



Award Winners

Agatha Awards		1994	She Walks These Hills by Sharyn McCrumb	2012	<i>The Drowning Girl</i> by Caitlin R. Kiernan
Best Contemporary Novel (Formerly Best Novel)		1993	Dead Man's Island by Carolyn G. Hart	2011	<i>Flesh Eaters</i> by Joe McKinney
2021	Cajun Kiss of Death by Ellen Byron	1992	Boot Legger's Daughter by Margaret Maron	2010	A Dark Matter by Peter Straub
2020	All the Devils are Here by Louise Penny	1991	I.O.U. by Nancy Pickard	2009	<i>Audrey's Door</i> by Sarah Langan
2019	The Long Call by Ann Cleeves	1990	<i>Bum Steer</i> by Nancy Pickard	2008	Duma Key by Stephen King
2018	Mardi Gras Murder by Ellen Byron	1989	Naked Once More by Elizabeth Peters	2007	<i>The Missing</i> by Sarah Langan
2017	Glass Houses by Louise Penny	1988	<i>Something Wicked</i> by Carolyn G. Hart	2006	Lisey's Story by Stephen King
2016	A Great Reckoning by Louise Penny	Best Historical Mystery		2005	<i>Dread in the Beast</i> by Charlee Jacob
2015	Long Upon the Land by Margaret Maron	2021	Death at Greenway by Lori Rader-Day	2005	<i>Creepers</i> by David Morrell
2014	Truth be Told by Hank Philippi Ryan	2020	The Last Mrs. Summers by Rhys Bowen	2004	In the Night Room by Peter Straub
2013	The Wrong Girl by Hank Philippi Ryan	2019	Charity's Burden by Edith Maxwell	2003	Lost Boy Lost Girl by Peter Straub
2012	The Beautiful Mystery by Louise Penny	2018	The Widows of Malabar Hill by Sujata Massey	2002	<i>The Night Class</i> by Tom Piccirilli
2011	Three-Day Town by Margaret Maron	2017	In Farleigh Field by Rhys Bowen	2001	American Gods by Neil Gaiman
2010	Bury Your Dead by Louise Penny	2016	<i>The Reek of Red Herrings</i> by Catriona McPherson	2000	<i>The Traveling Vampire Show</i> by Richard Laymon
2009	The Brutal Telling by Louise Penny	2015	Dreaming Spies by Laurie R. King	1999	Mr. X by Peter Straub
2008	The Cruellest Month by Louise Penny	2014	Queen of Hearts by Rhys Bowen	1998	Bag of Bones by Stephen King
2007	A Fatal Grace by Louise Penny	2013	A Question of Honor by Charles Todd	1997	<i>Children of the Dusk</i> by Janet Berliner
2006	The Virgin of Small Plains by Nancy Pickard	2012	<i>Dandy Gilver and an Unsuitable Day for Murder</i> by Catriona McPherson	1996	The Green Mile by Stephen King
2005	The Body in the Snowdrift by Katherine Hall Page	2011	<i>Naughty in Nice</i> by Rhys Bowen	1995	Zombie by Joyce Carol Oates
2004	Birds of a Feather by Jacqueline Winspear	Bram Stoker Award		1994	<i>Dead in the Water</i> by Nancy Holder
2003	Letter from Home by Carolyn G. Hart	Superior Achievement in a Novel		1993	The Throat by Peter Straub
2002	<i>You've Got Murder</i> by Donna Andrews	2021	My Heart is a Chainsaw by Stephen Graham Jones	1992	<i>Blood of the Lamb</i> by Thomas F. Monteleone
2001	<i>Murphy's Law</i> by Rhys Bowen	2020	The Only Good Indians by Stephen Graham Jones	1991	<i>Boy's Life</i> by Robert R. McCammon
2000	Storm Track by Margaret Maron	2019	Coyote Rage by Owl Goingback	1990	<i>Mine</i> by Robert R. McCammon
1999	Mariner's Compass by Earlene Fowler	2018	The Cabin at the End of the World by Paul Tremblay	1989	<i>Carrion Comfort</i> by Dan Simmons
1998	Butcher's Hill by Laura Lippman	2017	Ararat by Christopher Golden	1988	The Silence of the Lambs by Thomas Harris
1997	<i>The Devil in Music</i> by Kate Ross	2016	The Fisherman by John Langan	1987	Misery by Stephen King
1996	Up Jumps the Devil by Margaret Maron	2015	A Head Full of Ghosts by Paul Tremblay	1986	Swan Song by Robert R. McCammon
1995	If I'd Killed Him When I Met Him by Sharyn McCrumb	2014	Blood Kin by Steve Rasnic Tem	Christy Award	
		2013	Doctor Sleep by Stephen King	Book of the Year	
				2022	The Secret Keepers of Old Depot Grocery by Amanda Cox
				2021	The Edge of Belonging by Amanda Cox
				2020	Whose Waves These Are by Amanda Dykes

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- 2019 Becoming Mrs. Lewis by Patti Callahan Henry
- 2018 True to You by Becky Wade
- 2017 Long Way Gone by Charles Martin
- 2016 The Five Times I Met Myself by James L. Rubart
- 2015 Thief of Glory by Sigmund Brouwer
- 2014 *Burning Sky by Lori Benton*

Contemporary Romance

- 2022 All That Really Matters by Nicole Deese
- 2021 Stay with Me by Becky Wade
- 2020 Now and Then and Always by Melissa Tagg
- 2019 Falling for You by Becky Wade
- 2018 True to You by Becky Wade
- 2017 Her One and Only by Becky Wade
- 2016 The Sea Keeper's Daughters by Lisa Wingate
- 2015 The Story Keeper by Lisa Wingate
- 2014 Stones for Bread by Christa Parrish
- 2013 Not in the Heart by Chris Fabry
- 2012 Promises to Keep by Ann Tatlock
- 2011 Almost Heaven by Chris Fabry
- 2010 The Passion of Mary-Margaret by Lisa Samson
- 2009 Dogwood by Chris Fabry
- 2008 Chasing Fireflies by Charles Martin
- 2007 Winter Birds by Jamie Turner
- 2006 Levi's Will by W. Dale Cramer
- 2005 *Bad Ground by W. Dale Cramer*
- 2004 *Songbird by Lisa Samson*
- 2003 *All the Way Home by Ann Tatlock*
- 2002 *A Garden to Keep by Jamie Turner*
- 2001 Home to Harmony by Philip Gulley
- 2001 The Trial by Robert Whitlow
- 2000 A New Song by Jan Karon

Historical Romance

- 2022 Until Leaves Fall in Paris by Sarah Sundin
- 2021 A Portrait of Loyalty by Roseanna M. White
- 2020 The Painted Castle by Kristy Cambron
- 2019 Becoming Mrs. Lewis by Patti Callahan (tie)
- With This Pledge by Tamera Alexander
- 2018 *The Lacemaker by Laura Frantz*
- 2017 The Lady and the Lionheart by Joanne Bischof (tie)
- A Note Yet Unsung by Tamera Alexander
- 2016 Luther and Katharina by Jody Hedlund
- 2015 Thief of Glory by Sigmund Brouwer
- 2014 Harvest of Gold by Tessa Afshar
- 2013 Against the Tide by Elizabeth Camden
- 2012 The Maid of Fairbourne Hall by Julie Klassen
- 2011 The Girl in the Gatehouse by Julie Klassen
- 2010 The Silent Governess by Julie Klassen
- 2009 From a Distance by Tamera Alexander
- 2009 *Beyond the Night by Marlo Schalesky*
- 2008 Remembered by Tamera Alexander
- 2007 The Measure of a Lady by Deeanne Gist
- 2006 A Bride Most Begrudging by Deeanne Gist
- 2005 Secrets by Kristen Heitzmann
- 2004 Hideaway by Hannah Alexander
- 2003 True Honor by Dee Henderson
- 2002 The Guardian by Dee Henderson
- 2001 *A Touch of Betrayal by Catherine Palmer*
- 2000 *Whispers from Yesterday by Robin Lee Hatcher*

**Edgar Allan Poe Awards
"Edgars"**

- 2022 Five Decembers by James Kestrel
- 2021 Djinn Patrol on the Purple Line by Deepa Anappara
- 2020 The Stranger Diaries by Elly Griffiths
- 2019 Down the River Unto the Sea by Walter Mosley
- 2018 Bluebird, Bluebird by Attica Locke
- 2017 Before the Fall by Noah Hawley
- 2016 Let Me Die in His Footsteps by Lori Roy
- 2015 Mr. Mercedes by Stephen King
- 2014 Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger
- 2013 Live by Night by Dennis Lehane
- 2012 Gone by Mo Hayder
- 2011 The Lock Artist by Steve Hamilton
- 2010 The Last Child by John Hart
- 2009 Blue Heaven by C.J. Box
- 2008 Down River by John Hart
- 2007 Janissary Tree by Jason Goodwin
- 2006 Citizen Vince by Jess Walter
- 2005 California Girl by T. Jefferson Parker
- 2004 Resurrection Men by Ian Rankin
- 2003 Winter and Night by S.J. Rozan
- 2002 Silent Joe by T. Jefferson Parker
- 2001 The Bottoms by Joe R. Lansdale
- 2000 *Bones by Jan Burke*
- 1999 *Mr. White's Confession by Robert Clark*
- 1998 Cimarron Rose by James Lee Burke
- 1997 Chatham School Affair by Thomas H. Cook
- 1996 Come to Grief by Dick Francis
- 1995 *The Red Scream by Mary Willis Walker*
- 1994 The Sculptress by Minette Walters
- 1993 Bootlegger's Daughter by Margaret Maron

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1992 *A Dance at the Slaughterhouse* by Lawrence Block
 1991 *New Orleans Mourning* by Julie Smith
 1990 *Black Cherry Blues* by James Lee Burke
 1989 *A Cold Red Sunrise* by Stuart M. Kaminsky
 1988 *Old Bones* by Aaron J. Elkins
 1987 *A Dark-Adapted Eye* by Barbara Vine
 1986 *The Suspect* by L.R. Wright
 1985 *Briarpatch* by Ross Thomas
 1984 *LaBrava* by Elmore Leonard
 1983 *Billingsgate Shoal* by Rick Boyer
 1982 *Peregrine* by William Bayer
 1981 *Whip Hand* by Dick Francis
 1980 *Rheingold Route* by Arthur Maling
 1979 *Eye of the Needle* by Ken Follett
 1978 *Catch Me, Kill Me* by William H. Hallahan
 1977 *Promised Land* by Robert B. Parker
 1976 *Hopscotch* by Brian Garfield
 1975 *Peter's Pence* by Jon Cleary

Hugo Award

2022 *A Desolation Called Peace* by Arkady Martine
 2021 *Network Effect* by Martha Wells
 2020 *A Memory Called Empire* by Arkady Martine
 2019 *The Calculating Stars* by Mary Robinette Kowal
 2018 *The Stone Sky* by N.K. Jemisin
 2017 *The Obelisk Gate* by N.K. Jemisin
 2016 *The Fifth Season* by N.K. Jemisin
 2015 *The Three-Body Problem* by Cixin Liu
 2014 *Ancillary Justice* by Ann Leckie
 2013 *Redshirts* by John Scalzi
 2012 *Among Others* by Jo Walton
 2011 *Blackout* by Connie Willis
 2010 *The City and the City* by China Miéville
 (tie) *The Windup Girl* by Paulo Bacigalupi
 2009 *The Graveyard Book* by Neil Gaiman

2008 *The Yiddish Policemen's Union* by Michael Chabon
 2007 *Rainbows End* by Vernor Vinge
 2006 *Spin* by Robert Charles Wilson
 2005 *Jonathan Strange & Mr. Norrell* by Susanna Clarke
 2004 *Paladin of Souls* by Lois McMaster Bujold
 2003 *Hominids* by Robert J. Sawyer
 2002 *American Gods* by Neil Gaiman
 2001 *Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire* by J K Rowling
 2000 *A Deepness in the Sky* by Vernor Vinge
 1999 *To Say Nothing of the Dog* by Connie Willis
 1998 *Forever Peace* by Joe W. Haldeman
 1997 *Blue Mars* by Kim Stanley Robinson
 1996 *The Diamond Age* by Neal Stephenson
 1995 *Mirror Dance* by Lois McMaster Bujold
 1994 *Green Mars* by Kim Stanley Robinson
 1993 *A Fire Upon the Deep* by Vernor Vinge
 1993 *Doomsday Book* by Connie Willis
 1992 *Barrayer* by Lois McMaster Bujold
 1991 *Vor Game* by Lois McMaster Bujold
 1990 *Hyperion* by Dan Simmons
 1989 *Cyteen* by C.J. Cherryh
 1988 *Uplift War* by David Brin
 1987 *Speaker for the Dead* by Orson Scott Card
 1986 *Ender's Game* by Orson Scott Card
 1985 *Neuromancer* by William Gibson
 1984 *Startide Rising* by David Brin
 1983 *Foundation's Edge* by Isaac Asimov
 1982 *Downbelow Station* by C.J. Cherryh
 1981 *The Snow Queen* by Joan D. Vinge
 1980 *Fountains of Paradise* by Arthur Charles Clarke
 1979 *Dreamsnake* by Vonda McIntyre

1978 *Gateway* by Frederik Pohl
 1977 *Where Late the Sweet Birds Sang* by Kate Wilhelm
 1976 *The Forever War* by Joe W. Haldeman
 1975 *The Dispossessed* by Ursula Le Guin

National Book Critics Circle Award (Fiction)

2022 *Bliss Montage* by Ling Ma
 2021 *The Love Songs of W.E.B. Du Bois* by Honorée Fanonne Jeffers
 2020 *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell
 2019 *Everything Inside: Stories* by Edwidge Danticat
 2018 *Milkman* by Anna Burns
 2017 *Improvement* by Joan Silber
 2016 *LaRose* by Louise Erdrich
 2015 *The Sellout* by Paul Beatty
 2014 *Lila* by Marilynne Robinson
 2013 *Americanah* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie
 2012 *Billy Lynn's Long Halftime Walk* by Ben Fountain
 2011 *Binocular Vision* by Edith Pearlman
 2010 *A Visit from the Goon Squad* by Jennifer Egan
 2009 *Wolf Hall* by Hilary Mantel
 2008 *2666* by Roberto Bolano
 2007 *The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao* by Junot Diaz
 2006 *The Inheritance of Loss* by Kiran Desai
 2005 *The March* by E.L. Doctorow
 2004 *Gilead* by Marilynne Robinson
 2003 *The Known World* by Edward P. Jones
 2002 *Atonement* by Ian McEwan
 2001 *Austerlitz* by Winfried Georg Sebald
 2000 *Being Dead* by Jim Crace
 1999 *Motherless Brooklyn* by Jonathan Lethem
 1998 *The Love of a Good Woman* by Alice Munro
 1997 *The Blue Flower* by Penelope Fitzgerald
 1996 *Women in Their Beds* by Gina Berriault
 1995 *Mrs. Ted Bliss* by Stanley Elkin
 1994 *The Stone Diaries* by Carol Shields

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1993	A Lesson Before Dying by Ernest J. Gaines	2012	No Award Given	1982	Rabbit is Rich by John Updike
1992	All the Pretty Horses by Cormac McCarthy	2011	A Visit from the Goon Squad by Jennifer Egan	1981	A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole
1991	A Thousand Acres by Jane Smiley	2010	Tinkers by Paul Harding	1980	The Executioner's Song by Norman Mailer
1990	Rabbit at Rest by John Updike	2009	Olive Kitteridge by Elizabeth Strout	1979	<i>The Stories of John Cheever by John Cheever</i>
1989	Billy Bathgate by E.L. Doctorow	2008	The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao by Junot Diaz	1978	<i>Elbow Room by James Alan McPherson</i>
1988	<i>Middleman and the Other Stories by Bharati Mukherjee</i>	2007	The Road by Cormac McCarthy	1977	No Award Given
1987	The Counterlife by Philip Roth	2006	March by Geraldine Brooks	1976	<i>Humboldt's Gift by Saul Bellow</i>
1986	Kate Vaiden by Reynolds Price	2005	Gilead by Marilynne Robinson	1975	The Killer Angels by Michael Shaara
1985	The Accidental Tourist by Anne Tyler	2004	The Known World by Edward P. Jones	1974	No Award Given
1984	Love Medicine by Louise Erdrich	2003	Middlesex by Jeffrey Eugenides	1973	The Optimist's Daughter by Eudora Welty
1983	<i>Ironweed by William Kennedy</i>	2002	Empire Falls by Richard Russo	1972	Angle of Repose by Wallace Stegner
1982	<i>George Mills by Stanley Elkin</i>	2001	The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay by Michael Chabon	1971	No Award Given
1981	Rabbit Is Rich by John Updike	2000	Interpreter of Maladies by Jhumpa Lahiri	1970	<i>Collected Stories of Jean Stafford by Jean Stafford</i>
1980	<i>The Transit of Venus by Shirley Hazzard</i>	1999	The Hours by Michael Cunningham	1969	House Made of Dawn by N. Scott Momaday
1979	The Year of the French by Thomas Flanagan	1998	American Pastoral by Philip Roth	1968	The Confessions of Nat Turner by William Styron
1978	<i>The Stories of John Cheever by John Cheever</i>	1997	Martin Dressler by Steven Millhauser	1967	<i>The Fixer by Bernard Malamud</i>
1977	Song of Solomon by Toni Morrison	1996	Independence Day by Richard Ford	1966	The Collected Stories of Katherine Anne Porter
1976	<i>October Light by John Gardner</i>	1995	The Stone Diaries by Carol Shields	1965	<i>The Keeper of the House by Shirley Ann Grau</i>
1975	Ragtime by E.L. Doctorow	1994	The Shipping News by E. Annie Proulx	1964	No Award Given
		1993	<i>A Good Scent from a Strange Mountain by Robert Butler</i>	1963	The Reivers by William Faulkner
		1992	A Thousand Acres by Jane Smiley	1962	<i>The Edge of Sadness by Edwin O'Connor</i>
		1991	Rabbit at Rest by John Updike	1961	To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
		1990	The Mambo Kings Play Songs of Love by Oscar Hijuelos	1960	Advise and Consent by Allen Drury
		1989	Breathing Lessons by Anne Tyler	1959	The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters by Robert Lewis Taylor
		1988	Beloved by Toni Morrison	1958	<i>A Death in the Family by James Agee</i>
		1987	A Summons to Memphis by Peter Hillsman Taylor	1957	No Award Given
		1986	Lonesome Dove by Larry McMurtry	1956	<i>Andersonville by MacKinlay Kantor</i>
		1985	<i>Foreign Affairs by Alison Lurie</i>	1955	A Fable by William Faulkner
		1984	<i>Ironweed by William Kennedy</i>	1954	No Award Given
		1983	The Color Purple by Alice Walker	1953	The Old Man and the Sea by Ernest Hemingway
				1952	The Caine Mutiny by Herman Wouk
				1951	The Town by Conrad Richter
				1950	<i>The Way West by A.B. Guthrie, Jr.</i>

**Pulitzer Prize for Fiction
(formerly Pulitzer Prize for
the Novel)**

2022	The Netanyahus by Joshua Cohen
2021	The Night Watchman by Louise Erdrich
2020	The Nickel Boys by Colson Whitehead
2019	The Overstory by Richard Powers
2018	Less by Andrew Sean Greer
2017	The Underground Railroad by Colson Whitehead
2016	The Sympathizer by Viet Thanh Nguyen
2015	All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr
2014	The Goldfinch by Donna Tartt
2013	The Orphan Master's Son by Adam Johnson

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