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Sophie's World 2010-07-15 the international bestseller about life the universe and everything a simply wonderful irresistible book daily telegraph a terrifically entertaining and imaginative story wrapped round its tough thought provoking philosophical heart daily mail remarkable an extraordinary achievement sunday times when 14 year old sophie encounters a mysterious mentor who introduces her to philosophy mysteries deepen in her own life why does she keep getting postcards addressed to another girl who is the other girl and who for that matter is sophie herself to solve the riddle she uses her new knowledge of philosophy but the truth is far stranger than she could have imagined a phenomenal worldwide bestseller sophie s world sets out to draw teenagers into the world of socrates descartes spinoza hegel and all the great philosophers a brilliantly original and fascinating story with many twists and turns it raises profound questions about the meaning of life and the origin of the universe

Sophie's World 2024-10-29 a page turning novel that is also an exploration of the great philosophical concepts of western thought jostein gaarder s sophie s world has fired the imagination of readers all over the world with more than twenty million copies in print one day fourteen year old sophie amundsen comes home from school to find in her mailbox two notes with one question on each who are you and where does the world come from from that irresistible beginning sophie becomes obsessed with questions that take her far beyond what she knows of her norwegian village through those letters she enrolls in a kind of correspondence course covering socrates to sartre with a mysterious philosopher while receiving letters addressed to another girl who is hilde and why does her mail keep turning up to unravel this riddle sophie must use the philosophy she is learning but the truth turns out to be far more complicated than she could have imagined

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An Unreliable Man 2018-10-18 when fifteen year old anna begins receiving messages from another time her parents take her to the doctor but he can find nothing wrong in fact he believes there may be some truth to what she is seeing anna is haunted by visions of the desolate world of 2082 she sees her great granddaughter nova roaming through wasteland with a band of survivors after animals and plants have died out the more anna sees the more she realises she must act to prevent the future in her visions becoming real but can she act quickly enough compelling sunday times

<u>Sophie's World</u> 1995-12-22 one day sophie comes home from school to find two questions in her mail who are you and where does the world come from before she knows it sophie is enrolled in a correspondence course with a mysterious philosopher but sophie is receiving a separate batch of equally unusual letters who is hilde and why does her mail keep turning up in sophie's world

The World According to Anna 2015-11-12 a mysterious novel by the author of the international bestseller sophie s world a chance meeting on the fijian island of taveuni is the trigger for a fascinating and mysterious novel that intertwines the stories of john spooke an english author who is grieving for his dead wife frank andersen a norwegian evolutionary biologist estranged from his wife vera and an enigmatic spanish couple ana and jose who are absorbed in their love for each other why does ana bear such a close resemblance to the model for goya s famous maja paintings what is the significance of the joker as he steps out of his pack of cards as the action moves from fiji to spain from the present to the past unfolding further stories within the stories the novel reveals an astonishing richness and complexity as bold and imaginative in its sweep as sophie s world it shows again that jostein gaarder s unique and

special gift is to make us wonder at the awe inspiring mystery of the universe

Sophie's World 2005-12-02 a playful and inventive work from the bestselling author of sophie's world a box of latin manuscripts comes to light in an argentine flea market an apocryphal invention by some 17th or 18th century scolar or a transcript of what it appears to be a hitherto unheard of letter to st augustine to a woman he renounced for chastity vita brevis is both an entrancing human document and a fascinating insight into the life and philosophy of st augustine gaarder s interpretation of floria's letter is as playful inventive and questioning as sophie's world

Maya 2010-11-25 twelve year old hans thomas lives alone with his father a man who likes to give his son lessons about life and has a penchant for philosophy hans thomas mother left when he was four to find herself and the story begins when father and son set off on a trip to greece where she now lives to try to persuade her to come home en route in switzerland hans thomas is given a magnifying glass by a dwarf at a petrol station and the next day he finds a tiny book in his bread roll which can only be read with a magnifying glass how did the book come to be there why does the dwarf keep showing up it is all very perplexing and hans thomas has enough to cope with with the daunting prospect of seeing his mother now his journey has turned into an encounter with the unfathomable or does it all have a logical explanation

Vita Brevis 2010-11-25 two former lovers are brought back together but can they really trust their pasts the new novel from the bestselling author of sophie's world through five intense years in the 1970s steinn and solrunn had a happy life together then they suddenly parted ways for reasons that are unclear to both in the summer of 2007 they meet again on a balcony of an old wooden hotel by a fjord in western norway it is a place they both have fond memories from and their meeting turns out to be fateful but is it purely coincidental that they meet at that particular spot at that particular time over a couple of weeks that summer they write emails to each other and it becomes clear that they have been living with very different interpretations of their shared past

The Solitaire Mystery 2010-07-15 in the corner of a dusty old bookstore joachim discovers a magic advent calendar when he opens the first window on december first a small piece of paper falls out containing the story of a little girl named elisabet using his historical insight and beautiful imagination jostein gaarder has created a unique and exciting holiday story for the whole family beautifully illustrated the christmas mystery will make a wonderful permanent addition to the literature of christmas

The Castle in the Pyrenees 2010-05-06 from the author of sophie s world a modern fairy tale with a philosophical twist it should be read by all vogue my father died eleven years ago i was only four then i never thought i d hear from him again but now we re writing a book together to georg røed his father is no more than a shadow a distant memory but then one day his grandmother discovers some pages stuffed into the lining of an old red pushchair the pages are a letter to georg written just before his father died and a story the orange girl but the orange girl is no ordinary story it is a riddle from the past and centres around an incident in his father s youth one day he boarded a tram and was captivated by a beautiful girl standing in the aisle clutching a huge paper bag of luscious looking oranges suddenly the tram gave a jolt and he stumbled forward sending the oranges flying in all directions the girl simply hopped off the tram leaving georg s father with arms full of oranges now from beyond the grave he is asking his son to help him finally solve the puzzle of her identity

The Christmas Mystery 1996-11-13 in the hours before his brother is born eight year old joe has an unusual visitor mika who falls out of a spaceship and lands upside down in an apple tree in joe s garden hens dinosaurs an astronaut and a white rabbit all play their part in this magical story in which the encounter between earth boy and alien opens up the wonders of the universe tender and enchanting as the little prince and with the same classic quality hello is anybody there confirms jostein gaarder as an exceptional writer for children sally gardner s lively pencil drawings on almost every page make this a delightful package

the philosophers of antiquity and goes all the way to those of the renaissance and baroque periods this is the first of two volumes in the second volume she discovers metaphysical doubt while continuing on her way to modern times this comic book adaptation of jostein gaarder s original book breathes new life into a cult classic

2 2 1298421-25 from the author of sophie s world a masterful mixture of fantasy and reality a simply wonderful read she panina manina a trapeze artist falls and breaks her neck as the ringmaster bends over her he notices an amulet of amber around her neck the same trinket he had given his own lost child who was swept away in a torrent some sixteen years earlier this tale is narrated by petter a precocious child and fantasist and perhaps jostein gaarder s most intriguing character since sophie as an adult petter makes his living selling stories and ideas to professionals suffering from writer s block but as petter sits spinning his tales he finds himself in a trap of his own making

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The Ringmaster's Daughter 2010-07-15 the magical adventures of a small boy who helps a frog turn back into a prince and is rewarded with a visit to the frog castle here in an alice in wonderland story where dreams and reality are intertwined and time is turned on its head he meets a little princess called aurora a wicked lord chamberlain a bold queen and a kind king whose heart is stolen away in the frog castle nothing is quite what it seems as in all gaarder stories there is more to this than meets the eye the subtext is a gentle exploration of birth and death and a child learning to comprehend the loss of his beloved grandfather characterized by the charm and innocence that so many readers loved in hello is anybody there the frog castle confirms jostein gaarder as a wonderful storyteller whose special gift is to open children s eyes to the great mysteries

Maya 2000-01 conversations about life and death between a girl and an angel it s almost christmas cecilia lies sick in bed as her family bustle around her to make her last christmas as special as possible cecilia has cancer an angel steps through her window so begins a spirited and engaging series of conversations between cecelia and her angel as the sick girl thinks about her life and prepares for her death she changes subtly in herself and in her relationships with her family jostein gaarder is a profoundly optimistic writer who writes about death with wisdom compassion and an enquiring mind through a glass darkly will not only bring comfort to the bereaved it will move and amaze everyone who reads it

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