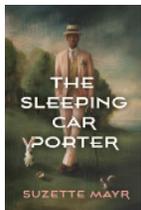
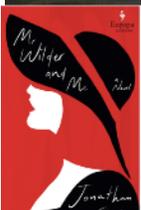


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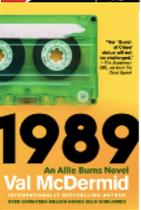
**The Sleeping Car Porter by Suzette Mayr - Coach House Books – 9781552454589- PB - \$23.95 – Fiction / African American & Black / Historical - 216 pp - Sept 2022**

When a mudslide strands a train, Baxter, a queer Black sleeping car porter, must contend with the perils of white passengers, ghosts, and his secret love affair



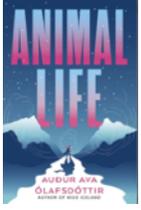
**Mr. Wilder and Me by Jonathan Coe - Europa - 9781609457921 - HC - \$38.50 – Fiction / Biographical – 256 pp - Oct 2022**

In a novel that is at once a tender coming-of-age story and an intimate portrait of one of cinema's most intriguing figures, Jonathan Coe turns his gaze on the nature of time and fame, of family and the treacherous lure of nostalgia.



**1989 by Val McDermid – Grove/Atlantic - 9780802160102 - HC - \$39.50 – Fiction / Thrillers / General - Oct 2022**

In the new instalment to her historical crime series that began with *1979*, Val McDermid delivers a propulsive new thriller that finds journalist Allie Burns has become an editor, and as the Cold War and AIDS crisis deliver a nonstop tide of news, a story falls into her lap. And then there's a murder.



**Animal Life by Auður Ava Ólafsdóttir, Trans. By Brian FitzGibbon – Grove/Atlantic – 9780802160164 - HC - \$22.95 – Fiction / Literary - Dec 2022**

From winner of the Nordic Council Literature Prize and the Icelandic Literature Prize, Auður Ava Ólafsdóttir, comes a dazzling novel about a family of midwives set in the run-up to Christmas in Iceland



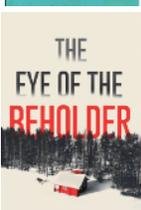
**Tear by Erica McKeen – Invisible Publishing - 9781778430060 - PB - \$22.95 - Fiction / Horror - 304 pp - Sept 2022**

*Tear* is both a horrifyingly deformed Bildungsroman and a bristling reclamation of female rage. Blurring the real and the imagined, this lyric debut novel unflinchingly engages with contemporary feminist issues and explores the detrimental effects of false narratives, gaslighting, and manipulation on young women.



**Paper Cup by Karen Campbell – Canongate Books - 9781838855093 - HC – \$33.95 - Fiction / World Literature / Scotland / 21st Century – 336 pp - Sept 2022**

What if going back means you could begin again? Full of compassion and hope, *Paper Cup* is a novel about how easy it can be to fall through the cracks, and what it takes to turn around a life that has run off course.



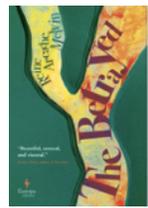
**The Eye of the Beholder by Margie Orford – Canongate Books - 9781838856809 - HC – \$33.95 - Fiction / Thrillers / Suspense – 320 pp - Sept 2022**

In a nail-biting thriller set between the scorched red soil of South Africa, the pitiless snowfields of Canada and the chilly lochsides of western Scotland, three women must contend with the spectres of male violence, sexual abuse and the choices we each make to keep our souls.



**Ghost Town by Kevin Chen, Trans. By Darryl Sterk - Europa - 9781609457983 - CL – \$38.50 - Fiction / LGBTQ+ / Gay – 384 pp - Nov 2022**

Told in a myriad of voices, both living and dead, and moving through time with deceptive ease, *Ghost Town* weaves a mesmerizing web of family secrets and countryside superstitions, the search for identity and clash of cultures.



**The Betrayed by Reine Archache Melvin – Europa - 9781609457730 - HC - \$39.95 – Fiction / Women - 464 pp - Sept 2022**

Set during a time of political upheaval and civil unrest, *The Betrayed* tells a sensual and sprawling story about two sisters who love the same man. Passionately told, and portraying a Philippines rarely seen in fiction, Reine Archache Melvin’s American debut is a gripping, sensual story.



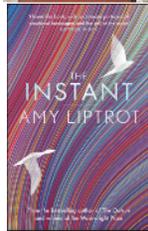
**Sugar Street by Jonathan Dee – Grove/Atlantic - 9780802160003 - HC - \$36.95 – Fiction / Literary - 224 pp - Sept 2022**

In a story that moves with swift dark humor and insight, Dee takes us through his narrator’s attempt to disavow his former life of privilege and enter a blameless new existence. With the suspense of a crime thriller and the grace of our best literary fiction, Dee unspools the details of our unlikely hero’s former life and his developing new one in a drumbeat roll up to a shocking final act.



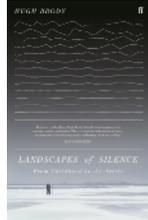
**An Ocean Apart by Sarah Lee – Pan Macmillan - 9781529095586 - HC - \$44.99 – Fiction / Historical / General - 432 pp – Nov 2022**

Sarah Lee's debut historical novel, *An Ocean Apart*, is set in the 1950s and follows the lives of three young women from the Caribbean as they come to England in search of a new life, training to be nurses



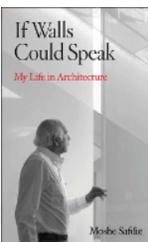
**The Instant by Amy Liptrot – Canongate – 9781838854263 - HC - \$33.95 – Biography & Autobiography / Personal Memoirs - 192 pp - Sept 2022**

*The Instant* is an unapologetic look at the addictive power of love and lust. It is also an exploration of the cycles of the moon, the flight paths of migratory birds, the mesmerising power of Neolithic stonework and the trails followed by a generation who exist online.



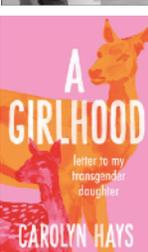
**Landscapes of Silence by Hugh Brody – Faber & Faber – 9780571370931 - HC - \$44.95 – Social Science / Anthropology / General - 224 pp - Sept 2022**

This is a book about silences. And land. Renowned anthropologist and film-maker Hugh Brody weaves a dazzling tapestry of personal memory and distant landscapes: childhood in England in the shadow of the Second World War, the Derbyshire hills, a kibbutz in Israel and the deep Canadian Arctic.



**If Walls Could Speak by Moshe Safdie – Grove/Atlantic – 9780802158321 - HC - \$49.50 – Biography & Autobiography / Artists, Architects, Photographers - Sept 2022**

One of the world’s greatest and most thoughtful architects recounts his extraordinary career and the iconic structures he has built—from Habitat in Montreal to Marina Bay Sands in Singapore—and offers a manifesto for the role architecture should play in society.



**A Girlhood by Carolyn Hays – Blair – 9781949467901 - HC - \$40.95 – Biography & Autobiography / LGBTQ+ - 282 pp - Sept 2022**

*A Girlhood* is a parent’s love letter to her transgender daughter: a call to action, an ode to community, a plea for empathy, a hope for a better future. *A Girlhood* is a love letter to a child who has always known exactly who she is—and who is waiting for the rest of the world to catch up..



**Conversations with Birds by Priyanka Kumar – Milkweed Editions – 9781571313997 - HC - \$39.95 – Nature / Animals / Birds - 304 pp - Nov 2022**

At a time when climate change, habitat loss, and the reckless use of pesticides are causing widespread extinction of species, Kumar’s reflections on birds as messengers from our distant past and harbingers of our future offer luminous evidence of her suggestion that “seeds of transformation lie dormant in all of our hearts. Sometimes it just takes the right bird to awaken us.”