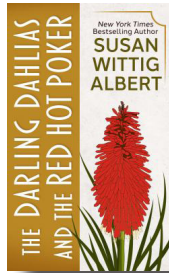


Gardening, Flowers, and Plant Related Cozy Mysteries

The Darling Dahlias by Susan Wittig Albert (available in regular print and large print)

The Dahlias are members of a garden club in Darling, Alabama. It's the 1930s, the stock market crash is still reverberating across America, and there are dark days and hard times ahead for everybody. But the Dahlias are doing their best to face the future with optimism. Join them as they get to the root of a few mysteries.



who gives up her big-city law career to care for her grandmother and run the family's organic farm and cafe in her scenic hometown of Winsome, Pennsylvania. She finds herself unwittingly embroiled in murder investigations.

Farm to Table Mysteries by Amanda Flower (available in regular print)



Shiloh Bellamy cashed in her big-city job and 401K to return home to Michigan to save the family farm, but turning Bellamy Farm into a sustainable,

organic haven is no small feat - especially when she keeps getting drawn into murder investigations.

A Bridal Bouquet Shop Mystery by Beverly Allen (available in regular print and large print)



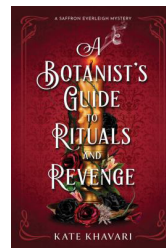
A cozy mystery series about Audrey Bloom, a florist who co-owns The Rose in Bloom flower shop in Ramble, Virginia, and solves murders connected to the weddings she works on. The series,

which began in 2014, features Audrey using her knowledge of Victorian flower meanings to investigate crimes.

Greenhouse Mysteries by Wendy Tyson (available in regular print and large print)
A cozy mystery series about Megan Sawyer,



Saffron Everleigh Mysteries by Kate Khavari (available in regular print)
Saffron Everleigh is a brilliant female researcher navigating a male-dominated field in 1920s London. She uses her expertise in botany and poisons to solve intricate, fast-paced murders, combining historical cozy mystery with wit, romance, and scientific intrigue.



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- have questions answered and be helped with a variety of needs.

New in Large Print



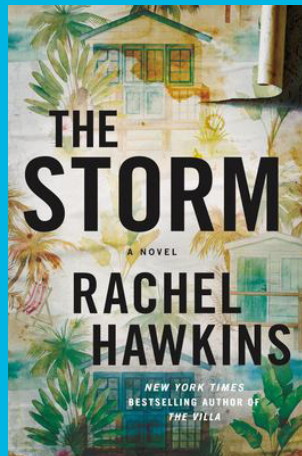
***The Book Club for Troublesome Women: A Novel* by Marie Bostwick**

In the early 1960s, four suburban women form a book club and read Betty Friedan's just-released book, *The Feminine Mystique*. As the women share

secrets, cocktails, and their reactions to the controversial bestseller, they have no idea their impromptu club and the books they read will become the glue that helps them hold fast through what will prove to be the most consequential and freeing year of their lives.

***The Storm* by Rachel Hawkins**

St. Medard's Bay, Alabama, is famous for three things: the deadly hurricanes that regularly sweep into town; the Rosalie Inn, a century-old hotel that's survived every one of those storms; and Lo Bailey, the local girl infamously accused and acquitted of the murder of her lover in 1984. When Geneva Corliss, current owner of the Rosalie, hears a writer is coming to town to research the crime, she's interested in how a successful true crime book might help the struggling inn's bottom line. However, she learns that some people can be just as destructive - and as deadly - as any hurricane.



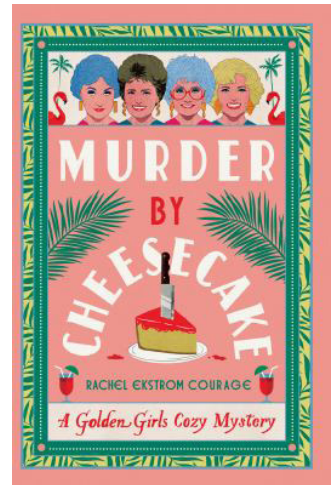
***That Last Carolina Summer: A Novel* by Karen White**

As a child, Phoebe Manigault developed the gift of premonition after she was struck by lightning near her Charleston home. Plagued by mysterious dreams, Phoebe

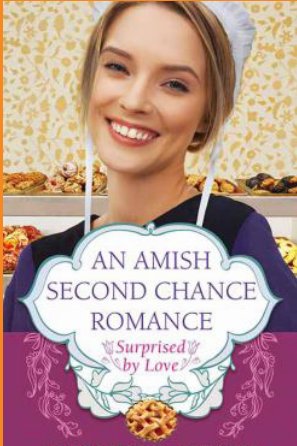
eventually moves to the West Coast. Years later, she is summoned back to South Carolina, where is drawn to Celeste, whose granddaughter went missing years ago.

***Murder by Cheesecake* by Rachel Ekstrom-Courage**

Number one in the A Golden Girls Cozy Mystery series. When Dorothy's obnoxious date is found dead in a hotel freezer, it not only ruins the gorgeous cheesecake but threatens the elaborate St. Olaf themed wedding Rose is hosting. With every guest a suspect (especially Dorothy) and a marriage on the line, it's up to the Golden Girls to sleuth out a way for friendship and love to win the day.



New in Large Print



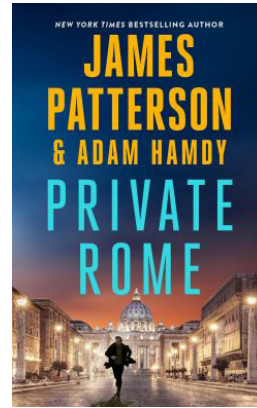
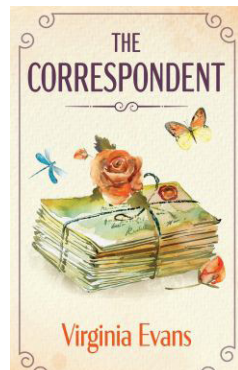
An Amish Second Chance Romance by Rachel J. Good

Number 8 in the Surprised by Love series. Gossiping has made Cathy Zehr an alt maidel—someone never courted to be a wife. She's finally at a

loss for more than words when she must care for her ailing brother's young sons. She turns to reserved woodworker Myron King, a bachelor who raised his orphaned niece and nephew. His advice proves invaluable—plus, Cathy discovers they have much in common. Yet she fears their growing closeness will never overcome her deep trauma, much less lead to love.

The Correspondent: A Novel by Virginia Evans

Throughout her life, Sybil Van Antwerp has used letters to make sense of the world and her place in it. Most mornings around half past ten she sits down to write. She expects her world to go on as it always has. She has lived a full life. But when letters from someone in her past force her to examine one of the most painful periods in her life, she cannot move forward until she finds it in her heart to offer forgiveness.



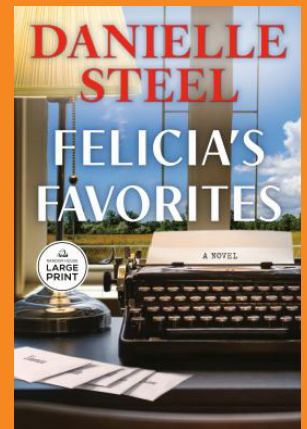
Private Rome by James Patterson and Adam Hamdy

Jack Morgan, ex-Marine helicopter pilot and CIA agent, is in Italy to open the latest outpost of his international private investigation firm. Its wealthy client base demands maximum force and maximum discretion. But when a priest is murdered at the firm's opening party, Morgan and Matteo Ricci—a decorated former Rome police inspector, now Morgan's newly appointed deputy—come under intense scrutiny. As Morgan and Ricci work the case, they discover that eight priests have died, all under the watch of the Swiss Guard and Vatican police.

Felicia's Favorites by Danielle Steel

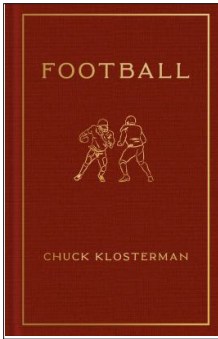
After the unexpected death of their mother, Felicia's five daughters are summoned to a historic Connecticut farmhouse for the reading of her will.

Still reeling from shock, they hear revelations that will potentially change their lives—and they realize there was much more to their mother than they ever knew. Each sister is about to receive a gift beyond her wildest dreams from their very private but loving mother, who considered all of her girls her favorites.



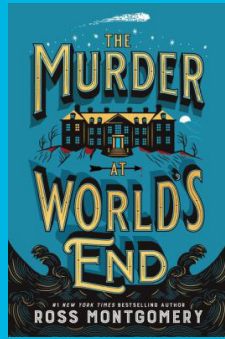
The Genre Shelf

Sports



Football
by **Chuck Klosterman**
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Historical Mystery



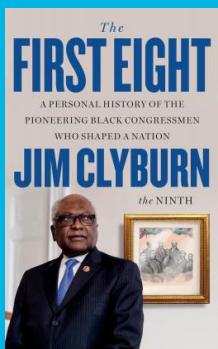
The Murder at the World's End by **Ross Montgomery**
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Mystery, Buffalo Jills



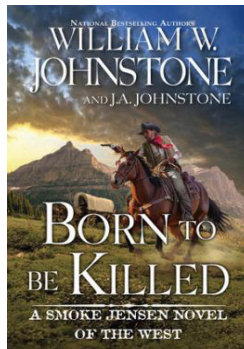
The Jills: A Novel
by **Karen Parkman**
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Memoir



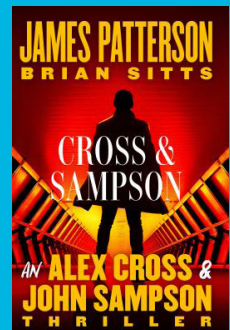
The First Eight: A Personal History of the Pioneering Black Congressman who Shaped a Nation by **Jim Clyburn**
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Western



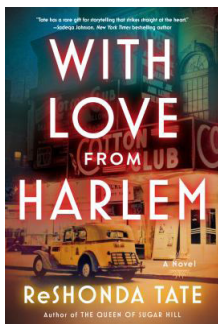
Born to be Killed
by **William J. Johnstone**
(available in regular print)

Thriller



Cross & Sampson
by **James Patterson and Brian Sitts**
(available in regular print)

Historical Fiction



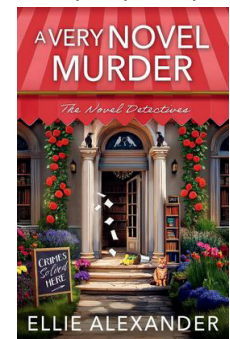
With Love from Harlem: A Novel by **ReShonda Tate**
(available in regular print)

Amish Fiction



Happily Ever After on Huckleberry Hill
by **Jennifer Beckstrand**
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Cozy Mystery



A Very Novel Murder
by **Ellie Alexander**
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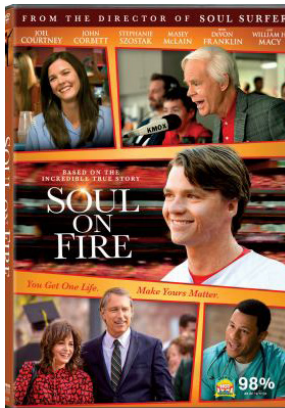
New and Coming Soon to DVD



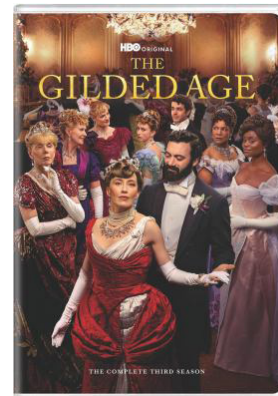
Blue Moon
(2025)
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Ratified
(2024)
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Soul on Fire
(2025)
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The Gilded Age.
The Complete Third Season (2025)
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Wicked: For Good
(2025)
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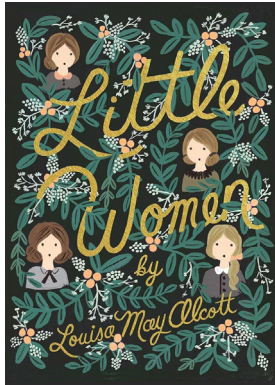


Poisoned in Paradise: A Martha's Vineyard Mystery (2021)
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Patron Book Recommendation

Theresa Rose F. - *Library by Mail* patron
***Little Women* by Louisa May Alcott**

I recently borrowed the book ***Little Women*** by Louisa May Alcott. This has always been my favorite book and a lifelong treasure. An important lesson I learned from this book is that men need to treat women with respect for their happiness and contentment.



Every Building Has a Story (University Express) City of Tonawanda Public Library

Buffalo is renowned for the architecture of its built environment. Not only does the city have significant masterpieces but the stories behind who, how and why these buildings were constructed are not only interesting but, oftentimes, surprising as well. Get a whole new perspective of downtown Buffalo's stellar architecture and learn the stories these buildings are waiting to reveal.

Thursday, June 18 @ 1:00-2:00pm
City of Tonawanda Public Library

To register, call the City of Tonawanda Public Library at 716-693-5043

Selected Programs at library branches and online (virtual)

**In Good Health:
Herbal Supplements & Vitamins**
Orchard Park Public Library

Learn more about the basic supplements we all should be taking, how we can do this through diet and what essentials we need more of that we don't get from food. Registration is required.

Wednesday, June 10
6:00-7:00pm
Orchard Park Public Library

To register, call the Orchard Park Public Library at 716-662-9851.

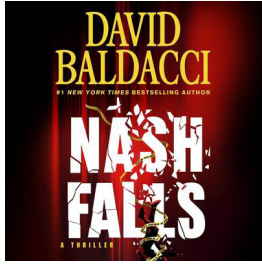


Upcoming Event: Nurturing Future Generations: Stories from the Heart of Grandfatherhood with Ted Page

Thursday, June 18 at 2 pm. Register at <https://libraryc.org/buffalolib/162566>.

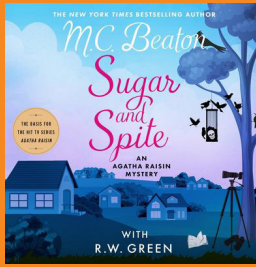
A complete list of upcoming events and past recordings is available at: <https://libraryc.org/buffalolib>

New and Popular Audiobooks



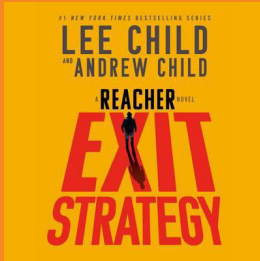
Nash Falls: A Thriller by David Baldacci

Following his estranged Vietnam veteran father's funeral, Nash is unexpectedly approached by the FBI. They have an important request: become their inside man to expose an enterprise that is laundering large sums of money at Sybaratic Investments, the firm where Nash holds a very high-level position.



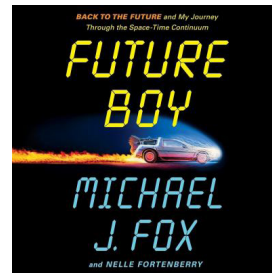
Sugar and Spite by M. C. Beaton with R. W. Green

Number 36 in the Agatha Raisin Mysteries series. When a series of deaths within the small Cotswolds birdwatching community begins to unravel her village, Agatha and her team at Raisin Investigations are certain there has been foul play involved.



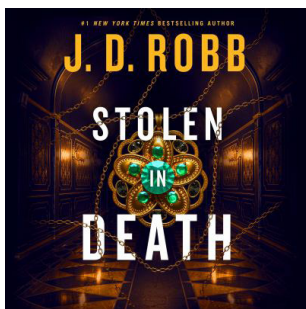
Exit Strategy by Lee Child and Andrew Child

After a young guy brushes against Reacher in a coffee shop, Reacher finds a handwritten note in his pocket. The note is a desperate plea for help. Impressed by the guy's technique and intrigued by the message, Reacher makes it his mission to find out more.



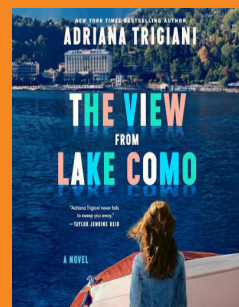
Future Boy: Back to the Future and My Journey Through the Space-Time Continuum by Michael J. Fox

A poignant, heartfelt, and funny memoir about how, in 1985, Michael J. Fox brought to life two iconic roles simultaneously—Alex P. Keaton in *Family Ties* and Marty McFly in *Back to the Future*. Included are interviews with the cast and crew of both projects.



Stolen in Death by J. D. Robb

A violent death and a vault of stolen treasures has Eve Dallas struggling to solve crimes old and new—and her husband, Roarke, is connected to the theft.



The View from Lake Como: A Novel by Adriana Trigiani

After a painful divorce and family upheaval in working-class Lake Como, New Jersey, draftswoman Jess Baratta flees to Carrara, Italy where artistic ambition and new relationships reshape her understanding of love, loyalty, and personal fulfillment.

MEMORIAL DAY

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 Fifth month of the Gregorian calendar year
- 4 Left over
- 9 Leaving
- 14 Expression of surprise
- 15 Freedom from war or hostility
- 16 Shelter under branches
- 17 Prisoner of war
- 18 Constellation
- 19 River
- 20 In ___ (together)
- 22 Gives a grant
- 24 Morning moisture
- 25 Darken
- 27 Sky
- 29 Gasoline
- 32 Snappish
- 35 Craze
- 36 Observe secretly
- 38 Unhappiness
- 40 Tinted
- 42 Sing
- 44 Harness
- 45 Report
- 47 Letter part

- 49 Fasten
- 50 Public procession of people
- 52 Ends
- 54 Yang's partner
- 55 Self-esteem
- 56 Whiz
- 59 Enlistee person who serves in the Navy
- 63 Decorative needle case
- 67 ___ Gras
- 69 Having to do with the navy
- 71 Business abbr.
- 72 Constellation
- 73 Inscribed pillar
- 74 Tell a tall tale
- 75 Gushes out
- 76 Taut
- 77 Limited (abbr.)

DOWN

- 1 Charts
- 2 Sailors "hey"
- 3 Gape
- 4 Resort hotel
- 5 Rites performed in order to give honor
- 6 Precipitation
- 7 Did well
- 8 Mexican money
- 9 Refueling, with "up"
- 10 Unrefined metal
- 11 As previously cited
- 12 Not any
- 13 Nourished
- 21 Central daylight time
- 23 Armed fighting between nations
- 26 Tax agency
- 28 Depend
- 29 Remit (2 wds.)
- 30 Water retention
- 31 Baggy
- 32 Musical production
- 33 Bird perch
- 34 Harnesses
- 35 Former president of U.S.
- 37 Poem
- 39 Kitten's cry
- 41 Rowboat
- 43 Left wing members
- 46 Dried grapes
- 48 Mist
- 51 Deoxyribonucleic acid (abbr.)
- 53 Seafood
- 56 Famous cookies
- 57 Cavil
- 58 Canal
- 60 Institution (abbr.)
- 61 Opp. of early
- 62 Kiln
- 64 Dig up the soil
- 65 Part
- 66 Chilled
- 68 ___ Jones Industrial average
- 70 Downwind

WILDFLOWERS

Find the words in the grid. When you are done, the unused letters in the grid will spell out a hidden message. Pick them out from left to right, top line to bottom line. Words can go horizontally, vertically and diagonally in all eight directions.

S U N F L O W E R L I L A C
 T W B L O S S O M H A T A S
 E L A L L O R O C O N E U K
 R D B L Y P L A C E I N R T
 O N E O W L E G A S E A O U
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| Anther | Dandelion | Sage |
| Bark | Floret | Seed |
| Blossom | Genus | Snapdragon |
| Boquet | Larkspur | Stem |
| Bud | Leaf | Sunflower |
| Clover | Lilac | Vines |
| Corolla | Root | Zinnia |

MEMORIAL DAY

Solution:

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