

Recent Arrivals in
Large Print
Spring 2014

Library News & Information

VOTE!

Spokane Valley libraries are on the ballot this April. The election will be held April 22, 2014. There are two propositions:

Voters will be asked to form a Spokane Valley Library Capital Facility Area (SVLCFA). This means taxes paid by Valley residents stay in the area to build Valley libraries.

Voters will also be asked to fund the SVLCFA bond issue for \$22 million for 20 years.

- A new 30,000 sq. ft. Spokane Valley Library on Sprague Avenue near Balfour Park, estimated at \$15 million;
- A new 10,000 sq. ft. library on Conklin Road in Greenacres, estimated at \$5 million; and
- A 6,000 sq. ft. expansion of the Argonne Library, estimated at \$2 million.

Cost To Homeowners

The Spokane County Library District requests a dedicated bond for new library buildings at a rate of 14¢ per \$1000 of assessed property value for 20 years.

\$100,000 home...approximately \$14 in 2014

Food for Fines Returns!

The Library District announces the 2nd annual Food for Fines during National Library Week, April 13-19, 2014.

For every non-perishable item of food, \$1 will be forgiven from a cardholder's account, up to a maximum of \$10 per card.

Last year, staff welcomed hundreds of members who donated 5017 pounds of food to 2nd Harvest and other regional food banks serving Spokane County. In many cases, our generous members contributed much more to the food barrels than needed to pay their fines.

This April watch for the food bins at your neighborhood County library and take a bite out of your fines!

Hope in Hard Times

Washington State has seen its share of hard times, from the Great Depression to the challenges of today. Economic hard times have always forced people to get creative, finding ways to maintain quality of life in the midst of difficulty.

To celebrate the grit and ingenuity of the people of the Great Depression, the Library District presents a selection of programs: from hands-on ideas for making the most of your resources, and turning flea market into fabulous, to the history of distilling, to stories about the people and hardship during the Great Depression. Whatever your interest, we think you'll find a little hope with your name on it.

The KEY to our collection!

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Outreach Services are designed for those in the community who are unable to visit any of the District's 10 libraries. Outreach also acts as the local liaison for Washington Talking Book & Braille Library.

AIRWAY HEIGHTS
509.893.8250

CHENEY
509.893.8280

FAIRFIELD
509.893.8320

MORAN PRAIRIE
509.893.8340

OTIS ORCHARDS
509.893.8390

ARGONNE
509.893.8260

DEER PARK
509.893.8300

MEDICAL LAKE
509.893.8330

NORTH SPOKANE
509.893.8350

SPOKANE VALLEY
509.893.8400

FICTION

ALLENDE, Isabel

RIPPER

Amanda is the teenage daughter of SFPD's deputy chief of homicide and an avid online mystery game player. When a string of murders occurs, Amanda decides to investigate. A decision that could be deadly.

658 pages PB CD DAB EB

ATKINS, Ace

THE RANGER

Former Army Ranger Quinn Colson returned to his Mississippi hometown to find it overrun with violence, corruption, and decay. There is no one more suited to straighten things out than an Army Ranger.

455 pages HB

ATKINS, Ace

THE LOST ONES

New Tibbehah County Sheriff, Quinn Colson, and his deputy have been called to investigate suspected child abuse. A case that will involve guns, human trafficking, and the nastiest drug cartel in southern Texas.

488 pages HB

BARKER, Emily Croy

THE THINKING WOMAN'S GUIDE TO REAL MAGIC

Nora, a university student whose life is falling apart, wanders through a portal into another realm. Suddenly she is glamorous and popular, but surviving requires skills they don't teach in grad school.

993 pages HB CD MP3CD EB

BERENSON, Alex

THE COUNTERFEIT AGENT

John Wells once worked for the CIA. When a terrorist threat from a seemingly reliable source has the government scrambling, his former boss sends Wells on a private mission to discover what's really going on.

585 pages HB CD

BRENNAN, Allison

COLD SNAP

On his way home, P.I. Patrick Kincaid takes a detour and ends up running from good guys and bad. Meanwhile, a blizzard has stranded Lucy Kincaid in a Denver hotel with her boyfriend and a dead body.

447 pages HB DAB

BROOKS, Terry

WITCH WRAITH

The barrier that protects the Four Lands from evil has been breached. A young elf named Arling has the power to close the breach, but first she must escape her captors.

675 pages HB EB DAB CD

BRUNSTETTER, Wanda E.

TWICE LOVED

Widow Bev Winters is thankful to take a job in a used toy shop. She couldn't know that the job would change her life.

220 pages HB EB

CHIAVERINI, Jennifer

MRS. LINCOLN'S RIVAL

Women in the 19th century could only play a background role in politics. Kate Chase Sprague and Mary Todd Lincoln were such women, wielding power behind the scenes with much in common, but were never friends.

737 pages HB CD

CLANCY, Tom

COMMAND AUTHORITY

Years ago Jack Ryan, Sr. stirred up a hornets nest with the KGB, but never found the killer he was chasing. Now Jack Ryan, Jr. must untangle a 30-year-old conflict and finish what his father started.

783 pages HB CD EB DAB

COLLINS, Jackie

CONFESSIONS OF A WILD CHILD

Lucky is the 15-year-old daughter of Gino Santangelo. Cloistered in a Bel Air mansion as a child, Lucky is ready to experience the world where she will grow into the powerful woman she is destined to be.

339 pages HB CD DAB

FICTION

COOK, Robin

CELL

Dr. George Wilson is shocked to learn that several people died during the beta test of a smartphone app that can diagnose and treat patients. Why is he the only one concerned?

573 pages HB CD EB

CULLEN, Lynn

MRS. POE

Struggling poet Frances Osgood is mistress to Edgar Allan Poe, a friend to his wife and a woman whose life is becoming as twisted as one of Poe's tales.

487 pages HB

CUSSLER, Clive

THE BOOTLEGGER

With both Prohibition and bootlegging in full swing, Isaac Bell is hunting lawbreakers. These are not ordinary criminals, but Bolshevik assassins with more than rum-running on their agenda.

539 pages HB CD

GARDNER, Lisa

BRANDON'S BRIDE

Hotshot firefighter, Brandon Ferringer, is trying to unravel the mystery of his father's disappearance. His landlord, Victoria, is becoming a distraction. Soon Brandon's search could be dangerous for both of them.

349 pages HB CD

GARDNER, Lisa

FEAR NOTHING

Boston Detective D.D. Warren can't remember the face of the attacker that put her in the hospital. Unfortunately her attacker is playing a game, and it's a game that D.D. must win.

637 pages HB CD EB

GRIFFIN, W.E.B

HAZARDOUS DUTY

President Clendennen forcibly retired Colonel Charley Castillo. Now drug cartels and Somali pirates are getting out of hand and he wants Castillo back. Unfortunately, Castillo and his men may have other plans.

566 pages HB CD

HIGGINS, Jack

THE DEATH TRADE

The family of a brilliant nuclear scientist will die if he doesn't turn his research over to terrorists. It's up to an elite British intelligence force to save the scientist, his family, and possibly the world.

409 pages HB CD MP3CD EB

HOOOPER, Kay

HOSTAGE

The Special Crimes Unit is looking for Cole Jacoby, an escaped felon. Jacoby is reported to have psychic powers. The Unit will need all their special skills, because Jacoby is steeped in evil.

347 pages HB CD

HORAN, Nancy

UNDER THE WIDE AND STARRY SKY

In the late 1800s, Scottish writer Robert Louis Stevenson met Fanny Osbourne. Thus began a story of fierce love, deep darkness, and intense joy that spanned decades and the globe.

720 pages PB CD DAB

HURWITZ, Gregg

TELL NO LIES

Daniel left behind his old-money family to counsel paroled ex-cons. When he finds a threatening note intended for someone else in his work mailbox, his life takes a turn toward terror.

583 pages HB

JIO, Sarah

MORNING GLORY

In a community of houseboats on Seattle's Lake Union, Ada is settling into her new home. A trunk left behind by a previous tenant has Ada fascinated. But why won't her neighbors answer her questions?

352 pages HB CD

KELLERMAN, Jonathan

KILLER

Psychologist and police consultant Dr. Alex Delaware has dealt with his share of psychopaths. When a child custody case erupts into murder, Alex must use all his skills because a child's life hangs in the balance.

433 pages PB CD DAB

FICTION

KENEALLY, Thomas

THE DAUGHTERS OF MARS

Australian sisters, Naomi and Sally Durance, volunteered as nurses in 1915 to escape life on their father's farm. Nothing prepared them for the misery they would face or the courage they would find in themselves.

795 pages HB

KIDD, Sue Monk

THE INVENTION OF WINGS

In 1803 for her 11th birthday, Sarah was given ownership of a 10-year-old slave girl named Handful. Appalled, but resigned, Sarah's decisions in the years to come would define and intertwine their lives.

651 pages HB CD EB

KOONTZ, Dean

INNOCENCE

She is a fugitive from vicious enemies. He lives in solitude beneath a city that would destroy him. Brought together by destiny, they have each other in a world about to change forever.

498 pages HB EB MP3CD CD

LINDSAY, Jeff

DEXTER'S FINAL CUT

Miami P.D. blood spatter analyst Dexter Morgan has a secret life, hunting down killers that have escaped justice. Unfortunately, a Hollywood actor shadowing Dexter to research a part is a little too interested.

559 pages HB CD DAB EB

MARGOLIN, Phillip

WORTHY BROWN'S DAUGHTER

In the newly created state of Oregon, lawyer Matthew Penny has agreed to help freed slave Worthy Brown rescue his daughter from her current master. An action that could send one or both to the hangman.

430 pages PB CD DAB

MCCALL SMITH, Alexander

THE FOREVER GIRL

The idyllic life on Grand Cayman Island shapes this story of Amanda and David and their children. It is a story of humor and heartbreak and shows the many ways that love can shape our lives.

389 pages PB CD

MCCALL SMITH, Alexander

BERTIE PLAYS THE BLUES

The residents of 44 Scotland Street are in the midst of change. Matthew and Elspeth have new triplets, Angus and Domenica are merging households, and Bertie decides to put himself up for adoption on eBay.

399 pages HB CD

MICHAELS, Fern

BLINDSIDED

The women of the Sisterhood are planning a campaign against two corrupt judges. These men have power and money, but the Sisterhood also has friends in high places.

453 pages HB CD EB

MORIARTY, Liane

THE HUSBAND'S SECRET

Cecilia Fitzpatrick is successful in business and a devoted wife and mother, but the accidental discovery of a letter written by her husband is about to turn her world upside down.

565 pages HB CD DAB

MORRIS, Gilbert

GATE OF HIS ENEMIES

As the Civil War begins, families are struggling with divided loyalties. Deborah Steel believes in the Union but loves Confederate officer Dent Rocklin. Only faith can provide the courage they will need to survive.

531 pages HB CD DAB

MORRIS, Gilbert

A COVENANT OF LOVE

The Rocklin family is struggling with the experience of the Civil War. Clay and Gideon Rocklin are also vying for the hand of Melanie Benton. When she makes her choice the whole family is shocked by the results.

561 pages HB CD DAB

O'FLYNN, Catherine

MR. LYNCH'S HOLIDAY

Retired and recently widowed Dermot Lynch decided on a whim to visit his son in Spain. The small community of ex-pats at first seems quaint, but soon they uncover a shocking secret.

395 pages HB

FICTION

OATES, Joyce Carol

CARTHAGE

Cressida Mayfield has disappeared into the wilds of the Adirondacks. The search unravels the story of a girl long exiled from family, and a decorated veteran dealing with unspeakable memories of war.

751 pages PB CD DAB EB

OKE, Janette

WHERE COURAGE CALLS

Inspired by a favorite aunt, Beth accepted a position to teach in a Canadian frontier town. But the challenge is greater than anticipated and only her faith in God can sustain her.

447 pages PB

PATTERSON, James

PRIVATE L.A.

Jack Morgan and Justine Smith have been hired to investigate the disappearance of a Hollywood power couple. They find that glitz and glamor can cover lots of dirt.

591 pages HB CD DAB

PATTON, Lisa

SOUTHERN AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Leelee Satterfield has moved back to Tennessee. Her plan to open a restaurant in her hometown isn't running as smoothly as she had hoped because everyone from her neighbor to the town gossip wants to be involved.

505 pages HB

QUINDLEN, Anna

STILL LIFE WITH BREAD CRUMBS

Rebecca's once brilliant career as a photographer is beginning to descend. Moving to the country to save money, she soon learns that a life without glitz and glamor may be the most satisfying life of all.

338 pages PB CD EB

REICH, Christopher

THE PRINCE OF RISK

Bobby Astor is a successful hedge fund manager. A cryptic text sent from his father seconds before he is killed snares Bobby in a web that threatens the U.S. financial security.

549 pages HB CD DAB

ROBARDS, Karen

HUNTED

Caroline is a hostage negotiator for the New Orleans PD. When she is taken hostage by Reed Ware, she discovers that he is trying to expose corruption in city government, and they may not live to tell the tale.

517 pages HB CD

ROLLINS, James

INNOCENT BLOOD

Erin Granger again joins forces with the Sanguines, an order of immortals founded on the blood of Christ. They must protect a young boy from a evil that threatens the fate of mankind.

716 pages PB CD

SANDFORD, John

STORM FRONT

Virgil Flowers made wisecracks about the Da Vinci Code and ancient relics when told he was to have a visit from an Israeli cop. But it's no joke, there are vicious criminals heading his way.

422 pages HB EB

SETTERFIELD, Diane

BELLMAN & BLACK

When he was 10 years old, William Bellman aimed his slingshot at a rook in a tree and killed it. He never imagined this childhood indiscretion would shape his future and introduce him to the mysterious Mr. Black.

430 pages HB CD

SMITH, April

A STAR FOR MRS. BLAKE

In the 1930s, five American women traveled to France to visit the graves of their sons who died in WWI. At first strangers, their lives will become entwined by grief, friendship, and eventually by healing.

511 pages HB CD DAB EB

TAYLOR, Brad

THE POLARIS PROTOCOL

Anti-terrorist operatives Pike Logan and Jennifer Cahill are searching for Jennifer's kidnapped brother Jack. They soon learn Jack is a pawn in an attempt to take down the U.S. government.

625 pages HB CD EB

MYSTERY

ANDREWS, Mary Kay

HEART TROUBLE

PI and small business owner Callahan Garrity, has her hands full with her business, her elderly mother, and extended family. Now she's tracking the murderer of a woman everyone loves to hate.

401 pages PB CD DAB

BEATON, M.C.

DEATH OF A POLICEMAN

Detective Chief Inspector Blair has sent a police officer to dig up dirt on Sergeant Hamish Macbeth. When the officer is murdered it's Hamish who must solve the case, or become the next victim.

341 pages HB CD DAB EB

BENN, James R.

A BLIND GODDESS

Newly promoted Army Captain Billy Boyle is back in England after a mission in Italy in 1944. He's due a little R&R, but British Intelligence needs his help with a delicate matter that might be murder.

517 pages PB EB

BRADLEY, Alan

THE DEAD IN THEIR VAULTED ARCHES

As Flavia de Luce and her family are waiting at the station for the return of her long-lost mother, a stranger whispers a cryptic message to Flavia, and then is killed by the train. Was his death an accident?

395 pages HB DAB EB CD

CAMILLERI, Andrea

TREASURE HUNT

Inspector Montalbano is being hailed as a hero for capturing a pair of snipers. Soon after, he begins receiving cryptic messages which at first are amusing, but then become frightening.

333 pages PB DAB

CARL, JoAnna

THE CHOCOLATE BOOK BANDIT

Lee McKinney Woodyard, chocolate shop owner and prospective library board member, is shocked by a murder at a library board meeting. Everyone present is a suspect, and most have something to hide.

317 pages HB

CHRISTIE, Agatha

THE MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR AT STYLES

Convalescing from injuries sustained at the Front, Lieutenant Hastings is staying at Styles Court. When his hostess is poisoned everyone is suspect. Hercule Poirot, with Hastings help, has much to uncover.

316 pages HB CD DAB EB

CLARK, Mary Jane

THAT OLD BLACK MAGIC

Actress and cake decorator Piper Donovan is in New Orleans to practice both of her professions. Unfortunately, she will also be able to pursue another interest: Tracking down a killer.

401 pages PB

CORNWELL, Patricia

DUST

Kay Scarpetta, Chief Medical Examiner for the state of Massachusetts, is investigating a strange murder that may have a connection to her brilliant but troubled niece, Lucy.

669 pages HB CD EB

DOUGLAS, Carole Nelson

CAT IN AN ALIEN X-RAY

Midnight Louie, feline PI and companion to Miss Temple Barr, has his work cut out for him when his people encounter some sinister UFO enthusiasts that have gathered in Las Vegas for a convention.

542 pages HB DAB

DUNN, Carola

HEIRS OF THE BODY

Edgar, Lord Dalrymple, has no children so he is searching his relations for an heir. Cousin Daisy Dalrymple Fletcher is interviewing potential claimants. Unfortunately, one of them could be a murderer.

423 pages HB

EVANOVICH, Janet

THE CHASE

Renowned thief and con artist, Nicolas Fox, has managed to convince the FBI to partner him with Special Agent Kate O'Hare. Their mission: bring down the world's most untouchable criminals.

368 pages PB CD EB DAB

MYSTERY

HART, Carolyn

GHOST GONE WILD

Bailey Ruth is a ghost who serves as an emissary from Heaven's Department of Good Intentions. She's returned to her hometown to save Nick Magruder, and then finds she can't get back. What gives?

443 pages HB DAB EB

INHERIT THE DEAD

Perry Christo is a PI with a sketchy past. A seemingly straightforward case for a wealthy matron soon has him traversing New York's mean streets and the less glamorous roads of the Hamptons.

403 pages HB CD

JANCE, J.A.

MOVING TARGET

Lance Tucker, a computer whiz currently in juvenile detention, has been severely burned. Authorities say he did it to himself, but B. Simpson disagrees because Lance has some skills criminals would do anything to control.

539 pages HB CD

LIPPMAN, Laura

AFTER I'M GONE

Retired detective Roberto Sanchez is investigating a 26-year-old cold case murder of a woman. What he discovers is a web of greed, jealousy, and longing that stretches over 50 years.

459 pages PB CD DAB EB

MALLIET, G. M.

PAGAN SPRING

Vicar Max Tudor is enjoying the calm of spring in Nether Monkship. When a guest at a dinner party he attended is murdered, Max knows that he must be the one to restore peace to his little English village.

467 pages HB DAB

MULLER, Marcia

THE SPOOK LIGHTS AFFAIR

In 1895, a San Francisco debutante leapt from a parapet to her death and then her body disappeared. The investigations of Carpenter and Quincannon take them to the seedy underbelly of the city to find out why.

343 pages HB DAB

MURPHY, Shirley Rousseau

THE CAT, THE DEVIL AND LEE FONTANA

Recent parolee, Lee Fontana, is tempted by Satan to pull one more heist. Trying to live honestly, he is continually tempted. But Lee has an ally. A ghost cat named Misto with tricks of his own.

400 pages PB

PERRY, Anne

A CHRISTMAS HOPE

One of the volunteers at Hester Monk's clinic for prostitutes, Claudine Burroughs, is attracted to poet Dai Tregarron at a Christmas gala. Unfortunately Dai will soon be accused of murder.

366 pages HB CD DAB EB

RANKIN, Ian

SAINTS OF THE SHADOW BIBLE

D.S. Rebus is back on the Edinburgh police force with a demotion and a bad attitude. An unsolved case he was involved in is being reopened. Do Rebus and his crew from back then have something to hide?

595 pages HB CD

ROBB, J.D.

CONCEALED IN DEATH

Demolition of a New York building revealed skeletons of teenaged girls. Now it's up to NYPD Lieutenant Eve Dallas to figure out what happened long ago in what was supposed to be a place of safety.

573 pages HB CD MP3CD EB

ROSENFELT, David

UNLEASHED

Attorney Andy Carpenter and accountant Sam Willis were heading to the home of a friend who needs their help. Delayed by an injured dog, they arrive too late and wind up in a murder investigation.

413 pages HB

SHARP, Deborah

MAMA GETS TRASHED

While searching in the dump for Mama's wedding ring, Mace finds the dead body of the town's straightlaced librarian...dressed for bondage. What's happening in their small town? Will there be another victim?

449 pages HB

NONFICTION

ATKINSON, Rick

THE DAY OF BATTLE

940.54215 ATKINSON

In July of 1943, the Allied armies made a decision to liberate Italy from the Nazis. Starting in Sicily, they fought their way north through battle after bloody battle and their determination never wavered.

1013 pages HB

BRADSHAW, John

CAT SENSE

636.8 BRADSHA

Ever mysterious, cats outnumber dogs as pets 3 to 1. John Bradshaw helps to dispel myths and provide a better understanding of the minds of our feline friends in hopes of improving our relationships with our beloved pets.

583 pages HB EB

CHENEY, Dick

HEART

973.931 CHENEY

Former Vice President Dick Cheney is no stranger to coronary care. Cheney and Dr. Jonathan Reiner chart medical advances, and reveal Cheney's personal struggle to provide hope and insight for heart patients.

583 pages HB

EPHRON, Delia

SISTER MOTHER HUSBAND DOG ETC.

814.54 EPHRON

Delia Ephron shares her observations on love and family, the joy of girlfriends and dogs, and poignant recollections of growing up with famous, but alcoholic parents.

233 pages HB CD

FINK, Sheri

FIVE DAYS AT MEMORIAL

362.11 FINK

When Hurricane Katrina struck New Orleans Memorial Medical Center it was supposed to be a place of safety. Then the generators failed, the floodwaters rose, and those remaining had to make agonizing decisions.

921 pages HB CD DAB EB

HYMAN, Mark M.D.

THE BLOOD SUGAR SOLUTION

10-DAY DETOX DIET

613.28332 HYMAN

Dr. Mark Hyman shares a program that may help achieve and sustain weight loss and control type 2 diabetes along with other chronic health problems.

471 pages HB

MAH, Ann

MASTERING THE ART OF

FRENCH EATING

641.5944 MAH

Journalist Ann Mah's diplomat husband was assigned to Paris for 3 years. When he was reassigned to Iraq for a year, Ann kept busy with gastronomic adventures and learned some things about life along the way.

403 pages HB

MCEWEN, Scott

EYES ON TARGET

359.984 MCEWEN

Told by current and former Navy SEALs, this book gives an account of some of their most incredible missions and illustrates why this elite team is a feared anti-terrorist force.

357 pages HB EB

PETERSON, Eugene H.

THE MESSAGE

220.52 BIBLE

The Message is a lightweight modern version of the Bible in large print. It contains the Old and New Testaments written in contemporary language for easier reading and understanding.

1967 pages HB

PILLEY, John W.

CHASER

636.7374 PILLEY

John Pilley, and his research partner a Border collie named Chaser, have been studying a dog's ability to learn and actually understand words. So far Chaser knows over 1000 words and has become a media favorite.

463 pages HB EB

NONFICTION

RULE, Anne

PRACTICE TO DECEIVE

364.1523 RULE

On Whidbey Island, off the coast of Washington, Russel Douglas was murdered on the day after Christmas. The crime was cruel, ugly, and senseless. Suspects abound, and the story is all true.

489 pages HB

SPEEDE, Sheri

KINDRED BEINGS

599.855 SPEEDE

Veterinarian Dr. Sheri Speede founded a chimpanzee rescue center in Cameroon, Africa. Her observations have taught the world about these amazing, intelligent creatures, and helped her learn to be a better human.

403 pages HB

WEIR, Alison

ELIZABETH OF YORK

942.055092 WEIR

Elizabeth of York, mother to Henry VIII and grandmother to Elizabeth I of England, was a shrewd and intelligent woman who, behind the scenes, helped unite the realm and end the Wars of the Roses.

811 pages HB CD EB

BARNES, Julian

LEVELS OF LIFE

B BARNES

At first glance this book seems to be about ballooning and photography, but it is really a personal account of grief and loss, and overcoming sorrow.

127 pages HB EB

BUSHKIN, Henry

JOHNNY CARSON

B CARSON

Johnny Carson hosted "The Tonight Show" for 30 years. Onstage he was hilarious and charming, offstage reserved and mercurial. Longtime friend Henry Bushkin provides a portrait of the real Johnny Carson.

455 pages HB EB

HENDERSON, Artis

UNREARRIED WIDOW

B HENDERS

Artis Henderson dreamed of becoming a writer after college. Her plans changed when she became an Army wife, then a widow soon after. Artis shares the story of her grief, her hope, and rebuilding her life.

303 pages HB

MACLAINE, Shirley

WHAT IF...

B MACLAIN

Actress Shirley MacLaine speculates on any number of topics such as "What if a frog had wings?" "What if our political leaders actually led?" Matters that will, in many ways, intrigue us all.

270 pages HB

ROSENBLATT, Roger

THE BOY DETECTIVE

B ROSENBL

As a 9-year-old boy, author Roger Rosenblatt imagined himself a private eye solving crimes on the Manhattan streets. Years later he re-explores the New York of his youth and other writers that shared it.

285 pages HB EB

SMART, Elizabeth

MY STORY

B SMART

At age 14, Elizabeth was kidnapped and held captive by a religious fanatic. Nine months later she was rescued, and now tells the story of how she endured and is rebuilding her life.

449 pages HB CD DAB EB

TOBIN, James

THE MAN HE BECAME

B ROOSEVE

In 1921 Franklin Roosevelt was a bright young star of the Democratic Party. Polio struck him down, but didn't take him out, and the man that emerged from the crisis became a great American president.

647 pages HB

ROMANCE

BALOGH, Mary

THE ARRANGEMENT

Vincent Hunt, Viscount Darleigh, fled to a country village to escape his mother's matchmaking. He didn't expect to end up married to a penniless girl, or the consuming fire that burned between them.

541 pages HB EB

BROCKMANN, Suzanne

DO OR DIE

Navy SEAL Ian Dunn has been coerced into rescuing kidnapped children by attorney Phoebe Kruger. The stakes are high for their personal safety and their hearts.

730 pages HB CD DAB EB

CANE, Emma

THE COWBOY OF VALENTINE VALLEY

After a heated kiss that never should have happened, Whitney Winslow decided that her relationship with Josh Thalberg should be strictly professional, but Josh definitely has other ideas.

433 pages HB

CARLYLE, Liz

IN LOVE WITH A WICKED MAN

Kate, Lady d'Allenay, has a castle to tend, a sister to watch over, and no prospects of marriage. When Lord Edward Quartermaine appears at her door, with no memory of his past, both their prospects will change.

587 pages HB

CARR, Robyn

CHANCE

FBI Agent Laine Carrington came to the beachfront town of Thunder Point to recuperate from an injury. She never expected to fall for Eric Gentry, a reformed criminal.

436 pages HB CD

CASTLE, Jayne

DECEPTION COVE

Alice North has a rare talent to make objects, and herself, disappear. Drake Sebastian is the one person that can see Alice when she disappears. Will their talents spark more than just a working relationship?

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ROMANCE

DARE, Tessa

ROMANCING THE DUKE

Izzy Goodnight grew up on her father's tales of brave knights and fair maidens. The stories offered endless possibilities that faded one by one. Then her godfather bequeathed her a castle.

404 pages PB

FEEHAN, Christine

DARK WOLF

Dimitri is Carpathian, nearly immortal. He has spent centuries hunting the undead for the sake of his people and humans. Skylar is human and vulnerable. But she is the light to his darkness and will be his salvation.

673 pages HB CD EB DAB

KRENTZ, Jayne Ann

RIVER ROAD

When they were teenagers, Mason Fletcher saved Lucy from a nasty crime. Now Lucy is a forensic genealogist and Mason runs a security firm. When shady characters threaten Lucy, Mason may have to repeat the favor.

491 pages HB CD EB

MALLERY, Susan

DREAM BRIDE

Family legend says the Chloe will dream of her future husband on her 25th birthday. Chloe doesn't believe in fate, so she's shocked when handsome Arizona Smith crosses her path.

351 pages HB EB

MARTIN, Kat

AGAINST THE MARK

Haley's father was killed in an explosion. Now in hopes of proving his death wasn't accidental, she has hired handsome PI Tyler Brodie. The results of the investigation could put them in jeopardy.

527 pages HB EB

MAXWELL, Cathy

THE BRIDE SAYS NO

Blake Stephens, one of the most eligible bachelors in London, has just been jilted. Incensed, he charges off to the wilds of Scotland only to discover he must now choose between honor and love.

374 pages HB

MILLER, Linda Lael

BIG SKY SECRETS

Landry has cowboy in his blood, but prefers city life and wants to return to Chicago. He didn't figure on falling in love with the Big Sky of Montana, or Ria Manning.

382 pages HB CD EB

NEGGERS, Carla

CIDER BROOK

Treasure hunter, Samantha Bennett, didn't expect to be rescued by a handsome firefighter. Justin Sloan had mixed feelings about Samantha. He didn't know which would come out on top, suspicion or attraction.

489 pages HB DAB EB

PHILLIPS, Carly

PERFECT FLING

Erin Marsden is an assistant D.A and all around good girl. Then, a one night stand with the smoldering Cole Sanders turns her world upside down.

427 pages HB

WOODS, Sherryl

HOME TO SEAVIEW KEY

Following her divorce, Abby moved back to Seaview Key for a fresh start. Seth moved to Seaview Key to mend a broken heart. Soon both will forget the past and focus on the future.

501 pages HB CD EB

WESTERN

BRANDVOLD, Peter

HELL'S ANGEL

Bounty hunter Lou Prophet decided to stay a while in the town of Moon's Well, a place where Mordecai Moon controls everything. The exception being: he can't control Lou Prophet.

477 pages PB

BUCHANAN, Carol

GOD'S THUNDERBOLT

In 1863, Daniel Stark made his way to the gold fields of Alder Gulch in hopes of finding enough gold to pay his late father's debts. He will likely not survive without the Vigilantes of Montana.

633 pages PB

COTTON, Ralph

SUMMERS' HORSES

The Bendigo brothers made off with Will Summer's newly acquired horses and left him for dead. Will has a reputation for tracking, and the Bendigo brothers may soon regret their decision.

365 pages PB

HODGSON, Ken

LONE SURVIVOR

Alfred led a party of 21 men from Utah to the gold fields of Colorado. He returned three months later alone, with a terrible story of storms, dwindling supplies, and the desperate measures that had to be taken.

471 pages PB

JOHNSTONE, William W.

THE LAST GUNFIGHTER: MONTANA GUNDOWN

Frank Morgan has only one son...that he knows of. But when a range war breaks out, Frank learns that there is a young stranger out to kill him, and his name is Brady Morgan.

377 pages PB

KNOTT, Robert

ROBERT B. PARKER'S BULL RIVER

Marshals Virgil Cole and Everett Hitch just turned Alejandro Vasquez over to the authorities. Now Vasquez says he can help them find a major bank robber, but he must be released from prison.

432 pages HB CD EB DAB

LAW, Steven

EL PASO WAY

As children Enrique Osorio and Pang Lo witnessed the destruction of their families by Antonio Valdar, the Demon Warrior. Now grown men, they make a plan to insure that their families will be avenged.

317 pages PB

LESLIE, Frank

THE BELLS OF EL DIABLO

Sick of the horrors of war, Confederate Lieutenant James Dunn and former sharecropper Crosseye Reeves go AWOL. Somewhere in Mexico there is treasure. Lost church bells made of solid gold.

397 pages PB

LUCKEY, William

BURN ENGLISH

At age 45, Burn English has been a successful rancher. Now he's feeling old and tired so he disappears into the wilderness. Unfortunately the idyllic life he's enjoying is about to end.

271 pages HB

MARKLEY, Bill

DEADWOOD DEAD MEN

Jack Jones has been assigned to write an article for a Chicago newspaper about the doings in Deadwood, Dakota Territory. It's a lawless place and Jack's questions may make him the next victim.

443 pages PB