

BOOK LIST FOR GREAT BOOKS SERIES

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[Red = Already taught]

[Blue = Books to be taught next]

- = Good synthesis of artistic merit and spiritual themes
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- Abandonment to Divine Providence (de Caussade)
 - The Aeneid (Virgil)
 - Alice in Wonderland
 - Analects of Confucius
 - Anna Karolina
 - The Art of War (Sun Tzu)
 - Beowulf
 - Bleak House
 - Book of Martyrs (John Foxe)
 - Brave New World
 - The Brothers Karamazov
 - Candide (Voltaire)
 - The Canterbury Tales
 - The Catcher in the Rye
 - Christian Perfection (Fénelon)
 - The Chronicles of Narnia
 - The City of God (Augustine)
 - The Cloud of Unknowing
 - Confessions (Augustine)
 - The Cost of Discipleship (Bonhoeffer)
 - The Count of Monte Cristo
 - Crime and Punishment
 - The Dark Night of the Soul
 - David Copperfield
 - Decameron (Boccaccio)
 - Democracy in America (Alexis de Tocqueville)
 - Devotions upon Emergent Occasions (Donne)
 - Dialogues of Plato (e.g., Symposium, Crito, Gorgias, Republic)
 - The Divine Comedy
 - Don Quixote
 - Dr. Faustus (Marlowe)

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

- East of Eden

Essay on Man and Other Poems (Alexander Pope)

Fathers and Sons (Turgenev)

The Faërie Queene

- Faust (Goethe)

Fear and Trembling (Kierkegaard)

The Federalist Papers

The Four Loves (C. S. Lewis)

Frankenstein

- **The Great Divorce (C. S. Lewis)**

Great Expectations

The Great Gatsby

Grimm's Fairy Tales

Gulliver's Travels

- Heart of Darkness (Conrad)

The History of Rasselas, Prince of Abissinia (Samuel Johnson)

Huckleberry Finn

The Iliad

- **The Imitation of Christ**

- Institutes of the Christian Religion

- Interior Castle (Teresa of Ávila)

Introduction to the Devout Life (Francis de Sales)

Ivanhoe (Sir Walter Scott)

- Jane Eyre

Jude the Obscure (Thomas Hardy)

The Jungle Books (Kipling)

- Knowing God (Packer)

- The Knowledge of the Holy (A. W. Tozer)

Kristen Lavernsdatter (Sigrid Undset)

The Last of the Mohicans

Le Morte D'Arthur

- **Les Miserables**

Little Women

The Little Flowers of St. Francis

Lord Jim

- **The Lord of the Rings**

The Fellowship of the Ring

The Two Towers

The Return of the King

- **The Love of God (Bernard of Clairvaux)**

Madame Bovary

The Mahabharata

- Mere Christianity

- Middlemarch

- Moby Dick

My Utmost for His Highest (Oswald Chambers)

New Seeds of Contemplation (Thomas Merton)

The Nibelungenlied

Nichomachean Ethics (Aristotle)

- The Odyssey

- Orthodoxy (G. K. Chesterton)

- Paradise Lost

- Pensées

Phantastes (George MacDonald)

- The Pilgrim's Progress

Plays of Aeschylus

Plays of Aristophanes

Plays of Chekhov

Plays of Euripides

Plays of Ibsen

Plays of Moliere

Plays of Sophocles (Antigone)

- Plays of Shakespeare

- Histories

- Tragedies

- Comedies

Plays of George Bernard Shaw

- Poems of Emily Dickinson

- Poems of John Donne

Poems of T. S. Eliot

- Poems of George Herbert (The Temple)

Poems of Gerard Manley Hopkins

Poems of John Keats

Poems of Sir Philip Sidney

Poems of Edmund Spenser

Poems of Walt Whitman

Poems of William Wordsworth

Poems of William Butler Yeats

Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man (James Joyce)

- The Power and the Glory (Graham Greene)

- The Practice of the Presence of God

A Prayer for Owen Meany (John Irving)

- Pride and Prejudice

The Prince (Machiavelli)

Purity of Heart Is to Will One Thing (Kierkegaard)

•The Pursuit of God (A. W. Tozer)

The Qur'an

The Rare Jewel of Christian Contentment (Jeremiah Burroughs)

The Red and the Black

•The Return of the Prodigal Son (Henri Nouwen)

Revelations of Divine Love (Julian of Norwich)

Rime of the Ancient Mariner

Robinson Crusoe

The Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam

•The Scarlet Letter

•The Screwtape Letters

•The Second Coming (Walker Percy)

•Sense and Sensibility

•A Serious Call to a Devout and Holy Life (William Law)

•Short stories of Flannery O'Connor

Sir Gawain and the Green Knight

The Soul's Journey Into God (Bonaventure)

•The Sound and the Fury (William Faulkner)

The Space Trilogy of C. S. Lewis

 Out of the Silent Planet

 Perelandra

 That Hideous Strength

The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius

Summa Theologica (Aquinas)

•Table-Talk (Luther)

A Tale of Two Cities

Treasure Island

•A Treatise Concerning Religious Affections (Jonathan Edwards)

Tristram Shandy (Laurence Sterne)

The Two Treatises of Government (Locke)

Vanity Fair (Thackeray)

The Vanity of Human Wishes (Samuel Johnson)

Walden

••War and Peace

The Wealth of Nations (Adam Smith)

Wuthering Heights