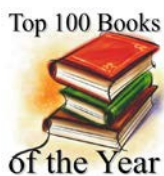


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Genre	Title	Author	Description
Biographies and Memoirs	The Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Berlin Olympics	Daniel James Brown	For readers of <i>Unbroken</i> , out of the depths of the Depression comes an irresistible story about beating the odds and finding hope in the most desperate of times—the improbable, intimate account of how nine working-class boys from the American West showed the world at the 1936 Olympics in Berlin what true grit really meant.
Biographies and Memoirs	Hero Found: The Greatest POW Escape of the Vietnam War	Bruce Henderson	Bruce Henderson, who served with Dengler aboard USS <i>Ranger</i> , tells the complete story of Dengler's captivity and remarkable escape.
Biographies and Memoirs	The Seamstress: A Memoir of Survival	Sara Tuvel Bernstein	Bernstein's tale is clearly not a typical memoir of the Holocaust. She was born into a large family in rural Romania...and grew up feisty and willing to fight back physically against anti-Semitism from other schoolchildren.
Biographies and Memoirs	The United States of Trump: How the President Really Sees America	Bill O'Reilly	In this thrilling narrative, O'Reilly blends primary, never-before-released interview material with a history that recounts Trump's childhood and family and the factors from his life and career that forged the worldview that the president of the United States has taken to the White House.
Biographies and Memoirs	Catching Hell: A True Story of Abandonment and Betrayal	Jay Dobyns	Four days on the job Jay was shot point-blank in the back by a criminal suspect. The bullet travelled through his lung and exited his chest. For the next twenty-seven years, he accepted every dirty and dangerous undercover assignment possible. Some days he succeeded, on others he failed, but all he ever wanted to do was to defend and protect people who couldn't, or wouldn't, do that for themselves.
Biographies and Memoirs	If You're Gonna Be Dumb, You Better Be Tough: Lessons from My Life with Bulls, Protesters, and Politicians	Mike Broomhead	Mike Broomhead's inspiring story of overcoming poverty and tragedy through faith, hard work, and commitment to mentoring the next generation. In 2003, Mike received a phone call that changed his life forever. He learned his brother Thomas was one of two soldiers killed and nine soldiers injured in Iraq on Memorial Day. Following his brother's death, it became Mike's mission to tell his brother's story as well as the stories of all those who protect our freedoms. In just a few years, Mike went from calling into a local radio show to hosting the #1 morning drive show in Phoenix, as well as being a popular public speaker, TV host, and frequent guest host for Glenn Beck.



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Biographies and Memoirs	<u>For the Love of a Child: My Life, My City & My Mission</u>	Harvey Weisenberg	This is the story of Harvey Weisenberg—a lifeguard, teacher, policeman, and eventually a New York politician, who quietly made a difference in the lives of millions of children and adults with special needs.
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>The Sun Does Shine: How I Found Life and Freedom on Death Row</u>	Anthony Ray Hinton	With a foreword by Stevenson, <i>The Sun Does Shine</i> is an extraordinary testament to the power of hope sustained through the darkest times. Destined to be a classic memoir of wrongful imprisonment and freedom won, Hinton’s memoir tells his dramatic thirty-year journey and shows how you can take away a man’s freedom, but you can’t take away his imagination, humor, or joy.
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>Leonardo da Vinci</u>	Walter Isaacson	Based on thousands of pages from Leonardo da Vinci’s astonishing notebooks and new discoveries about his life and work, Walter Isaacson “deftly reveals an intimate Leonardo” (<i>San Francisco Chronicle</i>) in a narrative that connects his art to his science.
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>Einstein: His Life and Universe</u>	Walter Isaacson	Based on newly released personal letters of Einstein, this book explores how an imaginative, impertinent patent clerk—a struggling father in a difficult marriage who couldn’t get a teaching job or a doctorate—became the mind reader of the creator of the cosmos, the locksmith of the mysteries of the atom, and the universe.
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>Bad Blood: Secrets and Lies in a Silicon Valley Startup</u>	John Carreyrou	The full inside story of the breathtaking rise and shocking collapse of Theranos, the one-time multibillion-dollar biotech startup founded by Elizabeth Holmes—now the subject of the HBO documentary <i>The Inventor</i> —by the prize-winning journalist who first broke the story and pursued it to the end.
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>A Woman of No Importance: WW2's Most Dangerous Spy</u>	Sonia Purnell	The perfect holiday gift for the World War II history buff, a never-before-told story of Virginia Hall, the American spy who changed the course of World War II, from the author of <i>Clementine</i>
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>Once More We Saw Stars: A Memoir</u>	Jayson Greene	<i>Once More We Saw Stars</i> quickly becomes a narrative that is as much about hope and healing as it is about grief and loss. Jayson recognizes, even in the midst of his ordeal, that there will be a life for him beyond it--that if only he can continue moving forward, from one moment to the next, he will survive what seems unsurvivable.
Biographies and Memoirs	<u>Life Undercover: Coming of Age in the CIA</u>	Amaryllis Fox	Amaryllis Fox's riveting memoir tells the story of her ten years in the most elite clandestine ops unit of the CIA, hunting the world's most dangerous terrorists in sixteen countries while marrying and giving birth to a daughter.

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Biographies and Memoirs

[Edison](#)

Edmund Morris

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • From Pulitzer Prize-winning author Edmund Morris comes a revelatory new biography of Thomas Alva Edison, the most prolific genius in American history. **NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY TIME AND PUBLISHERS WEEKLY**

Biographies and Memoirs

[Tap Code: The Epic Survival Tale of a Vietnam POW and the Secret Code That Changed Everything](#)

Col. Carlyle "Smitty" Harris

Tap Code shares never-before-told details of underground operations during the Vietnam War while weaving in an inspiring story of true love, honor, and courage as husband and wife endured the hardest circumstances they had ever faced.

Biographies and Memoirs

[No Surrender: A Father, a Son, and an Extraordinary Act of Heroism That Continues to Live on Today](#)

Chris Edmonds

In the tradition of #1 New York Times bestsellers like *Unbroken*, *Boys on the Boat*, *Band of Brothers*, and *Schindler's List*, *No Surrender* is an unforgettable story of a father's extraordinary acts of valor in the treacherous final days of World War II and a son's thrilling journey to discover them—an epic narrative of bravery, compassion, and faith.

Biographies and Memoirs

[Titan: The Life of John D. Rockefeller Sr.](#)

Ron Chernow

From the acclaimed, award-winning author of *Alexander Hamilton*: here is the essential, endlessly engrossing biography of John D. Rockefeller, Sr.—the Jekyll-and-Hyde of American capitalism.

Business

[Make Your Bed: Little Things That Can Change Your Life...and Maybe the World](#)

Admiral William Mcraven

Based on a Navy SEAL's inspiring graduation speech, this #1 *New York Times* bestseller of powerful life lessons "should be read by every leader in America" (*Wall Street Journal*). If you want to change the world, start off by making your bed.

Business

[Traction: Get a Grip on Your Business](#)

Gino Wickman

All entrepreneurs and business leaders face similar frustrations—personnel conflict, profit woes, and inadequate growth. Decisions never seem to get made, or, once made, fail to be properly implemented. But there is a solution. It's not complicated or theoretical.

Business

[Influence: Science and Practice](#)

Robert B. Cialdini

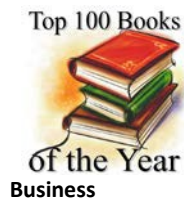
Cialdini combines evidence from experimental work with the techniques and strategies he gathered while working as a salesperson, fundraiser, advertiser, and in other positions inside organizations that commonly use compliance tactics to get us to say "yes." Widely used in classes, as well as sold to people operating successfully in the business world, the eagerly awaited revision of *Influence* reminds the reader of the power of persuasion.

Business

[The Chameleon: Life-Changing Wisdom for Anyone Who has a Personality or Knows Someone Who Does](#)

Merrick Rosenberg

Imagine what it would be like to understand the actions and motivations of others - and to know how to apply such knowledge to be a better spouse or parent and a more effective leader, teacher, coach, or salesperson. The Chameleon by Merrick Rosenberg is enjoyable and transformative as it helps readers gain deeper self-awareness, maximize personal strengths, and strengthen relationships.



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Business	Extreme Ownership: How U.S. Navy SEALs Lead and Win	Jocko Willink and Leif Babin	Willink and Babin returned home from deployment and instituted SEAL leadership training to pass on their harsh lessons learned in combat to help forge the next generation of SEAL leaders. After leaving the SEAL Teams, they launched a company, Echelon Front, to teach those same leadership principles to leaders in businesses, companies, and organizations across the civilian sector.
Business	The Richest Man in Babylon	George S. Clason	UNCENSORED and all original! The Richest Man in Babylon, based on "Babylonian parables", has been hailed as the greatest of all inspirational works on the subject of thrift, financial planning, and personal wealth. In simple language, these fascinating and informative stories set you on a sure path to prosperity and its accompanying joys.
Business	Give and Take: Why Helping Others Drives Our Success	Adam Grant	In <i>Give and Take</i> , Adam Grant, an award-winning researcher and Wharton's highest-rated professor, examines the surprising forces that shape why some people rise to the top of the success ladder while others sink to the bottom.
Business	Training Camp: What the Best Do Better Than Everyone Else	Jon Gordon	Training Camp is an inspirational story filled with invaluable lessons and insights on bringing out the best in yourself and your team. The story follows Martin, an un-drafted rookie trying to make it in the NFL. He's spent his entire life proving to the critics that a small guy with a big heart can succeed against all odds. After spraining his ankle in the pre-season, Martin thinks his dream is lost when he happens to meet a very special coach who shares eleven life-changing lessons that keep his dream alive.
Business	Sell or Be Sold: How to Get Your Way in Business and in Life	Grant Cardone	In <i>Sell or Be Sold</i> , Cardone breaks down the techniques and approaches necessary to master the art of selling in any avenue. You will learn how to handle rejection, turn around negative situations, shorten sales cycles, and guarantee yourself greatness.
Business	The Experience Economy	Pine & Gilmore	Though the world has changed in many ways since then, the way to a customer's heart has not. In fact, the idea of staging experiences to leave a memorable—and lucrative—impression is now more relevant than ever.
Business	Exactly What to Say: The Magic Words for Influence and Impact	Phil M. Jones	Often the decision between a customer choosing you over someone like you is your ability to know exactly what to say, when to say it, and how to make it count. Phil M. Jones has trained more than two million people across five continents and over fifty countries in the lost art of spoken communication.



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Business	<u>The 360 Leader: Developing Your Influence from Anywhere in the Organization</u>	John Maxwell	In this inspiring call-to-action, the author shows middle managers how to leverage their unique positions and become 360 degree leaders by exercising influence in all directions--up (to the boss), across (among their peers), and down (to those they lead).
Business	<u>Getting Naked</u>	Patrick Lencioni	A Business Fable About Shedding The Three Fears That Sabotage Client Loyalty
Business	<u>Miracle Morning: The Not-So-Obvious Secret Guaranteed to Transform Your Life (Before 8AM)</u>	Hal Elrod	The <i>Miracle Morning</i> is already transforming the lives of tens of thousands of people around the world by showing them how to wake up each day with more ENERGY, MOTIVATION, and FOCUS to take your life to the next level.
Business	<u>The Dictionary of Body Language</u>	Joe Navarro	<i>The Dictionary of Body Language</i> is a pioneering field guide to nonverbal communication, revealing the more than four hundred behaviors that will allow you to gauge anyone's true intentions. Moving from the head down to the feet, Navarro shows the hidden meanings behind what we do. Readers will learn how to tell a person's feelings from changes in their pupils; the lip behaviors that may betray concerns; the different varieties of arm posturing, and what each one means; and many other fascinating insights.
Business	<u>Why Are We Yelling? The Art of Productive Disagreement</u>	Buster Benson	Have you ever walked away from an argument and suddenly thought of all the brilliant things you wish you'd said? Do you avoid certain family members and colleagues because of bitter, festering tension that you can't figure out how to address? Now, finally, there's a solution: a new framework that frees you from the trap of unproductive conflict and pointless arguing forever.
Business	<u>Rise: The Reincarnation of an Entrepreneur</u>	Michael Erath	Michael recounts his remarkable story with brutal honesty and self-reflection. He demonstrates how systemizing a business and building healthy, open, and honest leadership teams can help business leaders free themselves from the control their business has over them and find time to pursue other passions.
Business	<u>The Ride of a Lifetime: Lessons Learned from 15 Years as CEO of the Walt Disney Company</u>	Robert Iger	#1 <i>NEW YORK TIMES</i> BESTSELLER • A grand vision defined: The CEO of Disney, one of Time's most influential people of 2019, shares the ideas and values he embraced to reinvent one of the most beloved companies in the world and inspire the people who bring the magic to life.
Business	<u>Stillness is the Key</u>	Ryan Holiday	In <i>The Obstacle Is the Way</i> and <i>Ego Is the Enemy</i> , bestselling author Ryan Holiday made ancient wisdom wildly popular with a new generation of leaders in sports, politics, and technology. In his new book, <i>Stillness Is the Key</i> , Holiday draws on timeless Stoic and Buddhist philosophy to show why slowing down is the secret weapon for those charging ahead.

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Business	<u>Stories That Stick: How Storytelling Can Captivate Customers, Influence Audiences, and Transform Your Business</u>	Kindra Hall	Telling stories well is a simple, accessible skill anyone can develop. With case studies, company profiles, and anecdotes backed with original research, Hall presents storytelling as the underutilized talent that separates the good from the best in business. She offers specific, actionable steps readers can take to find, craft, and leverage the stories they already have and simply aren't telling.
Business	<u>The Outliers: The Success Story of Malcolm Gladwell</u>	Malcolm Gladwell	In this stunning new book, Malcolm Gladwell takes us on an intellectual journey through the world of "outliers"--the best and the brightest, the most famous and the most successful. He asks the question: what makes high-achievers different?
Business	<u>Talking to Strangers: What We Should Know about the People We Don't Know</u>	Malcolm Gladwell	Malcolm Gladwell, host of the podcast Revisionist History and author of the #1 New York Times bestseller <i>Outliers</i> , offers a powerful examination of our interactions with strangers -- and why they often go wrong.
Business	<u>The Like Switch</u>	Jack Schafer, PhD with Marvin Karlins, PhD	From a former FBI Special Agent specializing in behavior analysis and recruiting spies comes a handbook filled with his proven strategies on how to instantly read people and influence how they perceive you, so you can easily turn on <i>the like switch</i> .
Fatherhood	<u>Beautiful Boy: A Father's Journey Through His Son's Addiction</u>	David Sheff	What had happened to my beautiful boy? To our family? What did I do wrong? Those are the wrenching questions that haunted David Sheff's journey through his son Nic's addiction to drugs and tentative steps toward recovery.
Fiction	<u>The Magician (A Trilogy)</u>	Lev Grossman	The prequel to the <i>New York Times</i> bestselling book <i>The Magician King</i> and the #1 bestseller <i>The Magician's Land</i> , <i>The Magicians</i> is one of the most daring and inventive works of literary fantasy in years. No one who has escaped into the worlds of Narnia and Harry Potter should miss this breathtaking return to the landscape of the imagination.
Fiction	<u>The Christmas Hope: A Novel</u>	Donna VanLiere	Patricia and Mark Addison have long given up the hope of having a meaningful Christmas. But this year, Patricia's job as a social worker will lead her to a very special five-year-old. Against her better judgment, Patricia bends the rules and takes the little girl to her own home. Through the presence of Emily in their house, and her penetrating questions about heaven, the Addisons learn that there is no sorrow so great that faith cannot help you find your way through. And Christmas will once more be a time of joy in their home. THE CHRISTMAS HOPE is a story of love in the face of loss, joy when all seems hopeless, and how light can shine into the darkest places.



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Fiction	<u>The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane</u>	Lisa See	From #1 <i>New York Times</i> bestselling author Lisa See, "one of those special writers capable of delivering both poetry and plot" (<i>The New York Times Book Review</i>), a moving novel about tradition, tea farming, and the bonds between mothers and daughters. A powerful story about circumstances, culture, and distance, <i>The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane</i> paints an unforgettable portrait of a little known region and its people and celebrates the bond of family.
Fiction	<u>Point of Direction</u>	Rachel Weaver	Hitchhiking her way through Alaska, a young woman named Anna is picked up by Kyle, a fisherman. Anna and Kyle quickly fall for each other, as they are both adventurous, fiercely independent, and in love with the raw beauty and solitude of Alaska. What seems the perfect adventure for these two quickly unravels, as closely-held secrets pull them apart, and the surrounding waters threaten uncertain danger. A psychological thriller set against the rugged landscape of coastal Alaska, <i>Point of Direction</i> is an exquisite literary debut.
Fiction	<u>Where the Crawdads Sing</u>	Delia Owens	<i>Where the Crawdads Sing</i> is at once an exquisite ode to the natural world, a heartbreaking coming-of-age story, and a surprising tale of possible murder. Owens reminds us that we are forever shaped by the children we once were, and that we are all subject to the beautiful and violent secrets that nature keeps.
Fiction	<u>Carnegie's Maid: A Novel</u>	Marie Benedict	With captivating insight and heart, <i>Carnegie's Maid</i> tells the story of one brilliant woman who may have spurred Andrew Carnegie's transformation from ruthless industrialist into the world's first true philanthropist.
Fiction	<u>A Gentleman in Moscow</u>	Amor Towles	In 1922, Count Alexander Rostov is deemed an unrepentant aristocrat by a Bolshevik tribunal, and is sentenced to house arrest in the Metropol, a grand hotel across the street from the Kremlin. Rostov, an indomitable man of erudition and wit, has never worked a day in his life, and must now live in an attic room while some of the most tumultuous decades in Russian history are unfolding outside the hotel's doors. Unexpectedly, his reduced circumstances provide him entry into a much larger world of emotional discovery.
Fiction	<u>The Perfect Son</u>	Barbara Claypole	From a distance, Felix Fitzwilliam, the son of an old English family, is a good husband and father. But, obsessed with order and routine, he's a prisoner to perfection. Disengaged from the emotional life of his North Carolina family, Felix has let his wife, Ella, deal with their special-needs son by herself.
Fiction	<u>The Mountain Between Us: A Novel</u>	Charles Martin	When a blizzard strands them in Salt Lake City, two strangers agree to charter a plane together, hoping to return home; Ben Payne is a gifted surgeon returning from a conference, and Ashley Knox, a magazine writer, is en route to her wedding. But when unthinkable tragedy strikes, the pair find themselves stranded in Utah's most remote wilderness in the dead of winter, badly injured and miles from civilization.

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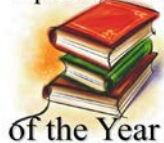
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Fiction	The Oysterville Sewing Circle	Susan Wiggs	Caroline returns to her favorite place: the sewing shop owned by Mrs. Lindy Bloom, the woman who inspired her and taught her to sew. There she discovers that even in an idyllic beach town, there are women living with the deepest of secrets. Thus begins the Oysterville Sewing Circle—where women can join forces to support each other through the troubles they keep hidden.
Fiction	Cutting for Stone	Abraham Verghese	Marion and Shiva Stone are twin brothers born of a secret union between a beautiful Indian nun and a brash British surgeon. Orphaned by their mother’s death and their father’s disappearance, bound together by a preternatural connection and a shared fascination with medicine, the twins come of age as Ethiopia hovers on the brink of revolution. Moving from Addis Ababa to New York City and back again, <i>Cutting for Stone</i> is an unforgettable story of love and betrayal, medicine and ordinary miracles--and two brothers whose fates are forever intertwined.
Health and Wellness	Brain Lash: Maximize Your Recovery From Mild Brain Injury	Gail L. Denton, PhD	<i>Brainlash</i> provides the tools and facts to make the recovery process more intelligible-- and to support the wide range of people affected by MTBI.
Health and Wellness	The Case Against Sugar	Gary Taubes	From the best-selling author of <i>Why We Get Fat</i> , a groundbreaking, eye-opening exposé that makes the convincing case that sugar is the tobacco of the new millennium: backed by powerful lobbies, entrenched in our lives, and making us very sick.
Health and Wellness	Hashimoto's Thyroiditis	Izabella Wentz	What’s Really Going on in Hashimoto’s? Hashimoto's is more than just hypothyroidism. Most patients with Hashimoto's will present with acid reflux, nutrient deficiencies, anemia, intestinal permeability, food sensitivities, gum disorders and hypoglycemia in addition to the “typical” hypothyroid symptoms such as weight gain, cold intolerance, hair loss, fatigue and constipation. The body becomes stuck in a vicious cycle.
Health and Wellness	The Heart Speaks: A Cardiologist Reveals the Secret Language of Healing	Mimi Guarneri M.D.	In <i>The Heart Speaks</i> , Dr. Mimi Guarneri reveals groundbreaking new research that the heart is a multilayered, complex organ, possessing intelligence, memory, and decision-making abilities independent from the mind—and that healing the heart can have more to do with healing the mind and soul than we ever knew.
Health and Wellness	Emotional Intelligence: Why It Can Matter More than IQ	Daniel Coleman	Through vivid examples, Goleman delineates the five crucial skills of emotional intelligence, and shows how they determine our success in relationships, work, and even our physical well-being. What emerges is an entirely new way to talk about being smart.

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Health and Wellness	Creating Moments of Joy Along the Alzheimer's Journey	Jolene Brackey	When people have short-term memory loss, their lives are made up of moments. We are not able to create perfectly wonderful days for people with dementia or Alzheimer's, but we can create perfectly wonderful moments, moments that put a smile on their faces and a twinkle in their eyes.
Historical Fiction	The Girl from the Train	Irma Joubert	Six-year-old Gretl Schmidt is on a train bound for Aushwitz. Jakób Kowalski is planting a bomb on the tracks.
Historical Fiction	The Tattooist of Auschwitz	Heather Morris	This beautiful, illuminating tale of hope and courage is based on interviews that were conducted with Holocaust survivor and Auschwitz-Birkenau tattooist Ludwig (Lale) Sokolov—an unforgettable love story in the midst of atrophy.
Historical Fiction	Orphan Train	Christina Baker Kline	Moving between contemporary Maine and Depression-era Minnesota, <i>Orphan Train</i> is a powerful novel of upheaval and resilience, of second chances, and unexpected friendship.
Historical Fiction	Love and Other Consolation Prizes	Jamie Ford	For twelve-year-old Ernest Young, a charity student at a boarding school, the chance to go to the World's Fair feels like a gift. But only once he's there, amid the exotic exhibits, fireworks, and Ferris wheels, does he discover that <i>he</i> is the one who is actually the prize. The half-Chinese orphan is astounded to learn he will be raffled off—a healthy boy “to a good home.”
Historical Fiction	Another Woman's Daughter	Fiona Sussman	Set against the tumultuous background of apartheid South Africa, a powerful and moving debut about family, sacrifice, and discovering what it means to belong...
Historical Fiction	A Rose for the Crown	Anne Easter Smith	As Kate Haute moves from her peasant roots to the luxurious palaces of England, her path is inextricably intertwined with that of Richard, Duke of Gloucester, later King Richard III. Although they could never marry, their young passion grows into a love th
Historical Fiction	Hannah Fowler	Janice Holt Giles	In the novel <i>Hannah Fowler</i> , Janice Holt Giles created a pioneer woman who would, In Giles's words, "endow her own physical seed with her strength and courage, and her own tenderness and love." First published in 1956, this work is the second in Giles's series of historical novels on Kentucky, which includes <i>The Kentuckians</i> and <i>The Believers</i> .
Historical Fiction	Tisha: The Wonderful True Love Story of a Young Teacher in the Alaskan Wilderness		Anne Hobbs was only nineteen in 1927 when she came to harsh and beautiful Alaska. Running a ramshackle schoolhouse would expose her to more than just the elements. After she allowed Native American children into her class and fell in love with a half-Inuit man, she would learn the meanings of prejudice and perseverance, irrational hatred and unconditional love. “People get as mean as the weather,” she discovered, but they were also capable of great good.

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Historical Fiction

[Roots: The Saga of an American Family](#)

Alex Haley

It begins with a birth in an African village in 1750, and ends two centuries later at a funeral in Arkansas. And in that time span, an unforgettable cast of men, women, and children come to life, many of them based on the people from Alex Haley's own family tree. Roots is based on the facts of his ancestry, and the six generations of people - slaves and freedmen, farmers and lawyers, an architect, teacher, and one acclaimed author - descended from Kunta Kinte.

Historical Fiction

[Dragonfruit](#)

Malia Mattoch McManus

Dragonfruit is both a vivid portrait of Hawai'i in a time of historic upheaval and the story of a woman shaped by love, betrayal, and the intoxicating power of the past.

Historical Fiction

[The Invention of Wings](#)

Sue Monk Kidd

This exquisitely written novel is a triumph of storytelling that looks with unswerving eyes at a devastating wound in American history, through women whose struggles for liberation, empowerment, and expression will leave no reader unmoved.

Historical Fiction

[The Last Train to London](#)

Meg Waite Clayton

The New York Times bestselling author of Beautiful Exiles conjures her best novel yet, a pre-World War II-era story with the emotional resonance of *Orphan Train* and *All the Light We Cannot See*, centering on the Kindertransports that carried thousands of children out of Nazi-occupied Europe—and one brave woman who helped them escape to safety.

History

[Across the Fence](#)

John Stryker Meyer

The Secret War in Vietnam. For eight years, far beyond the battlefields of Vietnam and the glare of media distortions, American Green Berets fought a deadly secret war in Laos and Cambodia under the aegis of the top secret Military Assistance Command Vietnam – Studies and Observations Group, or SOG. Go deep into the jungle with five SOG warriors surrounded by 10,000 enemy troops as they stack up the dead to build a human buttress for protection.

History

[Eichmann in My Hands: A First-Person Account by the Israeli Agent Who Captured Hitler's Chief Executioner](#)

Peter Z. Malkin and Harry Stein

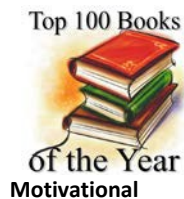
In 1960 Argentina, a covert team of Israeli agents hunted down the most elusive war criminal alive: Adolf Eichmann, chief architect of the Holocaust.

Human Rights

[God's Double Agent](#)

Bob Fu

Tens of millions of Christians live in China today, many of them leading double lives or in hiding from a government that relentlessly persecutes them. Bob Fu, whom the *Wall Street Journal* called "The pastor of China's underground railroad," is fighting to protect his fellow believers from persecution, imprisonment, and even death. *God's Double Agent* is his fascinating and riveting story.



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Motivational	<u>Can't Hurt Me: Master Your Mind and Defy the Odds</u>	David Goggins	For David Goggins, childhood was a nightmare - poverty, prejudice, and physical abuse colored his days and haunted his nights. But through self-discipline, mental toughness, and hard work, Goggins transformed himself from a depressed, overweight young man with no future into a US Armed Forces icon and one of the world's top endurance athletes.
Motivational	<u>The Five Lessons a Millionaire Taught Me About Life and Wealth</u>	Richard Paul Evans	When Richard Paul Evans was twelve, his father, a building contractor, shattered both his legs. With no insurance, no income, and eight children, the family was destitute. At that difficult time young Evans was introduced to a kind multimillionaire who taught him the five secrets of wealth. Today, Evans credits those lessons not just with bringing him wealth and success but with bringing him freedom and opportunity in a world where financial slavery is ubiquitous.
Motivational	<u>A Curious Mind</u>	Brian Grazer, Charles Fishman	<i>A Curious Mind</i> is not only a fascinating page-turner—it also offers a blueprint for how we can awaken our own curiosity and use it as a superpower in our lives. Whether you're looking to strengthen your management style at work, uncover a new source of creativity, or become a better romantic partner, this book—and its lessons on the power of curiosity—can change your life.
Motivational	<u>12 Rules for Life: An Antidote to Chaos</u>	Jordan B. Peterson	Dr. Peterson journeys broadly, discussing discipline, freedom, adventure and responsibility, distilling the world's wisdom into 12 practical and profound rules for life. <i>12 Rules for Life</i> shatters the modern commonplaces of science, faith and human nature, while transforming and ennobling the mind and spirit of its readers.
Non-Fiction	<u>Silent No More: Victim 1's Fight for Justice Against Jerry Sandusky</u>	Aaron Fisher	In <i>Silent No More</i> , Aaron Fisher recounts his harrowing quest to bring Sandusky's crimes to light—from the intense feelings of guilt that kept him from speaking up earlier and the fear he felt at accusing a man who was a pillar of the community and a hero to the largest alumni network in the world, to the infuriating delays in the arrest and conviction of his abuser.
Non-Fiction	<u>I Wasn't Strong Like This When I Started Out: True Stories of Becoming a Nurse</u>	Lee Gutkind	This collection of true narratives reflects the dynamism and diversity of nurses, who provide the first vital line of patient care. Here, nurses remember their first "sticks," first births, and first deaths, and reflect on what gets them through long, demanding shifts, and keeps them in the profession. The stories reveal many voices from nurses at different stages of their careers.



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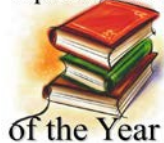
Non-Fiction	The Way I Heard It	Mike Rowe	<i>The Way I Heard It</i> presents thirty-five mysteries “for the curious mind with a short attention span.” Every one is a trueish tale about someone you know, filled with facts that you don’t. Movie stars, presidents, bloody do-gooders, and villains—they’re all here, waiting to shake your hand, hoping you’ll remember them. Delivered with Mike’s signature blend of charm, wit, and ingenuity, their stories are part of a larger mosaic—a memoir full of surprising revelations, sharp observations, and intimate, behind-the-scenes moments drawn from Mike’s own remarkable life and career.
Non-Fiction	Not Without My Daughter: The Harrowing True Story of a Mother's Courage	Betty Mahmoody	In August 1984, Michigan housewife Betty Mahmoody accompanied her husband to his native Iran for a two-week vacation. To her horror, she found herself and her four-year-old daughter, Mahtob, virtual prisoners of a man rededicated to his Shiite Moslem faith, in a land where women are near-slaves and Americans are despised. Their only hope for escape lay in a dangerous underground that would not take her child...
Non-Fiction	The Brave Learner: Finding Everyday Magic in Homeschool, Learning, and Life	Julie Bogart	In this book, Julie Bogart distills decades of experience--homeschooling her five now grown children, developing curricula, and training homeschooling families around the world--to show parents how to make education an exciting, even enchanting, experience for their kids, whether they're in elementary or high school.
Non-Fiction	Just Mercy	Bryan Stevenson	Bryan Stevenson was a young lawyer when he founded the Equal Justice Initiative, a legal practice dedicated to defending those most desperate and in need: the poor, the wrongly condemned, and women and children trapped in the farthest reaches of our criminal justice system.
Non-Fiction	Small Scale Poultry Flock	Harvey	An All-Natural Approach to Raising Chickens and Other Fowl for Home and Market Growers
Non-Fiction	Run, Mommy, Run	Cathy Glass	From the author of Sunday Times and New York Times bestseller <i>Damaged</i> , the gripping story of a woman caught in a horrific cycle of abuse - and the desperate lengths she must go to, to escape.
Non-Fiction	The Outsiders	S.E.Hinton	<i>The Outsiders</i> is a dramatic and enduring work of fiction that laid the groundwork for the YA genre. S. E. Hinton's classic story of a boy who finds himself on the outskirts of regular society remains as powerful today as it was the day it was first published.
Novel	Everything I Never Told You: A Novel	Celest Ng	A profoundly moving story of family, secrets, and longing, <i>Everything I Never Told You</i> is both a gripping page-turner and a sensitive family portrait, uncovering the ways in which mothers and daughters, fathers and sons, and husbands and wives struggle, all their lives, to understand one another.



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Politics	Checkpoint Charlie: The Cold War, The Berlin Wall, and the Most Dangerous Place On Earth	Iain MacGregor	A powerful, fascinating, and groundbreaking history of Checkpoint Charlie, the famous military gate on the border of East and West Berlin where the United States confronted the USSR during the Cold War.
Politics	The Creature from Jekyll Island: A Second Look at the Federal Reserve	G. Edward Griffin	Where does money come from? Where does it go? Who makes it? The money magicians' secrets are unveiled. We get a close look at their mirrors and smoke machines, their pulleys, cogs, and wheels that create the grand illusion called money. A dry and boring subject? Just wait! You'll be hooked in five minutes.
Relationships	Hold Me Tight: Seven Conversations for a Lifetime of Love	Dr. Sue Johnson	In <i>Hold me Tight</i> , Dr. Sue Johnson presents Emotionally Focused Therapy to the general public for the first time. Johnson teaches that the way to save and enrich a relationship is to reestablish safe emotional connection and preserve the attachment bond. With this in mind, she focuses on key moments in a relationship and uses them as touchpoints for seven healing conversations.
Self Help	Wherever You Go, There You Are	Jon Kabat-Zinn	Mindfulness Meditation in Everyday Life
Self Help	Daring Greatly: How the Courage to Be Vulnerable Transforms the Way We Live, Love, Parent, and Lead	Brene Brown	Every day we experience the uncertainty, risks, and emotional exposure that define what it means to be vulnerable or to dare greatly. Based on twelve years of pioneering research, Brené Brown PhD, LCSW, dispels the cultural myth that vulnerability is weakness and argues that it is, in truth, our most accurate measure of courage.
Self Help	Grief Day by Day: Simple Practices and Daily Guidance for Living with Loss	Jan Warner	<i>Grief Day by Day</i> offers supportive readings and exercises to help you move through life after loss, one day at a time.
Self Improvement	Alcohol Lied to Me	Craig Beck	All these 'willpower' based attempts to stop drinking failed (exactly as they were destined to do). Slowly he discovered the truth about alcohol addiction & one by one all the lies he had previously believed started to fall apart. For the first time, he noticed that he genuinely didn't want to drink anymore. In this book, he will lead you through the same fantastic process
Self Improvement	Mindset: The New Psychology of Success	Carol Dweck	After decades of research, world-renowned Stanford University psychologist Carol S. Dweck, Ph.D., discovered a simple but groundbreaking idea: the power of mindset. In this brilliant book, she shows how success in school, work, sports, the arts, and almost every area of human endeavor can be dramatically influenced by how we think about our talents and abilities.
Self Improvement	It's Just My Nature	Carol Tuttle	A Guide to Knowing and Living Your True Nature

Top 100 Books



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Self Improvement	<u>Change Your Brain, Change Your Life</u>	Daniel G. Amen	The Breakthrough Program for Conquering Anxiety, Depression, Obsessiveness, Lack of Focus, Anger, and Memory Problems
Self Improvement	<u>The Finnish Way: Finding Courage, Wellness, and Happiness Through the Power of Sisu</u>	Katja Panzer	An engaging and practical guided tour of the simple and nature-inspired ways that Finns stay happy and healthy—including the powerful concept of <i>sisu</i> , or everyday courage.
Self Improvement	<u>Elastic Habits: How to Create Smarter Habits That Adapt to Your Day</u>	Stephen Guise	In your journey to form better habits for a better life, you will face figurative <i>elephant and grizzly bear attacks</i> . They take form as depression, demotivation, fatigue, distraction, health problems, and busyness, and they constantly threaten to derail you. What is the ideal response?
Self Improvement	<u>Who Ordered This Truckload of Dung?: Inspiring Stories for Welcoming Life's Difficulties</u>	Ajahn Brahm	The 108 pieces in the international bestseller <i>Who Ordered This Truckload of Dung?</i> offer thoughtful commentary on everything from love and commitment to fear and pain. Drawing from his own life experience, as well as traditional Buddhist folk tales, author Ajahn Brahm uses over thirty years of spiritual growth as a monk to spin delightful tales that can be enjoyed in silence or read aloud to friends and family.
Self Improvement	<u>Best Self: Be You, Only Better</u>	Mike Bayer	Are you thriving, or going through the motions? Are your days full of work, relationships and activities that are true to your authentic self, or do you feel trapped on a treadmill of responsibility? If you dream of a better life, now is the time to turn your dream into reality. And the tools you need are within your grasp, to design a life that is fulfilling on the deepest levels. <i>Best Self</i> will show you how.
True Crime	<u>The Lost Girls: The Lost Girls: The True Story of the Cleveland Abductions and the Incredible Rescue of Michelle Knight, Amanda Berry, and Gina DeJesus</u>	John Glatt	They were held in brutal captivity—and managed to make it out alive. This is their story.
True Life Adventure	<u>Miracle in the Andes: 72 Days on the Mountain and My Long Trek Home</u>	Nando Parrado	Thirty years after the disaster Nando tells his story with remarkable candor and depth of feeling. <i>Miracle in the Andes</i> —a first person account of the crash and its aftermath—is more than a riveting tale of true-life adventure: it is a revealing look at life at the edge of death and a meditation on the limitless redemptive power of love.