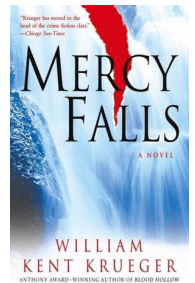
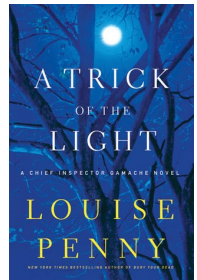
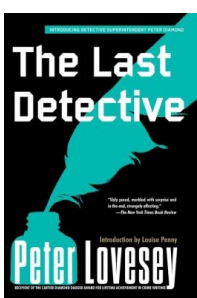
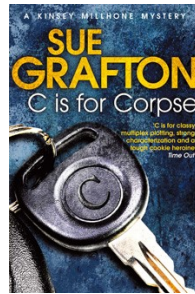
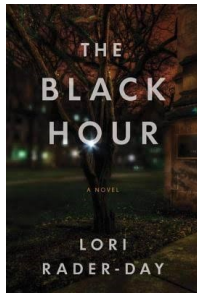
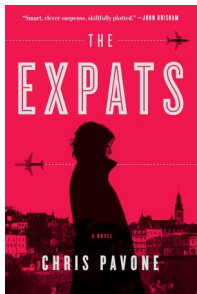
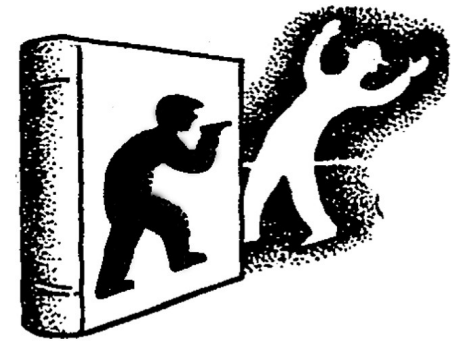


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- 1999: Krueger, William Kent. Iron Lake
- 1998: Child, Lee. Killing Floor
- 1997: Furutani, Dale. Death in Little Tokyo
- 1996: Lanier, Virginia. Death in Bloodhound Red
- 1995: Carr, Caleb. The Alienist
- 1994: Barr, Nevada. Track of the Cat
- 1993: Neely, Barbara. Blanche on the Lam
- 1992: Henry, Sue. Murder on the Iditarod Trail
- 1991: Cornwell, Patricia. Postmortem
- 1990: Kijewski, Karen. Katwalk
- 1989: George, Elizabeth. A Great Deliverance
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- 1987: Crider, Bill. Too Late to Die



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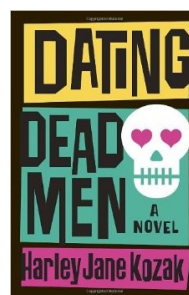
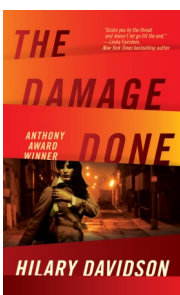
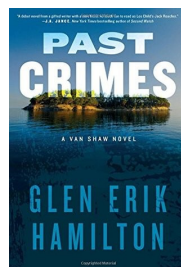
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2021: Cosby, S.A. Blacktop Wasteland
2020: Ryan, Hank Phillippi. The Murder List
2019: Berney, Lou. November Road
2018: Lloyd, Attica. Bluebird, Bluebird
2017: Penny, Louise. A Great Reckoning
2016: Holm, Chris. The Killing Kind
2015: Lippman, Laura. After I'm Gone
2014: Krueger, William Kent. Ordinary Grace
2013: Penny, Louise. The Beautiful Mystery
2012: Penny, Louise. A Trick of the Light
2011: Penny, Louise. Bury Your Dead
2010: Penny, Louise. The Brutal Telling
2009: Connelly, Michael. The Brass Verdict
2008: Lippman, Laura. What the Dead Know
2007: Lippman, Laura. No Good Deeds
2006: Krueger, William Kent. Mercy Falls
2005: Kniger, William Kent. Blood Hollow
2004: Lippman, Laura. Every Secret Thing
2003: Connelly, Michael. City of Bones
2002: Lehane, Dennis. Mystic River
2001: McDermid, Val. A Place of Execution
2000: Robinson, Peter. In a Dry Season
1999: Connelly, Michael. Blood Work
1998: Rozan, S. J. No Colder Place
1997: Connelly, Michael. The Poet

- 1996: Walker, Mary Willis. Under the Beetle's Cellar
1995: McCrumb, Sharyn. She Walks These Hills
1994: Muller, Marcia. Wolf in the Shadows
1993: Maron, Margaret. Bootlegger's Daughter
1992: Lovesey, Peter. The Last Detective
1991: Grafton, Sue. "G" is for Gumshoe
1990: Caudwell, Sarah. The Sirens Sang of Murder
1989: Harris, Thomas. The Silence of the Lambs
1988: Hillerman, Tony. Skinwalkers



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- 2023: Prose, Nita. The Maid
2022: Manansala, Mia P. Arsenic and Adobo
2021: Weiden, David Heska Wanbli. Winter Counts
2020: Laskowski, Tara. One Night Gone
2019: Braithwaite, Oyinkan. My Sister, the Serial Killer
2018: Garrett, Kellye. Hollywood Homicide
2017: Ide, Joe. IQ
2016: Hamilton, Glen Erik. Past Crimes
2015: Rader-Day, Lori. The Black Hour
2014: Coyle, Matt. Yesterday's Echo
2013: Pavone, Chris. The Expats
2012: Henry, Sara J. Learning to Swim
2011: Davidson, Hilary. Damage Done
2010: Littlefield, Sophie. A Bad Day for Sorry
2009: Larsson, Stieg. The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo
2008: French, Tana. In the Woods
2007: Penny, Louise. Still Life
2006: Grabenstein, Chris. Tilt-A-Whirl
2005: Kozak, Harley Jane. Dating Dead Men
2004: Tracy, P. J. Monkeewrench
2003: Spencer-Fleming, Julia. In the Bleak Midwinter
2002: Box, C. J. Open Season
2001: Xiaolong, Qui. Death of a Red Heroine