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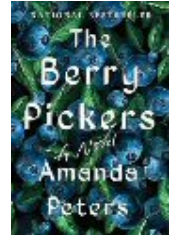
Past Finalists and Selected Titles for the First Twenty-Three Years

2024

A Little Devil in America by Hanif Abdurraqib

North Woods by Daniel Mason

▶ *The Berry Pickers* by Amanda Peters

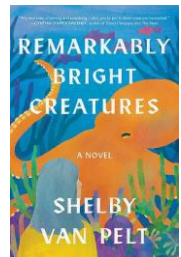


2023

Demon Copperhead by Barbara Kingsolver

▶ *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt

Four Treasures of the Sky by Jenny Tinghui Zhang

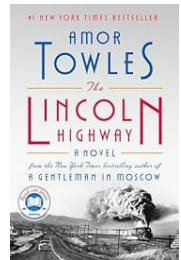


2022

Sparks Like Stars by Nadia Hashimi

Hell of a Book: or The Altogether Factual, Wholly Bonafide Story of a Big Dreams,
Hard Luck, American Made Mad Kid by Jason Mott

▶ *The Lincoln Highway* by Amor Towles

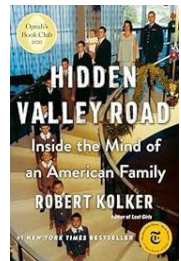


2021

Transcendent Kingdom by Yaa Gyasi

▶ *Hidden Valley Road: Inside the Mind of an American Family* by Robert Kolker

Interior Chinatown by Charles Yu

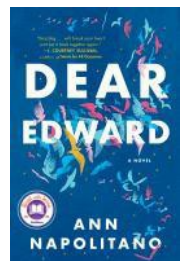


2020

Bad Blood: Secrets and Lies in a Silicon Valley Startup by John Carreyrou

▶ *Dear Edward* by Ann Napolitano

The Dutch House by Ann Patchett



2019



The Great Believers by Rebecca Makkai

▶ *The Far Away Brothers: Two Young Migrants and the Making of an American Life* by Lauren Markham

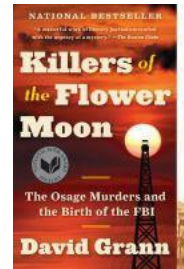
There There by Tommy Orange

2018

Beartown by Fredrik Backman

▶ *Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI* by David Grann

Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng

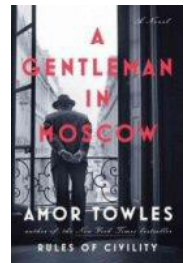


2017

Moonglow by Michael Chabon

Homegoing by Yaa Gyasi

▶ *A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towles

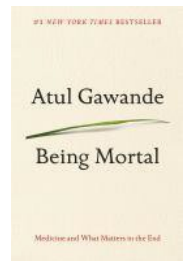


2016

▶ *Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End* by Atul Gawande

Bettyville: A Memoir by George Hodgman

The Fishermen by Chigozie Obioma

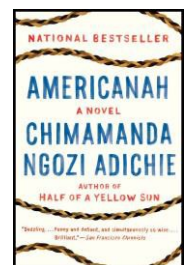


2015

▶ *Americanah* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

Station 11 by Emily St. John Mandel

Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption by Bryan Stevenson

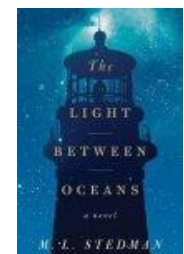


2014

The Presidents Club by Nancy Gibbs and Michael Duffy

▶ *The Light Between Oceans* by M.L. Stedman

The Shadow of the Wind by Carlos Ruiz Zafon

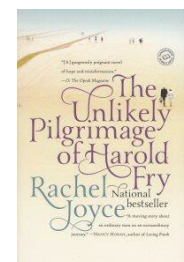


2013

The Sandcastle Girls by Chris Bohjalian

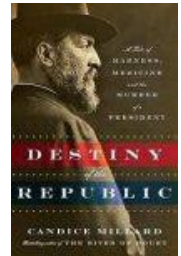
The Round House by Louise Erdrich

▶ *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry* by Rachel Joyce



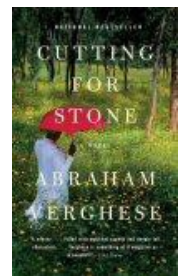
2012

- ▶ *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



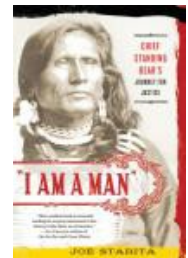
2011

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



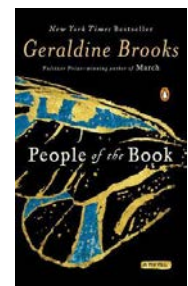
2010

- The Elegance of the Hedgehog* by Muriel Barbery
- 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] [[Nebraska Author](#)]



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

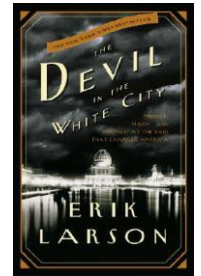
Broken for You by Stephanie Kallos [Nebraska Author]

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

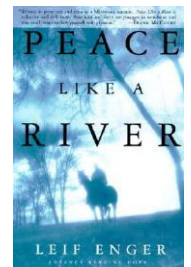
▶ *Peace Like a River* by Leif Enger

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

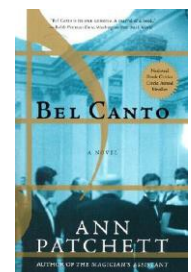
The Weight of Dreams by Jonis Agee [Nebraska Author]

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

