One Book – One Lincoln
Past Finalists and Selected Titles for the First Ten Years

2013

The Sandcastle Girls by Chris Bohjalian
The Round House by Louise Erdrich
◆ The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry by Rachel Joyce

2012

◆ Destiny of the Republic by Candice Millard [364.152 Mil]
The Tower, the Zoo and the Tortoise by Julia Stuart
The Submission by Amy Waldman

2011

Zeitoun by Dave Eggers [Biography Zeitoun]
A History of Love by Nicole Krauss
◆ Cutting for Stone by Abraham Verghese

2010

The Elegance of the Hedgehog by Muriel Barberry
Tortilla Curtain by T. Coraghessan Boyle
Finding Nouf by Zoe Ferraris
Loving Frank by Nancy Horan
◆ I am a Man: Chief Standing Bear’s Journey for Justice by Joe Starita [Biography Standing Bear]

2009

◆ People of the Book by Geraldine Brooks
What is the What by Dave Eggers
The Widow of the South by Robert Hicks
The Color of Water by James McBride [305.8 McB]
The River of Doubt by Candice Millard [Biography Roosevelt]
2008

*Double Bind* by Chris Bohjalian
*The Memory of Running* by Ron McLarty
*Three Cups of Tea* by Greg Mortenson [915.491 Mor]

◆ *The Thirteenth Tale* by Diane Setterfield

*The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak

2007

*Moloka‘i* by Alan Brennert
*The Madonnas of Leningrad* by Debra Dean

◆ *The Worst Hard Time: The Untold Story of Those Who Survived the Great American Dust Bowl* by Timothy Egan [973.917 Ega]

*Water for Elephants* by Sara Gruen

*If Nobody Speaks of Remarkable Things* by Jon McGregor

2006

*Broken for You* by Stephanie Kallos [Nebraska Author]
*Prodigal Summer* by Barbara Kingsolver

◆ *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson [364.152 Lar]

*Crow Lake* by Mary Lawson

*The Glass Castle: A Memoir* by Jeanette Walls [B W1547]

2005

◆ *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini

*The Green Mile* by Stephen King

*Local Wonders: Seasons in the Bohemian Alps* by Ted Kooser [917.823 Koo] [Nebraska Author]

*Life of Pi* by Yann Martel

*The Things They Carried* by Tim O’Brien

2004

◆ *Peace Like a River* by Leif Enger

*Five Quarters of the Orange* by Joanne Harris

*The Secret Life of Bees* by Sue Monk Kidd

*Cry the Beloved Country* by Alan Paton

*Old Jules* by Mari Sandoz [B Sa54s] [Nebraska Author]
2003

*The Weight of Dreams* by Jonis Agee [*Nebraska Author*]

*Fried Green Tomatoes at the Whistle Stop Café* by Fannie Flagg

◆ *Bel Canto* by Ann Patchett

*Empire Falls* by Richard Russo

*Angle of Repose* by Wallace Stegner

2002

*A Lesson Before Dying* by Ernest J. Gaines

*Snow Falling on Cedars* by David Guterson

◆ *Plainsong* by Kent Haruf [*Nebraska Author*]

*Last Days of Summer* by Steve Kluger

*Montana 1948* by Lawrence Watson

◆ – indicates the selected title for this year