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astonishing variety of life.  
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y swooned over the  
flocks of wading birds  
darkened its skies.

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**COVER:** Pecorino pauses outside the gates of Castle Schoenbrunn, in Vienna, Austria. Photograph by Toni Anzenberger / Anzenberger Agency. Inset by Carlton Ward Jr.



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