

# ★ Staff Favorites ★

*of the books we read in 2023*



## Adult Nonfiction

TITLE	AUTHOR	YEAR PUBLISHED
What is my plant telling me?: An illustrated guide to houseplants and how to keep them from dying	Emily L. Hay Hinsdale	2022
Quietly hostile: essays	Samantha Irby	2023
What the dead know: learning about life as a New York City Death Investigator	Barbara Butcher	2023
Nobody wants your sh!t: the art of decluttering before you die	Messie Condo	2023
The In-between: Unforgettable encounters during life's final moments	Hadley Vlahos	2023

## Adult Fiction

TITLE	AUTHOR	YEAR PUBLISHED
Remarkably bright creatures	Shelby van Pelt	2023
Whalefall	Daniel Kraus	2023
One puzzling afternoon	Emily Critchley	2023
Device free weekend	Sean Doolittle	2023
The Giver of stars	Jojo Moyes	2019
The Younger wife	Sally Hepworth	2022
A Thousand splendid suns	Khaled Hosseini	2007
The Last lifeboat	Hazel Gaynor	2023
The Book of lost names	Kristin Harmel	2020
A World of curiosities	Louise Penny	2022
Miss Eliza's English kitchen	Annabel Abbs	2021
The Librarian of burned books	Brianna Labuskes	2023
Code name Sapphire	Pam Jenoff	2023
Beartown	Fredrik Backman	2017
The Dry	Jane Harper	2017

American dirt	Jeanine Cummins	2020
The Things we cannot say	Kelly Rimmer	2019
The Wishing game	Meg Shaffer	2023
Keeper of enchanted rooms	Charlie N. Holmberg	2022
The Girl you left behind	Jojo Moyes	2013
A Memory of violets	Hazel Gaynor	2015
The Good sister	Sally Hepworth	2021
Woke up like this	Amy Lea	2023
Don't forget to write	Sara Goodman Confino	2023
The Spectacular	Fiona Davis	2023
The Maid	Nita Prose	2022
The Matchmaker's gift	Lynda Cohen Loigman	2022
The Mountain in the sea	Ray Nayler	2022
The Last thing he told me	Laura Dave	2021
The Mitford affair	Marie Benedict	2023
The Piano player	Kurt Vonnegut	1952
The Poisoner's ring	Kelley Armstrong	2023
Beguilement	Lois McMaster Bujold	2006
Gideon the ninth	Tamsyn Muir	2019
The Lost metal	Brandon Sanderson	2022

## Young Adult

TITLE	AUTHOR	YEAR PUBLISHED
They went left <i>(historical fiction)</i>	Monica Hesse	2020

## Children

TITLE	AUTHOR	YEAR PUBLISHED
Simon and the better bone <i>(picture)</i>	Corey Tabor	2023
Love makes a garden grow <i>(picture)</i>	Taeun Yoo	2023
The Gentle genius of trees <i>(picture)</i>	Philip Bunting	2023
Wishtree <i>(middle grade)</i>	Katherine Applegate	2017
This was our pact <i>(middle grade)</i>	Ryan Andrews	2019

