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AN UNFORGETTABLE SAGA OF A HEARTLAND FAMILY

WITH A FOREWORD BY JANE SMILEY

"For me, reading this book was like drinking well water out of a tin dipper, licking my finger after sticking it in the cream on top of the milk bucket, biting into a juicy blackberry fresh off the vine. The stories were familiar in a way that reminded me of times spent on the porch with my aunts and great aunts. I wish there could be more!"

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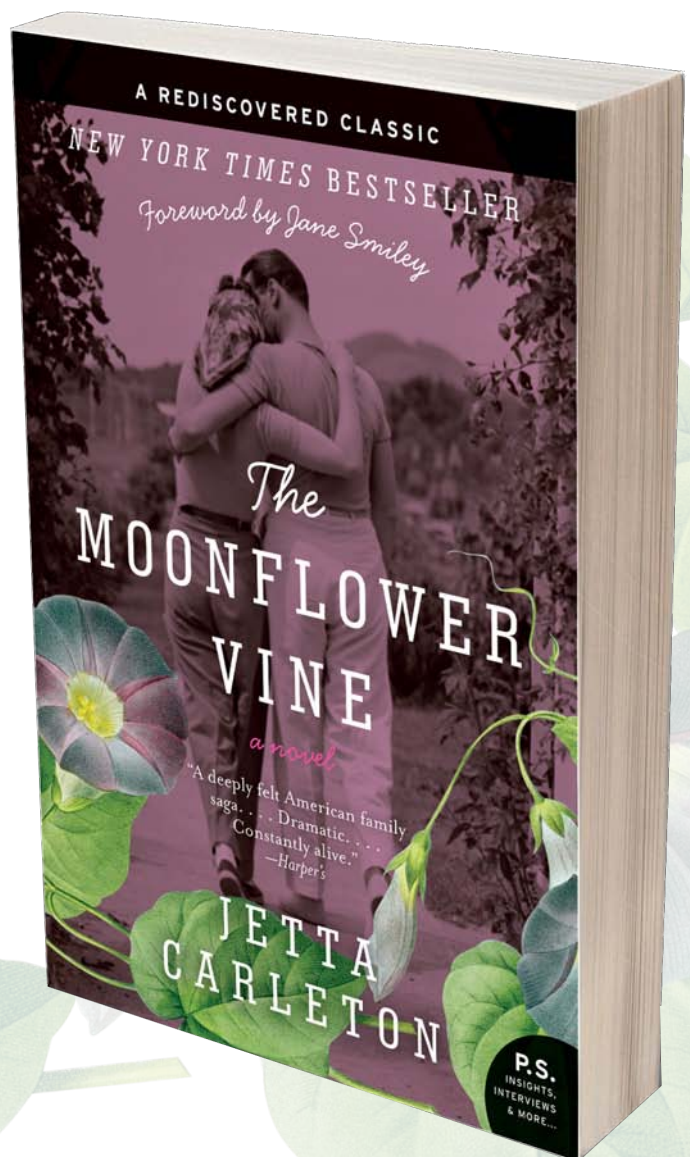
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