

No True Echo

By Gareth Jones

YA JONES

Teenaged Eddie meets a new girl who is a Senior Echo Time Agent from the future, come to his town to investigate the origin of time travel. Soon Eddie is swept up in the investigation and in time.

Reality Boy

By A.S. King

YA KING

An emotionally damaged boy in Pennsylvania who was once an infamous reality television show star, meets a girl from another dysfunctional family, and she helps him out of his angry shell.

I Hunt Killers

By Barry Lyga

YA LYGA

Jazz learned all about being a serial killer from his notorious "Dear Old Dad," but believes he has a conscience that will help fight his own urges and right some of his father's wrongs.

Hold Me Closer, Necromancer

By Lish McBride

YA MCBRIDE

Sam LaCroix, a Seattle fast-food worker and college dropout, discovers that he is a necromancer, part of a world of harbingers, werewolves, and satyrs.

Colin Fischer

By Ashley Edward Miller

YA MILLER

A boy with autism teams up with the high school bully to get to the bottom of a cafeteria crime.

Trapped

By Michael Northrop

YA NORTHROP

Seven high school students are stranded at their New England high school during a week-long blizzard.

All American Boys

By Jason Reynolds

YA REYNOLDS

When sixteen-year-old Rashad is mistakenly accused of stealing, classmate Quinn witnesses his brutal

beating at the hands of a police officer who happens to be the older brother of his best friend.

More Happy Than Not

By Adam Silvera

YA SILVERA

After enduring his father's suicide, his own suicide attempt, and more in the Bronx projects, Aaron Soto, sixteen, is already considering the Leteo Institute's memory-alteration procedure when his new friendship with Thomas turns to unrequited love.

Grasshopper Jungle

By Andrew Smith

YA SMITH

Austin Szerba narrates the end of humanity as he and his best friend Robby accidentally unleash an army of giant, unstoppable bugs and uncover the secrets of a decades-old experiment gone terribly wrong.

I Have a Bad Feeling About This

By Jeff Strand

YA STRAND

Everything unathletic sixteen-year-old Henry was dreading about survival camp turns out to be true--or even worse--when armed killers arrive and survival takes on a whole new meaning for the campers.

Great Falls

By Steve Watkins

YA WATKINS

When Shane's big brother Jeremy returns from three tours in Iraq and Afghanistan have taken their toll, he is transformed into a surly drunk who lives in the basement because he can't face life with his wife and two small children. When Jeremy shows up after Shane's football game and offers to take him to the family cabin overnight, Shane goes along-- but as the camping trip turns into a days-long canoe trip Shane realizes he's in way over his head.

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Feed

By M.T. Anderson

YA ANDERSON

In a future where most people have computer implants in their heads to control their environment, a boy meets an unusual girl who is in serious trouble.

Me and Earl and the Dying Girl

By Jesse Andrews

YA ANDREWS

Greg has managed to become part of every social group at his high school without having any friends, but his life changes when his mother forces him to befriend Rachel, a girl who has leukemia.

Ship Breaker

By Paolo Bacigalupi

YA BACIGALUPI

In a futuristic world, Nailer scavenges copper wiring from grounded oil tankers for a living, but when he finds a beached clipper ship with a girl in the wreckage, he has to decide if he should strip the ship for its wealth or rescue the girl.

Wise Young Fool

By Sean Beaudoin

YA BEAUDOIN

A teenaged guitarist in a rock band deals with loss and anger as he relates the events that landed him in a juvenile detention center.

Sorry You're Lost

By Matt Blackstone

YA BLACKSTONE

Denny has just lost his mother, his father is uncommunicative, he is in trouble with his teachers, and to top it all off, his best friend has a scheme to get dates for the end-of-year school dance.

Dear Life, You Suck

By Scott Blagden

YA BLAGDEN

Irreverent, foul-mouthed, seventeen-year-old Cricket Cherpin, living under the watchful eye of Mother Mary at a Catholic boys' home in Maine, has such bleak prospects he is considering suicide when Wynona Bidaban steps into his world.

Flip the Bird

By Kym Brunner

YA BRUNNER

A teenage falconer in training runs up against trouble when he finds himself falling for a girl who is part of a radical animal rights group.

Lottery Boy

By Michael Byrne

YA BYRNE

Bully, an orphan living on the streets of London, races to cash in a winning lottery ticket while ruthless hoodlums track him down, desperate for the ticket themselves.

The Perks of Being a Wallflower

By Stephen Chbosky

YA CHBOSKY

A haunting coming of age novel told in a series of letters to an unknown correspondent reveals the life of Charlie, a wallflower who is shy and introspective, and very intelligent.

The Warrior Heir

By Cinda Williams Chima

YA CHIMA

After learning about his magical ancestry and his own warrior powers, sixteen-year-old Jack embarks on a training program to fight enemy wizards.

Shelter

By Harlan Coben

YA COBEN

When Mickey's new girlfriend, Ashley, vanishes, he follows her trail into a seedy underworld that reveals she is not what she seems to be.

The Maze Runner

By James Dashner

YA DASHNER

Thomas wakes up with no memory in the middle of a maze and realizes he must work with the community in which he finds himself if he is to escape.

Little Brother

By Cory Doctorow

YA DOCTOROW

After being interrogated for days by the Department of Homeland Security in the aftermath of a major terrorist attack on San Francisco, California, seventeen-year-old Marcus, released into what is now a police state, decides to use his expertise in computer hacking to set things right.

Michael Vey: the Prisoner of Cell 25

By Richard Paul Evans

YA EVANS

Michael Vey, a fourteen-year-old with Tourette's syndrome who possesses special electric powers, discovers that a cheerleader named Taylor also has

special powers. With the help of Michael's friend, Ostin, the three of them set out to discover how Michael and Taylor ended up this way.

Beautiful Creatures

By Kami Garcia and Margaret Stohl

YA GARCIA

Ethan is powerfully drawn to Lena, a new classmate with whom he shares a psychic connection and whose family hides a dark secret that may be revealed on her sixteenth birthday.

There Will Be Bears

By Ryan Gebhart

YA GEBHART

Tyson sneaks off with his roughneck, but ill, grandpa to go on his first elk hunt, amid reports of a stalking man-eating grizzly.

Looking for Alaska

By John Green

YA GREEN

Sixteen-year-old Miles' first year at Culver Creek Preparatory School in Alabama includes good friends and great pranks, but is defined by the search for answers about life and death after a fatal car crash.

Crash and Burn

By Michael Hassan

YA HASSAN

Steven "Crash" Crashinsky relates his sordid ten-year relationship with David "Burn" Burnett, the boy he stopped from taking their school hostage at gunpoint.

Stupid Fast

By Geoff Herbach

YA HERBACH

Just before his sixteenth birthday, Felton Reinstein has a sudden growth spurt that turns him from a small, jumpy, picked-on boy with the nickname of "Squirrel Nut" to a powerful athlete.

This is the Part Where You Laugh

By Peter Brown Hoffmeister

YA HOFFMEISTER

Rising sophomore Travis and his best friend, Creature, spend a summer in a Eugene, Oregon, trailer park dealing with cancer, basketball, first love, addiction, gang violence, and a reptilian infestation.