

Kathleen's Recent Reads—March

Adult Non-Fiction

A Way to Garden by Margaret Roach

Mixes seasonally-appropriate, hands-on advice with essays and stunning photographs of the author's garden. Practical and beautiful (which don't always co-exist!)

Adult Fiction

The Invention of Wings by Sue Monk Kidd

Historical fiction, early 19th century Charleston, slavery and abolition, women's rights, a compelling story with unforgettable characters, based on real events.

Keep You Close by Karen Cleveland

This twisty thriller will have you on the edge of your seat all the way through. Try if you liked her previous book, *Need to Know*, or John Grisham's *The Pelican Brief*.

Death at Whitewater Church by Andrea Carter

Mystery, beginning of character-driven series set in Ireland, try if you like Deborah Crombie or Julia Spencer-Fleming's books. Atmospheric, strong sense of place.

Audiobooks

The Hurricane Sisters by Dorothea Benton Frank

Funny, wry, women's fiction, Southern. Multiple narrators, read well by one actor.

Nine Perfect Strangers by Liane Moriarty

9 people, all at a crossroads in their lives, have a memorable experience at an Australian wellness spa. Plot-driven, women's fiction. A bit different from the author's other books.

Hello, Sunshine by Laura Dave

A social media influencer comes to a reckoning after years of fudging the truth. Redemptive, women's fiction.

Young Adult

Thirteen Doorways, Wolves Behind Them All by Laura Ruby

Ghost story/historical fiction, set in Chicago during the Depression and WWII. Appealing characters, coming of age.