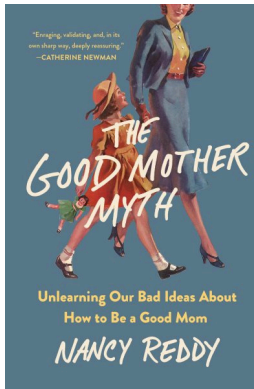
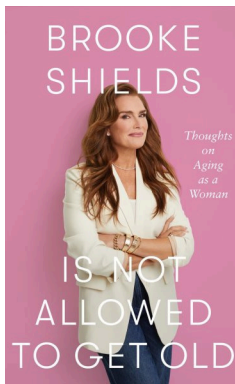


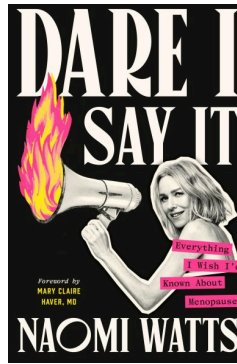
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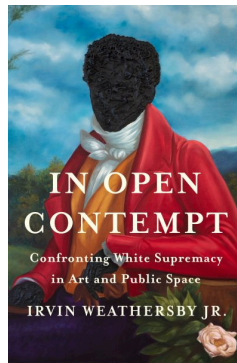
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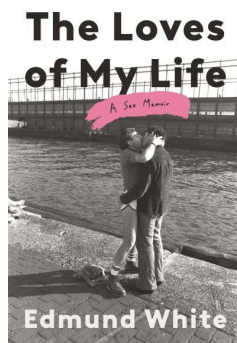
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The former child star reflects on aging with confidence and empowerment.



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The actress blends personal stories with expert advice to demystify menopause.



**In Open Contempt: Confronting White Supremacy in Art and Public Space / Irvin Weathersby, Jr.**  
Offers a hopeful reimagining of these spaces to honor true history and promote healing.



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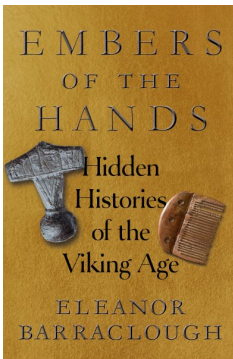
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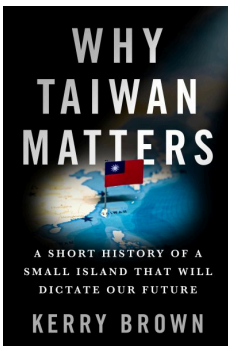
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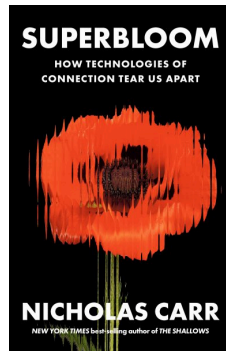
**The Containment: Detroit, the Supreme Court, and the Battle for Racial Justice in the North** / Michelle Adams  
Tells the epic story of the struggle to integrate Detroit schools.



**Embers of the Hands: Hidden Histories of the Viking Age** / Eleanor Barraclough  
An archaeological exploration of the world of the Norsemen who made a vivid impression on Europe during the last millennium.



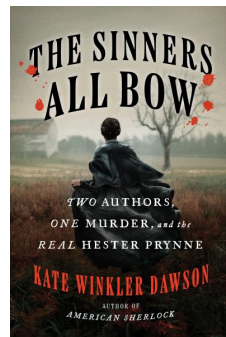
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An analysis of Taiwan's critical geopolitical position amidst tensions with China, placing its democratic values and economic success in historical context.



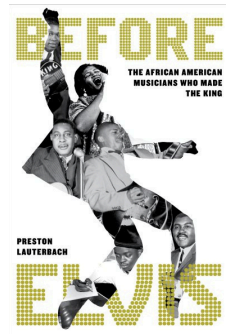
**Superbloom: How Technologies of Connection Tear Us Apart** / Nicholas Carr  
Reorients the conversation around modern communication,.



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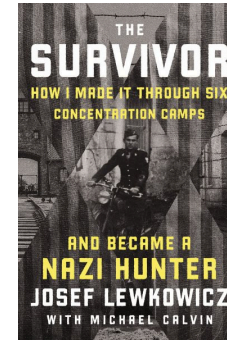


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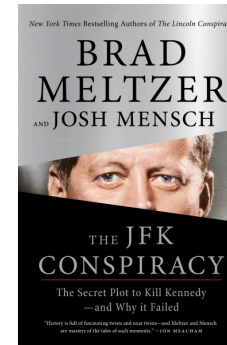


**Before Elvis: The African American Musicians Who Made the King** / Preston Lauterbach  
Examines the lives, music, legacies, and interactions with Elvis

Presley of the four innovative Black artists who created a style that would come to be known as Rock 'n' Roll.



**The Survivor** / Josef Lewkowicz  
Lewkowicz endured six concentration camps during the Holocaust and later became a determined Nazi hunter.



**The JFK Conspiracy: The Secret Plot to Kill Kennedy and Why It Failed** / Brad Meltzer  
Uncovers the little-known story of Richard Pavlick, a disgruntled postal worker who plotted to assassinate John F. Kennedy in December 1960, just before his inauguration.



**The Neat Method Organizing Recipe Book: 70 Simple Projects to Take Your Home from Chaos to Composed** / Ashley Murphy  
Projects as simple as recipes, with clear step-by-step directions.