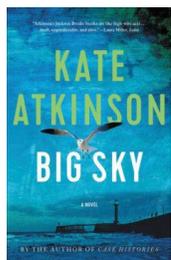


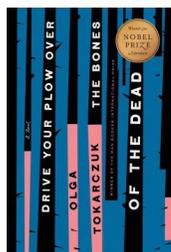
# Staff Picks



**The Big Finish**  
by Brooke Fossey  
A curmudgeonly senior who would avoid a nursing home forges an unexpected bond with his estranged granddaughter, an abused child who is rapidly succumbing to the alcoholism that once painfully overshadowed his own life.



**Big Sky**  
by Kate Atkinson  
Investigating a new client's suspicions about an unfaithful spouse, iconoclastic detective Jackson Brodie is catapulted by a chance encounter into a sinister network of secrets and lies.



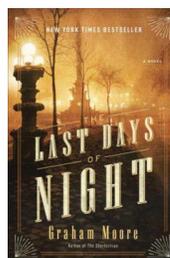
**Drive Your Plow Over the Bones of the Dead**  
by Olga Tokarczuk  
When her neighbor turns up dead, and then other bodies turn up under strange circumstances, Janine, a recluse in a remote Polish village, inserts herself into the investigation.



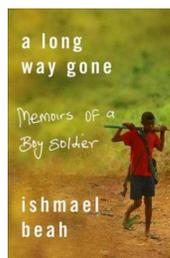
**Dune**  
by Frank Herbert  
A sci-fi classic that follows the adventures of Paul Atreides as he and his family take control of the desert planet Arrakis and the only source of the 'spice' melange - the most important and valuable substance in the cosmos.



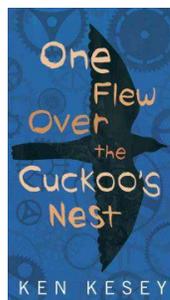
**The Glass Castle**  
by Jeannette Walls  
The second child of a scholarly, alcoholic father and an eccentric artist mother discusses her family's nomadic upbringing and how she and her siblings had to fend for themselves while their parents outmaneuvered bill collectors and the authorities.



**The Last Days of Night**  
by Graham Moore  
When electric light innovator Thomas Edison sues his only remaining rival for patent infringement, George Westinghouse hires an untested law school graduate for a case fraught with lies, betrayals, and deception.



**A Long Way Gone**  
by Ishmael Beah  
A firsthand account of war from the perspective of a former child soldier that details the violent civil war that wracked his native Sierra Leone and the government forces that transformed a gentle young boy into a killer.



**One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest**  
by Ken Kesey  
McMurphy, a criminal who feigns insanity, is admitted to a mental hospital where he challenges the autocratic authority of the head nurse.



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