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- *Go, Went, Gone* by Jenny Erpenbeck
- *A Girl in Exile: Requiem for Linda B.* by Ismail Kadare
- *Season of Migration to the North* by Tayeb Salih

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- *The Far Away Brothers: Two Young Brothers and the Making of an American Life* by Lauren Markham
- *Can We All Be Feminists?* ed. June Eric-Udorie
- *The Return: Fathers, Sons and the Land in Between* by Hisham Matar
- *Six by Ten: Stories from Solitary* ed. Taylor Pendergrass & Mateo Hoke
- *A Rebel in Gaza* by Asmaa al-Ghoul & Selim Nassib
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LGBTQ+ Perspectives: Discover authors whose works exemplify the importance of queer representation across a variety of genres.

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- Who Is Vera Kelly? by Rosalie Knecht
- I Can’t Date Jesus by Michael Arceneaux
- The House of Impossible Beauties by Joseph Cassara
- Freshwater by Akwaeke Emezi

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- feeld by Jos Charles
- Whereas by Layli Long Soldier
- Magical Negro by Morgan Parker (available 2/5)
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- Deaf Republic by Ilya Kaminsky (available 3/5)

Small Press Works in Translation: These works translated from Danish, Spanish, Tamil, Japanese, and French will help you discover a new-to-you author and a new mode of storytelling.

- Poso Wells by Gabriela Alemán/trans. Dick Cluster
- Disoriental by Négar Djavadi/trans. Tina Kover
- The Lonesome Bodybuilder: Stories by Yukiko Motoya/trans. Asa Yoneda
- One Part Woman by Perumal Murugan/trans. Aniruddhan Vasedevan
- Last Night in Nuuk by Niviaq Korneliussen/trans. Anna Halager (available 1/19)
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