

Top Authors and Books from Previous Years

Top Short Stories (2024)

2025:

- George Bachman- Second Coming
- Talia Haven- Sweet Little Princess Irene
- Kate Rigby- Cutting Edge

2024:

- Donald Firesmith- Atonement
- Bob van Laerhoven- Scars of the Heart Collection
- Kerry Alan Denney-The Sands of Dionysus
- Donald Firesmith - The Companion
- Talia Haven- Delete
- Talia Haven- Umaka Orr

Top Children's Books (2024)

2025:

- Farial English - The Boy Who Wanted to Fly
- Once Upon a Dance - Bellyrina: A Tutu Tale from the Belly of the Beast
- Will Hackett-Jones - The Old Wooden House
- Karl Beckstrand- The Collection of Stories with No Words
- Karl Beckstrand- A Big Black Seed
- B. William Hoolihan- Wooly Broom Goes Skating
- B. William Hoolihan- Wooly Broom the Bear
- B. William Hoolihan- Kentucky in the Fall
- Steven Stack- Jack: The Story of a Dog
- Ann M. Morris - Kwame's Big Day

2024:

- Ember White- The Boy Who Wanted to Be a Deer
- Erika T. Wurth- When Naiche Visits the Star
- Jane Yuolen, Marjorie Lotfi Gill, Racquel Elizabeth Artiga de Pas- Straw-Bag Tin-Box Cloth-Suitcase Three Immigrant Voices

5+ Star Book Titles (2025)

2025:

- Brian Santana and Cameron Santana- A MURDER ON CAMPUS: The Professor, The Cop, And North Carolina's Most Notorious Cold Case
- Chris Karlsen and Jennifer Conner- Broken Faces
- Janeen Swart- A Visit Home
- Toby LeBlanc- Soaked: Stories
- Yurie Kiri- Moonlight Skull
- Deven Greene- The Organ Broker
- Ana Hebra Flaster- Property of the Revolution
- Kate Rigby- Cutting Edge
- Zola Blue- THIRE-LOS: Demon or Angel
- J. W. Bell- I Am, Therefore I Think
- John Heldt- The Patriots
- Annette Whitaker-Moss- Life Realities
- Alisa Jean- Matthew: A Los Angeles Quakes Hockey Series
- B. William Hoolihan- Pirate's Promise
- E. Denise Billups- The Lakewood Legacy: Encrypted Secrets
- Nichole Heydenburg - Deadly Betrayal
- Lisa Towles - Switch
- John Heldt- The Winding Road
- Elyse Hoffman - Aliza in Nazi-Land
- Audiobook Kevin G. Chapman - Treacherous Hack
- James Byron Huggins - Hunter's Moon
- Bob Freeman - Behind the Now
- James Byron Huggins - Hunter
- Snježana Marinković- Seven Days with Coco (Stray Cat and War Refugee)

Number one books (2013) (randomly selected from entire top authors of the year)

2025: Phillip and Stella Lemarque- Clint

2024: Kevin G. Chapman- The Other Murder

2023: Jimmy and the Halloween Candy Monster by Donald Firesmith

2022: *A Thousand Days In Auschwitz* by Brenda Marie Webb

2021: *DreamRovers 3: Hearts of Deliverance* by C. Valentine Powell

2020: *The Scarlet Queen: A Gripping Epic Fantasy* by M. Reinhardt

2019: *Foul Play Is Not Suspected* by S. Murphy

2018: *Jagdlied: a Chamber Novel for Narrator, Musicians, Pantomimists, Dancers & Culinary Artists* By D. Landon

2017: *Unraveling* by S.P. Aruna

2016: *Schizo: Hidden in Plain Sight* by I. Benator

2015: *Never Have Your Dog Stuffed: And Other Things I've Learned* by Alan Alda

2014: *Fallen* by Nick Stephenson

2013: *Carrie and Me: A Mother-Daughter Love Story* by Carol Burnett

Top Audiobooks (2024)

2025:

- John Heldt-The Lane Betrayal
- John Heldt-Sea Spray
- John Heldt-The Refuge
- Bob Freeman- H2LiftShips- Beyond Luna
- Brian Whitney and Nic Edwards- THE DELPHI MURDERS: The Quest To Find The Man On The Bridge
- Robert Conlin - THE LEWISTON SHOOTINGS
- Margaret A. Harrell & Hunter S. Thompson - The "Hell's Angels" Letters: Hunter Thompson, Margaret Harrell and the Making of a Classic
- Kevin G. Chapman - Treacherous Hack
- Connie Richardson- Rapid City Summer

2024:

Janja Lalich - Take Back Your Life: Recovering from Cults and Abusive Relationships

Rebecca Copeland- The Kimono Tattoo

LaNysha T. Adams, PhD- Me Power

Angel A - Mary Poser

Jeremy James Smith- Holtgart

Becky Parker Geist- The Left Turn: Two Lives, Worlds Apart

Kenneth R. McClelland - The Slave's Diary

Matt Cost- Pirate Trap

Dr. Helen McKibben - Drop: Making Great Decisions

Number One Authors (2014) (randomly selected from entire top authors of the year)

2025: E. Denise Billups

2024: John Heldt

2023: Donald Firesmith

2022: Will Mayo

2021: Christie Valentine Powell

2020: Mitch Reinhardt

2019: Kate Rigby

2018: Will Mayo

2017: Ted Tayler

2016: R Weir

2015: Tara Thorn

2014: Nick Stephenson

Top Book Series (2023)

2025:

- Sherri L. Dodd Murder, Tea & Crystals
- Lisa Towles E&A Investigations Thriller
- Phillip Lemarque and Stella Lemarque Bonjour Never Land
- B. William Hoolihan Uncle George Stories
- Bob Freeman H2LiftShips
- Karl G. Trautman Manfred Schmidt
- Zola Blue The Mejuarian Series
- Melina Druga The Rock Star's Wife
- Michael Bland The Price of Trilogy
- Yurie Kiri Games
- Yurie Kiri Murder and Magic
- Christie Valentine Powell The Spectra Crown Tales
- W. D. Kilpack III New Blood Saga

2024:

Kevin G. Chapman- Mike Stoneman Thriller series

Brian O'Hare- Inspector Sheehan Mysteries

Christie Valentine Powell-The Spectra Crown Tales

Sky Roberts-Treasures of Trillume

K.A. Lugo-Jack Slaughter Thrillers

2023:

A.J. Scudiere's The NightShade Forensic Files

TC Marti's The Terrian Chronicles

Matt Cost's Geoff Langdon Mainely Mystery Series

Bob Freeman's H2Liftships

John Heldt's Time Box

Featured Books of the Month (2025)

January Ólafur Gunnarsson- The Critic and other Stories

February Rex Wilder- Rare Fuel

March Brian Santana and Cameron Santana- A MURDER ON CAMPUS: The Professor, The Cop, And North Carolina's Most Notorious Cold Case

April R Weir- Justice for the Forgotten

May Kate Rigby- Cutting Edge

June Tommy B. Smith- Obliteration Circle

July Steven Stack- Jack: The Story of a Dog

August B. William Hoolihan- Kentucky in the Fall

September Melina Druga- Rock Star Parents

October Talia Haven- Hoeko and the Shark God

November Scott Eveloff MD - Do Not Resuscitate

December E. Denise Billups - Beneath Beauford Grove

