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SERIAL OF THE MONTH

Delicious

Arrow Complete Third Season
In its third season we see Oliver get into conflict with Ra’s al Ghul and begin a romantic relationship with Felicity
DVD 791.45/ARRO

Fairvale ladies Book Club by Sophie Green
Five very different women come together in the Northern Territory of the 1970s via a book club.
F/GREE

The Lucky Galah by Tracy Sorensen
It’s 1969 in a remote coastal town in Western Australia. A novel about fate, Australia and what it means to be human, narrated by a galah called Lucky.
F/SORE

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FICTION

Dark and stormy knit by Anne Canadeo

New parking meters on Main Street are discovered covered with cat faced cosies. The Knit Kats have struck again. Just harmless fun or so everyone thought till a corpse is discovered a few days later – tangled in yarn, the tangles identical to Knit Kat handiwork.

F/CANA

Great King by Christian Cameron

Men remember Arimnestos of Plataea as a hero from the battle of Marathon, a victory that stopped Greece from falling under the Persian yoke. Now Arimnestos has been asked to escort Leonidas to Persepolis. With war clouds gathering Arimnestos journey begins to look like a suicide mission.

F/CAME

Maze of death by Philip K. Dick

Fourteen people are sent to colonise the planet Delmark-O. It is a bizarre new world that is stranger and more dangerous than they imagined. The colonists have nothing in common and know that they cannot leave and one by one they are being killed.

F/DICK

The Saint versus Scotland Yard by Leslie Charteris

Three stories where Simon Templar a.k.a. the Saint is embroiled in further plots with facing new enemies, including the taxman and a couple of murderous diamond smugglers who don’t agree with his plan to take their loot for his retirement pension.

F/CHAR

Journey around my room by Xavier De Maistre

A young soldier finds himself confined to his room for six weeks. To fill in time he takes travels around his room using his imagination and the various objects that it contains as inspiration. It demonstrated what one can explore without setting off to exotic locations.

F/DEMA

The complete short stories: volume 1 1944-1953 by Roald Dahl

Roald Dahl writes for children and adults. Dahl first started writing about his war experiences and then he quickly turned to using his dark imagination to pen the unsettling tales ever written.

F/DAHL

Rendezvous with Rama by Arthur C. Clarke

The object that was christened Rama was first detected outside the orbit of Jupiter. Radar contact at that distance was unprecedented indicating that Rama was an exceptional size. Human kind were about to get their first visitor from the stars.

F/CLAR

Death be not proud by C.F. Dunn

A vicious attack by a psychotic colleague and the discovery that Matthew Lynes isn’t at all who he seems, sends Professor Emma D’Eresby to her hometown in England. She concludes that Matthew has a profound secret and decides to trace his family history. She makes a startling discovery.

F/DUNN

Killer heels by Rebecca Chance

Starry-eyed fashionista Coco Raeburn has worked her way up the ladder. She wants to own an editorship at the top fashion magazine. Svengali Jacob Dupleix is the owner of Style, and a powerful man, but was his glittering empire about to collapse?

F/CHAN
**SUBJECT OF THE MONTH— Crime**

**Dance of the Seagull by Andrea Camilleri**

Inspector Montalbano is about to depart on his holidays with his girlfriend Livia. Montalbano takes a quick trip to the police station to tie up some loose ends and discovers that his colleague Fazio is missing. Montalbano searches for his lost friend as time begins to run out.

F/CAMI

**Monster in the box by Ruth Rendell**

When Wexford was a young police officer, two women were strangled. No one was ever convicted, but every personal and professional instinct told Wexford that the killer was Eric Targo. Wexford knew that Targo would kill again and now Targo’s back.

F/REND

**Vengeance in death by J.D. Robb**

Eve Dallas, a homicide lieutenant in New York makes a gruesome discovery of a mutilated and dismembered body. The hunt is on to find a sadist hell bent on destruction.

F/ROBB

**Sign of four by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle**

Mary Morstan arrives at 221B Baker Street to ask Sherlock and Dr Watson for help. Her father disappeared 10 years ago. Four years later she began to receive a gift each year of a large pearl. Now she has been sent an invitation to meet her benefactor and she wants Sherlock to accompany her to meet him.

F/DOYL

**Private patient by P.D. James**

Rhoda Gradwyn booked into a private clinic in Dorset for the removal of a long standing scar. While recovering from the anaesthetic, she sees a white shrouded figure enter the room and within minutes Rhoda is dead. Dalgliesh and his team investigate.

F/JAME

**State of emergency by Marc Cameron**

A series of terrorism attacks leads Air Force OSI Jericho Quinn and his crack team of specialists on the hunt for a black-market arms dealer who masterminded the plot and has threatened the next attack will be nuclear.

F/CAME

**Port Mortuary by Patricia Cornwall**

Kay Scarpetta has to put her newly acquired skill of “virtual autopsy” into practice when a young man drops dead from an apparent heart condition. The 3D radiology scan reveals internal injuries unlike any Scarpetta has ever seen.

F/CORN

**Complete Father Brown stories by G. K. Chesterton**

Father Brown seems improbable as a super sleuth. He has a face like a Norfolk dump- ling, he is shabby and lumbering. It is his innocence that is the secret to his success. He has an approach of simple sympathy and each criminal as a man is no worse than himself.

F/CHES

**Killing Hour by Paul Cleave**

Charlie doesn’t remember what happened. His clothes are covered in blood and he has a bump on his forehead. The newspapers say that the two women he was with last night have been murdered. Charlie knows that Cyris is the killer, but the police don’t believe that Cyris exists. The killing hour approaches yet again.

F/CLEA
The Ugly Truth

Melbourne Cup

Their Finest

Fashion & Flemington

Wicked Soundtrack

Wendy in Wonderland: Rogan Josh’s amazing Melbourne Cup story by Wendy Green

Whitney Houston—The Essential

Wendy Green asked Bart Cummings to help her horse win the Melbourne Cup. What happened next?

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Alexandria by Lindsey Davis

Marcus works as a private informer, and even a holiday doesn’t give him a break from his investigations.

A/DAVI

Their Finest

The Burning Wire by Jeffery Deaver

Rhyme juggles two investigations against a cruel ticking clock.

A/DEAV

Wicked Soundtrack

The Essential Whitney Houston

Their Finest

Melbourne Cup 1930: how PharLap won Australia’s greatest race by Geoff Armstrong

Someone wants PharLap dead, but how?

GN/ARMS

The Essential Whitney Houston

Fashion & Flemington

Fashion is always a spectacle, but more so at the Melbourne Cup Carnival. Looks at fashion from the first race in the 1880s to today.

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