



# Read 'n Share Titles

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## Fiction

- Aoyama, Michiko      *What You are Looking For is in the Library* - A Japanese librarian always seems to know what books her patrons need to change their lives for the better.
- Audrain, Ashley      *The Push*– A devoted mother with a painful past gradually realizes that something is very wrong with her daughter, but no-one will believe her.
- Barclay, Linwood,      *Parting Shot*– A private investigator looking into threats made against an accused killer's family in spite of local outrage is embroiled in a vicious revenge plot.
- Brodesser-Akner, Taffy      *Long Island Compromise* - Siblings are in denial that they're still affected by their father's kidnapping in 1980 and about how his wealth influenced their lives.
- Center, Katherine      *Rom-Commers* – Hired to write a rom-com screenplay with her hero, a woman arrives in LA to discover he doesn't believe in love.
- Cosentino, Tom      *The Art of Looking For Trouble* – A bartender's life is changed when friends throw him a surprise 50th birthday party and the celebration is interrupted by a robbery.
- Crouch, Blake      *Run* – A man and his family are running for their lives after there is a mysterious outbreak of violence and murder in the United States.
- Daverley, Claire      *Talking at Night* – Two people can't help but be pulled back to each other despite their different upbringings and a tragedy that haunts them both.
- Dodd, Christina      *A Daughter of Fair Verona* -The eldest daughter of Romeo and Juliet rejects the betrothal planned by her parents and tries to find her suitor a more suitable match.
- Ellis, David      *Look Closer*– The murder of a socialite blows up the lives of a well-respected, wealthy Chicago couple when they find their secrets and lies exposed.
- Gramazio, Holly      *The Husbands*– A woman discovers the attic in her London flat is creating an infinite supply of husbands and wakes up to a slightly altered life each day,
- Grames, Juliet      *The Lost Boy of Santa Chionia*- In 1960 Calabria, a 27-year-old American is drawn into a mystery when a human skeleton is found in an isolated mountain village.
- Haig, Matt,      *The Humans*– An alien who regards humans unfavorably has a change of heart while impersonating a mathematician and ends up trying to save humanity from itself.
- Hart, Rob      *Assassins Anonymous*– After giving up his paid assassin gig and joining a twelve-step program for reformed killers, a man is attacked and forced on the run.
- Henriquez, Cristina      *The Book of Unknown Americans*– When their daughter is injured, a family moves from Mexico to America where they deal with her recovery and cultural barriers.

Henry, Patti Callahan	<b><i>Surviving Savannah</i></b> – When a history professor curates a new museum collection focusing on artifacts recovered from a steamship, she's shocked by what she finds.
Hogan, Ruth	<b><i>Phoenix Ballroom</i></b> – A wealthy woman at a loss after her husband's death revives a local landmark where she was a dance instructor-and restores joy to her own life.
Holmes, Rupert	<b><i>Murder Your Employer</i></b> – Follow students of The McMasters Conservatory which is dedicated to the homicidal arts as they prepare to commit the perfect murders.
Kamali, Marjan	<b><i>The Lion Women of Tehran</i></b> – The story of the decades-long friendship of two Iranian women whose lives are upended by their country's political upheaval.
Knoll, Jessica	<b><i>Bright Young Women</i></b> –Two women join forces to search for answers when their lives are touched by a serial killer which leads to a final, shocking confrontation.
Jimenez, Abby	<b><i>Just for the Summer</i></b> – Two people realize when they break up. their exes soon find the “One”. What will happen if they date?
Jimenez, Abby	<b><i>Part of Your World</i></b> - An ER doctor and a hot carpenter, who's ten years younger, find their flings turning into a relationship to the disapproval of her wealthy parents.
Johnson, Sadeqa	<b><i>Yellow Wife</i></b> – Born on a plantation but set apart from the others by her mother's position as a medicine woman, a young slave is forced to leave home at 18.
McFadden, Freida	<b><i>Ward D</i></b> – A medical student spending the night on a locked psychiatric ward grows convinced something terrible is happening. Then people start to disappear.
McFadden, Freida	<b><i>The Perfect Son</i></b> - A woman starts to suspect her son may be involved in the disappearance of high school student as he was the last person to see the girl alive.
McFarlane, Mhairi	<b><i>Just Last Night</i></b> – When one night changes everything between her and her best friends, a young woman wonders if she really knew them at all.
Michaelides, Alex	<b><i>The Fury</i></b> - Guests on the private Greek Island of reclusive ex-movie star become trapped and the night ends in violence and murder.
Murakami, Haruki	<b><i>The Wind-up Bird Chronicle</i></b> - The saga of a disintegrating marriage and suppressed memories of the tragedies of war, set against the backdrop of 20 <sup>th</sup> century Japan.
Nguyen, Phan Que Mai	<b><i>Dust Child</i></b> – A suspenseful saga about family secrets, hidden trauma and the overriding power of forgiveness, set during the war and in present-day Vietnam.
Quinn, Kate	<b><i>The Briar Club</i></b> – In an female boardinghouse, a mysterious widow draws her oddball neighbors into unlikely friendship until a shocking act of violence tears them apart.
Read, Shelley	<b><i>Go as a River</i></b> – A 1940s teenager running her family's peach farm meets a young man with a mysterious past but must flee after something unexpected happens.
Reari, Philip	<b><i>Eat Your Damn Vegetables</i></b> – What if you knew it was the last time you would see someone just by looking at them? It turns out there's an app for that.
Wassmer, M.J.	<b><i>Zero Stars, Do Not Recommend</i></b> – A couple are trying to enjoy their island resort vacation when the sun explodes and the world is thrown into chaos.

## Non-Fiction

Gad, Marra

*The Color of Love* – This mixed-race Jewish author describes how her decision to care for her abusively racist great-aunt with Alzheimer's changed their relationship.

Gawande, Atul

*Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End* – A doctor tackles how medicine can improve life and also the process of ending it.

Streisand, Barbra

*My Name is Barbra* – In her own words, the living legend tells the story of her life and extraordinary career, from growing up in Brooklyn to her long string of successes.