

Access Free A
Boy S Own Story

A Boy S Own Story

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BESTSELLER •
WINNER OF THE
PULITZER PRIZE •
*A searing, post-
apocalyptic
novel about a
father and son's
fight to
survive, this*

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"tale of survival and the miracle of goodness only adds to McCarthy's stature as a living master. It's gripping, frightening and, ultimately, beautiful" (San Francisco Chronicle). A

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*father and his
son walk alone
through burned
America. Nothing
moves in the
ravaged
landscape save
the ash on the
wind. It is cold
enough to crack
stones, and when
the snow falls
it is gray. The
sky is dark.*

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*Their
destination is
the coast,
although they
don't know what,
if anything,
awaits them
there. They have
nothing; just a
pistol to defend
themselves
against the
lawless bands
that stalk the*

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road, the clothes they are wearing, a cart of scavenged food—and each other. The Road is the profoundly moving story of a journey. It boldly imagines a future in which no hope remains, but in

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*which the father
and his son,
"each the
other's world
entire," are
sustained by
love. Awesome in
the totality of
its vision, it
is an
unflinching
meditation on
the worst and
the best that we*

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*are capable of:
ultimate
destructiveness,
desperate
tenacity, and
the tenderness
that keeps two
people alive in
the face of
total
devastation.*

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stunning

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“portrait of the enduring grace of friendship” (NPR) about the families we are born into, and those that we make for ourselves. A masterful depiction of love in the twenty-first century. A

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AWARD FINALIST •

A MAN BOOKER
PRIZE FINALIST •

WINNER OF THE
KIRKUS PRIZE A

Little Life
follows four
college classmat
es—broke,

adrift, and
buoyed only by
their friendship
and ambition—as

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*they move to New
York in search
of fame and
fortune. While
their
relationships,
which are tinged
by addiction,
success, and
pride, deepen
over the
decades, the men
are held
together by*

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*their devotion
to the
brilliant,
enigmatic Jude,
a man scarred by
an unspeakable
childhood
trauma. A hymn
to brotherly
bonds and a
masterful
depiction of
love in the
twenty-first*

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century, Hanya Yanagihara's stunning novel is about the families we are born into, and those that we make for ourselves. Look for Hanya Yanagihara's new novel, To Paradise, coming in January 2022.

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A young gay man experiences the pain of growing out of adolescence and struggles to come to terms with his homosexuality and his desire for power as society moves from the constrained

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*1950s to the
expressive
1960s. Reprint.
Edmund White's
charming, funny,
telling series
of vignettes of
the Paris
neighborhood
where he and his
lover, French
architect and
illustrator
Hubert Sorin,*

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*lived. In this
ode to Pairs,
the everyday
becomes
extraordinary
with White's
observations
accompanied by
Sorin's
illustrations.
With characters
like Father
Pierre Riches,
the "kind and*

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*elegant”
catholic priest
whose hair had
been stroked by
Cavafy, to Billy
Boy, the jewelry
designer with
16,000 Barbies,
there is
delightful
eccentricity to
this
collaboration.
Written during*

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Sorin's decline to AIDS, Our Paris is a poignant look at the couple and the city they loved.

*A Boy's Own Dale
The Revelations
and Wild Times
of a Young Skin
A Complete
Encyclopedia of
All Athletic,
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*Scientific,
Recreative,
Outdoor and
Indoor Exercises
and Diversions
The Children's
Relaxation Book
The Boy
Sacred Monsters
Golding's iconic
1954 novel, now
with a new
foreword by Lois*

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Lowry, remains one of the greatest books ever written for young adults and an unforgettable classic for readers of any age. This edition includes a new Suggestions for Further Reading by

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*Jennifer Buehler.
At the dawn of the
next world war, a
plane crashes on
an uncharted
island, stranding a
group of
schoolboys. At
first, with no adult
supervision, their
freedom is
something to*

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*celebrate. This far
from civilization
they can do
anything they
want. Anything.
But as order
collapses, as
strange howls
echo in the night,
as terror begins its
reign, the hope of
adventure seems*

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*as far removed
from reality as the
hope of being
rescued.*

*An Alabama boy's
innocence is
shaken by murder
and madness in
the 1960s South in
this novel by the
New York
Times–bestselling*

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*author of Swan
Song. It's 1964 in
idyllic Zephyr,
Alabama. People
either work for the
paper mill up the
Tecumseh River,
or for the local
dairy. It's a simple
life, but it stirs the
impressionable
imagination of*

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*twelve-year-old
aspiring writer
Cory Mackenson.
He's certain he's
sensed spirits
whispering in the
churchyard. He's
heard of the weird
bootleggers who
lurk in the dark
outside of town.
He's seen a flood*

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*leave Main Street
crawling with
snakes. Cory thrills
to all of it as only a
young boy can.*

*Then one morning,
while*

*accompanying his
father on his milk
route, he sees a
car careen off the
road and slowly*

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*sink into
fathomless
Saxon's Lake. His
father dives into
the icy water to
rescue the driver,
and finds a beaten
corpse, naked and
handcuffed to the
steering wheel—a
copper wire
tightened around*

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the stranger's neck. In time, the townsfolk seem to forget all about the unsolved murder. But Cory and his father can't. Their search for the truth is a journey into a world where innocence and evil collide. What lies

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before them is the stuff of fear and awe, magic and madness, fantasy and reality. As Cory wades into the deep end of Zephyr and all its mysteries, he'll discover that while the pleasures of childish things

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*fade away,
growing up can be
a strange and
beautiful ride.*

*“Strongly echoing
the childhood-
elegies of King
and Bradbury, and
every bit their
equal,” Boy’s Life,
a winner of both
the Bram Stoker*

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and World Fantasy Awards, represents a brilliant blend of mystery and rich atmosphere, the finest work of one of today's most accomplished writers (Kirkus Reviews).

A son of Chinese

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*immigrants
discovers his true
self in a “sharply
written debut . . . a
coming-of-age tale
for our time”*

(Seattle Times).

Publishing

Triangle’s

Edmund White

Award for Debut

Fiction, Winner

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*2015 PEN/
Hemingway
Award, Finalist
Lambda Literary
Award, Finalist
Longlisted for the
2014 Flaherty-
Dunnan First
Novel Prize A
Barnes & Noble
Discover Great
New Writers*

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*Selection for
Spring 2014 A
New York Times
Book Review
Editor's Choice
Shortlisted for the
Kobo Emerging
Writer Prize At
birth, Peter Huang
is given the
Chinese name
Juan Chaun,*

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*“powerful king.”
To his parents,
newly settled in
small-town
Ontario, he is the
exalted only son in
a sea of
daughters, the one
who will finally
fulfill his immigrant
father’s dreams of
Western*

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masculinity. Peter and his sisters grow up in an airless house of order and obligation, though secrets and half-truths simmer beneath the surface. At the first opportunity, each of the girls lights

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*out on her own.
But for Peter,
escape is not as
simple as fleeing
his parents' home.
Though his father
crowned him
"powerful king,"
Peter knows
otherwise. He
knows he is really
a girl. With the*

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help of his far-flung sisters and the sympathetic souls he finds along the way, Peter inches ever closer to his own life, his own skin, in this darkly funny, emotionally acute, stunningly powerful debut.

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“Sensitively wrought . . . “For Today I Am a Boy” is as much about the construction of self as the consequences of its unwitting destruction—and what happens when its acceptance seems

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*as foreign as
another country.”*
—*The New York
Times Book
Review* “*Subtle
and controlled,
with flashes of
humor and
warmth.*” —*Slate*
“*Keeps you
reading. Told in
snatches of*

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*memory that hurt
so much they have
the ring of truth.”*

—Bust

*As The Giving
Tree turns fifty, this
timeless classic is
available for the
first time ever in
ebook format. This
digital edition
allows young*

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*readers and
lifelong fans to
continue the
legacy and love of
a classic that will
now reach an even
wider audience.*

*"Once there was a
tree...and she
loved a little boy."
So begins a story
of unforgettable*

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*perception,
beautifully written
and illustrated by
the gifted and
versatile Shel
Silverstein. This
moving parable for
all ages offers a
touching
interpretation of
the gift of giving
and a serene*

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*acceptance of
another's capacity
to love in return.
Every day the boy
would come to the
tree to eat her
apples, swing from
her branches, or
slide down her
trunk...and the tree
was happy. But as
the boy grew older*

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he began to want more from the tree, and the tree gave and gave and gave. This is a tender story, touched with sadness, aglow with consolation. Shel Silverstein's incomparable career as a

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*bestselling
children's book
author and
illustrator began
with Lafcadio, the
Lion Who Shot
Back. He is also
the creator of
picture books
including A Giraffe
and a Half, Who
Wants a Cheap*

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*Rhinoceros?, The
Missing Piece, The
Missing Piece
Meets the Big O,
and the perennial
favorite The Giving
Tree, and of
classic poetry
collections such as
Where the
Sidewalk Ends, A
Light in the Attic,*

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*Falling Up, Every
Thing On It, Don't
Bump the Glump!,
and Runny Babbit.
And don't miss the
other Shel
Silverstein ebooks,
Where the
Sidewalk Ends
and A Light in the
Attic!*

My Side of the

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Mountain

A Novel

The Boy's Own

Manual to Being a

Proper Jew

The Giving Tree

A Boy's Own Story

of Imaginary

Combat

As the 1960's drew

to a close, parents

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across Britain raised a curious eyebrow as their long-haired children suddenly returned home with shaven heads, sporting Levi's jeans and vicious looking army boots, pleading for three quid to buy a Harrington jacket from the market. The skinhead was born and a youth culture

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stronger and more widespread than any other, before or since, took Britain by storm. Marting King was one of them.

Boys and girls alike embraced this new working-class fashion and music - the West Indian reggae sounds of Blue Beat and the strong sense of identity they

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fostered. For a couple of summers the media would have it that England was under seige, when the young skins paraded at seaside resorts on bank holidays and later on terraces at nearly every football ground across the country. With his passion for Chelsea FC and their

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growing reputation
as the skinhead club
forming a backdrop,
King artfully and
humorously
describes the heady
mix of pleasures
which were all part
of life as a teenager
growing up in
working-class south
London in the late
60's

“An extraordinary

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novel” about growing up gay in the 1950s American Midwest (The New York Times Book Review).

Critically lauded upon its initial publication in 1982 for its pioneering depiction of homosexuality, A Boy’s Own Story is a moving tale about coming-of-age in

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midcentury America. With searing clarity and unabashed wit, Edmund White's unnamed protagonist yearns for what he knows to be shameful. He navigates an uneasy relationship with his father, confounds first loves, and faces disdain from his peers at school. In

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the embrace of another, he discovers the sincere and clumsy pleasures of adolescent sexuality. But for boys in the 1950s, these desires were unthinkable. Looking back on his experiences, the narrator notes, "I see now that what I wanted was to be loved by men and to

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love them back but not to be a homosexual.” From a winner of the PEN/Saul Bellow Award for Lifetime Achievement in Literature, this trailblazing autobiographical story of one boy’s youth is a moving, tender, and heartbreaking

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portrait of what it means to grow up. When his parents want him to change back into a human boy, Peter the dog comes up with a novel solution. From legendary writer Edmund White, a bold and sweeping new novel that traces the extraordinary fates

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of twin sisters, one destined for Parisian nobility and the other for Catholic sainthood Yvette and Yvonne Crawford are twin sisters, born on a humble patch of East Texas prairie but bound for far grander fates. Just as an untold fortune of oil lies beneath their daddy's land, both

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girls harbour their own secrets and dreams -ones that will carry them far from Texas and from each other. As the decades unfold, Yvonne will ascend the highest ranks of Parisian society as Yvette gives herself to a lifetime of worship and service in the streets of

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Jericó, Colombia. And yet, even as they remake themselves in their radically different lives, the twins find that the bonds of family and the past are unbreakable.

Spanning the 1950s to the recent past, Edmund White's marvellous novel serves up an

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immensely pleasurable epic of two Texas women as their lives traverse varied worlds: the swaggering opulence of the Dallas nouveau riche, the airless pretention of the Paris gratin and the strict piety of a Colombian convent. Jack Holmes and His Friend

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Our Paris

There's a Boy in the
Girls' Bathroom

A 1950s childhood in
the Yorkshire Dales

My Life in New York
During the 1960s
and 1970s

Our Young Man

**A heartbreaking
and powerful
story about a
black boy killed**

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by a police officer, drawing connections through history, from award-winning author Jewell Parker Rhodes. Only the living can make the world better. Live and make it better.

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Twelve-year-old Jerome is shot by a police officer who mistakes his toy gun for a real threat. As a ghost, he observes the devastation that's been unleashed on

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his family and community in the wake of what they see as an unjust and brutal killing. Soon Jerome meets another ghost: Emmett Till, a boy from a very different time but similar

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**circumstances.
Emmett helps
Jerome process
what has
happened, on a
journey towards
recognizing how
historical racism
may have led to
the events that
ended his life.
Jerome also**

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**meets Sarah,
the daughter of
the police
officer, who
grapples with
her father's
actions. Once
again Jewell
Parker Rhodes
deftly weaves
historical and
socio-political**

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layers into a gripping and poignant story about how children and families face the complexities of today's world, and how one boy grows to understand American

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**blackness in the
aftermath of his
own death.**

**A boy and a
polar bear who
share a
friendship learn
to relax
together.**

**The beloved
bestseller from
Newbery**

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**Medalist and
National Book
Award winner
Louis Sachar
(Holes), with a
brand-new
cover! “Give me
a dollar or I’ll
spit on you.”
That’s Bradley
Chalkers for
you. He’s the**

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oldest kid in the fifth grade. He tells enormous lies. He picks fights with girls, and the teachers say he has serious behavior problems. No one likes him—except

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Carla, the new school counselor. She thinks Bradley is sensitive and generous, and she even enjoys his far-fetched stories. Carla knows that Bradley could change, if only

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**he weren't
afraid to try.
But when you
feel like the
most hated kid
in the whole
school,
believing in
yourself can be
the hardest
thing in the
world. . . .**

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**A fictional
account of one
man's struggle
to succeed as a
writer and to
discover what it
means to be gay
offers a journey
of remembrance
that ranges
from the 1960s
to the present**

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**day. By the
author of A
Boy's Own
Story. 30,000
first printing.
Peace Like a
River
A Saint from
Texas
A Boy and a
Bear
Drawn Together**

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**A Boy's Own
Story
Sketches from
Memory**

*At home, in school, and
on the streets, a
homosexual teenager
growing up in the 1950s
moves through comic
sexual experiments,
isolation, fear, and
exciting expectations
toward an escape from*

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childhood and a firm sense of self, in a twentieth anniversary edition of this classic coming-of-age gay novel. 10,000 first printing.

Vivid, authentic, this is the autobiography of a delinquent—his experiences, influences, attitudes, and values. The Jack-Roller helped to establish the life-

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history or "own story" as an important instrument of sociological research. The book remains as relevant today to the study and treatment of juvenile delinquency and maladjustment as it was when originally published in 1930.

When non-religious rebel Josh turns up at school, Yossi is asked to

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look after him, and while Yossi educates Josh on the ancient traditions of their race, Josh does some educating of his own. Through their relationship, Yossi learns to see the laws of Judaism in a very new light. But when he and Josh are caught kissing in the bathhouse, Yossi's life takes on a

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dramatic new turn, and he can ignore his new reality no longer. The Boy's Own Manual to Being a Proper Jew is full of heart and human blundering, as a family gradually learns to accept the parameters of its faith, and how to work around them.

Winner of the prestigious Prix Femina, The Boy is an

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expansive and entrancing historical novel that follows a nearly feral child from the French countryside as he joins society and plunges into the torrid events of the first half of the 20th century. The boy does not speak. The boy has no name. The boy, raised half-wild in the forests of southern France, sets out alone

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into the wilderness and the greater world beyond. Without experience of another person aside from his mother, the boy must learn what it is to be human, to exist among people, and to live beyond simple survival. As this wild and naive child attempts to join civilization, he encounters earthquakes

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*and car crashes, ogres
and artists, and,
eventually, all-
encompassing love and
an inescapable war. His
adventures take him
around the world and
through history on a
mesmerizing journey,
rich with unforgettable
characters. A hamlet of
farmers fears he's a
werewolf, but
eventually raise him as*

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one of their own. A circus performer who toured the world as a sideshow introduces the boy to showmanship and sanitation. And a chance encounter with an older woman exposes him to music and the sensuous pleasures of life. The boy becomes a guide whose innocence exposes society's wonder, brutality,

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*absurdity, and magic.
Beginning in 1908 and
spanning three decades,
The Boy is as an
emotionally and
historically rich
exploration of family,
passion, and war from
one of France's most
acclaimed and
bestselling authors.
Love That Puppy!
The Flaneur
A Boy's Story*

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Rupert of Hentzau

A Little Life

My Princess Boy

Edmund White is one of our most celebrated novelists. He is also a brilliant journalist and cultural commentator on the arts, contributing to publications as varied as The New Yorker, Vanity Fair, the New York Times, the

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Washington Post, House and Garden, and the New York Review of Books. In Sacred Monsters, White collects more than twenty of his most recent writings on artists and authors, including John Cheever, Patti Smith, Henry James, Mary Cassatt, Paul Bowles, Andy Warhol, John

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*Singer Sargent,
Vladimir Nabokov,
Auguste Rodin, Edith
Wharton, Christopher
Isherwood, Martin
Amis, Allen Ginsberg,
Marguerite Duras,
John Rechy, Ford
Maddox Ford, David
Hockney, Reynolds
Price, E.M. Forster,
James Abbott McNeil
Whistler, and Marcel
Proust, among others.*

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A Boy's Own Story
A Novel
Open Road
Media

The “extraordinary novel” (The New York Times Book Review) about one boy’s coming-of-age during the 1950s—and one of the most groundbreaking portrayals of gay life in American fiction “The best American

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narrative of sexual awakening since Catcher in the Rye.”
—Chicago Sun-Times

Ridiculed by his classmates and beset by aloof parents and a cruel sister, the unnamed narrator of Edmund White’s first autobiographical novel finds solace in literature, works of art, and his own fantastic

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imagination. But as he strives to forge new friendships, his yearning to be loved by the men in his life evokes a crushing sense of shame and a struggle to accept who he is. Lyrical and poignant, A Boy's Own Story—the first of a trilogy, followed by The Beautiful Room Is Empty and The

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Farewell

Symphony—is an American literary treasure that became an instant classic upon publication for its pioneering portrayal of homosexuality.

This is a book about men and war. Not real conflict but war as it has filtered down to generations of boys and men through toys,

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comics, games and movies. Harry Pearson belongs to the great battalion of British men who grew up playing with toy soldiers - refighting World War II - and then stopped growing up. Inspired by the photos of the gallant pilot uncles that decorated the wall above his father's

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*model-making table,
by Sergeant
Hurricane, Action Man
and Escape from
Colditz, dressed in
Clarks' commando
shoes and with the
Airfix Army in support,
he battled in the fields
and on the beaches,
in his head and on the
sitting-room floor and
across his bedroom
ceiling. And thirty*

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years later he still is.

ACHTUNG

SCHWEINEHUND! *is a celebration of those glory days, a boy's own story of the urge to play, to conquer - and to adopt very bad German accents, shouting 'Donner und Blitzen' at every opportunity. This is a tale of obsession, glue and plastic kits. It is*

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*the story of one boy's
imaginary war and
where it led him.*

Boy's Own Book

*A Delinquent Boy's
Own Story*

For Today I Am a Boy

The Absolutely True

*Diary of a Part-Time
Indian*

*A Stroll through the
Paradoxes of Paris*

The Married Man

A librarian's laugh-out-

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loud funny, deeply moving collection of love letters and breakup notes to the books in her life. If you love to read, and presumably you do since you've picked up this book (!), you know that some books affect you so profoundly they forever change the

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way you think about the world. Some books, on the other hand, disappoint you so much you want to throw them against the wall. Either way, it's clear that a book can be your new soul mate or the bad relationship you need to end. In Dear Fahrenheit 451, librarian Annie

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Spence has crafted love letters and breakup notes to the iconic and eclectic books she has encountered over the years. From breaking up with *The Giving Tree* (a dysfunctional relationship book if ever there was one), to her love letter to *The Time Traveler's Wife*

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(a novel less about time travel and more about the life of a marriage, with all of its ups and downs), Spence will make you think of old favorites in a new way. Filled with suggested reading lists, Spence's take on classic and contemporary books is very much like the

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best of
literature—sometimes
laugh-out-loud funny,
sometimes
surprisingly poignant,
and filled with
universal truths. A
celebration of reading,
Dear Fahrenheit 451 is
for anyone who loves
nothing more than
curling up with a good
book...and another,

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and another, and
another!

Hailed as one of the
year's top five novels
by Time, and selected
as one of the best
books of the year by
nearly all major
newspapers, national
bestseller Peace Like a
River captured the
hearts of a nation in
need of comfort. "A

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rich mixture of
adventure, tragedy,
and healing," Peace
Like a River is "a
collage of legends
from sources sacred
and profane -- from
the Old Testament to
the Old West, from
the Gospels to police
dramas" (Ron Charles,
The Christian Science
Monitor). In "lyrical,

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openhearted prose"
(Michael Glitz, The
New York Post),
Enger tells the story of
eleven-year-old
Reuben Land, an
asthmatic boy who has
reason to believe in
miracles. Along with
his sister and father,
Reuben finds himself
on a cross-country
search for his outlaw

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older brother who has been controversially charged with murder. Their journey is touched by serendipity and the kindness of strangers, and its remarkable conclusion shows how family, love, and faith can stand up to the most terrifying of enemies, the most tragic of

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fates. Leif Enger's "miraculous" (Valerie Ryan, The Seattle Times) novel is a "perfect book for an anxious time ... of great literary merit that nonetheless restores readers' faith in the kindness of stories" (Marta Salij, Detroit Free Press).

A daring, category-

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confounding, and
ruthlessly funny novel
from National Book
Award honored author
Edmund White that
explores polyamory
and bisexuality,
ageing and love.
Sicilian aristocrat and
musician, Ruggero,
and his younger
American wife,
Constance, agree to

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break their marital
silence and write their
Confessions. Until
now they had a ban on
speaking about the
past, since
transparency had
wrecked their
previous marriages.
As the two alternate
reading the memoirs
they've written about
their lives, Constance

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reveals her multiple marriages to older men, and Ruggero details the affairs he's had with men and women across his lifetime-most importantly his passionate affair with the author Edmund White. Sweeping outward from the isolated Swiss ski

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chalet where the couple reads to travel through Europe and the United States, White's new novel pushes for a broader understanding of sexual orientation and pairs humor and truth to create his most fascinating and complex characters to date. As in all of

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White's earlier novels, this is a searing, scintillating take on physical beauty and its inevitable decline. But in this experimental new mode-one where the author has laid himself bare as a secondary character-White explores the themes of love and age through numerous

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eyes, hearts and minds. Delightful, irreverent, and experimental, A Previous Life proves once more why White is considered a master of American literature. Jack Holmes is suffering from unrequited love. It doesn't look as if there will ever be anyone

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else he falls for: the other men he takes to bed never stay for long. Jack's friend Will Wright comes from old stock, has aspirations to be a writer and, like Jack, works on the Northern Review. Jack will introduce Will to the beautiful, brittle young woman he will

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marry, but is discreet about his own adventures in love - for this is sixties New York, literary and intense, before gay liberation; a concoction of old society, bohemians rich and poor, sleek European immigrants and transplanted Midwesterners.

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Against this charged backdrop, the different lives of Jack and Will intertwine, and as their loves come and go, they will always be, at the very least, friends.

Lord of the Flies

City Boy

A Life of Reading

The Road

The Unpunished Vice

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The Jack-Roller
Our Young Man
follows the life of a
gorgeous
Frenchman, Guy, as
he goes from the
industrial city of
Clermont-Ferrand to
the top of the
modeling profession
in New York City's
fashion world,
becoming the

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darling of Fire
Island's gay
community. Like
Wilde's Dorian Grey,
Guy never seems to
age; at thirty-five he
is still modeling, still
enjoying lavish gifts
from older men who
believe he's twenty-
three--though their
attentions always
come at a price.

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Ambivalently, Guy lets them believe, driven especially by the memory of growing up poor, until he finds he needs the lie to secure not only wealth, but love itself. Surveying the full spectrum of gay amorous life through the disco era and

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into the age of AIDS, Edmund White (who worked at Vogue for ten years) explores the power of physical beauty--to fascinate, to enslave, and to deceive--with sparkling wit and pathos.

Bestselling author Sherman Alexie tells

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the story of Junior, a budding cartoonist growing up on the Spokane Indian Reservation.

Determined to take his future into his own hands, Junior leaves his troubled school on the rez to attend an all-white farm town high school where the

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only other Indian is the school mascot. Heartbreaking, funny, and beautifully written, *The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian*, which is based on the author's own experiences, coupled with poignant drawings

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by Ellen Forney that reflect the character's art, chronicles the contemporary adolescence of one Native American boy as he attempts to break away from the life he was destined to live. With a forward by Markus Zusak,

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interviews with Sherman Alexie and Ellen Forney, and four-color interior art throughout, this edition is perfect for fans and collectors alike.

The recipient of six starred reviews and the APALA Asian/Pacific American Award for

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Literature! Named a Best Book of 2018 by the Wall Street Journal, NPR, Smithsonian, Kirkus Reviews, School Library Journal, Booklist, the Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books, BookRiot, the New York Public Library, the Chicago Public

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Library-and many more! When a young boy visits his grandfather, their lack of a common language leads to confusion, frustration, and silence. But as they sit down to draw together, something magical happens-with a shared love

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of art and
storytelling, the two
form a bond that
goes beyond words.
With spare, direct
text by Minh Lê and
luminous
illustrations by
Caldecott Medalist
Dan Santat, this
stirring picturebook
about reaching
across barriers will

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be cherished for years to come. A Junior Library Guild selection!

"Should appeal to all rugged individualists who dream of escape to the forest."—The New York Times Book Review Sam Gibley is terribly unhappy living in New York

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City with his family,
so he runs away to
the Catskill
Mountains to live in
the woods—all by
himself. With only a
penknife, a ball of
cord, forty dollars,
and some flint and
steel, he intends to
survive on his own.
Sam learns about
courage, danger,

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and independence during his year in the wilderness, a year that changes his life forever. [An extraordinary book .

. . It will be read year after year.]

[The Horn Book
The Story of a Boy
Who Wanted to be a
Dog

The Beautiful Room

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is Empty
Ghost Boys
Love and
Heartbreak in the
Stacks: A Librarian's
Love Letters and
Breakup Notes to
the Books in Her
Life
Dear Fahrenheit
451
A Previous Life

Growing up in rural
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*Yorkshire in the
1940s and 50s, Terry
Wilson spent his
school days hunting
down Just William
books, cutting up
apples to help with
fractions and staring
out the window
dreaming up new
schemes. But it was
on the Dales
themselves that Terry*

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came into his own.

Whether he was 'out-fishing' the adults with his homemade rod, grouse-beating for the lady of the manor, helping to bring in the farmers' hay in exchange for rabbit shooting rights, or growing his own prize caulis, his

idiosyncratic and

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*inventive mind is only
matched by his love
of nature. Told with
affection, dry humour
and a respect for the
landscape and its
people, through
Terry's eyes we meet
farmers, mill owners
and 'gentlemen of the
road'. Beautifully
illustrated with newly-*

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*drawn illustrations by
Don Grant, A Boy's
Own Dale is a
magical memoir of a
long-lost world.*

*In the New York of
the 1970s, in the wake
of Stonewall and in
the midst of economic
collapse, you might
find the likes of
Jasper Johns and
William Burroughs at*

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the next cocktail party, and you were as likely to be caught arguing Marx at the New York City Ballet as cruising for sex in the warehouses and parked trucks along the Hudson. This is the New York that Edmund White portrays in City Boy: a place of enormous

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*intrigue and artistic
tumult. Combining
the no-holds-barred
confession and
yearning of A Boy's
Own Story with the
easy erudition and
sense of place of The
Flaneur, this is the
story of White's years
in 1970s New York,
bouncing from
intellectual*

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*encounters with
Susan Sontag and
Harold Brodkey to
erotic entanglements
downtown to the
burgeoning gay scene
of artists and writers.
I t's a moving,
candid, brilliant
portrait of a time and
place, full of
encounters with
famous names and*

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cultural icons.

CRITICAL PRAISE:

*"City Boy seems
effortless in its tone;
it is seamless, wise,
funny and charming.
The New York
described in the book
is history now, but
history that has made
an essential
difference to the way
we live now. Edmund*

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White evokes the main players in the culture of the city, all of whom he knew, with clarity and with brilliantly-chosen detail and sense of the moment."-Colm Toibin

A heartwarming book about unconditional love and one remarkable family.

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*Dyson loves pink,
sparkly things.
Sometimes he wears
dresses. Sometimes he
wears jeans. He likes
to wear his princess
tiara, even when
climbing trees. He's
a Princess Boy.
Inspired by the
author's son, and by
her own initial
struggles to*

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understand, this heartwarming book is a call for tolerance and an end to bullying and judgments. The world is a brighter place when we accept everyone for who they are.

A new memoir from acclaimed author Edmund White about

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his life as a reader.

Literary icon

*Edmund White made
his name through his
writing but*

*remembers his life
through the books he
has read. For White,
each momentous
occasion came with a
book to match:*

Proust's

Remembrance of

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Things Past, which opened up the seemingly closed world of homosexuality while he was at boarding school in Michigan; the Ezra Pound poems adored by a lover he followed to New York; the biography of Stephen Crane that inspired

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one of White's novels. But it wasn't until heart surgery in 2014, when he temporarily lost his desire to read, that White realized the key role that reading played in his life: forming his tastes, shaping his memories, and amusing him through the best and worst life

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had to offer. Blending memoir and literary criticism, The Unpunished Vice is a compendium of all the ways reading has shaped White's life and work. His larger-than-life presence on the literary scene lends itself to fascinating, intimate insights into the lives

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*of some of the world's
best-loved cultural
figures. With
characteristic wit and
candor, he recalls
reading Henry James
to Peggy Guggenheim
in her private gondola
in Venice and phone
calls at eight o'clock
in the morning to
Vladimir
Nabokov--who once*

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said that White was his favorite American writer. Featuring writing that has appeared in the New York Review of Books and the Paris Review, among others, The Unpunished Vice is a wickedly smart and insightful account of a life in literature.

Achtung

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Schweinehund!

The Farewell

Symphony

Boy's Life

A flaneur is a stroller, a loiterer, someone who ambles through city streets in search of adventure and fulfillment. Edmund White, who lived in Paris for sixteen

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years, wanders through the streets and avenues and along the quays, into parts of Paris virtually unknown to visitors and indeed to many Parisians. In the hands of the learned White, a walk through Paris is both a tour of its lush, sometimes

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prurient history, and an evocation of the city's spirit. The Flaneur leads us to bookshops and boutiques, monuments and palaces, giving us a glimpse the inner human drama. Along the way we learn everything from the latest debates among

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French lawmakers to the juicy details of Colette's life.

Originally published as part of Bloomsbury's *Writer and the City* series, this book has sold consistently over the years, and will find a whole new audience in paperback.

First published in the

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year 1898, the present book 'Rupert of Hentzau' was written by the celebrated English novelist and playwright - Anthony Hope. This novel is a sequel to the author's one of the much appreciated novels 'The Prisoner of

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Zenda'.

In Edmund White's most moving novel yet, an American living in Paris finds his life transformed by an unexpected love affair. Austin Smith is pushing fifty, loveless and drifting, until one day he meets Julien, a much younger,

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married Frenchman. In the beginning, the lovers' only impediments are the comic clashes of culture, age, and temperament. Before long, however, the past begins to catch up with them. In a desperate quest to save health and happiness, they move

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from Venice to Key West, from Montreal in the snow to Providence in the rain. But it is amid the bleak, baking sands of the Sahara that their love is pushed to its ultimate crisis.