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The whole five feet: what the great books taught me about life, death, and pretty much everything else

Brookhiser, Richard -

Right time, right place: coming of age with William F. Buckley Jr. and the conservative movement

Brown, Daniel -

The indifferent stars above: the harrowing saga of a Donner Party bride

Carpenter, Novella -

Farm city: the education of an urban farmer

Cherlin, Andrew J. -

The marriage-go-round:
the state of marriage and the
family in America today

Coyle, Daniel – The talent
code: greatness isn't born,
it's grown, here's how

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Jamie Dimon rose to the top
of the financial world

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De Rotton Alain – The pleas-

De Botton, Alain – The pleasures and sorrows of work

Dowie, Mark -

Conservation refugees: the hundred-year conflict between global conservation and native peoples

The Food of a younger land: a portrait of American food... from the lost WPA files

Gardner, Howard – Five minds for the future

(Mark Kurlansky, ed.)

Glass, Charles – Americans in Paris: life and death under Nazi occupation, 1940–1944 Gunter, Susan E. – Alice in Jamesland: the story of Alice Howe Gibbens James Harman, Claire – Jane's fame: how Jane Austen conquered the world Helprin, Mark -Digital barbarism: a writer's manifesto Jonnes, Jill – Eiffel's tower: and the World's Fair where Buffalo Bill beguiled Paris, the artists quarreled, and Thomas Edison became a count Josephson, Barney -Cafe Society: the wrong place for the right people Kelly, Kate – Street fighters: the last 72 hours of Bear Stearns **Kessler, David A.** – The end of overeating: taking control of the insatiable American appetite Kirn, Walter - Lost in the meritocracy: the undereducation of an overachiever Klein, Edward – Ted Kennedy: the dream that never died Lears, T.J. Jackson -Rebirth of a nation: the making of modern America, 1877-1920 Lewis, Michael -Home game: an accidental guide to fatherhood

Lopate, Phillip – Notes on Sontag

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FICTION

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Thompson, Victoria –
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