

### **MEMOIR:**

**Someone Has Led This Child to Believe** by Regina Louise

# **POETRY:**

- The Hill We Climb by Amanda Gorman
- Just Give Me a Cool Drink of Water 'fore I Diiie by Maya Angelou
- On the Pulse of Morning by Maya Angelou

# **ACCLAIMED AUTOBIOGRAPHIES:**

- **The Audacity of Hope** by Barack Obama
- **Becoming** by Michelle Obama
- **♥ Just Mercy** by Bryan Stevenson
- **The Last Black Unicorn** by Tiffany Haddish
- **My Own Words** by Ruth Bader Ginsburg
- **♥ A Promised Land** by Barack Obama

### **DIVERSITY:**

- **The Body Is Not an Apology** by Sonya Renee Taylor
- **Caste** by Isabel Wilkerson
- ₩ How to Be an Antiracist by Ibram X. Kendi
- **I'm Still Here** by Austin Channing Brown
- **Just Mercy** by Bryan Stevenson
- **So You Want to Talk About Race** by Ijeoma Oluo
- **White Fragility** by Robin DiAngelo

### FIND YOUR PASSION / PURPOSE:

- **The Alchemist** by Paulo Coelho
- **Becoming Supernatural** by Dr. Joe Dispenza
- **The Fifth Agreement** by Don Miguel Ruiz and Don Jose Ruiz
- **The Great Work of Your Life** by Stephen Cope
- **The Hero's Journey** by Joseph Campbell
- **The Lion Tracker's Guide to Life** by Boyd Varty
- **A Mind at Home with Itself** by Byron Katie
- **The Path Made Clear** by Oprah Winfrey
- **Siddhartha** by Hermann Hesse





### **COOKBOOKS:**

- **♦ The Complete Cooking for Two Cookbook** by America's Test Kitchen
- **Effortless Vegan: Delicious Plant-Based Recipes** by Sarah Nevins
- Food, Health, and Happiness: 115 On-Point Recipes for Great Meals and a Better Life by Oprah Winfrey
- Joy of Cooking: 2019 Edition Fully Revised and Updated
- Modern Comfort Food: A Barefoot Contessa Cookbook by Ina Garten

### **CURRENT ISSUES:**

**Antisocial Media** by Siva Vaidhyanathan

### **SELF-LOVE / HEALING:**

- The Book of Joy by 14th Dalai Lama, Desmond Tutu and Douglas Abrams
- **Braving the Wilderness** by Brené Brown
- **Change your Thoughts Change Your Life** by Wayne Dyer
- **Find Your Own North Star** by Martha Beck
- **The Happiness Advantage** by Shawn Achor
- **V** Living in the Light by Shakti Gawain
- Mindfulness in Plain English by Bhante Henepola Gunaratana
- **A New Earth** by Eckhart Tolle
- **The Power of Now** by Eckhart Tolle
- **A Return to Love** by Marianne Williamson
- The Road Less Traveled by M. Scott Peck
- **Soul Healing Miracles** by Dr. Zhi Gang Sha
- **Total Meditation Practices** by Deepak Chopra
- What Happened to You?: Conversations on Trauma, Resilience, and Healing by Oprah Winfrey and Dr Bruce D. Perry





# LIFE SKILLS / ORGANIZATION:

**The Martha Manual** by Martha Stewart

# **PERSONAL GROWTH:**

- **Permission Granted** by Regina Louise
- **♦ Almost Everything** by Anne Lamott
- Girls Guide to Becoming A Teen by Carol Sinclair
- Journey to Beloved by Oprah Winfrey
- **Loving What Is** by Byron Katie
- **On Being Human** by Jennifer Pastiloff
- **Reinventing Your Life** by Jeffrey E. Young, Ph.D., and Janet S. Klosko
- **Untamed** by Glennon Doyle
- What I Know For Sure by Oprah Winfrey
- You Can Heal Your Life by Louise Hay
- **The Four Agreements** by Don Miguel Ruiz
- **Atomic Habits** by James Clear

#### **CLASSICS:**

- The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain
- ♥ And Still I Rise by Maya Angelou
- **♥ As I Lay Dying** by William Faulkner
- **Beloved** by Toni Morrison
- **The Grapes of Wrath** by John Steinbeck
- **The Heart of a Woman** by Maya Angelou
- **▼ I know Why the Caged Bird Sings** by Maya Angelou
- **Little Women** by Louisa May Alcott
- **♥ Lord of the Flies** by William Golding
- **Midnight's Children** by Salman Rushdie
- **Moby Dick** by Herman Melville





# **Booklist for Young Adults** (cont'd)

# **CLASSICS:**

- A Passage to India by E.M. Forster
- The Pilgrim's Progress by John Bunyan
- **Song of Solomon** by Toni Morrison
- **The Sun Also Rises** by Ernest Hemingway
- To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
- **Ulysses** by James Joyce

# **FINANCIAL LITERACY**

- **Get Good with Money** by Tiffany The Budgetnista Aliche
- **Clever Girl Finance** by Bola Sokunbi
- **Broke Millennial** by Erin Lowry
- Why Didn't They Teach Me This in School? by Cary Siegel
- **The Automatic Millionaire** by David Bach
- **The Total Money Makeover** by Dave Ramsey
- **Rich Dad Poor Dad** by Robert Kiyosaki

# **PARENTING**

- The Whole Brain Child is always good by Siegel & Bryson
- ₩ How to Talk so Little Kids will Listen by Faber & King
- Peaceful Parent, Happy Kids by Laura Markham
- **Daring Greatly** by Brené Brown
- **Helping Your Anxious Child** by Ronald M. Rapee, Ann Wignall, Susan Spence, Vanessa Cobham, Heidi Lyneham
- **Permission to Feel** by Marc Brackett
- The Power of Showing Up by Daniel J. Siegel MD, Tina Payne Bryson PhD

