

TOP FIVE FRIDAY

SHAKESPEARE RETELLINGS

1



The Steep and Thorny Way by Cat Winters

YA WINTERS CAT

Clyde Koning treated Hanalee's father the night he died. Now Clyde is Hanalee's stepfather and Joe Adder has been convicted of accidentally killing Hanalee's father. But Hanalee isn't sure if her father's death was really an accident. (*Retelling of Hamlet*)

2



Enter Three Witches by Caroline B. Cooney

YA COONEY, CDB

Mary, a ward of Lord and Lady Macbeth, loses her father after he betrays the king and is hanged as a traitor. Now Mary is trapped with the power-hungry Macbeths, who will do anything and kill anyone to get what they want. (*Retelling of Macbeth*)

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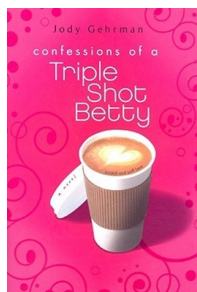


Street Love by Walter Dean Myers

YA MYERS

Damien has everything going for him: he's going to a good college next year, he has two loving parents, and he's dating Roxanne. Then he falls for Junice, whose life could not be more different from Damien's. (*Retelling of Romeo and Juliet*)

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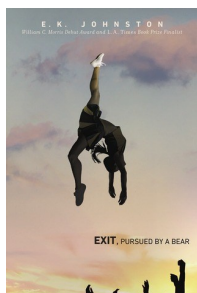


Confessions of a Triple Shot Betty by Jody Gehrman

YA GEHRMAN

Geena was excited to spend her summer working at a coffee shop with Amber and Hero, but Amber and Hero hate each other on sight. Geena thinks things can't get worse... until John, Claudio, and Ben come along. (*Retelling of Much Ado About Nothing*)

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Exit, Pursued By A Bear by E. K. Johnston

YA JOHNSTON E. K., ebook, eAudiobook

Hermione is her school's star cheerleader. But when Hermione is drugged and assaulted at cheerleading camp, she must figure out how to deal with her classmates, how to move on, and how to bring the guilty boy to justice. (*Retelling of The Winter's Tale*)