*The Bright Book of Life: Novels to Read and Reread* - Harold Bloom

This is the book I was talking about at our last Book Cafe session. I thought that you all might be interested in a classical read. (Comfort Zone - Comfort Zone!!!)
The following titles are those mentioned in his book in chronological order. I will star the ones I've enjoyed and hope that you will too.

Readingly yours,
Barbara

1. *Don Quixote** - Miguel de Cervantes
2. *Clarissa* - Samuel Richardson
3. *Tom Jones** - Henry Fielding
4. *Pride and Prejudice** - Jane Austen
5. *Emma** - Jane Austen
6. *Persuasion** - Jane Austen
7. *The Betrothed* - Alessandro Manzoni
8. *The Red and the Black** - Stendhal
9. *The Charterhouse of Parma* - Stendhal
10. *Old Goriot** - Honore de Balzac
11. *The Captain's Daughter* - Alexander Pushkin
12. *Wuthering Heights**** - Emily Bronte
13. *Vanity Fair** - William Makepeace Thackeray
14. *Moby-Dick** - Herman Melville
15. *Bleak House**** - Charles Dickens
16. *Our Mutual Friend** - Charles Dickens
17. *Madame Bovary** - Gustave Flaubert
18. *Les Miserables** - Victor Hugo
19. *A Sportsman's Notebook* - Ivan Turgenev
20. *First Love* - Ivan Turgenev
21. *The Cossacks* - Leo Tolstoy
22. *War and Peace**- Leo Tolstoy
23. *Anna Karenina**** - Leo Tolstoy
24. *Hadji Murat* - Leo Tolstoy

25. *The Return of the Native** - Thomas Hardy
26. *The Brothers Karamazov** - Fyodor Dostoevsky
27. *The Princess Casamassima* - Henry James (currently reading)
28. *The Ambassadors* - Henry James
29. *Nostromo* - Joseph Conrad
30. *The Secret Agent* - Joseph Conrad
31. *Under Western Eyes* - Joseph Conrad
32. *The Reef**- Edith Wharton
33. *The Rainbow* - D. H. Lawrence
34. *Women in Love** - D. H. Lawrence.
35. *Ulysses** - James Joyce
36. *The Magic Mountain* - Thomas Mann
37. *To the Lighthouse** - Virginia Woolf
38. *In Search of Lost Time* - Marcel Proust
39. *The Master and Margarita** - Mikhail Bulgakov
40. *Absalom, Absalom** - William Faulkner
41. *The Death of the Heart** - Elizabeth Bowen
42. *Invisible Man** - Ralph Ellison
43. *The Left Hand of Darkness**** - Ursula K. LeGuin
44. *The Dispossessed** - Ursula K. LeGuin
45. *The Loser* - Thomas Bernhard
46. *Blood Meridian**** - Cormac McCarthy
47. *The Rings of Saturn* - W. G. Sebald
48. *Book of Numbers* - Joshua Cohen