



Mental illness

Tell me about a great book to read

The Family intervention guide to mental illness

- Morey, Bodie 616.89 morfa (2007)

The Man Who Mistook his Wife for a Hat and Other Clinical Tales

- Sacks, Oliver 618.8 Sac (1985)

Chickenhawk

- Mason, Robert

959.704 Mas (1983) (veteran returning from Vietnam)

Girl, interrupted

- Kaysen, Susanna

Biog Kaysen (1993) (Bunker Hill branch)

A Beautiful Mind

Biog Nash (1998) (the mathematician John Nash)

A Million Little Pieces

- Frey, James

Biog Frey (2003) (drug rehabilitation)

My Mother's Keeper: a daughter's memoir of growing up in the shadow of schizophrenia

- Holley, Tara Elgin

Biog Elgin (1997)

First Person Plural: My life as a multiple

- West, Cameron

Biog West, C. (1999)



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Bipolar disorder

Bipolar disorder: the ultimate guide
616.85 owe (2008)

Mind race: a firsthand account of one teenager's experience with bipolar disorder

- Jamieson, Patrick E.

616.89 Jammi (2006)

Madness: a bipolar life

- Hornbacher, Marya 616.89 horma (2008)

Depression

The Loss of Sadness: how psychiatry transformed normal sorrow into depressive disorder

- Horwitz, Allan V. 616.89 horlo (2007)

A Deeper Shade of Blue: a woman's guide to recognizing and treating depression in her childbearing years

- Nonacs, Ruta 616.85 non (2006)

The Noonday Demon: an atlas of depression

- Solomon, Andrew 616.85 Sol (2001)

Schizophrenia

Diagnosis: Schizophrenia 616.89 Dia

Divided Minds: Twin sisters and their journey through schizophrenia

- Wagner, Pamela Spiro

362.196 Wag (2005)



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Manic Depressive

Hurry Down Sunshine

- Greenberg, Michael

362.196 gre (2008)(also on CD)

(parents helping mentally ill children)

Manic: a memoir

- Cheney, Terri 616.89 che (2008)

Puppy Chow is better than Prozac: the true story of a man and the dog who saved his life

- Goldstein, Bruce 636.752 gol (2008)

Dementia

Understanding and managing dementia

- Breitung, Joan C. 616.8 Bre (2004)

Personality Disorders

The Sociopath Next Door

616.85 sto (2004) (antisocial personality disorder)

Especially for Young Adults

Lizard people

- Price, Charlie YA Fic 2007

Me, Myself, and Them: a firsthand account of one young person's experience with schizophrenia

- Snyder, Kurt 616.89 Sny (2007)

Book of Jude

- Hueston, Kimberley

YA Fic Hueston (personality disorder)

The Perfect Man

- Murr, Naeem YA Fic 2007



Stories about Mental illness

Contemporary

The Big Girls
- Moore, Susanna (2007)
(schizophrenia - women prisoners)

Pesthouse
- Grace, Jim (2007)
(personality disorders)

72 Hour Hold
- Campbell, Bebe Moore
Fic Campbell, B. (2005)

The Archivist
- Cooley, Martha
Fic Cooley, M. (1998) (life vs. art)

The Fan
- Abrahams, Peter
Fic Abrahams, P. (1995)

Romance

Almost Perfect
- Adams, Alice
Fic Adams, A. (1993)

Riven Rock
- Boyle, Coraghessan
Fic Boyle, C. (1998) (schizophrenia)

True Crime

I: the creation of a serial killer
- Olsen, Jack 364.1523 Ols

Political Fiction

The Master and the Margarita
- Bulgakov, Mikhail (1967)

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Historical

The Great Stink
- Clark, Clare
Fic Clark, C. (2005) (19th cen. London)

Bedlam
- Hollingshead, Greg
Fic Hollingshead, G. (2006) (insane asylum - 18th cen. England)

Mary
- Newman, Janis Cooke
Fic Newman, J. (2006) (biographical fiction about Mary Todd Lincoln)

Play it as it lays
- Didion, Joan
Fic Didion, J. (1970)

Mystery

The Chameleon's Shadow
- Walters, Minette
Mys Fic Walters, M. (2008)

Indian Killer
- Alexie, Sherman
Fic Alexie, S. (1996)

All Around the Town
- Clark, Mary Higgins
Fic Clark, M. (1992)

Movies

The Three Faces of Eve DVD
Prince of Tides VHS
Sybil DVD

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Suspense or Thriller

The First Cut
- Emley, Dianne
Fic Emley, D. (2006) (policewoman)

Hannibal Rising
- Harris, Thomas
Fic Harris, T. (2006) (also on CD)

The Wrong Man
- Katzenbach, John
Fic Katzenbach, J. (2006)

Enduring Love
- McEwan, Ian
Fic McEwan, I. (1996) also in **LP**

Delirium
- Restrepo, Laura
Fic Restrepo, L. (2007) (drug traffic)

Family Relationships/ Domestic Fiction

Halfway House
- Noel, Katharine
Fic Noel, K. (2006) in New England)

The Piano Man's Daughter
- Findley, Timothy
Fic Findley, T. (1995) (mothers & sons)

Tomato Girl
- Pupek, Jayne
Fic Pupek, J. (2008) (in the South)

The Vanishing Act of Esme Lennox
- O'Farrell, Maggie
Fic O'Farrell, M. (2006) (also on CD)

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