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NEW TITLES**

FICTION

F ADLER

Adler, Elizabeth (Elizabeth A.). It all began in Monte Carlo. 1st ed. New York : St. Martin's Press, 2010.

Sunny Alvarez relies on former boyfriend Mac Reilly when she finds herself a prime suspect in a series of high-end jewelry thefts and befriended by a sociopath involved in blackmail while vacationing in Monte Carlo.

F AHERN

Ahern, Cecelia, 1981-. PS, I love you. 1st U.S mass market ed. New York : Hyperion, c2004.

Holly, still struggling with her grief two months after the death of her beloved husband Gerry, begins taking steps to reclaim her life after receiving a packet of letters Gerry wrote before he died—one for each of the next ten months—in which he leaves instructions for her to perform a series of unexpected tasks.

F ANDERSON

Anderson, James. The Affair of the 39 Cufflinks. Poisoned Pen Pr, 2006.

"With a cast that includes an MP, a King's Counsel and his ditzzy blond daughter, a ne'er-do-well nephew and, of course, the butler Merryweather, Anderson has created the perfect group for a delightful romp. And romp they do through a lighthearted tale of family feuds, practical jokes, lies and a myriad of tantalizing clues." (Publishers Weekly).

F ANDERSON

Anderson, James, 1936-2007. The affair of the bloodstained egg cosy. London : Allison & Busby, 2007.

The theft of the diamond necklace and the antique pistols might all be explained, but the body in the lake - that was a puzzle. "Don't expect me to solve anything," Inspector Wilkens announced modestly when he arrived to sort out the unpleasantness. And at a house party that included English aristocracy, foreign agents in disguise, a ravishing baroness, a daring jewel thief, a Texas millionaire, and of course, the imperturbable butler, it was going to take some intricate sleuthing to uncover who killed whom and why.

F ANDERSON

Anderson, Catherine (Adeline Catherine). Morning light. New York, N.Y. : Signet, 2008.

When Loni MacEwen, born with the second sight, warns rancher Clint Harrigan that his son is in danger, they both become caught up in the search for an orphaned boy lost in the dense Oregon wilderness.

F ARMSTRONG

Armstrong, Kelley. Bitten. New York : Plume, [2003], c2001.

Journalist and werewolf Elena Michaels enjoys her normal life with her boyfriend, but when she agrees to help her old pack bring in a couple of werewolves who are attacking common criminals her feral urges become harder to resist.

F BAKER

Baker, Kage. Not less than gods. 1st ed. New York : Tor, 2010.

Edward Bell-Fairfax falls into the company of a group of scientists and spies and is sent on a mission to help England gain the advantage in the Crimean War.

F BARNARD

Barnard, Robert. A stranger in the family. 1st Scribner hardcover ed. New York : Scribner, 2010.

Kit Philipson searches for answers about his past after the deaths of his adoptive parents and learns that he was kidnapped at age three and that his biological mother seems to be hiding a disturbing secret.

F BEATTIE

Beattie, Ann. Walks with men. 1st Scribner ed. New York : Scribner, 2010.

Jane moves to New York City in 1980 after being named the valedictorian of her Harvard class and takes up with Neil, a writer and much older man, but after the couple becomes lovers and moves into a Chelsea brownstone, Jane discovers that Neil is not all that he seems.

F BELFER

Belfer, Lauren. A fierce radiance : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Harper, c2010.

Claire Shipley, a photojournalist, tries to keep herself detached from her most recent assignment, reporting on the new "miracle drug" penicillin, but ends up putting herself in the middle of everything when a murder occurs and she searches for the killer.

F BENDER

Bender, Aimee. The particular sadness of lemon cake : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Doubleday, c2010.

Rose Edelstein, on the eve of her ninth birthday, bites into her mother's lemon-chocolate cake and is immediately aware of the hidden secrets the members of her family hold.

F BEST

The best new British mysteries. New York : MJF Books, 2004.

British mysteries by Peter Lovesey, Dan Rankin, John Mortimer, Laura Wilson, Val McDermid, and many more great authors.

F BLOCK

Death cruise : crime stories on the open seas. Nashville, Tenn. : Cumberland House, c1999.

Stories written by members of the International Association of Crime Writers.

F BLOOD

Blood lines : vampire stories from New England. Nashville, Tenn. : Cumberland House, c1997.

Stories on vampires in New England. They include Lawrence Schimel's Secret Societies, on vampires who only drink the blood of intelligent people, and Chelsea Quinn Yarbro's Investigating Jericho, in which The IRS nabs vampires who have not paid taxes.

F BOLTON

Bolton, S. J. Blood harvest. 1st U.S. ed. New York : Minotaur Books, 2010.

The Fletcher family moves into a new home, nestled between two churches in a small village on the moors, but their excitement fades as ten-year-old Tom Fletcher is convinced that he is being watched and the village is reminded of the "accidental" deaths of three toddlers during the last ten years when two-year-old Milly and five-year-old Joe Fletcher disappear.

F BRETTON

Bretton, Barbara. Someone like you. Berkley ed. New York : Berkley, 2005.

Two sisters, Cat and Joely Doyle, face an emotional journey of healing when their mother has a stroke and their father finally returns after three decades.

F BROCKMANN

Brockmann, Suzanne. Stand-in groom. Mass market ed. New York : Bantam Books, 2009, c1997.

Like a knight in a fairy tale, he appeared from out of nowhere and rescued her at the last moment. Now, sizing up the man who'd saved her purse and driven off her attackers, aspiring Boston entrepreneur Chelsea Spencer considered that this good-looking stranger could fit another role—not to mention a tuxedo—equally well. By the end of the week, Chelsea was scheduled to get married as a condition for earning the inheritance necessary to save her fledgling business. There was only one problem: She was short a groom.

F BRODKEY

Brodkey, Harold. The runaway soul. 1st HarperPerennial ed. New York : HarperPerennial, 1992.

The story of Wiley Silenowicz—a stand-in for Brodkey himself—who explores the varieties of his sexuality in his endless quest for love.

F BROOKS

Brooks, Terry. Bearers of the black staff : legends of Shannara. 1st ed. New York : Ballantine Books, c2010.

Five hundred years after the world fell into the hands of once-men and demons, a few humans, elves, and others have escaped to a remote mountain valley where they have lived peacefully. But the magic that has kept them safe is wearing down and frightening creatures are penetrating the barriers. It's time for the four people to stand together to create a new world of Shannara.

F BROWN

Brown, Sandra, 1948-. Tough customer. 1st Simon & Schuster hardcover ed. New York : Simon & Schuster, 2010.

A man of uncertain character finds his past haunting him when a madman targets him and the people he loves, and he must face his sins in order to protect himself and others.

F BYATT

Byatt, A. S. (Antonia Susan), 1936-. The biographer's tale. 1st American ed. New York : Vintage International, 2001.

A postgraduate at a nameless English university, narrator Phineas G. Nanson decides to abandon his studies as a poststructuralist literary critic to become a biographer instead. He chooses as his subject one Scholes Destry-Scholes, who himself was a biographer of genius. Destry-Scholes's magnum opus was a biography of the Victorian polymath Sir Elmer Bole, a famous explorer, soldier, diplomat, scientist, travel writer, novelist and poet. In short, almost a caricature of a certain British type. As Nanson searches for clues to Destry-Scholes's life, the novel acquires layers of complexity.

F CAMERON

Cameron, W. Bruce. A dog's purpose. 1st ed. New York : Forge, 2010.

Bailey, the canine narrator, offers an inside look at how a dog thinks, feels, and behaves, exploring the unique bond she has with her humans and the many benefits of owning a dog.

F CARL

Carl, JoAnna. The chocolate puppy puzzle : a chocoholic mystery. New York : Signet, c2004.

Lee McKinney, business manager of TenHuis Chocolate in the lakeside town of Warner Pier, Michigan, decides to investigate when she senses a phony in Aubrey Andrews Armstrong, a supposed Hollywood producer who has swept into town with his chocolate Lab companion, charming everyone from old ladies to high school girls, but things get dangerous when her sleuthing turns up a dead body.

F CARROLL

Carroll, Susan, 1952-. The silver rose : a novel. New York : Ballantine Books, c2006.

Miri Cheney, one of the "Sisters of Faire Isle," known for their mystical abilities, struggles to overcome her distrust of witch hunter Simon Aristotle in order to help discover the identity of the evil Silver Rose, a diabolical woman who is threatening to seize control of France from Catherine de Medici.

F CLAPP

Clapp, Patricia. Jane-Emily : and : Witches' children. New York : Harper, 2007.

Jane-Emily—Witches children. Contains two novels by Patricia Clapp, including "Jane-Emily" in which an eighteen-year-old girl and her niece, who are spending the summer in an old Massachusetts house, become increasingly aware of the presence of a spirit that seems determined to harm them; and "Witches' Children" in which the young girls of Salem suddenly find themselves subject to fits of screaming and strange visions, causing some to believe that they have seen the devil and are the victims of witches.

F COOK

Cook, Robin, 1940-. Cure. New York : Putnam's, c2010. New York

City medical examiner Laurie Montgomery returns to work to investigate the mysterious death of CIA agent Kevin Markham, and questions why the toxicology report doesn't agree with her suspicions that he was poisoned.

F CULLEN

Cullen, Lynn. The creation of Eve. New York : Putnam's, c2010.

In the sixteenth century, Sofi Anguissola is invited to the Spanish court to study under master painter Michelangelo and serve as a lady-in-waiting for the young Queen Elisabeth, but as a scandal forces Michelangelo to flee and Sofi is pulled into a love triangle between the King, the Queen, and the King's illegitimate half-brother, Sofi fears her life and her dreams of becoming an artist will be ruined.

F DAVIS

Davis, Dee, 1959-. Midnight rain. [Book Club ed.]. New York : Ivy Books, c2002.

From the moment she lays eyes on John Brighton, undercover FBI agent Katie Cavanaugh, posing as John's physical therapist, feels a charge in the air and knows the stakes will be high. Left for dead on a highway, John finds himself the prime suspect in a murder. The only bright spot in his life is Katie—and together they must unravel the secrets that threaten to keep them apart forever.

F DE BLASI

De Blasi, Marlina. Amandine : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Ballantine Books, c2010.

A countess decides her daughter's newborn child will be sent, along with a governess and a large sum of money, to a convent in the French countryside in order to save her daughter and the family from the shame of having a child out of wedlock, but eventually the child and governess decide to flee the convent and must travel across German-occupied France to reach their former home in Poland.

F DERMANSKY

Dermansky, Marcy, 1969-. Bad Marie : a novel. New York ; London : HarperPerennial, c2010.

Bad Marie is the story of Marie, tall, voluptuous, beautiful, thirty years old, and fresh from six years in prison for being an accessory to murder and armed robbery. The only job Marie can get on the outside is as a nanny for her childhood friend Ellen Kendall, an

upwardly mobile Manhattan executive whose mother employed Marie's mother as a housekeeper. After Marie moves in with Ellen, Ellen's angelic baby Caitlin, and Ellen's husband, a very attractive French novelist named Benoit Doniel, things get complicated, and almost before she knows what she's doing, Marie has absconded to Paris with both Caitlin and Benoit Doniel. On the run and out of her depth, Marie will travel to distant shores and experience the highs and lows of foreign culture, lawless living, and motherhood as she figures out how to be an adult; how deeply she can love; and what it truly means to be "bad".

F DICKS

Dicks, Matthew. *Something missing*. 1st ed. New York : Broadway Books, c2009.

Martin Railsback, a barista and expert thief, burgles various houses, taking inconsequential items such as rolls of toilet paper and food, and he eventually transitions into the practice of improving the lives of the homes' occupants while learning more about his own quirky needs.

F DOIG

Doig, Ivan. *Work song*. New York : Riverhead Books, 2010.

Morrie Morgan looks for a job in Butte, Montana while on the run from Chicago gangsters, and as he tries to get the attention of Grace Faraday, an attractive widow who runs the boardinghouse where he resides, he learns that the local mining company is trying to force her off her property through dubious methods.

F DONACHIE

Donachie, David, 1944-. *The dying trade*. Ithaca, NY : McBooks Press, 2001.

1794. Arriving in the squalid, seething port of Genoa, Harry Ludlow and his brother James find a tinderbox of tension, fed by the discovery of a hanged British sea captain and packs of English and French sailors at each others' throats. At the behest of Admiral Hood, Harry is drawn into the midst of the lurid murder investigation, only to find himself mired in roiling layers of intrigue, avarice, and danger.

F DONACHIE

Donachie, David, 1944-. *A hanging matter*. Ithaca, N.Y. : McBooks Press, 2002.

1794. As wars of revolution rage, the chance to make illicit riches from smuggling is greater, the competition to win them fiercer. Returning to England, Harry and James Ludlow expect to realize the profits from their latest travels. Instead, they become embroiled in a vicious struggle between rival smugglers, played out in the English Channel. Witnesses to a bloody confrontation, they flee to Deal-only to find that, behind its picturesque façade, the town is a haven for dealers in contraband, seething with corruption and violence. The Ludlows' search for a well-deserved rest quickly turns into a savage contest of wills between Harry and an unseen enemy who intends to protect his livelihood by any means available.

F DONACHIE

Donachie, David, 1944-. *An element of chance*. Ithaca, N.Y. : McBooks Press, 2002.

1795 ... The wars of revolution are spreading across the globe and Harry Ludlow has joined the struggle for the richest trade in the world. When half his crew is illegally pressed into the Royal Navy by the vicious Captain Toner, Harry sets off in pursuit of Toner's ship, the Endymion-only to end up half a world away. When Toner reaches the West Indies with Harry close behind, they sail into a maelstrom of piracy, corruption, and murder stirred up by a French privateer playing havoc with the local trade. Soon, the British officer in charge of the station, Admiral Bessborough, calls upon each man to help in his individual way. All the while, Harry's kidnapped crew members fight for survival on a ship driven to the point of mutiny.

F DORSEY

Dorsey, Tim. Florida roadkill : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Morrow, 1999.

In this debut, lots of people are after a suitcase full of money that got dropped in the wrong car: two bad guys, one obsessed with Florida history (the setting is Miami) and another with cocaine; one lady, who's also a killer; and the good-guy lawyer. Dorsey is night news coordinator of the Tampa Tribune, so expect good detail.

F DUBUS

Dubus, Andre, 1936-. Selected stories. 2nd Vintage Contemporaries ed. New York : Vintage Books, 1996, c1989.

A collection of twenty-three short stories by the contemporary American author Dubus.

F DUNNE

Dunne, Dominick. Too much money : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Crown Publishers, c2009.

Gus Bailey, a high-society journalist, becomes involved in a slander suit after trusting in an unreliable source pertaining to powerful congressman Kyle Cramden's involvement in the disappearance of a young woman, and as he tries to write a novel about the suspicious death of a billionaire, he finds that the widow of the deceased, Perla, is trying to suppress the truth.

F DUSHANE

DuShane, Tony. Confessions of a teenage Jesus jerk. New York : [Berkeley, Calif.] : Soft Skull Press ; Distributed by Publishers Group West, c2010.

Gabe is a teenage Jehovah's Witness convinced God will kill him at Armageddon for masturbating. It's hard when school days are spent dodging questions about your weird religion and weekends mean preaching house to house. Life looks dreary until Gabe falls for Camille's beautiful older sister and begins to see her as the answer to his frustrations.

F ESTLEMAN

Estleman, Loren D. Something borrowed, something black : a Peter Macklin novel. New York : Forge, c2002.

Laurie's romantic honeymoon is ruined when her new husband is called out of town on business and a suspicious man from his past shows up and holds her hostage.

F FELDMAN

Feldman, Ellen, 1941-. The boy who loved Anne Frank : a novel. 1st ed. New York : W. W. Norton, c2005.

Presents a novel based on the premise that Peter Van Pels, who lived in the annex with Anne Frank during World War II, survived the Holocaust and moved to America.

F FISCHER

Fischer, Tibor, 1959-. Under the frog : a black comedy. 1st Owl Book ed. New York : Henry Holt, 1997.

Pataki and Gyuri, two young Hungarian basketball players, travel throughout Hungary in a quest for food, lodging, and women in the turbulent years between the end of World War II and the anti-Soviet uprising of 1956.

F FLEWELLING

Flewelling, Lynn. Hidden warrior. New York : Bantam Books, 2003.

Prince Tobin, second heir to the throne of Skala, learns to his surprise that he was given the shape of a boy as an infant in order to protect him from his enemies, and that his true destiny is to claim that throne in his real form, as a woman.

F FLEWELLING

Flewelling, Lynn. The bone doll's twin. New York : Bantam Books, c2001.

In a land where warrior queens traditionally hold supreme power, a girl is transformed into a boy by dark magic to protect her from her murderous uncle, the king, until she is old enough to claim the throne.

F FLEWELLING

Flewelling, Lynn. The oracle's queen. New York : Bantam, c2006.

After a mystical fire burns away the male body covering Princess Tamir, she is ready to claim her birthright and take over rule of Skala, which will fulfill the Lightbearer's prophecy, but not all of Skala is ready to welcome their new warrior queen, including the crown's rival heir.

F FOSTER

Foster, Lori, 1958-. Fallen angels. Toronto ; New York : Harlequin Books, c2004.

Beguiled—Wanton—Uncovered. This collection features two classic tales and one original story, in which firefighter Harris Black stumbles upon revealing photographs of a mysterious woman, along with notes about him, and hires a P.I. to find her.

F FOWLER

Fowler, Earlene. State fair. 1st ed. New York : Berkley Prime Crime, 2010.

Benni Harper finds more than caramel apples and calves at the San Celina Mid-State Fair when a valuable African-American quilt is stolen from one of the exhibits and a body is found in another, and tensions are further fueled by the arrival of Benni's great-aunt from Arkansas.

F FOWLER

Fowler, Connie May. How Clarissa Burden learned to fly. 1st ed. New York : Grand Central Pub., 2010.

Novelist Clarissa Burden, living in Hope, Florida, in an unhappy marriage with her deadbeat husband who resents her success, embarks on a twenty-four-hour journey of self-discovery which involves supernatural experiences and leads her to realize she must change her life.

F FRANCIS

Francis, Dick. Crossfire. New York : G.P. Putnam's Sons, c2010.

Captain Thomas Forsyth returns home to Lambourn to recuperate after being wounded by a roadside bomb in Afghanistan, and finds his life in danger again when he gets caught up in a scandal linked to his mother's work as a racehorse trainer.

F FRENCH

French, Tana. Faithful place. New York : Viking, 2010.

Frank Mackey and Rosie Daly make plans to leave Dublin's inner city for a better life in London, but Rosie never shows up at their designated meeting place, so Frank leaves without her, only to return twenty-two years later as a detective assigned to investigate the discovery of Rosie's suitcase behind a fireplace in a derelict house.

F FRIEDMAN

Friedman, Kinky. Elvis, Jesus & Coca-Cola. New York : Bantam Books, 1994, c1993.

Kinky Friedman suspects foul play when actor Tom Baker dies and his documentary film on Elvis impersonators disappears.

F FURST

Furst, Alan. Spies of the Balkans : a novel. New York : Random House, c2010.

Costa Zannis, a senior police officer who deals with special political cases, tries to secure an escape route from Berlin to the Greek port city of Salonika and then into Turkey while the Nazis of World War II are busy conquering the rest of Europe in 1940, but his task is complicated by spies from the Turkish legation and the German secret service and Zannis becomes a target for the Gestapo.

F GANEK

Ganek, Danielle. The summer we read Gatsby : a novel. New York : Viking, 2010.

Cassie, a serious journalist, and Peck Moriarty, an actress, try to figure out what to do with their inherited aunt's cottage in Long Island, New York, and despite their sibling differences, they must find "a thing of utmost value" as instructed by their aunt's will.

F GLEASON

Gleason, Colleen. The rest falls away. New York : Signet Eclipse, 2007.

In every generation, a Gardella is called to accept the family legacy of vampire slaying, and this time, Victoria Gardella Grantworth is chosen, on the eve of her debut, to carry the stake. But as she moves between the crush of ballrooms and dangerous, moonlit streets, Victoria's heart is torn between London's most eligible bachelor, the Marquess of Rockley, and her enigmatic ally, Sebastian Vioget. And when she comes face to face

with the most powerful vampire in history, Victoria must ultimately make the choice between duty and love.

F GOLDEN

Golden, Christie. *Allies*. 1st ed. New York : Del Rey/Ballantine Books, c2010.

Luke Skywalker and his son Ben must face the fleet of Sith frigates summoned by Sith apprentice Vestara Khai, but the rising of an ancient evil will force Jedi and Sith to fight side-by-side; meanwhile, Han and Leia attempt to rescue imprisoned Jedi on Coruscant and a government plot could give all Jedi outlaw status.

F GOMEZ

Gomez, Iris D. *Try to remember*. 1st ed. New York : Grand Central Pub., 2010.

Gabriela De la Paz, the teenage daughter in a family of Colombian immigrants to Florida in the 1970s, grows in confidence as she helps her parents and brothers deal with the complexities of their new country.

F GRAHAM

Graham, Heather. *The vision*. Don Mills, Ont. : MIRA, c2006.

When Deep Down Salvage begins the hunt for the Josephine Marie, it seems like any other dive—until Genevieve Wallace sees the vision of a dead woman in the water, her vacant eyes boring into Genevieve's very soul. When a dead woman washes up on shore, everyone assumes this is Genevieve's "vision," but Genevieve knows the truth: the dead woman is not the ghost she saw but another victim of the same brutal killer.—From publisher description.

F GRAHAM

Graham, C. S. *The archangel project*. New York : Harper, c2008.

Jax Alexander is sent to investigate when Tulane professor Henry Youngblood is found murdered in the charred ruins of his New Orleans office, and as Jax struggles to decipher a cryptic series of clues, he uncovers a diabolical plot that could destroy the country.

F GREEN

Green, Simon R., 1955-. *Daemons are forever*. New York : Roc, c2008.

Shaman Eddie Dhood tries to save the world from the Loathly Ones, a group of daemons who were called upon to help the Dhoods fight the Nazis, but now want to take over the Earth.

F GREEN

Green, Henry, 1905-1974. *Loving ; ; Living ; Party going*. New York : Penguin

Books, 1993, 1978. Presents three novels by twentieth-century English author Henry Green in which he contrasts the lives of servants and masters, workers and owners, and the rich and the poor.

F GREGORY

Gregory, Philippa. The red queen. 1st Touchstone hardcover ed. New York : Simon & Schuster, 2010.

Although widowed in her early teens, Margaret Beaufort, the child-bride of Edmund Tudor, uses her determination of character and wily plotting to infiltrate the house of York under the guise of loyal friend and servant, undermine the support for Richard III, and ultimately ensure that her only son, Henry Tudor, triumphs as King of England.

F GREY

Grey, Zane, 1872-1939. The last trail. 1st TOR ed. New York : TOR, 1994.

Jonathan Zane seeks revenge against the man who abducted his sweetheart and controls a gang of marauding outlaws and Indians.

F GRIFFIN

Griffin, W. E. B. The vigilantes. New York : Putnam's, c2010.

A rash of murders in Philadelphia goes unnoticed by most everyone except homicide sergeant Matthew Payne who realizes events are spinning out of control as vigilante groups try to take credit for the killings.

F GROSS LP

Gross, Andrew, 1952-. Reckless. Large print ed. New York : William Morrow, c2010.

The shocking murder of a suburban family leads private security investigator Ty Hauck, with Naomi Blum, a tenacious agent from the U.S. Department of Treasury, to uncover a frightening global conspiracy. Unraveling evidence of a reckless banking scheme that stretches from New York to London to central Europe, they race to avert a disaster that could threaten the security of the United States.

F HALL

Hall, Tarquin. The case of the missing servant : from the files of Vish Puri, India's most private investigator. 1st Simon & Schuster trade pbk. ed. New York : Simon & Schuster Paperbacks, 2010, c2009.

Vish Puri, a private investigator in Delhi, India, whose business consists primarily of screening prospective marriage partners, is a bit out of his league when he is asked to trace the fate of a maidservant known only as Mary, who is alleged to have been murdered by an honest public litigator.

F HAMMESFAHR

Hammesfahr, Petra. The lie. London : Bitter Lemon Press, 2009.

Berlin investment counselor Nadia Trenkler, having by chance met unemployed divorcée Susanne Lasko and realized they look exactly alike, asks Susanne to pose as her during a weekend with her husband so she can spend time with her lover, and when Nadia disappears, Susanne decides to continue the charade, which results in Susanne getting caught up in a deadly web of lies.

F HARBISON

Harbison, Elizabeth M. Secrets of a shoe addict. 1st ed. New York : St. Martin's Press, 2008.

Friends Abbey, Tiffany, and Loreen each find themselves in deep financial trouble after a weekend in Las Vegas, so when they ask Tiffany's sister, Sandra, if she knows how they can make some money fast, she shares a secret with them that will help them out, but the outrageous plan has the potential to destroy their lives.

F HARRIS

Harris, E. Lynn. In my father's house. 1st ed. New York : St. Martin's Press, 2010.

Miami African-American modeling agency owner Bentley Dean agrees to supply gay-friendly eye candy for a local event, but when his protégé, eighteen-year-old Jah, catches the attention of the host, Seth Sinclair, and begins to have an affair with him, Bentley feels guilt for putting the young man in a dangerous situation.

F HILLERMAN

The mysterious West. 1st ed. New York : HarperCollins, 1994.

Collection of suspenseful stories about the American West that includes such authors as John Lutz, Rex Burns, and Bill Pronzini.

F HITCHCOCK

Hitchcock, Jane Stanton. Mortal friends : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Harper, c2009.

Washington, D.C., antique store owner and socialite Reven Lynch agrees to help detective Gunner investigate a series of murders in which Reven's wealthy businessman love interest is a suspect and uncovers secrets within her social circle that test friendships and loyalties.

F HOOPER

Hooper, Kay. Enemy mine. Jove mass market ed. New York : Jove Books, 2005.

Two rival antiquities experts find love while trying to survive in Colombia.

F HORNER

Horner, Emily. A love story starring my dead best friend. New York : Dial Books, c2010.

As she tries to sort out her feelings of love, seventeen-year-old Cass, a spunky math genius with an introverted streak, finds a way to memorialize her dead best friend.

F JACKSON

Jackson, Jon A. Deadman. 1st ed. New York : Atlantic Monthly Press, c1994.

Fang Mulheisen, a Detroit police detective, flies to Montana to investigate a case involving the daughter of the late Mafia don Big Sid Sedlacek and her lover.

F JACKSON

Jackson, Jon A. Man with an axe. 1st ed. New York : Atlantic Monthly Press, c1998.

Detroit Detective Sergeant "Fang" Mulheisen is about to begin an investigation into the mystery surrounding a headless corpse when a young kid arrives with an e-mail cartoon

message addressed to Mulheisen. Soon the detective is being led on a scavenger hunt that takes him into modern jazz history, the Detroit police archives, and the notebook diaries of Grootka, his now-dead mentor.

F JENKINS

Jenkins, Dan. *The franchise babe : a novel.* 1st ed. New York : Doubleday, c2008.

Forty-something sports writer Jack Brannon, bored with covering men's professional golf, decides to write about the LPGA, following an eighteen-year-old sensation who is supposed to be the next great player and learning about the commercialization and competitiveness of the industry.

F KAPLAN

Kaplan, Glenn, 1950-. *Evil, Inc.* 1st ed. New York : Forge, 2007.

Ken Olson's perfect life is shattered when he learns his firm is covering up a shocking crime and is thrown into the dangerous world of big corporations that will stop at nothing to ensure Ken's silence.

F KENNEDY

Kennedy, Thomas E., 1944-. *In the company of angels : a novel.* 1st U.S. ed. New York : Bloomsbury USA, 2010.

Bernardo Green, imprisoned and tortured for teaching political poetry in Chile during the reign of Pinochet, is visited by two angels that promise he will survive his ordeal and find love once again, and when Green meets beautiful domestic abuse survivor Michela Ibsen in Copenhagen while receiving treatment, the two attempt to heal and forgive those who have caused them to suffer.

F KENYON

Kenyon, Sherrilyn, 1965-. *Born of night.* 1st St. Martin's Paperbacks ed. New York : St. Martin's Paperbacks, 2009.

Nykyrian Quiakides, hunted ever since turning his back on the League, a group of government assassins in the Ichidian Universe, must somehow evade those who would see him dead while trying to protect Kiara Zamir, a distrustful young woman who has become the target of her father's political enemies.

F KLEYPAS

Kleypas, Lisa. *Scandal in spring.* New York : Avon, 2006.

After spending three seasons searching for a husband in Victorian London, Daisy Bowman, the sole "Wallflower" yet to be married, finally meets her match.

F KOONTZ

Koontz, Dean R. (Dean Ray), 1945-. *Dean Koontz's Frankenstein, : Prodigal son.* New York : Bantam Books, 2005.

Tough New Orleans detective Carson O'Connor and her partner, Michael Maddison, investigate a string of murders, unaware that the culprit they seek was created by Victor Frankenstein, who has survived two hundred years and is populating the city with

a new race of "perfect" beings, and that his original creation, Deucalion, is hunting his maker.

F KOONTZ

Koontz, Dean R. (Dean Ray), 1945-. Dean Koontz's Frankenstein, : City of night. New York : Bantam Books, 2005.

Deucalion, Victor Helios's first monster, investigates the mutations of his maker's other creations with the help of detectives Carson O'Connor and Michael Maddison, struggling to prevent the New Race from violently replacing the humans of New Orleans.

F KORYTA

Koryta, Michael. So cold the river. 1st ed. New York : Little, Brown, 2010.

Eric Shaw is hired by a woman to make a documentary film about her ninety-five-year-old billionaire father-in-law whose past remains a mystery, but upon arrival to the man's hometown, Shaw discovers a once glamorous hotel recently restored with therapeutic hot springs and a great evil eager to regain its lost power.

F KOSZTOLANYI

Kosztolányi, Dezső, 1885-1936. Skylark. New York : New York Review Books, [2010].

Kosztolányi's "Skylark" is a portrait of provincial life in the Austro-Hungarian monarchy at the turn of the century. Set in the autumn of 1899, it focuses on one extraordinary week in the otherwise uneventful lives of an elderly Hungarian couple and their ugly spinster daughter, "Skylark".

F KURTZ

Deryni tales : an anthology. Ace ed. New York : Ace Books, 2002.

Filled with richly drawn characters and unforgettable intrigues, Katherine Kurtz's Deryni novels inspired some of her most devoted fans to write their own Deryni tales-and Kurtz has collected eight of her favorites in this exciting anthology. Deryni Tales is a heartfelt tribute to the world she created-from the devoted fans who have made it their own.

F KURTZ

Kurtz, Katherine. In the king's service. Ace mass market ed. New York : Ace Books, 2005, c2003.

King Donal Haldane rules over humans and Deryni alike with a casual ruthlessness, expecting nothing less than perfection from his subjects and his own family.

F LAND

Land, Jon. Strong justice : a Caitlin Strong novel. 1st ed. New York : Forge, 2010.

Fifth-generation Texas Ranger Caitlin Strong, following the trail of a Mexican girl on the run from white slavers, learns that only strong justice can save the day when she finds herself outmanned and outgunned.

F LATIMER

Latimer, Jonathan, 1906-1983. Red gardenias. New York City : International Polygonics, [1991].

Detective William Crane and his gang of sleuths are sent to a Chicago suburb to investigate a murder and death threats made to the family of an industrial magnate.

F LATIMER

Latimer, Jonathan, 1906-1983. Headed for a hearse. New York City : International Polygonics, [1990], c1935.

William Crane, a private detective with a method and manner all his own, is called in to rescue Robert Westland, a wealthy broker temporarily dwelling on Death Row in Chicago, convicted of the murder of his wife. With only six days to go Crane sets out to prove his client's innocence.

F LATIMER

Latimer, Jonathan, 1906-1983. Solomon's vineyard. New York City : International Polygonics, [1988], c1941.

Private eye Karl Craven aims to rescue a young heiress from the clutches of a weird cult. In the process, he confronts crooked cops, murderous mobsters and twisted religion.

F LATIMER

Latimer, Jonathan, 1906-1983. The dead don't care. New York City : International Polygonics, [1991].

Private investigator Bill Crane and his companions, O'Malley and Doc Williams, encounter a variety of colorful characters when they become involved in kidnapping and murder in the Florida Keys.

F LATIMER

Latimer, Jonathan, 1906-1983. Murder in the madhouse. New York : International Polygonics, c1989.

Crane finds himself an unwilling patient in Dr. Livermore's exclusive upstate New York asylum. Perhaps not all that exclusive. As they say, it's impossible to tell the inmates from their keepers, especially when one of them is a murderer.

F LATIMER

Latimer, Jonathan, 1906-1983. The search for my great-uncle's head. New York City : International Polygonics, [1989], c1937.

This work is a classic country house murder written by one of the masters of the hard-boiled genre.

F LEVINE

Levine, Paul (Paul J.). Solomon vs. Lord. New York : Bantam Books, 2005.

Steve Solomon is the sharpest lawyer ever to barely graduate from Key West School of Law. Victoria Lord is fresh from Yale, toiling for an ambitious D.A. and soon to be married. And Katrina Barksdale is a sexy former figure skater charged with killing her incredibly wealthy, incredibly kinky husband. With all three tangled in the steamiest

trial of the century, the case is sure to make sparks fly, headlines scream—and opposites attract.

F LINDSKOLD

Lindskold, Jane M. *Through wolf's eyes*. 1st mass market ed. New York : Tor, 2002, c2001.

To a kingdom bereft of royal heirs the ambitious Earl Kestrel brings Firekeeper, a young woman raised by magically enhanced wolves.

F LINDSKOLD

Lindskold, Jane M. *Wolf hunting*. 1st mass market ed. New York : Tor, 2007, c2006.

Firekeeper, a young girl raised by language-using wolves, is thrown back into human society where her training as a pack animal helps her survive in the unfamiliar land of Liglim.

F LOVECRAFT

Lovecraft, H. P. (Howard Phillips), 1890-1937. *The horror in the museum and other revisions*. 1st Carroll & Graf ed. New York : Carroll & Graf Publishers, 1996, c1970.

The crawling chaos, by H.P. Lovecraft and E. Berkeley.—The green meadow, by H.P. Lovecraft and E. Berkeley.—Winged death, by H. Heald.—The horror in the museum, by H. Heald.—The diary of Alonzo Typer, by W. Lumley.—The horror in the burying ground, by H. Heald.—The electric executioner, by A. de Castro.—The curse of Yig, by Z. Bishop.—The mound, by Z. Bishop.—Two black bottles, by W.B. Talman.

F LUSKIN

Luskin, Deborah Lee., 1956-. *Into the wilderness : a novel*. Amherst, Mass. : White River Press, 2010.

"Will I ever adjust to this place?" VPR commentator Deborah Lee Luskin offers engaging answers to that question in *Into the Wilderness*. In 1964, Rose Mayer buries her second husband and wonders what she's going to do with the rest of her life. Reluctantly, she visits her son at his summer place in Vermont, where there are neither sidewalks, Democrats nor other Jews. There is, however, the Marlboro Music Festival. It's there that she meets Percy Mendell, a born and bred Vermonter who has never married, never voted for a Democrat, and never left the state. Author Deborah Lee Luskin tells this tender romance between these appealing 64-year olds with humor, wit, and compassion. Set against the backdrop of Vermont's changing seasons, *Into The Wilderness* is both a love story and a testament to the endurance of the human heart.

F MACOMBER

Macomber, Debbie. *One night*. New York : HarperPaperbacks, c1994.

An explosive rivalry between two deejays puts the careers of comedic Carrie Jamison and conservative Kyle Harris on the line after their manager demands that they make up or get out, and when they begin making amends, an unexpected relationship flourishes.

F MACOMBER

Macomber, Debbie. Married in Seattle. Don Mills, Ont. : Mira, c2009.

First comes marriage—Wanted : perfect partner. Contains two novellas about women finding love in Seattle, including “First Comes Marriage” in which Janine is set up by her grandfather, and “Wanted, Perfect Partner” in which Meg’s teenage daughter finds her a husband through the personal ads.

F MARINICK

Marinick, Richard, 1951-. Boyos : a novel. Boston : Lanham, Md. : Kate’s Mystery Books ; Distributed by National Book Network, c2004.

Mob boss Marty Fallon tries to fend off the advances of two young earners in South Boston’s Irish mob when the Curran brothers—Kevin and Jack—get ambitious and want to move up in the ranks.

F MASSEY

Massey, Brandon, 1973-. Dark corner. New York : Dafina Books, c2004.

Although William Hunter had lived his entire life as a slave on a plantation in the Mississippi Delta, he had never experienced anything like the horror he was about to face.

F MCEWAN

McEwan, Ian. The cement garden. 1st Anchor Books ed. New York : Anchor Books, 2003, c1978.

Four children left alone in large house after the death of their mother and father grapple with the consequences of their parent’s lives and the secrets they left behind.

F MCGAHAN

McGahan, Andrew. Praise. New York : St. Martin’s Griffin, 1998.

The Bukowski-inspired first novel that made McGahan a cult bestseller Down Under, “Praise” is urgent, raw, and piercingly truthful, as it explores the ground between dreams and the self-destruction of an entire generation.

F MCMAHON

McMahon, Jennifer. Dismantled : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Harper, c2009.

Henry and Tess, once part of a quartet of college art majors who called themselves the Compassionate Dismantlers, find their lives unraveling when Suz, a member of the group who died ten years earlier during one of the Dismantler’s twisted experiments, seems to be haunting their daughter.

F MCPHEE

McPhee, Martha. Dear money. Boston : Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2010.

Writer India Palmer, experiencing financial difficulty and trying to keep up with her wealthy friends, finds her life changing drastically after she meets hedge fund trader Win Johns and agrees to let him try to transform her into a successful bond trader.

F MELTZER

Meltzer, Brad. The first counsel. New York : Warner Books, c2001.

Young White House lawyer Michael Garrick finds himself in a dangerous position when he witnesses something criminal on a date with the First Daughter.

F MENDELSON

Mendelsohn, Jane, 1965-. American music. 1st ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2010.

When a severely wounded veteran of the War in Iraq, Milo Hatch, is treated by Honor, a therapist who used to be a dancer, they both experience visions about the past, including images about a love triangle from the 1930s and an instance of forbidden love in seventeenth-century Turkey.

F MENO

Meno, Joe. Hairstyles of the damned. Chicago : Punk Planet Books, c2004.

Brian Oswald and his best friend, Gretchen, become involved in the punk rock scene in Chicago, hanging with various outcast groups in order to fit in.

F MICHAELS

Michaels, Kasey. Can't take my eyes off of you. New York : Kensington Pub. Corp., c2000.

Instead of walking down the aisle with her groom, the restless heiress Shelby Tate hops a bus for another town to see how the other half lives. While she's living it up and charming the whole town, bodyguard Quinn Delaney is on her trail. When a kidnap attempt on Shelby misfires, Quinn and Shelby are shocked into each other's arms.

F MILLER

Miller, Linda Lael. Secondhand bride. 1st Pocket Books pbk. ed. New York : Pocket Books, 2004.

Challenged to find a wife before he can inherit the family ranch, Jeb McKettrick quickly marries schoolteacher Chloe Wakefield in Tombstone but leaves her without waiting for an explanation when he hears she already has a husband, and sparks really begin to fly when Jeb crosses paths with his supposed mate again when she comes to town with her reputation in shreds in hopes of securing a teaching job.

F MITCHELL

Mitchell, David (David Stephen). The thousand autumns of Jacob De Zoet : a novel. 1st U.S. ed. New York : Random House, c2010.

Jacob de Zoet, having arrived in Nagasaki Harbor's Dejima in 1799, has intentions to make a fortune in five years and return home to Holland to win the hand of his fiancée, but he meets the disfigured daughter of a samurai doctor and finds his plans changing and his life in danger.

F MONING

Moning, Karen Marie. The Highlander's touch. New York : Dell, 2000.

He was a mighty Scottish warrior who lived in a world bound by ancient laws and timeless magic. But no immortal powers could prepare the laird of Castle Brodie for the lovely accursed lass who stood before him. A terrible trick of fate had sent her 700

years back in time and into his private chamber to tempt him with her beauty-and seduce him with a desire he could never fulfill. For this woman he burned to possess was also the woman he had sworn to destroy.

F MOONEY

Mooney, Ted. *The same river twice*. 1st ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2010.

French clothing designer Odile Mével, having smuggled Soviet-era flags out of Russia for her art dealer lover, soon realizes she might be in danger when her companion disappears and her apartment is ransacked, while her husband, American filmmaker Max, becomes entangled with the Russian mafia after he uncovers a film of his with an altered ending and decides to investigate the piracy.

F MUNSON

Munson, Sam. *The November criminals : a novel*. 1st ed. New York : Doubleday, c2010.

High school senior Addison Schacht is preoccupied with college applications, selling drugs, and his friendship with Phoebe "Digger" Zeleny until he and Digger decide to investigate the unsolved murder of a classmate and bring the killer to justice.

F MURPHY

Murphy, Shirley Rousseau. *Cat to the dogs : a Joe Grey mystery*. New York : Avon Books, c2000.

Joe Grey and his partner Dulcie use their exceptional feline skills to investigate the mysterious death of the town philanderer.

F MURPHY

Murphy, Shirley Rousseau. *Cat in the dark*. 1st Avon Books ed. New York : Avon Books, [2001], c1999.

Feline friends Dulcie and Joe Grey face a serious dilemma when they must figure out how to expose the criminal activities of renegade tom cat Azrael, without letting humans in on the secret that some cats can think and talk.

F NEGGERS

Neggers, Carla. *Betrays*. Don Mills, Ont. : MIRA, c1990.

Rebecca Blackburn tries to uncover the secret of the Jupiter Stones, a set of priceless gems with a history of scandal and murder spanning thirty years and three continents, and turns to former love Jared Sloan for help.

F NOLAN

Nolan, William F., 1928-. *The marble orchard : a Black mask boys mystery featuring Dashiell Hammett, Raymond Chandler, and Erle Stanley Gardner*. 1st ed. New York : St. Martin's Press, 1996.

Penetrates the surreal Black Mask world of Southern California in the 1930's.

F ORRINGER

Orringer, Julie. *The invisible bridge*. 1st ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2010.

Jews have limited opportunities in Hungary in the years prior to World War II, so Andras Levi leaves for Paris to study architecture, where he meets Klara, a fellow Hungarian; but when war breaks out, he and Klara return to their homeland where they take up the fight against the Nazis.

F ORTOLON

Ortolon, Julie. Too perfect. New York : Signet Eclipse, c2005.

Ortolon's enjoyable final novel in her Perfect trilogy (Almost Perfect; Just Perfect) spins a good, old-fashioned contemporary fairy tale, but conscious suspension of disbelief is required. It's time for nurturing, curvy, Texas-bred Amy Baker to face her ultimate fear-traveling alone. She plans a working vacation cruise as a nanny, but gets fired and stranded on the Caribbean island of St. Barts before the trip begins. Determined to finish her challenge, Amy takes a job as a housekeeper for Guy Gaspar, a disfigured man who lives in his extravagant fort's tower and never shows his face. Or so she's told by his jolly French assistant. In reality, the lone tenant is sexy Hollywood golden boy Byron Parks, who seeks anonymity from the paparazzi. In an Oscar-worthy performance, Byron plays both assistant and "beast," and Amy falls in love with "Guy" over the fort's intercom. In this novel's case, the title is right on: the fanciful plot twists are fun, but Amy's character reads juvenile, and Byron is too sensitive for a playboy, even one with a heart. (Publishers Weekly).

F ORTOLON

Ortolon, Julie. Almost perfect. New York : Signet Eclipse, c2005.

Three women have one year to confront their fears after a college roommate writes a book using them as examples of how being afraid can impair one's life.

F OSHAUGHNESSY

O'Shaughnessy, Perri. Obstruction of justice. New York : Island Books, 1997.

Attorney Nina Reilly is certain de Beers's death is an act of God. But his aging father wants to exhume the body to rule out foul play.

F PALMER

Palmer, Diana. Dangerous. Don Mills, Ont. : HQN, c2010.

FBI agent Kilraven is drawn to Winnie Sinclair but vows to keep his hands off her, and when Kilraven makes a discovery about her family's past that might be linked to a cold case with a personal connection, he struggles to separate his feelings for Winnie from his desire to solve the case.

F PALMER

Palmer, Catherine, 1956-. Prairie Rose. Wheaton, Ill. : Tyndale House, c1997.

Rosie Mills heads west to care for a widower and his young son and finds love as she builds a life for herself on the Kansas prairie.

F PARKHURST

Parkhurst, Carolyn, 1971-. The nobodies album : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Doubleday, c2010.

Octavia Frost travels to the West Coast to investigate the murder of Bettina Moffett, her estranged son Milo's girlfriend, and help him clear his name after he is charged with the crime.

F PATTERSON

Patterson, James. 1947-. The postcard killers : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Little, Brown and Co., 2010.

New York police detective Jacob Kanon searches for the killer of his daughter and her boyfriend, who were murdered while on vacation in Rome. Since then, young couples in other European cities have been found dead with little to connect the murders except a postcard to the local newspaper. Kanon teams up with the Swedish reporter Dessie Larsson, who has just received a postcard in Stockholm, and they think they know where to find the next victims.

F PETERSON

Peterson, Tracie. Dawn's prelude. Crossings bk. club ed. Bloomington, Minn. : Bethany House, 2009.

Newly widowed Lydia Sellers, longing to put the memories of a painful marriage behind her, determines to travel to Alaska to join her aunt. Lydia's arrival in Sitka, however, brings things she didn't expect: the acquaintance of Kjell Bjorklund, the handsome owner of the sawmill; and the discovery that she is pregnant with her dead husband's child. What will this mean for her budding relationship with Kjell? And what lengths will her stepchildren go to reclaim their father's fortune? Lydia soon finds her life—and that of her child's—on the line.

F PHILLIPS

Phillips, Christi. The Rossetti letter. Pocket Books hardcover ed. New York : Pocket Books, 2007.

Ph.D. candidate Claire Donovan travels to Venice as chaperone to a surly teenager, hoping to find evidence to support her thesis that seventeenth-century courtesan Alessandra Rossetti should be regarded as a heroine for writing a secret letter informing the Venetian Council about a Spanish plot to overthrow the republic, and to pull the rug from underneath an academic competitor who claims Rossetti was a co-conspirator in the plot.

F RANSOM

Ransom, Christopher. The birthing house. 1st U.S. ed. New York : St. Martin's Press, 2009.

Conrad Harrison and his wife move from Los Angeles to rural Wisconsin in an attempt to save their crumbling marriage, but when Joanna goes on a business trip, leaving Conrad alone in the old Victorian house that once was a home for unwed mothers, strange noises and ghostly apparitions begin to wear away at his mind.

F REICHS

Reichs, Kathy. Spider bones : a novel. 1st Scribner hardcover ed. New York : Scribner, 2010.

Brennan is called to the scene of a drowning for a man who had been declared legally dead 40 years earlier—a former Vietnam vet. While trying to analyze the remains, a second set of remains turns up with the first victim's dog tags, and a body connected to a suspected shark attack washes ashore. Could the victims be connected?.

F RICH

Rich, Simon. Elliot Allagash : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Random House, c2010.

Elliot Allagash transfers to a private school in Manhattan and, as a lark, offers to help Seymour Herson, the least popular student, improve his social appeal, and a friendship forms as Elliot shares his knowledge of power, sabotage, and vengeance.

F ROBBINS

Robbins, Harold, 1916-1997. The looters. 1st ed. New York : Forge, 2007.

Museum curator Madison Dupre purchases a priceless golden death mask of an ancient Babylonian queen on behalf of her employer, and soon finds herself the target of assassins after learning that the mask may have been stolen during the looting of the Iraqi museum by a special U.S. military unit.

F ROBERTS

Roberts, Nora. The Calhouns : Suzanna and Megan. New York : Silhouette Books, 2005, c1991.

Two classic tales, centering around the Calhoun family, feature "Suzanna's Surrender," in which an ex-cop falls for a beautiful single mother, and "Megan's Mate," in which Megan O'Riley finds herself falling for ship captain Nate Fury.

F ROBERTS LP

Roberts, Nora. The Hollow. large print ed. New York : Jove Books, 2008.

The three blood brothers unite with three women, who are descendents of Hestern, to send the evil that controls their town to hell; and two of the group start a romantic relationship.

F ROSE

Rose, Karen, 1964-. Die for me. New York : Grand Central Pub., 2007.

Philadelphia homicide detective Vito Ciccotelli calls upon the expertise of archaeologist Sophie Johansen to track a sadistic sociopath who uses medieval torture devices to make his kills. When Vito and Sophie come face-to-face, it's lust-at-first-pheromone, and as the sexual tension builds, so does the suspense.

F ROSS

Ross, Adam, 1967-. Mr. Peanut. 1st U.S. ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2010.

Two detectives are called in to investigate the mysterious death of a morbidly obese woman who her husband claims suffered suicide by anaphylactic shock, and as they work on the case, they begin to see upsetting parallels between their own marital relationships and that of the victim and her husband.

F RUNYON

Runyon, Damon, 1880-1946. Guys & dolls : the stories of Damon Runyon. New York : Penguin Books, 1992.

Contains thirty-two short stories by Damon Runyon, describing the narrator's adventures with the colorful characters he meets on Broadway in the early twentieth century.

F SALVATORE

Salvatore, R. A., 1959-. Sea of swords. Renton, WA : Wizards of the Coast, c2009.

The elf, Drizzt Do 'Urden, fears for the life of Wulfgar, and it is up to him to locate Wulfgar in order to save their land.

F SAWYER

Sawyer, Meryl. Lady killer. New York : Kensington Pub. Corp., c2004.

Now, as a ruthless psychopath strikes close to home, turning every corner, every haunt, every connection into something she can no longer trust, Jessica is playing a deadly game with a cold-blooded killer who is already one step ahead.

F SHERMAN

Sherman, David. School of fire. 1st ed. New York : Del Rey, 1998.

The Marines of the 34th Fleet Initial Strike Team are deployed to help quell a rebellion on Wanderjahr and end up fighting both the guerillas and the police force of the established government.

F SIMMONS

Simmons, Dan. The rise of Endymion. Bantam mass market ed. New York, N.Y. : Bantam Books, 1998.

The concluding fourth volume of the Hyperion saga has the Catholic Church experiencing a resurgence due to a newfound ability to resurrect the dead, while Aenea, the new messiah, and her protector Raul Endymion, try to find a way to liberate humanity.

F SIMMONS

Simmons, Dan. Endymion. New York : Bantam Books, [1996], c1995.

An adventure story set in a universe ruled by a church which rewards obedience from its citizenry by dispensing resurrection. The story centers on Raul Endymion, a woodsman from the planet Hyperion, given the task of finding the planet Earth which mysteriously disappeared. By the author of The Fall of Hyperion.

F SMITH

Smith, Martin Cruz, 1942-. Three stations : an Arkady Renko novel. 1st Simon & Schuster hardcover ed. New York : Simon & Schuster, 2010.

Investigator Arkady Renko looks into the body of a woman found in a construction trailer on the edge of Moscow's main rail hub, despite the fact that he has been suspended from the prosecution office, but while everyone seems content to declare her death a drug overdose, Renko is intrigued by the discovery of an invitation to an exclusive charity ball for billionaires.

F STAR

Star quality. New York : Brava/Kensington Pub., c2005.

Once in a blue moon / by Lori Foster—Moon magnetism / by Lucy Monroe—Moonstruck / by Dianne Castelle. Meet three people with a little something special whose love lives are about to turn wild, crazy, sensual, and oh-so-hot. Blame it on the moon? Sure. But who's complaining.

F STERN

Stern, Steve, 1947-. The frozen rabbi : a novel. 1st ed. Chapel Hill, N.C. : Algonquin Books of Chapel Hill, 2010.

Fifteen-year-old Bernie Karp inadvertently thaws out the frozen body of a nineteenth-century rabbi who had been encased in ice for over one hundred years and protected by Bernie's family, and, while the rabbi attempts to enjoy life in 1999, Bernie sets out on his own journey to understand his heritage.

F STONE

Stone, Jean, 1948-. The summer house. New York : Bantam Books, 2000.

As a young girl, Liz Adams always knew that her father, Boston power broker Will Adams, had big plans—dreams and schemes that would bring Liz's older brother all the way to the White House. But when fate deals the family a tragic blow, Will is forced to change his picture-perfect plans—and place the family's political future squarely on Liz's shoulders. Two decades later, Liz has married the man her father molded into the perfect presidential candidate. But weeks before the election, tragedy strikes again—and this time Liz can't hide the pain of a life lived by someone else's rules. Seeking refuge at her family's home on Martha's Vineyard, Liz finds only painful memories of the past—and the long-lost love she let slip away. Now, as her family's darkest hour looms, the woman torn between two men will finally discover what her heart has known all along.

F STRAUB

Straub, Peter, 1943-. A special place : the heart of a dark matter. 1st Pegasus Books trade pbk. ed. New York : Pegasus Books, 2010.

Young Keith Hayward develops a fascination with death and is given lessons from his uncle, the infamous "Ladykiller," on how to take a life without getting caught.

F THOENE

Thoene, Bodie, 1951-. Danzig passage. Minneapolis, Minn. : Bethany House, c1991.

When life in Nazi Germany becomes dangerous for Jewish residents, two families must decide how to flee the country to reach safety and freedom.

F THOMPSON

Thompson, Victoria (Victoria E.). Murder on Lexington Avenue : a gaslight mystery. 1st ed. New York : Berkley Prime Crime, 2010.

Frank Malloy, a detective in turn-of-the-century New York, calls upon midwife Sarah Brandt for help when he is assigned to investigate the murder of Nehemiah Wooten, a Harvard scholar who opposed his hearing impaired daughter Electra's plans to marry a

teacher at the New York Institution for the Deaf and Dumb because of his belief that she and her husband would have children who were also hearing impaired.

F THURLO

Thurlo, Aimée. Coyote's wife : an Ella Clah novel. 1st trade pbk. ed. New York : Forge, 2010, c2008.

Ella Clah, a Special Investigator with the Navajo Police, is called in to investigate when the son-in-law of a powerful Navajo businesswoman and politician is attacked, and when Ella uncovers evidence of Navajo witchcraft, she fears she is exposing herself to skinwalker magic by searching for the culprit.

F TROLLOPE

Trollope, Joanna. The other family. 1st Touchstone trade pbk. ed. New York : Simon & Schuster, 2010.

Chrissie is forced to tell her children that she and their father, famous pianist Richie Rossiter, never married and that he had another wife and son, and as the two families struggle to cope with their grief, they find solace and understanding in the most unexpected places.

F UNGER

Unger, Lisa, 1970-. Fragile : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Shaye Areheart Books, c2010.

Maggie, a psychologist in a quaint town outside New York City, fears her son, Ricky, might be responsible for the disappearance of his girlfriend, and soon discovers disturbing connections to the abduction of another girl years earlier.

F VIDA

Vida, Vendela. The lovers : a novel. 1st ed. New York : Ecco, c2010.

Recently widowed Yvonne, having returned to the spot where she and her husband honeymooned in the coastal village of Datça, Turkey, finds solace through her friendship with a local boy, but soon her life is thrown into chaos by a devastating accident.

F WARD

Ward, J. R. (Jessica Bird). Covet : a novel of the fallen angels. New York : Signet, c2009.

"Redemption isn't a word Jim Heron knows much about—his specialty is revenge, and to him, sin is all relative. But everything changes when he becomes a fallen angel and is charged with saving the souls of seven people from the seven deadly sins. And failure is not an option. Vin diPietro has surrendered himself to his business—until fate intervenes in the form of a tough-talking, Harley-riding, self-professed savior, and a woman who makes him question his destiny. With an ancient evil ready to claim him, Vin has to work with a fallen angel not only to win his beloved over...but to redeem his very soul."—p.[4] of cover.

F WARREN

Warren, Tracy Anne. Tempted by his kiss. New York : Avon, 2009.

When a snowstorm strands beautiful Meg Amberley on his doorstep, foreign service officer Lord Cade Byron's crafted defenses will be put to the test.

F WEINER

Weiner, Jennifer. Fly away home : a novel. 1st Atria Books hardcover ed. New York : Atria Books, 2010.

After Senator Richard Woodruff's extramarital affair makes the headlines, his wife, Sylvie, and daughters, Lizzie and Diana, are caught in the national spotlight and begin to reconsider the choices that they have made in life and who they believe they were meant to become.

F WILCOX

Wilcox, Collin. Switchback. 1st ed. New York : Henry Holt and Co., 1993.

Lt. Frank Hastings investigates the murder of a young woman from a wealthy and respected family in San Francisco.

F WILEY

Wiley, Michael, 1961-. The bad kitty lounge. 1st ed. New York : Minotaur Books, 2010.

Chicago private investigator Joe Kozmarski, having been hired by Greg Samuelson to gather evidence about his wife's affair, learns his client has killed his spouse, torched her lover's car, and murdered his boss and is asked by Greg's wife's boyfriend to clear Greg's name, leaving Joe to figure out who committed all the crimes, while also putting him in a series of dangerous situations.

F WINTERSON

Winterson, Jeanette, 1959-. Art & lies : a piece for three voices and a bawd. 1st American ed. New York : A.A. Knopf : Distributed by Random House, Inc., 1995.

One of the most audacious and provocative writers on either side of the Atlantic now gives readers a dazzling, arousing, and wise improvisation on art, Eros, language, and identity. "A series of intense, artful musings that are exhilarating and visionary. . . . Unsettling yet strangely satisfying."—Newsday.

F WOODS

Woods, Sherryl. The inn at Eagle Point. Don Mills, Ont. : MIRA, c2009.

Divorced financial whiz Abby O' Brien Winters takes a short trip to her hometown of Chesapeake Bay at the behest of her youngest sister, Jess. When Abby realizes the extent of Jess's money troubles, she agrees to prolong her visit, even if it means seeing Trace, an ex-boyfriend who still carries a torch for her. As Abby attempts to help Jess salvage her finances and open an inn, she struggles with her quarreling family, Trace's irresistible attentions and a nasty ex-husband who suddenly wants full custody of their twins.

F WOODS

Woods, Sherryl. Flowers on Main. Don Mills, Ont. : Mira, c2009.

Bree O'Brien decides to leave Chicago when her plays receive bad reviews, but instead of peace, Bree's finds new stress in coming home, and is confronted by her estranged mother and Jake Collins, her scornful ex-lover.

F WOODS

Woods, Sherryl. Stealing home. Don Mills, Ontario : Mira, c2007.

Strong supporting characters, a vivid sense of place, and a strong appreciation for the past add to the appeal of Woods contemporary romance. (Booklist).

F WOODS

Woods, Sherryl. Home in Carolina. Don Mills, Ont. : Mira, c2010.

Annie Sullivan flees Serenity, South Carolina, after a shocking betrayal by her best friend, Tyler Townsend, shatters her dreams for the future, but when she returns years later, Tyler hopes he can convince Annie to give him another chance.

F WOODS

Woods, Sherryl. Sweet tea at sunrise. Don Mills, Ont. : Mira, c2010.

Single mother Sarah Price impulsively agrees to be the morning disc jockey for ladies' man and former ballplayer Travis McDonald, who recently moved to town and bought the local radio station, and, while getting comfortable in her new position and starting to forget about her belittling ex, Sarah begins to consider taking Travis up on his romantic advances.

F YOLEN

Yolen, Jane. Except the queen. New York : Roc, c2010.

Sisters Serana and Meteora are banished from the Fairy Queen's court and realm when they discover an important secret, forcing them to endure life on Earth, but the mortals they befriend reveal signs that a power is rising that could threaten both worlds.

NON-FICTION

098 BAN

Think for yourself : and let others do the same. Chicago : American Library Association, 1994-.

The annual supplement to the Banned Books Resource Guide contains information on recent bans, challenges, and successes in libraries and schools nationwide. Banned Books Week highlights the benefits of free and open access to information while drawing attention to the harms of censorship by spotlighting actual or attempted bannings of books across the United States.

098.1 DOY

Doyle, Robert P. Banned books : challenging our freedom to read. Chicago, Ill. : American Library Association, c2010.

Published every three years, this comprehensive book helps bookstores, libraries, and schools develop and organize their programs in support of the First Amendment. Banned

Books Week highlights the benefits of free and open access to information while drawing attention to the harms of censorship by spotlighting actual or attempted bannings of books across the United States.

133.3 BAR

Barrett, Jayme, 1967-. Feng shui your life. New York : Sterling Pub., c2003.

Presents a guide to the basic principles of feng shui design for both the home and work living spaces, and describes different types of clutter and how to approach each one, energy solutions, the bagua, the nine energy centers, and advice to enhance various living spaces as a way to create a more fulfilling life.

170.44 COR

Corrigan, Kelly, 1967-. Lift. 1st ed. New York : Voice/Hyperion, c2010.

A meditation, written in the form of a letter to her children, in which the author weaves together three true stories to examine the challenges and rewards of being a parent.

179.7 WIE

Wiesenthal, Simon. The sunflower : on the possibilities and limits of forgiveness. Rev. and expanded ed. New York : Schocken Books, c1998.

Fifty-three men and women discuss the issue of forgiveness and try to help the author determine if he made the right choice when a Nazi officer confessed his sins to Wiesenthal and asked for his forgiveness.

248.843 WAL

Walsh, Sheila, 1956-. Beautiful things happen when a woman trusts God. Nashville, Tenn. : Thomas Nelson, c2009.

Delivering a big message with strong biblical insights and heartening personal stories, author and Women of Faith speaker Walsh shows women the life-changing power of trusting in God.

271.302 HOU

House, Adrian. Francis of assisi. New York : Paulist, 2003.

Francis of Assisi (1182-1226) was the least dogmatic of saints, seeing himself as God's troubadour or fool. His life was rich in its succession of dramas. After his debauchery as a young playboy, merchant and soldier - he fought at the Battle of Collestrada - he stripped naked in court, abandoned everything he owned and devoted his life to the poorest and the sick. On his missions he walked over the Pyrenees barefoot, was shipwrecked, and crossed the lines during the Fifth Crusade to parley with the Sultan in Egypt. In 1224 marks similar to Christ's wounds appeared on his hands, feet and side, the first recorded case of Stigmata. Francis's feelings for creation, epitomized in his sermon to the birds, stimulated the realism of the Italian Renaissance artists; his vernacular poems inclined Dante to write The Divine Comedy in Italian not Latin. The first religious order he founded, for men, had a radical effect on social justice and the developing universities in Europe; his second order, the Poor Clares, for women, soon numbered hundreds, including royalty and half a dozen saints; his third, for laity sworn to peace, helped destroy the military power of feudalism. But above all it is through his

universal love that he has influenced the world for nearly eight centuries, drawing more than three million people every year to his tomb in Assisi.

291.35 HOU

Housden, Roger. Sacred journeys in a modern world. New York : Simon & Schuster Editions, 1998.

Beginning in Bath, England, the author takes the reader on a journey around the globe to such spiritual sites as Mount Sinai, the Ganges River, and the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City.

292.1 COT

Cotterell, Arthur. The encyclopedia of mythology : classical, Celtic, Norse. Updated. New York, NY : Lorenz Books, c1999.

Guide to the myths and legends of the ancient world, divided into the three designations of Classical, Celtic, and Nordic, each featuring alphabetically arranged entries detailing characters, locations and sites of interest, significant events, stories, and symbols.

305.42 BEN

Benard, Cheryl, 1953-. Veiled courage : inside the Afghan women's resistance. 1st ed. New York : Broadway Books, c2002.

Explains how the members of the Revolutionary Association of the Women of Afghanistan defied the forces of the Taliban and helped Afghanistan women escape the terror of the Taliban's rule.

305.4889 ASQ

Asquith, Christina. Sisters in war : a story of love, family, and survival in the new Iraq. 1st ed. New York : Random House, c2009.

Interweaves the stories of four women, including two Iraqi sisters, a Palestinian American women's rights activist, and a female U.S. army reservist, all of whom work together to form Iraq's first women's center while wondering if their efforts are worth the danger.

305.8924 JUL

Julius, Anthony. Trials of the diaspora : a history of anti-semitism in England. Oxford ; New York : Oxford University Press, 2010.

Traces the history of anti-Semitism in England from the Middle Ages to the twenty-first century, describing Edward I's expulsion of the Jews in 1290, anti-Semitic accounts of Jews in English literature, the treatment of Jews reentering England between the seventeenth and twentieth centuries, and anti-Zionism in the late twentieth century.

330.122 POS

Posner, Richard A. The crisis of capitalist democracy. Cambridge, Mass. : Harvard University Press, 2010.

By means of a lucid narrative of the crisis and a series of analytical chapters pinpointing critical issues of economic collapse and gradual recovery, Posner helps non-technical readers understand business-cycle and financial economics, and financial and governmental institutions, practices, and transactions, while maintaining a neutrality impossible for persons professionally committed to one theory or another.

334 CAR

Carroll, John E. Pastures of plenty : the future of food, agriculture and environmental conservation in New England. [Durham, N.H.] : New Hampshire Agricultural Experiment Station, [2008].

The central theme of this work is the future of New England's food security, established on a foundation of grass farming, of animal agriculture, of pastures and grazing.

338.2728 MAA

Maass, Peter. Crude world : the violent twilight of oil. 1st ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2009.

Provides an account of the often negative consequences of the world's addiction to oil for oil-producing countries, including Saudi Arabia, Russia, Kuwait, Iraq, Ecuador, Afghanistan, and others.

339.2 KRU

Krugman, Paul R. The conscience of a liberal. New York : W.W. Norton & Co., c2009.

Krugman has woven together a nuanced account of three generations of history with sharp political, social, and economic analysis. This book, written with Krugman's trademark ability to explain complex issues simply, may transform the debate about American social policy.—From publisher description.

364.1 RAY

Rayner, Richard, 1955-. A bright and guilty place : murder, corruption, and L.A.'s scandalous coming of age. 1st ed. New York : Doubleday, c2009.

A history of crime and corruption in Los Angeles in the 1920s that focuses on the intertwined destinies of two men, Dave Clark and Leslie White, who were caught up in scandals, intrigues, and murders, inspiring the noir crime fiction of Raymond Chandler and others.

378.73 PET

Peterson's (COR). Two-year colleges. 33rd ed. (2003)-. Lawrenceville, NJ : Thomson/Peterson's, c2002-. Offers information on more than 1,700 community and junior colleges in the United States and Canada.

382.44 HAZ

Hazlewood, Nick. The queen's slave trader : Jack Hawkyms, Elizabeth I, and the trafficking in human souls. 1st ed. New York : W. Morrow, c2004.

Traces the origins of the English slave trade to England's Queen Elizabeth I, explaining how she placed hundreds of African men, women, and children into slavery in America in the mid-sixteenth century.

398.469 ZAR VT COLL

Zarzynski, Joseph W. *Champ, beyond the legend*. 1st ed. Port Henry, N.Y. : Bannister Publications, c1984.

Zarzinsky takes the legend of Champ and puts it into words that will make a believer out of anyone interested in the possibility of a large aquatic animal living in Lake Champlain. It has details, credibility and more bits of trivia than you thought possible.

468.97 KOH

Kohnstamm, Thomas B. *Costa Rican Spanish*. 2nd ed. Footscray, Vic. ; Oakland CA : Lonely Planet, 2006.

Lounging around in a resort will make great use of your English. You could, however, grab this phrasebook and trade tiquismos with the Ticos, chase the best beach break, track down a toucan and go home knowing you've had an all-round pura vida time.

523.1 WIT

Witt, Terence. *Our undiscovered universe : introducing null physics : the science of uniform and unconditional reality*. 1st ed. Melbourne : Aridian Pub. Corp., c2007.

An introduction to the theory of null physics, discussing how null physics can allow the reader an understanding of how and why the universe exists and why the universe is as it is.

615.321 BUH

Buhner, Stephen Harrod. *Sacred plant medicine : the wisdom in Native American herbalism*. Rochester, VT : Bear & Co., c2006.

Discusses the use of plants as medicine, focusing on the sacred and spiritual aspects of the relationship between humans and plants, and includes a short compendium of plants and their sacred uses.

616.85 GRE

Gregory, Julie. *Sickened : the memoir of a Munchausen by proxy childhood*. New York : Bantam Books, 2003.

The author describes her life as the daughter of a woman afflicted with Munchausen by proxy, a form of child abuse in which a parent, most often a mother, invents or induces illness in a child in order to gain attention from medical professionals, tells how she was able to save herself, and discusses her efforts to have another young girl removed from her mother's care.

620.009 CAD

Cadbury, Deborah. *Dreams of iron and steel : seven wonders of the nineteenth century, from the building of the London sewers to the Panama Canal*. 1st U.S. ed. New York, N.Y. : Fourth Estate, 2004.

The Great Eastern—The Bell Rock Lighthouse—The Brooklyn Bridge—The London sewers—The Transcontinental Railroad—The Panama Canal—The Hoover Dam. A world that had changed little from the Middle Ages was altered beyond recognition by the engineering genius of the nineteenth century: rivers tamed, oceans pacified, continents bridged. In *Dreams of Iron and Steel*, acclaimed historian Deborah Cadbury tells the heroic tale of the visionaries and ordinary workers who brought to life seven wonders of engineering that still have the power to awe and inspire us today. From the London sewers that banished cholera to the Panama Canal that shaved thousands of miles off a dangerous sea passage, from the Hoover Dam that diverted the world's most unpredictable river to give power to over half of the country to the transcontinental railroad that fulfilled the dream of manifest destiny. *Dreams of iron and steel* reveals the epic struggles as personal fortunes and reputations were lost and won.

641.3 FER

Fernández-Armesto, Felipe. *Near a thousand tables : a history of food*. 1st Free Press trade pbk. ed. New York : Free Press, 2004, c2002.

Explores eight milestones in the cultural and culinary history of food, including the origins of cooking, the ritualization of eating, the inception of herding, the invention of agriculture, the rise of the class system, food trade, ecological exchanges, and the industrialization and globalization of food.

641.5 INS

Inside America's test kitchen. 1st ed. Brookline, MA : America's Test Kitchen, c2003.

Contains cooking tips and recipes from public television's "America's Test Kitchen," sharing the results of tests on various products, cooking tools and techniques, ingredients, and foods.

643.1 FIR

The first-time homeowner's handbook : a complete guide and workbook for the first-time home buyer. Ocala, Fla. : Atlantic Pub. Co., c2006.

In this new book you will find vital information and great strategies that will allow you to find your dream home faster and feel confident about the purchase. You will learn to avoid some of the most prevalent and potentially dangerous and expensive mistakes made by first-time home buyers. With the help of this comprehensive new guide, you will learn how to find the best opportunities, negotiating, financing, budgets, needs and wants, credit reports, home-buying timeline, the process of building a house, manufactured homes, real estate and mortgage glossaries, setting values, home warranties, homeowners insurance, creative financing, buying with little or no money down, closing, moving plans, walk-throughs, closing and settlement inspections, legal contracts, mortgages, what you can afford, deciding which neighborhood to choose, hiring a realtor, which government agencies can help, considerations for veterans, IRA use, hiring an attorney, the offer, calculating monthly payments, and escrow. This comprehensive resource contains a wealth of modern tips and strategies for financing and closing on a property.

658.4 FAR

Farber, Steve. The radical edge : stoke your business, amp your life, and change the world. Chicago, IL : Kaplan Pub., c2006.

Another personal lesson in leadership.

658.4 WEL

Welch, Jack, 1935-. Winning : the answers : confronting 74 of the toughest questions in business today. New York : Collins, 2007.

The Answers takes on the most relevant questions, and in doing so, its candid, hard-hitting responses expand and extend the conversation Jack and Suzy Welch began with Winning. It is a dialogue that is sure to be both compelling and immensely useful to anyone and everyone engaged in the vital work of helping an organization grow and thrive.

741.5 SCO

Scott, Jerry, 1955-. Pimp my lunch : Zits sketchbook no. 10. 1st ed. Kansas City, MO : Andrews McMeel, c2005.

Another collection of Zits comic strips, which provides a humorous look at the daily lives of the Duncans, their teenage son Jeremy, and his siblings.

741.6 LUP

D.I.Y. : design it yourself. 1st ed. New York : Princeton Architectural Press, c2005.

Instruction for designing blogs, books, business cards, CD and DVD packaging, embroidery, envelopes, flyers, gifts, housewares, invitations, logos, newsletters, note cards, photo albums, presentations, press kits, stationery, stickers, t-shirts, totes, wall graphics, web sites, and zines.

745.592 OWE

Owens, Beth. Contemporary fashion dolls : the next generation. Grantsville, MD : Hobby House Press, c2000.

An in-depth study of the fashion doll scene for the larger dolls.

779.092 CEL

Celant, Germano. Robert Mapplethorpe and the classical tradition : photographs and Mannerist prints. New York : Guggenheim Museum, 2004.

Catalogue of an exhibition organized by the Guggenheim Museum, New York, and the State Hermitage Museum, St. Petersburg, and held July 24-Oct. 17, 2004 at Deutsche Guggenheim, Berlin.

796.332 BIL

Billick, Brian. More than a game : the glorious present and uncertain future of the NFL. 1st Scribner hardcover ed. New York : Scribner, 2009.

With the help of numerous interviews and humorous anecdotes, Billick, the former Super Bowl-winning leader and longtime coach of the Baltimore Ravens, details the workings of professional football, both on and off the field, as well as examining the difficulties of being a head coach.

796.6309 DUL

Duling, Sandy. Road biking northern New England : a guide to the greatest bicycle rides in Vermont, New Hampshire, and Maine. Guilford, Conn. : FalconGuides, c2008.

Detailed descriptions and maps of forty of the best bicycle rides in Northern New England, from easy afternoon jaunts to multi-day tours.

796.6409 CAN

Cantele, Andi Marie, 1969-. Backroad bicycling in New Hampshire : 32 scenic rides along country lanes in the Granite State. 1st ed. Woodstock, Vt. : New York : Backcountry Guides ; Distributed by W.W. Norton, c2004.

New Hampshire is blessed with diverse terrain that will appeal to all levels of cyclists. Challenging routes cut through the rugged Presidential Range while others explore the gentle Lakes Region area. Rural farms and historic villages line the roads of the Monadnock region and the Connecticut River. Beautiful seacoast rides can be found in the Portsmouth area. Andi Marie Cantele offers the reader the best of these rides from around the state, complete with mile-by-mile directions and clear, easy-to-follow maps. While other biking books have focused on off-road biking in the White Mountains or road touring in southern New Hampshire, no other book successfully puts it all together in a single cycling guide to the Granite State.

808.02 FEI

Feiertag, Joe, 1958-. Writer's market companion. 2nd ed. Cincinnati, OH : Writer's Digest Books, c2004.

Presents information on a variety of professional writing issues, providing advice on how to sell articles, short nonfiction, nonfiction books, fiction, and scripts; and discusses writing plans, promotion, copyrights, pricing, and other related topics.

811.52 KUN

Kunitz, Stanley, 1905-2006. The wild braid : a poet reflects on a century in the garden. New York ; London : W. W. Norton, 2007.

Throughout his life (1905-2006) Stanley Kunitz created poetry and tended gardens. This book is the distillation of conversations, none previously published, that took place between 2002 and 2004. Beginning with the garden, that "work of the imagination," the explorations journey through personal recollections, the creative process, and the harmony of the life cycle. A bouquet of poems and a total of 26 full-color photographs accompany the various sections. The Wild Braid received a 2006 American Horticultural Society Book Award.

811.54 BAR

Baraka, Imamu Amiri, 1934-. Transbluesency : the selected poems of Amiri Baraka/LeRoi Jones. New York : Marsilio, c1995.

A selection of poems drawn from throughout the twentieth-century American poet's thirty-year career.

813.01 SEB

The best American short stories 2009. Boston : Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2009.

A collection of American short stories, originally published in 2008 and selected by editor Alice Sebold, including work by writers such as Joseph Epstein, Alice Fulton, and Kevin Moffett.

817.54 REM

Disquiet, please! : more humor writing from The New Yorker. 1st ed. New York : Random House, c2008.

A collection of humorous writings from "The New Yorker" with emphasis on the more recent generation of contributors, such as Woody Allen, Steve Martin, Andy Borowitz, and many others.

818 PECK

Peck, Cheryl. Fat girls and lawn chairs. New York : Warner Books, c2004.

A collection of essays in which Cheryl Peck discusses family, growing up, love, loss, and weight.

820.9 HEI

Heilbrun, Carolyn G., 1926-2003. Hamlet's mother and other women. 1st Ballantine Books ed. New York : Ballantine Books, 1991, c1990.

Character of Hamlet's Mother—Margaret Mead and the question of woman's biography—Freud's daughters—Vera Brittain's Testament of experience -- Winifred Holtby—Virginia Woolf and James Joyce—Virginia Woolf in her fifties—What was Penelope unweaving? -- Marriage perceived—To the lighthouse—Alcott's Little women—May Sarton's Mrs. Stevens Hears the mermaids singing—May Sarton's memoirs—Bringing the spirit back to English studies—Women, men, theories, and literature—Feminist criticism in departments of literature—Presidential address—Politics of mind—Detective novel of manners—Gender and detective fiction -- Sayers, Lord Peter, and Harriet Vane at Oxford.

839.8226 IBS

Ibsen, Henrik, 1828-1906. A doll's house ; The wild duck ; The lady from the sea. Rev. London : Rutland, Vt. : Dent ; Tuttle, 1993.

A passionate struggle against dishonor and deceit.

909.07 BIS

Bishop, Morris, 1893-1973. The Middle Ages. 1st Mariner Books ed. Boston : Houghton Mifflin Co., 2001.

In this single indispensable volume, one of America's ranking scholars combines a life's work of research and teaching with the art of lively narration. Both authoritative and beautifully told, THE MIDDLE AGES is the full story of the thousand years between the fall of Rome and the Renaissance - a time that saw the rise of kings and emperors, the flowering of knighthood, the development of Europe, the increasing power of the Church, and the advent of the middle class. With exceptional grace and wit, Morris Bishop vividly reconstructs this distinctive era of European history in a work that will inform and delight scholars and general readers alike.

914.531 SIM

Simonis, Damien. Best of Venice. 2nd ed. Footscray, Vic. : Lonely Planet Publications, 2005.

Discover Venice—Dine Out—Find the Haunts—Steer a Course—Island Hop.

914.56 ROM

Garwood, Duncan. Rome. 4. edition. Melbourne, Australia ; London : Lonely Planet, 2006.

Full-color maps ; Art & architecture ; Best day trips ; Discerning reviews.

914.56 STE

Steves, Rick, 1955-. Rick Steves' Rome 2007. Emeryville, Calif. : Avalon Travel, c2006.

In this guide, Rick Steves and Gene Openshaw team up to bring the best and most current information on Rome.

914.95 FIS

Fisher, John, 1958-. The rough guide to Crete. 6th ed. London : Rough Guides, 2004.

This is the essential guide to one of the most spectacular Greek islands.

916.9104 MAD

Madagascar & Comoros. [6. ed.]. Footscray, Vic. London : Lonely Planet, 2008.

Lonely Planet guides include detailed maps, itineraries sections, and food and lodging suggestions for every budget and destination. This volume covers Madagascar and Comoros.

917.1504 ENG

English, Nancy. Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island : a complete guide. 1st ed. Woodstock, Vt. : Countryman Press, c2009.

A comprehensive travel guide to Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, with maps and information on the region's history and culture, places to stay and eat, shopping and entertainment.

917.2048 FOD

Fodor's 2010 Mexico. New York : Fodor's Travel Publications, c2010.

A comprehensive guide to visiting Mexico that provides information on accommodations, restaurants, shopping, beaches, nightlife, festivals, events, and sights; and includes insider tips, photographs, maps, suggested itineraries, and notes on the culture and history of the country.

917.2204 FRO

Hepp, Joy. Frommer's Los Cabos & Baja. 3rd ed. Hoboken, NJ : Wiley, c2010.

A guide to visiting Los Cabos, Mexico, and the Baja Peninsula, providing background on the regions, suggested itineraries, descriptions of things to see and do, lists of places to stay and dine, vocabulary aids, and maps.

917.253 MEX

Time Out Mexico City : timeout.com/mexicocity. London : Time Out, 2008.

A vast, dazzling metropolis, Mexico City boasts a superb historic downtown, a dynamic contemporary art scene, and a new wave of world-class restaurants, bars, and hotels. As the 2010 celebrations of 1810's Independence and the 1910 Revolution approach, Mexico City continues to transform itself – leaving visitors charmed, surprised, and with the inescapable sense of a city whose finest hour is still around the corner. Time Out Mexico City helps visitors make the most of a short or extended stay. Written by informed locals, this indispensable guide covers it all in frank reviews of dining, accommodations, leisure activities, historical venues, and more. A bonus section profiles the five best trips around the country, from the stunning jungles of Chiapas to the stark beauty of Baja to the colonial glory of Oaxaca.

917.2804 ROU

The rough guide to Central America on a budget. 1st ed. London ; New York : Rough Guides, 2009.

Presents guidance and tools for visitors to Central America including trip planning information, lodging and dining suggestions for different budgets, and details on history, culture, and things to see and do.

917.291 CUB

Sainsbury, Brendan. Cuba. 5th ed. Footscray, Vic. ; Oakland, CA : Lonely Planet, 2009.

A comprehensive travel guide to the history, culture, music, and festivals of Cuba; with maps and information on beaches, deep-sea fishing trips, and more.

917.2921 PRO

Porter, Darwin. Frommer's portable Cayman Islands. 4th ed. Hoboken, NJ : Wiley, c2009.

A guide to visiting the Cayman Islands that provides practical information on and reviews of hotels, restaurants, sights, shopping, beaches, and nightlife, and includes insider tips, maps, and trip-planning advice.

917.293 FOD

Fodor's Dominican Republic. 1st ed. New York : Fodor's Travel Publications, c2009.

A comprehensive travel guide to the Dominican Republic, with maps and information on hotels and restaurants, shopping and entertainment, and other interesting sites.

917.295 MAR

Marino, John, 1961-. Frommer's Puerto Rico day by day. 1st ed. Hoboken, NJ : Wiley, c2010.

A day-by-day travel guide to sixteen self-guided tours to Puerto Rico, with detailed maps, and information on hotels and restaurants, shopping and entertainment, and more.

917.306 HOS

Karr, Paul. Hostels U.S.A. : the only comprehensive, unofficial, opinionated guide. 7th ed. Guilford, Conn. : GPP Travel, c2009.

Offering candid descriptions and at-a-glance, unique ratings for everything from cleanliness to party potential, this comprehensive resource gives budget-minded travelers all they need to know.

917.4204 BOL

Bolnick, Bruce R. Waterfalls of the White Mountains : 30 trips to 100 waterfalls. 2nd ed., Rev. and expanded. Woodstock, Vt. : New York : Backcountry Publications ; Distributed by Norton, 1999.

Details thirty hikes to over one hundred waterfalls in the White Mountains, including maps and information on location, distance, altitude gain, and difficulty.

917.422 MON

Monkman, Jerry. Discover the White Mountains : AMC's guide to the best hiking, biking, and paddling. 2nd ed. Boston : Appalachian Mountain Club Books, c2009.

A comprehensive guide to hiking, biking, and paddling in the White Mountains of New Hampshire, with detailed maps and trails of over fifty sites.

917.449 CAP

Grant, Kimberly, 1961-. Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard & Nantucket. 8th ed. Woodstock, VT : Countryman Press, c2009.

A travel guide to Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard, and Nantucket that includes maps and information on accommodations, restaurants, entertainment, shopping, family activities, special events, and daytrips.

917.475 STO

Stoltie, Annie. The Adirondack book : a complete guide. 6th ed. Woodstock, Vt. : Countryman Press, c2008.

A guide to visiting the Adirondack Park and its gateway cities, providing information about the history and culture of the region, with descriptions of lodging, dining, recreation, and shopping opportunities. Includes "best" lists, and notes on transportation.

917.5044 FRO

Porter, Darwin. Frommer's the Carolinas & Georgia. 9th ed. Hoboken, NJ : Wiley, c2009.

A guide to visiting Georgia and the Carolinas, featuring ten "best of" lists, offering advice on trip planning, describing the attractions of various cities and regions, and including suggested itineraries, rated reviews of places to eat and stay, and a fold-out map.

917.5924 SEH

Sehlinger, Bob, 1945-. The unofficial guide color companion to Walt Disney World. Hoboken, NJ : Wiley, c2010.

A guide to visiting Walt Disney World that includes reviews of resorts, tips for planning a trip and saving money, profiles of restaurants, overviews of theme parks, over five hundred photographs, and more.

917.6404 FOR

Texas. [2010 ed.]. Chicago, IL : Forbes Travel Guide, 2010.

Find Texas' best hotels, restaurants, spas, nightlife, sights, theaters, live music venues, and tours with this guide.

917.8804 FOD

Fodor's Colorado. 9th ed. New York : Fodor's Travel Publications, c2010.

A travel guide to Colorado, providing background on the state, describing the attractions of eleven cities and regions, featuring listings of places to eat and stay, and including maps and practical travel tips.

917.94 HIS

Hiss, Mark. San Diego. 5th ed. Hoboken, N.J. : [Chichester : Frommer's ; John Wiley [distributor], c2008.

Experience the place the way the locals do. Enjoy the best it has to offer.

917.9419 NAP

Bing, Alison. Napa & Sonoma. Footscray, Vic. ; London : Lonely Planet, 2009.

The first Encounter guide to America's famous wine region, "Napa & Sonoma Encounter" highlights more than 100 wineries, features a section on lesser-known vineyards, and offers wine-tasting tips.

918.044 SOU

South America on a shoestring. 11th ed. Footscray, Vic. ; London : Lonely Planet, 2010.

Covers Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, French Guiana, Guyana, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Uruguay, and Venezuela. This title also looks at South American music with a suggested playlist to get travellers in the groove. It includes 202 maps that give more coverage of Colombia. For 30 years, Lonely Planet has been the backpackers' bible for South America. Whether you're trekking the Andes, gliding through the Amazon or joining a wild festival, our unbeatable 11th edition is your key to adventure.

919.4047 DIS

Discover Australia. 1st ed. Footscray, Vic., Australia ; Oakland, CA : Lonely Planet, 2010.

A region-by-region travel guide to Australia that includes information on attractions, sports, accommodations, dining, culture, and transportation.

919.8 LAN

Lansing, Alfred. *Endurance : the greatest adventure story ever told.* New York : Carroll & Graf Publishers, [2000, c1959].

Account of British polar explorer Sir Ernest Shackleton's epic adventure to the South Atlantic and the first crossing of the Antarctic continent. Half a continent away from its intended base, the ship *Endurance* was crushed in the ice. For five months, Shackleton and his men were castaways in one of the most savage regions of the world.

921 CROCKETT

Levy, Buddy, 1960-. *American legend : the real-life adventures of David Crockett.* New York : Putnam's, c2005.

A biography of adventurer, pioneer, and hero David Crockett describing his childhood and education, travels and work for the rights of Native Americans, and his last days at the Alamo.

921 FLYNN

Flynn, Laura, 1966-. *Swallow the ocean : a memoir.* Berkeley, CA : Counterpoint, c2008.

A memoir in which Laura Flynn recalls her childhood and the charmed life she enjoyed with her family, especially her free-spirited, imaginative mother, and discusses how everything changed when her mother lost her grip on reality due to schizophrenia.

921 IVAN

De Madariaga, Isabel, 1919-. *Ivan the Terrible : first tsar of Russia.* 1st ed. New Haven [Conn.] : Yale University Press, c2005.

Presents a comprehensive biography of sixteenth-century Russian Tzar, Ivan IV, and chronicles his life, policies, marriages, and the terror and killings that occurred under his reign.

921 LANCASTER

Lancaster, Jen, 1967-. *My fair lazy : one reality television addict's attempt to discover if not being a dumb ass is the new black, or a culture-up manifesto.* New York : New American Library, c2010.

Jen Lancaster chronicles her efforts to become more cultured and refined, describing her adventures in theater, opera, world cuisine, politics, and rubbing elbows with the social elite.

921 MACDONALD

Phillips, Michael R., 1946-. *George MacDonald : Scotland's beloved storyteller.* Minneapolis, Minn. : Bethany House, c1987.

Explains life events that influenced MacDonald's writings and relates those life events to the books George MacDonald wrote during those times.

921 NIETZCHE

Young, Julian. Friedrich Nietzsche : a philosophical biography. Cambridge ; New York : Cambridge University Press, 2010.

Chronicles the life and accomplishments of the nineteenth-century German philosopher, Friedrich Nietzsche, describing his pursuits and influences, and discussing what caused him to become insane at age forty-four. Includes over thirty photographs and seventeen of Nietzsche's musical compositions.

921 PALIN

Conroy, Scott. Sarah from Alaska : the sudden rise and brutal education of a new conservative superstar. 1st ed. New York : PublicAffairs, c2009.

Chronicles Sarah Palin's rise to the top of the Republican Party, explains why her candidacy for vice president was so controversial, and discusses the post-election struggles she faced when she returned to Alaska.

921 ROOSEVELT

O'Toole, Patricia. When trumpets call : Theodore Roosevelt after the White House. New York : Simon & Schuster, c2005.

Presents a comprehensive profile of Theodore Roosevelt's life following his presidency and chronicles his Africa journeys, attempts to seek a second term after his disappointment with the Taft administration, his views on foreign policy, and involvement with the war effort.

921 ROSS

Miller, Marla R. Betsy Ross and the making of America. 1st ed. New York : Henry Holt, 2010.

Chronicles the life of Betsy Ross, discussing her childhood, marriages, work as a seamstress, experiences in Revolutionary-era Philadelphia, and place in American history.

921 VAVILOV

Pringle, Peter. The murder of Nikolai Vavilov : the story of Stalin's persecution of one of the great scientists of the twentieth century. 1st Simon & Schuster hardcover ed. New York : Simon & Schuster, 2008.

Tells the story of young Russian scientist Nikolai Vavilov, who dreamed of using plant genetics to end world hunger, built the first seed bank in St. Petersburg, and was supported by Lenin but accused of false charges when Stalin took over, and forced to starve in a gulag when he couldn't live up to the new ruler's expectations.

929.72 COS

Costiantino, Maria. Handbook of clans & tartans of Scotland. New York : Barnes & Noble, 2003.

An indispensable guide to over 150 tartans from the clans of Scotland and looks at their origins, both geographical and historical, and their position with regard to other families.

940.54 OKA

O’Kane, Richard H., 1911-. Wahoo : the patrols of America’s most famous World War II submarine. Novato, CA : Presidio Press, c1987.

The executive officer of the USS Wahoo recounts the submarine’s role in sinking Japanese ships.

940.54 SEB

Sebag-Montefiore, Hugh. Enigma : the battle for the code. New York : J. Wiley, 2000.

Tells the story of the cracking of the German naval code by the Allies during World War II, and discusses the significance of the breakthrough on the outcome of the war.

941.508 COO

Coogan, Tim Pat, 1935-. 1916 : the Easter rising. London : Cassell, 2001.

On April 14, 1916, it all began—and 6 short but bloody days later, true Irish independence emerged from the ruins. Coogan’s outstanding account of this seminal event provides a testament to a turning point in Irish history and to those who perished in the struggle. Born of the thwarted, democratically expressed desire for Home Rule—as well as political confusion—the Easter Uprising started when rebels seized a number of strong points in Dublin. The subsequent executions of the leaders, along with the arrest, court-martial, and detention of 3500 people, won the insurgents sympathy and resulted in an overwhelming desire for freedom among the public.

941.6 COO

Coogan, Tim Pat, 1935-. The troubles : Ireland’s ordeal, 1966-1996, and the search for peace. 1st Palgrave ed. New York : Palgrave, 2002, c1995.

Examines the conflict in Northern Ireland, setting the historical context for the resurgence of centuries-old tensions that led to the civil protest and pogroms of the late 1960s. Also probes the spread of IRA violence.

941.7 GIN

Ginna, Robert Emmett. The Irish way : a walk through Ireland’s past and present. Emeryville, CA : Shoemaker Hoard, 2006.

In his eighth decade, Ginna set out to walk the length of Ireland, some 350 miles from its most northerly point, Malin Head, in Donegal, to Kinsale, on the Atlantic coast of Cork. Familiar with the country for many years, Ginna had seen the influx of high-tech industries and membership in the European Union transform Ireland from a poor, largely agricultural country into the prosperous Celtic tiger. He wanted to judge for himself what the Irish had gained and perhaps lost and what they have preserved from a rich yet tumultuous heritage.

956.7 ANT

Anthony, Michael, 1986-. Mass casualties : a young medic’s true story of death, deception, and dishonor in Iraq. Avon, MA : Adams Media, c2009.

Specialist Michael Anthony chronicles his year of service in Iraq with a medical unit in journal entries that reveal his life and the struggles he faced while working in the combat hospital.

956.7 TUC

Tucker, Mike (Michael James). Operation hotel California : the clandestine war inside Iraq. Guilford, CT : Lyons Press, c2009.

Offers a comprehensive overview of the U.S.-led invasion of Iraq on March 20, 2003, revealing the corruption and incompetence that preceded the Bush administration's decision to invade.

973.04 BRU

Bruchac, Joseph, 1942-. Our stories remember : American Indian history, culture, and values through storytelling. Golden, Colo. : Fulcrum Pub., c2003.

Presents retellings of traditional tales from the Navajo, Cree, Seminole, Sioux, Cherokee, and several other tribes, providing commentary on their significance to Native American culture; and includes a list of sources and other versions of the stories.

973.0497 AME

American Indian places : a historical guidebook. Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 2008.

Contains descriptions of 366 places that are of importance to Native Americans and open to the public; arranged geographically, with location information, maps, photographs, and suggestions for further reading.

973.099 DAV

Davis, Kenneth C. A nation rising : untold tales of flawed founders, fallen heroes, and forgotten fighters from America's hidden history. 1st ed. New York : Harper/Smithsonian Books, c2010.

A series of narratives that explores some of America's lesser-known events in its history including the Bible Riots of Philadelphia, Aaron Burr's 1807 trial, the start of the Seminole War, and more.

973.5 BUR

Burton, Orville Vernon. The age of Lincoln. 1st ed. New York : Hill and Wang, 2007.

A comprehensive history of the decades surrounding the presidency of Abraham Lincoln from the 1840s to 1900 that encompasses Lincoln's legacy of freedom for all.

974.3 DON

Donnis, Erica Huyler. The history of Shelburne Farms : a changing landscape, an evolving vision. Barre, Vt. : Shelburne, Vt. : Vermont Historical Society ; Shelburne Farms, c2010.

A chronicle of the transformation of Shelburne Farms from a collection of Vermont farms, to a renowned agricultural estate to a world-class leader in sustainability education.

974.402 BUN

Bunker, Nick. Making haste from Babylon : the Mayflower Pilgrims and their world : a new history. 1st American ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2010.

Details the voyage of Pilgrims on the "Mayflower" and describes the Plymouth Colony, focusing on events during the 1620s and discussing religion, politics, money, science, and other related topics.

975.2604 MOO

Moore, Wes, 1978-. The other Wes Moore : one name, two fates.

1st ed. New York : Spiegel & Grau, 2010.

The author, a Rhodes scholar and combat veteran, analyzes the various sociocultural factors that influenced him as well as another man of the same name and from the same neighborhood who was drawn into a life of drugs and crime and ended up serving life in prison, focusing on the influence of relatives, mentors, and social expectations that could have led either of them on different paths.

AUDIO-VISUAL

CD EVA

Evanovich, Janet. Sizzling sixteen. Unabridged. [New York] :Macmillan Audio, p2010.

Read by Lorelei King. When bounty hunter Stephanie Plum inherits a lucky bottle from an uncle, she discovers that the bottle brings both good and bad luck. Her cousin and employer, Vinnie, has racked up a huge gambling debt with the Mob and disappeared. Now Stephanie is responsible for paying off the debt and making sure Vinnie stays out of harm's way.

CD FAI

Fairstein, Linda A. Hell gate. Unabridged. New York, N.Y : Penguin Audio, p2010.

Read by Barbara Rosenblat. "In 'Hell Gate', Alex finds her attention torn between investigating a shipwreck that has a contraband cargo— human cargo—and the political sex scandal of a promising New York congressman now fallen from grace"—Container.

DVD 912 VIK

The Viking deception : the truth behind the Vinland map. South Burlington, VT : WGBH Video, c2005.

Narrator: Gene Galusha ; with: Kirsten Seaver. A documentary on the controversy surrounding the authenticity of the Vinland map, which identified a large island in the Atlantic Ocean labeled "Vinilanda insula." The Vinland map predates Columbus's voyage by about fifty years and could offer proof that the Vikings discovered the New World.

DVD ALL

All the pretty horses. Widescreen ed. [Culver City, Calif.] :Columbia TriStar Home Entertainment, [2001], c2000.

An action-filled tale of love and loss based on Cormac McCarthy's best-selling novel.

DVD ART

Artificial intelligence : A.I. Two-disc special ed. Universal City, CA : DreamWorks : Distributed by DreamWorks Home Entertainment, c2002.

It is the middle of the 21st century. Extremely sophisticated robots do everything from nannying to prostitution, supplying the illusion of feeling, but true emotion has eluded the android builders. Until Professor Hobby builds David, a robot boy who can really love. In the same manner that some people substitute pets for more demanding human relationships, the Swinton's try to fill the void left by the illness (and subsequent cryogenic animation) of their young son, with David. Unlike a pet, however, David requires more than taking without giving, and his plight illustrates the dangers inherent when dog-substitutes demand giving in return.

DVD ART

The art of action : martial arts in the movies. Culver City, Calif. : Columbia Tristar Home Entertainment, c2002.

Samuel Jackson, host. Documentary of martial arts in the movies, from its beginnings to the most current, action packed moments from today. Includes rarely seen footage and modern day favorites.

DVD BLU

Blue gold : world water wars. [United States] : Distributed by PBS Home Video, c2010.

Narrator, Malcolm McDowell. "Wars of the future will be fought over water, as they are today over oil, as the source of all life enters the global marketplace and political arena. Corporate giants, private investors, and corrupt governments vie for control of our dwindling fresh water supply, prompting protests, lawsuits, and revolutions from citizens fighting for the right to survive. Past civilizations have collapsed from poor water management. Will ours too?"—Container.

DVD CAD

The complete Cadfael collection. Bethesda, MD : Acorn Video, c2005.

Cadfael, a Benedictine monk at an abbey in Middle Ages Shrewsbury, solves crimes and murders.

DVD DUE

Duel at Diablo. [United States] : Metro Goldwyn Meyer Home Entertainment, [2003].

A revenge-minded scout helps a cavalry troop transport guns and ammunitions through Indian territory.

DVD FUN

Fun with the fab four. New York, N.Y. : GoodTimes Entertainment, c2002.

The Beatles. A compilation of newsfilm, interviews and TV clips from around the world featuring the Beatles in the 60s.

DVD HOU S.3

The House of Eliott. Silver Spring, MD : Acorn Media, [2006].

Changing times, cutthroat competition, and romance flavor the dramatic conclusion. As the Roaring Twenties close, the market for haute couture is shrinking. In order to survive, can the House of Eliott realize that ready-to-wear is fashion's future?

DVD INF

The informant! Burbank, CA : Distributed by Warner Home Video, [2010].

The U.S. government decides to go after an agri-business giant with a price-fixing accusation based on the evidence submitted by their star witness, vice president turned informant Mark Whitacre. The FBI needs evidence, so Whitacre eagerly agrees to wear a wire and carry a hidden tape recorder in his briefcase, imagining himself as a kind of de facto secret agent.

DVD ITA

The Italian job. Special collector's ed. ; widescreen version (16:9). Hollywood, Calif. : Paramount, [1992], c1969.

Fresh from prison, Charlie begins to work on a heist that will either set him up for life - or send him up forever. Charlie and his unruly lot of thieves take on the mob, the police and the gridlocked traffic of Turin to rob a heavily armed shipment of gold bullion.

DVD ITS

It's complicated. Widescreen. Universal City, Calif. : Universal Studios Home Entertainment, c2010.

A hilarious look at marriage, divorce, and everything in between. With a thriving Santa Barbara bakery, a new romance heating up, and her divorce finally behind her, Jane Adler has her life all figured out, until she finds herself trapped between the perfect new beau and her philandering ex-husband who's determined to win her back. When opposites attract all over again, will love be sweeter the second time around? It's... complicated!

DVD JES

Sea change. Culver City, Calif. : Sony Pictures Home Entertainment, 2008.

Jesse Stone is a down-and-out former L.A. police detective whose biggest battle is now against the bottle, as the demons of his past rise to haunt him while he drives himself to distraction by pursuing a decade-old murder case. Finding refuge in the small town of Paradise, Chief Stone reopens an unsolved murder case, digging up clues in an old grave and pursuing the ghosts of a forgotten crime. But it's not just the victim's and killer's pasts that rise up to the surface— it's his own, becoming the chilling focus of a riveting investigation that uncovers one shocking revelation after another.

DVD JES

Stone cold. Culver City, Calif. : Sony Pictures Home Entertainment, 2005.

Stone is a quiet chief of police in a cold, gray, seaside town. When a serial killer strikes, this tough cop is in the thick of it. Add his girlfriend, an ex-wife and a sexy defense attorney, and things really heat up.

DVD KEE

Keep the faith, baby. Full screen version. Hollywood, Calif. : Paramount Home Entertainment, 2003.

Dramatizes the life of Adam Clayton Powell Jr., the flamboyant Harlem pastor, congressman, and ladies man who worked hard for civil rights.

DVD LIC

Licence to kill. Special 007 ed. Santa Monica, CA : MGM Home Entertainment, [2002].

James Bond goes renegade, seeks revenge, and goes head to head with one of the international drug cartel's most brutal and powerful leaders.

DVD MAN

The man who shot Liberty Valance. Hollywood, Calif. : Paramount Pictures, c2005.

The story of a man who becomes a legend and an important political figure by falsely claiming he shot a ruthless gunman (Liberty Valance).

DVD MEE

Meet me in St. Louis. Two-disc special edition. [United States] : Turner Entertainment Co. : Warner Home Video, 2004.

A musical film about an affectionate family and their adventures at the 1904 World's Fair.

DVD MES

The messenger. [New York?] : Oscilloscope Pictures, 2010.

Partnered with hard-line officer Tony Stone, Sgt. Will Montgomery is a battle-scarred war hero home from Iraq and newly assigned to the Army's Casualty Notification service. He faces this formidable mission while seeking comfort and healing back on the home front when he falls for the wife of a fallen soldier.

DVD MES

Message in a bottle. Widescreen format (2.35:1) or standard format (1.33:1). Burbank, CA : Warner Home Video, [1999].

A reporter traces a lonely widower who wrote a heart-felt message, placed it in a bottle, and threw it out to sea.

DVD MID S.15

Midsomer murders : Set 15. Silver Spring, MD : Distributed by Acorn Media, [2010].

The cozy villages of Midsomer County reveal their most sinister secrets in these four contemporary British television mysteries. Blood Wedding—Cully's wedding day is fast approaching, but a series of bizarre murders at an upper-class wedding leave Barnaby distracted. Shot at Dawn—A long-standing family feud erupts into violence after a disgraced soldier's name is placed on a World War I memorial. Left for Dead—Barnaby discovers a potential link between a double murder and a decades-old disappearance in the sleepy town of Dunstan. Bonus disc: Super Sleuths, a documentary about Midsomer Murders in which John Nettles, Caroline Graham, Anthony Horowitz, and others reflect on the show's first decade.

DVD NIN

Nine days that changed the world. Washington, D.C. : Citizens United and Citizens United Foundation, c2010.

"A story of human liberation, revealing the extraordinary power of Pope John Paul II's worldwide message of freedom through faith. "—Container.

DVD ROA

The road. Widescreen. Culver City, Calif. : Sony Pictures Home Entertainment, c2010.

A father and his son are two of the last remaining people on earth after an unexplained tragedy has destroyed most of life. As the two head south, they are faced with many trials and tribulations along the way. An intense bond between the father and son is formed as together they strive to not only survive, but to retain humanity as they help the people they encounter along the way.

DVD SPI

Spin city, : Michael J. Fox, his all-time favorites. [United States] : Universal City, CA : DreamWorks Home Entertainment ; Universal Home Video, [2003], c1996-c2002.

Pilot—Meet Tommy Dugan—Dog day afternoon—Family affair, parts 1 & 2 -- Miracle near 34th street—The Paul Lassiter story—The Pope of Gracie Mansion—A tale of two sisters—Casino. Michael J. Fox, Heather Locklear, Carla Gugino, Richard Kind, Alan Ruck, Michael Boatman, Connie Britton, Alexander Chaplin, Barry Bostwick. Michael Flaherty is the Deputy Mayor and right-hand man to the mayor, who expertly keeps his co-workers and city hall under complete control while his personal life often spins completely out of control.

DVD TAO

The Tao of Steve. Culver City, CA : Columbia TriStar Home Entertainment, [2001].

Amateur philosopher Dex and his friends live by a code which virtually guarantees scoring with the ladies; but when Dex meets up with old college fling Syd, the rules he lived by no longer apply.

DVD TER

Terminator 2 : judgment day. Ultimate ed. Santa Monica, Calif. : Artisan Home Video, c1991, 2000.

A lethal cyborg, the T-1000, has been sent back from 2029 A.D. to present day Los Angeles on a mission to kill the boy destined to lead the freedom fighters of the future. A duplicate of the original terminator cyborg is reprogrammed and sent to save the boy, assisted by the boy's mother, a woman warrior whose warnings of a world headed toward nuclear disaster go unheeded. Two versions of the film are included as well numerous additional materials.