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**Of all the fantastic creatures to
emerge from Greek mythology,
perhaps none is more well-known**

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than the Cyclops. With his single eye glowering out from the middle of his forehead, the Cyclops is an image that is not soon forgotten and so has been used in countless stories, films, and other subjects. Almost everyone knows the story

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of how Odysseus (Ulysses) and his crew encountered the Cyclops Polyphemus on their way home from Troy and how the creature imprisoned them in his cave, only to have them escape by hiding underneath sheep. But fewer

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know about the rest of the Cyclopes. They don't know how the creatures actually once helped in the battle to create the world, and that they were allies of Zeus and his fellow gods. How did the Cyclopes go from friend to foe?

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In boyhood, Louis Zamperini was
an incorrigible delinquent. As a
teenager, he channeled his
defiance into running, discovering
a prodigious talent that had
carried him to the Berlin**

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Olympics. But when World War II began, the athlete became an airman, embarking on a journey that led to a doomed flight on a May afternoon in 1943. When his Army Air Forces bomber crashed into the Pacific Ocean, against all

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odds, Zamperini survived, adrift on a foundering life raft. Ahead of Zamperini lay thousands of miles of open ocean, leaping sharks, thirst and starvation, enemy aircraft, and, beyond, a trial even greater. Driven to the limits of

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endurance, Zamperini would answer desperation with ingenuity; suffering with hope, resolve, and humor; brutality with rebellion. His fate, whether triumph or tragedy, would be suspended on the fraying wire of

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his will. Appearing in paperback for the first time—with twenty arresting new photos and an extensive Q&A with the author—Unbroken is an unforgettable testament to the resilience of the human mind,

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body, and spirit, brought vividly to life by Seabiscuit author Laura Hillenbrand. Hailed as the top nonfiction book of the year by Time magazine • Winner of the Los Angeles Times Book Prize for biography and the Indies Choice

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award “Extraordinarily moving . .
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respecting critics all the blurby**

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and overcoming terrific odds; this is biography taken to the nth degree, a chronicle of a remarkable life lived through extraordinary times.”—The Dallas Morning News “An astonishing testament to the superhuman

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**power of
tenacity.”—Entertainment Weekly**
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redemption . . . astonishingly
detailed.”—O: The Oprah
Magazine “[A] masterfully told
true story . . . nothing less than a**

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marvel.”—Washingtonian

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“Hillenbrand [is] one of our best writers of narrative history. You don’t have to be a sports fan or a

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**and the Trojans are told from the
points of view of two women, the
beautiful Helen and the prophetic
Cassandra. An ALA Best Book for
Young Adults. Reprint.**

**The Turn of the Screw is an 1898
horror novella by Henry James**

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that first appeared in serial format in Collier's Weekly magazine (January 27 - April 16, 1898). In October 1898 it appeared in The Two Magics, a book published by Macmillan in New York City and Heinemann in

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London. Classified as both gothic fiction and a ghost story, the novella focuses on a governess who, caring for two children at a remote estate, becomes convinced that the grounds are haunted.

Five Free Boys Kidnapped into

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**Slavery and Their Astonishing
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**A Novel of the Women Who Lived
the Trojan War**

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Their Eyes Were Watching God is a 1937 novel by African-American writer Zora Neale Hurston. It is considered a classic of the Harlem Renaissance of the 1920s, and it is likely Hurston's best known work.

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Odysseus travels to Sparta to join the most famous heroes in paying suit to the sensuous Helen. Armed with nothing but his wits, he enters a treacherous world of warfare and politics to compete for the greatest prize in Greece. But few care for the problems of an impoverished prince when war with Troy beckons... An unmissable and ferociously

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exciting adventure for readers of David Gemmell, Christian Cameron and Simon Scarrow. The Adventures of Odysseus King of Ithaca The Gates of Troy The Armour of Achilles The Oracles of Troy The Voyages of Odysseus Return to Ithaca Praise for Glyn Iiffe ‘ It has suspense, treachery, and bone-crunching action... It will leave fans of the

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genre eagerly awaiting the rest of the series ' Times Literary Supplement This is a must read for those who enjoy good old epic battles, chilling death scenes and the extravagance of ancient Greece ' Lifestyle Magazine ' The reader does not need to be classicist to enjoy this epic and stirring tale. It makes a great novel ' Historical Novels

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Review ‘ I found it utterly fascinating, the historic detail was excellent. This was an easy and enjoyable read, and I am looking forward to the next instalments. As a personal read I can absolutely recommend it ’ Book Talk Bournemouth ‘ An exciting story with plenty of action, and the requisite supernatural elements ... if you are a fan of

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writers like Bernard Cornwell, Simon
Scarrow and Conn Iggulden you will enjoy
this. ' Rachel Hyde, Myshef.com

A Global History

The Iliad

Stories from the Life of a Migrant Child

The Circuit

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This edition is produced with particular concern for the student coming to Homer for the first time. The text is given with facing translation and commentary, but the usual apparatus criticus at the bottom of each page is replaced by brief notes on Homeric language. This makes the text

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considerably more accessible for those without Homeric Greek.

The Address was delivered at the dedication of the Soldiers' National Cemetery in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, on the afternoon of Thursday, November 19, 1863, during the American Civil War, four and a half

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months after the Union armies defeated those of the Confederacy at the decisive Battle of Gettysburg. In just over two minutes, Lincoln invoked the principles of human equality espoused by the Declaration of Independence and redefined the Civil War as a struggle not merely for the Union, but as "a new

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birth of freedom" that would bring true equality to all of its citizens, and that would also create a unified nation in which states' rights were no longer dominant. Throughout history, some books have changed the world. They have transformed the way we see ourselves - and each other. They have

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inspired debate, dissent, war and revolution. They have enlightened, outraged, provoked and comforted. They have enriched lives - and destroyed them. Now Penguin brings you the works of the great thinkers, pioneers, radicals and visionaries whose ideas shook civilization and

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helped make us who we are.
Krakauer's page-turning bestseller explores a famed missing person mystery while unraveling the larger riddles it holds: the profound pull of the American wilderness on our imagination; the allure of high-risk activities to young men of a certain cast

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of mind; the complex, charged bond between fathers and sons. "Terrifying... Eloquent... A heart-rending drama of human yearning." —New York Times In April 1992 a young man from a well-to-do family hitchhiked to Alaska and walked alone into the wilderness north of Mt. McKinley. He had given \$25,000

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in savings to charity, abandoned his car and most of his possessions, burned all the cash in his wallet, and invented a new life for himself. Four months later, his decomposed body was found by a moose hunter. How Christopher Johnson McCandless came to die is the unforgettable story of Into the Wild.

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Immediately after graduating from college in 1991, McCandless had roamed through the West and Southwest on a vision quest like those made by his heroes Jack London and John Muir. In the Mojave Desert he abandoned his car, stripped it of its license plates, and burned all of his

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cash. He would give himself a new name, Alexander Supertramp, and, unencumbered by money and belongings, he would be free to wallow in the raw, unfiltered experiences that nature presented. Craving a blank spot on the map, McCandless simply threw the maps away. Leaving behind his

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desperate parents and sister, he vanished into the wild. Jon Krakauer constructs a clarifying prism through which he reassembles the disquieting facts of McCandless's short life. Admitting an interest that borders on obsession, he searches for the clues to the drives and desires that propelled

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McCandless. When McCandless's innocent mistakes turn out to be irreversible and fatal, he becomes the stuff of tabloid headlines and is dismissed for his naiveté, pretensions, and hubris. He is said to have had a death wish but wanting to die is a very different thing from being compelled to

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look over the edge. Krakauer brings McCandless's uncompromising pilgrimage out of the shadows, and the peril, adversity, and renunciation sought by this enigmatic young man are illuminated with a rare understanding--and not an ounce of sentimentality. Mesmerizing,

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heartbreaking, Into the Wild is a tour de force. The power and luminosity of Jon Krakauer's stoytelling blaze through every page.

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- NAMED ONE OF TIME'S TEN BEST NONFICTION BOOKS OF THE

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reading," a bold and personal literary

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exploration of America's racial history by "the most important essayist in a generation and a writer who changed the national political conversation about race" (Rolling Stone) NAMED ONE OF THE MOST INFLUENTIAL BOOKS OF THE DECADE BY CNN • NAMED ONE OF PASTE'S BEST MEMOIRS

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THE TEN BEST BOOKS OF THE
YEAR BY The New York Times Book
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York • Newsday • Library Journal • Publishers Weekly In a profound work that pivots from the biggest questions about American history and ideals to the most intimate concerns of a father for his son, Ta-Nehisi Coates offers a powerful new framework for understanding our nation's history and

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current crisis. Americans have built an empire on the idea of “race,” a falsehood that damages us all but falls most heavily on the bodies of black women and men—bodies exploited through slavery and segregation, and, today, threatened, locked up, and murdered out of all proportion. What is

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it like to inhabit a black body and find a way to live within it? And how can we all honestly reckon with this fraught history and free ourselves from its burden? Between the World and Me is Ta-Nehisi Coates's attempt to answer these questions in a letter to his adolescent son. Coates shares with his son—and

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readers—the story of his awakening to the truth about his place in the world through a series of revelatory experiences, from Howard University to Civil War battlefields, from the South Side of Chicago to Paris, from his childhood home to the living rooms of mothers whose children's lives were

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taken as American plunder. Beautifully woven from personal narrative, reimagined history, and fresh, emotionally charged reportage, *Between the World and Me* clearly illuminates the past, bracingly confronts our present, and offers a transcendent vision for a way forward.

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The Prison Odyssey of Elaine Bartlett
Odyssey. book X

U.S. History

The Last Book in the Universe

MLA International Bibliography

The author recounts his childhood in
Depression-era Brooklyn as the child
of Irish immigrants who decide to

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return to worse poverty in Ireland
when his infant sister dies. 40,000
first printing. \$35,000 ad/promo.
First serial, The New Yorker.
Finest heroic poem in Old English
celebrates the exploits of Beowulf, a
young nobleman of southern Sweden.
Combines myth, Christian and pagan

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elements, and history into a powerful narrative. Genealogies.

This first book of Osborne's series based on the ancient tales by Homer introduces Odysseus, who must leave his home to fight in the Trojan War.

Illustrations.

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of the 100 best nonfiction books of all time From the Modern Library ' s new set of beautifully repackaged hardcover classics by Truman Capote—also available are Breakfast at Tiffany ' s and Other Voices, Other Rooms (in one volume), Portraits and Observations, and The Complete

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Stories Truman Capote ' s
masterpiece, In Cold Blood, created a
sensation when it was first published,
serially, in The New Yorker in 1965.
The intensively researched,
atmospheric narrative of the lives of
the Clutter family of Holcomb, Kansas,
and of the two men, Richard Eugene

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Hickock and Perry Edward Smith, who brutally killed them on the night of November 15, 1959, is the seminal work of the “ new journalism. ” Perry Smith is one of the great dark characters of American literature, full of contradictory emotions. “ I thought he was a very nice gentleman, ” he

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says of Herb Clutter. “ Soft-spoken. I thought so right up to the moment I cut his throat. ” Told in chapters that alternate between the Clutter household and the approach of Smith and Hickock in their black Chevrolet, then between the investigation of the case and the killers ’ flight,

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Capote ' s account is so detailed that the reader comes to feel almost like a participant in the events.

The One-Eyed Giant

Unbroken

Beowulf

The Turn of the Screw Illustrated

The Land of the Dead

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This “superbly researched and engaging” (The Wall Street Journal) true story about five boys who were kidnapped in the North and smuggled into slavery in the Deep South—and their daring attempt to escape and bring

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*their captors to justice
belongs “alongside the work
of Harriet Beecher Stowe,
Edward P. Jones, and Toni
Morrison” (Jane Kamensky,
Professor of American
History at Harvard
University). Philadelphia,*

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1825: five young, free black boys fall into the clutches of the most fearsome gang of kidnappers and slavers in the United States. Lured onto a small ship with the promise of food and pay, they are instead met with

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blindfolds, ropes, and knives. Over four long months, their kidnappers drive them overland into the Cotton Kingdom to be sold as slaves. Determined to resist, the boys form a tight brotherhood as they

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*struggle to free themselves
and find their way home.
Their ordeal—an odyssey that
takes them from the
Philadelphia waterfront to
the marshes of Mississippi
and then onward still—shines
a glaring spotlight on the*

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*Reverse Underground
Railroad, a black market
network of human traffickers
and slave traders who stole
away thousands of legally
free African Americans from
their families in order to
fuel slavery's rapid*

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*expansion in the decades
before the Civil War.*

*“Rigorously researched,
heartfelt, and dramatically
concise, Bell’s
investigation illuminates
the role slavery played in
the systemic inequalities*

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that still confront Black Americans" (Booklist). Offers a look at a migrant family, detailing their daily life and the struggles they endured to build an existence on the small opportunities they were

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Odyssey Franklin Classics

Trade Press

*In an adventure reminiscent
of Homer's Odyssey, fifteen-
year-old Odilia and her four
younger sisters embark on a
journey to return a dead man*

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*to his family in Mexico,
aided by La Llorona, but
impeded by a witch, a
warlock, chupacabras, and
more.*

The Good Earth

Inside the Walls of Troy

Never Let Me Go

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The Return of Odysseus King of Ithaca

A Chinese peasant overcomes the forces of nature and the frailties of human nature to become a wealthy landowner.

The Odyssey(Translated by Samuel

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Butler): Large print by Homer This ancient Greek epic poem centers on the hero Odysseus (or Ulysses, as he was known in Roman myths) and his long journey home following the fall of Troy. In the ten years it takes him to reach Ithaca his family assumes

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he has died, and his wife Penelope and son Telemachus must deal with a group of unruly suitors, the Mnesteres, who compete for Penelope's hand in marriage. We are delighted to publish this classic book as part of our extensive Classic

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The Most Dangerous Game
by Richard Connell The Most
Dangerous Game, also published as
The Hounds of Zaroff, is a short

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story by Richard Connell first published in Collier's magazine on January 19, 1924. It features a big-game hunter from New York who falls off a yacht and swims to an isolated island in the Caribbean where he is hunted by a Cossack

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aristocrat. The story is an adaptation of the big-game hunting safaris in Africa and South America that were fashionable among wealthy Americans in the 1920s.

The Most Dangerous Game by Richard Connell
Big-game hunter

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Sanger Rainsford and his friend, Whitney, are traveling to the Amazon rainforest for a jaguar hunt. After a discussion about how they are "the hunters" instead of "the hunted," Whitney goes to bed and Rainsford hears gunshots. He climbs

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onto the yacht's rail and accidentally falls overboard, swimming to Ship-Trap Island, which is notorious for shipwrecks. On the island, he finds a palatial chateau inhabited by two Cossacks: the owner, General Zaroff, and his gigantic deaf-mute

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servant, Ivan. The Most
Dangerous Game by Richard
Connell Zaroff, another big-
game hunter, knows of Rainsford
from his published account of
hunting snow leopards in Tibet.
Over dinner, the middle-aged Zaroff

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explains that although he has been hunting animals since he was a boy, he has decided that killing big-game has become boring for him, so after escaping the Russian Revolution he moved to Ship-Trap Island and set it up to trick ships into wrecking

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themselves on the jagged rocks that surround it. He takes the survivors captive and hunts them for sport, giving them food, clothing, a knife, and a three-hour head start, and using only a small-caliber pistol for himself. Any captives who can elude

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Zaroff, Ivan, and a pack of hunting dogs for three days are set free. He reveals that he has won every hunt to date. Captives are offered a choice between being hunted or turned over to Ivan, who once served as official knouter for The

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Great White Czar. Rainsford denounces the hunt as barbarism, but Zaroff replies by claiming that "life is for the strong." Realizing he has no way out, Rainsford reluctantly agrees to be hunted. During his head start, Rainsford lays

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an intricate trail in the forest and then climbs a tree. Zaroff finds him easily, but decides to play with him as a cat would with a mouse, standing underneath the tree Rainsford is hiding in, smoking a cigarette, and then abruptly

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departing. The Most
Dangerous Game by Richard
Connell After the failed
attempt at eluding Zaroff, Rainsford
builds a Malay man-catcher, a
weighted log attached to a trigger.
This contraption injures Zaroff's

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shoulder, causing him to return home for the night, but he shouts his respect for the trap before departing. The next day Rainsford creates a Burmese tiger pit, which kills one of Zaroff's hounds. He sacrifices his knife and ties it to a sapling to make

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another trap, which kills Ivan when he stumbles into it. To escape Zaroff and his approaching hounds, Rainsford dives off a cliff into the sea; Zaroff, disappointed at Rainsford's apparent suicide, returns home. Zaroff smokes a pipe by his

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fireplace, but two issues keep him from the peace of mind: the difficulty of replacing Ivan and the uncertainty of whether Rainsford perished in his dive.

Gillian Cross's brilliant retelling and Neil Packer's glorious illustrations

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bring to life Homer's Iliad, one of the greatest stories ever told. The team behind *The Odyssey* (2012) now tell the story of the Trojan War. Cross's vivid adaptation begins with a beauty contest: the prize, a golden apple. In return for securing her

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victory, the goddess Aphrodite helps Prince Paris abduct Helen, wife to the king of Sparta. Enraged, the king and his Greek allies wage war on the Trojans. Nine years later, the fighting still rages on, but the Greeks are beginning to quarrel among

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themselves - Achilles and Agamemnon's petty argument has dire consequences for everyone caught in the crossfire. Neil Packer's pictures capture the beauty and remoteness of the setting, and bring a profound humanity to one of the

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finest literary achievements of Greek civilization.

Iliad: Books 13-24, with notes by
D.B. Monro

The Odyssey(translated by Samuel
Butler)

Odyssey

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The Secret Garden

Winter Dreams Illustrated

Telemachos has a comfortable life on his small island of Ithaka, where his mother Penelopeia keeps the peace even though the land has been without its king, his father Odysseus

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since the Trojan War began many years ago. But now the people are demanding a new king, unless Telemachos can find Odysseus and bring him home. With only a mysterious prophecy to guide him, Telemachos sets off over sea and

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desert in search of the father he has never known.

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relevant.

This historically organized introductory text, which begins with Hesiod and goes up to Derrida and Quine, presents philosophy as an ongoing conversation about humankind's deepest and most

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persistent concerns. The Great Conversation traces the exchange of ideas between history's key philosophers, demonstrating that while constructing an argument or making a claim, one philosopher almost always has others in mind.

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The book is also available in two volumes: Volume I covers Hesiod through Descartes (Chapters 1-13); Volume II includes "Moving from Medieval to Modern" (Chapter 12), and coverage of Descartes through Derrida and Quine (Chapters

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13-25).

Angela's Ashes

Stolen

Large Print

The Odyssey 1 & 2

In Cold Blood

Presents a retelling of part of the

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Odyssey in which Odysseus and his fleet continue their journey and encounter giant cannibals, a beautiful witch, and the Land of the Dead. Reprint.

"Winter Dreams" is a short story by F. Scott Fitzgerald that first appeared in Metropolitan

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Magazine in December 1922, and was collected in *All the Sad Young Men* in 1926. It is considered one of Fitzgerald's finest stories and is frequently anthologized. In the Fitzgerald canon, it is considered to be in the "Gatsby-cluster," as many of its themes were later

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