The Nature of Risk is a short, beautifully illustrated and easy-to-understand book written to help readers face one of modern life’s most important and difficult tasks—confronting risk. Free of complicated theories or formulas, The Nature of Risk relies instead on a simple story featuring a cast of familiar, forest-dwelling animals, each of which embodies a different approach to risk management. At least one of these approaches will sound familiar to every reader—whether they knew they had an approach to risk management or not. Then, as the story unfolds, the strengths and weaknesses of each approach will be revealed through a series of “natural” tests. Finally, at the conclusion of the story, readers will welcome a section designed to help them frame their first attempts at managing risk—with or without professional help.

The Bay in the Stripped Pyjamas John Boyne 2016-10-06

"We choose the house because it had to leave all his friends behind in Berlin, and there are no children to play with here—until Bruno meets Shmuil, a boy who lives on the other side of the wire fence near Bruno’s house, and who wears a strange uniform of striped pyjamas. A stunning anniversary edition of John Boyne’s powerful classic bestseller, with illustrations from award-winning artist Oliver Jeffers.


Minneapolis Star Tribune Look for Whitehead’s acclaimed masterwork, The Underground Railroad, the harrowing flight from one state to the next, tunnels beneath the Southern soil. Cora embarks on a gripping tale of one woman’s will to escape the horrors of America’s slave system. As Whitehead brilliantly re-creates the terrors of the antebellum era, he weaves in the saga of our nation, from the biblical abduction of Africans to the unfulfilled promises of the present day. The Underground Railroad is both the gripping tale of one woman’s will to escape the horrors of bondage—and a powerful meditation on the history we share.

Farm book-keeping by double entry Philip Bowes 1853

The Effects on Human Health of Subtherapeutic Use of Antimicrobials in Animal Feeds: National Research Council 1980-02-01

The Giver Lois Lowry 2014-07-01 Living in a "perfect" world without social ills, a boy approaches the time when he will receive his life assignment from the Elders, but his selection leads him to a mysterious man known as the Giver, who reveals the dark secrets behind the utopian facade.

The Golden House

Salman Rushdie 2017-09-05

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER: THE GOLDEN HOUSE is a modern American epic set against the panorama of contemporary politics and culture—a hurling, page-turning mystery that is equal parts The Great Gatsby and The Bonfire of the Vanities—NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY NPR • PBS • HARPER’S • THE TIMES • THE NEW YORK TIMES • THE TIMES OF INDIA

On the day of Barack Obama’s inauguration, an enigmatic billionaire from foreign shores takes up residence in New York’s Greenwich Village. The neighborhood is a bubble within a bubble, and the residents are immediately intrigued by the eccentric newcomer and his family. Along with his improbable name, untraceable accent, and unmistakable whiff of danger, Nero Golden has brought along his three adult sons: Agoraphobic, alcoholic Petya, famous on twenty blocks; and D, at twenty-two the baby of the family, harboring an explosive secret even from himself. There is no mother, hate his name and itches to cast it off, along with the Indian family in suburban America, the boy starts to hate his name and itches to cast it off, along with the

Out of the Dust

Billie Jo growing up in the dust bowls of Oklahoma. Out of the Dust (Scholastic Gold)
of love and terrorism, loss and reinvention—a powerful, timely story told with the daring and panache that make Shushan’s other books so beloved. Praise For The Golden House “[A] modern masterpiece .. . telling a story full of wonder and leaving you marveling at how it ever came out of the author’s heart.”—Associated Press “A Contemporary Satire”. Orwell suggested the title for the book : Animal Farm is a satirical allegorical novella by George Orwell, first published in England on 17 August 1945. The book tells a story of farm animals who rebel against their human farmer, hoping to create a society where the animals can be equal, free, and happy. Ultimately, the rebellion is betrayed, and the farm ends up in a state as bad as it was before, under the dictatorship of a new and cunning animal leader. Animal Farm by George Orwell The original title was Animal Farm by George Orwell Blair was born in India, and raised and educated in England. At school he became an Imperial policeman in Burma before returning to Suffolk, England, where he began his writing career as George Orwell—a name inspired by a favourite location, the River Orwell. He lived from occasional pieces of journalism, and also worked as a teacher for bookkeepers. With the outbreak of World War II, Orwell joined the British Army and became a World War II fighter pilot. After leaving the army in 1941, he worked as a newspaper journalist and critic. His work is characterised by lucid prose, social criticism, opposition to totalitarianism, and support of democratic socialism. Animal Farm by George Orwell produced literary criticism and poetry, fiction and polemical journalism. He is known for the allegorical novella Animal Farm (1945) and the dystopian novel Nineteen Eighty-Four (1949). His non-fiction works, including The Road to Wigan Pier (1937), documenting his experience of working-class life in the industrial north of England, and Homage to Catalonia (1938), an account of his experiences soldiering for the Republican faction of the Spanish Civil War are also respected as his essays on politics and literature, language and culture. Animal Farm by George Orwell Blair was born in India, and raised and educated in England. At school he became an Imperial policeman in Burma before returning to Suffolk, England, where he began his writing career as George Orwell—a name inspired by a favourite location, the River Orwell. He lived from occasional pieces of journalism, and also worked as a teacher for bookkeepers. With the outbreak of World War II, Orwell joined the British Army and became a World War II fighter pilot. After leaving the army in 1941, he worked as a newspaper journalist and critic.
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Animal Farm: Save Time Summaries Staff 2014-03-14 WARNING: This is not the actual book Animal Farm by George Orwell. Do not buy this Summary & Study Guide if you are looking for a full copy of this great book.

In George Orwell's Animal Farm, barnyard creatures overthrow the oppressive human regime of their owner, the farmer, and establish a utopian society of four-footed friends. Unfortunately, the friendly society becomes a breeding ground for power and control. This study guide is designed for the student who needs assistance in completing the analytical and literary exercises of George Orwell's novel, which warns against Communism and totalitarian rule. In addition to biographical background on the author, this guide features useful insights on the historical and political contexts from which Orwell's work emerged. With this history explained, you will get a greater appreciation for the meaning of the key quotes from Animal Farm, which this guide also discusses. This study guide of Animal Farm also provides a character reference list with detailed character analysis, and a section on themes, symbols, and motifs. Understand parallels between the farm and the 1917 Russian Revolution. See how idealism can transform into corrupted ideology. Explore the dangers of having an ignorant population. The guide also offers chapter summaries and analyses, followed by a sampling of possible quiz questions. There are pointers for other topics of assignment such as plot, setting, and characters, as well as essay topics on Animal Farm. Bullet point "pro" and "con" arguments add value to this study guide, as you get a handy package to help you organize your written paper or presentation.

The Bridges of Madison County Robert James Waller 2001-03-15 Fall in love with one of the bestselling novels of all time, then discover new love stories that became a beloved film starring Clint Eastwood and Meryl Streep. If you've ever experienced the one true love of your life, a love that for some reason could never be, you will understand why readers all over the world are so moved by this beautifully written novel. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem.

Homegoing Yaa Gyasi 2016-06-07 A NEW YORK TIMES NOTABLE BOOK • Ghana, eighteenth century: two half sisters are born into different villages, each unaware of the other. One will marry an Englishman and lead a life of comfort in the palatial home of the Cape Coast Castle. The other will be captured in a raid on her village, imprisoned in the very same castle, and sold into slavery. One of Oprah's Best Books of the Year and a PEN/Hemingway award winner, Homegoing follows parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem. Yaa Gyasi's extraordinary novel follows the parallel paths of these sisters and their descendants through eight generations: from the Gold Coast to the plantations of Mississippi, from the American Civil War to Jazz Age Harlem.
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government surveillance, historical negationism, and propaganda. Great Britain, known as Airstrip One, has become a province of a totalitarian superstate named Oceania that is ruled by the Party who employ the Thought Police to persecute individuality and independent thinking. Big Brother, the leader of the Party, enjoys an intense cult of personality despite the fact that he may not even exist. The protagonist, Winston Smith, is a diligent and skillful rank-and-file worker and Outer Party member who secretly hates the Party and dreams of rebellion. He enters into a forbidden relationship with a colleague, Julia, and starts to remember what life was like before the Party came to power.

Every Falling Star Sungju Lee 2016-09-13 Written for a young audience, this intense memoir explores the harsh realities of life on the streets in contemporary North Korea. Every Falling Star is the memoir of Sungju Lee, who at the age of twelve was forced to live on the streets of North Korea and fend for himself. To survive, Sungju creates a gang and lives by thieving, fighting, begging, and stealing rides on cargo trains. Sungju richly recreates his scabrous story, depicting what it was like for a boy alone to create a new family with his gang, “his brothers,” to daily be hungry and to fear arrest, imprisonment, and even execution. This riveting memoir allows young readers to learn about other cultures where freedoms they take for granted do not exist.

Becoming Michelle Obama 2021-03-02 In a life filled with meaning and accomplishment, Michelle Obama has emerged as one of the most iconic and compelling women of our era. As First Lady of the United States of America, she helped create the most welcoming and inclusive White House in history. With unerring honesty and lively wit, she describes her triumphs and her disappointments, both public and private.

The Encyclopaedia Britannica 1911