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Drive sales and traffic to online retail







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THE LINEUP

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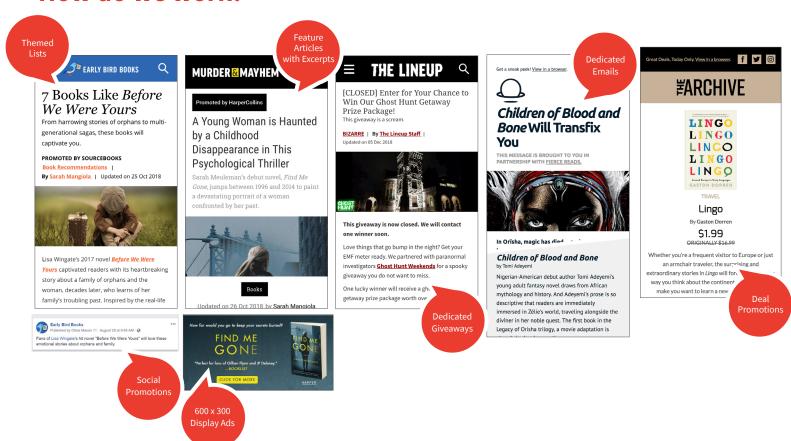
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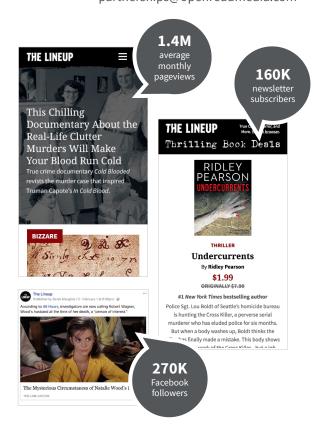
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JANUARY

All the Upcoming Horror Movies We're
Dying to See in 2020
The Most Anticipated Horror Books of
2020

FEBRUARY

Bloody Valentine's Day Extravaganza
The Best Romantic Horror Movies for a
Frightening Night In

MARCH

Spring Horror, True Crime, and
Paranormal Frontlist
The Best True Crime Documentaries
on Netflix

APRIL

39th Anniversary of California's Unsolved Keddie Cabin Murders New True Crime Podcasts You Need to Hear This Spring

MAY

Must-Read Horror Books for Fans of Stephen King 26th Anniversary of John Wayne Gacy's Death

JUNE

Summer Screams: Thrilling Horror and True
Crime Books to Crack Open This Summer
The Best Haunted Places to Visit This Summer

JULY

The Best Horror Movies of 2020 So Far 51st Anniversary of the Manson Family Murders

AUGUST

5The Best True Crime Audio books to Listen to Right Now The Best Horror Movies on Netflix

SEPTEMBER

Fall Horror, True Crime, and Paranormal
Frontlist

Bone-Chilling Ghost Books to Read After You've Binged *The Haunting of Bly Manor*

OCTOBER

Sleep Tight: These Real-Life Haunted Houses
Will Let You Stay the Night... If You Dare
The Best Horror Books to Read This October

NOVEMBER

Murder in Holcomb: A Look Back at the Clutter
Murders and Truman Capote's In Cold Blood
New Paranormal Podcasts to Listen to This Fall

DECEMBER

The best Horror Movies of 2020
The Best Horror and True Crime Books of 2020



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JANUARY

New Books We Can't Wait to Read in 2020

MAY

Books like The Woman in the Window Adventure Books Like The Story of Doctor Dolittle 5 Charles Dickens Books Everyone Should Read

SEPTEMBER

The Best Literary Fiction Books Banned Books That Are Still Powerful Today

FEBRUARY

Must-Read Books by Iconic Black Authors Romantic Books to Read If You Love Jane Austen

MARCH

Editor's Choice: What to Read next The Best Book Club Books for Spring 2020

APRIL

Historical Fiction Books About Women Who **Changed History** Books for Fans of Luanne Rice

JUNE

The Best Beach Reads of 2020 **Books about Fatherhood**

JULY

Books for Fans of Zadie Smith Travel Books

AUGUST

Graphic Novels for Every Kind of Reader Women's Fiction Books That Are Actually for Everyone

OCTOBER

Books to Read Before You Die The Best New Suspense Books to Read This Fall

NOVEMBER

Historical Fiction Books About Life on the Home Front Books That Remind Us to Be Thankful

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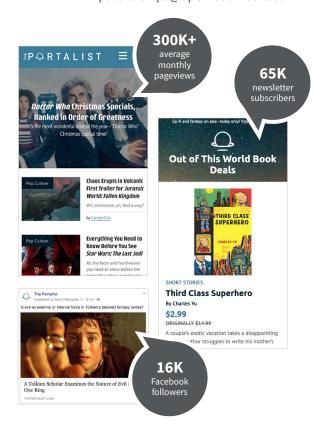
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Books Like *The Lord of the Rings*10 Predictions for The Mandalorian Season 2

FEBRUARY

Fantasy Romance Books That Are Sure to Satisfy
Incredible Sci-Fi & Fantasy Books
by Black Writers

MARCH

Books Like *Divergent*Impactful Female SFF Authors to Read for
Women's History Month

APRIL

8 Vital Sci-Fi Climate Change Books Guillermo del Toro Movies, Ranked

MAY

The Geeky Summer Blockbusters We Can't Wait to Watch
Books Like *Supernatural* to Read After the

JUNE

Finale

Incredible Sci-Fi and Fantasy Books Featuring LGBTQIA Characters

The Surprising Origins of Wonder Woman

JULY

The Best Graphic Novels for Sci-Fi Fans Geeky Reboots That Are Better Than the Originals

AUGUST

Must-Read Hugo Award-Winning Books

The Best Time Travel Movies Ever

SEPTEMBER

The Fall Movies On Our Radar Giveaway: The Best SFF Books of 2020 So Far

OCTOBER

Scary-Good Sci-Fi Horror Books
Unsettling Horror Books by Women

NOVEMBER

World Fantasy Award-Winning Books We Love
The Geek Gifts You're Looking for This
Holiday Season

DECEMBER

Book Like *Dune* to Read After the Movie

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The Most Anticipated Mystery and Thriller
Books of 2020

FEBRUARY

Sizzling Romantic Suspense Books Thrilling Books for Lisa Gardner Fans

MARCH

Spring Mystery and Thriller Frontlist
The Best Mystery Movies on Netflix

APRIL

High-Octane Spy Thrillers for James Bond Fans
The Best British Mystery Shows You Can
Watch Tonight

MAY

Suspense Books for Fans of

The Woman in the Window

Classic Film Noir Movies Every Mystery

Fan Needs to See

JUNE

Must-Read Mysteries by LGBTQ+ Authors

The Best Mystery and Thriller Books to Dive
Into This Summer

JULY

Gripping Detective Novels for Fans of *Luther*The Best Mystery Shows on Netflix

AUGUST

Fall Mystery and Thriller Frontlist Political
The Best Mystery Audiobooks to
Listen to Right Now

SEPTEMBER

New Cozy Mysteries to Crack Open This Fall

The Best Pulp Fiction Books

OCTOBER

Charming Whodunits for Fans of *Death on*the Nile

Spooky Supernatural Thrillers to

Read This October

NOVEMBER

Delicious Thanksgiving Mysteries Riveting
Political Thriller Movies You Can Watch
Tonight

DECEMBER

The Best Mystery and Thriller Books of 2020
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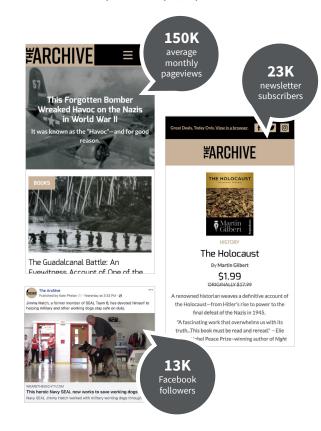
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Revolutionary War Books

FEBRUARY

Black History Month Facts
Books About Slavery

MARCH

Best War Books
1066: History's Most Important Year?

APRIL

Titanic Books Movies That Get History (Mostly) Right

MAY

WWII Books (V-E 75th Anniversary)
The World's Most Beautiful Churches

JUNE

Books About Exploration

The Wild West: The Truth Behind America's

Untamed Frontiers

JULY

The Georgian Era: Books, Facts, and
Key Figures
Ghost Towns Around the World

AUGUST

Suffrage Movement Books (100th Anniversary of Women's Suffrage) Sherman's March to the Sea

SEPTEMBER

Best History Documentaries
Back to School Books

OCTOBER

Roman History Books Scary Stories

The October Revolution

NOVEMBER

Native American History Books

The Battle of the Bulge

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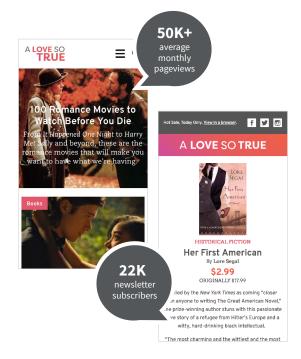
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Books for *Bachelor and Bachelorette* Fans Romance Novels to Cozy Up to This Winter

FEBRUARY

Valentine's Day Books for Hopeless Romantics

The Best Black Romance Novels

MARCH

These Fantasy Romance Books Will Take Your Breath Away

Amish Romance Novels That Prove Less Is More

APRIL

Clean Christian Romance Novels
Time Travel Romance Books That Will
Take You on a Journey

MAY

Sports Romance Books That Will Win Your Heart

Mafia Romance Books That Are To Die For

JUNE

Our Favorite Gay Romance Novels Vacation Romance Books That are the Perfect Escape

JULY

The Best Romance Series Books You Need to Read Right Now

Victorian Romance Books That Will Steal Your Heart

AUGUST

College Romance Books That Make the Grade

Mystery Romance Books to Keep You

Up All Night

SEPTEMBER

Young Adult Romance Novels That Will Make You Blush

Alpha Male Romance Books You Won't Be Able to Put Down

OCTOBER

Paranormal Romance Books That Will Thrill You to Your Core

Romantic Suspense Books That Will Send Tingles Down Your Spine

NOVEMBER

Holiday Romance Books That Are Sure to Sleigh

The Best Hallmark Movies to Watch
This Holiday Season

DECEMBER

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