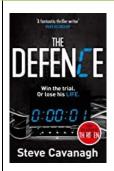




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# **NEW ARRIVALS**



## The Defence by Steve Cavanagh

Eddie Flynn used to be a con artist. Then he became a lawyer. Turned different. the two weren't that It's been over a year since Eddie vowed never to set foot in a courtroom again. But now he doesn't have a choice. Olek Volchek, the infamous head of the Russian mafia in New York, has strapped a bomb to Eddie's back and kidnapped his ten-year-old daughter, Amy. Eddie only has forty-eight hours to defend Volchek in an impossible murder trial and win if he wants to save his daughter. Under the scrutiny of the media and the FBI, Eddie must use his razor-sharp wit and every con-artist trick in the book to defend his 'client' and ensure Amy's safety. With the timer on his back ticking away, can Eddie convince the jury of the impossible?



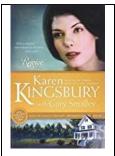
#### A Place To Call Home by Val Wood

Ellen thought she'd always live in the remote, pretty coastal village where she grew up. After all, her husband, Harry, works on a farm where he's guaranteed a job and home for life.

But when the old landowner dies and the couple and their young children are forced from their cottage, the future is suddenly bleak. Rather than stay and starve in the countryside they love, Harry sets out to find a job in the factories and mills of nearby Hull, and Ellen must leave behind everything she's ever known to follow her husband and build a new life for her family on the unfamiliar city streets.

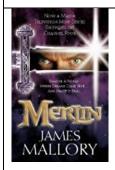
The road ahead is full of hardships and challenges. But with love and determination, they make the best of things, forging friendships with other newcomers and refugees; even helping them to succeed in their new surroundings.

Then tragedy threatens Ellen's fragile happiness. How much more can she sacrifice before they find a place to call home?



#### Rejoice by Karen Kinsbury

A story of unspeakable loss and the overwhelming miracle of new life from Karen Kingsbury, life-changing fiction, co-authored with Gary Smalley. Rejoice is the fourth book in the original Baxter Family Series, which has gone on to captivate tens of millions of readers and is currently being made into an original television series produced by Roma Downey and Will Packer. A Terrible Tragedy Brooke and Peter are struggling in their marriage when they are faced with the single worst moment ever. What was supposed to be a pool party for their two daughters and a handful of children ends in disaster. As three-year-old Hayley fights for her life, the Baxter family draws together, not even sure how to pray. A Shattered Life Peter is devastated by Hayley's accident. Unable to see past his own guilt, he distances himself from Brooke and their girls and finds other ways to ease his pain. Illegal ways. Peter's choices send him spiralling into a cavernous abyss that threatens to destroy not only his relationship with Brooke but also his life. A Reason to Rejoice. Against the backdrop of great pain and loss, a Baxter wedding takes place in New York City, a wedding that gives all of them a reason to smile again. Now, what will it take for Brooke and Peter and the rest of the Baxters to move past the pain to a place of healing and redemption?



# Merlin The Old Magic by James Mallory

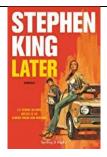
MERLIN is the Arthurian legend with a difference – this time, the famous myth is told from Merlin's point of view. It is above all a love story, following the wizard's quest for the enchantress Nimue. He must use sorcery to battle the evil Queen Mab, cunning Morgan Le Fey, and tyrannical Lord Vortigern, seeking ways to end the bloodshed which has plagued England since the Christians first clashed with the followers of the old ways. The traditional elements of the legend – the incestuous conception of Mordred, the founding of the Round Table, Queen Guinivere's infidelity with Lancelot, the quest for the Holy Grail – all contribute to the emerging struggle between Merlin and the dark forces which threaten all of England. Ultimately, Merlin must choose between his love for Nimue and his sworn loyalty to Arthur and Camelot.



## Silverthorn by Raymond E Feist

For nearly a year peace reigned in the enchanted kingdom of Rillanon. But new challenges awaited Arutha, the Prince of Krondor, when Jimmy the Hand – the youngest thief in the Guild of Mockers – came upon a sinister Nighthawk poised to assassinate him.

What evil power raises the dead and makes corpses do battle with the living at the behest of the Guild of Death? And what high magic can defeat it? Meanwhile, a life-or-death quest must be undertaken to find an antidote to a poison that fells a beautiful princess on her wedding day.



#### Later by Stephen King

The son of a struggling single mother, Jamie Conklin just wants an ordinary childhood. But Jamie is no ordinary child. Born with an unnatural ability his mom urges him to keep secret, Jamie can see what no one else can see and learn what no one else can learn. But the cost of using this ability is higher than Jamie can imagine as he discovers when an NYPD detective draws him into the pursuit of a killer who has threatened to strike from beyond the grave.



## Flesh and Steel by Guy Haley

Born into riches, Probator Symeon Noctis attempts to atone for his past sins by championing the powerless of Nearsteel district. But the sprawling city of Varangantua is uncaring of its masses, and when a bisected corpse is discovered in the neutral Zone between Nearsteel and the Adeptus Mechanicus enclave of Steelmound, Noctis finds himself cast into his most dangerous case yet.

#### The Lost Causes of Bleak Creek by Rhett McLaughlin

It's 1992 in Bleak Creek, North Carolina a sleepy little place with all the trappings of an ordinary Southern town: two Baptist churches, friendly smiles coupled with silent judgments, and an unquenchable appetite for pork products. Beneath the town's cheerful façade, however, Bleak Creek teens live in constant fear of being sent to the Whitewood School, a local reformatory with a history of putting unruly youths back on the straight and narrow a record so impeccable that almost everyone is willing to ignore the suspicious deaths that have occurred there over the past decade. At first, high school freshmen Rex McClendon and Leif Nelson believe what they've been told: that the students' strange demises were all just tragic accidents, the unfortunate consequence of succumbing to vices like Marlboro Lights and Nirvana. But when the shoot for their low-budget horror masterpiece, Polter Dog, goes horribly awry and their best friend, Alicia Boykins, is sent to Whitewood as punishment Rex and Leif are forced to question everything they know about their unassuming hometown and its cherished school for delinquents.

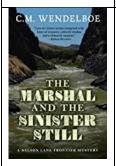
Eager to rescue their friend, Rex and Leif pair up with recent NYU film school graduate Janine Blitstein to begin piecing together the unsettling truth of the school and its mysterious founder, Wayne Whitewood. What they find will leave them battling an evil beyond their wildest imaginations one that will shake Bleak Creek to its core.



#### The 100 Rebellion by Kass Morgan

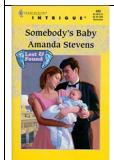
The hundred, once branded juvenile delinquents, are now leaders among their people. But a new threat has emerged: a fanatical cult determined to eliminate everyone else on the war-ravaged planet of Earth.

After scores of their friends are captured, Clarke sets off to retrieve them, certain that she can come to an understanding with these strangers. Bellamy has a different plan; he won't let anything - or anyone - get in the way of saving the people he loves. Meanwhile, in captivity and scared for their lives, Glass falls under the spell of the cult's magnetic message, and Wells has to learn how to lead again. Unless the rescue party arrives soon, the captives will face a fate more terrifying than anything they could imagine. If the hundred ever want to call this dangerous planet home, they'll need to put aside their differences and fight to protect themselves and their world.



## The Marshal and the Sinister Still by C M Wendelboe

Nelson Lane finds himself once again assisting local law enforcement in Wyoming. This time it's a tribal policeman enlisting the US marshal's help to find a girl who has gone missing from the Wind River reservation. First his search leads him to a local moonshiner found murdered at his ranch. Soon Nelson suspects the killer must be one of the washed up Chicago gangsters making their own moonshine in Wyoming. At every turn, Nelson is thwarted by thugs out to kill him including a crooked sheriff in the gangsters pocket. When he finally uncovers the truth it may be too late to save the missing girl from certain death if Nelson can even save himself.



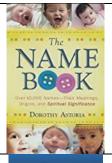
## Somebody's Baby by Amanda Stevens

Wealthy, sensual Grant Chambers was everything Nina Fairchild had learned to avoid. But when bizarre events led her to Grant's powerful family, she had no choice but to ask for his help. For Grant's new nephew was the spitting image of Nina's missing son.



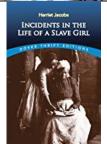
#### Princess Stepping Out of The Shadows by Jean Sasson

In the international bestseller, Princess: The True Story of Life Behind the Veil in Saudi Arabia, Princess Al-Sa'ud and the acclaimed author Jean Sasson began a remarkable series of books. Now, more than twenty-five years later, this compelling journey continues as we follow the fortunes and the dazzling life of the Princess. her friends her and family. But, of course, there is a less glamorous, much darker side to this engaging series, and in Stepping Out of the Shadows Jean and the Princess focus their attention on how, despite positive news on civil rights reforms, Saudi women still suffer physical and psychological abuse and have little legal protection due to the archaic guardianship laws of the land. So, although this is a kingdom on the threshold of revolutionary change - change spearheaded by the young Saudi Crown Prince who is keen to modernize his country any thoughts of equal rights and the chance to lead an independent life remain little more than dreams for most Saudi women. Whilst the Princess acknowledges and welcomes the reforms that are on the horizon, through stories of joy and sorrow, we see how she is determined to continue to fight for equal rights for women in this, her beloved kingdom.



#### The Name Book by Dorothy Astoria

A comprehensive book of 12,000 names, including their meanings, origins, and spiritual significance, with a supporting Scripture for each.



#### Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl by Harriet Jacobs

The true story of an individual's struggle for self-identity, selfpreservation, and freedom, Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl remains among the few extant slave narratives written by a woman. This autobiographical account chronicles the remarkable odyssey of Harriet Jacobs (1813-1897) whose dauntless spirit and faith carried her from a life of servitude and degradation in North Carolina liberty and reunion with her children in the North. Written and published in 1861 after Jacobs' harrowing escape from a vile and predatory master, the memoir delivers a powerful and unflinching portrayal of the abuses and hypocrisy of the master slave relationship. Jacobs writes frankly of the horrors she suffered as a slave, her eventual escape after several unsuccessful attempts, and her seven years in self-imposed exile, hiding in a "garret" coffin-like attached to her grandmother's A rare firsthand account of a courageous woman's determination and endurance, this inspirational story also represents a valuable historical record of the continuing battle for freedom and the preservation of family.



# The Girl's Guide to Growing Your Own by Alex Mitchell

Gardening girls this is the essential guide created just for you, with advice on growing your own vegetables, fruits, and herbs, and maintaining an attractive outdoor space, too! Aimed at beginners, it has plenty of practical and seasonal information for planning your edible Eden, delicious recipes, ideas for outdoor entertaining and fun weekend projects for making your garden look great. This completely new type of gardening book will appeal to 20 and 30 something working women everywhere who have busy lives, but still want to grow their own produce without spending all weekend digging.



## The Perfect Wedding by Maria McBride Mellinger

Congratulations on your engagement. And welcome to the world of a thousand questions.

- Can I wear a very formal gown at my daytime wedding?
- · Do the bridesmaids' dresses have to be the same?
- When should I send out the wedding invitations?
- What services are included in a hotel wedding?
- How do I know how much Champagne to order?

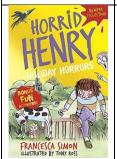
The answers to all these questions, as well as to the countless choices and details ahead, are yours for the asking in The Perfect Wedding.



#### Yolk by Mary H K Choi

Jayne and June Baek are nothing alike. June's three years older, a classic first-born, know-it-all narc with a problematic finance job and an equally soulless apartment (according to Jayne). Jayne is an emotionally stunted, self-obsessed basket case who lives in squalor, has egregious taste in men, and needs to get to class and stop wasting Mom and Dad's money (if you ask June). Once thick as thieves, these sisters who moved from Seoul to San Antonio to New York together now don't want anything to do with each other. That is, until June gets cancer. And Jayne becomes the only one who can help her.

Flung together by circumstance, housing woes, and family secrets, will the sisters learn more about each other than they're willing to confront? And what if while helping June, Jayne has to confront the fact that maybe she's sick, too?



#### Horrid Henry Holiday Horrors by Francesca Simon

Number One for Fiendish Fun! Get up to mischief with Horrid Henry in this brilliant bind up of his best holiday themed stories! Keep busy in the school holidays with Horrid Henry! This book contains six of Henry's most horrible holiday stories, plus lots of fun jokes and activity pages to keep Horrid Henry fans of all ages entertained for hours.

An irresistible introduction to reading for pleasure - the perfect gift for Horrid Henry fans everywhere.



#### IL Divo Live (DVD)

Music DVD – Live at the Greek Theatre.



#### The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants 2 (DVD)

Join the four best friends as they finish their first year of college and dive into a summer of excitement. Bridget journeys to Turkey on an archaeological dig. Lena discovers new love and old heartbreak at the Rhode Island School of Design. And in the Big Apple, takes a big step in her relationship with Brian. The sequel continues to showcase romance, laughs, tears and that magical pair of jeans that keeps the girls together even when they're far apart.



# Blood on the Sun (DVD)

Newspaper editor Nick Condon is based in Tokyo, and puts his life and those of others at risk when he runs a story revealing Japan's plans to conquer China. When the reporter who wrote the story and his wife are both murdered, Condon teams up with a beautiful secret agent to expose corruption in the Japanese government.



#### **Dangerous Liaisons (DVD)**

It is pre-Revolution France. The Marquise de Merteuil and the Vicomte de Valmot are decadent members of the Paris aristocracy. The Marquise challenges the Vicomte to conquer young Cecile, the wife-to-be of an old friend. However, the perverse Vicomte prefers to work upon the seduction of Madame de Tourvel, a married and moral young acquaintance. The sexual and social repercussions of the seduction has disastrous effects.



## 20th Anniversary Collection (DVD)

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