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Fitzgerald, F. Scott ~ *The Great Gatsby*  
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Haddon, Mark ~ *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time*  
Hamid, Mohsin ~ *The Reluctant Fundamentalist*  
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Hurston, Zora Neale ~ *Their Eyes Were Watching God*  
Irving, John ~ *A Prayer for Owen Meany*  
Jones, Edward P. ~ *The Known World*  
Jones, Lloyd ~ *Mister Pip*  
Kidd, Sue Monk ~ *Secret Life of Bees*  
King, Laurie R. ~ *Folly*  
Kingsolver, Barbara ~ *Prodigal Summer*  
Lahiri, Jhumpa ~ *Interpreter of Maladies*  
Lee, Harper ~ *To Kill a Mockingbird*  
Martel, Yann ~ *Life of Pi*  
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Merullo, Roland ~ *Breakfast with Buddha*  
Mirvis, Tova ~ *The Ladies Auxiliary*  
Naslund, Sena Jeter ~ *Ahab's Wife, or, the Star-Gazer*  
Patchett, Ann ~ *Bel Canto*  
Payne, Holly ~ *The Virgin's Knot*  
Petterson, Per ~ *Out Stealing Horses*  
Prior, Lily ~ *La Cucina: A Novel of Rapture*  
Rosnay, Tatiana de ~ *Sarah's Key*  
See, Lisa ~ *Snow Flower and the Secret Fan*  
Setterfield, Diane ~ *The Thirteenth Tale*  
Shelley, Mary Wollstonecraft ~ *Frankenstein*  
Shields, Carol ~ *Unless*  
Sijie, Dai ~ *Balzac and the Little Chinese Seamstress*  
Smith, Betty ~ *A Tree Grows in Brooklyn*  
Steinbeck, John ~ *Of Mice and Men*  
Stockett, Kathryn ~ *The Help*  
Toibin, Colm ~ *The Master*  
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