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ALICE HOFFMAN

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Alice Hoffman has published over thirty novels, three books of short fiction, and eight books for children and young adults. Her novel, *Here on Earth*, was an Oprah Book Club choice. *Practical Magic* was made into a Warner film starring Sandra Bullock and Nicole Kidman. Hoffman's advance from her novel *Local Girls* was donated to help create the Hoffman Breast Center at Mount Auburn Hospital. In 2018, she released *New York Times* bestseller *Rules of Magic*, which is a prequel to *Practical Magic* and in 2019 *The World That We Knew* became an instant bestseller. Her most recent novel, *Magic Lessons* was released in October 2020.

YO-YO MA

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Yo-Yo Ma is one of America's most celebrated musicians. His career as a cellist is a testament to his enduring belief in culture's power to generate trust and understanding. Whether performing new or familiar works from the cello repertoire, collaborating with communities and institutions to explore cultures role in society or engaging unexpected musical forms, Yo-Yo strives to foster connections that stimulate the imagination and reinforce our humanity.

KRISTIN HANNAH

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Kristin Hannah is the award-winning and bestselling author of more than 20 novels including *The Great Alone*, *The Nightingale*, *Home Front*, *Night Road*, *Winter Garden*, *True Colors*, and *Fly Away*. An adaptation of her book *Firefly Lane*

premiered on Netflix in early 2021. Kristin's highly anticipated new release, *The Four Winds* was published in February of 2021.

TAYARI JONES

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Tayari Jones is the author of four novels, including *An American Marriage*. The novel is an Oprah's Book Club Selection, appeared on Barack Obama's reading list, and was awarded the Women's Prize for Fiction. Her third novel, *Silver Sparrow*, was added to the NEA Big Read Library of classics in 2016.

MADELINE MILLER

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Madeline Miller is the author of two internationally bestselling novels which have been translated into over twenty-five languages. Her first novel, *The Song of Achilles*, was a *New York Times* Bestseller, and was awarded the 2012 Orange Prize for Fiction (now known as the Women's Prize for Fiction). Her second novel, *Circe*, was an instant #1 *New York Times* bestseller, won the Indies Choice Best Adult Fiction of the Year Award and the Indies Choice Best Audiobook of the Year Award, and was shortlisted for the 2019 Women's Prize for Fiction.

HILARIE BURTON MORGAN

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Hilarie Burton Morgan is the beloved actress and star of *One Tree Hill*, *White Collar*, and *Lethal Weapon*. She is married to Jeffrey Dean Morgan (*The Walking Dead*, *Grey's Anatomy*), and lives on a working farm in the Hudson Valley with her husband and kids. Her *New York Times* bestselling book, *The Rural Diaries: Love, Livestock, and Big Life Lessons Down on Mischief Farm* tells the story of leaving Hollywood for a radically different kind of life in upstate New York.

SUSAN ORLEAN

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Susan Orlean is a *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Library Book*, *Rin Tin Tin*, *Saturday Night*, and *The Orchid Thief*, which was made into the Academy Award-winning film *Adaptation*. She has been a staff writer for *The New Yorker* for over twenty years and a former contributing editor at *Rolling Stone* and *Vogue*. Her latest work is the instant *New York Times* bestseller *The Library Book* was named one of both *The New York Times* 100 Notable Books of 2018 and *The Washington Post's* Best Books of 2018 and was awarded the California Book Award and Marfield Prize for Arts Writing.

AMY TAN

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Amy Tan is a *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Joy Luck Club*, *The Kitchen God's Wife*, *The Hundred Secret Senses*, *The Bonesetter's Daughter*, *Saving Fish from Drowning*, and *Valley of Amazement*. She is the author of two memoirs, *The Opposite of Fate* and *Where the Past Begins*; two children's books, *The Moon Lady* and *Sagwa, The Chinese Siamese Cat*; and numerous articles for magazines.

JOYCE KULHAWIK

Joyce Kulhawik, best known as the Emmy Award-winning arts and entertainment critic for CBS-Boston (WBZ-TV 1981-2008), is currently lending her expertise as an arts critic/advocate, motivational speaker, and cancer crusader. Kulhawik is President of the Boston Theater Critics Association, a member of the Boston Society of Film Critics, and Boston Online Film Critics Association. Kulhawik has covered local and national events from Boston and Broadway to Hollywood, reporting live from the Oscars, the Emmys, and the Grammys. Nationally, Kulhawik has co-hosted syndicated movie-review programs with Roger Ebert and Leonard Maltin. Look for her arts & entertainment reviews online at *JoycesChoices.com*.