

## MYSTERY

**Alender, Katie**

**Famous Last Words**

*Willia has just moved to California with her mother and film director stepfather and will be attending a private school--but her real problem is that she keeps seeing things that are not really there, like a dead body in the swimming pool, and her visions may be connected to a serial killer that is stalking young girls in Hollywood.*

**Alphin, Elaine Marie**

**The Perfect Shot**

*Brian uses basketball to block out memories of his girlfriend and her family who were gunned down a year ago, but the upcoming murder trial and a high school history assignment force him to face the past and decide how far he should go to see justice served.*

**Anastasiu, Heather**

**Girl Last Seen**

*When YouTube sensation Kadence Mulligan disappears, her best friend and former singing partner Lauren comes under suspicion as everyone knows the two had a falling-out and Lauren was one of the last to see Kadence before she went missing..*

**Baratz-Logsted, Lauren**

**The Twin's Daughter**

*In Victorian London, thirteen-year-old Lucy's comfortable world with her loving parents begins slowly to unravel the day that a bedraggled woman who looks exactly like her mother appears at their door.*

**Bernard, Romily**

**Find Me**

*When teen hacker and foster child Wick Tate finds a dead classmate's diary on her front step, with a note reading "Find me," she sets off on a perverse game of hide-and-seek to catch the killer.*

**Bond, Gwenda**

**Girl on a Wire**

*Jules' future is up in the air, and so is she. As a member of the Amazing Maronis, she has inherited her father's wire-walking act. The Maronis languish on the small-time circuit due to an old feud with the Flying Garcias. When Jules forces her father to join the Cirque American and improve the family fortunes, she discovers that there might be some truth to her grandmother Nan's dire tarot readings. Sabotage and superstition cause Jules to question whether she's seeing sleight of hand or real, malevolent magic. When Romeo (Remy) Garcia collides with Jules, sparks fly. Their forbidden love blooms as they team up to discover the identity of the saboteur out to ruin Jules' act. Each plot twist raises the stakes for the Maroni clan.*

**Booher, Brock**

**The Charity Chip**

*Unexplained things begin to happen to kids who have been implanted with a chip in an experiment to end world hunger after Julio and his twin, starving orphans in Lima, Peru, join the program.*

**Bowen, Rhys**

**Murphy's Law**

*Fleeing a false accusation of murder in Ireland, Molly Murphy becomes involved in another murder case when the man who was harassing her on the boat to America turns up dead.*

**Buckley, Fiona**

**To Shield the Queen**

*Ursula Blanchard, lady-in-waiting to Queen Elizabeth in 1560, goes to visit the wife of Sir Robert Dudley who is supposedly being poisoned so that Dudley can marry Elizabeth. While Ursula is with her, Dudley's wife dies of a broken neck rather than from poison.*

**Cabot, Meg**

**Size 12 Is Not Fat (and sequel)**

*Former pop star Heather Wells has left behind hordes of screaming fans to settle into a new life. When strange things start happening at her college, though, she finds herself once again in the spotlight--this time as a detective.*

**Cavallaro, Brittany**

**A Study in Charlotte**

*Descendants of Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson, Charlotte and Jamie, students at a Connecticut boarding school, team up to solve a murder mystery.*

**Christie, Agatha**

*Various titles from this classic mystery writer.*

**Clement-Moore, Rosemary**      **Texas Gothic**

*Seventeen-year-old Amy Goodnight has long been the one who makes her family of witches seem somewhat normal to others, but while spending a summer with her sister caring for their aunt's farm, Amy becomes the center of weirdness when she becomes tied to a powerful ghost.*

**Coben, Harlan**      **Shelter** (and sequels)

*1<sup>st</sup> book in Mickey Bolitar series. After Mickey witnesses his father's death and his mother's admission into rehab, he is sent to live with his estranged uncle and must change high schools. When Mickey's new girlfriend, Ashley, suddenly disappears, however, Mickey refuses to let another person walk out of his life and follows clues that reveal truths about both Ashley and Mickey's father.*

**Collins, Max Allan**      **CSI: Body of Evidence** (and others in CSI series)

*The discovery of the body of the mayor's secretary, who has been missing for six months, sends Gil Grissom and his team in search of a serial killer only to discover that sinister forces are hoping to end the mayor's political career.*

**Cook, Eileen**      **The Almost Truth**

*When a teenaged con artist realizes that she looks like an age-enhanced photo of a missing child, she decides to pull the ultimate con—until she begins to suspect she may actually be the missing child.*

**Cooney, Caroline**      **No Such Person**

*A sibling rivalry between a free-spirited younger sister and her success-driven older sister escalates into tragedy and mystery for a family during a lakeside summer.*

**Cormier, Robert**      **The Rag and Bone Shop**

*Trent, an ace interrogator from Vermont, works to procure a confession from an introverted twelve-year-old accused of murdering his seven-year-old friend in Monument, Massachusetts.*

**Cornwell, Patricia**      **The Body Farm**

*Dr. Kay Scarpetta travels to North Carolina to investigate the murder of an eleven-year-old girl, but the evidence does not add up. She must conduct a gruesome experiment at a remote research facility known as the Body Farm to find the answers.*

**Cornwell, Patricia**      **Body of Evidence**

*Medical examiner Kay Scarpetta investigates the death of a woman who had been stalked and threatened.*

**Cox, Suzy**      **The Dead Girls Detective Agency**

*When Charlotte is pushed in front of the F train, she wakes up as the newest member of the Dead Girls Detective Agency and learns that she must solve her own murder before she can pass to the Other Side.*

**Czukas, Liz**      **Top Ten Clues You're Clueless**

*The day before Christmas, money goes missing from a donation box at GoodFoods Market. Chloe and five of her teenage co-workers, held in the break room until the police arrive, try to identify the real thief.*

**Derting, Kimberly**      **The Body Finder** (and sequels)

*1<sup>st</sup> book in Body Finder series. High school junior Violet uses her uncanny ability to sense murderers and their victims to try to stop a serial killer who is terrorizing her town. Although her best friend and would-be boyfriend Jay promises to keep her safe, she becomes a target.*

**Ellison, Kate**      **The Butterfly Clues**

*Having experienced compulsive behavior all her life, Lo's symptoms are getting her into trouble when she witnesses a murder while wandering dangerous quarters of Cleveland, Ohio, collecting things that do not belong to her while obsessing about her brother's death.*

**Elston, Ashley**      **The Rules for Disappearing** (and sequel)

*High school student "Meg" has changed identities so often that she hardly knows who she is anymore, and her family is falling apart, but she knows that two of the rules of witness protection are be forgettable and do not make friends—but in her new home in Louisiana a boy named Ethan is making that difficult.*

**Fantaskey, Beth**      **Buzz Kill**

*Seventeen-year-old Millie joins forces with her classmate, gorgeous but mysterious Chase Colton, to try to uncover who murdered the head football coach—and why.*

**Ferguson, Alane**

**The Christopher Killer: A Forensic Mystery** (and sequels)

*1<sup>st</sup> book in the Forensic Mysteries series. On the payroll as an assistant to her coroner father, seventeen-year-old Cameryn Mahoney uses her knowledge of forensic medicine to catch the killer of a friend while putting herself in terrible danger.*

**Finn, Katie**

**Top 8**

*When popular high school junior Madison's online profile is hacked while she is in the Galapagos Islands with her family, it sends her life into turmoil and forces her to reevaluate some important matters as she figures out who committed the crime.*

**Ford, John C.**

**The Morgue and Me**

*Eighteen-year-old Christopher, who plans to be a spy, learns of a murder cover-up through his summer job as a morgue assistant and, despite great danger, teams up with Tina, a gorgeous newspaper reporter, to investigate.*

**Francis, Dick**

**Banker**

*When Tim Ekaterin, a young investment banker, arranges a loan for the purchase of a racehorse being put out to stud, he finds himself caught up in a complex web of deceit, violence, and murder.*

**Fredericks, Mariah**

**The Girl in the Park**

*When a teenaged girl with a bad reputation is murdered in New York City's Central Park after a party, her childhood friend is determined to solve the mystery of who caused her death.*

**Fukuda, Andrew Xia**

**Crossing**

*When a series of mysterious abductions rattles Xing Xu's adopted hometown, his position on the outskirts of society helps him investigate the kidnappings with the hope of proving his worth to his classmates and his crush.*

**Galloway, Gregory**

**As Simple As Snow**

*The narrator, an average high-school boy, meets and falls in love with an extraordinary, spooky girl, Anna, a Goth fascinated with mysteries, codes, ciphers, and ghost stories. Her self-imposed project is writing obituaries of everyone in their small town. When she finishes, she vanishes. Did she run away? Did she commit suicide? Was she murdered?*

**Gerber, Linda**

**Death by Bikini** (and sequels)

*1<sup>st</sup> in the Death by . . . series. Sixteen-year-old Aphra enjoys an enviable life at the secluded tropical island resort her father runs, but she aches for her mom, who left without explanation four years earlier, and for friends her age. Then the mysterious Smith family arrives, and Aphra feels a strong attraction to their cute teenage son, Adam, even as she struggles with her father's strange reaction to the family. After a hotel guest is strangled on the beach, Aphra's questions about the Smiths intensify: What are they hiding? Is there some connection to Aphra's mom? Is Adam's dad a killer?*

**Giles, Gail**

**Dead Girls Don't Write Letters**

*Fourteen-year-old Sunny is stunned when a total stranger shows up at her house posing as her older sister Jazz, who supposedly died in a fire months earlier.*

**Glenn, Mel**

**Who Killed Mr. Chippendale?**

*A mystery story told in free verse poems describes the reactions of students, colleagues, and others when a high school teacher is shot to death as the school day begins. Novel in verse.*

**Grace, C. L.**

**The Merchant of Death**

*When Sir Reginald Erpingham dies inside a locked tavern room in Canterbury during the 15th century, Kathryn Swinbrooke and Colum Murtagh discover that many people had reasons to kill him.*

**Green, John**

**Paper Towns**

*One month before graduating from his Central Florida high school, Quentin "Q" Jacobsen basks in the predictable boringness of his life until the beautiful and exciting Margo Roth Spiegelman, Q's neighbor and classmate, takes him on a midnight adventure and then mysteriously disappears.*

**Griffin, Adele**

**Loud Awake and Lost**

*Eight months after a debilitating car accident leaves her with brain trauma and a back injury, amnesiac teen Ember tries to piece together the six weeks of her life leading up to the accident—and tries to determine why none of her friends or family are willing to talk about it.*

**Griffin, Adele**

**The Unfinished Life of Addison Stone**

*When a celebrated New York City teenager, known for her subversive street art, mysteriously dies, her life is examined in a series of interviews with her parents, friends, boyfriends, mentors, and critics.*

**Griffin, Paul**

**Burning Blue**

*Beautiful, smart Nicole, disfigured by acid thrown in her face, and computer hacker Jay meet in the school psychologist's office. As they become friends, Jay resolves to find her attacker.*

**Haddon, Mark**

**The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time**

*Despite his overwhelming fear of interacting with people, Christopher, a mathematically-gifted, autistic fifteen-year-old boy, decides to investigate the murder of a neighbor's dog and uncovers secret information about his mother.*

**Hahn, Mary Downing**

**Mister Death's Blue-Eyed Girls**

*Narrated from several different perspectives, tells the story of the 1956 murder of two teenaged girls in suburban Baltimore, Maryland.*

**Hall, Maggie**

**The Conspiracy of Us (and sequel)**

*When sixteen-year-old Avery West learns her family is part of a powerful and dangerous secret society and that her own life is in danger, she must follow a trail of clues across Europe.*

**Hammett, Dashiell**

**The Maltese Falcon**

*After the death of his partner, private eye Sam Spade is dragged into a quest for a priceless statuette.*

**Harrington, K. A.**

**Forget Me**

*In a town suffering after the major employer closed under a cloud of scandal, Morgan and her friends uncover a mystery as they try to learn if her supposedly dead boyfriend is living nearby under a different name.*

**Harrington, Kim**

**Clarity (and sequel)**

*Sixteen-year-old Clare Fern, a member of a family of psychics, helps the mayor and a skeptical detective solve a murder in a Cape Cod town during the height of tourist season--with her brother a prime suspect.*

**Hautman, Pete**

**Snatched**

*Too curious for her own good, Roni, crime reporter for her high school newspaper, teams up with Brian, freshman science geek, to investigate the beating and kidnapping of a classmate.*

**Henry, April**

**The Girl I Used to Be**

*Olivia Reinhart (born Ariel Benson) always believed her father murdered her mother, stabbing her 19 times before driving Olivia to a Walmart and vanishing. Fourteen years later the cops come knocking, and it isn't the news she expects. Olivia's father hasn't been on the run; his body has been found only about a mile from where her mother's body had previously been discovered. They were both murdered that day. Olivia was the only survivor--the only witness.*

**Jaffe, Michele**

**Bad Kitty**

*While vacationing with her family in Las Vegas, seventeen-year-old Jasmine stumbles upon a murder mystery that she attempts to solve with the help of her friends.*

**Jaffe, Michele**

**Ghost Flower**

*Drawing the attention of two wealthy teens who say she resembles their missing cousin Aurora, runaway Eve is drawn into a scheme to win the lost girl's inheritance.*

**James, P. D.**

**An Unsuitable Job for a Woman**

*Left alone by her partner's suicide, Cordelia Gray struggles to manage the private detective agency they once shared.*

**Kirby, Jessi**

**Golden**

*Seventeen-year-old Parker Frost has never taken the road less traveled. Valedictorian and quintessential good girl, she's about to graduate high school without ever having kissed her crush or broken the rules. When fate drops a clue in her lap--one that might be the key to unraveling a town mystery--she decides to take a chance.*

**Kress, Adrienne**

**The Friday Society**

*Cora, Nellie, and Michiko, teenaged assistants to three powerful men in Edwardian London, meet by chance at a ball that ends with the discovery of a murdered man, leading the three to work together to solve this and related crimes without drawing undue attention to themselves.*

**Landay, William**

**Defending Jacob**

*Andy Barber has been an assistant district attorney in his suburban Massachusetts county for more than twenty years. When a shocking crime shatters their New England town, Andy is blindsided by what happens next: his fourteen-year-old son is charged with the murder of a fellow student. As the crisis reveals how little a father knows about his son, Andy will face a trial of his own--between loyalty and justice, between truth and allegation, between a past he's tried to bury and a future he cannot conceive.*

**Laurie, Victoria**

**When**

*Sixteen-year-old Maddie Flynn cannot help but see the death date of everyone she meets or sees in a photograph or online, and her alcoholic mother exploits this by having her do readings for money—but when Maddie predicts the death of a young boy, she becomes the center of an FBI investigation.*

**Lee, Y. S.**

**A Spy in the House (and sequels)**

*1<sup>st</sup> book in the Agency series. Rescued from the gallows in 1850s London, young orphan and thief Mary Quinn is offered a place at Miss Scrimshaw's Academy for Girls where she is trained to be part of an all-female investigative unit called The Agency. At age seventeen, she infiltrates a rich merchant's home in hopes of tracing his missing cargo ships.*

**Lindquist, Lynn**

**Secret of the Sevens**

*When eighteen-year-old Talan Michaels accepts an invitation to join a mysterious secret society at his boarding school, he becomes involved in a conspiracy involving secret passages, cryptic riddles, and a decades-old murder mystery that he must solve to save the school--and, perhaps, lives.*

**Lyga, Barry**

**I Hunt Killers (and sequels)**

*Seventeen-year-old Jazz learned all about being a serial killer from his notorious "Dear Old Dad" but believes he has a conscience that will help fight his own urges and right some of his father's wrongs, so he secretly helps the police apprehend the town's newest murderer, "The Impressionist."*

**MacDonald, Ross**

**Find a Victim**

*Lew Archer becomes involved with a beautiful blonde and a case of murder after he discovers a man dying of a bullet wound along a southern California highway.*

**Mackall, Dandi Daley**

**The Silence of Murder**

*Sixteen-year-old Hope must defend her developmentally disabled brother (who has not spoken a word since he was seven) when he is accused of murdering a beloved high school baseball coach.*

**McClintock, Norah**

**Guilty**

*When Finn learns that the man who killed his stepmother is the same man who admitted to killing his birth mother years before, he wants to know if it is a coincidence. He meets Lila, daughter of the killer, and together they set out to find the truth.*

**McClintock, Norah**

**Last Chance (and sequels)**

*1<sup>st</sup> book in Robyn Hunter series. When troubled Nick, Robyn's fellow volunteer at an animal shelter, is arrested, she sets out to prove his innocence.*

**McDonnell, Margot**

**Torn to Pieces**

*Anne has never really liked the fact that her mother travels so much for work, but she gets by thanks to her nearby grandparents and enjoys the benefits of her mom's ample salary. Her mom always makes it back for the important things. When her mother misses Anne's birthday and her cell phone gets disconnected, Anne starts to worry. Soon the life she thought she had is crumbling in front of her eyes.*

**Miller, Ashley Edward**

**Colin Fischer**

*A boy with autism teams up with the high school bully to get to the bottom of a cafeteria crime.*

**Morson, Ian**

**Falconer's Crusade**

*In 1264, Thomas Symon, a new student at Oxford, finds the corpse of a young girl, and his instructor, Master William Falconer, institutes an investigation.*

**Myracle, Lauren**

**Shine**

*When her best friend falls victim to a vicious hate crime, sixteen-year-old Cat sets out to discover the culprits in her small North Carolina town.*

**Nelson, Blake**

**The Prince of Venice Beach**

*Robert "Cali" Callahan, seventeen, gets swept up into the private-investigator business and must deal with the ramifications of looking for fellow runaways who may not want to be found--and with falling in love with one of them.*

**Nixon, Joan Lowery**                      **Murdered, My Sweet**

*Jenny and her mother hunt a killer while fearing for their own safety after the reading of their millionaire cousin's will leads to the murder of another cousin.*

**Nixon, Joan Lowery**                      **The Séance**

*The seance started as a game, but it led to murder and terror for the people of a small east Texas community.*

**Pauley, Kimberly**                      **Cat Girl's Day Off**

*Natalie Ng has always kept secret her talent for talking with cats, but when she learns--from a cat--that a celebrity has been replaced by an imposter, she and her friends investigate, becoming movie extras to get the scoop.*

**Perry, Anne**                              **The Cater Street Hangman**

*Two determinedly unconventional young sisters ignore Victorian mores and actively join the police investigation into the murder of their servant girl.*

**Peters, Ellis**

*Various mysteries featuring Brother Cadfael.*

**Petrucha, Stefan**                      **Ripper**

*Adopted by famous Pinkerton Agency Detective Hawking in 1895 New York, fourteen-year-old Carver Young hopes to find his birth father, but when he becomes involved in the pursuit of notorious killer Jack the Ripper, Carver discovers that finding the truth can be worse than ignorance.*

**Picoult, Jodi**                              **Leaving Time**

*On the night one of the caretakers at a New Hampshire elephant sanctuary was killed, Jenna's mother, Alice, was found unconscious nearby. Hours later, Alice checked herself out of the hospital and disappeared, leaving her 3-year-old daughter behind. Now, 10 years later, the precocious 13-year-old wants answers to the mysteries of her mother's whereabouts. Is she dead? Was she also the victim of an unknown assailant? Or was she an abused wife and heartless mother who did not care about her child's welfare? With her father, Thomas, incarcerated in a mental hospital since the tragedy that destroyed his family, Jenna has few people to turn to for help. Aided only by Virgil, the disgraced detective who bungled the initial investigation, and Serenity, a once-famous but now infamous TV psychic, Jenna seeks answers to the questions that have always plagued her.*

**Picoult, Jodi**                              **Nineteen Minutes**

*In Sterling, New Hampshire, 17-year-old high school student Peter Houghton has endured years of verbal and physical abuse at the hands of classmates. His best friend, Josie Cormier, succumbed to peer pressure and now hangs out with the popular crowd that often instigates the harassment. One final incident of bullying sends Peter over the edge and leads him to commit an act of violence that forever changes the lives of Sterling's residents.*

**Picoult, Jodi**                              **Plain Truth**

*The discovery of a dead baby under a pile of old blankets in Aaron Fisher's barn sets off a scandal in Amish country and an investigation that could implicate Fisher's eighteen-year-old daughter.*

**Plum-Ucci, Carol**                      **The Body of Christopher Creed (and sequel)**

*Torey Adams, a high school junior with a seemingly perfect life, struggles with doubts and questions surrounding the mysterious disappearance of the class outcast.*

**Podos, Rebecca**                      **The Mystery of Hollow Places**

*A mystery writer's daughter sets out to find her missing father and, along the way, begins to understand the loneliness that has gripped them both since her mother abandoned them years before.*

**Reichs, Kathy**                              **Break No Bones**

*Struggling with a lackluster teaching position at an archaeology field school in South Carolina, Tempe Brennan discovers a fresh skeleton among ancient bones and traces leads to a free street clinic where patients are going missing.*

**Rosenfelt, David**                      **Open and Shut (and sequels)**

*1<sup>st</sup> book in the Andy Carpenter series. With the help of P.I. Laurie Collins, defense attorney Andy Carpenter exposes a deadly political conspiracy after discovering a startling link between his father's death, a death row inmate, and the three most powerful men in New Jersey.*

**Salerni, Dianne K.**

**The Caged Graves**

*Returning to her hometown of Catawissa, Pennsylvania, in 1867 to marry a man she has never met, seventeen-year-old Verity Boone gets caught up in the mystery surrounding the graves of her mother and aunt and a dangerous hunt for Revolutionary-era gold.*

**Savage, Kim**

**After the Woods**

*On the eve of the year anniversary of the Shiverton Abduction, two former best friends grapple with the consequences of that event.*

**Scheier, Leah**

**Secret Letters**

*Sixteen-year-old Dora travels to London to meet Sherlock Holmes, who might be her biological father, and ask his help for her cousin who is being blackmailed over some stolen letters. Although Holmes dies before she arrives, a handsome young detective comes to Dora's aid.*

**Schrefer, Eliot**

**The Deadly Sister**

*Abby Goodwin has always tried to keep her younger sister Maya out of trouble. But now that Maya has graduated from skipping school to using drugs, such protection may no longer be possible. While out for her morning run, Abby comes across the dead body of Jefferson Andrews, the big man on campus and class valedictorian. Unfortunately, Maya's phone is lying near the body. Abby knows Maya was the last person to see Jeff alive. She is determined to find her missing sister and prove Maya's innocence at the same time.*

**Sepety, Ruta**

**Out of the Easy**

*Josie, the seventeen-year-old daughter of a French Quarter prostitute, is striving to escape 1950 New Orleans and enroll at prestigious Smith College when she becomes entangled in a murder investigation.*

**Sorrells, Walter**

**Fake ID (and sequels)**

*1<sup>st</sup> book in the Hunted series. After a lifetime of moving and assuming new identities, sixteen-year-old Chass begins to piece together the disturbing past that haunts her and her mother and which involves a mysterious tape, a deceased popular singer, and the secrets of several people in a small Alabama town.*

**Staub, Wendy**

**Lily Dale: Awakening (and sequels)**

*1<sup>st</sup> book in the Lily Dale Mystery series. Calla thought that her boyfriend breaking up with her in a text message was the worst thing that could ever happen to her. But just two weeks later, her mother died in a freak accident, and life as she knew it was completely over. With her father heading to California for a new job, they decide that Calla should spend a few weeks with the grandmother she barely knows while he gets them set up. To Calla's shock, her mother's hometown of Lily Dale is a town full of psychics—including her grandmother. Suddenly the fact that her mother never talked about her past takes on more mysterious overtones.*

**Stratton, Allan**

**The Dogs**

*Cameron and his mom have been on the run for five years. His father is hunting them. At least that's what Cameron's been told. When they settle in an isolated farmhouse, Cameron starts to see and hear things that aren't possible. Soon he's questioning everything he thought he knew -- including his own sanity. What's hiding in the night? Buried in the past? Cameron must uncover the dark secrets before they tear him apart.*

**Tromly, Stephanie**

**Trouble Is a Friend of Mine**

*After her parents' divorce, Zoe Webster moves from Brooklyn to upstate New York where she meets the weirdly compelling misfit, Philip Digby, and soon finds herself in a series of hilarious and dangerous situations as he pulls her into his investigation into the kidnapping of a local teenage girl which may be related to the disappearance of his kid sister eight years ago.*

**Valentine, Jenny**

**Double**

*When seventeen-year-old Rosie's mother dies from Huntington's Disease, a devastating secret is revealed that sends Rosie on a journey from England to the United States with her ex-boyfriend where she discovers yet more deeply-buried and troubling secrets and lies.*

**Warman, Jessica**

**Beautiful Lies**

*Eighteen-year-old identical twins Alice and Rachel have always shared a very special bond, so when one is abducted the other uses their connection to try to locate her.*

**Werlin, Nancy**

**Black Mirror**

*Convinced her brother's death was murder rather than suicide, sixteen-year-old Frances begins her own investigation into suspicious student activities at her boarding school.*

**Werlin, Nancy**

**Double Helix**

*Eighteen-year-old Eli discovers a shocking secret about his life and his family while working for a Nobel Prize-winning scientist whose specialty is genetic engineering.*

**Wolf, Jennifer Shaw**

**Breaking Beautiful**

*Allie is overwhelmed when her boyfriend, Trip, dies in a car accident, leaving her scarred and unable to recall what happened that night, but she feels she must uncover the truth, even if it could hurt the people who tried to save her from Trip's abuse.*