



MAY 1999 BOOKS

ARCHIVED LISTS

SELECTED NEW BOOKS

BIOGRAPHY

- ε **Anderson, Edith** - Love in exile: an American writer's memoir of life in divided Berlin
- ε **Beevor, Kinta** - A Tuscan childhood
- ε **David, Saul** - Prince of pleasure (George IV)
- ε **Eisler, Benita** - Byron: child of passion, fool of fame
- ε **Elliott, Duong Van Mai** - The sacred willow: four generations in the life of a Vietnamese family
- ε **Frankel, Max** - The times of my life
- ε **Hamann, Brigitte** - Hitler's Vienna
- ε **Hamilton, Ian** - A gift imprisoned (Matthew Arnold)
- ε **Hibbert, Christopher** - George III: a personal history
- ε **Hiestand, Emily** - Angela the upside-down girl: and other domestic travels
- ε **Levi, Peter** - Virgil: his life and times
- ε **Marius, Richard** - Martin Luther
- ε **Morgan, Ted** - A covert life: Jay Lovestone, communist, anti-communist, and spymaster
- ε **Pound, Ezra** - Letters in captivity, 1945-1946
- ε **Sheridan, Alan** - Andre Gide: a life in the present
- ε **Soames, Mary** - Winston and Clementine: the personal letters of the Churchills
- ε **Strouse, Jean** - Morgan: American financier
- ε **Tyldesley, Joyce** - Nefertiti: Egypt's sun queen
- ε **Walsh, John Evangelist** - Midnight dreary: the mysterious death of Edgar Allan Poe
- ε **Warner, Sylvia Townsend** - I'll stand by you
- ε **Wilson, Elizabeth** - Jacqueline Du Pre

FICTION

- ε **Arensberg, Ann** - Incubus
- ε **Berger, Thomas** - The return of little big man

- ε **Blackburn, Julia** - The leper's companion
- ε **Blauner, Peter** - Man of the hour
- ε **Cheever, Benjamin** - Famous after death
- ε **Dart, Iris Ranier** - When I fall in love
- ε **Estleman, Loren D** - The Rocky Mountain moving picture association
- ε **Farah, Nuruddin** - Secrets
- ε **Gowdy, Barbara** - The white bone
- ε **Guterson, David** - East of the mountains
- ε **Harris, E. Lynn** - Abide with me
- ε **Houston, James** - The ice master
- ε **Karon, Jan** - A new song
- ε **Katzenbach, John** - Hart's war
- ε **Korelitz, Jean Hanff** - The Sabbathday River
- ε **Lively, Penelope** - Spiderweb
- ε **Matthiessen, Peter** - Bone by bone
- ε **Maxwell, Robin** - The Queen's bastard
- ε **Michael, Judith** - A certain smile
- ε **Michaels, Fern** - Celebration
- ε **Nicholson, Geoff** - Flesh guitar
- ε **O'Nan, Stewart** - A prayer for the dying
- ε **Pietrzyk, Leslie** - Pears on a willow tree
- ε **Pollack, Eileen** - Paradise, New York
- ε **Quick, Amanda** - I thee wed
- ε **Robinson, Bruce** - The peculiar memories of Thomas Penman
- ε **Shreve, Anita** - The pilot's wife
- ε **Silko, Leslie M.** - Gardens in the dunes
- ε **Steel, Danielle** - Bittersweet
- ε **Topol, Edward** - The Jewish lover
- ε **Trollope, Joanna** - Other people's children
- ε **Yamanaka, Lois-Ann** - Heads by Harry

SHORT STORIES

- ε **Byatt, A.S.** - Elementals: fire and ice
- ε **Englander, Nathan** - For the relief of unbearable urges
- ε **Greenberg, Alvin** - How the dead live
- ε **Hall, Patricia** - Perils of the night
- ε **Mojtabai, A.G.** - Soon: tales from hospice
- ε **Updike, John (ed.)** - The best American short stories of the century

MYSTERIES

- ε ***Barnard, Robert** - The corpse at the Haworth tandoori
- ε ***Beaton, M.C.** - Agatha Raisin and the wizard of Evesham
- ε **Bowen, Peter** - Long son
- ε **Clark, Mary Higgins** - We'll meet again
- ε **Connor, Beverly** - Dressed to die
- ε **Constantine, K.C.** - Blood mud
- ε **Crider, Bill** - Murder is an art
- ε **Douglas, Carole Nelson** - Cat in an indigo mood

- ε **Furst, Alan** - Red gold
- ε **Grimes, Martha** - Biting the moon
- ε **Hart, Carolyn** - Death on the river walk
- ε **Henry, April** - Circles of confusion
- ε **Hurwitz, Greg** - The tower
- ε **Jacobson, Alan** - False accusations
- ε **Jacovsky, Marilyn** - Irregulars
- ε **Kilmer, Nicholas** - Dirty linen
- ε **Lindsey, David** - The color of night
- ε **Maloney, Shane** - Stiff
- ε **Miano, Mark** - The dead of summer
- ε **Minichino, Camille** - The helium murder
- ε **Parker, Barbara** - Suspicion of betrayal
- ε ***Perry, Anne** - Bedford Square
- ε **Slesar, Henry** - Murder at Heartbreak Hospital
- ε **Steinberg, Richard** - Nobody's safe
- ε **Swindle, Howard** - Jitter joint
- ε **Thomas-Graham, Pamela** - Blue blood
- ε **Webb, Don** - The double
- ε ***Yorke, Margaret** - False pretences

* indicates a British mystery

SELECTED CATALOGUED BOOKS

BIOGRAPHY

- ε **Cady, Barbara** - Icons of the 20th century: 200 men and women who have made a difference 920 C1262I Oversize
- ε **Crowther, J.G.** - Six great inventors: Watt, Stephenson, Edison, Marconi, Wright Brothers, Whittle (1954) 920 C9533S
- ε **Jefferson, Alan** - Lotte Lehmann, 1888-1976 (1988) 780.92L
- ε **MacLeod, Charlotte** - Had she but known: a biography of Mary Roberts Rinehart (1994) 92 R5796M
- ε **Melbourne, Elizabeth** - Byron's "corbeau blanc": the life and letters of Lady Melbourne 92 M5177B
- ε **Parini, Jay** - The Norton book of American autobiography 920 N847N
- ε **Pohorilenko, Anatole** - When we were three: the travel albums of George Platt Lynes, Monroe Wheeler, and Glenway Wescott, 1925-1935 920 P747W
- ε **Snyder, Louis Leo** - The blood and iron chancellor: a documentary-biography of Otto von Bismarck (1967) 92 B6224S

BELLES LETTRES

- ε **Burns, Michael (ed.)** - Discovery and reminiscence: essays on the poetry of Mona Van Duyn 821.09V
- ε **Castronovo, David** - Edmund Wilson revisited 828.09W
- ε **Henderson, Heather** - The Victorian self: autobiography and Biblical narrative (1989) 828.09H

- ε **Jay, Peter (ed.)** - Sappho through English poetry (1996) 821.08S
- ε **Kleist, Heinrich von** - Selected writings (1997) 830.81C
- ε **Noonan, Peggy** - On speaking well: how to give a speech with style, substance, and clarity 808.5N
- ε **Pinsky, Robert** - The sounds of poetry: a brief guide 808.5P
- ε **Pinter, Harold** - Various voices: prose, poetry, politics 828P
- ε **Schiff, James A.** - John Updike revisited 823U
- ε **Wheeler, Kathleen** - A guide to twentieth-century women novelists (1997) 823W
- ε **Ziolkowski, Theodore** - The view from the tower: origins of an antimodernist image 809.9Z

ARTS

- ε **Barnhart, Richard** - Three thousand years of Chinese painting (1997) 759.95T
- ε **Beck, James** - Three worlds of Michelangelo 709.2M
- ε **Belgrad, Daniel** - The culture of spontaneity: improvisation and the arts in postwar America 709.73B
- ε **Duncan, Alastair** - Modernism: modernist design 1880-1940 745.4D
- ε **Kowsky, Francis** - Country, park, & city: the architecture and life of Calvert Vaux 720.92V
- ε **Metropolitan Museum of Art** - From Van Eyck to Bruegel: early Netherlandish painting in the Metropolitan Museum of Art 759.9M
- ε **Riley, Charles A** - The saints of modern art: the ascetic ideal in contemporary painting, sculpture, architecture, music, dance, literature, and philosophy 701R
- ε **Yonemura, Ann** - Twelve centuries of Japanese art from the Imperial collection (1997) 759.95T Oversize

POETRY

- ε **Baudelaire, Charles** - Selected poems from Les fleurs du mal (bilingual edition) 841B
- ε **Borges, Jorge Luis** - Selected poems 821B
- ε **Creeley, Robert** - Life & death 821C
- ε **Jarnot, Lisa (ed.)** - Anthology of new (American) poets 821.08A
- ε **Lorde, Audre** - The collected poems of Audre Lorde (1997) 821L
- ε **Merwin, W.S.** - The river sound: poems 821M
- ε **Rudd, Niall** - The Satires of Horace (1982) 874.5R

REFERENCE

- ε **Barnett, Colleen** - Mystery women: an encyclopedia of leading women characters in mystery fiction (1997) 823B
- ε **Chilvers, Ian** - A dictionary of twentieth-century art Ref. 709.4C
- ε **Hastings, James** - Dictionary of the apostolic church. 2 v. (1951-1954) 220.3D
- ε **Littman, Mark S** - A statistical portrait of the United States: social conditions and trends LSR 317.3S

- ε **Mercatante, Anthony** - The Facts on File encyclopedia of world mythology and legend (1988) 291M Oversize
- ε **Mitchell, B.R.** - International historical statistics: the Americans, 1750-1993. 4th ed. 311 M Oversize
- ε **Morningstar** - Morningstar mutual fund 500 (1999) Ref. 332.6M
- ε **Robinson, Judith S** - Tapping the government grapevine: the user friendly guide to U.S. government information sources. 3rd ed. Ref. 353R
- ε World chamber of commerce directory Ref. 380W

BOOKS and LIBRARIES

- ε **Castleman, Riva** - A century of artists' books (1994) 709.04C CS
- ε **Crawford, Walt** - Future libraries: dreams, madness & reality (1995) R-Cat-R 025C
- ε **Graubard, Stephen R** - Books, bricks & bytes: libraries in the twenty-first century 020B
- ε **Wormsley Library** - The Wormsley Library: a personal selection by Sir Paul Getty 026W Oversize

MUSEUMS

- ε **Conn, Steven** - Museums and American intellectual life, 1876- 1926 069C
- ε **Spalding, Frances** - The Tate: a history 708.2S

CIVILIZATION

- ε **Brink, Andre** - Reinventing a continent: writing and politics in South Africa 968B
- ε **Burckhardt, Jacob** - The Greeks and Greek civilization 938B
- ε **Cantor, Norman** - The Jewish experience (1996) 909.4J
- ε **Diawara, Manthia** - In search of Africa 305.88D
- ε **Sass, Stephen** - The substance of civilization: materials and human history from the stone age to the age of silicon 620S

FOLKTALES and FOLKLORE

- ε **Newcomb, Franc J** - Navaho folk tales (1990) 398.2N
- ε **Philip, Neil (ed)** - Penguin book of English folktales (1992) 398.2P
- ε **Warner, Marina** - No go the bogeyman: scaring, lulling and making mock 398.4W

TRAVEL

- ε **Bentley, James** - The most beautiful villages of Burgundy 944.4B
- ε **Carver, Robert** - The accursed mountains: travels in Albania 914.96C
- ε **Codrescu, Andrei** - Ay, Cuba!: a socio-erotic journey 972.91C
- ε **Ferguson, Will** - Hokkaido highway blues: hitchhiking Japan 915.2F

- ε **Flannery, Tim** - Throwim way leg: tree-kangaroos, possums, and penis gourds: on the track of unknown mammals in wildest New Guinea 919.5F
- ε **Varney, Philip** - Southern California's best ghost towns (1990) 917.94 V Oversize

RAILROADS

- ε **Link, O. Winston** - The last steam railroad in America: from Tidewater to Whitetop (1995) 385L
- ε **Link, O. Winston** - Steam, steel & stars: America's last steam railroad (1994) 385L

CITIES

- ε **Ayres, James** - Building the Georgian city 720.942A
- ε **Boccazzi-Varotto, Attilio** - Rome 360° 937 B Oversize
- ε **Empereur, Jean-Yves** - Alexandria rediscovered 932 E Oversize
- ε **Zanker, Paul** - Pompeii: public and private life 913.37Z

NEW YORK CITY

- ε **Fineberg, Roberta** - City riders: a story of riding and friendship (Claremont Riding Academy) (1997) 798F
- ε **Gaylord, R. Bruce** - The picture book of Greenwich Village (1985) 974.71G
- ε **Rajs, Jake** - New York: city of islands 974.71R Oversize

HISTORY

- ε **Bulliet, Richard (ed.)** - The Columbia history of the 20th century 909.82C
- ε **Katz, Friedrich** - The life and times of Pancho Villa 972K
- ε **Murray, Venetia** - An elegant madness: high society in Regency England 942.07M
- ε **Oates, Stephen** - The whirlwind of war: voices of the storm, 1861-1865 973.7O
- ε **Pope, Nicole** - Turkey unveiled: a history of modern Turkey 956P
- ε **Roche, Daniel** - France in the Enlightenment 944.03R
- ε **Rosenzweig, Roy** - The presence of the past: popular uses of history in American life 973R

POLITICAL SCIENCE

- ε **Buffet, Cyril (ed.)** - Haunted by history: myths in international relations 327H
- ε **Burr, William (ed.)** - The Kissinger transcripts: the top secret talks with Beijing and Moscow 327.73K
- ε **Chao, Linda** - The first Chinese democracy: political life in the

- Republic of China on Taiwan 320.9C
- ε **Fursenko, Aleksandr** - One hell of a gamble: Khrushchev, Castro, and Kennedy, 1958-1964 (1997) 327.73F
- ε **Galen, Ted (ed.)** - NATO enlargement: illusions and reality 355N
- ε **Koehler, John** - Stasi: the untold story of the East German secret police 327.12K
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- ε **Nelson, W. Dale** - Who speaks for the President?: the White House press secretary from Cleveland to Clinton 353.03N
- ε **Warren, Christopher** - In the stream of history: shaping foreign policy for a new era 327.73C
- ε **Weaver, Mary** - A portrait of Egypt: a journey through the world of militant Islam 297W

ECONOMICS

- ε **Frank, Robert** - Luxury fever: why money fails to satisfy in an era of excess 338.9F
- ε **Peterson, Peter** - Gray dawn: how the coming age wave will transform America 305.26P
- ε **Rosenof, Theodore** - Economics in the long run: New Deal theorists and their legacies, 1933-1993 (1997) 338.973R
- ε **Schor, Juliet** - The overspent American: upscaling, downshifting, and the new consumer 339.4S

SOCIAL SCIENCE

- ε **Billingsley, Lloyd** - Hollywood party: how communism seduced the American film industry in the 1930s and 1940s 791.4B
- ε **Cox, Cheryl Anne** - Household interests: property, marriage strategies, and family dynamics in ancient Athens 306.8C
- ε **Drucker, Jane** - Families of value: gay and lesbian parents and their children speak out 306.8D
- ε **Linhart, Sepp (ed.)** - The culture of Japan as seen through its leisure 306.4C
- ε **Marwick, Arthur** - Beauty in history: society, politics, and personal appearance: c.1500 to the present (1988) 302M
- ε **Moore, Doris Langley** - The technique of the love affair 306M
- ε **Rosales, Franciso** - Chicano!: the history of the Mexican American civil rights movement (1997) 305.85R Oversize
- ε **Thernstrom, Stephan** - The other Bostonians: poverty and progress in the American metropolis, 1880-1970 (1973) 301.4T

PSYCHOLOGY

- ε **Brown, George** - Social origins of depression: a study of psychiatric disorder in women (1978) 616.8B
- ε **Healy, David** - The antidepressant era (1997) 616.8H
- ε **Parad, Howard** - Crisis intervention: selected readings (1965) 155.9

- ε **Tuan, Yi-fu** - Escapism 155.2T

RELIGION

- ε American sermons: Pilgrims to Martin Luther King, Jr. 252A CS
- ε **Davis, Kenneth** - Don't know much about the Bible 220.6D
- ε **Karlsen, Carol** - The devil in the shape of a woman: witchcraft in colonial New England 133.4K
- ε **Revel, Jean-Francois** - The monk and the philosopher: a father and son discuss the meaning of life 210R
- ε **Schwartz, Howard** - Reimagining the Bible: the storytelling of the rabbis 296.1S

SCIENCE

- ε **Greene, Brian** - The elegant universe: superstrings, hidden dimensions, and the quest for the ultimate theory 530.1G
- ε **Hellemans, Alexander** - The timetables of science: a chronology of the most important people and events in the history of science (1991) 509H
- ε **Lagerkvist, Ulf** - DNA pioneers and their legacy 575.1L
- ε **Marov, Mikhail** - The planet Venus 523.4M Oversize
- ε **Pielou, E.C.** - A naturalist's guide to the Arctic (1994) 508A
- ε **Rothman, Barbara** - Genetic maps and human imaginations: the limits of science in understanding who we are 575.1R
- ε **Walson, Elizabeth** - Houses for science: a pictorial history of Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (1991) 727W
- ε **Wolpert, Lewis** - Passionists minds: the inner world of scientists (1997) 509W

HEALTH and HOME

- ε **Spock, Benjamin** - Dr. Spock's baby and child care. 7th ed. 649S
- ε **Wilhide, Elizabeth** - The fireplace (1994) 721W
- ε **Wilson, Erica** - Needleplay (1975) 746W

SPORTS and GAMES

- ε Encyclopedia of games: rules and strategies for more than 250 indoor and outdoor games, from darts to backgammon 795E
- ε Golf in America: the first one hundred years (1994) 796.3G
- ε Sailing thoroughbreds (Yachts) 797.1S Oversize

GARDENS

- ε **Chatto, Beth** - Dear friend & gardener: letters on life and gardening 826C
- ε Encyclopedia of organic gardening (1974) 635E
- ε **Hobhouse, Penelope** - A book of gardening (1986) 712H
- ε **Potter, Jennifer** - Secret gardens 712P

COOKERY

- ε **Anderson, Will** - Where have you gone, Starlight Café? America's golden era roadside restaurants 647.9A
- ε **Courtine, Robert** - Madame Maigret's recipes (1975) 641.5C
- ε **Dornenburg, Andrew** - Dining out: secrets from America's leading critics, chefs, and restaurateurs 647.9D
- ε **Fine, Gary** - Morel tales: the culture of mushrooming 301.2F

LARGE TYPE BOOKS

- ε **Attenborough, David** - The private life of plants 581.5A
- ε **Binchy, Maeve** - Tara Road F B
- ε **Connelly, Michael** - Angels flight F C
- ε **Grimes, Martha** - The stargazey F G
- ε **Klein, Edward** - Just Jackie: her private years 92 O5813K
- ε **Winchester, Simon** - The professor and the madman 920 W759P

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