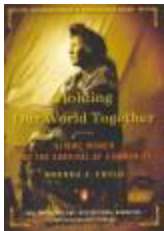


Ardizzone, H. *An Illuminated Life*

Belle da Costa Greene, a self-taught Black woman who passed as white in order to succeed, shaped J. P. Morgan's art collection and was renowned for her self-made expertise. Greene is pure fascination—the buyer of illuminated manuscripts who attracted others to her like moths to a flame.



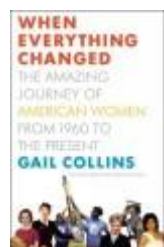
Child, B. *Holding Our World Together*

Highlights the impact women have had on Native American life, describing the lives of Madeleine Cadotte, who mediated fur trades and Gertrude Buckanaga, a community activist who helped impoverished Indian families.



Clarke, G. *Soccerwomen*

Based on interviews with over 50 current and former players and coaches, this book celebrates the remarkable women of soccer and their achievements against all odds.



Collins, G. *When Everything Changed*

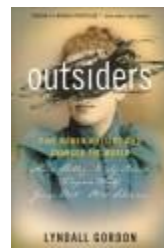
This book begins in 1960, when most American women had to

get their husbands' permission to get a credit card, ending in 2008 with Hillary Clinton's historic presidential campaign. This was a time when 400 years of expectations about American women were smashed.



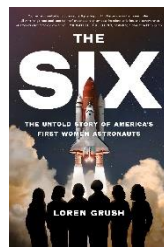
Cooney, K. *When Women Ruled the World*

In ancient Egypt, Hatshepsut, Nefertiti, and Cleopatra controlled the state as power-brokers and rulers. What was it that allowed women to hold the highest political office? What was it about these women that allowed them to transcend patriarchal obstacles?



Gordon, L. *Outsiders*

Mary Shelley, Emily Brontë, George Eliot and others all wrote dazzling books that changed English literature. This book shows how these writers shared more than talent. They were unconstrained by convention, imagining a different future.



Grush, L. *The Six: The Untold Story of America's First Women Astronauts*

When NASA sent astronauts to the moon, all the astronauts were men. Eventually, though, NASA opened the application process to a wider array of hopefuls. In 1978, six elite women were

selected—Sally Ride, Judy Resnik, Anna Fisher, Kathy Sullivan, Shannon Lucid, and Rhea Seddon.



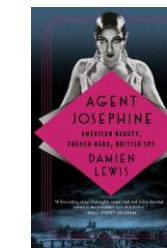
Holt, N. *The Queens of Animation*

This book tells the untold story of the women of Walt Disney Studios, who shaped the iconic films that have enthralled generations.



King, C. *My Life, My Love, My Legacy*

This book is a love story, a family saga and the memoir of a brave leader who stood committed, proud, forgiving, nonviolent and hopeful in the face of terrorism and violent hatred every single day of her life.



Lewis, D. *Agent Josephine*

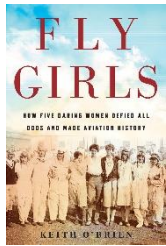
Singer. Actress. Beauty. Spy. During WW2, Josephine Baker, the world's most glamorous entertainer, was an Allied spy. This is the story of her heroic personal resistance to Nazi Germany.



Mundy, L. *Code Girls*

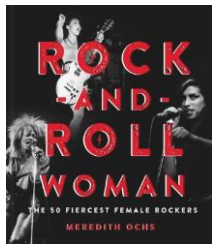
More than 10,000 American women served as codebreakers during World War II. This book

details how their efforts shortened the war and saved countless lives.



O'Brien, K. Fly Girls

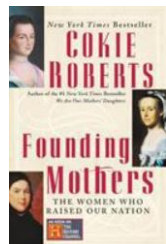
Fly Girls recounts how a cadre of women banded together to break the original glass ceiling: the entrenched prejudice that conspired to keep them out of the sky.



Ochs, M. Rock 'n' Roll Woman

From chanteuses to blues belters and guitar slingers, Ochs profiles fifty female artists and groups. She

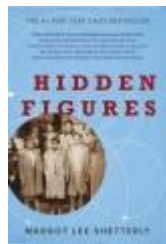
shows how they not only illustrate the width and breadth of rock music -- they define it.



Roberts, C. Founding Mothers

Social history at its best, Roberts proves that the founding mothers used the unique gifts of their gender to do what women

do best, put one foot in front of the other in remarkable circumstances and carry on.



Shetterley, M. Hidden Figures

At NASA, female "human computers" used pencils and

adding machines to calculate the numbers that would launch rockets into space. Among them were a group of exceptionally talented African American women, the brightest minds of their generation.



Weiss, E. The Woman's Hour

An uplifting account of the ratification of the 19th Amendment, granting voting rights to women, this book

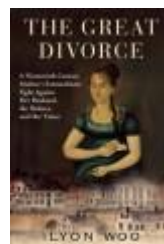
traces the culmination of 70 years of legal battles and cites the contributions of famous suffragists and political leaders.



Women: Our Story

A celebration of the pivotal roles women have played in culture and society reexamines history from a female

perspective, from early matriarchal societies through twentieth-century feminism.



Woo, I. The Great Divorce

The Great Divorce is the dramatic story of one of nineteenth-century America's most infamous divorce cases, in which a young mother single-

handedly challenged her country's notions of women's rights, family, and marriage itself.



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