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MONTAGE HOTELS & RESORTS LAUNCHES NEW BEDSIDE READING PROGRAM FROM LITERARY AMBASSADOR BRAD MELTZER

*Guests will have access to the New York Times bestselling author's newest novel, **The House of Secrets**, among two new books available for guests*

MAY 24, 2016 (ORANGE COUNTY, CALIF.) – Montage Hotels & Resorts is expanding its efforts to inspire readers with the new **Bedside Reading** program from *New York Times* bestselling author and Montage **Literary Ambassador, Brad Meltzer**. Set to roll out at all five Montage properties on June 1, the Bedside Reading program will offer guests the opportunity to have one of Meltzer's celebrated literary works delivered to their room to read during their stay, including exclusive access to Meltzer's latest work, *The House of Secrets* before the book is released by Grand Central Publishing on June 7.

Meltzer has seen success across many genres from fiction, non-fiction, advice, children's and comic books. With the Bedside Reading program, guests of Montage can select from the following Brad Meltzer titles to read during their stay:

- ***The House of Secrets*** – Meltzer's newest book written with Tod Goldberg, set for national release by Grand Central Publishing on June 7, *available one week early to Montage guests through the Bedside Reading program.*
- ***The President's Shadow*** – The third installment in Meltzer's Culper Ring Series, originally released by Grand Central Publishing in 2015.

Montage Hotels & Resorts introduced Meltzer as their Literary Ambassador in February, with the integration of the ***Ordinary People Change the World*** series into the brand's **Paintbox** children's program. Through the program, families traveling with children receive a special arrival gift of either a book from Meltzer's inspiring series including *I am Lucille Ball*, *I am Jackie Robinson*, *I am Abraham Lincoln*, and *I am Amelia Earhart*, or a stuffed animal. In addition, children can enjoy coloring and activity sheets that tie into each book from publisher Penguin Random House, and the option to purchase the complete *Ordinary People Change the World* series at each Montage retail boutique.

"I'm delighted to expand my role as Montage Hotels & Resorts' Literary Ambassador with the introduction of the Bedside Reading program," said Meltzer. "Reading is among the most basic and vital of human endeavors. To be able to offer my own works to encourage reading among Montage guests of all ages is an opportunity I wouldn't miss. Plus, they have the most comfy beds. And books are better in a comfy bed."

For more reading pleasure, Montage guests can discover Brad Meltzer's top book recommendations for adults and children with "**Brad's Book of the Month**" on www.MontageMagazine.com and the brand's various social channels.

For more information about Montage Hotels & Resorts, please visit www.montagehotels.com.

About Montage Hotels & Resorts

Montage Hotels & Resorts is a hotel and resort management company founded by Alan J. Fuerstman. Designed to serve the luxury traveler and homeowner, the company features an artistic collection of distinctive hotels, resorts and residences in stunning settings that offer comfortable elegance, a unique sense of place and spirit, impeccable hospitality and memorable culinary, spa and lifestyle experiences. The portfolio of hotels, resorts and residences includes Montage Laguna Beach, Montage Beverly Hills, Montage Deer Valley, Montage Kapalua Bay, Montage Palmetto Bluff, and opening in late 2017, Montage Los Cabos. In 2014, the company launched Pendry Hotels, a second brand that will marry the culture of service for which Montage is renowned with an inspired, fashion-forward and design-driven approach to hospitality. The first Pendry Hotel, Pendry San Diego, will open late fall 2016. In addition, the company also operates some of the country's premiere golf courses, including Spanish Peaks Mountain Club in Big Sky, Montana and The May River Golf Club in Bluffton, South Carolina. For more information, please visit www.montagehotels.com.

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