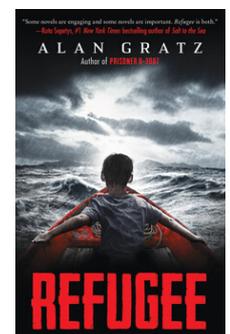
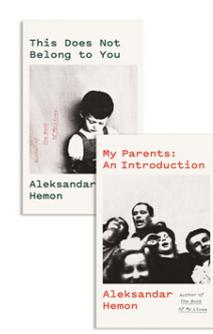
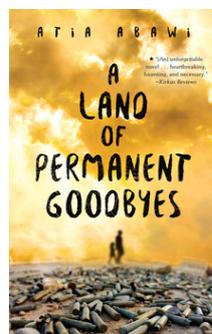
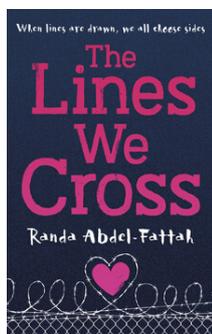
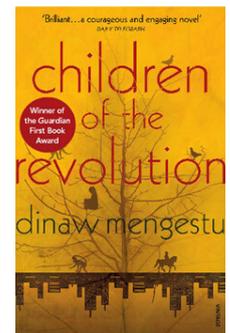
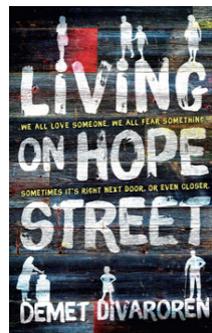
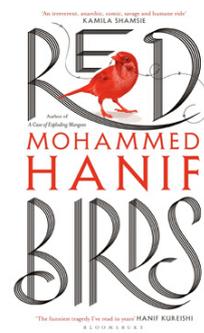
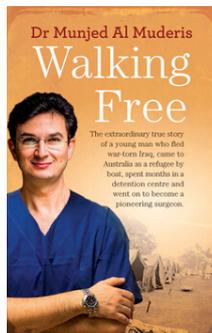
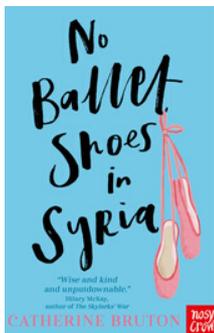


# Refugee Week





Refugee Week, running 15 - 21 June 2020, is a nationwide programme of arts, cultural and educational events that celebrate the contribution of refugees and migrants and encourages a better understanding between communities.

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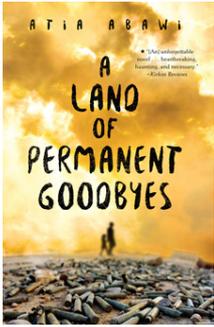
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**Atia Abawi**  
**A Land of Permanent Goodbyes**

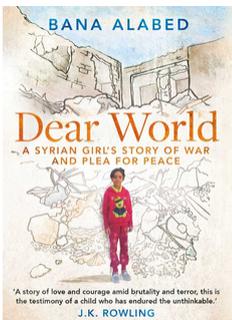
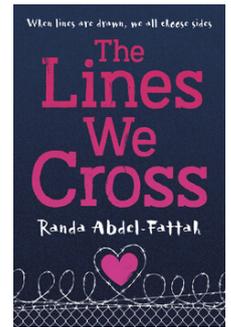
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A heart-breaking story of refugees escaping from war-torn Syria.

**Randa Abdel-Fattah**  
**The Lines We Cross**

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Michael is drawn to his new classmate Mina, but they're on opposite sides of an issue that's tearing their town apart.



**Bana Alabed**  
**Dear World**

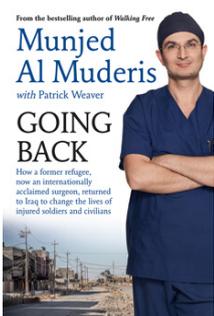
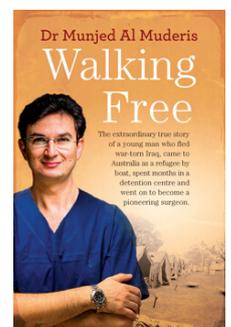
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Bana's happy childhood was abruptly upended by civil war when she was only three years old.

**Munjed Al Muderis**  
**Walking Free**

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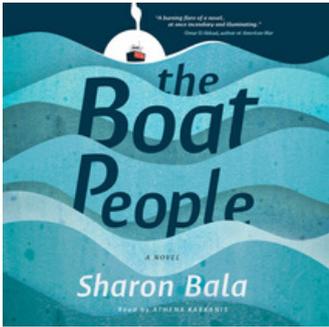
One man's phenomenal tale of escaping a death sentence in Iraq, surviving the Australian Refugee system and becoming a pioneering surgeon at the forefront of Orthopaedic medicine.



**Munjed Al Muderis & Patrick Weaver**  
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Munjed shares the extraordinary journey that his life-changing new surgical technique has taken him on.



**Sharon Bala**  
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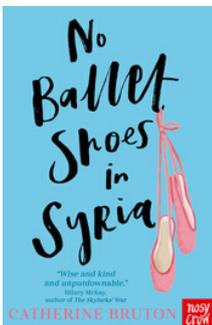
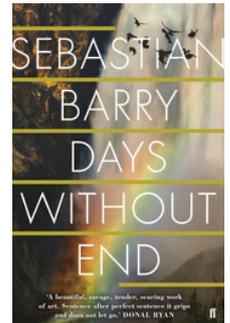
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A group of refugees who survive a perilous ocean voyage to reach Canada – only to face the threat of deportation and accusations of terrorism in their new land.

**Sebastian Barry**  
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A powerful novel of duty and family set against the American Indian and Civil Wars.



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**No Ballet Shoes in Syria**

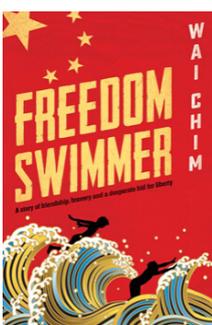
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Aya is eleven years old and has just arrived in Britain with her mum and baby brother, seeking asylum from war in Syria.

**Michael Chabon**  
**The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay**

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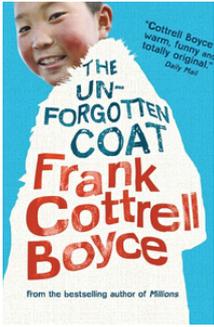
A heart-wrenching story of escape, love and comic-book heroes set in Prague, New York and the Arctic.



**Wai Chim**  
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This incredible tale about two boys' swim from mainland China to Hong Kong in search of freedom from poverty and oppression is inspired by a true story.



## Frank Cottrell-Boyce The Unforgotten Coat

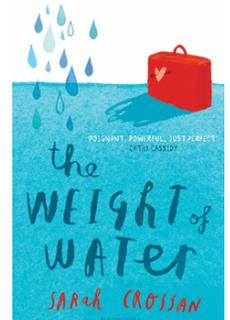
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A stunning magical story of a summer of friendship with darker undertones of the plight of refugees.

## Sarah Crossan The Weight of Water

First love, friendship and quiet courage combine in this spare and beautiful story.

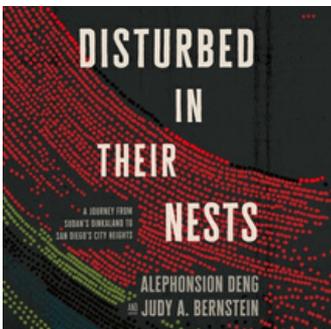
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## Alephonsion Deng Disturbed in Their Nests

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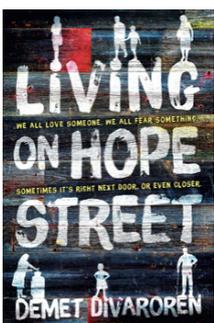
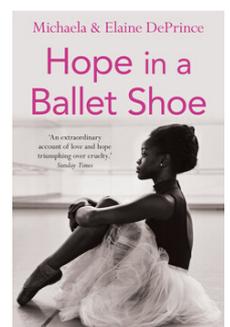
Nineteen-year-old refugee Alephonsion Deng, from war-ravaged Sudan, had great expectations when he arrived in America three weeks before two planes crashed into the World Trade Towers.



## Michaela & Elaine DePrince Hope in a Ballet Shoe

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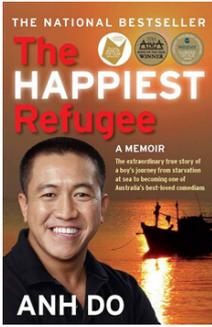
An inspiring autobiography by a teenager who shows us that, beyond everything, there is always hope for a better future.



## Demet Divaroren Living on Hope Street

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A young adult novel that shines a light on contemporary society.



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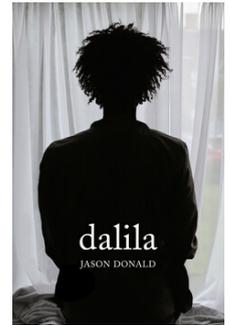
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The laugh-out-loud, reach for your hanky story of one of Australia's best-loved comedians.

## Jason Donald Dalila

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A remarkably moving fictional story of one woman's heart-breaking journey through the UK asylum system and very real detention centres such as Yarl's Wood.



## Fiona Alison Duncan Exquisite Mariposa

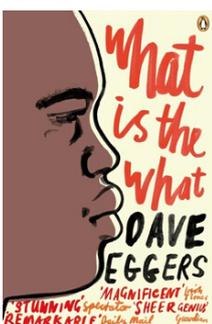
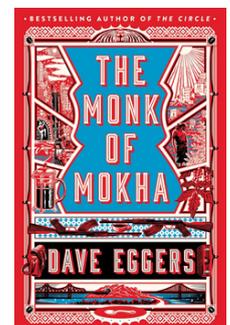
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Follows a cast of housemates as they navigate questions of art making and economies, breakups and breakdowns, and the internet and its many obsessions.

## Dave Eggers The Monk of Mokha

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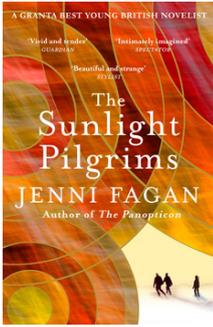
A heart-pounding adventure story, a tale of underdog entrepreneurship and true passion, and a fascinating modern take on the great American dream.



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Conflict separates Valentino Achak Deng from his family and forces him to leave his small Sudanese village, joining thousands of other orphans on their long, long walk to Ethiopia, where they find safety - for a time.



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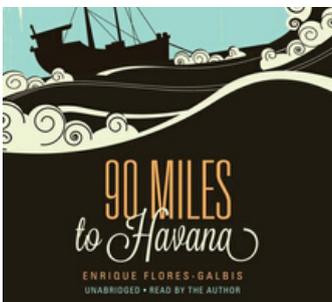
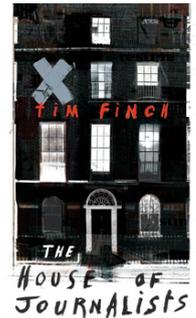
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The story of a small Scottish community living through what people have begun to think is the end of times.

## Tim Finch The House of Journalists

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## Enrique Flores-Galbis 90 Miles to Havana

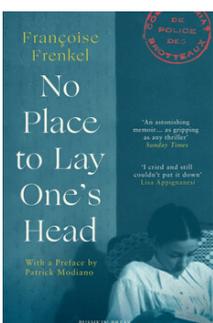
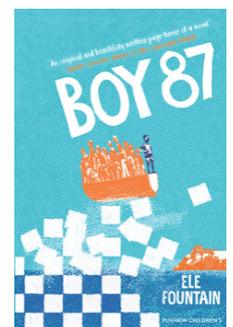
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This Cuban American coming-of-age novel is inspired by the author's own experience.

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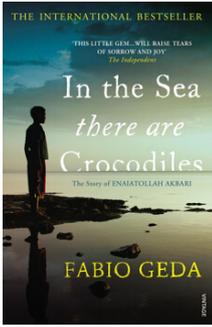
The story of a refugee: one child's journey stands for the journeys of many and the hopes of even more.



## Françoise Frenkel No Place to Lay One's Head

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The story of refugees, those fleeing terror, the world over.



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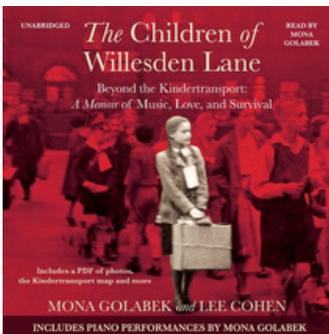
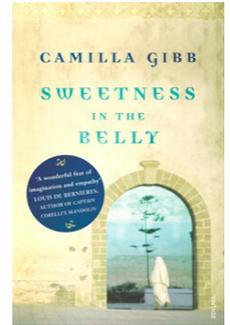
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A beautiful, heart-breaking novel based on the true story of an Afghan boy's journey in search of a place to call home.

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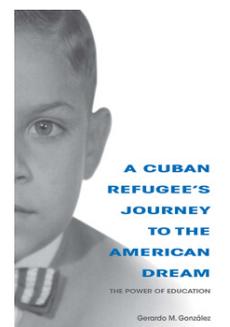
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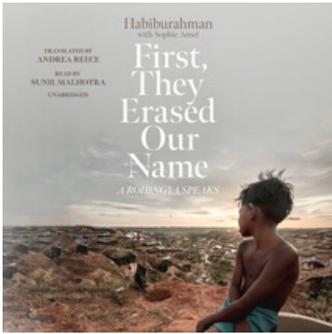
In February 1962, three years into Fidel Castro's rule of their Cuban homeland, the González family landed in Miami with a few personal possessions and two bottles of Cuban rum.



## Alan Gratz Refugee

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Even though Josef, Isabel, and Mahmoud are separated by continents and decades, shocking connections will tie their stories together...



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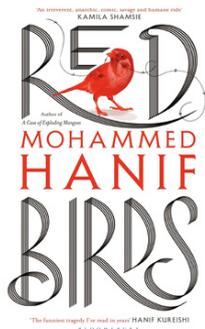
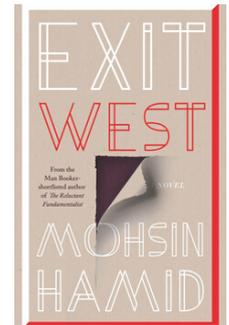
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Through the eyes of a child, we learn about the historic persecution of the Rohingya people and witness the violence Habiburrahman endured throughout his life until he escaped the country in 2000.

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An extraordinary story of love and hope.

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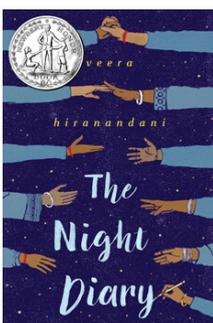
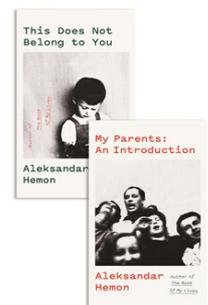
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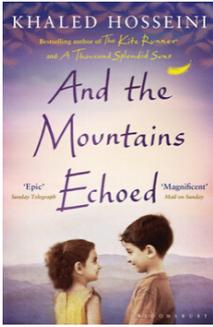
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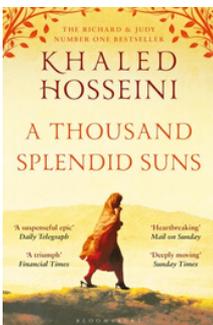
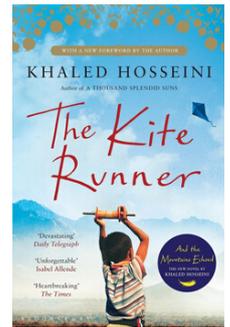
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Afghanistan, 1952. Abdullah and his sister Pari live with their father and stepmother in the small village of Shadbagh.

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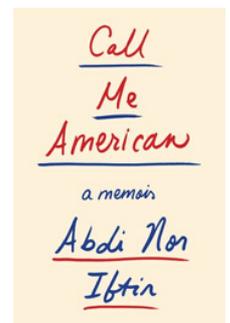
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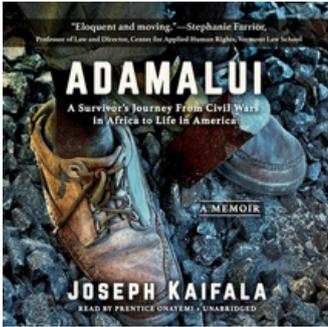
The incredible true story of a boy living in war-torn Somalia who escapes to America; first by way of the movies, years later, through a miraculous green card.



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From the moment that Gjorg's brother is killed by a neighbour, his own life is forfeit; the code of Kanun requires Gjorg to kill his brother's murderer and then in turn be hunted down.



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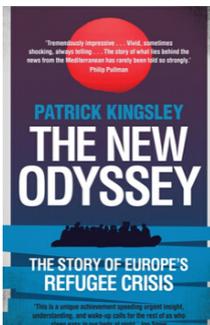
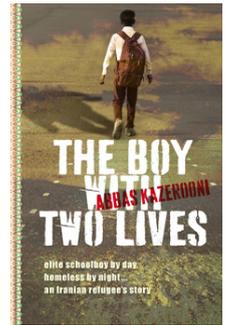
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The true story of one man's unshakable faith, thirst for knowledge, and indomitable will.

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The definitive book on the refugee crisis.

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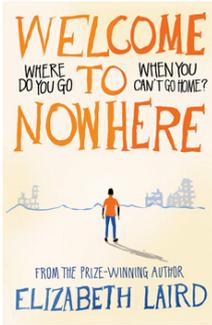
The moving testimony of an ordinary man whose late summer boat trip off a Sicilian island unexpectedly turns into a tragic rescue mission.



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Tara is an ordinary teenager. Although her country, Kurdistan, is caught up in a war, the fighting seems far away. It hasn't really touched her. Until now.



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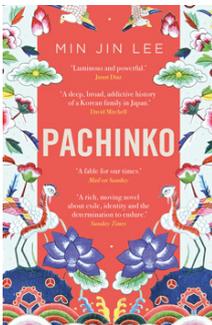
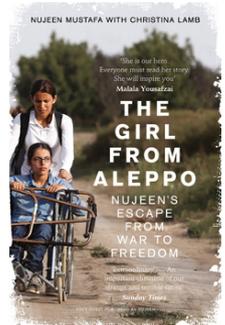
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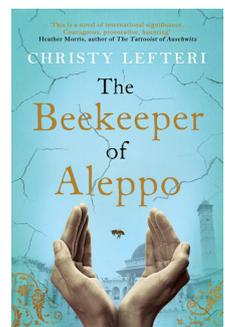
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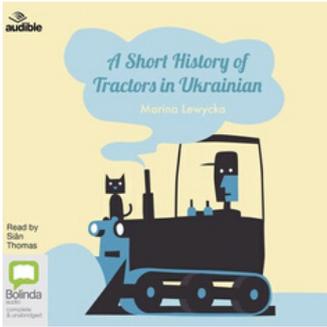
Nuri is a beekeeper, his wife Afra is an artist. They live a simple life, rich in family and friends, in the beautiful Syrian city of Aleppo - until the unthinkable happens.



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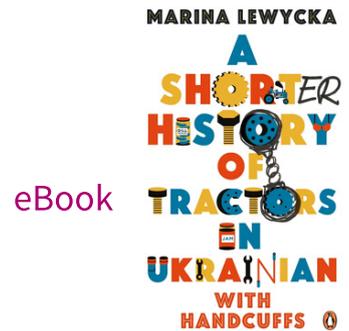
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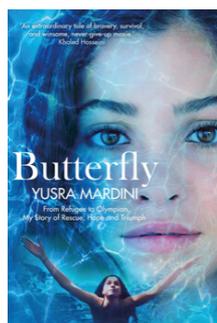
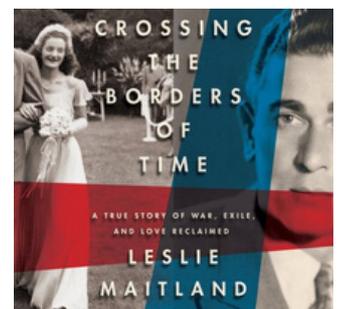
A gripping and poignant novel about a mysterious romance.

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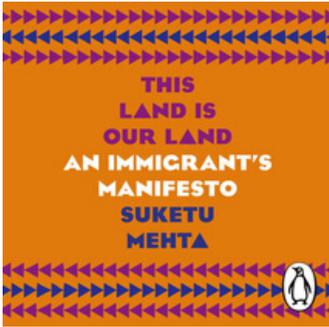


**Yusra Mardini**

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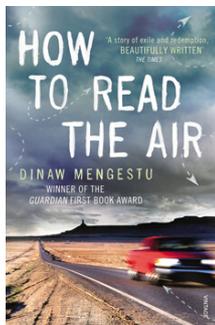
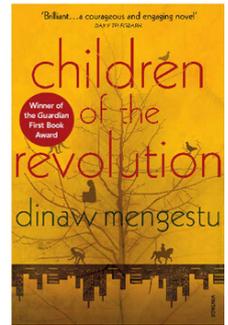
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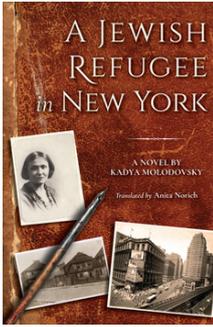
We are in the midst of a global refugee crisis. Sixty five million people are fleeing for their lives. What can we possibly do to help?



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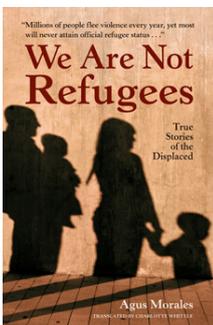
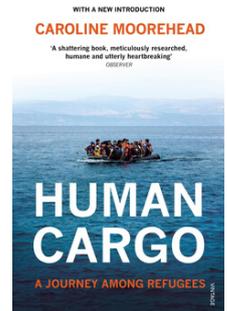
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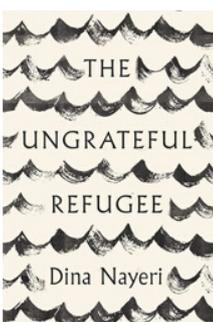
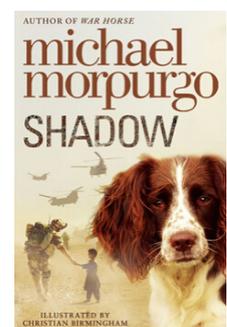
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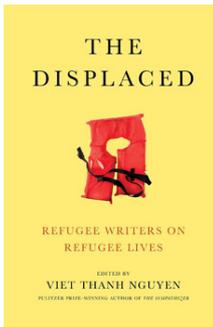
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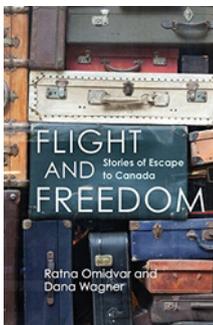
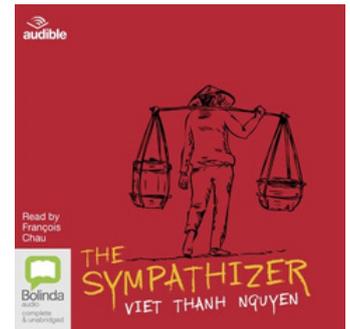
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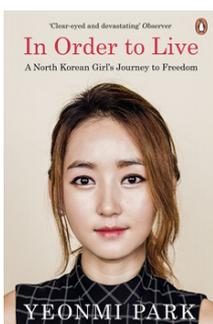
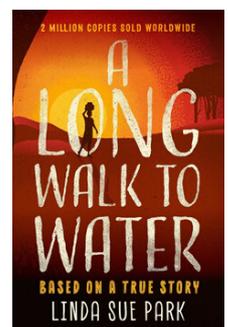
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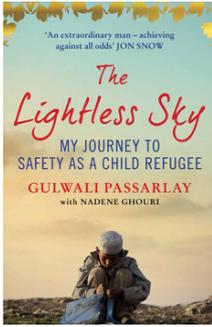
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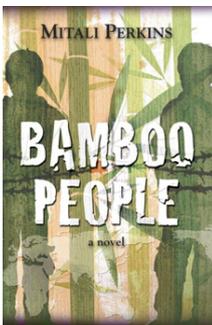
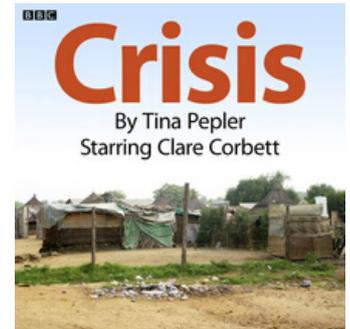
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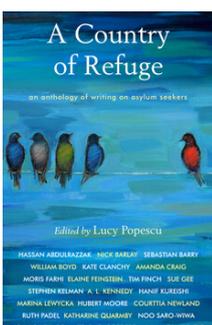
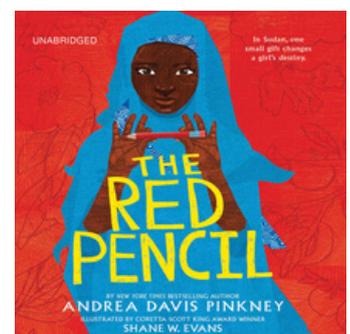
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This coming-of-age novel takes place against the political and military backdrop of modern-day Burma.

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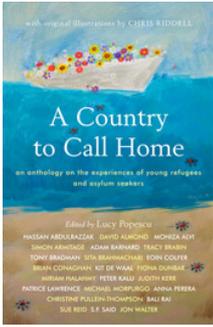
"Amira, look at me," Muma insists. "The Janjaweed attack without warning. If ever they come, run."



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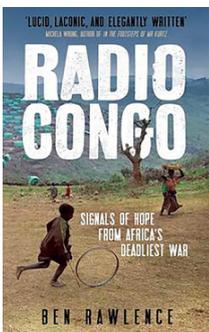
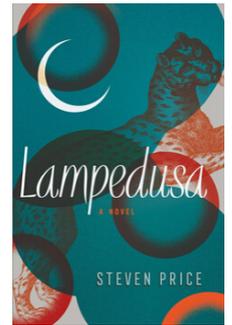
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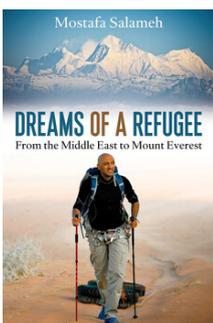
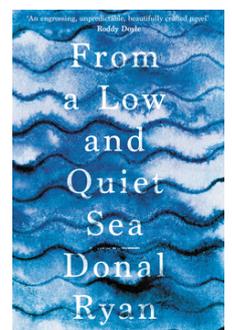
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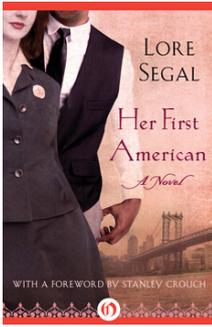
Farouk's country has been torn apart by war. Lampy's heart has been laid waste by Chloe. John's past torments him as he nears his end.



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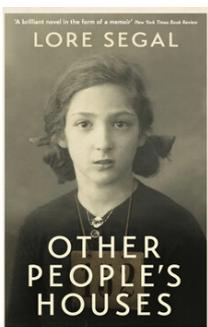
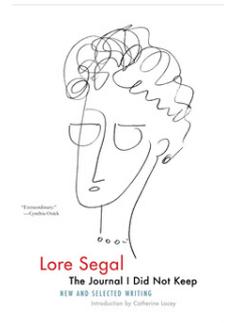
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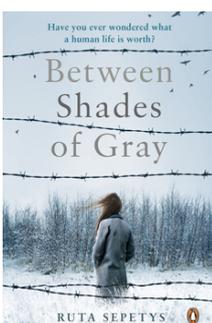
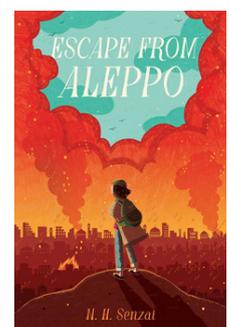
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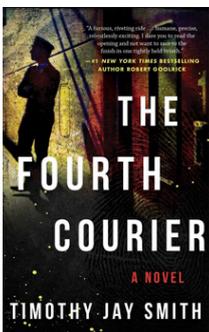
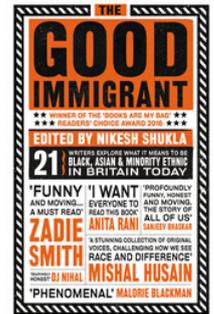
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Amid the furious ocean there was no human sound on deck: some people standing, watching the wave, but no one capable of words.

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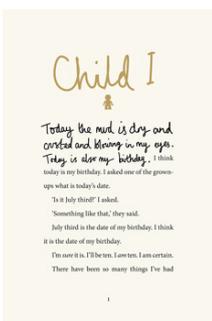
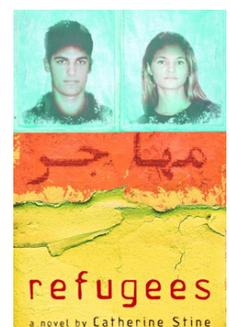
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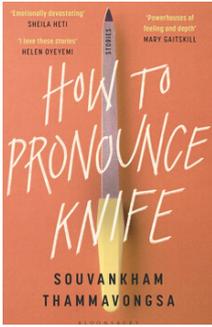
Two teenagers on opposite sides of the globe flee everything they know. In a world turned upside down by tragedy, they are refugees.



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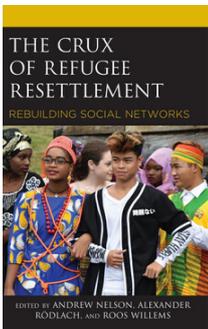
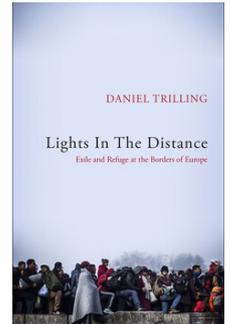
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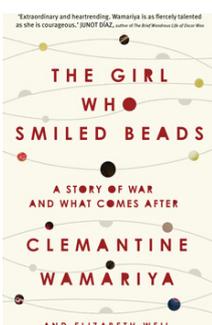
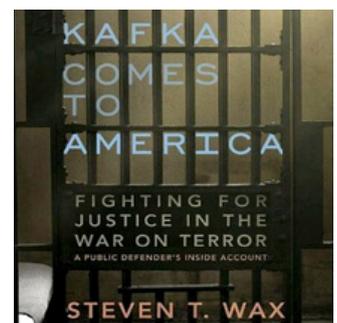
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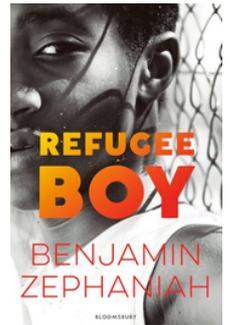
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