

Gordon Korman



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Gordon Korman is the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of more than 75 books for kids and young adults. His writing career began at the age of twelve when his seventh-grade English assignment became his first novel, which was then published while he was a freshman in high school.

Now, decades later, he is a full-time writer, with more than 17 million copies of his novels in print. His books have been translated into 14 languages.

Nickelodeon recently brought Gordon Korman's *New York Times* bestselling Swindle series to life in a made-for-TV movie.

Each year, Gordon travels extensively, visiting schools, libraries and conferences, bringing his trademark humor and adventurous style to readers everywhere.

**“I grew up, but
my imagination
is firmly rooted in
the middle grades.”
—Gordon Korman**

What is the secret of Gordon's success?

“It's a combination between real life and pure imagination,” he says. “I always start off with something real, but then I unleash my imagination to make it more exciting, funnier, or a better story. To be honest, by the time a book is done, you can't recognize much of the real-life part. It's been changed too much. But I never could have gotten there without it.”

A native of Canada, Gordon now lives with his family in Long Island, New York.

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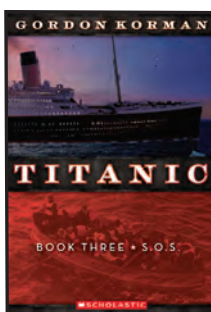
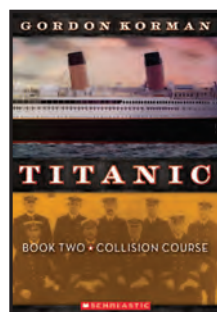
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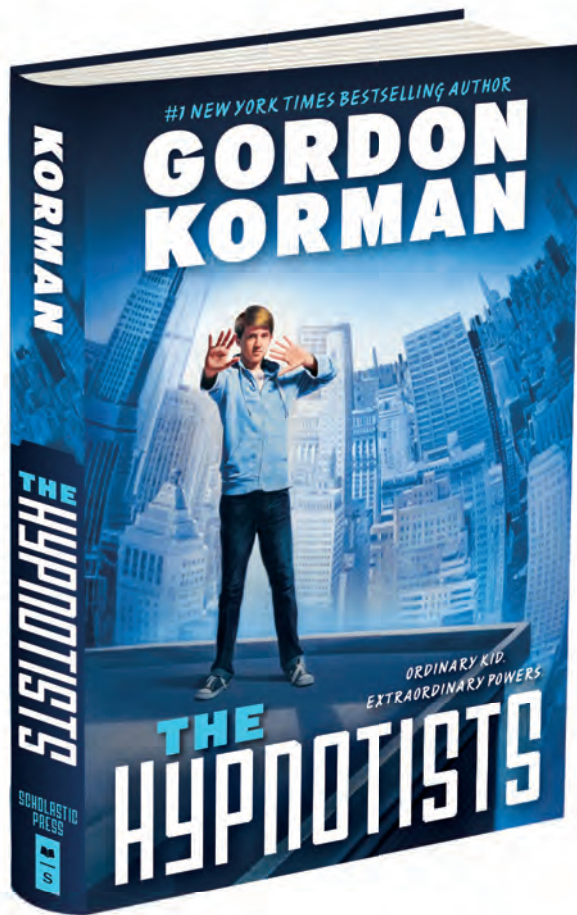
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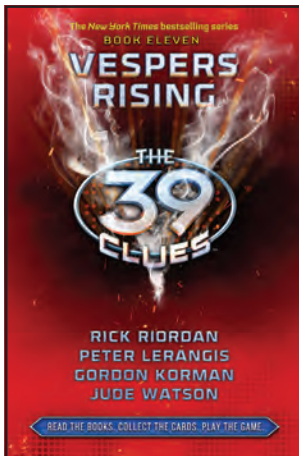
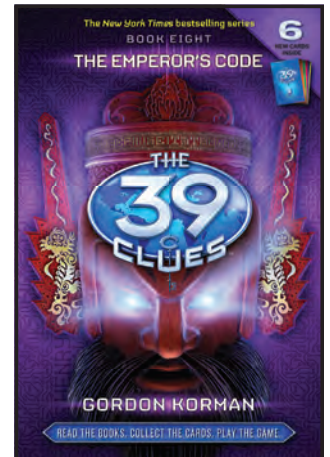
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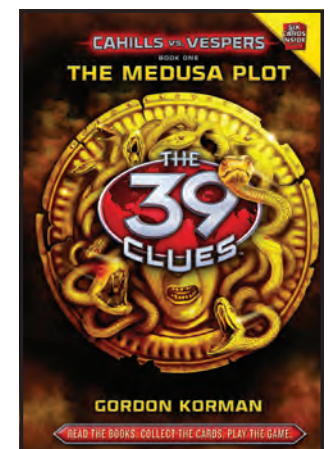
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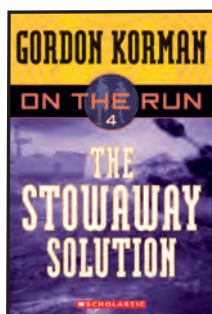
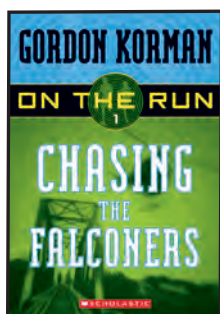
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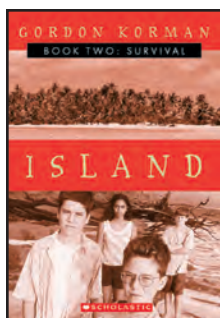
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