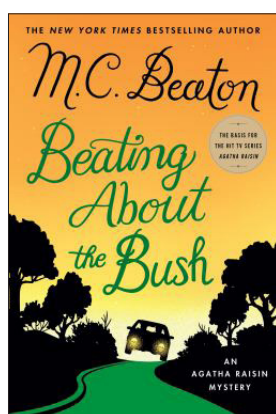


REVIEWS FOR HENNEPIN COUNTY LIBRARY AT HOME READERS

Reader Recommendations

**Beating About the Bush****By M.C. Beaton**

When Agatha Raisin comes across a gruesome discovery in a roadside hedge, she becomes involved in a murder investigation involving industrial espionage at a factory where nothing is quite what it seems. Beaton is one of my favorite authors – I've read everything she's ever written. I love her surprise endings.

Reviewed by Janice P., At Home Patron

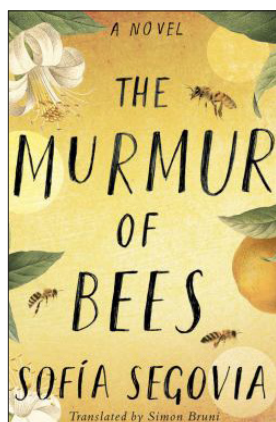
Also available: large print, CD

**The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse****By Charlie Mackesy**

The author offers inspiration and hope in uncertain times in this beautiful book that explores unlikely friendships and the poignant, universal lessons about kindness and vulnerability that are learned together. It was moving and thoughtful, especially at this time. I couldn't put it down. The CD includes a music score and real wildlife sounds of rural England.

Reviewed by Edna G., At Home patron

Also available: CD

**The Murmur of Bees****By Sofia Segovia**

From the day that old Nana Reja found a baby abandoned under a bridge and covered in a blanket of bees, the life of a small Mexican town forever changed. I knew nothing about daily life in Mexico until I read this riveting book, set in the time of the Mexican Revolution and the great Spanish Flu. It is a literary gem and a very good read.

Reviewed by Jean W., At Home patron

New Fiction Books

Alphabetical order by author

Braced for Love

By Mary Connealy

Kevin Hunt inherits a ranch in Wyoming after his father dies. But danger follows Kevin, and he suspects his half-brother is behind it. The only one willing to stand between them is Winona Martin.

Also available: large print, CD

NYT The Sentence

By Louise Erdrich

A small independent bookstore in Minneapolis has become haunted. Tookie tries to solve the mystery while trying to understand all that occurs in the city during a year of furious reckoning.

Also available: large print, CD

NYT Game On:

Tempting Twenty-Eight

By Janet Evanovich

When Stephanie Plum is woken in the middle of the night by a sound in her apartment, she wishes she kept her gun closer than the cookie jar in her kitchen.

Also available: large print

NYT The Book of Magic

By Alice Hoffman

Jet Owens hears the deathwatch beetle and knows she has only seven days to live. Spurring three generations of the Owens women to use their gifts to try to break the curse.

Also available: CD

NYT Silverview

By John le Carré

Julian Lawndesley trades his job in the city for a bookshop in an English town. Soon after, his evening is disrupted by a visitor who knows a lot about his family and the inner workings of his shop.

Also available: large print, CD

Tender is the Bite

By Spencer Quinn

Chet and Bernie are contacted by a woman who wants their help. Before she can even tell them her name, she flees. But in that brief meeting Chet sniffs out a secret about her.

Also available: CD

NYT The Wish

By Nicholas Sparks

Maggie is a travel photographer who splits her time between running a gallery in New York and photographing remote locations – until she is grounded by an unexpected diagnosis.

Also available: large print

NYT Oh William!

By Elizabeth Strout

Lucy Barton's ex-husband is a hard man to read. So, Lucy is both surprised and not surprised when he asks her to join him on a trip to investigate a recently uncovered family secret.

Also available: large print, CD

Picnic in Someday Valley

By Jodi Thomas

Marcie Latimer longs to run away since the locals have turned their backs on her. Except Brand Rodgers, who listens to her sing at Bandit's Bar, offering a glimpse of safety and calm she's rarely known.

Also available: large print, CD

New Nonfiction Books

Alphabetical order by author

NYT **The Beatles: Get Back**

By The Beatles

This is the official account, told in their own words, of the creation of their final album, *Let It Be*. Illustrated with hundreds of previously unpublished images, it includes photos by Ethan A. Russell and Linda McCartney.

The Comfort Book

By Matt Haig

Years ago, the author began writing notes to his future self. They were meant as offerings of hope to help himself through anything from the darkest periods of his life to a not-so-great day.

Also available: large print

NYT **The Boys: A Memoir of Hollywood and Family**

By Ron Howard and Clint Howard

Actors and brothers share candid, entertaining, and intimate accounts of growing up in Hollywood and starring in popular 1960s TV shows, in this dual autobiography.

NYT **ER Nurses: True Stories From America's Greatest Unsung Heroes**

By James Patterson and Matt Eversmann with Chris Mooney

Around the clock, across the country, these highly skilled and compassionate medical frontline heroes, who work to save our lives every day, sacrifice and struggle for us and our families.

Also available: large print

Fuzz: When Nature Breaks the Law

By Mary Roach

Join Roach, "America's funniest science writer" (Peter Carlson, *Washington Post*), on an irresistible investigation into the unpredictable world where wildlife and humans meet.

Also available: large print, CD

A Carnival of Snackery: Diaries (2003-2020)

By David Sedaris

There is no right way to keep a diary, but there is an entertaining way. Instead of self-examination, Sedaris turns his eyes outward to observe the world around him.

Also available: large print, CD

NYT **Will**

By Will Smith

The transformation from a West Philadelphia kid to a rap star, and then a movie star, is only half the story. Smith shares his journey of self-knowledge, and how he mastered his own emotions.

Also available: large print, CD

NYT **Taste: My Life Through Food**

By Stanley Tucci

The award-winning actor and food obsessive shares an intimate memoir of life in and out of the kitchen, including falling in love over dinner, and teaming up with his wife to create meals for a multitude of children.

Also available: large print

NYT **Peril**

By Bob Woodward, Robert Costa

The last transition of the U.S. President stands as one of the most dangerous periods in American history. The authors take readers deep inside with vivid, eyewitness accounts of what really happened.

Also available: CD

More New Books

Alphabetical order by author

Fiction

All Our Summers

By Holly Chamberlin

Also available: large print

Cloud Cuckoo Land

By Anthony Doerr

Also available: large print, CD

Crossroads

By Jonathan Franzen

Also available: large print

The Summer of Lost and Found

By Mary Alice Monroe

Also available: large print, CD

Apples Never Fall

By Liane Moriarty

Also available: large print, CD

Peaces

By Helen Oyeyemi

Also available: large print

The Book of Form and Emptiness

By Ruth Ozeki

Also available: large print

Fresh Water for Flowers

By Valérie Perrin

Also available: CD

Honey Girl

By Morgan Rogers

Also available: large print, CD

Beautiful World, Where are You

By Sally Rooney

Also available: large print, CD

The Butler

By Danielle Steel

Also available: large print, CD

Family Reunion

By Nancy Thayer

Also available: large print, CD

The Narrowboat Summer

By Anne Youngson

Also available: large print

Cozy Mystery

Murder in the Cookbook Nook

By Ellery Adams

Also available: large print

Claws for Alarm

By Rita Mae Brown and

Sneaky Pie Brown

Also available: large print, CD

The Dog Who Knew Too Much

By Krista Davis

Also available: large print

Historical

The Children's Blizzard

By Melanie Benjamin

Also available: large print

Wild Women and the Blues

By Denny S. Bryce

Also available: large print, CD

The Secret Keeper of Jaipur

By Alka Joshi

Also available: large print, CD

Yours Cheerfully

By A.J. Pearce

Also available: large print, CD

Island Queen

By Vanessa Riley

Also available: large print

The Lincoln Highway

By Amor Towles

Also available: large print, CD

The Final Revival of Opal & Nev

By Dawnie Walton

Also available: large print

Harlem Shuffle

By Colson Whitehead

Also available: large print, CD

 New York Times Bestseller

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Humorous

West End Girls

By Jenny Colgan

Also available: large print, CD

A Happy Catastrophe

By Maddie Dawson

Also available: large print

Shipped

By Angie Hockman

Also available: large print

I Was Told It Would Get Easier

By Abbi Waxman

Also available: large print

Mystery

Mrs. Jeffries Demands Justice

By Emily Brightwell

Also available: large print

Out of Hounds

By Rita Mae Brown

Also available: large print, CD

NYT The Dark Hours

By Michael Connelly

Also available: large print, CD

Forgotten in Death

By J.D. Robb

Also available: large print, CD

An Irish Hostage

By Charles Todd

Also available: large print, CD

Psychological

The Other Passenger

By Louise Candlish

Also available: large print, CD

The Last Flight

By Julie Clark

Also available: large print

Choose Me

By Tess Gerritsen and Gary Braver

Also available: large print, CD

The Night She Disappeared

By Lisa Jewell

Also available: large print, CD

Falling

By T.J. Newman

Also available: CD

Religious

NYT The Stranger in the Lifeboat

By Mitch Albom

Also available: large print

Aftermath

By Terri Blackstock

Also available: large print, CD

Return to the Big Valley

By Wanda E. Brunstetter, Jean

Brunstetter, Richelle Brunstetter

Also available: large print, CD

Hooked On You

By Kathleen Fuller

Also available: large print, CD

His Accidental Amish Family

By Rachel J. Good

Also available: large print

A Patchwork Past

By Leslie Gould

Also available: large print

Forgiving Paris

By Karen Kingsbury

Also available: large print, CD

The Brightest of Dreams

By Susan Anne Mason

Also available: large print

More New Books

Alphabetical order by author

Romance

Someone to Cherish

By Mary Balogh

Also available: large print, CD

Dreams Rekindled

By Amanda Cabot

Also available: large print

Lightning Game

By Christine Feehan

Also available: large print

Bookshop by the Sea

By Denise Hunter

Also available: large print

NYT Dear Santa

By Debbie Macomber

Also available: large print, CD

Boone

By Emily March

Also available: large print

The Lady Has a Past

By Amanda Quick

Also available: large print, CD

Romancing Mister Bridgerton

By Julia Quinn

Also available: large print, CD

To Love and to Loathe

By Martha Waters

Also available: large print

Science Fiction/ Fantasy

Parable of the Sower

By Octavia E. Butler

Rod String Nail Cloth

By T. Aaron Cisco

The Betrayals

By Bridget Collins

The Ice Lion

By Kathleen O'Neal Gear

The Last Graduate

By Naomi Novik

She Who Became the Sun

By Shelley Parker-Chan

Short Stories

The Hemingway Stories

By Ernest Hemingway

Also available: large print, CD

The Souvenir Museum

By Elizabeth McCracken

Also available: large print, CD

First Person Singular

By Haruki Murakami

Also available: large print

Thriller

NYT Better Off Dead

By Lee Child and Andrew Child

Also available: large print, CD

NYT State of Terror

By Hillary Rodham Clinton and
Louise Penny

Also available: large print, CD

Vortex

By Catherine Coulter

Also available: large print

NYT Never

By Ken Follett

Also available: large print

NYT The Judge's List

By John Grisham

Also available: large print, CD

The Bullet

By Iris Johansen

Also available: large print, CD

The Letter Keeper

By Charles Martin

Also available: large print, CD

The Therapist

By B.A. Paris

Also available: CD

This is a selection from the new titles that Hennepin County Library has ordered.

NYT The Jailhouse Lawyer

By James Patterson and Nancy Allen

Also available: large print

False Witness

By Karin Slaughter

Also available: CD

Western

Silvertip's Search

By Max Brand

Also available: large print

The Crosshatch Men

By Ray Hogan

Also available: large print

The Morgans

By William J. Johnstone

Also available: large print

The Ghost Rifle

By Max McCoy

Also available: large print

Great Lonesome

By John D. Nesbitt

Available only in large print

Outlawed

By Anna North

Also available: large print

The Angry Town of Pawnee Bluffs

By Lewis B. Patten

Also available: large print

Nonfiction

NYT Vanderbilt: The Rise and Fall of an American Dynasty

By Anderson Cooper and Katherine Howe

Also available: large print, CD

Permission to Dream

By Chris Gardner and Mim Eichler Rivas

Also available: large print

The Black Church: This Is Our Story, This Is Our Song

By Henry Louis Gates, Jr.

Also available: large print

NYT The Book of Hope: A Survival Guide for Trying Times

By Jane Goodall and Douglas Abrams

Also available: large print

NYT The Storyteller: Tales of Life and Music

By Dave Grohl

That Time of Year: A Minnesota Life

By Garrison Keillor

Also available: large print

Demystifying Disability: What to Know, What to Say, and How to Be an Ally

By Emily Ladau

The Ride of Her Life: The True Story of a Woman, Her Horse, and Their Last-Chance Journey Across America

By Elizabeth Letts

Also available: large print

Fierce Self-Compassion: How Women Can Harness Kindness to Speak Up, Claim Their Power, and Thrive

By Kristin Neff, Ph.D.

Also available: CD

Don't Let It Get You Down: Essays on Race, Gender, and the Body

By Savala Nolan

NYT Where the Deer and the Antelope Play: The Pastoral Observations of One Ignorant American Who Loves to Walk Outside

By Nick Offerman

NYT Midnight in Washington: How We Almost Lost Our Democracy and Still Could

By Adam Schiff

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