



FOR THE LOVE OF BOOKS 2020
Claremont Book Groups 2019 Reading Lists

Group	Book	Author
AAUW ESGV Daytime Books I	<p>Beneath A Scarlet Sky Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine Funny in Farsi: A Memoir of Growing up Iranian in America Pachinko Prairie Fires: The American Dreams of Laura Ingalls Wilder The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek The Great Alone The Island of Sea Women The Wednesday Sisters Then She Was Gone Varina Where the Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Mark Sullivan Gail Honeyman Firoozeh Dumas Min Jin Lee Caroline Fraser Kim Michele Richardson Kristin Hannah Lisa See Meg Waite Clayton Lisa Jewell Charles Frazier Delia Owens</p>
AAUW ESGV Daytime Books II	<p>Before We Were Yours Fifty Things That Aren't My Fault Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind The Adventures of Tom Sawyer The Bishop's Pawn The Girl Who Smiled Beads: A Story of War and What Comes After The Library Book The Little Paris Bookshop The Other Americans We Were the Mulvaney's</p>	<p>Lisa Wingate Cathy Guisewhite Yuval Noah Harari Mark Twain Steve Berry Clemantine Wamariya Susan Orlean Nina George Laila Lalami Joyce Carol Oates</p>
AAUW ESGV Evening Books	<p>Before We Were Yours Bold Spirit: Helga Estby's Forgotten Walk Across Victorian America Daring to Drive: A Saudi Woman's Awakening I Will Not Fear: My Story of a Lifetime of Building Faith Under Fire Pigs in Heaven The Girls in the Picture The Masterpiece</p>	<p>Lisa Wingate Linda Lawrence Hunt Manal al-Sharif Melba Patillo Beals Barbara Kingsolver Melanie Benjamin Fiona Davis</p>
AAUW-ESGV Ladies of Mystery	<p>Mrs. Malory Investigates Still Life The Cater Street Hangman The Crow Trap This Pen For Hire</p>	<p>Hazel Holt Louise Penny Anne Perry Ann Cleeves Laura Levine</p>

<p>Baja Book Club</p>	<p>Earning the Rockies: How Geography Shapes America's Role in the World Famous Father Girl: A Memoir of Growing Up Bernstein Fear: Trump in the White House News of the World Save Me the Plums: My Gourmet Memoir The Library Book The One-in-a-Million Boy Things Fall Apart To Kill a Mockingbird Unsheltered We Fed an Island: The True Story of Rebuilding Puerto Rico, One Meal at a Time</p>	<p>Robert D. Kaplan Jamie Bernstein Bob Woodward Paulette Jiles Ruth Reichl Susan Orlean Monica Wood Chinua Achebe Harper Lee Barbara Kingsolver Jose Andres</p>
<p>Between the Lines Book Club</p>	<p>A Piece of the World Becoming Clock Dance Little Women The Bluest Eye The Island of Sea Women The Library Book Tiny Beautiful Things: Advice on Love and Life from Dear Sugar Unaccustomed Earth Where The Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Christina Baker Kline Michelle Obama Anne Tyler Louisa May Alcott Toni Morrison Lisa See Susan Orlean Cheryl Strayed Jhumpa Lahiri Delia Owens</p>
<p>Bibliofemmes</p>	<p>A Place for Us Educated: A Memoir Great Small Things The Hidden Life of Trees The Library Book Warlight Where the Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Fatima Farheen Mirza Tara Westover Jodi Picoult Peter Wohlleben Susan Orlean Michael Ondaatje Delia Owens</p>
<p>Bookies</p>	<p>Doc I Am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up For Education And Was Shot By The Taliban Killers Of The Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and The Birth Of The FBI Lincoln In the Bardo Mr. Mercedes Razor Girl The All-Girl Filling Station's Last Reunion The Comforts Of A Muddy Saturday The Soul Of An Octopus: A Surprising Exploration into the Wonders of Consciousness The Tea Girl Of Hummingbird Lane There There Those In Peril</p>	<p>Mary Doria Russell Malala Yousafzai David Grann George Saunders Stephen King Carl Hiassen Fannie Flagg Alexander McCall Smith Sy Montgomery Lisa See Tommy Orange Wilbur Smith</p>
<p>Book Women</p>	<p>Benediction Eventide Little Fires Everywhere Plainsong The Greater Journey: Americans in Paris The Library Book The Wife Where the Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Kent Haruf Kent Haruf Celeste Ng Kent Haruf David McCullough Susan Orlean Meg Wolitzer Delia Owens</p>

Buuk Group	Becoming Educated: A Memoir On the Brink of Everything: Grace, Gravity, and Getting Old Saints and Villains The Feral Detective The House of Broken Angels The Library Book The Overstory The Soul of America: The Battle for Our Better Angels There There Where the Crawdads Sing	Michelle Obama Tara Westover Parker J. Palmer Denise Giardina Jonathan Lethem Luis Alberto Urrea Susan Orlean Richard Powers John Meacham Tommy Orange Delia Owens
Campus Women Book Group	Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption Marilla of Green Gables Prayers for Sale The Female Persuasion The Refugees The Russian Debutante's Handbook The Story of a Marriage The Winter Soldier Tsotsi Where the Crawdads Sing	Bryan Stevenson Sarah McCoy Sandra Dallas Meg Wolitzer Viet Thanh Nguyen Gary Shteyngart Andrew Sean Greer Daniel Mason Athol Fugard Delia Owens
Campus Women of the Claremont Colleges Mystery Book Group	Bluebird, Bluebird Bury The Lead Fall of Angels Inspector Singh Investigates A Deadly Cambodian Crime Spree Island of the Mad Keeper of Lost Causes Kingdom of the Blind The Hangman's Secret The Late Show The Widows Voice in the Night Y is for Yesterday	Attica Locke Archer Mayor Barbara Cleverly Shamini Flint Laurie King Jussi Alder-Olsen Louise Penny Laura Joh Rowland Michael Connelly Jess Montgomery Andrea Camilleri Sue Grafton
Campus Women Readers	Cuz: The Life and Times of Michael A Fall of Giants Lolita Madame Bovary My Sister's Keeper Passage to Ararat Save Me the Plums: My Gourmet Memoir Sula The Widows of Malabar Hill To the Bright Edge of the World Where the Crawdads Sing	Danielle Allen Ken Follett Vladimir Nabokov Gustave Flaubert Jodi Picoult Michael Arlen Ruth Reichl Toni Morrison Sujata Massey Eowyn Ivey Delia Owens
CC Book Club	A Gentleman in Moscow Brain on Fire: My Month of Madness Crazy Rich Asians Elizabeth the First Wife Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption	Amor Towles Susan Cahalan Kevin Kwan Lian Dolan Bryan Stevenson

	<p>Precious Cargo: My Year of Driving the Kids on Bus 3077 Soul Keeping: Caring for the Most Important Part of You Tender is the Night The Best American Food Writing 2018</p>	<p>Craig Davidson John Ortberg F. Scott Fitzgerald Ruth Reichl (Ed.)</p>
<p>Claremont Club Book Club</p>	<p>Beneath a Marble Sky Caravans: A Novel of Afghanistan Educated: A Memoir Grand Central: Original Stories of Postwar Love and Reunion Inheritance: A Memoir of Genealogy, Paternity, and Love Lilac Girls Manhattan Beach The Great Alone The Library Book Underground River Where the Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>John Shors James Michener Tara Westover Karen White & Pam Jenoff (Eds.) Dani Shapiro Martha Hall Kelly Jennifer Egan Kristin Hannah Susan Orlean Martha Conway Delia Owens</p>
<p>Claremont Library Book Club</p>	<p>Don't Let Go Enchanted Islands Ghettoside: A True Story of Murder in America Saint Mazie Lab Girl Nora Webster Salt to the Sea Tangled Vines: Greed, Murder, Obsession, and an Arsonist in the Vineyards of California The Book of Joy: Lasting Happiness in a Changing World The Little Paris Bookshop</p>	<p>Harlan Coben Allison Amend Jill Leovy Jami Attenberg Hope Jahren Colm Toibin Ruta Sepetys Frances Dinkelspiel Dalai Lama & Desmond Tutu Nina George</p>
<p>Claremont Literary and Noshing Society</p>	<p>Sing, Unburied, Sing The Immortalists The Library Book The Muralist The Refugees</p>	<p>Jesmyn Ward Chloe Benjamin Susan Orlean B. A. Shapiro Viet Thanh Nguyen</p>
<p>Classics Book Club</p>	<p>Alice's Adventures in Wonderland Beloved Jane Eyre My Cousin Rachel The Art of War The Man That Corrupted Hadleyburg The Story of An Hour</p>	<p>Lewis Carroll Toni Morrison Charlotte Bronte Daphne du Maurier Sun Tzu Mark Twain Kate Chopin</p>
<p>Eighth Street Book Group</p>	<p>American Nations: A Story of The Eleven Rival Regional Cultures of North America Born A Crime: Stories From a South African Childhood Educated: A Memoir Pachinko Rules of Civility The Good Earth The Library Book The Music Shop To The Lighthouse Where The Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Colin Woodard Trevor Noah Tara Westover Min Jin Lee Amor Towles Pearl Buck Susan Orlean Rachel Joyce Virginia Woolf Delia Owens</p>

Foothill Women's Book Club	Becoming Educated: A Memoir Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine Jell-o Girls: A Family History Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI My Ex Life Save Me the Plums: My Gourmet Memoir Song of Solomon The Library Book There There Where the Crawdads Sing	Michelle Obama Tara Westover Gail Honeyman Allie Rowbottom Bryan Stevenson David Grann Stephen McCauley Ruth Reichl Toni Morrison Susan Orlean Tommy Orange Delia Owens
Friends With Books	Chopin's Piano: In Search of the Instrument that Transformed Music The Gown: A Novel of the Royal Wedding The Weight of Ink The Widows of Malabar Hill Unsheltered Where the Crawdads Sing	Paul Kildea Jennifer Robson Rachel Kadish Sujata Massey Barbara Kingsolver Delia Owens
Group of Friends Book Club	A Woman Is No Man Clock Dance Pachinko The Island of Sea Women The Library Book The Refugees The Shell Seekers Unsheltered Where the Crawdads Sing	Etaf Rum Anne Tyler Min Jin Lee Lisa See Susan Orlean Viet Thanh Nguyen Rosamunde Pilcher Barbara Kingsolver Delia Owens
Harvard Avenue Book Club	Americanah A Yellow Raft in Blue Water Euphoria Love Medicine Notorious RBG: The Life and Times of Ruth Bader Ginsburg Pachinko Restless The Library Book	Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie Michael Dorris Lily King Louise Erdrich Irin Carmon & Shana Knizhnik Min Jin Lee William Boyd Susan Orlean
Into Mystery	Downfall Little Fires Everywhere Map of Salt and Stars The Camel Club The President is Missing The Water's Lovely The Whispered Word The Widows of Malabar Hill What Alice Forgot	J.A. Jance Celeste Ng Zeyn Joukhadar David Baldacci James Patterson Ruth Rendell Ellery Adams Sujita Massey Liane Moriarty
Jane Austen Book Club	Becoming Iran Awakening: One Woman's Journey to Reclaim Her Life and Country My Glory Was I Had Such Friends Persuasion The Feral Detective	Michelle Obama Shirin Ebadi Amy Silverstein Jane Austen Jonathan Lethem

	<p>The Last Collection: A Novel of Elsa Schiaparelli and Coco Chanel The Lost Girls of Paris The Overstory Vanity Fair Vinegar Girl: William Shakespeare's The Taming of the Shrew Retold Washington Black</p>	<p>Jeanne Mackin Pam Jenoff Richard Powers William Makepeace Thackeray Anne Tyler Esi Edugyan</p>
Joslyn Book Group	<p>Becoming Educated: A Memoir Fear: Trump in the White House Kingdom of the Blind Madame Fourcade's Secret War: The Daring Young Woman Who Led France's Largest Spy Network Against Hitler The Barbarian Nurseries The Glass Ocean</p> <p>The Library Book The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane The Widows of Malabar Hill Where the Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Michelle Obama Tara Westover Bob Woodward Louise Penny Lynne Olson Hector Tobar Beatriz Williams, Lauren Willig, & Karen White Susan Orlean Lisa See Sujata Massey Delia Owens</p>
Liber Amante	<p>A Place for Us A Spool of Blue Thread Before We Were Yours Circe Eleanor Oliphant Is Completely Fine The Perfume Collector The Russian Debutante's Handbook Truth and Beauty: A Friendship</p>	<p>Fatima Farheen Mirza Anne Tyler Lisa Wingate Madeline Miller Gail Honeyman Kathleen Tessaro Gary Shteyngart Ann Patchett</p>
Lit Ladies	<p>America's First Daughter Before We Were Yours Daughter of Moloka'i Educated: A Memoir Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI Last Bus to Wisdom The Chilbury Ladies' Choir The Great Alone The Unexpected Mrs, Pollifax The Weight of Ink The Zookeeper's Wife</p>	<p>Stephanie Dray & Laura Kamoie Lisa Wingate Alan Brennert Tara Westover David Grann Ivan Doig Jennifer Ryan Kristin Hannah Dorothy Gilman Rachel Kadish Diane Ackerman</p>
Literary Lasses, Reading with Glasses	<p>American Street Born a Crime: Stories From a South African Childhood Educated: A Memoir Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine Euphoria Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI Prairie Fires: The American Dreams of Laura Ingalls Wilder</p>	<p>Ibi Zoboi Trevor Noah Tara Westover Gail Honeyman Lily King David Grann Caroline Fraser</p>
Mt. San Antonio Gardens Bookenders	<p>American by Day Educated: A Memoir Empire Falls Norwegian by Night</p>	<p>Derek Miller Tara Westover Richard Russo Derek Miller</p>

	Olive Kitteridge Olive, Again	Elizabeth Strout Elizabeth Strout
Mt. San Antonio Gardens Bookies	A House Among the Trees Great Expectations Home by Nightfall In a House of Lies Kingdom of the Blind Mister Pip Paris Echo Revelation Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind The Handmaid's Tale The Island of Sea Women	Julia Glass Charles Dickens Charles Finch Ian Rankin Louise Penny Lloyd Jones Sebastian Faulks Flannery O'Connor Yuval Noah Harari Margaret Atwood Lisa See
Mt. San Antonio Gardens Book Lovers	A Dog's Way Home An Officer and a Spy Anything for You Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine King of California: J. G. Boswell and the Making of a Secret American Empire Mister Pip Outlander The Alchemist The Glass Castle: A Memoir The Refugees True Grit	W. Bruce Cameron Robert Harris Saul Black Gail Honeyman Mark Arax & Rick Wartzman Lloyd Jones Diana Gabaldan Paulo Coelho Jeanette Walls Viet Thanh Nguyen Charles Portis
P.E.O. Chapter PR Book Club	Calling Me Home Surprise Me The Beekeeper of Aleppo The Library Book The Only Woman in the Room Where the Crawdads Sing	Julie Kibler Sophie Kinsella Christy Lefteri Susan Orlean Marie Benedict Delia Owens
Sycamore Book Club	A Place for Us An Anonymous Girl Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI Little Fires Everywhere Never Have I Ever Reading Lolita in Tehran: A Memoir in Books Star of the North Station Eleven Such Small Hands The Dead The Other Americans Where the Crawdads Sing	Fatima Farheen Mirza Greer Hendricks & Sarah Pekkanen David Grann Celeste Ng Joshilyn Jackson Azar Nafisi D. B. John Emily St. John Mandel Andres Barba James Joyce Laila Lalami Delia Owens
Sycamore Moms Book & Coffee Club	Apple Tree Yard Becoming Clock Dance Educated: A Memoir Exit West Lincoln in the Bardo	Louise Doughty Michelle Obama Anne Tyler Tara Westover Mohsin Hamid George Saunders

	<p>My Brilliant Friend News of the World The Female Persuasion The Immortalists The Library Book</p>	<p>Elena Ferrante Paulette Jiles Meg Wolitzer Chloe Benjamin Susan Orlean</p>
Seferettes	<p>American Ghost: A Family's Extraordinary History on the Desert Frontier America for Beginners Gangsterland Gateway to the Moon Jewish Pirates of the Caribbean: How a Generation of Swashbuckling Jews Carved Out an Empire in the New World in Their Quest for Treasure, Religious Freedom and Revenge My Adventures with God My Mother's Son Not Bad for Delancy Street Rhapsody in Schmaltz: Yiddish Food and Why We Can't Stop Eating It Saint Mazie Save Me the Plums: My Gourmet Memoir The Tattooist of Auschwitz</p>	<p>Hannah Nordhaus Leah Franqui Tod Goldberg Mary Morris Edward Kritzer Stephen Tobolowsky David Hirshberg Mark Cohen Michael Wex Jami Attenberg Ruth Reichl Heather Morris</p>
TBI Jewish Readers Book Club	<p>97 Orchard: An Edible History of Five Immigrant Families in One New York Tenement Can't We Talk about Something More Pleasant? If All the Seas Were Ink: A Memoir In the Image Memoirs of a Jewish Extremist : The Story of a Transformation My Israel Trail: Finding Peace in the Promised Land My Name Is Asher Lev The Best Place on Earth: Stories The Brigade: An Epic Story of Vengeance, Salvation, and WW II The Fox Hunt.: A Refugee's Memoir of Coming to America The Last Watchman of Old Cairo This Is Real and You Are Completely Unprepared: The Days of Awe As A Journey of Transformation</p>	<p>Jane Ziegelman Roz Chast Ilana Kurshan Dara Horn Yossi Klein Halevi Aryeh Green Chaim Potok Ayelet Tsabari Howard Blum Mohammed Al Samawi Michael David Lukas Rabbi Alan Lew</p>
TBI Book Club, Too	<p>97 Orchard: An Edible History of Five Immigrant Families in One New York Tenement Born A Crime: Stories From a South African Childhood High Noon: Hollywood Blacklist and the Making of an American Classic Mr. Rosenblum Dreams in English Still Alice The Fox Hunt: A Refugee's Memoir of Coming To America The Single Ladies of Jacaranda Retirement Village</p>	<p>Jane Ziegelman Trevor Noah Glenn Frankel Natasha Solomons Lisa Genova Mohammed Al Samawi Joanna Nell</p>
TMBC – Tuesday Morning	<p>Bridge of Clay Beartown Educated: A Memoir The Alice Network The Island of Sea Women The Nickel Boys The World's Strongest Librarian: A Book Lover's Adventures Where the Crawdads Sing</p>	<p>Markus Zusak Fredrik Backman Tara Westover Kate Quinn Lisa See Colson Whitehead Josh Hanagarne Delia Owens</p>
Thursday Book Group	<p>Crudo Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI Lab Girl</p>	<p>Olivia Laing David Grann Hope Jahren</p>

	Stones for Ibarra The Clockmaker's Daughter The Last Days of Night The Library Book	Harriet Doerr Kate Morton Graham Moore Susan Orlean
Upland Book Club	A Man Called Ove A Tree Grows in Brooklyn Carnegie's Maid Longbourne News of the World The Female Persuasion The One Man: The Riveting and Intense Bestselling WWII Thriller	Fredrik Backman Betty Smith Marie Benedict Jo Baker Paulette Jiles Meg Wolitzer Andrew Gross
Upland Library BookEnders	A Discovery of Witches Islands on the Fringe: A Year of Micronesian Waves and Wanderers My Cousin Rachel The Death of Mrs. Westaway The Hopkins Manuscript The Invention of Nature: Alexander von Humboldt's New World The Library Book The Rise of the Rocket Girls: The Women Who Propelled Us, From Missiles to the Moon to Mars Warlight	Deborah Harkness S. Jacques Stratton Daphne du Maurier Ruth Ware R.C. Sherriff Andrea Wulf Susan Orlean Nathalia Holt Michael Ondaatje
Wednesdays at 5	Carnegie's Maid Chances Are Where the Crawdads Sing Lost Roses Mrs. Everything Sandcastle Girls Spark of Light The Giver of Stars Tidelands	Marie Benedict Richard Russo Delia Owens Martha Hall Kelly Jennifer Weiner Chris Bohjalian Jodi Picoult JoJo Moyes Philippa Gregory
WICHFOB Collective	Any book Devil in the Grove: Thurgood Marshall, the Groveland Boys, and the Dawn of a New America Hope in the Dark: Untold Histories, Wild Possibilities Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI Little Fires Everywhere Maybe Esther: A Family Story The Feral Detective We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves	Toni Morrison Gilbert King Rebecca Solnit David Grann Celeste Ng Katja Petrowskaja Jonathan Lethem Karen Joy Fowler
WOBBS	Educated: A Memoir Lillian Boxfish Takes A Walk Once Upon A River The 100-Year-Old Man Who Climbed Out the Window and Disappeared The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek The Great Reckoning The Handmaid's Tale The Library Book The Nickel Boys The Orchid Thief The Woman in Cabin 10 Where the Crawdads Sing	Tara Westover Kathleen Rooney Dianne Setterfield Jonas Jonasson Kim Michele Richardson Louise Penny Margaret Atwood Susan Orlean Colson Whitehead Susan Orlean Ruth Ware Delia Owens

2019 FICTION

Achebe, Chinua	<i>Things Fall Apart</i>	Franqui, Leah	<i>America for Beginners</i>
Adichie, Chmanmanda Ngozi	<i>Americanah</i>	Frazier, Charles	<i>Varina</i>
Alcott, Louisa May	<i>Little Women</i>	Fugard, Athol	<i>Tsotsi</i>
Amend, Allison	<i>Enchanted Islands</i>	Gabalda, Diana	<i>Outlander</i>
Attenberg, Jami	<i>Saint Mazie</i>	Genova, Alice	<i>Still Alice</i>
Atwood, Margaret	<i>The Handmaid's Tale</i>	George, Nina	<i>The Little Paris Bookshop</i>
Austen, Jane	<i>Persuasion</i>	Giardina, Denise	<i>Saints and Villains</i>
Backman, Fredrik	<i>A Man Called Ove</i>	Gilman, Dorothy	<i>The Unexpected Mrs. Pollifax</i>
Backman, Fredrik	<i>Beartown</i>	Glass, Julia	<i>A House Among the Trees</i>
Baker, Jo	<i>Longbourne</i>	Goldberg, Tod	<i>Gangsterland</i>
Baldacci, David	<i>The Camel Club</i>	Greer, Andrew Sean	<i>The Story of a Marriage</i>
Barba, Andres	<i>Such Small Hands</i>	Gregory, Phillipa	<i>Tidelands</i>
Benedict, Marie	<i>Carnegie's Maid</i>	Gross, Andrew	<i>The One Man: The Riveting and Intense Bestselling WWII Thriller</i>
Benedict, Marie	<i>The Only Woman in the Room</i>		<i>Exit West</i>
Benjamin, Chloe	<i>The Immortalists</i>	Hamid, Mohsin	<i>The Great Alone</i>
Benjamin, Melanie	<i>The Girls in the Picture</i>	Hannah, Kristin	<i>A Discovery of Witches</i>
Berry, David	<i>The Bishop's Pawn</i>	Harkness, Deborah	<i>An Officer and a Spy</i>
Black, Saul	<i>Anything for You</i>	Harris, Robert	<i>Benediction</i>
Bohjalian, Chris	<i>The Sandcastle Girls</i>	Haruf, Kent	<i>Eventide</i>
Boyd, William	<i>Restless</i>	Haruf, Kent	<i>Plainsong</i>
Brennert, Alan	<i>Daughter of Moloka'i</i>	Hendricks, G. & Pekkaen, S.	<i>An Anonymous Girl</i>
Bronte, Charlotte	<i>Jane Eyre</i>	Hiaasen, Carl	<i>Razor Girl</i>
Buck, Pearl	<i>The Good Earth</i>	Hirshberg, David	<i>My Mother's Son</i>
Cameron, W. Bruce	<i>A Dog's Way Home</i>	Honeyman, Gail	<i>Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine</i>
Carroll, Lewis	<i>Alice's Adventures in Wonderland</i>	Horn, Dara	<i>In the Image</i>
Clayton, Meg Waite	<i>The Wednesday Sisters</i>	Ivey, Eowyn	<i>To the Bright Edge of the World</i>
Coben, Harlan	<i>Don't Let Go</i>	Jackson, Joshilyn	<i>Never Have I Ever</i>
Coeхло Paulo	<i>The Alchemist</i>	Jenoff, Pam	<i>The Lost Girls of Paris</i>
Conway, Martha	<i>The Underground River</i>	Jewell, Lisa	<i>Then She Was Gone</i>
Dallas, Sandra	<i>Prayers for Sale</i>	Jiles, Paulette	<i>News of the World</i>
Davis, Fiona	<i>The Masterpiece</i>	John, D. B.	<i>Star of the North</i>
Dickens, Charles	<i>Great Expectations</i>	Jonasson, Jonas	<i>The 100-Year-Old Man Who Climbed Out the Window and Disappeared</i>
Doerr, Harriet	<i>Stones for Ibarra</i>		<i>Mister Pip</i>
Doig, Ivan	<i>Last Bus to Wisdom</i>	Jones, Lloyd	<i>Map of Salt and Stars</i>
Dolan, Lian	<i>Elizabeth the First Wife</i>	Joukhadar, Zeyn	<i>The Music Shop</i>
Dorris, Michael	<i>A Yellow Raft in Blue Water</i>	Joyce, Rachel	<i>The Weight of Ink</i>
Doughty, Louise	<i>Apple Tree Yard</i>	Kadish, Rachel	<i>Lilac Girls</i>
Dray, S. & Kamoie, L.	<i>America's First Daughter</i>	Kelly, Mary Hall	<i>Lost Roses</i>
du Maurier, Daphne	<i>My Cousin Rachel</i>	Kelly, Mary Hall	<i>Calling Me Home</i>
Edugyan, Esi	<i>Washington Black</i>	Kibler, Julie	<i>Euphoria</i>
Egan, Jennifer	<i>Manhattan Beach</i>	King, Lily	<i>Mr. Mercedes</i>
Erdrich, Louise	<i>Love Medicine</i>	King, Stephen	<i>Pigs in Heaven</i>
Faulks, Sebastian	<i>Paris Echo</i>	Kingsolver, Barbara	<i>Unsheltered</i>
Ferrante, Elena	<i>My Brilliant Friend</i>	Kingsolver, Barbara	<i>Surprise Me</i>
Fitzgerald, F. Scott	<i>Tender is the Night</i>	Kinsella, Sophie	<i>A Piece of the World</i>
Flagg, Fannie	<i>The All-Girl Filling Station's Last Reunion</i>	Kline, Christina Baker	<i>Crazy Rich Asians</i>
Flaubert, Gustave	<i>Madame Bovary</i>	Kwan, Kevin	<i>Crudo</i>
Follett, Ken	<i>Fall of Giants</i>	Laing, Olivia	
Fowler, Karen Joy	<i>We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves</i>		

Lalami, Laila	<i>The Other Americans</i>	Robson, Jennifer	<i>The Gown: A Novel of the Royal Wedding</i>
Lee, Harper	<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	Rooney, Kathleen	<i>Lillian Boxfish Takes A Walk</i>
Lee, Min Jin	<i>Pachinko</i>	Rum, Etaf	<i>A Woman Is No Man</i>
Lefteri, Christy	<i>The Beekeeper of Aleppo</i>	Russell, Mary Doria	<i>Doc</i>
Lethem, Jonathan	<i>The Feral Detective</i>	Russo, Richard	<i>Chances Are</i>
Lukas, Michael David	<i>The Last Watchman of Old Cairo</i>	Russo, Richard	<i>Empire Falls</i>
Mackin, Jeanne	<i>The Last Collection: A Novel of Elsa Schiaparelli and Coco Chanel</i>	Ryan, Jennifer	<i>The Chilbury Ladies' Choir</i>
Mandel, Emily St. John	<i>Station Eleven</i>	Saunders, George	<i>Lincoln in the Bardo</i>
McCauley, Stephen	<i>My Ex Life</i>	See, Lisa	<i>The Island of Sea Women</i>
McCoy, Sarah	<i>Marilla of Green Gables</i>	See, Lisa	<i>The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane</i>
Michener, James	<i>Caravans: A Novel of Afghanistan</i>	Sepetys, Denise	<i>Salt to the Sea</i>
Miller, Madeline	<i>Circe</i>	Setterfield, Dianne	<i>Once Upon A River</i>
Mirza, Fatima Farheen	<i>A Place for Us</i>	Shapiro, B. A.	<i>The Muralist</i>
Moore, Graham	<i>The Last Days of Night</i>	Sherriff, R. C.	<i>The Hopkins Manuscript</i>
Moriarty, Liane	<i>What Alice Forgot</i>	Shors, John	<i>Beneath a Marble Sky</i>
Morris, Heather	<i>The Tattooist of Auschwitz</i>	Shteyngart, Gary	<i>The Russian Debutante's Handbook</i>
Morris, Mary	<i>Gateway to the Moon</i>	Smith, Betty	<i>A Tree Grows in Brooklyn</i>
Morrison, Toni	<i>Beloved</i>	Smith, Wilbur	<i>Those in Peril</i>
Morrison, Toni	<i>The Bluest Eye</i>	Solomons, Natasha	<i>Mr. Rosenblum Dreams in English</i>
Morrison, Toni	<i>Song of Solomon</i>	Strout, Elizabeth	<i>Olive Kitteridge</i>
Morrison, Toni	<i>Sula</i>	Strout, Elizabeth	<i>Olive, Again</i>
Morton, Kate	<i>The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek</i>	Tessaro, Kathleen	<i>The Perfume Collector</i>
Morton, Kate	<i>The Clockmaker's Daughter</i>	Thackery, William Makepeace	<i>Vanity Fair</i>
Moyes, JoJo	<i>The Giver of Stars</i>	Tobar, Hector	<i>The Barbarian Nurseries</i>
Nabokov, Vladimir	<i>Lolita</i>	Toibin, Colm	<i>Nora Webster</i>
Neil, Joanna	<i>The Single Ladies of Jacaranda</i>	Towles, Amor	<i>A Gentleman in Moscow</i>
Ng, Celeste	<i>Retirement Village</i>	Towles, Amor	<i>Rules of Civility</i>
Nguyen, Viet Thanh	<i>Little Fires Everywhere</i>	Twain, Mark	<i>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer</i>
Oates, Joyce Carol	<i>The Refugees</i>	Tyler, Anne	<i>Clock Dance</i>
Ondaatje, Michael	<i>We Were the Mulvaney's</i>	Tyler, Anne	<i>A Spool of Blue Thread</i>
Orange, Tommy	<i>Warlight</i>	Tyler, Anne	<i>Vinegar Girl: William Shakespeare's The Taming of the Shrew Retold</i>
Owens, Delia	<i>There There</i>	Urea, Luis Alberto	<i>The House of Broken Angels</i>
Patterson, James	<i>Where the Crawdads Sing</i>	Ward, Jesmyn	<i>Sing, Unburied, Sing</i>
Picoult, Jodi	<i>The President is Missing</i>	Weiner, Jennifer	<i>Mrs. Everything</i>
Picoult, Jodi	<i>Great Small Things</i>	Whitehead, Colson	<i>The Nickel Boys</i>
Picoult, Jodi	<i>My Sister's Keeper</i>	Wingate, Lisa	<i>Before We Were Yours</i>
Picoult, Jodi	<i>Spark of Light</i>	Wolitzer, Meg	<i>The Female Persuasion</i>
Pilcher, Rosamunde	<i>The Shell Seekers</i>	Wolitzer, Meg	<i>The Wife</i>
Portis, Charles	<i>True Grit</i>	Wood, Monica	<i>The One-in-a-Million Boy</i>
Potok, Chaim	<i>My Name Is Asher Lev</i>	Woolf, Virginia	<i>To The Lighthouse</i>
Powers, Richard	<i>The Overstory</i>	Zobol, Ibi	<i>American Street</i>
Quinn, Alice	<i>The Alice Network</i>	Zusak, Markus	<i>Bridge of Clay</i>
Rendell, Ruth	<i>The Water's Lovely</i>		

2019 SHORT STORY

Chopin, Kate
Joyce, James
Lahiri, Jhumpa
O'Connor, Flannery

The Story of An Hour
The Dead
Unaccustomed Earth
Revelation

Tsabari, Ayelet
Twain, Mark
White, K. & Jenhoff, P.
(Eds.)

The Best Place on Earth: Stories
The Man That Corrupted Hadleyburg
Grand Central: Original Stories of Postwar
Love and Reunion

2019 NON-FICTION

Ackerman, Diane
Allen, Danielle
Andres, Jose

Arax, M. & Wartzman, R.

The Zookeeper's Wife
Cuz: The Life and Times of Michael A
We Fed an Island: The True Story of
Rebuilding Puerto Rico, One Meal at a
Time
King of California: J. G. Boswell and the
Making of a Secret American Empire
Passage to Ararat
The Brigade: An Epic Story of Vengeance,
Salvation, and WW II
Can't We Talk about Something More
Pleasant?
Not Bad for Delancy Street: The Rise of Billy

Arlen, Michael
Blum, Howard

Rose
Tangled Vines: Greed, Murder, Obsession,
and an Arsonist in the Vineyards of
California

Chast, Roz

Cohen, Mark

Dinkelspiel, Frances

High Noon: Hollywood Blacklist and the
Making of an American Classic
Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage
Murders and the Birth of the FBI
Fifty Things That Aren't My Fault
Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind
The Rise of the Rocket Girls: The Women
Who

Frankel, Glenn

Grann, David

Guisewhite, Cathy
Harari, Yuval Noah
Holt, Nathalia

Propelled Us, from Missiles to the Moon to
Mars

Kaplan, Robert D.

Kildea, Paul

Earning the Rockies: How Geography
Shapes

King, Gilbert

America's Role in the World
Chopin's Piano: In Search of the Instrument
that Transformed Music

Kritzler, Edward

Devil in the Grove: Thurgood Marshall, the
Groveland Boys, and the Dawn of a New
America
Jewish Pirates of the Caribbean: How a
Generation of Swashbuckling Jews Carved
Out an Empire in the New World in Their
Quest for Treasure, Religious Freedom--
and Revenge

Lama, Dalai & Tutu,
Desmond
Leovy, Jill

Lew, Rabbi Alan Lew

McCullough, David
Meacham, John

Montgomery, Sy

Orlean, Susan
Orlean, Susan
Ortbert, John

Palmer, Parker J.

Patchett, Ann
Reichl, Ruth (Ed.)
Solnit, Rebecca

Stevenson, Bryan

Strayed, Cheryl

Tzu, Sun
Wex, Michael

Wohlleben, Peter
Woodard, Colin

Woodward, Bob
Wulf, Andrea

Ziegelman, Jane

The Book of Joy: Lasting Happiness in a
Changing World
Ghettoside: A True Story of Murder in
America
This Is Real and You Are Completely
Unprepared: The Days of Awe As a
Journey of Transformation
The Greater Journey: Americans in Paris
The Soul of America: The Battle for Our
Better Angels
The Soul Of An Octopus: A Surprising
Exploration into Consciousness
The Library Book
The Orchid Thief
Soul Keeping: Caring for the Most
Important Part of You
On the Brink of Everything: Grace, Gravity,
and Getting Old
Truth and Beauty: A Friendship
The Best American Food Writing 2018
Hope in the Dark: Untold Histories, Wild
Possibilities
Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and
Redemption
Tiny Beautiful Things: Advice on Love and
Life from Dear Sugar
The Art of War
Rhapsody in Schmaltz: Yiddish Food and
Why We Can't Stop Eating It
The Hidden Life of Trees
American Nations: A Story of The Eleven
Rival Regional Cultures of North
America
Fear: Trump in the White House
The Invention of Nature: Alexander von
Humboldt's New World
97 Orchard: An Edible History of Five
Immigrant Families in One New York
Tenement

2019 MEMOIR/BIOGRAPHY

Al Samawi Mohammed	<i>The Fox Hunt: A Refugee's Memoir/Biography of Coming To America</i>	Hunt, Linda Lawrence	<i>Bold Spirit: Helga Estby's Forgotten Walk Across Victorian America</i>
al-Sharif, Manal	<i>Daring to Drive: A Saudi Woman's Awakening</i>	Jahren, Hope	<i>Lab Girl</i>
Beals, Melta Patillo	<i>I Will Not Fear: My Story of a Lifetime of Building Faith Under Fire</i>	Kurshan, Ilana	<i>If All the Seas Were Ink: A Memoir</i>
Bernstein, Jamie	<i>Famous Father Girl: A Memoir of Growing Up Bernstein</i>	Nafisi, Azar	<i>Reading Lolita in Tehran: A Memoir in Books</i>
Calahan, Susan	<i>Brain on Fire: My Month of Madness</i>	Noah, Trevor	<i>Born A Crime: Stories From a South African Childhood</i>
Carmon, I. & Knizhnik, S.	<i>Notorious RBG: The Life and Times of Ruth Bader Ginsburg</i>	Nordhaus, Hannah	<i>American Ghost: A Family's Extraordinary History on the Desert Frontier</i>
Davidson, Craig	<i>Precious Cargo: My Year of Driving the</i>	Obama, Michelle	<i>Becoming</i>
Dumas, Firoozeh	<i>Kids on Bus 3077</i>	Olson, Lynne	<i>Madame Fourcade's Secret War: The Daring Young Woman Who Led France's Largest Spy Network Against Hitler</i>
Ebadi, Shirin	<i>Funny in Farsi: A Memoir of Growing Up Iranian in America</i>	Petrowskaja, Katja	<i>Maybe Esther: A Family Story</i>
Fraser, Caroline	<i>Iran Awakening: One Woman's Journey to Reclaim Her Life and Country</i>	Reichl, Ruth	<i>Save Me the Plums: My Gourmet Memoir</i>
Green, Aryeh	<i>Prairie Fires: The American Dreams of Laura Ingalls Wilder</i>	Rowbottom, Allie	<i>Jell-O Girls: A Family History</i>
Halevi, Yossi Klein	<i>My Israel Trail: Finding Peace in the Promised Land</i>	Shapiro, Dani	<i>Inheritance: A Memoir of Genealogy, Paternity, and Love</i>
Hanagarne, Josh	<i>Memoirs of a Jewish Extremist: The Story of a Transformation</i>	Silverstein, Amy	<i>My Glory Was I Had Such Friends</i>
	<i>The World's Strongest Librarian: A Book Lover's Adventures</i>	Stratton, S. Jacques	<i>Islands on the Fringe: A Year of Micronesian Waves and Wanderers</i>

2019 MYSTERY

Adams, Ellery	<i>The Whispered Word</i>	Massey, Sujita	<i>The Widows of Malabar Hill</i>
Alder-Olsen, Jussi	<i>Keeper of Lost Causes</i>	Mayor, Archer	<i>Bury The Lead</i>
Camilleri, Andrea	<i>Voice in the Night</i>	Miller, Derek	<i>American by Day</i>
Cleeves, Ann	<i>The Crow Trap</i>	Miller, Derek	<i>Norwegian by Night</i>
Cleverly, Barbara	<i>Fall of Angels</i>	Montgomery, Jess	<i>The Widows</i>
Connelly, Michael	<i>The Late Show</i>	Penny, Louise	<i>Kingdom of the Blind</i>
Finch, Charles	<i>Home by Nightfall</i>	Penny, Louise	<i>Still Life</i>
Flint, Shamini	<i>Inspector Singh Investigates A Deadly Cambodian Crime Spree</i>	Penny, Anne	<i>The Great Reckoning</i>
Grafton, Sue	<i>Y is for Yesterday</i>	Perry, Anne	<i>The Cater Street Hangman</i>
Holt, Hazel	<i>Mrs. Malory Investigates</i>	Rankin, Ian	<i>In a House of Lies</i>
Jance, J. A.	<i>Downfall</i>	Rowland, Laura Joh	<i>The Hangman's Secret</i>
King, Laurie	<i>Island of the Mad</i>	Smith, Alexander McCall	<i>The Comforts Of A Muddy Saturday</i>
Levine, Laura	<i>This Pen For Hire</i>	Ware, Ruth	<i>The Death of Mrs. Westaway</i>
Locke, Attica	<i>Bluebird, Bluebird</i>	Ware, Ruth	<i>The Woman in Cabin 10</i>
Mason, Daniel	<i>The Winter Soldier</i>	Williams, Beatriz; Willig, Lauren; & White, Karen	<i>The Glass Ocean</i>

Fiction most frequently chosen by Claremont-area book groups:

2019 **Where the Crawdads Sing (18 groups)**
Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine (5)
The Island of Sea Women (5)

2017 **A Gentleman in Moscow (16)**
Commonwealth (7)
A Man Called Ove (6)

2016 **All the Light We Cannot See (6)**
My Brilliant Friend (6)
A Man Called Ove (5)
The Nightingale (5)

2015 **All the Light We Cannot See (14)**
The Invention of Wings (7)
Wonder (5)
Orphan Train (4)
The Light Between Oceans (4)

2014 **Orphan Train (6)**
Dear Life: Stories (5)
The Invention of Wings (5)
The Light Between Oceans (4)

2013 **Take One Candle, Light a Room (8)**
The Light Between Oceans (8)
The Shoemaker's Daughter (5)

2012 **Caleb's Crossing (4)**
Gone Girl (4)
Major Pettigrew's Last Stand (4)

2011 **Into the Beautiful North (10)**
Cutting for Stone (5)

2010 **The Help (8)**
The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Society (4)
Water for Elephants (4)

Non-fiction most frequently chosen by Claremont-area book groups:

2019 **The Library Book (18 groups)**
Educated (12)
Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI (7)

2017 **Hillbilly Elegy (13)**
Funny in Farsi: A Memoir of Growing Up Iranian in America (8)

2016 **Between the World & Me (4)**
Funny in Farsi: A Memoir of Growing Up Iranian in America (4)
The Japanese Lover (4)
The Notorious RBG: The Life and Times of Ruth Bader Ginsburg (4)

2015 **The Boys in the Boat (8)**
Dead Wake (4)

2014 **The Boys in the Boat (7)**
Unbroken (3)

2013 **Behind the Beautiful Forevers (2)**
The Favored Daughter: One Woman's Fight to Lead Afghanistan into the Future (2)
The Life and Times of Jesus of Nazareth (2)

2012 **The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks (9)**
Still the Best Hope: Why the World Needs America's Values to Triumph (2)
The Conscience of A Liberal: Reclaiming America from the Right (2)
Unbroken (2)

2011 **Cleopatra: A Life (3)**
One Thousand White Women: The Journals of May Dodd (2)
Tattoos on the Heart: The Power of Boundless Compassion (2)
The Lemon Tree: An Arab, A Jew, and the Heart of the Middle East (2)

2010 **John Adams (2)**
The Devil in the White City (2)

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The Friends of the Claremont Library raise money for the library through memberships, book sales, fundraisers, and grants. The money goes towards library programs, materials and equipment to help Claremont have quality library services. The Friends support events and programs including On The Same Page Community Read, Children's Book Festival, Monthly Poetry Readings, and the library's summer reading programs.

Past FTLOB speakers include Denise Hamilton, Susan Straight, Joe Woodward, Naomi Hirahara, David Ulin, and Nat Segaloff.,Frances Ruhlen McConnel and Lucia Galloway.

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Barbara Rugeley

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Brenda Barham Hill

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