

## NONFICTION

152.42L *Joyful: The Surprising Power of Ordinary Things to Create Happiness* by Ingrid Fetell Lee

170.44P *12 Rules for Life: An Antidote to Chaos* by Jordan B. Peterson

324.623C *Mr. President, How Long Must We Wait?: Alice Paul, Woodrow Wilson, and the Fight for the Right to Vote* by Tina Cassidy

364.1523C *Furious Hours: Murder, Fraud, and the Last Trial of Harper Lee* by Casey N. Cep

364.1523K *Say Nothing: A True Story of Murder and Memory in Northern Ireland* by Patrick Radden Keefe

970.00497T *The Heartbeat of Wounded Knee: Native America from 1890 to the Present* by David Treuer

973.0496G *Stony the Road: Reconstruction, White Supremacy, and the Rise of Jim Crow* by Henry Louis Gates, Jr.

979.461R *Black Death at the Golden Gate: The Race to Save America from the Bubonic Plague* by David K. Randall

B Hepburn M *Dutch Girl: Audrey Hepburn and World War II* by Robert Matzen

B Patrick O *The Lady from the Black Lagoon: Hollywood Monsters and the Lost Legacy of Millicent Patrick* by Mallory O'Meara

B Prior-Palmer *Rough Magic: Riding the World's Loneliest Horse Race* by Lara Prior-Palmer



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## books for discussion

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Claire Adam *Golden Child*

Nana Kwame Adjei-Brenyah *Friday Black*

Kate Atkinson *Big Sky*

Louis Bayard *Courting Mr. Lincoln*

Marie Benedict *The Only Woman in the Room*

Melanie Benjamin *Mistress of the Ritz*

Lou Berney *November Road*

Sarah Blake *The Guest Book*

John Boyne *Ladder to the Sky*

Elizabeth Brooks *The Orphan of Salt Winds*

Alan Brennert *Daughter of Moloka'i*

Nickolas Butler *Little Faith*

Chris Cander *The Weight of a Piano*

Candice Carty-Williams *Queenie*

Diane Chamberlain *The Dream Daughter*

Patrick Chamoiseau *Slave Old Man*

Jennifer Chiaverini *Resistance Women*

Susan Choi *Trust Exercise*

Yangsze Choo *The Night Tiger*

Catherine Chung *The Tenth Muse*

Chanel Cleeton *When We Left Cuba*

Ta-Nehisi Coates *The Water Dancer*

Alyssa Cole *An Unconditional Freedom*

Sara Collins *The Confessions of Frannie Langton*

Paulo Coelho *Hippie*

Tara Conklin *The Last Romantics*

Nicole Dennis-Benn *Patsy*

Samantha Downing *My Lovely Wife*

Therese Fowler *A Well-Behaved Woman*

Nell Freudenberger	<i>Lost and Wanted</i>	Sigrid Nunez	<i>The Friend</i>
Claire Fuller	<i>Bitter Orange</i>	Joyce Carol Oates	<i>My Life as a Rat</i>
Elizabeth Gilbert	<i>City of Girls</i>	Chigozie Obioma	<i>An Orchestra of Minorities</i>
Myla Goldberg	<i>Feast Your Eyes</i>	Julie Orringer	<i>The Flight Portfolio</i>
Juliet Grames	<i>The Seven or Eight Deaths of Stella Fortuna</i>	Helen Oyeyemi	<i>Gingerbread</i>
Anissa Gray	<i>The Care and Feeding of Ravenously Hungry Girls</i>	Ann Patchett	<i>The Dutch House</i>
Hank Green	<i>An Absolutely Remarkable Thing</i>	Phaedra Patrick	<i>The Library of Lost and Found</i>
Lisa Grunwald	<i>Time After Time</i>	Sarah Perry	<i>Melmoth</i>
Malcolm Hansen	<i>They Come in All Colors</i>	Julia Phillips	<i>Disappearing Earth</i>
Greer Hendricks	<i>An Anonymous Girl</i>	Regina Porter	<i>The Travelers</i>
Patti Callahan Henry	<i>Becoming Mrs. Lewis</i>	Joanne Proulx	<i>We All Love the Beautiful Girls</i>
Bruce Holsinger	<i>The Gifted School</i>	Taylor Jenkins Reid	<i>Daisy Jones &amp; the Six</i>
Vanessa Hua	<i>A River of Stars</i>	Kate Quinn	<i>The Huntress</i>
Laird Hunt	<i>In the House in the Dark of the Woods</i>	Andrew Ridker	<i>The Altruists</i>
Siri Hustvedt	<i>Memories of the Future</i>	Sally Rooney	<i>Normal People</i>
Soniah Kamal	<i>Unmarriageable</i>	Steven Rowley	<i>The Editor</i>
Han Kang	<i>The White Book</i>	Maurice Carlos Ruffin	<i>We Cast a Shadow</i>
Pam Jenoff	<i>The Lost Girls of Paris</i>	Etaf Rum	<i>A Woman is No Man</i>
Mary Beth Keane	<i>Ask Again, Yes</i>	Richard Russo	<i>Chances Are...</i>
Martha Hall Kelly	<i>Lost Roses</i>	Whitney Scharer	<i>The Age of Light</i>
Angie Kim	<i>Miracle Creek</i>	Helen Schulman	<i>Come with Me</i>
Eugenia Kim	<i>The Kinship of Secrets</i>	Lisa See	<i>The Island of Sea Women</i>
Un-su Kim	<i>The Plotters</i>	Namwali Serpell	<i>The Old Drift</i>
Barbara Kingsolver	<i>Unsheltered</i>	Diane Setterfield	<i>Once Upon a River</i>
Bonnie Kistler	<i>House on Fire</i>	Barbara A. Shapiro	<i>The Collector's Apprentice</i>
Jean Kwok	<i>Searching for Sylvie Lee</i>	Ali Smith	<i>Spring</i>
Laila Lalami	<i>The Other Americans</i>	Deb Spera	<i>Call Your Daughter Home</i>
Elinor Lipman	<i>Good Riddance</i>	Preti Taneja	<i>We That Are Young</i>
Sofia Lundberg	<i>The Red Address Book</i>	Miriam Toews	<i>Women Talking</i>
Mesha Maren	<i>Sugar Run</i>	Juan Gabriel Vásquez	<i>The Shape of the Ruins</i>
Stephen Markley	<i>Ohio</i>	Ocean Vuong	<i>On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous</i>
Elizabeth McCracken	<i>Bowlaway</i>	Kate Walbert	<i>His Favorites</i>
Ian McEwan	<i>Machines Like Me</i>	Kathy Wang	<i>Family Trust</i>
Liane Moriarty	<i>Nine Perfect Strangers</i>	Jennifer Weiner	<i>Mrs. Everything</i>
Kate Morton	<i>The Clockmaker's Daughter</i>	Colson Whitehead	<i>The Nickel Boys</i>
Heather Morris	<i>The Tattooist of Auschwitz</i>	Lauren Wilkinson	<i>American Spy</i>
		Jacqueline Woodson	<i>Red at the Bone</i>