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- 1 TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE, by Mitch Albom
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- 5 'TIS, by Frank McCourt.
- 6 HAVE A NICE DAY!, by Mick Foley.
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- 9 AND THE CROWD GOES WILD, by Joe Gamber.
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- 1 HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS, by J. K. Rowling.
- 2 HARRY POTTER AND THE PRISONER OF AZKABAN, by J. K. Rowling.
- 3 HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE, by J. K. Rowling.
- 4 FALSE MEMORY, by Dean Koontz.
- 5 TIMELINE, by Michael Crichton.
- 6 THE LION'S GAME, by Nelson DeMille.
- 7 ATLANTIS FOUND, by Clive Cussler.
- 8 MONSTER, by Jonathan Kellerman.
- 9 SICK PUPPY, by Carl Hiaasen.
- 10 A WALK TO REMEMBER, by Nicholas Sparks.

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- 1 ANGELA'S ASHES, by Frank McCourt.
- 2 GIRL, INTERRUPTED, by Susanna Kaysen.
- 3 THE PERFECT STORM, by Sebastian Junger.
- 4 A CHILD CALLED "IT," by Dave Pelzer.
- 5 A WALK IN THE WOODS, by Bill Bryson
- 6 THE PROFESSOR AND THE MADMAN, by Simon Winchester.
- 7 THE LOST BOY, by Dave Pelzer.
- 8 THE SEAT OF THE SOUL, by Gary Zukav.
- 9 BLIND MAN'S BLUFF, by Sherry Sontag and Christopher Drew with Annette Lawrence Drew.
- 10 OUR DUMB CENTURY, edited by Scott Dikkers.

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- 1 THE TESTAMENT, by John Grisham.
- 2 HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE, by J. K. Rowling.
- 3 THE GREEN MILE, by Stephen King.
- 4 SOUTHERN CROSS, by Patricia Cornwell.
- 5 BITTERSWEET RAIN, by Sandra Brown.
- 6 THE COURTSHIP, by Catherine Coulter.
- 7 A MAP OF THE WORLD, by Jane Hamilton.
- 8 SNOW FALLING ON CEDARS, by David Guterson.
- 9 SEIZE THE NIGHT, by Dean Koontz.
- 10 JEWELS OF THE SUN, by Nora Roberts.

In Print

**Sister Days
365 Inspired Moments In
African American Women's
History**

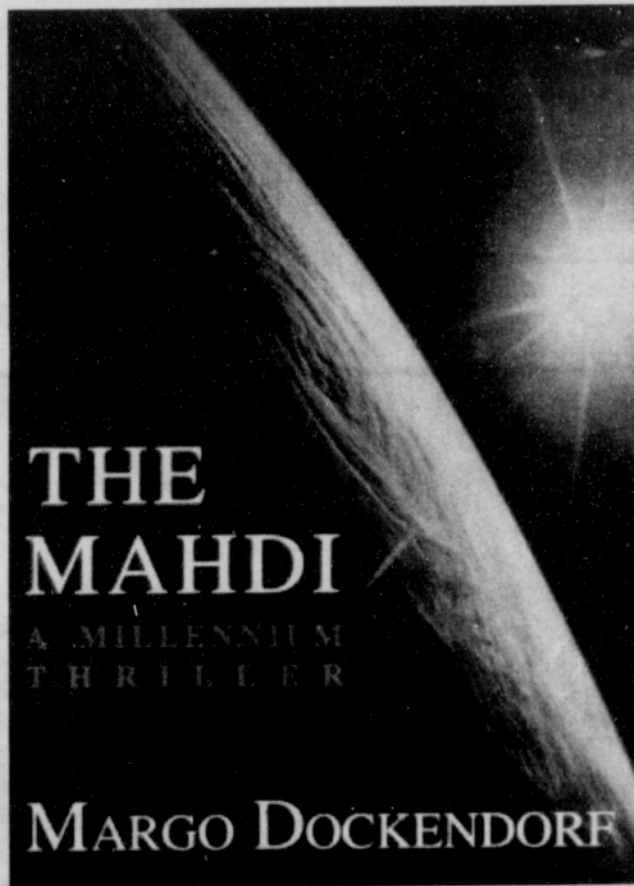
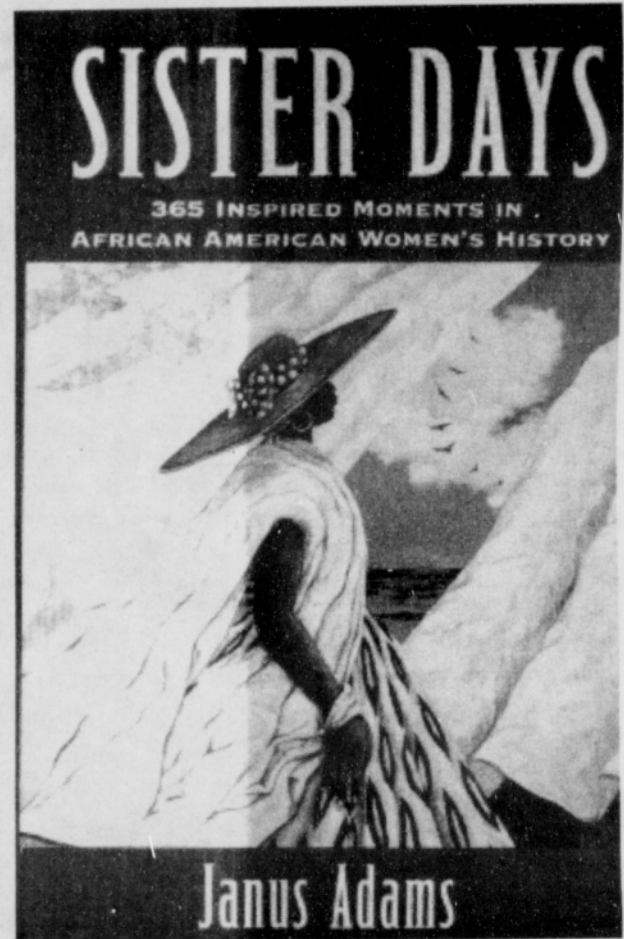
by Janus Adams

John Wiley & Sons, Inc.; 2000

Throughout history, African American women have tapped hidden sources of strength and inspiration to conquer impossible odds. We have persevered through dangerous times. We have nurtured families, loved knowledge, and pursued dreams as various and different as the women who dreamed them. Along the way, we have forged new identities, fought for human rights, and made history.

Now Janus Adams offers you a daily

invitation to share in this life-affirming legacy. In these pages, you will discover famous and unsung sisters who have contributed to our strength. Each has a new story to tell, and each day is a new opportunity to appreciate their precious gifts of motivation and compassion. Here are 365 uplifting meditations on courage, daring, and resistance that bring us valuable reminders of how real women in real times – from Harriet Tubman, to aviator Bessie Coleman, to Wild West legend "Stagecoach Mary," to world-renowned writer Maya Angelou – created a better way of life for themselves and a better world for others. In reading their stories, we ensure that these women live on – as shining beacons to light our own quests for happier, more fulfilled lives.



**The Mahdi
A Millennium Thriller**

By Margo Dockendorff

Cypress House; 1999

H. Bennett Williams, an American journalist writing for the New York Times, investigates Abu 'Ali Asghar, whose religious teachings and miraculous powers seem intended to inspire humanity away from self-destruction and foster a new consciousness of love. When Abu becomes the undisputed leader of the Third World, however, he declares a "holy war" on the United States and the industrialized world,

unleashing catastrophic forces. As war engulfs Europe and Russia – and threatens to destroy America – President Stanton summons Bennett Williams to the White House; he wants Abu assassinated, and the journalist is the only American who can get close enough to do the killing. Reflecting on today's headlines and anticipating tomorrow's THE MAHDI is a compelling novel of prophecy, spiritual discovery, individual and global transformation.

Destiny

By Sylvia Clute

Sylvia Clute Publications; 1997

Destiny is an intriguing adventure about today's distasteful politics, immoral government and America's spiritual destiny. Christi Daniel, the protagonist in this page-turner says about practicing law in Washington, "I'd about had my fill of that. If it can't be any better than that I don't want to practice law." So she moved to rural Mt. Vernon...started a small law practice... and then met the incarnation of George Washington. That's when Christi learned about the "Seven Spiritual Principles for Governing a People". "Legend has it that an angel appeared to Washington at Valley Forge and informed him of a secret spiritual destiny of a new

nation that was soon to be formed", writes Ms. Clute. This was a vision of a nation governed by spiritual truths, not by religious doctrine. "In the twenty-first century upon Earth, I see the fruition of our vision of a Nation under God, with liberty and justice, free from judgment, for all" says the incarnate of Benedict Arnold to our soon-to-be first president. *Destiny* is the story of Christi's conflict with the old paradigm of morality and the new. Sylvia Clute has given us an excellent story of transformation and enlightenment. *Destiny* is a rare combination of gripping prose and profound spirituality. In other words, this reviewer highly recommends *Destiny* to anyone seeking a better way...anyone!

