

# US History Reading List

## **FICTION**

100+ Best Historical Fiction, including Cold Mountain, The Help, Snow Falling on Cedars, etc.  
[http://www.goodreads.com/list/show/7462.Best\\_American\\_Historical\\_Fiction](http://www.goodreads.com/list/show/7462.Best_American_Historical_Fiction)

In the Fall **ordered for the HBLib-LLC**

[http://www.amazon.com/Fall-Jeffrey-Lent-ebook/dp/B00501645Y/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436097209&sr=8-1&keywords=in+the+fall](http://www.amazon.com/Fall-Jeffrey-Lent-ebook/dp/B00501645Y/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436097209&sr=8-1&keywords=in+the+fall)

The Invention of Wings **ordered for the HBLib-LLC**

[http://www.amazon.com/Invention-Wings-Sue-Monk-Kidd/dp/0143121707/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436097241&sr=8-1&keywords=the+invention+of+wings](http://www.amazon.com/Invention-Wings-Sue-Monk-Kidd/dp/0143121707/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436097241&sr=8-1&keywords=the+invention+of+wings)

The Martian **HBLib-LLC Call # FIC WEI**

[http://www.amazon.com/Martian-Andy-Weir/dp/0553418025/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436119661&sr=8-1&keywords=the+martian](http://www.amazon.com/Martian-Andy-Weir/dp/0553418025/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436119661&sr=8-1&keywords=the+martian)

Abraham Lincoln: Vampire Hunter

[http://www.amazon.com/Abraham-Lincoln-Vampire-Seth-Grahame-Smith/dp/0446563072/ref=sr\\_1\\_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1436119695&sr=8-2&keywords=abraham+lincoln+vampire+hunter](http://www.amazon.com/Abraham-Lincoln-Vampire-Seth-Grahame-Smith/dp/0446563072/ref=sr_1_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1436119695&sr=8-2&keywords=abraham+lincoln+vampire+hunter)

Juba! by Walter Dean Meyers **preordered for the HBLib-LLC (JLG) Oct 2015**

[http://www.amazon.com/Juba-Novel-Walter-Dean-Myers/dp/0062112716/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436579126&sr=8-1&keywords=juba](http://www.amazon.com/Juba-Novel-Walter-Dean-Myers/dp/0062112716/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436579126&sr=8-1&keywords=juba)

How Few Remain by Harry Tuttle. What the US could be like if the South won the Civil War?

[http://www.amazon.com/How-Few-Remain-Southern-Victory/dp/0345406141/ref=sr\\_1\\_sc\\_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1441038798&sr=8-2-spell&keywords=harry+tuttle](http://www.amazon.com/How-Few-Remain-Southern-Victory/dp/0345406141/ref=sr_1_sc_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1441038798&sr=8-2-spell&keywords=harry+tuttle)

## **NONFICTION**

List of 65+ non-fiction history books:

[http://www.goodreads.com/list/show/32607.US\\_History\\_Reading\\_List](http://www.goodreads.com/list/show/32607.US_History_Reading_List)

Lies My Teacher Told Me **HBLib-LLC Call # 973 LOE**

[http://www.amazon.com/Lies-My-Teacher-Told-Everything-ebook/dp/B0041OT8EK/ref=sr\\_1\\_25?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099361&sr=1-25](http://www.amazon.com/Lies-My-Teacher-Told-Everything-ebook/dp/B0041OT8EK/ref=sr_1_25?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099361&sr=1-25)

The Devil in the White City **HBLib-LLC Call # 364.15 LAR**

[http://www.amazon.com/Devil-White-City-Madness-Changed/dp/0375725601/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436098203&sr=8-1&keywords=devil+in+the+white+city](http://www.amazon.com/Devil-White-City-Madness-Changed/dp/0375725601/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436098203&sr=8-1&keywords=devil+in+the+white+city)

The Monuments Men **HBLib-LLC Call # 940.53 EDS**

[http://www.amazon.com/Monuments-Men-Thieves-Greatest-Treasure-ebook/dp/B002LHRLNE/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436098515&sr=1-1&keywords=monuments+men](http://www.amazon.com/Monuments-Men-Thieves-Greatest-Treasure-ebook/dp/B002LHRLNE/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436098515&sr=1-1&keywords=monuments+men)

The Boys in the Boat **HBLib-LLC Call # 797.12 BRO**

[http://www.amazon.com/The-Boys-Boat-Americans-Olympics/dp/0143125478/ref=acs\\_ux\\_rw\\_ts\\_b\\_4853\\_5?ie=UTF8&s=books&pf\\_rd\\_p=1705002822&pf\\_rd\\_s=merchandised-search-3&pf\\_rd\\_t=101&pf\\_rd\\_i=4853&pf\\_rd\\_m=ATVPDKIKX0DER&pf\\_rd\\_r=01H3MGWV3BH1RK7ARSYZ](http://www.amazon.com/The-Boys-Boat-Americans-Olympics/dp/0143125478/ref=acs_ux_rw_ts_b_4853_5?ie=UTF8&s=books&pf_rd_p=1705002822&pf_rd_s=merchandised-search-3&pf_rd_t=101&pf_rd_i=4853&pf_rd_m=ATVPDKIKX0DER&pf_rd_r=01H3MGWV3BH1RK7ARSYZ)

The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks **HBLib-LLC Call # 616 SKL audio also available.**

[http://www.amazon.com/Immortal-Life-Henrietta-Lacks-ebook/dp/B00338QENI/ref=lp\\_4853\\_1\\_9?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099022&sr=1-9](http://www.amazon.com/Immortal-Life-Henrietta-Lacks-ebook/dp/B00338QENI/ref=lp_4853_1_9?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099022&sr=1-9)

1491 **HBLib-LLC Call # CD 970 FOU**

<http://www.amazon.com/1491-Revelations-Americas-Before-Columbus/dp/1400032059>

Assassination Vacation **HBLib-LLC Call # 973 VOW**

[http://www.amazon.com/Assassination-Vacation-Sarah-Vowell-ebook/dp/B000FCK300/ref=pd\\_sim\\_351\\_6?ie=UTF8&refRID=0D6SG4KGF316XC22B16V](http://www.amazon.com/Assassination-Vacation-Sarah-Vowell-ebook/dp/B000FCK300/ref=pd_sim_351_6?ie=UTF8&refRID=0D6SG4KGF316XC22B16V)

Unbroken **HBLib-LLC Call # 92 ZAM audio also available. (Memoirs course)**

[http://www.amazon.com/Unbroken-World-Survival-Resilience-Redemption/dp/0812974492/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436102909&sr=1-1&keywords=unbroken](http://www.amazon.com/Unbroken-World-Survival-Resilience-Redemption/dp/0812974492/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436102909&sr=1-1&keywords=unbroken)

1776 **HBLib-LLC Call # 973.3 MCC**

[http://www.amazon.com/1776-David-McCullough/dp/0743226712/ref=pd\\_sim\\_14\\_50?ie=UTF8&refRID=06T2SF5ZKFMGPMP9M3HS](http://www.amazon.com/1776-David-McCullough/dp/0743226712/ref=pd_sim_14_50?ie=UTF8&refRID=06T2SF5ZKFMGPMP9M3HS)

Fiasco **ordered for the HBLib-LLC (GreenEarth)**

[http://www.amazon.com/Fiasco-American-Military-Adventure-Iraq/dp/0143038915/ref=sr\\_1\\_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1436097262&sr=8-2&keywords=fiasco](http://www.amazon.com/Fiasco-American-Military-Adventure-Iraq/dp/0143038915/ref=sr_1_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1436097262&sr=8-2&keywords=fiasco)

The Secret History of Wonder Woman **ordered for the HBLib-LLC (Follett)**

[http://www.amazon.com/Secret-History-Wonder-Woman-ebook/dp/B00K4C3QPK/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436097354&sr=1-1&keywords=the+secret+history+of+wonder+woman](http://www.amazon.com/Secret-History-Wonder-Woman-ebook/dp/B00K4C3QPK/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436097354&sr=1-1&keywords=the+secret+history+of+wonder+woman)

Dead Wake **ordered for the HBLib-LLC (Follett)**

[http://www.amazon.com/Dead-Wake-Last-Crossing-Lusitania/dp/0307408868/ref=pd\\_sim\\_14\\_4?ie=UTF8&refRID=0BPSCMAMZ2RV444K5ARJ](http://www.amazon.com/Dead-Wake-Last-Crossing-Lusitania/dp/0307408868/ref=pd_sim_14_4?ie=UTF8&refRID=0BPSCMAMZ2RV444K5ARJ)

The Wright Brothers **ordered for the HBLib-LLC (Follett)**

[http://www.amazon.com/The-Wright-Brothers-David-McCullough/dp/1476728747/ref=pd\\_sim\\_14\\_1?ie=UTF8&refRID=0P425CFJP4ZA8JMAGCYX](http://www.amazon.com/The-Wright-Brothers-David-McCullough/dp/1476728747/ref=pd_sim_14_1?ie=UTF8&refRID=0P425CFJP4ZA8JMAGCYX)

The Murder of the Century: The Gilded Age Crime That Scandalized a City & Sparked the Tabloid Wars **ordered for the HBLib-LLC (GreenEarth)**

[http://www.amazon.com/Murder-Century-Scandalized-Sparked-Tabloid-ebook/dp/B004J4WLL6/ref=sr\\_1\\_11?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436119966&sr=1-11&keywords=american+serial+killers](http://www.amazon.com/Murder-Century-Scandalized-Sparked-Tabloid-ebook/dp/B004J4WLL6/ref=sr_1_11?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436119966&sr=1-11&keywords=american+serial+killers)

Most Dangerous **preordered for the HBLib-LC (JLG) October 2015**

[http://www.amazon.com/Most-Dangerous-Ellsberg-History-Vietnam/dp/1596439521/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436579221&sr=8-1&keywords=most+dangerous](http://www.amazon.com/Most-Dangerous-Ellsberg-History-Vietnam/dp/1596439521/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1436579221&sr=8-1&keywords=most+dangerous)

The Oregon Trail: A New American Journey

[http://www.amazon.com/The-Oregon-Trail-American-Journey/dp/1451659164/ref=pd\\_sim\\_14\\_30?ie=UTF8&refRID=06T2SF5ZKFMGPMP9M3HS](http://www.amazon.com/The-Oregon-Trail-American-Journey/dp/1451659164/ref=pd_sim_14_30?ie=UTF8&refRID=06T2SF5ZKFMGPMP9M3HS)

The Quartet: Orchestrating the Second American Revolution 1783-1789

[http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/0385353405/ref=s9\\_al\\_bw\\_g14\\_i16?pf\\_rd\\_m=ATVPDKIKX0DER&pf\\_rd\\_s=merchandise-search-8&pf\\_rd\\_r=00Y4D430E44747NZ2PKF&pf\\_rd\\_t=101&pf\\_rd\\_p=2118025942&pf\\_rd\\_i=549028](http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/0385353405/ref=s9_al_bw_g14_i16?pf_rd_m=ATVPDKIKX0DER&pf_rd_s=merchandise-search-8&pf_rd_r=00Y4D430E44747NZ2PKF&pf_rd_t=101&pf_rd_p=2118025942&pf_rd_i=549028)

Failure is Not an Option

[http://www.amazon.com/Failure-Not-Option-Mission-Control-ebook/dp/B000FC007M/ref=sr\\_1\\_3?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436098888&sr=1-3&keywords=apollo](http://www.amazon.com/Failure-Not-Option-Mission-Control-ebook/dp/B000FC007M/ref=sr_1_3?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436098888&sr=1-3&keywords=apollo)

The Billion Dollar Spy

[http://www.amazon.com/The-Billion-Dollar-Spy-Espionage-ebook/dp/B00OEXDLPU/ref=acs\\_ux\\_rw\\_ts\\_b\\_4853\\_7?ie=UTF8&s=books&pf\\_rd\\_p=1705002822&pf\\_rd\\_s=merchandise-search-3&pf\\_rd\\_t=101&pf\\_rd\\_i=4853&pf\\_rd\\_m=ATVPDKIKX0DER&pf\\_rd\\_r=01H3MGWV3BH1RK7ARSYZ](http://www.amazon.com/The-Billion-Dollar-Spy-Espionage-ebook/dp/B00OEXDLPU/ref=acs_ux_rw_ts_b_4853_7?ie=UTF8&s=books&pf_rd_p=1705002822&pf_rd_s=merchandise-search-3&pf_rd_t=101&pf_rd_i=4853&pf_rd_m=ATVPDKIKX0DER&pf_rd_r=01H3MGWV3BH1RK7ARSYZ)

The Residence: Inside the Private World of the White House

[http://www.amazon.com/Residence-Inside-Private-World-White-ebook/dp/B00LSRR06G/ref=sr\\_1\\_21?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099152&sr=1-21](http://www.amazon.com/Residence-Inside-Private-World-White-ebook/dp/B00LSRR06G/ref=sr_1_21?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099152&sr=1-21)

The Warmth of Other Suns

[http://www.amazon.com/Warmth-Other-Suns-Americas-Migration-ebook/dp/B003EY7JGM/ref=sr\\_1\\_40?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099609&sr=1-40](http://www.amazon.com/Warmth-Other-Suns-Americas-Migration-ebook/dp/B003EY7JGM/ref=sr_1_40?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099609&sr=1-40)

The Path Between the Seas: The Creation of the Panama Canal, 1870-1914

[http://www.amazon.com/Path-Between-Seas-Creation-1870-1914-ebook/dp/B002FK3U4Q/ref=sr\\_1\\_57?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099677&sr=1-57](http://www.amazon.com/Path-Between-Seas-Creation-1870-1914-ebook/dp/B002FK3U4Q/ref=sr_1_57?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436099677&sr=1-57)

Take the Cannoli: Stories From the New World

[http://www.amazon.com/Take-Cannoli-Stories-From-World-ebook/dp/B00AK78PIC/ref=pd\\_sim\\_351\\_2?ie=UTF8&refRID=0V2JVAF8SR0ZG3S51RFY](http://www.amazon.com/Take-Cannoli-Stories-From-World-ebook/dp/B00AK78PIC/ref=pd_sim_351_2?ie=UTF8&refRID=0V2JVAF8SR0ZG3S51RFY)

Cod: A Biography of the Fish that Changed the World

<http://www.amazon.com/Cod-Biography-Fish-Changed-World/dp/0140275010>

A People's History of the United States

[http://www.amazon.com/Peoples-History-United-States/dp/0060838655/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436102935&sr=1-1&keywords=a+people%27s+history+of+the+united+states](http://www.amazon.com/Peoples-History-United-States/dp/0060838655/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436102935&sr=1-1&keywords=a+people%27s+history+of+the+united+states)

Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet

[http://www.amazon.com/Hotel-Corner-Bitter-Sweet-Jamie/dp/0345505344/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436102997&sr=1-1&keywords=hotel+on+the+corner+of+bitter+and+sweet](http://www.amazon.com/Hotel-Corner-Bitter-Sweet-Jamie/dp/0345505344/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436102997&sr=1-1&keywords=hotel+on+the+corner+of+bitter+and+sweet)

The Deadly Dozen: America's 12 Worst Serial Killers (for our morbid set)

[http://www.amazon.com/Deadly-Dozen-Americas-Killers-American-ebook/dp/B00K2DP62W/ref=sr\\_1\\_2?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436119787&sr=1-2&keywords=american+serial+killers](http://www.amazon.com/Deadly-Dozen-Americas-Killers-American-ebook/dp/B00K2DP62W/ref=sr_1_2?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436119787&sr=1-2&keywords=american+serial+killers)

The Hot Zone (because Ebola!)

[http://www.amazon.com/Hot-Zone-Terrifying-Story-Origins-ebook/dp/B007DCU4IQ/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436146634&sr=1-1&keywords=the+hot+zone](http://www.amazon.com/Hot-Zone-Terrifying-Story-Origins-ebook/dp/B007DCU4IQ/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436146634&sr=1-1&keywords=the+hot+zone)

And the Band Played On (AIDs Crisis and there is also a fantastic movie for this)

[http://www.amazon.com/Band-Played-Politics-Epidemic-20th-Anniversary-ebook/dp/B000V761ZA/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436146725&sr=1-1&keywords=and+the+band+played+on+by+randy+shilts](http://www.amazon.com/Band-Played-Politics-Epidemic-20th-Anniversary-ebook/dp/B000V761ZA/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436146725&sr=1-1&keywords=and+the+band+played+on+by+randy+shilts)

The Untouchables (Al Capone/ Prohibition)

[http://www.amazon.com/Untouchables-Real-Story-Eliot-Ness/dp/0671644491/ref=sr\\_1\\_5?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436146995&sr=1-5&keywords=the+untouchables+in+books](http://www.amazon.com/Untouchables-Real-Story-Eliot-Ness/dp/0671644491/ref=sr_1_5?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1436146995&sr=1-5&keywords=the+untouchables+in+books)