

Books Read by GV Book Group

Non-Fiction

The Greatest Journey-David McCullough

The Island at the Center of the World-Russell Shorto-February 27, 2012

Roger Williams and the Creation of the American Soul-John M. Barry-April 9, 2012

Ill Fares the Land- Tony Judt-July 9, 2012

Under the Banner of Heaven-Jon Krakauer – September 24, 2012

Infidel-Ayaan Hirsi Ali December 10, 2012

Blink –Malcolm Gladwell-February 25, 2013

The Hopkins Touch-David L. Roll-April 8, 2013

Behind the Beautiful Forevers-Katherine Boo-June 17, 2013

My Beloved World-Sonia Sotomayor-September 30, 2013

Villa Air-Bel-Rosemary Sullivan-December 16, 2013

Those Angry Days-Lynne Olson-March 3, 2014/April 21, 2014 (March date snowed out)

I am Malala-Malala Yousafzai-August 11, 2014

Paradise Lost: Smyrna, 1922-Giles Milton-November 2, 2014

Will in the World-Stephen Greenblatt-February 2, 2015

Running in the Family- Michael Ondaatje-April 20, 2015

The Boys in the Boat-June 15, 2015

The Devil in the White City-Erik Larson-September 9, 2015

Port Said Revisited-Sylvia Modelski-November 16, 2015

In the Land of Invisible Women-Qanta Ahmed-January 11, 2016

No god but God: the Origins, Evolution and Future of Islam-Reza Aslan-Mar 14, 2016

Fiction

The Forest Lover-Susan Vreeland-January 17, 2012

Moon Tiger-Penelope Lively-May 14, 2012

The Housekeeper and the Professor-Yoko Ogawa-August 16, 2012

Caleb's Crossing- Geraldine Brooks-October 22, 2012

NW-Zadie Smith-January 14, 2013

The Kashmir Shawl-Rosie Thomas-May 20, 2013
Five Quarters of the Orange-Joanne Harris-August 19, 2013
The Transit of Venus-Shirley Hazzard-November 4, 2013
The White Tiger-Adiga Aravind-January 27, 2014
Orphan Train-Christina Baker Kline-May 27, 2014
The Goldfinch-Donna Tartt- September 22, 2014
The House of the Spirits-Isabel Allende-December 8, 2014
The Beginning of Spring & Any Other Books-Penelope Fitzgerald –March 2, 2015
Luncheon of the Boating Party-Susan Vreeland-May 11, 2015
The Elegance of the Hedgehog-Muriel Barberry-August 10, 2015
My Brilliant Friend-Elena Ferrante-Oct 12, 2015
The Stranger-Albert Camus & The Meursault Affair – Kamel Daoud-December 7
All the Light We Cannot See-Anthony Doerr-February 8, 2016

Recently added 7/24/18

Wolf Hall - Hilary Mantel-April 2016
Me Before You- Jojo Moyes-
The Lady in Gold: The Extraordinary Tale of Gustav Klimt's Masterpiece, Portrait of Adele Bloch-Bauerby Anne-Marie O'Connor-
Between the World and Me-Ta-Nehisi Coates-
This House of Sky: Landscapes of a Western Mind-Ivan Doig-
All the King's Men-Robert Penn Warren-
Endurance: Shackleton's Incredible Voyage-Alfred Lansing-
A Man Called Ove-Fredrik Backman-Henning Koch-
Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End-Atul Gawande-
Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis-J.D. Vance-
The Handmaid's Tale-Margaret Atwood-
Lonesome Dove-Larry McMurtry-
Dark Money: The Hidden History of the Billionaires Behind the Rise of the Radical Right-Jane Mayer

Death Comes for the Archbishop-Willa Cather-

A Gentleman in Moscow-Amor Towles-

Speak, Memory-Vladimir Nabokov-

Daughter of the Cold War-by Grace Kennan

2018 GV Book List

October 2018	"The Lemon Tree: An Arab, a Jew, and the Heart of the Middle East" by Sandy Tolan
September 2018	"Lincoln in the Bardo" by George Sanders
June 2018	"The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind" by William Kam Kwamba
May 2018	"I Always Loved You" by Robin Oliveira
April 2018	"Sisters in Law: how Ruth Bader Ginsburg and Sandra Day O'Connor went to the Supreme Court and Changed the World" by Linda Hirshman
March 2018	"Pachinko" by Min Jin Lee
February 2018	"Mukiwa" A White Boy in Africa by Peter Godwin
January 2018	"The Sympathizer" by Viet Thanh Nguyen

2019 GV Book List

November 2019	"George C. Marshall: Defender of the Republic"
October 2019	The various works of Toni Morrison
September 2019	" <i>Becoming</i> " by Michele Obama
May- August 2019	No Discussion
April 2019	" <i>Delta Wedding</i> " by Eudora Welty
March 2019	" <i>Glass Castle</i> " by Jeannette Wall
February 2019	" <i>Mad Enchantment</i> " by Ross King
January 2019	General Discussion no assigned reading.