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# The Ballroom Class

## Lucy Dillon

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Symone say the N-Word on That's so raven POV :  
Olivia wasn't acting It's so insane that this is  
Amanda Bynes. I will never wrap my head around  
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**Bird in a Box**

HarperCollins UK  
 From the bestselling author of Summer at Shell Cottage and The Beach Café, a tale of what it means to be protected and saved by those you love. The best things in life . . . can be just around the corner Rachel and Becca aren't real sisters, or so they say. They are step-sisters, living far apart, with little in common. Rachel is the successful one: happily married with

three children and a big house, plus an impressive career. Artistic Becca, meanwhile, lurches from one dead-end job to another, shares a titchy flat and has given up on love. The two of them have lost touch but when Rachel doesn't come home one night, Becca is called in to help. Once there, she quickly realises that her step-sister's life is not so perfect after all: Rachel's handsome husband has

moved out, her children are rebelling, and her glamorous career has taken a nosedive. Worst of all, nobody seems to have a clue where she might be. As Becca begins to untangle Rachel's secrets, she is forced to confront some uncomfortable truths about her own life. But sometimes happiness can be found in the most unexpected places...  
 PRAISE FOR  
 LUCY  
 DIAMOND

<p>"Delicious summer reading" Sunday Express on Summer at Shell Cottage "Warm, witty and wise" Daily Mail on The Year of Taking Chances "Romantic, dreamy and fun, this is perfect poolside reading" Closer on The Beach Cafe</p> <p><b>The Lydiard Chronicles 1603-1630</b></p> <p>Simon and Schuster</p> <p>For anyone who has ever searched for the right word at a crucial moment, the</p>	<p>revised third edition of this bestselling guide offers a smart and succinct way to say everything</p> <p>One million copies sold!</p> <p>How to Say It® provides clear and practical guidance for what to say--and what not to say--in any situation.</p> <p>Covering everything from business correspondence to personal letters, this is the perfect desk reference for anyone who often finds themselves struggling to</p>	<p>find those perfect words for: *</p> <p>Apologies and sympathy letters *</p> <p>Letters to the editor * Cover letters *</p> <p>Fundraising requests *</p> <p>Social correspondence, including invitations and Announcements</p> <p>This new edition features expanded advice for personal and business emails, blogs, and international communication.</p> <p><b>One Small Act of Kindness</b></p> <p>Simon and</p>
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<p>Schuster On Monday nights eight people gather in Lillian's restaurant for a cooking class. There's Claire, who can barely remember the last time she went out without her two kids; bachelor Ian, who exists on Chinese takeaways; Chloe, the distracted waitress who is forever dropping things; Carl and Helen, getting past a betrayal in their marriage; and Tom, mourning the</p>	<p>tragic loss of his wife. Plus Lillian, who taught herself to cook to reach out to her unhappy mother. From delicious feasts to dining disasters, will the cooks find what they are looking for? And among the utensils and mouth- watering ingredients, will some of them even fall in love? The Monday Night Cooking School is a gorgeous novel about possibilities and the magic of food. <i>After the Rain</i></p>	<p>Lake Union Publishing An irresistible novel about women, men, and the dogs that own them. Thirty- nine year old Rachel is having a really bad year. After losing her job and breaking up with her boyfriend, Rachel has inherited her late aunt's house, her beloved border collie, and a crowded rescue kennel, despite the fact that she knows almost nothing about dogs. Still, considering her limited</p>
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options, she gamely takes up the challenge of running the kennel. And as Rachel starts finding new homes for the abandoned strays, it turns out that it might not just be the dogs that need rescuing.

The

Godmothers

HarperCollins  
UK

If you've ever dreamt of a new life in the country, this highly entertaining and candid account of country living might make you think again...

*Love, Theodosia*  
Bloomsbury  
Publishing  
Left suddenly penniless, the Honorable Sophia Grafton, a viscount's orphaned daughter, sails to the New World to claim the only property left to her name: a tobacco plantation in the remote wilds of colonial Virginia. Enlisting the reluctant assistance of a handsome young French spy--at gunpoint--she gathers an unlikely group

of escaped slaves and indentured servants, each seeking their own safe haven in the untamed New World. What follows will test her courage and that of her companions as they struggle to survive a journey deep into a hostile wilderness and eventually forge a community of homesteads and deep bonds that will unite them for generations. The first installment in an epic historical

trilogy by Helen Bryan, the bestselling author of War Brides and The Sisterhood, The Valley is a sweeping, unforgettable tale of hardship, tenacity, love, and heartache. Big Iron Penguin After the storm it's time for a fresh start . . . The powerful and heart-stirring new novel by the Sunday Times bestselling author of Unexpected Lessons in Love. -----

First, the clouds... Tara Hunter is a therapist on a mission to restore Longhampton's community spirit after catastrophic flooding. But with her boyfriend AWOL, her family fragmented, and only a cat for company, Tara's own life's on rocky foundations. Then the storm... Dr David Dalloway is Longhampton Wellness Centre's new star counsellor. He invites pets to session. He

also has a knack of reading people's minds - which is the last thing Tara needs right now. And after the rain... Charismatic architect Keith Hunter was last seen in Longhampton twenty years ago, when he walked out on ten-year-old Tara and her twin brother, Toby. But now he's back, with a surprising offer that could change everything. Is a bigger storm on the horizon? Or is this Tara's

chance to  
rebuild her  
broken past?

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Praise for Lucy  
Dillon:

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your own life  
better' Jojo  
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heart is  
smashed and  
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reading this  
wonderfully  
romantic and  
strong piece  
of fiction.'

Milly Johnson  
'Real,  
heartbreaking  
- I loved it'  
Katie Fforde  
'No one tugs

at the  
heartstrings  
quite like Lucy  
Dillon' Red  
Magazine

## **SOUTHERN PROSE AND POETRY FOR SCHOOLS**

Hodder  
Paperbacks  
When story-  
lover Anna  
takes over  
Longhampton'  
s bookshop,  
it's her dream  
come true.  
And not just  
because it  
gets her away  
from her three  
rowdy  
stepchildren  
and their  
hyperactive  
Dalmatian.  
Unpacking  
boxes filled  
with childhood  
classics, Anna

can't shake  
the feeling  
that maybe  
her own  
fairytale  
ending isn't all  
that she'd  
hoped for.  
But, as the  
stories of love,  
adventure,  
secret  
gardens, lost  
dogs, wicked  
witches and  
giant peaches  
breathe new  
life into the  
neglected  
shop, Anna  
and her  
customers get  
swept up in  
the magic too.  
Even Anna's  
best friend  
Michelle - who  
categorically  
doesn't  
believe in true  
love and  
handsome

princes - isn't immune. But when secrets from Michelle's own childhood come back to haunt her, and disaster threatens Anna's home, will the wisdom and charm of the stories in the bookshop help the two friends - and those they love - find their own happy ever afters?

*The Lady of the Tower*  
 Hodder & Stoughton  
 ROMANTIC NOVEL OF THE YEAR 2010.  
 When the abandoned

strays from a local dogs' home are matched with brand new owners, it turns out it might not just be the dogs who need rescuing. Rachel's aunt has left her a house, a Border Collie and, despite knowing nothing about dogs, a crowded kennel. But since her life has collapsed she's not sure she can deal with any more lost souls. Zoe's ex-husband has given their children a puppy. The

kids are in love, but she's the one stuck training Toffee the impossible Labrador. She's nearly at the end of her tether - until Toffee leads her to a handsome doctor . . . Meanwhile Natalie and Johnny's marriage hasn't been easy since they started trying for a baby. But is a fridge-raiding, sofa-stealing Basset hound like Bertie really the child substitute they're looking for? As the new owners' paths

cross on the town's dog-walking circuits, their lives become interwoven. And they - and their dogs - learn some important lessons about loyalty, companionship and unconditional love . . .

### **A Novel**

Anchor  
When three couples join a new ballroom class, they're all looking for some magic in their lives. Lauren and Chris are getting married, and Lauren's dreaming of a fairytale

wedding with a first dance to make Cinderella proud. Not wanting to be shown up on the dancefloor, her parents Bridget and Frank have come along too. They normally never put a foot wrong, but Bridget's got a secret that could trip them up unexpectedly. Meanwhile Katie and Ross are looking for a quick-fix solution to their failing marriage even though neither is quite sure who's leading

who anymore. As friendships form over the foxtrot, the rumba rocks relationships, and the tango leads to true love, all the students in the Ballroom Class are about to face the music and dance...

### **A NATIONAL IMPERATIVE**

McFarland  
From award winner Julia Gregson, author of *Jasmine Nights*, this sweeping international bestseller brilliantly captures the lives of three young women

on their way to a new life in India during the 1920s. As the Kaiser-I-Hind weighs anchor for Bombay in the autumn of 1928, its passengers ponder their fate in a distant land. They are part of the “Fishing Fleet”—the name given to the legions of English women who sail to India each year in search of husbands, heedless of the life that awaits them. The inexperienced chaperone Viva Holloway

has been entrusted to watch over three unsettling charges. There’s Rose, as beautiful as she is naïve, who plans to marry a cavalry officer she has met a mere handful of times. Her bridesmaid, Victoria, is hell-bent on losing her virginity en route before finding a husband of her own. And shadowing them all is the malevolent presence of a disturbed schoolboy named Guy Glover. From

the parties of the wealthy Bombay socialites to the poverty of Tamarind Street, from the sooty streets of London to the genteel conversation of the Bombay Yacht Club, *East of the Sun* takes us back to a world we hardly understand but yearn to know. This is a book that has it all: glorious detail, fascinating characters, and masterful storytelling.

**The Monday Night Cooking**

**School**

Hodder & Stoughton  
 In the spring of 1914, a group of students at the Slade School of Art have gathered for a life-drawing class. Paul Tarrant is easily distracted by an intriguing fellow student, Elinor Brooke, but watches from afar when a well-known painter catches her eye. After World War I begins, Paul tends to the dying soldiers from the front line as a Belgian Red Cross

volunteer, but the longer he remains, the greater the distance between him and home becomes. By the time he returns, Paul must confront not only the overwhelming, perhaps impossible challenge of how to express all that he has seen and experienced, but also the fact that life, and love, will never be the same for him again.

**EAST OF THE SUN**

HarperCollins  
 UK

“A group of deeply complex and beautifully written women . . . Aubray marries history, suspense and womanhood in a story perfect for devouring.”—*Newsweek* For readers of Naomi Krupitsky's *The Family!* An irresistible, suspenseful novel about four women who marry into an elegant, prosperous Italian family, and then must take charge of the family's business when

their husbands are forced to leave them during the war. Meet the Godmothers: Filomena is a clever and resourceful war refugee with a childhood secret. Amie, a beautiful and dreamy French girl from upstate New York, escapes an abusive husband for a new life. Lucy, a tough-as-nails Irish lass, runs away from a strict girls' home to become a nurse. And the glamorous Petrina, the

family's only daughter, graduates with honors from Barnard College despite a past trauma that nearly caused a family scandal. All four women become godmothers to one another's children, finding hope and shelter in this prosperous family and their sumptuous Greenwich Village home. But the women's secret pasts lead to unforeseen consequences and betrayals

that threaten to unravel all their carefully laid plans. And when they must unexpectedly contend with notorious gangsters like Frank Costello and Lucky Luciano, the four Godmothers learn to put aside their differences so that they can work together to protect their loved ones and find their own unique paths to the futures they've always dreamed of. Strictly Love Hodder Paperbacks

As heart wrenching and life-affirming as ONE DAY or ME BEFORE YOU, A Hundred Pieces of Me is a story about what it means to finally live life to the full. 'Bittersweet, lovely and ultimately redemptive; the kind of book that makes you want to live your own life better.' Jojo Moyes 'Such a brilliant book. So satisfying and clever and deeply moving. I'll be passing it on to all my friends.' Sophie

Kinsella 'This vibrant and uplifting novel has not only entertained me hugely, but made me change the way I look at life.' Katie Fforde Letters from the only man she's ever truly loved. A keepsake of the father she never really knew. A blue glass vase that catches the light on a grey day. Gina Bellamy is starting again, after a few years she'd rather forget. But the belongings she's treasured for

so long don't seem to fit who she is now. So Gina makes a resolution. She'll keep just a hundred special items - the rest can go. But that means coming to terms with her past and learning to embrace the future, whatever it might bring . . .

### **LOST DOGS AND LONELY HEARTS**

Black Swan  
A Romeo & Juliet tale for Hamilton! fans. In post-American Revolution New York City,

Theodosia Burr, a scholar with the skills of a socialite, is all about charming the right people on behalf of her father—Senat or Aaron Burr, who is determined to win the office of president in the pivotal election of 1800. Meanwhile, Philip Hamilton, the rakish son of Alexander Hamilton, is all about being charming on behalf of his libido. When the two first meet, it seems the

ongoing feud between their politically opposed fathers may be hereditary. But soon, Theodosia and Philip must choose between love and family, desire and loyalty, and preserving the legacy their flawed fathers fought for or creating their own. Love, Theodosia is a smart, funny, swoony take on a fiercely intelligent woman with feminist ideas ahead of her time who has long-deserved center stage. A refreshing

spin on the Hamiltonian era and the characters we have grown to know and love. It's also a heartbreaking romance of two star-crossed lovers, an achingly bittersweet "what if." Despite their fathers' bitter rivalry, Theodosia and Philip are drawn to each other and, in what unrolls like a Jane Austen novel of manners, we find ourselves entangled in the world of Hamilton and

Burr once again as these heirs of famous enemies are driven together despite every reason not to be.

A Novel

Penguin UK  
From the team behind #1 New York Times bestseller *Five Feet Apart* comes a gripping new romance that asks: Can you find true love after losing everything? Kyle and Kimberly have been the perfect couple all through high school, but when

Kimberly breaks up with him on the night of their graduation party, Kyle's entire world upends—literally. Their car crashes and when he awakes, he has a brain injury. Kimberly is dead. And no one in his life could possibly understand. Until Marley. Marley is suffering from her own loss, a loss she thinks was her fault. And when their paths cross, Kyle sees in her all the unspoken things he's

feeling. As Kyle and Marley work to heal each other's wounds, their feelings for each other grow stronger. But Kyle can't shake the sense that he's headed for another crashing moment that will blow up his life as soon as he's started to put it back together. And he's right. This book includes bonus content. The Incredible and Uplifting New Novel from the Sunday Times Bestselling Author Dutton

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Sophie  
Kinsella  
Caitlin's life is  
a mess. Her  
marriage to a  
man everyone  
else thinks is  
perfect has  
collapsed,  
along with her  
self-esteem,  
and breaking  
free seems  
the only  
option. Nancy,  
her four-year-  
old daughter,  
used to talk all  
the time; in  
the car, at  
nursery, to her  
brother Joel.  
Then her  
parents split  
up. Her daddy

moves out.  
And Nancy  
stops  
speaking.  
Nancy's  
Auntie Eva,  
recently  
widowed and  
feeling alone,  
apart from the  
companionshi  
p of two  
bewildered  
pugs, is facing  
a future  
without her  
husband or  
the dreams  
she gave up  
for him. But  
when Eva  
agrees to host  
her niece and  
nephew once  
a fortnight,  
Caitlin and  
Eva are made  
to face the  
different  
truths about  
their  
marriages -

and about what they both really want . . .  
*Walking Back to Happiness*  
 Bantam  
 After following the advice from a manual called "How to Meet and Marry Mr Right", Jane learns that in love there is neither pattern nor promise. This is a funny collection of connected stories and a portrait of Jane, a woman manoeuvring her way through love, sex and relationships.

### LIFE CLASS

Penguin  
 From the celebrated author of *The Secret Life of Bees* and the forthcoming novel *The Book of Longings*, a novel about two unforgettable American women. Writing at the height of her narrative and imaginative gifts, Sue Monk Kidd presents a masterpiece of hope, daring, the quest for freedom, and the desire to have a voice in the world.

Hetty  
 "Handful"  
 Grimke, an urban slave in early nineteenth century Charleston, yearns for life beyond the suffocating walls that enclose her within the wealthy Grimke household. The Grimke's daughter, Sarah, has known from an early age she is meant to do something large in the world, but she is hemmed in by the limits imposed on women. Kidd's sweeping

novel is set in motion on Sarah's eleventh birthday, when she is given ownership of ten year old Handful, who is to be her handmaid. We follow their remarkable journeys over the next thirty five years, as both strive for a life of their own, dramatically shaping each other's destinies and forming a complex relationship marked by guilt, defiance, estrangement and the

uneasy ways of love. As the stories build to a riveting climax, Handful will endure loss and sorrow, finding courage and a sense of self in the process. Sarah will experience crushed hopes, betrayal, unrequited love, and ostracism before leaving Charleston to find her place alongside her fearless younger sister, Angelina, as one of the early pioneers in the abolition and

women's rights movements. Inspired by the historical figure of Sarah Grimke, Kidd goes beyond the record to flesh out the rich interior lives of all of her characters, both real and invented, including Handful's cunning mother, Charlotte, who courts danger in her search for something better. This exquisitely written novel is a triumph of storytelling that looks with unswerving eyes at a

<p>devastating wound in American history, through women whose struggles for liberation, empowerment , and expression will leave no reader unmoved. <i>Second Time Around</i> Penguin Otis, Willie, and Hibernia are three children with a lot in common: they've all lost</p>	<p>a loved one, they each have secret dreams, and they won't stop fighting for what they want. And they're also a lot like their hero, famed boxer Joe Louis. Throughout this moving novel, their lives gradually converge to form friendship, family, and love. Their trials and triumphs echo those of Joe</p>	<p>Louis, as he fights to become the heavyweight boxing champion. Andrea Pinkney masterfully weaves in factual information about Joe Louis and actual radio commentary from his fights, enriching the narrative of this uniquely rendered and beautifully written novel.</p>
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