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WINNER

*Before You Suffocate Your Own Fool Self* by Danielle Evans (Riverhead Books, New York, NY)

Danielle Evan's *Before You Suffocate Your Own Fool Self* is a masterpiece in authenticity and immediacy. These short stories proved mesmerizing, and I read her book in one sitting. If Danielle Evans was making her debut on stage instead of with this book, she would receive a standing ovation.

FINALISTS

*All Is Forgotten, Nothing Is Lost* by Lan Samantha Chang (W.W. Norton, New York, NY)

*The Collected Stories of Deborah Eisenberg* by Deborah Eisenberg (Picador, New York, NY)

*Vida* by Patricia Engel (Grove/Atlantic Inc., Black Cat, New York, NY)

*Father of the Rain* by Lily King (Grove/Atlantic Inc., Atlantic Monthly Press, New York, NY)

*The Surrendered* by Chang-rae Lee (Riverhead Books, New York, NY)

*Foreign Bodies* by Cynthia Ozick (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, New York, NY)

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