BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED AUTHORS

The Talking Book Program collection contains books by many blind and visually impaired authors. These selections, in alphabetical order by author, include personal memoirs as well as classics and modern literature, and books for children. (Children’s books include the Reading Level.)

**Sally Hobart Alexander**

DO YOU REMEMBER THE COLOR BLUE? AND OTHER QUESTIONS KIDS ASK ABOUT BLINDNESS  
Reading Level: Grades 4-7  
BT 03565 DB 50319 BARD

MOM CAN’T SEE ME  
Reading Level: Grades K-4  
BR 08905 DB 41379 BARD

ON MY OWN: THE JOURNEY CONTINUES  
Reading Level: Grades 6-9, Young Adult  
BR 11394 DB 45189 BARD

SHE TOUCHED THE WORLD: LAURA BRIDGMAN, DEAF-BLIND PIONEER  
Reading Level: Grades 4-7  
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TAKING HOLD: MY JOURNEY INTO BLINDNESS  
Reading Level: Grades 6-9, Young Adult  
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**Peter Altschul**

BREAKING BARRIERS: WORKING AND LOVING WHILE BLIND  
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Lonnie Bedwell
226: HOW I BECAME THE FIRST BLIND PERSON TO KAYAK THE GRAND CANYON
DBC 12182 BARD

Jorge Luis Borges
Non-Fiction
BORGES, A READER: A SELECTION FROM THE WRITINGS OF JORGE LUIS BORGES
DB 18178 BARD

GOLD OF THE TIGERS: SELECTED LATER POEMS: A BILINGUAL EDITION
DB 14767

HISTORIA DE LA ETERNIDAD (HISTORY OF ETERNITY)
DB 62973

IN PRAISE OF DARKNESS
BR 02639

PROFESSOR BORGES: A COURSE ON ENGLISH LITERATURE
BR 20238 DB 77353

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Mark Carlson
CONFESSIONS OF A GUIDE DOG: THE BLONDE LEADING THE BLIND
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George Covington
LET YOUR CAMERA DO THE SEEING: THE WORLD'S FIRST PHOTOGRAPHY MANUAL FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED
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Rachael Cranston
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