

## Covenant Book Club List

Noel Holcroft is shown a thirty-year-old document, drawn up by his father and other Third Reich high officials, which, upon Noel's signature, will supposedly release eight hundred million dollars to descendants of Holocaust victims.

THE BOOK OF MORMON is a blessing to all those who read it with a sincere heart and desire to know its truths. The temple covenant themes and purposes lie right before us within its pages, half-hidden in topics taught in the Small Plates of Nephi: Obedience and Sacrifice: 1 Nephi, The Gospel: 2 Nephi Chastity: Jacob, Prayer: Enos, Family History: Jarom, Consecration: Omni and King Benjamin's Sermon. You can learn much more about your covenants by studying these teachings through the lens of temple worship. Doing so will help you come unto Christ and better understand and keep your covenants as you progress along the covenant path back to God. Well written and thoroughly researched, this inspired book is an excellent guide that will help you see the early part of the Book of Mormon with new eyes and embrace its teachings in ways you never before imagined.

Twice before, Thomas Covenant had been summoned to the Land, the strange other-world where magic worked.

Stephen R. Donaldson's *Chronicles of Thomas Covenant* examines Donaldson's first three novels in an attempt to define their place in the fantasy canon. The book begins with an extensive introduction to the fantasy genre in which W.A. Senior eloquently defends fantasy against charges of being mere escapism, or simply juvenile, and not warranting serious critical consideration.

White Gold Wielder

Faith and Covenant in the Book of Exodus

The Power That Preserves

The Holcroft Covenant

Covenant of the Torch

“Covenant is [Stephen R.] Donaldson's genius!”—*The Village Voice* He called himself Thomas Covenant the Unbeliever, because he dared not believe in this strange alternate world on which he suddenly found himself. Yet the Land tempted him. He had been sick; now he seemed better than ever before. Through no fault of his own, he had been outcast, unclean, a pariah. Now he was regarded as a reincarnation of the Land's greatest hero—Berek Halfhand—armed with the mystic power of White Gold. That power alone could protect the Lords of the Land from the ancient evil of the Despiser, Lord Foul. Except that Covenant had no idea how to use that power. . . .

The haunting gothic tale started in *Archon* continues—a mesmerizing work of the paranormal in which a young woman discovers that she is caught in a labyrinth of intrigue where angels, demons, and all the creatures between Heaven and Hell will stop at nothing to possess her. A year ago, Angela Mathers, a talented artist with a tortured soul, enrolled at the Westwood Academy and encountered the angels who haunted her dreams. Then she discovered the dark truth . . . she is the Archon, a being of supreme power who will determine the fate of the universe. But with such power comes great danger, and for every force seeking to aid Angela there is another burning to stop her. After a scheming demon kidnaps the Book of Razel, Angela must find her way through a nightmarish game and enter the Door to Hell to rescue her only friend before it is too late. The perilous fate of both Heaven and Hell rests on her success.

When her husband and daughter disappear from their violent Jerusalem community, a pregnant Elise Margulies desperately calls her grandmother in America for help and finds herself at the front lines against terrorism.

Originally published in 1976, James A. Michener's explosive, spectacular *Sports in America* is a prescient examination of the crisis in American sports that is still unfolding to this day. Pro basketball players are banned for narcotics use, while a Major League pitcher is arrested for smuggling drugs across the Mexican border. The NFL's “injury report” grows longer every Sunday. Corruption and recruiting violations plague collegiate sports as the “winning is everything” mentality trickles down to the Little League level. With his lifelong enthusiasm for sports in evidence, the incomparable Michener tackles this subject thoroughly and leaves us amazed and appalled by what we've learned, yet still loving the games we grew up on. **BONUS:** This edition includes an excerpt from James A. Michener's *Hawaii*. Praise for *Sports in America* “A comprehensive, controversial examination of sports as a major force in American life.”—*Los Angeles Times* “Michener's life was saved by sports twice. In return, he has issued a long, lovingly critical, prodigiously researched account of the passions and politics of America at organized play. Rich in anecdote, source material and his own shrewd commentary.”—*The New York Times Book Review* “Like just about everything James Michener has produced, *Sports in America* is a thoughtful, well-written document that's thoroughly researched. . . . For anyone interested in how the ball bounces in the U.S. of A., the answers are all here.”—*The Wall Street Journal* “Encyclopedic . . . amusing and sometimes alarming.”—*The Washington Post*

Doms of The Covenant Book 2

Variations on the Fantasy Tradition

Israel and the Book of the Covenant

Stories

The Bloody Covenant

Seven years ago Cindy Dagnan and her husband made the decision for her to leave a teaching position and stay home with their girls. To this day, she is thankful for the sacrifice they made and is filled with advice and encouragement to help other moms handle the identity transition from career mother to at-home mom streamline meals and at-home projects and enjoy the saved time connect with others to create a vital network of friends This gathering of inspiration and practical steps will lead at-home moms--and those considering the decision--to transcend the daily grind and draw closer to the One who shaped the concept of home in their hearts.

Reveals the fates of Jacob and Lori Kalner in Warsaw, as well as David Meyer, Madame Rose Smith, Jerome Jardin, and Rachel and Yacov Lubetkin.

'Comparable to Tolkien at his best' WASHINGTON POST

Dear Covenant Child, I have stated in My Word that if you love Me, walk in all My ways and hold fast to My Word, you will be one with Me, joint heirs in the covenant of Abraham.

This covenant is your assurance that I, the Lord God, will be your God and you will be My child. I will set you on high. I will make you the head and not the tail; and you shall be above only, and you shall not be beneath. Beloved, please understand that I wish above all things that you prosper and be in perfect health. In My covenant, I offer you life. Remember, Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life. I love you, Your Heavenly Father.

Covenant Child

Cumulative List of Organizations Described in Section 170 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954

Selected List of Books of Jewish Interest

The Covenant Path in the Bible and the Book of Mormon

Apollyon

Hip Hop literature, also known as urban fiction or street lit, is a type of writing evocative of the harsh realities of life in the inner city. Beginning with seminal works by such writers as Donald Goines and Iceberg Slim and culminating in contemporary fiction, autobiography, and poetry, Hip Hop literature is exerting the same kind of influence as Hip Hop music, fashion, and culture. Through more than 180 alphabetically arranged entries, this encyclopedia surveys the world of Hip Hop literature and places it in its social and cultural contexts. Entries cite works for further reading, and a bibliography concludes the volume. Coverage includes authors, genres, and works, as well as on the musical artists, fashion designers, directors, and other figures who make up the context of Hip Hop literature. Entries cite works for further reading, and the encyclopedia concludes with a selected, general bibliography. Students in literature classes will value this guide to an increasingly popular body of literature, while students in social studies classes will welcome its illumination of American cultural diversity.

The spellbinding fourth novel in the acclaimed Covenant series from #1 New York Times bestselling Jennifer L. Armentrout. Enter the world of Covenant... Alex has Awoken and become the Apollyon. She has connected with Seth and now the thing she feared most has happened: her true self has been lost. But love is stronger than fate, and Aiden St. Delphi will do anything to break the connection and get Alex back. And then there's the fact that the whole Alex-and-Seth combination is pretty dangerous: if Seth drains Alex of her power, he'll become the God Killer and the most powerful being on the planet. The one person needed to stop the impending destruction has been dead for centuries - and Alex will have to search for him in the Underworld. Finding her way into the Underworld to search for one soul among countless millions will be hard enough. Returning will be even harder. Alex needs to prevent Seth from becoming the God Killer...but the cost will be higher than she ever imagined.

"The hottest fantasy writer since J.R.R. Tolkien!"—The Washington Post Thomas Covenant, accompanied by Linden Avery, begins his search for the One Tree aboard the giantship Starfare's Gem. Armed with the knowledge given to him in Andelain by his trusted friend, the Forestal Hile Troy, Covenant was determined to succeed. He was the last hope for the salvation of the Land. Only he had the power to forge a new Staff of Law and return to the Land to stop the encroaching desecration of the Sunbane and the bloody sacrificial rites of the Clave. But fate decreed that the journey was to be long, arduous, and fraught with danger as Covenant and his companions are assailed by powerful forces whose sole purpose is to ensure the failure of their quest.

It was theology against politics. Ordinary men against changing systems of government and belief, fighting for what they believed was right. "The Bloody Covenant" tells the story of a period in which two rival forms of the same belief jostled to become the dominant theology in Scotland, and of how the Presbyterian covenants drove its followers into a century and a half of discrimination, violence and destruction. Of how the government of Great Britain and Ireland dealt with the northern threat of divided religious thought and the real danger of revolution. Ronald Ireland's account of the bloody history of the era is brought to life by following one ordinary man from one ordinary burgh of Scotland. An authoritative guide to how the big decisions made by some of most important people in the land affected individuals as well as the country as a whole, it is an essential and accessible read for anyone interested in the British civil wars of the seventeenth century.

Return to Paradise

The Fires of Spring

A Study of Genesis 12-50

An Anthropological Approach to Biblical Law

## The Covenant

Published to mark the 100th anniversary of The Jewish Publication Society, Jonathan Sarna's engaging blend of anecdote and analysis presents the personalities and the controversies, the struggles and the achievements behind a century of publishing by the oldest English-language publisher of Jewish books in the world. Includes black and white photographs and extensive listings of JPS officers and editors, governing boards, and authors, translators, and illustrators, up to 1988.

James A. Michener, the master of historical fiction, revisits the scenes of his first great work, *Tales of the South Pacific*, the Pulitzer Prize winner that brought him international acclaim. In this sequel collection, Michener once again evokes the magic of the extraordinary isles in the Pacific—from Fiji and Gaudalcanal to New Zealand and Papua New Guinea—through stories that burst with adventure, charm, and local color. For Michener's many fans around the globe, *Return to Paradise* is a precious second look at a land of enchantment by one of the most gifted storytellers of the twentieth century. **BONUS:** This edition includes an excerpt from James A. Michener's *Hawaii*. Praise for *Return to Paradise* "A brilliant book and a worthy successor to *Tales of the South Pacific*."—*The Atlanta Constitution* "This is a book that should be read by everyone. . . . All who have seen the South Pacific will find on every page the odors of frangipani, copra, blood, and beer."—*The New York Times* "There's drama and pathos and adventure and humanity . . . and a very high degree of excellence. Michener can write."—*Kirkus Reviews*

King Herod, terrorized by nightmares, sends his soldiers to Beth-lehem to destroy every firstborn son, including the infant Yeshua, son of Mary and Yosef, hoping to find the child many believe is the Messiah.

In this powerful explanation of the origins, meaning, and scriptural expressions of the covenant path, best-selling author Dr. Taylor Halverson unfolds how the Bible and the Book of Mormon were written to preserve the covenant path. How is the Bible structured on the covenant path? What is the covenantal purpose of the Book of Mormon? Learn the covenantal meaning of these phrases: Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect. If ye keep my commandments ye shall prosper in the land. It is by grace that we are saved, after all we can do. The God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Do not add or take away. Walk before God. Read this book and see how clearly the covenant path has been marked in scripture and in our lives

God of Covenant - Bible Study Book

Finding the Temple in the Book of Mormon

The Missionary Review

Lord Foul's Bane

The Covenant of the Torch made with Abraham is the most significant among all the covenants in the Bible. Why? It's the most detailed yet condensed summary of God's divine administration for outlines the work of restoration of His godly people and holy land. In this book, Rev. Abraham Park brings to life the Covenant of the Torch, and helps us to understand—accurately, and in chronological years of redemptive history starting from Abraham, including the great exodus, the wilderness journey and the conquest of Canaan. Just as his best-seller *The Genesis Genealogies* has helped readers understand the time frames and relationships in the Book of Genesis, Rev. Park now helps us to carefully study the books of Exodus up to Joshua, and to realize what those events and participate in God's larger plan. This book offers: A detailed chronology of 692 years from Abraham to the Israelites' conquest of Canaan. The first ever map of all 42 camp sites in the wilderness. Color photos of the wilderness journey. A theologically sound method of viewing God's Word through the perspective of God's administration in the history of redemption. Wisdom and insight on how to overcome "wilderness" in our lives of faith today. Despite periods of spiritual darkness, unbelief, complaining and grumbling by the people of God as they wandered in the desert, we see God's faithfulness in His Word and the Covenant of the Torch. And by understanding the chronological flow of the biblical events in a systematic manner, we gain a much broader and deeper grasp of God's plan of salvation. Part of the *History of Redemption* series which includes: Book 1: *The Genesis Genealogies* Book 2: *The Covenant of the Torch* Book 3: *The Unquenchable Lamp of the Covenant* Book 4: *God's Promises* Book 5: *The Promise of the Eternal Covenant*

*In Their Darkest Hour, Where Would Hope Be Found?* In one life-changing moment, the lives of the exiles in Babylon are thrown into despair when a decree from the king's palace calls for the annihilation of every Jewish man, woman, and child throughout the empire in less than one year. Ezra, a quiet but brilliant scholar, soon finds himself called upon to become the leader of his people. Forced to rally and lead a people whose training has been in the Torah, he struggles to bring hope in a time of utter despair, when dreams of the future--of family and love--seem impossible. In *Keepers of the Covenant*, acclaimed novelist Lynn Austin weaves together the struggles and stories of both Jews and Gentiles, creating a tapestry of faith and doubt, love and loss. Here, the Old Testament comes to life, demonstrating the everlasting love and unwavering love for His people. Praise of Lynn Austin's *Restoration Chronicles* "...a powerful new historical series that brings the Old Testament books of Ezra and Nehemiah to life." --*Library Journal* "Austin shines a bright light on ancient Jewish life and lands. Biblical fiction fans will cheer her latest offering, which bolsters this challenging genre." --*Publishers Weekly*

A groundbreaking account of how the Book of Exodus shaped fundamental aspects of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam The Book of Exodus may be the most consequential story ever told. But its dramatic moments of heaven-sent plagues and parting seas overshadow its true significance, says Jan Assmann, a leading historian of ancient religion. The story of Moses guiding the enslaved children of Israel to become God's chosen people is the foundation of an entirely new idea of religion, one that lives on today in many of the world's faiths. First introduced in Exodus, new ideas of faith, revelation, and covenant transformed basic assumptions about humankind's relationship to the divine and became the bedrock of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam.

Please note that there are several pages of maps and graphs in this book. Check quality to determine if enhancement is necessary.

Stephen R. Donaldson's *Chronicles of Thomas Covenant*

*A Forgotten Encounter in the History of the Exodus and Wilderness Journey*

*One Tree*

*A Novel*

JPS: *The Americanization of Jewish Culture, 1888-1988*

Amanda is heartbroken as she watches them drive her beloved twins away. She's resolved to hope and fight for them until her last breath. Kara and Lizzie are heiresses to one of the largest fortunes in the country. But when their father dies suddenly, the toddlers are taken from the arms of their loving stepmother, Amanda, and given to relatives who only want the children's fortune for themselves. Kara and Lizzie grow up questioning their worth—until the day they learn the truth. Intensely engaging, emotionally charged, and infused with hope, *Covenant Child* is an inspiring story that challenges readers to embrace the life God holds out to us. Praise for Terri Blackstock: "Full of secrets, lies and with a visceral impact that grabs from the first sentence, *Smoke Screen* is Terri Blackstock at her finest. Well-drawn characters and a plot that unspools seamlessly make it unputdownable. Highly recommended!" —Colleen Coble, USA TODAY bestselling author, regarding *Smoke Screen* "Wow . . . just . . . wow. Terri Blackstock has been one of my favorite authors for a very long time. I just finished *Smoke Screen* in one sitting simply because I couldn't put it down. Just a word of warning if you decide to pick up this book—don't plan to do anything else until you finish it." —Lynette Eason, bestselling author, regarding *Smoke Screen* "Terri Blackstock once again proves she's the queen of suspense with this masterfully penned novel. The story grips you on page one and doesn't let go until you've ripped through every page." —Carrie Stuart Parks, bestselling author, regarding *Smoke Screen* "Justice may be blind but that doesn't keep it from facing mortal danger. In *Aftermath*, expert storyteller Terri Blackstock ratchets up the suspense in a novel that delivers on every level. Conflicts rage and loyalties are tested to the ultimate limit. Set aside plenty of time when you pick up this book—you'll not want to take a break." —Robert Whitlow, bestselling author, regarding *Aftermath* Stand-alone suspense novel Book length: 72,000 words Includes discussion questions for book clubs Also by Terri Blackstock: *Aftermath*, *If I Run*, *If I'm Found*, *If I Live*, *Smoke Screen*, *Cape Refuge*, and *Truth-Stained Lies*

Volume 2 of 2; The story begins 1500 years ago. The Bushmen are facing a crisis. the beautiful lake, long the center of their lives, is drying up, and they must move across a hostile African desert to seek better conditions.

An intimate early novel from James A. Michener, now remembered as the beloved master of the historical epic, *The Fires of Spring* unfolds with the bittersweet drama of a boy's perilous journey into manhood. David Harper is an orphan, seemingly doomed to loneliness and poverty. As an adolescent con artist and petty thief, David spends his days grifting at an amusement park, the place where he first learns about women and the mysteries of love. Soon he discovers that his longing to embrace the world is stronger than the harsh realities that constrain him. Featuring autobiographical touches from Michener's own life story, *The Fires of Spring* is more than a novel: It's a rich slice of American life, brimming with wisdom, longing, and compassion. BONUS: This edition includes an excerpt from James A. Michener's *Hawaii*. Praise for *The Fires of Spring* "A warm-hearted, readable story, crammed with lively incident and remarkable characters." —The Atlantic "Heartfelt . . . immensely readable . . . Michener is a born writer." —The New York Times "Michener is a gifted storyteller." —Kirkus Reviews "Brilliantly done." —Library Journal

Originally published October 2011 Now includes bonus novella *DAIMON* The Hematoi descend from the unions of gods and mortals, and the children of two Hematoi-pure-bloods have godlike powers. Children of Hematoi and mortals—well, not so much. Half-bloods only have two options: become trained Sentinels who hunt and kill daimons or become servants in the homes of the pures. Seventeen-year-old Alexandria would rather risk her life fighting than waste it scrubbing toilets, but she may end up slumming it anyway. There are several rules that students at the Covenant must follow. Alex has problems with them all, but especially rule #1: Relationships between pures and halves are forbidden. Unfortunately, she's crushing hard on the totally hot pure-blood Aiden. But falling for Aiden isn't her biggest problem—staying alive long enough to graduate the Covenant and become a Sentinel is. If she fails in her duty, she faces a future worse than death or slavery: being turned into a daimon, and being hunted by Aiden. And that would kind of suck.

The Missionary Review of the World

The Covenant Path

The Invention of Religion

The Books of Raziel

Entertaining Distraction

*Ten years ago Lukio fled Kiryat-Yearim, where he'd been adopted by the Levite family who guarded the Ark of the Covenant. Feeling betrayed by everyone, he returned to his birthplace in Philistia to become a famous fighter. Now the champion of Ashdod, Lukio has achieved every goal with the help of his ruthless cousin. But just as he is set to claim the biggest prize of all, the daughter of the king, his past collides with his present in the form of Shoshana. After a heartbreaking end to her secret friendship with Lukio, Shoshana thought to never see the boy with the dual-colored eyes and the troubled soul again. But when she is captured in a Philistine raid and enslaved in Ashdod, she is surprised to find that the brutal fighter known as Demon-Eyes is Lukio himself. With explosive secrets and unbreakable vows standing between them, finding a way to freedom for both may cost them everything.*

*When archaeologist Lucy Morgan is abducted after discovering an ancient tomb containing apparently extraterrestrial remains, former Afghanistan war correspondent Ethan Warner must abandon his hopes for a quiet life in order to help find her.*

*CovenantThe Books of RazielHarper Collins*

*A 10-session Bible study that examines Genesis 12-50 to discover how God orchestrates everything for His glory and the good of His people.*

*Secrets of the Kingdom Bible Revealed*

*A.L.A. Booklist*

*Encyclopedia of Hip Hop Literature*

*The Book of the Covenant of Joseph Kimhi*

*Covenant*