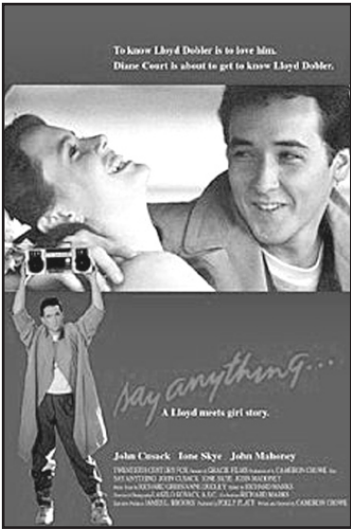


PICK OF THE WEEK



Our Choice

Say Anything (IMDb rating 7.6) On Star Movies, January 10 at 10:45 pm Genre: Drama/Romance John Cusack, Lone Skye, John Mahoney, Lili Taylor An improbable couple meets after high school graduation and must deal with their friends, family, and other pressures just to stay together. Lloyd Dobler is an average kick-boxer with a good heart but limited ambition. Diane Court is an aloof genius who is very closely protected by her father. When Diane gets a scholarship to study in England, she has a weighty decision to make.

Melbourne Cricket Stadium



The Sport

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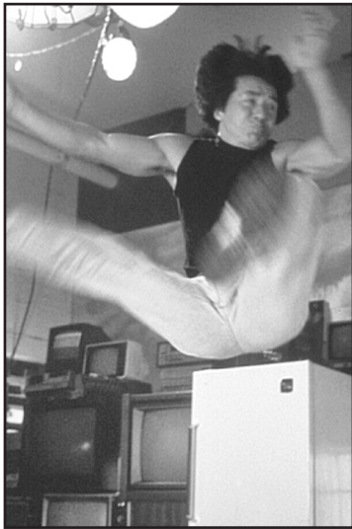
Live from Melbourne, Australia

On ESPN, January 9 at 9:15 pm

Australia

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The Movie

Rumble In The Bronx (IMDb rating 6.5) On HBO, January 11 at 9:30 pm Genre: Action/Thriller/Comedy/Crime Jackie Chan, Anita Mui, Françoise Yip Keong comes from Hong Kong to visit New York for his uncle's wedding. His uncle runs a market in the Bronx and Keong offers to help out while Uncle is on his honeymoon. During his stay in the Bronx, Keong befriends a neighbor kid and beats up some neighborhood thugs who cause problems at the market. Meanwhile, one of those petty thugs in the local gang stumbles into a criminal situation way over his head.

Satellite TV



Crazy in Alabama (IMDb rating 6.0) On Star Movies, January 15 at 10:30 pm Genre: Drama/Comedy Melanie Griffith, David Morse, Lucas Black A backwoods Alabama boy named Peejoe -short for Peter Joseph- gets a quick education in grown-up matters like freedom in 1965. The catalyst is an unlikely source - his glamorous, eccentric Aunt Lucille (Melanie Griffith), who escapes from her abusive husband and takes off for Hollywood to pursue her dreams of TV stardom.



High Crimes (IMDb rating 6.2) On Star Movies, January 11 at 7:00 pm Genre: Crime/Thriller/Drama Ashley Judd, Morgan Freeman, James Caviezel High powered lawyer Claire Kubik finds her world turned upside down when her husband, who she thought was Tom Kubik, is arrested and is revealed to be Ron Chapman. Chapman is on trial for a murder of Latin American villagers while he was in the Marines. Claire soon learns that to navigate the military justice system, she'll need help from the somewhat unconventional Charlie Grimes; meanwhile, Claire's sister, Jackie, is falling in love with wet-behind-the-ears Lieutenant Embry assigned as the official defense lawyer. And most of the eyewitnesses have rather too conveniently died.

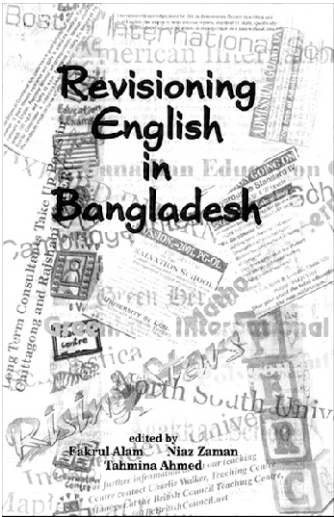


The Hunted (IMDb rating 5.4) On HBO, January 14 at 9:30 pm Genre: Action/Drama/Thriller Tommy Lee Jones, Benicio Del Toro, Connie Nielsen, Leslie Stefanson In the green woods of Silver Falls, Oregon, Aaron Hallam, a trained assassin AWOL from the Special Forces, keeps his own brand of wildlife vigil. After brutally slaying four deer hunters in the area, FBI Special Agent Abby Durrell turns to L.T. Bonham-- the one man who may be able to stop him. At first L.T. resists the mission. Snug in retirement, he's closed off to his past, the years he spent in the Special Forces training soldiers to become skilled murderers. But when he realizes that these recent slayings are the work of a man he trained, he feels obligated to stop him. Accepting the assignment under the condition that he works alone, L.T. enters the woods, unarmed--plagued by memories of his best student and riddled with guilt for not responding to Aaron's tortured letters to him as he began to slip over the edge of sanity. Furious as he is with his former mentor for ignoring his pleas for help, Aaron knows that he and L.T. share a tragic bond that is unbreakable. And, even as they go into their final combat against each other, neither can say with certainty who is the hunted and who is the hunter.

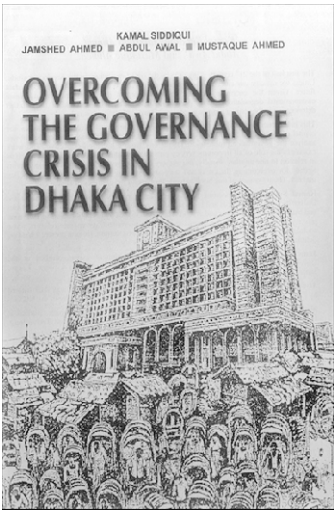


The Forsaken (IMDb rating 5.1) On HBO, January 10 at 9:30 pm Genre: Horror/Thriller Kerr Smith, Brendan Fehr, Izabella Miko Sean is driving cross-country to deliver a vintage Mercedes and attend his sister's wedding when he picks up a hitchhiker, Nick, who just happens to be a vampire hunter, tracking down a group of youthful vampires that feed on unwary travelers. As the plot thickens, they run into Megan, who has been left for dead by the vampires. As they use her as a lure for the vampires, Sean becomes attracted to her. Further complications ensue when Sean is infected with the vampire virus. He, Megan and Nick must race against time to kill the vampire leader to stop Sean from becoming one of the undead.

Books



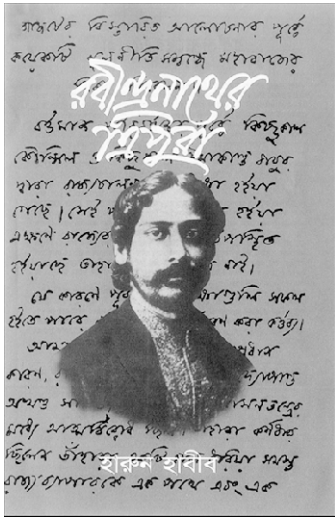
Revisioning English in Bangladesh Edited by Tahmina Ahmed, Fakrul Alam and Niaz Zaman Price: Tk. 350.00 The essays in Revisioning English in Bangladesh emerged from a biennial conference held about rethinking the status of English in Bangladesh. Before 1971, English had been the lingua franca between the two regions of Pakistan, both of which spoke different languages. With independence, English lost its importance in Bangladesh. Today, English has become the language of global communication and information and is increasingly seen as essential for jobs at home and abroad.



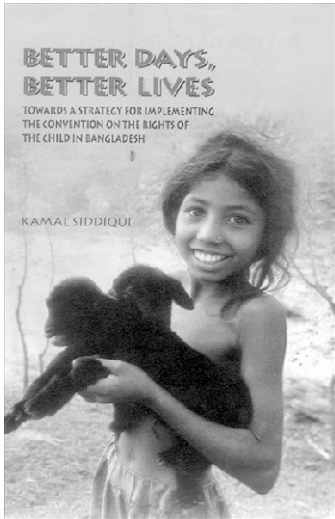
Overcoming the Governance Crisis in Dhaka City Kamal Siddiqui, Jamshed Ahmed, Abdul Awai, and Mustaque Ahmed Price: Tk. 375.00

Forlorn Migrants An International Legal Regime for Undocumented Migrant Workers Syed Refaat Ahmed Price: Tk. 540.00 This book proposes an international legal regime on undocumented labor migration aimed at ensuring equitable, humane and lawful conditions of migration as well as protecting the rights of undocumented migrant workers. In this regard the book analyzes the 1990 UN Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families. Also examined is the extent to which this Convention provides for components of regime creation, such as state responsibility, state accountability and the balance of interests, and the manner in which the Convention's deficiencies may be overcome.

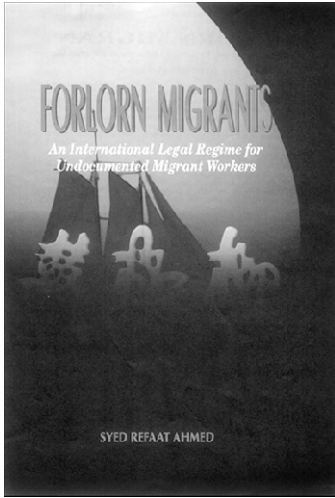
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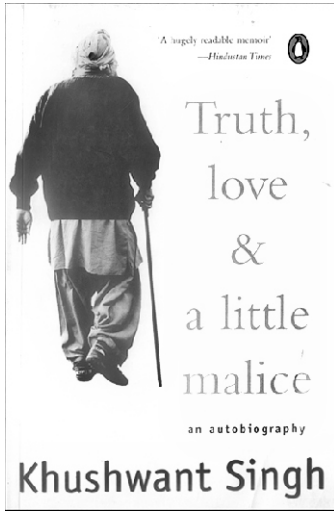
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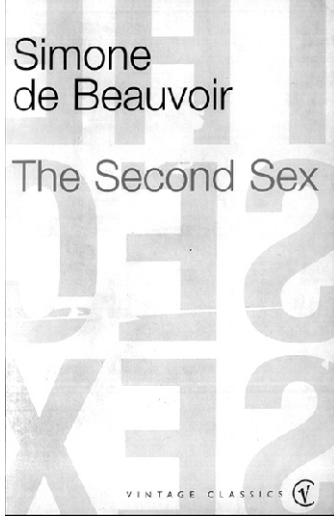
Better Days, Better Lives Towards a Strategy for Implementing the Convention on the Rights of the Child in Bangladesh Kamal Siddiqui Price: Tk. 200.00 A pioneering effort, this book provides a penetrating analysis of problems facing the implementation of the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC) in Bangladesh, and offers, hopefully realistic solutions. Its relevance extends to all developing countries where progress in children's rights leaves much to be desired even after a decade of the adoption of the CRC by the international community. The book is a must for researchers, policy makers and practitioners in the field.



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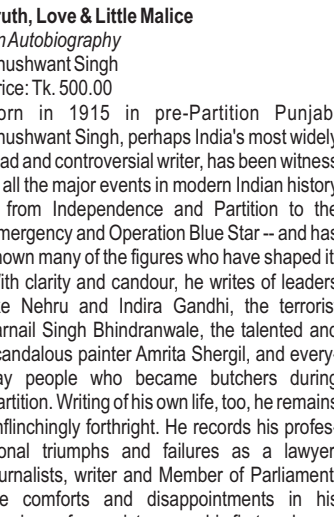


The Second Sex Simone De Beauvoir Price: Tk. 790.00 Of all the writing that emerged from the existentialist movement, Simone de Beauvoir's groundbreaking study of women will probably have the most extensive and enduring impact. It is at once a work of anthropology and sociology, of biology and psychoanalysis, from the pen of a writer and novelist of penetrating imaginative power.

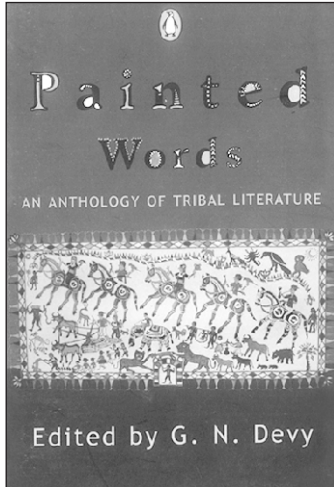


Aphrodite The Love of Food & the Food of Love Isabel Allende Price: Tk. 1350.00 The angels who inhabit Allende's previous books here turn into alluring aromas, mystifying the air. The spirits she worships are never actual spectral presences; but metaphors, and the metaphor's magical purpose is to entrap in words a feeling which remains invisible, averse to dull articulation.

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Truth, Love & Little Malice An Autobiography Khushwant Singh Price: Tk. 500.00 Born in 1915 in pre-Partition Punjab, Khushwant Singh, perhaps India's most widely read and controversial writer, has been witness to all the major events in modern Indian history -- from Independence and Partition to the Emergency and Operation Blue Star -- and has known many of the figures who have shaped it. With clarity and candour, he writes of leaders like Nehru and Indira Gandhi, the terrorist Jarnail Singh Bhindranwale, the talented and scandalous painter Amrita Sherghil, and everyday people who became butchers during Partition. Writing of his own life, too, he remains unflinchingly forthright. He records his professional triumphs and failures as a lawyer, journalist, writer and Member of Parliament; the comforts and disappointments in his marriage of over sixty years; his first, awkward



Painted Words An Anthology of Tribal Literature Edited by Gndevy Price: Tk. 500.00 Painted Words is the first collection of its kind: writings in a rich variety of genres by Adivasis and denotified tribals. Culled from all over India, the selections include tribal versions of the Mahabharat and Ramayan, colourful legends, rhythmic epics, poignant songs, oral histories and a simple but chilling play depicting the routine exploitation of tribal citizens.



Gujarat The Making of a Tragedy Edited by Siddharth Varadarajan.

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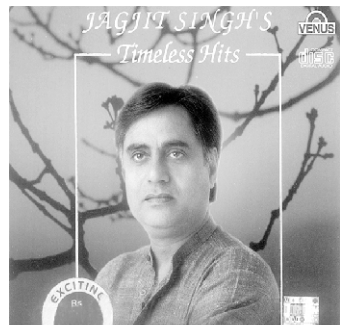
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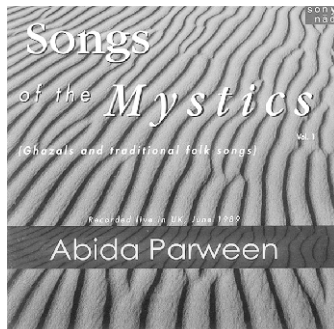
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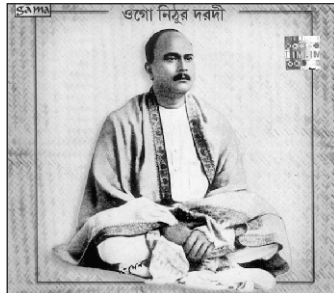
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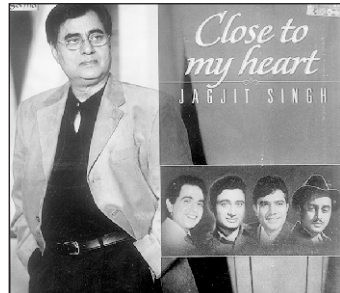
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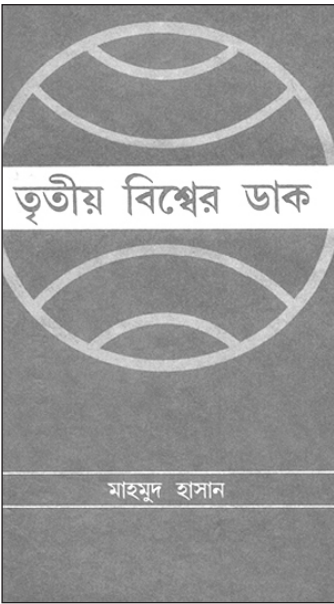


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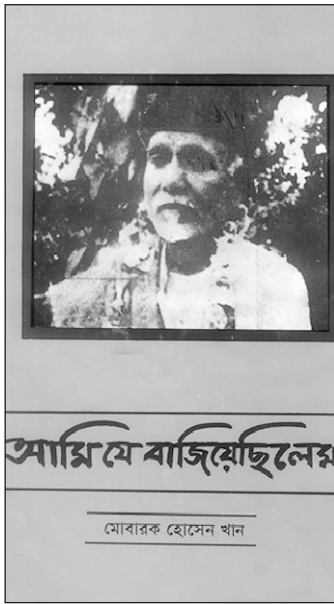
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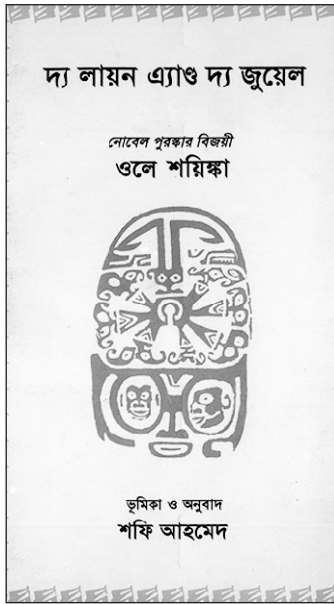
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