

## Quick Picks for Reluctant Young Adult Readers

### 2001 Top 10

Cabot, Meg. **The Princess Diaries**. HarperCollins, \$15.95 (0-380-97848-2).

Drill, Esther, Heather McDonald and Rebecca Olds. **Deal With It: A Whole New Approach to Your Body, Brain and Life as a Gurl**. illus. Pocket, paper, \$15 (0-671-04157-6).

Franco, Betsy. **You Hear Me? Poems and Writing by Teenage Boys**. Candlewick, \$14.99 (0-7636-1158-1).

Frank, E.R. **Life is Funny**. DK, \$17.95 (0-789-42634-X).

Koss, Amy Goldman. **The Girls**. Putnam/Dial, \$16.99 (0-8037-2494-2).

McCormick, Patricia. **Cut**. Front Street, \$16.95 (1-886910-61-8).

Piven, Joshua and David Borgenicht. **The Worst-Case Scenario Survival Handbook**. illus. Chronicle, paper, \$14.95 (0-8118-2555-8).

Rennison, Louise. **Angus, Thongs, and Full-Frontal Snogging: Confessions of Georgia Nicolson**. HarperCollins, \$15.89 (0-06-028871-X); paper, \$6.95 (0-06-447227-2).

Seckel, Al. **The Art of Optical Illusions**. illus. Carlton Books, paper, \$18.95 (1-84222-054-3).

Shakur, Tupac. **The Rose That Grew From Concrete**. Simon & Schuster, \$20 (0-671-02844-8).

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