



**NEW BOOKS LIST
NOVEMBER 2011**

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- Ackroyd, Peter** – The history of England
- Atwood, Margaret** – In other worlds: SF and the human imagination
- Banks, Ralph Richard** – Is marriage for white people?: how the African American marriage decline affects everyone
- Bergreen, Laurence** – Columbus: the four voyages
- Bernier, Rosamond** – Some of my lives: a scrapbook memoir
- Brauen, Yangzom** – Across many mountains: a Tibetan family's epic journey from oppression to freedom
- Bueno de Mesquita, Bruce** – The dictator's handbook: why bad behavior is almost always good politics
- Burton, Fred** – Chasing shadows: a special agent's lifelong hunt to bring a Cold War assassin to justice
- Carey, David** – King of capital: the remarkable rise, fall, and rise again of Steve Schwarzman and Blackstone
- Darst, Jeanne** – Fiction ruined my family
- Daughan, George C.** – 1812: the navy's war
- Deadline artists: America's greatest newspaper columns** (John Avlon, Jesse Angelo & Errol Louis)
- Devonshire, Deborah Vivien Freeman-Mitford Cavendish** – All in one basket: nest eggs
- Fante, Dan** – Fante: a family's legacy of writing, drinking, and surviving
- Frank, Robert H.** – The Darwin economy: liberty, competition, and the common good
- Friedman, Bruce Jay** – Lucky Bruce: a literary memoir
- Greenblatt, Stephen** – The swerve: how the world became modern
- Groopman, Jerome E.** – Your medical mind: how to decide what is right for you

Harris, Alexandra – Virginia Woolf

Hauser, Brooke – The new kids: big dreams and brave journeys at a high school for immigrant teens

Holbrook, Hal – Harold: the boy who became Mark Twain

Jennings, Ken – Maphead: charting the wide, weird world of geography wonks

Johnson, Celia Blue – Dancing with Mrs. Dalloway: stories of the inspiration behind great works of literature

Johnson, Donna M. – Holy Ghost girl: a memoir

Johnson, Paul – Socrates

Kellow, Brian – Pauline Kael: a life in the dark

Keneally, Thomas – Three famines: starvation and politics

Kennedy, Kostya – 56: Joe DiMaggio and the last magic number in sports

King, David – Death in the city of light: the serial killer of Nazi-occupied Paris

Kluger, Jeffrey – The sibling effect: brothers, sisters, and the bonds that define us

Leider, Emily Wortis – Myrna Loy

Lewis, Michael – Boomerang: travels in the new Third World

Lindsay-Hogg, Michael – Luck and circumstance: a coming of age in Hollywood, New York, and points beyond

Lithgow, John – Drama: an actor's education

Locke, John L. – Duels and duets: why men and women talk so differently

McGinniss, Joe – The rogue: searching for the real Sarah Palin

Margolick, David – Elizabeth and Hazel: two women of Little Rock

Meyers, Jeffrey – John Huston

Moynihan, John McC. – The voyage of the Rose City: an adventure at sea

Naifeh, Steven W. – Van Gogh: the Life

Newton, Jim – Eisenhower: the White House years

Orlean, Susan – Rin Tin Tin

Randall, Lisa – Knocking on heaven's door: how physics and scientific thinking illuminate the universe and the modern world

Soames, Mary – A daughter's tale: the memoir of Winston and Clementine Churchill's youngest child

Soto, Jock – Every step you take: a memoir

Starr, Paul – Remedy and reaction: the peculiar American struggle over health care reform

Van Buren, Peter – We meant well: how I helped lose the battle for the hearts and minds of the Iraqi people
Wapshott, Nicholas – Keynes Hayek: the clash that defined modern economics
Weir, Alison – Mary Boleyn: the mistress of kings
Wilensky-Lanford, Brook – Paradise lust: searching for the Garden of Eden
Wilson, Frances – How to survive the Titanic: the sinking of J. Bruce Ismay
Winograd, Morley – Millennial momentum: how a new generation is remaking America
Yergin, Daniel – The quest: energy, security and the remaking of the modern world

FICTION

Adiga, Aravind – Last man in tower
Altenberg, Karin – Island of wings
Appelfeld, Aron – Until the dawn's light
Audur A. Ólafsdóttir – The Greenhouse
Banks, Russell – Lost memory of skin
Beaman, Ned – Boxer, beetle
Bohjalian, Chris – The night strangers
Browner, Jesse – Everything happens today

Byatt, A. S. – Ragnarok: the end of the gods
Cobbold, Marika – Drowning Rose
Coelho, Paulo – Aleph
De los Santos, Marisa – Falling together
Dewitt, Helen – Lightning rods
Duffy, Stella – Theodora: actress, empress, whore
Erickson, Carolly – The favored queen: a novel of Henry VIII's third wife
Eugenides, Jeffrey – The marriage plot
Frazier, Charles – Nightwoods
Ghosh, Amitav – River of smoke
Harrison, Jim – The great leader: a faux mystery
Hoffman, Alice – The dovekeepers
Hollinghurst, Alan – The stranger's child
Jacobson, Howard – No more Mr. Nice Guy
Jordan, Hillary – When she woke
Kennedy, William – Changó's beads and two-tone shoes
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Nadzam, Bonnie – Lamb
Nicoll, Andrew – The love and death of Caterina
Nunez, Elizabeth – Boundaries

Ondaatje, Michael –
The cat's table
Oyeyemi, Helen – Mr. Fox
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Snuff: a novel of Discworld
Raisin, Ross – Waterline
Sapphire – The kid
Saramago, José – Cain
Solomon, Anna –
The little bride
Southgate, Martha –
The taste of salt
Sparks, Nicholas –
The best of me
Stephenson, Neal – Reamde
Swerling, Beverly –
City of promise: a novel of
New York's Gilded Age
Unsworth, Barry –
The quality of mercy
Wallace, Nicolle –
It's classified: a novel

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Machen, Arthur –
The white people and other
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Woodrell, Daniel –
The outlaw album

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(selected and with an intro-
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Maxwell, Glyn –
One thousand nights and
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Robertson, Robin –
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The tale of Castle Cottage:
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Potter*
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Operation Napoleon
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Townend mystery*
Dams, Jeanne M. –
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a Hilda Johansson mystery
Draine, Betsy –
Murder in Lascaux
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The October killings
Emerson, Jill – Getting off:
a novel of sex and violence

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Enger, Thomas – Burned
Hall, Patricia – Dead beat
Handler, David – The blood red Indian summer
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Turnbull, Peter – Deep cover: a Harry Vicary novel*

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