



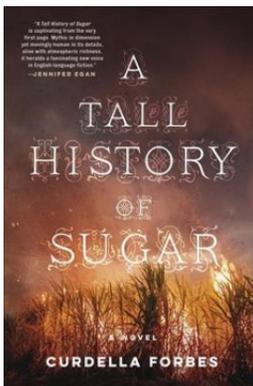
# Fox River Valley Libraries

Dundee Library • Randall Oaks Library

## Readalikes for *The Lost Book of Adana Moreau*

Dundee Library Book Club, August 2020

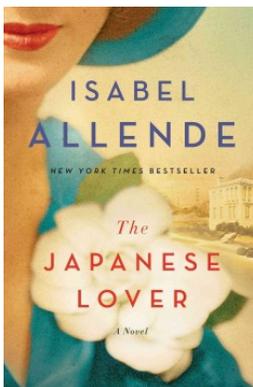
### Books we own at Dundee Library and/or Randall Oaks Library



#### *A Tall History of Sugar*

by Curdella Forbes

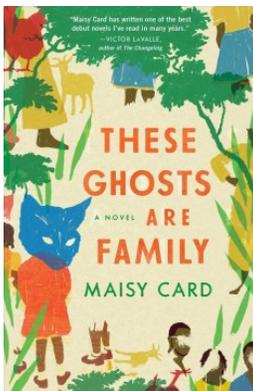
Tells the story of Moshe Fisher, a man who was “born without skin,” so that no one is able to tell what race he belongs to; and Arrienne Christie, his quixotic soul mate who makes it her duty in life to protect Moshe from the social and emotional consequences of his strange appearance.



#### *The Japanese Lover : a novel*

by Isabel Allende

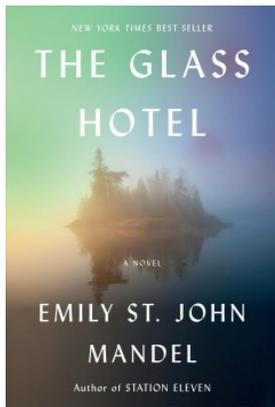
A multigenerational epic by the New York Times best-selling author of *The House of the Spirits* follows the impossible romance between a World War II escapee from the Nazis and a Japanese gardener's son, whose story is discovered decades later by a care worker who would come to terms with her past.



#### *These Ghosts Are Family : a novel*

by Maisy Card

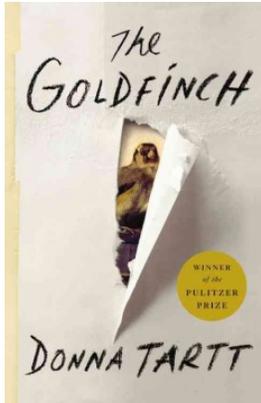
A man on his deathbed reveals that he stole another man's identity decades earlier, traces the family's history from colonial Jamaica to present-day Harlem and reconnects with the firstborn daughter he never knew. A first novel. 75,000 first printing.



### **The Glass Hotel**

by Emily St. John Mandel

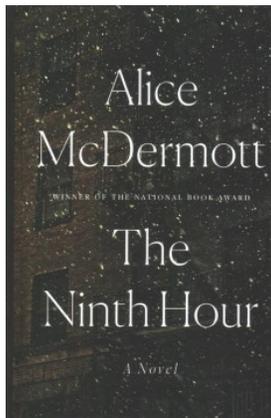
The award-winning author of Station Eleven presents a tale of crisis and survival in the hidden landscapes of homeless campgrounds, luxury hotels, private clubs and federal prisons, where a massive Ponzi scheme is tied to a woman's disappearance at sea.



### **The Goldfinch**

by Donna Tartt

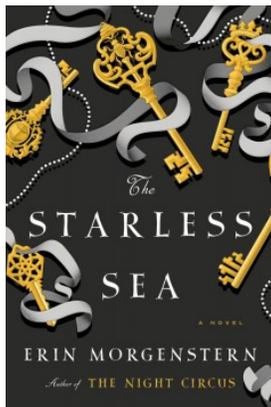
Taken in by a wealthy family friend after surviving an accident that killed his mother, thirteen-year-old Theo Decker tries to adjust to life on Park Avenue in this new novel by the author of The Secret History.



### **The Ninth Hour**

by Alice McDermott

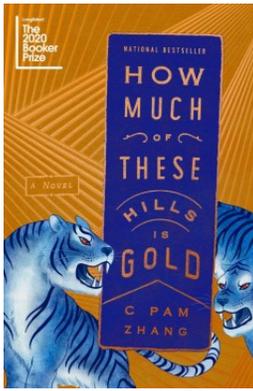
A portrait of the Irish-American experience is presented through the story of an Irish immigrant's suicide and how it reverberates through innumerable lives in early 20th-century Catholic Brooklyn. By the National Book Award-winning author of Charming Billy. (historical fiction). Simultaneous.



### **The Starless Sea**

by Erin Morgenstern

Discovering a mysterious book of prisoner tales, a Vermont graduate student recognizes a story from his own life before following clues to a magical underground library that is being targeted for destruction. By the best-selling author of The Night Circus.



### *How Much of These Hills is Gold*

by C Pam Zhang

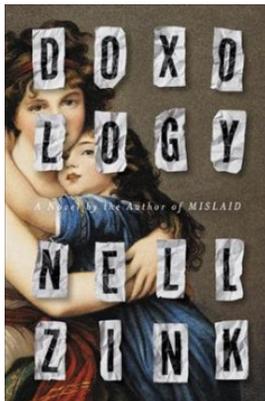
Two orphaned Chinese immigrant siblings flee the threats of their gold rush mining town across an unforgiving landscape where their survival is tested by family secrets, sibling rivalry and disparate goals. A first novel.



### *We Wish You Luck*

by Caroline Zancan

A group of students take revenge on a wunderkind professor after she destroys one of their own—a story of collective drive to create, sabotage, and ultimately, to love.



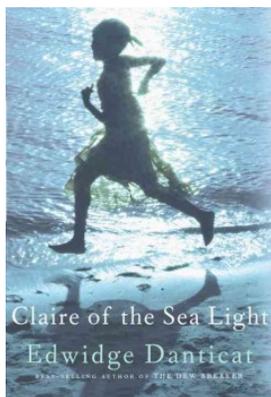
### *Doxology : a novel*

by Nell Zink

Two generations of an American family come of age on either side of the September 11 attacks, transforming their ambitions against a backdrop of dramatic political and environmental changes. By the author of Nicotine. 50,000 first printing.

## Books available at other libraries in our consortium

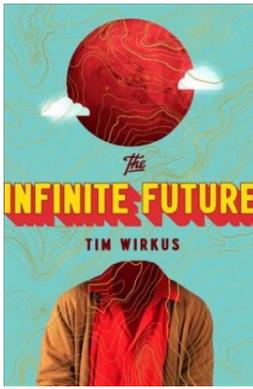
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### *Claire of the Sea Light*

by Edwidge Danticat

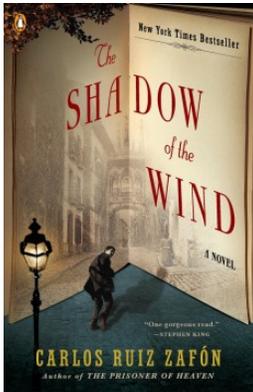
When a vibrant 7-year-old disappears from her Haitian community at the same time her father agonizingly decides to give her up so that she can have a better life, an ensuing search reveals the painful stories of neighbors whose lives the child touched. By the National Book Critics Circle Award-winning author of Breath, Eyes, Memory.



## *The Infinite Future*

by Tim Wirkus

An obsessive librarian, a down-at-heel writer and a Mormon historian embark on a search for a mystical, life-changing book about the true nature of the universe, and experience weird, out-of-this world paradigm shifts when they find it. By the award-winning author of *City of Brick* and *Shadow*.



## *The Shadow of the Wind*

by Carlos Ruiz Zafón

A boy named Daniel selects a novel from a library of rare books, enjoying it so much that he searches for the rest of the author's works, only to discover that someone is destroying every book the author has ever written.

**Dundee Library**

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Dundee, IL 60118

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