

CAT & DOG TAILS

(and a few other beasties)

MYSTERY Adamson

Adamson, Lydia. **A Cat Named Brat**

Brat, a hyperactive cat, vanishes when his sitter is attacked and his owner is murdered.

FICTION Auster

Auster, Paul. **Timbuktu: a Novel**

Mr. Bones, the canine sidekick of Willy G. Christmas, narrates this novel of a search for a beloved high school mentor.

MYSTERY Babson

Babson, Marian. **The Cat Who Wasn't a Dog.**

Dame Cecile Savoy takes her beloved dog's body to the taxidermist and becomes involved in a case of arson, kidnapping, and murder.

FICTION Banks Russell 2004

Banks, Russell. **The Darling.**

Narrator Hannah Musgrave reflects on her life in radical politics in the US, and dangerous politics in Africa, where she raises a family and shelters chimpanzees.

MYSTERY Benjamin

Benjamin, Carol Lea. **The Long Good Boy.**

Rachel Alexander and her canine companion Dash delve into the dark underworld of the city to catch a brutal killer.

MYSTERY Berenson

Berenson, Laurien. **Best in Show**

Canine calamity ensues at a specialty dog show as breeder and sleuth Melanie Travis sifts through the list of suspects.

FICTION Berger

Berger, John. **King: a Street Story.**

A streetwise canine who lives with a vagrant couple describes life in a homeless community.

MYSTERY Braun

Braun, Lilian Jackson. **The Cat Who Brought Down the House**

Small town reporter and his cats, Koko and Yum Yum, confront a new mystery when an old opera house is turned into a film club.

MYSTERY Brown

Brown, Rita Mae. **Tail of the Tip-off.**

When a local builder dies during a local basketball game, Harry Haristeen and her coterie of animals sift through the suspects as they search for the killer.

FICTION Charbonneau

Charbonneau, Louis. **Trail: The Story of the Lewis & Clark Expedition.**

The story of Lewis and Clark comes not only from themselves but from the dog on their expedition named Seaman.

MYSTERY Conant

Conant, Susan. **The Wicked Flea.**

A battle between dog walkers and joggers over territory in the local park ignites a series of violent confrontations, as Holly Winter becomes caught in the middle of the struggle.

MYSTERY Creature 2005

Morgan, Jill M. **Creature Cozies.**

A collection of detective stories by mystery's best writers, as man's best friend becomes involved in crime solving.

FICTION Dalton Trinie 2005

Dalton, Trinie. **Wide Eyed.**

Animals, magic and death are featured in these 20 short stories.

MYSTERY Douglas

Douglas, Carole Nelson. **Cat in a Neon Nightmare.**

Max Kinsella tracks down an elusive organization of renegade magicians to the private magic club of Nightmare in Las Vegas.

WESTERN Edgerton

Edgerton, Clyde. **Redeye: a Western.**

In 1892, a group of explorers arrive at the cliff dwellings in southwest Colorado, each with a different agenda, some of it narrated by Redeye, the dog of the bounty-hunter.

FICTION Hahn

Hahn, Harriet. **James, the Connoisseur Cat.**

An American gentleman and his very proper English cat, James, form the perfect partnership as they attend a variety of London activities.

FICTION Irving, John.

Irving, John. **Setting Free The Bears.**

Two Viennese university students want to liberate the Vienna Zoo, unwittingly initiating some unintended consequences.

FICTION Kenyon Sherrily 2006

Kenyon, Sherrilyn. **Unleash the night.**

A fantasy tale of Wren Tigarian, who must fight for his existence between two species.

MYSTERY Lanier

Lanier, Virginia. A Bloodhound to Die For.

Amateur detective Jo Beth Sidden finds herself on the trails of an escaped convict and an elderly woman who has wandered into the Okefenokee Swamp.

FICTION Lenard-C Lisa 2004

Lenard-Cook, Lisa. Coyote Morning: a novel.

A tale of coping with the intrusion of man into the realms of nature, and the consequences of human interaction.

FICTION Lewin Michael 1998

Lewin, Michael Z. Rover's Tales.

Describes a mutt named Rover, who embodies the spirit of Robin Hood.

FICTION Lynch Jim 2005

Lynch, Jim. The Highest Tide: A Novel.

Marine tidal life becomes a metaphor for a young man's adolescence in this coming-of-age novel set in Washington State.

FICTION Maine David 2004

Maine, David. The Preservationist.

Humorous and thoughtful recounting of Noah's encounter with God and the resulting flood and ark.

FICTION Martel Yann

Martel, Yann. Life of Pi: a Novel.

A zookeeper's son becomes stranded in a small boat with a Bengal tiger for 227 days while lost at sea.

FICTION Mayle Peter

Mayle, Peter. A Dog's Life

The exploits of Boy, from the dog's perspective, from his humble beginnings to joining the Mayle household to his adventures throughout France.

MYSTERY

Murphy, Shirley R. Cat Fear No Evil.

Several burglaries and a murder lead feline detective Joe Grey and his sidekick, Dulcie, into a confrontation with a renegade tomcat.

FICTION Siebert Charles 2000

Siebert, Charles. Angus: A Memoir

Angus, a spunky Jack Russell terrier, wounded in the woods and trying to crawl back to his owner's cabin, recalls his rich life.

FICTION Tinti Hannah 2004

Tinti, Hannah. Animal Crackers.

Eleven original short stories, "strange, funny, and unnerving" attempt to describe a relationship between the animals and their human owners or caretakers.

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