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Blood Family Anne Fine 2017-03-21 A boy with an abusive father grows up and fears that he has the same potential for violence as his father has.

The Other Half of Me Emily Franklin 2015-04-07 A New York Public Library Book for the Teen Age: How do you define family? Jenny Fitzgerald is an artist who never fit in with her sports-obsessed parents and siblings. Still, she loves her family—even if she doesn't relate to them. Even if, unlike her younger siblings, Jenny's father is Donor 142. She's always known the truth, but before now, it hasn't seemed to matter much. But this summer—her sixteenth—is different. Where does Jenny really belong? Her parents don't understand her artwork (and her boss at the studio isn't even convinced she has talent), her twin sisters are so close it hurts (and it's good at hurting Jenny), and she's not entirely sure why she has a crush on jock Tate Brodeur (not that he's noticed her . . . yet). To find her true self, Jenny begins to search for the one person who might really understand her—someone biologically connected. With Tate's help, Jenny consults the Donor Sibling Registry, and before she knows it, she has discovered a half sibling. Alexa is witty, impulsive, and desperate to meet. Jenny's convinced her genetic other half is the key to having a family, but when Alexa shows up unannounced, Jenny's world changes in ways she never could have predicted.

The Paradox of Vertical Flight Emil Ostrovski 2013-09-24 Hilarious, deeply moving, mind-bending, original, romantic, and surprising, this debut teen novel by Emil Ostrovski will appeal to fans of John Green, Chris Crutcher, and Andrew Smith. Gary Shteyngart, author of the New York Times bestseller *Super Sad True Love Story*, says: "Do yourself a favor and get inside a car with Emil Ostrovski immediately! *The Paradox of Vertical Flight* is an amazing road trip. You're in for one heck of a ride." An Indie Next Pick! On the morning of his eighteenth birthday, Jack Polovsky kidnaps his own baby, names him Socrates, stocks up on baby supplies at Walmart, and hits the road with his best friend, Tommy, and with the baby's mother, Jess. As they head to Grandma's house (eluding the police at every turn), Jack tells baby Socrates the Greek myths—because all stories spring from those stories, really. Even this one. By turns funny, heart wrenching, and wholly original, this debut novel by Emil Ostrovski explores the nature of family, love, friendship, fatherhood, and myth. "Shares a sense of humor and philosophical bent with such YA authors as John Green and Chris Crutcher. But the story and likable characters are Ostrovsky's own, a delightful mix of quirky, intelligent, naive, well-intentioned, and just plain dumb teens. A delightful success."—ALA Booklist

Far from You Lisa Schroeder 2008-12-23 Lost and alone...down the rabbit hole. Years have passed since Alice lost her mother to cancer, but time hasn't quite healed the wound. Alice copes the best she can by writing her music, losing herself in her love for her boyfriend, and distancing herself from her father and his new wife. But when a deadly snowstorm traps Alice with her stepmother and newborn half sister, she'll face issues she's been avoiding for too long. As Alice looks to the heavens for guidance, she discovers something wonderful. Perhaps she's not so alone after all....

Mean Girls - Book 2 Katrina Kahler 2017-10-20 Publication information obtained from Amazon.com

My Parents Are Driving Me Crazy Pete Johnson 2015-09 How do you SACK your DAD? My dad's a new stay-at-home dad and is already a TOTAL DISASTER. He COOKS meals no one can EAT, messes up all the laundry and expects me to clean my room MYSELF. Can you believe he doesn't even take my dirty cups downstairs? Worst of all, Dad has decided I'm his new BEST FRIEND and never stops TALKING TO ME. He must be STOPPED. But HOW? "Pete Johnson is a hilarious writer"#8212Mail on Sunday

How to be a Badass Detective Michael Anderle 2021

How Not to Ask a Boy to Prom S. J. Goslee 2019-04-23 How (Not) to Ask a Boy to Prom is a modern gender-bent young adult rom com from S. J. Goslee. Nolan Grant is sixteen, gay, and very, very single. He's never had a boyfriend, or even been kissed. It's not like Penn Valley is exactly brimming with prospects. Nolan plans to ride out the rest of his junior year drawing narwhals, working at the greenhouse, and avoiding anything that involves an ounce of school spirit. Unfortunately for him, his adoptive big sister has other ideas. Ideas that involve too-tight pants, a baggie full of purple glitter, and worst of all: a Junior-Senior prom ticket.

Dragon's Song Emily Martha Sorensen 2018-07-13 Rose really wants her son to have more playmates, but the fourth egg hasn't hatched yet. Then she learns that the newest egg has parents . . . who haven't stepped forward to claim her yet. And she's refusing to hatch until they do. What in the world is going on? And what will happen when the new dragon's parents do claim her?

Meet Clara Andrews Lacey London 2017-04-16 Meet Clara Andrews... Your new best friend! With a love of cocktails and wine, a fantastic job in the fashion industry and the world's greatest best friends, Clara Andrews thought she had it all. That is until a chance meeting introduces her to Oliver, a devastatingly handsome American designer. Trying to keep the focus on her work, Clara finds her heart stolen by lavish restaurants and luxury hotels. As things get flirty, Clara reminds herself that inter-office relationships are against the rules, so when a sudden recollection of a work's night out leads her to a gorgeous barman, she decides to see where it goes. Clara soon finds out that dating two men isn't as easy as it seems... Will she be able to play the field without getting played herself? Join Clara, as she finds herself landing in and out of trouble, re-affirming friendships, discovering truths and uncovering secrets.

Tell It to the Moon Siobhan Curham 2017-08

Manga Classics: Jane Eyre Charlotte Bronte As an orphaned child, Jane Eyre is first cruelly treated by her aunt, then cast out and sent to a charity school. Though she meets with further hardship, she receives an

education, and eventually takes a job as a governess at the estate of Edward Rochester. Jane and Mr. Rochester begin to bond, but his dark moods trouble her. When Jane uncovers the terrible secret Rochester has been hiding, she flees and finds temporary refuge at the home of St. John Rivers. Charlotte Bronte's classic tale of morality and social criticism takes on an entirely new life in this Manga Classic adaptation of Jane Eyre.

Dead Little Mean Girl Eva Darrows 2017-04-01 Quinn Littleton was a mean girl—a skinny blonde social terrorist in stilettos. She was everything Emma MacLaren hated. Until she died. A proud geek girl, Emma loves her quiet life on the outskirts, playing video games and staying off the radar. When her nightmare of a new stepsister moves into the bedroom next door, her world is turned upside down. Quinn is a queen bee with a nasty streak who destroys anyone who gets in her way. Teachers, football players, her fellow cheerleaders—no one is safe. Emma wants nothing more than to get this girl out of her life, but when Quinn dies suddenly, Emma realizes there was more to her stepsister than anyone ever realized. A meaningful and humorous exploration of teen stereotypes and grief, Dead Little Mean Girl examines the labels we put on people and what lies beyond if we're only willing to look closer.

Tin Men Amalie Jahn 2016-03-26 What if you could go back in time to save the person you love the most? When his father dies in a tragic climbing accident, Charlie discovers a well-hidden family secret which turns his life upside down and threatens to destroy his sense of self as well as his relationship with his girlfriend, Brooke. Although deep down Charlie always suspected his family wasn't what it seemed, the truth of his adoption compels him to search for his birth mother. In the quest to find her, he realizes traveling to the past for the truth he seeks will jeopardize his relationship with the person he cherishes most in the world. Brooke almost lost everything traveling back in time to save her brother. Will Charlie make the same mistake?

Lumberjanes Vol. 10 Shannon Watters 2018-12-19 Yetis, Greek gods, and grootslangs are old news to the Roanoke cabin, but now the Lumberjanes face their most harrowing experience yet: their parents! It's PARENTS' DAY at camp, and the Lumberjanes must try to keep everyone away from the supernatural, even as a mysterious force tries to intervene! Collects issues #37-40.

The Twice Lost Sarah Porter 2013 When humans declare war on mermaids, Luce swims to San Francisco Bay where she finds a group of "twice lost" girls, lost once when trauma turned them into mermaids and again when they defied mermaid law, and unites them into an army under her leadership.

The Fear Trials Lindsay Cummings 2014-06-03 Meadow Woodson has been trained to survive. This is a prequel to *The Murder Complex*, by Lindsay Cummings, and it is set in a blood-soaked world where the murder rate is higher than the birth rate. For fans of Moira Young's *Dust Lands* series, *La Femme Nikita*, and the movie *Hanna*. Meadow Woodson's father calls it *The Fear Trials*, and it is a rite of passage in their family. Meadow is up against her brother Koi. The *Fear Trials* will both harden her and make her brave. If Meadow wins, she will get a weapon of her own and the right to leave the Woodsons' houseboat without her father or mother at her side. Set in the violent, complex, and mysterious world of *The Murder Complex*, and introducing Meadow Woodson—a teenage girl trained to survive no matter what the cost—and her family, who are together for the last time on their houseboat in the Florida Everglades. Epic Reads Impulse is a digital imprint with new releases each month.

Married to the Bad Boy Scott 2016-11-24 "I didn't marry him out of love, nor because I liked him. I didn't marry him for his family money or wealth, or for popularity. Truth be told, I could care less about this guy and who he was. I Married the Bad Boy for protection." Kami's life was hell. Until the bad boy came along to save her. She never had an easy life. Most of her teenage years, all she had were bruises and bad memories. Her mother had married another man whose happiness came from hurting her. But when Brandon appeared in her life, some things were about to change. He had seen the bruises, and how it pained her. So he did something about it. He married her to protect her. But did Kami make the right decision marrying him? All the men in her life either left her, like her father did, or hurt her, as was the case with her step-father. There was no guarantee that Brandon wouldn't leave her, or hurt her. What would happen to her life now that she was married to the bad boy? Will he be able to keep her from harm?

The Little Green Goose Adele Sansone 2010 Mr. Goose finds an abandoned egg, hatches it and raises a peculiar green-skinned, long-tailed chick who worries about his identity but comes to recognize that he

has a parent who loves him.

The Indigo Notebook Laura Resau 2010-08 Fifteen-year-old Zeeta comes to terms with her flighty mother and their itinerant life when, soon after moving to Ecuador, she helps an American teenager find his birth father in a nearby village.

Unwrap My Heart Victoria Anders 2019-11-29 He's had this connection to her since the day they met, like she's the lights on his Christmas tree. Too bad she's dating his best friend. BRAYLEIGH Today, I age out of foster care, but my foster family lets me stay, allowing me to live with my little brother, protect my foster sister, and graduate high school. But I have a secret that I let slip, and villains don't respond well to threats. How will I survive the holidays being homeless and carrying a life-altering secret? ZAIN Falling for your best friend's ex-girlfriend shouldn't happen. But sometimes fate has other plans. That's how I spend my Christmas break. No matter how hard I try to resist her, it's futile. Every part of her calls to me subconsciously. I can't ignore the chemistry. And best of all, she wants me. Not just wants me but needs me. Is she worth losing my best friend? Will these two hearts come together for Christmas? Perfect for fans of Amber Smith's *The Way I Used to Be* and Abbi Glines's *Until Friday Night*. This can be read as a standalone. WARNING: This story deals with heavy topics including teen pregnancy and sexual abuse.

The Black Veins (Anniversary Edition) Ashia Monet 2020-08-20 In a world where magic thrives in secret city corners, a group of magicians embark on a road trip-and it's the "no-love-interest", found family adventure you've been searching for. Sixteen-year-old Blythe is one of seven Guardians: magicians powerful enough to cause worldwide panic with a snap of their fingers. But Blythe spends her days pouring latte art at her family's coffee shop, so why should she care about having apocalyptic abilities? She's given a reason when magician anarchists crash into said coffee shop and kidnap her family. Heartbroken but determined, Blythe knows she can't save them alone. A war is brewing between two magician governments and tensions are too high. So, she packs up her family's bright yellow Volkswagen, puts on a playlist, and embarks on a road trip across the United States to enlist the help of six strangers whose abilities are unparalleled-the other Guardians. *The Black Veins 2020 Anniversary Edition, with cover by Shazleen Khan

The Moonlight Dreamers Siobhan Curham 2016-07-01

Follow Me Back Nicci Cloke 2016-02-04 A thrilling read, for fans of *Gone Girl* and *We Were Liars*. There was no sign of a struggle, they whisper to each other. She took her phone but left her laptop behind. Apparently, she'd met someone online, they write to each other in class, phones buzzing. She ran away. She was taken. The first time Aiden Kendrick hears about Lizzie Summersall's disappearance is when the police appear at his front door. He and Lizzie used to be friends; they aren't anymore. And when Aiden finds out that Lizzie had been talking to strangers on Facebook; that the police think she went to meet one of them, he begins to wonder how well he ever really knew her, and Aiden doesn't know it yet, but with Lizzie's disappearance his life is about to take a twisted and desperate turn.

Layover Amy Andelson 2018-02-06 Fans of Julie Buxbaum's *Tell Me Three Things* and Morgan Matson's *Since You've Been Gone* will get caught up in the drama of this road trip romance that begins with an unplanned flight layover in L.A. and turns into a wild adventure. FLYNN: At first we were almost strangers. But ever since I moved to New York, Amos was the one person I could count on. And together we were there for Poppy. (I mean, what kind of parents leave their kid to be raised by a nanny?) I just didn't expect to fall for him--and I never expected him to leave us. AMOS: I thought I was the only one who felt it. I told myself it was because we were spending so much time together--taking care of Poppy and all. But that night, I could tell she felt it, too. And I freaked out--you're not supposed to fall for your stepsister. So I ran away to boarding school. I should have told her why I was leaving, but every time I tried, it felt like a lie. One missed flight was about to change their lives forever. . . . Perfect for fans of *Clueless* and brought to you by two Hollywood screenwriters, this wild journey of unlikely romance, heartbreak, and adventure--set against the backdrop of a blended family in free fall during a rebellious layover in Los Angeles--reveals the true value of the unbreakable bonds we forge when we dare to let ourselves risk it all. "A thoughtful, charming journey into the nature of love and family." --Rachel Cohn, New York Times bestselling coauthor of *Nick & Norah's Infinite Playlist* "This road-trip saga from Hollywood screenwriters Andelson and Meyer is being hailed as a must-read for fans of 'Clueless.'" --Brightly

Everything All at Once Katrina Leno 2017-07-25 A soaring novel by the critically acclaimed author of *The*

Half Life of Molly Pierce and The Lost & Found, perfect for fans of Jennifer Niven and Rainbow Rowell. Part mysterious adventure, part love letter to the power of books, this is a brilliantly woven novel about loving, reading, writing, grieving, and finding the strength to take a leap. Lottie Reaves is not a risk taker. But she's about to take a leap into the unknown... When Lottie's beloved Aunt Helen dies of cancer, it upends her careful, quiet life. Aunt Helen wasn't a typical aunt. She was the world-famous author of the bestselling Alvin Hatter series. She knew a thing or two about the magic of writing, and how words have the power to make you see things differently. In her will, Aunt Helen leaves Lottie a series of letters—each containing mysterious instructions. As Lottie sets about following them, she realizes they're meant to make her take a risk, and, for once in her life, really live. But when the letters reveal an extraordinary secret about her aunt's past—and the inspiration for the Alvin Hatter series—Lottie finds herself faced with an impossible choice, one that will force her to confront her greatest fears once and for all.

Theorie of the Storm Jane Delaney 2018-12-14 500 years ago the Fae vanished without a trace. Now, none can pass the treacherous storms guarding their former home. The Countdown Clock is Ticking In the city of Dynas Rhydent, all who are born with magic must succumb to the Trials by their 19th birthday. Pass, and you'll be granted the title of Magi, a rank that brings wealth and privilege. Fail, and your life is no longer your own. An acolyte at the Academy of Arcane Arts, Theorie du'Ambrine's gift is stunted, and as her birthday draws closer she begins to fear the inevitable-- A Chance Encounter With his crooked smile and shaggy hair, Kyte is unlike anyone Theorie has ever known, and it isn't long before she finds herself following the magnetic boy into one of Dynas Rhydent's most dangerous districts. But what starts as a light-hearted afternoon soon turns into a harrowing nightmare, one that will push both Theorie and Kyte to their very limits as they struggle to survive a betrayal that might cost them everything. The Last of Them Taren Val'Cross is the last prince of the Fae. Once, his empire spanned the globe. Now, a curse keeps his people locked behind a magical barrier, making them prisoners in their own home. None can enter nor leave the wards surrounding their islands. Taren has all but given up on freeing his people, until a violent storm washes a young mage onto their shores. A mage who just might have the power to free them. But that power comes at a cost and soon Taren finds himself asking a question: save his kingdom or the woman he loves? Enter a world where myths and magic abound in a lush dark fantasy perfect for fans of Holly Black, Cassandra Clare, and Sarah J Maas. Enter the Storm.

This Is How It Happened Paula Stokes 2017-07-11 The author of *Girl Against the Universe* and *Liars, Inc.* plunges readers into a world where the internet is always watching—and judging—in this compelling story about mistakes, repercussions, and online vigilante justice. Perfect for fans of Sarah Darer Littman’s *Backlash* or Robyn Schneider’s *The Beginning of Everything*. After waking up from a coma, Genevieve Grace can’t remember the car crash that killed her boyfriend Dallas, a YouTuber turned teen music idol. Genevieve knows she was driving, but because of what’s been reported in the media, everyone assumes the other driver, Brad Freeman, is guilty. As she slowly pieces together the night of the accident, Genevieve is hit with a sickening sense of dread—what if she’s the one at fault? While the internet and social media viciously condemn Brad, Genevieve escapes to her father’s house near Zion National Park to hide from curious classmates and intrusive reporters. But she quickly realizes that she can’t run away from the accident. And eventually, she will have to come to grips with what happened...and her role in it.

Song of Summer Laura Lee Anderson 2015-07-07 The thirteen qualities of Robin's Perfect Man range from the mildly important “Handsome” to the all-important “Great taste in music.” After all, Westfield's best high school folk musician can't go out with some schmuck who only listens to top 40 crap. So when hot Carter Paulson walks in the door of Robin's diner, it looks like the list may have come to life after all...until she realizes he's profoundly deaf. Carter isn't looking for a girlfriend. Especially not a hearing one. Not that he has anything against hearing girls, they just don't speak the same language. But when the cute waitress at Grape Country Dairy makes an effort to talk with him, he takes her out on his yellow Ducati motorcycle. Music, language, and culture all take a backseat as love drives the bike. But how long can this summer really last?

The Last Summer of the Garrett Girls Jessica Spotswood 2018-06-05 One summer will challenge everything the Garrett sisters thought they knew about themselves—and each other in this captivating new novel by Jessica Spotswood. As the oldest, Des shoulders a lot of responsibility for her family and their independent bookstore. Except it's hard to dream big when she's so busy taking care of everyone else. Vi has a crush on the girl next door. It makes her happy and nervous, but Cece has a boyfriend...so it's not like her feelings could ever be reciprocated, right? Kat lands the lead in the community theater's summer play, but the drama spills offstage when her ex and his new girlfriend are cast too. Can she get revenge

by staging a new romance of her own? Bea and her boyfriend are heading off to college together in the fall, just like they planned when they started dating. But Bea isn't sure she wants the same things as when she was thirteen... Told through four alternating points of view, readers will laugh, cry, and fall in love alongside the Garrett girls.

Angel's Choice Lauren Baratz-Logsted 2009-12-15 All I remember is the sensation of things slipping away from me.... In one night Angel Hansen's life changes forever: She has sex for the first time. Not that she remembers the act itself -- not the pain or the pleasure. But she is left with something that will never let her forget it: an unplanned pregnancy. Angel must make a choice. Abortion? Adoption? Keep it? None of these choices are easy and none of them are perfect. But there is one thing Angel is sure of. Whatever choice she makes, it must be the right one for her. Braced with that knowledge, Angel faces the toughest decision of her life.

Summer Constellations Alisha Sevigny 2018-05-01 Summer romance meets a passion for the environment in this timeless young adult novel. When Julia's mother announces that she might be selling the family's campground to a real estate developer, Julia is crushed. How could she stand to leave her childhood home? Then Julia finds an unlikely ally -- the developer's son, Nick -- who wants to help her family raise the money they need to keep the campground running. Can Julia trust him to conspire against his own father? And could she ever trust him with her heart? This tender story reminds readers of summer's possibilities ... and how sometimes love is written in the stars.

Eternal Reign Susanne Valenti 2019-02-22 In the year 2133, vampires rule America. Within the Realms, human life is defined by blood. But there is a way out: The Testing. No one knows what happens to those who pass. But rumours of the powerful vampire family who want them spark fear in the chosen few. When sisters Callie and Montana pass the test, they rebel against their fate and plan to do what no human has ever done. Escape their Realm. But the vampires have eyes everywhere and the girls are soon torn apart, sending them spiralling down two dangerous paths. One to the vampires. The other to the slayers. With Callie in the hands of a fierce warrior and Montana trapped in a terrifying ritual run by the royal vampires, can they find their way back to each other before it's too late? Or will their fates be decided by the deadly

men who shadow them..?Eternal Reign is an upper YA dystopian paranormal romance with strong female leads and alpha males. If you loved The Selection Series, the Twilight Saga and A Shade of Vampire, you'll fall for this brand new series!

Clara's Greek Adventure Lacey London 2018-02-14 Janie, an eccentric billionaire and Mykonos. What could possibly go wrong?Almost a year has drifted by since Suave secured the lanthe contract and things are going very well indeed.With the success of the partnership shooting Suave for the stars, the gang are closer than ever and living life to the max.Enjoying their new-found wealth proves to be a fun and exciting time for Clara and her friends, but there's one thing that's keeping a smile from Oliver's face...After declaring their love for one another twelve months ago, Janie and Stelios have been loving life in Stelios's luxury mansion in Mykonos, but not everyone is happy for them.Oliver has made no secret of his detest for Stelios Christopoulos and that hatred seems to be growing stronger by the day. However, when the gang are invited to Mykonos to attend Stelios's exclusive Ice Party, Oliver has no choice but to put his own feelings aside and represent Suave.Will this trip give Stelios a chance to finally win over Oliver?Is Janie's love for Stelios based on more than just fast cars and money?With five whole days under the Greek sun awaiting them, will they all leave as friends, or will the holiday be the final nail in the coffin for Oliver and his mother?Join Clara and her friends as they jet to Mykonos, help a friend on the verge of a mid-life crisis and discover what Janie's heart really holds."Lacey London has achieved what other authors struggle to do by keeping the reader hooked!""There is a true art to writing a series of books that just keep getting better and Lacey definitely has it.""I just LOVE Clara Andrews!""Very easy to get hooked on!"The other books in the Clara series are available from Amazon.

The Princess Diaries Complete Collection Meg Cabot 2014-09-30 Meg Cabot's bestselling Princess Diaries series has delighted millions of middle grade and teen readers, and it was turned into the wildly popular Disney movies of the same name, starring Anne Hathaway and Julie Andrews. This collection contains all ten of the novels following Mia as she attempts to navigate high school, boys, and...princess training. Includes: The Princess Diaries The Princess Diaries, Volume II: Princess in the Spotlight The Princess Diaries, Volume III: Princess in Love The Princess Diaries, Volume IV: Princess in Waiting The Princess Diaries, Volume V: Princess in Pink The Princess Diaries, Volume VI: Princess in Training The

Princess Diaries, Volume VII: Party Princess The Princess Diaries, Volume VIII: Princess on the Brink The Princess Diaries, Volume IX: Princess Mia The Princess Diaries, Volume X: Forever Princess

The Alex Crow Andrew Smith 2015-03-10 “Andrew Smith is the Kurt Vonnegut of YA . . . [Smith’s novels] are the freshest, richest, and weirdest books to hit the YA world in years.” –Entertainment Weekly Skillfully blending multiple story strands that transcend time and place, award-winning Grasshopper Jungle author Andrew Smith chronicles the story of Ariel, a refugee who is the sole survivor of an attack on his small village. Now living with an adoptive family in Sunday, West Virginia, Ariel's story is juxtaposed against those of a schizophrenic bomber and the diaries of a failed arctic expedition from the late nineteenth century . . . and a depressed, bionic reincarnated crow.

Extraordinary: A Story of an Ordinary Princess Cassie Anderson 2019-08-06 While her sisters were blessed at birth with exceptional skills, Princess Basil's "gift" is to be ordinary. But can a princess be ordinary? After escaping an unconventional kidnapping, Princess Basil finds herself far from her castle and must take fate into her own hands. She tracks down the fairy godmother who "blessed" her, and learns the solution to her ordinariness might be as simple as finding a magic ring. With an unlikely ally in tow, she takes on gnomes, a badger, and a couple of snarky foxes in her quest for a less ordinary life. Portland comics artist Cassie Anderson (Lifeformed) takes her webcomic to print in this tale of magical adventure, full of soul and humor for readers of all ages.

The Sign Around My Neck Lucas Hasten 2017-02-17 Eleven-year-old Lu (short for "Lucy") has always felt wrong as a girl. Now, with the help of a few good friends, he'll find a way to face the world as a transgender boy.

Starworld Audrey Coulthurst 2019-04-16 In a novel in two voices, a popular teen and an artistic loner forge an unlikely bond – and create an entire universe – via texts. But how long before the real world invades Starworld? Sam Jones and Zoe Miller have one thing in common: they both want an escape from reality. Loner Sam flies under the radar at school and walks on eggshells at home to manage her mom’s obsessive-compulsive disorder, wondering how she can ever leave to pursue her dream of studying

aerospace engineering. Popular, people-pleasing Zoe puts up walls so no one can see her true self: the girl who was abandoned as an infant, whose adoptive mother has cancer, and whose disabled brother is being sent away to live in a facility. When an unexpected encounter results in the girls' exchanging phone numbers, they forge a connection through text messages that expands into a private universe they call Starworld. In Starworld, they find hilarious adventures, kindness and understanding, and the magic of being seen for who they really are. But when Sam's feelings for Zoe turn into something more, will the universe they've built survive the inevitable explosion?

No Place to Fall Jaye Robin Brown 2014-12-09 "Southern charm oozes off the page"* of this sexy and poignant novel about family, friendships, and first romance—from Jaye Robin Brown, the critically acclaimed author of *Georgia Peaches and Other Forbidden Fruit*. It's Jandy Nelson's *The Sky Is Everywhere* meets Sarah Dessen's *This Lullaby*. Amber Vaughn is a good girl. She sings solos at church, babysits her nephew after school, and spends Friday nights hanging out at her best friend Devon's house. But when she learns about an audition at a prestigious arts school, Amber decides that her dream—to sing on bigger stages—could also be her ticket to a new life. Devon's older brother, Will, helps Amber prepare for her one chance to try out. The more time Will and Amber spend together, the more complicated their relationship becomes . . . and Amber starts to wonder if she's such a good girl, after all. Then, in an afternoon, the bottom drops out of her family's world—and Amber is faced with an impossible choice between her promise as an artist and the people she loves. Amber always thought she knew what a good girl would do. But between right and wrong, there's a whole world of possibilities. *Kirkus