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## Adventure

### BARD Magazines

Boy’s Life. Braille.

National Geographic. Audio, Braille.

National Geographic Kids. Audio.

Outdoor Life. Audio.

True West. Audio.

Travel + Leisure. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Air and Space Smithsonian.

Men’s Journal.

National Geographic Kids.

### On the RTB

Heading Outdoors, Thursdays @ 12 AM.

National Geographic, Tuesdays @ 3 PM and Sundays @ 3 AM.

Search and Discover, Saturdays @ 8 PM and Wednesdays @ 4 AM.

World Safari, Mondays @ 3 PM.

The Great North, Sundays @ 4 PM.

### Books

**Rising Water: the story of the Thai cave rescue.** [Marc Aronson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Marc+Aronson&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-score&q=DB094347&f=Aronson%2C+Marc.*author_ss%3AAronson%2C%5C+Marc.) Recounts the incredible true story of twelve boys trapped with their soccer coach in a flooded cave in Thailand and their inspiring rescue. Juvenile, Young Adults.

**The Sun is a Compass: a 4000-mile journey into the Alaskan wilds.** [Caroline Van Hemert](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Caroline+Van+Hemert). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=DB094177&i=_text_&s=-score) Ornithologist recounts an adventure she took with her husband in in order to rediscover her love of scientific research and the wilderness. Discusses traveling by raft, canoe, and rowboat, on skis and on foot, from Bellingham, Washington, deep into the Arctic Circle.

**The Impossible Climb: Alex Honnold, El Capitan, and the climbing life.** [Mark Synnott](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mark+Synnott). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=515976563.7132) A veteran climber looks at the world of rock climbing, focusing on Alex Honnold, who was the first to complete a free solo ascent (climbing without the aid of a rope) of the 3,000-foot El Capitan rock formation in Yosemite National Park.

**Lost: #1 Tom Moon.** [James Patterson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Patterson%2C+James.*author_ss%3APatterson%2C%5C+James). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=560429930.7132). Detective Tom Moon, as the new leader of an FBI task force--Moon discovers that two opportunistic Russian nationals have built a vast, powerful, and deadly crime syndicate.

**Queen's Shadows: Star Wars**. [E. K. Johnston](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=E.+K.+Johnston). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=DB094281&i=_text_&s=-score) When Padm Naberrie, "Queen Amidala" of Naboo, steps down, she is asked to become Naboo's representative in the Galactic Senate. Unsure, Padm must figure out how to navigate the treacherous waters of politics.

**Fly Girls: how five daring women defied all odds and made aviation history.** [Keith O'Brien](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Keith+O%27Brien&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=485721882.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=553990476.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=495262390.7132). An account of how a group of female pilots banded together to fight for the chance to compete in airplane racing, a hugely popular sport in the years between WWI and WWII.

**Disappointment River: finding and losing the Northwest Passage**. [Brian Castner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=brian+castner). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=455393433.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=456673817.7132) Traveling by canoe, the author retraces the steps of Alexander Mackenzie's eighteenth-century trek in search of the Northwest Passage. In addition to Castner's account of his own journey, he discusses the details of Mackenzie's exploration, which stretched to more than a thousand miles.

**Turning Point.** [Danielle Steel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Danielle+Steel&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=521403252.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=530768287.7132). Four trauma doctors are chosen for a unique training program exchanging expertise with their counterparts at a Parisian hospital. Paris opens up both professional and personal possibilities for the Americans, until an act of mass violence changes everything.

**Daughter of War: #13 Pike Logan.** [Brad Taylor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Brad+Taylor&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=512353604.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=530769516.7132) This is the thirteenth book in the [Pike Logan](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=pike+logan) series. Team stumble upon the sale of a deadly chemical weapon called Red Mercury. Meanwhile, North Korea prepares an attack that they hope to blame on Syria.

**Canoeing with the Cree**. [Eric Sevareid](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=eric+Sevareid). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=450346940.7132) Account of the 1930 canoe voyage from Minneapolis to Hudson Bay by teenaged, future newscaster, Eric Sevareid and a companion. Originally published in 1935, this is both an adventure tale and a historical record of canoe trekking sixty years ago.

**81 Days Below Zero: the incredible survival story of a World War II pilot in Alaska's frozen wilderness.** [Brian Murphy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=brian+murphy&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=504463492.7132) Leon Crane was the sole survivor of a bomber crash in the Alaskan wilderness on December 21, 1943. It took him 81 days to walk to safety. His story is told in parallel with the search 60 years later for the remains of the other crewmen.

**The Outcasts.** [Kathleen Kent.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kathleen+Kent&f=&i=_text_&s=score) [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=161277878.7132) A taut, thrilling adventure story about buried treasure, a manhunt, and a woman determined to make a new life for herself in the old west.

**Wolf Shadows.** [Mary Casanova](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Casanova%2C+Mary.*author_ss%3ACasanova%2C%5C+Mary.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=376852466.7132), [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=wolf+shadows%2C+mary+casanova&clusterResults=true#/oclc/47243199). When his best friend illegally shoots a wolf while hunting in northern Minnesota, twelve-year-old Seth struggles to determine whether their friendship can survive their different ideas.

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[Action and Adventure Story](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Action+and+Adventure+story+-+ACT*localsubject_ss%3AAction%5C+and%5C+Adventure%5C+story%5C+%5C-%5C+ACT)

[Biography - Adventure](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Biography+-+Adventure+-+BIAD*localsubject_ss%3ABiography%5C+%5C-%5C+Adventure%5C+%5C-%5C+BIAD)

## Animals

### BARD Magazines

Audubon. Audio.

Catnip: The Newsletter for Caring Cat Owners. Braille.

Catster. Braille.

National Geographic. Audio, Braille.

National Geographic for Kids. Audio.

Outdoor Life. Audio.

Your Dog. Braille.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Catster.

Dogster.

### On the RTB

Animal Watch, Wednesdays @ 12 AM.

Heading Outdoors, Thursdays @ 12 AM.

National Geographic, Tuesdays @ 3 PM and Sundays at 3 AM.

Potpourri, Mondays through Fridays @ 9 PM.

### Books

**Mama's Last Hug: animal emotions and what they teach us about being human.** [Frans de Waal](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Frans+de+Waal&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=521419158.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=546134042.7132) Primatologist explores the similarities between the ways primates--notably chimpanzees and humans--express emotions. Uses examples demonstrated by Mama, a chimpanzee matriarch at the Burgers Zoo in the Netherlands, to discuss facial expressions, politics, and free will.

**The Honey Bus: a memoir of loss, courage, and a girl saved by bees.** [Meredith May](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Meredith+May&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=524874306.7132) Recounts author's relationship with beekeeping, which began when she was five years old and living under the care of her beekeeping grandfather. Discusses how she used beekeeping as an escape from her troubled childhood and how it taught her about family, community, loyalty, and survival.

**Being a Dog: following the dog's nose into the world of smell**. [Alexandra Horowitz](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=alexandra+Horowitz&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=325714092.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=360442991.7132). Canine cognition expert takes a closer look at how dogs use their sense of smell to navigate the world. Also looks at the human sense of smell and efforts of the author to increase her olfactory sensitivity.

**Mutual Rescue: how adopting a homeless animal can save you, too.** [Carol Novello](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Carol+Novello&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519260934.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=524826718.7132). Examines the curative powers of rescuing shelter animals. Includes individual stories of the physical and mental benefits of pet adoption, with supporting statistics and scientific studies.

**Total Cat Mojo: the ultimate guide to life with your cat**. [Jackson Galaxy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jackson+Galaxy&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=440989906.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=447362157.7132). Provides a comprehensive guide to cat care. Explains how to eliminate common problems cat owners experience by understanding instinctive feline behaviors. Includes arcane facts, science, animal psychology, and illustrative anecdotes.

**Emperors of the Deep: the ocean's most mysterious, most misunderstood, and most important guardians.** [William McKeever](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+McKeever&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=539224097.7132) Conservationist examines the role of sharks in the ecosystem, the ways they have been portrayed in popular media, and the public reaction to those portrayals. Shark species profiled include great whites, makos, hammerheads, and tigers. Other topics include the species' social lives and tracking sharks.

**The Farmer's Son: calving season on a family farm.** [John Connell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+Connell&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531676873.7132). The author recounts his time spent learning to work on his family's farm during calving season. Details the daily labor of the farm, provides some historical context for cow farming, and describes the author's relationship with the farm, its community, the animals, and his father.

**If Polar Bears Disappeared.** [Lily Williams](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lily+Williams&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=495337076.7132) (Print/Braille). Considers what would happen if polar bears disappeared from our planet, and highlights how climate change drastically alters the Arctic ecosystem. For grades K-3.

**To the Rescue: found dogs with a mission.** [Elise Lufkin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Elise+Lufkin). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=91153500.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=92354401.7132) Animal-adoption advocate profiles fifty-two dogs and one cat that were rescued from abuse or abandonment and trained as therapy and service animals. Offers firsthand accounts of individuals who benefited from their companionship. Includes questions to consider before adopting a dog. For senior high and older readers.

**Animals at the Extremes.** [Kathy Kinsner.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DKinsner%2C%20Kathy&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on) [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?sortKey=DATE_D&databaseList=638&queryString=animals+at+the+extremes&changedFacet=format&overrideStickyFacetDefault=&selectSortKey=DATE_D&clusterResults=on&scope=wz%3A71599&subformat=Book%3A%3Abook_braille&year=all&yearFrom=&yearTo=&author=all&database=all&language=all&materialtype=all) Animals come in all shapes and sizes and move about in a variety of ways. Can you guess which bird is the highest flier? Which reptile lives the longest? What mammal runs the fastest? In this book, you'll learn amazing facts and solve amazing puzzles about groups of animals in different parts of the world. Juvenile book.

**Landfill: notes on gull watching and trash picking in the Anthropocene.** [Tim Dee](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DDee%2C%20Tim&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=false&clusterResults=on#/oclc/1110706332). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Landfill+%3A+notes+on+gull+watching+and+trash+picking+in+the+Anthropocene&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off&sortKey=DATE_D#/oclc/1110706332) Over the past hundred years, gulls have been brought ashore by modernity. They now live not only on the coasts but in our slipstream following trawlers, barges, and garbage trucks. They are more our contemporaries than most birds, living their wild lives among us in towns and cities.

**Minnesota Conservation Volunteer magazine**. Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=minnesota+conservation+volunteer#/oclc/1035420461). Your guide to wild Minnesota. This flagship publication of the Department of Natural Resources delivers in-depth, in-the-field coverage of the state's outdoor news and conservation issues. The *MCV* mission is to encourage conservation and sustainable use of Minnesota's natural resources.

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[Pets (Nonfiction)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Pets+%28nonfiction%29+-+PET*localsubject_ss%3APets%5C+%5C%28nonfiction%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+PET)

[Animal Stories](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Animal+Stories&i=subject_txt_en&s=-score)

[Human Animal Relationships](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Human-Animal+Relationships+-+HAR*localsubject_ss%3AHuman%5C-Animal%5C+Relationships%5C+%5C-%5C+HAR)

## Bestsellers

### BARD Magazines

New York Times Book Review. Audio, Braille.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

New York Review of Books. Audio, Braille.

### On the RTB

Bookcase, Sundays @ 2 PM.

Choice Reading, Mondays through Fridays @ 2 PM.

Off the Shelf, Mondays through Fridays @ 8 PM.

The Best in Short Stories, Sundays @ 11 PM and Fridays @ 2 AM.

### Books

**The Testaments: #2 Handmaid's Tale.** [Margaret Atwood](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Margaret+Atwood&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=541352249.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=556669029.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545123116.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545073469.7132). Fifteen years after the van door slammed on Offred's future, three women provide testaments on life in Gilead. Sequel to The Handmaid's Tale.

**Where the Crawdads Sing.** [Delia Owens](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Delia+Owens&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=489619428.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=528866777.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545076480.7132). In late 1969, when Chase Andrews is found dead, the locals of Barkley Cove, North Carolina, immediately suspect Kya Clark, the so-called Marsh Girl. But Kya is not what they say. Sensitive and intelligent, she has survived for years alone in the marsh that she calls home.

**Little Fires Everywhere.** [Celeste Ng](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=celeste+ng&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=397795363.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=441035877.7132). Elena Richardson and her family lead an orderly existence in Shaker Heights, Ohio, until Mia and her daughter rent a house from them. When a neighbor tries to adopt a baby, Elena and Mia end up on opposing sides of the custody battle.

**Educated: a memoir**. [Tara Westover](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Tara+Westover&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=447417798.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=529288828.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=465599739.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=526857436.7132). Memoir exploring the author’s path from being raised in a fundamentalist, paranoiac Mormon family where she was homeschooled to eventually working her way to graduate degrees at Cambridge and Harvard. Discusses hardships faced by the family, abuse at the hands of a sibling, and more.

**The Tattooist of Auschwitz.** [Morris Heather](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Morris+Heather&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=the+tattooist+of+auschwitz) 1942. Lale Sokolov, a Slovakian Jew, has been transported to Auschwitz. When the Nazis discover he can speak multiple languages, he is put to work tattooing the incoming prisoners. He does what he can to keep his fellow prisoners alive and falls in love with Gita.

**The Outsider.** [Stephen King](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Stephen+King&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=489657218.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=500043020.7132). When the body of an eleven-year-old boy is found, all the evidence points to one of Flint City's most popular citizens, local teacher Terry Maitland. Terry has an ironclad alibi, which leaves Detective Ralph Anderson wondering how a man could be in two places at once.

**The Woman in the Window.** [A.J. Finn](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=a.+J.+Finn&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=441021225.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=456675507.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=444262937.7132). Heavily medicated for PTSD-induced agoraphobia, Anna Fox has spent the past ten months trapped in her Harlem home. She spends her time spying on neighbors, drinking, and watching movies. When she witnesses a murder, no one believes such an unreliable witness.

**Harry Potter and the Sorceror's Stone**. [J. K. Rowling](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=J.+K.+Rowling&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47479483.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=97603156.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=174580.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=174579.7132), [Braille (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=176642.7132), [Descriptive Video](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=174579.7132). This is the first book in the [Harry Potter](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=2&q=Harry+potter&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&f=&mc=0) series. On Harry Potter's eleventh birthday, he learns that he is more than an unwanted orphan. The Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry recruits him because he has inherent magical abilities. As he purchases his school supplies--robes, wand, and messenger owl--Harry looks forward to attending his new boarding school.

**Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire**. [J. K. Rowling](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=J.+K.+Rowling&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47538836.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=91541794.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=180684.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=140876.7132), [Braille (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=177509.7132), [Descriptive Video](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=25891292.7132). This is the fourth book in the [Harry Potter](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=2&q=Harry+potter&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&f=&mc=0) series. Now fourteen, the student wizard is eager to leave the Dursleys and join his friends Hermione and Ron for the Quidditch World Cup before beginning his fourth year at Hogwarts. But his enemies have not forgotten him.

**Sapiens: a brief history of humankind.** [Yuval N. Harari](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Yuval+N.+Harari&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=206214476.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=338590755.7132). A discussion of the development of human culture and history, from the emergence of the first species of the genus Homo over 2 million years ago to the twenty-first century from the standpoints of biology, anthropology, paleontology, and economics.

**The Body Keeps the Score: brain, mind and body in the healing of trauma.** [Bessel A. van der Kolk](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bessel+A.+van+der+Kolk&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=195176887.7132) Psychiatrist details research into the long-term impacts of traumatic events and situations. Explains how the brain rewires itself to accommodate trauma recovery. Discusses traditional and holistic therapies, e.g. yoga.

**Just Mercy: a story of justice and redemption**. [Bryan Stevenson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=bryan+Stevenson&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=184048570.7132) [Audio (young adult).](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=504793080.7132) Attorney and law professor discusses founding the Equal Justice Initiative, a legal practice dedicated to defending those most desperate and in need. Describes one of his first cases--defending Walter McMillian, a young man sentenced to die for a notorious murder he insisted he didn't commit.

**One of Us is Lying.** [Karen M. McManus](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Karen+M.+McManus&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=one+of+us+is+lying). When the creator of a high school gossip app mysteriously dies in front of four high-profile students during detention, the four - all subjects of an upcoming post - become suspects. It's up to them to solve the case.

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## Bible and Bible Studies

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Guideposts.

### On the RTB

Devotions, Sundays @10 AM.

Inner Life, Sundays @ 5 AM.

Religion Update, Tuesdays @7 AM.

### Books

**The Reader's Digest Bible condensed from the Revised Standard Version Old Testament.** [Bruce Manning Metzger](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bruce+Manning+Metzger&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=512395236.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=126838.7132). Condensation achieved largely by elimination of repetitious passages and genealogies. The text is designed to offer a flowing, easily read narrative of the scriptures.

**The Holy Bible, Containing the Old and New Testaments: Translated out of the Original Tongues and with the Former Translations Diligently Compared and Revised**. [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=49700635.7132). The King James Version of the Old and New Testaments as read by Alexander Scourby in the early 1950s. For advanced players, this cartridge has three navigation levels. Old and New Testaments also available separately.

**Pure Voice Audio Bible: New International Version (NIV) complete Bible.** [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531690371.7132). An evangelical translation of the Bible made directly from Greek texts. Written in contemporary English.

**The Jerusalem Bible**. [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=110928279.7132). Modern, readable version of the Bible created during the time of the Second Vatican Council (1962-1965) and intended mainly for Catholics. Translated from original ancient texts by biblical scholars utilizing mid-twentieth-century archaeological discoveries. Contains Old and New Testaments, the Apocrypha, and brief introductions on each book's historical setting.

**Sagrada Biblia: version directa de las lenguas originales**. [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=113025560.7132). El Antiguo y el Nuevo Testamento en una version traducida directamente del original en hebreo y griego por Eloino Nacar Fuster y Alberto Colunga. The Old and New Testaments translated into Spanish from the original Hebrew and Greek.

**The Great Code: The Bible and literature**. [Northrop Frye](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Northrop+Frye&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=167193939.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=137848.7132). A professor of English literature examines the Old and New Testaments as repositories of myth and metaphor and shows how this basic knowledge can enhance the reading of Western literature. He discusses the language people use in talking about the Bible and emphasizes its structural unity.

**The Murderous History of Bible Translations: power, conflict and the quest for meaning**. [Harry Freedman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Harry+Freedman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=375972529.7132). History of translations of the Bible, from its first versions in ancient Alexandria, beginning with the Hebrew Bible into Greek in the third century BCE. Discusses challenges to interpretations; violent disagreements, often leading to death, from the Middle Ages to the Reformation; the spread into colonial territories; and more.

**A History of the Bible: the story of the world's most influential book**. [John Barton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+Barton&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531705971.7132). Anglican priest presents a history of the Bible's creation and provides context for the works included in it. Sections include the Old Testament, the New Testament, the Bible as a whole, and the meanings of the work. Examines its importance to the Jewish and Christian faiths.

**How to Read the Bible**. [Harvey Cox](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Harvey+Cox&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=210104313.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=210111694.7132). Cox, professor at Harvard Divinity School and author of Many Mansions (DB 29948), posits a need for a unified reading approach between lay people and scholars of the Bible. Examines the reading experience as three stages: narrative or literal, historical, and spiritual, and offers ways to reconcile those stages.

**Great Stories of the Bible**. [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=495266226.7132). Collection of six books containing stories from the Old and New Testaments. Includes God's Great Creation, Facing the Blazing Furnace, Ruth and Naomi, Miracles of Jesus, A Father's Love, and The Good Samaritan. For grades 2-4.

**Bible Babel: making sense of the most talked about book of all times**. [Kristin M. Swenson](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DSwenson%2C%20Kristin%20M&databaseList=638#/oclc/956984734). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Bible+babel+%3A+making+sense+of+the+most+talked+about+book+of+all+time&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off#/oclc/956984734). Based on the most recent scholarship, an introduction to the Bible--what it is, where it comes from, and what is in it--answers common questions and identifies and explains cultural references.

**Learn-to-Read Bible**. [Heather Gemmen Wilson](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DWilson%2C%20Heather%20Gemmen&databaseList=638#/oclc/235221092) and [Peggy M Wilber](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DWilber%2C%20Peggy%20M&databaseList=638). [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Learn-to-read+Bible.+Level+1%2C+level+2&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off#/oclc/235221092). A collection of Bible stories from the Old and New Testaments, accompanied by activities and reading tips.

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[Bible Commentary - Catholic](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+commentary+%28Catholic%29+-+RELCB*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+commentary%5C+%5C%28Catholic%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+RELCB)

[Bible Commentary - Protestant](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+Commentary+%28Protestant%29+-+RELPB*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+Commentary%5C+%5C%28Protestant%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+RELPB)

[Bible - KJV (Authorized)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+-+KJV+%28Authorized%29+-+BIBK*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+%5C-%5C+KJV%5C+%5C%28Authorized%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+BIBK)

[Bible - Catholic](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+-+Catholic+-+BIBC*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+%5C-%5C+Catholic%5C+%5C-%5C+BIBC)

[Bible - Jewish (Holy Scriptures & Torah)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+-+Jewish+%28Holy+Scriptures+%26+Torah%29+-+BIBJ*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+%5C-%5C+Jewish%5C+%5C%28Holy%5C+Scriptures%5C+%5C%26%5C+Torah%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+BIBJ)

[Bible - Other Versions](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+-+Other+Versions+-+BIBO*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+%5C-%5C+Other%5C+Versions%5C+%5C-%5C+BIBO)

[Bible - Revised Standard Version](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bible+-+RSV+-+BIBR*localsubject_ss%3ABible%5C+%5C-%5C+RSV%5C+%5C-%5C+BIBR)

## Biographies

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### On the RTB

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The Great North, Sundays @ 4 PM.

The Writer’s Voice, Mondays through Fridays @ 1 PM.

### Books

**The Yellow House**. [Sarah M. Broom](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sarah+M.+Broom). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=556673041.7132). Relates a century of her family and their collective relationship with a home in a neglected area of New Orleans, even after Hurricane Katrina wiped it off the map. Discusses pride, familial love, and issues of class, race, and internalized shame. National Book Award Winner 2019.

**Planet of the Blind**. [Stephen Kuusisto](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=stephen+Kuusisto). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=88766369.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=189228.7132). Although legally blind since birth, Kuusisto passed as sighted for more than thirty years. He describes his refracted visual perceptions and how pretending to see actually interfered with his participation in the sighted world. Then, by using a white cane and, eventually, a guide dog, he experienced new acceptance and mobility.

**Becoming** [Michelle Obama](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Michele+Obama&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=497133595.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=501972243.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=528865447.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=504853139.7132). The first African American First Lady recounts her childhood in Chicago, her years balancing motherhood and her career as an executive, and her eight years in the White House.

**I Can't See You, I'm Deaf: a memoir.** [Woody Livingstone](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Woody+Livingstone&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=555639102.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=555714907.7132). The author recounts his experiences going blind while already completely deaf, including attending college, traveling, playing hockey, and piloting an airplane. Describes the discrimination he faced, his struggles with homelessness and unemployment, and his decision to live by faith.

**All Rivers Run to the Sea.** [Elie Wiesel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Elie+Wiesel&f=&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175020073.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=147616.7132). A leading witness to the Holocaust and the fate of the Jewish people recalls his family's suffering, the survivors' efforts to reconstruct their lives, and his experiences as a writer and journalist working to record the truth for succeeding generations. Nobel Prize winning author.

**Al Capone: his life, legacy, and legend**. [Dierdre Bair](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Deirdre+Bair&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=312609250.7132) Provides an account of the entire life of legendary gangster Al Capone. Discusses his childhood, his multi-million-dollar Chicago-based bootlegging, prostitution, and gambling operations, and his ultimate capture and imprisonment.

**Grant.** [Ron Chernow](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ron+Chernow&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=419042959.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=455434632.7132). Provides a detailed portrait of Civil War general and eventual president Ulysses S. Grant. Discusses Grant's life prior to the Civil War, his business troubles, his remarkable role in the war, his later political career, and more.

**The New Negro; the life of Alain Locke.** [Jeffrey C. Stewert](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jeffrey+C.+Stewart&f=&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531666864.7132). Biography of the man lauded as the father of the Harlem Renaissance. Describes his education, career as a Howard University professor, extensive travels, role in culture, and identity as a gay man. National Book Award. 2018.

**The Story of My Life.** [Helen Keller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Helen+Keller&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47780753.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=93662999.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=176113.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=176112.7132), [Braille (Spanish).](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=108068019.7132) Autobiography of an exceptional young woman and her companion, originally published in 1903. Helen Keller's own account of her transformation is followed by her teacher Anne Sullivan's record of their early years together and insights of Anne's husband, John Macy.

**Ray Charles.** [Sharon Bell Mathis](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sharon+Bell+Mathis&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=225178095.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=125318.7132). Biography of the world-famous blind musician who has played to win against overwhelming odds. For grades 2-5.

**The Art of Waiting: on fertility, medicine, and motherhood**. [Belle Boggs](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Belle+Boggs&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=331816508.7132). Belle Boggs explores her own and others’ dealings with fertility and infertility, reporting stories of adopting couples, LGBT couples considering assisted reproduction and surrogacy, and reflections on childless/child-free lives.

**Through Gates of Splendor.** [Elisabeth Elliot](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=elisabeth+Elliot&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=152884807.7132) [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?sortKey=LIBRARY&databaseList=638&queryString=Through+gates+of+splendor&changedFacet=&overrideStickyFacetDefault=&stickyFacetsChecked=on&selectSortKey=LIBRARY&clusterResults=on&scope=wz%3A71599&subformat=Book%3A%3Abook_braille&year=all&yearFrom=&yearTo=&author=all&topic=all&database=all&language=all&materialtype=all). Recounts events surrounding the 1956 massacre of five missionaries who had ventured into eastern Ecuador to spread Christianity to the hostile Auca Indian tribe. The author, widow of one of the victims, uses first-person accounts to document their work as well as the rescue party's findings.

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[Biography - Literary](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Biography+-+Literary+-+BIL*localsubject_ss%3ABiography%5C+%5C-%5C+Literary%5C+%5C-%5C+BIL)

[Biography - Disability-Vision - BIDV](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Biography+-+Disability-Vision+-+BIDV*localsubject_ss%3ABiography%5C+%5C-%5C+Disability%5C-Vision%5C+%5C-%5C+BIDV)

[Biography - Autobiography](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Biography+-+Autobiography+-+ABI*localsubject_ss%3ABiography%5C+%5C-%5C+Autobiography%5C+%5C-%5C+ABI)

[Biography - Individuals w/ Disabilities - BID](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Biography+-+Individuals+w%2F+Disabilities+-+BID*localsubject_ss%3ABiography%5C+%5C-%5C+Individuals%5C+w%5C%2F%5C+Disabilities%5C+%5C-%5C+BID)

[Biography - Historical](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Biography+-+Historical+-+BIH*localsubject_ss%3ABiography%5C+%5C-%5C+Historical%5C+%5C-%5C+BIH)

## Business and Economics

### BARD Magazines

Consumer Reports. Audio.

Economist. Audio.

Kiplinger’s Personal Finance. Audio, Braille.

Kiplinger’s Retirement Report. Audio, Braille.

The Week. Audio.

Wired. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Barron’s.

Chronicle of Philanthropy.

Consumer Reports.

Economist.

Financial Times.

NARFE Magazine (National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association).

Nonprofit Quarterly.

Successful Farming.

Vending Times.

Wall Street Journal.

Wired.

### On the RTB

Business Commentary, Saturdays @ 5 PM and Tuesdays @ 4 AM.

Business News, Fridays @ 7 AM.

Career Corner, Thursdays @ 10:20 AM.

Consumer’s Advocate, Thursdays @ 3 PM and Tuesdays @ 2 AM.

Farm Market Report, Mondays through Fridays @ 11:58 AM.

Money Matters, Saturdays @ 2 PM and Tuesdays @ 3 AM.

### Books

**Franchise: the golden arches in black america.** [Marcia Chatelain](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=marcia+chatelain&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=558199135.7132) Examination of the role of franchises, particularly of McDonald's, in the development of black wealth in America: the ways McDonald's policies impacted the civil rights movement, the tension between black capitalism and rising obesity, and diabetes rates in black Americans and voting rights.

**Thank You for Being Late: an optimist's guide to thriving in the age of accelerations**. [Thomas Friedman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Thomas+Friedman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=327848720.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=358386226.7132). An examination of the implications of a world where technological advances occur at an ever-increasing rate of speed. Discusses the impact on social psychology, global relations, and governmental policies.

**Ray & Joan: the man that made the McDonald's fortune and the woman that gave it all away.**  [Lisa Napoli](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=joan+napoli&f=&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=325722059.7132) Dual biography of Ray Kroc (1902-1984) and his wife, Joan (1928-2003). Discusses Ray's development of McDonald's and his personal fortune, as well as Joan's philanthropy with that same fortune after she was widowed.

**Zucked: waking up to the Facebook catastrophe.** [Roger McNamee](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Roger+McNamee&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=512359012.7132) Early investor in Facebook recounts his reckoning with his role in helping to build the business and the company's function in the 2016 U. S. presidential election. Proposes ways for investors and businesses to take action when faced with political crisis.

**Leadership Step by Step: become the person others follow**. [Joshua Spodek](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Joshua+Spodek&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=375992559.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=383572095.7132). A guide to developing leadership skills based on methods industries, including entertainment and sports. The process is broken up into the stages of "Understanding Yourself," "Leading Yourself," "Understanding Others," and "Leading Others."

**Freedom Found: 7 Seeing Eye Miracles.** [Joseph Klatt](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Joseph+Klatt&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=191746272.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=191746699.7132) Autobiography of Joseph Dean Klatt and the challenges he faced when he lost his eyesight in a tragic car accident at the age of nineteen. Discusses his determination to achieve independence, his academic years, his seven Seeing Eye dogs, and his personal life.

**The Path Made Clear: discovering your life's direction and purpose.** [Oprah Winfrey](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Oprah+Winfrey&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=515982212.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=526878239.7132). Winfrey gives guidance on living your best life by sharing her own stories and wisdom from luminaries in entertainment, business, literature, politics, religion, and more. Advice on finding and pursuing your purpose with passion and focus.

**The Moment of Lift: how empowering women changed the world**. [Melinda Gates](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=melinda+Gates&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=526299429.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=542903021.7132). Philanthropist and cochair of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation discusses her discovery of the link between female empowerment and societal health. Provides simple ways to effect change and make a difference, including issues surrounding family planning, household labor, and gender bias.

**Range: why generalists triumph in a specialized world.** [David J. Epstein.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Epstein%2C+David+J.*author_ss%3AEpstein%2C%5C+David%5C+J.) [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531683403.7132) David Epstein examined the world's most successful athletes, artists, musicians, inventors, forecasters and scientists. He discovered that in most fields--especially those that are complex and unpredictable--generalists, not specialists, are primed to excel.

**Spring Green: a behind the scenes look at the culture and corruption in college athletics.** [Mark Yost.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DYost%2C%20Mark&databaseList=638#/oclc/1110183606) [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Varsity+green%2C+yost&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1110183606). Takes readers behind the scenes of college sports to dissect the enormous TV revenues, merchandising rights, bowl game playoffs, sneaker contracts, and endorsement deals that often pay state university coaches more than the college president, or even the governor.

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[Economics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Economics+-+ECO*localsubject_ss%3AEconomics%5C+%5C-%5C+ECO)

[Business Management](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Business+Management+-+BSM*localsubject_ss%3ABusiness%5C+Management%5C+%5C-%5C+BSM)

## Career and Job Training

### Bard Magazines

Piano Technicians Journal. Audio.

PC World. Braille.

The Writer. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Job Listings, Nation-wide.

Successful Farming.

Vending Times.

Wired.

### On the RTB

Career Corner, Thursdays @ 10:20 AM.

Speaking for Ourselves, Last Sunday each month @ 8 PM and the next

Thursday @ 3 AM.

Tech Wire, Wednesdays @ 7 AM.

Tanner’s Tech Den, First Sunday each month @ 8 PM and the next Thursday @ 3 AM.

Your Personal World, Saturdays @ 1 PM.

### Books

**Born for This: How to find the work you were meant to do.** [Chris Guillebeau](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=guillebeau)**.** [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=278725719.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=286675918.7132). A guide to identifying and obtaining the perfect job or career. Discusses life/work balance, gaining skills in your desired field, developing multiple streams of income, self-employment, marketing yourself and your work, knowing when to say no, and more.

**Coders: the making of a new tribe and the remaking of the world**. [Clive Thompson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Clive+Thompson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519214491.7132) Journalist examines the industry of computer coding in the twenty-first century. Profiles the people involved in the development of products such as Facebook's News Feed, Instagram, and Google's artificial intelligence. Analyzes the types of people who work in coding and particular movements and class structures.

**Roadmap for the rest of your life: smart choices about money, health, work, lifestyle, and pursuing your dreams.** [Bart Astor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bart+Astor&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=166704328.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=230129755.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=183431412.7132). Eldercare expert relates ways to forge new paths and expectations for the second stage of adulthood that begins after age fifty. Discusses creating goals, increasing activity level, staying healthy, having the right health insurance, transitioning from full-time work, making money last a lifetime, choosing living arrangements, and maintaining relationships.

**Beyond the Blindness: my story of losing sight and living life.** [Ted Hinson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=beyond+the+blindness&f=Hinson%2C+Ted.*author_ss%3AHinson%2C%5C+Ted.&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=498692607.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=504776328.7132). As a young parent, Ted Hinson was on top of everything. He was an active father, basketball coach, and worked in the oil and gas industry. And he accomplished all of this while completely blind. In this book he has an important message for anyone coping with adversity: strive to change obstacles into opportunities, and don't let challenges limit your life.

**Girl Mogul: dream it. Do it. Change the world.** [Pham Tiffany](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Pham+Tiffany&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519252473.7132) Founder and CEO of Mogul, a successful online platform to share information with women worldwide, presents a guide for helping teens define success, envision it, and make it happen in school, in their personal lives, and at work.

**Land your Dream Career: eleven steps to take in college.** [Tori Randolph Terhune](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=tori+Randolph+Terhune&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154337207.7132) A guide for college students to help them take charge of their employment futures while still in school. Provides eleven strategies for use in and out of the classroom. Includes advice on developing a professional image, using social media, networking, and optimizing other career development tools. Young adult appeal.

**Moving Forward in Mid-career: a guide to rebuilding your career after being fired or laid off.** [John Henry Weiss](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+Henry+Weiss&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=484002915.7132) Executive recruiter shares strategies for facing the loss of a job. Topics include why firings happen, the grieving process, finance management, searching for a new job, reshaping career expectations, networking, negotiations, identifying opportunities, and working with career counselors.

**Big Potential: how transforming the pursuit of success raises our achievement, happiness, and well-being.** [Shawn Achor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Shawn+Achor&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=514373920.7132). Researcher presents case studies to support his theory that success and happiness are reliant on our ability to connect with, relate to, and learn from each other. Topics include surrounding yourself with positive influencers, expanding your power, and enhancing your resources.

**The Episodic Career: how to thrive at work in the age of disruption.**  [Farai Chideya](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Chideya%2C+Farai.*author_ss%3AChideya%2C%5C+Farai.). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=249825986.7132) Journalist examines work culture in America in the twenty-first century. Discusses the state of employment, understanding personal goals to determine the ideal work/life balance, ways to deal with disappointments and setbacks like layoffs, and planning for life after work.

**This is How to Get Your Next Job**. [Andrea Kay](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Andrea+Kay&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154319249.7132). Career consultant and syndicated columnist offers insight for improving your job search and advancing in your profession. Highlights what and what not to do, say, and wear. Discusses characteristics that employers look for and examples from her experiences.

**Job Search Handbook for People with Disabilities.** [Daniel J. Ryan](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Daniel+J.+Ryan&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=155889749.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=177229.7132). Comprehensive resource guide to career development for people with disabilities. Covers locating openings, preparing for interviews, writing resumes, using government programs, networking, and succeeding at work. Discusses available accommodations and provides job links from the U.S. Department of Labor Office of Disability Employment Policy.

**Find Your Fit: a practical guide to landing a job you'll love**. [Susan A. Kaiden](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DKaiden%2C%20Susan%20A&databaseList=638#/oclc/1052465935). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=ti%3A%28find+your+fit%29+AND+au%3A%28Kaiden%29&databaseList=638&origPageViewName=pages%2Fadvanced-search-page&clusterResults=true&scope=wz%3A71599#/oclc/1052465935). Guides you through answering questions like: What do I want to do with my career? Where should I do it? And how do I get there? You'll be able to identify the work environment best for you, shape your online identity, and network more effectively by focusing on people instead of openings. You'll learn about coveted employee referrals. With the help of experienced career coaches, you'll be able to handle any kind of interview. Become familiar with pre-employment testing and assessments.

**Let Your Life Speak: listening for the voice of vocation.** [Parker J. Palmer](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DPalmer%2C%20Parker%20J&databaseList=638). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?sortKey=LIBRARY&databaseList=638&queryString=ti%3A%28Let+your+life+speak%29+AND+au%3A%28palmer%29&changedFacet=format&overrideStickyFacetDefault=&selectSortKey=LIBRARY&clusterResults=on&scope=wz%3A71599&subformat=Book%3A%3Abook_braille&year=all&yearFrom=&yearTo=&author=all&database=all&language=all&materialtype=all) Is the life I am living the same as the life that wants to live in me? With this searching question, Parker Palmer begins an insightful and moving meditation on finding one's true calling. An openhearted gift to anyone who seeks to live authentically. Sharing stories of frailty and strength, of darkness and light, Palmer shows that vocation is not a goal to be achieved but a gift to be received.

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[Job Hunting](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=no*fiction_ss%3Ano&p=0&q=job+hunting&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Career Development](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ANon%5C-Fiction*Careers*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ACareers&p=0&q=career+development&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

## Classics

### On the RTB

Bookworm, Mondays through Fridays @ 12 PM.

Good Night Owl, Mondays through Fridays @ 10 PM.

Poetic Reflections, Sundays @ 12 PM.

### Books

**Lord of the Flies.** [William Golding](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+Golding&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=63908162.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=476842831.7132). With horrifying implications, this relates the experiences of a group of English boys who are wrecked on a desert island and have to establish their own system of government.

**Kidnapped**. [Robert Lois Stevenson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Robert+Louis+Stevenson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=104002853.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=163243.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=163242.7132). A Scottish lowlander narrates his adventures when his uncle tries to have him sent to America as a slave, and when he instead falls in with the daredevil Jacobite Alan Stewart.

**The Call of the Wild.** [Jack London](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jack+London&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64007233.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=139283.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=139282.7132). Buck, a St. Bernard mix, is stolen and trained to be a sled dog in the Alaskan gold fields. Abused by both men and dogs, Buck learns to fight ruthlessly until he finds a master he loves and respects.

**Green Eggs and Ham.** [Dr. Seuss](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Dr.+Seuss&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64596253.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=122768333.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=135633.7132), [Braille (uncontracted).](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=26359887.7132) In this rhyming story, Sam-I-am wants his companion to try this dish of green eggs and ham. Sam-I-am follows him everywhere begging him just to taste them. And finally Sam-I-am succeeds! For grades K-3.

**To Kill a Mockingbird.** [Harper Lee](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Harper+Lee&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64707974.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=119942523.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=132780.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=156589.7132), [Descriptive Video](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=147447.7132). A six-year-old tomboy begins her tale of growing up in a small Alabama town with her brother and her attorney. The children's intense curiosity about a reclusive neighbor is eclipsed by Atticus's attempt to defend a black man against charges of raping a white woman. Pulitzer Prize. For high school +.

**Animal Farm**. [George Orwell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=George+Orwell&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=190784745.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=128141.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=179244.7132), [Braille (uncontracted)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=213771462.7132). An allegorical political satire of communism in which the animals on a form overthrow their master and live a utopian life until the intelligent pigs take over and one establishes himself as dictator.

**Fahrenheit 451**. [Ray Bradbury](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ray+Bradbury&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64547123.7132) [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=45376219.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=189903.7132). Social satire set in the future, when owning or reading a book is a crime. A fireman charged with destroying books, becomes a fugitive when he succumbs to temptation.

**Crime and Punishment.** [Fyodor Dostoyevsky](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Fyodor+Dostoyevsky&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47535554.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=51449314.7132). An impoverished student, Raskolnikov, convinces himself that he is above the law and murders an elderly pawnbroker. But his subsequent guilt is overwhelming.

**The Red Badge of Courage.** [Stephen Crane](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Stephen+Crane&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64800845.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=160661.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=160660.7132). A country boy enthusiastically enlists with the Union army during the Civil War. Wanting to prove himself a hero, but experiencing shock and fear on the battle front, he finally revives his courage and self-respect in a crucial war advance.

**Frankenstein**. [Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Shelley%2C+Mary+Wollstonecraft&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64922299.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=364239187.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175427.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175426.7132). A science student, Victor Frankenstein, invents an artificial man using body parts from several corpses. The hideous creature cannot find companionship and becomes violent. Eventually he turns on his creator.

**Lord of the Rings**. [J. R. R. Tolkien](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=j.+R.+R.+Tolkien&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Lord+of+the+Rings*series_ss%3ALord%5C+of%5C+the%5C+Rings*Digital+Book*medium_ss%3ADigital%5C+Book&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=tolkien+spanish&i=_text_&s=-score), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Lord+of+the+Rings*series_ss%3ALord%5C+of%5C+the%5C+Rings*Large+Type*medium_ss%3ALarge%5C+Type&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Lord+of+the+Rings*series_ss%3ALord%5C+of%5C+the%5C+Rings*Braille*medium_ss%3ABraille&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0). Wildly popular fantasy series consisting of a prequel (The Hobbit) and a trilogy (the Fellowship of the Ring, The Two Towers, and, The Return of the King).

**The Outsiders**. [S. E. Hinton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Hinton%2C+S.+E.*author_ss%3AHinton%2C%5C+S.%5C+E.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47237239.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=30499236.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=40607738.7132). This young adult classic is set in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Ponyboy, age 14, tells how it looks and feels to be a Greaser from the wrong side of the tracks. He describes the guerilla raids into Greaser territory by their upper-middle-class enemy, the Socs, and the beating that led to a murder charge and two deaths.

**Slaughterhouse-five**. [Kurt Vonnegut](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kurt+Vonnegut&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=49248000.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=299798778.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=37044318.7132). Billy Pilgrim, adrift in time, randomly revisits past and present manifestations: senile widower stalked by an assassin, hopeful young newlywed, giraffe on the planet Tralfamadore--where time is an illusion--and, most crucially, American POW during the firebombing of Dresden in World War II.

**The Tragedy of King Lear**. [William Shakespeare](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+Shakespeare&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=120050333.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=131133.7132). This 17th century tragedy concerns a petulant monarch and his daughters Gonerill, Regan, and Cordelia. Amid much other, more political action, Lear is taken in by false avowals of love from Gonerill and Regan, and disinherits Cordelia because of her refusal to flatter him.

**The Iliad**. [Homer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Homer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=the+iliad%2C+homer&f=History+-+Ancient+World*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AHistory%5C+%5C-%5C+Ancient%5C+World*Classics*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AClassics&i=_text_&s=score), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Spanish*language_ss%3ASpanish&p=0&q=Homer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0), [Audio (Ancient Greek)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=558417376.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=132608.7132). Greek epic poem, 8th century B.C., and attributed to the Ionian poet Homer, relates the events of a few days of battle near the end of the Trojan War. Focuses on Achilles' withdrawal from the fight and its disastrous effects on the Greek campaign.

**Paradise Reclaimed**. [Halldor Laxness](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DHalldo%CC%81r%20Laxness&databaseList=638#/oclc/958935099). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=paradise+reclaimed&clusterResults=true#/oclc/958935099) An idealistic Icelandic farmer journeys to Mormon Utah and back in search of paradise in this captivating novel by Nobel Prize winner.

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[Classics - 20th Century](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Classics+-+20th+Century+-+CLA20*localsubject_ss%3AClassics%5C+%5C-%5C+20th%5C+Century%5C+%5C-%5C+CLA20)

[Classics - American](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Classics+-+American+-+CLAA*localsubject_ss%3AClassics%5C+%5C-%5C+American%5C+%5C-%5C+CLAA)

## Cooking and Baking

### BARD Magazines

Bon Appétit. Audio.

Cook’s Illustrated. Braille.

EatingWell. Braille.

Health and Nutrition. Audio.

Martha Stewart Living. Braille.

O, The Oprah Magazine. Audio, Braille.

Parents. Braille.

Southern Living. Audio.

Yankee: New England’s Magazine. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

All Recipes.

Better Homes and Gardens.

Bon Appetit.

Everyday with Rachael Ray.

Relish.

### On the RTB

Dinner Bell, Saturdays @ 5 AM.

In the Kitchen, Saturdays @ 7 AM.

Nutrition and Health, Fridays @ 3 PM and next Friday @ 3 AM.

Twin Cities, Saturdays @ 6 PM and Tuesdays @ 1 AM.

### Books

**Dried beans & grains.** [Time-Life Books](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Time+Life+Books&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=214798443.7132) An economical cookbook designed to teach the nutritious principles of preparing beans and grains.

**Charting a Course to Wellness.** [Graham Kerr](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Graham+Kerr&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48298154.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=178124.7132). Celebrity chef Graham Kerr and his wife, Treena, share their journey of life, love, and healthy eating since Treena's battle with heart disease, stroke, and diabetes. Includes more than four hundred recipes.

**Clueless in the kitchen: a cookbook for teens.** [Evelyn Raab](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Evelyn+Raab&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=135580.7132). Two hundred recipes based on the principle that cooking from scratch is cheaper, healthier, and tastier. Includes dishes for breakfast through dinner, desserts, snacks, and vegetarian specialties. Contains tips on stocking the pantry, shopping for fresh ingredients, food preparation and storage.

**Homemade: Finnish Rye, feed sack fashion, and other simple ingredients from my life in food.** [Beatrice Ojakangas](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Beatrice+Ojakangas&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/oclc/988029789) As she says, 'first you have to start with good ingredients and a good idea.' Full of recipes, anecdotes, and a kind humor that bring to vivid life the Finnish culture of northern Minnesota as well as international culinary traditions.

**When the Cook Can't Look: a cooking handbook for the blind and visually handicapped.** [Ralph Read](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ralph+Read&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157702009.7132) The author, who became blind in adulthood, offers practical, safe, and easy cooking methods for sightless people, including how to measure ingredients, light the stove, chop onions, and serve and eat gracefully.

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[Cooking, Minnesota](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=su:Cooking%20Minnesota%20)

[Diabetic Cookbooks](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Medicine+-+Diabetes+-+MEB*localsubject_ss%3AMedicine%5C+%5C-%5C+Diabetes%5C+%5C-%5C+MEB*Diet%2Fnutrition*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ADiet%5C%2Fnutrition&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0)

[Cooking & Housekeeping](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Cooking+%26+Housekeeping+-+CKH*localsubject_ss%3ACooking%5C+%5C%26%5C+Housekeeping%5C+%5C-%5C+CKH)

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## Drama and Theater

### Books

**An Actor Prepares; Building a Character; Creating a Role.** [Konstantin Stanislavsky](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=stanislavsky&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Digital+Book*medium_ss%3ADigital%5C+Book&p=0&q=stanislavsky&i=author_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Braille*medium_ss%3ABraille&p=0&q=stanislavsky&i=author_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0). A trilogy of books on acting using what has come to be known as the psychophysical method.

**A Dream of passion: the development of the method.** [Lee Strasberg](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lee+Strasberg&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=326669674.7132) Memoir of the noted drama teacher, tracing the creation of his famous "Method," the most influential actor-training technique ever developed. Early in his career, Strasberg embarked on a search for the sources of the actor's creativity and a means of consistently attaining emotional truth on stage. He transmitted his solution to a generation of actors at the Actor's Studio of New York.

**Improv Nation: How we made a great american art.** [Sam Wasson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sam+Wasson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=444292307.7132) Examines the history of improvisational comedy as a uniquely American form of entertainment. Includes interviews from early groundbreakers such as Elaine May and Mike Nichols, as well as the producers of SCTV and Saturday Night Live, among others.

**A Raisin in the Sun**. [Lorraine Hansberry](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lorraine+Hansberry&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=279349413.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=26889604.7132) A middle-class black family in Chicago, torn by tensions and discontent, suffer further when they receive a life insurance settlement. No one can agree on what should be done with the money.

**Flying funny: My Life without a Net.** [Dudley Riggs](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=dudley+Riggs&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=422422422.7132). Riggs shares many highs and lows while describing circus life and the evolution of America's popular entertainment during the twentieth century. From his early life in circus and vaudeville to his creation of the Brave New Workshop, we see how his show business experience and instincts helped him create in Minneapolis what became the "next wave" in American entertainment - improvisation.

**Making Masterpiece: Twenty-five Years behind the Scenes at Masterpiece and Mystery!**  [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=159263300.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157758929.7132). Executive producer of PBS's Masterpiece Theatre and Mystery! reminisces about productions she has been a part of; decisions she has made, including her efforts to attract younger viewers; and the development of the Masterpiece brand during her tenure.

**Showtime: a history of the Broadway musical theater.** [Larry Stempel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Larry+Stempel&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136047100.7132) Songwriter and music professor details the history of musical theater from the nineteenth to the early twenty-first centuries. Discusses historical influences on the art form, prominent composers and producers, and significant productions of shows.

**Acting is Everything: an actor's guidebook for a successful career in Los Angeles.** [Judy Kerr](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DKerr%2C%20Judy&databaseList=638#/oclc/945658262). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Acting+is+everything%3A+an+actor%27s+guide+for+a+successful+career+in+los+angeles&clusterResults=true#/oclc/945658262) Renowned acting coach Judy Kerr shares her lifetime of techniques and tricks of the trade. She opens the doors of Hollywood to acting hopefuls and professionals with a straightforward road map for building their dreams and careers.

**The Stage and the School.** [Katherine Anne Ommanney](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DOmmanney%2C%20Katharine%20Anne&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/28660852) and [Harry H Schanker](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DSchanker%2C%20Harry%20H&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=the+stAGE+%26+the+school%2C+ommanney&clusterResults=true#/oclc/28660852). Outlines the history of drama and aspects of dramatic interpretation and production.

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[Arts and Architecture - Stage](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Arts+%26+Architecture+-+Stage+-+ARTS*localsubject_ss%3AArts%5C+%5C%26%5C+Architecture%5C+%5C-%5C+Stage%5C+%5C-%5C+ARTS)

## Education

### Bard Magazines

Boy’s Life. Braille.

Humpty Dumpty Magazine. Audio.

Jack and Jill Magazine. Audio.

Parents. Braille.

Spider. Audio, Braille.

Stone Soup. Braille.

Muse. Audio, Braille.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Chronicle of Higher Education.

Future Reflections.

Highlights.

Stone Soup.

### Books

**Bullying and Students with Disabilities: Strategies and techniques to create a safe learning environment for all.** [Barry E. McNamara](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Barry+E.+McNamara&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=159264397.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157758491.7132) Professor of special education draws on research and case studies to provide an overview to understand and address bullying of students with disabilities. Discusses specific school-wide programs, offers intervention techniques for parents and staff, and lists resources for students.

**Will College Pay Off?: A guide to the most important financial decision you will ever make.** [Peter Cappelli](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Peter+Cappelli&i=author_txt_en&s=-score)**.** [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=224466407.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=224466109.7132) Human-resources and education-policy analyst examines the financial challenges of higher education in the twenty-first century. Cappelli offers decision-making criteria for determining the best solution for your situation, including major areas of study, financial aid, and school selection. Provides policy suggestions for future legislation.

**What the Best College Students Do.** [Ken Bain](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bain%2C+Ken.*author_ss%3ABain%2C%5C+Ken). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=130516405.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=134113041.7132) Author uses case studies to illustrate the different skills and attitudes that he believes are necessary to succeed in college and beyond. Posits deep learning is more important than achieving good grades. Discusses dealing with setbacks, making difficult choices, and following one's intellectual curiosity.

**A Guide to High School Success for Students with Disabilities.** [Cynthia Anne Bowman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Cynthia+Ann+Bowman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48719140.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=23127676.7132)  Essays and personal narratives provide guidance and encouragement to students with special needs on achieving a positive high school experience. Highlights self-advocacy, mainstreaming, dating, extracurricular activities, and life after graduation. For junior and senior high and older readers.

**I Used to Know That: stuff you forgot from school.** [Caroline Taggart](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Caroline+Taggart&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=55287604.7132). Handbook of facts, profiles of noted individuals, and more from a variety of subjects taught in school but potentially forgotten in adulthood. Includes instruction in English, literature, math, science, history, geography, and general studies.

**The Survival Guide for Kids with LD (learning disabilities).** [Gary L. Fisher](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Gary+L.+Fisher&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48553609.7132) Defines learning differences (LD), identifying seven kinds. Discusses school LD programs and answers some frequently asked questions. Provides tips on dealing with negative feelings and being teased about having LD, and makes suggestions for getting along better at school and at home. For grades 5-8.

**Slaying Goliath: the passionate resistance to privatization and the fight to save America's public schools**. [Diane Ravitch](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Diane+Ravitch&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=558181758.7132). Examination of the effects of privatizing the public school system in the United States. Discusses the differences between disruption and reform; student performance in schools that have been privatized; corporate interests in privatization; and the role of grassroots organizations in resisting privatization efforts.

**Steps to Independent Living.** [Nancy Lobb](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DLobb%2C%20Nancy&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [David Strauch](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DStrauch%2C%20David&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [J. Weston Walch (Firm).](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3D%22J.%20Weston%20Walch%20%28Firm%29.%22&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on) [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?sortKey=DATE_D&databaseList=638&queryString=Steps+to+independent+living&changedFacet=&overrideStickyFacetDefault=&stickyFacetsChecked=on&selectSortKey=DATE_D&clusterResults=on&scope=wz%3A71599&format=Book&subformat=Book%3A%3Abook_braille&year=all&yearFrom=&yearTo=&author=all&topic=all&database=all&language=all&materialtype=all) Gives specific material to show students how to take care of themselves and face the challenges of everyday living.

**What Every Middle School Teacher Should Know.** [Dave F Brown](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBrown%2C%20Dave%20F&databaseList=638#/oclc/1104496714), [Trudy Knowles](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DKnowles%2C%20Trudy&databaseList=638). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=&queryString=What+every+middle+school+teacher+should+know&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off&sortKey=DATE_D#/oclc/1104496714) Middle level researchers Dave Brown and Trudy Knowles have updated their bestselling classic What Every Middle School Teacher Should Know with more student voice as well as timely new research, strategies, and models that illuminate the philosophies and practices that best serve the needs of young adolescents.

### Links to Subject Headings from the Catalog

[Education - Schools & Activities](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Education+-+Schools+%26+activities+-+EDU*localsubject_ss%3AEducation%5C+%5C-%5C+Schools%5C+%5C%26%5C+activities%5C+%5C-%5C+EDU)

[Education - Special Education](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Education+-+Special+Education+-+EDUS*localsubject_ss%3AEducation%5C+%5C-%5C+Special%5C+Education%5C+%5C-%5C+EDUS)

## Fantasy

### BARD Magazines

Analog Science Fiction and Fact. Audio.

Asimov’s Science Fiction. Audio.

### On the RTB

CrossTime Café, Saturdays @ 1 AM.

RTB After Hours, Mondays through Fridays @ 11 PM.

### Books

**The Little Prince**. [Antoine de Saint-Exupery](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Antoine+de+Saint-Exupery&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=105452981.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=118403408.7132) [Audio (Greek),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=471791547.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=187376.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=187375.7132). The narrator's plane is forced down in the African desert, where he meets the little prince from Asteroid B-612, who freely shares his experiences with the fascinated pilot. For children and adults.

**A Wrinkle in Time.** [Madeleine L'Engle](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Madeleine+L%27Engle&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47501790.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=444272449.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=142438.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=142437.7132). When an atomic physicist disappears, his children begin a bizarre search. Led by three whimsical characters, Mrs. Whatsit, Mrs. Who, and Mrs. Which, they manage their interplanetary journey by "wrinkling" to span space and time.

**Song of Ice and Fire**. [George R. R. Martin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=George+r.+R.+Martin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Song+of+Ice+and+Fire*series_ss%3ASong%5C+of%5C+Ice%5C+and%5C+Fire*Digital+Book*medium_ss%3ADigital%5C+Book&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Spanish*language_ss%3ASpanish&p=0&q=George+r.+R.+Martin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Song+of+Ice+and+Fire*series_ss%3ASong%5C+of%5C+Ice%5C+and%5C+Fire*Braille*medium_ss%3ABraille&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0). Five novels on which the popular HBO television story were based. Game of Thrones, A Clash of Kings, A Storm of Swords, A Feast for Crows, A Dance with Dragons.

**Cloud Atlas.** [David Mitchell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=David+Mitchell&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=49209694.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=217090256.7132) Six interrelated novellas of different genres and centuries come together. In "The Pacific Journal of Adam Ewing," an 1850s American on a New Zealand island awaits a ship home. In "Half-Lives," 1970s California journalist Luisa Rey uncovers a corporate conspiracy.

**The Fifth Season.** [N. K. Jemisin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=N.+K.+Jemisin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=217085407.7132). This is the first book in the [Broken Earth](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Broken+Earth*series_ss%3ABroken%5C+Earth) series. Essun is a woman living in a world ruled by the violent tectonic activity it experiences. She comes home to find her husband has killed her son and kidnapped her daughter, all for the secret ability Essun and her children have to control the Earth.

**The Lathe of Heaven**. [Ursula K. Le Guin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ursula+K.+Le+Guin&f=&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47619867.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=138634.7132). A man who awakens to find his many dreams coming true turns to a doctor who begins to employ his dreams in solving problems of environment, population, and politics.

**Flowers for Algernon.** [Daniel Keyes](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Daniel+Keyes&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=156439398.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=133350.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=52163434.7132). The narrator, a mentally impaired man of thirty-two, receives an operation to increase his learning ability. But although his mentality develops at high speed, there is always the possibility of regression.

**Six Wakes**. [Mur Lafferty](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mur+Lafferty&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=340725821.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=365782411.7132). Though Maria has died and woken up in a cloning vat before, she has never before awoken streaked with drying blood and no memory of her death. Maria's cloning vat is one of a cluster of vats, each for another starship crew member--and Maria's death isn't the only recent one.

**The Graveyard Book.** [Neil Gaiman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Neil+Gaiman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=43763764.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=146801851.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=51449414.7132). A toddler enters a cemetery pursued by the knife-wielding stranger who just murdered his family. Resident ghosts Mr. and Mrs. Owens protect and adopt the child, naming him Nobody "Bod" Owens. Bod's graveyard upbringing serves him well, but why was his family targeted?

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[Fantasy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Fantasy+-+FAN*localsubject_ss%3AFantasy%5C+%5C-%5C+FAN)

[Fantasy Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Fantasy+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3AFantasy%5C+fiction)

[Fantasy - Bestseller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bestseller+-+Fantasy+-+BEFF*localsubject_ss%3ABestseller%5C+%5C-%5C+Fantasy%5C+%5C-%5C+BEFF)

## Gardening

### BARD Magazines

Horticulture: For Gardeners Everywhere. Audio.

Southern Living. Audio.

Yankee: New England’s Magazine. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Better Homes and Gardens.

Living the Country Life.

### On the RTB

At Home, Thursdays @ 1 AM.

Green and Growing, Mondays @ 10:20 AM.

### Books

**The Beginner's guide to starting a Garden: 326 fast, easy, affordable ways to transform your yard one project at a time**. [Sally Roth](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sally+Roth&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=349589244.7132) A nature writer gives advice on starting a garden from scratch in stages, focusing on keeping things affordable and time-efficient. She includes tips on plant choices and combining plant varieties.

**Plant, Cook, Eat: a children's cookbook.** [Joe Archer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Joe+Archer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=479521490.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=468904281.7132). A garden-to-kitchen cookbook that is part lesson in gardening and part collection of healthy, delicious, kid-friendly recipes.

**Rodale's Garden Answers: Vegetables, Fruits, and Herbs: at a glance solutions for every gardening problem.** [Bradley Fern Marshall](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bradley+fern&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47895240.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=155371.7132). An all-organic quick reference guide for gardeners. Concise information on getting started, regional/seasonal tips, and on the causes and symptoms of common problems for vegetables, fruits, and herbs.

**The New Low Maintenance Garden: how to have a beautiful, productive garden and the time to enjoy it**. [Valerie Easton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Valerie+Easton&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=105519415.7132) Garden columnist describes simplified gardens that are comfortable in size and scale, have minimal lawn, and require little dividing, pruning, spraying, staking, or topiary. Gives tips for working with nature, banishing weeds, editing plant selections, and incorporating containers, raised beds, and edible gardening.

**The able gardener: overcoming barriers of age & physical limitations.** [Kathleen Yeomans](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kathleen+Yeomans&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47389847.7132) Nurse and gardener Yeomans covers general aspects of gardening while emphasizing adaptive techniques such as using raised beds, back-saving tools, easy-care plants, designing with plants that are fragrant, textured, edible, or even audible. Included are exercises for gardeners and mail-order sources for plants, seeds, and supplies (including adaptive tools).

**Carrots Love Tomatoes: secrets of companion planting for successful gardening.** [Louise Riotte](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DRiotte%2C%20Louise&databaseList=638). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=ti%3ACarrots+love+tomatoes&clusterResults=true#/oclc/964701271). Classic companion gardening book.

**Living Fences: a gardener’s guide to hedges, vines & espaliers**. [Ogden Tanner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ogden+Tanner&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=143175.7132). Living fences can screen and camouflage and act as property-line boundaries or partitions. Discusses selected species for deciduous and evergreen hedges, annual and perennial vines, and fruit-bearing and ornamental espaliers. Provides tips on choosing, planting, training, and caring for living fences.

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[Gardening](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Gardening+-+GAR*localsubject_ss%3AGardening%5C+%5C-%5C+GAR)

[Gardening – Science - Agriculture](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Gardening+-+GAR*localsubject_ss%3AGardening%5C+%5C-%5C+GAR*Science+-+Agriculture*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Agriculture&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0)

[Science - Agriculture](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Science+-+Agriculture*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Agriculture&p=0&q=agriculture&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0)

## Gothics

### On the RTB

Night Journey, Mondays through Friday @ 7 PM.

RTB After Hours, Mondays through Fridays @ 11 PM.

### Books

**Frankenstein in Baghdad**. [Ahmed Saadawi](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ahmed+Saadawi&i=author_txt_en&s=-score).[Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=447370480.7132). In U.S.-occupied Baghdad, scavenger Hadi stitches together found human body parts as a message to the government that the dead need proper burial. After the corpse disappears, however, a string of murders occurs, and witnesses report a monster who cannot be killed. Translated from the original 2013 Arabic edition.

**The Tale of Halcyon Crane.** [Wendy Webb](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=wendy+webb&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=112705245.7132). Journalist Hallie James learns the mother she thought had died thirty years ago was, until recently, alive--and a famous photographer. Hallie travels to remote Grand Manitou Island on the Great Lakes to seek the truth but instead encounters hostile locals and ancestral ghosts in her childhood home. Minnesota Book Award winner for genre fiction.

**Grief Cottage**. [Gail Godwin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Gail+Godwin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=390234983.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=428045414.7132). Marcus relates the story of the summer he turned eleven and went to live with his great-aunt Charlotte after his mother's death in a car accident. Charlotte shows him the Grief Cottage, from which a boy disappeared during a hurricane fifty years before. Marcus tries to deal with his loss.

**The Turn of the Screw**. [Henry James](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=henry+James&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=120079510.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136574.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136573.7132) A somewhat neurotic new governess is convinced her two beautiful young pupils are subject to the evil influence of two ghosts, a former steward of the estate and a former governess. She pits her will against the ghosts and is determined to exorcise the demons from her young charges.

[Jane Eyre](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Classics*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AClassics*Books+into+TV+%26+Movies*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ABooks%5C+into%5C+TV%5C+%5C%26%5C+Movies&p=0&q=Jane+Eyre%2C+bronte&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0). [Charlotte Brontë](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=charlotte+bronte&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=63818063.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=168674.7132). Nineteenth-century English novel about a plain and intelligent woman who becomes the governess at an estate, is caught up in the mysteries of the manor, and falls in love with the master of the house.

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[Modern Gothics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Modern+gothics+-+GOTM*localsubject_ss%3AModern%5C+gothics%5C+%5C-%5C+GOTM)

[Gothic Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Gothic+Fiction+-+GOT*localsubject_ss%3AGothic%5C+Fiction%5C+%5C-%5C+GOT)

[Period Gothic](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Gothic+Fiction+-+GOT*localsubject_ss%3AGothic%5C+Fiction%5C+%5C-%5C+GOT)

## Health and Medicine

### BARD Magazines

Berkeley Wellness Letter. Audio.

Diabetes Forecast. Audio.

EatingWell. Braille.

Health and Nutrition. Audio.

Mayo Clinic Health Letter. Braille.

O, The Oprah Magazine. Audio. Braille.

The Week. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Medical Xpress.

Diabetes Forecast.

Diabetes Living.

Prevention.

Spry Living.

WebMD The Magazine.

### On the RTB

A Man’s View, Mondays @ 12 AM.

Apple a Day, Saturdays @ 3 PM and Fridays @ 4 AM.

BlindAlive Exercise Program, Mondays through Saturdays @ 10 AM.

For Addicts and Others, Saturdays @ 6 AM.

Nutrition and Health, Fridays @ 3 PM and the next Friday @ 3 AM.

Your Personal World, Saturdays @ 1 PM.

### Books

**Medicare and You 2020.** [Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services (U.S.).](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Centers+for+Medicare+%26+Medicaid+Services+%28U.S.%29.*author_ss%3ACenters%5C+for%5C+Medicare%5C+%5C%26%5C+Medicaid%5C+Services%5C+%5C%28U.S.%5C%29.) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=183989090.7132), [Large Print (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=185732224.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=285888930.7132), [Braille (Spanish).](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=481576775.7132)  Annual guide to official U.S. government Medicare coverage and options such as Medicare supplements, Medicare Advantage plans, and Medicare Part D plans.

**Maybe You Should Talk to Someone; a therapist, her therapist, and our lives revealed**. [Lori Gottlieb](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lori+Gottlieb&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=521437570.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545055586.7132) A psychotherapist and advice columnist gives a behind-the-scenes look at the therapeutic process. Shares details of her work at her Los Angeles practice and discusses the emotional crisis that led her to begin therapy herself.

**Macular Degeneration: A Patient's Guide to Treatment**. [David S. Boyer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=David+S.+Boyer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=121620822.7132) Retina specialists describe the risks, symptoms, diagnosis techniques, treatments, and emotional impact of macular degeneration. They explain the differences between the dry and wet versions of the disease, discuss hallucinations called Charles Bonnet syndrome, and assess available low-vision tools.

**Skeleton Keys: the secret life of bone**. [Brian Switek](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Brian+Switek&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=515946339.7132). Examination of the development, usage, and material culture of human bones. Discusses the anatomy of bones, evolutionary development, medical care, forensic analysis.

**The Hearing Loss Guide: useful information and advice for patients and families.** [John M. Burkey](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+M.+Burkey&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=399592504.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=224445461.7132).  Audiologist explains hearing loss and discusses current treatments, hearing aids, and other useful devices. The author provides suggestions for those dealing with someone with a hearing difficulty and offers coping advice from patients and their family members.

**That Good Night: life and medicine in the eleventh hour**. [Sunita Puri](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sunita+Puri&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=515977302.7132) Interweaving stories of her family and the patients she cares for, a doctor of palliative medicine provides a meditation on impermanence and the role of medicine in living and dying well. Includes advice on communicating with doctors about what matters most.

**Death of Cancer.** [Vincent T. DeVita](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Vincent+T.+DeVita&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=242450208.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=245376600.7132). Pioneering oncologist and his science writer daughter examine the science and history of one of the world's most formidable diseases. They explain what needs to be done to improve the fight against cancer.

**Master Your Diabetes: a comprehensive, integrative approach for both type 1 and type 2 diabetes.** [Mona Morstein](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mona+Morstein&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=529269132.7132). Naturopathic physician and diabetes expert draws from both conventional and integrative therapies in this compendium on diabetes management for patients, caregivers, and medical practitioners. Explains eight essentials of treatment and prevention.

**You are Enough.** [Jen Petro-Roy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jen+Petro-Roy&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531700187.7132) Discusses eating disorders and body image, provides tools and information for recovery, and suggests ways to deal with the media messages that contribute so much to disordered eating. Commercial audiobook. For grades 5-8 and older readers.

**Vigor Regained: a simple, proven home program for restoring fitness and vitality.** [Herbert A. DeVries](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Herbert+A.+DeVries&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154147.7132) Fully-tested exercise program for adults over 50. Progressive walking or jogging, modified calisthenics, and stretching are some exercises geared to make you feel younger.

**The Emotional Journey of the Alzheimer's Family.** [Robert B. Santulli](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Robert+B.+Santulli&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=220518660.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=210112991.7132) Immediate family members, friends, and neighbors of those with Alzheimer's undergo tremendous psychological and emotional change as they witness the disease progress. The process of adaptation and acceptance; and, providing insight on how to understand and cope with personal stress.

**The Web that has no Weaver: understanding Chinese medicine.** [Ted J. Kaptchuk](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DKaptchuk%2C%20Ted%20J&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/951984810). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=the+web+that+has+no+weaver&clusterResults=true#/oclc/951982348) The classic, comprehensive guide to the theory and practice of Chinese alternative medicine. This revised edition is the product of years of further reflection on ancient Chinese sources and active involvement in cutting-edge scientific research.

**Principles of Biomedical Ethics**. [Tom L Beauchamp](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBeauchamp%2C%20Tom%20L&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/1050358958), [James F Childress](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DChildress%2C%20James%20F&databaseList=638). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=ti%3Aprinciples+of+biomedical+ethics#/oclc/1050358958) Biomedical textbook evaluating many issues in biomedical ethics.

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[Medicine](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Medicine+-+MEDM*localsubject_ss%3AMedicine%5C+%5C-%5C+MEDM)

[Diabetes](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Medicine+%26+health+AND+Diabetes&f=)

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[Medicine - Layman's Guides](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Medicine+-+Layman%27s+Guides+-+MEG*localsubject_ss%3AMedicine%5C+%5C-%5C+Layman%27s%5C+Guides%5C+%5C-%5C+MEG)

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[Mental Health](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Medicine+%26+Health*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AMedicine%5C+%5C%26%5C+Health&p=0&q=mental+health&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

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## Historical Fiction

### Bard Magazines

American History. Audio.

True West. Audio.

### On the RTB

Bookworm, Mondays through Fridays @ 12 PM.

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### Books

**All the Light We Cannot See**. [Anthony Doerr](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Anthony+Doerr&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175298141.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=242443535.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=221295388.7132). When Paris is invaded by the Nazis, Marie-Laure LeBlanc's father evacuates her to St. Malo to stay with her great-uncle. Blind since the age of six, Marie-Laure must learn the town by the scale model her father has left. Then, the Germans arrive.

**Main Street.** [Sinclair Lewis](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=sinclair+lewis&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64147076.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=90012595.7132). An educated young woman with a taste for "highbrow" drama and a knack for town planning marries a doctor and begins a crusade against the narrow-mindedness of the natives of their midwestern community, Gopher Prairie.

**And I Darken**. [Kiersten White](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kiersten+White&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=256368935.7132). This is the first book in the [Conqueror’s Saga](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Conqueror%27s+Saga*series_ss%3AConqueror%27s%5C+Saga) series. When a female child is born to Vlad Dracula in Transylvania, in 1435, she is rejected by him and ignored by her mother. Lada Dragwlya, a vicious and brutal princess, is destined to rule and destroy her enemies.

**Alias Grace.** [Margaret Atwood](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=margaret+atwood&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=173088509.7132) A fictional portrait of Grace Marks, a sixteen-year-old Canadian domestic who was convicted in the murder of her employer and his mistress in 1843. In prison, Grace is hypnotized by a psychiatrist to help her recall the murders and reveal whether she is a monster or a victim.

**Number the Stars.** [Lois Lowry](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=lois+lowry&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=118201267.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=507456650.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=196605.7132) For ten-year-old Annemarie, life in occupied Copenhagen until the Nazi persecution of Danish Jews begins. Annemarie's family helps a Jewish friend by having her pose as Annemarie's dead sister. When a packet must be taken to the captain of a ship smuggling Jews to Sweden, Annemarie learns that being brave means not thinking about the dangers, just thinking about what you must do. For grades 3-6. Newbery Medal.

**Oscar & Lucinda.** [Peter Carey](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Peter+Carey&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=206913478.7132) Set in England and Australia in the 1860s. Tells the story of love, commerce, religion, and colonization in the Victorian age. The main characters are Oscar, an Oxford-educated Church of England minister; and Lucinda, an eccentric Australian who sinks her inheritance into a glass factory. Booker prize winner.

**Cloudsplitter**. [Russell Banks](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Russell+Banks&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=69573594.7132) Fictional account of John Brown's crusade against slavery culminating in his band's raid on the armory at Harper's Ferry, Virginia, in 1859. Presented as lengthy letters by Owen Brown, John's son, in response to a history professor's inquiry about the abolitionist forty years after Brown's execution.

**Speakers of the Dead.** [J. Aaron Sanders](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=J.+Aaron+Sanders&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=259511862.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=298425013.7132). In 1843, Walt Whitman's friend Lena Stowe is hanged for the murder of her husband, Abraham. Walt vows to exonerate her. When Walt's estranged boyfriend Henry returns to New York, they uncover a link between body snatching and Abraham's murder.

**In the Time of Butterflies**. [Julia Alvarez](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Julia+Alvarez&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=105450357.7132), [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=in+the+time+of+butterflies+by+julia#/oclc/946172777) Set in the Dominican Republic under the regime of dictator Rafael Trujillo. Three of the four Mirabal sisters were murdered for their part in the struggle for freedom. Alvarez depicts the everyday lives of the women, martyred for their courage and beliefs.

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## History – U.S.

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### Books

**1919: The Year that Changed America**. [Martin W. Sandler](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Martin+W.+Sandler&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519269800.7132) Explores the major movements of 1919 that changed the country just as World War I came to an end: women's suffrage, the Red Summer and the Red Scare, and Prohibition. 2019 National Book Award.

**The Last Gunfight: the real story of the shootout at the O.K. Corral and how it changed the American West.** [Jeff Guinn](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jeff+Guinn&i=author_txt_en&s=-score).[Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=426548708.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=147518653.7132). On October 26, 1881, in Tombstone, Arizona, eight men had a shootout at the O.K. Corral that shaped how we view the old West and making legends of Earp, Holliday, and the Clantons.

**Spearhead: an American tank gunner, his enemy, and a collision of lives in world war II**. [Adam Makos](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Adam+Makos&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=515998925.7132) Recounts the harrowing experiences of Clarence Smoyer, an American tank gunner during World War II. Discusses the development of increasingly powerful tanks and Smoyer's role in spearheading attacks, including the fight for Cologne, Germany's "Fortress City.”

**The Only Plane in the Sky: an oral history of 9/11.** [Garrett M. Graff](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Garrett+M.+Graff&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545050623.7132). An account of the 9/11 al-Qaeda terrorist attack on America through the voices of those experiencing it.

**The Library Book.** [Susan Orlean](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Susan+Orlean&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=499561308.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519911536.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519152970.7132) Re-opens the unsolved mystery of the most catastrophic library fire in US history. On April 29, 1986, fire broke out at the Los Angeles Public Library and damaged more than a million books. Examines the evolution of public libraries while celebrating their value in society.

**Minnesota, 1918: when flu, fire, and war ravaged the state.** [Curt Brown](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Curt+Brown&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=472195727.7132)  In 1918, Minnesota and its residents were confronted with a series of devastating events. Explores this year through individual and community stories from all over the state, centers faced with the spread of a deadly and highly contagious disease, to soldiers returning home.

**When All Hell Broke Loose: the story of how young Minnesota People coped with the November 11, 1940 Armistice Day storm, the worst blizzard to ever hit Minnesota**. [William Hull](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+Hull&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=143895.7132) November 11, 1940, Minnesotans were subjected to a storm which dumped more snow in a 24-hour period that any other time this century, claiming 59 lives. Here are the anecdotes by some of those who survived the storm.

**Lincoln's Spies: their secret war to save a nation**. [Douglas C. Waller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=lincoln%27s+spies%2C+waller). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=553108039.7132) An account of the secret battles waged by four secret agents for the North during the US Civil War. Profiles detective Allan Pinkerton, lawyer George Sharpe, Virginia heiress Elizabeth Van Lew, and Union officer Lafayette Baker.

**The First Conspiracy: the secret plot against George Washington.** [Brad Meltzer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Brad+Meltzer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=509394356.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519745758.7132). An account of a treasonous plan by George Washington's bodyguards, working together with New York City mayor David Mathews and New York governor William Tryon, to kill Washington in the months leading up to the Revolutionary War.

**Accessible America: a history of disability and design.** [Bess Williamson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bess+Williamson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=514410198.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=514406615.7132). A history of design in the U. S. that provides increased accessibility for those with physical, sensory, and cognitive disabilities. Also, the people and events that led to the Architectural Barriers Act and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

**The Burglary: the discovery of J. Edgar Hoovers secret FBI**. [Betty Medsgar](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DMedsger%2C%20Betty&databaseList=638#/oclc/949935130). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=The+burglary+by+betty+medsger#/oclc/949935130) An account of the 1971 break-in of the FBI offices in Media, Pennsylvania, by a group of unlikely activists cites their roles in triggering major changes in the FBI and confirming that J. Edgar Hoover had run a personal shadow-FBI.

**A Disability History of the United States**. [Kim E. Neilsen](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DNielsen%2C%20Kim%20E&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/1050469937). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=%22a+disability+history+of+the+united+states%22#/oclc/939610854) Covers the entirety of U.S. disability history, from pre-1492 to the present. Disability is not just the story of someone we love or the story of whom we may become; rather it is undoubtedly the story of our nation.

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[War - Vietnam War (nonfiction)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=War+-+Vietnam+War+%28Nonfiction%29+-+WVWN*localsubject_ss%3AWar%5C+%5C-%5C+Vietnam%5C+War%5C+%5C%28Nonfiction%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+WVWN)

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### Books

**History of the Peloponnesian War**. [Thucydides](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=thucydides&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47422772.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=149341.7132) Written in the fifth century B.C. by an Athenian commander, this is a history of the twenty-seven-year conflict between Athens, a democratic state and sea power, and the states of the Peloponnese headed by Sparta, a conservative power with an efficient military force.

**Tree Shaker: the story of Nelson Mandela**. [Bill Keller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bill+Keller&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=40048194.7132) Biography of Nelson Mandela, the idealistic leader who transformed politics in South Africa after he was elected president in 1994. Discusses Mandela's confrontations with apartheid as well as his strategy of nonviolence, twenty-seven years in prison, and historic presidency. For grades 6-9.

**Blue Latitudes: boldly going where Captain Cook has gone before**. [Tony Horwitz](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Tony+Horwitz&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47759743.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=103272765.7132). Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist, accompanied by his carousing Australian friend Roger Williamson, visits Pacific sites that Cook opened to western exploration two centuries ago. Interweaves accounts of Cook's exploits taken from his journals with Horwitz's own observations of modern-day Tahiti, Bora-Bora, New Zealand, Australia, Tonga, Alaska, and Hawaii.

**The Catalogue of Shipwrecked Books: Christopher Columbus, his son, and the quest to build the world's greatest library**. [Edward Wilson-Lee](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Edward+Wilson-Lee&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=524828269.7132) An account of the work of Hernando Colón, Christopher Columbus's illegitimate son, who traveled with Columbus on his final voyage to the New World. After his father's death, Colón worked to build a library of everything ever printed, including ephemera such as newsletters, erotica, and more.

**The Patient Assassin: a true tale of massacre, revenge, and India's quest for independence**. [Anita Anand](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Anita+Anand&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545011092.7132). An account of an orphan survivor from a 1919 British massacre in colonial India and his twenty-year quest for revenge on those responsible. Traces his journey through Africa, the United States, and Europe.

**Voices from Chernobyl: the oral history of a nuclear disaster.** [Svetlana Aleksievich](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Svetlana+Aleksievich&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=242453713.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=270661493.7132). On April 26, 1986, a reactor at the Chernobyl Nuclear Power Station exploded. Journalist Svetlana Alexievich, winner of the Nobel Prize in Literature, spoke with hundreds of people affected by the meltdown and presents their shocking narratives here.

**Age of Anger: a history of the present**. [Pankaj Mishra](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Pankaj+Mishra&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=383557579.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=447361842.7132) Explores the origins of the great waves of paranoid hatred that persist throughout the world in the early twenty-first century. Also discusses historical periods in which similar trends occurred.

**The Vikings: a history**. [Robert Ferguson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Robert+Ferguson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=501982904.7132) Compares the Vikings of history to their portrayal in Hollywood and popular culture. Discusses the excessive violence of Viking raids, describes Viking battles and conquests, and details the more peaceful parts of Viking life. Particularly examines the confrontation and ultimate consumption of Viking heathenism by Christianity.

**The Real History of the End of the World.** [Sharan Newman.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DNewman%2C%20Sharan&databaseList=638) [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=The+real+history+of+the+end+of+the+world%2C+newman&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off#/oclc/951688277) Ever since people realized that things have a beginning and an end, they have wondered if the world was fated to end. Explore the various theories of world destruction from ancient times to present day-- theories that reveal as much about human nature as they do about the predominant historical scientific, and religious beliefs of the times.

**The Earth and its Peoples: a global history**. [Richard W. Bulliet](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBulliet%2C%20Richard%20W&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/1106028437), [Barbara Brun-Ozuna](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBrun-Ozuna%2C%20Barbara&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Cengage Learning (Firm)](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3D%22Cengage%20Learning%20%28Firm%29%22&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=the+earth+and+its+peoples+by+bulliet#/oclc/1106028437) World history from 500 BCE to our recent past. High school textbook.

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[History- Modern World - Exploration](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=History+-+Modern+World+-+Exploration+-+EXP*localsubject_ss%3AHistory%5C+%5C-%5C+Modern%5C+World%5C+%5C-%5C+Exploration%5C+%5C-%5C+EXP)

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[History - Africa](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=History+-+Africa+-+HWF*localsubject_ss%3AHistory%5C+%5C-%5C+Africa%5C+%5C-%5C+HWF)

[History - Asia](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=History+-+Asia+-+HWA*localsubject_ss%3AHistory%5C+%5C-%5C+Asia%5C+%5C-%5C+HWA)

## Hobbies and Crafts

### Bard Magazines

Boy’s Life. Braille.

Contemporary Soundtrack. Audio.

France-Amérique. Audio.

Horticulture: For Gardeners Everywhere. Audio.

Humpty Dumpty Magazine. Audio.

Martha Stewart Living. Braille.

Muse. Audio, Braille.

Musical Mainstream. Braille.

Outdoor Life.

PC World. Braille.

Piano Technicians Journal. Audio.

Poetry. Braille.

QST. Audio.

Quarterly Music Magazine. Audio.

The Writer. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Car and Driver.

### On the RTB

Art Fare, Sundays @ 3 PM.

At Home, Thursdays @ 1 AM.

Design Today, Thursdays @ 7 AM.

Green and Growing, Mondays @ 10:20 AM.

Heading Outdoors, Thursdays @ 12 AM.

### Books

**Crafts for Kids Who are Learning About Dinosaurs**. [Kathy Ross](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kathy+Ross&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=42749542.7132) Twenty-two dinosaur-themed projects such as a fossil necklace, a dinosaur puppet, or a hungry Brachiosaurus that use readily available household materials like gift bows, bath scrubbies, paper plates, egg cartons, wooden ice-cream spoons, and aluminum foil. For grades 2-4.

**Stich 'n Bitch: the knitters handbook**. [Debbie Stoller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Debbie+Stoller&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48199190.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=25829932.7132). Cofounder of trendy New York City knitting circle gives a brief history of this needle craft. Presents the basics: how to cast on, bind off, and knit. Explains advanced stitching and repair techniques and provides details for over thirty projects, including Pippi Kneestockings, Sparkle Hat, and Under the Hoodie.

**Knitgrrl: learn to knit with fifteen fun and funky projects.** [Shannon Okey](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Shannon+Okey&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48949867.7132) A beginner's complete knitting guide in straightforward language. Covers choosing yarns and needles and lessons on the basics: casting on, changing yarns, catching mistakes, and finishing techniques. Quick projects include wristlets, scarves, roll-brim hats, leg warmers, a messenger bag, and a headband. For grades 5-8 and older readers.

**All About Ham Radio**. [Harry L. Helms](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Harry+L.+Helms&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=191480.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=191480.7132) After dispelling the mythical deterrents such as equipment costs, complex tests, and operating difficulty, Helms discusses the pleasures, the new lingo, the regulations, and the technology involved in speaking with other ham operators around the world.

**A Splintered History of Wood: belt sander races, blind woodworkers, and baseball bats**. [Spike Carlsen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Spike+Carlsen&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=103716123.7132) The author, a carpenter, celebrates the importance of wood as the basic building block of daily life. Collects facts and anecdotes on varieties of wood and fine woodworkers, including blind craftsmen. Describes using wood for musical instruments, sports, shelter, furniture, weapons, transportation, and occasional oddities--like an amphibious wooden Ferrari.

**How Reading Changed My Life**. [Anna Quindlen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=anna+Quindlen). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=63857186.7132). A noted writer and avid bookworm contemplates the history, value, and pleasure of reading. Discusses the development of reading, changes in attitudes and habits regarding the practice, and the impact of innovations in information technology. Includes reading lists.

**Your Life is a Book: how to craft and publish your memoir**. [Brenda Peterson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Brenda+Peterson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=224454433.7132). Writing instructor Peterson presents guidelines and best practices for writing and publishing memoirs. Defines different types of memoirs and writing styles, provides writing exercises, and details the many paths to publishing.

**Keep Chickens! tending small flocks in cities, suburbs, and other small spaces.** [Barbara Kilarski](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Barbara+Kilarski&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47990952.7132) A collection of frequently asked questions for city slickers who want to raise poultry. Coop construction, hen selection and care, egg laying and gathering (one doesn't need a rooster to get eggs), and chicken health are among the tips for the urban breeder.

**The Complete Book of Freshwater Fishing.** [Ken Schultz](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ken+Schultz&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47317095.7132) Offers information on the many species, techniques, and variables a person must be acquainted with for freshwater fishing, and discuss equipment, strategies, and seasons. Species covered include largemouth and smallmouth bass, walleye, pike, catfish, rough fish, shad, and others.

**Knitting & Crochet for the Physically Handicapped and Elderly**. [Shelagh Hollingworth](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Shelagh+Hollingworth&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=246089308.7132) Shows how those with limited dexterity can take up knitting and crochet for their own enjoyment. Includes thirty-three knitting patterns and eighteen crochet patterns offering a variety of hats, scarves, gloves, socks, underwear, and jackets, which are easy to put on and take off.

**Making Scrapbooks: complete guide to preserving your treasured memories.** [Vanessa-Ann](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Vanessa-Ann&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=195527943.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175727.7132). Presents more than seventy ideas for creating a personal scrapbook. Offers suggestions for various themes around which to create a book and ideas for making covers and bindings. Describes techniques and necessary tools.

**Handcrafted Soap.** [Delores Boone](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Delores+Boone&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47800477.7132) Describes the hot-process method of using an indirect heat source such as a slow cooker, an oven, or a double boiler to make luxurious soap at home. Includes instructions for twenty-eight recipes that can be personalized by adding oils, fragrances, and colors.

**Nature's Art Box: from t-shirts to twig baskets, sixty-five cool projects for crafty kids to make with natural materials you can find anywhere**. [Laura C. Martin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Laura+C.+Martin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48622223.7132) Grouped by the materials for making them: vines, twigs, cones, and moss; gourds, pods, husks, and seeds; clay, stones, sand, and shells; flowers and leaves. Includes collecting tips and instructions for making dyes, potato stamps, paste, glue, and clay. For grades 4-7 and older readers.

**All About Drones.** [Tracy Abell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Tracy+Abell&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=479503571.7132) Explores the fascinating world of drones, including where a drone can be used, the pros and cons of using drones, and how they work. Grades 3-6.

**Knit Along with Debbie Macomber: a charity guide for knitters.** [Debbie Macomber](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Debbie+Macomber&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=&queryString=knit+along+with+debbie+macomber&clusterResults=true#/oclc/963971317) Macomber provides fourteen meaningful ways your hobby can bring comfort and dignity to individuals in need.

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[Hobby & Craft](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Hobby+%26+craft+-+HOB*localsubject_ss%3AHobby%5C+%5C%26%5C+craft%5C+%5C-%5C+HOB)

[Sewing, Knitting and Needlecraft](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Sewing%2C+Knitting+and+Needlecraft+-+KNW*localsubject_ss%3ASewing%2C%5C+Knitting%5C+and%5C+Needlecraft%5C+%5C-%5C+KNW)

[Hobbies](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=hobbies&f=&i=_text_&s=score)

[Music & Dance](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Hobby+%26+craft+-+HOB+-+Music+%26+Dance&i=_text_&s=-score)

[Music](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=music&i=_text_&s=-score)

## Humor

### Bard Magazines

Humpty Dumpty Magazine. Audio.

Muse. Audio, Braille.

Reader’s Digest. Audio.

The New Yorker. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

The Onion.

### On the RTB

Start with a Smile, Fridays @ 5 AM.

Sunday Comics, Sundays @ 12:30 PM.

### Books

**Puns, Gags, Quips, and Riddles: a collection of dreadful jokes**. [Doty Roy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Doty+Roy&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=289715029.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=177588.7132). Fifty pages of jokes so corny that even the author admits they are dreadful. For grades 4-7.

**Price of the Haircut.** [Clarke Brock](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Clarke+Brock&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=442861439.7132)  A collection of short stories, based in a world where the usual principles of human behavior don't apply.

**Hits and Misses: Stories**. [Rich Simon](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Rich+Simon&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=485762477.7132) A collection of short stories that draw from the comedy writer's Hollywood experiences and explore the absurdity of fame. In one story, Paul Revere's horse gives a bitter tell-all. In another, a magazine profiles a World War II dictator.

**Priestdaddy**. [Patricia Lockwood](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Patricia+Lockwood&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=376059917.7132). Reflects on growing up with a father who became a Catholic priest after already having married and started a family. Discusses the contrasts of her parents' everyday and spiritual lives and her own conflicted relationship with the Church.

**Born a Crime: Stories from a South African Childhood.** [Trevor Noah](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Trevor+Noah&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=328344386.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=567364911.7132). Coming-of-age story as the child of a white father and black mother in South Africa. Their very union was considered a crime, and when the author was born during apartheid, his biracial status made him an outcast.

**Dear Committee Members.** [Julie Schumacher](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Julie+Schumacher&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=183435755.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=243683631.7132). Professor overwhelmed by the number of letters of recommendation he is asked to write for both students and colleagues, he puts his caustic creative writing skills to use to share his tales of woe.

**I was Told There'd Be Cake: essays.** [Sloane Crosley](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sloane+Crosley). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=234731064.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=41196159.7132). Topics include her quest for a one-night stand, her horror over being a bridesmaid, and locking herself out of both her new and old New York City apartments on moving day.

**Calypso**. [David Sedaris](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=David+Sedaris&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=471880886.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=530757618.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=474184992.7132). Uses humor to cover topics ranging from prosaic to whimsical to tragic. In "Now We are Five" Sedaris tackles the topic of his sister's suicide.

**I Shouldn't Even Be Doing This!: and other things that strike me as funny.** [Bob Newhart](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Bob+Newhart&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=49075813.7132) Newhart discusses growing up in Chicago, being drafted into the army in 1952, his first real job as an accountant, his marriage of forty-three years, and life on the road.

**Here's Hank**. [Henry Winkler](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Henry+Winkler&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=here%27s+hank&i=_text_&s=-score). A series of twelve humorous books written specifically to aid the transitional reader. Grades 1-3.

**The Signet Book of American Humor.** [Regina Barreca](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBarreca%2C%20Regina&databaseList=638#/oclc/954144145). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=kw%3A%28the+signet+book+of+american+humor%29+AND+au%3A%28Barreca%29&databaseList=638&origPageViewName=pages%2Fadvanced-search-page&clusterResults=true&scope=wz%3A71599#/oclc/954144145) Reflecting the wide range of cultural influences in America, from Yiddish inflections to African-American cadences, this compendium of the nation's humor includes contributions from many American writers.

**The Day the Cow Sneezed.** [James Flora.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DFlora%2C%20James&databaseList=638) [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=the+day+the+cow+sneezed&clusterResults=true#/oclc/28615157) A cow sneezes and sets off a series of ridiculous events.

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[Light Humor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Light+humor+-+HUML*localsubject_ss%3ALight%5C+humor%5C+%5C-%5C+HUML)

[Humor - Satire & Black Humor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Humor+-+Satire+%26+Black+Humor+-+SAT*localsubject_ss%3AHumor%5C+%5C-%5C+Satire%5C+%5C%26%5C+Black%5C+Humor%5C+%5C-%5C+SAT)

[Humorous Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Humorous+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3AHumorous%5C+fiction)

[Jokes, Riddles, & Rhymes](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Jokes%2C+Riddles+%26+Rhymes+-+JRR*localsubject_ss%3AJokes%2C%5C+Riddles%5C+%5C%26%5C+Rhymes%5C+%5C-%5C+JRR)

## Literature

### Bard Magazines

New York Times Book Review. Audio, Braille.

Poetry. Braille.

Spider. Audio, Braille.

Stone Soup. Braille.

The New Yorker. Audio.

### On the RTB

Poetic Reflections, Sundays @ 12 PM.

For the Younger Set, Sundays @ 11 AM.

### Books

**Frederick Douglass: prophet of freedom.** [David W. Blight](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=David+W.+Blight&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=516006572.7132) An account of the life and work of Frederick Douglass, who escaped a life of slavery in Baltimore, Maryland, in the nineteenth century. Describes his work as a writer, his many speeches, his political activism, and his work as an abolitionist. Los Angeles Book Award for Biography, Gilder Lehrman Lincoln Prize. Pulitzer Prize for History.

**Baron Wenckheim's Homecoming**.[László Krasznahorkai](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=krasznahorkai&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=553143055.7132) Baron Béla Wenckheim returns to his hometown in Hungary after running up debts in Argentinian casinos. In the woods outside of town, a philosophical professor lives in a bizarre shack and ponders the nature of existence.

**The Overstory**. [Richard Powers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Richard+Powers&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=479514827.7132) A group of nine strangers are tied together by their shared desire to protect one of the last virgin forests in America. They include a wounded Vietnam vet, a student who dies and is revived, and a scientist who learns that trees can communicate.

**The Raven and other poems**. [Edgar Allan Poe](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Edgar+allan+Poe&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=55285710.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=94812211.7132) A selection of eerie and mysterious poems written by American writer Edgar Allan Poe (1809-1849). Includes "The Raven," which made him famous in 1845, and the haunting lilt of "Annabel Lee." Introduction by Philip Pullman. For grades 6-9.

**About Us: essays from the disability series of the New York Times.** [Peter Catapano](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Peter+Catapano&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=541286905.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545008432.7132) Sixty-one essays originally published as part of the New York Times Disability column. The essays are organized into the topics of justice, belonging, working, navigating, coping, love, family, and joy. Essayists have physical, motor, sensory, and cognitive differences.

**My Heart is Not Blind: on blindness and perception.** [Michael Nye](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=michael+nye&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=524853120.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=533903144.7132). Profiles of forty-five people who are blind or have low vision, including Larry Johnson, a longtime DJ in Mexico, and Michael Hingson, a 9/11 survivor who wrote about his lifesaving guide dog in Thunder Dog (DB073300). Natalie Watkins, who has retinitis pigmentosa, is profiled twice, six years apart.

**Polio: an American story**. [David M. Oshinsky](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=David+Oshinsky&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48478271.7132) Account of the twentieth-century search for a polio vaccine and the rivalries that developed between competing medical researchers, notably Jonas Salk, Albert Sabin, and Hilary Koprowski. Traces the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis campaigns and the public health experiment involving Salk's vaccine. Evokes the widespread panic over the disease.

**Prairie Fires: the American Dreams of Laura Ingalls Wilder**. [Caroline Fraser](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Caroline+Fraser&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=471907710.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=548132272.7132) Draws on unpublished manuscripts, letters, diaries, and more to detail the life of the Ingalls family and contextualize it with concurrent historical events. Pulitzer Prize for Biography, National Book Critics Award for Biography.

**Holt Elements of Literature: Sixth course.** [G Kylene Beers](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBeers%2C%20G%20Kylene&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=false&clusterResults=on), [Lee Odell](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DOdell%2C%20Lee&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=false&clusterResults=on), [Holt, Rinehart, and Winston, Inc.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3D%22Holt%2C%20Rinehart%2C%20and%20Winston%2C%20Inc.%22&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=false&clusterResults=on) [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Holt+elements+of+literature+%3A+Sixth+course%2C+beers&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off#/oclc/955379501)  Literature textbook for the twelfth grade. Covers literature from Anglo-Saxons to the literary present.

**Hamlet and Related Readings**. [William Shakespeare](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=william+shakespeare). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=hamlet+and+related+readings&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off#/oclc/43686944) Presents the play: The Tragedy of Hamlet, Prince of Denmark and provides literary criticism by famous critics.

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[Literature - Essays, Letters, Speeches](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Literature+-+Essays%2C+letters%2C+speeches+-+ELS*localsubject_ss%3ALiterature%5C+%5C-%5C+Essays%2C%5C+letters%2C%5C+speeches%5C+%5C-%5C+ELS)

[Literature - Analysis & Criticism](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Literature+-+Analysis+%26+Criticism+-+LIX*localsubject_ss%3ALiterature%5C+%5C-%5C+Analysis%5C+%5C%26%5C+Criticism%5C+%5C-%5C+LIX)

## Minnesota Interest

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Duluth News Tribune.

Minneapolis Star Tribune.

Rochester Post- Bulletin.

Saint Cloud Times.

Saint Paul Pioneer Press.

### On the RTB

Business News, Friday @ 7 AM.

Dinner Bell, Saturdays @ 5 AM.

Feminine Viewpoint, Saturdays @ 12 AM and Wednesdays @ 2 AM.

LGBTQ+ News, Sundays @ 12 AM.

Mother Earth, Wednesdays @ 5 AM.

Newspapers in the Morning, everyday @ 8 AM.

People In the News, Wednesdays @ 1 AM.

10,000 Tales, Sundays @ 7 AM.

The Great North, Sundays @ 4 PM.

Twin Cities, Saturdays @ 6 PM and Tuesdays @ 1AM.

### Books

**Minnesota Conservation Volunteer magazine**. [Minnesota Department of Natural Resources](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=au%3A%28Minnesota+department+of+natural+resources%29&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1017739938). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=minnesota+conservation+volunteer#/oclc/1035420461). Your guide to wild Minnesota. This flagship publication of the Department of Natural Resources delivers in-depth, in-the-field coverage of the state's outdoor news and conservation issues.

**The Making of a Miracle: the untold story of the captain of the 1980 gold medal-winning U.S. Olympic hockey team**. [Mike Eruzione](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=eruzione&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=562510383.7132) Memoir of the captain of the 1980 US Olympic hockey team. In addition to sharing his personal history in and out of the sport of hockey, he recounts the historic upset over the favored Soviet team that became known as the “Miracle on Ice.”

**Love thy Neighbor: a Muslim doctor's struggle for home in Rural America.** [Ayaz Virji](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ayaz+Virji). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531706677.7132) Doctor recounts moving to Minnesota in 2013 to respond to a dearth of health-care providers. Discusses the racism and Islamophobia he and his family endured after the 2016 presidential election and the invitation he received from a local pastor to speak about his experiences.

**The Song Poet: a memoir of my father**. [Kao Kalia Yang](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kao+Kalia+Yang). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=434318296.7132) The Hmong tradition is that the stories of the culture are kept alive by song poet. Author Kao Kalia Yang's father, Bee Yang, was one of these. Bee's song started when he was orphaned and went from one neighbor to the next, collecting the things they said to each other. His song started in Laos, moved through the jungle and a Thai refugee camp, and ended in a St. Paul housing project.

**Kitchens of the Great Midwest: a novel.** [J. Ryan Stradal](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=j.+Ryan+Stradal&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=220558833.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=451568949.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=224475048.7132). Chef Eva Thorvald came by her love of food as the daughter of a chef and a sommelier. Her mother left and her father died, but cooking sustained her through an awkward childhood. She went on to become one of the hottest chefs in America.

**Escape Clause**. [John Sandford](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+Sandford&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=281563064.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=381954666.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=318952998.7132) This is the ninth book in the [Virgil Flowers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=1&q=virgil+flowers&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&f=&mc=0) series. When two rare Amur tigers vanish from the Minnesota zoo, authorities fear that they've been stolen for their body parts. Traditional Chinese medicine prizes those parts for home remedies, and people will do extreme things to get what they need--as Virgil Flowers is about to find out.

**The I-35 Bridge Collapse: a survivor's account of America's crumbling infrastructure**. [Kimberly J. Brown](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kimberly+J.+Brown&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=513429258.7132) On her way to a soccer game with a fellow teammate, Kimberly J. Brown experienced the collapse firsthand, falling 114 feet in her teammate’s car to the Mississippi River. Although terrified, injured, and in shock, she survived. A sobering memoir and exposé.

**Gunflint Burning: fire in the boundary waters**. [Cary J. Griffith](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Griffith%2C+Cary+J.*author_ss%3AGriffith%2C%5C+Cary%5C+J.). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=469257482.7132) A comprehensive account of the dramatic events around the Ham Lake fire. Cary J. Griffith describes what happened in the minutes, hours, and days after the strike of a fateful match--from the first hint of danger to the incredible efforts of firefighters and residents battling a blaze that lit up the Gunflint Trail.

**Locally laid: how we built a plucky, industry-changed egg farm - from scratch.** [Lucie B. Amundsen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=lucie+B.+Amundsen&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=256320861.7132) When Lucie Amundsen had a rare night out with her husband, she never imagined what he'd tell her over dinner - that his dream was to quit his office job (with benefits!) and start a commercial-scale pasture-raised egg farm. His entire agricultural experience consisted of raising five backyard hens, none of whom had yet laid a single egg. But with a heavy dose of humor, they learn to negotiate the highly stressed no-man's-land known as Middle Agriculture.

**Saint Croix notes**. [Noah Adams](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Noah+Adams&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=339472342.7132). Adams, an anchor of NPR's "All Things Considered," spent a year in Minnesota, hiking along the Saint Croix River, observing the weather, investigating nature, reflecting on life, recalling conversations with family and friends, and reminding us how the past lives on in our memories.

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[Minnesota Author](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Minnesota+Author+%28Nonfiction%29+-+MNAN*localsubject_ss%3AMinnesota%5C+Author%5C+%5C%28Nonfiction%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+MNAN)

[Minnesota - History](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Minnesota+-+History+-+MNHIS*localsubject_ss%3AMinnesota%5C+%5C-%5C+History%5C+%5C-%5C+MNHIS)

[Minnesota Interest (fiction)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Minnesota+Interest+%28Fiction%29+-+MNFI*localsubject_ss%3AMinnesota%5C+Interest%5C+%5C%28Fiction%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+MNFI)

[Midwest Interest - Non-fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Midwest+Interest+%28Nonfiction%29+-+MIN*localsubject_ss%3AMidwest%5C+Interest%5C+%5C%28Nonfiction%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+MIN)

[Minnesota Mystery](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Minnesota+-+Mystery+-+MNMYS*localsubject_ss%3AMinnesota%5C+%5C-%5C+Mystery%5C+%5C-%5C+MNMYS)

## Mystery and Detective

### Bard Magazines

Ellery Queen. Audio.

### On the RTB

Good Night Owl, Mondays through Fridays @ 10 PM.

Night Journey, Mondays through Fridays @ 7 PM.

Nothing But The Truth, Saturdays @ 10 PM.

RTB After Hours, Mondays through Fridays @ 11 PM.

### Books

**Fake Like Me**. [Barbara Bourland](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Barbara+Bourland&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531703778.7132) Homeless and desperate after a work-destroying fire, a young painter begs her way into a retreat notorious for the lake where brilliant prodigy Carey Logan drowned herself. Taking up residence in Carey's studio, she begins to uncover strange secrets and falls hard for Carey's mysterious boyfriend.

**The River**. [Peter Heller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Peter+Heller&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=514364395.7132) While canoeing the northern Canadian Maskwa River, two friends learn about a nearby wildfire. Hearing a man and woman arguing on the riverbank, they stop to warn them, but find no one. The next day a man appears on the river, paddling alone. Where is the woman?

**The Golden Tresses of the Dead.** [#10 Flavia de Luce Mystery](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Flavia+de+Luce+Mystery*series_ss%3AFlavia%5C+de%5C+Luce%5C+Mystery). [C. Alan Bradley](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=C.+Alan+Bradley&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=508303178.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519222280.7132). Deciding to go professional with her detecting skills, twelve-year-old Flavia sets up shop with estate gardener and sounding board extraordinaire Dogger. Their first case is extremely close to home and begins with the unwelcome discovery of a finger in the wedding cake of Flavia's sister Ophelia.

**In Hoffa's Shadow: a stepfather, a disappearance in Detroit, and my search for the truth**. [Jack L. Goldsmith](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jack+L.+Goldsmith&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=546801577.7132) The author came to doubt and distance himself from his stepfather, Chuckie O'Brien, the Jimmy Hoffa associate suspected of perpetrating Hoffa's disappearance. Goldsmith describes why to reconsidered his estranged stepfather and understand Hoffa's true legacy.

**CIA Agent Mitch Rapp**. [Vince Flynn](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Vince+Flynn&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Mitch+Rapp*series_ss%3AMitch%5C+Rapp*Digital+Book*medium_ss%3ADigital%5C+Book&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Mitch+Rapp*series_ss%3AMitch%5C+Rapp*Large+Type*medium_ss%3ALarge%5C+Type&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0). Mitch Rapp is a counter-terrorist operative working for the CIA. Minnesota author began the series.

**Neon Prey**. [John Sandford](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+Sandford&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519226687.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=558149303.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=524852739.7132). This is the twenty-ninth book in the [Lucas Davenport](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&f=Lucas+Davenport*series_ss%3ALucas%5C+Davenport&mc=0) series. Clayton Deese skips bail after a job that went south. The US Marshals come after him and find a jungle full of graves behind Deese's rural Louisiana cabin. Now Lucas Davenport is on the trail of a serial killer who has been operating for years without notice.

**The Long Call**. [Ann Cleeves](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ann+Cleeves&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545096742.7132) Detective Matthew Venn stands outside the North Devon church as his estranged father's funeral takes place. On the day Matthew left the strict evangelical community he grew up in, he lost his family too. But before he leaves again, he learns that a body has been found on the nearby beach.

**The Murder List.** [Hank Phillippi Ryan](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Hank+Phillippi+Ryan&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545048784.7132) Law student Rachel North knows that she is smart, hardworking, has a devoted husband, and her internship with the Boston DA's office is her ticket to a successful future. Problem is--she's wrong. And in this cat and mouse game, the battle for justice becomes a battle for survival.

**Down the River Unto the Sea.** [Walter Mosley](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Walter+Mosley&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=452356332.7132). NYPD investigator Joe King Oliver was framed for assault by someone within the force. A decade later, King, now a PI, receives a card from a woman admitting she was paid to frame him. King decides to investigate. Meanwhile, a radical journalist is accused of killing two corrupt police officers.

**Bluebird, Bluebird.** [Attica Locke](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Attica+Locke&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=422752033.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=461766909.7132). This is the first book in the [Highway 59](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Highway+59*series_ss%3AHighway%5C+59) series. Black Texas Ranger Darren Mathews travels up Highway 59 to the small town of Lark, where two murders--a black lawyer from Chicago and a local white woman--have stirred up a hornet's nest of resentment. Darren must solve the crimes before Lark's long-simmering racial tensions erupt.

**The Astonishing Maybe**. [Shaunta Grimes](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Shaunta+Grimes&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=515951240.7132) Soon after his family's move from New Jersey to Nevada, Gideon befriends an intriguing neighbor, Roona, who is hiding secrets about her past. For grades 4-7.

**Down City: a daughter's story of love, memory, and murder**. [Leah Carroll.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DCarroll%2C%20Leah&databaseList=638#/oclc/994153284) [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Down+city+%3A+a+daughter%27s+story+of+love%2C+memory%2C+and+murder&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off#/oclc/994153284). True crime story. Author explores mother’s murder and Mafia connections from her childhood.

**The Mystery of the Purple Pool**. [Gertrude Chandler Warner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Gertrude+Chandler+Warner&i=author_txt_en&s=-score), [Charles Tang](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DTang%2C%20Charles&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=false&clusterResults=on). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=97604357.7132), [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=The+Mystery+of+the+Purple+Pool&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off#/oclc/34286461). This is the thirty-eighth book in the [Boxcar Children](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Boxcar+Children*series_ss%3ABoxcar%5C+Children) series. Their grandfather is in New York on a business trip, and the Aldens have come along to do some sightseeing. Instead, they end up investigating mysteries plaguing the hotel--the swimming pool is purple, sugar and salt have switched places in the dining room, and the elevator stops between floors. For grades 3-6.

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[Mystery and Detective - American Setting](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Mystery+and+Detective&f=American+Setting+Mystery*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AAmerican%5C+Setting%5C+Mystery)

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[Mystery and Detective - Bestseller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Mystery+and+Detective+AND+bestseller&f=)

[Mystery and Detective - Juvenile Book](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Mystery+and+Detective&f=Juvenile+Book*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AJuvenile%5C+Book)

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[Crime and True Detective](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Crime+%26+True+Detective+-+CRI*localsubject_ss%3ACrime%5C+%5C%26%5C+True%5C+Detective%5C+%5C-%5C+CRI)

## Native American Interest

### Bard Magazines

Cowboys and Indians. Audio.

### On the RTB

Multicultural Press, Saturdays @ 12 PM and Sundays @ 4 AM.

The Great North, Sundays @ 4 PM.

### Books

**Unsung Heroes of World War II: the story of the Navajo code talkers.** [Deanne Durret](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Deanne+Durrett&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=109483424.7132). Describes the role of the Navajo marines, Code Talkers, who developed a code based on their Native American language during World War II. This code system provided a means for secured communications among American forces in the Pacific during the warfare. For grades 6-9.

[The Heartbeat of Wounded Knee: Native America from 1890 to the present](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Midwest+Interest+%28Nonfiction%29+-+MIN*localsubject_ss%3AMidwest%5C+Interest%5C+%5C%28Nonfiction%5C%29%5C+%5C-%5C+MIN). [David Treuer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=david+treuer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=512354911.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=559410951.7132). A history of Native Americans, beginning with the 1890 massacre of Sioux at Wounded Knee and continuing up through the early twenty-first century. The author discusses the treatment of Native Americans by the government.

**Killdeer Mountain: a novel**. [Dee Alexander Brown](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Dee+Alexander+brown&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=65178496.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=165102.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=165101.7132) Compelling yarn that begins in the rainy dusk near a dock on the Missouri River in 1866, when a journalist boards a steamer heading upriver. Sam Morrison is looking for stories for the "Saint Louis Herald"--and he finds one in Charles Rawley, Civil War hero and Indian fighter. Was he a man of courage and principle or was he a coward?

**#NotYourPrincess: voices of Native American women.** [Lisa Charleyboy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lisa+Charleyboy&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=440976460.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=441035531.7132). Presents an eclectic collection of poems, essays, interviews, and art to express the experience of being an Indigenous woman. Stories of abuse, humiliation, and stereotyping are countered by the voices of passionate women making themselves heard and demanding change. For junior and senior high and older readers.

**After Columbus: the Smithsonian chronicle of the North American Indians.** [Herman J. Viola](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Herman+J.+Viola&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=171054946.7132) The author traces the history of Native American attempts to not just survive, but to retain their rich culture in the five hundred years since Europeans settled North America. He traces the displacement of tribes from the early explorations through the 1980s, when Native Americans struggle to maintain their traditions, reclaim their land, and renew their pride.

**Wigwam Evenings: Sioux folk tales retold**. [Charles Alexander Eastman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Charles+Eastman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=167023702.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=158722.7132) A collection of twenty-seven tales that offer a sampling of his tribe's values. Narrated by Smoky Day, an old story-teller, and representing generations of Plains society, these folktales suggest "the essence of what it is to be a decent, thoughtful, and respectable human being.

**Black Elk Speaks: being the life story of a holy man of the Oglala Sioux.** [Black Elk](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Black+Elk&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=217799947.7132) The autobiography of an Indian warrior and hunter who, because of his visions and psychic experiences, becomes the tribe's medicine man.

**Warrior Nation: a history of the Red Lake Ojibwe**. [Anton Treuer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Anton+Treuer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=262660043.7132) Unlike every other reservation in Minnesota, Red Lake holds its land in common--and, consequently, the tribe retains its entire reservation land base. Warrior Nation covers four centuries of the Red Lake Nation's forceful and assertive tenure on its land. Ojibwe historian and linguist Anton Treuer conducted oral histories with elders across the Red Lake reservation, learning the stories carried by the people.

**The Round House**. [Loise Erdrich](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=louise+erdrich&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136061617.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=425447060.7132). This is the second book in the [Justice Trilogy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Justice+Trilogy*series_ss%3AJustice%5C+Trilogy) series. North Dakota, 1988. Thirteen-year-old Joe Coutts's mother Geraldine, a tribal enrollment specialist, is brutally raped at the Ojibwe Round House. Joe and his father, a judge, each search for Geraldine's attacker to bring him to justice. National Book Award.

**The Unconquered: in search of the Amazon's last uncontacted tribes**. [Scott Wallace.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Wallace%2C+Scott.*author_ss%3AWallace%2C%5C+Scott.) [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=139097336.7132) There are tribes in the far reaches of the Amazon rainforest that have avoided contact with modern civilization. Hiding from the outside world, they are the last survivors of a culture that predates Columbus in the New World.

**Indian Givers: how the Indians of the Americas transformed the world**. [J. McIver Weatherford](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=J.+McIver+Weatherford&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=97630977.7132) The discovery and conquest of the New World changed the Old World forever. The author shows how the gold and silver mined by the American Indians financed the rise of modern Europe. The Indians' knowledge of pharmacology was far superior to that of the Europeans, and their social organization was truly democratic.

**The Native Americans Told Us So**. [Melvin Berger](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBerger%2C%20Melvin&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=The+native+Americans+told+us+so%2C+berger&clusterResults=true#/oclc/42517910). Discusses the history and cultural contributions of Native Americans, especially in the United States. Juvenile literature.

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[Native American Novels](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Native+American+Novels+-+NAMF*localsubject_ss%3ANative%5C+American%5C+Novels%5C+%5C-%5C+NAMF)

[Native American Poetry](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Native+American+Poetry+-+NAMP*localsubject_ss%3ANative%5C+American%5C+Poetry%5C+%5C-%5C+NAMP)

[Native American History](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Native+American+History+-+NAMH*localsubject_ss%3ANative%5C+American%5C+History%5C+%5C-%5C+NAMH)

[Minnesota - Native Americans](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Minnesota+-+Native+Americans+-+MNNAI*localsubject_ss%3AMinnesota%5C+%5C-%5C+Native%5C+Americans%5C+%5C-%5C+MNNAI)

[Native American Legends](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Native+American+Legends+-+NAMG*localsubject_ss%3ANative%5C+American%5C+Legends%5C+%5C-%5C+NAMG)

## Nature and Environment

### BARD Magazines

Audubon. Audio.

Horticulture: For Gardeners Everywhere. Audio.

Missouri Conservationist. Audio, Braille.

National Geographic. Audio.

National Geographic Kids. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Scientific American Online.

Science Daily.

Science X.

SkyNews.

### On the RTB

Animal Watch, Wednesdays @ 12 AM.

Heading Outdoors, Thursdays @ 12 AM.

Mother Earth, Wednesdays @ 5 AM.

National Geographic, Tuesdays @ 3 PM and Sundays @ 3 AM.

The Great North, Sundays @ 4 PM.

### Books

**A Sand County Almanac, and sketches here and there**. [Aldo Leopold](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Aldo+Leopold&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47599812.7132) The "father of wildlife conservation" in America describes his family's relationship to their Wisconsin acreage in this collection of sketches and essays. A forester by training, Leopold calls for land reform and conservation. He examines the ethics of ecology, and urges protection of wildlife and respect for the environment.

**The Girl who Drew Butterflies: how Maria Merian's art changed science.** [Joyce Sidman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Joyce+Sidman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score).[Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=509362800.7132). Explores the extraordinary life and scientific discoveries of Maria Merian (1647-1717), who discovered the truth about metamorphosis and documented the science behind the mystery in her art. Sibert Medal. For grades 5-8.

**The Ice at the End of the World: an epic journey into Greenland's buried past and our perilous future**. [Jon Gertner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jon+Gertner&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531684905.7132) Chronicles the development of scientific research as an industry in Greenland through the study of its ice. Discusses initial explorations of the island in the 1800s, climate change research, and the effects of rapid ice melting.

**The Human Age: The World shaped by us.** [Diane Ackerman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Diane+Ackerman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=184050137.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=184051820.7132). Explores the pros and cons of the fact that humans are now the dominant force shaping the history of the planet.

**The Tornado: Nature's ultimate windstorm.** [T. P. Grazulis](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=T.+P.+Grazulis&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=203412665.7132) Describes the formation, forecasting, history, and science of the tornado life cycle. Recounts personal anecdotes, common myths, and puzzling elements of human interaction with this incredible and unpredictable force.

**The Secret Wisdom of Nature: trees, animals, and the extraordinary balance of all living things.** [Peter Wohlleben](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Peter+Wohlleben&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=537974430.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=538030390.7132) Sixteen essays examining the integrated systems of nature. In "Salmon in the Trees," he looks at the impact of fish on tree growth.

**The Thing with Feathers: the surprising lives of birds and what they reveal about being human.** [Noah K. Strycker](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Noah+K.+Strycker&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=267548672.7132) Details behaviors found in birds to highlight and explore similar behaviors in human beings.

**The Eight Master Lessons of Nature: what nature teaches us about living well in the World**. [Gary Ferguson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Gary+Ferguson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=551455316.7132) Guide to rediscovering and cultivating a connection with the natural world. Lessons include mystery, loss, the fine art of rising again, how animals make us smarter, and how the planet's elders make us better at life.

**Strange Harvests: the hidden histories of seven natural objects.** [Edward Posnett](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Edward+Posnett&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=538001677.7132). Explores locations that produce wonders of natural materials, including eiderdown, vicuña fiber, sea silk, vegetable ivory, civet coffee, guano, and edible birds' nests. Discusses the myths, traditions, folklore, and rituals celebrated by the cultures that harvest them. Examines possibilities for ethical harvest of resources.

**Coral Reefs: a very short introduction.** [Charles Sheppard](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Charles+Sheppard&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=281549064.7132) Explains the complex biology and geology of corals and reefs. Reviews the history of science's understanding of Earth's most diverse and abundant ecosystem. Describes means of reproduction, the crucial role of symbiosis, and other animals and plants in the reef habitat. Proposes solutions to prevent their extinction from human causes.

**Principles of Environmental Science: inquiry and application**. [William P Cunningham](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DCunningham%2C%20William%20P&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/978271453), [Mary Ann Cunningham](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DCunningham%2C%20Mary%20Ann&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=principles+of+environmental+science%2C+cunningham#/oclc/978271453) The goal of this concise text is to provide an up-to-date, introductory view of essential themes in environmental science along with offering students numerous opportunities to practice scientific thinking and active learning.

**Earth Science: Geology, the environment, and the Universe**.  [Francisco J Borrero](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBorrero%2C%20Francisco%20J&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Frances Scelsi Hess](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DHess%2C%20Frances%20Scelsi&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Juno Hsu](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DHsu%2C%20Juno&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Gerhard Kunze](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DKunze%2C%20Gerhard&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Stephen A Leslie](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DLeslie%2C%20Stephen%20A&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Stephen Letro](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DLetro%2C%20Stephen&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Michael Manga](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DManga%2C%20Michael&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Len Sharp](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DSharp%2C%20Len&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Theodore P Snow](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DSnow%2C%20Theodore%20P&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Dinah Zike](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DZike%2C%20Dinah&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [National Geographic Society (U.S.),](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3D%22National%20Geographic%20Society%20%28U.S.%29.%22&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on) Education Division., [Glencoe/McGraw-Hill.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3D%22Glencoe%2FMcGraw-Hill.%22&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on) [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Earth+science+%3A+geology%2C+the+environment%2C+and+the+universe&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1035639810) Earth Science: Geology, the Environment, and the Universe is a comprehensive program that provides thorough content with a wide variety of engaging laboratory experiences.

**Minnesota Conservation Volunteer magazine**. [Minnesota Department of Natural Resources](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=au%3A%28minnesota+department+of+natural+resources%29&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1017739938). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=minnesota+conservation+volunteer#/oclc/1035420461). Your guide to wild Minnesota. This flagship publication of the Department of Natural Resources delivers in-depth, in-the-field coverage of the state's outdoor news and conservation issues. The *MCV* mission is to encourage conservation and sustainable use of Minnesota's natural resources.

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[Natural World](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=natural+world)

[Nature - Environmental Conservation and Protection](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=nature+environment+conservation+and+protection)

[Nature - Nonfiction-Young Adult](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Juvenile+Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AJuvenile%5C+Non%5C-Fiction*Young+Adult+Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AYoung%5C+Adult%5C+Non%5C-Fiction&p=0&q=nature+&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

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## Occult and Horror

### On the RTB

RTB After Hours, Mondays through Fridays @ 11 PM.

### Books

**Tales of H.P. Lovecraft: major works**. [H. P. Lovecraft](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=H.+P.+Lovecraft&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154176742.7132) Often viewed as the father of the modern horror genre, Joyce Carol Oates selects his finest works including: “The Dunwich Horror,” “The Colour Out of Space,” and “The Call of Cthulhu.” Short stories.

**Those Across the River.** [Christopher Buehlman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Christopher+Buehlman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175296871.7132) Haunted by memories of World War I, failed academic Frank and his wife move to his family's estate in Whitbrow, Georgia. When the town decides to end a strange tradition called the Chase of Pigs, all hell breaks loose.

**Communion: a true story.** [Whitley Strieber](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Whitley+Strieber&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47266585.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=153789.7132) The author's account of a possible real encounter with extraterrestrials. Strieber believes that he and his family have had a series of personal contacts with intelligent nonhuman beings in his isolated cabin in Ulster County, New York.

**The Shining**. [Stephen King](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Stephen+King&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=159443224.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=141791.7132). This is the first book in the [Danny Torrance](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Danny+Torrance*series_ss%3ADanny%5C+Torrance) series. Jack and Wendy Torrance come face-to-face with terror when they become caretakers of a haunted old hotel in the snowy mountains of Colorado. Their five-year-old son Danny, who appears to have psychic powers, is the first to sense the evil in the building.

**I Have No Mouth and I Must Scream**. [Harlan Ellison](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Harlan+Ellison&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=230344987.7132) A collection of seven stories by Harlan Ellison, first published between 1958 and 1967. Includes the titular "I Have No Mouth and I Must Scream" and "Pretty Maggie Moneyeyes."

**Books of Blood.** [Clive Barker](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Clive+Barker&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=42736004.7132) Three volumes of chilling tales originally published in 1984. In "Scape-Goats" four boaters discover an uncharted island that is really a burial mound. In "Human Remains" a male prostitute confronts his doppelganger.

**Lord of the Flies**. [William Golding](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+Golding&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=63908162.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=476842831.7132) With horrifying implications, a group of English boys are wrecked on a desert island and have to establish their own system of government. For senior high and older readers.

**The Collector**. [John Fowles](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+Fowles&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=240202282.7132). A bizarre tale of an obscure clerk, a collector of butterflies, who becomes obsessed with a pretty art student he has never met. When he earns a fortune in the football pool, he imprisons her in his remote cottage in the country and is determined to make her love him.

**The Lottery and other Stories.** [Shirley Jackson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Shirley+Jackson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48075374.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=37055871.7132). A collection of twenty-five unusual short stories by the author of "The Lottery." In the title piece, a village puts a terrifying twist on the luck of the draw. In "The Witch," a stranger on the train tells a chilling tale of murder to a small boy.

**Intensity.** [Dean R. Koontz](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Dean+R.+Koontz&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=97636465.7132) Psychology major Chyna Shepherd avoids friendship until she meets classmate Laura Templeton. But when she arrives for a weekend at Laura's parents' vineyard, Laura's family is murdered as Chyna hides under her bed. Outraged, Chyna stows away aboard the killer's motor home and plots her revenge as he drives down the highway.

**Tales of Horror and Suspense**. [Edgar Allan Poe](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Edgar+Allan+Poe&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=52894609.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=52893626.7132) Eight mysterious stories by American author Edgar Allan Poe (1809-1849), beginning with "The Tell-Tale Heart," "The Pit and the Pendulum," "The Fall of the House of Usher," and "The Cask of Amontillado." Concludes with detective stories "The Murders in the Rue Morgue" and "The Purloined Letter."

**Welcome to the Dark House.** [Lauria Faria Stolarz](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=laurie+stolarz&f=&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=welcome+to+the+dark+house#/oclc/1077479620) Seven super fans have won the trip of a lifetime to meet the master of horror, legendary film director Justin Blake. But things quickly go from delightfully dark when they find themselves trapped in an abandoned amusement park.

**Deep Trouble**. [R.L. Stine](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Stine%2C+R.+L.*author_ss%3AStine%2C%5C+R.%5C+L.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=deep+trouble%2C+stine%2C+%2319&f=&i=_text_&s=score), [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=deep+trouble+by+stine#/oclc/33469133). This is the nineteenth book in the [Goosebumps](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Goosebumps*series_ss%3AGoosebumps) series. Despite warnings to stay away from the coral reefs, Billy goes exploring off the shore of a Caribbean Island and finds a beast that is half human and half fish. For grades 3-7.

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[Horror Stories](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Horror+stories+-+HOR*localsubject_ss%3AHorror%5C+stories%5C+%5C-%5C+HOR)

[Horror Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Horror+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3AHorror%5C+fiction)

[Occult Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=occult+fiction&f=Horror+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3AHorror%5C+fiction&i=_text_&s=score)

[Occult & Supernatural](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Occult+%26+Supernatural+-+OCC*localsubject_ss%3AOccult%5C+%5C%26%5C+Supernatural%5C+%5C-%5C+OCC)

[Horror - Bestseller](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Horror+-+Bestseller&f=)

[Horror - Juvenile Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=horror+-+juvenile+fiction)

[Occult & Supernatural - Juvenile Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=occult+%26+supernatural+-+juvenile+fiction&f=)

[Paranormal Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=paranormal+stories&f=Paranormal+Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AParanormal%5C+Fiction)

[Witchcraft](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Witchcraft*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AWitchcraft&p=0&q=witchcraft&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Scary Stories](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=scary+stories)

[Psychological Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Psychological+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3APsychological%5C+fiction*Occult+%26+Supernatural*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AOccult%5C+%5C%26%5C+Supernatural&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0)

## Philosophy

### On the RTB

Inner Life, Sundays @ 5 AM.

Your Personal World, Saturdays @ 1 PM.

### Books

**How to Live a Good Life: a guide to choosing your personal philosophy**. [Skye Cleary](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Skye+Cleary&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=556664462.7132). Philosophers present thoughts on an examined and meaningful life. Perspectives range over both Eastern and Western schools of philosophy, the four major religions, and contemporary philosophies.

**The History of Philosophy**. [A. C. Grayling](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=A.+C.+Grayling&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=553133670.7132). Looks at worldviews and moralities before the age of the Buddha, Confucius, and Socrates through Christianity's capture of the European mind, from the Renaissance and Enlightenment on to Mill, Nietzsche, Sartre and, finally, philosophy today.

**The Art of Happiness: a handbook for living.** [Bstan-dzin-rgya-mtsho, Dalai Lama](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bstan-dzin-rgya-mtsho%2C+Dalai+Lama*author_ss%3ABstan%5C-dzin%5C-rgya%5C-mtsho%2C%5C+Dalai%5C+Lama). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154147764.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136516.7132) Following the Dalai Lama, psychiatrist presents the Buddhist leader's methods for maintaining happiness. The Dalai Lama's basic belief is hope and connectedness. He offers genuine and lasting inner peace through trust in the fundamental gentleness and goodness of all human beings, compassion, and a policy of kindness.

**Belief in God in an Age of Science.** [J. C. Polkinghorne](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=J.+C.+Polkinghorne&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=192481879.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136170.7132). The author traces the similarities of methods used by scientists and theologians. His topics include natural theology, divine action in the physical world, and prospects for future dialog that will include all religious traditions, not just those of the Abrahamic faiths.

**Is it too Controversial? be enlightened by my deeper understanding of the meaning of life: a collection of philosophical essays**. [Cheryl Cusick](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Cheryl+Cusick&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=500736219.7132) Collection of philosophical essays. Since adolescence, Jamie Lynn has struggled with Friedreich's Ataxia, a life-threatening neurological disease, which has given her a unique perspective on life.

**The Meaning of Life: a short introduction.** [Terry Eagleton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Terry+Eagleton&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=299780092.7132) Does life have an intrinsic significance to be discovered, or do we invest life with our own sense of purpose? Explores serious and comic approaches to the existential query, examining many works of philosophy and literature through the centuries, and supports continued attempts to find common meanings.

**Almost Everything: notes on hope**. [Anne Lamott](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Anne+Lamott&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=498726084.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=528510471.7132). Presents a guide to finding moments of hope and joy even when the world and relationships around you are depressing and exhausting. Chapter titles include "Puzzles," "Humans 101," "Unplugged," and "Hands of Time."

**The Second Mountain: the quest for a moral life.** [David Brooks](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=David+Brooks&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=521387782.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545273411.7132) Quest for a meaningful life, most concentrate on climbing the mountain of worldly success and personal happiness. But there is a second mountain, where the focus moves from self-centered to other-centered.

**See What I'm Saying: the extraordinary powers of our five senses.** [Lawrence Rosenblum](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lawrence+Rosenblum&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=106775492.7132). Psychologist explores brain science and the perceptual abilities of our five senses. Examines the strength and subtlety of our powers of perception by relating individual accounts, including those of blind mountain bikers who use echolocation to lead excursions.

**Who Are We?: theories of human nature**. [Lois P. Pojman](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DPojman%2C%20Louis%20P&databaseList=638#/oclc/952612704). [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=%22who+are+we%3F%22++theories+of+human+nature&clusterResults=true#/oclc/952612704) Explores major theories in Western philosophy and religion, along with several traditions in Eastern thought. The most comprehensive work of its kind, the volume opens with chapters on the Hebrew/Christian view of human nature and the contrasting classical Greek theories, outlining a dichotomy between faith and reason that loosely frames the rest of the book.

[I See a Voice: deafness, language and the senses - a philosophical history](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=i+see+a+voice+%3A+deafness%2C+language+and+the+senses&clusterResults=true#/oclc/946172720). [Jonathan Rée](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DRe%CC%81e%2C%20Jonathan&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/946172720). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=i+see+a+voice+%3A+deafness%2C+language+and+the+senses&clusterResults=true#/oclc/946172720) In this tour de force of historical narrative, Jonathan Rée tells the astonishing story of the deaf, from the sixteenth century to the present. Rée explores the great debates about deafness between those who believed the deaf should be made to speak and those who advocated non-oral communication.

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[Philosophy - Bestsellers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=philosophy+AND+bestsellers)

[Philosophy - Inspirational](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=philosophy+-+inspirational)

[Philosophy - History - Modern World](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Philosophy+-+PHI*localsubject_ss%3APhilosophy%5C+%5C-%5C+PHI*History+-+Modern+World*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AHistory%5C+%5C-%5C+Modern%5C+World)

[Life - Meaning](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=life+-+meaning)

[Meaning (philosophy)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Meaning+%28philosophy%29)

[Ethics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=ethics)

[Philosophy - Disability Interest](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=philosophy+AND+disability+interest)

## Poetry

### BARD Magazines

Poetry. Braille.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Poets & Writers.

### On the RTB

Poetic Reflections, Sundays @ 12 PM.

### Books

**Only Bread, Only Light: poems.** [Stephen Kuusisto](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=stephen+Kuusisto). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=88766068.7132) Describes childhood perceptions in "Blind Days in Early Youth," adult decisions in "Learning Braille at Thirty-nine," and celebrating music and nature in "Essay on November."

**Shout: a poetry memoir**. [Laurie Halse Anderson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Anderson%2C+Laurie+Halse). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519211033.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=544711174.7132). A memoir in verse shares the author's life, covering her difficult early childhood, her rape at thirteen, and her experiences surrounding the publication of her 1999 novel Speak (DB049958).

**Selected Poems**. [Jorge Luis Borges](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=jorge+Luis+Borges). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=114177153.7132) A selection of the Argentinean writer's poems in their original Spanish, coupled with English translations. The works, written between 1923 and 1985, mirror the themes of Borges's prose, such as In Praise of Darkness, which concerns blindness.

**Phenomenal Woman: four poems celebrating women.** [Maya Angelou](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Maya+Angelou&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=103957879.7132) [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=148453.7132) The collection includes "Phenomenal Woman," "Still I Rise," "Weekend Glory," and "Our Grandmothers."

**Leaves of Grass.** [Walt Whitman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=walt+Whitman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=162865239.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=169796.7132) Originally published in 1855, Leaves of Grass was continually revised and augmented. This complete edition includes Whitman's elegy to President Lincoln, "When Lilacs Last in the Dooryard Bloom'd."

**Night Sky with Exit Wounds.** [Vuong Ocean](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=ocean+vuong). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=531663299.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=537971382.7132). Collection of poetry exploring family experiences in Vietnam during the war and immigration to America. Themes explored include romance, sexuality, memory, grief, and melancholia.

**Door in the Mountain: New and Collected Poems.** [Jean Valentine](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jean+Valentine&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48361589.7132). Gathers all of Valentine's previously published work together with more than seventy new poems. Her subjects include mysticism and experience, personal turmoil, and political unrest.

**Voyage of the Sable Venus: and other poems.** [Robin Coste Lewis.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DLewis%2C%20Robin%20Coste&databaseList=638#/oclc/959283688) [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=voyage+of+the+sable+venus&clusterResults=true#/oclc/959283688) A stunning poetry debut, this meditation on the black female figure throughout time introduces us to a brave and penetrating new voice. National Book Award Winner.

**Ten Poems to Change Your Life**. [Roger Housden](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DHousden%2C%20Roger&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/233597908). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=ten+poems+to+change+your+life%2C+housden&clusterResults=true#/oclc/233597908) Great poetry calls into question everything. It dares us to break free from the safe strategies of the cautious mind. It opens us to pain and joy and delight. It amazes, startles, pierces, and transforms us. It can lead to communion and grace.

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[Poetry - Juvenile](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Juvenile+Book*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AJuvenile%5C+Book&p=0&q=poetry&i=subject_txt_en&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Poetry - American](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Poetry+-+American&f=&i=_text_&s=score)

[Poetry - Twentieth Century](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Poetry+-+20th+Century*localsubjectdesc_ss%3APoetry%5C+%5C-%5C+20th%5C+Century&p=0&q=poetry&i=subject_txt_en&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Poetry - Pre-twentieth Century](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Poetry+-+Pre-20th+Century*localsubjectdesc_ss%3APoetry%5C+%5C-%5C+Pre%5C-20th%5C+Century&p=0&q=poetry&i=subject_txt_en&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Poetry - 21st Century](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Poetry+-+21st+Century+-+POE21*localsubject_ss%3APoetry%5C+%5C-%5C+21st%5C+Century%5C+%5C-%5C+POE21)

## Politics and Government

### BARD Magazines

Foreign Affairs. Audio.

Harper’s. Braille.

National Review. Audio.

The Nation. Audio.

New York Times. Braille.

The New Yorker. Audio.

The Week. Audio.

Vital Speeches of the Day. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Associated Press.

Atlantic Monthly.

Ebony.

USA Today.

Wall Street Journal.

ABC News, BBC, Bloomberg, CNN, Huffington Post, NPR.

Mother Jones.

Nation.

Guardian.

World Politics Review.

### On the RTB

Afternoon Report, Mondays through Fridays @ 4 PM.

Commentary, Mondays through Fridays @ 5 PM & Mondays @ 1 AM-6 AM.

Kiosk Internationale, Sundays @ 5 PM.

Newspapers in the Morning, everyday @ 8:00 AM.

Newspapers in the Evening, Mondays through Fridays @ 6 PM.

The Conservative, Mondays @ 7 AM.

### Books

**The Great Divide: the conflict between Washington and Jefferson that defined a nation.** [Thomas J. Fleming](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Thomas+J.+Fleming&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=206194933.7132) Fleming discusses the significant conflicts between Washington and Jefferson regarding the presidency, the new nation's foreign policy, and the roles of the merchant, soldier, and farmer in a republic.

**Children of Paradise: the struggle for the soul of Iran**. [Laura Secor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Laura+Secor&i=author_txt_en&s=-score)**.** [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=234488803.7132) Journalist provides a portrait of Iran, beginning with Iran's sudden shift to a revolutionary theocracy in 1979. Examines the internal drama that has taken place in the interim and details the never-ending struggle for change among its people.

**The Inconvenient Indian: a curious account of native people in North America.** [Thomas King](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Thomas+King&i=author_txt_en&s=-score).[Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157744250.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157756521.7132) An unconventional account of aboriginal and white relations in the United States and Canada. Discusses what it means to be "Indian" while considering broken treaties, forced removals, genocide, and racism in the war over land.

**The Bill of the Century: the epic battle for the Civil rights act**. [Clay Risen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Clay+Risen&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=199133749.7132) Details the development and passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Chronicles the attempts, from the end of World War II through the presidencies of Kennedy and Johnson in the 1960s, to pass legislation to address discrimination against black Americans.

**Unmanned: drones, data, and the illusion of perfect warfare**. [William M. Arkin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+M.+Arkin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=217085690.7132) Why seemingly successful wars linger on perpetually in early twenty-first century national security policy. Drone usage for spying and attacking is identified as a central problem. Discusses the consequences of unchecked, unevaluated, and unending data gathering in the name of security.

**Rewire: digital cosmopolitans in the age of connection.** [Ethan Zuckerman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Ethan+Zuckerman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=150644412.7132) Examines phenomena of the connected world. Using case studies including SARS, the fall of the Iranian Shah, and historic travel routes, he theorizes about what it means to be connected in the early twenty-first century and why people feel disconnected from the world.

**I Think You're Wrong (But I'm Listening): a guide to grace filled political conversations.** [Sarah Stewart Holland](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Sarah+Stewart+Holland&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=556702924.7132), [Large Print.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=549051044.7132) The two authors, who have opposing political views, discuss tactics for productive and respectful conversations about difficult issues. Advice includes recognizing nuance, listening to understand, patience, putting relationships before policy, and more.

**Our Republican Constitution: securing the liberty and the sovereignty of we the people**. [Randy E. Barnett.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBarnett%2C%20Randy%20E&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/965294151) [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=ti%3Aour+republican+constitution&clusterResults=true#/oclc/965294151)  From the early days of the American republic, the nature of government "of the people, by the people, for the people" has been disputed. This is because there are not one but two very different notions of "We the People" and popular sovereignty, which yield competing schools of constitutional thought.

**Give Me Liberty: the story of the declaration of independence.** [Russell Freedman.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=0&q=russell+freedman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&f=&mc=0) [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=146909298.7132) [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=ti%3A%28give+me+liberty%21%29+AND+au%3A%28freedman%29&databaseList=638&origPageViewName=pages%2Fadvanced-search-page&clusterResults=true&scope=wz%3A71599#/oclc/51450228) Describes the events leading up to the Declaration of Independence as well as the personalities and politics behind its framing. Juvenile Literature.

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[Politics and Government - U.S.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Politics+and+Government+-+U.S+-+POLUS*localsubject_ss%3APolitics%5C+and%5C+Government%5C+%5C-%5C+U.S%5C+%5C-%5C+POLUS)

[Politics and Government - World](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Politics+and+Government+-+POL*localsubject_ss%3APolitics%5C+and%5C+Government%5C+%5C-%5C+POL*General+Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AGeneral%5C+Non%5C-Fiction)

## Psychology and Self-help

### BARD Magazines

Parents. Braille.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Parents.

### On the RTB

For Addicts and Others, Saturdays @ 6 AM.

Inner Life, Sundays @ 5 AM.

Parenting, Tuesdays @ 5 AM.

Your Personal World, Saturdays @ 1 PM.

### Books

**The Mind's Eye**. [Oliver Sacks](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Oliver+Sacks&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=100722907.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=103724683.7132). Neurologist uses case studies to illustrate the brain's adaptability to lost senses. Discusses a concert pianist who can no longer read music, a writer who is unable to read print after suffering a stroke, and Sacks's own macular melanoma and its effects on his visual perception.

**Wildhood: the epic journey from adolescence to adulthood in humans and other animals**. [Barbara Natterson-Horowitz](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=natterson-horowitz). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=550376740.7132). Four universal challenges faced by every human and animal adolescent and young adult: how to be safe, how to navigate hierarchy, how to court potential mates, and how to feed oneself.

**The confidence code for girls: taking risks, messing up, and becoming your amazingly imperfect, totally powerful self**. [Katty Kay](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Kay%2C+Katty.*author_ss%3AKay%2C%5C+Katty.), [Claire Shipman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=claire+shipman&f=Kay%2C+Katty.*author_ss%3AKay%2C%5C+Katty.&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=479486626.7132). Empowering guide that gives girls advice to help them deal with feelings of doubt and insecurities. Teaches girls to embrace risk, deal with failure, and be their most authentic selves. For grades 5-8.

**The Guy Book: an owner's manual for teens: safety, maintenance, and operating instructions for teens**. [Mavis Jukes](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=mavis+jukes). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=240546315.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=146246.7132). For male adolescents on changes that occur in their bodies during puberty and offers advice on sexual topics, nutrition, health, relationships, peer pressure, etiquette, and other issues. For junior and senior high readers.

**Tribe of Mentors: short life advice from the best in the World**. [Timothy Ferriss](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Timothy+Ferriss). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=441061007.7132) Short profiles of experts in their fields answering questions on absurd things they love, one-hundred-dollar purchases that have positively affected their lives, favorite failures, worthwhile investments, and more.

**The Emotional Journey of the Alzheimer's Family**. [Robert B. Santulli](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=robert+b.+santulli&f=&i=_text_&s=score), [Kesstan Blandin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=kesstan+blandin&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio,](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=220518660.7132) [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=210112991.7132). Immediate family members, friends, and neighbors of those with Alzheimer's undergo tremendous psychological and emotional change as they witness the disease progress. Santulli and Blandin chart this journey, the process of adaptation and acceptance, and provide insight on how to understand and cope with personal stress.

**Talking to Strangers: what we should know about the people we don't know.** [Malcome Gladwell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=malcolm+gladwell). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=541351506.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=548158410.7132). Examines what can go wrong when we interact with strangers. Using examples from history and recent headlines, he looks at how we often misjudge the motivations and trustworthiness of others.

**An Edited Life: simple steps to streamlining your life, at work and at home**. [Anna Newton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=anna+newton). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=551427519.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=548793412.7132) Lifestyle influencer with online following provides advice for streamlining and decluttering every aspect of life - including wardrobe, social life, exercise, food, home, beauty, and more.

**Don't Give Up, Don't Give In: lessons from an extraordinary life**. [Louis Zamperini](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=zamperini&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=206198616.7132) Words of wisdom from Zamperini (1917-2014), the subject of Laura Hillenbrand's Unbroken (DB 72129). He remembers growing up in California, first as a troublemaker and then an Olympian who went to Berlin in 1936. Recalls his WWII service, his imprisonment, and his experiences and charitable acts after his return home.

**Making a Difference: a matter of purpose, passion & pride.**[Steve Gilliland.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DGilliland%2C%20Steve&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on) [Audio.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=&queryString=Making+a+difference+%3A+a+matter+of+purpose%2C+passion+%26+pride&clusterResults=true#/oclc/958164447) Confirms that purpose is the essential ingredient to motivation and the ultimate path to making a difference; passion is what allows you to overcome challenges and disregard people who try to extend their misfortunes and negative outlook to you; and pride is about you and your expectations.

**The Spontaneous Fulfillment of Desire: harnessing the infinite power of coincidence**. [Deepak Chopra](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=1&q=deepak+chopra&i=author_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&f=&mc=0). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48514311.7132), [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=+ti%3A%28the+spontaneous+fulfillment+of+desire%29&clusterResults=true#/oclc/59167865) Contends "every coincidence is a message" that requires attention. Chopra explains ways to recognize meaning in ostensibly random occurrences using the seven principles of synchrodestiny. Includes exercises and specific techniques.

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[Psychology - Juvenile Non-fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=psychology+AND+juvenile+AND+non-fiction&f=&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i)

[Popular Psychology](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=psychology+AND+non-fiction&f=Popular+psychology*localsubjectdesc_ss%3APopular%5C+psychology)

[Self - actualization](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=self-+actualization&f=General+Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AGeneral%5C+Non%5C-Fiction)

[Psychology - Parenting](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=psychology+AND+non-fiction&f=Parenting+-+Children*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AParenting%5C+%5C-%5C+Children)

[Psychology - Medicine & Health](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Medicine+%26+Health*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AMedicine%5C+%5C%26%5C+Health&p=0&q=psychology+AND+non-fiction&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Adaptability (Psychology)](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ANon%5C-Fiction&p=0&q=adaptability+%28psychology%29&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

## Religion/Religious Fiction

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Guideposts.

### On the RTB

Devotions, Sundays @ 10 AM.

Inner Life, Sundays @ 5 AM.

Religion Update, Tuesdays @ 7 AM.

### Books

**Spiritual Defiance: Building a Beloved community of resistance.** [Robin R. Meyers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=robin+r.+Meyers). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=224460067.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=220552003.7132)  Minister discusses the role of the American church in the twenty-first century. Examines means of personal growth and connection with religious traditions, church community as an alternative to dominant culture, and the purpose of the church counter to that of the political state.

**The Journal**. [George Fox](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=George+Fox&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47875404.7132) Spiritual journal and autobiography of George Fox (1624-1691), the founder of the Religious Society of Friends - commonly known as Quakers - dictated during his imprisonment in the mid-1670s. Records his work, hardships, and successes in developing a new spiritual order in England.

**Martin Luther: the man who rediscovered God and changed the World**. [Eric Metaxas](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=eric+Metaxas&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=411754358.7132) The life and work of the monk Martin Luther. Particularly discusses the effect of his writings on the Reformation in Western Christendom.

**Why Buddhism is True: the science and philosophy of meditation and enlightenment**. [Robert Wright](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=robert+wright&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=411715657.7132) Uses neuroscience and psychology research to examine the fundamental claim of Buddhist meditation, in that one can learn to see the world and oneself more clearly.

**Name of God is Mercy**. [Pope Francis](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=pope+francis&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=234485154.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=245378223.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=247212178.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=249842179.7132) Pope Francis expounds on his belief that "mercy is the first attribute of God." Uses supporting examples from early years and experiences doing pastoral work. Discusses why the Catholic Church should remain open to everyone.

**Drawing Down the Moon: witches, druids, goddess-worshippers, and other pagans in America**. [Margot Adler](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=margot+adler). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=102391697.7132) The origins and resurgence of paganism and polytheistic myths, legends, and spirituality. Includes a guide to wiccan, neopagan, druid, heathen, and other groups; festivals; publications; and other resources.

**The Reason for My Hope: Salvation.** [Billy Graham](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=billy+graham&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157748118.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=152554950.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=157758355.7132). Evangelical preacher Billy Graham uses scripture and anecdotes to explain the concept of salvation. Urges people to accept the redemption that God offers and discusses the notions of hell and the Second Coming.

**The Next Person You Meet in Heaven.** [Mitch Albom](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mitch+Albom&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=499564413.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=499457809.7132). Years after an accident left her scarred and traumatized, Annie from The Five People You Meet in Heaven is celebrating her wedding to childhood sweetheart Paulo. But another accident leads Annie to meet the man who saved her life all those years ago.

**Exit West: a novel**. [Hamid Mohsin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mohsin+hamid&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=349599711.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=517848671.7132), [Braille.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=440959704.7132) Set in an unnamed city with a strict social code, atheist Nadia rebels against the strictures put upon her. She falls in love with the gentle, religious-minded Saeed as their city falls into chaos and militias seize control, forcing the pair to flee together.

**Black Elk: the sacred ways of the Lakota**. [Black Elk](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=black+elk&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47324445.7132). Wallace Black Elk was "called" to the sacred way of the "Chanunpa" when he was five years old. Eleven "grandfathers," or mentors, prepared him to use spiritual powers, to heal, and to help others.

**The Sacred Universe: Earth, spirituality, and religion in the twenty-first century.** [Thomas Berry](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBerry%2C%20Thomas&databaseList=638#/oclc/958999402). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=The+sacred+universe+%3A+earth%2C+spirituality%2C+and+religion+in+the+twenty-first+century&clusterResults=true#/oclc/958999402). A leading scholar, cultural historian, and Catholic priest who spent years writing about our engagement with the Earth, the author possessed prophetic insight into the rampant destruction of ecosystems and the extinction of species. In this book he makes a persuasive case for an interreligious dialogue that can confront environmental problems.

**The Everything World's Religion Book: discover the beliefs, traditions, and cultures of ancient and modern religions**. [Robert Pollock](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DPollock%2C%20Robert&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/963871631). [Braille.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?sortKey=LIBRARY&databaseList=638&queryString=The+everything+world%27s+religions+book+%3A+discover+the+beliefs%2C+traditions%2C+and+cultures+of+ancient+and+modern+religions&changedFacet=&overrideStickyFacetDefault=&stickyFacetsChecked=on&selectSortKey=LIBRARY&clusterResults=on&scope=wz%3A71599&subformat=Book%3A%3Abook_braille&year=all&yearFrom=&yearTo=&author=all&topic=all&database=all&language=all&materialtype=all) Covers Islam and Islamic sects, Hinduism and Hindu sects, Buddhism, Judaism, Judaic affiliations, Confucianism, Taoism, Jainism and Baha'i, Sikhism, Shinto, Lesser known faiths, Ancient faiths, Native American and African faiths, Pacific Rim faiths, New Age, and other beliefs.

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[Religion - Hinduism and Buddhism, Indic](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Religion+-+Hinduism+%26+Buddhism%2C+Indic+-+294*localsubject_ss%3AReligion%5C+%5C-%5C+Hinduism%5C+%5C%26%5C+Buddhism%2C%5C+Indic%5C+%5C-%5C+294)

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[Christian Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Religious+Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AReligious%5C+Fiction*Christian+Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AChristian%5C+Fiction&p=0&q=religious+fiction&i=subject_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0)

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## Romance

### BARD Magazines

People. Audio, Audio (Spanish).

### On the RTB

Bookworm, Mondays through Fridays @ 12 PM.

Good Night Owl, Mondays through Fridays @ 10 PM.

Poetic Reflections, Sundays @ 12 PM.

For the Younger Set, Sundays @ 11 AM.

### Books

**Trust Exercise**. [Susan Choi](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Susan+Choi). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519255858.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=558199521.7132). In the 1980s, students at a competitive performing arts high school have a passionate relationship that is noticed by the school's charismatic acting teacher. Years later, one of the students publishes a novel about that time, questioning what really happened. 2019 National Book Award.

**The Moon in the Palace: #1 empress of the bright moon.** [Weina Dai Randel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Weina+dai+Randel&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=278747412.7132). This is the first book in the [Empress of the Bright Moon](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=empress+of+the+bright+moon) series. In the court of the Chinese emperor, Mei has been chosen to be one of the fifteen concubines who serve the Inner Court. Though her command of traditional womanly skills is not the best, she draws the eye of both the emperor and his son.

**Between the Devil and the Duke: #3 Season for Scandal.** [Kelly Bowen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kelly+Bowen&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio.](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=340724127.7132) This is the third book in the [Season for Scandal](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Season+for+Scandal*series_ss%3ASeason%5C+for%5C+Scandal) series. Angelique tries to repair her aristocratic family's fortunes by visiting a gambling club, but she gets caught counting cards. Alex is the owner of the establishment, and one sight of the beautiful Angelique has him offering her a job instead of throwing her out.

**Mysterious: this magic moment, search for love, the right path.** [Nora Roberts](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Nora+Roberts&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=47085143.7132), [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48966678.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=44846607.7132). A trio of novels in which each heroine meets a man of mystery. **Note: The Spanish audio does not contain Search for Love.**

**If Not For You: #3 New Beginnings.** [Debbie Macomber](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Debbie+Macomber&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=345377600.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=373687606.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=365830181.7132). This is the third book in the [New Beginnings](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=New+Beginnings*series_ss%3ANew%5C+Beginnings) series. Eager to get away from her controlling mother, Beth moves to Portland, Oregon, to work as a music teacher. She agrees to a blind date with mechanic Sam, partly because she knows it would horrify her mother. An accident creates a bond between them.

**Gone with the Wind**. [Margaret Mitchell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Margaret+Mitchell&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=155832669.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=141135487.7132) [Audio (Finnish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=190542.7132) [Descriptive Video](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=181879.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=178428.7132). A romantic civil war epic in which Scarlet O'Hara, a forceful and ruthless heroine, and Rhett Butler, a war profiteer, play out their tempestuous love affair against the background of the war-torn South. Pulitzer Prize.

**Just Breathe**. [Cammie McGovern](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Cammie+McGovern). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=560439198.7132). An unlikely friendship between David, who is battling cystic fibrosis, and Jamie, who lives with chronic depression, turns into something so much more. But neither Jamie nor David can bring themselves to reveal the secrets that weigh most heavily on their hearts. Senior high + readers.

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[Romance - High School Level](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=High+School*readinglevel_ss%3AHigh%5C+School&p=0&q=Romance&i=subject_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0)

[Romance - American Setting](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=American+Setting+Romance*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AAmerican%5C+Setting%5C+Romance&p=0&q=Romance&i=subject_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0)

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[Spicy Romance](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Romance+-+Spicy+Romance+-+ROX*localsubject_ss%3ARomance%5C+%5C-%5C+Spicy%5C+Romance%5C+%5C-%5C+ROX)

[Christian Romance](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Christian+romance&i=subject_txt_en&s=-score)

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## Science and Technology

### BARD Magazines

Discover. Audio, Braille.

PC World. Braille.

Popular Mechanics. Braille.

Popular Science. Braille.

Science News. Braille.

The Week. Audio.

Wired. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Air and Space Smithsonian.

Discover.

Macworld.

MIT Technology Review.

Scientific American Online.

Science X.

PC World.

Popular Science.

Science News.

Wired.

### On the RTB

Chatauqua, Mondays through Fridays @ 6 AM.

Encyclopedia of the Air, Sundays @ 1 PM.

Potpourri, Mondays through Fridays @ 9 PM.

Search and Discover, Saturdays @ 8 PM and Wednesdays @ 4 AM.

Tanner’s Tech Den, first Sunday each month @ 8 PM and the next Thursday @3 AM.

Tech Wire, Wednesdays @ 7 AM.

### Books

**The Quantum Moment: how Planck, Bohr, Einstein, and Heisenberg taught us to love uncertainty**. [Robert P. Crease](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=robert+P.+Crease). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=191751515.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=191757759.7132). Discusses the lasting legacy of the research into quantum physics in the early 1900s. Presents material from their cross-disciplinary course that explores how science and human behavior meet in the definition of "quantum." Describes the impact of quantum research on science and popular culture.

**The Sound Book: the science of the sonic wonders of the World**. [Trevor Cox](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Trevor+cox). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=166719236.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=183461434.7132). Acoustic engineer details his search for sounds after having an epiphany about unusual noises while listening to the acoustics of a Victorian-era sewer. Explains mechanics of sounds like ice melting on a Siberian lake and singing sands in the Mojave Desert.

**The Sixth Extinction: an unnatural history**. [Elizabeth Kolbert](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Elizabeth+Kolbert). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=165147118.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=178247975.7132). Examines the causes of the five prehistoric mass extinctions and compares previous conditions with those existing in the twenty-first century. Posits that humanity is on the brink of the sixth mass extinction and is the primary cause of it.

**Astrophysics for People in a Hurry**. [Neil deGrasse Tyson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=neil+deGrasse+tyson). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=433295093.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=465369618.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=376020731.7132). Tyson, one of America's most celebrated astrophysicists, invites young readers to explore the mysteries of the universe, from communication with aliens to dark matter to why the world is round. For grades 3-6 and older readers.

**The End of Plenty: the race to feed a crowded World**. [Joel K. Bourne](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=joel+k.+Bourne). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=264792907.7132). Takes on the question of how we feed the world as population growth outstrips food production. Looks at agriculture in the past and the future of food production in the face of climate change.

**The Sea Around Us**. [Rachel Carson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=rachel+carson). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=299854600.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=126841.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=146583.7132). A revised edition of an award-winning classic. An eminent marine biologist reveals the science and poetry of the sea from its primeval beginnings billions of years ago to scientific probings of its tantalizing mysteries.

**Earth System Science: a very short introduction**. [Tim Lenton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Tim+Lenton). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=281551297.7132). Overviews the young research field of Earth system science, which combines elements of geology, biology, chemistry, physics, and mathematics to understand how the planet regulates itself and sustains life. Discusses human activities on the Earth's functioning.

**Tools and Weapons: the promise and peril of the digital age.** [Brad Smith](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Brad+Smith&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=546791436.7132). President of Microsoft presents an analysis of the ethical responsibilities of the technology sector regarding the ways the innovations they develop impact the world. Topics covered include surveillance, privacy, cybersecurity, digital diplomacy, broadband access in rural areas, artificial intelligence, and democratic access to data.

**Hands on Science, Math, and Technology: integrated activities that promote critical thinking**. [David Thurlo](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DThurlo%2C%20David&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Hands-on-science%2C+math%2C+and+technology+integrated+activities+that+promote+critical+thinking&clusterResults=true#/oclc/70664889). Science, Mathematics and technology activity programs. Grades 5-8.

**The Glass Cage: automation and us**. [Nicholas G. Carr](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=nicholas+carr&f=&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=the+glass+cage&clusterResults=true#/oclc/963212572). Digs behind the headlines about factory robots and self-driving cars, wearable computers and digitized medicine, as he explores the hidden costs of granting software dominion over our work and our leisure and reveals something we already suspect: shifting our attention to computer screens can leave us disengaged and discontented.

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[Technology](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ANon%5C-Fiction&p=0&q=Technology&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

[Science - Biology](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Science+-+Biology+-+BGY*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Biology%5C+%5C-%5C+BGY)

[Technology and Computers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Technology+%26+Computers*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ATechnology%5C+%5C%26%5C+Computers&p=0&q=science+and+technology&i=subject_txt_en&s=-score&l=false&mc=0)

[Science - Engineering](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Science+-+Engineering+-+ENG*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Engineering%5C+%5C-%5C+ENG*Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ANon%5C-Fiction)

[Science - Nature](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Science&f=Science+-+Nature*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Nature*General+Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AGeneral%5C+Non%5C-Fiction)

[Science - Nature - Juvenile](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Science+-+Nature*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Nature*Science*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AScience*Juvenile+Non-Fiction*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AJuvenile%5C+Non%5C-Fiction&p=0&q=Science&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0)

[Science - Physics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Science+-+Physics+-+PHY*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Physics%5C+%5C-%5C+PHY)

[Ancient Science](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=ancient+science)

[Science - Astronomy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Science+-+Astronomy+-+AST*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Astronomy%5C+%5C-%5C+AST)

[Science - Botany](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=science+-+botany&f=&i=_text_&s=score)

[Science - Chemistry](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=science+-+chemistry&f=)

[Science - Oceanography](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Science+-+Oceanography%2C+Sea+-+OCE*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Oceanography%2C%5C+Sea%5C+%5C-%5C+OCE)

[Science - Agriculture](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Science+-+Agriculture+-+AGR*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+%5C-%5C+Agriculture%5C+%5C-%5C+AGR)

[Computer Science](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Computer+Science+-+CMP*localsubject_ss%3AComputer%5C+Science%5C+%5C-%5C+CMP)

## Science Fiction

### BARD Magazines

Analog Science Fiction and Fact. Audio.

Asimov’s Science Fiction. Audio.

### On the RTB

CrossTime Café, Saturdays @ 1 AM.

RTB After Hours, Mondays through Fridays @ 11 PM.

### Books

**The Dream Master**. [Roger Zelazny](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=roger+zelazny&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48842922.7132). Psychotherapist and shaper Charles Render modifies people's dreams as part of their treatment. While training blind psychiatrist Eileen Shallot to become a shaper, Charles enters her dreams to introduce her to sight. But when he falls in love with her, her dreams become his torment.

**The City in the Middle of Night**. [Charlie Jane Anders](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=au%3Danders%2C+charlie+jane&clusterResults=true#/oclc/964450195). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=524907574.7132). Humanity struggles to survive on January, a planet divided between permanent states of freezing darkness and blazing sunshine. Presumed dead after being exiled into night, Sophie vows to stay hidden - but fate has other plans.

**A Memory Called Empire**. [Arkady Martine](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=arkady+Martine&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519241439.7132). Ambassador Mahit Dzmare discovers that the death of her predecessor at a small independent mining station in the multi-system Teixcalaanli Empire may not have been an accident. She must discover the killer, rescue herself, and save her station from expansion while navigating an alien culture.

**The Calculating Stars**. [Mary Robinette Kowal](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mary+Robinette+Kowal). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=485748249.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519256200.7132). This is the first book in the [Lady Astronaut](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Lady+Astronaut*series_ss%3ALady%5C+Astronaut) series. In an alternate 1952, a meteor strike causes a climate cataclysm, radically accelerating Earth's efforts to colonize space. Elma York's experience as a WASP pilot and mathematician earns her a spot in the International Aerospace Coalition. She fights to become the first female astronaut.

**The Long Way to a Small, Angry Planet**. [Becky Chambers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Becky+Chambers). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=375966141.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=318946765.7132). This is the first book in the [Wayfarers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Wayfarers*series_ss%3AWayfarers) series. A crew of wormhole builders hops from planet to planet on its way to the job of a lifetime. The crew includes a young Martian woman and a pacifist captain. They travel against a backdrop of curious cultures and distant worlds.

**The Stone Sky**. [N.K. Jemisin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jemisin). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=404722355.7132). This is the third book in the [Broken Earth](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Broken+Earth*series_ss%3ABroken%5C+Earth) series. The fate of the world depends on the choices of two women. Essun wants to make a world safe for orogenes, even as the Moon returns. Her daughter, Nassun, however, believes that the world is hopelessly corrupt and must be destroyed.

**The Three Body Problem**. [Cixin Liu](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=liu+cixin&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=199129450.7132). This is the first book in the [Remembrance of Earth’s Past](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Remembrance+of+Earth%27s+Past*series_ss%3ARemembrance%5C+of%5C+Earth%27s%5C+Past) series. A secret military project broadcasts signals into space to establish extraterrestrial contact, but when an alien civilization on the brink of destruction intercepts them, they decide to invade Earth. In response, sides form between those who would fight the invaders or welcome them.

**Cinder**. [Marissa Meyer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=marissa+meyer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136060055.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=151704484.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=234484168.7132). This is the first book in the [Lunar Chronicles](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Lunar+Chronicles*series_ss%3ALunar%5C+Chronicles) series. Cinder, a teen cyborg and the best mechanic in New Beijing, labors to support her stepmother--and owner--Adri and Adri's two daughters. But after Cinder's only human friend, her stepsister Peony, is infected with the plague letumosis, Adri volunteers Cinder's body for plague research. For senior high and older readers.

**Cyberia**. [Chris Lynch](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Chris+Lynch&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Cyberia&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1110652272). In a future where electronic surveillance has taken the place of love, a veterinarian is putting computer chips in animals to control them, and those creatures choose young Zane, who understands their speech, to release captives and bring them to a technology-free safety zone.

**The Marrow Thieves**. [Cherie Dimaline](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DDimaline%2C%20Cherie&databaseList=638). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=&queryString=the+marrow+thieves&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1057556519). In a future world ravaged by global warming, people have lost the ability to dream, and the dreamlessness has led to widespread madness. The only people still able to dream are North America's indigenous population - and it is their marrow that holds the cure for the rest of the world. But getting the marrow - and dreams - means death for the unwilling donors.

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[Science Fiction - Space Stories](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Science+Fiction+-+Space+Stories+-+SCFSS*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+Fiction%5C+%5C-%5C+Space%5C+Stories%5C+%5C-%5C+SCFSS)

[Science Fiction - Young Adult](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Science+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3AScience%5C+fiction*Young+Adult+Interest*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AYoung%5C+Adult%5C+Interest)

[Science Fiction - Short Stories](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=science+Fiction+AND+Short+stories)

[Science Fiction - Time Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Science+Fiction+-+Time+Travel+-+SCFTT*localsubject_ss%3AScience%5C+Fiction%5C+%5C-%5C+Time%5C+Travel%5C+%5C-%5C+SCFTT)

[Science Fiction - Classics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=%22science+fiction%22+AND+Classics)

## Spanish Language

### BARD Magazines

People. Audio (Spanish).

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

El Diario.

El Nuevo Herald.

El Sentinel.

La Opinion.

La Prensa.

### Books

**Sagrada Biblia: version directa de las lenguas originales**. [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=113025560.7132). El Antiguo y el Nuevo Testamento en una version traducida directamente del original en hebreo y griego por Eloino Nacar Fuster y Alberto Colunga. The Old and New Testaments translated into Spanish from the original Hebrew and Greek.

**La química (The chemist)**. [Stephenie Meyer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=stephenie+Meyer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=376039661.7132). Una ex experta para una agencia secreta del gobierno vive como fugitiva cuando su reputación es difamada. Un manejador de su pasado le ofrece una salida si toma un último caso, pero la información que ella maneja la pone en mayor peligro.

**A Treasury of Curious George/Coleccion de Oro Jorge el Curioso**. [Margret Rey](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Margret+Rey&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio (English/Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=122768752.7132). Una colección bilingúe de ocho cuentos sobre un mono adorable y aventurero llamado Jorge. Incluye Jorge el curioso va a la juguetería, Jorge el curioso va de campamento, y Jorge el curioso visita la biblioteca.

**Siempre amigos (Friends forever)**. [Danielle Steel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=danielle+Steel&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio (Spanish).](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=349627549.7132) Izzie, Gabby, Billy, Sean, and Andy are best friends all through their private-school days in San Francisco. Their teen years bring parents' divorces, blended families, and college applications. But tragedies occur once they enter the "real world."

**Harry Potter y la camara secreta (Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets): #2 Harry Potter**. [J. K. Rowling](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=j.+k.+Rowling&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=97603558.7132), [Braille (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=176934.7132). This is the second book in the [Harry Potter](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Spanish*language_ss%3ASpanish&p=0&q=harry+potter&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0) series. A pesar de una amenaza mortal que se cierne sobre el Colegio Hogwarts, Harry se dirige al colegio para iniciar el segundo año de estudios mgicos. Así pues, Harry encuentra peligros de la Cámara Secreta que alguién abrió. También Harry vuelve a enfrentarse con la mismísima reencarnación de su ms temible adversario. Sigue a Harry Potter y la Piedra Filosofal Para grados 4 a 7.

**1491: Una Nueva Historia de las Americas antes de Colon (1491: New Revelations of the Americas before Columbus)**. [Charles C. Mann](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Charles+C.+Mann). [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=206212217.7132). Analiza el ascenso y la caiÌda de los imperios indiÌgenas de las AmeÌricas y ofrece conclusiones de la investigacioÌn antropoloÌgica y arqueoloÌgica sobre el hemisferio occidental antes de la exploracioÌn europea. Examina la evidencia de una gran poblacioÌn indiÌgena y su impacto ecoloÌgico sobre el medio ambiente a traveÌs de la modificacioÌn de los cultivos, el paisajismo, y la agricultura en la selva tropical. Traducido del IngleÌs.

**Las Cartas de Emiliano Zapata (The Letters of Emiliano Zapata)**. [Emiliano Zapata](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=emiliano+Zapata&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio (Spanish)](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=220553871.7132). Una seleccioÌn de la correspondencia del reformador agrario del Estado de Morelos y legendario liÌder de la RevolucioÌn Mexicana, Emiliano Zapata Salazar (1879-1919). Incluye una introduccioÌn biograÌfica y testimonios de personas comunes y corrientes que lo conocieron.

**Nosotros somos Dios: pieza en dos actos**.  [Wilberto L Cantón](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DCanto%CC%81n%2C%20Wilberto%20L&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Santo Samuel Trifilo](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DTrifilo%2C%20Santo%20Samuel&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Luis Soto-Ruiz](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DSoto-Ruiz%2C%20Luis&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Audio (Spanish).](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=ti%3Anosotros+somos+dios&clusterResults=true#/oclc/957286670) A Spanish language play in two acts.

**Me Ilamo Maria Isabel**. [Alma Flor Ada](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DAda%2C%20Alma%20Flor&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Kathryn Dyble Thompson](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DThompson%2C%20Kathryn%20Dyble&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Braille (Spanish).](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Me+llamo+Mar%C3%ADa+Isabel&clusterResults=true#/oclc/35527050) Third grader María Isabel, born in Puerto Rico and now living in the U.S., wants badly to fit in at school; and the teacher's writing assignment "My Greatest Wish" gives her that opportunity.

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[Foreign Language - Spanish](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Foreign+Language+-+Spanish+-+FLSP*localsubject_ss%3AForeign%5C+Language%5C+%5C-%5C+Spanish%5C+%5C-%5C+FLSP)

[Spanish Language - Bestsellers](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+language+-+Spanish+AND+bestsellers&i=subject_txt_en&s=-pubyear_i)

[Spanish Language - Classics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+language+-+Spanish+AND+classics&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i)

[Spanish Language - Mystery & Detective - Suspense](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Foreign+Language+-+Spanish+-+FLSP*localsubject_ss%3AForeign%5C+Language%5C+%5C-%5C+Spanish%5C+%5C-%5C+FLSP*Mystery+%26+Detective+-+Suspense*localsubjectdesc_ss%3AMystery%5C+%5C%26%5C+Detective%5C+%5C-%5C+Suspense&p=0&q=&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0)

[Spanish Language - Juvenile](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+Language+-+Spanish+AND+juvenile&i=_text_&s=-score)

[Spanish Language - Horror](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+Language+-+Spanish+AND+Horror&f=&i=_text_&s=score)

[Spanish Language - Romance](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+Language+-+Spanish+AND+Romance)

[Spanish Language - War](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+language+-+Spanish+AND+War&i=_text_&s=-score)

[Spanish Language - Westerns](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+Language+-+Spanish+AND+Westerns&i=_text_&s=-score)

[Spanish Language - History](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Foreign+language+-+Spanish+AND+history&i=_text_&s=-score)

## Spies and Espionage

### On the RTB

Night Journey, Monday through Fridays @ 7 PM.

### Books

**Tree of Smoke**. [Denis Johnson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Denis+Johnson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=49394455.7132). William "Skip" Sands joins the CIA and works for his uncle, the legendary "Colonel," in Vietnam. Bill and James Houston are American enlistees, widowed Canadian Kathy Jones nurses casualties, and Vietnamese Trung becomes a communist spy. War changes all of them. National Book Award.

**The Way of the Knife: The CIA, a secret army, and a war at the ends of the Earth**. [Mark Mazzetti](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Mark+Mazzetti&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=152898668.7132). Tracks the militarization of the CIA and its use of special forces after the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. Discusses targeted killings via drone strikes and the emergence of a military-intelligence alliance to carry out this new style of war.

**Rose Under Fire: #3 Code Name Verity**. [Elizabeth Wein](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=elizabeth+Wein&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154328810.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=154317550.7132). This is the third book in the [Code Name Verity World](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Code+Name+Verity*series_ss%3ACode%5C+Name%5C+Verity) series. Companion to Code Name Verity. After a daring flight maneuver, young American pilot Rose Justice is captured by Nazis and sent to Ravensbruck, a notorious women's concentration camp. Rose's fellow prisoners help her to keep hope alive. Schneider Family Book Award. Violence and strong language. For senior high and older readers.

**In Farleigh Field: a novel**. [Rhys Bowen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=rhys+bowen&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=468923893.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=545140589.7132). England, 1941. Although an airplane crash kept Ben Cresswell out of battle, he is working for MI5 searching for spies. When a failed parachute jump leaves a suspicious corpse in his neighbors' Farleigh Place field, Ben investigates. Meanwhile, Pamela Sutton from Farleigh is secretly a government codebreaker. Agatha Award.

**Dragonfly: a novel**. [Leila Meacham](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Leila+Meacham&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=535258615.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=551989366.7132). In 1942, five young men and women agree to a mission in Vichy France. Twenty years later, former spymaster Alistair Renault discovers a reference to that top-secret mission, which he ran. It suggests that a team member who was executed may have actually survived.

**Codename Conspiracy, books #1-#3: Codename zero; Countdown zero; Crisis zero**. [Chris Rylander](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=chris+rylander&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=499471139.7132). Trilogy, written between 2014 and 2016, featuring thirteen-year-old Carson Fender, a prankster, who becomes involved in espionage activities in his small North Dakota town. In Codename Zero, a desperate man foists a mysterious package onto Carson - with a strange request. Includes Countdown Zero and Crisis Zero. For grades 5-8.

**The Guns of Navarone; Force 10 from Navarone**. [Alistair MacLean](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=alistair+maclean&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=87685776.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=150461.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=187291.7132). Two classic World War II adventures. In The Guns of Navarone, a British sabotage team must destroy Nazi weapons so that a small Greek island can be evacuated. In Force 10 from Navarone, three allied spies are assigned an impossible mission in Yugoslavia. **Note: Large Print is only The Guns of Navarone.**

**The Manchurian Candidate**. [Richard Condon](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=richard+condon&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=150105.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=150105.7132). An American soldier captured during the Korean War is brainwashed by his communist captors and hypnotized to commit crimes on command. When he returns home he is hailed as a hero, but immediately becomes the center of political intrigue.

**Writer, Sailor, Soldier, Spy: Ernest Hemingway's secret adventures, 1935-1961**. [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Writer%2C+sailor%2C+soldier%2C+spy+%3A+Ernest+Hemingway%27s+secret+adventures%2C&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1000056053). [Nicholas E. Reynolds](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DReynolds%2C%20Nicholas%20E&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on#/oclc/1000056053). In 2010, official CIA historian Nicholas Reynolds, a longtime American intelligence officer, former U.S. Marine colonel, and Oxford-trained historian, began to uncover clues suggesting Nobel Prize-winning novelist Ernest Hemingway's involvement in mid-twentieth century spycraft was far more complex, sustained, and fraught with risks than has been previously supposed.

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[Spy, Espionage - Adult non-fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=spy%2C+espionage+AND+adult+non-fiction&f=)

[Spy, Espionage - Juvenile](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=spy%2C+espionage+AND+juvenile&i=_text_&s=-score)

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## Sports and Recreation

### BARD Magazines

American League Baseball. Braille.

MLB Combined Schedule by Date. Braille.

National Baseball League. Braille.

National Basketball Association. Braille.

National Football League. Braille.

National Hockey League. Audio.

Sport Illustrated. Audio.

Sports Illustrated for Kids. Audio.

Woman’s National Basketball Association Schedule. Braille.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

ESPN Online.

ESPN the Magazine.

Men’s Journal.

Runner’s World.

Shape.

Sporting News.

Sports Illustrated Online.

### On the RTB

BlindAlive Exercise Program, Monday through Saturdays @ 10 AM.

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### Books

**Never Sniff a Gift Fish**. [Patrick F. McManus](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Patrick+f.+McManus&f=&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=240725113.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=151676.7132). Tongue-in-cheek tales of a sportsman's life in the great and often not-so-great outdoors. McManus writes from his considerable experience of the agonies and ecstasies of hunting, fishing, and camping.

**Encyclopedia Brown's Book of Wacky Sports**. [Donald J. Sobol](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?p=0&q=Donald+J.+sobol&i=_text_&s=-score&l=false&f=&mc=0). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=97625446.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=132959.7132). A collection of humorous and bizarre happenings in football, baseball, basketball, and other sports. For grades 4-7.

**The Making of a Miracle: the untold story of the captain of the 1980 gold medal-winning U.S. Olympic hockey team**. [Mike Eruzione](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=eruzione&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=562510383.7132). Memoir of the captain of the 1980 US Olympic hockey team. In addition to sharing his personal history in and out of the sport of hockey, he recounts the historic upset over the favored Soviet team that became known as the “Miracle on Ice.”

**Total Fitness in 30 Minutes a Week**. [Laurence Englemohr Morehouse](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=laurence+morehouse). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=262405218.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=152444.7132). A professor of exercise physiology demonstrates the importance of a sensible approach to a physical fitness program and to weight control. He debunks some popular myths about exercise and discourages the use of fad diets.

**How I Play Golf**. [Tiger Woods](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Tiger+Woods&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=172681539.7132). Explains his mental and physical approaches to winning. Woods analyzes every aspect of the game from putting to choosing the right club. Explains the fundamentals of his movements and techniques and how to work a course.

**K: a history of baseball in ten pitches**. [Tyler Kepner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=tyler+kepner). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519224136.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=550105174.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=574536993.7132). The baseball columnist for the New York Times presents a history of the sport, told through the ten major pitches of the game. Includes commentary from some of the best pitchers in baseball history, such as Nolan Ryan, Greg Maddux, Bob Gibson, and Mariano Rivera.

**Mind and Matter: a life in math and football**. [John Urschel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=urschel%2C+john&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=529283667.7132). Mathematician and retired professional football player details the impact of passionately pursuing both fields. Discusses why he chose to play football, the role of chronic traumatic encephalopathy (CTE) in his decision to retire, and working to understand the interaction between mind and body.

**Broken Places & Outer Spaces: finding creativity in the unexpected**. [Nnedi Okorafor](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=okorafor). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=541332843.7132). The author recounts how a simple operation took her from track star to paralyzed. Confined in a hospital bed for months, she began to imagine fantastical things and turn those experiences into writing. Also discusses her childhood and other authors who have used hardship to fuel their work.

**The Incomplete Book of Running**. [Peter Sagal](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Peter+Sagal&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=508289078.7132). The emotional and physical experience of becoming a serious runner after living a fairly sedentary life. He shares stories of running marathons and serving as a guide to visually impaired runners.

**Babe Didrikson Zaharias: the making of a champion**. [Russell Freedman](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Russell+Freedman&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=87768730.7132). Biography of the "greatest woman athlete of all time," who broke records in golf, track and field, and other sports in an era when there were few opportunities for female players. Discusses her childhood and her career after winning three medals in the 1932 Olympics. For grades 5-8.

**Sixty years & sixty heroes: a celebration of Minnesota sports.** [Ross Bernstein](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBernstein%2C%20Ross&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Bud Grant](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DGrant%2C%20Bud&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Kent Hrbek](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DHrbek%2C%20Kent&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Joe Mauer](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DMauer%2C%20Joe&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Lindsay Whalen](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DWhalen%2C%20Lindsay&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Sixty+years+%26+sixty+heroes+%3A+a+celebration+of+Minnesota+sports&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1015342702). Chronicles Minnesota's greatest sports heroes and sporting events. Each chapter features the top three events from the world of Minnesota sports with interviews and biographies of hometown or homegrown heroes.

**Sports Heroes**. [Peter Weiniger](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DWeiniger%2C%20Peter&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on), [Rigby.](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3D%22Rigby.%22&databaseList=638&translateSearch=false&expandSearch=true&clusterResults=on) [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Sports+heroes%2C+weiniger&clusterResults=true#/oclc/77220718). Everyone can play sports, but only some of us grow up to be champions. Champions need special talents to reach the top in their chosen sports, but they also have to be prepared to work hard and train long hours in order to achieve their goals.

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[Sports - Football](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Sports+-+Football+-+SPF*localsubject_ss%3ASports%5C+%5C-%5C+Football%5C+%5C-%5C+SPF)

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[Sports - Hockey](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Sports+-+Hockey+-+SPH*localsubject_ss%3ASports%5C+%5C-%5C+Hockey%5C+%5C-%5C+SPH)

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[Sports - Olympics](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=&f=Sports+-+Olympics+-+SPOO*localsubject_ss%3ASports%5C+%5C-%5C+Olympics%5C+%5C-%5C+SPOO)

[Sports - Tennis and Badminton](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Sports+-+Tennis+%26+Badminton+-+SPOT*localsubject_ss%3ASports%5C+%5C-%5C+Tennis%5C+%5C%26%5C+Badminton%5C+%5C-%5C+SPOT)

[Sports - Golf](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=sports+-+Golf)

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## Suspense

### BARD Magazines

Ellery Queen. Audio.

### On the RTB

Night Journey, Mondays through Friday @7 PM.

Suspense! Wednesdays @ 10:20 AM.

### Books

**Echoes from the Macabre: selected stories.** [Daphne Du Maurier](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Daphne+Du+Maurier&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=245088359.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=171056.7132). Collection of nine classic tales of oddness, secrets, and unexplained happenings by a virtuoso of suspense and terror.

**Dreaming Spies**. [Laurie R. King](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Laurie+R.+King&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=199130975.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=499967265.7132). This is the thirteenth book in the [Mary Russell and Sherlock Holmes](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Mary+Russell+and+Sherlock+Holmes*series_ss%3AMary%5C+Russell%5C+and%5C+Sherlock%5C+Holmes) series. On board a ship in 1924, Russell and Holmes encountered a blackmailing earl, his wife, and a young Japanese woman who tutored the foreigners about her country. Russell suspected that Miss Sato Haruki was not all that she seemed--and a year later, the intrigue surrounding her continues. Agatha Award winner.

**The Brutal Telling**. [Louise Penny](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Louise+Penny&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=55300353.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=188442674.7132). This is the fifth book on the [Chief Inspector Gamache](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Chief+Inspector+Gamache*series_ss%3AChief%5C+Inspector%5C+Gamache) series. The murder of an old man found bludgeoned in a bistro. At a remote cabin purportedly owned by the deceased, Gamache and his team find a cache of rare books, priceless antiquities--and blood. Agatha Award winner.

**Bearskin**. [James A. McLaughlin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=James+A.+McLaughlin). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=483986634.7132). Rice Moore has a job protecting the wildlife in the Appalachian Mountains, hiding from the drug cartels he betrayed. When he finds a bear carcass, he is determined to catch the poachers, but his plan might bring him to the attention of the people who want him dead.

**The Postman Always Rings Twice.** [James M. Cain](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Cain%2C+James+M.*author_ss%3ACain%2C%5C+James%5C+M.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=121376951.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=103736322.7132). A novel of clandestine love, murder, and accidental death. Vagabond Frank Chambers stops at a California roadside sandwich stand run by a Greek man and his American wife. Captivated by her, Frank hires on and they begin a mutually destructive affair.

**The Room of White Fire**. [T. Jefferson Parker](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=T.+Jefferson+Parker&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=417299074.7132). PI Roland Ford is asked to locate an Air Force veteran who has escaped from a mental institution. Ford soon realizes that a shroud of secrecy hangs over the disappearance of Clay Hickman. Shamus Award Best Hardcover Novel.

**Justine**. [Lawrence Durrell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Lawrence+Durrell). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64690732.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=88394072.7132). This is the first book in the [Alexandria Quartet](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=alexandria+quartet) series. Alexandria, Egypt, on the eve of World War II. Although the narrator, an exiled Irish schoolteacher, lives with his Greek mistress, Melissa, it is his affair with Justine, a Jewish society woman married to Nessim, a Coptic Christian, that initiates a web of political and sexual intrigue.

**The Perfect Alibi**. [Phillip Margolin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Phillip+Margolin). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=514355261.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=551986589.7132). This is the second book in the [Robin Lockwood](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Robin+Lockwood*series_ss%3ARobin%5C+Lockwood) series. A college athlete is imprisoned for rape--but another rape occurs and DNA shows the same person committed both attacks. After the athlete is granted bail, his lawyer disappears and his law partner is murdered. Robin Lockwood represents the victim of the first rape.

**Don't Go to Sleep**. [R. L. Stine](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=R.+L.+Stine&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=63844891.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=147913.7132). This is the fifty-fourth book in the [Goosebumps](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Goosebumps*series_ss%3AGoosebumps) series. Twelve-year-old Matthew Amsterdam, a geek according to his older brother and sister, has the tiniest bedroom in their house, so there is hardly room for him, let alone his books. There is a bigger bedroom, but it is supposed to be the guest room. One night Matt decides to sleep there, and when he wakes up, he is older than his brother and sister. For grades 4-7.

**Night Whispers**. [Judith McNaught](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=McNaught%2C+Judith.*author_ss%3AMcNaught%2C%5C+Judith.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=145136265.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=148807.7132), [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=night+whispers%2C+mcnaught#/oclc/45432232). Policewoman Sloan Reynolds never knew her father and has no desire to see him when he begs her to join him in Palm Beach. A few days later Sloan is persuaded to accept the invitation by FBI agent Paul Richardson, who says her father is suspected of several crimes.

**The Night Market**. [Jonathan Moore](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Moore%2C+Jonathan.*author_ss%3AMoore%2C%5C+Jonathan.). [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=%22the+night+market%22+by+moore#/oclc/1035160504). The story begins routinely enough with its main protagonist, homicide investigator Ross Carver and his partner, Jenner, being dispatched to the scene of an apparent murder in an upscale San Francisco neighborhood. But things quickly take an unexpected and somewhat gory turn when the rapidly deteriorating body is examined.

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[Suspense Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Suspense+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3ASuspense%5C+fiction)

[Romance - Romantic Suspense](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Romance+-+Romantic+Suspense+-+ROS*localsubject_ss%3ARomance%5C+%5C-%5C+Romantic%5C+Suspense%5C+%5C-%5C+ROS)

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[Romantic Suspense Fiction](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Romantic+suspense+fiction*nls_subject_ss%3ARomantic%5C+suspense%5C+fiction)

[Suspense - Horror](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?s=-pubyear_i&q=Suspense+AND+Horror&f=)

## Travel

### BARD Magazines

France-Amérique. Audio.

Kiplinger’s Personal Finance. Audio, Braille.

National Geographic. Audio, Braille.

National Geographic for Kids. Audio.

Travel + Leisure. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

Baltimore Magazine.

CondeNast Traveler.

### On the RTB

National Geographic, Tuesdays @ 3 PM and Sundays @ 3 AM.

World Safari, Mondays @ 3 PM.

### Books

**Strange Tales of World Travel: bizarre, mysterious, horrible, hilarious**. [Gina Gaille](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Gina+Gaille). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=526859995.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=538022443.7132). Married couple share fifty stories of their own and others' unusual travel experiences around the world. In "Shark Repellent," a tour guide recounts how a tourist drove off a charging lemon shark. In "Too Close for Comfort," Gina describes an encounter with mountain gorillas in Rwanda.

**Bound by Ice: a true North Pole survival story**. [Sandra Neil Wallace](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Wallace%2C+Sandra+Neil.*author_ss%3AWallace%2C%5C+Sandra%5C+Neil.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=411793937.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=421292204.7132). An account of Lieutenant Commander George W. De Long's expedition to reach the North Pole with thirty-two men aboard the U. S. S. Jeannette. Believing the North Pole to be home to warm tropical waters, the crew's adventure becomes a tale of survival after encountering harsh polar conditions. For grades 5-8.

**Escalante's Dream: on the trail of the Spanish discovery of the Southwest**. [David Roberts](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=%22Roberts%2C+David%22&f=&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=541298634.7132). An adventure writer travels the 1,700-mile eighteenth-century journey of the Domínguez-Escalante scouting expedition. As he describes his own experiences, he recounts the glories, catastrophes, and courage of the original expedition, which sought to chart a new route to the Spanish missions in California from Santa Fe.

**The Promise of the Grand Canyon: John Wesley Powell's perilous journey and his vision for the American West**. [John F. Ross](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=John+F.+Ross). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=484018122.7132). Profile of Civil War amputee veteran who was the first Anglo explorer to travel the length of the Colorado River and document the Grand Canyon. Describes his work as the second director of the U. S. Geological Survey and his attempts to tie homesteading management to watershed availability.

**A Tramp Abroad**. [Mark Twain](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Twain%2C+Mark.*author_ss%3ATwain%2C%5C+Mark.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=350922902.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=30409423.7132). Mark Twain constructs a tour through Germany, Switzerland, France, and Italy. Integrates humor, autobiography, and history to entertain.

**Wild Horses of the Summer Sun: a memoir of Iceland**. [Tory Bilski](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Bilski%2C+Tory.*author_ss%3ABilski%2C%5C+Tory.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=529295403.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=525645147.7132). Memoir of traveling to Iceland every summer from 2004 to 2015 in order to ride horses. Discusses bonding with her fellow travelers, living in a rural part of Iceland, and working with the horses. Shares the ways the trips changed over twelve years.

**Walking the Americas: 1,800 miles, eight countries, and one incredible journey from Mexico to Colombia**. [Wood Levison](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=wood+Levison). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=538035250.7132). Recounts his travels by foot from the Yucatán in Mexico through Central and South America to Colombia. Describes people he meets, including indigenous tribes, refugees, and revolutionaries. Discusses the history of the land and challenges he faced.

**Railroads and the American People**. [H. Roger Grant](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=H.+Roger+Grant&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=137787042.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=139560613.7132). History professor explores the development of railroads and their impact on American culture. Focuses on four key areas: trains, stations, communities, and legacy. Includes analyses of line closings, wrecks, and corruption relating to the railroad business.

**The Longest Way Home: One Man's Quest for the Courage to Settle Down.** [Andrew McCarthy.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=McCarthy%2C+Andrew.*author_ss%3AMcCarthy%2C%5C+Andrew.) [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=136079312.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=134118976.7132). Actor and travel writer McCarthy discusses the impact his travels have had on his psyche. Describes climbing Mt. Kilimanjaro; visiting Baltimore, Maryland; and boating on the Amazon. Details the ways the trips helped him grow up, learn about himself, and better relate to others.

**Saint Croix notes**. [Noah Adams](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Noah+Adams&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=339472342.7132). Adams, an anchor of NPR's "All Things Considered," spent a year in Minnesota, hiking along the Saint Croix River, observing the weather, investigating nature, reflecting on life, recalling conversations with family and friends, and reminding us how the past lives on in our memories.

**Running away to home: our family's journey to Croatia in search of who we are, where we came from, and what really matters**. [Jennifer Wilson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Jennifer+Wilson). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=119510932.7132). Documents the experiences of a family that set aside their unfulfilling, over-scheduled lives in the American Midwest for a sabbatical in a tiny Croatian mountain village, where for several months they reconnected with the author's family, herded sheep and lived according to local customs.

**A Long Way Home**. [Saroo Brierley](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DBrierley%2C%20Saroo&databaseList=638), [Larry Buttrose](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=au%3DButtrose%2C%20Larry&databaseList=638). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=340750051.7132), [Braille](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=a+long+way+home%2C+brierley&clusterResults=true#/oclc/1106031485). As a little boy in India, Saroo Brierley got lost on a train. Twenty-five years later, from Australia, he found his way back. This is what happened in between. Born in a poor village in India, Saroo lived hand-to-mouth in a one room hut with his mother and three siblings . . . until at age five, he mistakenly boarded a train by himself, and ended up in Calcutta, all the way across the country.

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[Travel & Geography](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Travel+%26+Geography+-+TRA*localsubject_ss%3ATravel%5C+%5C%26%5C+Geography%5C+%5C-%5C+TRA)

[Travel & Geography - U.S.](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Travel+%26+Geography+-+U.S+-+TRAUS*localsubject_ss%3ATravel%5C+%5C%26%5C+Geography%5C+%5C-%5C+U.S%5C+%5C-%5C+TRAUS)

[Train Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Travel+%26+Geography*localsubjectdesc_ss%3ATravel%5C+%5C%26%5C+Geography&p=0&q=train+travel&i=_text_&s=-pubyear_i&l=false&mc=0)

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[Motorcycle Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Motorcycle+Travel)

[Bicycle Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=bicycle+Travel&f=&i=_text_&s=score)

[Space Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Space+travel)

[Pioneer Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=pioneer+travel&f=&i=_text_&s=score)

[Time Travel](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Time+travel)

## Visual Disability Interest

### BARD Magazines

Braille Book Review. Braille.

Talking Book Topics. Audio.

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

ACB Braille Forum.

Access World.

Braille Monitor.

Building the Lives We Want.

Future Reflections.

Journal of Blindness Innovation and Research.

Lion Magazine.

### On the RTB

Interviews, the fourth Sunday in a five-Sunday month @ 8 PM and the next Thursday @ 3 AM.

Speaking for Ourselves, last Sunday each month @ 8 PM and the next Thursday @ 3 AM.

Tanner’s Tech Den, first Sunday each month @ 8 PM first Sunday and next Thursday @ 3 AM.

Main Menu, second and third Sundays each month @ 8 PM and next Thursday @ 3 AM.

### Books

**The Distance Between Me and the Cherry Tree**. [Poala Peretti](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Paola+Peretti&i=_text_&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=551426843.7132). When young Mafalda learns she will go blind in six months from Stargardt disease, she needs the help of family and friends to remind her what is important. For grades 3-6.

**When You Can't Believe Your Eyes: vision loss and personal recovery**. [Hannah Fairbairn](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Hannah+Fairbairn&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=549686286.7132). With a special emphasis on the challenges faced by seniors with failing vision, this highly practical how-to focuses on practical, social, and personal recovery for adults who are losing their sight.

**More Than Meets the Eye: what blindness brings to art**. [Georgina Kleege](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Georgina+Kleege&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=508314433.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=135285.7132). Critically examines the ways institutions make art accessible to blind people and the connection of visual arts with language. Uses personal experiences, scientific studies, and historical literary analysis to support her arguments.

**Outside Myself**. [Kristen Witucki](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Kristen+Witucki&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=471854874.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=468905723.7132). When Tallie, a girl struggling to adjust to her blindness, calls Adult Reader Services at a library for the blind, she connects with Benjamin, an older man working in customer service. The two bond over the phone and create a special relationship. For senior high and older readers.

**No Barriers: a blind man's journey to kayak the Grand Canyon**. [Erik Weihenmayer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Erik+Weihenmayer&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=340725047.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=383568130.7132). The author lost his sight as a teen but still seeks adventure around the world. He shares his experience kayaking the Colorado River and his efforts to help other blind people, especially children, learn to live adventurous lives.

**All the Light We Cannot See**. [Anthony Doerr](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Anthony+Doerr&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=175298141.7132), [Audio (Spanish),](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=242443535.7132) [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=221295388.7132). When Paris is invaded by the Nazis, Marie-Laure LeBlanc's father evacuates her to St. Malo to stay with her great-uncle. Blind since the age of six, Marie-Laure must learn the town by the scale model her father has left. Then, the Germans arrive. Pulitzer Prize winner. 2014.

**The Awakening of HK Derryberry: my unlikely friendship with the boy who remembers everything**. [James L. Bradford](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=James+L.+Bradford&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=440969955.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=444284570.7132). Account of friendship that developed between Bradford, a retiree, and HK Derryberry, a young boy who has Highly Superior Autobiographical Memory in addition to having cerebral palsy and being blind from birth. Shares the challenges HK and his grandmother faced, as well as opportunities HK experienced as he grew up.

**Blinded by Sight: seeing race through the eyes of the blind.** [Osagie K. Obasogie](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Osagie+K.&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=161269969.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=163661676.7132). Legal scholar explores the ways blind people experience racial differences. Argues that we are socialized to attach particular characteristics to race regardless of our ability to see and considers the implications of that convention on efforts to achieve a "colorblind" society.

**Reaching for the Top in the Land Down Under**. [Marc Maurer](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=mark+maurer) (editor). Short story collection edited and published by the National Federation of the Blind. [Audio](https://minnesotastateservsfortheblind.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=Reaching+for+the+top+in+the+land+down+under&clusterResults=true&expandSearch=off&translateSearch=off#/oclc/959244725).

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[Disability Interest - DII](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Disability+Interest+-+DII*localsubject_ss%3ADisability%5C+Interest%5C+%5C-%5C+DII)

[Medicine – Vision - MEV](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Medicine+-+Vision+-+MEV*localsubject_ss%3AMedicine%5C+%5C-%5C+Vision%5C+%5C-%5C+MEV)

## War and War Stories

### NFB Newsline (Available in Audio, Refreshable Braille, On a Website)

VFW Magazine.

### On the RTB

Past is Prologue, Mondays through Fridays @ 11 AM.

### Books

**Iron Coffins: a personal account of the German U-boat battles in World War II.** [Herbert A. Werner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Herbert+A.+Werner). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48393321.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=195127.7132). A personal account of the hardships and horrors of U-boat life during World War II by a former German U-boat commander, now a U.S. citizen. The author also speaks out against the futility of war and the insanity of mass destruction.

**1919: the year that changed America**. [Martin W. Sandler](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Martin+W.+Sandler). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=519269800.7132). Explores the major movements of 1919 that changed the country just as World War I came to an end. Covers the rise of women's suffrage, the violence of the Red Summer and the Red Scare, and Prohibition. For grades 6-9. National Book Award.

**A Fable**. [William Faulkner](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Faulkner%2C+William.*author_ss%3AFaulkner%2C%5C+William.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64135773.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=187065.7132). In rhetoric that denounces war, the novel presents a parallel between the false armistice in France in 1918 and the Passion Week. A French corporal and his twelve followers bring action at the front to a standstill as they spread the gospel of the brotherhood of humankind. Pulitzer Prize.

**Johnny Got His Gun**. [Dalton Trumbo](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Dalton+Trumbo). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=48125057.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=150655.7132). Classic antiwar novel presents the internal monologue of a young soldier maimed during World War I. Hospitalized Joe Bonham, drifting in and out of consciousness, is beset by past memories and present horrors. 1990 introduction by Vietnam veteran/author Ron Kovic.

**The Red Baron**. [Manfred Richthofen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?f=Adult+Level*readinglevel_ss%3AAdult%5C+Level&p=0&q=manfred+richthofen&i=_text_&s=score&l=false&mc=0). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=150508037.7132). Autobiography of the original Red Baron, honored as Germany's most valiant and daring hero. He shot down more enemy aircraft that any other World War I pilot and was considered an enormous threat by Allied aviators.

**All Quiet on the Western Front**. [Erich Maria Remarque](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Erich+Maria+Remarque&f=&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=123987645.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=151276.7132). Classic World War I novel depicting the horrors and futility of armed conflict. Nineteen-year-old German private Paul Baumer relates the daily routine of ordinary soldiers in the trenches and tells how warfare affected him and his three classmates. Portrays young men who may have escaped bullets but were destroyed by their combat experience.

**At Dawn We Slept: the untold story of Pearl Harbor**. [Gordon William Prange](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Gordon+William+Prange). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=233838765.7132). Detailed account of the 1941 Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor based on exhaustive interviews and eyewitness accounts. Chronicles the painstaking preparations of the Japanese task force, the factors contributing to American unpreparedness, the events of the air raid itself, and the aftermath and legacy of the attack.

**The Things They Carried**. [Tim O'Brien](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Tim+O%27brien). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64588511.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=507636220.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=318932003.7132). Twenty-two related stories, O'Brien uses the paraphernalia that young American soldiers in Vietnam carried as a metaphor for their inner burdens--cowardice, peer pressure, self-delusion, and fear. Pulitzer Prize finalist.

**SEAL Team Six: Memoirs of an Elite Navy SEAL Sniper**. [Howard E. Wasdin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Howard+E.+Wasdin). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=111178265.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=236171635.7132). Wasdin, a former Navy SEAL Team Six sniper, chronicles his training and war experiences, including special operations during Desert Storm. Details the mission that almost cost him his life--the 1993 Battle of Mogadishu in Somalia, the basis for the 2001 movie Black Hawk Down.

**Call Me American: a memoir**. [Abdi Nor Iftin](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Abdi+Nor+Iftin&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=479473501.7132). Somali immigrant shares his story of growing up in his war-torn home country and fascination with all things American--to the point where he earned the nickname "Abdi American." Describes the ways he was punished for this fascination as Islamic extremists came to power, and his eventual settlement in Maine.

**On Desperate Ground: The Marines at the reservoir, the Korean War's greatest battle**. [Hampton Sides](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=hampton+sides&f=Sides%2C+Hampton.*author_ss%3ASides%2C%5C+Hampton.&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=509393253.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=530766154.7132). An account of the 1950 battle at the Chosin Reservoir during the Korean War. Describes the heroic efforts of the US Marines despite the desperate circumstances they faced. Draws from archival research and interviews with American and Korean survivors.

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### Books

**West of Dodge: frontier stories**. [Louis L'Amour](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Louis+L%27Amour&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=64261662.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=158545.7132). Fourteen tales of gunfighters, cowhands, and lawmen of the Old West. In the title story, an itinerant gunfighter rides into Dodge and learns of the widespread sentiment against the local marshal. In time marshal and gunslinger join forces and undo a plot to take over the town.

**Stranglehold**. [William W. Johnstone](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=William+W.+Johnstone). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=529261211.7132), [Large Print](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=549684979.7132). This is book nine in the [MacCallister: The Eagles Legacy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=MacCallister%3A+The+Eagles+Legacy*series_ss%3AMacCallister%5C%3A%5C+The%5C+Eagles%5C+Legacy) series. Duff's old battalion commander, Charles McGregor, contacts Duff and asks for his help. McGregor is the mayor of a mining town in New Mexico that is being targeted by a power-hungry madman named Ebenezer Schofield.

**On Swift Horses**. [Shannon Pufahl](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=shannon+pufahl&f=&i=_text_&s=score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=551403781.7132). Newly-married Muriel has been in San Diego a few months, but she's already a staple amongst the gamblers at the Heyday Lounge as their waitress. She uses the knowledge she gleans to make her own bets. Her brother-in-law Julius lives his own risky lifestyle in Las Vegas. Contemporary western, Spur award winner.

**The Hanging of Samuel Ash**. [Sheldon Russell](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=sheldon+Russell). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=255141148.7132). Railroad bull Hook Runyon investigates the case of an unknown young man found hanged from a wigwag signal, eventually leading him to Carmen, Oklahoma and secrets associated with the local orphanage.

**Maud's Line**. [Margaret Verble](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Margaret+Verble). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=240936069.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=242441902.7132). Eighteen-year-old Maud Nail, her father, younger brother, and extended family are scraping out existences on allotments for the Cherokee in eastern Oklahoma. One day, peddler Booker Wakefield visits her home and encourages her dreams of finer things, causing tensions.

**Lakota America: a new history of indigenous power**. [Pekka Hämäläinen](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Ha%CC%88ma%CC%88la%CC%88inen%2C+Pekka.*author_ss%3AHa%CC%88ma%CC%88la%CC%88inen%2C%5C+Pekka.). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=562503180.7132). A historian recounts the history of the Lakota Indians, tracing their society from the early sixteenth to the early twenty-first century. Discusses their roots as hunter-gatherers, their reinventions as a river people and then a horse people on the plains. Profiles iconic figures and relates key events. Western Nonfiction Spur Award.

**Walk on Earth a Stranger**. [Rae Carson](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=rae+carson&i=author_txt_en&s=-score). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=230346255.7132). 1849. This is the first book in the [Gold Seer Trilogy](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=&f=Gold+Seer+Trilogy*series_ss%3AGold%5C+Seer%5C+Trilogy) series. Sensing gold in the earth around her, Lee Westfall tries to hide her valuable secret from people who would take advantage of her. But when her personal world shatters, she flees to the gold rush in California to start over. For grades 6-9 and older readers.

**The Ox-Bow Incident**. [Walter Van Tilburg Clark](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=Walter+Van+Tilburg+Clark). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=217781072.7132), [Braille](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=174063.7132). Nevada, 1885. Wrangler Art Croft reluctantly joins a group of citizens in a small town who hastily form a posse to catch murdering cattle rustlers. Three men are accused of the crime and, although there are some doubts about their guilt, lynched.

**Custer's Trials: a life on the frontier of a new America**. [T. J. Stiles](https://mn1a.klas.com/search/search.jsf?q=T.+J.+Stiles). [Audio](https://mn1a.klas.com/title/summary.jsf?id=230352793.7132). examines General George Armstrong Custer's life and often-ignored aspects of his legacy, attempting to dismantle Custer's historical caricature. He also details the self-conflict that sometimes resulted from Custer's own efforts. Western biography.

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