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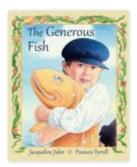
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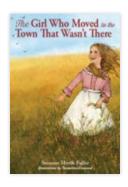
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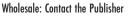


The Generous Fish Jacaueline Jules WISDOM TALES PRESS 978-1-937786-79-3 \$16.95 | SOFTCOVER



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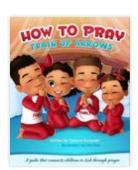
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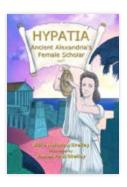
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Jeannie Ann's Grandma Has Breast Cancer

Diane Davies BEAVER'S POND PRESS 978-1-6434399-1-4 \$15.99 | HARDCOVER

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Jeannie Ann learns about cancer—tumors, mastectomies, chemotherapy, pain but also HOPE. Written to help parents with the "I have can cancer" talk.

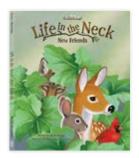
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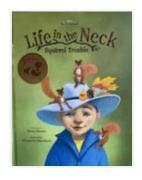






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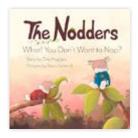
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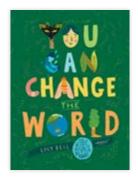


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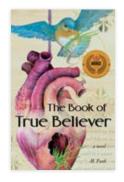
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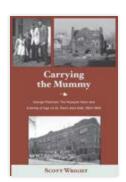


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A Northern Lakes Mystery *Jeff Nania*LITTLE CREEK PRESS

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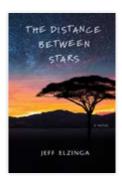
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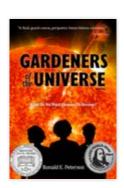


Evil Alive

Book 2 in the Circle of Six Series

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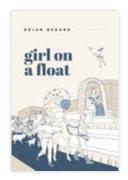
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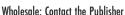
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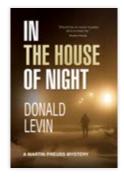
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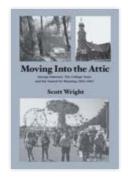
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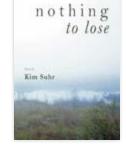




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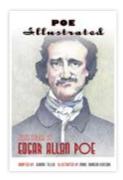
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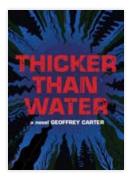
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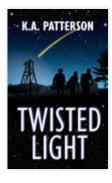
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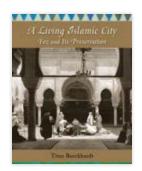
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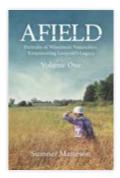
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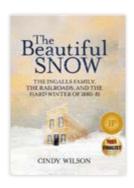
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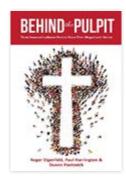
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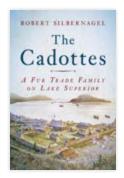
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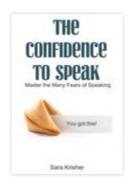
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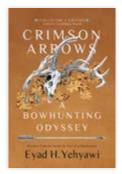
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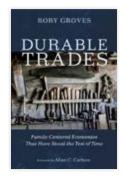


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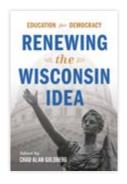
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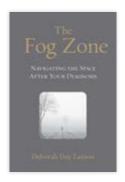
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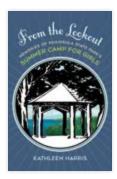
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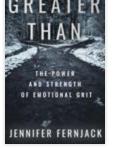


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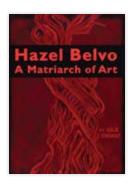
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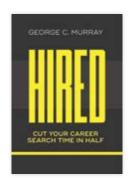
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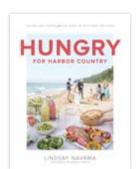


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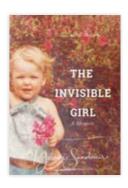
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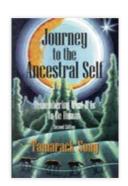
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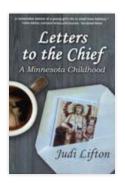
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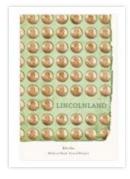


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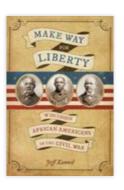
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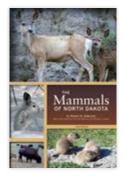
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Phil Christman **BELT PUBLISHING** 978-1-9487426-1-0 \$21.99 | HARDCOVER



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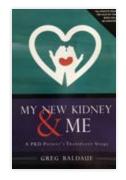
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More Minnesota Gold Patrick Mader (with Joel Rippel) 978-1-63489-298-8 \$56.00 | HARDCOVER



My New Kidney & Me Grea Baldauf BEAVER'S POND PRESS 978-1-64343-982-2 \$17.95 | SOFTCOVER

"If we can only stay on our feet, we'll medal!" These are the words of Minnesota speedskating silver medalist, Randy Bartz. Minnesotans, in the heart of the Midwest, have long been known for their humble nature and work ethic and have long taken great pride in their athletics.

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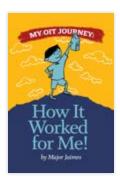
My New Kidney & Me tells his story: the long search for a donor, the anxious lead-up to transplant surgery, the sometimes-disorienting recovery process, and the gratitude and joy that came after.

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My Walk With Grief

Flaine Olson LEGACY BOOK PRESS LLC 978-1-7347986-5-4 \$15.99 | SOFTCOVER B091G1TTVG & \$3.99 | EB00K

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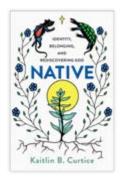


My Walk with Grief is a spiritual memoir about Elaine's obsessive ten-year search for identity and love after being a pastor's wife for thirty years.

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Native
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No Place Like Murder
True Crime in the Midwest
Janis Thornton
INDIANA UNIVERSITY PRESS
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Native is about identity, soul-searching, and the never-ending journey of finding ourselves and finding God.

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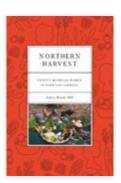
A modern retelling of 20 sensational true crimes, *No Place Like Murder* reveals the inside details behind nefarious acts that shocked the Midwest between 1869 and 1950.



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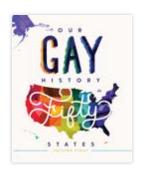
Northern Harvest

Twenty Michigan Women in Food and Farming

Emita Brady Hill

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY PRESS

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Our Gay History

Zaylore Stout
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Beautiful and engaging, this book tells LGBTQ+ American history, state-by-state, highlighting significant people, places and "queer facts" so that all readers learn that LGBTQ+ history is American History.

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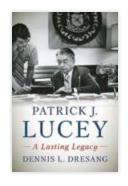


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A Parents' Survival Guide to the Freshman Kelly Radi BEAVERS' POND PRESS 978-1-59298-726-9 \$16.95 | SOFTCOVER



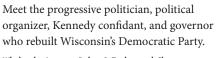
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Allen Lona LEGACY BOOK PRESS LLC 978-1-7347986-6-1 \$12.99 | SOFTCOVER B093J6Z8QJ \$3.99 | EBOOK

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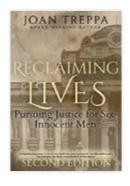


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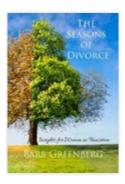
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One average but determined woman sets out to shake up the justice system in the name of six wrongfully convicted men.

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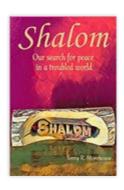
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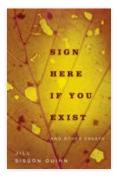
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Jill Sisson Quinn MAD CREEK BOOKS, AN IMPRINT OF THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY PRESS 978-0-8142-5592-6 \$15.96 | SOFTCOVER



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Essays that radiate from the junction of science and imagination, exploring topics from the existence of God to sense of place to adoptive parenthood.

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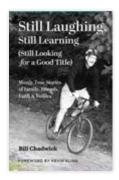
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A magical tale of tableside chats—sobremesas—by a first-generation Argentine-American.

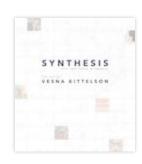
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Mostly True Stories of Family, Friends, Faith & Foibles Bill Chadwick BEAVER'S POND PRESS 978-1-64343-889-4 \$16.75 | SOFTCOVER



Synthesis

Lost and Found in America. Art of Vesna Lyndel King, Heather Carroll, Wendy Fernstrum, Camille LeFevre, Susannah Schouweiler, Joanna Inglot, John Lyon, Kerry Morgan and Marcia Reed AFTON PRESS 978-1-8904349-4-6 \$39.95 | HARDCOVER

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A vibrant review of the international career and passionate spirit of a longtime Twin Cities artist.

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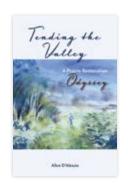


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The Tahini Table

Go Beyond Hummus with 100 Recipes for Every Meal Amy Zitelman AGATE PUBLISHING, INC. 978-1-5728428-9-2 \$21.80 | HARDCOVER



Tending the Valley

A Prairie Restoration Odyssey

Alice D'Alessio

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978-0-87020-950-5 \$15.95 | SOFTCOVER

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Most people who know about tahini understand the sesame paste as simply one of the building blocks of hummus.

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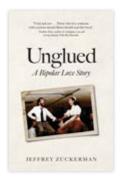


Combining keenly-observed nature writing, memoir and humor, Alice D'Alessio chronicles her family's prairie restoration adventures (and misadventures).

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A Bipolar Love Story
Jeffrey Zuckerman
BOYLE & DALTON
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We Will Always Be Here

A Guide to Exploring and Understanding LGBTQ+ History and Activism in Wisconsin Jenny Kalvaitis and Kristen Whitson WISCONSIN HISTORICAL SOCIETY PRESS 978-0-87020-961-1 \$15.00 | SOFTCOVER 978-0-87020-962-8 \$9.99 | EBOOK

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978-1-7347986-1-6 \$11.99 | SOFTCOVER
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When do the Lions Eat?

George Heiring
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978-1-946195623 19.84 | SOFTCOVER

Weave of Destiny is a memoir relating the tortuous journey over a jagged road that the author and his wife traveled to have a family of their own.

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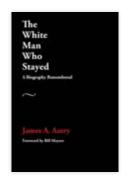




When the White Pine Was King

The History of Lumberjacks, Log Drives and Sawdust Cities in Wisconsin

Jerry Apps
WISCONSIN HISTORICAL SOCIETY PRESS
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The White Man Who Stayed

James Autry ICE CUBE PRESS, LLC 978-1-9485091-7-6 | SOFTCOVER

Jerry Apps revisits the lumber boom era and reveals how lessons learned in the vast northern forestlands continue to shape the region today.

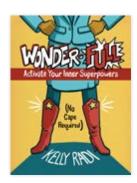
Wholesale: Ingram, Baker & Taylor, Chicago Distribution Center Retail: Your favorite local book store, or online source e.g. www.edelweiss.plus/?sku=0870209345 Douglas Autry returned to his native Mississippi, beginning a heroic journey to bring change to a place and to people.

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Activate Your Inner Superpowers

Kelly Radi

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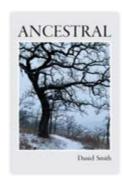
Poetry Titles

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Ain't Never Not Been Black

Javon Johnson BUTTON POETRY 978-1-943735-84-6 \$15.68 | SOFTCOVER



Ancestral

Daniel Smith Water's edge press LLC 978-1-952526-03-9 \$25 | Hardcover

Ain't Never Not Been Black foregrounds Black pleasure Black pain and Black love in unflinchingly Black ways.

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Ancestral explores a farm family's deep attachment to the land and the emotional disruption one endures when such a life is no longer sustainable.

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Baek Seok

Poems of the North
Baek Seok; translated by Peter N. Liptak
EXILE PRESS LLC
978-1-9363420-9-9 \$28.95 | HARDCOVER



Child of Dawn Mother of Twilight

Theresa King YES INTERNATIONAL PUBLISHERS 978-0-9366635-8-6 \$8.57 | SOFTCOVER

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An Introduction for what you are about to read seems an impertinence. The author's words, as she travels over hill and dale, in and out of seasons, beckon a broadening vision of life's wonders.

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The Minnesota Pen Women Anthology 2021 Compiled by Ute Buehler, Works by The Minnesota Pen Women STUDIO 214 PUBLISHING, MINNEAPOLIS 978-0-9861091-2-6 \$15.00 | SOFTCOVER 978-0-9861091-1-9 \$5.00 | EBOOK



Efflorescence

Kelsev Villeret LEGACY BOOK PRESS LLC 978-1-7347986-7-8 \$12.99 | SOFTCOVER B095XGVWCV \$5.99 | EBOOK

This Anthology showcases the works of the member artists, writers, photographers and poets of the Minnesota Pen Women, Minnesota Branch of NLAPW.

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For Now

Poems by Taiju Geri Wilimek, Paintings by Taiju Geri Wilimek and Marley Kaul MILL STUDIO PRESS 978-1-7323894-2-7 \$18.43 | SOFTCOVER



Fractures

Carlos Andrés Gómez UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN PRESS 978-0-2993299-4-5 \$16.95 | SOFTCOVER

In this book a visual artist and a writer offer their second collaborative reflection on mortality. For Now offers images of egg tempera paintings made by master painter Marley Kaul and poems written by Zen practitioner Taiju Geri Wilimek.

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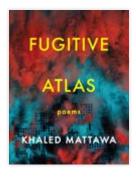
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Fugitive Atlas Khaled Mattawa **GRAYWOLF PRESS** 978-1-6444503-7-6 \$13.99 | SOFTCOVER



Gut Botany Petra Kuppers WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY PRESS 978-0-8143476-3-8 \$18.77 | SOFTCOVER

Fugitive Atlas is a sweeping, impassioned account of refugee crises, military occupations, and ecological degradation, an acute and probing journey through a world in upheaval.



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Gut Botany charts my body / language living on indigenous land as a white settler and traveler," Petra Kuppers writes in the notes of her new poetry collection.

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His Feathers Were Chains

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Holding Heaven

A collection of poems Elsa Mondou LEGACY BOOK PRESS LLC 978-1-7347986-3-0 \$10.99 | SOFTCOVER B08MDG138C \$2.99 | EB00K

Lajimodiere's newest collection of poetry takes its title from a statue the author observed-an Indian on a horse-fashioned from welded-together farm implements.

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Midwest Gothic

Laura Donnelly ASHLAND POETRY PRESS 978-0-9125928-8-6 \$15.95 | SOFTCOVER

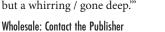
In *Letters*, the art and poetry of the English alphabet comes alive through rhythm and rhyme in philosophically charged verse in this graphic arts book.

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Winner of the 2019 Richard Snyder Memorial Publication Prize. "The poems in *Midwest Gothic* make the daily deliciously strange—'the daily / which isn't still at all but a whirring / gone deep."



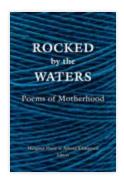
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The Miraculous, Sometimes

Meg Shevenock Conduit Books & Ephemera 978-1-7336020-3-7 \$16.00 | Softcover



Rocked by the Waters

Margaret Hasse and Athena Kildegaard NODIN PRESS 978-1-947237-26-1 \$19.95 | SOFTCOVER

A poetry-hybrid memoir in verse mapping the narrator's recovery from sexual abuse and infertility, using art as a narrative tool toward survival.

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Rocked by the Waters contains 136 poems by mothers exploring conception, birth, loss, adoption, and the many joys and challenges of raising children.

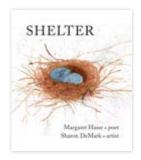
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Margaret Hasse
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Swimming, Not Drowning
Mari-Carmen Marin
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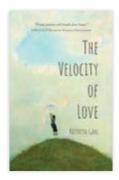
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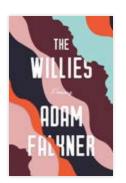
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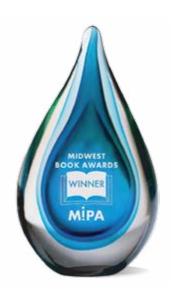
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