

Guest, Judith. Ordinary People

Ellis, Bret Easton. American Psycho

Huxley, Aldous. Brave New World

Roquelaure, A.N. (Anne Rice). Sleeping Beauty Trilogy

Allard, Harry. Bumps in the Night

Cole, Joanna. Asking About Sex and Growing Up

Madaras, Lynda. What's Happening to my Body? Book for Boys: A Growing-Up Guide for Parents & Sons

Powell, Willialm. The Anarchist Cookbook

Blume, Judy. Are You There, God? It's Me, Margaret

Pomeroy, Wardell. Boys and Sex

Conly, Jane. Crazy Lady

Follett, Ken. Pillars of the Earth

Crutcher, Chris. Running Loose

Davis, Jenny. Sex Education

Gould, Steven. Jumper

King, Stephen. Christine

Greene, Bette. The Drowning of Stephen Jones

Hinton, S.E. That Was Then, This is Now

Pomeroy, Wardell. Girls and Sex

Brittain, Bill. The Wish Giver

Collier, James Lincoln and Christopher Collie. Jump Ship to Freedom

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100 Most Frequently Challenged Books: 1990-1999

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Challenged Books

Schwartz, Alvin. Scary Stories (series)

Willhoite, Michael. Daddy's Roommate

Angelou, Maya. I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings

Cormier, Robert. The Chocolate War

Twain, Mark. The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn

Steinbeck, John. Of Mice and Men

Blume, Judy. Forever

Paterson, Katherine. Bridge to Terabithia

Newman, Leslea. Heather Has Two Mommies

Salinger, J.D. The Catcher in the Rye

Lowry, Lois. The Giver

Collier, James Lincoln and Christopher Collier. My Brother Sam is Dead

Harris, Robie . It's Perfectly Normal

Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds. Alice (series)

Stine, R.L. Goosebumps (series)

Peck, Robert Newton . A Day No Pigs Would Die

Walker, Alice. The Color Purple

Madonna. Sex

Auel, Jean M. Earth's Children (series)

Paterson, Katherine. The Great Gilly Hopkins

Sendak, Maurice. In the Night Kitchen

Dahl, Roald. The Witches

L'Engle, Madeleine. A Wrinkle in Time

Silverstein, Charles. The New Joy of Gay Sex

Anonymous. Go Ask Alice

Cole, Brock. The Goats

Allard, Harry. The Stupids (series)

Lowry, Lois. Anastasia Krupnik (series)

Humphry, Derek. Final Exit

Blume, Judy. Blubber

Merriam, Eve. Halloween ABC

George, Jean Craighead. Julie of the Wolves

Mathabane, Mark. Kaffir Boy

Morrison, Toni. The Bluest Eye

Madaras, Lynda. What's Happening to my Body? Book for Girls: A Growing-Up Guide for Parents & Daughters

Myers, Walter Dean. Fallen Angels

Atwood, Margaret. The Handmaid's Tale

Hinton, S.E. The Outsiders

Zindel, Paul. The Pigman

Lee, Harper. To Kill a Mockingbird

Cormier, Robert. We All Fall Down

Blume, Judy. Deenie

Keyes, Daniel. Flowers for Algernon

Garden, Nancy. Annie on My Mind

Morrison, Toni. Beloved

Sachar, Louis. The Boy Who Lost His Face

Schwartz, Alvin. Cross Your Fingers, Spit in Your Hat

Rowling, J.K. Harry Potter (series)

King, Stephen. Cujo

Dahl, Roald. James and the Giant Peach

Silverstein, Shel. A Light in the Attic