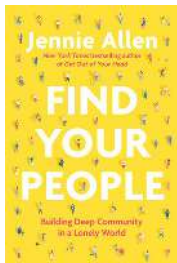


# OUTGOING AND THE OUTDOORS



*Find Your People* by Jennie Allen

In *Find Your People*, bestselling author Jennie Allen draws on fascinating insights from science and history, timeless biblical truth, and vulnerable stories from her own life. You were created to play, engage, adventure, and explore--with others. You'll discover exactly how to dive into the deep end and experience the full wonder of community. Because while the ache of loneliness is real, it doesn't have to be your reality.

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*Tell the Wolves I'm Home* by Carol Rifka Brunt

There's only one person who has ever truly understood fourteen-year-old June Elbus, her uncle the renowned painter Finn Weiss. Shy at school and distant from her older sister, June can only be herself in Finn's company; he is her godfather, confidant, and best friend. So when he dies, far too young, June's world is turned upside down. But Finn's death brings a surprise acquaintance into June's life—someone who will help her to heal, and to question what she thinks she knows about Finn, her family, and even her own heart.

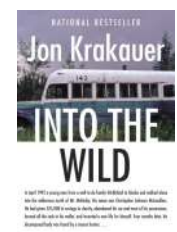
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*Fangirl* by Rainbow Rowell

Cath is a Simon Snow fan. She and her twin, Wren, ensconced themselves in the Simon Snow series when they were just kids; it's what got them through their mother leaving. Reading. Rereading. Hanging out in Simon Snow forums, writing Simon Snow fanfiction. Now that they're going to college, Wren has told Cath she doesn't want to be roommates. Cath is on her own, completely outside of her comfort zone. Can she make it without Wren holding her hand? Is she ready to start living her own life?

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*Into the Wild* by Jon Krakauer

Immediately after graduating from college in 1991, McCandless had roamed through the West and Southwest on a vision quest like those made by his heroes Jack London and John Muir. In the Mojave Desert he abandoned his car, stripped it of its license plates, and burned all of his cash. He would give himself a new name, Alexander Supertramp. Craving a blank spot on the map, McCandless simply threw away the maps. Leaving behind his desperate parents and sister, he vanished into the wild.

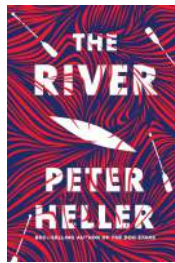
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*The Girl Who Loved Tom Gordon* by Stephen King

Nine-year-old Trisha McFarland strays from the path while she and her recently divorced mother and brother take a hike along a branch of the Appalachian Trail. Lost for days, wandering farther and farther astray, Trisha has only her portable radio for comfort. A huge fan of Tom Gordon, a Boston Red Sox relief pitcher, she listens to baseball games and fantasizes that her hero will save her. Nature isn't her only adversary, though - something dangerous may be tracking Trisha through the dark woods.

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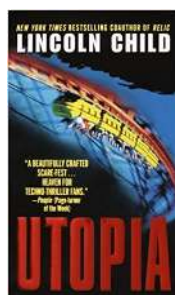


*The River* by Peter Heller

Wynn and Jack have been best friends since freshman orientation, bonded by their shared love of mountains, books, and fishing. When they decide to canoe the Maskwa River in northern Canada, they anticipate long days of leisure, but a wildfire making its way across the forest adds unexpected urgency to the journey. When they hear a man and woman arguing on the fog-shrouded riverbank and decide to warn them about the fire, their search is unsuccessful. The next day a man appears on the river, paddling alone. Is this the man they heard?

Where is the woman?

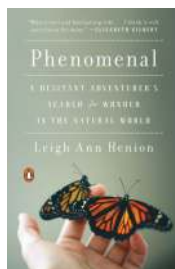
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*Utopia* by Lincoln Child

A theme park rising out of the stony canyons of Nevada, Utopia, with its dazzling array of robots and futuristic holograms, makes a worldwide sensation. But ominous mishaps are beginning to disrupt the once flawless technology so Dr. Andrew Warne, the computer engineer who designed the park's robotics, is summoned from the East Coast to get things back on track. However, a group of ruthless criminals has infiltrated the park's computerized infrastructure, giving them complete access to all of Utopia's attractions and systems.

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*Phenomenal* by Leigh Ann Henion

One woman reclaims her sense of wonder by seeking out the globe's most incredible natural phenomena. Heartfelt and awe inspiring, Leigh Ann Henion's *Phenomenal* is a moving tale of physical grandeur and emotional transformation, a journey around the world that ultimately explores the depths of the human heart. A journalist and young mother, Henion combines her own conflicted but joyful experiences as a parent with a panoramic tour of the world's most extraordinary natural wonders.

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*Mansfield Park* by Jane Austen

Taken from the poverty of her parents' home in Portsmouth, Fanny Price is brought up with her rich cousins at Mansfield Park, acutely aware of her humble rank and with her cousin Edmund as her sole ally. During her uncle's absence in Antigua, the Crawford's arrive in the neighborhood bringing with them the glamour of London life and a reckless taste for flirtation.



*Looking For Alaska* by John Green

**Before.** Miles "Pudge" Halter is done with his safe life at home. His whole life has been one big non-event, and his obsession with famous last words has only made him crave "the Great Perhaps" even more (Francois Rabelais, poet). He heads off Culver Creek Boarding School, and his life becomes the opposite of safe. Because down the hall is Alaska Young. She is an event unto herself. She pulls Pudge into her world, launches him into the Great Perhaps, and steals his heart. Then. . . .

**After.** Nothing is ever the same.

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