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Andrews, V. C. *Secrets in the Shadows*

In the sequel to *Secrets in the Attic*, Alice, whose mother is a murderer confined to a mental institution, is sent to live with her aunt Zipporah following a tragic accident on prom night, but when she visits the asylum where her mother lives, her own mysterious past begins to unfold in terrifying detail.

Bohjalian, Chris *Skeleton at the Feast*

During the final months of World War II, a small group of people--including teenager Anna Emmerich, daughter of Prussian aristocrats; Callum Finnella, a twenty-year-old POW; and a young Wehrmacht corporal hiding his true Jewish identity--make their way westward across a ravaged Europe in a desperate attempt to reach British and American lines.

Buffett, Jimmy *Swine Not?*

Moving their beloved pet pig from their Tennessee hometown to their new home in a posh no-pets-allowed New York City hotel, southern belle Ellie McBride and her twin children struggle to hide the swine from the hotel staff, including an ultra-carnivorous hotel chef.

Burroughs, Augusten *A Wolf at the Table: A Memoir of My Father*

The author of the best-selling *Running with Scissors* traces the story of his relationship with his father, in a psychologically charged tale that evaluates such themes as the line between love and hate and a child's longing for unconditional love.

Clarke, Richard A. *Your Government Failed You: Breaking the Cycle of National Security Disasters*

An analysis of America's national security policies by a White House-appointed national coordinator for security and counter-terrorism evaluates the U.S. government's mistakes and why they have occurred, in a report that poses alternative solutions.

Cornwell, Patricia *The Front*

Dispatched by the district attorney to a declining Massachusetts neighborhood to address a case related to a new public relations campaign, state investigator Win Garano suspects a deeper agenda and becomes involved with a loosely organized association of vigilante police officers, in a case during which he is assisted by his intuitive grandmother.

Denning, Troy *Invincible (Star Wars: Legacy of the Force)*

In the final volume in the *Legacy of the Force* series, Luke Skywalker faces the difficult decision to destroy Darth Caedus--formerly his peace-loving nephew Jacen Solo--while Jacen's twin sister, Jaina, must fulfill her destiny as the "Sword of the Jedi," joining her parents and others on a quest to confront the tyrant who had once been her twin brother.

Deveraux, Jude *Secrets*

Having harbored an unrequited love for a man she met in childhood, Cassandra impulsively breaks an engagement to become the now-widowed man's nanny, but realizes that her chance for winning his heart is threatened by dark secrets.

Erdrich, Louise *The Plague of Doves*

Unaware of a violent event that marked the beginning of her mixed ancestry, ambitious young Evelina Harp, a part-Ojibwe, part-white girl prone to falling hopelessly in love, learns disturbing truths from her gifted storyteller grandfather, while a sentimental judge weighs the legacy of a century-old crime as reflected by his own love life.

Frank, Dorothea Benton *Bulls Island*

Twenty years after breaking her engagement to a prominent Southern blueblood in the wake of her mother's suspicious death, Betts Barrett returns to her home on Bulls Island to fight local developers and faces unexpected and dangerous challenges.

George, Elizabeth *Careless in Red*

Resigning from Scotland Yard and engaging in exhaustive hikes along the Cornish coast in the aftermath of his wife's murder, former Detective Superintendent Thomas Lynley witnesses the falling death of a young man and aids local investigators in a case that tests his loyalty to his former employer.

Giffin, Emily *Love the One You're With*

Believing her marriage to Andy to be perfect in every way, Ellen runs into former flame Leo and wonders why she has been unable to forget him even though they brought out the worst in each other. By the author of *Baby Proof*.

Gingrich, Newt & Forstchen, William R. *Days of Infamy*

A follow-up to *Pearl Harbor* finds Admiral Yamamoto struggling with the discovery that his government failed to formally declare war on America prior to the Pearl Harbor attack and Admiral Halsey preparing for a decisive counter-strike.

Harris, Charlaine *From Dead to Worse*

In the wake of hurricane Katrina and the explosion at the vampire summit, Louisiana cocktail waitress Sookie Stackhouse confronts the disappearance of her boyfriend Quinn, dramatic changes in the paranormal world of the vampires and weres, danger, and betrayal.

Koontz, Dean *Odd Hours*

Haunted by dreams of a powerful red tide, Odd Thomas, accompanied by two otherworldly sidekicks--his dog Boo and the Chairman of the Board--is drawn to a small California coastal town, where nothing is as it appears and where he confronts overwhelming and sinister forces out to stop his quest.

Macomber, Debbie *Twenty Wishes*

Thirty-eight-year-old widow Anne Marie Roche, the owner of a successful bookstore on Seattle's Blossom Street, creates a list of twenty wishes, along with several other widows, and, while acting upon her wishes, becomes involved with an eight-year-old girl named Ellen who helps her complete her list--with unexpected results.

Page, Katherine Hall *The Body in the Gallery: A Faith Fairchild Mystery*

Secretly assisting her museum president friend in a case involving a stolen piece of fine art, Faith Fairchild stumbles upon a murder scene near a controversial exhibit and becomes increasingly exasperated by the police's inability to recognize important clues.

Poitier, Sidney *Life Beyond Measure: Letters to My Great-Granddaughter*

The Academy Award-winning actor and author of *The Measure of a Man* shares life lessons as imparted to his great-granddaughter, in an inspirational collection that touches on such topics as his boyhood memories of the Bahamas, the race barriers of pre-civil rights Hollywood, and his contributions as a diplomat and humanitarian.

Sandford, John *Phantom Prey*

Terrified by her goth-associated daughter's disappearance and the signs of a deadly struggle in their home, a widow implores Lucas Davenport to use his connections to local authorities to expedite the investigation, which reveals the work of a serial killer.

Shaara, Jeff *The Steel Wave: A Novel of World War II*

A fictional account of D-Day and the Allied invasion of Europe chronicles the events of the World War II campaign and the personalities who took part, from the ordinary soldiers on the land and in the air, to such leaders as Dwight Eisenhower, George Patton, and Omar Bradley, as their efforts changed the course of the war.

Snyderman, Nancy *Medical Myths That Can Kill You: And the 101 Truths That Will Save, Extend, and Improve Your Life*

A groundbreaking study of the facts behind unscientific, undocumented, and dangerous medical myths includes information on 101 important truths that can help readers live longer, happier, healthier, and more fulfilled lives, ranging from "Boring jobs can kill you" to "Eating eggs will not raise your cholesterol."

Tanenbaum, Robert K. *Escape*

While newly elected New York D.A. Butch Karp works to convict Jessica Campbell, a rabble-rousing NYU political science professor, of the murders of her three children, an Islamic terrorist plans an attack in Manhattan, and only Butch's wife, P.I. Marlene Ciampi, their daughter Lucy, and an eccentric team of crime fighters stand in his way.

Thayer, Nancy *Moon Shell Beach*

Leaving behind anger and resentment, as well as a broken friendship with Clare Hart, when she elopes at the age of nineteen, Lexi Laney returns to Nantucket after an eleven-year absence and a bitter divorce and, along with Clare, struggles to rebuild a childhood friendship destroyed by deception and betrayal.

Tillman, Mary & Zacchino, Narda *Boots on the Ground by Dusk: The Remarkable Life and Death of Pat Tillman*

Documents the story of the heroic Army Ranger's tragic death in Afghanistan at the hands of his fellow soldiers, in an account by his mother that traces Tillman's sacrifice of an NFL career to enlist in the military, the Pentagon's original report about his death, and her efforts to uncover the truth.

Unger, Lisa *Black Out*

Annie Powers's idyllic life in a Florida suburb with a wealthy, doting husband and beautiful young daughter begins to unravel when the demons of the past--which she cannot recall because of an intense dissociative state that has allowed her to build a new life--return to haunt her in the form of an enigmatic dark figure, the murder of her psychologist, and confusing, violent memories.

Walters, Barbara *Audition: A Memoir*

In a riveting and candid memoir, the acclaimed television journalist chronicles the people, events, and forces that have shaped her life and career, from childhood to the present day, discussing her relationships with men, family, friends, coworkers, and rivals; her struggle to make it in a man's world; and the interviews she has conducted during her forty-year-career.

Weisberger, Lauren *Chasing Harry Winston*

Making a pact that they will change the things that most challenge them within a year's time, Manhattan friends Emmy, Leigh, and Adriana shed their downtrodden identities in order to pursue the high life. By the author of *The Devil Wears Prada*.