

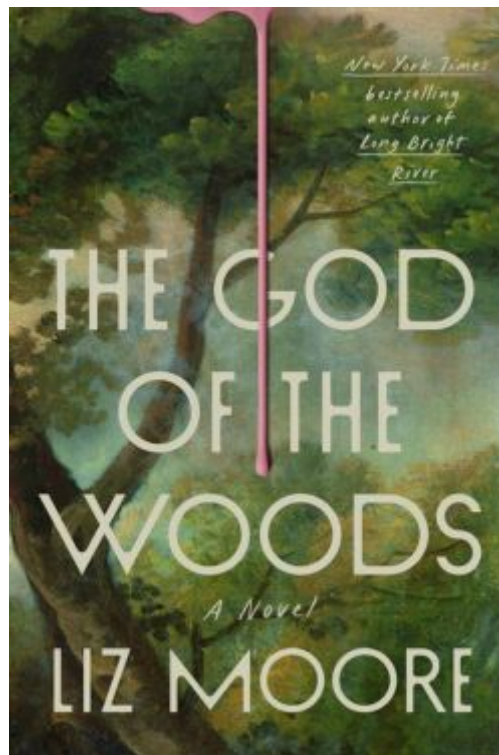


July 2024 is set to deliver an exciting array of books across various genres, from gripping thrillers to heartwarming romances and everything in between. Whether you're looking to escape into a fantastical world or unravel a complex mystery, this month's releases have something for everyone. Here's a detailed look at the 20 most anticipated books of July 2024.

20 Most Anticipated Books of July 2024

1. *The God of the Woods*: By Liz Moore
2. *Breaking the Dark* (Marvel Crime, #1): By Lisa Jewell
3. *The Grandest Game* (The Grandest Game, #1): By Jennifer Lynn Barnes
4. *The Lion Women of Tehran*: By Marjan Kamali
5. *The Bright Sword*: By Lev Grossman
6. *The Darkness Within Us* (The Shadows Between Us, #2): By Tricia Levenseller
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The God of the Woods: By Liz Moore



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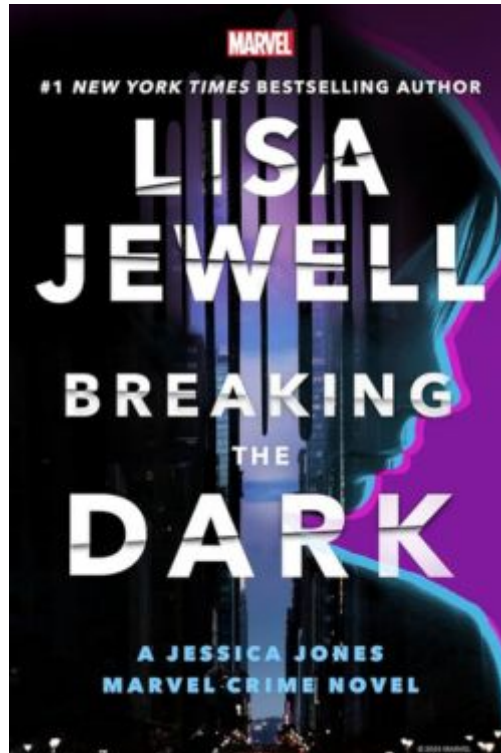
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Liz Moore's "The God of the Woods" promises to be a captivating read that blends elements of mythology with a modern-day mystery. Set in a small, secluded town, the novel follows the story of a young woman who discovers that her family's history is intertwined with ancient legends of a powerful deity that supposedly guards the woods surrounding her home.

As she delves deeper into her ancestry and the secrets of the forest, she uncovers truths that challenge her understanding of reality and her place in the world. Moore's masterful storytelling and rich character development make this a must-read for fans of contemporary fantasy and suspense.



Breaking the Dark (Marvel Crime, #1): By Lisa Jewell



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Lisa Jewell, known for her gripping psychological thrillers, ventures into the world of crime fiction with “Breaking the Dark.” This first installment in the Marvel Crime series introduces readers to a gritty, noir-esque city where crime runs rampant and justice is often elusive.

The novel centers around a seasoned detective who teams up with an unlikely ally to solve a series of brutal murders that seem to be connected to a larger, more sinister conspiracy. With its complex characters and intricate plot, “Breaking the Dark” is set to be a thrilling page-turner that will keep readers on the edge of their seats.

The Grandest Game (The Grandest Game, #1): By Jennifer Lynn



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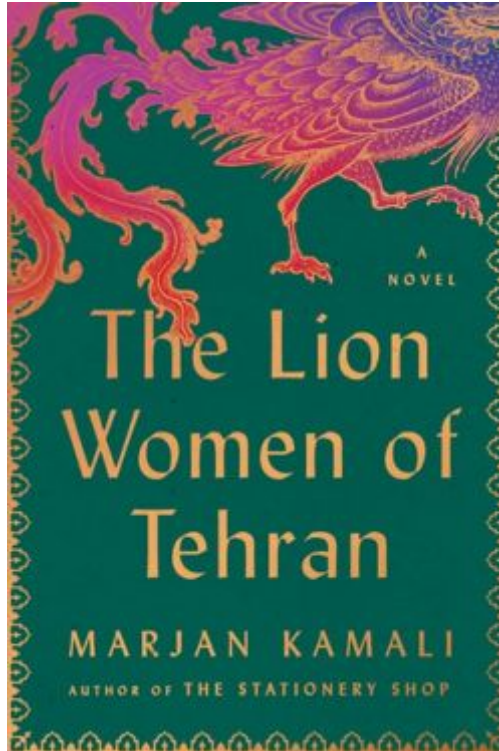
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Jennifer Lynn Barnes, acclaimed author of young adult mysteries, brings us “The Grandest Game,” the first book in an exciting new series. This novel follows a group of teenagers who are invited to participate in a high-stakes game orchestrated by a reclusive billionaire.

As they navigate the challenges and puzzles set before them, they begin to uncover dark secrets about their host and the true nature of the game. With its blend of mystery, suspense, and psychological intrigue, “The Grandest Game” is a perfect summer read for fans of thrilling adventures.



The Lion Women of Tehran: By Marjan Kamali



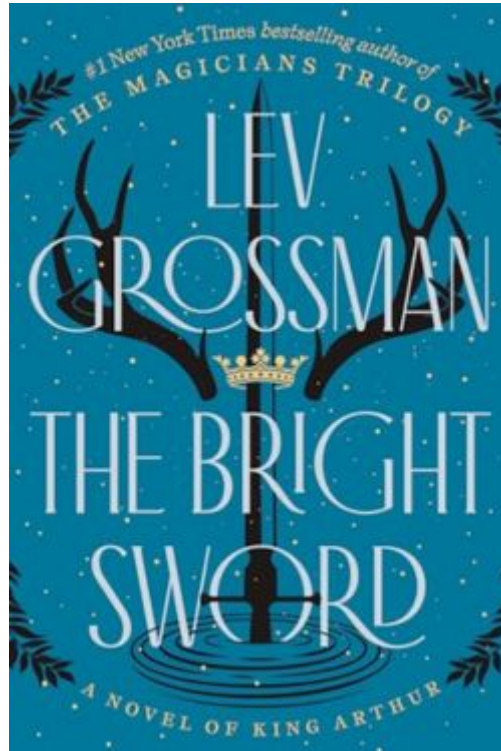
The Lion Women of Tehran: By Marjan Kamali

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Marjan Kamali's "The Lion Women of Tehran" is a poignant and powerful novel that explores the lives of three generations of Iranian women. Set against the backdrop of Iran's tumultuous history, the book delves into themes of resilience, identity, and the enduring strength of women.

Through the interconnected stories of these women, Kamali paints a vivid picture of their struggles and triumphs, offering readers a deeply emotional and enriching experience. This novel is a testament to the power of storytelling and the unbreakable bonds of family.

The Bright Sword: By Lev Grossman



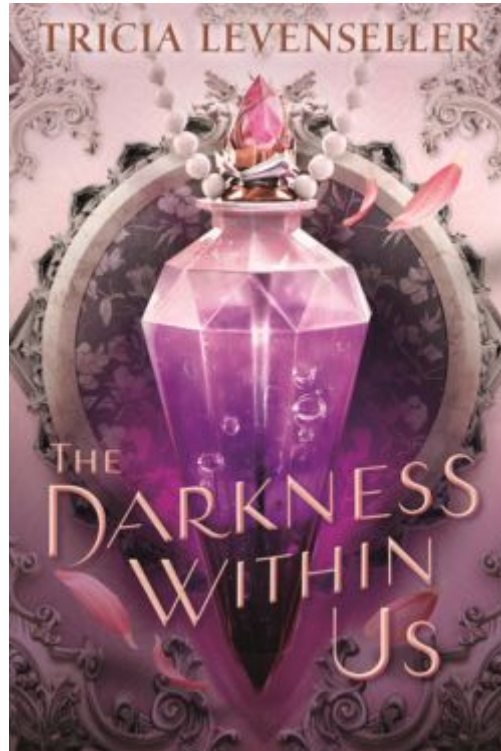
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Lev Grossman, author of the bestselling *Magicians* trilogy, returns with “*The Bright Sword*,” a standalone fantasy novel that reimagines the legends of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table. Grossman’s unique take on these classic tales breathes new life into the characters and their adventures.

The novel follows a young squire who discovers a hidden destiny tied to an ancient prophecy and the fabled sword Excalibur. With its lush world-building, compelling characters, and epic battles, “*The Bright Sword*” is sure to captivate fans of fantasy literature.

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In “The Darkness Within Us,” Tricia Levenseller continues the dark and enthralling tale begun in “The Shadows Between Us.” The sequel delves deeper into the twisted relationship between Alessandra and the Shadow King, exploring the lengths they will go to secure their power and protect each other.

Levenseller’s sharp writing and morally complex characters make this a gripping read that will keep fans hooked from start to finish. As secrets are revealed and new threats emerge, the stakes are higher than ever in this captivating fantasy series.

The Lost Story: By Meg Shaffer



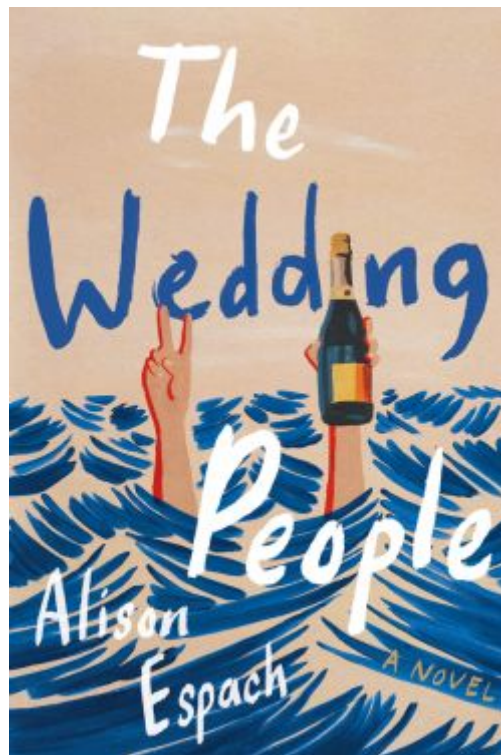
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Meg Shaffer's "The Lost Story" is a heartwarming novel about the power of literature and the magic of storytelling. The book follows a struggling writer who stumbles upon an old manuscript that seems to hold the key to her own family's mysterious past.

As she pieces together the narrative, she discovers a tale of love, loss, and redemption that spans generations. Shaffer's evocative prose and richly drawn characters make "The Lost Story" a beautiful tribute to the enduring impact of stories on our lives.

The Wedding People: By Alison Espach



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Alison Espach's "The Wedding People" is a witty and insightful exploration of love, relationships, and the complexities of planning a wedding. The novel centers on a couple navigating the ups and downs of organizing their big day while dealing with the expectations and opinions of their families and friends.

Espach's sharp humor and keen observations about modern romance make this a delightful read for anyone who has ever experienced the chaos and joy of wedding planning. It's a perfect summer read for fans of romantic comedies and contemporary fiction.

Play Along (Windy City, #4): By Liz Tomforde



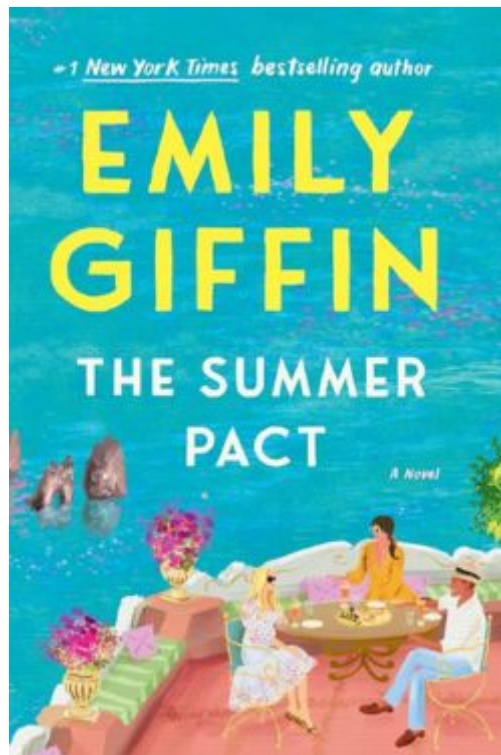
20 Most Anticipated Books of July 2024 - ***Play Along (Windy City, #4): By Liz Tomforde***

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In “Play Along,” the fourth book in the Windy City series, Liz Tomforde delivers another charming and heartfelt romance. The story follows two musicians who find themselves collaborating on a project that could make or break their careers.

As they work together, sparks fly and they must confront their pasts and their fears about the future. Tomforde’s engaging writing and lovable characters make this a delightful addition to the series, perfect for fans of contemporary romance.

The Summer Pact: By Emily Giffin



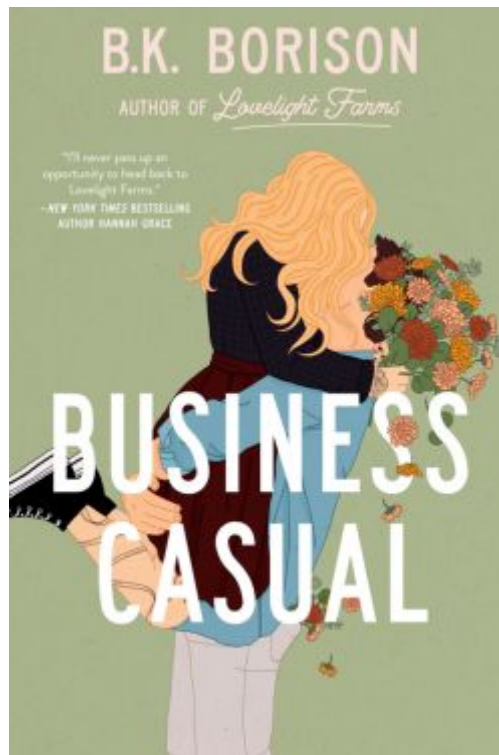
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Emily Giffin's "The Summer Pact" is a moving and evocative novel about friendship, love, and the choices that shape our lives. The story follows a group of friends who reunite for a summer vacation, only to confront the secrets and regrets that have haunted them for years.

Giffin's skillful storytelling and emotional depth make this a compelling read that explores the complexities of human relationships. "The Summer Pact" is sure to resonate with readers who enjoy thought-provoking and emotionally rich fiction.

Business Casual (Lovelight, #4): By B.K. Borison



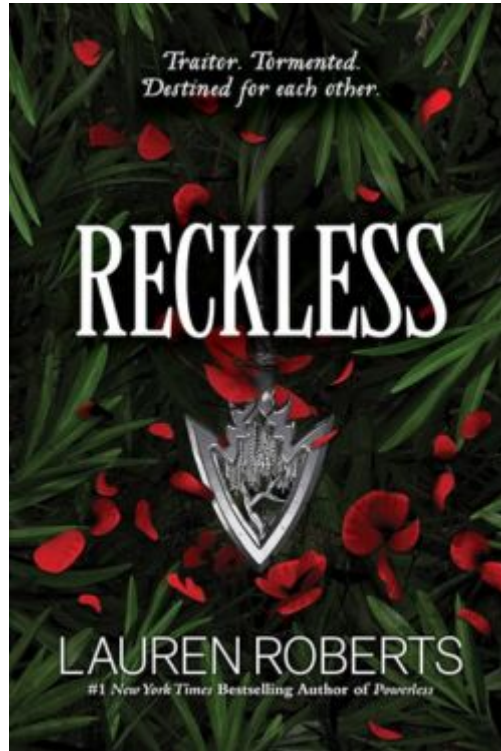
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B.K. Borison's "Business Casual" is the fourth installment in the Lovelight series, offering a fresh and engaging take on workplace romance. The novel follows two colleagues who find themselves at odds professionally but can't deny their growing attraction to each other.

Borison's witty dialogue and relatable characters make this a fun and enjoyable read, perfect for fans of contemporary romance and office drama. "Business Casual" is a delightful addition to the Lovelight series, full of heart and humor.

Reckless (The Powerless Trilogy, #2): By Lauren Roberts



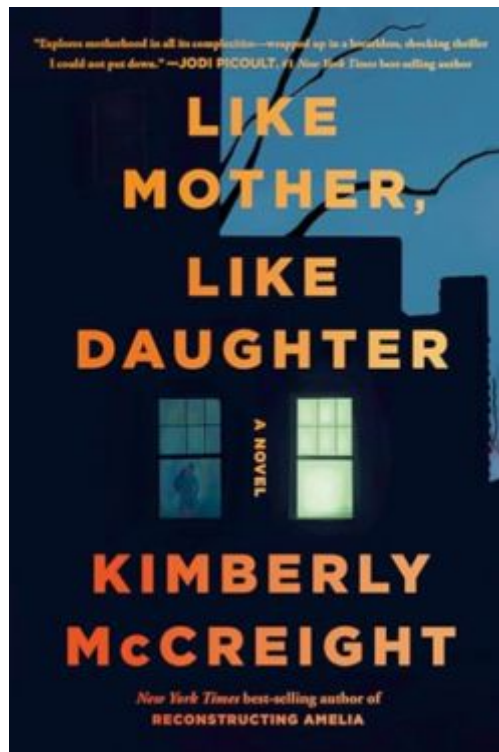
Reckless (The Powerless Trilogy, #2): By Lauren Roberts

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Lauren Roberts continues the thrilling journey of “The Powerless Trilogy” with “Reckless,” the highly anticipated second book in the series. The story picks up where the first book left off, with the protagonists facing new challenges and uncovering deeper conspiracies.

Roberts’ fast-paced narrative and complex characters make “Reckless” an exhilarating read that will keep fans eagerly turning pages. The stakes are higher than ever as the characters grapple with their powers and the dangerous world they inhabit.

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Kimberly McCreight's "Like Mother, Like Daughter" is a gripping psychological thriller that explores the dark secrets hidden within a seemingly perfect family. The novel follows a mother and daughter who must confront their past when a shocking event threatens to unravel their lives.

McCreight's masterful storytelling and suspenseful plotting make this a compelling read that will keep readers guessing until the very end. "Like Mother, Like Daughter" is a chilling exploration of the ties that bind us and the secrets we keep.

The Black Bird Oracle (All Souls, #5): By Deborah Harkness



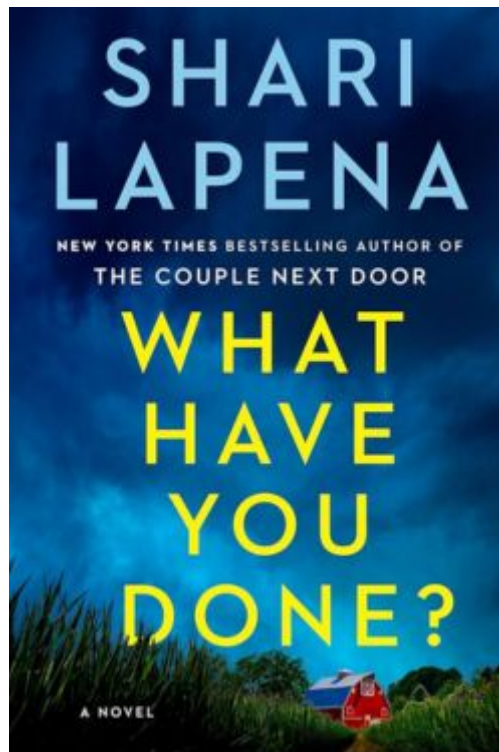
The Black Bird Oracle (All Souls, #5): By Deborah Harkness

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Deborah Harkness returns to the enchanting world of the All Souls series with “The Black Bird Oracle.” This fifth installment continues the saga of witches, vampires, and daemons, weaving together historical intrigue and supernatural drama.

Harkness’ rich world-building and intricate plotlines make this a must-read for fans of the series. “The Black Bird Oracle” promises to deliver more of the magic, mystery, and romance that readers have come to love.

What Have You Done?: By Shari Lapena



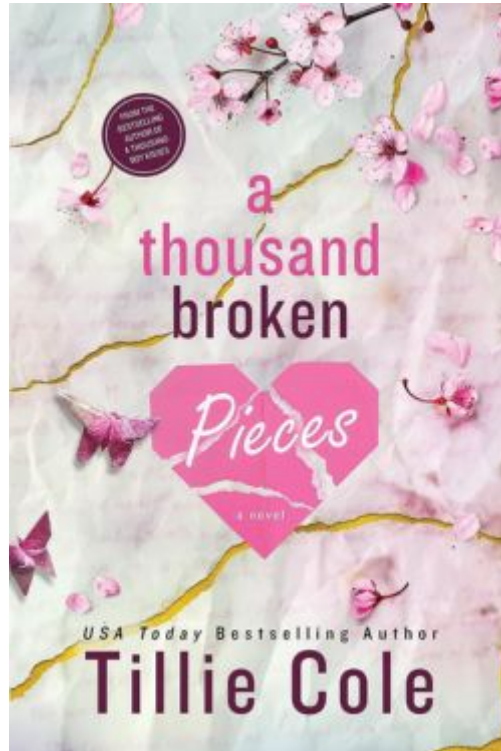
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Shari Lapena, known for her twisty domestic thrillers, returns with “What Have You Done?” This novel delves into the secrets and lies that can destroy a family, as a seemingly perfect couple’s life unravels after a shocking revelation.

Lapena’s knack for creating tension and suspense makes this a gripping read that will keep readers on the edge of their seats. “What Have You Done?” is a chilling exploration of trust, betrayal, and the dark side of human nature.

A Thousand Broken Pieces (A Thousand Boy Kisses, #2): By Tillie Cole



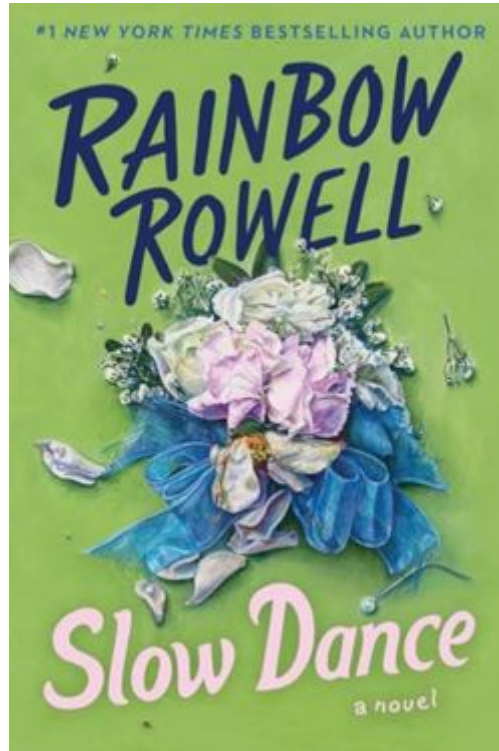
A Thousand Broken Pieces (A Thousand Boy Kisses, #2): By Tillie Cole

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Tillie Cole’s “A Thousand Broken Pieces” is the heartfelt sequel to “A Thousand Boy Kisses.” This novel continues the emotional journey of its characters as they navigate love, loss, and healing.

Cole’s lyrical writing and deeply emotional storytelling make this a poignant read that will resonate with fans of the first book. “A Thousand Broken Pieces” is a beautiful exploration of the resilience of the human spirit and the enduring power of love.

Slow Dance: By Rainbow Rowell



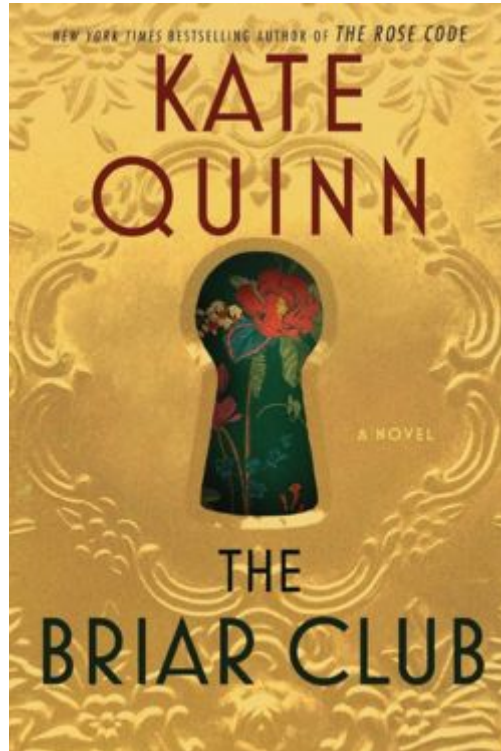
20 Most Anticipated Books of July 2024 - ***Slow Dance: By Rainbow Rowell***

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Rainbow Rowell’s “Slow Dance” is a tender and evocative novel that captures the beauty of ordinary moments and the complexity of human relationships. The story follows two characters who find solace and connection through their shared love of dance.

Rowell’s exquisite prose and nuanced character development make this a deeply moving read. “Slow Dance” is a celebration of love, art, and the moments that bring us together, perfect for fans of contemporary fiction.

The Briar Club: By Kate Quinn



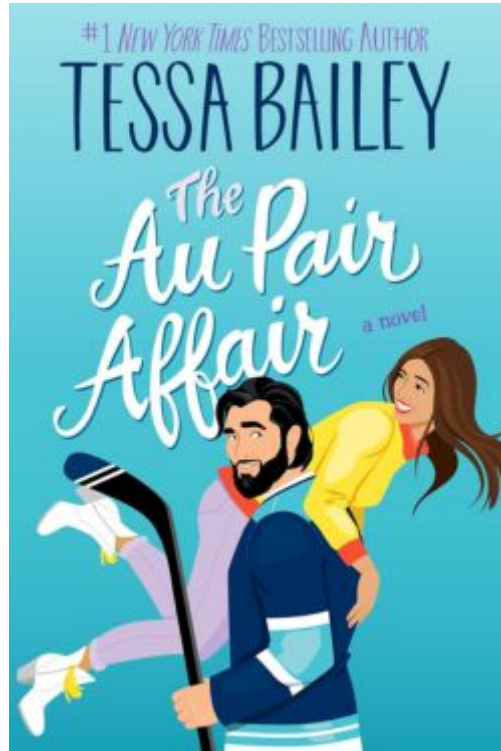
The Briar Club: By Kate Quinn

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Kate Quinn's "The Briar Club" is a historical novel that transports readers to the glamorous and treacherous world of 1920s London. The story follows a group of women who form an exclusive club, navigating the social and political challenges of their time.

Quinn's meticulous research and vivid storytelling bring the era to life, making this a captivating read. "The Briar Club" is a thrilling exploration of friendship, ambition, and the fight for women's rights.

The Au Pair Affair (Big Shots, #2): By Tessa Bailey



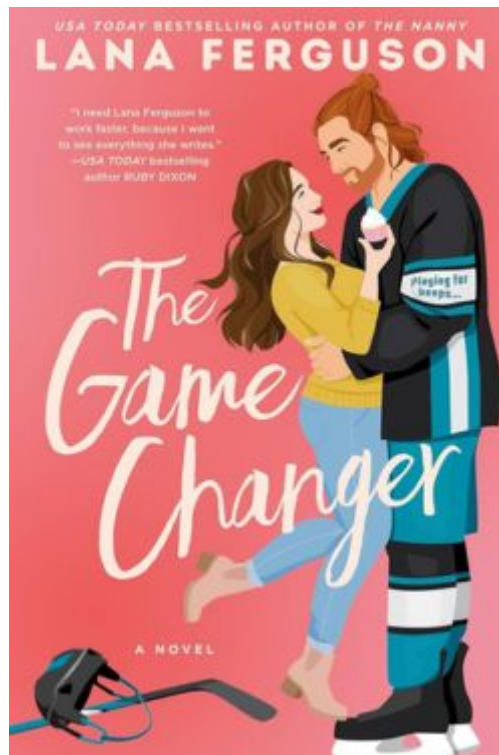
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Tessa Bailey's "The Au Pair Affair" is the second book in the Big Shots series, offering a steamy and entertaining romance. The novel follows a successful businessman who hires an au pair to care for his daughter, only to find himself irresistibly drawn to her.

Bailey's sizzling chemistry and engaging characters make this a fun and addictive read. "The Au Pair Affair" is perfect for fans of contemporary romance looking for a blend of humor, heart, and heat.

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Lana Ferguson’s “The Game Changer” is a sports romance that follows the story of a professional athlete and the woman who changes his life. As they navigate the challenges of fame, competition, and personal growth, they discover a love that defies all odds.

Ferguson’s dynamic writing and compelling characters make this a captivating read. “The Game Changer” is a story of resilience, passion, and the transformative power of love.

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