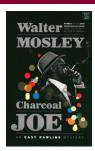
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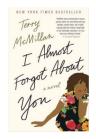


Charcoal Joe

by Walter Mosley

Easy Rawlins' plans to marry his girlfriend and start a new detective agency are interrupted by the case of a promising Stanford student who has been charged with the race-related murder of a white man.

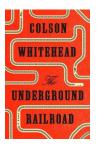
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I Almost Forgot About You

by Terry McMillan

When Dr. Georgia Young decides to make some major changes in her life, including quitting her job as an optometrist and moving to a new house, she finds herself on a wild journey that may or may not include a second chance at love. Fiction McMillan



The Underground Railroad: A Novel

by Colson Whitehead

The award-winning author chronicles the story of a cotton plantation slave in Georgia, who, after suffering at the hands of her owners and fellow slaves, races through the Underground Railroad with a relentless slave-catcher close behind. Fiction Whitehead



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by Yaa Gyasi

Two half-sisters, unknown to each other, are born into different villages in 18thcentury Ghana and experience profoundly different lives and legacies throughout subsequent generations marked by wealth, slavery, war, coal mining, the Great Migration, and the

realities of 20th-century Harlem. Fiction Gyasi



Everything, Everything

by Nicola Yoon

A girl confined to her house by rare and profound allergies falls hopelessly in love with her new neighbor, in a story told through vignettes, diary entries, texts, charts, lists, and illustrations.

YA Fiction Yoon



Untwine: A Novel

by Edwidge Danticat

Waking up in the hospital seriously injured, Giselle reflects on her past choices to evaluate how her friends, her family and especially her identical twin have defined her existence. By the National Book Award-nominated author of Krik? Krak!.

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