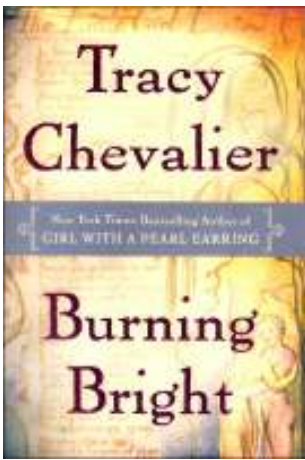


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New Fiction

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Burning bright

Tracey Chevalier

Set in the final decade of the 18th century, this novel follows Thomas Kellaway and his family as they migrate from rural Dorset to London, where Thomas finds work as a circus carpenter and builder. The novel foregrounds the experiences of Kellaway's son Jem and his pretty sister Maisie as they adjust with varying degrees of success to urban life and the vicissitudes of adulthood. Chevalier mixes historical characters and her own creations; among the real people vividly portrayed here are circus pioneer Philip Astley and radical poet/engraver William Blake.

Lee, Sophie

Alice in la la land

A series of disasters causes actress Alice to flee to Hollywood where she finds life is not the stuff of dreams. It's the Hollywood nightmare. She has no money in the bank, no friends, and her auditions aren't setting the town on fire.

Shreve, Anita

Body surfing

At twenty-nine, Sydney has already been divorced and widowed. Trying to regain her footing, she answers an ad to tutor the daughter of a well to do couple as they spend summer in their ocean cottage. But when the two sons, arrive, she finds herself caught up in a destructive web

Tolkien, J.R.R.

The children of Hurin

This much-anticipated release is like unearthing a long-lost holy book. The dark, war torn epic of love and loss, set in the First Age of Middle-earth, is one of Tolkien's three Great Tales of the Elder Days.

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Badami, Anita Rau	Can you hear the nightbird call?
Faulks, Sebastian	Engleby
Gellis, Roberta	By slanderous tongues
Guo, Xiaoiu	A concise Chinese-English dictionary for lovers
Harding, Traci	The dragon queens (Mystique trilogy 2)
Higgins Clark, Carol	Fleeced
Hill, Reginald	Death comes for the Fat Man
Jurgensen, Manfred	The American brother
Lackey, Mercedes	Fortune's fool
Lewis, Kevin	Frankie
Malouf, David	Every move you make
Mazza, Donna	The Albanian
McCall Smith, Alexander	The good husband of Zebra Drive
Ondaatje, Michael	Divisadero
O'Reilly, Paddy	The end of the world
Patterson, James	The 6 th target
Read, Cornelia	A field of darkness
Redhead, Leigh	Cherry pie
Stead, Elizabeth	The gospel of gods and crocodiles
Wallner, Michael	April in Paris
Wei Liang, Diane	The eye of jade

