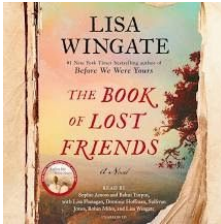
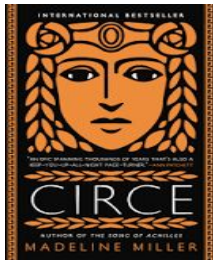


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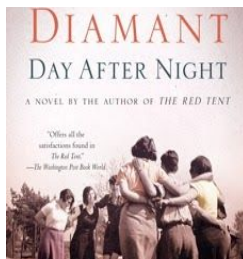
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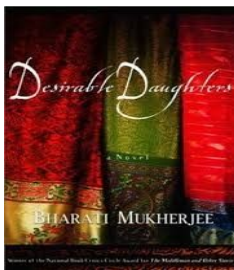
BOOK OF LOST FRIENDS - LISA WINGATE - three young women search for family amid the destruction of the post-Civil War South, and of a modern-day teacher who learns of their story and its vital connection to her students' lives.



CIRCE - MADELINE MILLER - a feminist take on reimagining the myth of Circe, an infamous goddess of the Odyssey



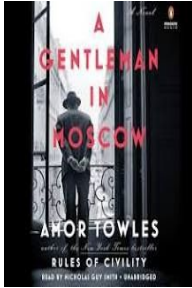
DAY AFTER NIGHT - ANITA DIAMANT - based on a true story, four women who survived the Holocaust find salvation in the bonds of friendship



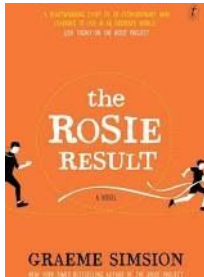
DESIRABLE DAUGHTERS - BHARATI MUKHERJEE - the diverging paths of 3 Calcutta born sisters as they come of age in a changing world.



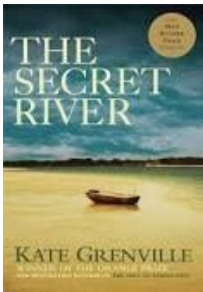
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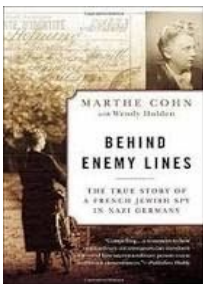


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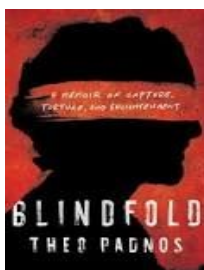


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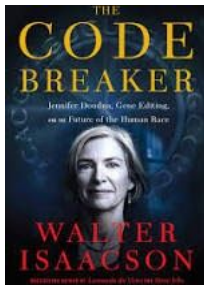
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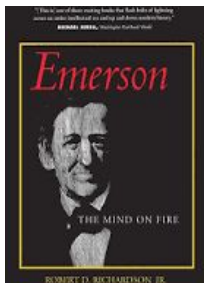


BLINDFOLD: A MEMOIR OF CAPTURE, TORTURE AND ENLIGHTENMENT -THEO PADNOS - a journalist's account of being kidnapped and tortured by al Qaeda in Syria



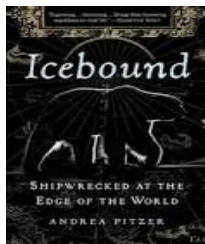
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Nobel Prize winner Jennifer Doudna and her colleagues launched a revolution that could allow us to cure diseases, fend off viruses, and have healthier babies.



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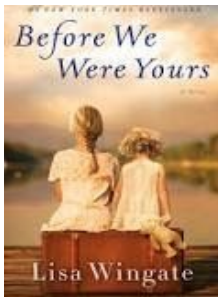
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CHILDRENS

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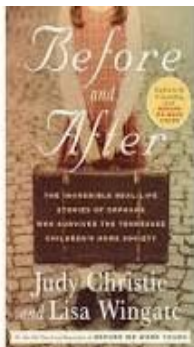
EXCESSIVE ALPHABET - JUDI BARRETT - avalanches of A's to Zillions of Z's

PAIRINGS



(FIC) BEFORE WE WERE YOURS - LISA WINGATE -

Fictionalized account of the plight of the orphans of the Tennessee Children's Home Society



(NON-FIC) BEFORE AND AFTER - JUDIE CHRISTIE AND LISA WINGATE

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