

## Book Club in a Bag Titles

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<a href="#"><u>The Poet X</u></a>	Acevedo, Elizabeth	2018
<a href="#"><u>Leave Your Mess at Home: A Novel</u></a>	Akinola, Tolani	2026
<a href="#"><u>Blacktop Wasteland: A Novel</u></a>	Cosby, S. A.	2020
<a href="#"><u>Cleopatra: A Novel</u></a>	El-Arifi, Saara	2026
<a href="#"><u>Yellow Wife: A Novel</u></a>	Johnson, Sadeqa	2021
<a href="#"><u>Kin: A Novel</u></a>	Jones, Tayari	2026
<a href="#"><u>Language as Liberation: Reflections on the American Canon</u></a>	Morrison, Toni	2026
<a href="#"><u>Beartown: A Novel</u></a>	Backman, Frederick	2016
<a href="#"><u>King of Ashes: A Novel</u></a>	Cosby, S. A.	2025
<a href="#"><u>My Darkest Prayer: A Novel</u></a>	Cosby, S. A.	2022
<a href="#"><u>Razorblade Tears: A Novel</u></a>	Cosby, S. A.	2021
<a href="#"><u>The Wedding People: A Novel</u></a>	Espach, Alison	2024
<a href="#"><u>Out of Egypt: An Odyssey of Enchantment</u></a>	Harris-Philpott, Vandean	2021
<a href="#"><u>On the Corner of Hope and Main: A Blessings Novel</u></a>	Jenkins, Beverly	2020
<a href="#"><u>Accidentally On Purpose: A Memoir</u></a>	Kish, Kristen	2025
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<a href="#"><u>The Ministry of Time</u></a>	Bradley, Kaliane	2025
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<a href="#"><u>The women</u></a>	Hannah, Kristin,	2024
<a href="#"><u>Creation lake : a novel</u></a>	Kushner, Rachel,	2024
<a href="#"><u>Dust child : a novel</u></a>	Nguyễn, Phan Quế Mai, 1973-	2024
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<a href="#"><u>A second helping : a blessings novel</u></a>	Jenkins, Beverly, 1951-	2010
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<a href="#"><u>The coldest winter ever : a novel</u></a>	Souljah, Sister.	2005
<a href="#"><u>The darkest child</u></a>	Phillips, Delores, 1950-	2004
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<a href="#"><u>Kindred</u></a>	Butler, Octavia E.	2003
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<a href="#"><u>Douglass' women : a novel</u></a>	Rhodes, Jewell Parker.	2002
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