

Noir Fiction



Tell me about a great book to read

Abbott, Megan E.

- The Song Is You (2007)
- Queenpin (2007)
- Die A Little (2005) (also on CD)

Atkins, Ace

- Devil's Garden (2009)

Azzarello, Brian

- Filthy Rich (2009) (graphic novel) (mature content)

Berry, Jedediah

- The Manual of Detection (2009)

Black, Benjamin

- Christine Fall (2006) (also on CD)

Bolano, Roberto (set in Spain)

- The Skating Rink (2009)

Bruen, Ken

- Once Were Cops (2008)

Butcher, Jim

- Storm Front (2000) Fant Fic

Cain, James M.

- Double Indemnity (1943)
- The Postman Always Rings Twice

Chabon, Michael

- The Yiddish Policeman's Union (2007) (also on CD)

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Writers of classic noir fiction:

- **James M. Cain**
- **Raymond Chandler**
- **James Crumley**
- **James Ellroy**
- **David Goodis**
- **Dashiell Hammett**
- **Patricia Highsmith**
- **Dorothy B. Hughes**
- **Elmore Leonard**
- **Jim Thompson**
- **Charles Williams**
- **Walter Mosley**
- **Cornell Woolrich**

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Chandler, Raymond

- The Big Sleep
- Poodle Springs (also in LP)
- The Long Goodbye
- Trouble is My Business Mys Fic

Ellroy, James

- The Black Dahlia Mys Fic
- Blood's a Rover (2009)

Estleman, Loren D. Mys Fic

- Gas City (2008) LP Fic & audio

Gores, Joe

- Spade & Archer (2009) Mys Fic

Green, Simon R.

- Just Another Judgement Day (2009) Fant Fic

Greene, Graham

- Brighton Rock (1949)

Guthrie, Allan (prisons)

- Slammer (2009) Mys Fic

Hammett, Dashiell

- Continental Op Mys Fic

Huston, Charlie

- No Dominion (2006) Fant Fic
- Half the Blood of Brooklyn

Johnson, Denis

- Nobody Move (2009) (also on CD)

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Tell me about a great book to read

Lange, Richard

- This Wicked World (2009)

Larsson, Stieg

- The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo (2008) (also on CD)
- The Girl Who Played with Fire (2009) **LP** and CD

Macdonald, Ross

- The Blue Hammer (1976) Mys Fic

McFetridge, John

- Let It Ride (2010) (drug dealers)

McLean, Russell D.

- The Good Son (2009)

Mankell, Henning

- The Dogs of Riga (2003) Mys Fic
- Firewall (2008) CD
- The Man Who Smiled (2006) MysFic
- One Step Behind (2002) (also CD)

Parker, Robert B.

- Perchance to Dream (1991) (a sequel to Chandler's The Big Sleep) (also available in **LP**)

Morgan, Richard K.

- Thirteen (2007) CD

Mosley, Walter

- Diablerie (2008) also on CD

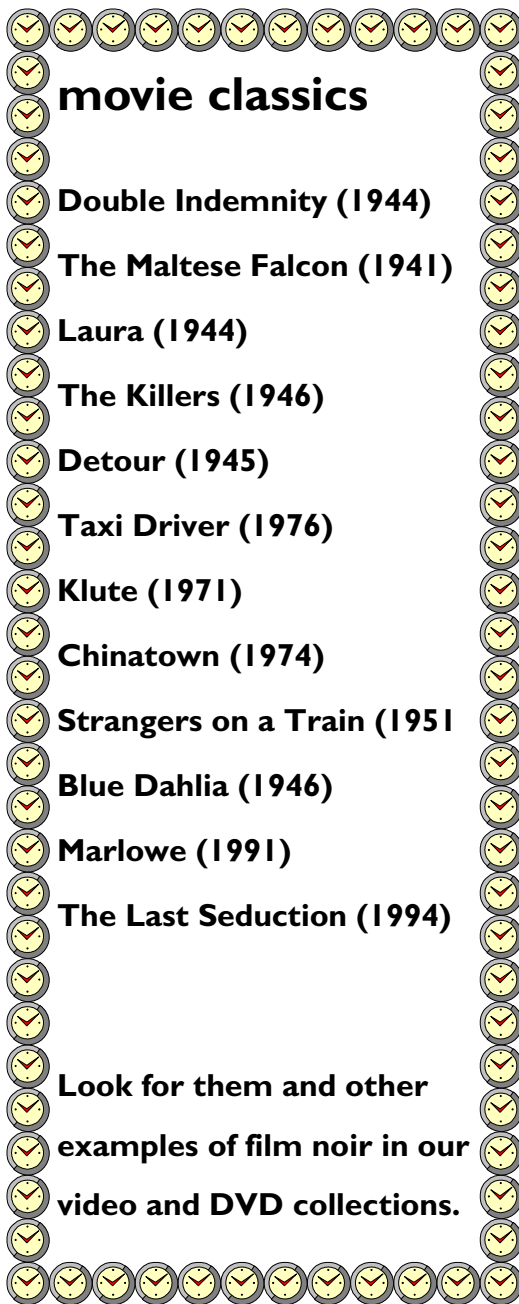
Pynchon, Thomas

- Inherent Vice (2009) (also on CD)

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movie classics

Double Indemnity (1944)

The Maltese Falcon (1941)

Laura (1944)

The Killers (1946)

Detour (1945)

Taxi Driver (1976)

Klute (1971)

Chinatown (1974)

Strangers on a Train (1951)

Blue Dahlia (1946)

Marlowe (1991)

The Last Seduction (1994)

Look for them and other examples of film noir in our video and DVD collections.

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Roslund, Anders

- Box 21 (2009) (human trafficking)

Shakur, Sanyika

- T.h.u.g.l.i.f.e. (2008)

Stark, Richard

- Lemons Never Lie (1971) Mys Fic

Vasquez, Ian

- Lonesome Point (2009)

Washington, Denzel

- Devil in a Blue Dress (2006) DVD

Looking for short stories? Here are some recommendations:

The Second Black Lizard Anthology of Crime Fiction (1988)

- Gorman SFic ShStor bla2

Black Noir: Mystery, Crime, and Suspense Stories by African-American Writers (2009)

- Penzler Mys Fic SSblano

Boston Noir

- Lehane, Dennis (2009)

Mys Fic Boston

Two of the Deadliest: new tales of lust, greed, and murder from outstanding women of mystery

- George, Elizabeth (2009) (on CD)