

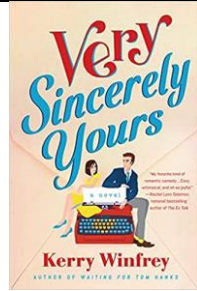
August 2021 new books coming soon

		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>As A Woman</b> By Paula Stone Williams</p> <p><b>This moving and unforgettable memoir of a transgender pastor’s transition from male to female is an “audacious, gripping, and profoundly real journey that speaks to the mind, heart, and soul” (Joshua J. Dickson, director of Faith Based Initiatives, Biden Campaign)—perfect for fans of <i>Redefining Realness</i> and <i>There Is Room for You</i>.</b></p>
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>He Betrothed</b> By Kiera Cass</p> <p><b>Kiera Cass is back with a glittering royal romance sure to captivate her legion of loyal readers and lovers of courtly intrigue alike.</b></p>
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Butcher Pen Road</b> By Kris Lackey</p> <p>On Oklahoma's Big Rock Prairie, a deaf boy finds a body in Pennington Creek. Johnston County Deputy Hannah Bond and Chickasaw Lighthouse Police Sergeant Bill Maytubby find a crime scene where nothing seems to fit -- from the dead angler's oversize waders to the kind of fish in his creel. They scour the creekside brush, then hit the road for Texas in a widening search for the killer.</p>
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dead Dead Girls</b> By AFia Nekasa</p> <p><b>The start of an exciting new historical mystery series set during the Harlem Renaissance from debut author Nekesa Afia</b></p>
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Draw and Order</b> By Cheryl Hollon</p> <p><b><i>Appalachian artist and local guide Miranda Trent opens a new murder investigation after her Paint &amp; Shine tour group discovers the remains of a missing hiker along an ancient trail . . .</i></b></p>

	<p>A Duke in Time By Janna Gregor</p> <p><b>A <i>Duke in Time</i> is the first book in a three-story arc that will have you rooting for leading heroines, searching for lost dowries, and falling for swoon-worthy heroes.</b></p>
	<p>Hope on the Range By Cindi Madsen</p> <p>Brady Dawson grew up in the Colorado heartland running the Turn Around Ranch with his parents and his brothers.</p>
	<p>Fifty Words for Rain By Asha Lemmie</p> <p><b>From debut author Asha Lemmie, “a lovely, heartrending story about love and loss, prejudice and pain, and the sometimes dangerous, always durable ties that link a family together.” —Kristin Hannah, #1 <i>New York Times</i>–bestselling author of <i>The Nightingale</i></b></p>
	<p>I’m Thinking of Ending Things By Iain Reid</p> <p><b>Now a Netflix original movie, this deeply scary and intensely unnerving novel follows a couple in the midst of a twisted unraveling of the darkest unease. You will be scared. But you won’t know why...</b></p>
	<p>It Happened One Summer By Tessa Bailey</p> <p><b>Tessa Bailey is back with a <i>Schitt’s Creek</i>-inspired rom-com about a Hollywood “It Girl” who’s cut off from her wealthy family and exiled to a small Pacific Northwest beach town... where she butts heads with a surly, sexy local who thinks she doesn’t belong.</b></p>

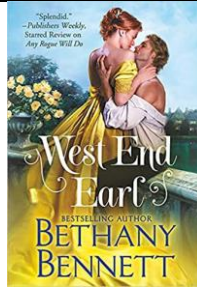
	<p style="text-align: center;">Love Scenes By Bridget Morrissey</p> <p>Acting like she's in love with her handsome nightmare of a co-star—in a movie directed and produced by her complicated Hollywood royalty family—is Sloane's job. But what happens when the lines between script and reality get blurred?</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">The Love Songs of W.E.B. Du Bois By Honoree Fanonne Jeffers</p> <p>The award-winning poet and essayist makes her fiction debut with this magisterial epic—an intimate yet sweeping novel with the freshness and forcefulness of <i>Homegoing</i>, <i>The Turner House</i>, and <i>The Water Dancer</i>—that chronicles the journey of one American family from the centuries of the colonial slave trade through the Civil War to our own tumultuous time.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Man on Fire By Humphrey Hawksley</p> <p><i>A tense firefight on the Russian-American border heralds the start of a terrifying high-stakes mission for special forces agent Major Rake Ozenna in this gripping espionage thriller.</i></p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. March By Virginia Pelto</p> <p>George March's latest novel is a smash. No one could be prouder than his dutiful wife, Mrs. March, who revels in his accolades.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Pack Up the Moon By Kristan Higgins</p> <p>Joshua and Lauren are the perfect couple. Newly married, they're wildly in love, each on a successful and rewarding career path. Then Lauren is diagnosed with a terminal illness.</p>

	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Paper Palace</b> By Miranda Cowley Heller</p> <p>It is a perfect July morning, and Elle, a fifty-year-old happily married mother of three, awakens at “The Paper Palace”—the family summer place which she has visited every summer of her life.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Parting Glass</b> By Lissa Marie Redmond</p> <p><i>While on Injured on Duty status, Lauren Riley's hired as a private investigator to travel to rural Ireland in search of a Picasso painting stolen twenty years earlier in this nerve-shredding thriller.</i></p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Razorblade Tears</b> By S.A. Cosby</p> <p>Ike Randolph has been out of jail for fifteen years, with not so much as a speeding ticket in all that time. But a Black man with cops at the door knows to be afraid.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Stranger in the Mirror</b> By Liv Constantine</p> <p><b>A diabolically twisty, psychologically unsettling novel about a woman with no recollection of her past from the authors of the Reese Witherspoon Book Club pick <i>The Last Mrs. Parrish</i> and <i>The Wife Stalker</i>.</b></p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Temple House Vanishing</b> By Rachel Donohue</p> <p>Perched high atop a seaside cliff in Ireland, a lonely Victorian mansion is home to Temple House School. And at Temple House, nothing is ever as it seems.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Version Zero</b> By David Yoon</p> <p><b>Three friends. One broken world. And a quest to save it.</b></p>



Very Sincerely Yours  
By Kerry Winfrey

Teddy Phillips never thought she would still be spending every day surrounded by toys at almost thirty years old. But working at a vintage toy store is pretty much all she has going on in her life after being unceremoniously dumped by her longtime boyfriend.



West End Earl  
By Bethany Bennett

While most young ladies attend balls and hunt for husbands, Ophelia Hardwick has spent the last ten years in disguise. As the land steward for the Earl of Carlyle, she's found safety from the uncle determined to kill her and freedoms a lady could only dream of. Ophelia's situation would be perfect—if only she wasn't hopelessly attracted to her employer.



When Evil Lived In Laurel  
By Curtis Wilkie

**The inside story of how a courageous FBI informant helped to bring down the KKK organization responsible for a brutal civil rights-era killing.**