

Great Books Discussion Group

Even-Date Wednesdays from 7:30 to 8:45 PM

- 2008 Reading List. Meadows Branch of the Boulder Public Library
- January 9, 2008 Dostoevsky, The Brothers Karamazov (776 pages)
Fyodor Dostoevsky (Pevear Volokhonsky translation preferred)
- January 16, 2008 Mary McCarthy, The Oasis (136 pages)
- January 30, 2008 The Acquisitive Society (192 pages)
R. H. Tawney [In Vol 57 of the 60 volume set of the Great Books]
- February 6, 2008 Albert Camus, The Fall (160 pages)
- February 20, 2008 Thorstein Veblen, Theory of the Leisure Class
- March 12, 2008 Monica Ali, Brick Lane (369 pages)
- March 26, 2008 ** Oath, Ancient Medicine, and Sacred Disease
Hippocrates Great Books Vol. 10, pp. xiii, 1-9, 154-160
Camus Albert Camus, The Stranger (123 pages)
- April 2, 2008 Dodie Smith, I Capture the Castle (343 pages)
- April 16, 2008 ** Plato, "The Meno" Great Books Vol. 7, pp. 174-190
- April 30, 2008 Stephanie Kallos, Broken for You (400 pages)
- May 14, 2008 ** Aristotle, GB V 8, pp. 642-656; V 9, pp. 161-169
Aristotle "On the Soul" and "On the Parts of Animals"
- May 28, 2008 Hilary Mantel, A Change of Climate (336 pages)
- June 4, 2008 ** Galen, Great Books V 10, pp. 167-199
Galen "On the Natural Faculties" Books I and II
- June 18, 2008 Jill Paton Walsh, A Desert in Bohemia (322 pages)
- July 2, 2008 ** Aquinas, Great Books Vol. 20, pp. 1-25
Aquinas Summa Theologica, Part I-II, QQ. XLIX-LIV.

**Reading questions in The Great Ideas Program Volume 9 – "Biology, Psychology, and Medicine."

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- July 16, 2008 Shakespeare, "**Henry VIII**"
- July 30, 2008 Wallace Stegner, **Crossing to Safety**
Stegner (341 pages)
- August 6, 2008 ** Hobbes, Great Books Vol. 23, pp. 49-76
Hobbes **Leviathan**, Part I, Ch. 1-10
- August 20, 2008 ** Locke, GB Vol. 35, pp.121-147, 178-186, 220-222
Locke "**An Essay Concerning Human Understanding**", Book II
- September 10, 2008 Patricia Grace, **Potiki** (186 pages)
Maori Glossary: <http://sackett.net/GracePotikiGlossary.pdf>
- September 24, 2008 ** Harvey, GB Vol. 28, pp. 267-304
Harvey "**On the Motion of the Heart and Blood in Animals**"
- October 8, 2008 Harriet Doerr, **The Tiger in the Grass: Short Stories and Other Inventions** (224 pages)
- October 22, 2008 ** Darwin, GB Vol 49, pp. 32-64, 255-319
Darwin **The Origin of Species**, Ch. 3-4 and **The Descent of Man**, Ch. 1-4
- November 12, 2008 Amy Herrick **The Happiness Code**
Herrick (310 pages)
Reading Guide: <http://sackett.net/HerrickHappinessCode.pdf>
- November 26, 2008 ** William James, GB Vol 53, pp. 146-179,
191-194, 204-223, 743-757, 796-829
James **The Principles of Psychology**, Ch. 9-10, 25-26
- Dec 10, 2008 **The Treasure of Montsegur: A Novel of the Cathars**
Burnham Sophy Burnham (304 pages)

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