



**Agenda Item B.2**  
**PRESENTATION ITEM**  
**Meeting Date: November 1, 2021**

**TO:** Library Advisory Commission

**FROM:** Allison Gray, Library Director

**SUBJECT:** Goleta Valley Library, Aspen Catalog

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Receive a presentation from the Library Director on the new Aspen online card catalog.

**DISCUSSION:**

The Goleta and Santa Ynez Valley Libraries were the first in the Black Gold Cooperative Library System to go live with the new Aspen library catalog. The Library Director will give an overview of the many excellent features of this new catalog.

**Review By:**

  
Allison Gray  
Library Director

**Approved By:**

  
Kristine Schmidt  
Assistant City Manager

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Goleta Valley Library, Aspen Catalog PowerPoint Presentation

## **Attachment 1**

Goleta Valley Library, Aspen Catalog PowerPoint Presentation



# Aspen Discovery

Presentation to the  
Library Advisory Commission  
November 1, 2021

Allison Gray, Library Director

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English Español



## GOLETA & SANTA YNEZ VALLEY LIBRARIES

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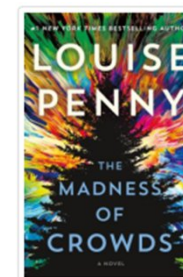
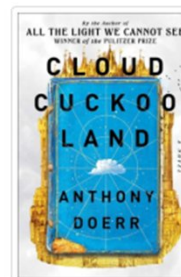
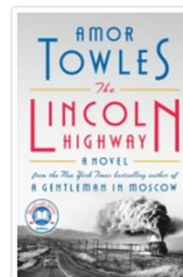
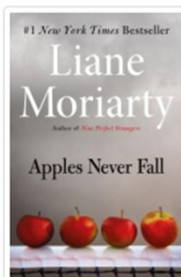
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### AGES 13 & Up

Residents of the Black Gold Cooperative Library System service area can now get eCard access to library services! Residency is determined by zip code for these library jurisdictions: Blanchard Community Library, County of San Luis Obispo Public Libraries, Goleta and Santa Ynez Valley Libraries, Lompoc Public Library System, Paso Robles City Library, Santa Barbara Public Library, and Santa Maria Public Library.

Downloadable eBooks, audiobooks, music, and movies, and access to informational and educational resources are available for eCard users. Holds can be placed on materials throughout Black Gold; once they arrive at your local library, simply bring a picture ID with you to change your eCard into a library card with full privileges. To take advantage of eCard benefits today, fill out the form below. If you have questions or concerns, please call your nearest Black Gold library for assistance.

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First Name\*

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Apt/Unit

City\*

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CA

Zip Code\*

### Contact Information

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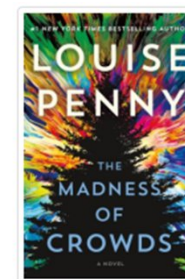
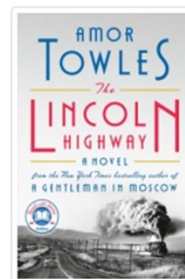
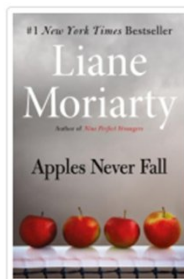
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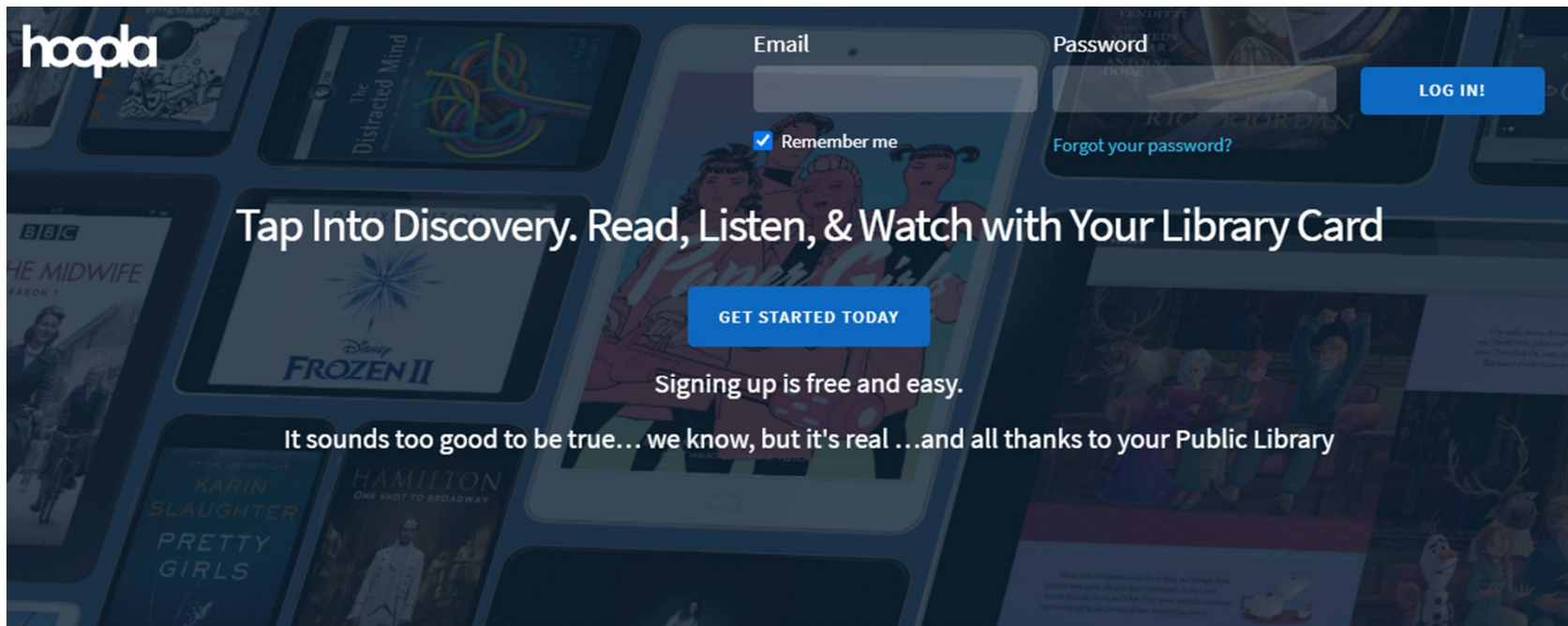
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## Patron Resources

- [Black Gold Home Page](#)
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- [Obtenga una tarjeta de la biblioteca](#)
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Quick library search:

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Our catalog will be down for system maintenance beginning this Saturday, (October 23rd) at 6pm.  
Access to the catalog should return mid-morning Sunday (October 24th).  
We apologize for the inconvenience.

## Welcome!

Some of our member libraries are designing a unique look to enhance your patron experience.  
You will continue to have access to the materials available from all of our member libraries.

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Enter your library account number and password.

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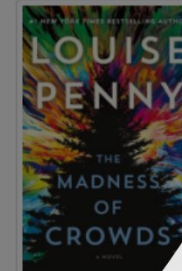
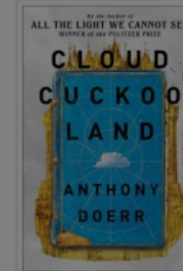
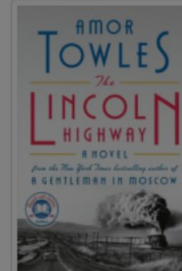
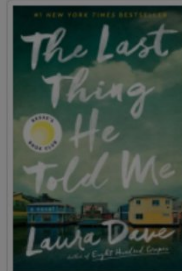
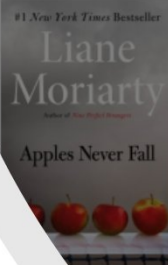
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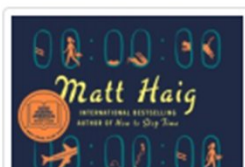
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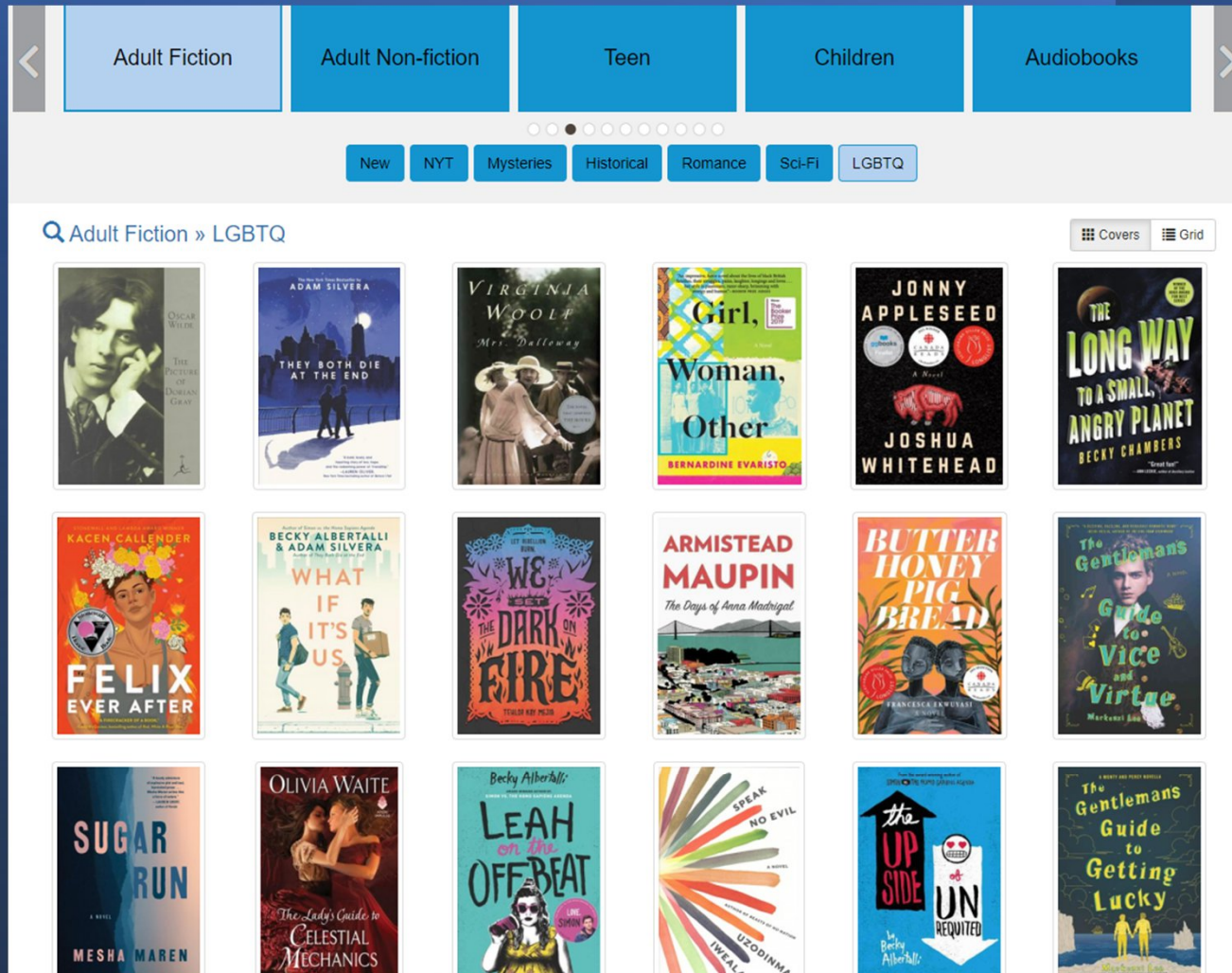
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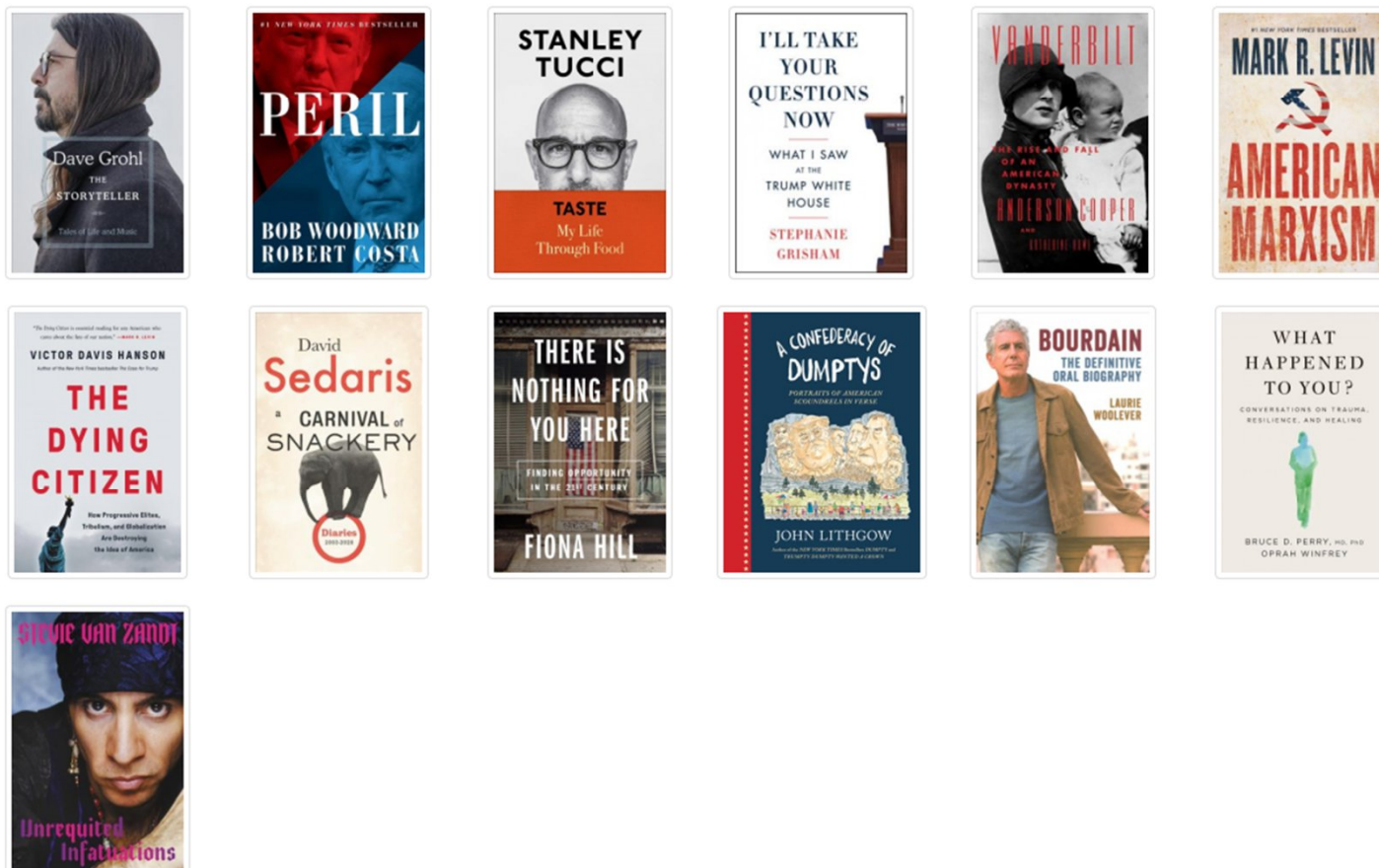
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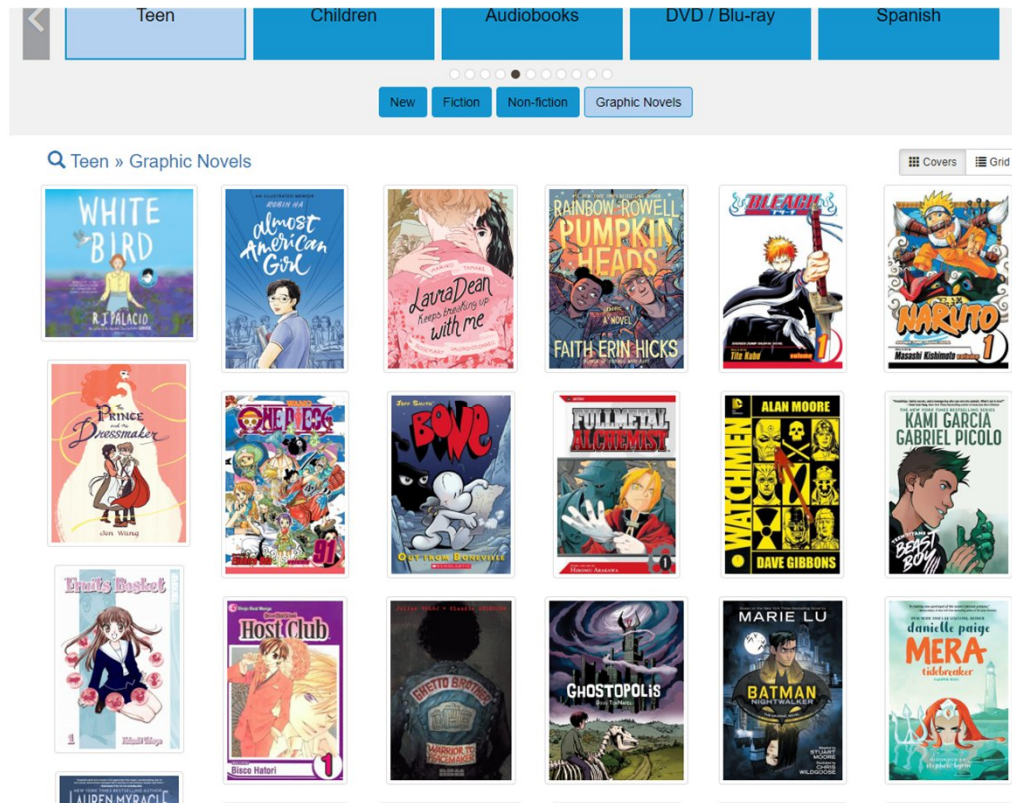




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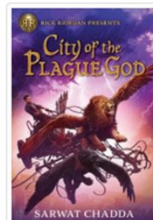
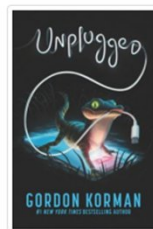
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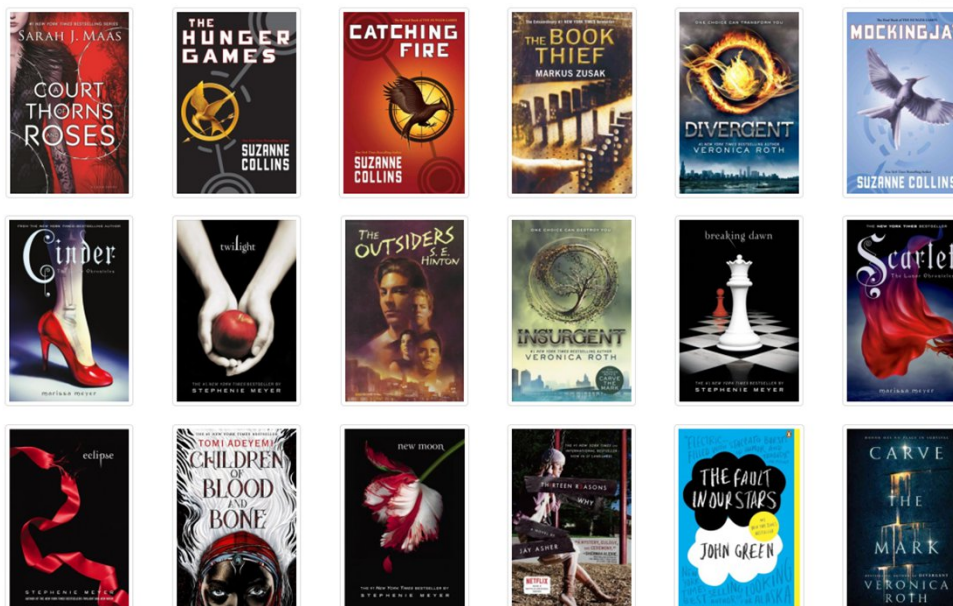
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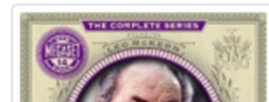
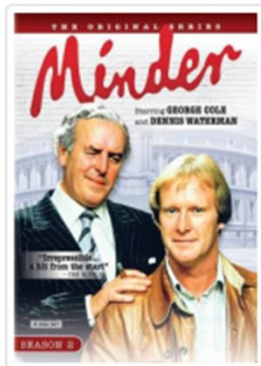
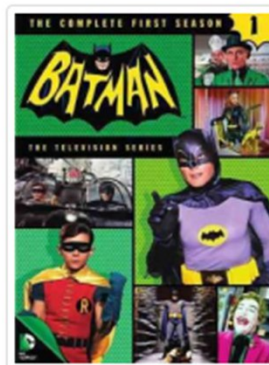






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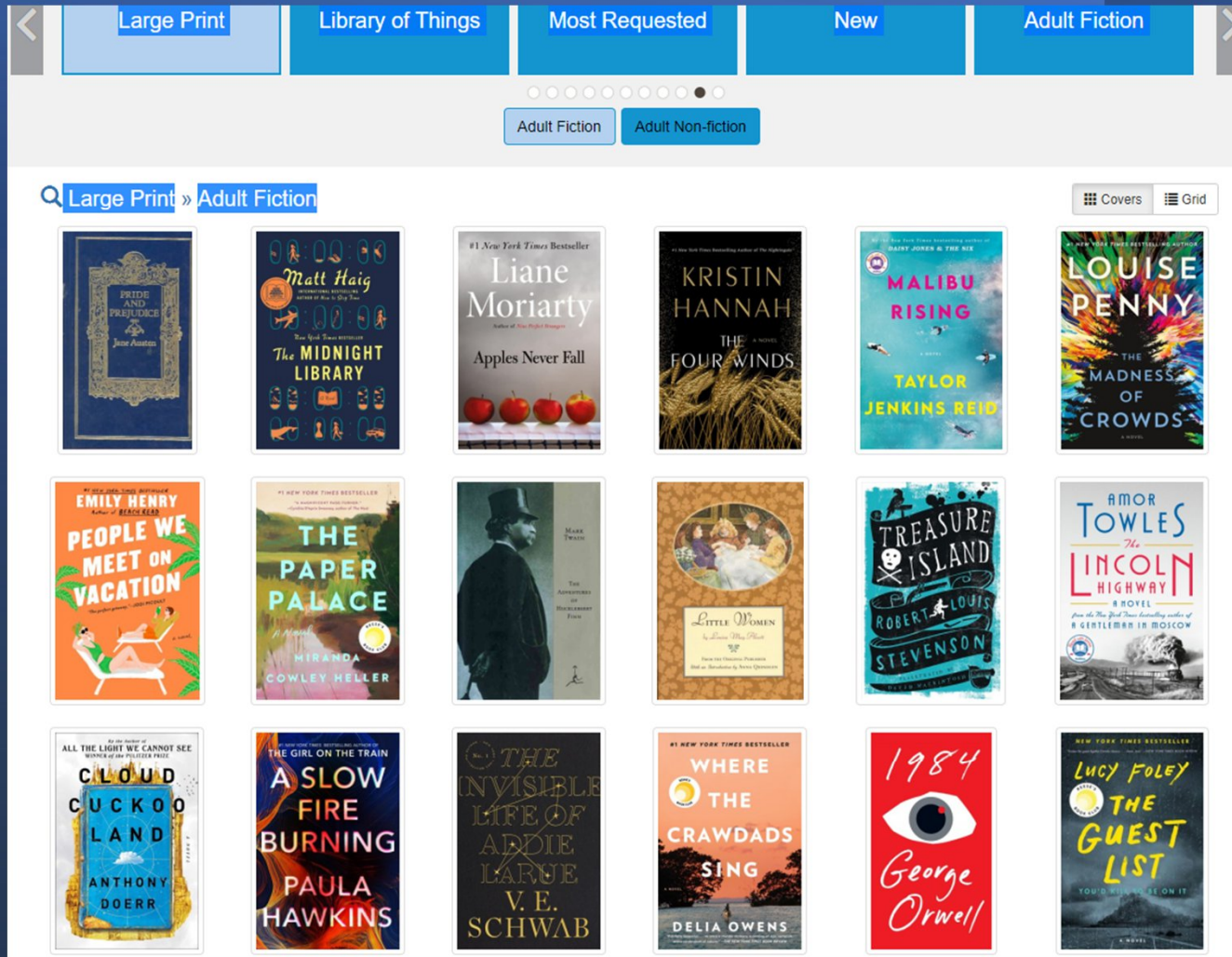
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Activity Kit :  
Tactile**

**Middle Stage Memory  
Activity Kit :  
Wooden Maze**

**Middle Stage Memory  
Activity Kit :  
Match The Chips**

**Early Stage Memory  
Activity Kit :  
Match The Shapes**



**Middle Stage Memory  
Activity Kit : Match  
The Suits**

**Memory Lane 1950s**

**Memory Lane 1940s**

**What's That Sound?  
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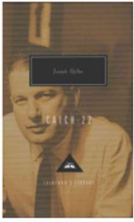
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1) **Catch-22**

Author

Series

Language

Heller, Joseph

Modern Library 100 best novels

English

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Where is it?

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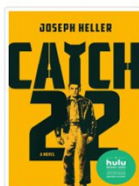
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Depicts the struggles of a U.S. airman attempting to survive the lunacy and depravity of a World War II base. This satirical, historical novel is set during the later stages of World War II from 1944 onwards. It has a distinctive non-chronological style where events are described from different characters' points of view and out of sequence so that the time line develops along with the plot.

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#### 2) Catch-22: 50th Anniversary Edition

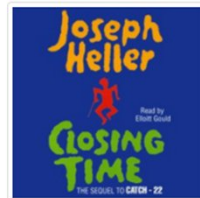
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| Author    | Heller, Joseph   |
| Publisher | Simon & Schuster |
| Pub. Date | 2010             |
| Language  | English          |

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This fiftieth-anniversary edition commemorates Joseph Heller's masterpiece with a new introduction; critical essays and reviews by Norman Mailer, Alfred Kazin, Anthony Burgess, and others; rare papers and photos; and much more.

Nominated as one of America's best-loved novels by PBS's *The Great American Read*.

Soon to be a Hulu limited series starring Christopher Abbott, George Clooney, Kyle Chandler, and Hugh...



### 3) Closing Time

Author Heller, Joseph  
Series Catch 22  
Language English

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Available Online

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Thirty-three years and over ten million copies later... the classic story continues. Yossarian returns -- older, if not wiser -- to face a new foe. An instant classic when published in 1961, Joseph Heller's *Catch-22* still ranks among the funniest -- and most serious -- novels ever written about war. Now Heller has dared to write the sequel to his 10-million copy bestseller, using many of *Catch-22*'s characters to deftly satirize the realities and the...

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### 4) Catch-22

Publisher Paramount Home Entertainment  
Pub. Date 2019  
Language English

DVD

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Visual - DVD 1 available

Goleta Library - Audio

Visual - DVD 1 available

Solvang Library - Audio

Visual - DVD 1 available

Where is it?

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Place Hold

Based on the acclaimed Joseph Heller novel, *Catch-22* follows the adventures and misadventures of a US air squadron in Italy in World War II.

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### 5) Catch-22

Publisher Paramount Pictures  
Pub. Date 1970  
Language English

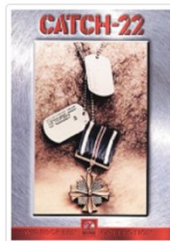
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#### 6) Catch-22

Publisher: Paramount  
Pub. Date: c2001  
Language: English

DVD

Show Edition

Available

Goleta Library - Audio  
Visual - DVD 1 available  
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Fiction

Place Hold

Yossarian, a reluctant bombardier stationed in the Mediterranean in World War II, has come to the utterly sane conclusion that everyone is trying to kill him. The Germans, yes, but also commanding officers supposedly on his own side like Col. Cathcart, who keeps raising the number of missions his flyers must perform to finish their tours. Everybody seems equally dead-set on his destruction, and Yossarian is just as determined to stay alive. An enormous...

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#### 7) Catch 22

Author: Tinchy Stryder  
Language: English

eMusic

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#### 8) CliffsNotes on Heller's Catch-22

Author: Peek, Charles A.  
Series: CliffsNotes  
Language: English

eBook

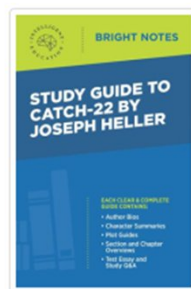
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The original CliffsNotes study guides offer expert commentary on major themes, plots, characters, literary devices, and historical background. CliffsNotes on Catch-22 takes you into this unforgettable novel that is full of satire, exaggeration, grotesque and comic caricatures, and telling allusions. Heller's main characters are two Jewish boys





### 9) Study Guide to Catch-22 by Joseph Heller

Author Education, Intelligent  
Series Bright Notes  
Language English

eBook

Available Online

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A comprehensive study guide offering in-depth explanation, essay, and test prep for Joseph Heller's *Catch-22*, which eponymously coined the term so frequently used today to describe the predicament of being, trapped by contradictory rules. As a novel of post-World War II America, *Catch-22* is profound in its conception, complex in its artistry, and radical in its message. Moreover, in some colleges it is, studied as the modern counterweight to Homer's...

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### 10) A Study Guide For Joseph Heller's Catch-22

Author Authors, Various  
Series Novels for Students  
Language English

eBook

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A Study Guide for Joseph Heller's "*Catch-22*," excerpted from Gale's acclaimed *Novels for Students*. This concise study guide includes plot summary; character analysis; author biography; study questions; historical context; suggestions for further reading; and much more. For any literature project, trust *Novels for Students* for all of your research needs.

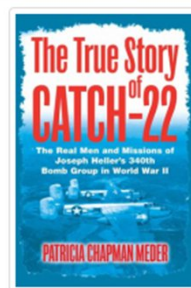
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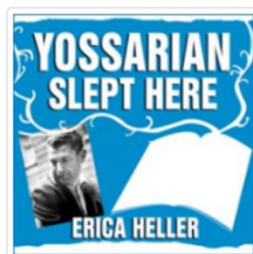


### 15) The True Story of Catch-22: The Real Men and Missions of Joseph Heller's 340th Bomb Group in World War II

Author Meder, Patricia Chapman  
Language English

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The real-life companion to the literary classic-written and illustrated by the daughter of the 340th Bomb Group's commander, Catch-22's Colonel Cathcart. After the publication of his bestselling novel Catch-22, Joseph Heller usually chose to deny that any of his richly drawn characters were based on his actual war mates. However, to those who served with Heller in the 340th Bomb Group, the novel's characters were indeed recognizable-the hard-drinking,...

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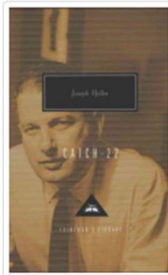
### 16) Yossarian Slept Here: When Joseph Heller Was Dad, the Aphthorp Was Home, and Life Was a Catch-22

Author Heller, Erica  
Language English

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Like his most famous work, Joseph Heller was a study in contradictions: eccentric, brilliant, and voracious, but also mercurial, competitive, and stubborn, with a love of mischief that sometimes cut too close to the bone. Yossarian Slept Here is a daughter's mordantly funny, poignant, and incisive memoir about growing up Heller-from her colorful family members and her parents' passionate and tumultuous 38-year marriage, to her father's celebrity friends...

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### 1) Catch-22

Author Heller, Joseph  
Series Modern Library 100 best novels  
Language English

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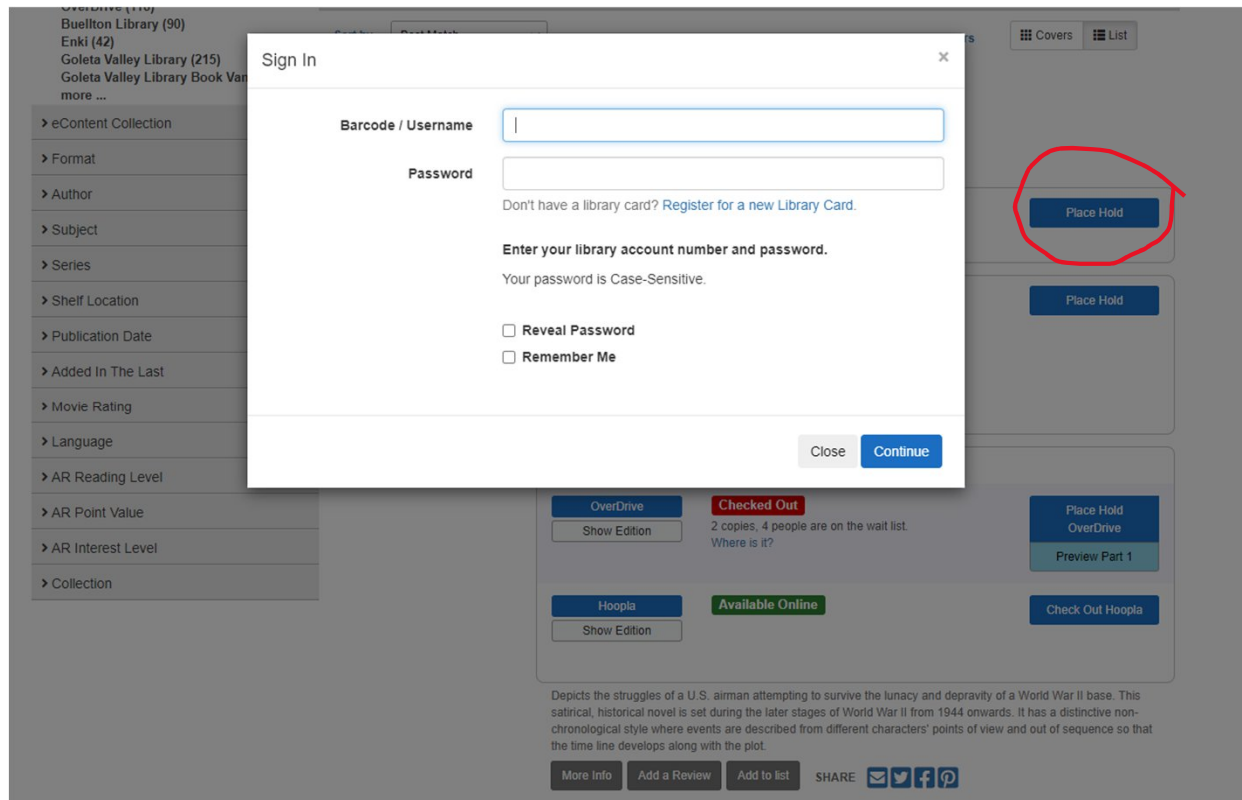
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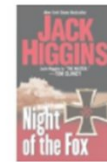
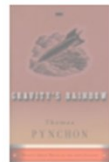
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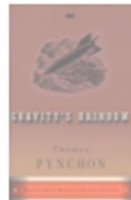
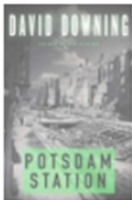
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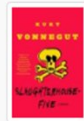
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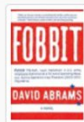
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