

MOUNT OLIVET BOOK CLUB SELECTIONS ~ From September 1997

- ❖ Your Oasis on Flame Lake – Lorna Landvik
- ❖ Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil – John Berendt
- ❖ The Girls with the Grandmother Faces - Francis Weaver
- ❖ Locked in the Cabinet – Robert B. Reich
- ❖ The Road from Coorain – Jill Ker Conway
- ❖ Crossing to Safety – Wallace Stegner
- ❖ Beloved – Toni Morrison
- ❖ Short Stories – Wallace Stegner
- ❖ The Inn at Lake Devine – Elinor Lipman
- ❖ *The Mill on the Floss* – George Elliot
- ❖ Cold Mountain – Charles Frazier
- ❖ The Weight of Water – Anita Shreve
- ❖ West with the Night – Beryl Markham
- ❖ The Cape Ann – Faith Sullivan
- ❖ *Black Water* – Kerstin Ekman
- ❖ No Ordinary Time – Doris Kearns Goodwin
- ❖ Turnip Blues – Helen Campbell
- ❖ Snow Falling on Cedars – David Guterson
- ❖ Memoirs of a Geisha – Arthur Golden
- ❖ Charms for an Easy Life – Kaye Gibbons
- ❖ Saying Grace – Beth Gutcheon
- ❖ *Tall Pine Polka* – Lorna Landvik
- ❖ *Under the Tuscan Sun* – Frances Mayes
- ❖ *Underground Christmas* – Jon Hassler
- ❖ *Personal History* – Katherine Graham
- ❖ Homestead – Rosina Lippi
- ❖ The Red Tent – Anita Diamante
- ❖ The Reader – Bernhard Schlink
- ❖ The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down – Anne Fadiman
- ❖ Finding Laura Buggs – Stanley Gordon West
- ❖ Pears on a Willow Tree – Leslie Pietrzyk
- ❖ Midwives – Chris Bohjalian
- ❖ What We Keep – Elizabeth Berg
- ❖ What a Woman Must Do – Faith Sullivan
- ❖ The Rector’s Wife – Joanna Trollope
- ❖ To Kill a Mockingbird – Harper Lee
- ❖ The Chosen – Chaim Potok
- ❖ Pope Joan – Donna Woolfolk Cross
- ❖ Nazi Officer’s Wife – Edith Hahn Beer
- ❖ Barefoot on Crane Island – Marjorie Myers Douglas
- ❖ Girl With A Pearl Earring – Tracy Chevalier
- ❖ *A Gracious Plenty* – Sheri Reynolds
- ❖ *Corelli’s Mandolin* – Louis De Bernieres
- ❖ Plain Truth – Jodi Picoult
- ❖ Peace Like A River – Leif Enger
- ❖ Life Is So Good – George Dawson and Richard Glaubman
- ❖ Cold Sassy Tree - Olive Ann Burns
- ❖ Nine Parts of Desire – Geraldine Brooks
- ❖ *Prodigal Summer* – Barbara Kingsolver
- ❖ *Ahab’s Wife* – Sena Jeter Naslund
- ❖ *A Beautiful Mind* – Sylvia Nasar
- ❖ The Weight of All Things – Sandra Benitez
- ❖ A Tree Grows in Brooklyn – Betty Smith
- ❖ Main Street – Sinclair Lewis
- ❖ *In the Lake of the Woods* – Tim O’Brien

- ❖ *The Florabama Ladies' Auxiliary Sewing Circle*
– Lois Battle
- ❖ Redemption Blues – Tim Griggs
- ❖ Balzac and The Little Chinese Seamstress
- ❖ One Thousand White Women – Jim Fergus
- ❖ Spilling Clarence – Anne Ursu
- ❖ Lambs of God – Marele Day
- ❖ Empire Falls – Richard Russo
- ❖ Seabiscuit – Laura Hillenbrand
- ❖ The Secret Life of Bees – Sue Monk Kidd
- ❖ Jane Eyre – Charlotte Bronte
- ❖ *The Constant Gardener* – John LeCarre
- ❖ Lydia Cassatt Reading the Morning Paper –
Harriet Scott Chessman
- ❖ Life of Pi – Yann Martel
- ❖ Interpreter of Maladies – Jhumpa Lahiri
- ❖ The Handmaid's Tale – Margaret Atwood
- ❖ The Kitchen Boy – Robert Alexander
- ❖ Revenge of the Middle Aged Woman –
Elizabeth Buchan
- ❖ The Stone Diaries – Carol Shields
- ❖ Angle of Repose – Wallace Stegner
- ❖ The Great Gatsby – F. Scott Fitzgerald
- ❖ The Lovely Bones – Alice Sebold
- ❖ Waiting for Snow in Havana: Confessions of a
Cuban Boy – Carlos Eire
- ❖ Kaffir Boy: The True Story of a Black Youth
Coming of Age in Apartheid South Africa –
Mark Mathabane
- ❖ The Dive From Clausen's Pier – Ann Packer
(Film is on *Lifetime* on July 25th)
- ❖ Lucia. Lucia – Adriana Trigiani
- ❖ The Other Boleyn Girl – Philippa Gregory
- ❖ Swan – Frances Mayes
- ❖ Haunted Ground – Erin Hart
- ❖ Her Sister's Keeper – Jodi Picoult
- ❖ The Kite Runner – Khaled Hosseini
- ❖ Middlesex – Jeffrey Eugenides
- ❖ Reading Lolita in Tehran – Azar Nafisi
- ❖ Devil in the White City – Erik Larson
- ❖ Father Joe, the Man Who Saved My Soul –
Tony Hendra
- ❖ Time Travelers Wife – Audrey Niffenegger
- ❖ The Number One Ladies' Detective Agency –
Alexander McCall Smith
- ❖ Resistance – Anita Shreve
- ❖ Leota's Garden – Francine Rivers
- ❖ Small Wonder – Barbara Kingsolver
- ❖ In the Time of the Butterflies – Julia Alvarez
- ❖ Night of the Radishes – Sandra Benitez
- ❖ Atonement – Ian McEwan
- ❖ Julie and Romeo –Jeanne Ray
- ❖ Snowflower and the Secret Fan – Lisa See
- ❖ How the Garcia Girls lost Their Accents – Julia
Alvarez
- ❖ Broken for You – Stephanie Kallos
- ❖ The Glass Castle – Jeannette Walls
- ❖ The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane –
Kate DiCamillo
- ❖ C'est La Vie – Suzy Gershman
- ❖ Gardenias – Faith Sullivan
- ❖ My Antonia – Willa Cather
- ❖ Dial M: The Murder of Carol Thompson –
William Swanson

- ❖ *Autobiography of a Face* – Lucy Grealy
- ❖ *Lamb* – Christopher Moore
- ❖ *Eat, Pray, Love* – Elizabeth Gilbert
- ❖ *Water for Elephants* – Sara Gruen
- ❖ *The Distant Land of my Father* – Bo Caldwell
- ❖ *The Dress Lodger* – Sheri Holman
- ❖ *Skinner’s Drift* – Lisa Fugard
- ❖ *Astrid & Veronika* – Linda Olsson
- ❖ *Between the Tides* – Patti Callahan Henry
- ❖ *The Life and Time of The Thunderbolt Kid* – Bill Bryson
- ❖ *Fall to Grace* – Kerry Casey
- ❖ *Three Cups of Tea* – Greg Mortenson and David Oliver Relin
- ❖ *Abide with Me* – Elizabeth Strout
- ❖ *Loving Frank* – Nancy Horan
- ❖ *The Double Bind* – Christopher Bohjalian
- ❖ *The Camel Bookmobile* – Masha Hamilton
- ❖ *The Master Butcher’s Singing Club* – Louise Erdrich
- ❖ *The Secret Life of CeeCee Wilkes* – Diane Chamberlain
- ❖ *The Girls Who Went Away* – Ann Fessler
- ❖ *Kabul Beauty School* – Deborah Rodriguez
- ❖ *Keeping the House* – Ellen Baker
- ❖ *Sarah’s Key* – Tatiana De Rosnay
- ❖ *Rebecca* – Daphne Du Maurier
- ❖ *Little Heathens* – Mildred Armstrong Kalish
- ❖ *Run* – Ann Patchett
- ❖ *Out Stealing Horses* – Per Petterson
- ❖ *Bridge of Sighs* – Richard Russo
- ❖ *The Book Thief* – Markus Zusak
- ❖ *Homeland* – Barbara Kingsolver
- ❖ *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* – Mary Ann Shaffer
- ❖ *Still Alice* -- Lisa Genova
- ❖ *Olive Kitteridge* – Elizabeth Strout
- ❖ *The Girl With The Dragon Tattoo* – Stieg Larsson
- ❖ *A Moveable Feast* – Ernest Hemingway
- ❖ *Cutting for Stone* – Abraham Verghese
- ❖ *Let the Great World Spin* – Colum McCann
- ❖ *The Butterfly Garden* – Chip St. Clair
- ❖ *The Monfils Conspiracy* – Denis Gullickson & John Gaie
- ❖ *South of Broad* – Pat Conroy
- ❖ *Hotel On The Corner of Bitter and Sweet* – Jamie Ford
- ❖ *The Help* – Kathryn Stockett
- ❖ *House Rules* – Jodi Picoult
- ❖ *The Elegance of the Hedgehog* – Muriel Barbery
- ❖ *Remarkable Creatures* – Tracey Chevalier
- ❖ *Little Bee* – Chris Cleave
- ❖ *Tender at the Bone* – Ruth Reichl
- ❖ *Red Badge of Courage* – Stephen Crane
- ❖ *Wench* – Dolen Perkins-Valdez
- ❖ *Winter Garden* – Kristin Hannah
- ❖ *A Reliable Wife* – Robert Goolrick
- ❖ *A Vintage Affair* – Isabel Wolff
- ❖ *The Elephant Keeper* – Christopher Nicholson
- ❖ *The Grace of Silence* – Michelle Norris
- ❖ *Unbroken* – Laura Hillenbrand
- ❖ *Kosher Chinese* – Michael Levy

- ❖ Molokai – Alan Brennert
- ❖ Cleopatra: A Life – Stacy Schiff
- ❖ In The Garden of Beasts – Erik Larson
- ❖ The Long Shining Waters – Danielle Sosin
- ❖ Faith – Jennifer Haigh
- ❖ Major Pettegrew’s Last Stand – Helen
Simonson
- ❖ June Bug – Chris Fabry
- ❖ The Weird Sisters – Eleanor Brown
- ❖ I am The Messenger – Markus Zusak