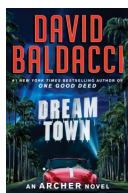


Forthcoming

# Spring 2022 Bestsellers



## APRIL



### Dream Town

By David Baldacci

Private investigator Aloysius Archer heads to Los Angeles and is ensnared in a case. After a series of events, mysterious phone calls, the blue car loitering outside her house, and a bloody knife left in her sink, Eleanor Lamb fears that her life is in danger. She wants to hire Archer to look into the matter. (4/19)



### The Candy House

by Jennifer Egan

Bix Bouton's new technology, "Own Your Unconscious"—that allows you access to every memory you've ever had, and to share every memory in exchange for access to the memories of others—has seduced multitudes. But not everyone. (4/5)



### Sister Stardust

by Jane Green

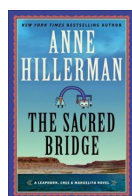
In the late 1960s, Claire escapes her small-town life and its burdens—a nasty stepmother, an unrequited love—for swinging London, then heads to Marrakesh. At a hideaway where music, drugs, and communal living reign, she meets Talitha Getty, socialite wife of the famous oil heir, and a special friendship is born. (4/5)



### The Younger Wife

by Sally Hepworth

Tully and Rachel have every reason to resent the younger wife who's coming on the scene; their father is still married to their mother, now in a care facility for dementia, but plans to divorce her—which leads to the spilling of numerous toxic secrets. (4/5)



### The Sacred Bridge

by Anne Hillerman

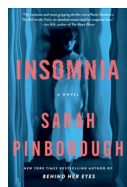
Sgt. Jim Chee investigates the death of a Navajo artist while Officer Bernadette Manuelito searches for the killer of a hitchhiker connected to a Navajo Nation cannabis enterprise. (4/12)



### Three Debts Paid

by Anne Perry

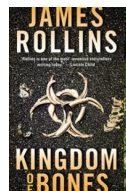
A serial killer called the Rainy Day Slasher is terrorizing Edwardian London, and the policeman leading the investigation is Daniel Pitt's old university buddy Ian. Assisting in the investigation Miriam fford Croft uses her scientific know-how to find details he and Daniel have missed. (4/12)



### Insomnia

by Sarah Pinborough

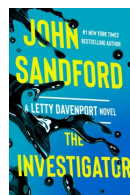
Leeds solicitor Emma Averell sees her enviable existence start to implode days before she turns 40. She worries that her crippling insomnia is a sign that she's slowly going insane, like the mother she's leaving so hard to leave in her past. (4/12)



### Kingdom of Bones

by James Rollins

When an insidious phenomenon spreads from a cursed site in the African jungle, the Sigma Force must head off a global catastrophe and uncover a shattering secret at the heart of the African continent. (4/19)



### The Investigator

by John Sandford

At 24, Letty Davenport is already bored with government bureaucracy. She resigns from her job in Senator Chris Colles's office, but as Chair of Homeland Security and Government Affairs, he offers her a job as a researcher. Someone is stealing oil in Texas; Chris wants to know who it is and what they're doing with the profits. (4/12)

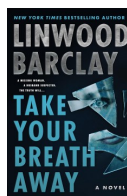


### Beautiful

by Danielle Steel

When supermodel Veronique Vincent's mother and boyfriend are killed in a terrorist attack at Belgium's Zaventem Airport and leaves Veronique permanently maimed, she withdraws from the fashion world. A special letter included with her mother's will helps her move forward to a meaningful life. (4/19)

## MAY



### Take Your Breath Away

by Linwood Barclay

Andrew Mason is suspected of murdering wife Brie after she disappears. Six years later, he has moved on, sold their house and has a new love. The old house is razed and a new one built. One day, a woman shows up at his old address, screaming, "Where's my house?" Is it Brie? (5/17)



### The Lioness

by Chris Bohjalian

A luxurious African safari turns deadly for Hollywood starlet, Katie Barstow, and her entourage. The safari turns into a kidnapping gone wrong, their guides bleeding out in the dirt, and a team of Russian mercenaries herding their hostages into Land Rovers, guns to their heads. (5/10)



### Every Cloak Rolled in Blood

by James Lee Burke

Aaron Holland Broussard is shattered when his daughter dies. As he tries to honor her memory by saving two men from a life of crime, he is drawn into a network that includes a former Klansman, a far-from-holy minister, and a murderer who has been hiding in plain sight. (5/24)



### Sparring Partners

by John Grisham

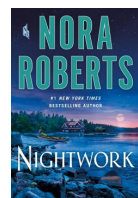
In Grisham's first collection of novellas, law is a common thread, but America's favorite storyteller has several surprises in store. (5/31)



### Overboard

by Sara Paretsky

A seriously injured teenage girl discovered by V.I. Warshawski on Lake Michigan's rocky shore subsequently vanishes from the hospital, and the iconic detective must chase down a monstrous conspiracy with pandemic-ridden Chicago as backdrop. (5/10)



### Nightwork

by Nora Roberts

A thief since childhood, when he scrambled to support a mother dying of cancer, Harry Booth feels he can't follow up his feelings for Miranda Emerson—although there's hope if he untangles himself from the Nightwork he's been trapped into doing for bad-guy Carter LaPorte. (5/24)



### Summer Love

by Nancy Thayer

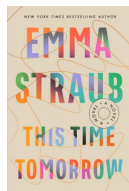
Old secrets will out when four friends hold a 30-year reunion on Nantucket, even as their adult children pursue surprising interests. (5/3)



### The Book Woman's Daughter

by Kim Michele Richardson

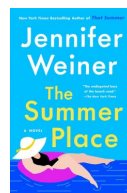
As the daughter of the famed blue-skinned, packhorse librarian, Honey and her family have been hiding from the law all her life. When her parents are imprisoned, Honey realizes she must fight to stay free, or be sent away for good. Picking up her mother's old library route, Honey begins to deliver books to the remote hollers of Appalachia. (5/3)



### This Time Tomorrow

by Emma Straub

What if you could take a vacation to your past? Alice is reasonably contented but wishes she were closer to her father, and she gets the chance at a remake when she wakes up one morning in 1996 as a 16-year-old. (5/17)



### The Summer Place

by Jennifer Weiner

Sarah Danhauser is shocked when her stepdaughter Ruby announces that she is getting married to her pandemic boyfriend. She has asked Sarah's mother, Veronica, to have the wedding at the family beach house in Cape Cod. As the family starts to gather it is apparent that all of them are dealing with their own battles. (5/10)

## JUNE



### Local Gone Missing

by Fiona Barton

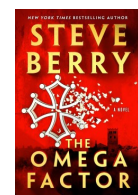
Elise King is a successful detective—or she was before a medical leave left her unsure if she'd return to work. She now spends days watching the growing tensions in her town of Ebbing between the weekends and the locals. The conflicts boil over when a newcomer wants to put the town on the map with a giant music festival. (6/14)



### Tom Clancy Zero Hour

by Don Bentley

When the leader of North Korea is catastrophically injured, his incapacitation triggers a "dead-man's switch," activating an army of sleeper agents in South Korea and precipitating a struggle for succession. Jack Ryan, Jr. is the one man who can prevent a second Korean War. (6/7)



### The Omega Factor

by Steve Berry

The Ghent Altarpiece is the most violated work of art in the world. Thirteen times it has been vandalized, dismantled, or stolen. Why? What secrets does it hold? (6/7)



### The Hotel Nantucket

by Elin Hilderbrand

After a fire in 1922 that killed 19-year-old Grace Hadley, The Hotel Nantucket descended into an abandoned eyesore until it's purchased and renovated by London billionaire, Xavier Darling. With Grace gleefully haunting the halls and a staff harboring all kinds of secrets, is the Hotel Nantucket destined for success or doom? (6/14)



### The Girl Who Survived

by Lisa Jackson

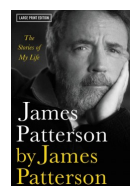
Orphaned at age seven after a killing spree at her family's Oregon cabin, Kara McIntyre is still searching for normal. Twenty years later, her brother, Jonas, who was convicted of the murders, is released from prison. And Kara is receiving cryptic messages from her sister, Marlie who hasn't been seen since she hid little Kara in a closet with a life-saving command: Don't make a sound. (6/28)



### A Face to Die For

by Iris Johansen

When tomb raiders kill archaeologist Riley Smith's father after he discovers the burial site of Helen of Troy, Riley seeks revenge while asking forensic sculptor Eve Duncan to recreate the face that launched a thousand ships. (6/14)



### James Patterson: The Stories of My Life

by James Patterson

How did a kid whose dad lived in the poorhouse become the most successful storyteller in the world? How did a boy from small-town New York become the world's most successful writer? How does he do it? Non-fiction (6/6)



### The House Across the Lake

by Riley Sager

Casey Fletcher has retreated to her family's lake house in Vermont. With a pair of binoculars and bottles of bourbon, she passes the time watching Tom and Katherine Royce, the couple living across the lake. When Katherine vanishes, Casey is obsessed in finding out what happened. In the process, she uncovers eerie, dark truths. (6/21)

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