

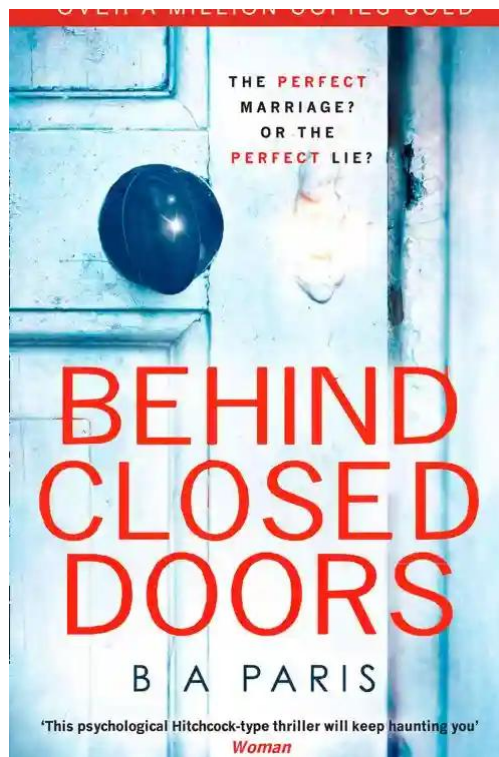


One of the most gripping psychological thriller films to come out recently is *The Silent Patient*. A great artist commits an act of violence, and a forensic psychotherapist is desperate to discover why. Alex Michaelides' debut book, about this, became an instant bestseller and was named Best Mystery & Thriller in the 2019 Goodreads Choice Awards. As if that weren't enough, Annapurna and Brad Pitt's production business, Plan B Entertainment, are bringing *The Silent Patient* to the big screen. Here are books similar to 'the silent patient' for fans of thriller books.

9 Books Similar to 'The Silent Patient' For Fans of Thriller Books

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Behind Closed Doors By B.A. Paris



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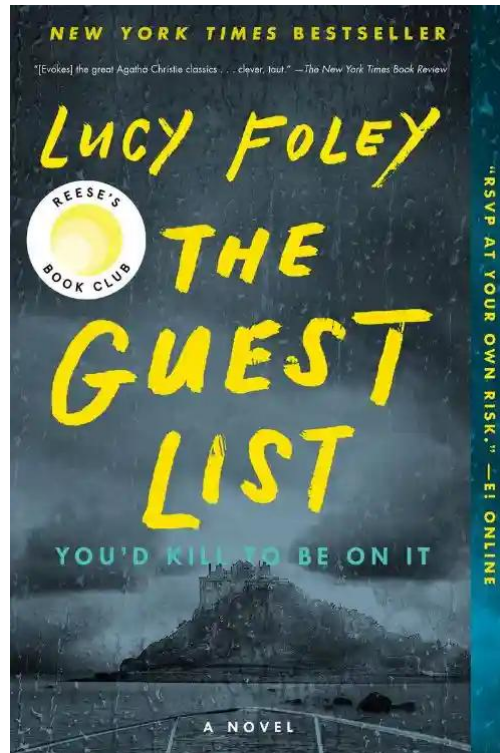
Like Jack and Grace, every couple is familiar with them. She has charm and elegance, whereas he has wealth and good looks. She is an impeccable homemaker, an expert gardener, and a talented cook who adores her younger sister who is crippled; he is a committed lawyer who has never lost a case. Despite being newlyweds, they appear to have everything. The ease and comfort of their home and the graciousness of the dinner parties they host completely seduce you at the earliest.

Some could refer to this as real love. Others could ponder Grace's lack of phone presence or the reason she's never available for a coffee date despite not working or perhaps this explains why all of the windows on the ground floor have such strong metal shutters. After the dinner party is ended and the front door has closed, some people might question what's



actually going on. Behind Closed Doors is a page-turning thriller and a worldwide sensation written by B. A. Paris.

The Guest List By Lucy Foley



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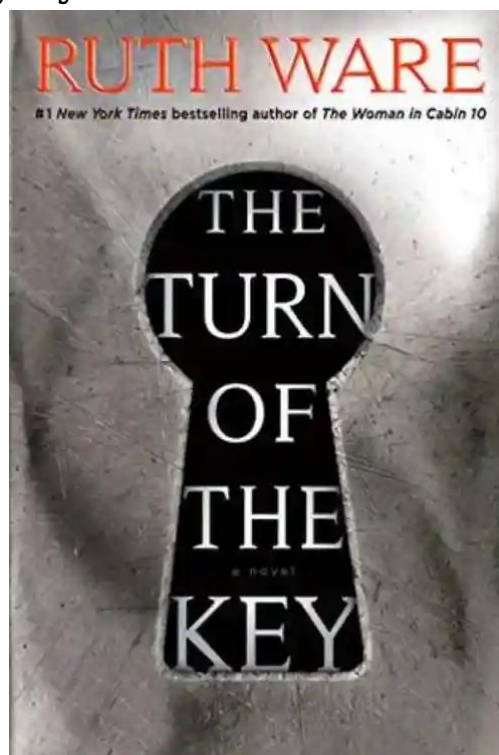
Guests assemble on an island off the coast of Ireland to celebrate the union of two persons. The bridegroom is a pleasant and attractive aspiring television personality. The bride is a magazine publisher who is brilliant and ambitious. It has all the makings of a wedding for a star or a wedding for a magazine: a designer gown, a distant venue, opulent party favours, and boutique whiskey.

Even though there may not be consistent cell coverage and the waves may be strong, every



aspect has been carefully prepared and will be carried out. As the champagne is cracked and the celebrations get underway, resentments and small-scale jealousies mix with the memories and good wishes. The drinking game from the groomsmen's school days gets started. Unintentionally, the bridesmaid ruins her outfit. The oldest male friend of the bride makes an uncomfortable caring toast.

The Turn Of The Key By Ruth Ware



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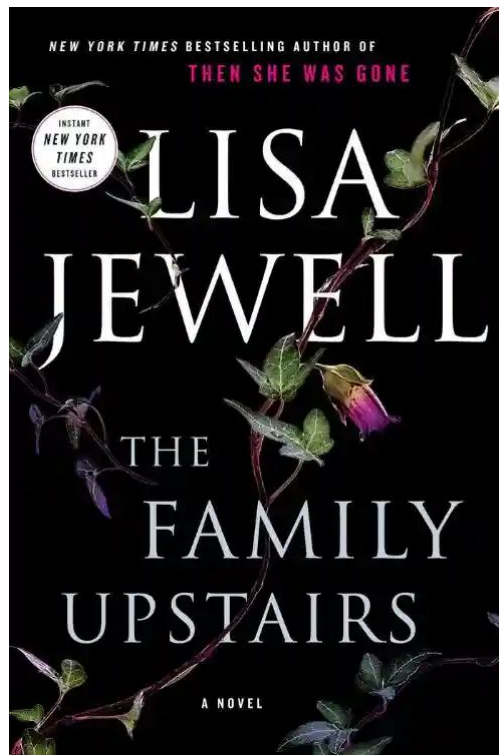
She is absolutely seeking something else when she stumbles across the advertisement. However, the possibility to work as a live-in nanny for a staggeringly high wage appears too wonderful to pass up. Rowan Caine arrives at Heatherbrae House and immediately falls in love with the elegant "smart" mansion furnished with all contemporary comforts, the



stunning Scottish Highlands, and this picture-perfect family. She struggles to explain the unfolding events that led to her arrest in letters she writes to her attorney from behind bars. Not just the broken technology that woke the family up with loud music or switched off the lights at the worst possible time, or the continual surveillance provided by the cameras placed throughout the house.

It wasn't only the girls, who were a far cry from the impeccable mannered model kids she had encountered at her interview. It wasn't even the way she was frequently left alone for weeks at a time with only the mysterious handyman Jack Grant as the only adult present. She is aware of her errors. She acknowledges that she lied to get the job and that she wasn't always the best parent to the kids. By no means she is innocent. But she insists that she is innocent at least not of murder. *The Turn of the Key* is a page-turning thriller written by Ruth Ware, our generation's Agatha Christie, and is full of gripping dread and delivered in her trademark tense way.

The Family Upstairs By Lisa Jewell



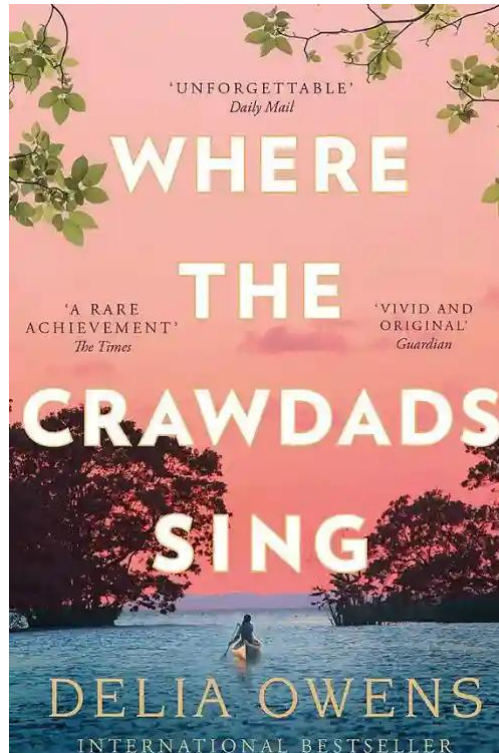
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Soon after turning 25, Libby Jones finds the letter she has been waiting for her entire life when she gets home from work. She soon discovers her birth parent's identities as well as the fact that she is the lone heir to their abandoned mansion on the Thames in London's posh Chelsea neighbourhood, which is worth millions. Libby's life is about to undergo a radical upheaval. She is on a collision course with others who have also been waiting for this day, but she can't possibly know it. Police were summoned to 16 Cheyne Walk 25 years ago due to reports of a baby wailing. A healthy 10-month-old was contentedly cooing in her cot in the bedroom when they arrived. Three dead victims, all clothed in black, were found in the kitchen downstairs next to a hastily written message. The other four kids who were said to reside at Cheyne Walk were also missing.



Where The Crawdads Sing By Delia Owens



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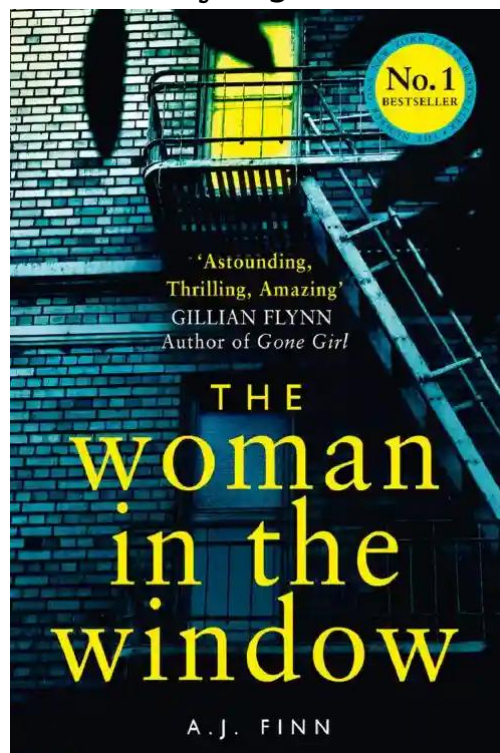
For years, legends of the “Marsh Girl” haunted Barkley Cove, a peaceful fishing community. Kya Clark is wild and untameable; she has no business in a civilized society. Thus, when the well-known Chase Andrews is discovered dead in late 1969, the neighbourhood quickly suspects her. Kya, however, is not who they claim. She is a born naturalist who attended school for one day before learning from the countryside and observing the dishonest signals of fireflies to understand the true ways of the world. She has the ability to remain alone forever, but eventually, she starts to long to be touched and loved.

Kya discovers a brand-new and unexpected world after being drawn to two young guys from the area who are all taken by her untamed beauty—until the unimaginable occurs. In



"Where the Crawdads Sing", Owens contrasts a beautiful hymn to nature with a moving coming-of-age tale and eerie mystery. The thought-provoking, sage, and profoundly emotional debut book by Owens remind us that we are always being formed by the child within of us and are equally vulnerable to the violent and beautiful mysteries that nature holds. The plot concerns the impact of solitude on the actions of a young woman who, like all of us, is genetically predisposed to group membership. The rich ecosystem and natural history of its wild inhabitants are dusted with hints of mystery.

The Woman In The Window By A.J. Finn



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Due to a terrifying vehicle accident, Anna Fox developed agoraphobia and now lives alone in a spacious home in New York City. She and her husband, Ed, who is in charge of their nine-

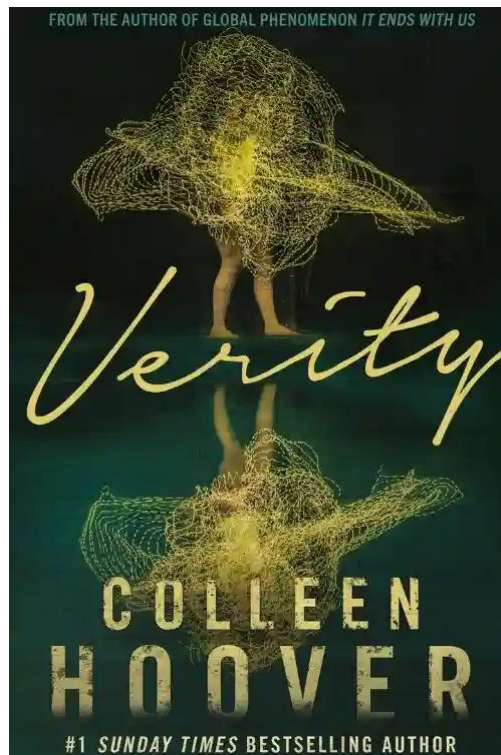


year-old daughter Olivia, recently got divorced. They do, however, converse on the phone a lot. Anna uses the “Agora online forum” to interact with other recluses, play excessive amounts of booze, watch old movies, play online chess, and visit her shrink and physical therapist throughout the day. Additionally, she spends time snooping on her neighbours, notably the Russells, a family who recently moved in next door.

There is Jane, a nice woman with whom Anna has many interests, Ethan, the reticent and polite adolescent son, Alistair, the authoritarian father, and others. Following several interactions with the Russells, Anna comes to the conclusion that they are suspicious. She calls the police after receiving an anonymous email with a photo of herself dozing. Her husband and daughter perished in the automobile crash that caused her agoraphobia, and she has been picturing her discussions with them, a detective reveals to her.

They speculate that Anna might have snapped the photo and emailed it to herself because they are aware that her drugs might produce hallucinations. Anna is aware that the murder might have been a delusion. Anna runs away after realizing that he wants to kill her as well. She pushes him through an ancient skylight to his death as he pursues her to the roof. After Alistair is taken into custody for being an accessory to Katie’s murder, Anna gradually rebuilds her life.

Verity By Colleen Hoover



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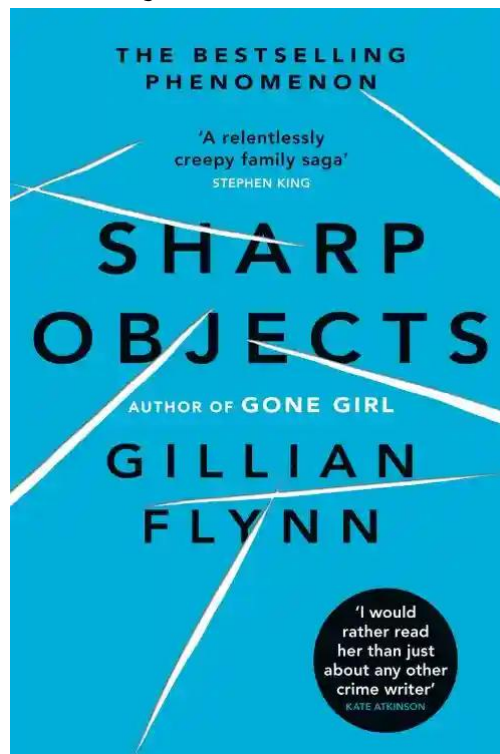
When Lowen Ashleigh accepts the job opportunity of a lifetime, she is a struggling author who is about to go bankrupt. Lowen has been hired by novelist Verity Crawford's husband, Jeremy Crawford, to finish the novels in a popular series that his injured wife is unable to finish. In an effort to locate enough information to get her started, Lowen comes to the Crawford residence prepared to go through years' worth of Verity's notes and outlines. Verity's incomplete autobiography, which she never intended for anybody to read, is what Lowen does not anticipate finding in the disorganized office.

Page after page of horrifying confessions, including Verity's account of the events that actually transpired on the day her daughter passed away. Knowing that the manuscript's contents would destroy the already distraught father, Lowen resolves to keep it hidden from Jeremy. But as Lowen's feelings for Jeremy become stronger, she realizes how much she



would gain if Jeremy read his wife's letter. Even though Jeremy is dedicated to his hurt wife, he would be unable to continue to love her if he learned the horrible reality.

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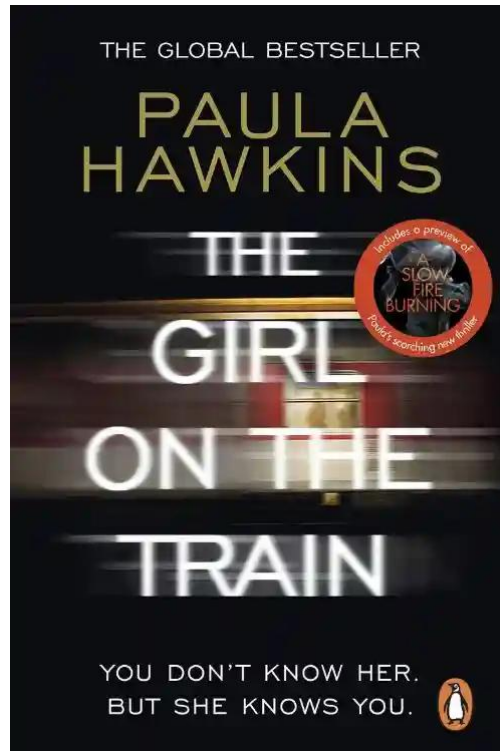
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Reporter Camille Preaker, who recently returned from a brief time in a mental hospital, has a difficult job ahead of her: she must go back to her small hometown to cover the unsolved death of a preteen girl and the abduction of another. Since she was a child, Camille has avoided talking to her neurotic, hypochondriac mother and her half-sister, a stunning 13-year-old with an unsettling hold over the community. Now that Camille is living in her old bedroom in the Victorian mansion of her family, she discovers that she has a tendency to relate too deeply with the young victims. If she wants to understand the story and survive



this homecoming, she must solve the psychological riddle of her own past. She is tormented by her own demons.

The Girl On The Train By Paula Hawkins



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Every morning, Rachel rides the same commuter train. She is aware that it will consistently wait at the same signal in front of a row of backyard gardens. Even the residents of one of the houses have begun to give her the impression that she knows them. She addresses them as "Jess and Jason". She believes that their life is ideal. If only Rachel could experience such joy. Then she notices a startling sight. The train won't move on for another minute, but that's ample time. Everything has changed now. Now Rachel has the opportunity to actively participate in the lives she has previously merely observed. They will now see that she is so



much more than simply the girl on the train.

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