

Noontime Pageturners Past Reading List

2018 – 2019

The Mountain Between Us by Charles Martin
The War that Saved My Life by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane by Lisa See
Carnegie's Maid by Marie Benedict
My Not So Perfect Life by Sophie Kinsella
Girl in Disguise by Greer Macallister
The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper by Phaedra Patrick
Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate
An Astronaut's Guide to Life on Earth by Chris Hadfield

2017 – 2018

A Man Called Ove by Fredrik Backman
The Dollhouse by Fiona Davis
Dead Wake: the last crossing of the Lusitania by Erik Larson
Nine Women, One Dress by Jane L. Rosen
News of the World by Paulette Jiles
The Last Lecture by Randy Pausch
The Supremes at Earl's All-You-Can-Eat by Edward Kelsey Moore
A Gentleman in Moscow by Amor Towles
The Residence: inside the private world of the White House by Kate Andersen Brower

2016 – 2017

The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah
When Breath Becomes Air by Paul Kalanithi
The Aviator's Wife by Melanie Benjamin
The Muralist by Barbara A. Shapiro
Brown Girl Dreaming by Jacqueline Woodson
The House at Riverton by Kate Morton
People of the Book by Geraldine Brooks
Empty Mansions by Bill Dedman
Girl Waits with Gun by Amy Stewart

2105 – 2016

The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry by Gabrielle Zevin

The Madonnas of Leningrad by Debra Dean

The Things that Keep Us Here by Carla Buckley

The Perfume Collector by Kathleen Tessaro

The Rosie Project by Graeme Simsion

Texas Eats by Robb Walsh

Me Before You by Jojo Moyes

All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr

The Boston Girl by Anita Diamant

The Girl on the Train by Paula Hawkins

2014 - 2015

The All-Girl Filling Station's Last Reunion by Fannie Flagg

Still Life with Bread Crumbs by Anna Quindlen

Songs of Willow Frost by Jamie Ford

The Tower, the Zoo, and the Tortoise by Julia Stuart

The Age of Miracles by Karen Thompson Walker

Notes from the Midnight Driver by Jordan Sonnenblick

The Invention of Wings by Sue Monk Kidd

Before I Go to Sleep by S. J. Watson

Book of Ages: the life and opinions of Jane Franklin by Jill Lepore

The Art Forger by Barbara Shapiro

2013 - 2014

Where'd You Go, Bernadette by Maria Semple

Quiet: the Power of Introverts in a World That Can't Stop Talking by Susan Cain

11/22/63 by Stephen King

Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore by Robin Sloan

Every Day by David Levithan

Orphan Train: a Novel by Christina Baker Kline

Big Fish: a Novel of Mythic Proportions by Daniel Wallace

Song of Achilles by Madeline Miller

And the Mountains Echoed by Khaled Hosseini

Astronaut Wives Club: a True Story by Lily Koppel

2012 - 2013

Learning To Swim by Sara Henry
The Scent Of Rain And Lightning by Nancy Pickard
The Weird Sisters by Eleanor Brown
The Language Of Flowers by Vanessa Diffenbaugh
The Snow Child by Eowyn Ivey
Stiff: The Curious Life Of Human Cadavers by Mary Roach
Okay For Now by Gary Schmidt
State Of Wonder by Ann Patchett
The Underside Of Joy by Sere Prince Halverson
The Story Of Beautiful Girl by Rachel Simon

2011 - 2012

Sarah's Key by Tatiana de Rosnay
Major Pettigrew's Last Stand by Helen Simonson
Night Road by Kristin Hannah
The Girls From Ames by Jeffrey Zaslow
The Immortal Life Of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot
Hotel On The Corner Of Bitter And Sweet by Jamie Ford
The Hound Of The Baskervilles by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
Cutting For Stone by Abraham Verghese
Room by Emma Donoghue
The Best Advice I Ever Got: Lessons From Extraordinary Lives by Katie Couric

2010 - 2011

The Help by Kathryn Stockett
Whistling In The Dark by Lesley Kagen
The Book Thief by Markus Zusak
Pillars Of The Earth by Ken Follett
The Girl With The Dragon Tattoo by Stieg Larsson
The Elegance Of The Hedgehog by Muriel Barbery
Rocket Boys by Homer Hickam
The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins
The Housekeeper And The Professor by Yoko Ogawa
Twenties Girl by Sophie Kinsella

2009 - 2010

The Guernsey Literary And Potato Peel Pie Society by Mary Ann Shaffer

The Glass Castle by Jeannette Walls

The Friday Night Knitting Club by Kate Jacobs

Gideon's Gift by Karen Kingsbury

The Year Of Living Biblically by A.J. Jacobs

The Devil In The White City by Erik Larson

Remember Me? by Sophie Kinsella

The Cellist Of Sarajevo by Steven Galloway

The Mozart Question by Michael Morpurgo

Same Kind Of Different As Me by Ron Hall and Denver Moore

Tallgrass by Sandra Dallas

2008 - 2009

Kabul Beauty School: An American Woman Goes Behind The Veil by Deborah Rodriguez

Plain Truth by Jodi Picoult

The Hiding Place by Corrie Ten Boom

The No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency by Alexander McCall Smith

The Art Of Racing In The Rain by Garth Stein

Seedfolks by Paul Fleischman

The Time Traveler's Wife by Audrey Niffenegger

The Spellman Files by Lisa Lutz

A Tree Grows In Brooklyn by Betty Smith

2007 - 2008

A Thousand Splendid Suns by Khaled Hosseini

Any novel by Deborah Crombie

The Madonnas Of Leningrad by Debra Dean

Patty Jane's House Of Curl by Lorna Landvik

My Antonia by Willa Cather

Marley & Me: Life And Love With The World's Worst Dog by John Grogan

Montana 1948 by Larry Watson

Miss Julia Speaks Her Mind by Ann B. Ross

The Saffron Kitchen by Yasmin Crowther

2006 - 2007

Sweetgrass by Mary Alice Monroe

Rebecca by Daphne Du Maurier

Comfort Me With Apples: More Adventures At The Table by Ruth Reichl

Dress Your Family In Corduroy And Denim by David Sedaris

The Memory Keeper's Daughter by Kim Edwards

The Tattoo Artist by Jill Ciment

The Year Of Magical Thinking by Joan Dideon

Marley & Me by John Grogan

Snow Flower And The Secret Fan by Lisa See

2005 - 2006

The Mermaid Chair by Sue Monk Kidd

Eats, Shoots & Leaves by Lynne Truss

When The Emperor Was Divine by Julie Otsuka

Knitting by Anne Bartlett

My Sister's Keeper by Jodi Picoult

Portrait Of A Lady by Henry James

Speak by Laurie Halse Anderson

The Kite Runner by Khaled Hosseini

Dairy Queen Days by Robert Inman

The Celestine Prophecy by James Redfield

The Miraculous Journey Of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo

Anthem by Ayn Rand

2004 - 2005

Reading Lolita In Tehran: A Memoir In Books by Azar Nafisi

Ella Minnow Pea: A Novel In Letters by Mark Dunn

Angry Housewives Eating Bon Bons by Lorna Landvik

The Christmas Quilt by Thomas Davis

Girl With A Pearl Earring by Tracy Chevalier

Life Of Pi by Yann Martel

Their Eyes Were Watching God by Zora Neale Hurston

The Sparrow by Mary Doria Russell

The Prime Of Miss Jean Brodie by Muriel Spark

2003 - 2004

Plain Truth by Jodi Picoult

O Pioneers! by Willa Cather

The Blue Bottle Club by Penelope J. Stokes

A Magical Christmas by Heather Graham

Skipping Christmas by John Grisham

*I'm A Stranger Here Myself: Notes On Returning To America After Twenty
Years Away* by Bill Bryson

Blessings by Anna Quindlen

The Secret Life Of Bees by Sue Monk Kidd

The Curious Incident Of The Dog In The Night-Time by Mark Haddon

The Sunday Wife by Cassandra King

2002 - 2003

The Bean Trees by Barbara Kingsolver

The Bookshop by Penelope Fitzgerald

To Kill A Mockingbird by Harper Lee

The Shipping News by Annie Proulx

The House On Mango Street by Sandra Cisneros

Esperanza Rising by Pam Munoz Ryan

The Lovely Bones by Alice Sebold

Peace Like A River by Leif Enger

Cold Sassy Tree by Olive Ann Burns

Uncle Tungsten by Oliver Sacks

2001 - 2002

Ahab's Wife Sena Naslund

Dinner At The Homesick Restaurant by Anne Tyler

A Fine Balance by Rohinton Mistry

A Year Down Yonder by Richard Peck

The Wanderer by Sharon Creech

Thinking Out Loud by Anna Quindlen

Doomsday Book by Connie Willis

The Liars' Club: A Memoir by Mary Karr

Disgrace by J.M. Coetzee

The Diving Bell And The Butterfly: A Memoir Of Life In Death by Jean Dominique Bauby

2000 - 2001

Ender's Game by Orson Scott Card

Isaac's Storm: A Man, A Time And The Deadliest Hurricane In History by Erik Larson

The Joy Luck Club by Amy Tan

Saving Graces: A Novel by Patricia Gaffney

Gulliver's Travels by Jonathan Swift

The Reader by Bernhard Schlink

The Red Tent by Anita Diamant

Amy & Isabelle: A Novel by Elizabeth Strout

1999 - 2000

The Giver by Lois Lowery

1984 by George Orwell

Midnight In The Garden Of Good & Evil by John Berendt

Snow Falling On Cedars by David Guterson

River, Cross My Heart by Breena Clarke

Cold Mountain by Charles Frazier

Pride And Prejudice by Jane Austen

Memoirs Of A Geisha by Arthur Golden

Tuesdays With Morrie by Mitch Albom