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IPS/Jackson 193 Edwards Drive Jackson, TN 38301 The South is the most diverse region in the nation, but for many decades the only Southern books making it onto the Big 4 publishers' lists were books that explored the same terrain—sweet tea, magnolias, the Civil War, etc. While those are real and worthy subjects, there was a intentional turning away from the true diversity of the region in favor of tired narratives and stereotypes. I think it's incredibly exciting to be the one literary press in the world committed only to publishing and supporting lesser-heard Southern voices.

Here are some of the highlights of our forthcoming spring-and-summer season in 2022.

In the spring we'll publish Marlanda Dekine's prize-winning debut collection of poems, *Thresh & Hold*, selected by Gabrielle Calvocoressi as this year's winner of our New Southern Voices Prize. Then, we'll publish Anjali Enjeti's *The Parted Earth* in paperback. The paperback edition will highlight all the amazing praise the book received from outlets like *the Star Tribune*, *the Wall Street Journal*, and *the San Francisco Chronicle* and feature extras, like an expanded Partition Reading List, an essay by Anjali, and discussion questions.

Joining our strong slate of multi-generational family novels, we will publish *The Crocodile Bride* by Ashleigh Bell Pedersen. Set during the swampy summer in 1982, this stunning debut novel follows eleven-year-old Sunshine Turner and her troubled father Billy as the secrets of their family's past swirl around them in the one-road town of Fingertip, Louisiana.

Later in the year will see the publication of two nonfiction titles highlighting the lesser-known histories of the Carolinas: in May, *George Masa's Wild Vision*, which recounts the incredible, overlooked life of the photographer George Masa; and in July, *The Green Book of South Carolina*, which will be the first travel guide dedicated to South Carolina African American cultural sites.

We are so immensely grateful for our community of authors, readers, booksellers, and librarians, especially in these difficult and uncertain times. By reading and championing our books, you are part of that community. We appreciate you more than ever.

Meg Reid, Director

Praise for The Crocodile Bride

"Told with vision and compassion, The Crocodile Bride is a novel about a strong-minded, resourceful girl who breaks from her dark family history and hopes to live out a better story herself." —*Foreword Reviews*

"Pedersen's stunning debut depicts difficult subjects like alcohol addiction, domestic violence, and sexual abuse. Fans of fiction about Southern women or about the formative years of girlhood will love this quick, captivating read that tugs at the heartstrings." —Library Journal

"Ashleigh Pedersen's The Crocodile Bride brings us Sunshine, an unforgettable girl who stands alongside our region's greatest literary protagonists. As Sunshine and her family face a transformative summer together, the author captures the secrets of the Louisiana bayou perfectly—its spooky fairytale magic, the brooding fortitude of its denizens. With indelible images and a beautifully crafted, multigenerational cast, The Crocodile Bride cradles us confidently as we watch this mystic, poignant saga unfold through the fractured lens of Southern childhood." —Leah Hampton, author of F*ckface

"Ashleigh Bell Pedersen reinvents the coming-of-age story. In her gifted hands, the world of budding girlhood is dangerous, marvelous, and strange. This novel is transcendent." —Irna Reyn, author of What Happened to Anna K.

"I can't stop thinking about this brilliant debut novel about generational secrets and family silences, and the healing powers of storytelling. With echoes of Carson McCullers and Dorothy Allison, Ashleigh Bell Pedersen writes in a style all her own. The Crocodile Bride is a generous, tender novel with unforgettable characters and a perfect, transcendent ending." —*Carter Sickels, author of The Prettiest Star*

The Crocodile Bride

Ashleigh Bell Pedersen

Set during the swampy summer in 1982, this stunning debut novel follows eleven-yearold Sunshine Turner and her troubled father Billy as the secrets of their family's past swirl around them in the one-road town of Fingertip, Louisiana.

During a hot summer of June moods, grubworms, and dark storms, Sunshine discovers stones in her chest – and learns the dangers her coming-of-age will bring about in the yellow house she shares with her father.

The Crocodile Bride is at once a heartbreakingly tender coming-of-age tale and a lyrical, haunting reflection on generational trauma. Reminiscent of Jesmyn Ward and Helen Oyeyemi, Ashleigh Bell Pedersen is a promising new voice in American fiction. MAY 2022 HARDCOVER 978-1-938235-91-7 FICTION/DEBUT 6 x 9, 306 pages

Ashleigh Bell Pedersen's fiction has been featured in New Stories from the South, The Kenyon Review, The Iowa Review, Design Observer, The Silent History, A Strange Object, and elsewhere. She holds an MFA in Creative Writing from the University of Pittsburgh. She currently resides in Brooklyn where she writes, acts in theater and film, and attempts to teach her dog, Ernie, proper leash manners.





Q&A with Marlanda Dekine

Tell us a little about your poetry collection!

Thresh & Hold is concerned with healing, spirituality, and ancestry. I moved back home to Heirs Property just before the pandemic began. While working with a healer, I found myself paying more attention to the rocking chairs, red bricks, and the dirt on the land where my family has lived for centuries. I began to follow the horned owls and spend time with pictures of dead relatives I'd never met, writing letters to them and letting them write back. It turns out the land, the water, and the stories within and all around my family history, including Gullah-Geechee culture, had been calling to me. I grew up visiting local plantations and museums on school field trips, receiving flat narratives about the West & Central Africans who were enslaved here. These poems are obsessed with what I was obsessed with as a child: How did I/we get here? Who are these people? Where do we go when we die? How do we feel better? I think these poems ask vulnerable questions and wonder, and I hope these poems boldly imagine and remake.

How does the South/place in general inform your writing?

It wasn't until I left the South that I could write about what it meant, for me, to be from the South as a Black American, queer, and non-binary person. South Carolina is my origin point. It is an origin point for several generations of my ancestry. I am fascinated by walking where my direct ancestors walked. The South, for me, is simply a portal through which I work to unlearn oppression, rework imbalanced power dynamics within myself and around me, and it is where I have the opportunity to heal. The more healing work I do, the more I am able to notice what is happening within and all around me. I think, too, about the Global South. I consider man-made boundaries and how my work upholds or upends false and oppressive ideas of separation. I've been sitting with two questions: "Does it matter that I'm from the South? Who made this up?"

Thresh & Hold

Marlanda Dekine

Marlanda Dekine's debut collection is a holy, radical unlearning and reclamation of self.

What does it mean to be a Gullah-Geechee descendant from a rural place where a third of the nation's founding wealth was harvested by trafficked West and Central Africans? Dekine's poems travel across age and time, signaling that both the past and future exist in the present. Through erasure and persona, Dekine reimagines intergenerational traumas and calls institutions from the Works Progress Administration narratives to modern-day museums to task.

Dekine remembers, remakes, and brings forth their many selves, traveling far in order to deeply connect to a spiritual home within and all around them, calling: "I am listening to Spirit. I am not dying today."

MARCH 2022 PAPERBACK 978-1-938235-94-8 POETRY 5.5 x 8.5, 72 pages

Marlanda Dekine (they/she) is a poet and author obsessed with ancestry, memory, and the process of staying within one's own body. Their work leaves spells and incantations for others to follow for themselves. Dekine is the author of the self-published collection and mixtape, i am from a punch & a kiss. Their poems have been published or are forthcoming in the Poetry Out Loud Anthology, POETRY Magazine, Emergence Magazine, Southern Humanities Review, Oxford American, and elsewhere. They live in South Carolina with their wise dog, Malachi.

Thresh & Hold





Praise for The Parted Earth

"I have read many books so far this year, but I can say unequivocally that The Parted Earth has affected me the deepest. For its emotional honesty and insights, for its elegant craftsmanship, and for braiding all of this through a cultural history most of us know nothing about, this is a novel with the gravitas to transform. Don't miss it." —*Shannon Gibney, Star Tribune*

"Both about firsthand trauma and inherited trauma...galvanized by the modern belief that recovery and remembrance can help restore what history has broken." —Sam Sacks, The Wall Street Journal

"When the puzzle pieces come together at the end...it's both a bittersweet relief & an opportunity for reflection on the complexity of interfaith relationships, the cost of sacrifice & what it means to be home." —*The San Francisco Chronicle*

"Like her characters, Enjeti ultimately reaches for hope. The Parted Earth is a testament to the tremendous strength of the people of India and Pakistan who found the courage to begin again." —Shelf Awareness

"An auspicious fiction debut." -Chicago Review of Books

"When traditional family ties fray—here, a legacy of generational trauma—other kinds of love and support often grow. As a result, chosen family becomes a strong influence in The Parted Earth. Through the support of women like Chandani and Gertrude, Enjeti highlights the unique bonds and challenges found within such intense, complex friendships." —*Chapter16*

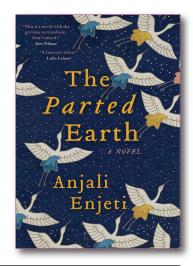
The Parted Earth

Anjali Enjeti

Spanning more than half a century and cities from New Delhi to Atlanta, Anjali Enjeti's debut is a heartfelt and human portrait of the long shadow of the Partition of the Indian subcontinent on the lives of three generations.

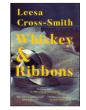
For readers of Jess Walter's Beautiful Ruins and Min Jin Lee's Pachinko, *The Parted Earth* follows characters on their search for identity after loss uproots their lives. Above all, it is a novel about families weathering the lasting violence of separation, and how it can often take a lifetime to find unity and peace.

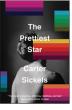
This edition includes special paperback extras: an essay by Anjali; a conversation between Anjali and Anita Felicelli; discussion questions for reading groups; an expanded Partition Reading List.



APRIL 2022 PAPERBACK 978-1-938235-96-2 NOVEL / DEBUT 5.5 x 8.5, 304 pages

Anjali Enjeti is a former attorney, journalist, and author based near Atlanta. Anjali's writing has appeared in The Oxford American, Harper's Bazaar, Poets & Writers, USA Today, the Atlanta Journal-Constitution, Washington Post, and elsewhere. A former board member of the National Book Critics Circle, she has received awards from the South Asian Journalists Association and the American Society of Journalists and Authors, and has attended residencies at The Hambidge Center, Wildacres, and Rockvale Writers' Colony. She lives with her family outside Atlanta.







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George Masa's Wild Vision

A Japanese Immigrant Imagines Western North Carolina

Brent Martin

George Masa's Wild Vision recounts the incredible, overlooked life of the photographer George Masa.

Self-taught photographer George Masa (born Masahara lizuka in Osaka, Japan), arrived in Asheville, North Carolina at the turn of the twentieth century amid a period of great transition in the southern Appalachians.Despite being hailed as the "Ansel Adams of the Smokies," Masa died destitute and unknown in 1933.

Here, poet and environmental organizer Brent Martin explores the locations Masa visited, using first-person narratives to contrast, lament, and exalt the condition of the landscape the photographer so loved and worked to interpret and protect. The book includes seventy-five of Masa's photographs, accompanied by Martin's reflections on Masa's life and work. JUNE 2022 HARDBACK 978-1-938235-93-1 NONFICTION/BIOGRAPHY 7.5 x 9.5, 160 pages

Brent Martin is the author of three chapbook collections of poetry and of The Changing Blue Ridge Mountains: Essays on Journeys Past and Present. His poetry and essays have been published in the North Carolina Literary Review, Pisgah Review, Tar River Poetry, Chattahoochee Review, Eno Journal, New Southerner, Kudzu Literary Journal, Smoky Mountain News and elsewhere. He lives in the Cowee community in Western North Carolina, where he and his wife, Angela Faye Martin, run Alarka Institute.





The Green Book of South Carolina

A Travel Guide to South Carolina African American Cultural Sites

This guidebook is a print version of the Green Book of South Carolina, an award-winning online guide to more than three-hundred African American historic and cultural sites across the state. Created by the South Carolina African American Heritage Commission in 2017, the website is a user-friendly platform that offers visitors avenues to discover intriguing history and hidden gems about African Americans as they travel the state. The most visitor-friendly places from the website collection are collected here in an accessible paperback edition.

Featuring photographs by Joshua Parks and a foreword by Dr. Darlene Clark Hine, Distinguished Professor Emerita at Michigan State University where she served as the John A. Hannah Distinguished Professor of History.

JULY 2022 PAPERBACK 978-1-938235-98-6 GUIDEBOOK / TRAVEL 5 x 8, 164 pages

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More than 180 historic markers, structures, and landmarks for a diverse audience
Includes popular sites as well as hidden gems
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Praise for You Want More

"If you think you don't like short stories, you've probably never read George Singleton. The South Carolina author has perfected the art form with his hilarious tales of ordinary people in the American South. Singleton writes with a real sympathy toward his characters and a skewed, original sense of humor (his debut novel was called *Novel*). This book collects some of his best work, and after reading it, you're going to want to get your hands on everything he's written. You want great comic literature? You want George Singleton." —*Michael Schaub, NPR*

"An ideal introduction to a Southern literary master, You Want More provides bite-sized doses of tragicomic entertainment from an unpretentious storyteller." —Shelf Awareness, Starred Review

"Fans and newcomers alike will rejoice in reading these highlights from a Southern literary master." —*Publishers Weekly, Starred Review*

"These stories have absurdist energy, wit, and inventiveness to burn, but antic comedy is their mode and métier, not their sole aim or reason for being. For the uninitiated, a wonderful introduction to a Southern original." —*Kirkus Reviews, Starred Review*

"Considering our current state of affairs, some levity is welcome. The timing of You Want More couldn't be better." —Atlanta Journal-Constitution

"Singleton's fellow writers regard his work with an affection bordering on awe, but both comic writing and short fiction are underrated forms, which is how Singleton has become something like the John Prine or Tom Waits of Southern scribes: revered, honored, and esteemed but almost criminally underappreciated." —*Chapter16*

You Want More

Selected Stories of George Singleton

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With his signature darkly acerbic and sharpwitted humor, George Singleton has built a reputation as one of the most astute and wise observers of the South. Now Tom Franklin introduces this master of the form with a compilation of acclaimed and prize-winning short fiction spanning twenty years and eight collections

These stories bear the influence of Flannery O'Connor and Raymond Carver, at other times Lewis Nordan and Donald Barthelme, and touch on the mysteries of childhood, the complexities of human relationships, and the absurdity of everyday life, its inexorable defeats and small triumphs. Assembled here for the very first time, You Want More showcases the body of work, hilarious and incisive, that has cemented George Singleton's place among the South's greatest living writers. AUGUST 2022 PAPERBACK 979-8-88574-001-2 FICTION / SHORT STORIES 6 x 9, 364 pages

George Singleton has published eight collections of stories, two novels, and a book of writing advice. Over 200 of his stories have appeared in magazines such as the Atlantic Monthly, Harper's, Playboy, the Georgia Review, the Southern Review, the Cincinnati Review, and elsewhere. He is the recipient of a Pushcart Prize, a Guggenheim fellowship, the Hillsdale Award from the Fellowship of Southern Writers, and the Corrington Award for Literary Excellence. He lives in Spartanburg, SC.



In the Hands of the River

Lucien Darjeun Meadows

"What can we do but see nectar where it blooms," whispers the porous and questioning speaker of *In the Hands of the River*.

In these haunting, layered poems, Lucien Darjeun Meadows affirms the interconnection of human and environmental identity. With delicate precision, *In the Hands of the River* subverts traditional poetic forms to show how a childhood for a queer, mixed-race Cherokee boy happens within and outside dominant narratives of Appalachian identity.

Moving across time, yet always grounded in place, these poems address the West Virginian landscape, both in exaltation and extraction, balanced with poems about "a boy made of shards"—the speaker's own body and emergent sense of queer identity.

SEPTEMBER 2022 PAPERBACK 978-1-938235-99-3 POETRY 5.5 x 8.5, 72 pages

Lucien Darjeun Meadows is an English, German, and Cherokee writer born and raised in the Appalachian Mountains of what is now sometimes called Virginia and West Virginia. Lucien has received fellowships and awards from the Academy of American Poets, American Alliance of Museums, Bread Loaf Conferences, National Association for Interpretation, and University of Denver. His work has been widely published, including features in Appalachian Heritage, Beloit Poetry Journal, Ecotone, Narrative, New England Review, Pleiades, Poetry Daily, and West Branch.

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Landings

A Crooked Creek Farm Year

Arwen Donahue

OCTOBER 2022 PAPERBACK NONFICTION / GRAPHIC 7.5 x 7.5, 72 pages

Arwen Donahue lives on a farm in Kentucky, where her family has raised produce for local markets for over 20 years. Her comics and graphic stories have been featured in The Nib, The Rumpus, The Indiana Review, and the forthcoming Field Guide to Graphic Literature. She has received grants from the Sustainable Arts Foundation, the Kentucky Foundation for Women, the Kentucky Humanities Council, and an Al Smith Fellowship from the Kentucky Arts Council. A hybrid memoir / art book, with an introduction by *New York Times* Bestselling author Barbara Kingsolver.

In 130 ink-and-watercolor drawings, the story of one year on a family farm in Kentucky unfolds in captured moments of daily life: Donahue's husband chopping wood, a cow sniffing her head, her daughter tending to goats after a hard day at school. Each visual is paired with a written reflection on the day's doings, interwoven with the longer-arc history of her family, the farm, and their community.

In telling the story of a farm family's struggle to survive and thrive, Landings grapples with the legacy of our cultural divide between art and land, and celebrates the beauty discovered along the way.



THURSDAY, MAY 9

Kentucky has long been home to a vibrant community of uniters and artists for whom land and language are closely intervoven. From time to time, I seek out conversations with them, conversations that are like soil cultivation: they bring oxygen to the roots of my life.

Today. I go to Lexington to visit the poet Nikky Finney. Growing up, she spent summers on her grandparent? South Carolina farw, where her grandparent? South Carolina farw, where her grandparent? Ease—lived to be 27 years of dan Wasa farming woman all of her life. Nikky hongered for her grandnother's family stories, despite how much pain that hittory carries' her ancestors were born into slavers. For The Bea, some things were better left unside. New for life data was the farming that the meanset to boyott a nuch land at they could afferd, voxing that they would never have to work for another white man. "Land neutr freedom," Nikky ellar me, "land meant freedom," Nikky land read there data with they would never have to work for another white man. "Land meant freedom," Nikky ellar men, "land meant you whays thad a place to go, and you didn't tell it, you did eventhing to deferd it."

Nikky lives in a house that was once owned by the writer Guy Davenport. She shows me some floorboards on which his name is written in pencil. She took up the floorboards when she replaced her writing studio floor with tiles.



Gravy Quarterly

A magazine that documents, studies, and explores the diverse food cultures of the changing American South

Gravy is the journal and podcast duo of original narratives that are fresh, unexpected, and thought-provoking, created by the Southern Foodways Alliance in Oxford, Mississippi. Each year, Gravy supports the work of over 100 writers, illustrators, and photographers. The winter 2022 issue is the first issue of the quarterly magazine distributed by Hub City Press, in partnership with SFA.

Gravy was named the 2015 Publication of the Year by the James Beard Foundation and has received multiple nominations for other awards between 2016 and 2020, from humor writing to the MFK Fisher Distinguished Writing Award. Notable contributors include Silas House, Janisse Ray, Randall Kenan, Monique Truong, Caleb Johnson, Chris Offutt, Latria Graham, and Imani Perry, among others.

FEATURES

Gravy tells stories about the changing American South. Published by the Southern Foodways Alliance, the quarterly journal shares original narratives that are fresh, unexpected, and thought-provoking. Each year, Gravy supports the work of over 100 writers, illustrators, and photographers in the South and beyond. The organization shares oral histories, produces films and podcasts, publishes great writing, sponsors scholarship, mentors students, and stages events that serve as progressive and inclusive catalysts for the greater South. Gravy is SFA's journal and podcast duo of fresh, unexpected, and thought-provoking original narratives.

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