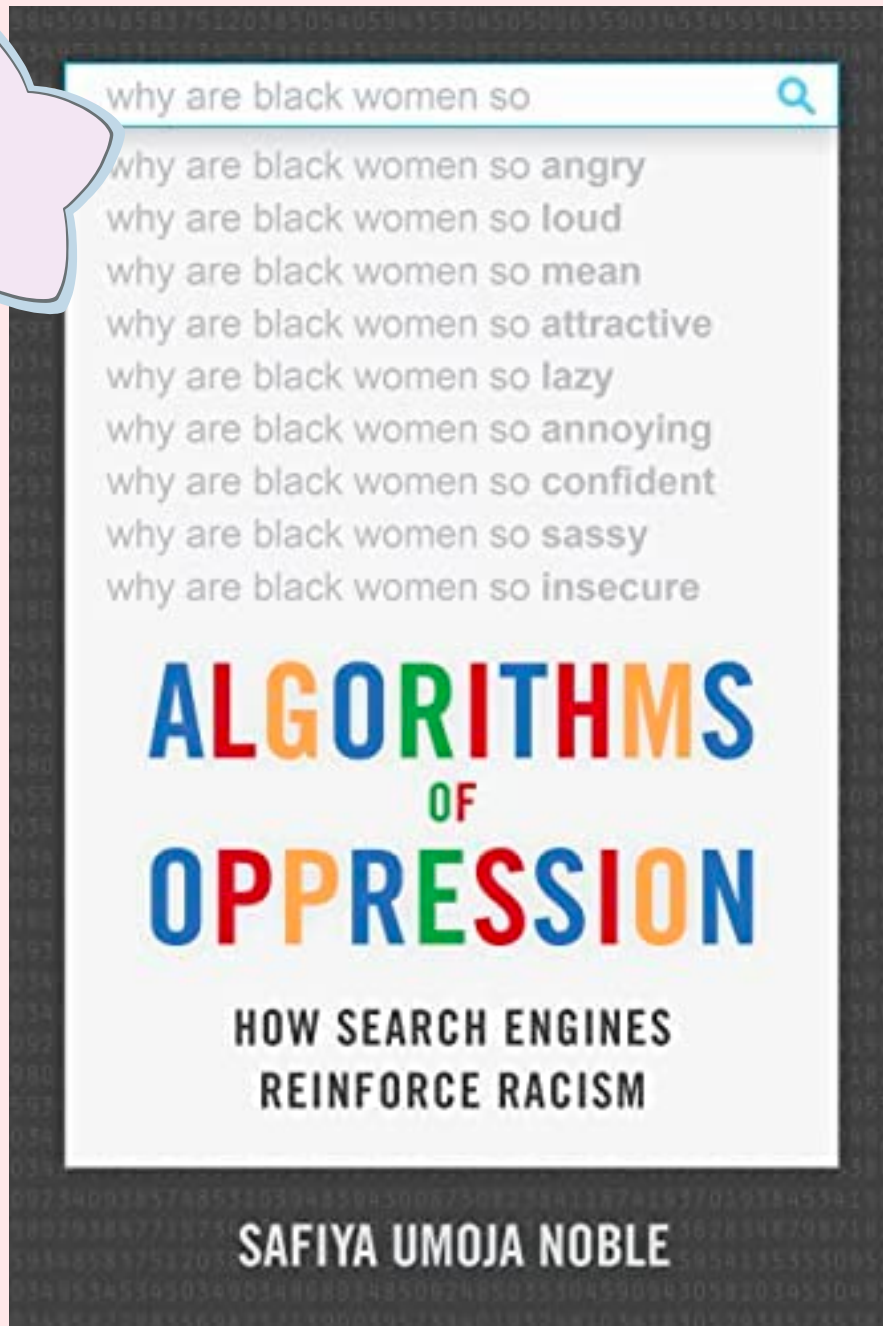




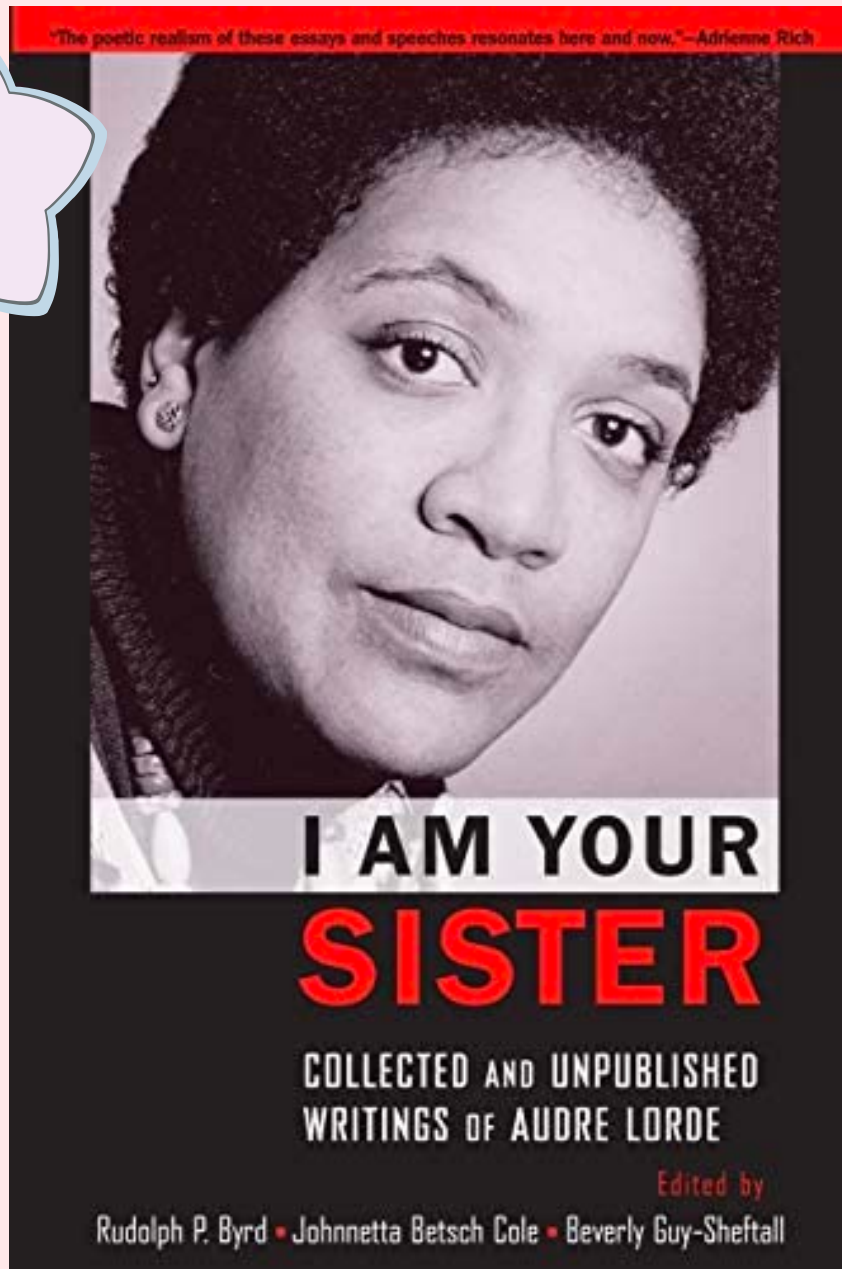
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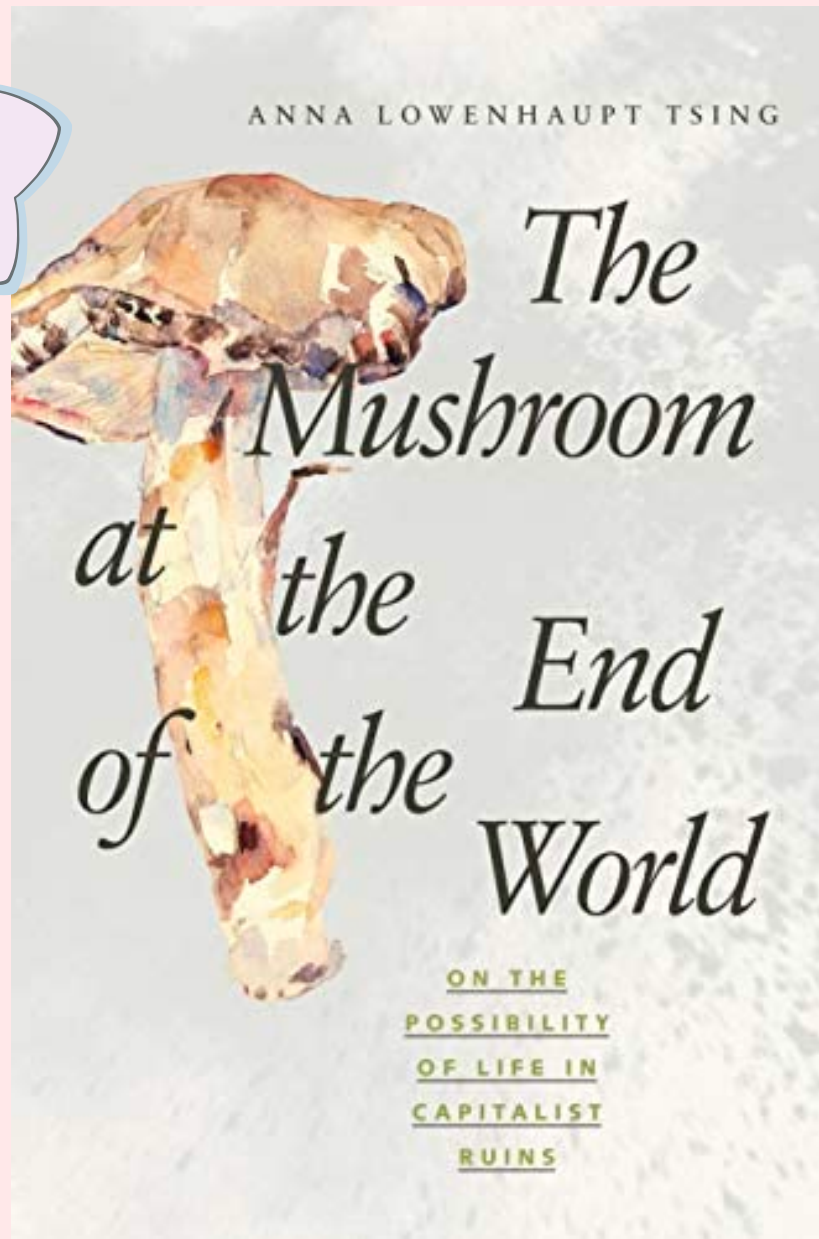
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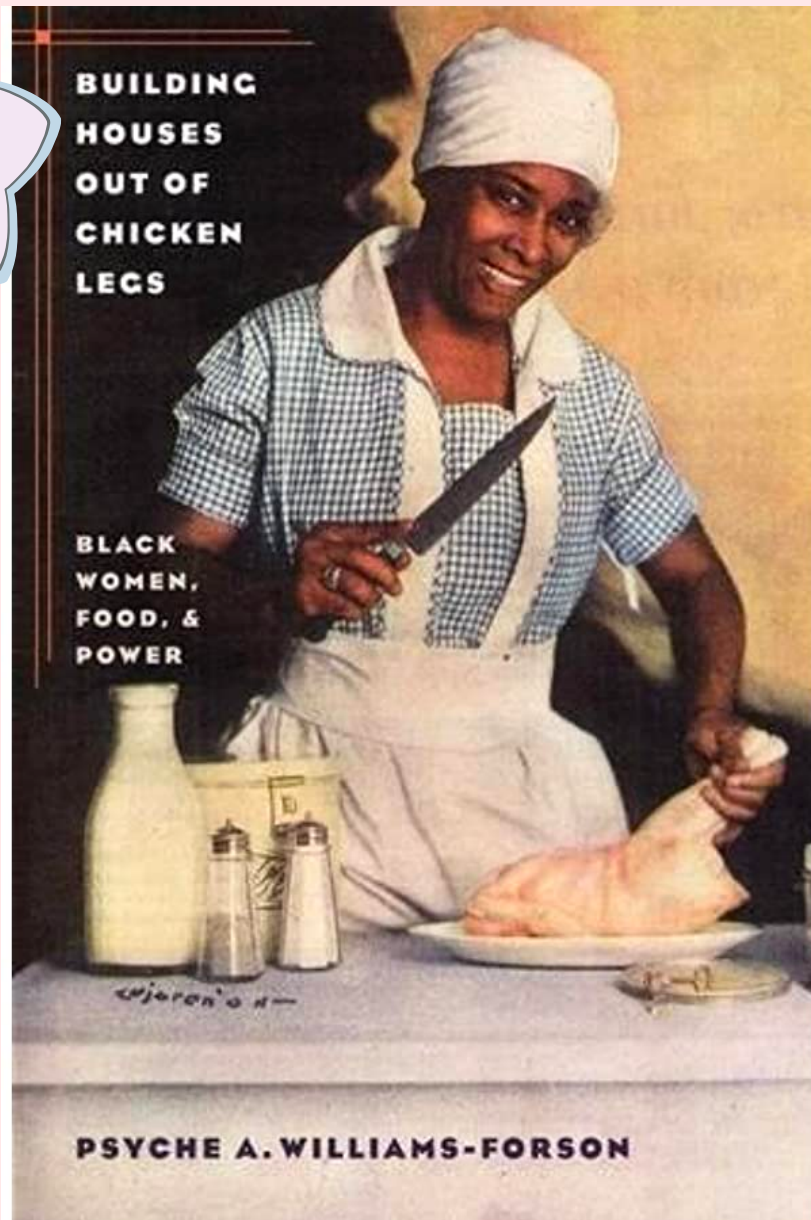
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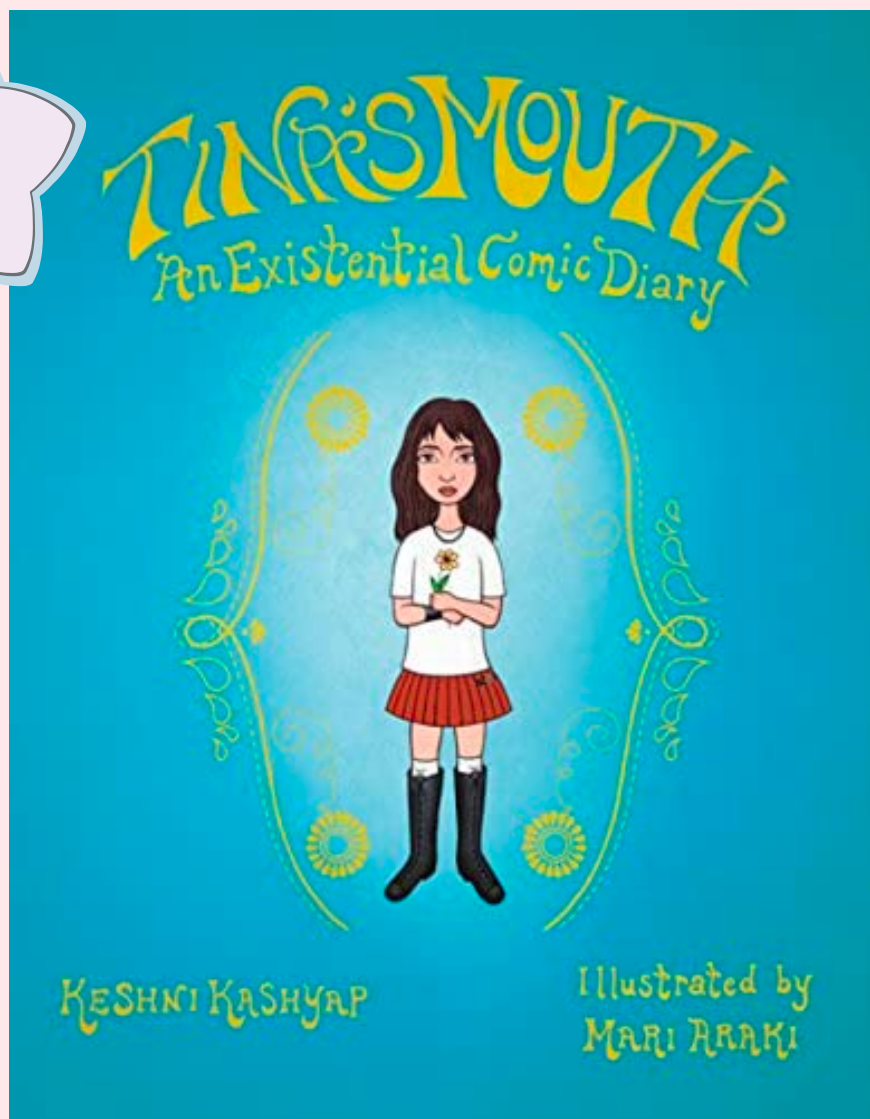
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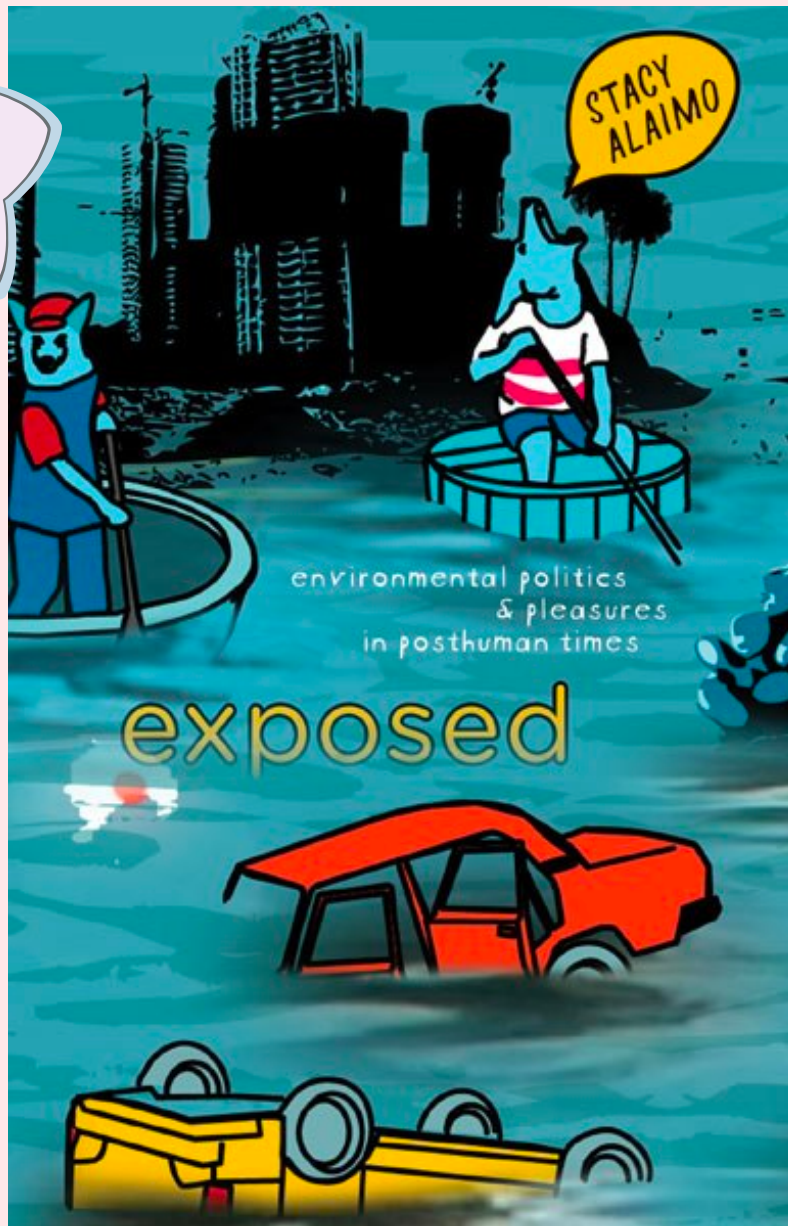
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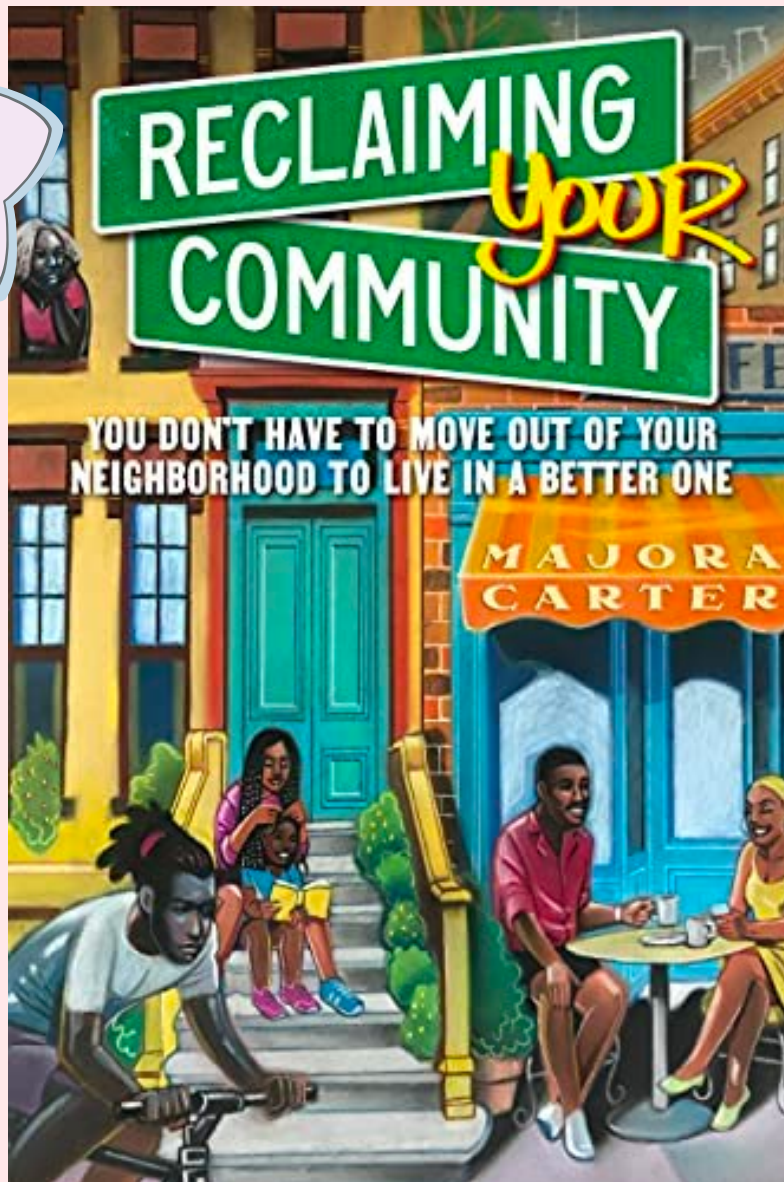
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HOW CAN WE SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF PERSISTENT POVERTY IN LOW-STATUS COMMUNITIES? MAJORA CARTER ARGUES THAT THESE AREAS NEED A TALENT-RETENTION STRATEGY, JUST LIKE THE ONES COMPANIES HAVE. RETAINING HOMEGROWN TALENT IS A CRITICAL PART OF CREATING A STRONG LOCAL ECONOMY THAT CAN RESIST GENTRIFICATION. BUT TOO MANY PEOPLE BORN IN LOW-STATUS COMMUNITIES MEASURE THEIR SUCCESS BY HOW FAR AWAY FROM THEM THEY CAN GET.