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**Alexie, Sherman.** *Reservation blues*  
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**Alexie, Sherman.** *The Lone Ranger and Tonto fistfight in heaven*  
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**Auch, Mary Jane.** *Ashes of roses*  
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**Bartone, Elisa.** *Peppe the lamplighter*  
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**Bonham, Frank.** *Viva Chicano*  
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**Cisneros, Sandra.** *The House on Mango Street.*  
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**Cohen, Barbara.** *Molly's pilgrim*  
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**Crew, Linda.** *Children of the river*  
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**Esquivel, Laura.** *Like water for chocolate*  
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**Fielding, Helen.** *Bridget Jones's diary*  
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**Garland, Sherry.** *Song of the buffalo boy*  
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**Gordimer, Nadine.** *July's people*  
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**Gündisch, Karin,** *How I became an American*  
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**Hamill, Pete.** *Snow in August*  
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- Hornby, Nick.** *High fidelity*  
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- Hughes, Langston.** *The best of Simple.*  
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- Lee, Gus.** *China boy*  
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- Llywelyn, Morgan.** *Finn Mac Cool*  
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- Markandaya, Kamala.** *A handful of rice: a novel*  
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- Markandaya, Kamala.** *Nectar in a sieve*  
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- McCullough, Colleen.** *The thorn birds*  
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- Mori, Kyoko.** *Shizuko's daughter*  
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- Myers, Walter Dean.** *Hoops*  
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- Myers, Walter Dean.** *The Nicholas factor*  
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- O'Dell, Scott.** *Island of the blue dolphins*  
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- Porter, Connie.** *Imani all Mine*  
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- Rennison, Louise.** *Angus, thongs and full-frontal snogging : confessions of Georgia Nicolson*  
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- Ryan, Pam Muñoz.** *Esperanza rising*  
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**Salzman, Mark.** *The laughing sutra : a novel*  
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**Sasson, Jean P.** *Princess a true story behind the veil in Saudi Arabia.*  
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**Schraff, Anne.** *Lost and found*  
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**Schraff, Anne.** *Until we meet*  
African American

**Staples, Suzanne Fisher.** *Shabanu : daughter of the wind*  
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**Staples, Suzanne Fisher.** *Shiva's fire*  
India

**Steinbeck, John.** *Tortilla Flat*  
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**Tan, Amy.** *The Joy Luck Club*  
Chinese American

**Townsend, Sue.** *The secret diary of Adrian Mole aged 13 3/4*  
British

**Williams - Garcia, Rita.** *Blue Tights.*  
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**Yolen, Jane.** *The devil's arithmetic*  
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**Yolen, Jane.** *Girl in a cage*  
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**ZOYA** *Zoya's story : an Afghan woman's struggle for freedom*  
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