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- Acemoglu, Daron** – Why nations fail: the origins of power, prosperity and poverty
- Ackroyd, Peter** – Wilkie Collins
- Albright, Madeleine** – Prague winter: a personal story of remembrance and war
- Anthony, Lawrence** – Babylon's ark: the incredible wartime rescue of the Baghdad Zoo
- Beatty, Jack** – The lost history of 1914: reconsidering the year the great war began
- Beinart, Peter** – The crisis of Zionism
- Bonner, Raymond** – Anatomy of injustice: a murder case gone wrong
- Borman, Tracy** – Queen of the conqueror: the life of Matilda, wife of William I
- Brewster, Hugh** – Gilded lives, fatal voyage: the Titanic's first-class passengers and their world
- Brown, Nancy Marie** – The abacus and the cross: the story of the Pope who brought the light of science to the Dark Ages
- Busch, Benjamin** – Dust to dust: a memoir
- Callow, Simon** – Charles Dickens and the great theatre of the world
- Campbell, Colin, Lady** – The queen mother: the untold story of Elizabeth Bowes Lyon, who became Queen Elizabeth
- Central Park: an anthology** (Andrew Blauner, ed.)
- Clegg, Bill** – Ninety days: a memoir of recovery
- Cracknell, Andrew** – The real mad men: the renegades of Madison Avenue and the golden age of advertising
- David, Greg** – Modern New York: the life and economics of a city
- Delbanco, Andrew** – College: what it was, is, and should be

**Ehrman, Bart D.** –  
Did Jesus exist?:  
the historical argument  
for Jesus of Nazareth

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Making babies: stumbling  
into motherhood

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Language: the cultural tool

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Farther away

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Midnight in Peking:  
how the murder of a young  
Englishwoman haunted  
the last days of old China

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The idea factory: Bell Labs  
and the great age of Ameri-  
can innovation

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The kings' mistresses:  
the liberated lives of Marie  
Mancini, Princess Colonna,  
and her sister Hortense,  
Duchess Mazarin

**Haidt, Jonathan** –  
The righteous mind: why  
good people are divided by  
politics and religion

**Harden, Blaine** –  
Escape from Camp 14:  
one man's remarkable  
odyssey from North Korea  
to freedom in the West

**Hardman, Robert** –  
Her majesty: Queen  
Elizabeth II and her court

**Hill, Clint** – Mrs. Kennedy  
and me

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Amateurs in Eden: the story  
of a bohemian marriage:  
Nancy and Lawrence Durrell

**Jacobs, A. J.** – Drop dead  
healthy: one man's humble  
quest for bodily perfection

**Jaffe, Steven H.** – New York  
at war: four centuries of  
combat, fear, and intrigue  
in Gotham

**James, Eloisa** – Paris in love:  
a memoir

**Johnson, Simon** –  
White House burning:  
the founding fathers, our  
national debt, and why it  
matters to you

**Jovanovic, Rob** –  
Seeing the light: inside the  
Velvet Underground

**Kadri, Sadakat** – Heaven on  
earth: a journey through  
shari'a law from the deserts  
of ancient Arabia to the  
streets of the modern  
Muslim world

**King, Carole** – A natural  
woman: a memoir

**Ladin, Joy** – Through the door  
of life: a Jewish journey  
between genders

**Langella, Frank** –  
Dropped names: famous men  
and women as I knew them

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Venetian curiosities

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**Quindlen, Anna** – Lots of candles, plenty of cake

**Reading, Amy** – The mark inside: a perfect swindle, a cunning revenge, and a small history of the big con

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**Smith, R. J.** – The one: the life and music of James Brown

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The undead: organ harvesting, the ice-water test, beating-heart cadavers: how medicine is blurring the line between life and death
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A complicated marriage: my life with Clement Greenberg
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- Welshman, John** –  
Titanic: the last night of a small town
- Werber, Millie** – Two rings: a story of love and war
- Whitelock, Anna** –  
Mary Tudor: princess, bastard, queen
- Wilson, Edward O.** – The social conquest of earth
- FICTION**
- Anshaw, Carol** – Carry the one
- Bakker, Gerbrand** – The detour (David Colmer, transl.)
- Barry, Kevin** – City of Bohane
- Boyd, William** –  
Waiting for sunrise
- Bradford, Barbara Taylor** –  
Letter from a stranger
- Coe, Amanda** – What they do in the dark
- De Robertis, Carolina** – Perla
- DuBois, Jennifer** – A partial history of lost causes
- Ephron, Delia** – The lion is in
- Franklin-Willis, Amy** –  
The lost saints of Tennessee
- Gale, Patrick** – A perfectly good man
- Gilvarry, Alex** – From the memoirs of a non-enemy combatant
- Grisham, John** – Calico Joe
- Gupta, Sanjay, M.D.** –  
Monday mornings
- Heller, Ted** – Pocket kings
- Houston, Pam** –  
Contents may have shifted
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- James, E. L.** –  
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- Kerouac, Jack** –  
The sea is my brother
- Kluge, P. F.** –  
The master blaster
- Kogan, Deborah Copaken** –  
The red book
- Kristín Ómarsdóttir** –  
Children in Reindeer Woods (Lytton Smith, transl.)
- Liss, David** – The twelfth enchantment
- Lynch, Jim** – Truth like the sun
- McCleen, Grace** –  
The land of decoration
- Maguire, Gregory** – Out of Oz
- Oates, Joyce Carol** –  
Mudwoman
- O'Connor, Varley** –  
The master's muse
- Plimpton, Sarah** – Hurry along
- Qashu, Sayed** –  
Second person singular (Mitch Ginsburg, transl.)
- Rash, Ron** – The Cove

**Roberts, Bethan** –  
My policeman  
**Roberts, Nora** – The witness  
**Rogan, Charlotte** –  
The lifeboat  
**Steel, Danielle** – Betrayal  
**Thompson, Craig** – Habibi  
**Trigiani, Adriana** –  
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**Tyler, Anne** –  
The beginner's goodbye  
**Wambaugh, Joseph** –  
Harbor nocturne

#### SHORT STORIES

**Bergman, Megan Mayhew** –  
Birds of a lesser paradise  
**Levin, Adam** – Hot pink  
**Munro, Alice** –  
New selected stories  
**Schirach, Ferdinand von** –  
Guilt (Carol Janeway, transl.)

#### POETRY

**Berry, Wendell** –  
New collected poems  
**Duffy, Carol Ann** – The bees  
**Larkin, Philip** – The complete  
poems (Archie Burnett, ed.)  
**Sebald, W. G.** – Across the  
land and the water  
(Iain Galbraith, transl.)

#### MYSTERIES

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Parker's lullaby  
**Atkins, Ace** – The ranger  
**Bagshawe, Tilly** –  
Sidney Sheldon's Angel of  
the dark

**Baldacci, David** –  
The innocent  
**Bauer, Belinda** –  
Finders keepers\*  
**Bell, Ted** – Phantom  
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**Brown, Rita Mae** –  
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anniversary Mrs. Murphy  
mystery  
**Clark, Carol Higgins** – Gyped  
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The lost years  
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for murder  
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**Corwin, Miles** –  
Midnight alley: an Ash  
Levine novel  
**Craig, James** – London calling\*  
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an Isaac Bell adventure  
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being the eleventh of the  
sorrowful mysteries of  
Brother Athelstan\*  
**Doherty, P. C.** –  
The Mysterium: a Hugh  
Corbett medieval mystery\*  
**Dryden, Alex** –  
Death in Siberia  
**Epperson, Tom** – Sailor  
**Fowler, Christopher** – The  
memory of blood: a Peculiar  
Crimes Unit mystery\*  
**Goddard, Robert** – Fault line  
**Grabenstein, Chris** –  
Fun house: a John Ceepak  
mystery

<b>Graham, Heather</b> – The unseen	<b>McKevett, G. A.</b> – Buried in buttercream
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<b>Hays, Tony</b> – The stolen bride	<b>Murray, Colin</b> – September song: a Tony Gérard thriller*
<b>Heley, Veronica</b> – False report*	<b>Mystery Writers of America</b> presents “Vengeance” (Lee Child, ed.)
<b>Hruska, Alan</b> – Wrong man running	<b>Nesbø, Jo</b> – Phantom (Don Bartlett, transl.)
<b>Jardine, Quintin</b> – As easy as murder	<b>Nykänen, Harri</b> – Nights of awe (Kristian London, transl.)
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