**Historical Fiction**

1. “Gone with the Wind” by Margaret Mitchell
   1. The Pulitzer Prize-winning tale of the American South during the Civil War and Reconstruction.
   2. More than 28 million copies of the book have been sold in over 37 countries.
2. “Outlander” by Diana Gabaldon:
   1. If you could prevent one of the greatest massacres of human history, would you?
   2. This is the question Claire asks herself when she finds herself thrown back in time from the days following World War II back to the 1700’s in Scotland.
   3. This was just before the days of the Jacobite Rebellion…which failed, and caused the devitalization of the Highland culture.
3. “Wolf Hall” by Hilary Mantel:
   1. This epic explores the years of Henry VIII’s reign from the perspective of one of his most trusted advisors, Thomas Cromwell.
   2. That is, until he became an enemy.
4. “Alias Grace” by Margaret Atwood
   1. The true story of Grace Marks, a young woman accused of murdering her employer, housekeeper, and mistress in 1843 comes to life.
   2. However, Grace claims no memory of the murders.
   3. When a burgeoning mental health professional claims he can help her find the truth, no one is prepared for the cost.
5. “March” by Geraldine Brooks
   1. Where was Mr. March, the father of the famous [***Little Women***](https://www.barnesandnoble.com/w/little-women-louisa-may-alcott/1116668150?ean=9781593081089)?
   2. That’s what this novel explores.
   3. It reveals that Mr. March was on the battlefield of the Civil War in 1862.
   4. However, he kept secrets from his family that never made it into the letters he sent home to them.

Sources:

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<https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/18405.Gone_with_the_Wind>