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What’s Your Book Club Mood Match?

More is definitely more! You like things big, full, and colorful. This is the perfect book if you want something that will bring tears to your eyes (and not just because of allergies!), leaves you on the edge of your seat, or encourages conversations that last long into the night.

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You prefer things simple and sweet. This fun, fearless book will leave you and your friends laughing as you talk about your favorite scenes and characters.
The Girl Who Wrote in Silk

By Kelli Estes

FICTION • 978-1-4926-0833-2
TRADE PAPER • $14.99

Available Now

For book clubs who loved:
Orphan Train; Snow Flower and the Secret Fan; Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet

About the book:

In 1886, Mei Lien is washed up on Orcas Island, the lone survivor of a cruel purge of the Chinese from Seattle. She is determined to tell her heartbreaking story the only way she knows how: through needle and thread. A century later, Inara Erickson, enlisting the help of a local professor, uncovers details in Mei Lien’s delicate stitching that could have far-reaching repercussions for her own life. Should she bring shame to her family and risk everything by telling the truth, or tell no one and dishonor Mei Lien’s memory? This brilliant debut is atmospheric, beautifully written, and serves as a poignant tale of the importance of our own stories.

Quick Book Club Food and Beverage Guide

Best Snacks: Blackberry Pie, Crab Cakes, Cornmeal Catfish Sandwiches, Chili Wontons, Pork Buns, Sesame Noodles

Best Wine: Viognier—Wild Horse Winery, Montpellier Vineyards, Honey Moon

Best Beer: Lambic—Brasserie Cantillon, Upland, Lindemans

Best Coffee: City Roast—Vienna Coffee Company, Coffee Bean Direct, Farmer Brothers

Best Tea: Oolong—Teavana Watermelon Basil Oolong Tea, Prince of Peace Organic, Mighty Leaf Tea Bleu Peacock

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“This story is compelling, heartrending, and absolutely a beautiful read.”
—Debbie Buck, Vintage Books (Vancouver, WA)
What secrets may have lurked in the shadows of Albert Einstein’s fame? His first wife, Mileva “Mitza” Marić, was more than the devoted mother of their three children—she was also a brilliant physicist in her own right, and her contributions to the special theory of relativity have been hotly debated for more than a century.

In *The Other Einstein*, as Albert’s fame grows, so too does Mileva’s worry that her light will be lost in her husband’s shadow forever. A literary historical in the tradition of *The Paris Wife* and *Mrs. Poe*, *The Other Einstein* reveals a complicated partnership that is as fascinating as it is troubling.

**About the book:**

*The Other Einstein* reveals a complicated partnership that is as fascinating as it is troubling.

**Book Club Mood Match:**

“Superb…the haunting story of Einstein’s brilliant first wife who was lost in his shadow.”

—SUE MONK KIDD, New York Times bestselling author of *The Invention of Wings*, *The Secret Life of Bees*, and *The Mermaid Chair*

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**QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE**

**Best Snacks:** German Fare—Bauernwurst with Sauerkraut, Potato Pancakes, Brie with Green Apples, Kinder Candies

**Best Wine:** Riesling—Barefoot Riesling, Charles Smith Kung Fu Girl Riesling, Red Newt Cellars Circle Riesling

**Best Beer:** German Brews—Hofbräu Original, Paulaner Original Munich Lager, Flensburger Pilsener

**Best Coffee:** Espresso—Evocation Coffee Roasters Co. Epoch Espresso, Intelligentsia Coffee Black Cat Classic Espresso, Chromatic Coffee Gamut Espresso

**Best Tea:** Black—Twinings Tea USA Blackcurrant Breeze, Tazo Vanilla Caramel Chai, Argo Tea Earl Grey Crème
In 1931, ambitious reporter Ellis Reed photographs the gut-wrenching sign that reads 2 children for Sale posted beside a pair of siblings on a farmhouse porch. Ellis writes an article to accompany the photo—capturing the hardships of American families during the Great Depression—which generates national attention and Ellis’s career skyrockets. But the piece also leads to consequences more devastating than he ever imagined—and it will risk everything he values to unravel the mystery and set things right.

A picture is worth a thousand words, but sometimes the story behind the picture is worth a thousand more. From New York Times bestselling author Kristina McMorris comes another unforgettable novel inspired by a stunning piece of history.
The 7½ Deaths of Evelyn Hardcastle

By Stuart Turton

FICTION • 978-1-4926-7012-4
TRADE PAPER • $16.99

For book clubs who loved:
Ashley Bell and Agatha Christie

About the book:
The most inventive debut of 2018, this clever, mind-bending murder mystery will leave readers guessing until the very last page.

• One of Stylist magazine’s 20 Must-Read Books of 2018
• One of Harper’s BAZAAR’s 10 Must-Read Books of 2018
• One of Marie Claire Australia’s 10 Books You Absolutely Have to Read in 2018

At a gala party thrown by her parents, Evelyn Hardcastle will be killed. Again. She’s been murdered hundreds of times, and each day, Aiden Bishop is too late to save her. Doomed to repeat the same day over and over, Aiden’s only escape is to solve Evelyn Hardcastle’s murder. However, nothing and no one are quite what they seem.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:
“Agatha Christie meets Downton Abbey with a splash of red wine and Twin Peaks.”
—DELILAH S. DAWSON, New York Times bestselling author

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: Game Night Snacks—Soft Pretzel Bites with Cheese Spread, Tomato & Mozzarella Caprese Skewers, Spinach & Feta Spanakopita Triangles, Baked Zucchini Fries, Peanut Butter Chocolate Chip Cookies

Best Wine: Zinfandel—Murder Ridge Wildlands, Michael David Winery 7 Deadly Zins, Hanh Family Wines Boneshaker

Best Beer: Imperial IPAs—Heretic Brewing Company Evil Cousin, Black Shirt Brewing Co. Red Evelyn, Dark Horse Brewing Co. Double Crooked Tree

Best Coffee: Espresso—Kicking Horse Coffee Cliff Hanger Espresso, Koffee Kult Eye Cracker Espresso, Stone Street Coffee Knee Buckling Espresso

Best Tea: White Tea—The Republic of Tea Asian Jasmine, DAVIDsTEA Cherry Blossom, Adagio Teas White Eternal Spring Tea
About the book:

Like most gentiles in Nazi-occupied Paris, architect Lucien Bernard has little empathy for the Jews. So when a wealthy industrialist offers him a large sum of money to devise secret hiding places for Jews, Lucien struggles with the choice of risking his life for a cause he doesn’t really believe in. Ultimately, he can’t resist the challenge and begins designing expertly concealed hiding spaces—behind a painting, within a column, or inside a drainpipe—detecting possibilities invisible to the average eye. But when one of his clever hiding spots fails horribly and the immense suffering of the Jews becomes incredibly personal, he can no longer deny reality.

The Paris Architect

By Charles Belfoure

HISTORICAL FICTION • 978-1-4022-9415-0
TRADE PAPER • $14.99

Available Now

For book clubs who loved:
The Nightingale; City of Women; Sarah’s Key; Those Who Save Us

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“A beautiful and elegant account of an ordinary man’s unexpected and reluctant descent into heroism during the Second World War.” —Malcolm Gladwell

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: French Fare—French Baguette, Fromage de Meaux, French Tourtière, Crème Brûlée

Best Wine: French Pinot Noir—Domaine Pierre Guillemot Bourgogne Rouge, Domaine des Beaumont Gevrey-Chambertin 1er Cru Les Cherbouras

Best Beer: Beer Cocktails—Snakebite, Black Velvet, Black and Tan

Best Coffee: French Coffee—Carte Noire, French Market Coffee City Roast

About the book:

In a North Carolina mountain town filled with moonshine and rotten husbands, Sadie Blue is only the latest girl to face a dead-end future at the mercy of a dangerous drunk. She’s been married to Roy Tupkin for fifteen days, and she knows now that she should have listened to the folks who said he was trouble. But when a stranger sweeps in and knocks the world off-kilter for everyone in town, Sadie begins to think there might be more to life than being Roy’s wife.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“Weiss captures the fierce pull of desperation and the formidable power of hope. An impressive debut from a talent to watch.”

—KATHLEEN GRISSOM, author of the New York Times bestsellers The Kitchen House and Glory Over Everything

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

**Best Snacks:** Southern Fare—Fried or Grilled Chicken Wings with a Variety of Dipping Sauces, Celery and Blue Cheese Sauce, Loaded Tater Tots, Pineapple Pound Cake

**Best Wine:** Wine Coolers—Seagram’s Escapes Calypso Colada, Jack Daniel’s Jack Honey & Lemonade, Mike’s Hard Black Raspberry Lemonade

**Best Beer:** American Standards—Samuel Adams Boston Lager, Miller Genuine Draft, Goose Island

**Best Coffee:** Nutty Flavors—Dean & DeLuca Southern Pecan, PT’s Coffee Finca Villa Loyola, Onyx Coffee Lab Southern Weather Blend

**Best Tea:** White—Twinings Tea USA Pure White, Harney & Sons White Vanilla Grapefruit, The Tea Spot Meditative Mind, TAZO Cucumber White
As World War I raged around the globe, hundreds of young women toiled away at the radium-dial factories, where they painted clock faces with a mysterious new substance called radium. Assured by their bosses that the luminous material was safe, the women themselves shone brightly in the dark, covered from head to toe with the glowing dust. With such a coveted job, these “shining girls” were considered the luckiest alive—until they began to fall mysteriously ill. As the fatal poison of the radium took hold, they found themselves embroiled in one of America’s biggest scandals and a groundbreaking battle for workers’ rights.

About the book:

**Book Club Mood Match:**

- Emma Watson’s Our Shared Shelf Book Club Pick
- #1 Summer 2018 Indie Next Pick for Reading Groups
- New York Times Bestseller

**QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE**

- **Best Snacks:** Comfort Food—Pork Loin with Rosemary and Mustard Rub, Roasted Butternut Squash, Garlic Breadsticks, Vanilla Ice Cream with Raspberries
- **Best Wine:** Sparkling—Fizz 56 Sparkling Red, Mia Sparkling Moscato Rosé, Neige Bubble Sparkling Apple Wine
- **Best Beer:** Citrus—Samuel Adams Rebel Grapefruit IPA, Almanac Beer Co. Farmer’s Reserve Citrus, Boulevard Brewing Company Cranberry Orange Radler
- **Best Coffee:** Artisan Roasters—Counter Culture Coffee Hologram, Chromatic Coffee Holy Mountain Blend, Atomic Coffee Roasters Rocketeer Blend
- **Best Tea:** Loose Leaf—Mountain Rose Herbs Mango Ceylon, DAVIDsTEA Raspberry Cream Pie, Argo Tea Hazelnut Chai
The hardscrabble folks of Troublesome Creek have to scrap for everything—everything except books, that is. Thanks to Roosevelt’s Kentucky Pack Horse Library Project, Troublesome’s got its very own traveling librarian, Cussy Mary Carter.

Cussy’s not only a book woman, however; she’s also the last of her kind, her skin a shade of blue unlike most anyone else. If Cussy wants to bring the joy of books to the hillfolk, she’s going to have to confront prejudice as old as the Appalachias and suspicion as deep as the holler.

**Book Club Mood Match:**

“Fascinating... impressive storytelling.”

—RON RASH, *New York Times* bestselling author

**QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE**

- **Best Snacks:** Potato Candy, Appalachian Corn Bread, Biscuits and Chocolate Gravy
- **Best Moonshine:** Ole Smoky Blue Flame, Smith Creek Butter Cake, Midnight Moon Apple Pie
- **Best Beer:** Bourbon Barrel Ales—Lexington Brewing & Distilling Co. Kentucky Bourbon Barrel Ale, Founders Brewing Co. Backwoods Bastard, Goose Island Bourbon County Brand Stout
- **Best Coffee:** Dark Coffee—Bones Coffee Company Maple Bacon, Ole Smoky Mountain Java Moonshine
- **Best Tea:** Sweet Tea—SweetLeaf Organic, TAZO Organic Iced Black Tea, Smith Creek Sweet Tea Moonshine
About the book:

When Layla Saad began an Instagram challenge called #meandwhitesupremacy, she never predicted it would become a cultural movement. She encouraged people to own up and share their racist behaviors, big and small. She was looking for truth, and she got it...

Updated and expanded from the original edition, *Me and White Supremacy* teaches readers how to dismantle the privilege within themselves so they can stop (often unconsciously) inflicting damage on people of color and, in turn, help other white people do better too.

*Me and White Supremacy*
Combat Racism, Change the World, and Become a Good Ancestor

By Layla F. Saad

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For book clubs who loved:

- *White Fragility: Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk about Racism; So You Want to Talk about Race; How to Be an Antiracist*

Book Club Mood Match:

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What people are saying:

“Personal…difficult, effective, and imperative.”

—GLENNON DOYLE, author of #1 *New York Times* bestseller *Love Warrior* and founder of *Together Rising*
About the book:

Claire Cook has a perfect life. Married to the scion of a political dynasty, with a Manhattan town house and a staff of ten, her surroundings are elegant, her days flawlessly choreographed, and her future auspicious. But behind closed doors, that perfect husband has a temper that burns as bright as his promising political career, and he’s not above using his staff to track Claire’s every move, making sure she’s living up to his impossible standards. But what he doesn’t know is that Claire has worked for months on a plan to vanish and a chance meeting in an airport bar, with a woman whose circumstances are as dire, will give new meaning to the phrase “last call.”

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“Gripping...haunting, vulnerable.”

—AIMEE MOLLOY, New York Times bestselling author of The Perfect Mother
About the book:

When tangentially—and reluctantly—famous Luc O’Donnell is forced back into the spotlight in the worst possible way, he has to think fast if he wants to save his floundering reputation. Enter Oliver Blackwood. Stunningly handsome, effortlessly put together, and has never appeared in a scandal mag even once. In other words, he’s perfect boyfriend material and exactly what Luc needs to appear respectable again. But when their fake relationship starts to feel real, Luc and Oliver have to consider whether they’re willing to fight for their new relationship...scandal, and consequences, be damned.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“Brilliance on every single page. I LOVE THIS BOOK.”
—CHRISTINA LAUREN, New York Times and USA Today bestselling author

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: London Classics—Eton Mess, Fish and Chips, Beef Wellington, Blueberry Scones

Best Wine: Red—Chateau Grand Traverse Woods Sweet Red, Redwood Creek Pinot Noir, Ménage à Trois Silk

Best Beer: Stout Berry—Samuel Smith Oatmeal Stout, The Awakening Coffee Stout Angry Chair Brewing, Goose Island Reserve Rye Bourbon County Stout

Best Coffee: Cold Brew—Pop & Bottle Vanilla Cold Brew Almond Milk Latte, Chameleon Cold-Brew Dark Chocolate, Starbucks Coffee Company Almond Milk Mocha Frappuccino

About the book:

When Clemmie photographs a wondrous and mysterious object on her cell phone and makes the irrevocable error of forwarding it, she desperately tries to keep a grip on her own personal network of secrets as it swirls over the internet. Can fifty years of careful hiding under names not her own be ruined by one careless picture?

From Caroline B. Cooney, the international bestselling author of The Face on the Milk Carton, comes Before She Was Helen, an absorbing mystery that brings decades-old secrets to life and explores what happens when the lie you’ve been living falls apart and you’re forced to confront the truth.

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: Herb-Roasted Chicken Skewers, Tossed Salad, Sweet Potato Rolls, Red Velvet Cake
Best Wine: Slay Estate & Vineyard Pinot Noir, Ravage Wines Dark Red Blend, Raven Conspiracy Deep Dark Red
Best Beer: New Holland Brewing Co. Dragon’s Milk, Fierce Brewing Fierce Pilsner, Dark Horse Brewing Co. Bourbon Barrel Plead the 5th Imperial Stout
Best Tea: Black—Celestial Seasonings Morning Thunder, Queen Mary Tea Queen’s Earl Grey, The Republic of Tea Rose Petal Black
The Devil and the Dark Water

By Stuart Turton

FICTION • 978-1-7282-0602-8
HARDCOVER • $26.99

For book clubs who loved:
The Turn of the Key; The 7½ Deaths of Evelyn Hardcastle; Sherlock Holmes mysteries

About the book:

Samuel Pipps is the greatest detective of his day… but now he’s a prisoner, accused of an unknown crime. Along with his faithful sidekick, Arent Hayes, they’re sailing back to Amsterdam, where he’ll stand trial. But no sooner are they out to sea than devilry begins. Still shackled in his cell, Pipps sends Hayes to solve a mystery that connects every passenger on board, but when Hayes goes missing, Pipps is faced with the most dangerous puzzle of his career… All the while, voices whisper to him in the dark. But are those whispers clues? Or the devil himself…

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: British Fare—Sunday Roast with Vegetables, Focaccia Bread, Leek and Potato Soup, Sticky Toffee Pudding

Best Wine: Fortified—Cesar Florido Moscatel Dorado, Osborne Cream Sherry, Fonseca Ruby Port

Best Beer: English Brews—Fuller’s London Pride Ale, Samuel Smith Old Brewery Tadcaster Oatmeal Stout, Strongbow Honey & Apple Hard Cider

Best Coffee: Vanilla—Dunkin’ Vanilla Cupcake, Bones Coffee Company French Vanilla, Caribou Coffee Honey Vanilla Harmony

Best Tea: Breakfast—Adagio Irish Breakfast, Mountain Rose Herbs English Breakfast, Twinings English Breakfast
The Arctic Fury

Available Now

By Greer Macallister

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For book clubs who loved:
The Radium Girls; The Flight Girls; Code Girls

About the book:

 Eccentric Lady Jane Franklin makes an outlandish offer to adventurer Virginia Reeve: take a dozen women, trek into the Arctic, and find her husband’s lost expedition. Four parties have failed to find him, and Lady Franklin wants a radical new approach: put the women in charge.

Set against the unforgiving backdrop of one of the world’s most inhospitable locations, USA Today bestselling author Greer Macallister uses the true story of Lady Jane Franklin’s tireless attempts to find her husband’s lost expedition as a jumping-off point to spin a tale of bravery, intrigue, perseverance, and hope.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“In her enthralling new novel, The Arctic Fury, Greer Macallister takes her readers on a thrilling, if arduous, journey to the Arctic north.”

—MARIE BENEDICT, New York Times bestselling author of The Only Woman in the Room

Quick Book Club Food and Beverage Guide

Best Snacks: Cold Weather Favorites—Baked Cod, Homemade Hot Cocoa, Oven-Baked S’mores

Best Wine: Spiced or Mulled: Wintersaison Glühwein, Brotherhood Holiday Spiced, Glunz Vin Glogg

Best Beer: Arctic Brews—Einstök Icelandic White Ale, Harpoon Brewery IPA, Alaskan Brewing Winter Ale

Best Coffee: Breakfast Blends—Intelligentsia Coffee El Gallo Organic Breakfast Blend, Starbucks Coffee Company Breakfast Blend, Raven’s Brew Coffee Breakfast Blend

Best Tea: Black Tea—TAZO Chai Classic, Tazo Earl Grey
About the book:

December 1926: England unleashes the largest manhunt in its history. The object of the search is not an escaped convict or a war criminal, but the missing wife of a WWI hero, up-and-coming mystery author Agatha Christie.

When her car is found wrecked and abandoned, the country is in a frenzy. Eleven days later, Agatha reappears, claiming amnesia. She provides no answers for her disappearance. That is…until she writes a very strange book about a missing woman, a murderous husband, and a plan to expose the truth.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“A winning whodunit from the thrilling life story of the mistress of whodunits, Agatha Christie herself.”
—Kate Quinn, New York Times bestselling author of The Alice Network

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: Dinner Party—Heirloom Tomato Tart, Goat Cheese Enchiladas, Mixed Greens Salad, Cheesecake
Best Beer: Pilsners—Speakeasy Ales & Lagers Pop Gun German Pilsner, Night Shift Brewing Pfaffenhein, Burial Beer Co. Shadowcask
Best Coffee: Dark Roast—Raven’s Brew Coffee Deadman’s Reach, Intelligentsia Coffee El Diablo, Dark Matter Coffee Sip of Hope
Best Tea: Gunpowder—Adagio Gunpowder, The Tea Spot Gunpowder Green, The Republic of Tea Moroccan Mint Green
About the book:

Against the wishes of his family and the laws of the elders of the Mormon church, Blake Nelson has adopted the old polygamous ways and lives alone with his three wives, miles from anywhere, in rural Utah. Blake and his wives kept to themselves—and kept most folks out. That is, until his dead body is discovered.

Black Widows is told in the three voices of Blake’s very different wives, who hate one another and who sometimes hated their husband. Blake’s dead. Did his wife kill him? And if so, which one?

Black Widows

By Cate Quinn

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For book clubs who loved:
It’s Always the Husband; My Lovely Wife; The Handmaid’s Tale

Quick Book Club Food and Beverage Guide

- Best Snacks: Sweet and Savory—Artisan Cheese Tray, Lake Champlain Chocolates, Fresh Blueberries, Crusty Bread
- Best Wine: Rosé—Citizen Cider Rosé, Fresh Tracks Farm Vermont Rosé, Shelburne Vineyard Whimsey Meadow Rosé
- Best Coffee: Maple—Bones Coffee Company Maple Bacon, Donut Shop Classics Maple Glazed, Turkey Hill Pure Maple Coffee
- Best Tea: Herbal—Celestial Seasonings Vermont Maple Ginger, The Republic of Tea Blackberry Sage, Tea Forté Blueberry Merlot

What people are saying:

“Absolutely thrilling... clever and completely original.”

- Alex Michaelides, author of the #1 New York Times bestseller The Silent Patient
The Girls in the Stilt House

By Kelly Mustian

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For book clubs who loved:
Where the Crawdads Sing; The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek; The Girls in the Stilt House

About the book:
Ada promised herself she would never go back to the Trace, to her unbearable life on the swamp, and to her harsh father. But she finds herself with nowhere to go but back home. Matilda, daughter of a sharecropper, is from the other side of the Trace and longs to go north. For now, she’s doing what she can to protect her family from particularly callous locals.

As the two girls are drawn deeper into a dangerous world of bootleggers and moral corruption in 1920s Mississippi, they form an unlikely partnership and uncover a hidden past that links them in ways that could cost them their lives.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:
“An astonishingly assured debut...that holds you spellbound.”
—Elizabeth Letts, #1 New York Times bestselling author of Finding Dorothy

Quick Book Club Food and Beverage Guide

Best Snacks: Mississippi Classics—Mississippi Mud Pie, Homemade Corn Bread, Fried Shrimp
Best Cocktails: Classic Southern—Mint Julep, Mississippi Bourbon Punch, Rum Runner, Old-Fashioned
Best Beer: Mississippi Craft Brews—Lazy Magnolia Timber Beast, Diary of a Madman, Lazy Magnolia Southern Gold, Breakside Brewery Imperial Honey Double IPA
Best Coffee: Local Favorite—Blueberry Cobbler Blend from Strange Brew Coffee House
Best Tea: Homemade Sweet Tea
Footnotes

By Caseen Gaines

Available May 2021

For book clubs who loved: Hidden Figures; Something Wonderful

About the book:

Before Hamilton, before The Wiz, and even before Porgy and Bess, there was Shuffle Along, the 1921 all-Black Broadway show that changed the course of American entertainment.

Amidst a culture actively whitewashing, controlling, or trying to prevent their stories from being told, the artists behind Shuffle Along created the first all-Black musical to succeed on Broadway. This groundbreaking group of performers and creators—including composer Eubie Blake and lyricist Noble Sissle, along with comedians Flournoy Miller and Aubrey Lyles—sowed the seeds of the Harlem jazz scene and paved the way for innumerable Black actors, dancers, musicians, and composers.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“Remarkable...an important story that deserves to be known better.”

—Brian Jay Jones, New York Times bestselling author

Quick Book Club Food and Beverage Guide

Best Snacks: From the Roaring Twenties—Pineapple Upside Down Cake, Deviled Eggs, Sweet and Sour Cocktail Meatballs
Best Cocktails: 1920s classics—French 75, Bee’s Knees, Sidecar, Highball, Gin Rickey
Best Beer: Speakeasy Prohibition Ale, Four Mile Brewing Pre-Prohibition Cream Ale, Eppig Brewing Nightlife IPA
Best Coffee: NYC Coffee Roasters—City of Saints Coffee Denizen Blend, Peaks Coffee Co. Trailblazer Blend, Café Grumpy Momentum Blend
Best Tea: The classics—Twinings English Breakfast Tea, Tazo Chai Tea, Lipton Iced Tea
About the book:

Raised by the eccentric surgeon Dr. Horace Croft after losing her parents to a deadly pandemic, Nora Beady knows little about conventional life. She is Horace’s most trusted assistant—an unthinkable and unlawful pursuit for a woman. The arrival of a new resident threatens to undo all that she’s strived for. Dr. Daniel Gibson has no idea that Nora is a surgeon more qualified and ingenuitive than even himself. Then Nora makes a discovery that could change the field forever, and she faces an impossible choice: let the men around her take credit for her work, or step into the light—even if it means being destroyed by her own legacy.

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“A memorable literary gift.”

—GLORIA GOLDBEICH, author of The Paris Children

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: London Classics—Eton Mess, Fish and Chips, Beef Wellington, Blueberry Scones

Best Wine: Lady Hill Winery Cuvée Etienne Lucier Slide Mountain, Warwick Estate The First Lady Cabernet Sauvignon, Wyldewood Cellars Lady Dulce Sweet White

Best Beer: Morland Brewery Old Speckled Hen English Fine Ale, Eagle Brewery Young’s Double Chocolate Stout, Boddington’s Pub Ale, Samuel Smith’s Old Brewery Oatmeal Stout

Best Coffee: Dark Roast—Death Wish Coffee Dark Roast, Caffe Vita Queen City Dark Roast

Best Tea: English Breakfast Tea—Twinings of London English Breakfast Tea, TAZO Awake English Breakfast Black Tea, Thrive Fair Trade Organic English Breakfast
The Girl with Stars in Her Eyes

Available May 2021

By Xio Axelrod

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For book clubs who loved:
Daisy Jones & the Six; A Star Is Born; The Boyfriend Project

About the book:

Growing up, Antonia “Toni” Bennett’s guitar was her only companion...until she met Sebastian Quick. Seb was a little older, a lot wiser, and he became Toni’s way out, promising they’d escape their small town together. Then Seb turned eighteen and split without looking back.

Now, Toni is all grown up and making a name for herself in Philadelphia’s indie scene. When a friend suggests she try out for the hottest new band in the country, she decides to take a chance...not realizing that this opportunity will bring her face-to-face with the boy who broke her heart and nearly stole her dreams.

What people are saying:

“Sharp, propulsive, and sexy... I couldn’t put it down.”
—Christina Lauren, New York Times and #1 International bestselling author

Quick Book Club Food and Beverage Guide

Best Snacks: Philly Classics—Philly Cheesesteak, Hoagies, Soft Pretzels, Tastykakes, Street Tacos
Best Wine: Cabernet Sauvignon—Jones of Washington, Vina San Pedro 1865 Single Vineyard, Ridge Crest
Best Beer: Hard Cider—ACE Pineapple, McKenzie’s Black Cherry Hard Cider, Uncle John’s Pear Cider
Best Coffee: Breakfast Blends—Intelligentsia Coffee El Gallo Organic Breakfast Blend, Starbucks Coffee Company Breakfast Blend, Raven’s Brew Breakfast Blend
Best Tea: Decaf—Celestial Seasonings Decaf Green Tea, Mountain Rose Herbs Dream Tea, Bigelow Tea French Vanilla, The Republic of Tea Ginger Peach
About the book:

Ever since her mother’s tragic death right before college graduation, Lex has been running. The only thing she hasn’t done: reach out to anyone from back in Memphis.

Just as she’s most desperate, her godmother, Cami, sends cash, with the condition that Lex return home. There’s a catch: for each day Lex stays, she’ll get pages from her mother’s journal. And not just any pages—the ones from the year before Lex’s birth, a time completely unknown to Lex. As days add up, Lex must confront her past and the people she left behind. Once all is laid bare, Lex must decide for herself: What is the true meaning of family?

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“Women’s fiction lovers won’t be able to put down this story.”
—KRISTY WOODSON HARVEY, USA Today bestselling author of Feels Like Falling

QUICK BOOK CLUB FOOD AND BEVERAGE GUIDE

Best Snacks: Potluck—Mini Muffin Tin Meatloaf, Corn Bread Casserole, Four Cheese Mac & Cheese, Eskimo Pie

Best Wine: Midwestern Wineries—Galena Cellars Vineyard Rhubarb, Tabor Hill White Table Wine Signature Blend, Fireside Winery Storyteller

Best Beer: Stout—SingleSpeed Brewing Tip the Cow Milk Stout, Backpocket Brewing Wake Up Iowa Coffee Stout, Wicked Weed Brewing Milk & Cookies Stout

Best Coffee: Donut Shop—Green Mountain Donut Shop Coffee, Dunkin’ Original Blend, New England Coffee Donut Shop Blend

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About the book:

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Best Snacks: Parmesan-Rosemary Popcorn, Goat Cheese and Caramelized Onion Flatbread, Chocolate Chip Puff Pastry Sticks
Best Wine: Dark Red Blends—19 Crimes Red Blend, Actum Sinister Dark Red Blend, Apothic Dark
Best Beer: Brown Ales—Pete’s Wicked Ale, Ale Asylum Madtown Nutbrown
Best Coffee: Dark Roast—Intelligentsia Black Cat Classic Espresso, Starbucks Coffee Company Komodo Dragon Blend
Best Tea: Maté—Adagio Teas Mocha Nut Maté, The Tea Spot Climber’s High Chai, DAVIDsTEA Chocolate Rocket
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Best Snacks: Finger Foods—Veggie Tartlet, Stuffed Mini Peppers, Mini BLT Appetizers
Best Cocktails: Overnight Flight Favorites—Gin and Tonic, Mimosa, Rum and Coke, Scotch and Soda
Best Beer: From London to Sydney—Fuller’s London Porter, Victoria Bitter, Matilda Bay Alpha Pale Ale
Best Coffee: Dunkin’ Dark Roast, Folger’s Classic Roast
Best Tea: Twinings English Breakfast Tea

ABOUT THE BOOK:

Mina is trying to focus on her job as a flight attendant, not the problems of her five-year-old daughter back home, or the fissures in her marriage. But the plane has barely taken off when Mina receives a chilling note from an anonymous passenger, someone intent on ensuring the plane never reaches its destination. Someone who needs Mina’s assistance and who knows exactly how to make her comply.

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Book Club Mood Match:

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- The books that inspired the blockbuster movies
**About the book:**

Three Black women are linked in unexpected ways to the same influential white man in Stockholm as they build their new lives: Kemi Adeyemi is lured from the U.S. to Sweden by Johan von Lundin, CEO of a large marketing firm, to help fix a PR nightmare. A chance meeting with von Lundin propels former model Brittany-Rae Johnson into a life of privilege and luxury as the object of his obsession. Somali refugee Muna Saheed, who cleans von Lundin’s office, only wants to find a family after losing everything.

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- **Best Snacks:** Knäckebröd Crisp Bread with cheese and ham, Smörgåsbord of Swedish meatballs, mini sausages, and cured salmon
- **Best Cocktails:** Swedish Glögg, Swedish Mule
- **Best Beer:** Brekeriet Funkstarter, Dugges Tropic Punch Ale, Omnipollo Agamemnon Imperial Stout
- **Best Coffee:** Swedish Egg Coffee, Intelligentsia Decaf House Blend
- **Best Tea:** Tea Forte Citrus Mint, Celestial Herbal Tea, Lipton Green Tea
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If the Creek Don’t Rise; Before We Were Yours; Sold on a Monday

About the book:

At a time when girls’ aspirations are limited, Lucy and Bert seek adventure, resolving to find and solve the small mysteries of Riverton, North Carolina. Their chance arises when a man goes missing, a woman goes crazy, and a mystic gives the girls a mystery to solve that takes them beyond the ordinary.

This quiet town, seasoned with honeybees and sweet tea, becomes a Nazi prisoner-of-war camp, and the once gentle place now ripples with underlying tension. More men go missing. And together the girls embark on a journey to answer the ultimate question: Do they know who the enemy really is?

Book Club Mood Match:

What people are saying:

“Weiss captures the fierce pull of desperation and the formidable power of hope.”

—KATHLEEN GRISsom, New York Times bestselling author, for Weiss’s previous title, If the Creek Don’t Rise

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Best Snacks: Honey-Roasted Carrots, Fried Okra, Homemade Moon Pie, Pimento Cheese & Crackers, Hush Puppies


Best Beer: Local North Carolina Brew—New Belgium Fat Tire Amber Ale, Bold Rock Apple Hard Cider, Appalachian Mountain Brewery Boone Creek Blonde Ale

Best Coffee: Medium Roast Coffee—Gevalia House Blend, Caribou Coffee Traveler’s Blend, Starbucks Breakfast Blend

Best Tea: Black Tea—Tazo Chai Classic, Tazo Earl Grey, Tazo Iced True Black
About the book:

Superintendent of Nurses Julia Stimson and sixty-five inexperienced young nurses arrive on the front lines of World War I to find chaos. With 1,300 soldiers stuffed into a facility built for 500, providing even the most basic care is challenging—and Julia quickly learns that male doctors see her as a threat to their authority.

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**Best Snacks:** Basil and Pine Nut Crusted Salmon, Honey Glazed Shrimp, Honey Soufflé, Mozzarella and Feta Cheese

**Best Wine:** French—Mercier Brut, La Vieille Ferme Rosé, Moulin d’Issan Bordeaux Superieur

**Best Beer:** Rye Beer—Two Brothers Cane & Ebel Red Rye Ale, Founders Brewing Company Red’s Rye Ale, Bell’s Brewery Smitten Golden Rye Ale

**Best Coffee:** Single Source—Caribou Colombia Flor del Huila, Raven’s Brew Coffee Misty Fjords, PT’s Coffee Roasting Els oorro Pacamara Honey

**Best Tea:** Bagged Teas—Stash Tea Pomegranate Raspberry Green Tea, The Republic of Tea Blackberry Sage, Argo Hibiscus Apple
**About the book:**

Jessica Miller plans to triumphantly return to Duquette University for her ten-year reunion. She’s the most successful out of her college friends, and she’s ready to flaunt her achievements…even though her “friend group,” known on campus as the East House Seven, doesn’t really exist anymore.

Ten years ago, Heather, one of their own, was murdered and another friend was accused of committing the vile act, fracturing the once close-knit group. Jessica thinks she’s coming back to campus to bask in a wave of glory. She has no idea that someone has set an elaborate trap to catch the real killer and close the cold case for good.

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“An addictive and riveting psychological thriller.”

—Liv Constantine, international bestselling author of The Last Mrs. Parrish

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**Best Snacks:** Upscale Tailgate Food—Chili con Carne, Jalapeno Cheddar Beer Bread, Warm Artichoke and Bacon Dip with French Baguette, Butterscotch Peanut Butter Bars

**Best Wine:** White Wine Spritzers—Muirwood Sauvignon Blanc, Santa Carolina Sauvignon Blanc, Clos du Bois Pinot Grigio

**Best Beer:** Local Brews—12 Bones Brewing Hop Shower Sour, NoDa Jam Session, Mother Earth Long Weekend India Pale Ale

**Best Coffee:** Cappuccino—Verena Street Espresso, JO ESPRESSO Medium Dark Roast Coffee, Lavazza Gran Espresso Blend, Koffee Kult Dark Roasted Coffee

**Best Tea:** Herbal—Twinings Buttermint, Yogi Egyptian Licorice, Stash Tea Caribbean Mango
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