

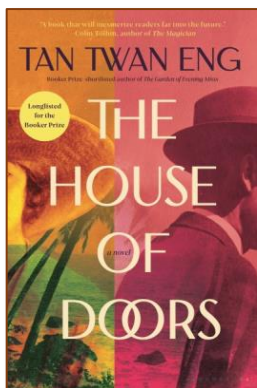
# MIDDLETOWN THRALL LIBRARY PRESENTS FUTURE TITLE WATCH

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DISCOVER NEW BOOKS & AUTHORS!

These books are **coming soon!** You can use this list to **plan ahead** and to **search the library catalog**. Visit our **blog** at [www.thrall.org/BLB](http://www.thrall.org/BLB) to explore even **more** books you might enjoy! Our librarians can **help you find or reserve books!**

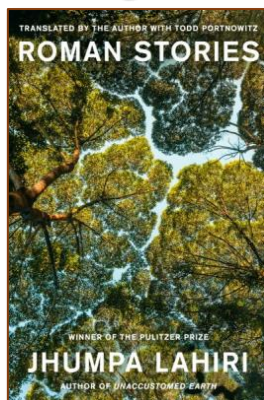
## Upcoming Fiction Highlights...



### **The House of Doors**

by Tan Twan Eng

"A mesmerizingly beautiful novel based on real events, *The House of Doors* traces the fault lines of race, gender, sexuality, and power under empire, and dives deep into the complicated nature of love and friendship in its shadow."



### **Roman Stories**

by Jhumpa Lahiri

"Short story collection by the Pulitzer Prize-winning author and master of the form. Rome—metropolis and monument, suspended between past and future, multi-faceted and metaphysical—is the protagonist, not the setting, of these nine stories."



### **Starling House**

by Alix E. Harrow

"*Starling House* is a gorgeously modern gothic fantasy from the New York Times bestselling author of *The Ten Thousand Doors of January*."

## More Forthcoming Titles...

*The Bell in the Fog* - Lev AC Rosen  
*The Berry Pickers* - Amanda Peters  
*Blackouts* - Justin Torres  
*Blood Lines* - Nelson DeMille  
*Blood Sisters* - Vanessa Lillie  
*Bloom* - Delilah S. Dawson  
*Brooklyn Crime Novel* - Jonathan Lethem  
*The Burnout* - Sophie Kinsella  
*Call Me Hunter* - Jim Shockey  
*The Christmas Guest* - Peter Swanson  
*Christmas Presents* - Lisa Unger  
*A Christmas to Remember* - Beverly Jenkins  
*A Cold Highland Wind* - Tasha Alexander  
*Dark Memory* - Christine Feehan  
*The Dead Take the A Train* - Cassandra Khaw  
*Death Valley* - Melissa Broder  
*The Defector* - Chris Hadfield  
*Dirty Thirty* - Janet Evanovich  
*Distant Sons* - Tim Johnston  
*Everything Is Not Enough* - Lola Akinmade-Akerstrom  
*The Exchange* - John Grisham  
*Family Meal* - Bryan Washington  
*From a Far and Lovely Country* - Alexander McCall Smith  
*Glory Be* - Danielle Arceneaux  
*Hercule Poirot's Silent Night* - Sophie Hannah  
*A Holly Jolly Ever After* - Julie Murphy  
*The Hurricane Wars* - Thea Guanzon  
*Jane and the Final Mystery* - Stephanie Barron  
*Judgment Prey* - John Sandford  
*Kill Show* - Daniel Sweren-Becker  
*Last to Leave the Room* - Caitlin Starling  
*Let Us Descend* - Jesmyn Ward  
*The List* - Yomi Adegoke  
*Long Past Dues* - James J. Butcher  
*Losing Spring* - V. C. Andrews  
*Lost & Hound* - Rita Mae Brown  
*The Maniac* - Benjamin Labatut  
*Mary and the Birth of Frankenstein* - Anne Eekhout

*Midnight Is the Darkest Hour* - Ashley Winstead  
*Moscow X* - David McCloskey  
*Murder by Degrees* - Ritu Mukerji  
*Murder in Drury Lane* - Vanessa Riley  
*Murder Uncorked* - Maddie Day  
*My Darling Girl* - Jennifer McMahon  
*The Night House* - Jo Nesbo  
*Obsession* - Stuart Woods  
*Princess of Dune* - Brian Herbert  
*The Prospectors* - Ariel Djanikian  
*The Quiet Room* - Terry Miles  
*The Reformatory* - Tananarive Due  
*Second Act* - Danielle Steel  
*The Secret* - Lee Child  
*Shoot the Moon* - Isa Arsen  
*Sisters by the Sea* - Wanda E. Brunstetter  
*Some of Us Are Looking* - Carlene O'Connor  
*The Sun Sets in Singapore* - Kehinde Fadipe  
*Sword Catcher* - Cassandra Clare  
*Testament* - Wilbur A. Smith  
*Throne of the Fallen* - Kerri Maniscalco  
*Touched* - Walter Mosley  
*The Twelve Dogs of Christmas* - Susan Wiggs  
*The Unmaking of June Farrow* - Adrienne Young  
*Up on the Woof Top* - Spencer Quinn  
*What We Kept to Ourselves* - Nancy Jooyoun Kim  
*When I'm Dead* - Hannah Morrissey  
*Wildfire* - Hannah Grace  
*A Winter in New York* - Josie Silver  
*The Witch of Maracoor* - Gregory Maguire  
*Wreck the Halls* - Tessa Bailey  
*Wyoming Proud* - Diana Palmer  
*Yumi and the Nightmare Painter* - Brandon Sanderson

## Looking for NONFICTION?

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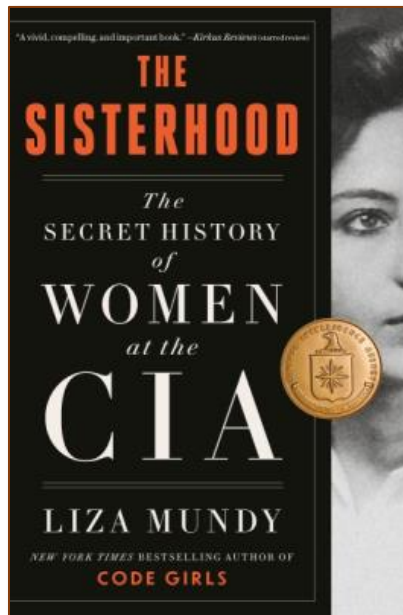
# October 2023 Nonfiction Titles



## **The Comfort of Crows**

by Margaret Renkl

"Margaret Renkl presents a literary devotional: fifty-two chapters that follow the creatures and plants in her backyard over the course of a year. With fifty-two original color artworks by the author's brother, Billy Renkl, *The Comfort of Crows* is a lovely and deeply moving book from a cherished observer of the natural world."



## **The Sisterhood: The Secret History of Women at the CIA**

by Liza Mundy

"*The New York Times* bestselling author of *Code Girls* reveals the untold story of how women at the CIA ushered in the modern intelligence age, a sweeping story of a 'sisterhood' of women spies spanning three generations who broke the glass ceiling, helped transform spycraft, and tracked down Osama Bin Laden."

## **Additional Nonfiction Titles to Consider...**

**15 Ways to Live Longer and Healthier** - Joel Osteen  
**Activate Your Greatness** - Alex Toussaint  
**Alfie and Me** - Carl Safina  
**American Man** - Lawrence Jones  
**Artificial** - Amy Kurzweil  
**Barbie Takes the Catwalk** - Karan Feder  
**Be Useful** - Arnold Schwarzenegger  
**Big Heart Little Stove** - Erin (Chef) French  
**Blood Memory** - Ken Burns  
**The Blue Machine** - Helen Czerski  
**Breaking Biden** - Alex Marlow  
**The Canceling of the American Mind** - Greg Lukianoff  
**Christmas Miracles** - Karen Kingsbury  
**Collision of Power** - Martin Baron  
**Conflict** - David Howell Petraeus  
**Cooking with Friends** -  
**The Dictionary People** - Sarah Ogilvie  
**Eat Smarter Family Cookbook** - Shawn Stevenson  
**Emperor of Rome** - Mary Beard  
**Eve** - Cat Bohannon  
**Extremely Online** - Taylor Lorenz  
**Fashion Killa** - Sowmya Krishnamurthy  
**Festive** - Francesca Stone  
**The Golden Screen** - Jeff Yang  
**The Hank Show** - McKenzie Funk  
**He/She/They** - Schuyler Bailar  
**A Healthy State of Panic** - Farnoosh Torabi  
**Heirloom Rooms** - Erin Napier  
**Hidden Potential** - Adam Grant  
**High Bias** - Marc Masters  
**The History of Sketch Comedy** - Keegan-Michael Key

**Hollywood and the Movies of the Fifties** - Foster Hirsch  
**How to Be** - Adam Nicolson  
**How to Know a Person** - David Brooks  
**I Am Asking in the Name of God** - Pope Francis  
**I Escaped a Chinese Internment Camp** - Anthony Del Col  
**I Must Be Dreaming** - Roz Chast  
**In Light of All Darkness** - Kim Cross  
**The Jolliest Bunch** - Danny Pellegrino  
**Joshua Weissman** - Joshua Weissman  
**Judgment at Tokyo** - Gary J. Bass  
**Just Eat** - Jessie James Decker  
**LatinAsimo** - Sandra A. Gutierrez  
**MCU** - Gavin Edwards  
**Milk Street Simple** - Christopher Kimball  
**More Is More** - Molly Baz  
**Natasha's Kitchen** - Natasha Kravchuk  
**Opinions** - Roxane Gay  
**Organized Living** - Shira Gill  
**The Pioneer Woman Cook: Dinner's Ready!** - Ree Drummond  
**Prequel** - Rachel Maddow  
**Project UnLonely** - Jeremy Nobel  
**Smart Approach to Design** -  
**Start Here** - Sohla El-Waylly  
**Surely You Can't Be Serious** - David Zucker  
**Tiny Humans, Big Emotions** - Alyssa Gloria Campbell  
**The Ultimate Guide to Developing Leaders** - John C. Maxwell  
**What Winners Won't Tell You** - Malcolm Jenkins  
**While Idaho Slept** - J. Reuben Appelman

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