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MARCH 2010**

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NON-FICTION

- Aczel, Amir D.** – The cave and the cathedral: how a real-life Indiana Jones and a renegade scholar decoded the ancient art of man
- Batuman, Elif** – The possessed: adventures with Russian books and the people who read them
- Belfiore, Michael P.** – The department of mad scientists: how DARPA is remaking our world, from the internet to artificial limbs
- Brown, Frederick** – For the soul of France: culture wars in the age of Dreyfus
- Brzezinski, Mika** – All things at once
- Carlin, George** – Last words
- Christakis, Nicholas A.** – Connected: the surprising power of our social networks and how they shape our lives
- Condé, Maryse** – Victoir: my mother's mother (Richard Philcox, transl.)
- Cooper, John Milton** – Woodrow Wilson: a biography
- Corbett, Christopher** – The poker bride: the first Chinese in the Wild West
- Crocker, Thomas E.** – Braddock's march: how the man sent to seize a continent changed American history
- Dalrymple, William** – Nine lives: in search of the sacred in modern India
- Ferris, Timothy** – The science of liberty: democracy, reason, and the laws of nature
- Fields, R. Douglas** – The other brain: from dementia to schizophrenia, how new discoveries about the brain are revolutionizing medicine and science

Frankel, Bruce – What should I do with the rest of my life?: true stories of finding success, passion, and new meaning in the second half of life

Gardner, Martin – When you were a tadpole and I was a fish: and other speculations about this and that

Goodman, Jordan – The devil and Mr. Casement: one man's battle for human rights in South America's heart of darkness

Hastings, Max – Finest year: Churchill as warlord 1940–45

Hessler, Peter – Country driving: a journey through China from farm to factory

The Iraq papers (John Ehrenberg, ed.)

Johnson, Marilyn – This book is overdue!: how librarians and cybrarians can save us all

Karabell, Zachary – Superfusion: how China and America became one economy and why the world's prosperity depends on it

Kornblut, Anne E. – Notes from the cracked ceiling: Hillary Clinton, Sarah Palin, and what it will take for a woman to win

Larson, Frances – An infinity of things: how Sir Henry Wellcome collected the world

Lovelock, James – The vanishing face of Gaia: a final warning

Maar, Michael – Speak, Nabokov (Ross Benjamin, transl.)

Manes, Philipp – As if it were life: a WWII diary from the Theresienstadt Ghetto (Janet Foster, et al, transl.)

Manguel, Alberto – A reader on reading

Menand, Louis – The marketplace of ideas

Millet, Catherine – Jealousy (Helen Stevenson, transl.)

Morris, James McGrath – Pulitzer: a life in politics, print, and power

Olson, Lynne – Citizens of London: the Americans who stood with Britain in its darkest, finest hour

Oscar Wilde in America: the interviews (Matthew Hofer & Gary Scharnhorst, eds.)

Pacyga, Dominic A. – Chicago: a biography

Patterson, Scott – The quants: how a new breed of math whizzes conquered Wall Street and nearly destroyed it

Paulson, Henry M. – On the brink: inside the race to stop the collapse of the global financial system

Pellegrino, Charles R. – The last train from Hiroshima: the survivors look back

Penney, Alexandra – The bag lady papers: the priceless experience of losing it all

Ronald, D. A. B. – Young Nelsons: boy sailors during the Napoleonic Wars, 1793–1815

Rosner, Lisa – The anatomy murders: being the true and spectacular history of Edinburgh’s notorious Burke and Hare

Rubin, Gretchen Craft – The happiness project

Sanford, Jenny – Staying true

Schulman, Sarah – Ties that bind: familial homophobia and its consequences

Sebestyen, Victor – Revolution 1989

Shapiro, Dani – Devotion: a memoir

Sheffield, Margaret – The expressive edge

Shelden, Michael – Mark Twain: man in white: the grand adventure of his final years

Skloot, Rebecca – The immortal life of Henrietta Lacks

Smith, Andrew F. – Eating history: 30 turning points in the making of American cuisine

Smith, Patti – Just kids

Solomon, Steven – Water: the epic struggle for wealth, power, and civilization

Stanley, Ralph – Man of constant sorrow: my life and times

Stiglitz, Joseph E. – Freefall: America, free markets, and the sinking of the world economy

Taylor, Larissa – The virgin warrior (Joan of Arc)

Thomas, Elizabeth Marshall – The hidden life of deer

Tuck, Stephen G. N. – We ain’t what we ought to be: the Black freedom struggle from emancipation to Obama

Van Agtmael, Peter – 2nd tour: hope I don’t die

Vedantam, Shankarm – The hidden brain: how our unconscious minds elect presidents, control markets, wage wars, and save our lives

Watters, Ethan – Crazy like us: the globalization of the American psyche

Wills, Garry – Bomb power: the modern presidency and the national security state

Yagoda, Ben – Memoir: a history

Young, Andrew –
The politician: an insider's
account of John Edwards's
pursuit of the presidency
and the scandal that brought
him down

FICTION

Aciman, André –
Eight white nights
Adams, Lorraine – The room
and the chair
Attenberg, Jami –
The melting season
Banville, John – The infinities
Barron, Stephanie –
The white garden: a novel
of Virginia Woolf
Birstein, Ann – Vanity fare
Blake, Sarah –
The postmistress
Bohjalian, Christopher A. –
Secrets of Eden
Bolaño, Roberto – Monsieur
Pain (Chris Andrews, transl.)
Boyd, William –
Ordinary thunderstorms
Bruen, Ken – Tower
(w/ Reed Farrel Coleman)
Charyn, Jerome – The secret
life of Emily Dickinson:
a novel
Clark, Clare – Savage lands
Coleridge, Nicholas –
Pride and avarice
Cornwell, Bernard –
The burning land
DeLillo, Don – Point Omega
Echlin, Kim – The disappeared

Ellison, Ralph –
Three days before the
shooting (John F. Callahan &
Adam Bradley, eds.)
Erdrich, Louise – Shadow tag
Garwood, Julie – Sizzle
Griffin, W. E. B. –
The honor of spies (with
William E. Butterworth IV)
Gudenkauf, Heather –
The weight of silence
Hannah, Kristin –
Winter garden
Harper, Karen –
The queen's governess
Hart, Brian –
Then came the evening
Haslett, Adam – Union Atlantic
Jones, Sadie – Small wars
Karnezis, Panos – The convent
Keyes, Marian – The brightest
star in the sky
Khadivi, Laleh – The age of
orphans
La Fitte, Anne-Gédéon –
The Bohemians (Vivian
Folkenflik, transl., introduc-
tion by Robert Darnton)
Lester, Toby – The fourth part
of the world: the race to the
ends of the earth, and the
epic story of the map that
gave America its name
McCall Smith, Alexander –
Corduroy mansions
Mahfouz, Naguib –
Before the throne: dialogs
with Egypt's great from
Menes to Anwar Sadat
(Raymond Stock, transl.)

Mason, Zachary – The lost books of the Odyssey
McKenzie, Kirsten – The chapel at the edge of the world
Meacham, Leila – Roses
Meyers, Randy Susan – The murderer's daughters
Mullen, Thomas – The many deaths of the Firefly Brothers
Murray, Paul – Skippy dies
Nayman, Shira – The listener
Rodoreda, Mercè – Death in spring (Martha Tennent, transl.)
Schine, Cathleen – The three Weissmanns of Westport
Shaw, Ali – The girl with glass feet
Trigiani, Adriana – Brava, Valentine
Vachss, Andrew H. – Haiku

SHORT STORIES

Bausch, Richard – Something is out there
Boyle, T. Coraghessan – Wild child
Campbell, Bonnie Jo – American salvage
Fonseca, Rubem – The taker (Clifford E. Landers, transl.)
Goldberg, Tod – Other resort cities
Rahimi, Atiq – The patience stone (Polly McLean, transl.)
Shepard, Sam – Day out of days
Stone, Robert – Fun with problems

POETRY

Ashbery, John – Planisphere: new poems
Bright wings: an illustrated anthology of poems about birds (Billy Collins, ed., paintings by David Allen Sibley)
The Greek poets: Homer to the present (Peter Constantine, ed.)
Hacker, Marilyn – Names
Koethe, John – Ninety-fifth Street
Lopate, Phillip – At the end of the day: selected poems
MacCaig, Norman – The poems of Norman MacCaig
Muldoon, Paul – Plan B
The whole island: six decades of Cuban poetry, a bilingual anthology (Mark Weiss, ed.)

MYSTERIES

Ault, Sandi – Wild penance
Bartulin, Lenny – Death by the book
Berenson, Alex – The midnight house
Carver, Caroline – Back with vengeance*
Charles, Paul – Family life: an Inspector Starrett mystery
Cooper, Natasha – No escape*
Deaver, Jeffery – Watchlist
Dobson, Joanne – Death without tenure
Doherty, P. C. – The spies of Sobek

- Eccles, Marjorie** –
Last nocturne*
- Fielding, Joy** – The wild zone
- Gordon, Alan** –
The Parisian prodigal
- Graves, Sarah** – Crawlspace
- Hall, James W.** – Silencer
- Hall, Parnell** – The puzzle
lady vs. the Sudoku lady
- Harris, Robert** – Conspirata
- Hess, Joan** – Merry wives
of Maggody: an Arly Hanks
mystery
- Hogan, Chuck** – Devils in exile
- Hosp, David** – Among thieves
- Huston, Charlie** – Sleepless
- Jones, J. Sydney** –
Requiem in Vienna
- Knopf, Chris** – Short squeeze
- La Plante, Lynda** –
Silent scream*
- Leimbach, Marti** –
The man from Saigon
- Lippman, Laura** –
In big trouble
- McCarthy, Keith** –
Corpus delicti*
- MacDonald, Patricia J.** –
From cradle to grave
- McKevett, G. A.** –
Wicked craving
- Mankell, Henning** –
The man from Beijing
(Laurie Thompson, transl.)
- Palmer, Michael** –
The last surgeon
- Parker, Robert B.** – Split image
- Patterson, James** – Worst case
- Pearce, Michael** – A dead
man in Naples
- Rees, Matt** – The fourth assas-
sin: an Omar Yussef mystery
- Robb, J. D.** – Fantasy in death
- Sansom, Ian** –
The bad book affair
- Smith, Roger** – Wake up dead
- Stabenow, Dana** –
A night too dark
- Straub, Peter** – A dark matter
- Stroby, Wallace** –
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- Washburn, L. J.** –
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** indicates a British mystery*

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Granta book of the family**
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- The Cambridge companion to
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great writers explore great
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COMEDY

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