

What to choose when
life's a beach and all you
want is a cool drink and a story
you can't put down

SUMMER'S HOTTEST READS

PAGE TURNERS

LOST HEARTS IN ITALY by Andrea Lee A skillful, involving story about an American expatriate's adultery and its fallout.

THE FLAMENCO ACADEMY by Sarah Bird Novelist Bird captures the staccato passion of flamenco in a rapturous love triangle.

GIRLS MOST LIKELY by Sheila Williams Four African-American girls bond during grade school and stay superglued through their 30th high school reunion in this cheerfully addictive novel.

LITERACY AND LONGING IN L.A. by Jennifer Kaufman and Karen Mack A briskly paced love story with a winning heroine: a neurotic former reporter who loses herself in books.

WIVES BEHAVING BADLY by Elizabeth Buchan In this terrific sequel to *Revenge of the Middle-Aged Woman*, a man who doesn't go back to his wife becomes a mistress's worst nightmare.

LEFT BANK by Kate Muir An engaging tale about a quirky couple who learn the meaning of love after a scary mishap in Paris involving their daughter.

IF YOU LOVED THE DA VINCI CODE...

RESURRECTION by Tucker Malarkey The author of *An Obvious Enchantment* weaves the discovery of the Gnostic gospels into an elegantly written thriller.

THE EXPECTED ONE by Kathleen McGowan This riveting novel embroiders on the fantasy that Jesus and Mary Magdalene had children. (Due out in August.)

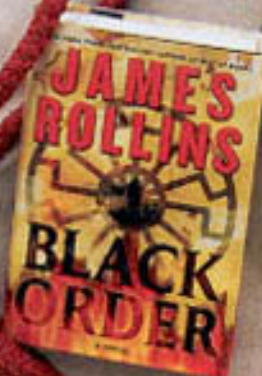
BLACK ORDER by James Rollins His eighth Sigma Force thriller bristles with Nazi plots, mythological beasts and spiritual mysteries.

PRIVATE LIVES

COCKEYED by Ryan Knighton A darkly funny memoir about learning to live in the dark by a journalist who is slowly losing his sight.

THE ONE THAT GOT AWAY by Howell Raines The best-selling author of *Fly Fishing Through the Midlife Crisis* returns with more Hemingway-style fish tales.

REALITY-TV FIX:
Lost and Found by Carolyn Parkhurst
Fun fiction about reality
show contestants.
Beats *America's Got
Talent* by a mile.



**TELL
THE BOOK
CLUB:**
One Mississippi
by Mark Childress
An offbeat, Southern-
fried coming-of-
age tale.

