

Join us at our next Read 'n Share meeting on
Thursday April 8th at 7:30

Bring a list of Titles and Authors you have enjoyed and find out what others are reading



Read 'n Share Titles

February 18, 2010 Meeting

Fiction

- Cleave, Chris *Little Bee* - Presents the tale of an illegal Nigerian refugee and a recent widow from suburban London and the tragedy that brought them together.
- Drury, Allen *Advise and Consent* – Fictional account of the events and reasons behind Senators' decisions in the confirmation of a Secretary of State.
- Goodman, Carol *Arcadia Falls* – A widow attempts to start over at an upstate boarding school, but is faced with a sullen daughter, a suspicious death and secrets from the past.
- Grisham, John *Ford County* – A collection of short stories set in Ford County, Mississippi.
- Hoag, Tami *Deeper Than the Dead* – A California town is rocked to its core when children stumble upon a body, drawing an FBI agent into a search for a serial killer.
- Huneven, Michelle *Blame* – In jail after an alcoholic blackout, a history professor learns that she accidentally killed two people, an event for which she spends decades atoning.
- Karon, Jan *A Light in the Window* – A rector in a small village seeks divine intervention when the women in his life become more than he can handle.
- Lehane, Dennis *Shutter Island* – U.S. Marshals come to an isolated psychiatric hospital in search of an escaped mental patient, but instead uncover true wickedness.
- Morrison, Toni *Sula* – The story of two women, inseparable as children, one who grows up to be a pillar of the black community and one who leaves and becomes a pariah.
- O'Rourke, Sally Smith *Man Who Loved Jane Austen* – Finding a letter to Austen from the supposedly fictional Darcy, Eliza searches for the man who can explain this mystery.
- Phillips, Jayne Anne *Lark & Termite* – A novel about seventeen year old Lark and her brother, Termite, living in West Virginia in the shadow of the Korean War.

- Rand, Ayn *Atlas Shrugged*– The decisions of a few industrial leaders shake the roots of capitalism and reawaken man's awareness of himself as an heroic being.
- Schine, Cathleen *The Three Weissmanns of Westport*- Financially strapped sisters move into a beach cottage with their mother in this modern retelling of Sense and Sensibility.
- Setterfield, Diane *The Thirteenth Tale* – A bookseller's daughter attempts to discover the truth about a famous author's mystifying past.
- Stead, Rebecca *When You Reach Me* - As her mother prepares to be a game show contestant, a 12 year old, New York City girl tries to make sense of a series of mysterious notes.
- Strout, Elizabeth *Olive Kitteridge* – Thirteen linked stories introduce the inhabitants of Crosby, Maine and retired Math teacher Olive Kitteridge.
- Tyler, Anne *Noah's Compass* – Waking in the hospital with amnesia for the night before, a former teacher re-examine his life while attempting to regain his memories.

Non- Fiction

- Broyard, Bliss *One Drop* – Her father's deathbed revelation that he was part black causes the author to re-examine his life and reunite with family she didn't know she had
- Cardoza, Arlene *Sequencing* - Published in the 1980's, this book proposes a life plan for a woman that allows her to manage both career and family.
- Chang, Jung *Wild Swans* – Tells the story of three women, the author, her mother, and her grandmother, against the backdrop of the history of 20th-century China.
- Collins, Gail *When Everything Changed* – Recounts the astounding revolution in women's lives over the past 50 years.
- Crystal, Billy *700 Sundays* - A poignant, hilarious, and personal portrayal of this Long Island comedian's youth and his relationship with his father.
- Delany, Sarah & Elizabeth & Hearth, Amy Hill *Having Our Say* - Two lively and perspicacious sisters, aged 101 and 103, reflect on their rich family life and their careers as African American professionals.
- Einhorn, Erin *The Pages In Between* – In this memoir, the author tells of her quest to find the family in Poland who saved her mother from the holocaust.
- Groopman, Jerome *The Anatomy of Hope* – A Harvard Medical School professor explores the way hope affects one's capacity to cope with serious illness.
- Jarvis, Cheryl *The Necklace* – The true story of thirteen women who purchased an expensive diamond necklace together and the effect this had on their lives.
- Lagnado, Lucette *The Man in the White Sharkskin Suit* - The story of a Jewish family's exodus from Cairo to New York, after the 1956 Nasser coup.

- Myers, Alyse ***Who Do You Think You Are?*** - Chronicles the author's dysfunctional relationship with her mother after the death of her beloved father.
- Pausch, Randy ***The Last Lecture*** - A professor with terminal cancer shares lessons he hopes his young children will learn about life.
- Skloot, Rebecca ***The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*** – The story of a cell line used in research around the world and the woman from whom the cells were taken.
- Soskice, Janet Martin ***The Sisters of Sinai*** – In 1892, two sisters, identical twins from Scotland, make one of one of most important scriptural discoveries of modern times.