



Read 'n Share Titles

March 19, 2008 Meeting

Join us at our next Read 'n Share meeting on May 28th

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

Fiction

Abraham, Pearl

The Romance Reader - A young girl's coming-of-age in an ultra-orthodox Hasidic home

Alexander, Robert

The Kitchen Boy – The last days of the Romanovs as witnessed by a young kitchen boy

Anton, Maggie

Rashi's Daughters (Book I- Jobeved; Book II-Miriam) – Historical series about three sisters, daughters of a Jewish scholar, living in the eleventh-century

Bennett, Alan

Uncommon Reader - What if Queen Elizabeth at the age of 70-something were suddenly to become a voracious reader?

Brennert, Alan

Moloka'i – A girl's experience in a Hawaiian leper colony in the 1890's

Brockmeier, Kevin

Brief History of the Dead – Interweaves the stories of a city inhabited by the recently deceased and a woman trapped in the Antarctic

Eugenides, Jeffrey

Middlesex – Multi-generational saga of a hermaphrodite's Greek family

Fergus, Jim

One Thousand White Women - Pioneer women travel to the western prairies in 1875 to intermarry among the Cheyenne Indians

Gordon, Noah

The Physician ; Shaman ; Matters of Choice - Trilogy about a family of doctors and the medical community

Hosseini, Khaled

A Thousand Splendid Suns – Story of two women and the volatile events of Afghanistan's last thirty years

Kallos, Stephanie

Broken for You - Two women in self-imposed exile whose lives are transformed when their paths intersect

Kuipers, Alice

Life on the Refrigerator - Composed entirely of notes a mother with breast cancer and her daughter leave for each other

Lansens, Lori	<i>The Girls</i> – Conjoined twins write their autobiography as they near their thirtieth birthday
Lewis, Beverly	<i>The Covenant</i> - Amish Sisters grow up and face challenges in the 1940's
MacDonald, Ann	<i>Fall on Your Knees</i> - Multigenerational saga that chronicles the lives of four sisters living on Cape Breton Island off Nova Scotia
MacMurray, Rose	<i>Afternoons with Emily</i> - An independent young woman comes of age under the influence of Emily Dickinson
Mekler, Eva	<i>The Polish Woman</i> - Scam artist or Holocaust orphan? A beguiling stranger unsettles a New York Jewish family
Mistry, Rohinton	<i>A Fine Balance</i> - In chaotic, mid-1970s, urban India a chain of circumstances tosses four varied individuals together in one small flat
Picoult, Jodi	<i>My Sister's Keeper</i> - A girl conceived as a donor match for her sister with leukemia hires a lawyer when she refuses to donate a kidney
Ragen, Naomi	<i>Saturday Wife</i> - When a Queens girl marries a rabbi who is unable to provide her the life she longs for, she begins a mad grab at affluence
Rosenblatt, Roger	<i>Beet</i> – A professor tries to save his college from bankruptcy, money-grubbing Trustees, faculty, students and modern education
See, Lisa	<i>Peony in Love</i> - A coming-of-age story, a ghost story, a family saga and a work of musical and social history set in 17th-century China
Setterfield, Diane	<i>The Thirteenth Tale</i> - A bookseller's daughter attempts to discover the truth about a famous author's mystifying past
Shapiro, Dani	<i>Black & White</i> – As her artist mother is dying, a woman must face her past including the famous nude photographs her mother took of her
Sofer, Dalia	<i>Septembers of Shiraz</i> - In the aftermath of the Iranian revolution a man is arrested and wrongly accused of being a spy
Umrigar, Thrity	<i>The Space Between Us</i> – In contemporary Bombay, a servant and her mistress are bound together by life experience, but separated by class
Vincenzi, Penny	<i>No Angel</i> - Family saga starring a smart, ambitious woman working against stereotypes during World War I
Westlake, Donald	<i>Dancing Aztecs</i> - A hustler searches New York for a million-dollar Aztec sculpture that is accidentally mixed in with cheap plaster copies.

Non-Fiction

- Barry, Dan ***Pull Me Up*** - A Memoir of growing up Irish-Catholic on Long Island in the 1950's
- Friedman, Thomas L. ***The World is Flat*** – An account of the great changes taking place in our time, as advances in technology put people all over the globe in touch
- Gladwell, Malcolm ***The Tipping Point*** – Answers the question of how a trend becomes a trend
- Hartmann, Thom ***Screwed : the Undeclared War against the Middle Class--and What We Can Do About It*** - Exposes the covert war conservatives and corporations are waging against America's middle class
- Johnston, David C. ***Free Lunch : how the Wealthiest Americans Enrich Themselves at Government Expense (and stick you with the bill)*** - Reveals how today's government policies and spending reach deep into the wallets of the many for the benefit of the wealthy few
- Levitt, Steven D ***Freakonomics : A rogue economist explores the hidden side of everything*** - Riddles of everyday life—from cheating and crime to sports and child-rearing—are examined
- Masters, Alexander ***Stuart: A Life Backwards*** – A portrait of a troubled, homeless man, an unlikely friendship, and a desperate world few ever see
- McBride, James ***The Color of Water*** - Tells the story of his mother, a rabbi's daughter, who fled to Harlem and married a black man
- Mortenson, Greg ***Three Cups of Tea*** – How a failed attempt to climb K2 results in the building of over 50 schools in Pakistan and Afghanistan
- Thomas, Dana ***Deluxe: How Luxury Lost Its Luster*** - A hard-hitting behind-the-scenes look at the luxury fashion industry today
- Walls, Jeannette ***The Glass Castle*** - Columnist Jeanette Walls tells of her childhood filled with poverty and neglect