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Rev. 9-21-2019 **AFTERNOON AND MORNING BOOK DISSCUSSION GROUP   
BOOKS READ LIST - FROM 1999-2018**

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| **1999**  *August (#1)* The Pilot’s Wife - Anita Shreve  *October (#2)* White Oleander - Janet Fitch  *December (#3)* Where the Heart Is - Billie Letts | **2000**  *February (#4)* Tara Road - Maeve Binchy  *April (#5)* Vinegar Hill - A. Manette Ansay  *June (#6)* Memoirs of a Geisha - Arthur Golden  *August (#7)* At Home in Mitford - Jan Karon  *October (#8)* While I was Gone - Sue Miller  *December (#9)* How to Make an American Quilt - Whitney Otto |
| **2001**  *February (#10)* Ellen Foster - Kaye Gibbons  *April (#11)* Summer Sisters - Judy Blume  *June (#12)* All True Travels and Adventures of Lidie Newton - Jane Smiley  *August (#13)* Dead in the Water - Stuart Woods  *October (#14)* Night Whispers - Judith McNaught  *December (#15)* Road to Tara - Anne Edwards | **2002**  *February (#16)* Harry Potter and the Sorcerer’s Stone - J. K. Rowling  *April (#17)* Tuesdays With Morrie - Mitch Albom  *June (#18)* Blue Diary - Alice Hoffman  *August (#19)* Whispers - Belva Plain  *October (#20)* Lamb in Love - Carrie Brown  *December (#21)* Skipping Christmas - John Grisham *and* Welcome to the World Baby Girl - Fannie Flagg |
| **2003**  *February (#22)* Sapphira and the Slave Girl - Willa Cather  *April (#23)* Stolen Lives - Malika Oufkir  *June (#24)* Midwives - Christopher A. Bohjalian  *August (#25)* Prodigal Summer - Barbara Kingsolver  *October (#26)* Main Corpse - Diane Mott Davidson  *December (#27)* Christmas Train - David Baldacci *and* Christmas Box - Richard Paul Evans | **2004**  *February (#28)* President’s Daughter - Jack Higgins  *April (#29)* East of Eden - John Steinbeck  *June (#30)* Wish You Well - David Baldacci  *August (#31)* Divine Secrets of the YaYa Sisterhood - Rebecca Wells  *October (#32)* Hometown Legend - Jerry Jenkins  *December (#33)* Aunt Dimity’s Christmas - Nancy Atherton |
| **2005**  *February (#34)* Secret Life of Bees - Sue Monk Kidd  *April (#35)* Lucia, Lucia - Adriana Trigiani  *June (#36)* Inside the Kingdom - Carmen Bin Ladin  *August (#37)* Empire Falls - Richard Russo  *October (#38)* My Sister’s Keeper - Jodi Picoult  *December (#39)* Visions of Sugar Plums - Janet Evanovich | **2006**  *February (#40)* Thousand Acres - Jane Smiley  *April (#41)* Da Vinci Code - Dan Brown  *June (#42)* Suzanne’s Diary for Nicholas - James Patterson  *August (#43)* Peyton Place - Grace Metalious  *October (#44)* Time Traveler’s Wife - Audry Niffenegger  *December (#45)* Girl With a Pearl Earring - Tracy Chevalier |
| **2007**  *February (#46)* Red Tent - Anita Diament  *April (#47)* The Giver - Lois Lowry  *June (#48)* Virtuous Woman - Kaye Gibbons  *August (#49)* Memory Keepers Daughter - Kim Edwards  *October (#50)* Tendar Bar - J. R. Moehringer  *December (#51)* Wedding in December - Anita Shreve | **2008**  *February (#52)* Snow Flower and the Secret Fan - Lisa See  *April (#53)* Water for Elephants - Sara Gruen  *June (#54)* Kite Runner - Khaled Hosseini  *August (#55)* Angry Housewives Eating Bon Bons - Lorna Landvik  *October (#56)* Cold Sassy Tree - Olive Ann Burns  *December (#57)* Christmas Quilt - Jennifer Chiaverini |
| **2009**  *February (#58)* Glass Castle - Jeannette Walls  *April (#59)* Other Boleyn Girl - Philippa Gregory  *June (#60)* Senator’s Wife - Sue Miller  *August (#61)* Standing in the Rainbow - Fannie Flagg  *October (#62)* Snow Falling on Cedars - David Guterson  *December (#63)* Back When We Were Grownups - Anne Tyler | **2010**  *February (#64)* The Devil in the White City - Erik Larson  *April (#65)* The Book Thief - Markus Zusak  *June (#66)* The Bean Trees - Barbara Kingsolver  *August (#67)* Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society - Mary A.Shaffer  *October (#68)* Peace Like a River - Leif Enger  *December (#69)* A Reliable Wife - Robert Goolrick |
| **2011**  *February (#70)* One Thousand White Women - Jim Fergus  *April (#71)* People of the Book - Geraldine Brooks  *June (#72)* The Black Dahlia - James Ellroy  *August (#73)* Saving CeeCee Honeycutt - Beth Hoffman  *October (#74)* Still Alice - Lisa Genova  *December (#75)* Light on Snow - Anita Shreve | **2012**  *February (#76)* Forgotten Garden - Kate Morton  *April (#77)* Olive Kitteridge - Elizabeth Strout  *June (#78)* Fly Away Home - Jennifer Weiner  *August (#79)* The Art of Racing in the Rain - Garth Stein  *October (#80)* The 19th Wife - David Ebershoff  *December (#81)* To Kill A Mockingbird - Harper Lee |
| **2013**  February (#82) The Language of Flowers - Vanessa Diffenbaugh  April (#83) Caleb’s Crossing - Geraldine Brooks  June (#84) Before I Go to Sleep - S. J. Watson  August (#85) Beautiful Ruins - Jess Walter  October (#86) March - Geraldine Brooks  December (#87) Flight of Gemma Hardy - Margot Livesey | **2014**  *February (#88*) Light Between Oceans - M. L. Stedman  *April (#89)* I Capture the Castle - Dodie Smith  *June (#90)* Girl in Hyacinth Blue - Susan Vreeland  *August (#91)* Half-Broke Horses - Jeanette Walls  *October (#92)* The Paris Wife - Paula McLain  *December (#93)* Whistlin’ Dixie in a Nor’Easter - Lisa Patton |
| **2015**  *February (#94)* Distant Hours - Kate Morton  *April (#95)* Cutting for Stone - Abraham Verghese  *June (#96)* Backseat Saints - Joshelyn Jackson  *August (#97)* Gods in Alabama - Joshelyn Jackson  *October (#98)* Looking for Salvation at the Dairy Queen - Susan G. Gilmore  *December (#99)* All-Girl Filling Station - Fannie Flagg | **2016**  *February (#100)* Orphan Train - Christina Baker Kline  *April (#101)* Invention of Wings - Sue Monk Kidd  *June (#102)* Husband’s Secret - Liane Moriarty  *August (#103)* The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry - Rachel Joyce  *October (#104)* Shanghai Girls - Lisa Se  *December (#105)* Autobiography of Santa Claus - Jeff Guinn |
| **2017**  *February (#106)* The Rosie Project - Graeme Simsion  *April (#107)* The Aviators Wife - Melanie Benjamin  *June (#108)* The Rumor - Elin Hilderbrand  *August (#109)* Three June - Julia Glass  *October (#110)* The Bookman’s Wake - John Dunning  *December (#111)* The Persian Pickle Club - Sandra Dallas | **2018**  *February (#112)* Luckiest Girl Alive - Jessica Knoll  *April (#113)* **Major Pettigrew’s Last Stand by Helen Simonson**  *June (#114)* **The Peach Keeper by Sarah Addison Allen**  *August (#115)* **Lilac Girls by Martha Hall Kelly**  *October (#116)* No Book Discussion this month  *December (#117)* **The Girl Who Chased the Moon by Sarah Addison Allen (Afternoon Only)** |
| **2019**  *February (#118)* **Beekeepers Ball by Susan Wiggs**  *April (#119)* The History of Love by Nicole Krauss*June (#120)* Lots of Candles, Plenty of Cake by Anna Quindlan  *August (#121)* Plainsong by Kent Haruf  *October (#122)* **The Vanishing Act of Esme Lennox by Maggie O’Farrell**  *December (#123)* | **2020** *February (#124)* *April (#125)* *June (#126) August (#127) October (#128)*  *December (#129)* |