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This list is intended to provide recommendations for a variety of good books meeting the tests of

Agar, Herbert **A Declaration Of Faith**

Argument for revival of Natural Law and moral unanimity as common meeting ground for men of all creeds, the world over.

Allen, Frederick L. **The Big Change**

A perceptive appraisal of the social and economic changes that have occurred in the United States during the past half century.

Behrman, Samuel N. **DuVeen**

Biography of Joseph Duveen, art dealer extraordinary, and his wealthy American patrons.

Berenson, Bernhard **Rumor and Reflection, 1941-1944**

Between the lines of an eminent art critic's comments on art, politics, and personalities can be read the story of the war in Italy.

Bible **The Holy Bible, Revised Standard Version**

A widely heralded revision of the King James version in the language of our time.

Brooks, Van Wyck **Confident Years: 1885-1915**

The concluding volume in a distinguished series that has helped to define the American tradition in literature.

Castro, Josue De **Geography Of Hunger**

A striking analysis of the food-and-population of the earth, with suggestions for solving it.

Chambers, Whittaker **Witness**

This confession of a disillusioned Communist is one of the most significant autobiographies of our day.

Clark, Eleanor **Rome And A Villa**

Richly descriptive impressions of Rome, both ancient and modern, with interesting literary sidelights.

Conrad, Barnaby **Matador**

A famous matador's last fight provides an extraordinary study of the psychology of fear.

Cook, Alistair **One Man's America**

An Englishman's discerning interpretation of American life and manners.

De Voto, Bernard A. **The Course Of Empire**

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Dewey, Thomas E. **Journey To The Far Pacific**

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Dobie, James F. **The Mustangs**

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Douglas, Paul H. **Ethics In Government**

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Douglas, William O. **Beyond The High Himalayas**

More than an observant traveler's story, this is a perceptive commentary on the politics and social problems of Central Asia.

Eliot, Thomas S. **The Complete Poems and Plays**

The first comprehensive edition of the poems and plays of an eminent modern poet.

Ellison, Ralph **Invisible Man**

A powerful, symbolic story of a Negro's search for personal identity in a white man's world.

Frank, Anne **Diary Of A Yung Girl**

Anne Frank's record of her growing up in a family in hiding from the Nazis is a deeply moving one of adolescence and war.

Freeman, Douglas S. **George Washington: V. 5, Victory With The Help Of France**

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Gray, Elizabeth J. **Windows For The Crown Prince**

As tutor to the Crown Prince of Japan, an American woman interprets the American way of life to the Japanese royal family.

Grew, Joseph C. **The Turbulent Era**

A readable contribution to the history of recent American diplomacy by the former ambassador to Japan.

Hand, Learned **The Spirit Of Liberty**

The non-legal addresses and papers of one of the most distinguished jurists of our time.

Hart-Davis, Rupert **Hugh Walpole**

A fascinating story of Walpole the man and the London literary world in which he moved.

d writing, sincerity, and general interest.

Hemingway, Ernest

Old Man And The Sea

A superbly told short novel in praise of courage, involving an old fisherman, a great fish and a boy.

Hoover, Herbert C.

Memoirs Of Herbert Hoover:

V. 2, The Cabinet And The Presidency, 1920-1933

V. 3, The Great Depression, 1929-1941

Mr. Hoover's political testament on many public issues of his years as Secretary of Commerce and as President.

Howard, Joseph K.

Strange Empire

Sound and significant history of an attempt to found a little New France in Northwestern Canada.

Killilea, Marie L.

Karen

The story of a courageous fight by the parents of a cerebral palsied child to make her life worth living.

King, Ernest J. and Whitehill, W. M.

Fleet Admiral King, A Naval Record

A straightforward account of a long naval career and the Admiral's part in the strategic decisions of World War II.

Koestler, Arthur

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Krutch, Joseph W.

Desert Year

The changing seasons, in the southwest desert country are described in nature writing of particular beauty.

Latourette, Kenneth S.

American Record In The Far East, 1945-1951

An objective appraisal of our relations with the Far East since the end of the war.

Lubell, Samuel

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MacLeish, Archibald

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Millay, Edna St. Vincent

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A sensitive artist is portrayed through letters to family, friends and publishers.

Niebuhr, Reinhold **The Irony Of American History**

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O'Connor, Frank, Pseud. **Stories Of Frank O'Connor**

Outstanding literary merit distinguishes this new collection of stories by a leading Irish writer.

Philbrick, Herbert A. **I Led Three Lives**

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Porter, Katherine A. **The Days Before**

Essays, critical and personal, by a master craftsman.

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Remarque, Erich M. **Spark Of Life**

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Shaw, George B.
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A penetrating study of the forces which catapulted the century into World War II and into the present "Age of Anxiety".

Simon, Edith **Golden Hand**

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Stevenson, Adlai E. **Speeches Of Adlai Stevenson**

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Strong, George T.
The Diary Of George Templeton Strong

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Thomas, Benjamin P.

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Vandenberg, Arthur H.

The Private Papers

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Webb, Walter P.

The Great Frontier

A historian discusses the part the Great Frontier has played in the development of the Western World during the last four hundred years.

Wecter, Dixon

Sam Clemens Of Hannibal

With skill and understanding the author recreates Twain's boyhood years, years reflected in the best of his writing.

Wilmot, Chester

Struggle For Europe

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Wilson, Edmund

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