



CLASSICS TO TRY IF YOU LIKE...

ADVENTURE

The Bridge over the River Kwai / Boulle, Pierre
The Red Badge of Courage / Crane, Stephen
The Three Musketeers / Dumas, Alexandre
Lord of the Flies / Golding, William

FANTASY

Jonathan Strange and Mr. Norrell /
 Clarke, Susannah
The Lord of the Rings trilogy / Tolkien, J.R.R.

HISTORICAL FICTION

Death Comes for the Archbishop /
 Cather, Willa
The Remains of the Day / Ishiguro, Kazuo
Killer Angels / Shaara, Michael
The Caine Mutiny / Wouk, Herman

HORROR

Something Wicked This Way Comes /
 Bradbury, Ray
The Best of H.P. Lovecraft / Lovecraft, H.P.
The Tales of Poe / Poe, Edgar Allen
Frankenstein / Shelley, Mary
Dracula / Stoker, Bram

MYSTERY

The Big Sleep / Chandler, Raymond
Murder on the Orient Express /
 Christie, Agatha
The Maltese Falcon / Hammet, Dashiell

ROMANCE

Pride and Prejudice / Austen, Jane
Jane Eyre / Bronte, Charlotte
Possession / Byatt, A.S.
Gone with the Wind / Mitchell, Margaret

1500-1800

The Tale of Genji / Shikibu,
Don Quixote / Cervantes Saavedra, Miguel de
The Pilgrim's Progress / Bunyan, John
Robinson Crusoe / Defoe, Daniel
Clarissa / Richardson, Samuel
Tom Jones / Fielding, Henry
Candide / Voltaire

1800-1850

Pride and Prejudice / Austen, Jane
Emma / Austen, Jane
Frankenstein / Shelley, Mary
Ivanhoe / Scott, Sir Walter
The Last of the Mohicans /
 Cooper, James Fenimore
The Betrothed / Manzoni, Alessandro
The Three Musketeers / Dumas, Alexandre
Vanity Fair / Thackeray, William Makepeace
Agnes Grey / Bronte, Anne
Jane Eyre / Bronte, Charlotte
Wuthering Heights / Bronte, Emily
The Scarlet Letter / Hawthorne, Nathaniel

1850-1900

Moby Dick / Melville, Herman
Bleak House / Dickens, Charles
Uncle Tom's Cabin / Stowe, Harriet Beecher
Madame Bovary / Flaubert, Gustave
Great Expectations / Dickens, Charles
Les Miserables / Hugo, Victor
Crime and Punishment / Dostoevsky, Fyodor
The Last Chronicle of Barset /
 Trollope, Anthony
War and Peace / Tolstoy, Leo
Middlemarch / Eliot, George
The Brothers Karamazov / Dostoevsky, Fyodor

The Portrait of a Lady / James, Henry
The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn / Twain, Mark
The Rise of Silas Lapham / Howells, William Dean
Tess of the D'Urbervilles / Hardy, Thomas
The Red Badge of Courage / Crane, Stephen
Dracula / Stoker, Bram
The Awakening / Chopin, Kate

1900-1945

The Heart of Darkness / Conrad, Joseph
The Hound of the Baskervilles / Doyle, Arthur Conan
The Ambassadors / James, Henry
In Search of Lost Time / Proust, Marcel
A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man / Joyce, James
My Antonia / Cather, Willa
Winesburg, Ohio / Anderson, Sherwood
The Age of Innocence / Wharton, Edith
Ulysses / Joyce, James
A Passage to India / Forster, E.M.
An American Tragedy / Dreiser, Theodore
The Great Gatsby / Fitzgerald, F. Scott
The Trial / Kafka, Franz
To the Lighthouse / Woolf, Virginia
A Farewell to Arms / Hemmingway, Ernest
The Sound and the Fury / Faulkner, William
The Good Earth / Buck, Pearl S.
Call It Sleep / Roth, Henry
Absalom, Absalom! / Faulkner, William
Gone With the Wind / Mitchell, Margaret
Their Eyes Were Watching God / Hurston, Zora Neale
The Grapes of Wrath / Steinbeck, John
The Power and the Glory / Greene, Graham
Native Son / Wright, Richard
The Stranger / Camus, Albert
The Fountainhead / Rand, Ayn

1945-1975

Snow Country / Kawabata, Yasunari
Nineteen Eighty-Four / Orwell, George
Catcher in the Rye / Salinger, J.D.
Invisible Man / Ellison, Ralph
Go Tell it on the Mountain / Baldwin, James
The Adventures of Augie March / Bellow, Saul
Lord of the Flies / Golding, William
A Good Man is Hard to Find / O'Connor, Flannery
Lolita / Nabokov, Vladimir
On the Road / Kerouac, Jack
Things Fall Apart / Achebe, Chinua
A Death in the Family / Agee, James
The Tin Drum / Grass, Gunter
To Kill a Mockingbird / Lee, Harper
Catch-22 / Heller, Joseph
The Death of Artemio Cruz / Fuentes, Carlos
One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest / Kesey, Ken
The Golden Notebook / Lessing, Doris
A House for Mr. Biswas / Naipaul, V.S.
Herzog / Bellow, Saul
One Hundred Years of Solitude / Marquez, Gabriel Garcia
Slaughterhouse Five / Vonnegut, Kurt
Angle of Repose / Stegner, Wallace
Bless Me, Ultima / Anaya, Rudolfo
Gravity's Rainbow / Pynchon, Thomas
The Killer Angels / Shaara, Michael

1975-2000

The Monkey Wrench Gang / Abbey, Edward
The Song of Solomon / Morrison, Toni
Housekeeping / Robinson, Marilynne
Midnight's Children / Rushdie, Salman
The House of the Spirits / Allende, Isabel
The Color Purple / Walker, Alice
Rabbit is Rich / Updike, John
Cider House Rules / Irving, John
Cities of Salt / Munif, 'Abd al-Rahman

Beloved / Morrison, Toni
The Remains of the Day / Ishiguro, Kazuo
The Joy Luck Club / Tan, Amy
Breathing Lessons / Tyler, Anne
Possession / Byatt, A.S.
The Things They Carried / O'Brien, Tim
All the Pretty Horses / McCarthy, Cormac
The English Patient / Ondaatje, Michael
A Lesson Before Dying / Gaines, Ernest
American Pastoral / Roth, Philip
Underworld / DeLillo, Don
The Poisonwood Bible / Kingsolver, Barbara
The Interpreter of Maladies / Lahiri, Jhumpa

2000- current

All the Light We Cannot See / Doerr, Anthony
Billy Lynn's Long Halftime Walk / Fountain, Ben
Gilead / Robinson, Marilynne
Half of a Yellow Sun / Adichie, Chimamanda
Kafka on the Shore / Murakami, Haruki
Middlesex / Eugenides, Jeffrey
Olive Kitteridge / Strout, Elizabeth
On Beauty / Zadie Smith
Peace Like a River / Enger, Leif
The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay / Chabon, Michael
The Corrections / Jonathan Franzen
The Sense of an Ending / Barnes, Julian

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