## Nine Folds Make a Paper Swan

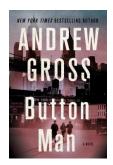
## by Ruth Gilligan

Interweaves the experiences of a young Lithuanian emigrant in Ireland at the start of the twentieth century, the unlikely friendship between a young Irish deaf boy and a lonely caretaker in 1958, and the identity crisis of an Irish journalist in the present day.

#### The Yid

#### by Paul Goldberg

A State Jewish Theater actor and war veteran's astonishing response to Moscow pogrom goons invading his home triggers a zany and deadly series of events as he assembles a ragtag team to help him try to assassinate Stalin.



#### Button man

#### by Andrew Gross

A disadvantaged but once happy immigrant family is brought together and torn apart by the birth of organized crime in 1930s New York City. By the New York Times best-selling author of *The Dark Tide*.

## The Museum of Extraordinary Things

## by Alice Hoffman

The daughter of a curiosities museum's front man pursues an impassioned love affair with a Russian immigrant photographer who after fleeing his Lower East Side Orthodox community has captured poignant images of the infamous Triangle Shirtwaist Factory fire.

## The Dinner Party : a novel

#### by Brenda Janowitz

Sylvia Gold hosts a Passover Seder and wants everything to be perfect. Long simmering sibling rivalry rears its ugly head as everyone is trying their best to be the perfect host, husband, daughter, wife. And while everyone is trying to hide their imperfections, hidden secrets are just out of sight, waiting to be exposed for all to see.

#### Forest Dark: a novel

#### by Nicole Krauss

Giving away all of his personal possessions after retiring, a once-ambitious man embarks on a journey to honor his parents in Israel, where a blocked writer is drawn into a mystery that alters her life in unimaginable ways.

## King of Yiddish

#### by Curt Leviant

A serio-comic novel that immerses the reader into the life of Shmulik Gafni, an Israeli professor of Yiddish.

#### Lake Success: a novel

#### by Gary Shteyngart

A self-made Wall Street millionaire, baffled by the implosion of his seemingly perfect life, takes a cross-country bus trip in search of his college sweetheart and the ideals of his youth.

#### Love and Treasure

#### by Ayelet Waldman

A tale inspired by the World War II Hungarian Gold Train follows the 1945 American capture of a locomotive filled with riches and the efforts of a Jewish-American lieutenant's granddaughter to track down a mysterious woman 70 years later.

## The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry: a novel

#### by Gabrielle Zevin

When his most prized possession, a rare collection of Poe poems, is stolen, bookstore owner AJ. Fikry begins isolating himself from his friends, family, and associates before receiving a mysterious package that compels him to remake his life.



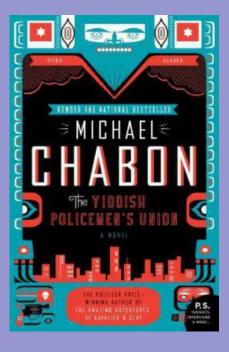
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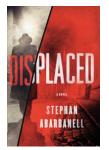


**JEWISH FICTION** 

## The Man Who Never Stopped Sleeping

#### by Aharon Apelfeld

Follows the story of Erwin, a young Holocaust survivor, who travels from a refugee camp to a kibbutz in Haifa to begin a new life while still desperately clinging to his memories of the past.



## Displaced: a novel

by Stephan Abarbanell
In the immediate aftermath of
World War II an embittered
resistance fighter from Britishoccupied Palestine searches
Europe for a concentration-camp
survivor who is also being pursued
by a dangerous adversary.

## 4321

#### by Paul Auster

A single child born in 1947 experiences four parallel lifetimes poignantly marked by shifting family fortunes, athletic pursuits, friendships, sex, intellectual passions and the same intriguing woman.

### What to Do About the Solomons

#### by Bethany Ball

A humorous multigenerational family saga set in Israel, New York and Los Angeles explores the secrets and gossip-filled lives of a kibbutz community near Jerusalem.

#### A Bend in the Stars

#### by Rachel Barenbaum

In World War II-era Russia, an ambitious young doctor and her scientist brother race against Einstein to solve one of the greatest mysteries of the universe. 50,000 first printing.

## The Only Woman in the Room

#### by Marie Benedict

A beautiful woman escapes her Austrian arms-dealer husband to become Hollywood legend Hedy Lamarr while hiding a secret double life as a Jewish scientist and sharing vital information about the Third Reich.

## The Betrayers: a novel

#### by David Bezmozgis

Escaping his political opponents in a Crimean resort town, disgraced Israeli politician Baruch Kotler runs into a former friend who had him sent to the gulag 40 years prior and must reconcile with his betrayers and his own poor choices.

#### A Remarkable Kindness: a novel

#### by Diana Bletter

As war breaks out in Israel, four women from different backgrounds come together in a seaside village as they come to terms with love, loss, and the outbreak of war.

## The Dispossessed

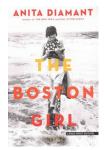
#### by Szilárd Borbély

A first novel by the late poet and author of Berlin-Hamlet depicts the poverty and cruelty endured by a partly Jewish family in a mid-20th-century Hungarian village.

#### The Lake on Fire

#### by Rosellen Brown

Chaya and her strange, brilliant, little brother Asher depart their farm in Wisconsin for Chicago only to discover that the Gilded Age is as empty a façade as the beautiful Columbian Exposition attracting thousands to Lake Michigan's shore. The abandoned Fair burns to the ground as the city goes on with its usual business in this profound narrative that resonates eerily with today's news.



## The Boston Girl

#### by Anita Diamant

Recounting the story of her life to her granddaughter, octogenarian Addie describes how she was raised in early-twentieth-century America by Jewish immigrant parents in a teeming multicultural neighborhood.

## Dinner at the Center of the Earth

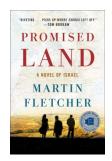
#### by Nathan Englander

The Pulitzer Prize-finalist author of For the Relief of Unbearable Urges presents a work of political suspense set in the highly charged territory of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict that pivots on a complex relationship between a secret prisoner and the guard who has watched him for more than a dozen years.

## The Matrimonial Flirtations of Emma Kaulfield

#### by Anna Fishbeyn

An often laugh-out-loud comedy of conflicting manners, values, and customs, set against the backdrop of a Russian immigrant family's struggle to assimilate, their newfound love of capitalism, and their insistent push for their children's tangible success in the 80s.



#### Promised Land

by Martin Fletcher
Two brothers reunite in the
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horrors of Nazi Germany are
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devastating love triangle, leading
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## Promised Land : a novel of Israel

#### by Martin Fletcher

Follows two brothers as they, after the horrors of Nazi Germany are over, reunite in Israel where they lead very different lives as one builds the budding nation-state and the other protects it.

#### Here I Am

## by Jonathan Safran Foer

A tale told over four tumultuous weeks in present-day Washington, D.C traces the fracturing of a family in crisis when the three sons of Jacob and Julia confront the paradoxes between the lives they think they want and the lives they are actually living. By the award-winning author of Everything Is Illuminated.