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News of the World | Fiction Jiles, Paulette
The History of Love | Fiction Krauss, N.
Fangirl | Teen Fiction Rowell, Rainbow
The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society | Fiction Shaffer, Mary Ann
Major Pettigrew’s Last Stand | Fiction Simonson, Helen
Mr. Penumbra’s 24-hour Bookstore | Fiction Sloan, Robin
The Art of Racing in the Rain | Fiction Stein, Garth
The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry | Fiction Zevin, G.

DARK BUT COMPELLING

And Then There Were None | Mystery Christie, Agatha
The Circle | Fiction Eggars, Dave
A Constellation of Vital Phenomena | Fiction Marra, Anthony
Euphoria | Fiction King, Lily
The Handmaid’s Tale | Fiction Atwood, M.
Everything I Never Told You | Fiction Ng, Celeste
Girl on a Train | Mystery Hawkins, Paula
Ill Will | Fictiont Chaon, Dan
Never Let Me Go | Fiction Ishiguro, Kazuo
The Nutshell | Fiction McEwan, Ian
The Thirteenth Tale | Fiction Setterfield, D.
The Grapes of Wrath | Fiction Steinbeck, John

SCIENCE FICTION & FANTASY

All the Birds in the Sky | SciFi Anders, Charlie
Farenheit 451 | SciFi Bradbury, Ray
World War Z | Fiction Brooks, Max
Kindred | Fiction Butler, Octavia E.
The Yiddish Policemen’s Union | Fiction Chabon, Michael
Ready Player One | SciFi Klein, Ernest
Queen of the Tearling | SciFi Johansen, Erika
Ancillary Justice | SciFi Leckie, Ann
The Three-Body Problem | SciFi Liu, C.
Station Eleven | Mandel, Emily St. John
Every Heart a Doorway | Fiction McGuire, Seanan
Akata Witch | Teen Fiction Okorafor-Mbachu
A Darker Shade of Magic | Fiction Schwab, Victoria
The Martian | SciFi Weir, Andy

NON-FICTION FAVORITES

Stamped from the Beginning | 305.8089 Kendi, Ibram
Braiding Sweetgrass | 305.897 Kimerer, Robin Wall
American Fire | 346.164 Hesse, M.

Deep Down Dark | 363.119 Tobar, Héctor
Radium Girls | 363.17 Moore, Kate
The Devil in the White City | 364.1523 Larson, Erik
The New Jim Crow | 364.973 Alexander
Seven Brief Lessons in Physics | 530 Rovelli, Carl
The Hidden Language of Trees | 582.16 Wohleben, Peter
Animal, Vegetable, Miracle | 641.0973 Kingsolver, Barbara
Modern Romance | 646.77 Ansari, Aziz
Killers of the Flower Moon | 976.6004 Grann, David
Season of the Witch | 979.461 Talbot, D.

BIOGRAPHY AND MEMOIR

Do No Harm | 617.4809 Marsh, Henry
Hank and Jim | 791.43 Eyman
Born a Crime | 791.45028 Noah, Trevor
When You Are Engulfed In Flames | 814 Sedaris, David
Hunger: A Memoir of (My) Body | Bio Gay, Roxane
My Own Words | Bio Ginsburg, Ruth
Personal History | Bio Graham, Katharine
Year of Yes | Bio Rhimes, Shonda
Hillbilly Elegy | Bio Vance, J.D.
**MARILYN’S FAVORITES**

**Beartown** | Fiction Backman, Fredrick
Hockey, and its importance to this small town is the apparent theme. Social status, pressure on 17 year old athletes, career women, poverty, and a very tragic event comprise the overriding themes. Much more than a sports book.

**Exit West** | Fiction Hamid, Mohsin
A young couple’s love story starts in an unnamed Middle Eastern city, migrates mysteriously to other locations and experiences.

**An American Marriage** | Fiction Jones, Tayari
An up and coming American couple are wrongly caught up in the legal system; intricacies of human relationships are the main theme of this important novel.

**Little Fires Everywhere** | Fiction Ng, Celest
Racial tension, incendiary family dynamics lie beneath the surface of a quiet Ohio town. The appeal and impossibility of assimilation, the all-consuming force of motherhood and the secret lives of teenagers and their parents prevail in this mesmerizing novel.

**Warlight** | Fiction Ondaatje, Michael
"Ondaatje’s shrewd character study plays out in a smart, sophisticated drama, one worth the long wait for fans of wartime intrigue." Kirkus Review.

**There There** | Fiction Orange, Tommy
Set in Oakland, the novel explores the lives of Native Americans who live in cities, not reservations. The novel’s large cast of characters works to defy stereotypes of Native Americans.

**Educated** | Bio Westover, Tara
The author recounts her life as the daughter of Mormon survivalist parent who leaves rural Idaho to pursue an education.

**2018 NON-FICTION**

**I’ll be Gone In The Dark** | 364.1532 McNamara, Michelle

**Citizen Illegal** | 811 Olivarez, José

**21 Lessons for the 21st Century** | 909.82 Harari, Yuval Noah

**The Monk of Mokha** | Bio Alkhanshali by Eggers, Dave

**Barracoon** | Bio Lewis
by Hurston, Zora Neale

**Becoming** | Bio Obama, Michelle

**PAST FAVORITES**

**In the Midst of Winter** | Fiction Allende, Isabel

**4321** | Fiction Auster, Paul

**Behind the Beautiful Forevers** | Fiction Boo, Katherine

**A Year of Wonders** | Fiction Brooks, Geraldine

**Manhattan Beach** | Fiction Egan, J.

**LaRose** | Fiction Erdrick, Louise

**The Miniature Wife and Other Stories** | PB Fiction Gonzalez, Manuel

**The Dry** | Mystery Harper, Jane

**Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine** | Fiction Honeyman, Gail

**The Leavers: A Novel** | Fiction Ko, Lisa

**Pachinko** | Fiction Lee, Min Jin

**2018 FICTION**

**Give Me Your Hand: A Novel** | Fiction Abbott, Megan

**The Immortalists** | Fiction Benjamin, Chloe

**The Lying Woods** | Teen Fiction Elston, Chloe

**The Great Alone** | Fiction Hannah, K.

**Goodbye, Vitamin** | Fiction Khong, R.

**The Merry Spinster: Tales of Everyday Horror** | Fiction Ortberg, Daniel Mallory

**Winter Kept Us Warm** | Fiction Raef, A.

**Lake Success: A Novel** | Fiction Shteyngart, Gary

**The Power** | Fiction Alderman, Naomi

**The Road** | Fiction McCarthy, Cormac

**The Housekeeper and the Professor** | Fiction Ogawa, Yoko

**When the Emperor Was Divine** | Fiction Otsuka, Julie

**Still Life** | Mystery Penny, Louise

**The Second Mrs. Hockaday** | Fiction Rivers, Rivers

**Lincoln in the Bardo** | Fiction Saunders, G.

**Snow Flower and the Secret Fan** | Fiction See, Lisa

**General in Moscow** | Fiction Towles, A.

**Fingersmith** | Fiction Waters, Sarah

**Sing, Unburied, Sing** | Fiction Ward, J.

**Swing Time** | Fiction Smith, Zadie

**Underground Railroad** | Fiction Whitehead, Colson

**The Color of Law** | 305.8009 Rothstein, R.

**Being Mortal** | 362.175 Gawande, Atul

**Astrophysics for People in a Hurry** | 523.01 Tyson, Neil deGrasse

**UPLIFTING**

**Tuesdays with Morrie** | Fiction Albom, M.

**My Grandmother Asked Me to Tell You She’s Sorry** | Fiction Backman, Fredrik

**Plainsong** | Fiction Haruf, Kent

**All Creatures Great and Small** | Fiction Herriot, James