#### Kathleen's Recent Reads—October

\*Title Read on CloudLibrary

Non-Fiction

Untamed by Glennon Doyle

Short essays on faith, marriage, family and love from the popular blogger. LGBTQ+

At First Light: Two Centuries of Maine Artists, Their Homes and Studios by Anne Collins Goodyear, Frank H. Goodyear III and Michael Komanecky

Stunning photos of the homes, studios and art of some of Maine's most well-known artists, along with short summaries of their lives and work.

#### Fiction

Virgil Wander by Leif Enger

An uplifting, charming tale set in a small town in Northeast Minnesota. Recommended for fans of *A Man Called Ove*.

Mexican Gothic by Silvia Moreno-Garcia

Unexplained deaths are associated with an English family living in Mexico in the 1950s. Reminiscent of Dracula by Bram Stoker; unsettling, and moody.

\*In Five Years by Rebecca Serle

After a premonition, a young lawyer tries to avoid the future she thought she foresaw, only to learn she misinterpreted her vision. Friendship, self-actualization, women's fiction.

One by One by Ruth Ware

Participants at a management retreat in the French Alps become the victims of foul play after being trapped in their chalet by an avalanche. A new take on the classic trope by the British mystery writer.

## Youth/Young Adult Fiction

# Echo Mountain by Lauren Wolk

Depression-era, set in Maine. A young girl discovers resilience, friendship and her calling as a healer after an accident leaves her father in a coma.

## Crying Laughing by Lance Rubin

A middle school-aged girl discovers new talents and friends as her family comes to terms with the father's diagnosis of an incurable disease. Manages the difficult task of finding the hope in a tragic situation.

### Audiobook

\*Sunset Beach by Mary Kay Andrews

Known mostly for her light-hearted women's fiction, Andrews strikes out into romantic suspense territory with this offering. After her mother's death and a kitesailing accident, Drue reconciles with her father and accepts a job at his law firm, only to be drawn into buried mysteries.

\*The English Assassin by Daniel Silva

Art, music, Israeli spies, Swiss banking and history...need I say more? Read by an excellent narrator.