

*Salvation of a Saint*

By Keigo Higashino  
**MYS HIG, LP MYS HIG**

From the author of the internationally bestselling, award-winning *The Devotion of Suspect X* comes the latest novel featuring “Detective Galileo.” The first major English language publication

from the most popular bestselling writer in Japan, it was acclaimed as “stunning,” “brilliant,” and “ingenious.”

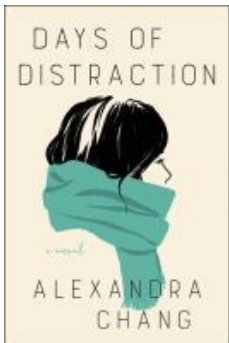


*The Best We Could Do*

By Thi Bui  
**ANF 973.049592 BUI**

This beautifully illustrated and emotional story is an evocative memoir about the search for a better future and a longing for the past. Exploring the anguish of

immigration and the lasting effects that displacement has, Bui documents the story of her family's daring escape after the fall of South Vietnam.



*Days of Distraction*

By Alexandra Chang  
**FIC CHA**

A wry, tender portrait of a young woman--finally free to decide her own path, but unsure if she knows herself well enough to choose wisely. The plan is to leave.

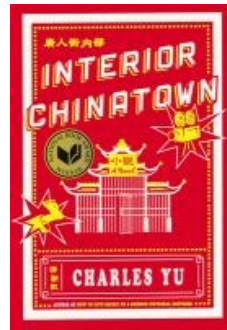
As for how, when, to where, and even why--she doesn't know yet.



*First Person Singular*

By Haruki Murakami  
**FIC MUR**

A riveting new collection of short stories from the beloved, internationally acclaimed Japanese author, Haruki Murakami. The eight masterful stories in this new collection are all told in the first person by a classic Murakami narrator: a lonely man.

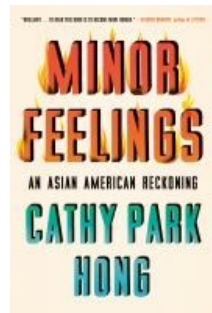


*Interior Chinatown*

By Charles Yu  
**FIC YU, LP YU, ABC YU**

Playful but heartfelt, a send-up of Hollywood tropes and Asian stereotypes--Interior Chinatown is Charles Yu's most moving, daring, and masterful novel yet. Winner of the 2020 National book

award.

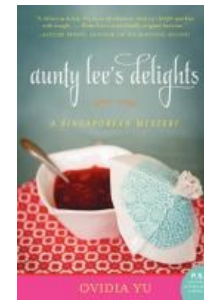


*Minor feelings : An Asian American Reckoning*

By Cathy Park Hong  
**ANF 305.489507 HON**

Asian Americans inhabit a purgatorial status: neither white enough nor black enough, unmentioned in most conversations about

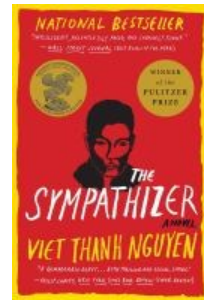
racial identity. In the popular imagination, Asian Americans are all high-achieving professionals. But in reality, this is the most economically divided group in the country, a tenuous alliance of people with roots from South Asia to East Asia to the Pacific Islands, from tech millionaires to service industry laborers.



*Auntie Lee's Delights*

By Ovidia Yu  
**MYS YU**

This delectable and witty mystery introduces Rosie “Auntie” Lee, feisty widow, amateur sleuth, and proprietor of Singapore's best loved home cooking restaurant. Yum!



*The Sympathizer*

By Viet Thanh Nguyen  
**FIC NGU, LP NGU**

The winner of the 2016 Pulitzer Prize for Fiction, as well as seven other awards, *The Sympathizer* is the breakthrough novel of the year. With the pace and

suspense of a thriller and prose that has been compared to Graham Greene and Saul Bellow, it is a sweeping epic of love and betrayal.

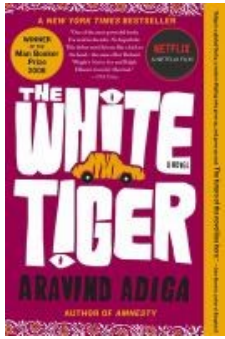


*Everything I Never Told You*

By Celeste Ng  
**FIC NG, ABC NG**

Lydia is dead. But they don't know this yet. So begins the story of this exquisite debut novel, about a Chinese American family living in 1970s small-town Ohio. Lydia is the favorite child of

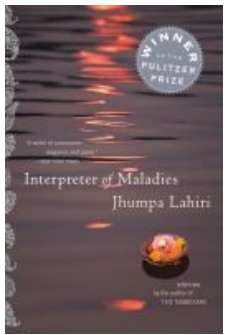
Marilyn and James Lee; their middle daughter, a girl who inherited her mother's bright blue eyes and her father's jet-black hair. Her parents are determined that Lydia will fulfill the dreams they were unable to pursue.



*The White Tiger*  
By Aravind Adiga  
**FIC ADI, CDA FIC ADI**

Balam Halwai is a complicated man. Servant. Philosopher. Entrepreneur. Murderer. Over the course of seven nights, by the scattered light of a preposterous chandelier,

Balam tells the terrible and transfixing story of how he came to be a success in life.



*Interpreter of Maladies*  
By Jhumpa Lahiri  
**FIC LAH**

Winner of the Pulitzer Prize for fiction, this stunning debut collection unerringly charts the emotional journeys of characters seeking love beyond the barriers of nations and

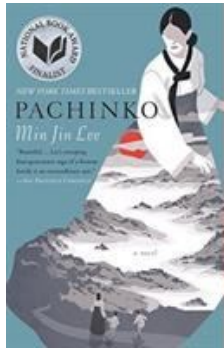
generations. In stories that travel from India to America and back again, Lahiri speaks with universal eloquence to everyone who has ever felt like a foreigner.



*Crazy Rich Asians*  
By Kevin Kwan  
**FIC KWA, CDA FIC KWA**

*Crazy Rich Asians* is the outrageously funny debut novel about three super-rich, pedigreed Chinese families in Singapore and the gossip, backbiting, and scheming that occur when the heir to a

massive fortune brings home his American-born Chinese girlfriend to the wedding of the season.



*Pachinko*  
By Min Jin Lee  
**FIC LEE, LP FIC LEE**

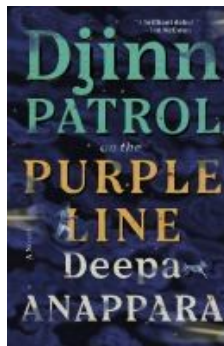
*Pachinko* follows one Korean family through the generations after they move to Japan, beginning in early 1900s Korea with Sunja, the prized daughter of a proud, poor family whose unplanned pregnancy threatens to shame them all.



*Human Acts*  
By Han Kang  
**FIC KAN**

A riveting, poetic and unrelentingly powerful work from the author of the 2016 Man Booker International Prize-winning novel *The Vegetarian*. In the midst of a violent student uprising in South Korea, a young boy named

Dong-ho is shockingly killed.



*Djinn Patrol on the Purple Line*  
By Deepa Anappara  
**FIC ANA, LP FIC ANA**

Nine-year-old Jai watches too many reality police shows, thinks he's smarter than his friend Pari (even though she gets the best grades), and considers himself to be a better boss than Faiz (even

though Faiz is the one with a job). When a classmate goes missing, Jai uses the crime-solving skills he picked up from TV to find him.

# Must Read Asian Authors

