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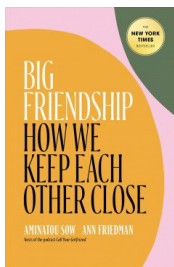
reading challenge



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"Read Woke is a movement. It is a feeling. It is a style. It is a form of education. It is a call to action; it is our right as lifelong learners. It means arming yourself with knowledge in order to better protect your rights. Knowledge is power and no one can take it away. It means learning about others so that you can treat people with the respect and dignity that they deserve no matter their religion, race, creed, or color."

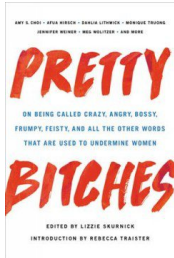
Cicely Lewis, creator of the Read Woke reading challenge



Big friendship : how we keep each other close

by Aminatou Sow

The feminist hosts of the Call Your Girlfriend podcast argue that close friendship is the most influential and important relationship a human life can have, sharing strategies for creating fulfilling, relationships with friends.

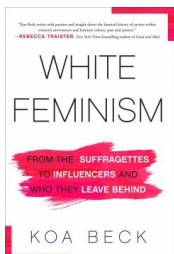


Pretty bitches : on being called crazy, angry, bossy, frumpy, feisty, and all the other words that are used to undermine women

by Lizzie Skurnick

Empowering essays by such leading women writers as Meg Wolitzer, Rebecca

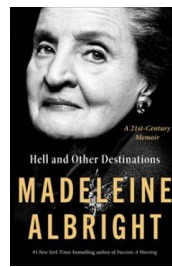
Traister and Jennifer Weiner explore the subtle digs and implications of words that are used to promote negative stereotypes and limit women's voices.



White feminism : from the suffragettes to influencers and who they leave behind

by Koa Beck

The former editor-in-chief of Jezebel and executive editor at Vogue meticulously documents how society has commodified feminism into elite practices that particularly exclude women of color,

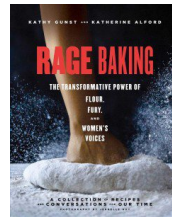


Hell and other destinations : a 21st-century memoir

by Madeleine Korbel Albright

Revealing, funny and inspiring, the six-time New York Times bestselling author and former Secretary of State—one of the world's most admired and tireless public servants—reflects on the final stages of her career and how she has

blazed her own trail in her later years.

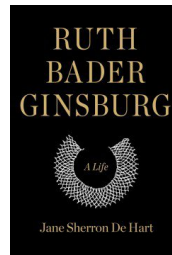


Rage baking : the transformative power of flour, fury, and women's voices (a cookbook with more than 50 recipes)

by Kathy Gunst

Combining food and the activism

unleashed by the 2016 election, a collection of over 50 cookie, cake, tart and pie recipes also features essays, reflections and interviews with both well-known bakers and women activists. Illustrations.



Ruth Bader Ginsburg : a life

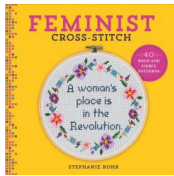
by Jane Sherron De Hart

An extensively researched portrait of the 107th Supreme Court justice—written in cooperation with Ginsburg, associates, friends and family members—explores her passionate advocacy of gender equality, role in key historical changes and transformative legal influence



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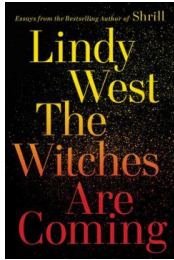


Feminist cross-stitch : 40 bold & fierce patterns

by Stephanie Rohr

Make a statement and smash the patriarchy, one stitch at a time with these 40 feminist-themed cross-stitching

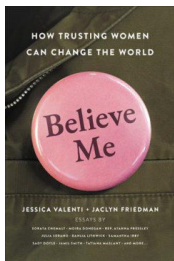
patterns!



The witches are coming

by Lindy West

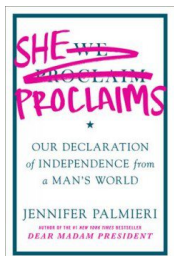
The best-selling author of *Shrill* presents a laugh-out-loud, incisive cultural critique of the #MeToo movement and how the deceptions at the heart of the white male mythos have led to today's open practices of misogyny and prejudice.



Believe me : how trusting women can change the world

by Jessica Valenti

In an anthology that draws readers into the landscape of the movement against sexual violence, the contributors ask and answer the crucial question: What would happen if we didn't just believe women, but acted as though they matter?

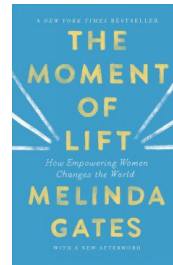


She proclaims : our declaration of independence from a man's world

by Jennifer Palmieri

An empowering guide to feminism by the best-selling author of *Dear Madam* President outlines a blueprint for activism while sharing lessons from her personal choice to live on her own terms instead of

embracing toxic patriarchal norms.



The moment of lift : how empowering women changes the world

by Melinda Gates

A timely call to action for women's empowerment identifies the link between women's equality and societal health, sharing insights by international advocates in the fight against gender bias

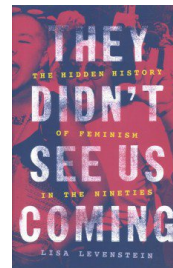


Girl, stop apologizing : a shame-free plan for embracing and achieving your goals

by Rachel Hollis

The best-selling author of *Girl, Wash Your Face* and founder of *TheChicSite.com* urges women to stop feeling self-conscious about their ambitions and to start pursuing their

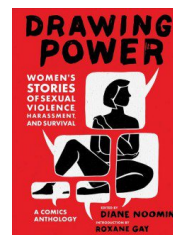
dreams with confidence, outlining specific behaviors that promote moving forward



They didn't see us coming : the hidden history of feminism in the nineties

by Lisa Levenstein

A women's studies scholar examines the arc of the feminist movement in the 1990s, including the growing influence of lesbians and women of color and how it laid the foundation for today's #MeToo.



Drawing power : women's stories of sexual violence, harassment, and survival : a comics anthology

by Diane Noomin

Inspired by the global #MeToo Movement, *Drawing Power: Women's Stories of Sexual Violence, Harassment,*

and Survival is a collection of original, nonfiction comics drawn by more than 60 female cartoonists from around the world. Featuring such noted creators as Emil Ferris, Aline Kominsky-Crumb, MariNaomi, Liana Finck, and Ebony Flowers the anthology's contributors comprise a diverse group of many ages, sexual orientations, and races.