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The Mapmaker's Daughter

2014-03-04

vividly detailed and beautifully written this is a pleasure to read a thoughtful deeply engaging story of the power of faith to navigate history s rough terrain booklist how far would you go to stay true to yourself spain 1492 on the eve of the jewish expulsion from spain amalia riba stands at a crossroads in a country violently divided by religion she must either convert to christianity and stay safe or remain a jew and risk everything it s a choice she s been walking toward her whole life from the days of her youth when her family lit the shabbat candles in secret back then she saw the vast possibility of the world outlined in the beautiful pen and ink maps her father created but the world has shifted and contracted since then the mapmaker s daughter is a stirring novel about identity exile and what it means to be home a close look at the great costs and greater rewards of being true to who you really are a lyrical journey to the time when the jews of spain were faced with the wrenching choice of deciding their future as jews a pivotal period of history and inspiration today margaret george new york times bestselling author of elizabeth i the many twists and turns in the life of the mapmaker's daughter amalia mirror the tenuous and harrowing journey of the jewish community in fifteenth century iberia showing how family and faith overcame even the worst the inquisition could inflict on them anne easter smith author of royal mistress and a rose for the crown a powerful love story ignites these pages making the reader yearn for more as they come to know amalia and jamil two of the most compelling characters in recent historical fiction an absolute must read michelle moran author of the second empress and madam tussaud

Penelope's Daughter

2010-10-05

the award winning author of the four seasons retells the odyssey from the point of view of odysseus and penelope s daughter with her father odysseus gone for twenty years xanthe barricades herself in her royal chambers to escape the rapacious suitors who would abduct her to gain the throne xanthe turns to her loom to weave the adventures of her life from her upbringing among servants and slaves to the years spent in hiding with her mother s cousin helen of troy to the passion of her sexual awakening in the arms of the man she loves and when a stranger dressed as a beggar appears at the palace xanthe wonders who will be the one to decide her future a suitor she loathes a brother she cannot respect or a father who doesn t know she exists

Penelope's Daughter

2010

this book explores a unique crypto jewish manuscript written by loggie carrasco of albuquerque new mexico the essays examine central themes in loggie s manuscript and use them to reflect crypto judaism both as a historic and a vital living culture

Reflections on a New Mexican Crypto-Jewish Song Book

2023

woman is born free and everywhere she is in corsets lili du châtelet yearns to know more about her mother the brilliant french mathematician emilie but the shrouded details of emilie s unconventional life and her sudden death are elusive caught between the confines of a convent upbringing and the intrigues of the versailles court lili blossoms under the care of a parisian salonnière as she absorbs the excitement of the enlightenment even as the scandalous shadow of her mother s past haunts her and puts her on her own path of self discovery laurel corona s breathtaking new novel set on the eve of the french revolution vividly illuminates the tensions of the times and the dangerous dance between the need to conform and the desire to chart one s own destiny and journey of the heart

Finding Emilie

2011-04-12

her knowledge of the bible is evident and her creativity shines through as she weaves nine thoughtful and layered accounts of distant complicated times publisher s weekly reminiscent of anita diamant s the red tent these beautifully written stories feel like meeting eve lot s wife and many other compelling characters for the first time laurel corona author of the mapmaker s daughter and the four seasons a novel of vivaldi s venice stunning molly antopol author of the unamericans gorgeous and captivating dara horn author of a guide for the perplexed and the world to come marvelous michelle huneven author of off course and blame what struck me most about these stories is their clear assured confidence as if michal lemberger had pulled apart some of the lines in the old story spied a new story tucked in there way off in a corner shimmied in a fishhook and pulled it out aimee bender author of the color master and the particular sadness of lemon cake lemberger liberates the voices that are trapped beneath the biblical text with artistry and erudition rabbi david wolpe rabbi of sinai temple los angeles and author of why faith matters eve considers motherhood miriam tends moses lot s wife looks back vividly reimagined with

startling contemporary clarity michal lemberger s debut collection of short stories gives voice to silent oft marginalized biblical women their ambitions their love for their children their values their tremendous struggles and challenges informed by lemberger s deep knowledge of the bible each of these nine stories story recasts a biblical saga from the perspective of a pivotal woman michal lemberger s nonfiction and journalism have appeared in slate salon tablet and other publications and her poetry has been published in a number of print and online journals a story from after abel her first collection of fiction was featured in lilith magazine lemberger holds an ma and phd in english from ucla and a ba in english and religion from barnard college she has taught the hebrew bible as literature at ucla and the american jewish university she was born and raised in new york and now lives in los angeles with her husband and two daughters

After Abel and Other Stories

2015-03-16

write to celebrate heal and free the wild woman within in her years as a writing coach judy reeves has found twin urges in women they yearn to reclaim a true nature that resides below the surface of daily life and to give it voice the longing to express this wild authentic nature is what informs reeves s most popular workshop and now this workshop in a book here you will explore the stages that make up your life from wild child daughter sister mother and loves and lovers to creative work friendships and how the wise woman encounters death both intuitive and practical wild women wild voices responds to women s deep need for expression with specific and inspiring activities exercises and writing prompts with true empathy reeves invites instructs and celebrates the authentic expression even the howl of the wild in every woman

Wild Women, Wild Voices

2015-03-15

defense attorney sophie giraudo is about to open a new legal practice in her hometown of san sebastian california when the beloved governer is shot and seriously wounded during a celebration in the town park the only thing more shocking than the crime itself is the identity of the would be assassin a seemingly gentle teenager named donny driven by her desire to understand what could make a person with no history of violence suddenly commit such a terrible act sophie reluctantly agrees to take him on as a client knowing that at least it will bring her some income but soon she realizes that she also has personal motivations for taking the case a desire to prove to her overbearing mother that she is not the reckless and self destructive tennager she used to be to prove to her ex husband who happens to be the prosecuting attorney that she can win her case and to prove to herself that the traumatic events of her adolescence no longer define her as she digs deeper into donny s past sophie begins to suspect that he might not be the cold blooded killer everyone thinks he is does donny s narcissistic mother really have her son s best interest in mind is donny s mentor who runs boys into men a program for disadvantaged youths the altruistic man he claims to be is donny a deranged murderer or a victim of his circumstances acting out of desperation as sophie races to uncover the truth she is forced to come to terms with her past and to fight for what she knows is right even if it means risking her reputation and possibly her life

In Doubt

2014-08-26

frankie byrne tennyson stunned everyone when she decided to enlist in the u s marine corps now after bravely serving her country in iraq she s finally come home home to a husband whose lingering feelings of abandonment make her wonder if their lives can ever be the same home to a daughter whose painful encounters with bullies can only be healed by a mother s love and home to a father who still can t accept his daughter s decision to serve in spite of his own stellar career as a brigadier general but the most difficult part about coming home lies within frankie herself to save everything she holds dear she must face the toughest battle of her life a moving portrait of a modern american family when she comes home reminds us that some things honor acceptance and above all love are truly worth fighting for

When She Came Home

2013-04-09

with a scholar s commitment to accurate detail and the heart of a lover of beauty kathleen b jones s engaging and well crafted parallel story is as colorful and lucid as the illuminated manuscripts at the center of her novel laurel corona author of the mapmaker s daughter a deeply affecting dual narrative separated by several centuries cities of women examines the lives of women who dare to challenge the social norms of their days risking their reputations and livelihoods for the sake of their passions in the twenty first century we meet verity frazier a disillusioned history professor who sets out to prove that the artist responsible for the illuminated artwork in christine de pizan s medieval manuscripts was a remarkable woman named anastasia as anastasia s story unfolds against the exquisitely rendered medieval backdrop of moral disaster political intrigue and extraordinary creativity verity finds her career on the brink of collapse by her efforts to uncover evidence of the lost artist s

existence inspired by a decade of research jones has woven together a luminous and incisive masterpiece of historical fiction evoking the spare joys and monumental pitfalls facing medieval women artists and a contemporary woman who becomes obsessed with medieval books

Cities of Women

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an incredible book about the strength of women an important book and a read that is nothing if not timely with current politics fangirlnation a 1 bestseller in 21st century u s history for teens still i rise takes its title from a work by maya angelou and it resonates with the same spirit of an unconquerable soul a woman who is captain of her fate it embodies the strength of character of the inspiring women profiled each chapter will outline the fall and rise of great women heroes who smashed all obstacles rather than let all obstacles smash them the book offers hope to those undergoing their own sisyphean struggles intrepid women heroes are the antithesis of the traditional damsels in distress rather than waiting for the prince they took salvation into their own hands celebrate girl power women leaders in history celebrated in this book include madame c j walker first female american millionaireaung san suu kyi burma s first lady of freedombetty shabazz civil rights activistnellie sachs holocaust survivor and nobel prize recipientselma lagerlof first woman nobel laureatefannie lou hamer american voting rights activistbessie coleman first african american female pilotwilma rudolph first woman to win three gold medalssonia sotomayor first hispanic supreme court justicewangari maathai nobel prize winnerwinnifred mandela freedom fighterlois wilson founder of al anonroxanne quimby cofounder of burt s bees inspirational if you need a little encouragement in your life during these difficult times the lives of these women will give you hope says me says mom

Still I Rise

2017-07-25

in glittering 18th century venice music and love are prized above all else and for two sisters coming of age the city s passions blend in intoxicating ways chiaretta and maddalena are as different as night and day the two sisters were abandoned as babies on the steps of the ospedale della pietà venice s world famous foundling hospital and musical academy high spirited and rebellious chiaretta marries into a great aristocratic venetian family and eventually becomes one of the most powerful women in venice maddalena becomes a violin virtuoso and antonio vivaldi s muse the four seasons is a rich literary imagination of the world of 18th century venice and the lives and loves of two extraordinary women

The Four Seasons

2008-11-04

this is a powerful tale of the triumph of love under extremely difficult conditions publishers weekly at leizer bart s funeral one of the mourners told his son michael that the gravestone should include a reference to the freedom fighters of nekamah to honor his late father s involvement in the jewish resistance movement in vilna now vilnius lithuania at the end of world war ii michael had never heard his parents referenced as freedom fighters following his father s death and with his mother in failing health michael embarked on a ten year research project to find out more details about his parents time in the vilna ghetto where they met fell in love and married and about their activities as members of the jewish resistance until our last breath is the culmination of his research and his parents story of love and survival is seamlessly tied into the collective story of the vilna ghetto the partisans of vilna and the wider themes of world history zenia bart s mother was born and raised in vilna leizer fled there to escape the nazi invasion of his hometown of hrubieshov in poland they were married by one of the last remaining rabbis ninety days before the liquidation of the ghetto leizer was friends with zionist leader abba kovner and became a member of the vilna ghetto underground shortly before the total liquidation of the ghetto zenia and leizer along with about 120 members of the underground were able to escape to the rudnicki forest about 25 miles away they became part of the jewish partisan fighting group led by abba kovner known as the avengers which carried out sabotage missions against the nazi army and eventually participated in the liberation of vilna until our last breath is intensely personal and painstakingly researched a lasting memorial to the jews of vilna including the resistance fighters and the author s family

Until Our Last Breath

2008-05-13

originally published as in the lion's den winner of the san diego book award for best historical fiction director's mention langum prize for american historical fiction 1861 the war that s been brewing for a decade has exploded pitting north against south fearing that england will support the confederate cause president lincoln sends charles francis adams son of john quincy adams to london but when charles arrives accompanied by his son henry he discovers that the english are already building warships for the south as charles embarks on a high stakes game of espionage and diplomacy henry reconnects with his college friend baxter sams a southerner who has fallen in love with englishwoman julia birch julia's family reviles americans leaving baxter torn between his love for julia his friendship with henry and his obligations to his own family who entreat him to run medical supplies across the blockade to help the confederacy as tensions mount irrevocable choices are made igniting a moment when history could have changed forever

Broken Promises

2011-03-29

spin the tales son of eden weave them together make a reality all your own three years ago fillion nichols was extracted from new eden township poisoned and arrested for sabotage in three days he ll return and ascend as majority owner of the human experiment new eden proclaims that he s a man of magic one who will save them from the evils of the outside world but as the newly appointed gamemaster fillion knows that the truth is far more terrifying than the nightmares plaguing his sleep in order to live something must die while the biodome community buzzes with activity over the son of eden s return leaf watson guards a dangerous secret a secret that forces him to trade diplomacies of peace for declarations of war leaf s energy is redirected however when he fights to save the life of his unborn child chin lifted high willow oak marches into the outside to represent new eden in her brother s stead she longs to unleash her hurricane winds of justice upon the world that threatens her own yet when she sees the man who broke her heart their combative grief endangers all in different worlds coded by the same illusions of power fillion leaf and willow must battle ever shifting images and perceptions a necessity if they are to reboot their generation and save the community they swore to protect the future meets the past in this thrilling conclusion to the biodome chronicles leaving behind a final question in the quest for truth are you ready to discover what is real

Gamemaster

2021-01-13

examines the imperial mythology that was reflected by roman art and architecture during the rule of augustus caesar

The Power of Images in the Age of Augustus

1988

galileo einstein curie darwin hawking we know the names but how much do we really know about these people galileo gained notoriety from his battle with the vatican over the question of heliocentrism but did you know that he was also an accomplished lute player and darwin of course discovered the principle by which new species are formed but his bold curiosity extended to the dinner table as well and how many people can say they ve eaten an owl in eureka john grant author of debunk it discarded science spooky science and many others offers fifty vivid portraits of groundbreaking scientists focusing not just on the ideas and breakthroughs that made them so important but also on their lives and their various quirks

Eureka!

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orange coast magazine is the oldest continuously published lifestyle magazine in the region bringing together orange county¹s most affluent coastal communities through smart fun and timely editorial content as well as compelling photographs and design each issue features an award winning blend of celebrity and newsmaker profiles service journalism and authoritative articles on dining fashion home design and travel as orange county¹s only paid subscription lifestyle magazine with circulation figures guaranteed by the audit bureau of circulation orange coast is the definitive guidebook into the county¹s luxe lifestyle

Orange Coast Magazine

1991-05

sharon kay penman follows up her acclaimed novel lionheart with this vivid and heart wrenching new york times bestseller about the last event filled years in the life of richard i of england coeur de lion november 1192 after his bloody crusade in the kingdom of jerusalem richard and his crew are overcome by a sudden storm its fierce winds propelling the ship onto the sicilian shore but this misfortune is just the beginning forced to make a dangerous choice richard finds himself in enemy territory where he is captured in violation of the papal decree protecting all crusaders and handed over to the holy roman emperor imprisoned in the notorious fortress at trifels from which few ever leave alive richard for the first time in his life experiences pure visceral fear while his mother eleanor of aquitaine moves heaven and earth to secure his release amid betrayals intrigues infidelities wars and illness richard s courage and intelligence will become legend

A King's Ransom

2014-03-04

since its first appearance in 1854 and through many revisions this dictionary has remained constant in its appeal to scholars this new and revised latin dictionary is among the best of its kind being reliable compact and adequate for the needs of all save the specialist he has produced what is in effect a new book typographically easy to consult and combining elegance with utility the times literary supplement this edition incorporates modern english idiom and current latin spelling includes general classical information where appropriate shows long and short vowels where not immediately apparent indicates irregular plural forms cites and quotes ancient classical authors suggests paraphrases to express modern english in classical latin form

Cassell's Latin Dictionary

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1955

a thrilling mystery woven into a beautifully constructed family memoir meryl frank s journey to seek the truth about a beloved and revolutionary cousin a celebrated actress in vilna before world war ii and to answer the question of how the next generation should honor the memory of the holocaust as a child meryl frank was the chosen inheritor of family remembrance her aunt mollie a formidable and cultured woman insisted that meryl never forget who they were where they came from and the hate that nearly destroyed them over long afternoons mollie told her about the city the theater and above all else meryl s cousin the radiant franya winter franya was the leading light of vilna s yiddish theater a remarkable and precocious woman who cast off the restrictions of her hasidic family and community to play roles as prostitutes and bellhops lovers and nuns yet there was one thing her aunt mollie would never tell meryl how franya died before mollie passed away she gave meryl a yiddish book containing the terrible answer but forbade her to read it and for years meryl obeyed unearthed is the story of meryl s search for franya and a timely history of hatred and resistance through archives across four continents by way of chance encounters and miraculous discoveries and eventually guided by the shocking truth recorded in the pages of the forbidden book meryl conjures the rogue spirit of her cousin her beauty and her tragedy meryl s search reveals a lost world destroyed by hatred illuminating the cultural haven of vilna and its resistance during world war ii as she seeks to find her lost family legacy meryl looks for answers to the questions that have defined her life what is our duty to the past how do we honor such memories while keeping them from consuming us and what do we teach our children about tragedy

Armorial Families

1895

when she came home frankie byrne tennyson stunned everyone when she decided to enlist in the u s marine corps now after bravely serving her country in iraq she s finally come home to a husband whose lingering feelings of abandonment make her wonder if their lives can ever be the same home to a daughter whose painful encounters with bullies can only be healed by a mother s love and home to a father who still can t accept his daughter s decision to serve in spite of his own stellar career as a brigadier general but the most difficult part about coming home lies within frankie herself to save everything she holds dear she must face the toughest battle of her life a moving portrait of a modern american family when she came home reminds us that some things honor acceptance and above all love are truly worth fighting for

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New English and Italian Pronouncing and Explanatory Dictionary

1864

a kirkus indie book of the month winner sarton women s book award for historical fiction when the germans invade her city rachel klein is a teenager falling in love within a year she s delivering illegal papers and confronting nazi soldiers in this compelling and touching tale laurel corona rachel finds her courage and faces wrenching choices follow rachel klein as she faces double danger as a young jewish woman and resistance worker in the amsterdam of anne frank on may 10 1940 the nazi bombers blast the night and shatter rachel klein s sleep along with her life as she knew it she s eighteen and falling in love with a gentile in a secret relationship as the nazi terror escalates her romance deepens quickly and so does her boyfriend s involvement with student protests soon he must disappear rather than face arrest when rachel witnesses the first roundup of 425 jewish men in the jonas daniel meijerplein she knows that she too must act and joins the resistance despite the ever greater danger as the nazis tighten their grip on the city rachel makes daily deliveries of illegal papers to addresses all over amsterdam she ingeniously evades the nazis and their dutch collaborators for months although she has some close calls as the roundups intensify rachel agonizes about whether to go into hiding ultimately she persuades her parents to accompany her to a dank basement where she gets to know herself and them in a different way and meets a new man a young woman can find her courage in any situation no matter how terrible and love is always a possibility

A Latin Dictionary for Schools

1889

dryden selected poems is drawn from paul hammond and david hopkins s remarkable five volume the poems of john dryden and includes a generous selection of his most important work the great satires macflecknoe and absalom and achitophel are included in full as are his religious poemsreligio laici and the hind and the panther along with a number of dryden s translations from horace ovid homer and chaucer each poem is accompanied by a headnote which gives details of composition publication and reception the first rate annotations provide information on matters of interpretation and give details of allusions that might prove baffling to contemporary readers some 300 years after his death dryden selected poems will enable new generations of readers to discover the poet of whom eliot wrote we cannot fully enjoy or rightly estimate a hundred years of english poetry unless we fully enjoy dryden

When She Came Home - Free Preview (The First 7 Chapters)

this volume completes the five volume longman annotated poets edition of the poems of john dryden the major poet of restoration england it provides a modernized text along with full explanatory annotation the poems include dryden's spirited translation from ovid homer chaucer and boccaccio this volume presents in newly edited texts and with a substantial editorial commentary the complete non dramatic poetry of john dryden's later years it contains the full text of dryden's final collection fables ancient and modern including its prose dedication and preface together with a number of other poems of the late 1690s and some posthumously published items

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