



**NEW BOOKS LIST
DECEMBER 2006**

NEW BOOKS

NON-FICTION

- Aczel, Amir D.** – The artist and the mathematician: the story of Nicolas Bourbaki, the genius mathematician who never existed
- Bakke, Kit** – Miss Alcott's e-mail: yours for reforms of all kinds: a bio-memoir
- Beisner, Robert L.** – Dean Acheson: a life in the Cold War
- Bennett, Sara** – The case against homework: how homework is hurting our children and what we can do about it
- Brizendine, Louann** – The female brain
- Buchwald, Art** – Too soon to say goodbye
- Burleigh, Michael** – Sacred causes: religion and politics from the European dictators to Al Qaeda
- Cahill, Thomas** – Mysteries of the Middle Ages: the rise of feminism, science, and art from the cults of Catholic Europe
- Cohen, Stanley** – Execution of Officer Becker: the murder of a gambler, the trial of a cop, and the birth of organized crime
- Crosby, Molly Caldwell** – The American plague: the untold story of yellow fever, the epidemic that shaped our history
- Dalrymple, William** – The last Mughal: the fall of a dynasty, Delhi, 1857
- Dukakis, Kitty** – Shock: the healing power of electroconvulsive therapy
- Fisher, M. F. K.** – A stew or a story: an assortment of short works
- FitzGerald, Michael C.** – Picasso and American art
- Fraser, Antonia** – Love and Louis XIV: the women in the life of the Sun King

Gabler, Neal – Walt Disney: the triumph of the American imagination

Goldstein, Judith S. – Inventing Great Neck: Jewish identity and the American dream

Guiliano, Mireille – French women for all seasons: a year of secrets, recipes & pleasure

Haml, Patricia – Blue arabesque: a search for the sublime

Hornby, Nick – Housekeeping vs. the dirt

Huffington, Arianna Stassinopoulos – On becoming fearless: in love, work, and life

Ilf, Ilya & Evgeny Petrov – Ilf and Petrov's American road trip: the 1935 travelogue of two Soviet writers

Khalidi, Rashid – The iron cage: the story of the Palestinian struggle for statehood

Kinnell, Galway – Strong is your hold

Kirschner, Ann – Sala's gift: my mother's Holocaust story

Kuczynski, Alex – Beauty junkies: inside our \$15 billion obsession with cosmetic surgery

Lanpher, Katherine – Leap days: chronicles of a midlife move

Marshall, Alex – Beneath the metropolis: the secret lives of cities

Marton, Kati – The great escape: nine Jews who fled Hitler and changed the world

McGovern, George S. – Out of Iraq: a practical plan for withdrawal now

McInerney, Jay – A hedonist in the cellar: adventures in wine

Mitford, Jessica – Decca: the letters of Jessica Mitford

The New York Botanical Garden

Nixon, Marni – I could have sung all night

Peril, Lynn – College girls: bluestockings, sex kittens, and coeds, then and now

Peterson, Dale – Jane Goodall: the woman who redefined man

Pollock, Lindsay – The girl with the gallery: Edith Gregor Halpert and the making of the modern art market

Pryce-Jones, David – Betrayal: France, the Arabs, and the Jews

Puls, Mark – Samuel Adams: father of the American Revolution

Rabinow, Rebecca A. (editor) – Cézanne to Picasso: Ambroise Vollard, patron of the avant-garde

Richardson, Robert D. – William James: in the maelstrom of American modernism

Ruhlman, Michael –
 The reach of a chef: beyond
 the kitchen
Sherr, Lynn – Outside the
 box: a memoir
Sonnino, Piera – This has
 happened: an Italian family
 in Auschwitz (translated by
 Ann Goldstein)
Steyn, Mark –
 America alone: the end of
 the world as we know it
Uglow, Jennifer S. –
 Nature's engraver: a life of
 Thomas Bewick
Vidal, Gore –
 Point to point navigation:
 a memoir, 1964 to 2006
Virgil – The Aeneid
 (translated by Robert Fagles)
Weisskopf, Michael –
 Blood brothers: among the
 soldiers of Ward 57
Williams, Emma –
 It's easier to reach heaven
 than the end of the street:
 a Jerusalem memoir
Williams, Kate –
 England's mistress:
 the infamous life of Emma
 Hamilton

FICTION

Allende, Isabel –
 Inés of my soul
Anthony, Piers – Stork naked
Bausch, Richard –
 Thanksgiving night
Connolly, John – The book of
 lost things

Coupland, Douglas – JPod
Daley, Robert – Pictures
Evans, Richard Paul –
 Finding Noel
DeMille, Nelson – Wild fire
Flynn, Michael – Eifelheim
French, Marilyn – In the name
 of friendship
Hope, Christopher –
 My mother's lovers
Kalla, Daniel – Rage therapy
Kehlmann, Daniel –
 Measuring the world
 (translated by Carol Brown
 Janeway)
Lehrer, James –
 The phony marine
Maine, David –
 The book of Samson
Pynchon, Thomas –
 Against the day
Shaara, Jeff – The rising tide:
 a novel of World War II
Sparks, Nicholas – Dear John
Steel, Danielle – H.R.H.
Thomas, Scarlett –
 The end of Mr. Y
Trigiani, Adriana –
 Home to Big Stone Gap
Turner, Frederick W. –
 Redemption
Ward, Robert –
 Four kinds of rain
Watts, Peter – Blindsight
Winegardner, Mark –
 The godfather's revenge

MYSTERIES

Arnaldur Indrióason –
Voices (translated by
Bernard Scudder)
Barbieri, Maggie –
Murder 101
Black, Benjamin –
Christine Falls
Cauley, Harry – Millersburg
Chan, Cassandra –
Village affairs*
Church, James – A corpse in
the Koryo
Clark, Mary Higgins –
Santa cruise: a holiday
mystery at sea
Estep, Maggie –
Flamethrower: a Ruby
Murphy mystery
Freedman, J. F. – A killing in
the valley
Frei, Pierre – Berlin
(translated by Anthea Bell)
Hiaasen, Carl – Nature girl
Hillerman, Tony –
The shape shifter
Kellerman, Jonathan –
Capital crimes
O'Shaughnessy, Perri –
Keeper of the keys
Page, Katherine Hall –
The body in the ivy:
a Faith Fairchild mystery
Parker, Robert –
Hundred-dollar baby
Patterson, James – Cross
Perry, Anne –
A Christmas secret*
Rankin, Ian – Bleeding hearts*

Rankin, Ian – The naming of
the dead*
Ripley, Ann –
Death in the orchid garden:
a gardening mystery
Robb, J. D. – Born in death
Starr, Jason – Lights out
Taylor, Andrew –
Naked to the hangman
Thornton, Betsy –
A whole new life
Truman, Margaret –
Murder at the opera:
a capital crimes novel
Turow, Scott – Limitations
Wambaugh, Joseph –
Hollywood station
Wilson, Robert –
The hidden assassins

** indicates a British mystery*

SHORT STORIES

Barry, Dave – The shepherd,
the angel, and Walter the
Christmas miracle dog
Bass, Rick – The lives of rocks
Hirsberg, Glen –
American morons
Munro, Alice – The view from
Castle Rock
Nayman, Shira – Awake in
the dark

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BELLES LETTRES

Conrad: the critical heritage
(edited by Norman Sherry,
1973) · 823C

Dante in English · 851.09D

Hazlitt, William – On the
pleasure of hating · 824H

Putnam, Michael –
Poetic interplay: Catullus
and Horace · 874.1P

Sorrentino, Gilbert –
Something said (2001) · 809S

Twain, Mark – The complete
interviews · 92 T9694 T

POETRY

**American religious poems:
an anthology** (edited by
Harold Bloom) · 821.08A

Bunting, Basil –
Basil Bunting on poetry
(lectures, 1968–74) · 821.09B

Chiasson, Dan –
Natural history · 821C

Macha, Karel –
May (translated by Marcela
Sulak) · 891.86M

Murray, Les –
The biplane houses · 821M

Notley, Alice – Grave of light:
new and selected poems,
1970–2005 · 821N

Ondaatje, Michael –
The cinnamon peeler · 821 O

BOOKS & READING

Buzbee, Lewis –
The yellow-lighted bookshop:
a memoir, a history · 655.5B

Hitchens, Christopher –
Thomas Paine's Rights
of man: a biography
(Books that Shook the
World) · 320.8H

ART

Brown, David –
Bellini, Giorgione, Titian,
and the Renaissance of
Venetian painting · 759.5B

Chapman, Hugo –
Michelangelo drawings:
closer to the master · 741.3M

Cowling, Elizabeth –
Visiting Picasso: notebooks
and letters of Roland
Penrose · 759.6P

Foister, Susan –
Holbein and England · 759.3H

Tuttle, Richard – The art of
Richard Tuttle · 709.2T

Wolff, Justin – Richard Caton
Woodville: American painter,
artful dodger · 759.1W

Zurier, Rebecca – Picturing
the city: urban vision and
the Ashcan School · 759.1Z

ARCHITECTURE

Greenberg, Allan –
The architecture of
democracy · 720.973G

LeBlanc, Sydney –
The architecture traveler:
a guide to 263 key American
buildings · 720.973L
Sutcliffe, Anthony –
London: an architectural
history · 720.9425

PHOTOGRAPHY

Laporte, Indiana · 770L
Tucker, Jennifer –
Nature exposed:
photography as eyewitness
in Victorian science · 778T
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MUSIC

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Bluegrass breakdown: the
making of the old southern
sound (2003) · 781.5C
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essays on the legacy of an
opera** · 782.1D
Messing, Scott –
Schubert in the European
imagination · 780.925
Moore, Jerrold –
Elgar on record: the
composer and the gramo-
phone (1974) · 780.92E
Rose, Gilbert –
Between couch and piano:
psychoanalysis, music, art,
and neuroscience · 780.1R

PHILOSOPHY & ETHICS

Bowman, James –
Honor: a history · 170B

Hauser, Marc – Moral minds:
how nature designed our
universal sense of right and
wrong · 171H

Kant, Immanuel –
Observations on the feeling
of the beautiful and the
sublime (translated by John
Goldthwait) · 193K

Kenny, Anthony –
New history of Western
philosophy, v. 1–3 · 180K

Wiggins, David –
Ethics: twelve lectures on
the philosophy of morality ·
170W

BIOGRAPHY & LETTERS

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Seminary boy · 92 C82184 C

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Flint, Julie – Darfur: a short history of a long war · 962F

Greene, Melissa Fay – There is no me without you: one woman's odyssey to rescue Africa's children · 362.7G

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The old way: a story of the
first people · 968T

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a biography of the Brooklyn
Philharmonic Orchestra ·
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Philosophia botanica · 580L

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Renaissance Europe · 509 O

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Devil: a unique and threat-
ened animal · 599 O

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a natural history of what
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scientists who unraveled
the secrets of sex, life, and
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from the frontlines · 660H

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