

Bill's Picks- From the Marine Community Library for 2022

Fiction:

1. *Shrines of Gaiety* Kate Atkinson (2022, 400p)
2. *Demon Copperhead* Barbara Kingsolver (2022, 550p) Contemporary *David Copperfield*
3. *The Lincoln Highway* Amor Towles (2021,550p) Runaway brothers on an adventure
4. *Cloud Cuckoo Land* Anthony Doerr (2021, 600p)
5. *The Sentence* Louise Erdrich (2021, 380p)
6. *I Must Betray You* Rita Sepetrys (2022, 300p) Teen selection that works for adults- Romania under Ceausescu
7. *The Barrens: A Novel of Love and Death in the Canadian Arctic* Curt Johnson and Ellie Johnson (2022,215p)
8. *Sea of Tranquility* Emily St. John Mandel (2022, 250p)
9. *Our Missing Hearts* Celeste Ng (2022, 275p)

Non-fiction:

1. *Riverman: An American Odyssey* Ben McGrath (2022, 250p) Adult Huck Finn as philosopher canoeist
2. *Freezing Order* Bill Browder (2022, 275p) Follow-up to *Red Notice*
3. *The Sun is a Compass* Caroline Van Hamert (2019, 300p) Adventure in Alaska
4. *The Writing of the Gods* Edward Dolnick (2021, 250p) Deciphering of the Rosetta Stone
5. *River of the Gods* Candace Millard (2022,275p) Search for the source of the Nile
6. *Happy-Go-Lucky* David Sedaris (2022, 260p) Audiobook read by Sedaris is also available
7. *Two Wheels Good* Jody Rosen (2022, 350p) Comprehensive book about the bicycle's place in history
8. *Trailed: One Woman's Quest to Solve the Shenandoah Murders* Kathryn Miles (2022, 300p) A chilling book with MN connections
9. *Life on the Mississippi* Rinker Buck (2022, 350p) River trip in 1830's boat replica
10. *Agent Josephine* Damien Lewis (2022, 400p) Josephine Baker's life as a spy in Paris
11. *American Midnight* Adam Hochschild (2022, 350p) 1917-21 were turbulent years in U.S. history
12. *Song of the Cell* Siddhartha Mukherjee (2022, 400p) Pulitzer author of *The Emperor of All Maladies*
13. *Breathless: The Race to Defeat a Deadly Virus* David Quammen (2022, 300p)

Crime:

1. *The Runaway* Nick Petrie (2022, 300p)
2. *Every Cloak Rolled in Blood* James Lee Burke (2022, 250p) Semi-autobiographical
3. *The Killing Hills* Chris Offutt (2021, 220p) Hillbilly noir, seems to be a trend
4. *The Island* Adrian McKinty (2022, 375p) Old-fashioned British whodunit in Australia
5. *Portrait of an Unknown Woman* Daniel Silva (2022, 275p)
6. *The Matchmaker: A Spy in Berlin* Paul Vidich (2022, 260p)
7. *State of Terror* Hillary Clinton and Louise Penny (2021, 350p) Surprisingly good thriller
8. *Winter Work* Dan Fesperman (2022, 340p) Espionage in Berlin as the wall comes down
9. *Desert Start* Michael Connelly (2022, 400p) Harry Bosch using latest DNA technology