ADULT FICTION

LB 13299    DAYLIGHT   BALDACCI, DAVID
FBI Agent Atlee Pine’s search for her twin sister Mercy--who was abducted at the age of six--clashes with military investigator John Puller’s high-stakes case, leading them both deep into a global conspiracy from which neither of them will escape unscathed. Some violence and some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.

LB 13317    WORST CASE   PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-
NYPD detective Mike Bennett is assigned to the case of eighteen-year-old Jacob Dunning, kidnapped son of a billionaire CEO. Teamed with FBI agent Emily Parker, Bennett tracks an activist killer who plans to change an unjust world with blood. Strong language and some violence. Bestseller. 2010. Related names: Ledwidge, Michael, author.

LB 13318    TICK TOCK   PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-
After events in Worst Case (DB 70893), widowed NYPD detective Mike Bennett goes on vacation with his ten adopted children and their attractive nanny Mary Catherine. But he is summoned home to deal with a series of baffling and gruesome cases that copy famous crimes. Violence and strong language. Bestseller. 2011. Related names: Ledwidge, Michael, author.

LB 13319    GONE   PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-
Crime lord Manuel Perrine declares war--and his top target is detective Michael Bennett, who once arrested him. Bennett, his ten adopted children, their nanny, and his grandfather are hidden safely on a California farm, guarded by the FBI. But now the FBI needs Bennett's help. Violence and strong language. Bestseller. 2013. Related names: Ledwidge, Michael, author.

LB 13320    SCORPION'S TAIL: A NORA KELLY NOVEL  
PRESTON, DOUGLAS J.
Nora Kelly, archaeologist at the Santa Fe Archeological Institute, and rookie FBI Agent Corrie Swanson team up when a mummified corpse, over half a
century old, is found in the cellar of an abandoned building in a remote New Mexico ghost town. Unrated. 2020.

**LB 13321  RUN FOR YOUR LIFE: A MICHAEL BENNETT MYSTERY**
PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-

NYPD hostage negotiator Michael Bennett is struggling to find a serial killer who calls himself the Teacher and who randomly targets people in the city. While texting with the sociopath, Mike tends to his ten adopted and newly motherless kids, who all have the flu. Violence and strong language. Bestseller. 2009.

**LB 13327  ALL THE COLORS OF NIGHT**
KRENTZ, JAYNE ANN

North Chastain possesses a paranormal talent that gives him the ability to track down the most dangerous psychic criminals. When his father suddenly falls into a coma-like state, North is convinced it was caused by a deadly artifact. He asks antiques expert Sierra Raines for help. 2021.

**LB 13332  PIECE OF MY HEART**
CLARK, MARY HIGGINS

Television producer Laurie Moran and her fiancé Alex Buckley, the former host of her investigative television show, are just days away from their mid-August wedding, when things take a dark turn. Alex’s seven-year-old nephew, Johnny, vanishes from the beach. Unrated. 2020. Related names: Burke, Alafair, author.

**LB 13338  HIDDEN IN PLAIN SIGHT: A DETECTIVE WILLIAM WARWICK NOVEL**
ARCHER, JEFFREY, 1940-

1986. William Warwick from Nothing Ventured (DB 96828) has been promoted to Detective Sergeant. Along with the rest of his team, he is assigned to the Drugs Squad. Their mission is to capture a notorious drug dealer, but a trap is hidden in plain sight. Unrated. 2020.

**LB 13339  AWAKENING: THE DRAGON HEART LEGACY, BOOK 1**
ROBERTS, NORA

Breen Kelly is debt-ridden and working a job she hates when she discovers her mother has been hiding money left to her by her long-lost father. She treats herself to a trip to Ireland and falls through a portal to a magical land where she has a dangerous destiny. Unrated. Bestseller. 2020.
**LB 13324   MAGIC LESSONS   HOFFMAN, ALICE**

In the 1600s, Maria was abandoned in a snowy field in rural England as a baby. Hannah Owens takes her in and teaches her, recognizing that even as a child Maria has a magical gift. Prequel to Practical Magic (DB 40461). Some strong language. 2020.

**LB 13352   EGG DROP DEAD   CHIEN, VIVIEN**

It was supposed to be a fancy, intimate dinner party by the pool. Instead, Lana Lee's first-ever catering event turns into full-course madness when a domestic worker is found dead. Is the party's host Donna Feng, the sweet-and-sour owner of the Asia Village shopping plaza where Ho-Lee is situated, somehow to blame? That's what Lana--whose plate is already plenty full with running the restaurant, pleasing her often-disapproving mother, and fretting over her occasionally-serious boyfriend Detective Adam Trudeau--must find out. 2020.

**LB 13356   MATTER OF LIFE AND DEATH: A ROBIN LOCKWOOD NOVEL   MARGOLIN, PHILLIP**

Attorney and former mma fighter Robin Lockwood is convinced her new client, Joe Lattimore, is innocent of the murder he is accused of committing. Joe’s past as an underground fighter led to blackmail, and he thought he was just burglarizing a home when he found a body. Unrated. 2021.

**LB 13358   ALERT   PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-**

After two inexplicable high-tech attacks, New York is on edge. Detective Michael Bennett, along with his old pal, the FBI's Emily Parker, have to catch the shadowy criminals who claim responsibility--but they're as good at concealing their identities as they are at wreaking havoc. Some strong language and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2015. Related names: Ledwidge, Michael, author.

**LB 13359   GAMBLING MAN   BALDACCI, DAVID**

On the eve of the 1950s, war veteran Aloysius Archer is on a bus to California. During a stop in Reno, he comes into possession of a wad of cash and blood-red 1939 Delahaye convertible. Arriving in California, he lands an apprenticeship with PI Willie Dash. Unrated. Bestseller. 2021.
LB 13360  BLACK BOOK  PATTERSON, JAMES, 1947-
A horrifying murder leads investigators to an exclusive brothel that caters to Chicago's most powerful citizens. There's plenty of incriminating evidence, but what matters most is what's missing--the madam's black book. The effects ripple through the city's elite, and everyone's desperate to find it. Some strong language, some violence, and some descriptions of sex. Bestseller. 2017.

LB 13357  NO PEACE: A STEVE DANCY TALE  BEST, JAMES D.
Steve Dancy has married and settled down in San Diego. His wanderlust and violence discarded when he married Virginia, the past three years have been blissfully peaceful. Now with a two-year-old son, Steve invites his mother to meet the family in Monterey at the Hotel Del Monte, one of the finest resort hotels in the country, for a family holiday. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13366  RETURN TO VIRGIN RIVER  CARR, ROBYN
Author Kaylee hoped to use her work to deal with her grief over her mother’s recent death. Instead she has terrible writer’s block and a looming deadline. Determined to escape distractions and avoid the holiday season, Kaylee borrows a cabin in Virgin River. Some strong language and some explicit descriptions of sex. 2020.

LB 13364  MOONLIGHT SCHOOL  FISHER, SUZANNE WOODS
Based on true events, a young woman used to the finer things in life arrives in small town Appalachia in 1911 to help her formidable cousin combat adult illiteracy by opening moonlight schools. Unrated. 2021.

ADULT NON-FICTION

LB 13353  CASTE: THE ORIGINS OF OUR DISCONTENTS  WILKERSON, ISABEL
The Pulitzer Prize-winning author of The Warmth of Other Suns (DB 71929) examines the unofficial castes and hierarchies she has observed as inherent in American society. She also discusses the eight pillars of all caste systems and offers ways for America to move forward. Some strong language. Bestseller. 2020.
LB 13355  MEGHAN AND HARRY: THE REAL STORY  CAMPBELL, LADY COLIN

Lady Colin Campbell goes behind the scenes, speaking to friends, relations, courtiers, and colleagues on both sides of the Atlantic to reveal the most unexpected royal story since King Edward VIII's abdication. She highlights the dilemmas involved and the issues that lurk beneath the surface, revealing why the couple decided to step down as senior royals. Unrated. 2021.

LB 13361  HOW THE WORD IS PASSED: A RECKONING WITH THE HISTORY OF SLAVERY ACROSS AMERICA  SMITH, CLINT

The author tours the monuments and landmarks that tell the story of slavery’s central role in shaping America’s collective history and culture. He explores historical plantations, prisons, cemeteries, holidays, and entire neighborhoods, revealing their ties to this painful aspect of America’s past and present. Unrated. Commercial audiobook. Bestseller. 2021. Variant title: Reckoning with the history of slavery across America.

LB 13362  BOMBER MAFIA: A DREAM, A TEMPTATION, AND THE LONGEST NIGHT OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR  GLADWELL, MALCOLM, 1963-

The author of Tipping Point (DB 50027) and Outliers (DB 68164) examines the development of precision bombing in the years leading up to World War II. He questions the tactics applied in World War II and ponders the morality of those decisions. Unrated. Bestseller. 2021.

LB 13363  LET US DREAM: THE PATH TO A BETTER FUTURE  FRANCIS, POPE, 1936-

Leader of the Catholic Church collaborates with his biographer to present a vision for creating a safer, fairer, and healthier world for all people. Their methods are rooted in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and address the systems which led to the spread of the virus. Unrated. 2020.

LB 13365  PRINCE PHILIP REVEALED  SEWARD, INGRID

The editor-in-chief of "Majesty" magazine presents a biography of the British consort to discuss his aristocratic childhood in Paris, more than seven-decade marriage to Elizabeth II, and loyal service as a statesman and philanthropist. Unrated. 2021.
LB 13367  RISE UP: CONFRONTING A COUNTRY AT THE CROSSROADS  SHARPTON, AL

Minister, political and civil rights activist, and radio talk show host reflects on the trajectory of politics in the early twenty-first century, focusing on the Obama and Trump years. The author discusses his views on the failures that have occurred and suggest a path forward for America to reclaim its core values. Unrated. 2020. Related names: Dyson, Michael Eric, writer of foreword.

LB 13368  THIS TIME NEXT YEAR WE'LL BE LAUGHING: A MEMOIR  WINSPEAR, JACQUELINE, 1955-

Author of the Maisie Dobbs mystery series recounts growing up in post-World War II England and the lasting effects of the conflict on her family. Discusses her grandfather’s shellshock from World War I service, her parents’ experiences during World War II, and her childhood in rural Kent. Unrated. 2020. Variant title: This time next year we will be laughing.

LB 13369  NOISE: A FLAW IN HUMAN JUDGMENT  KAHNEMAN, DANIEL, 1934-

Discusses why people make bad judgements and how to make better ones by reducing the influence of "noise"--variables that can cause bias in decision making--and draws on examples in many fields, including medicine, law, economic forecasting, forensic science, strategy, and personnel selection. Bestseller. 2021.

LB 13370  THIS IS THE FIRE: WHAT I SAY TO MY FRIENDS ABOUT RACISM  LEMON, DON, 1966-

Beginning with a letter to one of his Black nephews, the author reflects on his slave ancestors, his upbringing in the shadow of segregation, the artifacts of slavery in modern America, historical events tied to slavery, and the importance of resisting racism on a daily basis. Unrated. Bestseller. 2021.

JUVENILE FICTION

LB 13336  TOWER OF NERO: THE TRIALS OF APOLLO, BOOK 5  RIORDAN, RICK
Lester teams up with his demigod master, Meg, to follow a prophecy that leads to an ultimate confrontation at the Tower of Nero. For grades 5-8. 2020.

**LB 13337  DARK PROPHECY  RIORDAN, RICK**

Leaving the safety of the demigod training ground, a disgraced Apollo embarks on a quest across North America to find a dangerous ancient-world Oracle while navigating the challenges of the evil Triumvirate. For grades 5-8. 2017.

**LB 13323  WE DREAM OF SPACE  KELLY, ERIN ENTRADA  1986.**

As the nation waits expectantly for the launch of the space shuttle Challenger, three siblings--Cash, Fitch, and Bird--struggle with their own personal anxieties. When the fated day arrives, it changes all of their lives and brings them together in unexpected ways. For grades 4-7. 2020.

**LB 13354  KING AND THE DRAGONFLIES  CALLENDER, KACEN**

In a small but turbulent Louisiana town, one boy’s grief takes him beyond the bayous of his backyard, to learn that there is no right way to be yourself. For grades 4-7. 2020. Variant title: King & the dragonflies.