The Thema sessions: 2 – Using Thema to highlight DEI content

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About EDItEUR

- a not-for-profit membership organisation
 - based in London, but a global membership of publishers, distributors, wholesalers, retailers, subscription agents, libraries, system vendors, rights organisations and trade associations
- develops, supports and promotes metadata and identification standards for the global book, e-book and serials supply chains
 - in particular ONIX, Thema, EDItX, ISNI
 - active member participation is vital, to ensure that standards keep pace with evolving business requirements
 - membership supports development, helps identify new business issues and requirements, and has a vital role in governance and sustainability



What is Thema?

- Thema is an international, multilingual book subject classification scheme designed to meet the diverse needs of publishers, retailers and trade intermediaries in all sectors of the global book business
 - suitable for physical and digital publications, audiobooks, in-person and online retail, domestic and international use
 - aims to enhance the merchandising, discoverability and potential sales of books, with direct, clear communication along the metadata supply chain, and across borders and languages
 - created and maintained by users to address real problems and needs
 - post-coordination facilitates filtered or facetted search
 - international standards give the chance of an equal voice to all



What is Thema?

- Thema is always used to indicate the principal subject(s) of the work
 - not used for peripheral themes, topics or incidental characters
 - Thema is not about misleading potential readers or scoring marketing badges
 - Thema is about choosing the 'right shelf' to display your titles
- Thema subject categories or qualifiers are not target audience codes
 - although there is an overlap with the treatment or approach to the subject
- Thema is not about the identity of the creators
 - although there may be an overlap between the identity of the contributors and the subject of the work

Structure of Thema

- ~ 3000 subject categories, arranged hierarchically in 20 main sections
 - variable depth of hierarchy, because some topics need more detail
- ~ 1000 core qualifiers in 6 sections
- 4000 national extension qualifiers
 - qualifiers can be combined with subject categories to refine their meaning
- each category and qualifier has a language-independent code, a heading and optional notes
 - headings and notes can be in multiple languages



Six general rules of Thema classification

- 1. ensure the first subject category is the primary subject
 - and marked as the <MainSubject/> in ONIX
- 2. classify titles as precisely as applicable
 - or as broadly as required
- 3. assign as many categories as required (within reason)
 - n.b. Thema is a subject classification scheme not a keywords list
- 4. add qualifiers wherever appropriate
- 5. observe any scope notes and instructions for each category
- 6. always consider context of the code and the title



DEI – Diversity, equity, equality, inclusion

- diversity is the range of human differences including, but not limited to, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, socio-economic status, physical ability or attributes, neurological differences, religious or ethical values systems, national or regional origin, political beliefs, family structure, language, cultural background, etc
- equality means each individual or group of people is given the same resources or opportunities
- equity recognises that each person has different circumstances and allocates the exact resources and opportunities needed to reach an equal outcome
- inclusion is the deliberate act of welcoming diversity and creating an environment where all kinds of people can thrive and succeed. An inclusive culture makes people feel respected and valued for who they are as an individual or group and lessens feelings of being marginalised or excluded by society

DEI, the book industry and metadata

- internal collection and use of data about the real-world person
 - personal data about contributors not for public use
 - how to address the person in communications
 - measurement of DEI and commissioning, advances and royalties, marketing, etc
 - HR data on recruitment, pay levels, training and professional development, etc
- important to fully understand legal and privacy concerns of data collection
- external and often anonymised data collected and shared for statistical purposes
 - professional organisations publish reports and surveys about DEI



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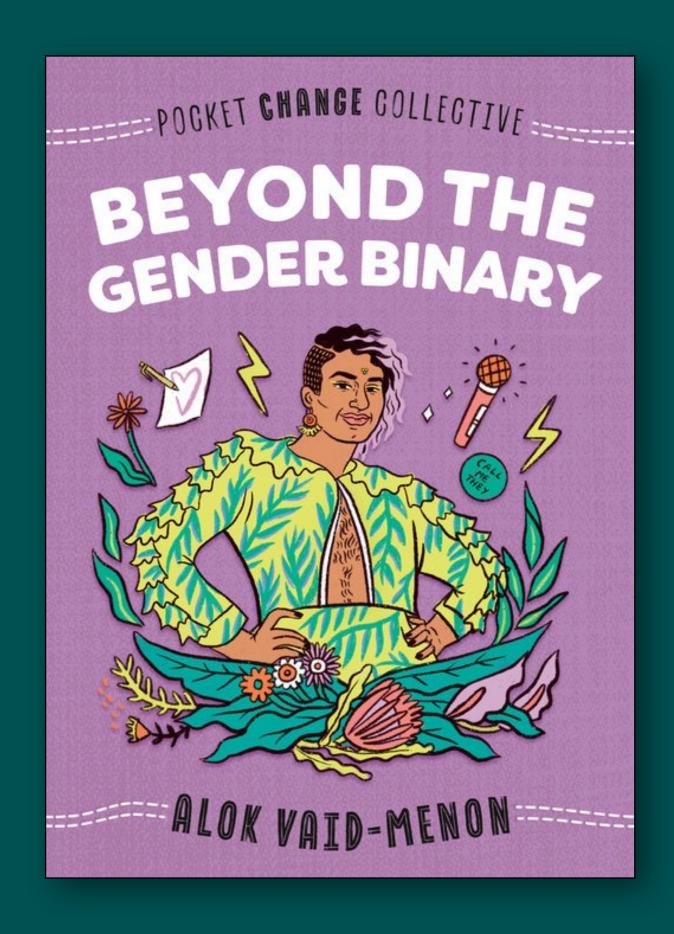
- information associated with the public persona of a contributor
 - shared externally, including being displayed in public (eg for marketing purposes)
 - sharing based on consent and communication with the contributors
 - clearly understood purpose of this personal and public information
- ONIX for Books used to communicate this information in the book supply chain
 - contributor composite biography, associated places, alternate names, etc
 - events and marketing associated with the contributor
 - booksellers, librarians, educators create lists, promotions, etc



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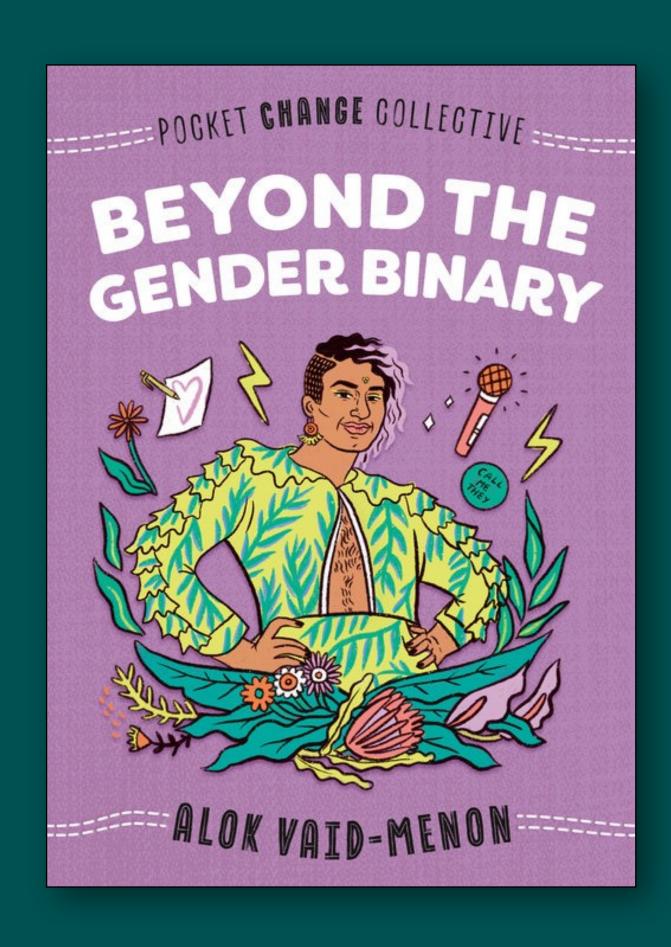
- information associated with the content of the published title
 - ONIX used to communicate this information in book supply chain
 - bibliographic information, commercial details, marketing collateral including textual descriptions, prizes, language, audience, place of publication, collections, accessibility, name as subject, keywords, etc
- subject classification schemes are a key part of the metadata that drives the search and discoverability and thereby improves sales
 - gives booksellers, librarians, educators and readers accurate information about the main subject(s) of the title
 - so they can discover the right titles and make informed choices





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   They are the author of <cite>Femme In Public</cite>, <cite>Beyond the Gender
   Binary</cite> and <cite>Your Wound/My Garden</cite>.They are the creator of
   #DeGenderFashion: a movement to degender fashion and beauty industries and
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YXC – Children's / Teenage personal and social topics: Gender identity <MainSubject/>

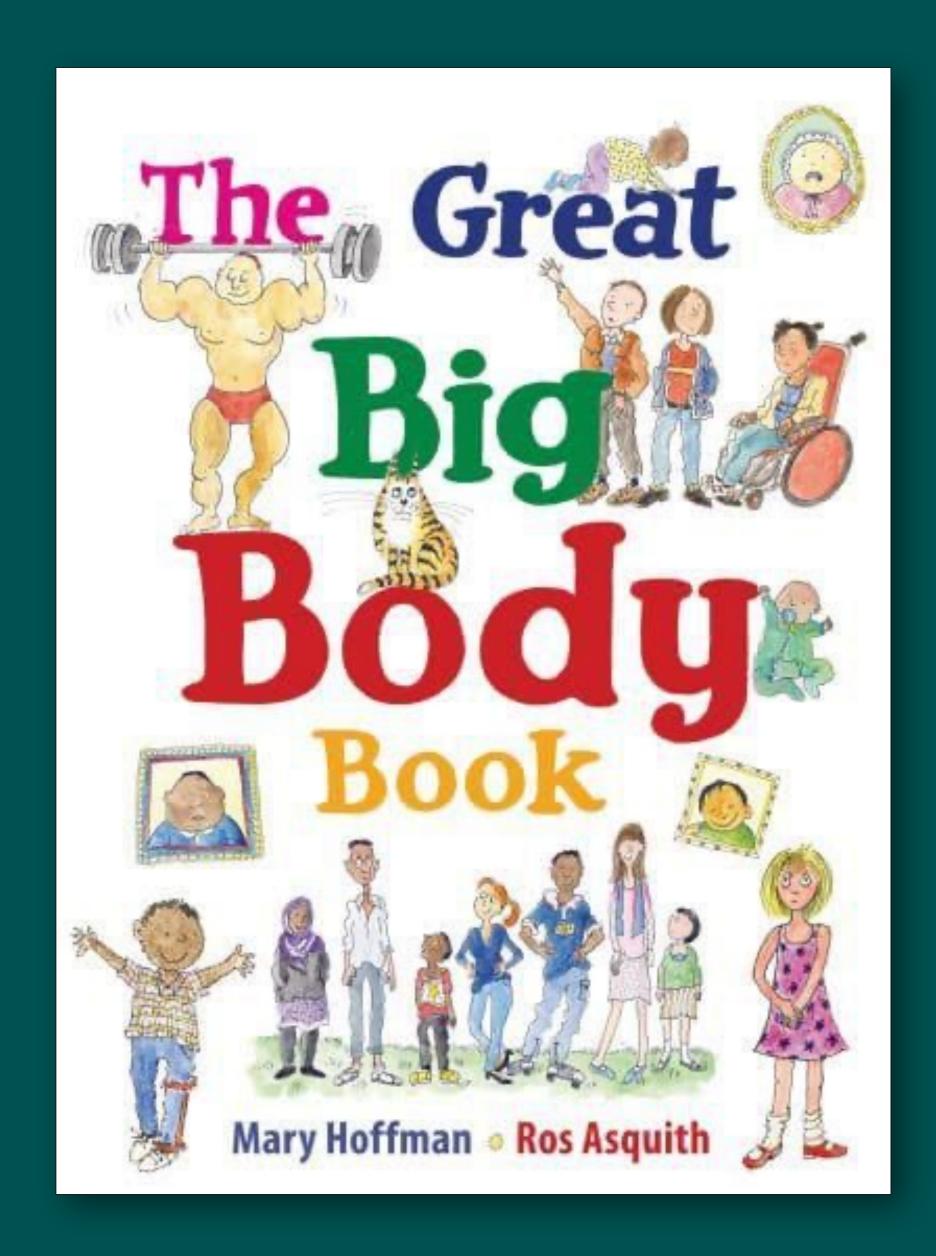
YXD – Children's / Teenage personal and social topics: Self-awareness and self-esteem

YXB – Children's / Teenage personal and social topics: LGBTQ+

5AS – Interest age: from c 15 years <!-- qualifies all the Y* codes so we know this is for older teenagers and / or young adults -->

5PS – Relating to LGBTQ+ people

5PT – Relating to Trans / Transgender people or gender minorities

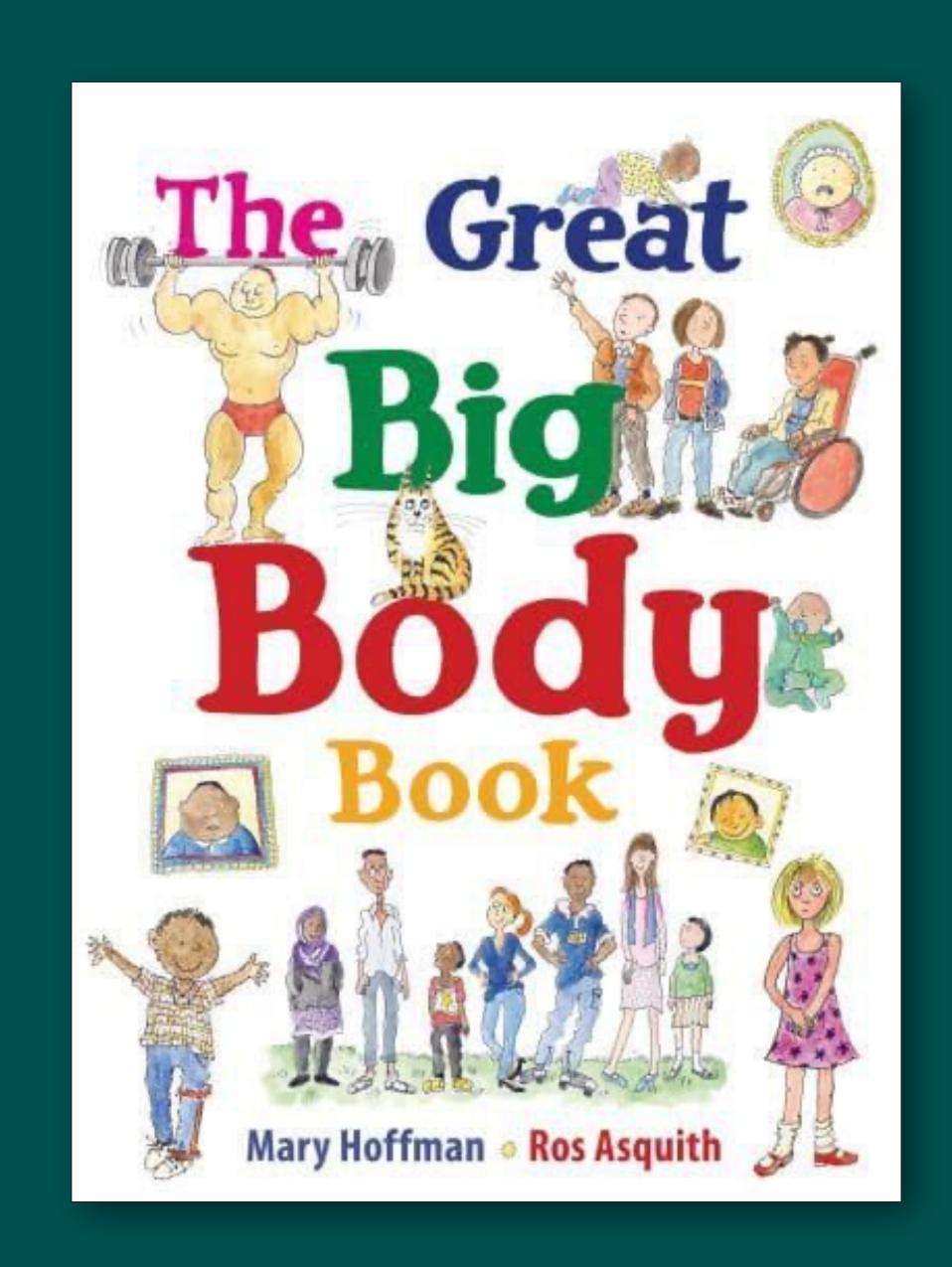


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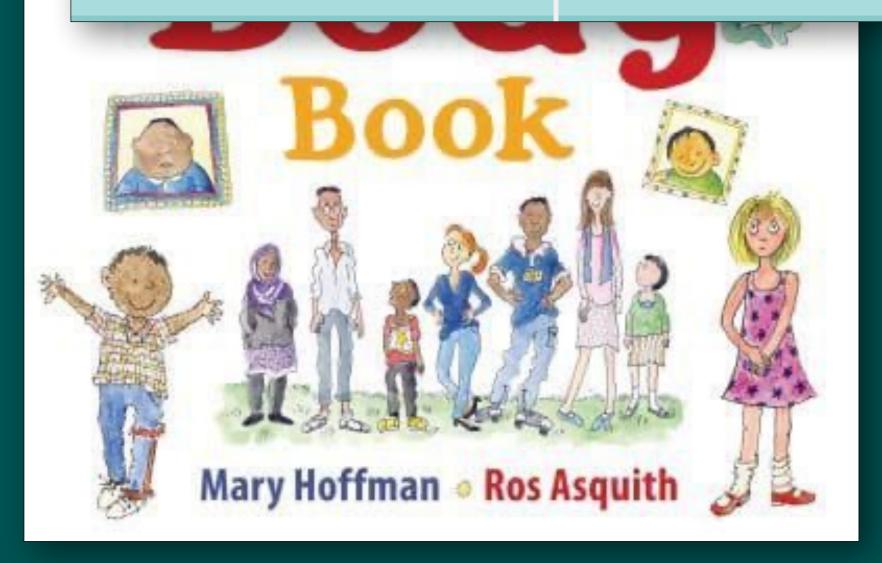


YXA – Children's / Teenage personal and social topics:
Body and health <MainSubject/>
YXP – Children's / Teenage personal and social topics:
Diversity, equality and inclusion
5AF – Interest age: from c 5 years

YXP

Children's / Teenage personal and social topics: Diversity, equality and inclusion...

Use for: books that deal with these topics and stories with a particularly diverse cast of characters, or which illustrate accessibility, social justice, equity, diversity, or inclusivity (DEI) within the context of the story without necessarily being the subject of the story. Use with: YF* codes for stories and values from 5P* INTEREST Qualifiers as appropriate



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disability

Search See the search hints below.

Notation

Category heading

Notation	Category heading	?
JBFA	Social discrimination and social justice	*
JBFM	Disability: social aspects	*
JBFN	Health, illness and addiction: social aspects	*
JNFK	Educational strategies and policy: inclusion	*
LNTQ	Disability and the law	
MQCL8	Learning disability nursing / Special needs nursing	*
SCL	Parasport	
TTW	Assistive technology	*
VFJD	Coping with / advice about physical impairments / disability	*
VFJR3	Coping with / advice about dyslexia and learning difficulties	*
YXK	Children's / Teenage personal and social topics: Disability, impairments and special needs	*
5PMB	Relating to people with mobility or physical disabilities or impairments	*
5PMJ	Relating to people with learning disorders, difficulties or disabilities	*

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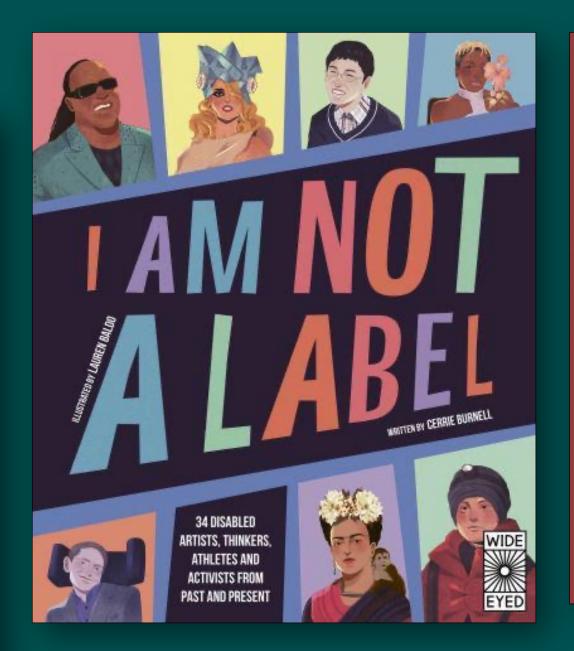
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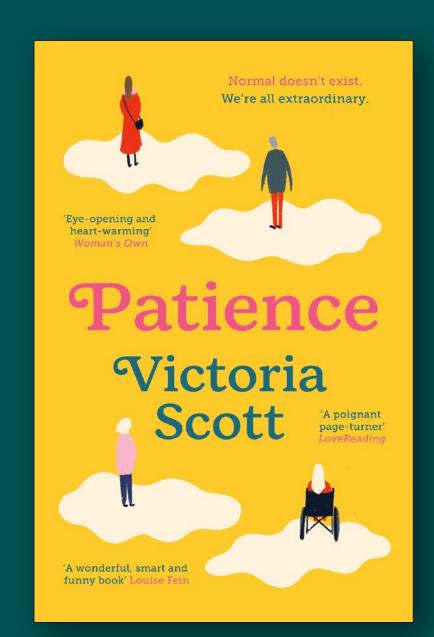
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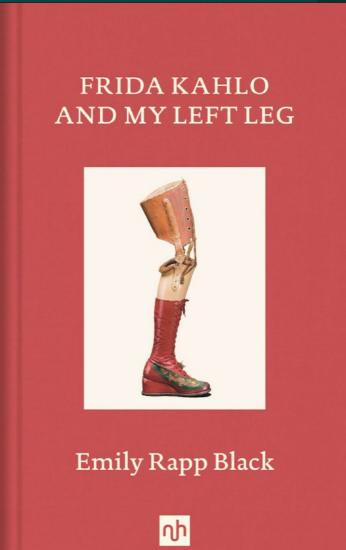
5PM – Relating to people with visible or hidden disabilities, impairments or conditions

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5	Interest qualifiers		1.4	*
5P	Relating to specific groups and cultures or social and cultural interests		1.5	*
5PM	Relating to people with visible or hidden disabilities, impairments or conditions	1.4	1.5	*
5PMB	Relating to people with mobility or physical disabilities or impairments	1.4	1.5	*
5PMD	Relating to people with visual disabilities or impairments	1.4	1.5	*
5PMF	Relating to people with hearing disabilities or impairments	1.4	1.5	*
5PMH	Relating to people on the autism spectrum	1.4	1.5	*
5PMJ	Relating to people with learning disorders, difficulties or disabilities	1.4	1.5	*
5PMK	Relating to people with Down syndrome	1.5		*
5PML	Relating to people with cerebral palsy	1.5		*
5PMN	Relating to people with degenerative conditions	1.4	1.5	*
5PMP	Relating to people with hidden or invisible disabilities / disorders	1.4	1.5	*

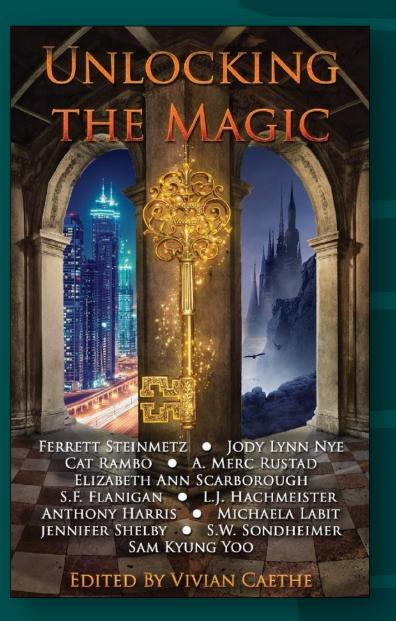


YNB + 5PM





DNC + 5PMB



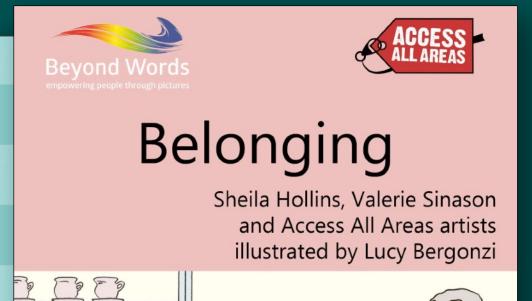
FQ + 5PMJ & 5PMB

FM + 5PMP

5	Interest qualifiers	*
5A	Interest age / level	*
5AB	For children c 0–36 months	
5AC	Interest age: from c 3 years	
5AD	Interest age: from c 4 years	
5AF	Interest age: from c 5 years	
5AG	Interest age: from c 6 years	
5AH	Interest age: from c 7 years	
5AJ	Interest age: from c 8 years	
5AK	Interest age: from c 9 years	
5AL	Interest age: from c 10 years	
5AM	Interest age: from c 11 years	
5AN	Interest age: from c 12 years	
5AP	Interest age: from c 13 years	
SAQ	Interest age: from c 14 years	
5AR	For reluctant or struggling readers (children / teenagers)	*
545	Interest age: from c 15 years	
5AT	Interest age: from c 16 years	
5AU	Interest age: from c 17 years	
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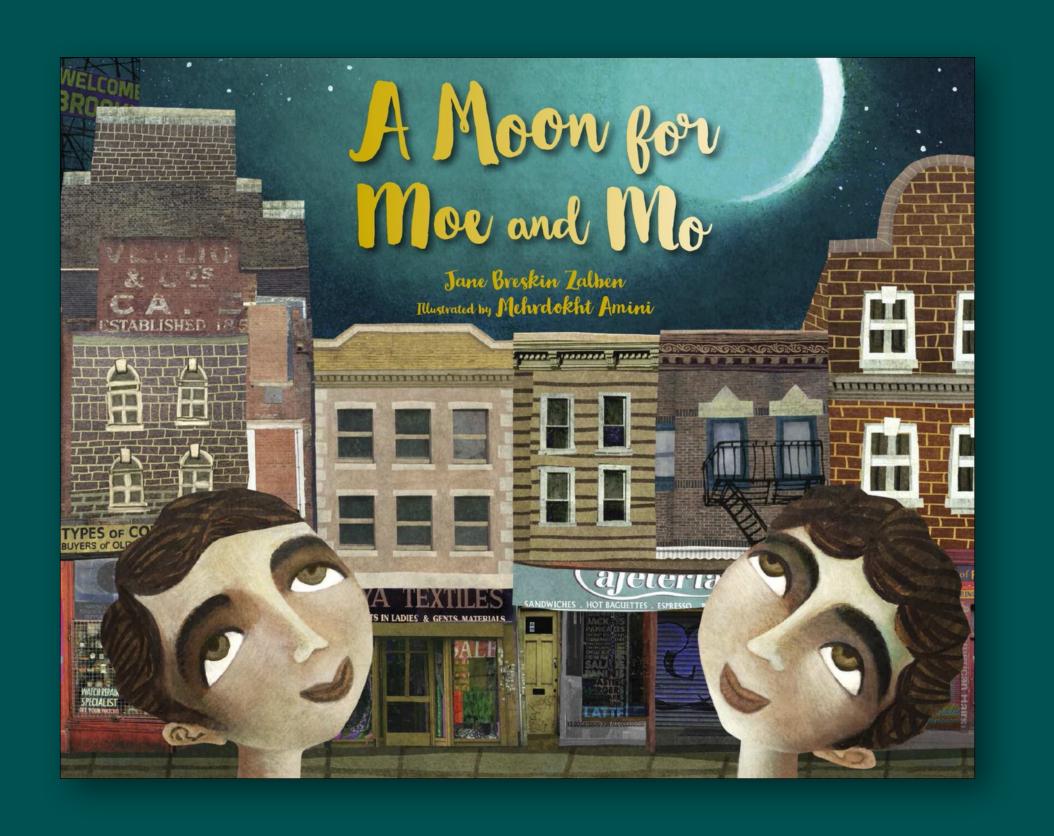
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5H	Holidays, events and seasonal interest	*
5J	Subject matter intended exclusively for specific groups	*
5L	Relating to the stages of life	*
5P	Relating to specific groups and cultures or social and cultural interests	*
5X	Contains explicit or offensive material or content	*
5Y	Relating to special / particular aspects of the content	*

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5	Interest qualifiers	*
5L	Relating to the stages of life	*
5LB	Relating to infancy	*
5LC	Relating to childhood	*
5LD	Relating to preteen / tween years	*
5LF	Relating to adolescence / teenage years	*
5LK	Relating to adulthood	*

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5	Interest qualifiers	*
5P	Relating to specific groups and cultures or social and cultural interests	*
5PG	Relating to religious groups	*
5PGC	Relating to Confucian people and groups	
5PGD	Relating to Hindu people and groups	
5PGE	Relating to Sikh people and groups	
5PGF	Relating to Buddhist people and groups	
5PGJ	Relating to Jewish people and groups	
5PGM	Relating to Christian people and groups	
5PGQ	Relating to Druze people and groups	
5PGP	Relating to Islamic / Muslim people and groups	
5PGS	Relating to Shinto people and groups	
5PGT	Relating to Taoist people and groups	

Notation	Category heading	?
5	Interest qualifiers	*
5L	Relating to the stages of life	*
5LK	Relating to adulthood	*
5LKE	Relating to early adulthood	*
5LKM	Relating to middle adulthood	*
5LKS	Relating to late adulthood / old age	*

Notation	Category heading	?
5	Interest qualifiers	*
5H	Holidays, events and seasonal interest	*
5HC	Holidays and celebrations	
5HK	Special events	
5HP	Religious holidays	*
5HR	Seasonal interest	



YBCS – Picture storybooks <MainSubject/>

YFMF – Children's / Teenage fiction: Friendship stories

YNMD – Children's / Teenage general interest:

Celebrations, holidays, festivals and special events

1KBB-US-NAKCB — Brooklyn

5AD – Interest age: from c 4 years

5HPK – Ramadan

5HPW – Rosh Hashanah

5PGJ – Relating to Jewish people and groups

5PGP – Relating to Islamic / Muslim people and groups



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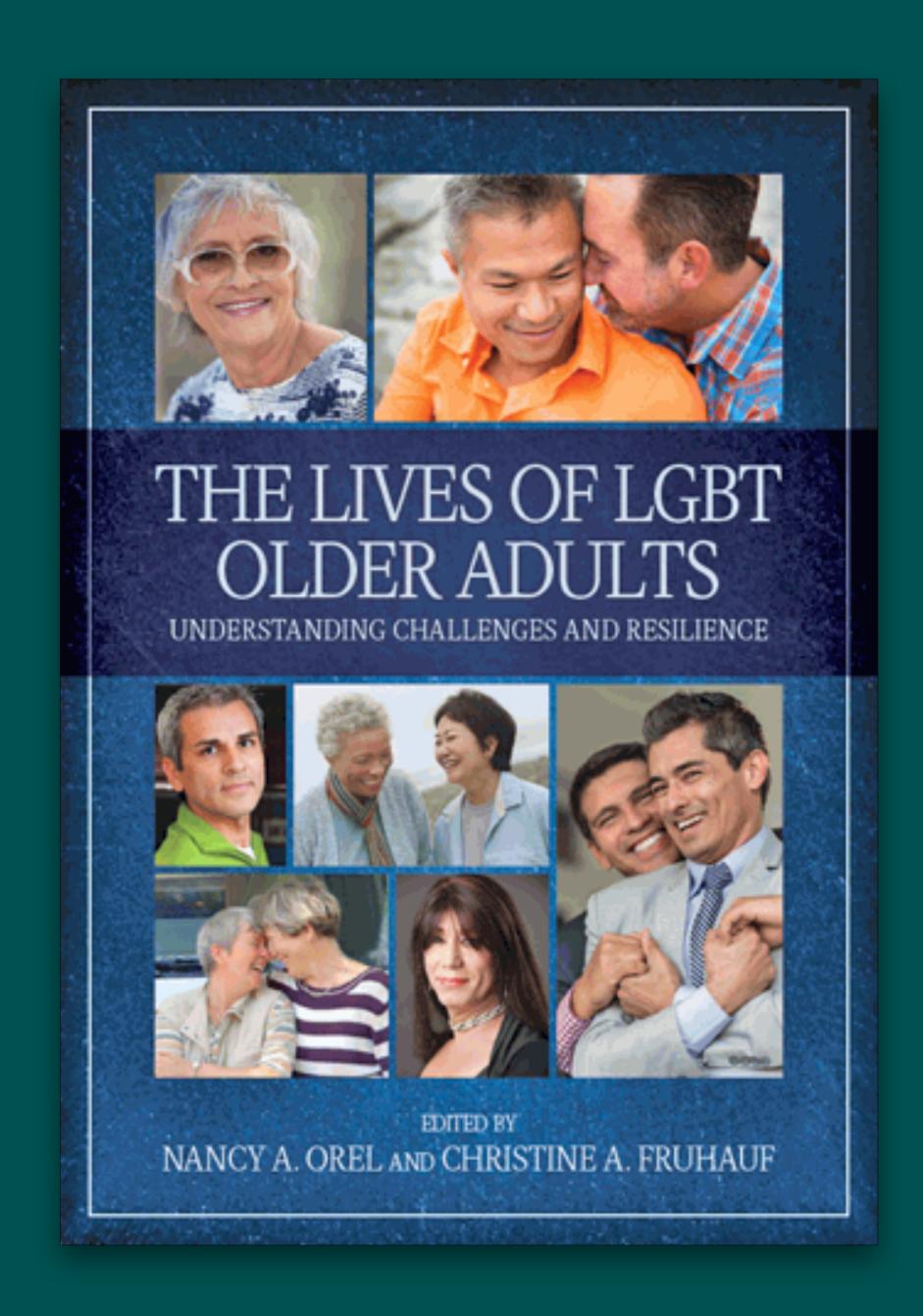
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5PD	Relating to specific socioeconomic groups / status	*
5PDD	Relating to lower socioeconomic groups / status	*
5PDH	Relating to middle socioeconomic groups / status	*
5PDM	Relating to higher socioeconomic groups / status	*

Notation	Category heading	?
5	Interest qualifiers	*
5Y	Relating to special / particular aspects of the content	*
5YA	Relating to non-stereotypical gender roles	*
5YS	Relating to UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	*

Notation	Category heading	?
5	Interest qualifiers	*
5P	Relating to specific groups and cultures or social and cultural interests	*
5PB	Relating to peoples: ethnic groups, indigenous peoples, cultures and other groupings of people	*
5PD	Relating to specific socioeconomic groups / status	*
5PG	Relating to religious groups	*
5PM	Relating to people with visible or hidden disabilities, impairments or conditions	*
5PS	Relating to LGBTQ+ people	*
5PT	Relating to Trans / Transgender people or gender minorities	*
5PU	Relating to intersex people	*
5PV	Relating to asexual or aromantic people	*
5PX	Relating to specific and significant cultural interests	*

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5PS	Relating to LGBTQ+ people	*
5PSB	Relating to bisexual / pansexual / polysexual people	*
5PSG	Relating to gay people	*
5PSL	Relating to lesbians	*





JBSJ – LGBTQ+ Studies / topics <MainSubject/>

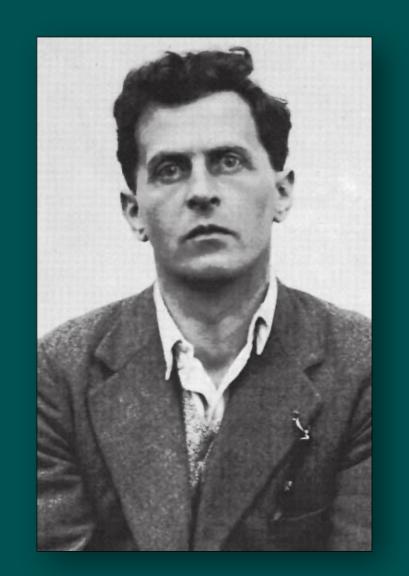
JMD – Psychology of ageing

MBPK – Mental health services

5LKS – Relating to late adulthood / old age

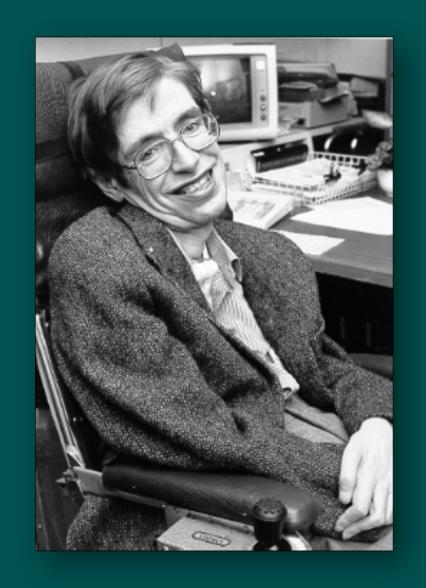
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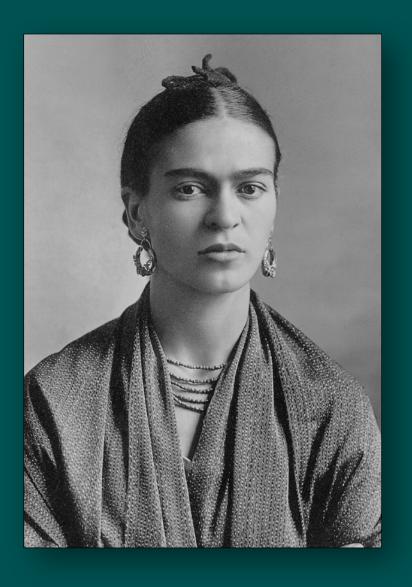
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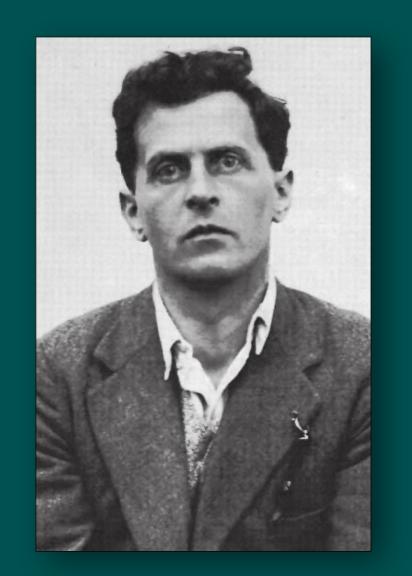


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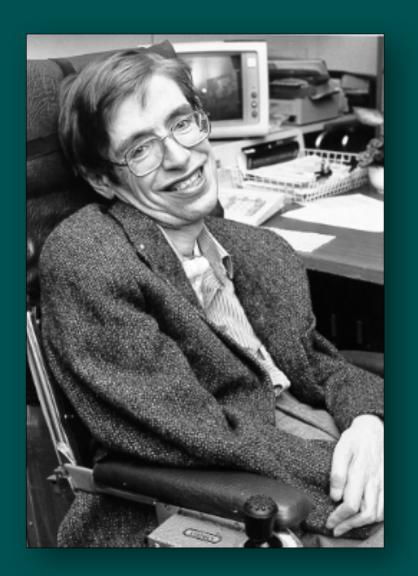
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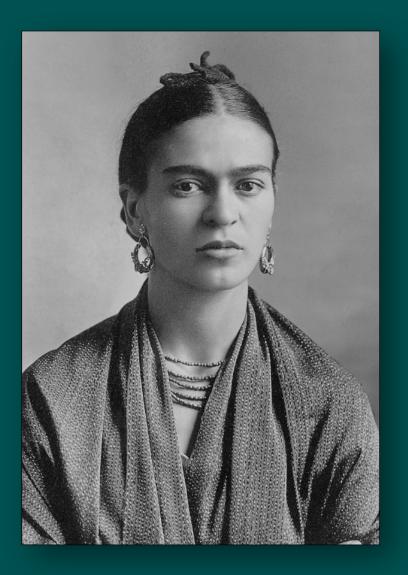
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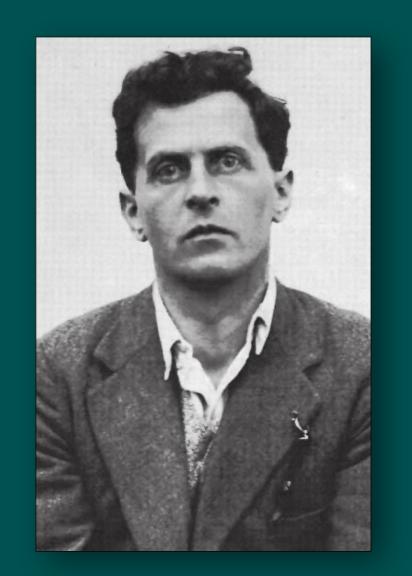
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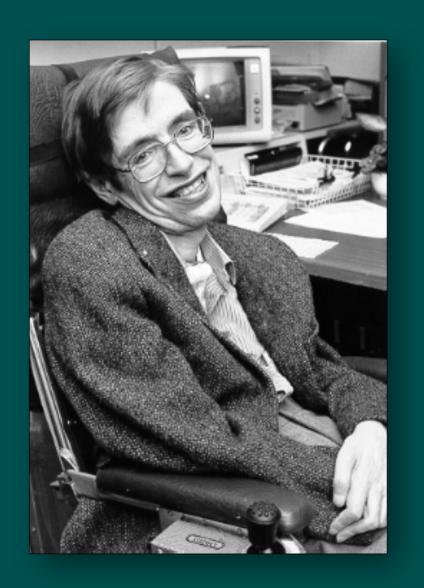
5PBD- Relating to people of the African diasporas / heritage



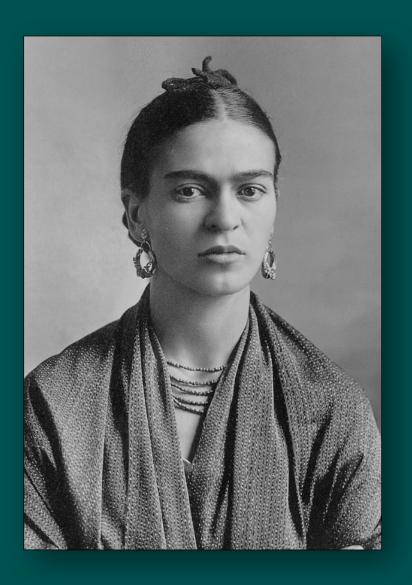
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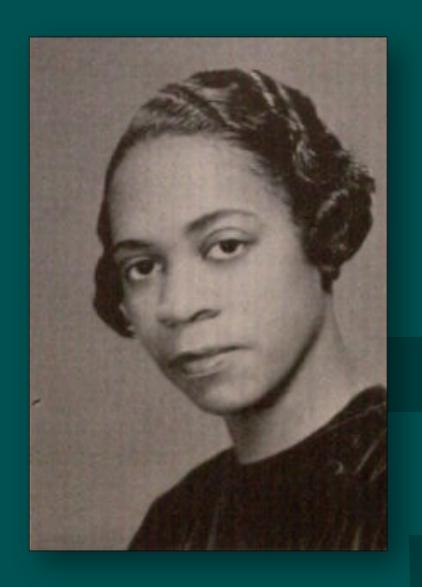
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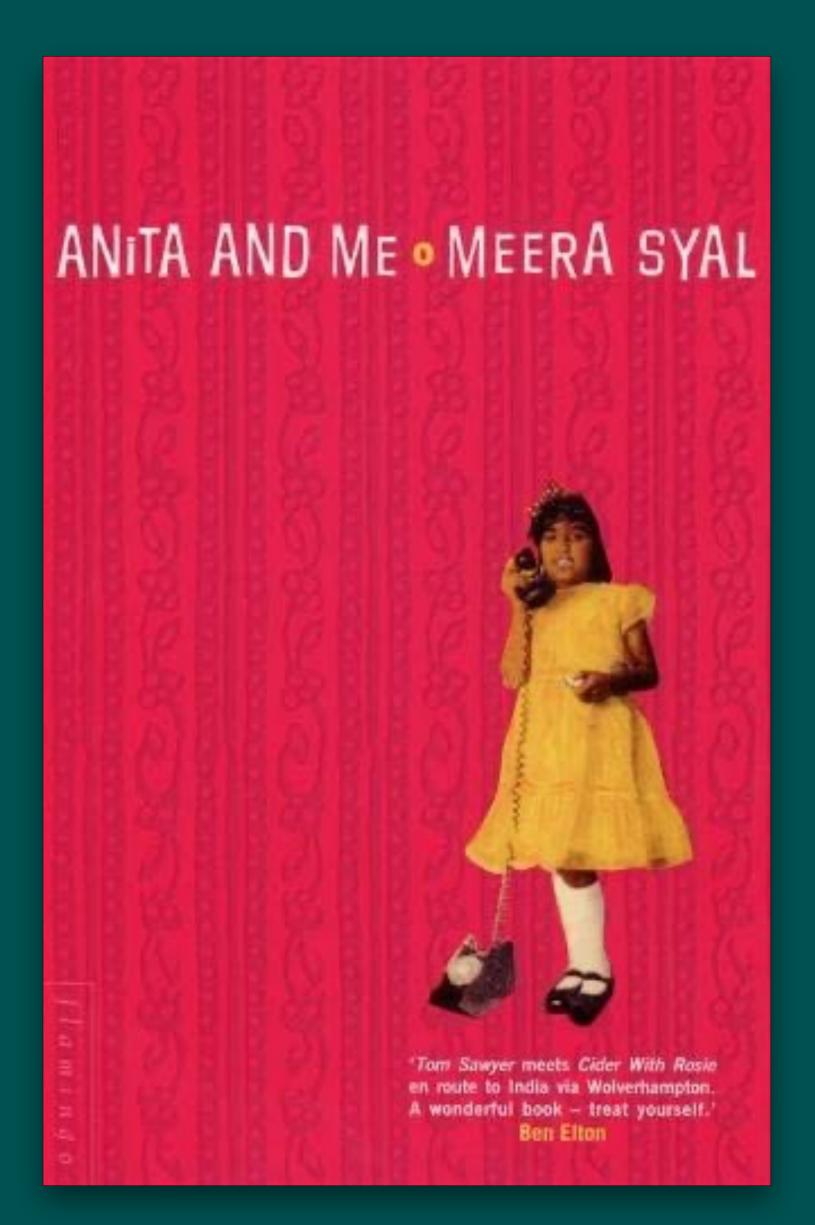
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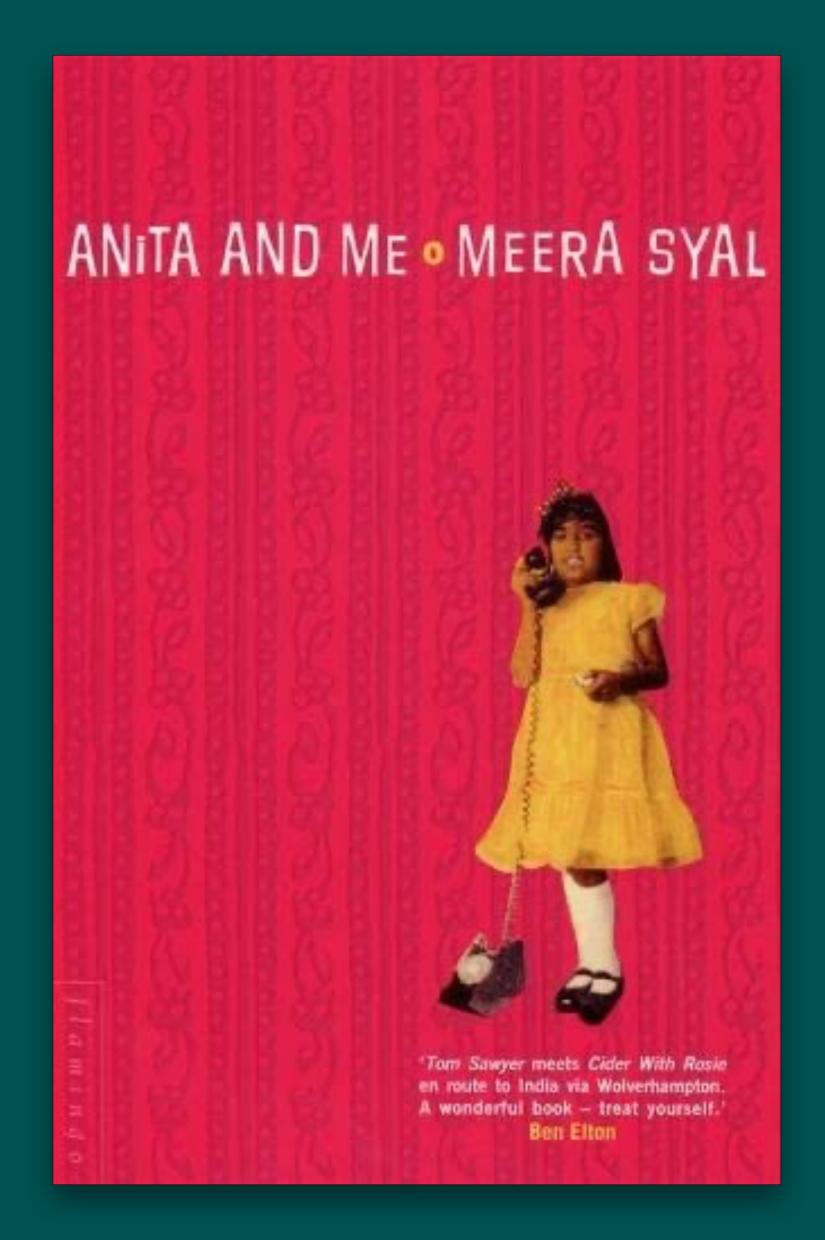
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FXB – Narrative theme: Coming of Age

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1DDU-GB-EMWW – Wolverhampton and the Black Country
3MPQV – c 1970 to c 1979

5LF – Relating to adolescence / teenage years
 5PB-GB-AS – Relating to British South Asian people
 5PBCG – Relating to people of the South Asian diasporas / heritage
 5PDD – Relating to lower socioeconomic groups / status

5 – Interest qualifiers

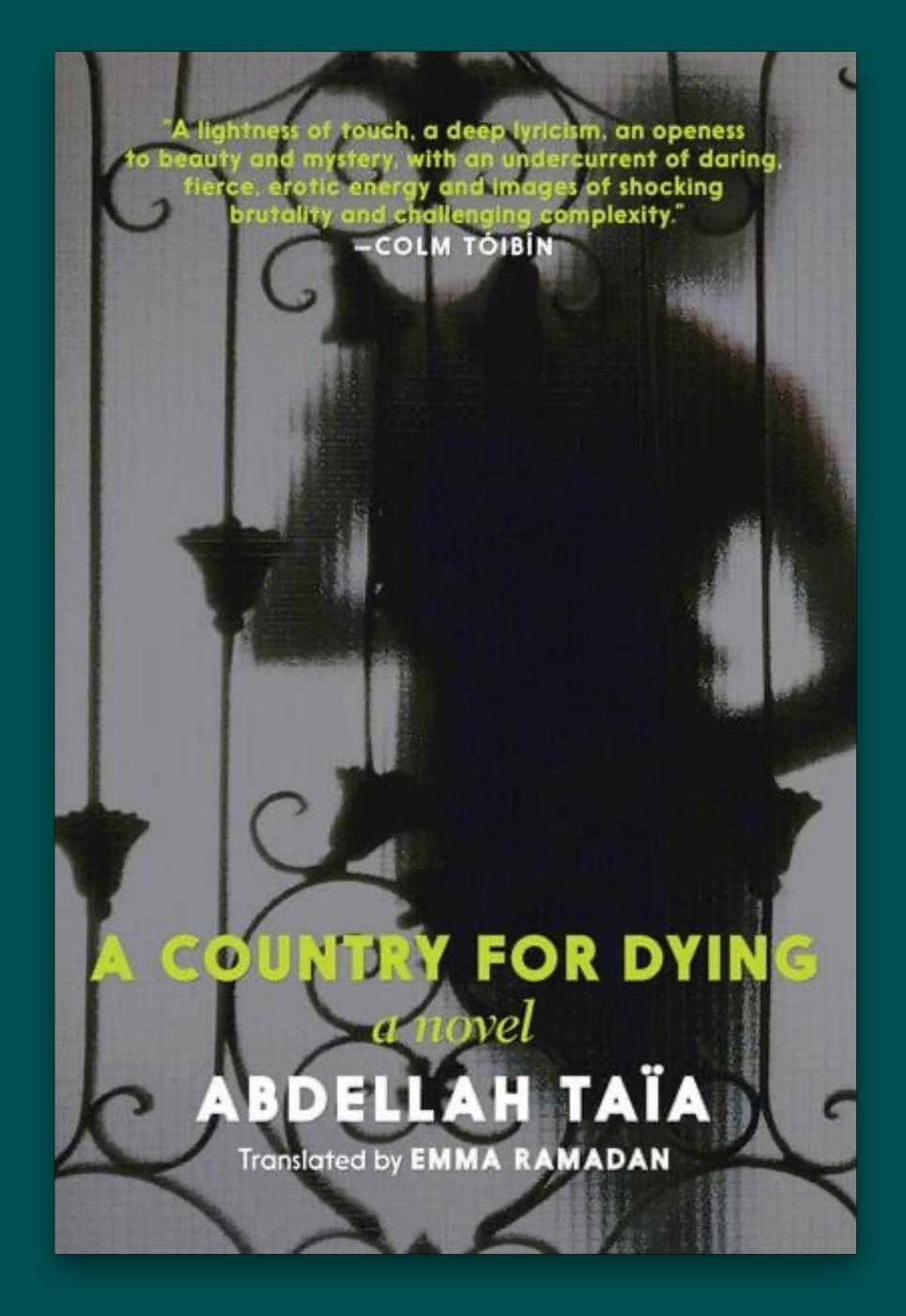
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5PBA	Relating to Indigenous peoples	*
5PBB	Relating to peoples or groups of multiple heritage / culture	*
5PBC	Relating to migrant groups / diaspora communities or peoples	*
5PBD	Relating to people of the African diasporas / heritage	*
5PBK	Relating to Kurdish people	
5PBR	Relating to Romani people and Travellers	*
5PBS	Relating to Sami people	*
5PB-AA-A	Relating to Arab people	
5PB-AU-A	Relating to Australian Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islanders	*
5PB-GB-M	Relating to Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) peoples	*
5PB-GB-N	Relating to Ulster-Scots (or Scots-Irish) people	
5PB-IT-A	Relating to the Arbëreshë people	*
5PB-NO-K	Relating to Kven people	
5PB-NZ-A	Relating to Maori people	*
5PB-US-B	Relating to Amish / Mennonite people	
5PB-US-C	Relating to African American / Black American people	*
5PB-US-D	Relating to Asian American / Pacific Islander American people	*
5PB-US-E	Relating to Native American people	*
5PB-US-F	Relating to Creole people	*
5PB-US-G	Relating to Cajun people	
5PB-US-H	Relating to Latin / Hispanic American people	*

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5PBCD	Relating to people of the North African / Maghreb diasporas / heritage	*
5PBCG	Relating to people of the South Asian diasporas / heritage	*
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5PBCM	Relating to people of the Caribbean diasporas / heritage	*
5PBCN	Relating to people of the Latin American diasporas / heritage	*
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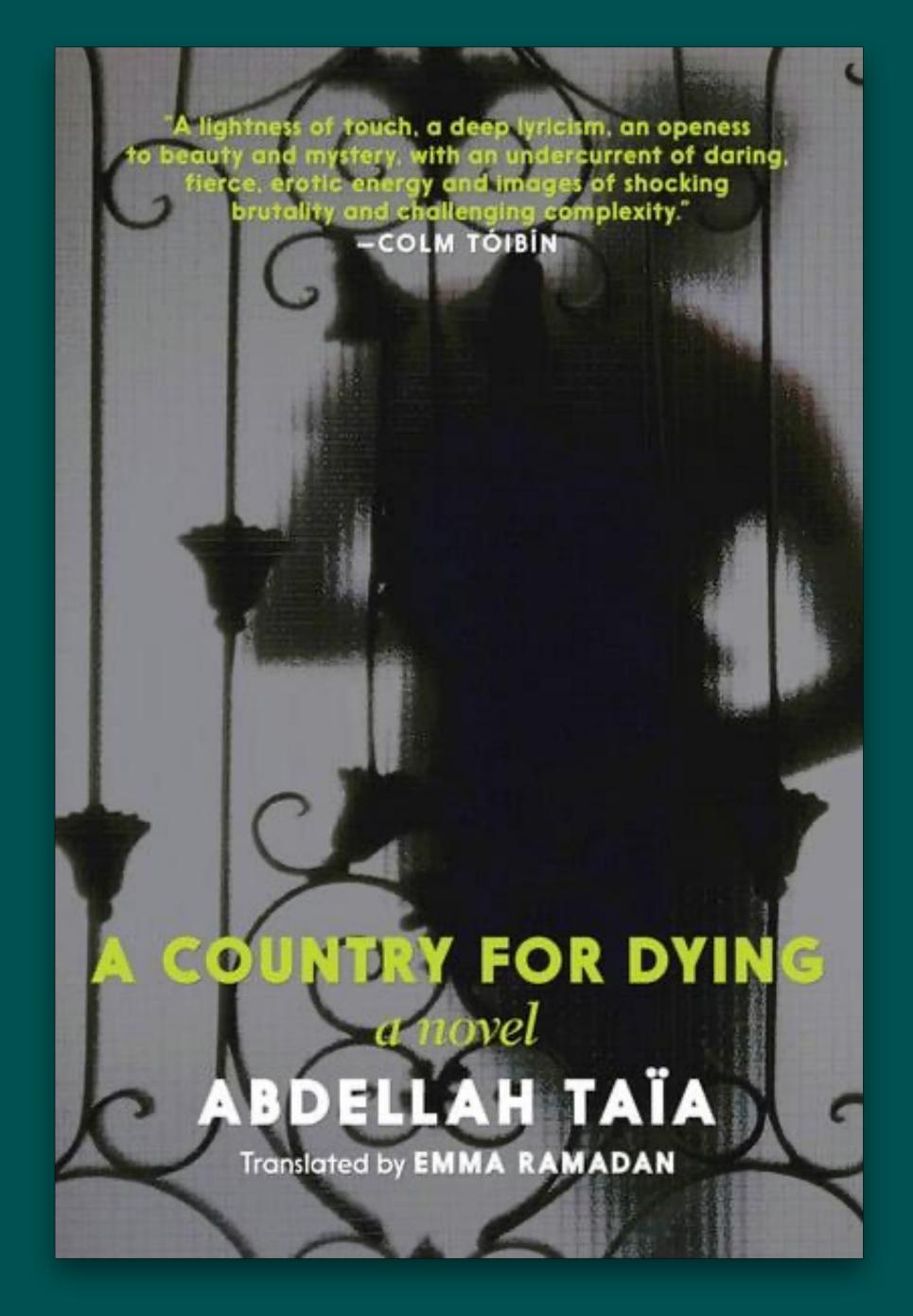
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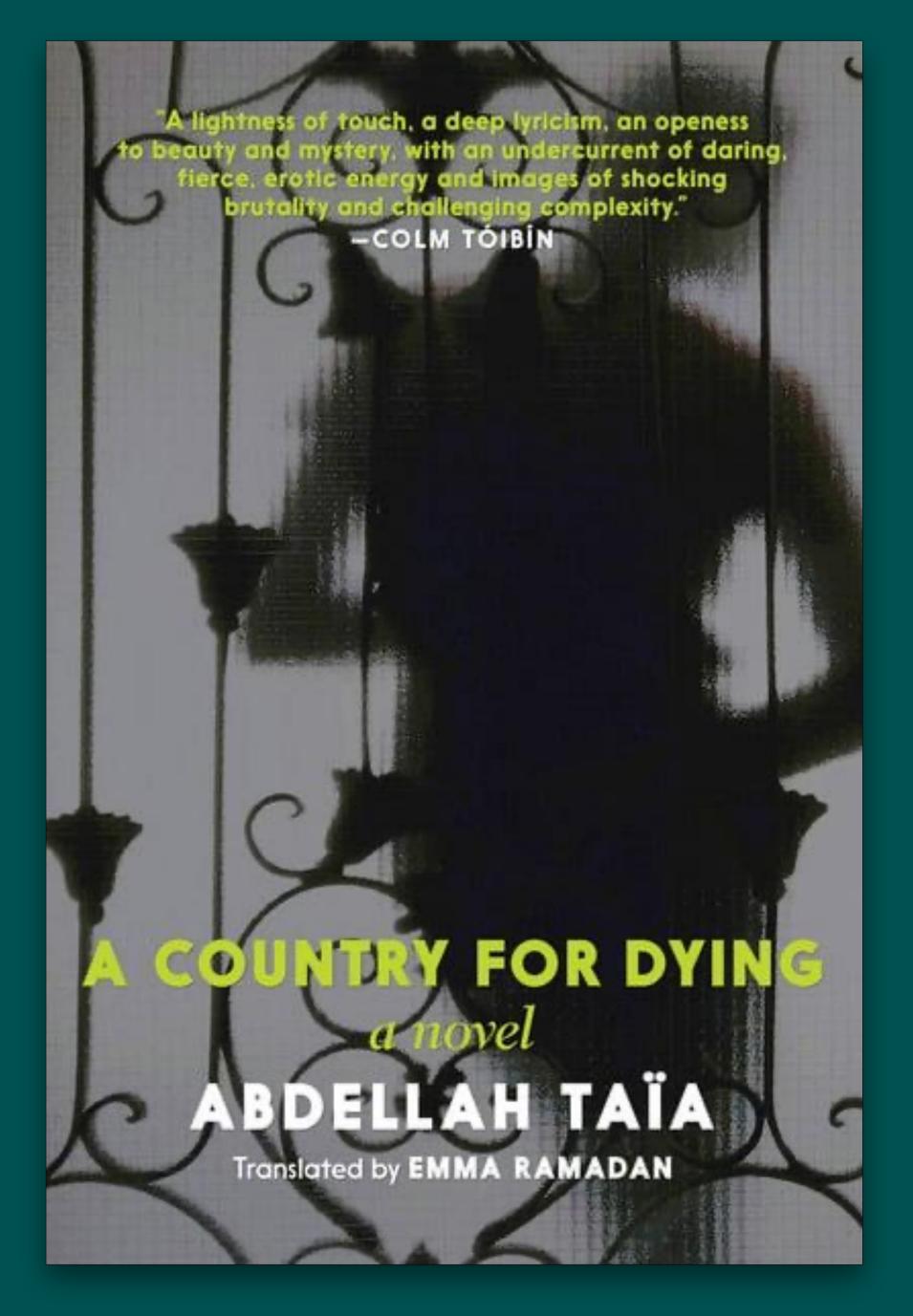
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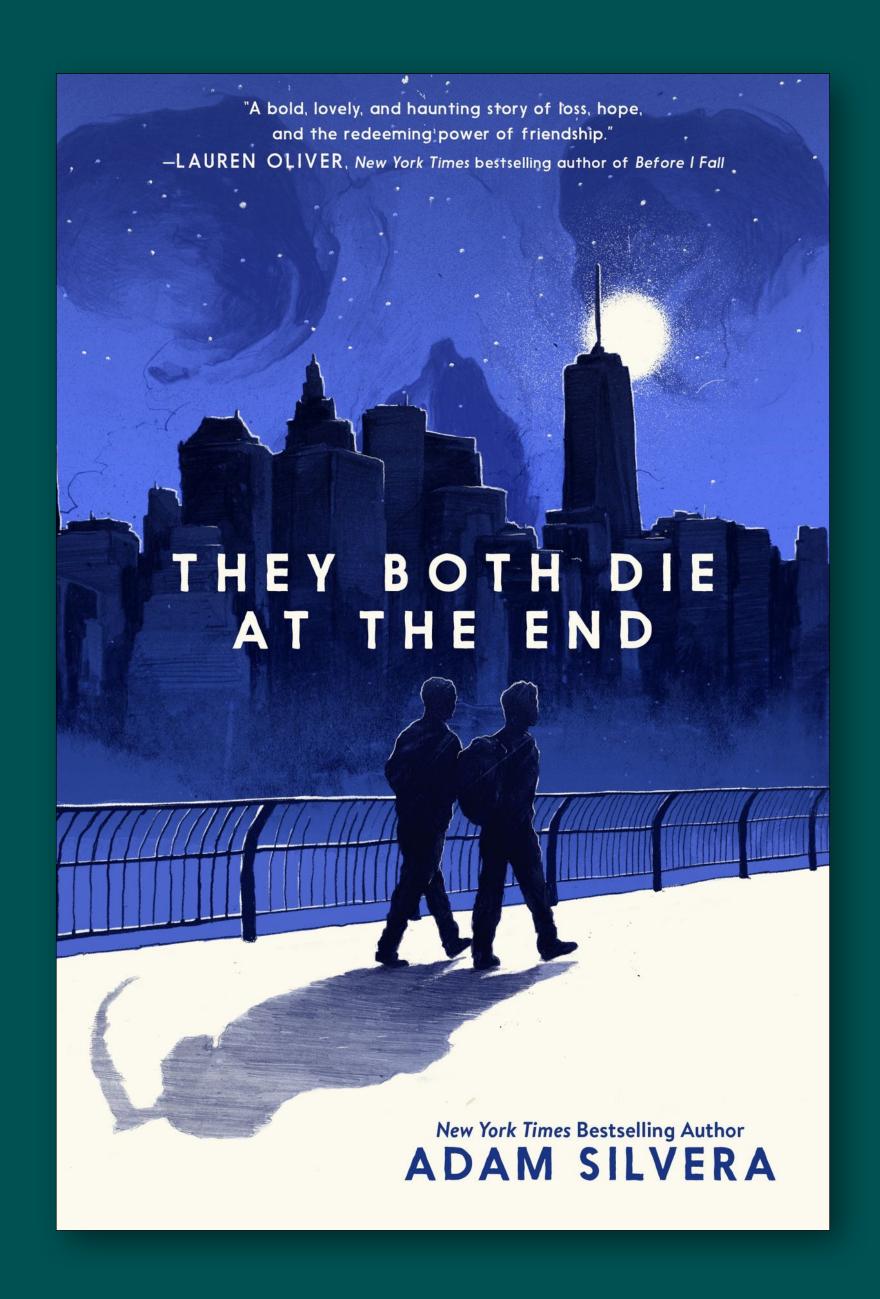
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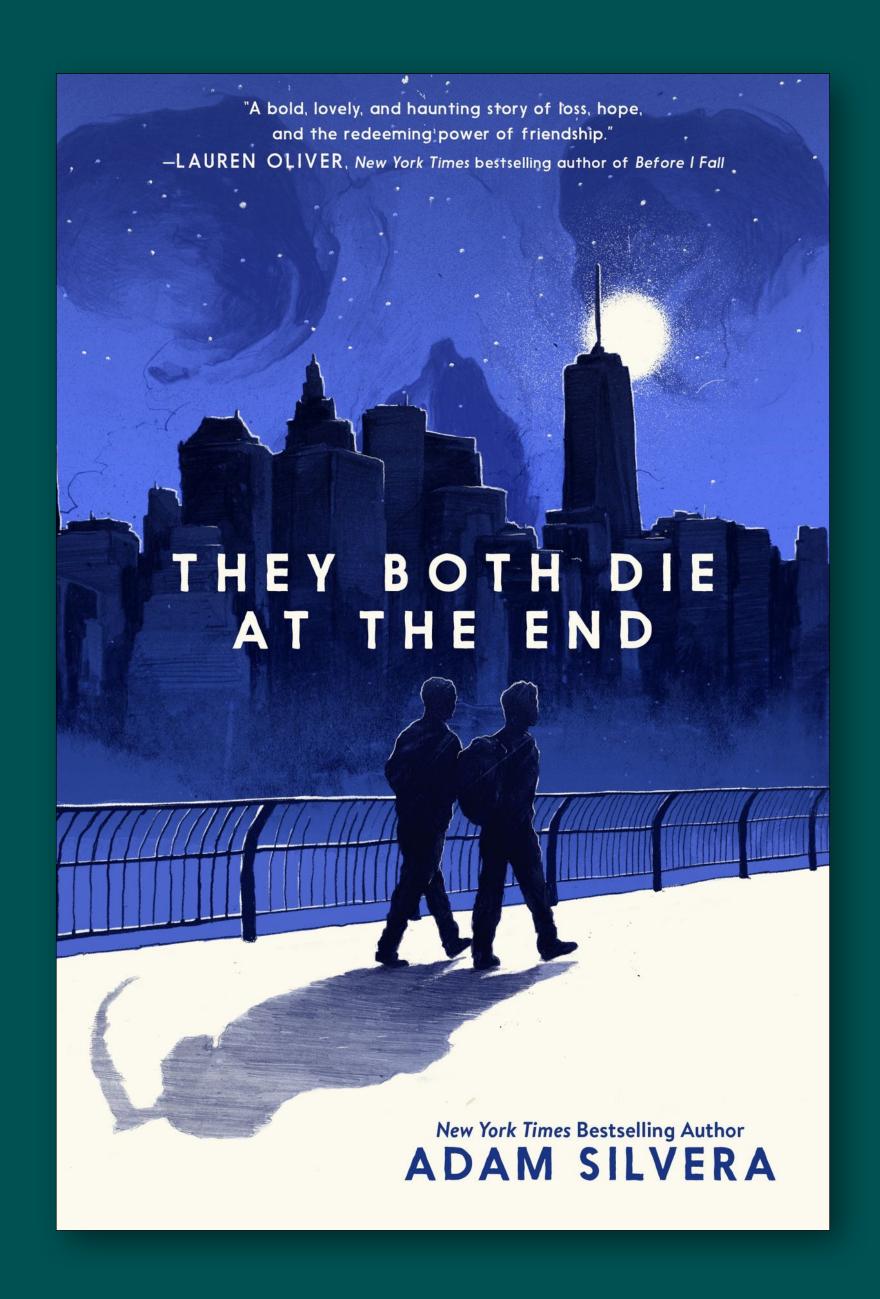
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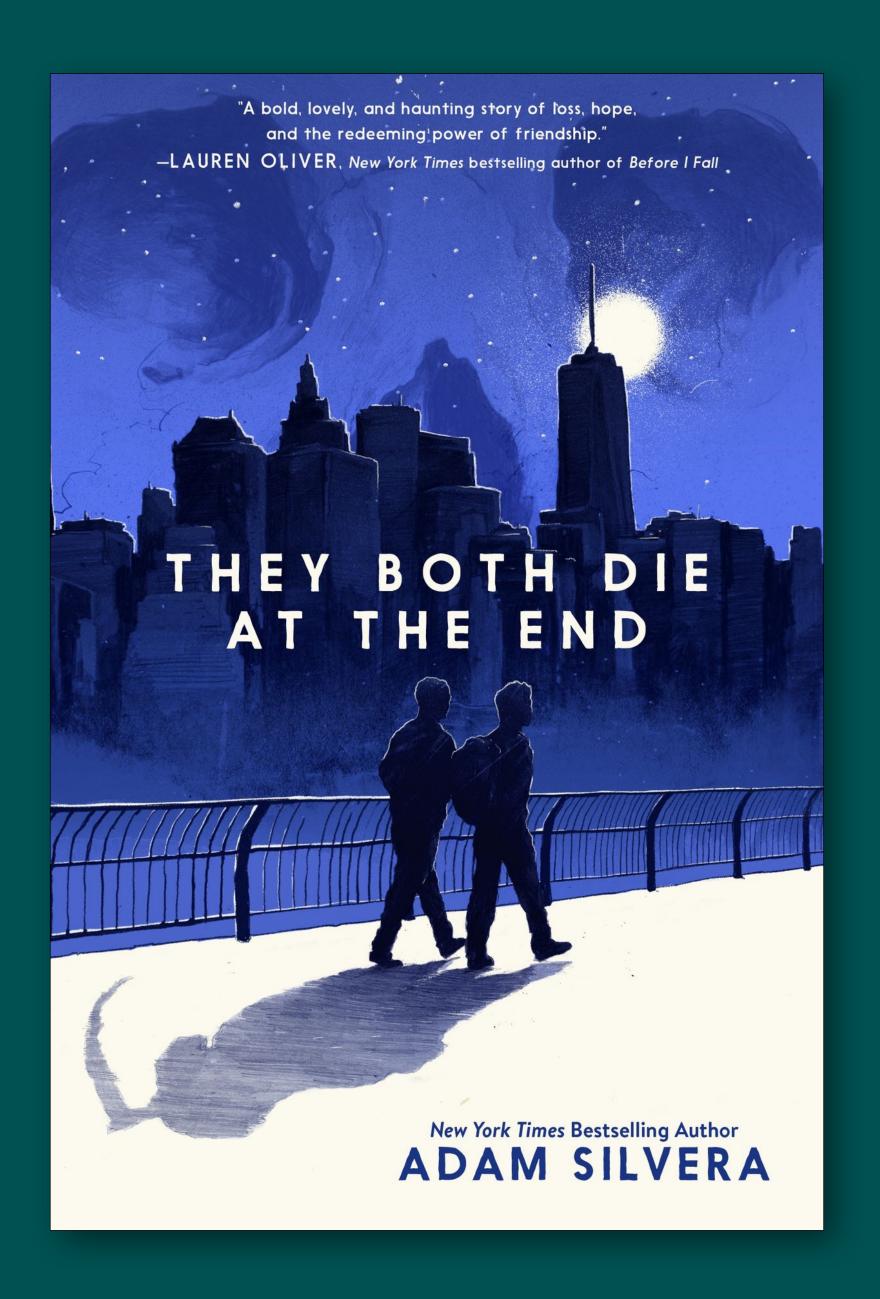
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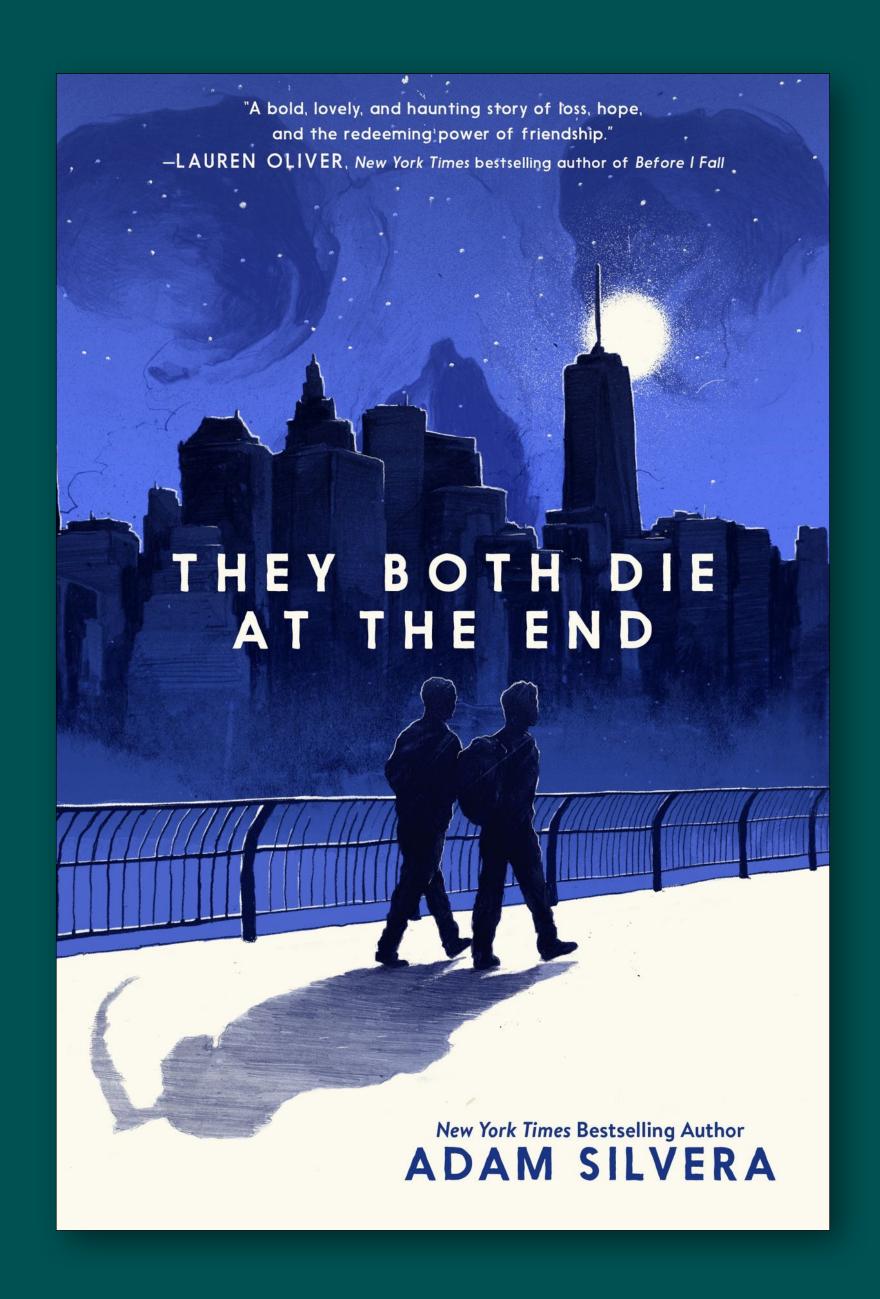
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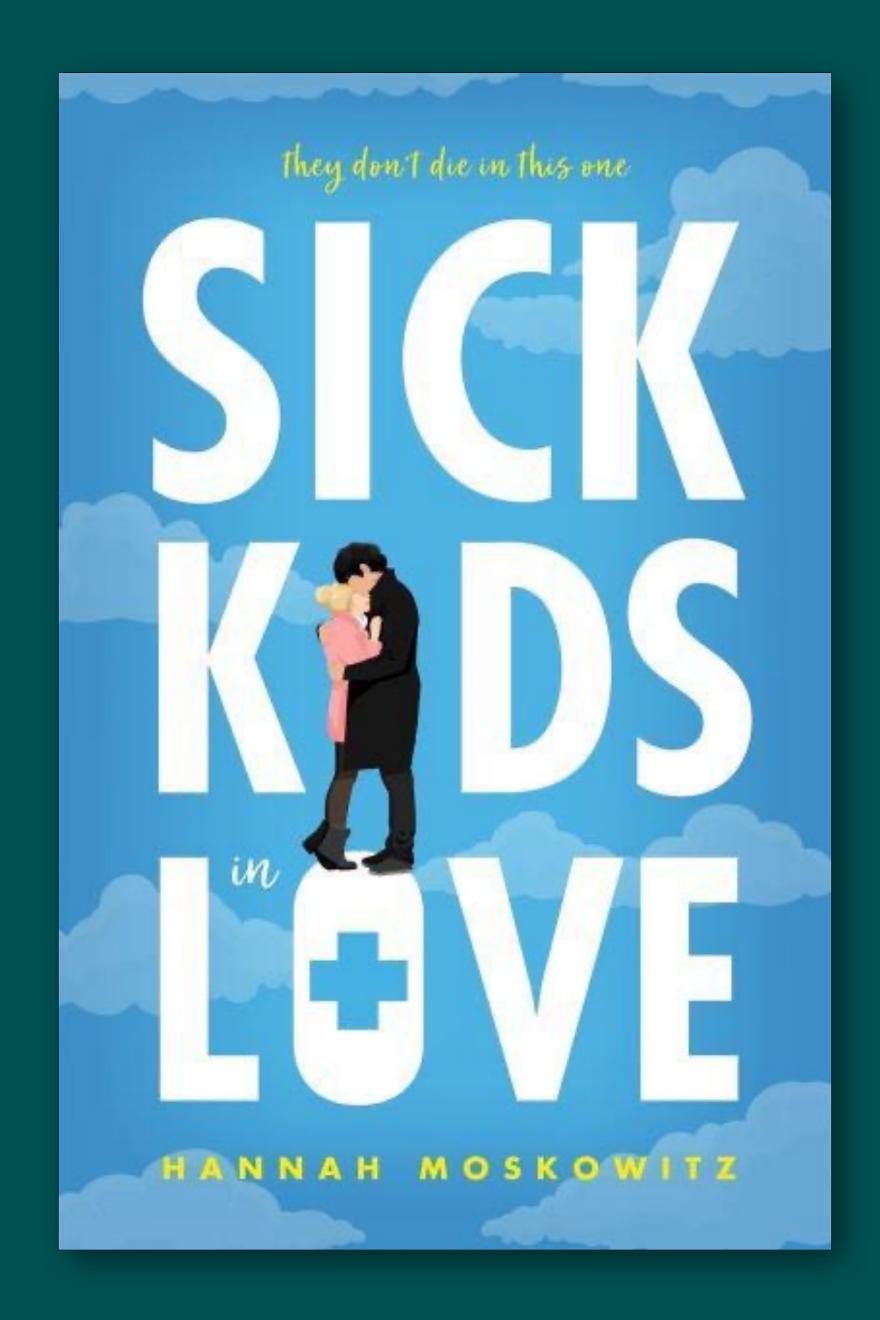
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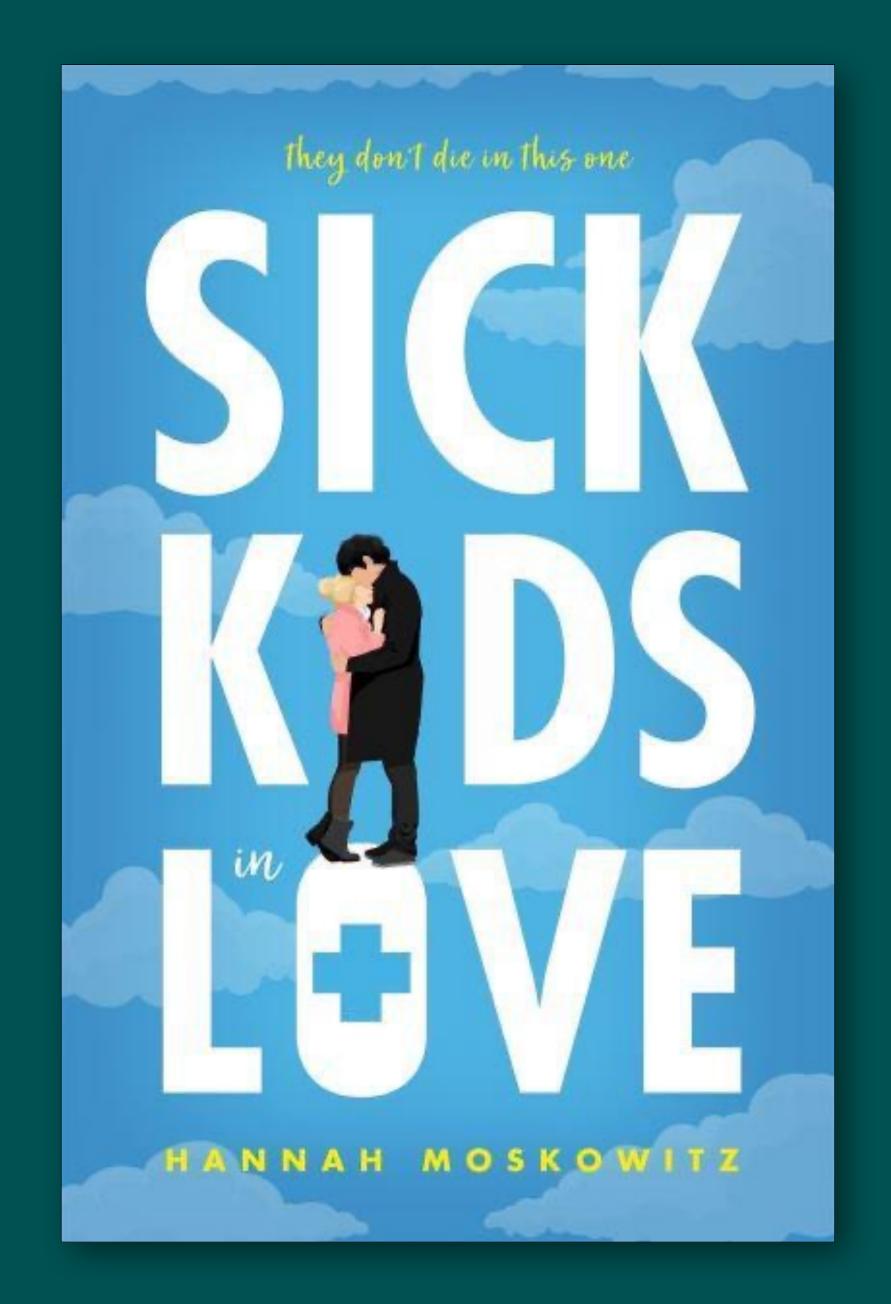
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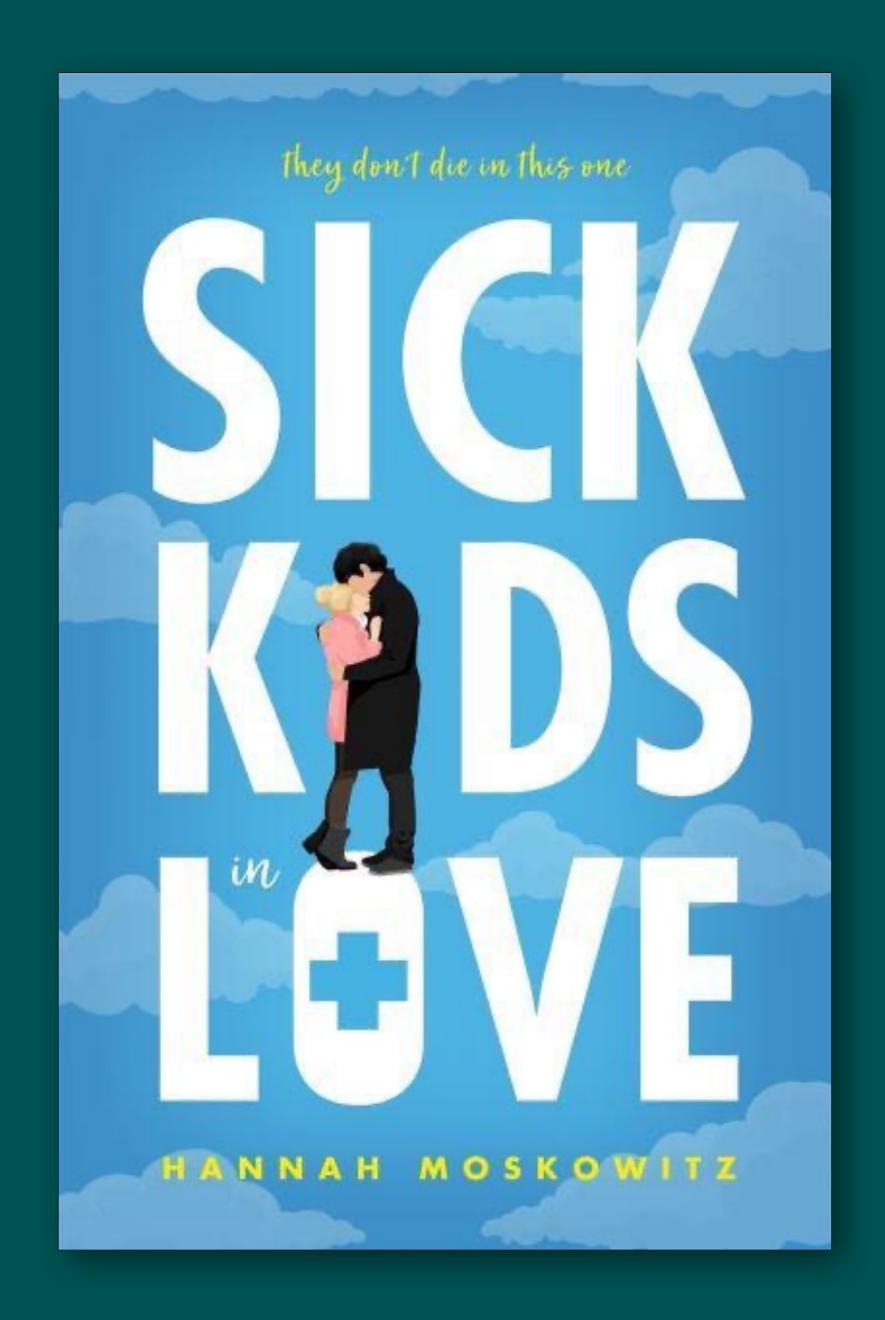
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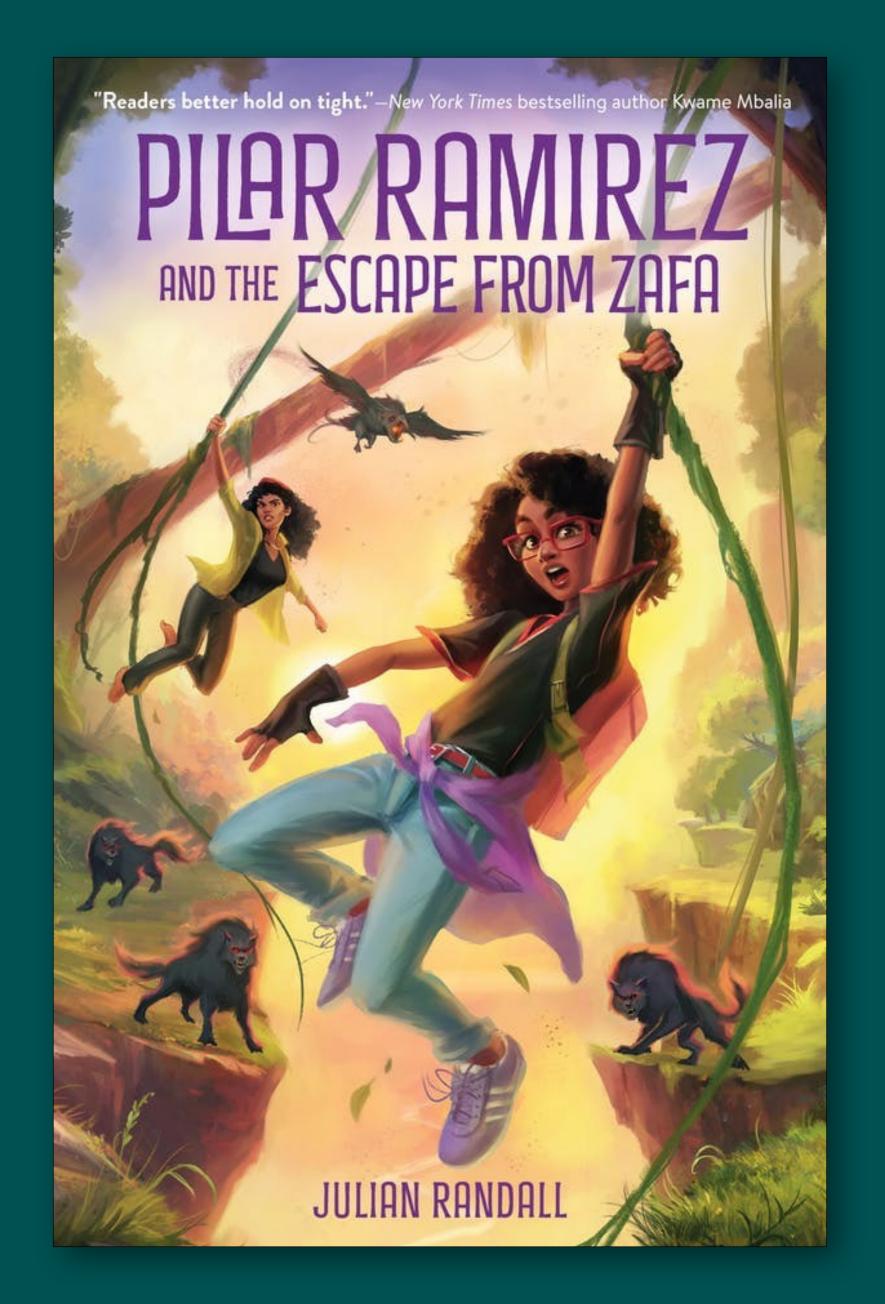
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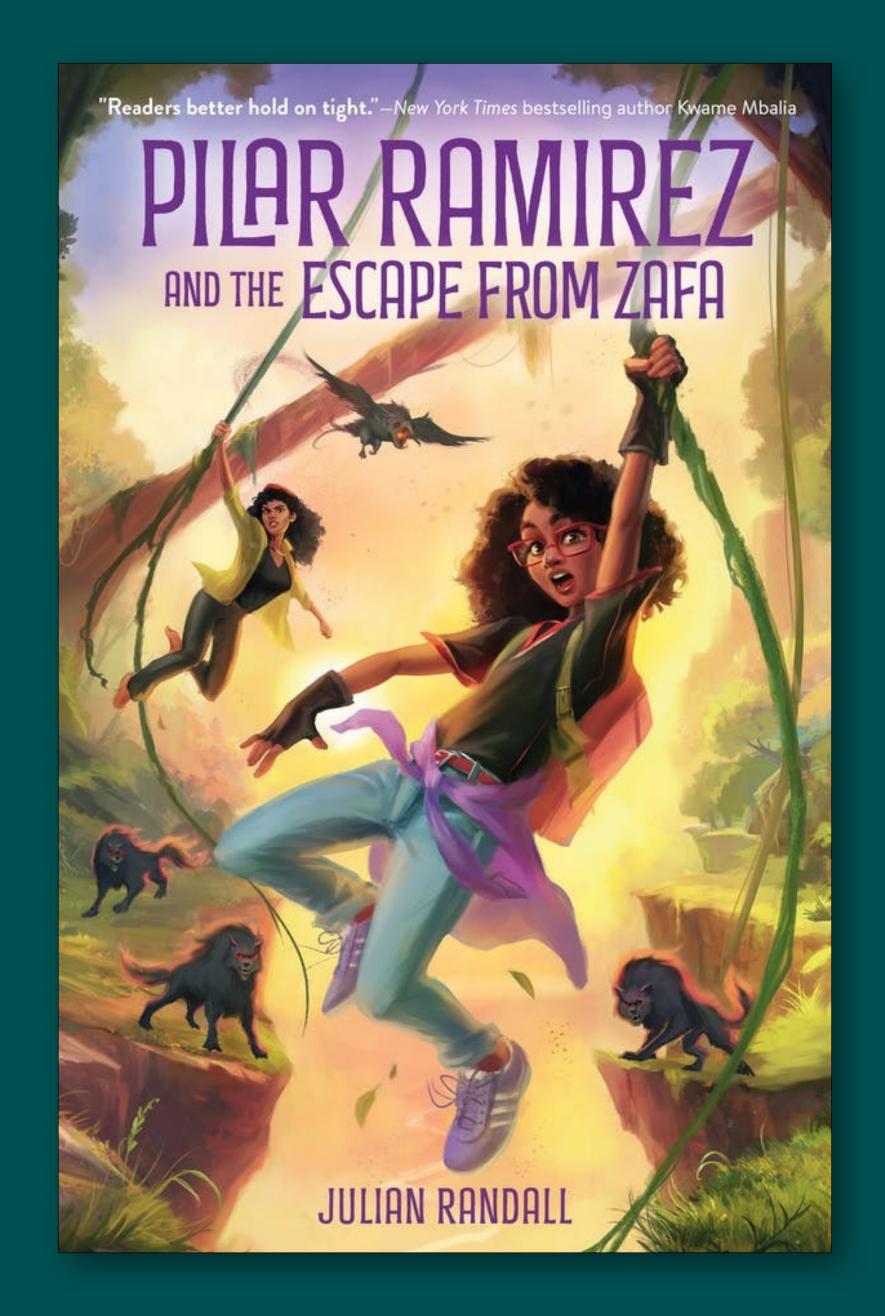
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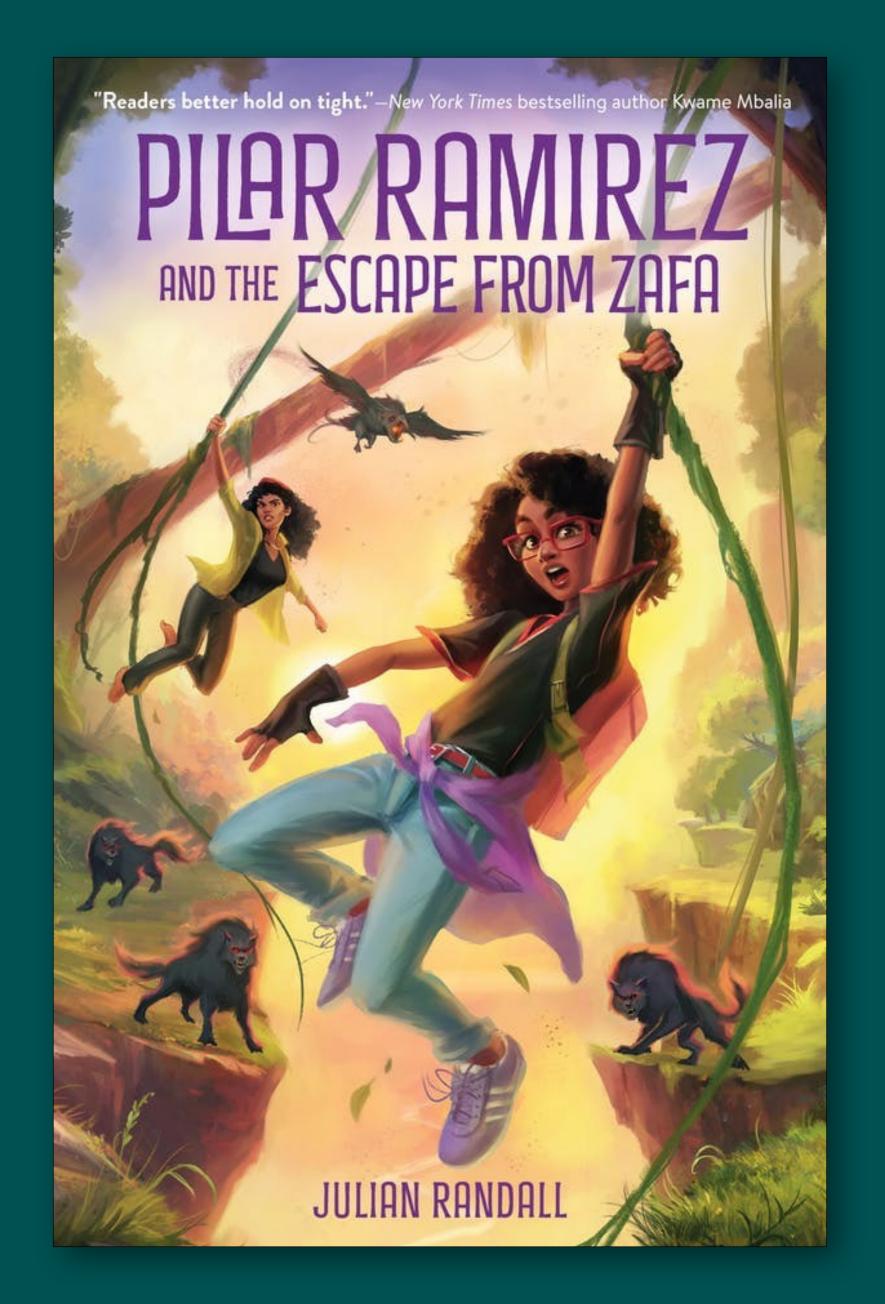
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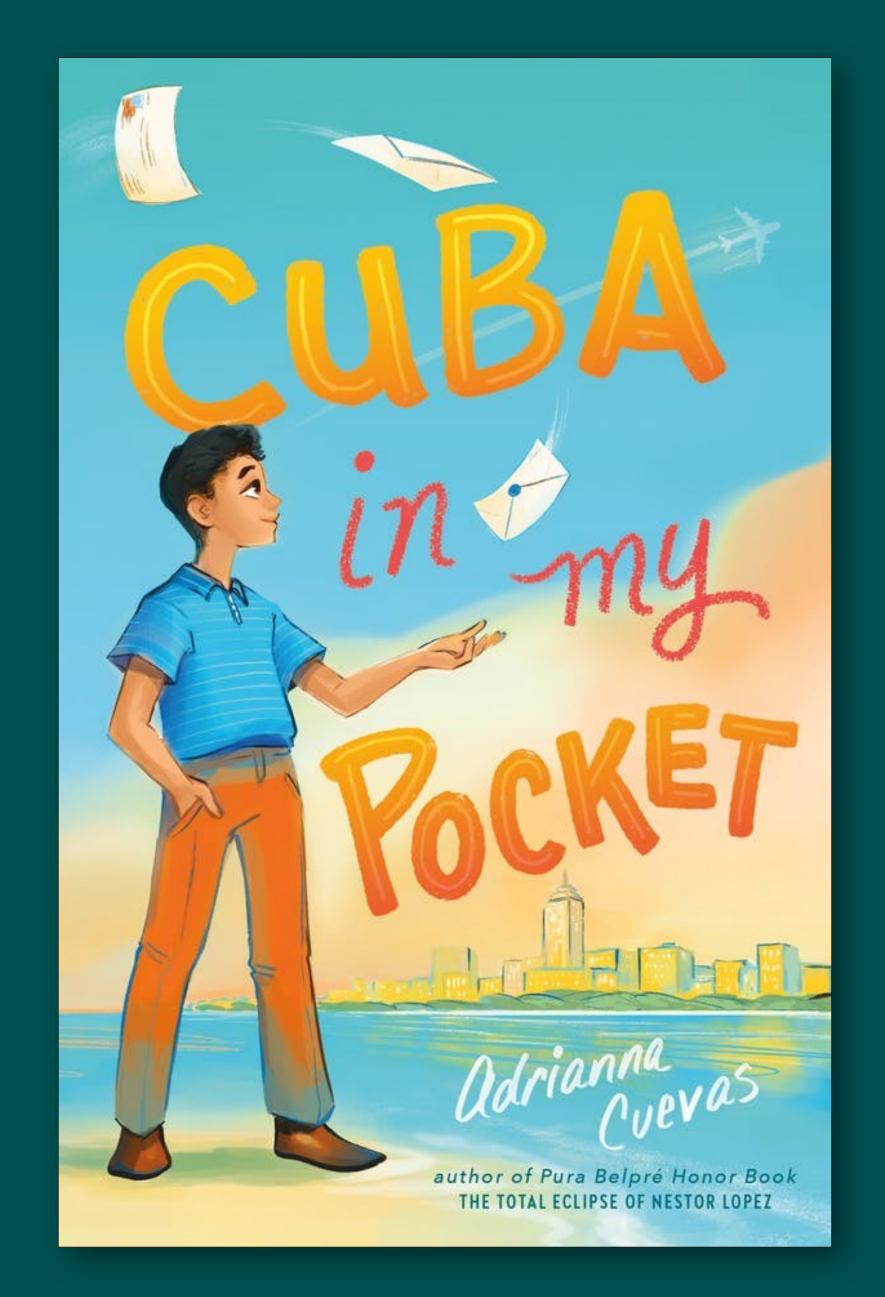
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Middle grade mythic fiction





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YFX— Children's / Teenage fiction: Biographical / autobiographical

fiction

YXZMB – Children's / Teenage social topics: Migration / refugees

1KJC – Cuba

1KBB-US-SEF – Florida

3MPQS – c 1960 to c 1969

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CHAPTER 1

Santa Clara, CubaApril 1961

This is not my home.

Tía Carmen's kitchen doesn't have my model of a P-51 Mustang or scattered pieces of Erector set. Instead of a mango tree out front with a tocororo nest in its branches, there's a crowd of soldiers, slapping one another on the back and firing their rifles into the night air.

My cousin Manuelito slaps another domino down on the table. "Doble ocho, tonto," he cackles. His stubby fingers fidget over the remaining dominoes in front of him.

"Don't call me stupid," I say, narrowing my eyes.

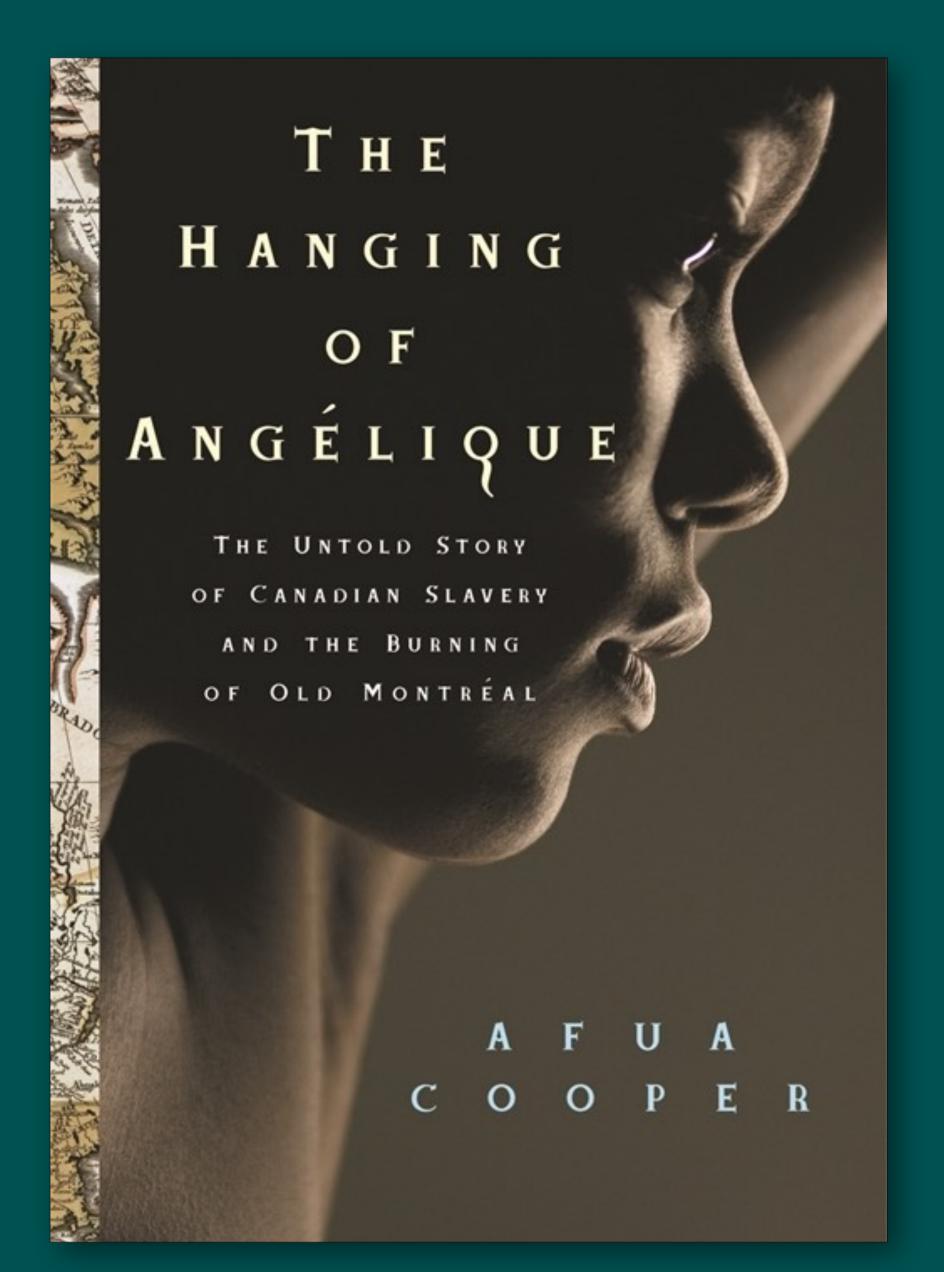
Mami paces behind Manuelito, twisting a red dish towel in her hands. She reaches for the cross at her neck, and I hear her mumble the Lord's Prayer. "Padre nuestro, que está en el cielo."

Sharp shouts outside Tía Carmen's house cut off the rest of her prayer.

"Mami?"

My little brother, Pepito, starts to get up from his chair, but Mami puts her hand on his shoulder.

"Don't worry, nene. It's fine."



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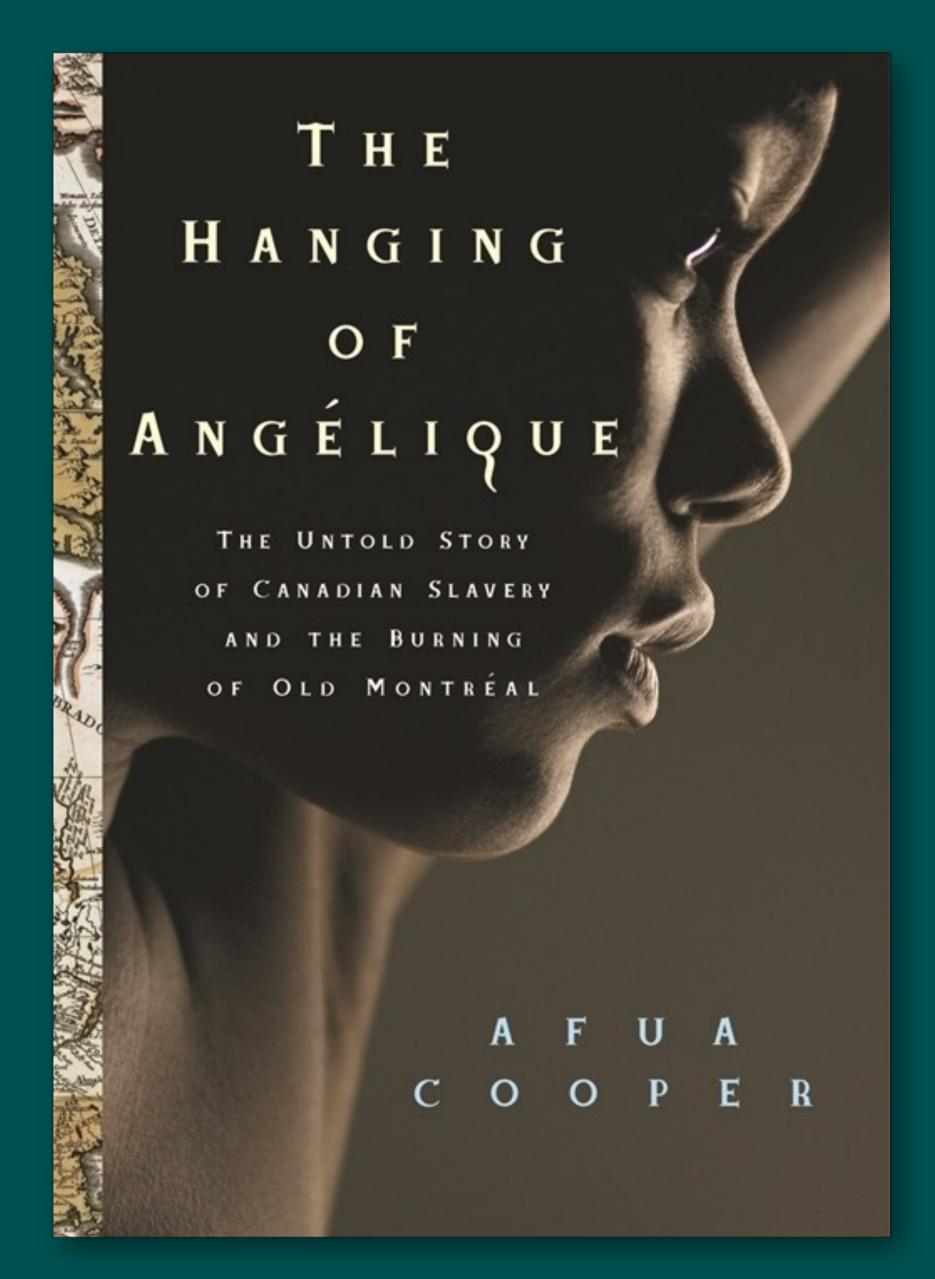
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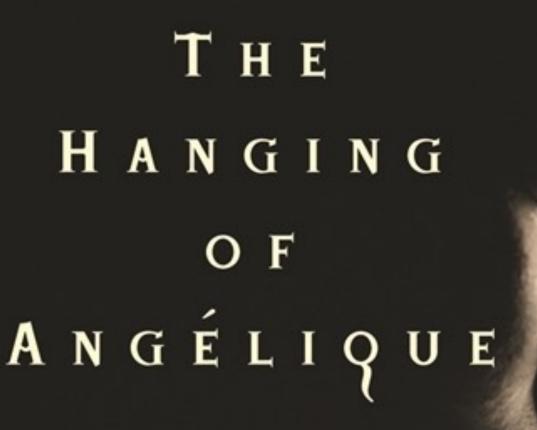
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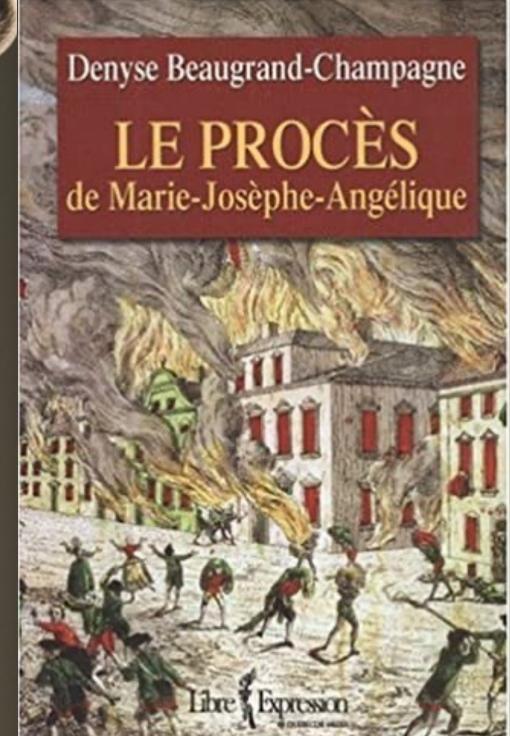


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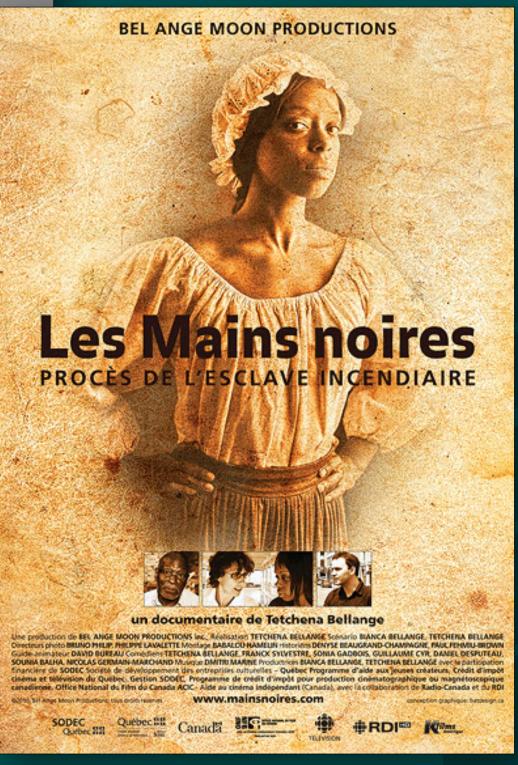
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