

# 1993 Washington Irving Book Selections



The Washington Irving Book Program was established by the Westchester Library Association to honor Westchester County authors and to promote reading. This list, which was compiled by a panel of librarians, features books written by Westchester authors over the past two years.

Criteria for selection include readability, literary quality and wide general appeal.



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## WESTCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARIES

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| Ardley Public Library<br>9 Amer. Legion Dr. 693-6636<br>(Armonk)         | Mt. Pleasant Public Library<br>Valhalla Branch<br>6 Cleveland St. 948-2455 |
| North Castle Public Library<br>19 Whippoorwill Rd. 273-3887              | Mount Vernon Public Library<br>28 South First Ave. 668-1840                |
| North White Plains Branch<br>10 Clove Rd. 948-6359                       | New Rochelle Public Library<br>Library Plaza 632-7878                      |
| Bedford Free Library<br>Village Green 234-3570                           | North Salem Free Library<br>Route 116 669-5161                             |
| Bedford Hills Free Library<br>26 Main St. 666-6472                       | Oswining Public Library<br>53 Croton Ave. 941-2416<br>(Peekskill)          |
| Briarcliff Manor Public Library<br>Library Rd. 941-7072                  | The Field Library<br>4 Nelson Ave. 737-1212                                |
| Bronxville Public Library<br>201 Pondfield Rd. 337-7680                  | Pelham Public Library<br>Lincoln & Third Ave. 738-3263                     |
| Chappaqua Library<br>195 So. Greeley Ave. 238-4779                       | Port Chester Public Library<br>1 Hasoco Ave. 939-6710                      |
| Croton Free Library<br>171 Cleveland Dr. 271-6612                        | (Pound Ridge)  |
| Dobbs Ferry Public Library<br>153 Main St. 693-6614                      | Hiram Halle Memorial Library<br>R.F.D. 4, Box 165 764-5085                 |
| Eastchester Public Library<br>11 Oak Ridge Pl. 793-5055                  | Purchase Free Library<br>Purchase St. 948-0550                             |
| Greenburgh Public Library<br>300 Tarrytown Rd. 993-1600                  | Rye Free Reading Room<br>1061 Boston Post Rd. 967-0480                     |
| Harrison Public Library<br>Bruce Ave. 835-0324                           | Scarsdale Public Library<br>Post & Olmsted Rds. 723-2005                   |
| West Harrison Branch<br>2 E. Madison St. 948-2092                        | Somers Library<br>Route 139, Box 443 232-5717                              |
| Hastings-on-Hudson<br>Public Library<br>Maple Ave. 478-3334              | South Salem Library<br>Main St. 763-3857                                   |
| Irvington Public Library<br>Town Hall - Main St. 591-7840                | (Tarrytown)  |
| Katonah Village Library<br>Bedford Rd. (Rte. 117) 232-3508               | The Warner Library<br>121 North Broadway 631-2189                          |
| Larchmont Public Library<br>121 Larchmont Ave. 834-2281                  | Tuckahoe Public Library<br>71 Columbus Ave. 961-2121                       |
| Mamaroneck Free Library<br>Library Lane 698-1250<br>(Montrose)           | White Plains Public Library<br>100 Marine Ave. 422-1400                    |
| Hendrick Hudson Free Library<br>1 Kings Ferry Rd. 739-5654               | Yonkers Public Library<br>Getty Square<br>7 Main St. 337-1500              |
| Mount Kisco Public Library<br>100 Main St. 666-8041                      | Crestwood Branch<br>16 Thompson St. 337-1500                               |
| Mt. Pleasant Public Library<br>350 Bedford Rd.<br>Pleasantville 769-0548 | Griston I. Will Branch<br>1500 Central Ave. 337-1500<br>(Yorktown)         |
|  | John C. Hart Memorial Library<br>1130 Main St. Shrub Oak 245-5262          |

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## NON-FICTION

**Creamer, Robert W. (Tuckahoe)**  
**BASEBALL IN '41**

*Viking, 1991*

Personal memories of baseball and history in that special season before Pearl Harbor.

**Fitzpatrick, Jean Grasso (Ossining)**  
**SOMETHING MORE: NURTURING YOUR CHILD'S SPIRITUAL GROWTH**

*Viking, 1991*

Practical suggestions for shared spiritual journeys of parents and children.

**Gaylin, Willard (Hastings)**  
**THE MALE EGO**

*Viking, 1992*

A psychiatrist's intriguing argument for liberating today's men from traditional hunter/warrior roles.

**Hamilton, Charles V. (Mount Vernon)**  
**ADAM CLAYTON POWELL, JR.**

*Athenum, 1991*

The rise and fall of the fascinating and controversial Harlan Congressman.

**Hewlett, Sylvia Ann (Bronxville)**  
**WHEN THE BOUGH BREAKS: THE COST OF NEGLECTING OUR CHILDREN**

*Basic, 1991*

Poignant case studies accompany statistical data in this compelling call for national reform.

**Isaacson, Walter (Bronxville)**  
**KISSINGER**

*Simon & Schuster, 1992*

An engrossing, critical biography of the shrewd political strategist who became Nixon's powerful Secretary of State.

**Lemann, Nicholas (Pelham)**  
**THE PROMISED LAND**

*Knopf, 1991*

An absorbing narrative tracing America's black migration and its effect on the urban landscape.

**Mariani, John F. (Katonah)**  
**AMERICA EATS OUT**

*Morrow, 1991*

A richly illustrated, entertaining look at America's eateries, from Colonial inns to fast-food restaurants.

**Massie, Robert K. (Irvington)**  
**DREADNOUGHT: BRITAIN, GERMANY AND THE COMING OF THE GREAT WAR**

*Random, 1991*

A thorough chronicle of the era before World War I, focusing on the world's first battleship, Britain's H.M.S. Dreadnought.

**Quinn, Jane Bryant (North Salem)**  
**MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR MONEY: SMART WAYS TO CREATE WEALTH AND PLAN YOUR FINANCES IN THE '90S**

*Simon & Schuster, 1991*

An indispensable guide for common-sense money management and investment.

**Rubin, Nancy (Larchmont)**  
**ISABELLA OF CASTILE**

*St. Martin's, 1991*

A vivid portrait of Spain's multifaceted Queen -- patron of Columbus, strong-willed ruler, wife and devoted mother.

**Secunda, Victoria (Armonk)**  
**WOMEN AND THEIR FATHERS**

*Delacorte, 1992*

Revealing, well-researched exploration of contemporary father-daughter relationships.

## FICTION

**Cheever, Benjamin (Pleasantville)**  
**THE PLAGIARIST**

*Athenum, 1992*

Art imitates life in this comic first novel about an aspiring writer, the son of a famous author.

**DeJillo, Don (Bronxville)**  
**MAO II**

*Viking, 1991*

A dark, expressive novel of a reclusive writer drawn into the world of the terrorist.

**Goldreich, Gloria (Tuckahoe)**  
**YEARS OF DREAMS**

*Little, Brown, 1992*

A sentimental journey following the lives, loves and friendship of four Manhattan-based women over the last thirty years.

**Hearon, Shelby (North White Plains)**  
**HUG DANCING**

*Knopf, 1991*

A tale of Texas adultery, featuring the pastor's spunky wife and her high school sweetheart.

**McCullough, David Willis (Hastings)**  
**THINK ON DEATH**

*Viking, 1991*

The delightful Reverend Ziza Todd solves the mystery of a mummified body discovered in a utopian community on the Hudson River.

**Pesetsky, Bette (Dobbs Ferry)**  
**THE LATE NIGHT MUSE**

*Harper Collins, 1991*

A thirtyish poet with a fatal nerve disorder comments on art and life in poignant, hilarious stories within stories.

**Singer, Loren (Mamaroneck)**  
**MAKING GOOD**

*Holt, 1991*

A G.I. unit is assigned to redistribute stolen property in this post-World-War-II thriller.

**Stein, Sol (Scarborough)**  
**THE BEST REVENGE**

*Random, 1991*

A Broadway producer gambles on his play's success, but doesn't foresee financial ruin and personal danger.