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In Brief

Library of Congress Publishing Office draws attention to accessible media gap

“Without accessible books, the chances of living independently diminish significantly,” says Becky Brasington Clark, director of the Library of Congress Publishing Office. Since her appointment in March 2016, Clark has made digital accessibility a high priority. In the December/January issue of *Against the Grain*, a journal that covers the world of books, she cites the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped as a key part of the Library of Congress’s dedication to accessibility. More, Clark stresses the need to go further, inviting other publishers to join her in making “the short leap from born digital to born accessible” in all their publications. The article can be read online at www.against-the-grain.com/2017/01/v28-6-ditching-the-guillotine-an-education-in-accessibility.

Newsstand

The following announcements may be of interest to readers. The National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped reserves the right to publish announcements selectively, as space permits. The items mentioned, however, are not part of the NLS program, and their listings do not imply endorsement or support.

Guidebook to iOS accessibility updated

Patrons who use iOS devices may find helpful the newly updated volume *iOS Access for All: Your Comprehensive Guide to Accessibility for iPad, iPhone, and iPod Touch* by Shelly Brisbin. Released in November, this revised edition covers iOS 10 and describes changes to VoiceOver, low-vision options, Switch Control, and other accessibility features. An expanded third-party app directory shares apps that are either designed specifically for accessibility or work well with VoiceOver. The book is available from www.iosaccessbook.com in either ePub or PDF format and costs \$20.

Audio-described tour available at U.S. Holocaust Museum

The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, D.C., has released a new audio-described tour of two museum areas, the Hall of Witness and the Hall of Remembrance. Developed by the American Council of the Blind's Audio Description Project, the self-guided tour joins existing audio-described tours of the museum's permanent exhibits in making the museum more accessible to people who are blind or have a visual disability. For more information about the museum, visit www.ushmm.org or call (202) 488-0400 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. Eastern Time, seven days a week.

Access ride-sharing apps without a smartphone

A new service provides access to the taxicab-alternative apps Uber and Lyft for those who do not have a smartphone or dislike working with the user interface of the apps. Targeted toward senior citizens, GoGoGrandparent allows users to dial a toll-free number and speak with an operator, who will arrange for an Uber or Lyft driver to pick them up at their desired location. The service charges 19 cents per minute, which is automatically added to the cost of the ride. For more information, visit www.gogograndparent.com or call 1-855-464-6872 (1-855-GOG-USA) for service.

Books for Adults

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Books within the headings Adult Fiction and Adult Nonfiction are listed alphabetically by subject category, author last name, and title. For example the title *War and Peace* by Leo Tolstoy would be listed in Adult Fiction under the Classics subject category and by the last name Tolstoy.

Note: A notice may appear immediately following the book description to indicate occurrences of violence, strong language, or descriptions of sex. The word "some" before any of these terms indicates an occasional or infrequent occurrence, as in "some strong language." Commercial audiobooks for which NLS does not have access to the print book may display the notice "unrated," which means that the book may or may not contain violence, strong language, or descriptions of sex.

Adventure

Pirate

DB85263 9 hours 39 minutes

by Clive Cussler and Robin Burcell

read by Scott Brick

Husband-and-wife treasure-hunting team Sam and Remi Fargo chase an eight-hundred-year-old treasure, an ancient cypher wheel, a brutal murder, and a millionaire who will stop at nothing to claim what he considers rightfully his. Their battle with him will either end in one of the most glorious finds in history or violent death. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Heart of Oak

DB85228 10 hours 51 minutes

by Alexander Kent

read by Joe Wilson

1818. Captain Adam Bolitho and Lowenna are preparing to wed when Adam receives word of a new command and orders to sail to North Africa on a diplomatic mission with a French ship. Then one of the ships becomes a sacrificial lamb. Some violence and some strong language. 2007.

This Is the Story of You**DB85284** 5 hours 46 minutes

by Beth Kephart

read by Gabriella Cavallero

Seventeen-year-old Mira lives on a small island off the coast of New Jersey year-round. When a devastating superstorm strikes, her family is stuck on the mainland while she must face the storm's wrath and face the destruction left behind. Some strong language. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

The North Water**DB85324** 9 hours 42 minutes

by Ian McGuire

read by John Keating

After returning to England from India and the Sepoy Rebellion, Patrick Sumner is without prospects, but joins the crew of a whaling expedition as the ship's surgeon. When a cabin boy dies, Patrick hunts down the perpetrator, even as the ship comes dangerously close to the Arctic. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Family**Piece of Mind****DB85031** 8 hours 17 minutes

by Michelle Adelman

read by Margaret Strom

When twenty-seven-year-old Lucy's father dies, she moves in with her brother Nate, who is attending Columbia University. Despite being the younger sibling, Nate must help care for Lucy, who has dealt with traumatic brain injury since the age of three. Lucy learns to live in the world. Some strong language. 2016.

The Light of Paris**DB85259** 12 hours 32 minutes

by Eleanor Brown

read by Cassandra Campbell

Chicago, 1999. Unhappy in her marriage, Madeleine has idealized Margie, the seemingly perfect grandmother she barely knew—until she discovers Margie's secret 1924 Paris diary. Emboldened, and despite a disapproving mother, Madeleine leaves her husband and eventually travels to Paris, where she forges a new appreciation of Margie and reclaims herself. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Guineveres

DB85820 14 hours 36 minutes

by Sarah Domet

read by Erin Bennett

Four unrelated girls named Guinevere are left by their parents to be raised by the Sisters of the Supreme Adoration. They grow up together and plot their futures. When four comatose soldiers arrive at the convent, however, their friendship is tested in unforeseen ways. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Here I Am

DB85529 17 hours 1 minute

by Jonathan Safran Foer

read by Ari Fliakos

The Jewish American Bloch family lives in Washington, DC, where Jacob and Julia are raising three boys, the oldest of whom is preparing for his bar mitzvah. The fragile state of the Bloch's marriage reaches a crisis as an earthquake devastates the Middle East. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Stork Mountain

DB85182 11 hours 57 minutes

by Miroslav Penkov

read by Jeremy Gage

Three years after his grandfather cuts off contact with the family, a Bulgarian immigrant returns from America to search for him in the Strandja Mountains. As he travels, he remembers time spent with his grandfather, and he falls in love with a Muslim girl. 2016.

Fantasy

Glass Sword

DB84411 14 hours 20 minutes

by Victoria Aveyard

read by Nanette Savard

Barely escaping execution by the Silver-blooded royalty, Mare flees to the safety of the Reds but trusts no one. Her only hope is to find the other rare Reds with powers like her own and fight. Sequel to *Red Queen* (DB81314). Violence. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

The Reader

DB85596 12 hours 33 minutes

by Traci Chee

read by Kim Mai Guest

Set in a world where reading is unheard of, Sefia makes use of a mysterious object to track down those who kidnapped her aunt Nin and to find out what really happened the night her father was murdered. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Black Wolves: Black Wolves Trilogy, Book 1

DB84085 26 hours 54 minutes

by Kate Elliott

read by Joe Peck

Kellas was a captain of the legendary Black Wolves, elite soldiers of King Anjihosh. When the king is killed, the Black Wolves are disbanded. Years later, Anjihosh's son faces threats from all directions and recalls Kellas to service. Violence, some strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2015.

Poisoned Blade

DB85210 13 hours 4 minutes

by Kate Elliott

read by Georgia Dolenz

Now a Fives Challenger, Jes travels the countryside to compete against adversaries. She uses the opportunity to search for her missing twin sister, Bettany, only to be thrown into the center of the war. Sequel to *Court of Fives* (DB82457). Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Cruel Beauty and Crimson Bound

DB85049 17 hours 44 minutes

by Rosamund Hodge

read by various narrators

Two novels, written between 2014 and 2015, inspired by classic fairy tales. In *Cruel Beauty*, Nyx resigns herself to her fate and marries the demon Gentle Lord, who has cursed her people. Includes *Crimson Bound*. Some violence and some descriptions of sex. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

Jane Yellowrock, Books 5–7

DB84656 45 hours 26 minutes

by Faith Hunter

read by various narrators

Three books in the Jane Yellowrock series, written between 2012 and 2014. In *Death's Rival*, someone is trying to replace Jane's boss, Leo, as Master Vampire

of New Orleans. Also includes *Blood Trade* and *Black Arts*. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2014.

The Obelisk Gate

DB85323 13 hours 21 minutes

by N.K. Jemisin

read by Robin Miles

Essun, a powerful orogene who can control the very earth, has found shelter after the events of *The Fifth Season* (DB82240) but still searches for her daughter, Nassun. Essun's old mentor, Alabaster, wants her help to end the season. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Curioddity

DB85539 12 hours 5 minutes

by Paul Jenkins

read by P.J. Ochlan

Insurance detective Will Morgan is hired by the curator of the Curioddity Museum to find a missing box of levity (the opposite of gravity). Will soon discovers a world of magic that can only be seen by learning to "un-look" at things. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Curse of Tenth Grave

DB85326 10 hours 35 minutes

by Darynda Jones

read by Lorelei King

Three gods are on Earth, and it is up to PI and grim reaper Charley Davidson to trap them before they can take her daughter. Things are complicated by the fact that one of those gods is the love of her life. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Everything Box

DB85347 12 hours 25 minutes

by Richard Kadrey

read by Ryan Dalusung

Coop is a thief with an immunity to magic. After a stint in jail, a friend gets him a job stealing a magical artifact. But a lot of other people are after the box, and whatever is inside might cause the end of the world. Violence and strong language. 2016.

Archivist Wasp

DB85535 10 hours 56 minutes

by Nicole Kornher-Stace

read by Abby Craden

Desperate and alone, Wasp makes a bargain with the ghost of a supersoldier to join him on a quest to the underworld. She hopes to find the ghost of his partner and, in the process, secure her position as Archivist. Violence and some strong language. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

Ghost Talkers

DB85374 8 hours 16 minutes

by Mary Robinette Kowal

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The Spirit Corps, made up of psychic mediums like American heiress Ginger Stuyvesant, have trained soldiers during World War I to report back after death with enemy intelligence. When a German plot to destroy the Spirit Corps is suspected, Ginger must work to protect them. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Nevernight

DB85378 20 hours 12 minutes

by Jay Kristoff

read by Holter Graham

In a world where multiple suns mean daylight is almost constant, Mia Corvere lost everything when her father was executed for treason. She escapes and trains at a school for assassins, determined to get revenge. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

A Study in Sable

DB85203 11 hours 40 minutes

by Mercedes Lackey

read by Gemma Dawson

Psychics Nan and Sarah get a new assignment from their elemental master, the Wizard of London. They meet Sherlock Holmes, who asks them to help John and Mary Watson on a case involving a missing girl. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

A Court of Mist and Fury

DB85090 20 hours 27 minutes

by Sarah J. Maas

read by Anne Hancock

Now possessing the powers of the High Fae, Feyre's heart remains human, and as she navigates the feared Night Court, a greater evil looms. Sequel to *A Court of Thorns and Roses* (DB81722). Strong language, explicit descriptions of sex, and some violence. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

The Hike

DB85573 8 hours 10 minutes

by Drew Magary

read by Ryan Dalusung

Ben leaves his hotel for what he thinks will be a short walk in the nearby woods and gets lost. He encounters men wearing the skins of dogs, a cannibal giantess, and talking animals, all while being told he must stay on the path or die. Violence and strong language. 2016.

Once Broken Faith

DB85541 11 hours 30 minutes

by Seanan McGuire

read by Mary Robinette Kowal

Releasing the cure for elf-shot will have a huge impact on Faerie, leading the king and queen of the Westlands to gather a Convocation to debate the issue.

Changeling knight Toby is ordered to attend. While there, he investigates the murder of an important guest. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Carry On

DB85471 13 hours 40 minutes

by Rainbow Rowell

read by Euan Morton

Simon Snow, from *Fangirl* (DB77545), returns to Watford School of Magicks, but he has trouble with his magic. To make matters worse, he has a questionable mentor, a romantic breakup, and there's a monster running around wearing his face. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

Archmage and Maestro

DB84458 24 hours 26 minutes

by R.A. Salvatore

read by Peter Holdway

Two entries in a trilogy about dark elf warrior Drizzt, written in 2015 and 2016. Includes *Archmage* and *Maestro*, which together tell of Drizzt's path to return

home to Menzoberranzan, the underground drow city known as the City of Spiders. Some violence. 2016.

The Bands of Mourning

DB84692 14 hours 43 minutes

by Brandon Sanderson

read by Michael Kramer

After the interruption of his wedding to Lady Steris, Waxillium Ladrian sets off on a quest chasing rumors of relics known as the Bands of Mourning. The Bands are rumored to bestow the immense magical power of the Lord Ruler on anyone who holds them. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

A Torch against the Night

DB85534 15 hours 12 minutes

by Sabaa Tahir

read by various narrators

After the events in *An Ember in the Ashes (DB81519)*, powerful enemies and the Martial Empire's army hunt Laia and Elias. Fleeing the city, the two plot a risky rescue of Laia's brother from prison. Some violence and some strong language. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Cloudbound

DB85819 13 hours 4 minutes

by Fran Wilde

read by Raviv Ullman

Nat, a junior councilor of the Towers, wants to help his childhood friend Kirit. As one of the only Singers left free after the events of *Updraft (DB82440)*, she is in danger from corrupt forces trying to consolidate power. The two discover secrets below the clouds. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

General

Keep Me Posted

DB85400 9 hours 26 minutes

by Lisa Beazley

read by Martha Harmon Pardee

Once close sisters, Cassie and Sid have lost touch over the years. Sid challenges Cassie to a year of exchanging handwritten letters. They begin to confess things to each other that they don't share with anyone else. But the letters then end up on the Internet. Some descriptions of sex. 2016.

The Next: A Novel of Love, Revenge, and a Ghost Who Can't Let Go

DB86192 10 hours 59 minutes

by Stephanie Gangi

read by Nicole Quinn

Dying from breast cancer, Joanna is so obsessed with her ex, Ned, that she fails to say goodbye to her two daughters and her beloved dog. Her obsession lasts beyond the grave, and as a ghost she seeks revenge on Ned, unable to rest in peace. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Adventurist

DB85319 10 hours 21 minutes

by J. Bradford Hipps

read by George Newbern

Software engineer Henry Hurt finds himself floundering and mired in his corporate responsibilities. After the death of his mother, Henry seeks escape through a quest for love and purpose, occasioned by a company crisis. While dodging a rival, he finds love and endangers family ties. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Waiting for Lipchitz at Chateau Marmont

DB85231 5 hours 2 minutes

by Aris Janigian

read by Erik Sandvold

A screenwriter whose career is in decline agrees to meet Hollywood industry insider Lipchitz at the iconic Chateau Marmont before moving to Fresno. As he waits, the screenwriter reflects on his past and on life in the Hollywood machine, in contrast to the very different life in Fresno. Bestseller. 2016.

The Beautiful Bureaucrat

DB85329 4 hours 10 minutes

by Helen Phillips

read by Dina Pearlman

For her new job, Josephine works to input an endless string of numbers into "The Database." Though not inclined to question her fortune after a long period of unemployment, Josephine grows increasingly anxious—a state that worsens when her husband disappears and returns. Her dread builds with other strange events. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

The Invisible Life of Ivan Isaenko

DB85268 8 hours 16 minutes

by Scott Stambach
read by Dan Bittner

A lifelong resident of the Mazyr Hospital for Gravely Ill Children, Ivan Isaenko turns everything into a game, manipulating people and events for his amusement. When Polina arrives, however, she challenges Ivan, and the two are soon drawn to each other. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Gothics

The Taxidermist's Daughter

DB85286 11 hours 1 minute

by Kate Mosse

read by Martha Harmon Pardee

Sussex, 1912. The body of a woman found dead in the local churchyard sparks the discovery of hidden and forgotten secrets. When Connie Gifford's father goes missing, she must recover the memories an accident stole from her ten years ago to find answers. Violence and some descriptions of sex. 2014.

Historical Fiction

A Fine Imitation

DB84689 10 hours 4 minutes

by Amber Brock

read by Julia Whelan

In 1920s Manhattan, Vera Bellington has everything in life that should, according to her mother, make her happy—a penthouse in an exclusive Park Avenue building, money, and an absent husband. When Emil Hallan is hired to paint a mural, Vera becomes fascinated with him and must decide what secrets to keep. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

War Brides

DB85281 16 hours 55 minutes

by Helen Bryan

read by Jill Ferris

In the village of Crowmarsh Priors, five women from different walks of life bond during World War II. Elsie, Frances, Alice, Tanni, and Evangeline overcome past slights and support each other as they face life on the home front. Fifty years later, four gather to confront a traitor. Some violence. 2007.

Sudden Death

DB85226 7 hours 1 minute

by Álvaro Enrigue

read by Stephen Van Doren

Time and locations meander as the Italian artist Caravaggio and Spanish poet Francisco de Quevedo play tennis with a ball made from the shorn locks of the executed English queen Anne Boleyn. Past and present merge to present questions to answers. Originally published in Spanish in 2013. Strong language, explicit descriptions of sex, and some violence. Bestseller. 2016.

The Outside Lands

DB85367 10 hours 22 minutes

by Hannah Kohler

read by various narrators

Siblings Jeannie and Kip find their own way out from under their father's supervision: Jeannie gets married, and Kip volunteers for the Vietnam War. After Kip is accused of a military crime, Jeannie joins an antiwar group intending to save him. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Mischling

DB85815 10 hours 58 minutes

by Affinity Konar

read by Vanessa Johansson

Twins Pearl and Stasha Zagorski arrive at Auschwitz concentration camp with their mother and grandfather. They are soon taken away and become part of the experiment pool of Josef Mengele. Although taking comfort in being with each other and their private language, Pearl soon disappears. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Ballad Novels 8–10

DB84532 31 hours 34 minutes

by Sharyn McCrumb

read by Faith Potts

Three Southern historical fiction tales, written between 2010 and 2013. Includes *The Devil amongst the Lawyers*, set in 1934 Virginia; *The Ballad of Tom Dooley*, set in post-Civil War North Carolina; and *King's Mountain*, featuring the Carolina Overmountain Men during the American Revolution. Some violence and some strong language. 2013.

The Last Days of Night

DB85501 13 hours 2 minutes

by Graham Moore

read by Johnathan McClain

Paul Cravath, fresh from Columbia Law School, has been hired by electricity pioneer George Westinghouse as part of his legal team fighting Thomas Edison. Cravath searches out Nikola Tesla in hopes that Tesla will assist Westinghouse. However, these giants of innovation lead Cravath on a merry dance. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Ruler of the Night

DB86176 11 hours 55 minutes

by David Morrell

read by Neil Dickson

The conclusion to the De Quincey trilogy is based on the first real-life Victorian murder on an English train. The brilliant opium eater Thomas De Quincey and his irrepressible daughter, Emily, confront their most ruthless adversary. Joining them are Scotland Yard detectives Ryan and Becker. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

I Always Loved You

DB85530 11 hours 10 minutes

by Robin Oliveira

read by Mozhan Marno

A decade after moving to Paris, artist Mary Cassatt grows disheartened when her work is rejected by the Paris Salon. Soon after, she meets Edgar Degas. Their partnership, both professional and possibly personal, changes the course of her life. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2014.

The Heavenly Table

DB85200 13 hours 57 minutes

by Donald Ray Pollock

read by Kirby Heyborne

1917. Three brothers—Cane, Cobb, and Chimney Jewett—leave Georgia after the death of their father and head out on a crime spree leading them north to Canada. In Ohio, they meet up with farmers Ellsworth and Eula Fiddler, who worry about their son. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Empress of Bright Moon

DB85495 13 hours 4 minutes

by Weina Dai Randel

read by Emily Woo Zeller

On the death of the emperor, Mei, from *The Moon in the Palace* (DB85494), stands to lose all she has gained in the political games she has played. She and the

other concubines are banished, but the lessons she learns may lead to glory. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Moon in the Palace

DB85494 12 hours 43 minutes

by Weina Dai Randel

read by Emily Woo Zeller

In the court of the Chinese emperor Taizong (598–649) of Tang, Mei has been chosen to be one of the fifteen concubines who serve the Inner Court. Though her command of traditional womanly skills is not the best, she draws the eye of both the emperor and his son. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

A Gentleman in Moscow

DB85533 17 hours 55 minutes

by Amor Towles

read by Nicholas Guy Smith

1922. Count Alexander Rostov has been judged by a Bolshevik tribunal and found to be an unrepentant aristocrat. Sentenced to house arrest for life, he joins the community in the luxurious Hotel Metropol. He tries to enjoy life and befriends a young girl who wants to be a princess. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Holidays

Twelve Days of Christmas: A Christmas Novel

DB85811 5 hours 25 minutes

by Debbie Macomber

read by Suzanne Elise Freeman

Julia Padden tries to spread joy in her life, especially around Christmas, but grouchy neighbor Cain Maddox doesn't seem to have the holiday spirit. Julia decides to chronicle her attempts to be nice to Cain in an online blog. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Human Relationships

The Art of Crash Landing

DB85128 10 hours 55 minutes

by Melissa DeCarlo

read by Dale Allen

Pregnant and broke, Mattie Wallace learns she is her recently deceased maternal grandmother's only heir. She heads to Oklahoma to claim her inheritance, and to find out why her mother fled home when she was a teen. Strong language. 2015.

Divas Series, Books 1–3

DB84582 25 hours 18 minutes

by De'nesha Diamond

read by Teresa Willis

Three books published between 2010 and 2013, including *Hustlin' Divas*, *Street Divas*, and *Gangsta Divas*. Ta'Shara wants more from life than being even peripherally associated with gangs, but her sister LeShelle's activities draw her into the conflicts raging around them. Violence, strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 2013.

Divas Series, Books 4–6

DB84799 26 hours 42 minutes

by De'nesha Diamond

read by various narrators

Three books published between 2014 and 2016, including *Boss Divas*, *King Divas*, and *Queen Divas*. The war between sisters Ta'Shara and LeShelle escalates as loved ones die. Both fight for power, and the body count continues to grow. Violence, strong language, and explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

The Great American Whatever

DB85186 6 hours 25 minutes

by Tim Federle

read by Nick DePinto

Sixteen-year-old Quinn, an aspiring screenwriter, copes with his sister's death, while his best friend Geoff forces him back into the world to face his new reality, starting with a college party. There, Quinn falls for a cute older guy. Strong language and descriptions of sex. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

The Nix

DB85467 21 hours 45 minutes

by Nathan Hill

read by Ari Fliakos

College professor Samuel Andresen-Anderson hasn't seen his mother Faye in decades. When Faye is arrested for throwing stones at the governor, her lawyer asks Sam to help with her defense, leading him to dig into his mother's past. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Bright, Precious Days

DB85256 13 hours 34 minutes

by Jay McInerney

read by Edoardo Ballerini

Russell and Corrine Calloway are living a dream life in New York City with their twin children. But they are on a financial precipice, as Russell runs a small, independent publishing company and Corrine devotes herself to feeding the poor. Then an old lover of Corrine's returns. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The City Baker's Guide to Country Living

DB85266 10 hours 12 minutes

by Louise Miller

read by Jorjeana Marie

After pastry chef Olivia Rawlings accidentally sets fire to the Boston supper club where she works, she heads off to visit her best friend in rural Vermont. Olivia gets a job at the local inn and finds herself falling for fiddle player Martin McCracken. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Losing It

DB85269 7 hours 12 minutes

by Emma Rathbone

read by Jorjeana Marie

Julia, a twenty-six-year-old virgin, decides to change her life. She moves to Raleigh, North Carolina, for the summer to live with her maiden aunt, who is also a virgin. While there, Julia takes the time to look at her relationships and face her fear of being alone. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Two by Two

DB85812 15 hours 0 minutes

by Nicholas Sparks

read by Ari Fliakos

Russell Green is happily married with a daughter and a job as an advertising executive that he loves. He is stunned when he loses his wife and job in rapid succession, leaving him struggling to raise his daughter alone. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Hold Still

DB85363 7 hours 55 minutes

by Lynn Steger Strong

read by Kate Kiley

Maya has sent her twenty-year-old daughter, Ellie, to help out a friend's family in Florida. The ways they relate to each other play out in the prolog and aftermath of

an accident that cannot be corrected. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

The Road to You

DB85509 8 hours 10 minutes

by Alecia Whitaker

read by Alecia Whitaker

Country music star Bird Barrett, from *Wildflower* (DB80311), meets a cute roadie while on national tour. But when Bird moves to L.A., she is swept up in the Hollywood lifestyle, and it begins to affect her personal life. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

The Art of Being Normal

DB85224 7 hours 58 minutes

by Lisa Williamson

read by Mare Trevathan

David and Leo, two British teens, form an unlikely friendship after an incident at school. But when David's deepest secret gets out—that he wants to be a girl—things get very messy for both of them. Some strong language. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Humor

44 Scotland Street Series, Books 6–10

DB84653 39 hours 58 minutes

by Alexander McCall Smith

read by Jack Fox

Five entries, written between 2010 and 2015, in the continuing series chronicling the lives of young Bertie Pollock and his Edinburgh neighbors. Includes *The Importance of Being Seven*, *Bertie Plays the Blues*, *Sunshine on Scotland Street*, *Bertie's Guide to Life and Mothers*, and *The Revolving Door of Life*. 2015.

Spontaneous

DB85366 9 hours 41 minutes

by Aaron Starmer

read by Alex McKenna

When teens begin to spontaneously combust in a suburban New Jersey high school, no one knows who will be next. The students begin to live their lives as if any moment might be their last. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Paradise Lodge

DB85523 9 hours 16 minutes

by Nina Stibbe

read by Helen Baxendale

Fifteen-year-old Lizzie Vogel, from *Man at the Helm* (DB81241), struggles with being a teenager as her mom has another baby. When she becomes a junior nurse at a retirement home, the various characters residing there teach Lizzie numerous life lessons. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Literature

Hollywood

DB85240 7 hours 14 minutes

by Charles Bukowski

read by Brian Hemmingsen

Henry Chinaski has been hired to pen a film for Hollywood. As the film progresses, he and his wife, Sarah, are drawn deeper into the insanity that is the movie industry. Directors, actors, agents, and lawyers all add to the growing absurdity of his life. Some strong language. 1989.

Complete Stories 1892–1898

DB84892 50 hours 53 minutes

by Henry James

read by J.P. Linton

Collection of twenty-one works, originally published in periodicals from 1892 to 1898, by the author of *Complete Stories 1884–1891* (DB48594). Includes the novella "The Turn of the Screw," in which a governess cares for orphaned children who are haunted by ghosts. 1898.

Complete Stories 1898–1910

DB84891 40 hours 4 minutes

by Henry James

read by Gary Tipton

Collection of thirty-one works, originally published in periodicals between 1898 and 1910, by the author of *Complete Stories 1892–1898* (DB84892). Stories included contain supernatural themes, such as "The Jolly Corner;" explore society, such as "Daisy Miller;" and examine connections between people, as in "The Beast in the Jungle." 1910.

Mystery and Detective

Lady Emily Mysteries, Books 1–4

DB85117 42 hours 31 minutes

by Tasha Alexander

read by Jennifer Hubbard

Four historical mysteries, written between 2005 and 2009, featuring a widowed aristocrat. In *And Only to Deceive*, Lady Emily learns more about her late husband and soon finds that secrets are deadly. Also includes *A Poisoned Season*, *A Fatal Waltz*, and *Tears of Pearl*. Violence and some descriptions of sex. 2009.

Paul Jacobson Geezer-Lit, Books 1–6

DB84855 39 hours 14 minutes

by Mike Befeler

read by Jack Fox

Six novels, written between 2007 and 2014, featuring eighty-something-year-old amateur sleuth Paul Jacobson. Includes *Retirement Homes Are Murder*, *Living with Your Kids Is Murder*, *Senior Moments Are Murder*, *Cruising in Your Eighties Is Murder*, *Care Homes Are Murder*, and *Nursing Homes Are Murder*. Some strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2014.

Bluebeard's Last Stand: A Gil Yates Private Investigator Novel

DB85335 6 hours 0 minutes

by Alistair Boyle

read by Erik Sandvold

Realtor-turned-private-investigator Gil Yates is hired by a client whose mother is embarking on a cruise with a younger boyfriend with a sordid past. Yates is to be on board to make sure that they don't marry at sea—and that she doesn't die like his previous wives. 1998.

The Dollhouse

DB85381 9 hours 55 minutes

by Fiona Davis

read by Tavia Gilbert

In the 1950s, aspiring models, secretaries, and editors lived side by side at the glamorous Barbizon Hotel for Women in New York City while attempting to claw their way to fairy-tale success. A journalist becomes consumed with uncovering a dark secret buried deep within the Barbizon's glitzy past. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Jason Kolarich, Books 2–4

DB84640 37 hours 4 minutes

by David Ellis

read by Mark Ashby

Three novels set in the Midwest, written between 2011 and 2013, featuring former college-football star turned criminal-defense attorney Jason Kolarich. Includes *Breach of Trust*, *The Wrong Man*, and *The Last Alibi*, in which Kolarich's murderous client frames him. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2013.

Burning Midnight

DB86178 7 hours 17 minutes

by Loren D. Estleman

read by Peter Larkin

Amos Walker knows Detroit, from the highest points to the lowest, which include the gangs of Mexicantown. A friend asks Walker to get his son's brother-in-law out of one of two feuding gangs. Whether or not a middle-aged gringo can cool things off, Walker's got to try. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2012.

Turbo Twenty-Three: A Stephanie Plum Novel

DB86177 6 hours 15 minutes

by Janet Evanovich

read by Lorelei King

Larry Virgil missed his court date after he hijacked an eighteen-wheeler full of bourbon. Fortunately for bounty hunter Stephanie Plum, Larry is just stupid enough to attempt almost the exact same crime again. Only this time he leaves behind a truck loaded with ice cream and a dead body. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Seaside Knitters, Books 10–11

DB85332 19 hours 33 minutes

by Sally Goldenbaum

read by various narrators

Two mysteries, written in 2015 and 2016, featuring a group of knitters who double as amateur sleuths in their seaside village. In *Trimmed with Murder*, the holiday season is marred by the murder of a young woman who returned to claim an inheritance. Also includes *Murder at Lambswool Farm*. 2016.

The Last Confession of Thomas Hawkins

DB85280 11 hours 34 minutes

by Antonia Hodgson

read by Jon Pinnow

After the events of *The Devil in the Marshalsea* (DB84858), Tom Hawkins is living with Kitty. While out one day, Tom is drawn into court intrigues, but he is soon fighting for his life when accused of a neighbor's murder. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2015.

Commissario Guido Brunetti, Books 24–25

DB85123 16 hours 11 minutes

by Donna Leon

read by Stephen Van Doren

Two mysteries, written in 2015 and 2016, featuring Guido Brunetti, the Commissario of Police in Venice, Italy. In *Falling in Love*, he must identify a dangerously obsessive opera fan. In *The Waters of Eternal Youth*, he agrees to investigate the possible attempted drowning of a girl fifteen years earlier. 2016.

Wilde Lake

DB84652 10 hours 49 minutes

by Laura Lippman

read by Lindsay Ellison

Following her father, Lu Brant is the state's attorney in Columbia, Maryland. Her first case is the vicious murder by a homeless man of a woman in her apartment. Meanwhile, past incidents color the life of Lu and her older golden-boy brother. Strong language, descriptions of sex, and some violence. 2016.

Stalking Jack the Ripper

DB85817 9 hours 28 minutes

by Kerri Maniscalco

read by Nicola Barber

In Victorian-era London, privileged seventeen-year-old Audrey Rose leads a secret life studying the practice of forensic medicine. She finds herself embroiled in the investigation of a gruesome serial killer. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

87th Precinct, Books 8–11

DB84457 24 hours 12 minutes

by Ed McBain

read by Gary Telles

Four novels, written between 1958 and 1960, in the series featuring the cops of the 87th Precinct. Includes *Lady Killer*, *'Til Death*, *King's Ransom*, and *Give the*

Boys a Great Big Hand, in which someone is leaving bloody severed hands all over the city. Strong language and some violence. 1960.

A Madness So Discreet

DB85402 8 hours 16 minutes

by Mindy McGinnis

read by Mare Trevathan

After becoming pregnant by rape, Grace Mae is sent to suffer in a Boston asylum. A visiting doctor helps her escape, however, and uses Grace's intelligence and remarkable memory to catch a murderer. Some violence and some strong language. Edgar Award. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

The Highway Kind: Tales of Fast Cars, Desperate Drivers, and Dark Roads; Original Stories by Michael Connelly, George Pelecanos, C.J. Box, Diana Gabaldon, Ace Atkins, James Sallis, and Others

DB86194 9 hours 57 minutes

edited by Patrick Millikin

read by various narrators

Collection of crime stories about cars, driving, and the road provides a street-level look at modern America, as seen through one of its national obsessions. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Pennsylvania Dutch Mystery Series, Books 19–20

DB85121 15 hours 49 minutes

by Tamar Myers

read by Kristin Allison

Two mysteries, written between 2014 and 2016, featuring sleuthing Mennonite innkeeper Magdalena Yoder. In *The Death of Pie*, an acid-penned writer is poisoned. In *Tea with Jam and Dread*, Magdalena is hosting English nobility when one of them disappears over the edge of Lover's Leap. Includes recipes. 2016.

The Twelve Dogs of Christmas: An Andy Carpenter Mystery

DB85822 6 hours 19 minutes

by David Rosenfelt

read by Grover Gardner

Defense lawyer Andy Carpenter's longtime friend Martha "Pups" Boyer takes in stray puppies and finds good homes for them. When a neighbor files a complaint against Pups for having too many pets—at Christmastime, no less—Andy happily

takes Pups's case. But when the neighbor turns up dead, Andy finds himself defending her against murder charges. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Macy Greeley, Books 1–3

DB85122 27 hours 55 minutes

by Karin Salvalaggio

read by various narrators

Three mysteries, written between 2014 and 2016, featuring Montana detective Macy Greeley. Includes *Bone Dust White*, *Burnt River*, and *Walleye Junction*, in which, after failing to save a kidnapped controversial radio host, Greeley is determined to identify his killer. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

Key West Novels

DB84516 27 hours 23 minutes

by Laurence Shames

read by various narrators

Four novels, written between 1994 and 2015, set in Key West, Florida, and featuring a cast of screwballs, hustlers, and wise guys. Includes *Scavenger Reef*, in which a painter's death makes his friends rich—until he reappears. Also includes *Shot on Location*, *Tropical Swap*, and *Key West Luck*. Strong language and some violence. 2015.

Homicide in the House: A Washington Whodunit

DB85232 7 hours 2 minutes

by Colleen J. Shogan

read by Mare Trevathan

After the murder of her boss, a U.S. senator, in *Stabbing in the Senate* (DB83491), staffer Kit Marshall landed a job with freshman congresswoman Maeve Dixon. But when Dixon is found standing over the corpse of the Speaker of the House's top staffer—after their public argument—Kit must investigate again. Some strong language. 2016.

Fina Ludlow, Books 1–3

DB85165 39 hours 19 minutes

by Ingrid Thoft

read by Erin Jones

Three novels, written between 2013 and 2015, featuring law school dropout Fina Ludlow, who works as a private investigator for her father's Boston law firm.

Includes *Loyalty*, *Identity*, and *Brutality*, in which Fina takes on a freelance case from a former college soccer star who was injured. Strong language. 2015.

Murder in Morningside Heights

DB85287 9 hours 54 minutes

by Victoria Thompson

read by Erik Sandvold

Now quite wealthy, former NYC police detective Frank Malloy has opened a private detective agency to fill his time. His new clients are the Northrups of Tarrytown, who want him to solve the murder of their daughter Abigail, who was a new teacher at a women's college. His wife Sarah helps investigate. 2016.

Lonesome Road

DB85225 6 hours 57 minutes

by Patricia Wentworth

read by Elaine Grant

A woman who has inherited her father's estate begins to feel threatened by her relatives. She hires governess-turned-private investigator Miss Silver to find out if the threats are real. 1939.

Miss Silver, Books 20–21

DB85279 16 hours 44 minutes

by Patricia Wentworth

read by Abigail Maupin

Two mysteries, written in 1953 and 1954, featuring Miss Maud Silver, a retired governess and teacher who became a private detective in London. In *Anna, Where Are You?*, a young governess disappears. In *The Watersplash*, Miss Silver believes a man found dead in a watersplash met with foul play. 1954.

Occult and Horror

The Morganville Vampires, Books 13–15

DB84549 39 hours 52 minutes

by Rachel Caine

read by Margaret Strom

Books thirteen through fifteen, written between 2012 and 2013. Includes *Bitter Blood*, *Fall of Night*, and *Daylighters*. A television program comes to Morganville to film ghosts, but threatens to expose the vampires as tensions rise. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex. For senior high and older readers. 2013.

The Accident Season**DB85472** 7 hours 27 minutes

by Moira Fowley-Doyle

read by Colby Minifie

Every October Cara and her family become mysteriously and dangerously accident-prone, but this year—the year Cara, her ex-stepbrother, and her best friend are seventeen—is when Cara will begin to unravel the accident season’s dark origins. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2015.

The Fireman**DB84824** 22 hours 26 minutes

by Joe Hill

read by Brandon Bujnowski

A pandemic known as Dragonscale has swept the planet, causing the afflicted to develop markings on their skin and then burst into flame. A nurse who contracts Dragonscale wants to avoid quarantine long enough to give birth to her child. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2016.

Department Nineteen, Books 1–3**DB83677** 49 hours 39 minutes

by Will Hill

read by Mark Delgado

Books one through three, written between 2011 and 2013, featuring a secret government agency and their supernatural war. In *Department Nineteen*, when Jamie's mother is kidnapped, he is recruited by the government to slay monsters. Includes *The Rising* and *Battle Lines*. Violence. For senior high and older readers. 2013.

The Visitor**DB85184** 10 hours 24 minutes

by Amanda Stevens

read by Catherine Byers

Charleston cemetery restorer Amelia Gray can see the spirit world. She hears about a job restoring the Kroll colony cemetery, the site of a mass death where the dead are not resting quietly. There seems to be a connection between the tragedy and Amelia's past. Violence and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

And I Darken

DB84693 13 hours 29 minutes

by Kiersten White

read by Fiona Hardingham

When a female child is born to Vlad Dracula in Transylvania, in 1435, she is rejected by him and ignored by her mother. Lada Dragwlya, a vicious and brutal princess, is destined to rule and destroy her enemies. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Psychological Themes

The Good Father

DB85370 12 hours 34 minutes

by Noah Hawley

read by various narrators

Dr. Allen, Chief of Rheumatology at Columbia Presbyterian Hospital, is home with his family when a televised news report announces that the Democratic candidate for president has been shot at a rally. Allen's twenty-year-old son from his first marriage is caught on video as the assassin. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2012.

The Girl Who Fell

DB85223 9 hours 42 minutes

by S.M. Parker

read by Kristin Allison

When the new boy in school, Alec, sweeps Zephyr off her feet, their passionate romance takes a dangerous turn when Alec starts manipulating her, and Zephyr fails to acknowledge what others see. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

I'm Thinking of Ending Things

DB85405 6 hours 5 minutes

by Iain Reid

read by Celeste Lawson

The unnamed protagonist is driving with her boyfriend, Jake, to meet his parents. After an awkward evening at the family farm, she and Jake are heading home when he unexpectedly abandons her at an empty high school. Violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

Religious Themes

The Preacher's Lady

DB85292 6 hours 11 minutes

by Lori Copeland

read by Cecelia Riddett

1884, Wisconsin. When they were teens, Elly Sullivan and Bo Garrett were in love. Wanting to see the world a bit before they married, Bo left, saying he'd be back in a month. Eight years later he returns, having rededicated his life to God, and he wants Elly back. 2016.

Amish Vines and Orchards, Books 1–4

DB85040 48 hours 35 minutes

by Cindy Woodsmall

read by various narrators

Four novels of Amish woman Rhoda Byler and her struggles to use her gift for growing things while balancing her faith, her community, her business venture, and love. Contains *A Season for Tending*, *The Winnowing Season*, *For Every Season*, and *Seasons of Tomorrow*. 2014.

Romance

The Rose and the Dagger

DB85270 11 hours 46 minutes

by Renée Ahdieh

read by Ariana Delawari

Unsure who to trust, Shahrzad takes matters into her own hands and attempts to break the curse so that she may reunite with her true love. Sequel to *The Wrath and the Dawn* (DB81926). Some violence and some strong language. Commercial audiobook. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

And Then Comes Marriage

DB85519 10 hours 41 minutes

by Celeste Bradley

read by Victoria Aston

Widow Miranda Talbot is finally free of her neglectful husband and controlling sister-in-law. She is being courted by Pollux Worthington when an accident introduces her to his identical twin brother, Castor. The brothers have always been competitive, and now Miranda is the prize they both seek. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2013.

When She Said I Do**DB85493** 12 hours 3 minutes

by Celeste Bradley

read by Victoria Aston

England, 1816. When her family takes refuge in what she thinks is an abandoned mansion during a thunderstorm, Calliope Worthington is accused by homeowner Ren Porter of trying to steal a necklace. To prevent a duel, Calliope agrees to marry Ren, who plans to make her earn back each pearl. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2013.

Calendar Girl, Volumes 1–4**DB84556** 49 hours 7 minutes

by Audrey Carlan

read by Theresa Conkin

Mia Saunders needs a million dollars to pay off loan sharks who are after her father. She becomes a high-priced escort, spending each month of the year with a different rich man. Collects four anthologies, written in 2015 and 2016, each containing three novellas named for a month of the year. Strong language and explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

Ultimate, Books 1–4**DB84950** 54 hours 47 minutes

by Lori Foster

read by various narrators

Four contemporary romances featuring mixed martial arts fighters, written between 2014 and 2016. In *No Limits* an inheritance reunites a fighter with the woman he once saved. Also includes *Holding Strong*, *Tough Love*, and *Fighting Dirty*. Some violence, some strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

The Wedding Dress**DB85222** 10 hours 26 minutes

by Rachel Hauck

read by Mare Trevathan

Bridal boutique owner Charlotte is having a hard time finding her own perfect wedding dress, when she discovers a beautiful vintage gown in a battered trunk at an estate sale. Charlotte becomes determined to discover the history of the dress and the women who wore it. 2012.

Beacons of Hope, Books 1–3

DB85277 32 hours 10 minutes

by Jody Hedlund

read by various narrators

Three Christian romances written between 2014 and 2016 about lighthouse keepers in nineteenth-century Michigan. *Love Unexpected* features a marriage of convenience between a lighthouse keeper and a woman left stranded by a shipwreck. Also includes *Hearts Made Whole* and *Undaunted Hope*. 2016.

Duke of Sin

DB84690 11 hours 34 minutes

by Elizabeth Hoyt

read by Ashford MacNab

Bridget Crumb poses as housekeeper to Valentine Napier, Duke of Montgomery, to search for papers the duke is using to blackmail her mother. When Val finds her searching his bedroom, Bridget might just discover why he is known as the Duke of Sin. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Mistake

DB84695 10 hours 35 minutes

by Elle Kennedy

read by Lorelei Avalon

College hockey star John Logan has his pick of campus girls, but he can't stop thinking about Grace, the one who got away. He plans to spend his final year proving to Grace that he's worth a second chance. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

The Score

DB85520 11 hours 43 minutes

by Elle Kennedy

read by various narrators

As graduation approaches, Allie Hayes doesn't know what she will do after college and feels lost after the end of a long relationship. Hockey star Dean Di Laurentis is the perfect distraction, but he certainly isn't boyfriend material. But what if he wants to be? Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Summer Days and Summer Nights: Twelve Love Stories

DB85289 13 hours 7 minutes

edited by Stephanie Perkins

read by Mare Trevathan

Collection of twelve short summer romance stories for teens. Includes works by Leigh Bardugo, Libba Bray, Stephanie Perkins, Veronica Roth, and more. In Lev Grossman's "The Map of Tiny Perfect Things," a day repeats itself for two teens. Some strong language. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

'Til Death Do Us Part

DB85401 9 hours 48 minutes

by Amanda Quick

read by Martha Harmon Pardee

Calista Langley, a matchmaker in Victorian London, has a stalker. She does not know where to turn, until she meets Trent Hastings, a mystery author suspicious of Calista's service. As the admirer's attentions grow more intense, Trent agrees to help Calista investigate. Some violence and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

What You Always Wanted

DB85288 7 hours 17 minutes

by Kristin Rae

read by Mare Trevathan

Theater geek Maddie's dream guy resembles the classic Hollywood heartthrob, like Gene Kelly. When Jesse, the new star pitcher of the high school baseball team, moves in next door, Maddie must reconcile her fantasy with a potentially amazing reality. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

Psy-Changeling Series, Books 12–14

DB83775 48 hours 34 minutes

by Nalini Singh

read by Eva Wilhelm

Three paranormal romances, written between 2013 and 2015, with shapeshifters and psychics. Includes *Heart of Obsidian*, *Shield of Winter*, and *Shards of Hope*, about Aiden and Zaira, two psychics fleeing the PsyNet for shelter in a changeling pack. Some violence, some strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2015.

Science Fiction

Grinspace

DB85469 9 hours 42 minutes

by Ann Aguirre

read by Suzanna Duff

Accused of causing a horrible starship jump accident she doesn't even remember, starship navigator Sirantha Jax is in custody until psi pilot March breaks her out. March wants to use her as a tool against the Farwan Corporation, but Jax needs to decide her own course. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2008.

The Saga of Seven Suns, Books 6–7

DB84670 38 hours 13 minutes

by Kevin J. Anderson

read by Brandon Bujnowski

Books six and seven of the series, first published in 2007 and 2008. In *Metal Swarm*, the Hansa's brutal chairman struggles to crush resistance, as King Peter forms a new confederation. Includes *The Ashes of Worlds*, the series' final book. Sequel to *The Saga of Seven Suns, Books 4–5 (DB84221)*. Some violence. 2008.

The Saga of Shadows, Books 1–2

DB85179 42 hours 19 minutes

by Kevin J. Anderson

read by Brandon Bujnowski

The first two books, written between 2014 and 2015, in a series set twenty years after *The Saga of Seven Suns (DB84061)*. In *The Dark between the Stars*, a new threat emerges from the darkness, and humanity must set aside inner conflicts to rebuild an alliance with the Ildiran Empire. Also includes *Blood of the Cosmos*. Some violence. 2015.

Impact: Outer Earth, Book 3

DB85368 13 hours 46 minutes

by Rob Boffard

read by various narrators

Survivors are discovered on Earth, though the planet was thought to be uninhabitable. Riley travels on a ship with a group of terrorists planning to brave the planet's atmosphere. When the ship crashes, however, Riley is left alone in a barren wilderness, fighting for survival. Sequel to *Zero-G: Outer Earth, Book 2 (DB85311)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Zero-G: Outer Earth, Book 2

DB85311 13 hours 2 minutes

by Rob Boffard

read by various narrators

A vengeful doctor blackmails Riley, hoping to force her to break a dangerous prisoner out of jail. To make matters worse, a lethal virus spreads throughout Outer Earth. It's up to Riley to help find a cure and save the remnants of humanity. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Cold Between

DB85333 15 hours 2 minutes

by Elizabeth Bonesteel

read by Martha Harmon Pardee

While on shore leave, Commander Elena Shaw has an affair with Treiko Zajec, a local man with a mysterious past. When her crewmate Danny is killed, Elena is shocked to learn that Zajec is the prime suspect. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

The Rule of Luck: A Science Fiction Romance

DB85320 11 hours 32 minutes

by Catherine Cerveny

read by Helen Wick

Famed tarot-card reader Felicia Sevigny's future turns dark after Russian crime leader Alexei Petriv demands a reading and makes her a pawn in his plot to overthrow the all-knowing government. She must decide if she trusts him before the future of humanity is threatened. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Time Siege

DB85814 18 hours 51 minutes

by Wesley Chu

read by Kevin T. Collins

James Griffin-Mars has gained allies—scientists he rescued from previous centuries—some of whom hope to salvage Earth from its current wasteland state. He has also gained enemies, however, including the full military might of the solar system, led by ruthless security head Kuo. Sequel to *Time Salvager* (DB82186). Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Dark Matter

DB85205 10 hours 10 minutes

by Blake Crouch

read by Jon Lindstrom

After being kidnapped, Jason Dessen wakes up to an unfamiliar life in which his wife is not his wife and he has no son. Rather than a college professor, Jason finds

he is a celebrated genius of remarkable achievement. He struggles to determine which life is real. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

On the Edge of Gone

DB85282 10 hours 24 minutes

by Corinne Duyvis

read by Mare Trevathan

In 2035, a comet hits Earth, and life on our planet struggles to survive the event. Sixteen-year-old Denise, who is autistic, tries to find her missing sister and also help her neglectful, undependable mother as the disasters begin. Some strong language. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

United as One: The Lorien Legacies, Book 7

DB85218 11 hours 50 minutes

by Pittacus Lore

read by Alec Volz

The final fight against the Mogadorian invasion has begun, and the Garde are no longer alone in their battle. Now human legacies are developing in teens all across the globe. Sequel to *The Fate of Ten* (DB83229). Violence and some strong language. For senior high and older readers. 2016.

The Last Days of New Paris

DB85325 5 hours 41 minutes

by China Miéville

read by Ralph Lister

1941. In the chaos of wartime Marseille, American engineer—and occult disciple—Jack Parsons unwittingly unleashes the power of dreams and nightmares. 1951. Lone surrealist fighter, Thibaut, walks the streets of a hallucinogenic Paris that is trapped in an unending conflict between the Nazis and the Resistance, stalked by the forces of hell. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Solar Express

DB85181 21 hours 2 minutes

by L.E. Modesitt

read by Richard Davidson

When a comet is discovered to be an alien structure on a trajectory toward the sun, it sparks a race among Earth's nations to study and gain control of it. As the artifact approaches the sun, however, it begins to alter the star in strange ways, and tensions escalate on Earth. 2015.

Artefact: The Lazarus War, Book 1

DB85524 14 hours 57 minutes

by Jamie Sawyer

read by Jeff Harding

Mankind has become locked in warfare with an insidious alien race. The soldiers of the Simulant Operation Programme, an elite military team that remotely operates avatars in dangerous conflicts, are its main defense. Captain Conrad Harris has earned the nickname Lazarus after running simulant bodies through hundreds of deaths. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

Legion: The Lazarus War, Book 2

DB85468 15 hours 9 minutes

by Jamie Sawyer

read by Jeff Harding

After surviving their ordeal on Helios, Harris and his elite Simulant Operations team, the Lazarus Legion, face a mission to the perilous, unexplored region of the Damascus Rift, where another Artefact has been discovered. Sequel to *Artefact: The Lazarus War, Book 1 (DB85524)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

Origins: The Lazarus War, Book 3

DB85497 14 hours 28 minutes

by Jamie Sawyer

read by Jeff Harding

The Krell Empire has wreaked such devastation that military command is desperate for a new strategy. Harris and his team are sent on a mission that could finally turn the tide of the war. Sequel to *Legion: The Lazarus War, Book 2 (DB85468)*. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Redemption: A Lazarus War Novella

DB85508 3 hours 14 minutes

by Jamie Sawyer

read by Sasha Dunbrooke

A reunion is disrupted when a catastrophe strikes the space station. The crew of the *Edison* find themselves fighting for their lives, and Taniya discovers that she is not the only member of the crew with a secret. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

More than Human

DB85239 8 hours 59 minutes

by Theodore Sturgeon
read by Michael Kramer

A group of individuals with superhuman talents struggles to determine who they are and whether they are meant to save or destroy humanity. Their skills include mind reading, telekinesis, teleportation, genius intellect, and more. Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 1953.

Tor.com Collection: Season 2

DB85375 38 hours 12 minutes

by Tor.com

read by various narrators

A collection originally published as separate pieces in the winter of 2016 by Tor.com. Includes work by Emily Foster, Seanan McGuire, K.J. Parker, Victor LaValle, David Tallerman, Matt Wallace, Andy Remic, Michael R. Underwood, Tim Lebbon, and Guy Haley. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Behind the Throne: The Indranan War, Book 1

DB85372 13 hours 36 minutes

by K.B. Wagers

read by Angèle Masters

Fugitive gunrunner Hailimi Bristol has made a name for herself for many things except what she was born to do—rule the Indranan Empire. Then two Trackers drag her home to take her rightful place as the only remaining heir. Hail is soon caught in a web of plots and assassination attempts. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Necessity

DB85328 10 hours 39 minutes

by Jo Walton

read by Noah Michael Levine

After the events of *The Philosopher Kings* (DB82698), Zeus moved the entire Just City experiment to the distant planet Plato. Now more than a generation has passed. Pytheas dies as a human, returning immediately in his full glory as Apollo. Then a human ship from Earth appears. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Short Stories

The Pushcart Prize XXXIX: Best of the Small Presses, 2015

DB84459 27 hours 28 minutes

edited by Bill Henderson

read by Robert Sams

Sixty-five pieces of poetry, nonfiction, and fiction, originally published by small presses. Includes works from Russell Banks, author of *A Permanent Member of the Family* (DB77852), and Louise Glück, author of *Poems 1962–2012* (DB79850). Some violence, some strong language, and some descriptions of sex. 2015.

Spies and Espionage

Tom Clancy's Op-Center: Into the Fire

DB85525 9 hours 27 minutes

by Dick Couch and George Galdorisi

read by Henry Leyva

After a team of assassins murders a high-ranking North Korean general and his family and an American ship is attacked, Op-Center intelligence discovers a secret alliance between China and North Korea. All sides marshal their forces for a confrontation at sea. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

Tom Clancy's Op-Center: Out of the Ashes

DB85511 10 hours 52 minutes

by Dick Couch and George Galdorisi

read by Scott Sowers

The President executes an emergency order to reinstate Op-Center after terrorists detonate bombs in sports stadiums around the country. A renegade Saudi prince hopes to manipulate America into attacking Syria and launching a war against Iran. It is up to Op-Center's agents to stop him. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2014.

Tom Clancy's Op-Center: Scorched Earth

DB85526 8 hours 9 minutes

by George Galdorisi

read by Peter Berkrot

An American general is kidnapped while in Syria, and a terrorist leader viciously beheads him on live television. When the terrorist's son is killed in a retaliatory bombing raid, he soon seeks revenge on American soil. It is up to Op-Center to stay one step ahead of this ruthless enemy. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Vagabond

DB85183 16 hours 39 minutes

by Gerald Seymour
read by Jason Culp

Danny Curnow once ran agents and informers under the call sign Vagabond. Now retired, he receives a call from an old boss looking for help with violence in Northern Ireland. MI5's Gaby Davies will be running double agent Ralph Exton in brokering an arms deal with a Russian. Violence and strong language. 2014.

Suspense

You Will Know Me

DB84687 9 hours 13 minutes

by Megan Abbott

read by Lauren Fortgang

How far would you go to achieve a dream? That's the question a celebrated coach poses to Katie and Eric Knox after he sees their daughter—a gymnastics prodigy and Olympic hopeful—compete. For the Knoxes there are no limits—until a violent death rocks their close-knit gymnastics community. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Since She Went Away

DB85243 11 hours 23 minutes

by David Bell

read by Catherine Byers

One night three months ago, single mom Jenna was late arriving at the park where she had arranged to meet her best friend, Celia—and Celia hasn't been seen since. Jenna's search for her is interrupted when her son's mysterious girlfriend goes missing. Strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

Somebody I Used to Know

DB85246 9 hours 47 minutes

by David Bell

read by Mark Delgado

Twenty years ago, Nick Hansen's college girlfriend died in a fire. Now he sees her doppelganger in the grocery store, but she runs off. The next day the police inform Nick that the look-alike has been found murdered—with his name and address in her pocket. Some strong language. 2015.

Capitol Betrayal

DB85177 11 hours 36 minutes

by William Bernhardt
read by Joe Wilson

While in a meeting with the president, Kincaid and the entire group are whisked into an underground emergency operations center. A foreign dictator has hacked America's nuclear defense system and is holding the nation hostage. To Kincaid's dismay, the president begins to fall apart under the pressure. Sequel to *Capitol Offense* (DB71354). Violence and strong language. 2010.

Die of Shame

DB85173 11 hours 16 minutes

by Mark Billingham
read by David Hartley-Margolin

When the London police find a woman long dead in her apartment, their investigation leads to a group of recovering addicts who meet at their therapist's home on Mondays. One of them is most likely responsible for killing the victim. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2016.

Sting

DB85376 11 hours 42 minutes

by Sandra Brown
read by Stephen Lang

When businesswoman Jordie Bennet locks eyes with Shaw Kinnard in a disreputable bar, Jordie doesn't realize Shaw—hoping to find the thirty million dollars her brother stole—is here to abduct her. Soon, however, Jordie and Shaw must rely on their wits and each other to stay alive. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Devils of Cardona

DB85316 13 hours 4 minutes

by Matthew Carr
read by Robertson Dean

In sixteenth-century Spain, a Catholic priest is murdered by a mysterious Muslim avenger as the Inquisition continues to force Moriscos to live and worship as Christians. An adviser to King Philip II appoints incorruptible local magistrate Bernardo de Mendoza to investigate. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Night School: A Jack Reacher Novel

DB86175 13 hours 9 minutes

by Lee Child
read by Dick Hill

In 1996, while he is still in the army, Reacher, along with an FBI agent, and a CIA analyst, is told that a jihadist sleeper cell in Hamburg, Germany, has received an unexpected visitor—a Saudi courier—who is overheard whispering a chilling message: “The American wants a hundred million dollars.” Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Not a Drill: A Jack Reacher Short Story

DB85466 1 hour 29 minutes

by Lee Child

read by Dick Hill

After hitching a ride with some earnest young Canadians into the dense forests of Maine, Jack Reacher discovers that a trail is suddenly and inexplicably closed. Then the military police show up in force. Maybe it's a drill. Or maybe it's the kind of trouble that always finds Reacher. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2014.

Death Match

DB85197 13 hours 45 minutes

by Lincoln Child

read by Barrett Whitener

A young couple are found dead in their Flagstaff home after committing double suicide, and alarms go off in the offices of Eden Incorporated, the high-tech matchmaking company that brought them together. As ex-FBI forensic psychologist Christopher Lash investigates, a second Eden couple are found dead. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Robert B. Parker's Debt to Pay

DB85264 8 hours 53 minutes

by Reed Farrel Coleman

read by James Naughton

When a major Boston crime boss is brutally murdered, police chief Jesse Stone suspects it's the work of Mr. Peepers, a psychotic assassin. Peepers has long promised revenge against the Mob, Jesse, and Suit for their roles in foiling one of his hits—and against Stone's ex-wife Jenn as well. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Obsession Falls

DB85806 14 hours 29 minutes

by Christina Dodd

read by January LaVoy

While out in the Idaho woods sketching, Taylor Summers thwarts a pair of hired killers who are trying to kidnap a young boy. Now she is the target, hiding under an assumed name in Virtue Falls, Washington. Unrated. Commercial audio book. 2015.

Widowmaker

DB84627 10 hours 2 minutes

by Paul Doiron

read by Henry Leyva

Distressed Amber Langstrom tells Mike Bowditch that her son Adam is a wrongfully convicted sex offender who vanished from a brutal work camp in the high timber around the Widowmaker Ski Resort. She also claims that he is the illegitimate son of Mike's late diabolical father. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The One Man

DB85542 12 hours 43 minutes

by Andrew Gross

read by Edoardo Ballerini

1944. Washington, D.C., intelligence officer Nathan Blum has a skill set the U.S. suddenly needs—fluency in German and Polish. Now, he must take on the most dangerous assignment of his life—sneaking into Auschwitz to find and escape with one man who possesses valuable knowledge. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Before the Fall

DB84691 12 hours 57 minutes

by Noah Hawley

read by Robert Petkoff

On a foggy summer night, eleven people—ten privileged, one a down-on-his-luck painter—depart Martha's Vineyard on a private jet for New York. The plane plunges into the ocean. The only survivors are the painter and a four-year-old boy, who is now the remaining member of an immensely wealthy media mogul's family. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

IQ

DB86173 9 hours 10 minutes

by Joe Ide

read by Sullivan Jones

The LAPD is barely keeping up with East Long Beach's high crime rate. Loner and high school dropout Isaiah takes on the unsolved cases. To get by, he's also forced to take on clients who can pay—like a rap mogul whose life is in danger. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Couple Next Door

DB85538 8 hours 42 minutes

by Shari Lapena

read by Kirsten Potter

Anne and Marco are having dinner at their next-door neighbors' house, taking turns going home to check on their sleeping baby every half hour and using a monitor. But when they return for the night, she is missing. And each must hide something from the police. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2016.

Jake Lassiter, Books 8–11

DB84716 25 hours 32 minutes

by Paul Levine

read by Jeff Allin

Four entries, written between 2011 and 2015, in the series featuring second-string linebacker turned night-school Miami lawyer, Jake Lassiter. Includes *Lassiter*, *Last Chance Lassiter*, *State vs. Lassiter*, and *Bum Rap*, in which a fellow attorney is charged with murder. Strong language, some violence, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2015.

Maureen Coughlin, Books 1–3

DB84949 32 hours 11 minutes

by Bill Loehfelm

read by various narrators

Three novels, written between 2006 and 2014, about Maureen Coughlin, a down-and-out Staten Island cocktail waitress who becomes a New Orleans cop. Includes *The Devil She Knows*, *The Devil in Her Way*, and *Doing the Devil's Work*. Violence, strong language, and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2014.

Behind Closed Doors

DB85265 8 hours 25 minutes

by B.A. Paris

read by Georgia Maguire

Jack has looks and wealth, and his wife, Grace, has charm and elegance. It's difficult to get to know Grace better, because Jack and Grace are never apart.

Grace never answers the phone and can never meet for coffee. And there are bars on one of the bedroom windows. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Woman of God

DB86191 9 hours 17 minutes

by James Patterson and Maxine Paetro

read by Therese Plummer

The world learns news of a new historic pope. But from Brigid Fitzgerald's difficult childhood to her career as a doctor healing the wounded in Sudan, her convictions have made her the target of all those who fear that the Church has lost its way. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Obsidian Chamber: A Pendergast Novel

DB86193 12 hours 57 minutes

by Douglas Preston and Lincoln Child

read by Rene Auberjonois

FBI special agent Aloysius Pendergast is missing after the events of *Crimson Shore* (DB83066), and his ward Constance is kidnapped when she returns to the home they share. Pendergast's bodyguard Proctor must try to rescue her from her captor, Pendergast's own brother, Diogenes. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Bone Labyrinth: A Sigma Force Novel

DB85135 16 hours 42 minutes

by James Rollins

read by Clay Teunis

An archaeologist discovers an underground Catholic chapel holding the bones of a Neanderthal woman and paintings depicting monstrous shadowy figures. Before anything further can be discovered, however, the team is attacked. Commander Gray Pierce and Sigma are plunged into a battle for humanity's future. Violence and strong language. 2015.

Escape Clause

DB85774 9 hours 57 minutes

by John Sandford

read by Eric Conger

When two rare Amur tigers vanish from the Minnesota zoo, authorities fear that they've been stolen for their body parts. Traditional Chinese medicine prizes those parts for home remedies, and people will do extreme things to get what

they need—as Virgil Flowers is about to find out. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Watching Edie

DB85473 9 hours 8 minutes

by Camilla Way

read by various narrators

Beautiful, creative Edie is now a thirty-three-year-old waitress, pregnant, and alone. But someone's been watching Edie, waiting for the chance to prove once again what a perfect friend she can be. Edie's about to learn that those you hurt never really let you go. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Smooth Operator

DB85262 7 hours 7 minutes

by Stuart Woods and Parnell Hall

read by Tony Roberts

President Kate Lee's latest potentially disastrous situation requires a different kind of expertise than that of Stone Barrington. He suggests Teddy Fay: ex-CIA, master of disguise, and a gentleman not known for abiding by legal niceties in the pursuit of his own brand of justice. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

War Stories

Noonday

DB85229 9 hours 45 minutes

by Pat Barker

read by Martha Harmon Pardee

In the days of the London Blitz, Elinor Brooke, Paul Tarrant, and Kit Neville, from *Toby's Room* (DB75837), work on the home front. Relationships they thought were sorted are upended once more. Elinor will be faced with a life-changing choice. Some violence and some descriptions of sex. 2015.

War and Turpentine

DB85548 11 hours 55 minutes

by Stefan Hertmans

read by Nicholas Guy Smith

Urbain Martien leaves behind two notebooks when he dies in 1981. They contain the whole of his life—experiences as an artist, soldier, and survivor of World War I. His grandson finds them and shares Urbain's experiences, even as he tries to understand his own life. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Anatomy of a Soldier

DB85498 10 hours 5 minutes

by Harry Parker

read by various narrators

In a war zone in the Mideast, British captain Tom Barnes leads his troops. Inanimate objects share the stories of the inhabitants of the area, before and after Barnes and his unit are involved in an IED explosion. Barnes loses his legs and must relearn how to live. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Westerns

The Big Drift

DB85215 7 hours 32 minutes

by Patrick Dearen

read by Jon Huffman

In the winter of 1884, cowboy Will Brite finds himself trapped under his horse with a blizzard descending. On-the-run former slave Zeke Boles becomes his unexpected savior, and Will offers him shelter. After a brutal cattle run the next spring, their lives are forever linked. Some strong language. 2014.

Robert B. Parker's Blackjack

DB85261 8 hours 5 minutes

by Robert Knott

read by Rex Linn

Appaloosa continues to prosper, but this draws in a slew of trouble in the form of carpetbaggers, gamblers, thieves, and more. The newest menace in town is Boston Bill Black, the owner of the new casino. After finding himself wanted for murder, Boston Bill vanishes. Sequel to *Robert B. Parker's The Bridge* (DB80234). Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Dance with the Devil: The Devil's Own, Book 1

DB85214 13 hours 4 minutes

by JD March

read by Andy Pyle

Skilled gunfighter Johnny Fierro learns that his estranged father is fighting to keep his land and eagerly seeks the chance to kill him. He had not bargained, however, on a share of the ranch, a previously unknown brother, and the truth about his past. Strong language and some violence. 2014.

Adult Nonfiction

Animals and Wildlife

Dog Medicine: How My Dog Saved Me from Myself

DB85257 8 hours 53 minutes

by Julie Barton

read by Julie Barton

Memoir of a woman who found herself in a deep depression, considering suicide. She credits a big part of her recovery to the golden retriever puppy she adopted, who gave her unconditional love and companionship. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Arts

The Lonely City: Adventures in the Art of Being Alone

DB85216 9 hours 57 minutes

by Olivia Laing

read by Nancy Lynne Walters

Writer recounts her own experiences moving to New York City in her mid-thirties, interwoven with her analyses of artwork about solitude and loneliness in a city setting. Discusses the lives of the artists behind the works and the ways being alone influenced their art. 2016.

Women Artists: The Linda Nochlin Reader

DB83262 21 hours 26 minutes

by Linda Nochlin

read by Mary Kane

Collection of essays and writings from the 1970s to the 2010s about women artists, by professor of art and art history. Includes profiles of Miriam Schapiro, Florine Stettheimer, Mary Cassatt, Deborah Kass, Cecily Brown, and Natalie

Frank, among others. Discusses feminism, a woman's place in public space, and more. 2015.

In Montmartre: Picasso, Matisse, and the Birth of Modernist Art

DB86170 12 hours 53 minutes

by Sue Roe

read by Emma Bering

Examines the Montmartre district in Paris between 1900 and 1911—the year Pablo Picasso arrived and the year an aggressive reconstruction program began. Discusses the artists and gallery owners active in the area and the impact of the social history of the area on the development of the art scene. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

Astronomy

Copernicus: A Very Short Introduction

DB85625 3 hours 37 minutes

by Owen Gingerich

read by J.P. Linton

Leading authority recaps the life of the sixteenth-century cosmologist who argued that the sun was the center of our solar system. Discusses the ways Copernicus built on Ptolemy's ideas, the role others played in getting his work published, and the author's search for original copies of Copernicus's *De revolutionibus*. 2016.

Biography

The Huntress: The Adventures, Escapades, and Triumphs of Alicia Patterson; Aviatrix, Sportswoman, Journalist, Publisher

DB85379 11 hours 39 minutes

by Alice Arlen and Michael J. Arlen

read by Blair Brown

Biography of Alicia Patterson, founder and editor of *Newsday*. Discusses her early childhood in Chicago as part of a legendary journalism family, as well as her multiple marriages, adventures in early aviation, renown as a big-game hunter, and development of her own newspaper. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Alexander the Great: A Very Short Introduction

DB85614 5 hours 13 minutes

by Hugh Bowden

read by J.P. Linton

British scholar chronicles the life of the Macedonian king (356 BCE–323 BCE) who ruled one of the largest empires in the ancient world. Emphasizes

contemporary accounts in assessing whether Alexander was a romantic hero or a bloodthirsty tyrant. Explores Alexander's afterlife in popular imagination. 2014.

The Boy Who Runs: The Odyssey of Julius Achon

DB85500 10 hours 3 minutes

by John Brant

read by Fred Sanders

Sportswriter chronicles Achon's journey from being a boy soldier in Uganda to his success as an Olympic runner. Abducted at age twelve into the brutal Lord's Resistance Army, Achon escaped, trained as a runner, traveled to America for college, and became an Olympian and a humanitarian. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Kick Kennedy: The Charmed Life and Tragic Death of the Favorite Kennedy Daughter

DB84686 10 hours 18 minutes

by Barbara Leaming

read by Eliza Foss

Biography of Kathleen "Kick" Kennedy Cavendish (1920–1948), sister of President John F. Kennedy. Describes her life in England as a socialite while her father served as U.S. ambassador, her romances, her eventual marriage to the heir of the Duke of Devonshire, and her husband's death and its aftermath. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Joe Gould's Teeth

DB85527 3 hours 19 minutes

by Jill Lepore

read by Jill Lepore

Historian and author of *Book of Ages* (DB77782) and *The Secret History of Wonder Woman* (DB80065) chronicles her investigation into the life and work of eccentric Joe Gould (1889–1957), who claimed to be working on a multimillion-word book. Examines the literary culture of his time. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Love Warrior: A Memoir

DB85522 7 hours 37 minutes

by Glennon Doyle Melton

read by Glennon Doyle Melton

Just as the author, a former alcoholic and bulimic, thought that her life was on track with a happy marriage, three children, and a successful writing career, she discovered that her husband had betrayed her. The crisis forced her to examine her life and relationships. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Tough as They Come

DB85219 9 hours 36 minutes

by Travis Mills

read by Andy Pyle

Army sergeant Travis Mills fought in Afghanistan as part of the 82nd Airborne Division. While he was on his third tour of duty in April 2012, an IED explosion cost him both arms and both legs. He shares his fight for survival, the difficult rehabilitation he went through, and how he continues to live a full life. 2015.

All Tomorrow's Parties: A Memoir

DB85334 11 hours 55 minutes

by Rob Spillman

read by Bill Wallace

Memoir by the editor of the literary magazine *Tin House*. Spillman tells about his youth in West Berlin and his return to the city in 1990 with his wife. The son of two musicians, their divorce left him bouncing between parents and searching for a place to call home. Some strong language. 2016.

The Six: The Lives of the Mitford Sisters

DB85544 15 hours 55 minutes

by Laura Thompson

read by Maggie Mash

Born into country-house privilege, the Mitford sisters gained prominence in the high society of interwar London. But as the 1930s passed, they each grew into very different roles and their varied lives came to represent the political disparities of their country. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Business and Economics

Brazillionaires: Wealth, Power, Decadence, and Hope in an American Country

DB85204 10 hours 59 minutes

by Alex Cuadros

read by Alex Cuadros

Journalist recounts his time stationed in Brazil for *Bloomberg News* from 2010 to 2016. Discusses the development of the billionaire class in the country and the

societal and regulatory influences that allowed it to prosper. Recounts stories of fortunes gained and lost in short amounts of time. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Cooking

Double Cup Love: On the Trail of Family, Food, and Broken Hearts in China

DB85803 5 hours 50 minutes

by Eddie Huang

read by Eddie Huang

Chef and author of *Fresh Off the Boat* (DB80907) chronicles his trip to China with his brothers, Emery and Evan, to explore their cultural heritage as he contemplated proposing marriage to his Italian American girlfriend. Explores his love of food, cultural identity, and family relationships. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Crime

Adnan's Story: The Search for Truth and Justice after *Serial*

DB85373 14 hours 33 minutes

by Rabia Chaudry

read by Rabia Chaudry

A family friend and defender of Adnan Syed details Syed's experience following his conviction for the murder of his ex-girlfriend, Hae Min Lee, a high school senior in Baltimore, Maryland. Also discusses the podcast *Serial*, which shed new light on his case. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Forensics: What Bugs, Burns, Prints, DNA, and More Tell Us about Crime

DB85116 12 hours 14 minutes

by Val McDermid

read by Suzanne Duvall

Scottish author of *A Place of Execution* (DB67779) and other crime fiction—who is also a former journalist—examines the science and history of forensics in crime solving. Uses past cases to explain how such things as blood spatter, DNA, forensic psychology, fingerprinting, pathology, and entomology have proven guilt. Violence. 2014.

Diet and Nutrition

Always Hungry? Conquer Cravings, Retrain Your Fat Cells, and Lose Weight Permanently

DB85518 6 hours 36 minutes

by David Ludwig

read by various narrators

Endocrinologist explains how low-fat diets trigger fat cells to hoard more calories for themselves, leaving too few for the rest of the body, causing hunger and a slower metabolism. Presents a three-phase program that includes meals designed to cause fat cells to release their excess calories. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

General

TED Talks: The Official TED Guide to Public Speaking

DB85217 7 hours 28 minutes

by Chris Anderson

read by Jack Fox

President of TED (Technology, Entertainment, Design) organization presents guidelines for creating and delivering effective presentations to share your story in a way that connects with the audience. Topics covered include deciding on story points, use of supporting visuals, speaking, choice of fashion, and more. 2016.

Government and Politics

The Field of Fight: How We Can Win the Global War against Radical Islam and Its Allies

DB86179 4 hours 27 minutes

by Michael T. Flynn and Michael Ledeen

read by Michael T. Flynn

Former director of the Defense Intelligence Agency discusses his views on the grave danger that the American people face in the war on terror. Explains why he feels the government needs to take more decisive action against terrorists and how he thinks that should be done. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Trump vs. Clinton: In Their Own Words; Everything You Need to Know to Vote Your Conscience

DB85532 2 hours 49 minutes

by James Patterson

read by various narrators

A conversation on issues relevant to the 2016 presidential election in the United States. Pulls direct quotes from the Republican and Democratic nominees for president of the United States. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Scorched Earth: Restoring the Country after Obama

DB85816 8 hours 46 minutes

by Michael Savage

read by James Edward Thomas

The author of *Government Zero (DB83065)* argues that America has been undermined by external terrorists, internal anarchists, manipulative media, and contemptible politicians. He details his reasons for thinking that Hillary Clinton would be a dangerous president and that Donald Trump might be America's greatest hope. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Bobby Kennedy: The Making of a Liberal Icon

DB85513 19 hours 49 minutes

by Larry Tye

read by Marc Cashman

A close look at the life and work of Robert F. Kennedy, who began his public life as counsel to Senator Joseph McCarthy and later aided his brother Jack in his bids for the senate and the presidency. Draws on Kennedy's unpublished memoirs, unreleased government files, personal papers, and hundreds of interviews. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Language

The Story of English in 100 Words

DB85249 7 hours 46 minutes

by David Crystal

read by Bob Moore

Linguist explores the history of English vernacular. Selects and examines one hundred words (including the ancient, the cutting-edge, the indispensable, the fanciful, and the obscene) that illustrate the many sources, influences, and events that have shaped the English language. 2011.

Literature

Colonial Latin American Literature: A Very Short Introduction

DB85627 5 hours 5 minutes

by Rolena Adorno

read by Jeremy Gage

Recipient of the Modern Language Association's Award for Lifetime Scholarly Achievement surveys three centuries of literature from and about Central and South America, including historical and polemical works, explorers' travelogs, and poetry. 2011.

Searching for Sappho: The Lost Songs and World of the First Woman Poet

DB85162 7 hours 27 minutes

by Philip Freeman

read by Kimberly Schraf

Classicist examines the life and times of the poet Sappho of Lesbos. Following the course of Sappho's life from childhood to death, everyday life in Ancient Greece and what specifics are known about Sappho's life are explored.

Interspersed throughout the chapters are new translations of her poetry. 2016.

Children's Literature: A Very Short Introduction

DB85629 6 hours 7 minutes

by Kimberley Reynolds

read by Terry Donnelly

Surveys the creation and analysis of children's literature over the centuries.

Examines research approaches, new technologies, and the practice of reflecting on society's concerns. Proposes that, while children today have many sources of information (Internet, satellite television, computer games), literature can provide a protected way to explore ideas and issues. 2011.

Constance Fenimore Woolson: Portrait of a Lady Novelist

DB84857 13 hours 20 minutes

by Anne Boyd Rioux

read by Kristin Allison

English professor profiles the niece of James Fenimore Cooper and an inspiration for Henry James's heroine Isabel Archer, from *The Portrait of a Lady* (DB51264).

Discusses Woolson's (1840–1894) early life and influences, literary endeavors, personal relationships, unrequited romance with Henry James, and subsequent suicide. 2016.

Chasing the Last Laugh: Mark Twain's Raucous and Redemptive Round-the-World Comedy Tour

DB85499 16 hours 39 minutes

by Richard Zacks

read by George Guidall

Chronicle of Mark Twain's world tour, which began in 1895 as a way to pay off creditors due to Twain's severe financial losses. Describes the cultures and countries Twain visited, including Australia, New Zealand, India, and South Africa. Discusses the impact on his lasting legacy. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Medicine and Health

The Late Bloomer: A Memoir of My Body

DB85502 9 hours 37 minutes

by Ken Baker

read by Ken Baker

Memoir of celebrity journalist and former hotshot hockey player Ken Baker, who—after years of worrying about his low sex drive, inability to build muscle, and even the onset of lactation—discovered that a brain tumor had caused him to be biochemically infused with a female hormone. Movie tie-in. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Doctor's Kidney Diets: A Nutritional Guide to Managing and Slowing the Progression of Chronic Kidney Disease

DB84190 7 hours 30 minutes

by Mandip S. Kang

read by Judie Yuill

Nephrologist provides an overview of how the kidneys work and how nutrition affects kidney function. Discusses dietary needs of different types of chronic kidney disease. Includes fifty recipes for kidney health for different diets and lists the nutritional information for each dish. 2015.

Music

Your Song Changed My Life: From Jimmy Page to St. Vincent, Smokey Robinson to Hozier, Thirty-Five Beloved Artists on Their Journey and the Music That Inspired It

DB85362 9 hours 18 minutes

by Bob Boilen

read by Brian Hemmingsen

A collection of thirty-five essays curated by NPR's host of *All Songs Considered*. Musicians discuss the songs that influenced them. Includes essays from, among others, Carrie Brownstein of Sleater-Kinney, Smokey Robinson, St. Vincent, Dave Grohl of Nirvana and Foo Fighters, Jackson Browne, Regina Carter, Asaf Avidan, Fantastic Negrito. Some strong language. 2016.

We Gotta Get Out of This Place: The Soundtrack of the Vietnam War

DB85247 10 hours 21 minutes

by Doug Bradley and Craig Werner

read by Bob Moore

A Vietnam veteran and a college professor present a history of the music of the Vietnam War, arranged chronologically. The authors share interviews with soldiers of diverse races and experiences, discuss the various ways soldiers acquired new music, and illustrate the importance of music to those serving. Some strong language. 2015.

Every Little Step: My Story

DB85283 8 hours 34 minutes

by Bobby Brown

read by Jake Williams

The singer and dancer tells his story. Chronicles his start in music at fourteen with the band New Edition, his solo career, his marriage to Whitney Houston, his admitted addictions and rages, and the tragic death of his daughter Bobbi Kristina. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. 2016.

Under the Big Black Sun: A Personal History of L.A. Punk

DB85364 7 hours 22 minutes

by John Doe

read by various narrators

Doe, frontman for the punk band called X, has gathered testimonies from dozens of his contemporaries in the Hollywood punk scene to put together an account of the prime years (1975–1980) of punk in Los Angeles. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Good Vibrations: My Life as a Beach Boy

DB85547 15 hours 9 minutes

by Mike Love and James S. Hirsch

read by Mike Love

One of the founding members of the Beach Boys reflects on his five decades with the band. He tells stories of his bandmates, the lyrics he wrote for some of the group's big hits, and his take on the rise and fall of the Beach Boys. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Hear My Sad Story: The True Tales That Inspired “Stagolee,” “John Henry,” and Other Traditional American Folk Songs

DB85346 11 hours 23 minutes

by Richard Polenberg

read by Michael Russotto

Historian recounts the background behind twenty-seven folk songs dating from the early 1800s to the 1930s. Discusses murders, thefts, catastrophes, and more, as well as the publication and performance histories of the songs that immortalize them. Some violence. 2015.

Nature and the Environment

Rightful Heritage: Franklin D. Roosevelt and the Land of America

DB85166 25 hours 27 minutes

by Douglas Brinkley

read by various narrators

Author of *Cronkite* (DB75163) and *The Wilderness Warrior* (DB69762) explores the environmental works and heritage of President Franklin D. Roosevelt (1882–1945). Discusses Roosevelt's personal connections with nature and the work done by the Civilian Conservation Corps, which was created as part of the New Deal. 2016.

Being a Beast: Adventures across the Species Divide

DB85318 7 hours 29 minutes

by Charles Foster

read by Charles Foster

Veterinarian and lecturer at Oxford University examines animal and human behavior by replicating the lives of particular animals, including badgers, otters, foxes, deer, and swifts. Shares adventures such as catching fish with his teeth, living in a sett—a badger's den—for weeks, being hunted by bloodhounds, and more. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Fastest Things on Wings: Rescuing Hummingbirds in Hollywood

DB85238 9 hours 47 minutes

by Terry Masear

read by Nora Achrati

Hummingbird rescue-and-rehabilitation organizer recounts a five-month period in 2008 when she took in 160 birds. Describes the lessons she learned from individual birds, particularly Gabriel and Pepper, male and female Anna's hummingbirds, who came in a month apart and developed a bond. 2015.

Philosophy

Aristotle: A Very Short Introduction

DB85617 5 hours 52 minutes

by Jonathan Barnes

read by J.P. Linton

Explores life and writings of fourth-century-BC Greek who "bestrode antiquity like an intellectual colossus." In his science and philosophy, he tackled fundamental questions of the nature of reality and change. Barnes describes Aristotle's timeless philosophy, the vast influence of the structure and content of his thought. 2000.

Augustine: A Very Short Introduction

DB85618 4 hours 42 minutes

by Henry Chadwick

read by Jeremy Gage

The theology and philosophy of Aurelius Augustinus (354–430), the North African bishop now known as Saint Augustine. Traces the influence of Plato and Cicero on Augustine's thought, his conversion to Christianity, his reflections on *Genesis* and the holy Trinity, and his legacy. 1986.

Poetry

No Matter the Wreckage

DB85496 2 hours 17 minutes

by Sarah Kay

read by Sarah Kay

This debut collection of poetry features work from the first decade of Kay's career. The subject matter includes family, love, travel, and unlikely romance. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2014.

Psychology and Self-Help

The Cyber Effect: A Pioneering Cyberpsychologist Explains How Human Behavior Changes Online

DB85371 13 hours 32 minutes

by Mary Aiken

read by Rachel Fulginiti

Examination of the ways Internet usage affects human behavior. Highlights the worlds of online dating, gaming, and crime. Discusses societal norms and values, safety and security, and the perception of the world offline. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Freedom: My Book of Firsts

DB85285 5 hours 1 minute

by Jaycee Dugard

read by Mare Trevathan

In this follow up to *A Stolen Life* (DB73692), Dugard chronicles some of her memorable experiences after years as a captive. In addition to the joys of her new freedom, she discusses the challenges she faced rebuilding her life.

Bestseller. 2016.

How to Be a Person in the World: Ask Polly's Guide through the Paradoxes of Modern Life

DB85369 7 hours 31 minutes

by Heather Havrilesky

read by Heather Havrilesky

Havrilesky hands out tough love and occasionally profane advice as the author of *New York Magazine's* "Ask Polly" column. She collects fan favorites along with material never published before on topics as wide-ranging as career, romance, and family. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

A Field Guide to Lies: Critical Thinking in the Information Age

DB85512 6 hours 57 minutes

by Daniel J. Levitin

read by Dan Piraro

Psychologist and author of *The Organized Mind* (DB80105) guides readers through the overload of information bombarding Internet users. Advice on how to judge the reliability of information and combat misrepresentations, bad data, distortions of the truth, and flat-out lying. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Religion

My Sisters the Saints: A Spiritual Memoir

DB85293 7 hours 27 minutes

by Colleen Carroll Campbell

read by Dale Allen

Collection of six essays by journalist reflecting on her spiritual journey and reconciling her faith with an identity influenced by modern feminism. Discusses learning about saints' lives, her relationship with her family—especially after her father's Alzheimer's diagnosis—and her struggle with infertility and strict Catholic teachings. 2012.

It's Good to Be Queen: Becoming as Bold, Gracious, and Wise as the Queen of Sheba

DB85291 5 hours 16 minutes

by Liz Curtis Higgs

read by Patricia Kilgarriff

Author of *Bad Girls of the Bible* (DB67302) presents virtues for women to strive for to embody the lessons taught by the story of the Queen of Sheba. Topics include boldness, openness, seeking wise counsel, humbleness, honesty, encouragement of others, praising God, and more. 2015.

The Dead Sea Scrolls: A Very Short Introduction

DB85630 5 hours 56 minutes

by Timothy H. Lim

read by J.P. Linton

Scholar retraces the 1947 discovery of the Dead Sea Scrolls by Bedouin shepherds, their impact on our understanding of ancient Judaism and the origins of Christianity, and the controversies surrounding their translation and interpretation. Discusses the ways modern technology has aided analysis of the scrolls. 2005.

A Call to Mercy: Hearts to Love, Hands to Serve

DB85382 10 hours 49 minutes

by Mother Teresa

read by various narrators

Collection of previously unpublished writings by twentieth-century Catholic saint and Nobel Peace Prize winner Mother Teresa, who was known for her work in India. Discusses ways to show compassion in one's everyday life. Includes testimonials from those Mother Teresa worked with and prayers from the devotional she used. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Jewish Stories of Love and Marriage: Folktales, Legends, and Letters

DB84252 11 hours 18 minutes

by Sandy Eisenberg Sasso and Peninnah Schram

read by Marsha Rehns

Rabbi Sasso and Schram, a professor of speech and drama, share the stories of love and romance they have collected from the Jewish storytelling tradition, both printed and spoken. Includes biblical and rabbinical stories, folktales, love letters, and contemporary experiences. Provides guidance on creating your own love story. 2015.

Mahabharata: A Modern Retelling

DB84189 23 hours 38 minutes

by Carole Satyamurti

read by Michael Scherer

Blank verse retelling of the foundational Hindu text. Explores the epic story of the Kurukshetra War and fates of the families involved, presents philosophical and devotional points of contemplation, and includes the *Bhagavad Gita*. 2015.

Dear Jesus: Seeking His Light in Your Life

DB85193 6 hours 36 minutes

by Sarah Young

read by Don Feldheim

Devotional from the author of *Jesus Lives (DB85047)* exploring the concept of dialoguing directly with Jesus. At the end of each entry is a series of excerpts from scriptures regarding the topic discussed. 2007.

Science and Technology

The Cell: A Very Short Introduction

DB85659 4 hours 21 minutes

by Terence Allen and Graham Cowling

read by Mark Ashby

Explains the structure and characteristics of cells; the process by which they divide, repair themselves, and sometimes "commit suicide;" the roles played by different types of cells, including stem cells; and the ways cellular therapy is used to fight diseases. 2011.

Bacteria: A Very Short Introduction

DB85657 5 hours 6 minutes

by Sebastian G.B. Amyes

read by Robert Sams

Professor of microbial chemotherapy at the University of Edinburgh explains the origins, evolution, and discovery of bacteria; why some bacteria are beneficial and others are toxic; the role of antibiotics in medicine; and the threat posed by antibiotic resistance. 2013.

Civil Engineering: A Very Short Introduction

DB85628 4 hours 20 minutes

by David Muir Wood

read by Peter Johnson

Engineering professor describes the role of the civil engineer and how it evolved. Illustrates society's infrastructure created to manage nature's power sources. Discusses materials employed, water and waste management, and damage inflicted by movements of wind, water, and earth. Examines memorable projects, structural failures, technological advances, and future challenges. 2012.

Social Sciences

White Trash: The 400-Year Untold History of Class in America

DB85242 17 hours 27 minutes

by Nancy Isenberg

read by Peter Johnson

Historian looks at the role of poor, white people in American history. Examines both public policy and popular opinion about poverty, from early settlers through the Civil War, Reconstruction, the Great Depression, and even early twenty-first-century reality TV, disproving the myth of America as a class-free society. Bestseller. 2016.

The Road Taken: The History and Future of America's Infrastructure

DB85213 12 hours 52 minutes

by Henry Petroski

read by Bill Burton

Civil engineer chronicles the development of the United States' transportation infrastructure. Analyzes the choices made at decision points, the impact on the ways communities grew and declined, and policy issues that affect maintenance and further development of the system. 2016.

The Kingdom of Speech

DB85507 4 hours 40 minutes

by Tom Wolfe

read by Robert Petkoff

Author of *Back to Blood* (DB75774) and *The Bonfire of the Vanities* (DB26040) examines research into human evolution and the development of speech. Argues that the use of language, particularly in the abstract, is outside of the evolutionary process. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Sports and Recreation

The Tetris Effect: The Game that Hypnotized the World

DB85510 7 hours 1 minute

by Dan Ackerman

read by Dan Ackerman

A journalist from CNET examines the seemingly primitive video game that became a worldwide obsession. From its inception behind the Iron Curtain through the complicated story of its licensing, the author looks at the people behind Tetris and the game's impact and influence on later online games. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

Travel

Wild by Nature: From Siberia to Australia, Three Years Alone in the Wilderness on Foot

DB85348 7 hours 31 minutes

by Sarah Marquis

read by Nicola Daval

National Geographic explorer chronicles a 10,000-mile solo hike from Siberia to Australia. Discusses logistical considerations for her hike, adventures she encountered—including having to deal with the Mafia, drug dealers, thieves on horseback, sickness, and setbacks—and her ultimate triumph. Shares feelings she experienced during the trek. Translated from French. 2014.

My Holiday in North Korea: The Funniest/Worst Place on Earth

DB85521 4 hours 40 minutes

by Wendy E. Simmons

read by Jeena Yi

Account of a sanctioned ten-day journey through North Korea. Describes the culture she encountered—primarily through a guided and government-planned schedule—her own reactions to the experiences, and the sense of paranoia that escalated the longer she stayed. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2015.

U.S. History

The American West: A Very Short Introduction

DB85648 4 hours 41 minutes

by Stephen Aron

read by Robert Sams

Examination of a long, complicated history, beginning before the West was American and extending into the twenty-first century. Describes migrations westward, rivalries between French, Spanish, and British empire-builders, and conflicts with Mexico and Indians. Discusses the Gold Rush, the mingling of cultures, water conservation, and Hollywood-produced Westerns. 2015.

Truevine: Two Brothers, a Kidnapping, and a Mother's Quest; a True Story of the Jim Crow South

DB86172 10 hours 55 minutes

by Beth Macy

read by Suzanne Toren

Journalist chronicles the lives of two boys, George and Willie Muse, kidnapped by a white man from the fields they worked in the Jim Crow South. Captured into the circus to perform as freaks, they became global sensations; but their mother endured a twenty-eight year struggle to get them back. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

War

Uprooted: The Japanese American Experience during World War II

DB86198 8 hours 13 minutes

by Albert Marrin

read by Marc Cashman

An account of the internment of Japanese Americans during World War II. Examines the history of racism in America, the path of decision making that led to the internment, and Japan's own struggles with racism that led to the bombing of Pearl Harbor. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. For junior and senior high and older readers. 2016.

Ancient Warfare: A Very Short Introduction

DB85616 5 hours 49 minutes

by Harry Sidebottom

read by L.J. Ganser

Focusing on the Mediterranean region between 750 BC and AD 650, historian examines how Greeks, Romans, and their adversaries thought about and waged war. Discusses types of warfare, leadership, recruitment, equipment, training, and attitudes. Proposes that classical thinkers' war concerns—causes, justifications, limits—can elucidate the past and present. 2004.

World History

The Anglo-Saxon Age: A Very Short Introduction

DB85612 2 hours 58 minutes

by John Blair

read by George Holmes

England's origins from fifth-century settlements to the 1066 Norman invasion. Discusses pagan Britons under Roman rule, shifting power balances, the sixth-

century conversion to Christianity, and the eighth-century beginning of ethnic unity. Concludes with strengths of extant Anglo-Saxon structures, including villages, roads, and language. 1984.

Indestructible: One Man's Rescue Mission That Changed the Course of WWII

DB86171 17 hours 52 minutes

by John R. Bruning

read by Brian Troxell

An account of how Paul Irving "Pappy" Gunn, a renegade naval aviator, fought to free his family, who had been imprisoned by the Japanese during World War II. Even after being shot down multiple times, Gunn continued to wage a one-man war to find his wife and children. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Aztecs: A Very Short Introduction

DB85613 4 hours 37 minutes

by David Carrasco

read by Ken Kliban

A history of the Mesoamerican empire that included more than five million people at the time Spanish general Hernán Cortés arrived in 1519. Discusses the foundation, expansion, and fall of the Aztec civilization; its art, architecture, and philosophy; and its rituals of human sacrifice. 2012.

Aristocracy: A Very Short Introduction

DB85653 4 hours 24 minutes

by William Doyle

read by Marsha Rehns

History professor describes the social hierarchical elites who set the dominant cultural norms until the nineteenth century. Examines their behaviors and self-assessments. Discusses feudalism, nobility's connection with wealth, sources of revenue, leisure activities, residences, education, and religion. Highlights inequality as the essence of aristocracy and analyzes its demise. 2010.

The Way to the Spring: Life and Death in Palestine

DB85813 12 hours 19 minutes

by Ben Ehrenreich

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Drawing on his years spent living with families in both large cities and small villages, journalist Ehrenreich describes daily life in war-torn Palestine. He depicts, among other things, the effects of Israeli military rule, interactions with

Israeli settlers, and the country's elaborate series of fences, checkpoints, and barriers. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Third Reich in Power

DB85164 35 hours 35 minutes

by Richard J. Evans

read by Kerry Dukin

Author of *The Coming of the Third Reich* (DB81588) chronicles the rule of the Nazi Party in Germany from 1933 to 1939. Examines social programs such as the Hitler Youth, industrialization initiatives, the beginnings of the concentration camps, and resistance movements. Some violence. 2005.

Spain in Our Hearts: Americans in the Spanish Civil War, 1936–1939

DB85290 16 hours 10 minutes

by Adam Hochschild

read by Catherine Byers

Author of *To End All Wars* (DB74892) chronicles American involvement in the Spanish Civil War. Pays particular attention to otherwise ordinary individuals, including a nineteen-year-old honeymooner, journalists, college students-turned-volunteers, and a young couple who spent time studying in Moscow. Violence and some strong language. 2016.

Richard III: A Ruler and His Reputation

DB85221 14 hours 10 minutes

by David Horspool

read by Jake Williams

An examination of the legends and realities of the life of England's King Richard III, whose reputation has changed many times in the centuries since his death. He was pivotal in the Wars of the Roses and the end of England's medieval period, both of which are addressed in this narrative-style biography. 2015.

When Hitler Took Cocaine and Lenin Lost His Brain: History's Unknown Chapters

DB85312 4 hours 55 minutes

by Giles Milton

read by Giles Milton

Journalist delves into little-known colorful stories from across history. Depicts, among other things, a cook who survived the sinking of the *Titanic* after pickling himself with whiskey, a man who survived the atomic bombings in both

Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Hitler's final hours, and the female Robinson Crusoe. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. 2016.

The Ancient Near East: A Very Short Introduction

DB85611 5 hours 9 minutes

by Amanda H. Podany

read by Catherine Byers

History professor illuminates 3,000 years of contributions of the "cradle of civilization," a legacy little known until nineteenth-century excavations. Focuses on thirty-three cuneiform texts which afford insights into the relationships of gods and kings, trade, agriculture, law, and diplomacy, and dispels misperceptions of ancient peoples as primitive or barbaric. 2014.

Ancient Assyria: A Very Short Introduction

DB85615 5 hours 0 minutes

by Karen Radner

read by Catherine Byers

Professor of Ancient Near East history illuminates the multicultural kingdom whose heritage shaped life in the Mediterranean region and Middle East. Nineteenth-century excavations in cities of Iraq, Syria, Turkey, Israel, and other sites provide detailed insights into Assyrians' government, religion, trade networks, living conditions, travel, warfare, and libraries. 2015.

Byzantium: A Very Short Introduction

DB85619 5 hours 43 minutes

by Peter Sarris

read by J.P. Linton

Historian asserts that, even though Enlightenment thinkers dismissed the empire founded by Constantine as unworthy of serious study, its political, intellectual, and scientific achievements deserve recognition. Describes Byzantine military conquests, Christianity's central role in the culture, and the fall of Constantinople in 1453. 2015.

Books for Children

Listed books were recently sent to cooperating libraries. Books and magazines are also available for immediate download from the NLS Braille and Audio Reading Download (BARD) site at <https://nlsbard.loc.gov>. To order books or sign up for BARD, contact your local cooperating library. Regional library telephone numbers and email addresses are listed on the last pages of this magazine.

Books are listed alphabetically within the headings Children's Fiction and Children's Nonfiction by subject category, author last name, and title. For example, the title *Goodnight Moon* by Margaret Wise Brown would be listed in Children's Fiction under the Classics subject category and by the last name Brown.

Children's Fiction

Adventure

Hooray for Spring! My Little Pony

DB85380 0 hours 11 minutes

by Louise Alexander

read by Tracey Patrillo

Twilight Sparkle, Pinkie Pie, and the rest of the ponies celebrate the beginning of spring by planting flower seeds and waking up hibernating critters. Commercial audiobook. For preschool-grade 2. 2016.

Power Ponies to the Rescue! My Little Pony

DB85377 0 hours 8 minutes

by Magnolia Belle

read by Tracey Patrillo

A dragon named Spike and the ponies—Twilight Sparkle, Pinkie Pie, Fluttershy, Rainbow Dash, and Applejack—are pulled into a comic-book world where they must defeat an evil mare! Commercial audiobook. For preschool-grade 2. 2016.

Finding Dory

DB85188 2 hours 29 minutes

retold by Suzanne Francis

read by Colleen Delany

Blue tang fish Dory, who frequently forgets things, suddenly remembers her parents. Determined to find them, Dory, Nemo, and his dad set out on an epic

ocean adventure. Adaptation of the Disney and Pixar Animation Studios film version. For grades 2-4. 2016.

The Secret Life of Pets

DB85429 2 hours 29 minutes

retold by David Lewman

read by Mare Trevathan

Max the dog has a perfect life with his owner, until the day she brings home another dog, Duke. Misfortune gets them lost in the city, and Max's crazy animal friends embark on an adventure to bring them home. Adaptation of the Universal Studios and Illumination Entertainment film version. For grades 2-4. 2016.

Welcome to Rainbow Falls! My Little Pony

DB85464 0 hours 18 minutes

by Olivia London

read by Tracey Petrillo

Twilight Sparkle visits the city of Rainbow Falls to watch the Ponyville Flyers compete in the qualifiers for the Equestria Games. She sends her friend Spike postcards describing the marketplace, the arena, and the qualifier competition. Commercial audiobook. For preschool-grade 2. 2016.

The Ark Plan: Edge of Extinction

DB85233 8 hours 58 minutes

by Laura Martin

read by Emily Ellet

A century and a half after cloned dinosaurs forced humans to move into underground compounds to survive, Sky Mundy discovers a clue to the whereabouts of her long-missing father. She ventures above ground on a quest that has the potential to save the world. For grades 4-7. 2016.

The Scourge

DB85514 8 hours 46 minutes

by Jennifer A. Nielsen

read by Brittany Pressley

When a deadly plague known as the Scourge returns to Keldan, the victims are sent to Attic Island, and Ani is among them. But Ani does not feel sick, and with the help of her best friend, Weevil, she sets out to uncover the truth. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5-8. 2016.

Supergirl at Super Hero High

DB85322 5 hours 22 minutes

by Lisa Yee

read by Anais Fairweather

After losing her home planet, Krypton, a powerful Supergirl struggles to find her place in Super Hero High. Not wanting to be alone in the world, she focuses on making friends, and in the process learns how to battle the dangers in the universe. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Family

Where Are You Going, Baby Lincoln? Tales from Deckawoo Drive, Volume 3

DB85321 1 hour 0 minutes

by Kate DiCamillo

read by Lorna Raver

Tired of listening to her overbearing sister, Eugenia, Baby Lincoln impulsively follows her dreams and embarks on a special journey, surprising everyone—including herself. Commercial audiobook. For grades 2-4. 2016.

Wolfie the Bunny

DB85273 0 hours 6 minutes

by Ame Dyckman

read by Mary Elaine Monti

When her parents find a baby wolf on their doorstep and decide to raise him as their own, Dot is certain he will eat them all up. However, a surprising encounter with a bear brings them closer together. Commercial audiobook. For preschool-grade 2 and older readers. 2015.

The Best Man

DB85808 4 hours 27 minutes

by Richard Peck

read by Michael Crouch

Archer has four important role models in his life—his dad, his grandfather, his uncle, and his favorite teacher, Mr. McLeod. When Uncle Paul and Mr. McLeod start dating, Archer's sixth-grade year becomes one he'll never forget. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Fantasy

Return to the Isle of the Lost: A Descendants Novel

DB85220 6 hours 33 minutes

by Melissa de la Cruz

read by Abigail Maupin

Content to remain in the good kingdom of Auradon, the reformed children of Disney's villains try to ignore the threatening messages that they must return to their homes on *The Isle of the Lost* (DB82732). But they worry that Maleficent may have escaped. For grades 3-6 and older readers. 2016.

A Most Magical Girl

DB85315 8 hours 15 minutes

by Karen Foxlee

read by Jayne Entwistle

When Annabel's mother abruptly leaves her with two mysterious aunts, she is thrust into a magical side of Victorian London she never knew existed. Annabel discovers that she is the key to saving the city from an evil wizard bent on destroying all good magic. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Harry Potter and the Cursed Child: Parts 1 and 2

DB85528 6 hours 23 minutes

by Jack Thorne

read by Ryan Dalusung

Special rehearsal-edition script for a play that is based on an original story by J.K. Rowling, John Tiffany, and Jack Thorne. Nineteen years after the final battle at Hogwarts, Harry Potter's youngest son, Albus, struggles with his family's legacy. For grades 4-7 and older readers. 2016.

The Mad Apprentice

DB85260 7 hours 24 minutes

by Django Wexler

read by Cassandra Morris

Alice and five other apprentice Readers from *The Forbidden Library* (DB85267) face the fight of their lives when they are sent into the magical library of a late rival Reader. This library is, it turns out, still protected by a vicious guardian. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2015.

The Palace of Glass

DB85258 8 hours 17 minutes

by Django Wexler

read by Cassandra Morris

After learning the truth about her uncle, Alice searches for a book that will allow her to exact her revenge. But she unwittingly sets off a far larger battle than she ever imagined. Sequel to *The Mad Apprentice (DB85260)*. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Friendship

Beautiful Blue World

DB85546 5 hours 7 minutes

by Suzanne LaFleur

read by Christy Carlson Romano

Sofarende is at war, and the army is paying families well to recruit children. If twelve-year-old Mathilde or her best friend, Megs, is chosen, they hope to help their families, but they fear they will be separated forever. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5-8. 2016.

Cupcake Diaries, Books 9–12

DB85234 11 hours 31 minutes

by Coco Simon

read by various narrators

Another set of middle school adventures, written between 2012 and 2013, featuring four friends with a talent for baking sweet treats. Includes *Katie and the Cupcake War*; *Mia's Boiling Point*; *Emma, Smile and Say "Cupcake!"*; and *Alexis Gets Frosted*. For grades 4-7. 2013.

Growing Up

Nine, Ten: A September 11 Story

DB85227 3 hours 41 minutes

by Nora Raleigh Baskin

read by Gabriella Cavallero

Relates how the lives of four ethnically diverse children living in different parts of the country intersect and are affected by the events of September 11, 2001. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Historical Fiction

Talking Leaves

DB85365 4 hours 36 minutes

by Joseph Bruchac

read by Joseph Bruchac

After many years, thirteen-year-old Uwohali reconnects with his father, Sequoyah. But when Sequoyah's new obsession with strange markings causes concern with the tribe, Uwohali learns that his father is writing the Cherokee syllabary. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Holidays

Tricks and Treats: My Little Pony

DB85505 0 hours 12 minutes

by D. Jakobs

read by Tracey Petrillo

Twilight Sparkle and her friends dress up in silly costumes for Nightmare Night, but the appearance of Princess Luna terrifies everyone in Ponyville. Commercial audiobook. For preschool-grade 2. 2016.

Humor

The Ghastly McNastys, Books 1–3

DB85136 5 hours 44 minutes

by Lyn Gardner

read by David DeBoy

Books one through three, written between 2013 and 2014, featuring twin pirate brothers Gruesome and Grisly McNasty. In *The Lost Treasure of Little Snoring*, the pirates discover they aren't the only ones searching for treasure. Includes *Raiders of the Lost Shark* and *Fright in the Night*. For grades 3-6. 2014.

Jacky Ha-Ha

DB84688 4 hours 34 minutes

by James Patterson and Chris Grabenstein

read by Tara Sands

Twelve-year-old Jacky "Ha-Ha" Hart's class-clown antics help her cope with issues at home and keep everyone's attention off her stutter. But when she's required to act in the school play to appease her frustrated teachers, Jacky must conquer her fears. Commercial audiobook. For grades 4-7. 2016.

Are We There Yet?

DB84614 0 hours 4 minutes

by Dan Santat

read by Robert Petkoff

A boy goes on a long car ride to visit his grandmother and discovers time moves faster or slower depending on how bored he is. He uses his imagination to make the road trip truly fun. Commercial audiobook. For preschool-grade 2. 2016.

Mystery

Click Here to Start

DB85470 7 hours 52 minutes

by Denis Markell

read by Greg Watanabe

When twelve-year-old Ted inherits his great-uncle's collection of junk and all the treasure in his apartment, Ted realizes the apartment is set up like a real-life video game. He must solve the puzzles with his friends to discover the treasure.

Commercial audiobook. For grades 5-8. 2016.

Scary Stories

Eerie Elementary, Books 1–4

DB85187 3 hours 42 minutes

by Jack Chabert

read by David DeBoy

Books one through four, written between 2014 and 2016, featuring hall monitor Sam Graves and his friends and their battle against their malevolent school.

Includes *The School Is Alive!*, *The Locker Ate Lucy!*, *Recess Is a Jungle!*, and *The Science Fair Is Freaky!*. For grades K-3. 2016.

The Haunting of Falcon House

DB85403 5 hours 1 minute

by Eugene Yelchin

read by Erik Sandvold

1891. Twelve-year-old Lev Lvov travels to Saint Petersburg, Russia, to assume his duties as prince, but he must first use his special gift to rid the Falcon House of a ghost. For grades 3-6. 2016.

Science Fiction

Spaced Out: A Moon Base Alpha Novel

DB85276 7 hours 34 minutes

by Stuart Gibbs

read by Mike Stefanelli

Twelve-year-old Dashiell, a resident of Moon Base Alpha, searches for the base's missing commander. Meanwhile, the mean-spirited Sjoberg twins are causing problems, and an alien is hiding a secret. Sequel to *Space Case (DB82700)*. For grades 4-7 and older readers. 2016.

Children's Nonfiction

Biography

Whoosh! Lonnie Johnson's Super-Soaking Stream of Inventions

DB85191 0 hours 17 minutes

by Chris Barton

read by Ken Jackson

Chronicles the life and achievements of Lonnie Johnson, a NASA engineer and inventor. Highlights range from his inquisitive childhood to his accidental invention of the Super Soaker water gun. For grades K-3. 2016.

Solving the Puzzle under the Sea: Marie Tharp Maps the Ocean Floor

DB85250 0 hours 27 minutes

by Robert Burleigh

read by Margaret Strom

Short biography of scientist Marie Tharp (1920–2006), who was the first person to map the world's seafloors, beginning with the Atlantic Ocean. With the help of her friend and colleague, Bruce Heezen, Marie's mapping project would take twenty years to complete. For preschool-grade 2 and older readers. 2016.

Real Bios, Books 1–5

DB85034 4 hours 20 minutes

by Marie Morreale

read by Gary Telles

Five short biographies featuring a music group, an actor, an online celebrity, a soccer star, and a baseball player. Provides the inside scoop on their lives, fun facts, and more. Includes *5 Seconds of Summer*, *Ansel Elgort*, *Bethany Mota*, *Lionel Messi*, and *Mike Trout*. For grades 2-4. 2016.

This Kid Can Fly: It's about Ability (Not Disability)

DB85245 3 hours 9 minutes

by Aaron Philip

read by Bob Moore

Young artist and disability activist's memoir recounts his inspirational journey. Discusses living with cerebral palsy in New York City, his many challenges, and triumphs such as his popular Tumblr blog, Aaronverse, that has succeeded in raising awareness. For grades 4-7. 2016.

History

Angel Island: Gateway to Gold Mountain

DB85189 1 hour 15 minutes

by Russell Freedman

read by Colleen Delany

Recounts the history of the Angel Island Immigration Station. The San Francisco Bay island served as an entry point for half a million Asian immigrants to the United States in the early twentieth century. Highlights life in the detention barracks, interrogations, and the hardships the immigrants endured. For grades 5-8. 2013.

Science

Megafast, Books 1–4

DB85190 2 hours 27 minutes

by John Farndon

read by Alejandro Ruiz

Four books featuring streamlined, superfast vehicles. Highlights record-breaking speeds, racetrack facts, and more. Includes *Megafast Cars*, *Megafast Motorcycles*, *Megafast Planes*, and *Megafast Trucks*. For grades 3-6. 2016.

Foreign Language Books

Español

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Maze Runner: Virus Letal (The Kill Order)

DB83951 10 hours 18 minutes

por James Dashner

read by María Pino

En esta precuela de *Maze Runner: Correr o Morir (DB81993)*, Mark y Trina sobreviven las fulguraciones solares que asolan la Tierra. Pero extranjeros armados con un virus que induce la rabia y la locura atacan su asentamiento en los montes Apalaches. Traducido del inglés. Algunas descripciones de violencia. Para grados 6 a 9 y lectores mayores. (Prequel to *Maze Runner: Correr o Morir (DB81993)*. Mark and Trina live through the sun flares that devastate Earth. Then, strangers armed with a virus that induces rage and lunacy attack their Appalachian Mountains settlement. Translated from English. Some violence. For grades 6-9 and older readers.) 2013.

La Tienda Roja (The Red Tent)

DB83958 12 hours 33 minutes

por Anita Diamant

read by Irma Bello

Diná, la única hija de Lía y Jacob en el libro de Génesis, emerge de la saga bíblica para contar su historia y la de las mujeres a su alrededor. Publicado originalmente en 1997. Algunas descripciones de violencia y de índole sexual. (Dinah, the only daughter of Leah and Jacob in the book of Genesis, departs from the biblical saga to recount her story and that of the women around her. First published in English in 1997. Some violence and some descriptions of sex.) 2014.

Armas, Gérmenes, y Acero (Guns, Germs, and Steel)

DB82000 31 hours 53 minutes

por Jared Diamond

read by Aurelio Dominguez

Un profesor de geografía examina las formaciones dispares de las sociedades humanas por todo el mundo en términos de riqueza y poder. Diamond postula que los accidentes de la geografía y el medio ambiente, en lugar de las diferencias raciales, favorecieron algunas civilizaciones sobre otras en el desarrollo de la agricultura, las instituciones sociales y las tecnologías. (Professor of geography examines the disparate formations of human societies around the world in terms of wealth and power. Diamond argues that accidents of geography and environment, rather than racial differences, favored some civilizations over others for developing agriculture, social institutions, and technologies.) 2013.

Antagonía

DB82995 76 hours 56 minutes

por Luis Goytisolo

read by Martin Untrojb

Una novela expansiva por el premiado autor español se compone de cuatro libros: *Recuento* (1973), *Los verdes de mayo hasta el mar* (1976), *La cólera de Aquiles* (1979), *Teoría del Conocimiento* (1981). En *Recuento*, el catalán Raúl Ferrer Gaminde descubre su vocación de escritor. Violencia, lenguaje injurioso, y descripciones de índole sexual. (Expansive novel by award-winning Spanish author consists of four books: *Recuento* (1973), *Los Verdes de Mayo hasta el Mar* (1976), *La Cólera de Aquiles* (1979), *Teoría del Conocimiento* (1981). In *Recuento*, Catalanian Raúl Ferrer Gaminde discovers his vocation as a writer. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex.) 2012.

Nunca Te Olvidé (I Never Forgot You)

DB83957 7 hours 53 minutes

por Pilar Lepe

read by Irma Bello

Inglaterra, siglo diecinueve. Jane ha vivido casi toda su vida en Willoby Manor, pasando una existencia tranquila como la compañera de Eleanor, la hija del conde. Sin embargo, con el retorno de Scott, el hijo mayor del conde, todo cambia; recuerdos olvidados emergen con un torbellino de emociones para ella. (England, nineteenth century. Jane has lived almost all her life in Willoby Manor as the companion to the count's daughter, Eleanor. With the return of the count's eldest son, Scott, her world is turned upside down, and long-forgotten memories emerge in a whirlwind of emotions for her.) 2015.

La Ley de los Justos (The Law of the Righteous)

DB82967 47 hours 30 minutes

por Chufo Lloréns

read by María Pino

En Barcelona a finales del siglo diecinueve, un amor prohibido florece entre Juan Pedro Bonafont, hijo de una costurera, y Candela, la sobrina de Práxedes Ripoll, prominente propietario de una fábrica, poniendo al descubierto las tensiones dentro de la sociedad catalana que habitan. Violencia y lenguaje injurioso. (In late nineteenth-century Barcelona, a forbidden love blossoms between Juan Pedro Bonafont, son of a seamstress, and Candela, the niece of Práxedes Ripoll, a prominent factory owner, laying bare the tensions within the Catalan society they inhabit. Violence and strong language.) 2015.

No Te Enganches: #TodoPasa (Don't Get Hooked: #EverythingHappens)

DB82982 9 hours 37 minutes

por César Lozano

read by Peter Pereyra

Lozano, un anfitrión de programa de radio y orador motivacional mexicano proporciona consejos detallados para el mantenimiento de la positividad y para asegurar que no estamos atraídos hacia las actitudes y emociones negativas que nos rodean constantemente en la era digital. (Mexican radio-show host and motivational speaker Lozano provides detailed tips for maintaining positivity and not being drawn into the negative attitudes and emotions that constantly surround us in the digital age.) 2015.

Cinco Esquinas (Five Corners)

DB82981 9 hours 54 minutes

por Mario Vargas Llosa

read by Alejandro Ruiz

Lima, Peru. Rolando Garro, director de un periódico sensacionalista, intenta destruir la reputación de un prominente ingeniero de minas, poniendo en marcha una serie de acontecimientos que revelan la corrupción, la intriga, y la violencia en el Perú de Fujimori. Por el autor ganador del Premio Nobel. Violencia, lenguaje injurioso, y descripciones de índole sexual. (Lima, Peru. Rolando Garro, director of a tabloid newspaper, attempts to destroy a prominent mining engineer's reputation, setting in motion a sequence of events that reveals the corruption, intrigue, and violence in Fujimori's Peru. By the Nobel Prize-winning author. Violence, strong language, and descriptions of sex.) 2016.

Cuentos de Mujeres Solas (Stories of Solitary Women)

DB81990 6 hours 49 minutes

por Varios Autores

read by María Pino

Una colección de cuentos clásicos de la literatura universal que explora el tema de la soledad de las mujeres. Incluye selecciones de Katherine Mansfield, Flannery O'Connor, John Cheever, Nuria Barrios, y Carlos Fuentes. Con un prólogo de Marcela Serrano. (A collection of classic short stories from world literature that explores the theme of the solitude of women. Includes selections from Katherine Mansfield, Flannery O'Connor, John Cheever, Nuria Barrios, and Carlos Fuentes. With a prologue by Marcela Serrano.) 2002.

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