

Books We Have Read for RBWG Book Club

NONFICTION

Being Dead is No Excuse: The Official Southern Ladies Guide to Hosting the Perfect Funeral by Gayden Metcalfew and Charlotte Hays

Bird by Bird, Anne Lamott

Draw Your Weapons, Sarah Sentilles

Educated by Tara Westover.

Everybody Was so Young: The Love Story of Gerald and Sara Murphy, Amanda Viall

For the Time Being, Annie Dillard

Four Seasons in Rome: On Twins, Insomnia, and the Biggest Funeral in the History of the World. Anthony Doerr

I Could Tell you Stories: Sojourns in the Land of Memory. Before Night Falls, Patricia Hampl,

In the Garden of the Beasts, Erik Larsen

Inheritance by Dani Shapiro

Just Mercy, Bryan Stevenson. (Rehoboth Reads chosen book)

Let Me Finish, Richard Angell

Local Wonders, Ted Kooser

Men We Reaped: A Memoir by Jesmyn Ward

She's Not There, Jennifer Finley-Boylan

Stranger Care by Sarah Sentilles

The Big Sea. Langston Hughes

The Boys in the Boat, Daniel James Brown (August 2016)

The Empathy Exams, Leslie Jamison (creative nonfiction)

The Recovering by Leslie Jamison

The Suicide Index, Joan Wickersham

These Precious Days, Ann Patchett

Wild. Cheryl Strayed

Winter Journal, Paul Auster

POETRY

Bright Dead Things, by Ada Limon

Delights and Shadows by Ted Kooser

Fast Animal by Tim Siebles

Here, Bullet by Brian Turner

Kettle Bottom by Diane Gilliam Fisher

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Necessary Light by Patricia Fargnoli

They by Sue Ellen Thompson

This Bed Our Bodies Shaped by April Lindner

SHORT STORY COLLECTIONS

A Good Man is Hard to Find, Flannery O' Connor

Angel On My Chest, Leslie Pietrzyk (March 2016)

Hateship, Friendship, Courtship, Loveship, Marriage by Alice Munro

Olive Kitteridge, Elizabeth Strout

The Bear Came Over the Mountain, Alice Munro

The Queen of the Tambourine, Jane Gardam

The Things They Carried, Tim O' Brien

We Live in Water, Jess Walters

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NOVELS

A Lazarus Project Aleksandar Hemon

A Short History of Tractors in Ukraine, Marina Lewycka

A Spool of Blue Thread, Anne Tyler.

A Yellow Raft in Blue Water, Michael Dorris

All the Light We Cannot See, Anthony Doerr.

American Dirt by Jeanine Cummins

An Officer and a Spy

And the Mountains Echoed, Khaled Hosseini

Another Bullshit Night in Suck City, Nick Flynn

Beautiful Ruins, Jess Walter

Bel Canto by Ann Patchett

Breathing Lessons by Anne Tyler

City of Light, Lauren Belfer

Crossing to Safety, Wallace Stegner

Do Not Become Alarmed by Maile Meloy

Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine, Gail Honeyman

Euphoria, Lily King.

Evening, Susan Minot

Every Last One, Anna Quindlan

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Everyone Brave Is Forgiven, Chris Cleeve
Fugitive Pieces, Anne Michaels
Gilead by Marilynne Robinson
Hamnet, Maggie O'Farrell
Hide, Lisa Gardner
Horse, Geraldine Brooks
How Starbucks Saved my Life, Michael Gates
I'd Know You Anywhere, Laura Lippman
If Beale Street Could Talk, James Baldwin
In the Deep Mid-Winter, Robert Clark
In the Woods, Tana French
Just Like You, Nick Hornby
Kindred, Olivia Butler
Ladder of Years by Anne Tyler
Lark and Termite, Jayne Anne Phillips
Last Night at the Lobster, Stewart O' Nan
Little Bee, Chris Cleve
Look Again, Lisa Scottoline
Martin Dressler, Steven Milhauser
Mayhem. Robert Janes
Me Before You, Jo Jo Moyes.
Meet Me at the Museum by Anne Youngson
My Antonia, Willa Cather
Notes on an Execution, Danya Kukafka
Offshore, Penelope Fitzgerald
Peter Heller, The Dog Stars
Revolutionary Road, Richard Yates
Rules of Civility, Amor Towles
Silver Girl, Leslie Pietrzyk
Skin of the Lion, Michael Ondaatje
Small Things Like These by Claire Keegan
So Long, See You Tomorrow, William Maxwell
Someone Else's Love Story, Joshilyn Jackson
Song of Solomon by Toni Morrison
State of Wonder, Ann Patchett

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Station 11, Emily St. John Mandel.
The Animals, Christian Kiefer
The Association of Small Bombs, Karan Kahajan
The Book of Laughter and Forgetting, Milan Kunder
The Cats Table, Michael Ondaatje
The Dead, James Joyce
The English Patient, Michael Ondaatje
The Friend by Sigrid Nunez
The Giant's House, Elizabeth McCracken
The Great Believers, Rebecca Makkai
The Great Gatsby, F Scott Fitzgerald
The Green Road, Anne Enright
The Handmaid's Tale, Margaret Atwood
The House on Mango Street, Sandra Cisneros
The Hundred Year House by Rebecca Makkai.
The Husband's Secret, Liane Moriarty
The Maltese Falcon, Dashiell Hammett
The Paris Wife, Paula McCain
The Passion, Jeanette Winterson
The Queen of the Tambourine, Jane Gardam
The School of Essential Ingredients, Erica Bauermeister,
The Shipping News, Annie Proulx
The Speed of Light, Elizabeth Rosner
The Sweet Hereafter, Russell Banks
The Turner House, Angela Flournoy.
Their Eyes Were Watching God by Zora Neale Hurston.
To the Lighthouse, Virginia Woolf
Transatlantic, Colum McCann (2016)
Trans-Sister Radio, Chris Bohjahan.
Vanessa and her Sister, Priya Parmor
Virgil Wander by Leif Enger
Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owen
Worth Dying For, Lee Child
You Could Make This Place Beautiful, Maggie Smith

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PLAYS

The Glass Menagerie, Tennessee Williams