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explore what is fueling the rise of powerful women. **Vanessa Hua** is the author of **A River of Stars** and a columnist for the San Francisco Chronicle. Vanessa's work has appeared in **The New York Times, The Atlantic, The Washington Post** and more. **Liza Monroy** is the author of **The Marriage Act: The Risk I Took to Keep My Best Friend in America and What It Taught Us About Love**. Liza's writing has appeared in **The New York Times' 'Modern Love,' The New York Times Magazine, The Los Angeles Times, O (Oprah Magazine), Poets & Writers, Newsweek, The Village Voice, Psychology Today** and more.

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