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Time Travel titles from the **Monroe Township Library**

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Butler, Octavia E.

Kindred

Having just celebrated her 26th birthday in 1976 California, Dana, an African-American woman, is suddenly and inexplicably wrenched through time into antebellum Maryland. After saving a drowning white boy there, she finds herself staring into the barrel of a shotgun and is transported back to the present just in time to save her life.

Fisher, Helen

Faye, Faraway

A heartfelt, spellbinding, and irresistible debut novel for fans of *The Time Traveler's Wife* and *Outlander* that movingly examines loss, faith, and love as it follows a grown woman who travels back in time to be reunited with the mother she lost when she was a child.

Flanagan, Bill

Fifty in Reverse

In the spring of 1970, Harvard psychologist Terry Canyon is introduced to Peter, a quiet kid from a wealthy family who has been suspended from ninth grade for stripping off his clothes in Algebra class. When Terry asks Peter why he did, the boy explains that he was trying to "shock myself awake." It turns out that Peter believes he is a sixty-five-year-old man who went to sleep in his home in New York in the year 2020 and woke up in his childhood bedroom fifty years earlier.

Gideon, Melanie

Valley of the Moon

In this captivating novel from the author of *Wife 22*, a woman who feels lost in her own time stumbles across a California community that has, impossibly, been marooned in the early twentieth century perfect for readers of *The Time Traveler's Wife*, *Time and Again*, and Sarah Addison Allen.

Hosking, Jay

Three Years With the Rat

When his sister Grace disappears, and her boyfriend John shortly thereafter, the narrator makes an astonishing discovery in their apartment: a box big enough to crawl inside, a lab rat, and a note that says *This is the only way back for us*. Soon he embarks on a mission to discover the truth, a pursuit that forces him to question time and space itself, and ultimately toward a perilous confrontation at the very limits of imagination.

King, Stephen

11/22/63

Jake's friend Al, who runs the local diner, divulges a secret: his storeroom is a portal to 1958. He enlists Jake on an insane—and insanely possible—mission to try to prevent the Kennedy assassination. So begins Jake's new life as George Amberson and his new world of Elvis and JFK, of big American cars and sock hops, of a troubled loner named Lee Harvey Oswald and a beautiful high school librarian named Sadie Dunhill, who becomes the love of Jake's life—a life that transgresses all the normal rules of time.

Landragin, Alex

Crossings

Crossings is an unforgettable and explosive genre-bending debut—a novel in three parts, designed to be read in two different directions, spanning a hundred and fifty years and seven lifetimes.

Mascarenhas, Kate

The Psychology of Time Travel

Fifty years after time travel becomes big business, Bee receives a mysterious newspaper clipping from the future reporting the murder of an unidentified woman. Ruby knows her Granny Bee was one of the pioneering female scientists who made time travel possible, though no one will tell her more. Ruby becomes obsessed: could the murdered woman be Bee? Who would want her dead? And most importantly of all: can her murder be stopped?

Mastai, Elan

All Our Wrong Todays

In Tom Barren's 2016, humanity thrives in a techno-utopian paradise of flying cars, moving sidewalks, and moon bases, where avocados never go bad and punk rock never existed . . . because it wasn't necessary. In a time-travel mishap, Tom finds himself stranded in our 2016, what we think of as the real world. For Tom, our normal reality seems like a dystopian wasteland. But when he discovers wonderfully unexpected versions of his family, his career, and—maybe, just maybe—his soul mate, Tom has a decision to make. Does he fix the flow of history, bringing his utopian universe back into existence, or does he try to forge a new life in our messy, unpredictable reality?

McDonald, Ian

Time Was

In the heart of World War II, Tom and Ben became lovers. Brought together by a secret project designed to hide British targets from German radar, the two founded a love that could not be revealed. When the project went wrong, Tom and Ben vanished into nothingness, presumed dead. Their bodies were never found. Now the two are lost in time, hunting each other across decades, leaving clues in books of poetry and trying to make their disparate timelines overlap.

McElwain, Julie

A Twist in Time

Kendra Donovan is a rising star at the FBI. Yet her path to professional success hits a speed bump during a disastrous raid where half her team is murdered and she is injured. A mole in the FBI is uncovered. As soon as she recovers, Kendra goes rogue and travels to Aldrich Castle in England to trackdown the man responsible for the deaths of her teammates. During an altercation at the castle Kendra escapes into a stairwell for safety. When she stumbles out again, she is in the same place - Aldrich Castle - but in 1815. Without her twenty-first century tools, Kendra must use her wits alone in order to unmask a cunning madman. (Book 1 of the Kendra Donovan Mystery series)

Montimore, Margarita

Oona Out of Order

It's New Year's Eve 1982, and Oona Lockhart has her whole life before her. As the countdown to the New Year begins, Oona faints and awakens thirty-two years in the future in her fifty-one-year-old body. Greeted by a friendly stranger in a beautiful house she's told is her own, Oona learns that with each passing year she will leap to another age at random. And so begins Oona Out of Order... (T.V. series in production!)

Matheson, Richard

***Bid Time Return* (aka “Somewhere in Time”)**

Matheson's classic novel tells the moving, romantic story of a modern man whose love for a woman he has never met draws him back in time to a luxury hotel in San Diego in 1896. There he finds his soul mate in the form of a celebrated actress of the previous century. *Somewhere in Time* won the World Fantasy Award for Best Novel, and the 1980 movie version, starring Christopher Reeve and Jane Seymour, remains a cult classic whose fans continue to hold yearly conventions to this day.

Rowell, Rainbow

Landline

As far as time machines go, a magic telephone is pretty useless. TV writer Georgie McCool can't actually visit the past -- all she can do is call it, and hope it picks up. And hope *he* picks up. Because once Georgie realizes she has a magic phone that calls into the past, all she wants to do is make things right with her husband, Neal. Maybe she can fix the things in their past that seem unfixable in the present. Maybe this stupid phone is giving her a chance to start over ...Does Georgie *want* to start over? From Rainbow Rowell, the *New York Times* bestselling author of *Eleanor & Park* and *Fangirl*, comes this heart-wrenching - and hilarious - take on fate, time, television and true love. *Landline* asks if two people are ever truly on the same path, or whether love just means finding someone who will keep meeting you halfway, no matter where you end up.

Serle, Rebecca

In Five Years

When Type-A Manhattan lawyer Dannie Kohan is asked this question at the most important interview of her career, she has a meticulously crafted answer at the ready. Later, after nailing her interview and accepting her boyfriend's marriage proposal, Dannie goes to sleep knowing she is right on track to achieve her five-year plan. But when she wakes up, she's suddenly in a different apartment, with a different ring on her finger, and beside a very different man. The television news is on in the background, and she can just make out the scrolling date. It's the same night—December 15—but 2025, five years in the future.

Walker, Rysa

Now Then and Every When

When two time-traveling historians cross paths during one of the most tumultuous decades of the twentieth century, history goes helter-skelter. But which one broke the timeline or are they just pawns in someone's game? (Book 1 of the Chronos Origins series)