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The End of Your Life Book Club by Will Schwalbe

"I found the characters' life stories kept this book interesting, but I mostly liked how the book introduced so many other book titles. My 'to-read' list grew tenfold after reading this book." – Sarah, Reader Advisor

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Ripper* by Stefan Petruca

"It's exciting, adventurous, has romance and mystery, and is very humorous. This book has a little bit of everything!" - Peggy, Reader Advisor

*Violence

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The Light Between Oceans by M. L. Stedman

"I love this book. It's Australian and I love the personalities of the characters. It shows how a lie can come back to haunt you." – Joan, Circulation

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The Lacuna* by Barbara Kingsolver

"I enjoyed the story of Harrison's life during the 30's in Mexico and the United States. It has a good blend of history, nature and human interest."

- Lisa, Student Assistant

*Some Strong Language

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The Chase* by Janet Evanovich

"It's a quick and fun action/adventure book. If you're looking for something other than the Stephanie Plum series, try this one."- Donna, Reader Advisor Supervisor

*Contains some violence and some strong language

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The Lathe of Heaven* by Ursula Le Guin

“This is a powerful and unsettling book with many ideas, dreams, and consequences crammed into such a short work. It’s a light science fiction work that deals with dreams becoming reality, dystopian and utopian visions, and psychiatry.” - Melissa, Reader Advisor

*Some strong language

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The Longest Ride by Nicholas Sparks

“Sweet with a little suspense that tugs at the heartstrings.” - Valerie, Reader Advisor

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Nation by Terry Pratchett

“I found the interplay between indigenous Mau and misplaced-Brit Daphne and their unexpected rites of passage as hilariously bizarre as they were endearing. This is a thought-provoking tale with a supporting cast of the expected Pratchettian bizarre characters.” – Mike, BTBL Director

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