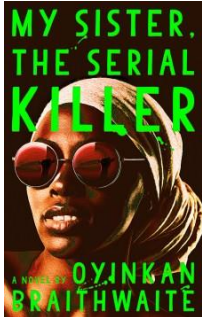


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Below are recommendations for books similar to *The Bandit Queens* by Parini Shroff.

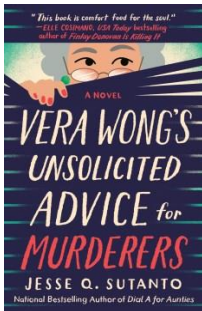


[My Sister, the Serial Killer](#)

By Oyinkan Braithwaite

Genre: Satire Fiction

Descriptors: Unhappy Families, Dark Humor, Spare, Intense, Complex Characters

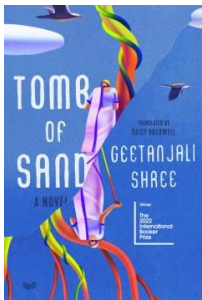


[Vera Wong's Unsolicited Advice for Murderers](#)

by Jesse Q. Sutanto

Genre: Cozy Mystery

Descriptors: Evocative, Funny, Likeable Characters, Intricately Plotted, Culinary

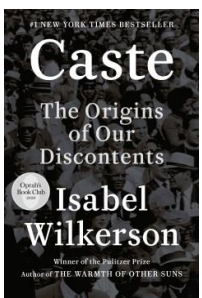


[Tomb of Sand](#)

by Shree Geetanjali

Genre: Literary Fiction

Descriptors: Wordplay, Funny, Second Act, Translation



[Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents](#)

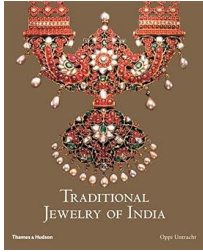
by Isabel Wilkerson

Genre: Nonfiction

Descriptors: Stylistically Complex, Thought-Provoking, Society and Culture

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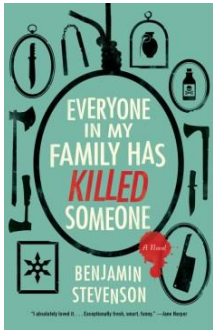


[Traditional Jewelry of India](#)

by Oppi Untracht

Genre: Nonfiction

Descriptors: Jewelry, Art, Historical

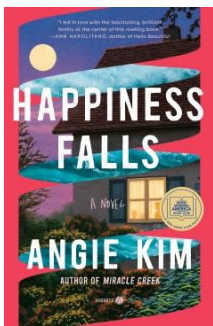


[Everyone in My Family Has Killed Someone](#)

by Benjamin Stevenson

Genre: Mystery

Descriptors: Australian, Large Cast of Characters, Funny, First-Person Narrative

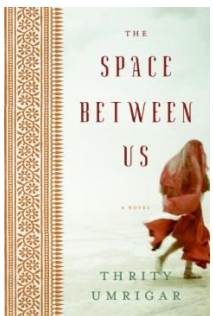


[Happiness Falls](#)

by Angie Kim

Genre: Mystery

Descriptors: Reflective, Suspenseful, Haunting, Complex, Thought-Provoking

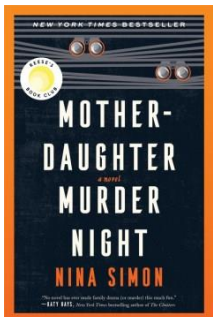


[The Space Between Us](#)

by Thrity Umrigar

Genre: Relationship Fiction

Descriptors: Intricately Plotted, Sympathetic Characters, Moving, Lyrical



[Mother-Daughter Murder Night](#)

by Nina Simon

Genre: Mystery

Descriptors: Suspenseful, Likeable Characters, Richly Detailed, Fast-Paced