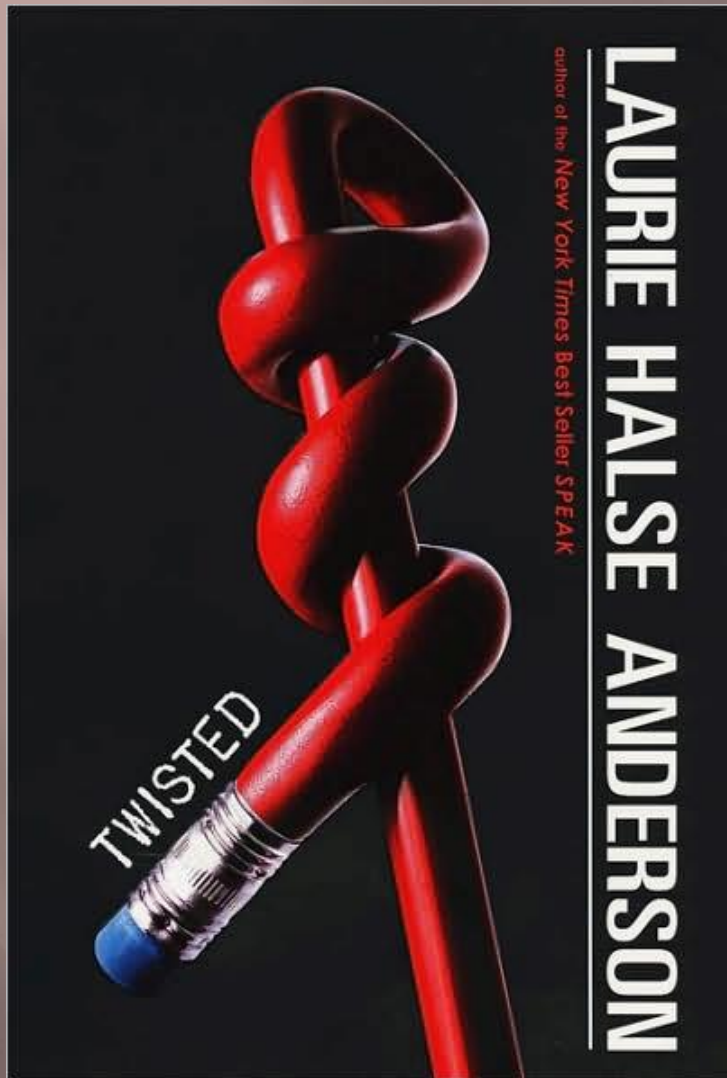
by Adam Rex



- ▣ Twelve-year-old Gratuity "Tip" Tucci is left to fend for herself after Earth is colonized by aliens and her mother is abducted.
- ▣ She must try to stop another alien invasion with only the help of a cat named Pig and an alien named J. Lo.

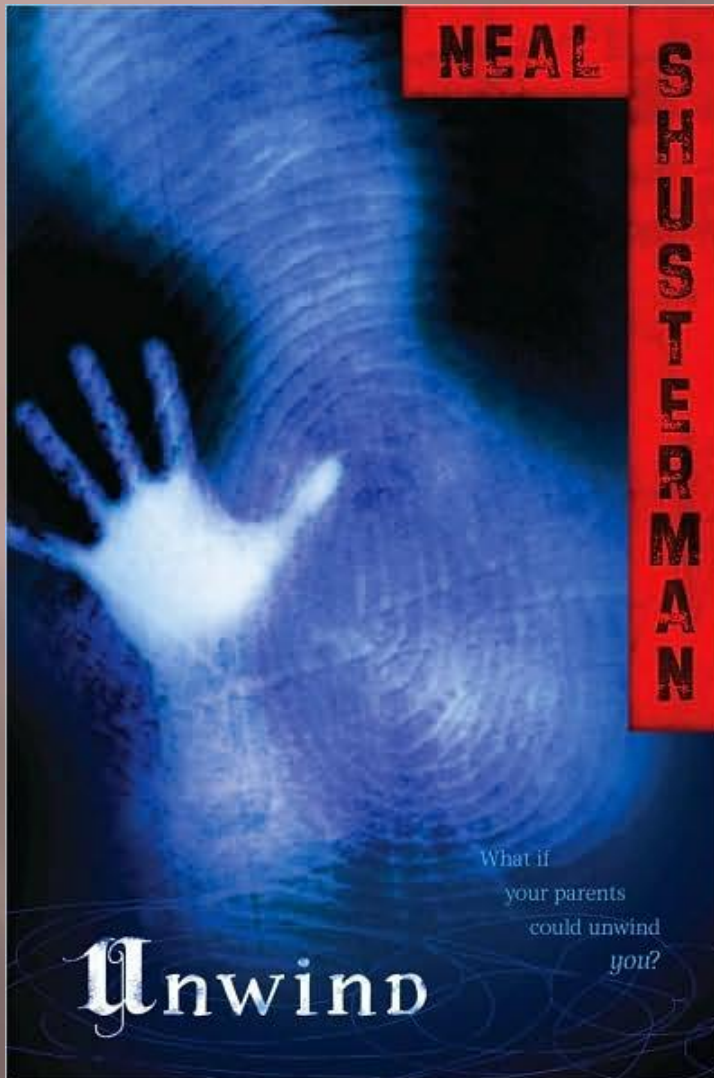
Twisted

by Laurie Halse Anderson



- ▣ Tyler, seventeen, is bullied at school & at home
- ▣ Yet he enjoys his tough new reputation and the attentions of a popular girl
- ▣ But when life starts to go bad again, he must choose between transforming himself or giving in to his destructive thoughts.

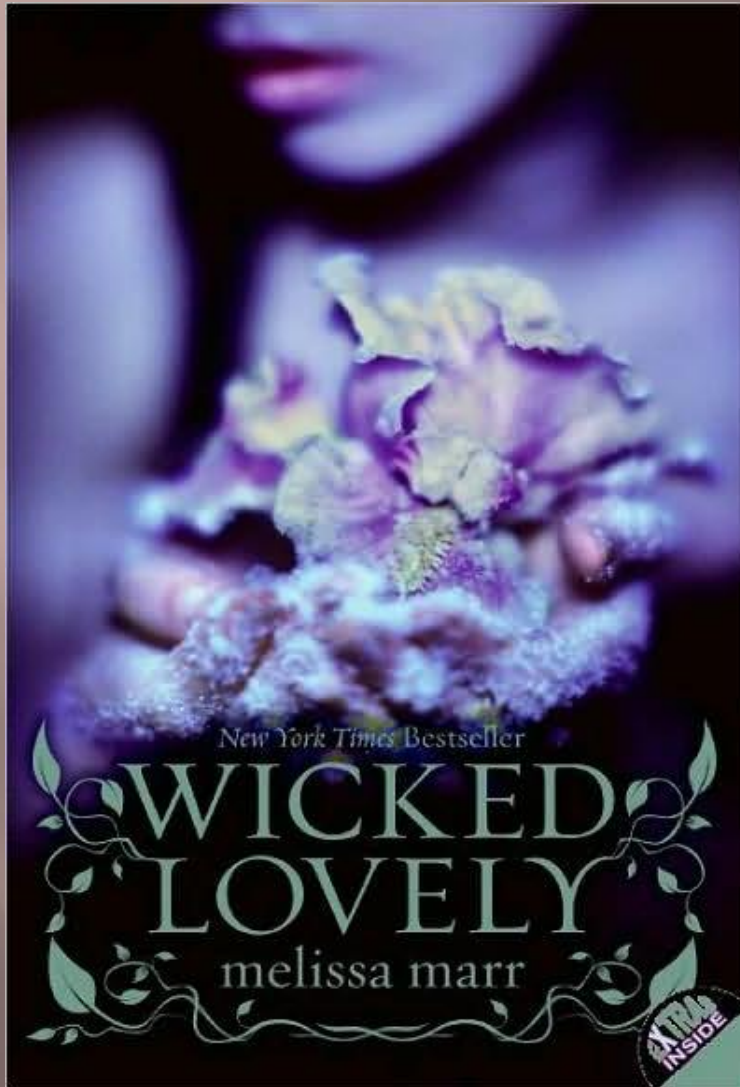
Unwind by Neal Shusterman



- ▣ Connor, Risa, Lev:
- ▣ In this futuristic society, abortions are banned
- ▣ Bodies are “parted out” instead
- ▣ Their paths cross unexpectedly, and together they fight to change the system
- ▣ Genre: science fiction, dystopian societies

Wicked Lovely

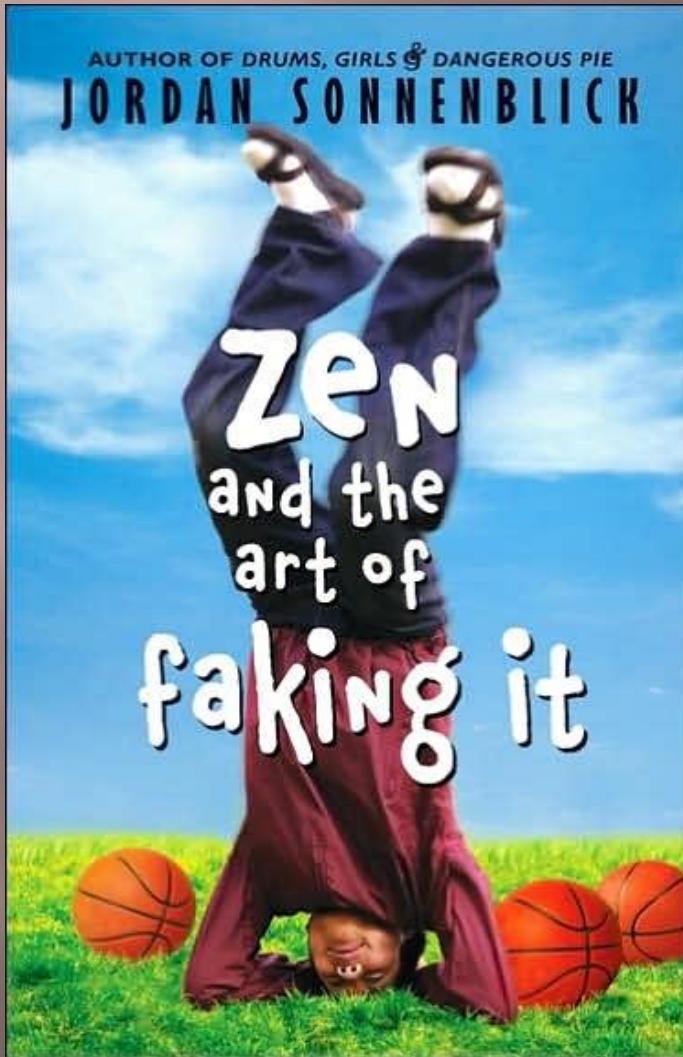
by Melissa Marr



- ▣ Seventeen-year-old Aislinn has the rare ability to see fairies.
- ▣ Drawn against her will into a centuries-old battle by Keenan, the terrifying but alluring Summer King, he determines that she must become his queen and save summer from perishing.

Zen and the Art of Faking It

by Jordan Sonnenblick



- ▣ San Lee, 13, moves to a new town and school for the umpteenth time, and looks for a way to stand out.
- ▣ His knowledge of Zen Buddhism, gained in his previous school, provides the answer-- and the need to quickly become a convincing Zen master.
- ▣ Maybe Woody, the wild-haired guitar-rocking girl of his dreams, will notice...

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