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Bruchac, Joseph
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j Dear America

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j Day C

Day, Christine
(Upper Skagit)

[I Can Make This Promise](#)

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Day, Christine
(Upper Skagit)

[The Sea In Winter](#)

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Day, Christine
(Upper Skagit)

[We Still Belong](#)

j Erdrich L

Erdrich, Louise
(Turtle Mountain Ojibwe)

The Birchbark House series:

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- [Makoons](#)

j Hobson B

Hobson, Brandon
(Cherokee Nation Tribe of
Oklahoma)

[The Storyteller](#)

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j Hutchinson M	Hutchinson, Michael (Misipawistik Cree)	Mighty Muskrats Mystery series • <i>The Case of the Windy Lake</i> • <i>The Case of the Missing Auntie</i> • <i>The Case of the Burgled Bundle</i> • <i>The Case of the Rigged Race</i> • <i>The Case of the Pilfered Pin</i>
j Johnson A	Johnson, Anna Rose (Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians)	<i>The Blossoming Summer</i>
j Johnson A	Johnson, Anna Rose (Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians)	<i>The Luminous Life of Lucy Landry</i>
j Johnson A	Johnson, Anna Rose (Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians)	<i>The Star That Always Stays</i>
j Marshall J	Marshall, Joseph III (Sicangu Lakota (Rosebud Sioux))	<i>In the Footsteps of Crazy Horse</i>
j McManis C	McManis, Charlene Willing (Umpqua)	<i>Indian No More</i> (with Traci Sorell, Cherokee Nation)
j Quigley, D	Quigley, Dawn (Turtle Mountain Band Ojibwe)	Jo Jo Makoons series: • <i>The Used-To-Be Best Friend</i> • <i>Fancy Pants</i> • <i>Snow Day</i> • <i>Rule School</i> • <i>Super-Scary Sleepover</i>
j Quigley, D	Quigley, Dawn (Turtle Mountain Band Ojibwe)	<i>Red Bird Danced</i>
j Girls	Rogers, Andrea L. (Citizen of the Cherokee Nation)	<i>Mary and the Trail of Tears: A Cherokee Removal Story</i>
j Sainte-Marie B	Sainte-Marie, Buffy (Cree)	<i>Tâpwê and the Magic Hat</i>
j Smith C	Smith, Cynthia Leitich (Muscogee Creek Nation)	<i>Indian Shoes</i>
j Smith C	Smith, Cynthia Leitich (Muscogee Creek Nation)	<i>On A Wing and A Tear</i>
j Smith C	Smith, Cynthia Leitich (Muscogee Creek Nation)	<i>Rain is Not My Indian Name</i>
j Smith C	Smith, Cynthia Leitich (Muscogee Creek Nation)	<i>Sisters of the Neversea</i>

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j Spencer K	Spencer, Kim (Ts'msyen)	<u><i>Weird Rules to Follow</i></u>
j Tingle T	Tingle, Tim (Choctaw)	How I Became a Ghost duology: • <u><i>How I Became A Ghost: A Choctaw Trail of Tears Story</i></u> • <u><i>When A Ghost Talks, Listen: A Choctaw Trail of Tears Story</i></u>
j Young B	Young, Brian (Navajo)	The Water Monster duology: • <u><i>Healer of the Water Monster</i></u> • <u><i>Heroes of the Water Monster</i></u> illustrated by Shonto Begay (Navajo)