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## O'CONNELL BOND

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### The Land Between Two Rivers

W. W. Norton  
& Company  
One day,

amidst the  
usual chirps,  
tweets, and  
caws, a little  
brown bird  
decides to try  
singing a new  
song and sets  
off an  
interesting  
reaction.

**The**

### Architectural Side of Golf

Farrar, Straus  
and Giroux  
(BYR)

NEW YORK  
TIMES

BESTSELLER •

“A quite  
extraordinary  
novel. Colum  
McCann has

found the form and voice to tell the most complex of stories, with an unexpected friendship between two men at its powerfully beating heart.”—Kamil a Shamsie, author of Home Fire  
 FINALIST FOR THE DUBLIN LITERARY AWARD •  
 LONGLISTED FOR THE BOOKER PRIZE •  
 WINNER OF THE NATIONAL JEWISH BOOK AWARD •  
 NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF

THE YEAR BY The Independent • The New York Public Library • Library Journal From the National Book Award-winning and bestselling author of Let the Great World Spin comes an epic novel rooted in the unlikely real-life friendship between two fathers. Bassam Aramin is Palestinian. Rami Elhanan is Israeli. They inhabit a world of conflict that colors every aspect of their

lives, from the roads they are allowed to drive on to the schools their children attend to the checkpoints, both physical and emotional, they must negotiate. But their lives, however circumscribed, are upended one after the other: first, Rami’s thirteen-year-old daughter, Smadar, becomes the victim of suicide bombers; a decade later, Bassam’s ten-year-old daughter, Abir, is killed

by a rubber bullet. Rami and Bassam had been raised to hate one another. And yet, when they learn of each other's stories, they recognize the loss that connects them. Together they attempt to use their grief as a weapon for peace—and with their one small act, start to permeate what has for generations seemed an impermeable conflict. This extraordinary novel is the fruit of a seed planted when

the novelist Colum McCann met the real Bassam and Rami on a trip with the non-profit organization Narrative 4. McCann was moved by their willingness to share their stories with the world, by their hope that if they could see themselves in one another, perhaps others could too. With their blessing, and unprecedented access to their families, lives, and personal recollections,

McCann began to craft Apeirogon, which uses their real-life stories to begin another—one that crosses centuries and continents, stitching together time, art, history, nature, and politics in a tale both heartbreaking and hopeful. The result is an ambitious novel, crafted out of a universe of fictional and nonfictional material, with these fathers' moving story at its heart.

**Elephants Are Not**

**Birds**

HarperCollins  
 From the New  
 York Times  
 bestselling  
 author of The  
 Midnight  
 Library. "A  
 quirky  
 romcom  
 dusted with  
 philosophical  
 observations...  
 .A delightfully  
 witty...poigna  
 nt novel."  
 —The  
 Washington  
 Post "She  
 smiled a soft,  
 troubled smile  
 and I felt the  
 whole world  
 slipping away,  
 and I wanted  
 to slip with it,  
 to go  
 wherever she  
 was going... I  
 had existed  
 whole years  
 without her,

but that was  
 all it had  
 been. An  
 existence. A  
 book with no  
 words." Tom  
 Hazard has  
 just moved  
 back to  
 London, his  
 old home, to  
 settle down  
 and become a  
 high school  
 history  
 teacher. And  
 on his first day  
 at school, he  
 meets a  
 captivating  
 French  
 teacher at his  
 school who  
 seems  
 fascinated by  
 him. But Tom  
 has a  
 dangerous  
 secret. He  
 may look like  
 an ordinary  
 41-year-old,

but owing to a  
 rare condition,  
 he's been  
 alive for  
 centuries.  
 Tom has lived  
 history--  
 performing  
 with  
 Shakespeare,  
 exploring the  
 high seas with  
 Captain Cook,  
 and sharing  
 cocktails with  
 Fitzgerald.  
 Now, he just  
 wants an  
 ordinary life.  
 Unfortunately  
 for Tom, the  
 Albatross  
 Society, the  
 secretive  
 group which  
 protects  
 people like  
 Tom, has one  
 rule: Never fall  
 in love. As  
 painful  
 memories of

his past and the erratic behavior of the Society's watchful leader threaten to derail his new life and romance, the one thing he can't have just happens to be the one thing that might save him. Tom will have to decide once and for all whether to remain stuck in the past, or finally begin living in the present. How to Stop Time tells a love story across the ages—and for the ages—about a man lost in

time, the woman who could save him, and the lifetimes it can take to learn how to live. It is a bighearted, wildly original novel about losing and finding yourself, the inevitability of change, and how with enough time to learn, we just might find happiness. Soon to be a major motion picture starring Benedict Cumberbatch. **Two Nests** HarperCollins Description WINNER OF THE WILLIAM

HILL SPORTS BOOK OF THE YEAR 2017 Tom Simpson is British cycling's greatest icon. Fifty years after he conquered the continental sporting scene, he still captivates people around the world. After his dramatic death on Mont Ventoux during the 1967 Tour de France, amphetamine s and alcohol were found in his system, a fact which often dwarfs his pioneering achievements. From a

humble upbringing in a Nottinghamshire mining town, Simpson became the first Briton to win the elite men's World Championships and to wear the Tour de France's yellow jersey. He also took victory at Milan Sanremo, the Tour of Flanders and the Tour of Lombardy, three of cycling's most prestigious races. A charismatic and impulsive character, Simpson lived life fast, with a

penchant for spectacular racing, sports cars and fanciful dreams. This man of contradictions was both people's champion and pariah, gentleman and rogue. Guided by rare photography of Simpson, this book explores the Briton's feats and complexities through untold stories from those closest to him. Main protagonists and interviews: Jan Janssen,

Raymond Poulidor, Gianni Motta, Barry Hoban, Emile Daems, Brian Robinson, Vin Denson, Helen Hoban, Joanne Simpson, Henri Duez, Charly Wegelius, Dave Bonner, Billy Holmes, Keith Butler, Pete Ryalls and Professor Greg Whyte OBE. The Great Blue Heron Random House A volume dedicated to felines, €The Book of the Cat includes chapters like "Cats of the Past," "The

Points of a Cat," "Some Foreign Cats" and more. *God is Dead* Penguin "These essays recount Tom Sleigh's experiences working as a journalist during several tours in Africa and in the Middle Eastern region once called Mesopotamia, "the land between two rivers." Sleigh asks three central questions: What did I see? How could I write about it? Why did I write about it? The first essays

focus on the lives of refugees in Syria, Lebanon, Jordan, Kenya, Somalia, and Iraq. Under the conditions of military occupation, famine, and war, their stories can be harrowing, even desperate. But unlike their depiction in mass media, their stories are often laced with an undeluded hopefulness. The second part of this book explores how writing might be capable of honoring the

texture of these individuals' experiences while remaining faithful to political emotions, rather than political convictions. The final essays meditate on youth, restlessness, illness, and Sleigh's motivations for writing his own experiences in order to move out into the world."--Back cover.

**The Red Canary**  
Penguin  
A New York Times

bestseller! An epic history of the decline of American military leadership—from the bestselling author of *Fiasco* and *Churchill and Orwell*. While history has been kind to the American generals of World War II—Marshall, Eisenhower, Patton, and Bradley—it has been less kind to the generals of the wars that followed, such as Koster, Franks, Sanchez, and Petraeus. In *The Generals*, Thomas E.

Ricks sets out to explain why that is. In chronicling the widening gulf between performance and accountability among the top brass of the U.S. military, Ricks tells the stories of great leaders and suspect ones, generals who rose to the occasion and generals who failed themselves and their soldiers. In Ricks's hands, this story resounds with larger meaning: about the transmission of values,

about strategic thinking, and about the difference between an organization that learns and one that fails.

*Touching the Void* UBC Press

The full story of the man who brought unprecedented - and since unmatched - success to Liverpool FC Bob Paisley was the quiet man in the flat cap who swept all domestic and European opposition aside and produced arguably the



greatest club team that Britain has ever known. The man whose Liverpool team won trophies at a rate-per-season that dwarfs Sir Alex Ferguson's achievements at Manchester United and who remains the only Briton to lead a team to three European Cups. From Wembley to Rome, Manchester to Madrid, Paisley's team was the one no one could touch. Working in a

city which was on its knees, in deep post-industrial decline, still tainted by the 1981 Toxteth riots and in a state of open warfare with Margaret Thatcher, he delivered a golden era - never re-attained since - which made the city of Liverpool synonymous with success and won them supporters the world over. Yet, thirty years since Paisley died, the life and times of this shrewd, intelligent, visionary,

modest football man have still never been fully explored and explained. Based on in-depth interviews with Paisley's family and many of the players whom he led to an extraordinary haul of honours between 1974 and 1983, *Quiet Genius* is the first biography to examine in depth the secrets of Paisley's success. It inspects his man-management strategies, his extraordinary

eye for a good player, his uncanny ability to diagnose injuries in his own players and the opposition, and the wicked sense of humour which endeared him to so many. It explores the North-East mining community roots which he cherished, and considers his visionary outlook on the way the game would develop. Quiet Genius is the story of how one modest man accomplished

more than any other football manager, found his attributes largely unrecorded and undervalued and, in keeping with the gentler ways of his generation, did not seem to mind. It reveals an individual who seemed out of keeping with the brash, celebrity sport football was becoming, and who succeeded on his own terms. Three decades on from his death, it is a football story that demands

to be told. Open Book Overamstel Uitgevers Technology and increasing levels of education have exposed people to more information than ever before. These societal gains, however, have also helped fuel a surge in narcissistic and misguided intellectual egalitarianism that has crippled informed debates on any number of issues. Today, everyone knows everything: with only a

quick trip through WebMD or Wikipedia, average citizens believe themselves to be on an equal intellectual footing with doctors and diplomats. All voices, even the most ridiculous, demand to be taken with equal seriousness, and any claim to the contrary is dismissed as undemocratic elitism. Tom Nichols' *The Death of Expertise* shows how this rejection

of experts has occurred: the openness of the internet, the emergence of a customer satisfaction model in higher education, and the transformation of the news industry into a 24-hour entertainment machine, among other reasons. Paradoxically, the increasingly democratic dissemination of information, rather than producing an educated public, has instead created an

army of ill-informed and angry citizens who denounce intellectual achievement. When ordinary citizens believe that no one knows more than anyone else, democratic institutions themselves are in danger of falling either to populism or to technocracy or, in the worst case, a combination of both. An update to the 2017 breakout hit, the paperback edition of *The Death of Expertise* provides a

new foreword to cover the alarming exacerbation of these trends in the aftermath of Donald Trump's election. Judging from events on the ground since it first published, *The Death of Expertise* issues a warning about the stability and survival of modern democracy in the Information Age that is even more important today. [The Fallen](#)  
 Direct Authors  
 •SHORTLISTE

D FOR THE WILLIAM HILL SPORTS BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD 2022• 'How doping killed cycling's 'golden boy'. A shocking, clear-sighted and sympathetic account of a talent destroyed by drugs.' *The Times* 'Sensitive yet compelling.' *The Observer* They called him God. For his grace on a bicycle, for his divine talent, for his heavenly looks. Frank Vandenbrouck e had it all, and in the late nineties he

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book and the creation of its film while sharing insights into its controversies and legacy.

God is Dead

White Lion Publishing  
A gentle sensitive story about family separation.

**Flanagan's Run**

Canongate Books  
Madeleine L'Engle's ground-breaking science fiction and fantasy classic, now a major motion picture. It was a dark and stormy night; Meg Murry, her small

brother Charles Wallace, and her mother had come down to the kitchen for a midnight snack when they were upset by the arrival of a most disturbing stranger.

"Wild nights are my glory," the unearthly stranger told them. "I just got caught in a downdraft and blown off course. Let me sit down for a moment, and then I'll be on my way. Speaking of ways, by the way, there is such a thing

as a tesseract." A tesseract (in case the reader doesn't know) is a wrinkle in time. To tell more would rob the reader of the enjoyment of Miss L'Engle's unusual book. A Wrinkle in Time, winner of the Newbery Medal in 1963, is the story of the adventures in space and time of Meg, Charles Wallace, and Calvin O'Keefe (athlete, student, and one of the most popular boys in high

<p>school). They are in search of Meg's father, a scientist who disappeared while engaged in secret work for the government on the tesseract problem. A Wrinkle in Time is the winner of the 1963 Newbery Medal. It is the first book in The Time Quintet, which consists of A Wrinkle in Time, A Wind in the Door, A Swiftly Tilting Planet, Many Waters, and An Acceptable Time. A Wrinkle in Time is now a</p>	<p>movie from Disney, directed by Ava DuVernay, starring Storm Reid, Oprah Winfrey, Reese Witherspoon and Mindy Kaling. This title has Common Core connections. Books by Madeleine L'Engle A Wrinkle in Time Quintet A Wrinkle in Time A Wind in the Door A Swiftly Tilting Planet Many Waters An Acceptable Time A Wrinkle in Time: The Graphic Novel by Madeleine</p>	<p>L'Engle; adapted &amp; illustrated by Hope Larson Intergalactic P.S. 3 by Madeleine L'Engle; illustrated by Hope Larson: A standalone story set in the world of A Wrinkle in Time. The Austin Family Chronicles Meet the Austins (Volume 1) The Moon by Night (Volume 2) The Young Unicorns (Volume 3) A Ring of Endless Light (Volume 4) A Newbery Honor book! Troubling a Star (Volume</p>
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5) The Polly O'Keefe books *The Arm of the Starfish* *Dragons in the Waters* *A House Like a Lotus* *And Both Were Young* *Camilla* *The Joys of Love* *Two Looks to Home* HarperCollins O. W. "Pappy" Kitchens (1901-1986) was born in Crystal Springs, Mississippi, and began painting at age sixty-seven. His self-taught, narrative, visual art springs directly from the oral tradition of parable and storytelling with which he grew up. A self-declared folk artist, Kitchens claimed, "I paint about folks, what folks see and what folks do." His magnum opus, *The Saga of Red Eye the Rooster*, was painted between 1973 and 1976 and presents a homespun Pilgrim's Progress in the form of a beast fable. Kitchens's most ambitious allegorical work, this fable consists of sixty panels, each one measuring fifteen inches square, composed of mixed materials on paper, and executed in three groups of twenty. Kitchens follows *Red Eye* from foundling to funeral, exploring the life of this extraordinary bird. *Red Eye's* quasi-human behavior inevitably maneuvers him into conflicts with antagonists of



all sorts. He encounters violence, avarice, lust, greed, and most of the other seven deadly sins, dispatching them in heroic fashion until he finally succumbs to his own fatal flaw. In addition to *The Saga of Red Eye the Rooster*, the volume features personal photos of Kitchens as well as additional works by the artist. Written by distinguished artist and Kitchens's

once son-in-law William Dunlap, with an introduction by renowned curator Jane Livingston, *Pappy Kitchens and the Saga of Red Eye the Rooster* brings much-needed exposure to the life and work of a key Mississippi figure. *The Greatest Thing Since Sliced Bread* St. Martin's Press It is depression-era America and notorious huckster, Flanagan, plans the ultimate race,

reeling in contestants with the promise of a glittering jackpot prize. At the starting line 2,000 audacious hopefuls line up from every walk of life and all ends of the globe, each with something to prove.

### **The Book of Basketball**

Little, Brown Books for Young Readers  
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van een prostitute in Senegal. 'God is dood.'

### **Quiet Genius**

A&C Black  
On a quiet autumn afternoon in 1944, nine-year-old Morris Bird III decides to visit a friend who lives on the other side of town. So he grabs the handle of his red wagon and, with his little sister in tow, begins an incredible pilgrimage across Cleveland . . . and out of childhood forever. Set against the backdrop of

one of the worst industrial disasters in American history, Don Robertson's enduring, beloved masterwork is a remarkable story of destiny, bravery, and responsibility, as fresh and relevant as when it first appeared in print.

### **Cycling is My**

**Life** Oxford University Press  
In this seminal work, Dr. Szasz examines the similarities between the Inquisition and institutional

psychiatry. His purpose is to show "that the belief in mental illness and the social actions to which it leads have the same moral implications and political consequences as had the belief in witchcraft and the social actions to which it led."

*The Death of Expertise*

Harper Collins  
Renowned artist Tommy Simpson takes a look at his youth in a small Midwestern town and its influence on his colorful,

whimsical art. 145 color photos.