

 **June and July 2014** 

Signed books available in June: I have some signed copies left of Craig Johnson's new book *Any Other Name* available now. Just let me know if you would like one.

Read and Recommended

The following are some books that I have read lately that I can recommend. Not every book will appeal to everyone so feel free to ask if you have questions. Obviously I have not read all the books in the monthly lists so there are many great reads not covered by these recommendations. Also, if there is something that you have read and think is terrific, send me an email about it at info@murderbythebook.com. Your comments might make it into the next newsletter!

In the definitely cozy category is a debut mystery by Ruth Moose entitled *Doing It at the Dixie Dew* - which features Beth McKenzie, a young woman who has returned to her hometown and sets out to turn an old Southern mansion into a bed-and breakfast only to have her first guest murdered. There is a great set of likeable and eccentric characters in the little town who, when combined with old secrets and indiscretions make for a charming read.

I can recommend *Identity* by Ingrid Thoft - the second book in this series. The character is tough, pistol-packing, smart-mouth Boston private investigator Fina Ludlow, who in this book is trying to find the identity of a woman's sperm donor. Then, for a bit more of mystery/thriller there is *Ice Shear* by new author M.P. Cooley. The heroine, Officer June Lyon, is a very realistic and sympathetic character who gets involved in an investigation of politics and drug dealing in upstate New York. This was one of those "can't put it down" reads, with plenty of action and suspense. Lee Goodman's *Indefensible* was another excellent start for a new author. The main character, Federal Prosecutor Nick Davis, is drawn into a satisfyingly complex case of murder and many other connected crimes.

For fans of British mystery Peter Turnbull's police procedural *Denial of Murder* would be a good choice. A bit of a CSI feel to this one, with a lot of detail to the procedural aspects. I also really enjoyed Colorado author Warwick Downing's newest book, *The Widow of Dartmoor*. A sequel to *The Hound Baskerville's*, it follows Beryl Stapleton, wife of the evil Jack Stapleton who died in Grimpen Mire. Beryl has been accused of murder in London and Sherlock Holmes' nephew barrister Jeremy Holmes takes on her apparently hopeless defense. Intriguing characters and an original premise make this well-written read good for those who like British mystery and especially for Sherlock Holmes fans.

For something considerably darker, and more violent, I highly recommend Ace Atkin's newest *The Forsaken*. I can't say enough about this series: the setting in rural Mississippi, the believable characters and the complex plots make this a series that just keeps getting better.

PEARL STREET NEWS

THE WEEKLY *FARMER'S MARKET* ON PEARL STREET

The market is held 9:00 - 1:00 every Sunday from May 18, 2014 through November 3, 2014. This Market is fun and full of great produce, fresh flowers, handmade soap, baked goods, great food to eat and live music to accompany you! There are also special events such as Flea Markets on the last Sunday of every month, the Health Fair on July 21, Pet Fair (adopt a pet) on September 22, Chili Cookoff on October 20 and to finish the season there is a Halloween Event on October 27.

ARRIVALS

JUNE HARDCOVERS - MANY HAVE ARRIVED

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| Aird, Catherine | <i>Dead Heading</i> | \$25.99 | (St. Martin) |
| Det. Sloan suspect something sinister at work when a man reports a break in and vandalism at his greenhouse. | | | |
| Baldacci, David, Ed. | <i>FaceOff</i> | \$26.99 | (Simon & Schuster) |
| 23 best-selling writers have paired their characters in 11 stories - including Harry Bosch, John Rebus, Roy Grace & more. | | | |
| Bolton, Sharon(f.k.a. S.J. Bolton) | <i>A Dark and Twisted Tide</i> | \$25.99 | (St. Martin) |
| Lacey Flint is living in a riverboat community when she find a body in the Thames & she hunts for the truth. | | | |
| Brown, Andrew | <i>Coldsleep Lullaby</i> | \$24.99 | (St.Martin) NEW SERIES |
| South Africa: Det Eberard Februanrie investigates when the body of a woman is found floating in a river. | | | |
| Brown, Holly | <i>Don't Try to Find Me</i> | \$25.99 | (Morrow) |
| After launching a social media campaign to find their missing daughter, the parents become the target of suspicion. | | | |
| Brown, Rita Mae | <i>Nine Lives to Die</i> | \$26.00 | (Bantam) |
| Harry & husband & cats are getting ready for Christmas when dark secrets from their town's past threaten the good will. | | | |
| Burke, Alafair | <i>All Day and a Night</i> | \$26.99 | (Harper) |
| The murder of a psychotherapist with ties to a serial killer leads Det. Ellie Hatcher into an investigation with deadly results. | | | |
| Carlisle, Kate | <i>The Book Stops Here</i> | \$24.95 | (Penguin) |
| Brooklyn is acting as a rare book expert for a TV show - but the book she looks at becomes an object of threats and murder. | | | |
| Conrad, Hy | <i>Mr. Monk is Open for Business</i> | \$23.95 | (Obsidian) |
| Monk & Natalie are thrown into a case when the suspect in a workplace shooting disappears & erases all traces of his past. | | | |
| Disher, Garry | <i>Hell to Pay</i> | \$26.95 | (Soho) |
| Constable Paul Hirschhausen is sent to a backwater town where he finds that every case he gets is a "basket of snakes". | | | |
| Donoghue, Claire | <i>Never Look Back</i> | \$24.99 | (St. Martin's) DEBUT MYSTERY |
| Policeman Mike Lockyer searches for a serial killer in London - unfortunately his daughter fits the killer's profile. | | | |
| Evanovich, Janet | <i>Top Secret Twenty-One</i> | \$28.00 | (Bantam) |
| Leads to finding Jimmy Poletti are leading to dead bodies and Stephanie, Joe & Ranger hunt for the killer. | | | |
| Fairstein, Linda | <i>Terminal City</i> | \$27.95 | (Dutton) |
| Alex Cooper & Mike Chapman learn that the Grand Central Terminal is hiding a host of dark secrets. | | | |
| Gardiner, Meg | <i>Phantom Instinct</i> | \$26.95 | (Dutton) |
| In this stand-alone thriller, an injured cop & a thief hunt down a killer that nobody else believes even exists. | | | |
| Goodman, Lee | <i>Indefensible</i> | \$26.00 | (Atria) |
| Federal prosecutor Nick Davis gets involved when a body buried in a state park leads to a complex crime investigation. | | | |
| Goodwin, Jason | <i>The Baklava Club</i> | \$26.00 | (Fsg) |
| Ins. Yashim must find a Polish prince who has been kidnapped by an Italian revolutionary cell. | | | |
| Greaves, Chuck | <i>The Last Heir</i> | \$26.99 | (St. Martin) |
| Against all evidence, a winery owner believes his son is still alive to inherit the estate & hires Jack MacTaggart to find him. | | | |

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Gregson, J.M.	<i>Rest Assured</i>	\$28.95	(Severn House)
An idyllic holiday resort in England is shattered by a brutal murder and Lambert and Hook investigate.			
Grimes, Martha	<i>Vertigo 42</i>	\$26.00	(Scribner)
Richard Jury re-examines a case of a woman whose husband is convinced she was murdered.			
Hall, Patricia	<i>Blood Brothers</i>	\$28.95	(Crème de la Crime)
1963: a body is discovered in construction site and DS Harry Barnard is convinced that it was not a gangland killing.			
Hall, Rachel Howzell	<i>Land of Shadows</i>	\$24.99	(Forge)
Det. Lou Norton & Det. Colin Taggart investigate the "suicide" of a teen in a construction site.			
Healey, Elizabeth	<i>Elizabeth is Missing</i>	\$25.99	(Harper)
Nobody believes Maud when she says her friend is missing and in danger so Maud sets out to find the truth.			
Hill, Antonio	<i>The Good Suicides</i>	\$26.00	(Crown)
After a team building retreat the staff at a cosmetics company all start to commit suicide one by one & Salgado investigates.			
Holt, Jonathan	<i>The Abduction</i>	\$26.99	(Harper)
Intelligence analyst Holly Boland & Venetian police captain Kat Tapo race time to find a kidnapped teenager.			
Housewright, David	<i>The Devil May Care</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
The search for a suddenly missing man entangles PI Rushmore McKenzie with a rich & powerful family.			
Jones, Sydney	<i>A Matter of Breeding</i>	\$28.95	(Severn House)
Bram Stoker's bodyguard, Karl Werthen, gets in over his head when Stoker investigates a vampire sighting in Vienna.			
Keskinen, Karen	<i>Black Current</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
PI Jaymie Zarlín takes the case when a teen is found dead at the Santa Barbara Aquarium and the police call it an accident.			
Koryta, Michael	<i>Those Who Wish Me Dead</i>	\$26.00	(Little, Brown)
A teen witnesses a killing & find himself on the run in the backwoods of Montana as wildfires rage out of control			
Kuhns, Eleanor	<i>Cradle to Grave</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
1797. Will Rees & Lydia head for rural New York to rescue Lydia's friend Mouse from charges of murder.			
Levy, Marc	<i>Replay</i>	\$23.95	(Europa Editions)
When reporter Andrew Stilman regains consciousness after being shot, he has 60 days to find out who wants him dead.			
Ludwig, Jerry	<i>Blacklist</i>	\$25.99	(Forge)
A former accused communist is accused of murdering people with ties to the Un-American Activities Committee.			
Maxwell, Edith	<i>'Til Dirt Do Us Part</i>	\$24.00	(Kensington)
A wealthy widow who planned to turn Westbury's Town Hall into a museum turns up dead & Cam investigates.			
McCleary, Carol	<i>No Job for a Lady</i>	\$24.99	(Forge)
Reporter Nellie Bly, Gertrude Bell, Lily Langtry and the Sundance Kid find murder in Mexico & search for the truth.			
Merrell, Susan Scarf	<i>Shirley</i>		(Blue Rider Press)
a young couple move in next door to author Shirley Jackson & sense something amiss in this elegant thriller.			
Mishani, D.A.	<i>A Possibility of Violence</i>	\$26.99	(Harper)
Israeli Det. Avraham must stop a criminal ruthless enough to target children & his suspect may be a father himself.			
Page, Katherine Hall	<i>Small Plates:Short Fiction</i>	\$24.99	(Morrow)
A collection of cozy mystery stories featuring Faith Fairchild, along with a couple of stand-alone stories.			
Patterson, James & Ellis, David	<i>Invisible</i>	\$29.00	(Little, Brown)
Emma Dockery finds a link between hundreds of kidnappings & murders & FBI agent Bookman is on the hunt.			
Pearson, Ridley	<i>The Red Room</i>	\$26.95	(Putnam)
John Knox is pressured into a job as an art broker in Istanbul to find a mysterious man.			
Roslund, Anders & Hellstrom, Borge	<i>Two Soldiers</i>	\$26.99	(Quercus)
Two boys have established a ruthless criminal enterprise and Jose Pereira must find them and stop them			
Sampson, Fay	<i>Beneath the Soil: a Genealogical Mystery</i>	\$28.95	(Severn House)
Suzie Fewings is convinced there is more to the death of a farmer's wife than meets the eye.			
Schenkel, Andrea	<i>The Murder Farm</i>	\$22.99	(Quercus)
A whole family on a farm has been murdered and not even the narrator of the story learns the truth - it is left to the reader.			
Sefton, Maggie	<i>Yarn Over Murder</i>	\$25.95	(Berkley)
When Kelly Flynn takes some alpacas-who were in the path of a wildfire- to a ranch for safety, she finds the rancher dead.			
Silva, Daniel	<i>The Heist</i>	\$27.99	(Harper)
Gabriel Allon searches for a stolen Caravaggio figuring that the best way to find a stolen painting is to steal another one...			
Slaughter, Karin	<i>Cop Town</i>	\$27.00	(Delacorte)
1974: Kate Murphy's 1st day on the job in the Atlanta PD, she & her partner are mistakenly put in the heart of the action.			
Smith, Tom Rob	<i>The Farm</i>	\$26.00	(Grand Central)
Daniel does not know who to trust when his mother tells him a tale of horrible crimes that implicate his father.			

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Tervalon, Jervey *Monster's Chef* \$24.99 (Harper)
 Chef Gibson is hired to cook for a rock star but when he discovers a body in his boss's compound he is warned not to talk...

Tucker, Neely *The Ways of the Dead* 27.95 (Viking) **NEW SERIES**
 Reporter Sully Carter thinks there is more to the case when 3 kids are arrested in the death of a powerful judge's child.

Vachss, Andrew *Shockwave* \$26.95 (Pantheon)
 Mercenary Dell, & Dolly, battlefield nurse, investigate the death of a neo-Nazi for which a schizophrenic is being blamed.

Walsh, Jill Paton *The Late Scholar* \$25.99 (St.Martin's Minotaur)
 Lord Peter Wimsey & Harriet Vane go back to Oxford when a dispute about a manuscript results in deaths.

White, Kate *Eyes On You* \$25.99 (Harper)
 TV host Robin Trainer's career is skyrocketing - but then she starts to have mysterious & potentially dangerous "accidents".

Winspear, Jacqueline *The Care and Management of Lies* \$26.99 (Harper)
 A stand-alone novel of intrigue and romance, not a mystery.
 1914: The story of two woman, friends from childhood who have fallen out, and how they endure the war.

JULY HARDCOVERS - MANY HAVE ARRIVED

Abbott, Jeff *Inside Man* (Grand Central)
 Sam Capra's best friend is murdered and Sam infiltrates a Miami criminal family to find justice for his friend.

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 Sam Capra's friend is murdered and Miami so Sam infiltrates a prominent, dangerous crime family in a quest for justice.

Adler, Elizabeth *Last To Know* \$25.99 (St. Martin)
 Det. Harry Jordon is pulled into the case after witnessing the explosion of a house on a lake.

Anderson, Lin *The Case of the Black Pearl* \$28.95 (Severn House)
 Camille asks enigmatic Englishman Patrick de Courvoisier to find her movie star sister and it turns his life upside down.

Andrews, Donna *The Good, the Bad and the Emus* \$24.99 (St. Martin)
 Meg Langslow and her cousing must find the truth when family secrets are revealed.

Atkins, Ace *The Forsaken* \$26.95 (Putnam)
 Sheriff Quinn Colson sets out to identify a stranger lynched for a killing years earlier - and to find the real killer.

Bain, Donald *Margaret Truman's Undiplomatic Murder* \$24.99 (Forge)
 PI Robert Brixton's daughter is killed by a bomb - which Brixton traces to a powerful senator's son.

Barrett, Lorna *Book Clubbed* \$25.95 (Berkley)
 Bookstore owner Tricia Miles & her sister try to catch a killer who turned a bookcase into a murder weapon.

Bouman, Tom *Dry Bones in the Valley* \$24.95 (Norton)
 An elderly recluse finds a corpse and Officer Henry Farrell investigates in his rural Pennsylvania county.

Box, C.J. *Shots Fired* \$26.95 (Putnam)
 10 short stories, 3 never before published, including four Joe Picket stories.

Burke, James Lee *Wayfaring Stranger* \$27.99 (Simon & Schuster)
 The frontier justice meted out by his lawman grandfather shapes Weldon's plans to save his family from evil.

Cabot, Sam *Skin of the Wolf* \$26.95 (Blue Rider Press)
 A murder at Sotheby's is connected to a mysterious Iroquois ritual mask and a terrifying secret.

Campion, Alexander *Murder on the Mediterranean* \$24.00 (Kensington)
 Commissaire Capucine LeTellier goes on a cruise but the cook is lost overboard & the hunt is on for a killer.

Carter, Stephen L. *Back Channel* \$27.95 (Knopf)
 The entire outcome of the Cuban Missile Crisis depends upon one young woman.

Castillo, Linda *The Dead Will Tell* \$25.99 (St. Martin)
 Police Chief Kate Burkholder investigates the secrets surrounding an abandoned, and haunted farm.

Clark, Marcia *The Competition* \$26.00 (mulholland)
 After a school shooting, Prosecutor Rachel Knight realizes that supposed shooters might be victims as well.

Clement, Blaize and John *The Catsitter's Nine Lives* \$24.99 (St. Martin)
 Dixie Hemingway investigates after a terrible car crash and the disappearance of a bookstore owner and his cat.

Cooley, M.P. *Ice Shear* \$25.99 (Morrow) **DEBUT MYSTERY**
 Cop June Lyons investigates when the death of a local woman on the river leads to bikers and drug dealers.

Corley, Elizabeth *Grave Doubts* \$26.99 (St. Martin)
 Fenwich must stop a serial killer in this new novel of psychological suspense.

Coulter, Catherine *Power Play* \$26.95 (Putnam)
 Someone is trying to kill Natalie Black but nobody believes her except FBI agent Davis Sullivan.

Crawford, Isis	<i>A Catered Fourth of July</i>	\$24.00	(Kensington)
Libby & Bernie cater a Revolutionary War reenactment - but the town playboy turns up really dead.			
Dams, Jeanne M.	<i>Day of Vengeance</i>	\$28.95	(Severn House)
Dorothy Martin & Alan Nesbit investigate when a candidate for bishop of Sherebury Cathedral is murdered.			
Davis, Lindsey	<i>Enemies at Home</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
1st cent. Rome- a burglary that led to murder may result in more deaths unless Flavia can untangle the crime.			
Feldman, Stephanie	<i>The Angel of Losses</i>	\$26.95	(Harper) DEBUT MYSTERY
A dead man leaves behind a notebook & his granddaughter Marjorie seeks the truth about the secrets he kept.			
Gakas, Sergios, Stanton-Ife, Anne	<i>Ashes</i>	\$24.99	(Quercus)
Ins. Chronis Halkidis sets out who set the fire that badly burned his former lover, a former actress in Greece.			
Garrett, A.D.	<i>Everyone Lies</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
No one is much interested when drug addicts turn up dead but then a celebrity dies & DI Kate Simms is assigned the case.			
Gordon-Smith, Dolores	<i>After the Exhibition</i>	\$28.95	(Severn House)
Jack Haldean gets involved in a sudden death at an exhibition of church art in London.			
Hallinan, Timothy	<i>Herbie's Game</i>	\$26.95	(Soho)
Junior Bender is asked by a hit man to help him find out who is killing the other hit men in the Valley.			
Jance, J. A.	<i>Remains of Innocence</i>	\$26.99	(Morrow)
Sheriff Joanna Brady helps a young woman find out where her mother got a fortune in cash found hidden in her bookcase.			
Kubica, Mary	<i>The Good Girl</i>	\$24.95	(Mira)
Mia decides to go home with a man she met- only to learn that he was paid to abduct her for his employers...			
Laurie, Victoria	<i>Fatal Fortune</i>	\$24.95	(Obsidian)
Psychic Abby Cooper investigates when her best friend is caught on video in the act of shooting someone.			
Lin, Ed	<i>Ghost Month</i>	\$26.95	(Soho)
Jing-nan, who runs a food stand in Taipei, is shocked when his ex-girlfriend is murdered, and sets out to find the truth.			
Mark, David	<i>Sorrow Bound</i>	\$26.95	(Blue Rider Press)
DS Aector McAvoy is tracking a bizarre serial killer in the small English city of Hull.			
McGrath, M.J.	<i>The Bone Seeker</i>	\$26.95	(Viking)
Edie Kiglatuk & Sgt Derek Palliser think a conspiracy is the reason for the murder of a student in the Canadian arctic.			
Muller, Marcia	<i>The Night Searchers</i>	\$26.00	(Grand Central)
Sharon McCone digs into a group called the Night Searchers who may not be the benign treasure hunters they seem.			
Murphy, Jennifer	<i>I Love You More</i>	\$24.95	(Doubleday)
The story of one man, three wives, and the perfect murder.			
Pronzini, Bill	<i>Strangers</i>	\$24.99	(Forge)
Nameless goes to the aid of a former lover, whose son is accused in rape cases in a small town.			
Rosenfelt, David	<i>Hounded</i>	\$24.95	(St. Martin)
Andy Carpenter's friend, policeman Pete Stanton, asks Andy to take in an ex-con's son and a Bassett Hound.			
Spann, Susan	<i>Blade of the Samurai</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
16th cent. Japan - the Shogun demands that master ninja Hiro catch the killer of the Shogun's cousin - or die himself.			
Stevens, Taylor	<i>The Catch</i>	\$24.00	(Crown)
Vanessa Munroe, who gets things done mostly legally, agrees to find Leo, her gunrunning boss.			
Thoft, Ingrid	<i>Identity</i>	\$26.95	(Putnam)
Fina's Ludlow searches for the biological father of a child, but the man is killed shortly after she locates him.			
Thompson, James	<i>Helsinki Dead</i>	\$26.95	(Putnam)
Finland's police commissioner Kari Vaara discovers that authorities have been hiding the existence of several serial killers.			
Tremayne, Peter	<i>Atonement of Blood</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
Sister Fidelma tries to discover who is behind an assassination attempt.			
Verdon, John	<i>Peter Pan Must Die</i>	\$25.00	(Crown)
Puzzle solver Dave Gurney brings his brilliance to a shocking murder that could not have happened the way police believe.			
Weaver, Tim	<i>Never Coming Back</i>	\$27.95	(Viking)
When her sister's family disappears, Emily Kane & PI David Raker discover a cover-up that was decades in the making.			
Williams, Amanda Kyle	<i>Don't Talk to Strangers</i>	\$26.00	(Bantam)
The police ask Keye Street for help when a killer targets women in rural Georgia.			
Woods, Stuart	<i>Cut and Thrust</i>	\$26.95	(Putnam)
Stone Barrington is in L.A. for a political convention where he navigates a mass of ambitious schemers.			

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JUNE TRADE PAPERBACKS - MANY HAVE ARRIVED

Adler, Mary	<i>In the Shadow of Lies</i>	\$16.95	(She Writes Press)
In the middle of a Ku Klux Klan related murder investigation, Japan attacks Pearl Harbor.			
Alaux, Jean-Pierre	<i>The Grand Cru Heist</i>	\$12.95	(Le French Book)
The Winemaker Detective and his assistant solve two murders in the Loire Valley between glasses of wine.			
Alber, Lisa	<i>Kilmoon</i>	\$14.95	(Muskrat)
Merrit Chase goes to Ireland and her arrival triggers a tide of violence as she finds herself a pawn in a dangerous game.			
Brackmann, Lisa	<i>Hour of the Rat</i>	\$14.95	(Soho)
Ellie McEnroe goes to Yangshuo to find a friend's brother & gets involved in a conspiracy with an art obsessed billionaire.			
Campion, Alexander	<i>Death of A Chef</i>	\$15.00	(Kensington)
Police Judiciaire Commissaire Capucine's investigates when her best friend finds a man's body in a trunk she bought.			
Carpenter, C.J.	<i>Never Alone</i>	\$14.99	(midnight ink) DEBUT MYSTERY
NYPD Det. Megan McGinn's is ready to leave the police force but the murder of a young woman keeps her on the job.			
Casey, Donis	<i>Hell with the Lid Blown Off</i>	\$14.95	(Poisoned Pen Press)
1916: Alafair Tucker investigates when it is discovered that a hated man was dead before the tornado carried him off.			
Child, Lee	<i>Inherit the Dead</i>	\$15.00	(Touchstone)
20 bestselling mystery authors join forces to create a spellbinding story of love, betrayal and intrigue.			
Colfer, Eoin	<i>Screwed</i>	\$15.95	(Plume)
Daniel McEvoy solved a bizarre string of murders, but people keep dying suspiciously & Daniel is back in action.			
DeMille, Nelson	<i>The Quest</i>	\$15.00	(Center Street)
Two reporters search for the location of the cup used by Christ in the Last Supper.			
Disher, Garry	<i>Fallout</i>	\$14.95	(Soho)
Australian jewel thief Wyatt has lots of jewels and yachts but joins his nephew in a plot to steal expensive artwork.			
Hiaasen, Carl	<i>Bad Monkey</i>	\$15.00	(Grand Central)
Ex-cop Andrew Yancy thinks that if he can figure out who killed a man he might get back on the force.			
Hiebert, Michael	<i>Close to the Broken-Hearted</i>	\$15.00	(Kensington)
A small-town detective tries to protect a Sylvie from a man who killed her brother - a man who is now stalking Sylvie.			
Hyzy, Julie	<i>Inaugural Parade</i>	\$17.00	(Berkley)
The first 3 White House Chef mysteries in one volume.			
Ifkovic, Ed	<i>Final Curtain</i>	\$14.95	(Poisoned Pen Press)
1940: Edna Ferber is acting in summer stock theatre when a young understudy is murdered.			
Kahn, Michael A.	<i>Face Value: a Rachel Gold mystery</i>	\$14.95	(Poisoned Pen Press)
St. Louis lawyer Rachel has to convince the police that the death of a colleague is murder.			
Kearn, Abigail	<i>Death by Chocolate</i>	\$15.00	(Worker Bee Press)
When Ginny Wheelwright asks Josiah Reynold to find her missing son, he learns that the missing man had many secrets.			
King, Catriona	<i>The Broken Shore</i>	\$8.99	(Crooked Cat)
Superintendent Marc Craig finds a link between a prosperous art gallery in Belfast and a body found on a beach.			
Kingsmill, Suzanne	<i>Dying for Murder</i>	\$11.99	(Dundurn)
Zoologist Cordi O'Callaghan goes to Spaniel Island for research only to find a dead body as a hurricane moves in.			
Leotta, Allison	<i>Discretion</i>	\$14.99	(Touchstone)
Anna Curtis investigates the murder of one of DC's highest-paid escorts when a woman falls from the balcony.			
Lindsay, Jeff	<i>Dexter's Final Cut</i>	\$15.95	(Vintage)
A movie-star follows Dexter's every move to see what makes him tick - but he can't find out about Dexter's secret "hobby".			
Lundgren, Eric	<i>The Facades</i>	\$14.95	(Plume)
A disconsolate law clerk, Sven Norber, sets out to investigate his wife's disappearance.			
McIlvanney, William	<i>Laidlaw</i>	\$16.00	(Europa Editions)
Jack Laidlaw, hard-drinking philosopher & detective investigates the murder of a young woman in Glasgow.			
Molay, Frederique	<i>The 7th Woman</i>	\$16.95	(Le French Book)
Paris police chief Ncio Sirsky & his detectives race to catch a person killing successful women.			
Morrell, David	<i>Murder As a Fine Art</i>	\$16.00	(mulholland)
London, 1854: Thomas De Quincey is desperate to clear his name as a suspect in a series of vicious murders.			
Moss, John	<i>Blood Wine</i>	\$11.99	(Dundurn)
Det. Miranda Quin becomes a murder suspect, and she and her partner Morgan must find the truth.			
Nunn, Malla	<i>Present Darkness</i>	\$16.00	(Atria)
South Africa: Emmanuel Cooper's best friend's son is accused in an attack on a elderly couple who were left for dead.			

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O'Brien, Charles	<i>Death in Saratoga Springs</i>	\$15.00	(Kensington)
1890's: PI's Pamela Thompson & Capt. Jeremiah Prescott search for a maid abducted by a powerful man.			
Patterson, James	<i>Gone</i>	\$16.00	(Grand Central)
Det. Michael Bennett is the target of a vicious and persistent killer who he once jailed.			
Robertson, Imogen	<i>Circle of Shadows</i>	\$16.00	(Penguin)
Harriet Westerman & Gavriel Crowther go to the Duchy of Maulberg on a mission to save a man accused of murder.			
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Canon Sidney Chambers attempts to stop a serial killer with a grudge against the clergy.			
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Theo Decker is at the center of a dangerous circle in the underworld of art.			
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A murder that occurred in India during Bess Crawford's childhood comes back to haunt her.			
Upson, Nicola	<i>The Death of Lucy Kyte</i>	\$15.99	(Bourbon Street)
Josephine Tey goes to claim an inherited cottage and gets involved in an old murder on the cottage grounds.			
Von Schirach, Ferdinand	<i>The Collini Case</i>	\$15.00	(Penguin)
A lawyer is assigned to defend an elderly man who admits to killing an industrialist but won't say why.			
Winspear, Jacqueline	<i>Maisie Dobbs</i>	\$14.95	(Soho)
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Sue Turnbull is abducted and sent into the woods by a man who wants to kill her, and she must fight for her life.			

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Theresa agrees to dog-sit for a friend - who she then discovers dead - & Theresa's brother is the chief suspect.			
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Homicide det. Sabrina Vaughn realizes that a killer is targeting her when she begins to receive threatening messages.			
Bertsch, David Riley	<i>Death Canyon</i>	\$16.00	(Scribner) DEBUT THRILLER
Fishing-guide Jake Trent's finds himself at the center of a series of grisly killings in Jackson Hole.			
Camilleri, Andrea	<i>Angelica's Smile</i>	\$16.00	(Penguin)
Ins. Montalbano is stumped by a string of burglaries & the brash gang leader is sending Montalbano menacing letters.			
Castillo, Linda	<i>Her Last Breath</i>	\$25.99	(St. Martin)
When her best friend's husband is killed, Kate realizes that the death was not accident and hunts a cold-blooded killer.			
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1933, London-an amateur dowsing team unearths the body of a young woman & the case falls to Joe Sandilands.			
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Introducing an Austrian aristocrat, Malko Linge, who freelances for the CIA.			
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Atty Cal Claxton is help his friend guide a fishing party in Oregon but a murder threatens the safety of the whole group.			
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A starlet's murder draws an NYPD detective into a manhunt to Las Vegas and California.			
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Det. Marnie Rome & her partner must investigate when an abusive husband gets into a secure shelter and is killed there.			
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Alanis McLachlan's con-artist mother has left her an occult shop in an Arizona town where Alanis hunts her mom's killer.			
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Scotland, 1830: Lady Darby returns to her home only to find a caretaker murdered and a grave disturbed at a nearby Abbey.			
Keeley, D.A.	<i>Bitter Crossing</i>	\$14.99	(midnight ink)
Border patrol Agent Peyton Cote is home in northern Maine where she finds an abandoned baby in a frozen field.			
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Cork O'Connor notices some odd things about the disappearance of a judge's wife that make him suspicious.			
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Traveling secretary Hattie Davish is working in Newport but things get ugly when a local man is killed.			
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Det. Peter Diamond investigates when a woman's body was found with a tattoo of a music note on one of her teeth.			
MacNeal, Susan Elia	<i>The Prime Minister's Secret Agent</i>	\$15.00	(Bantam)
Maggie Hope returns to England to teach at a spy training camp where she's drawn into another web of danger.			
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Det. Eubanks hunts a clever serial killer after a prank leads to a string of dead bodies.			
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The daughter of a film director is found dead in an abandoned warehouse & journalist Scott McGrath suspects murder.			
Quinn, Spencer	<i>The Sound and the Fury</i>	\$16.00	(Atria)
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