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The Water Statues HarperCollins
A brilliantly observed prep school novel about fraught teacher-student relationships--and about coming into adulthood. Ben Jameson begins his teaching career in a small private school in Northern Virginia. He is idealistic, happy to have his first job after graduate school, and hoping some day to figure out what he really wants out of life. And in his two years teaching English at Glenn Acres Preparatory School, he comes to believe this really is his life's work, his calling. He wants to change lives. But his desire to "save" his students leads him into complicated territory, as he becomes more and more deeply involved with three students in particular: an abused boy, a mute and damaged girl, and a dangerous eighteen-year-old who has come back to school for one more chance to graduate. In the Fall They Come Back is a book about human relationships, as played

out in that most fraught of settings, a school. But it is not only a book about teaching. It is about the limits and complexities of even our most benevolent urges--what we can give to others and how we lose ourselves. The Best of Us St. Martin's Press
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Everyone in Shaker Heights was talking about it that summer: how Isabelle, the last of the Richardson children, had finally gone around the bend and burned the house down. In Shaker Heights, a placid, progressive suburb of Cleveland, everything is meticulously planned - from the layout of the winding roads, to the colours of the houses, to the successful lives its residents will go on to lead. And no one embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson, whose guiding principle is playing by the rules.

Enter Mia Warren - an enigmatic artist and single mother- who arrives in this idyllic bubble with her teenage daughter Pearl, and rents a house from the Richardsons. Soon Mia and Pearl become more than just tenants: all four Richardson children are drawn to the mother-daughter pair. But Mia carries with her a mysterious past, and a disregard for the rules that threatens to upend this carefully ordered community. When old family friends attempt to adopt a Chinese-American baby, a custody battle erupts that dramatically divides the town - and puts Mia and Elena on opposing sides. Suspicious of Mia and her motives, Elena is determined to uncover the secrets in Mia's past. But her obsession will come at an unexpected and devastating cost . . .

World of Wanderlust Blurb

The #1 New York Times bestseller!

“Witty, wise, and tender. It's a marvel.”

—Paula Hawkins, author of *The Girl on the Train* and *A Slow Fire Burning* “To say I love this book is an understatement. It’s a deep

psychological mystery about the power of motherhood, the intensity of teenage love, and the danger of perfection. It moved me to tears.” —Reese

Witherspoon From the bestselling author of *Everything I Never Told You* and *Our Missing Hearts* comes a riveting novel that traces the intertwined fates of the picture-perfect Richardson family and the enigmatic mother and daughter who upend their lives. In Shaker Heights, a placid, progressive suburb of Cleveland, everything is planned—from the layout of the winding roads, to the colors of the houses, to the successful lives its residents will go on to lead. And no one embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson, whose guiding principle is playing by the rules. Enter Mia

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Little Fires Everywhere explores the weight of secrets, the nature of art and identity, and the ferocious pull of motherhood—and the danger of believing that following the rules can avert disaster. Named a Best Book of the Year by: People, The Washington Post, Bustle, Esquire, Southern Living, The Daily Beast, GQ, Entertainment Weekly, NPR, Amazon, Barnes & Noble, iBooks, Audible, Goodreads, Library Reads, Book of the Month, Paste, Kirkus Reviews, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, and many more... Perfect for book clubs! Visit celesteng.com for discussion guides and more.

Searching for Mom Hogarth

Diary of Thoughts: *Little Fires*

Everywhere by Celeste Ng - A Journal for Your Thoughts About the Book is a journal designed for note-taking, designed and produced by Summary Express. With blank, lined pages in a simplistic yet elegant design, this journal is perfect for recording notes, thoughts, opinions, and takeaways in real-time as

you read. Divided into sections and parts for easy reference, this journal helps you keep your thoughts organized.

Disclaimer Notice: This is a unofficial journal book and not the original book.

The Sleepwalker's Guide to Dancing
HarperCollins UK

In Shaker Heights, Cleveland, everything is planned in the lives of its residents. Nobody embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson. Her guiding principle will always be playing by the rules. Mia Warren is a single mother an enigmatic artist. She arrives in Shaker Heights' idyllic bubble with Pearl, her teenaged daughter. The two rented a house from the Richardsons. Eventually, Mia and Pearl were becoming more than tenants to the Richardsons as all four children get drawn to the mother-daughter pair. However, Mia came from a mysterious past and she has a disregard for the status quo as she threatened to upend this idyllic and carefully ordered community. Celeste Ng's Little Fires Everywhere explores the nature of art and identity, the ferocious pull of motherhood, the weight of long-held secrets, and the danger of holding on to the belief that following the rules can keep you safe. In this comprehensive look into Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng, you'll gain insight with this essential resource as a guide to aid your discussions. Be prepared to lead with the following: More than 60 "done-for-you" discussion prompts available Discussion aid which includes a wealth of information and prompts Overall brief plot synopsis and author biography as refreshers Thought-provoking questions made for deeper examinations Creative exercises to foster alternate "if this was you" discussions And more! Please Note: This is a companion guide based on the work Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste

Ng not affiliated to the original work or author in any way and does not contain any text of the original work. Please purchase or read the original work first.

A Novel Beacon Press

A Complete Summary of Little Fires Everywhere Little Fires Everywhere was written by Celeste Ng, the same author who wrote Everything I Never Told You. Little Fires Everywhere is the second novel written by Ng. The story of the novel is set in Shaker Heights, a small and lively town, in which the author was born. The author, while she was writing the novel, referred to her hometown as her "relative," because of the connection she felt with the town. Shaker Heights is not only Ng's hometown, but also the hometown of the two families the novel mostly revolves around. As we read the book, we are slowly introduced in to the two families, their habits, lives, and, as the author says it, "their quirks and foibles." Little Fires Everywhere is a very interesting and compelling novel that will keep you reading until you reach the final pages! The novel's success was confirmed with the awards the author received. Two of them truly confirm the success of the novel and the author: the Goodreads Choice Award and Amazon's reward for best novel of 2017. Here Is A Preview Of What You Will Get: In Little Fires Everywhere , you will get a full understanding of the book. In Little Fires Everywhere , you will get some fun multiple choice quizzes, along with answers to help you learn about the book. Get a copy, and learn everything about Little Fires Everywhere .

A Juniper Song Mystery Createspace Independent Publishing Platform
Winner of the Anisfield-Wolf Book Award for literature that confronts racism and examines diversity Winner of the 2017 Chautauqua Prize Finalist for the Dayton

Literary Peace Prize A New York Times Notable Book "Riveting and luminous...Like the best books, this one haunts the reader well after the end."—Jesmyn Ward "[A] complex, beautiful novel . . . Stunning."—NPR, Best Books of 2016 "Intense and dreamlike . . . filled with quiet resonances across time."—The New Yorker Sly, funny, intelligent, and artfully structured, *The Fortunes* recasts American history through the lives of Chinese Americans and reimagines the multigenerational novel through the fractures of immigrant family experience. Inhabiting four lives—a railroad baron's valet who unwittingly ignites an explosion in Chinese labor; Hollywood's first Chinese movie star; a hate-crime victim whose death mobilizes the Asian American community; and a biracial writer visiting China for an adoption—this novel captures and capsizes over a century of our history, showing that even as family bonds are denied and broken, a community can survive—as much through love as blood. "A prophetic work, with passages of surpassing beauty."—Joyce Carol Oates, Anisfield-Wolf Book Award citation "A poignant, cascading four-part novel . . . Outstanding."—David Mitchell, *Guardian* "The most honest, unflinching, cathartically biting novel I've read about the Chinese American experience."—Celeste Ng

In the Fall They Come Back

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Never Ending Voyage The highly anticipated sequel to Alan Brennert's acclaimed book club favorite, and national bestseller, *Moloka'i* "A novel of

illumination and affection." —USA Today Alan Brennert's beloved novel *Moloka'i*, currently has over 600,000 copies in print. This companion tale tells the story of Ruth, the daughter that Rachel Kalama—quarantined for most of her life at the isolated leprosy settlement of Kalaupapa—was forced to give up at birth. The book follows young Ruth from her arrival at the Kapi'olani Home for Girls in Honolulu, to her adoption by a Japanese couple who raise her on a strawberry and grape farm in California, her marriage and unjust internment at Manzanar Relocation Camp during World War II—and then, after the war, to the life-altering day when she receives a letter from a woman who says she is Ruth's birth mother, Rachel. Daughter of *Moloka'i* expands upon Ruth and Rachel's 22-year relationship, only hinted at in *Moloka'i*. It's a richly emotional tale of two women—different in some ways, similar in others—who never expected to meet, much less come to love, one another. And for Ruth it is a story of discovery, the unfolding of a past she knew nothing about. Told in vivid, evocative prose that conjures up the beauty and history of both Hawaiian and Japanese cultures, it's the powerful and poignant tale that readers of *Moloka'i* have been awaiting for fifteen years.

Summary of Little Fires Everywhere

Flatiron Books

A wry and moving debut novel about friendship, the internet, and a young man's search for true connection "A knowing, witty, and thought-provoking exploration of love, modern isolation, and what it means to exist—especially as a person of color—in our increasingly digital age."—Celeste Ng, bestselling author of *Everything I Never Told You* and *Little Fires Everywhere* NAMED ONE

OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY NPR • The New York Public Library • Parade • Kirkus Review Lucas and Margo are fed up. Margo is a brilliant programmer tired of being talked over as the company's sole black employee, and while Lucas is one of many Asians at the firm, he's nearly invisible as a low-paid customer service rep. Together, they decide to steal their tech startup's user database in an attempt at revenge. The heist takes a sudden turn when Margo dies in a car accident, and Lucas is left reeling, wondering what to do with their secret—and wondering whether her death really was an accident. When Lucas hacks into Margo's computer looking for answers, he is drawn into her private online life and realizes just how little he knew about his best friend. With a fresh voice, biting humor, and piercing observations about human nature, Kevin Nguyen brings an insider's knowledge of the tech industry to this imaginative novel. A pitch-perfect exploration of race and startup culture, secrecy and surveillance, social media and friendship, *New Waves* asks: How well do we really know one another? And how do we form true intimacy and connection in a tech-obsessed world? Praise for *New Waves* "Nguyen's stellar debut is a piercing assessment of young adulthood, the tech industry, and racism. . . . Nguyen impressively holds together his overlapping plot threads while providing incisive criticism of privilege and a dose of sharp humor. The story is fast-paced and fascinating, but also deeply felt; the effect is a page-turner with some serious bite."—Publishers Weekly (starred review) "A blistering sendup of startup culture and a sprawling, ambitious, tender debut."—Kirkus Reviews (starred review)

Rich and Pretty HarperCollins

Little Fires Everywhere In this Celeste Ng's second novel, "Little Fires Everywhere," you will recognize a few ingredients from her acclaimed introduction, "Everything I Never Told You." There are the indications of racial tensions and incendiary family interactions under the surface of a quiet Ohio town. There are the appeal and hopelessness of assimilation, the all-consuming intensity of motherhood and the concealed lives of teenagers and their progenitors, each unknowable to the other. And there's a typical frame, too: At each novel's beginning, we know at least part of the melodrama that will befall the personalities, the mystery lies in understanding how they arrive there. In "Little Fires Everywhere," we begin with a house fire and new puzzles: Who set it, and why? The residence belongs to Elena and Bill Richardson, an affluent white couple who summarize success correctly, late '90s Shaker Heights, and their four teenage children, including girl-next-door Lexie and the troubled prankster Izzy, who is the suspected arson. "The firefighters said there were little fires everywhere," Lexie says. "Multiple locations of origin. Possible use of an accelerant. Not an accident." However, Izzy isn't the only one who appears to have fled the scene. Mia Warren and her daughter (a 15-year-old girl), Pearl, have also disappeared, abandoning the small house they rented from the Richardsons. Consequently, Ng again revisits the past for answers. It's Mia and Pearl's appearance in town 11 months earlier that starts the story. Mia is an alluring protagonist, a misfit traveler who might stand for Artist. She and Pearl have explored the country in their VW Rabbit with Mia's camera, living in dozens of municipalities before settling in Shaker Heights, here, Mia

promises her daughter they will stay. Pearl, desiring to belong, quickly becomes a fixture in the Richardsons' home, involving her mother along with her. Witnessing these two families as they intermix and the clash is an utterly engrossing, often heartbreaking, profoundly empathetic encounter, not unlike watching a neighbor's house burn. And the exhibition doesn't stop with the Richardsons and Warrens. Ng also includes a custody battle that becomes the center of the town's attention, a 1-year-old girl who both her Chinese immigrant mother and the white couple who has raised the baby dispute. It's this vast and complicated labyrinth of moral affiliations and the nuanced all-knowing voice that Ng employs to navigate it, that makes this novel even more ambitious and accomplished than her debut. As soon as we meet the matriarch "Mrs. Richardson stood on the tree lawn, clutching the neck of her pale blue robe closed," we have the deceitful sense that our well-mannered storyteller is speaking from both inside and above the order-obsessed neighborhood.

by Celeste Ng - A Comprehensive Summary BrightSummaries.com

Family, obsession, and privilege boiled down by the icy-hot Swiss-Italian master stylist Fleur Jaeggy Even among Fleur Jaeggy's singular and intricate works, *The Water Statues* is a shinningly peculiar book. Concerned with loneliness and wealth's odd emotional poverty, this early novel is in part structured as a play: the dramatis personae include the various relatives, friends, and servants of a man named Beeklam, a wealthy recluse who keeps statues in his villa's flooded basement, where memories shiver in uncertain light and the waters run off to the sea. Dedicated to Ingeborg Bachmann and fleshed out with Jaeggy's

austere yet voluptuous style, *The Water Statues*—with its band of deracinated, loosely related souls (milling about as often in the distant past as in the mansion's garden full of intoxicated snails)—delivers like a slap an indelible picture of the swampiness of family life. [Little Fires Everywhere - a Comprehensive Summary to the Novel of Celeste Ng](#) Bloomsbury Publishing USA

Nine Perfect Strangers now on sale "Here's the best news you've heard all year: Not a single page disappoints....The only difficulty with *Truly Madly Guilty*? Putting it down." —Miami Herald "Captivating, suspenseful...tantalizing." —People Magazine The new novel from Liane Moriarty, the #1 New York Times bestselling author of *The Husband's Secret*, *Big Little Lies*, and *What Alice Forgot*, about how sometimes we don't appreciate how extraordinary our ordinary lives are until it's too late. Six responsible adults. Three cute kids. One small dog. It's just a normal weekend. What could possibly go wrong? In *Truly Madly Guilty*, Liane Moriarty turns her unique, razor-sharp eye towards three seemingly happy families. Sam and Clementine have a wonderful, albeit, busy life: they have two little girls, Sam has just started a new dream job, and Clementine, a cellist, is busy preparing for the audition of a lifetime. If there's anything they can count on, it's each other. Clementine and Erika are each other's oldest friends. A single look between them can convey an entire conversation. But theirs is a complicated relationship, so when Erika mentions a last minute invitation to a barbecue with her neighbors, Tiffany and Vid, Clementine and Sam don't hesitate. Having Tiffany and Vid's larger than life

personalities there will be a welcome respite. Two months later, it won't stop raining, and Clementine and Sam can't stop asking themselves the question: What if we hadn't gone? In *Truly Madly Guilty*, Liane Moriarty takes on the foundations of our lives: marriage, sex, parenthood, and friendship. She shows how guilt can expose the fault lines in the most seemingly strong relationships, how what we don't say can be more powerful than what we do, and how sometimes it is the most innocent of moments that can do the greatest harm.

Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk About Racism One World

The #1 New York Times bestseller! Now a Hulu original series starring Reese Witherspoon and Kerry Washington. "I read *Little Fires Everywhere* in a single, breathless sitting." —Jodi Picoult "To say I love this book is an understatement. It's a deep psychological mystery about the power of motherhood, the intensity of teenage love, and the danger of perfection. It moved me to tears." —Reese Witherspoon "Extraordinary . . . books like *Little Fires Everywhere* don't come along often." —John Green From the bestselling author of *Everything I Never Told You*, a riveting novel that traces the intertwined fates of the picture-perfect Richardson family and the enigmatic mother and daughter who upend their lives. In Shaker Heights, a placid, progressive suburb of Cleveland, everything is planned—from the layout of the winding roads, to the colors of the houses, to the successful lives its residents will go on to lead. And no one embodies this spirit more than Elena Richardson, whose guiding principle is playing by the rules. Enter Mia Warren—an enigmatic artist and single mother—who arrives in this idyllic

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A Novel Ballantine Books

In this stunning follow-up to *Hollow Kingdom* and *Seattle Times/Pacific Northwest Booksellers Association* bestseller, the animal kingdom's "favorite apocalyptic hero" is back with a renewed sense of hope for humanity, ready to take on a world ravaged by a viral pandemic (Helen Macdonald). Once upon an apocalypse, there lived an obscenely handsome American crow named S.T. . . . When the world last

checked-in with its favorite Cheeto addict, the planet had been overrun by flesh-hungry beasts, and nature had started re-claiming her territory from humankind. S.T., the intrepid crow, alongside his bloodhound-bestie Dennis, had set about saving pets that had become trapped in their homes after humanity went the way of the dodo. That is, dear reader, until S.T. stumbled upon something so rare--and so precious--that he vowed to do everything in his power to safeguard what could, quite literally, be humanity's last hope for survival. But in a wild world plagued by prejudiced animals, feather-raising environments, new threats so terrifying they make zombies look like baby bunnies, and a horrendous dearth of cheesy snacks, what's a crow to do? Why, wing it on another big-hearted, death-defying adventure, that's what! Joined by a fabulous new cast of animal characters, S.T. faces many new challenges plus his biggest one yet: parenthood. Includes a Reading Group Guide.

Everything I Never Told You Celadon Books

Unlock the more straightforward side of *Little Fires Everywhere* with this concise and insightful summary and analysis! This engaging summary presents an analysis of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng, which depicts the events following the arrival of the artist Mia Warren and her teenaged daughter Pearl in the community of Shaker Heights, Ohio. Although Pearl initially grows close to the Richardson family, who lead a seemingly idyllic life, a court case surrounding the adoption of an abandoned Chinese baby soon drives a wedge between Mia and Elena Richardson, and its repercussions send shockwaves throughout the entire community. *Little Fires Everywhere* is

Celeste Ng's second novel; it follows her acclaimed debut *Everything I Never Told You*, which was named Amazon Book of the Year in 2014. Find out everything you need to know about *Little Fires Everywhere* in a fraction of the time! This in-depth and informative reading guide brings you: •A complete plot summary •Character studies •Key themes and symbols •Questions for further reflection Why choose BrightSummaries.com? Available in print and digital format, our publications are designed to accompany you on your reading journey. The clear and concise style makes for easy understanding, providing the perfect opportunity to improve your literary knowledge in no time. See the very best of literature in a whole new light with BrightSummaries.com!

[Summary of Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng | Conversation Starters](#)

Bloomsbury Publishing USA

Summary of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng | Conversation Starters *Little Fires Everywhere* is the latest novel from bestselling author, Celeste Ng. Set in Shaker Heights, Ohio, *Little Fires Everywhere* tells the story of Elena Richardson, a woman who thrives on structure and rules, and her family. When Mia Warren, an artist who has been living a nomadic lifestyle as a single mother with her daughter, Pearl, arrives in town, it threatens everything that Mrs. Richardson has known. Slowly, Mia becomes the enemy of Mrs. Richardson. Meanwhile, in another part of town, close friends of the Richardsons have adopted a Chinese-American baby, which results in a custody battle. When a fire breaks out in the Richardson home, the town is buzzing with their ideas on who the suspect is. *Little Fires Everywhere* became a bestseller for The

New York Times instantly after its release in September 2017. Author Paula Hawkins has called the novel tender and wise, while author John Green stated that it was his favorite novel of 2017. A Brief Look Inside: EVERY GOOD BOOK CONTAINS A WORLD FAR DEEPER than the surface of its pages. The characters and their world come alive, and the characters and its world still live on. Conversation Starters is peppered with questions designed to bring us beneath the surface of the page and invite us into the world that lives on. These questions can be used to... Create Hours of Conversation: * Promote an atmosphere of discussion for groups * Foster a deeper understanding of the book * Assist in the study of the book, either individually or corporately * Explore unseen realms of the book as never seen before Disclaimer: This book you are about to enjoy is an independent resource meant to supplement the original book. If you have not yet read the original book, we encourage to do before purchasing this unofficial Conversation Starters.

Alien: Out of the Shadows (Novel#1)

New Directions Publishing

"Wilson's ambition alone is exciting. . . . [His] writing has a Houdini-like perfection, wherein no matter how grim the variables, each lovely sentence manages to escape with all its parts intact." —Boston Globe When Isabelle Poole meets Dr. Preston Grind, she's fresh out of high school, pregnant with her art teacher's baby, and totally on her own. Izzy knows she can be a good mother but without any money or relatives to help, she's left searching. Dr. Grind, an awkwardly charming child psychologist, has spent his life studying family, even after tragedy struck his own. Now, with the help of an eccentric

billionaire, he has the chance to create a "perfect little world"—to study what would happen when ten children are raised collectively, without knowing who their biological parents are. He calls it The Infinite Family Project and he wants Izzy and her son to join. This attempt at a utopian ideal starts off promising, but soon the gentle equilibrium among the families disintegrates: unspoken resentments between the couples begin to fester; the project's funding becomes tenuous; and Izzy's growing feelings for Dr. Grind make her question her participation in this strange experiment in the first place. Written with the same compassion and charm that won over legions of readers with *The Family Fang*, Kevin Wilson shows us with grace and humor that the best families are the ones we make for ourselves.

By Celeste Ng Penguin

The San Francisco Chronicle's Best of the Year List Indie Next Pick "For Reading Groups" From New York Times bestselling author Joyce Maynard, a memoir about discovering strength in the midst of great loss—"heart wrenching, inspiring, full of joy and tears and life." (Anne Lamott) In 2011, when she was in her late fifties, beloved author and journalist Joyce Maynard met the first true partner she had ever known. Jim wore a rakish hat over a good head of hair; he asked real questions and gave real answers; he loved to see Joyce shine, both in and out of the spotlight; and he didn't mind the mess she made in the kitchen. He was not the husband Joyce imagined, but he quickly became the partner she had always dreamed of. Before they met, both had believed they were done with marriage, and even after they married, Joyce resolved that no one could alter her course of determined independence.

Then, just after their one-year wedding anniversary, her new husband was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. During the nineteen months that followed, as they battled his illness together, she discovered for the first time what it really meant to be a couple—to be a true partner and to have one. This is their story. Charting the course through their whirlwind romance, a marriage cut short by tragedy, and Joyce's return to singleness on new terms, *The Best of Us* is a heart-wrenching, ultimately life-affirming reflection on coming to understand true love through the experience of great loss.

Summary of Little Fires Everywhere
Penguin

Enhance Your Book Reading Experience! A Comprehensive Summary of Little Fires Everywhere In this summary guide, Insightful Summaries provides a comprehensive in-depth look into the popular novel "Little Fires Everywhere" by Celeste Ng. Uncover different perspectives on your favourite characters and story lines, so that you can appreciate the novel even more! In this summary and analysis guide you will find sections such as: - Comprehensive Summary of the Storyline- Analysis of Key Characters- Major Symbols and Themes- Trivia and Discussion Questions- Chapter by Chapter Summary and Analysis- And Much More! This companion book is a perfect supplement to the original novel, enhancing your reading experience like a hot chai latte on a cold winter's day! What are you waiting for? Discussion and insight is on the inside! Note: This is an unofficial companion book to Celeste Ng's Little Fires Everywhere.

[Little Fires Everywhere \(Movie Tie-In\)](#)
Penguin

From the number one bestselling author of *Little Fires Everywhere*, a deeply suspenseful and heartrending novel about the unbreakable love between a mother and child in a society consumed by fear Twelve-year-old Bird Gardner lives a quiet existence with his loving but broken father, a former linguist who now shelves books in a university library. Bird knows to not ask too many questions, stand out too much, or stray too far. For a decade, their lives have been governed by laws written to preserve "American culture" in the wake of years of economic instability and violence. To keep the peace and restore prosperity, the authorities are now allowed to relocate children of dissidents, especially those of Asian origin, and libraries have been forced to remove books seen as unpatriotic—including the work of Bird's mother, Margaret, a Chinese American poet who left the family when he was nine years old. Bird has grown up disavowing his mother and her poems; he doesn't know her work or what happened to her, and he knows he shouldn't wonder. But when he receives a mysterious letter containing only a cryptic drawing, he is pulled into a quest to find her. His journey will take him back to the many folktales she poured into his head as a child, through the ranks of an underground network of librarians, into the lives of the children who have been taken, and finally to New York City, where a new act of defiance may be the beginning of much-needed change. Our Missing Hearts is an old story made new, of the ways supposedly civilized communities can ignore the most searing injustice. It's a story about the power—and limitations—of art to create change, the lessons and legacies we pass on to our children, and how any of us can survive a broken world with our

hearts intact.