

Explore More: *The Comeback*

Explore More Métis Stories

Hold Your Tongue by Matthew Tétreault

When his great-uncle Albert has a stroke, Richard, a French-Métis man, travels to Ste. Anne to tell his father the news. A rich examination of family dynamics, family history, and what it means to be Métis and francophone in contemporary Manitoba.

FICTION TETREAULT

A Grandmother Begins the Story by Michelle Porter

Five generations of Métis women argue, dance, struggle, laugh, love, and tell the stories that will sing their family, and perhaps the land itself, into healing. FICTION PORTER

Probably Ruby by Lisa Bird-Wilson

A beautifully written book following Ruby, a 30-year-old Métis woman adopted as an infant to a White family, as she learns about herself and her people. Each chapter is a vignette which focuses on an important relationship in Ruby's life. As the storytelling jumps across perspectives and time, Ruby and her story comes more and more into focus. FICTION BIRD-WILSON

Explore More Indigenous Humour

Bury My Heart at Chuck E. Cheese's by Tiffany Midge

This collection weaves witty memoir together with hilarious musings on life, identity, and the current political climate in the United States. Midge explores what it means to be an indigenous person today, using satire, humour and blunt honesty to tell her stories.

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Sir John A: Acts of a Gentrified Ojibwe Rebellion by Drew Hayden Taylor

A satirical play which explores reconciliation and brings to life the patriarchal character of Canada's first Prime Minister whose bones are held for ransom by the star of the play – Anishinaabe man Bobby Rabbit. 819.254 TAYLOR 2018

Laughing with the Trickster by Tomson Highway

Celebrated author and playwright Tomson Highway brings his signature irreverence to an exploration of five themes central to the human condition: language, creation, sex and gender, humour, and death in a CBC Massey Lecture. 398.45 HIGHWAY 2022

Explore More Intergenerational Family Stories

Fight Night by Miriam Toews

As Swiv records her thoughts and observations, *Fight Night* unspools the pain, love, laughter, and above all, will to live a good life across three generations of women in a close-knit family. FICTION TOEWS

Half-Bads in White Regalia by Cody Caetano

Capturing the chaos and wonder of a precarious childhood, Cody Caetano delivers a fever dream coming-of-age garnished with a slang all his own. B CAETANO 2022