

Boulder Great Books Discussion Group

1st, and 3rd Wednesdays from 7:30 PM to 9:00 PM

2018 Schedule. Alfalfa's Market Community Room – 1651 Broadway

January 3, 2018 Susanna Kaysen, **Girl Interrupted** (192 pages)
^^^ Note: 615PM to 7:45PM in the Main Boulder Public Library's Arapahoe Conference Room

January 17, 2018 Milton Viorst, **In the Shadow of the Prophet**
Chapters 6 through 10 (172 pages)
^^^ Note: 615PM to 7:45PM in the Main Boulder Public Library's Flagstaff Conference Room

(3 weeks)
February 7, 2018 Souad Mekhennet, **I Was Told to Come Alone**
(340 pages)

February 21, 2018 David Hume, **Of Personal Identity**
Part VI of Book I of A Treatise of Human Nature
<http://sackett.net/HumelIdentity.pdf>
The Idea of Justice from the Syntopicon
(sackett.net/Justice.pdf) and Great Treasury of Western Thought
(sackett.net/JusticeGTWT.pdf)

March 7, 2018 Juan Gonzales, **Harvest of Empire** (2nd edition)
(parts I and II)

March 21, 2018 Juan Gonzales, **Harvest of Empire** (2nd edition)
(part III and Epilogue)

April 4, 2018 Gerda Lerner, **Why History Matters** (249 pages)

April 18, 2018 * Julia Annas, **Ancient Ethics and Modern Morality**
Marsellius Rufus, **Equality for Men and Women**

May 2, 2018 * Carol Gilligan, **Moral Orientation and Moral Development**
Virginia Held, **Caring Relations and Principles of Justice**
Claudia Card, **Particular Justice and General Care**

May 16, 2018 Paul Kingsnorth, **The Wake** (384 pages)

(3 weeks)
June 6, 2018 Adam Hochschild, [King Leopold's Ghost](http://sackett.net/KingLeopold'sGhost.pdf) (366 pages)

* Selections from James P. Sterba, **Ethics: The Big Questions** (2nd edition)

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June 20, 2018 Antonya Nelson, **In the Land of Men: Stories** (240 pages)

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July 18, 2018 Amor Towles, [A Gentleman in Moscow](#) (462 pages)

August 1, 2018 Lynsey Addario, [It's What I Do](#) (368 pages)

August 15, 2018 Mavis Gallant, selection from **Paris Stories** (182 pages)
“The Moslem Wife”, “Speck's Idea”, “The Remission”, “August”, Afterword

(3 weeks)

September 5, 2018 Betty Friedan, (384 pages)
The Feminine Mystique

September 19, 2018 Joseph Henrich, Chapters 1 to 10 (184 pages)
**The Secret of Our Success: How Culture
is Driving Our Evolution**

October 3, 2018 Joseph Henrich, **The Secret of Our Success**
Chapters 10 to 17 (150 pages)

October 17, 2018 Excerpts from Katherine Silver,
Chile: A Traveler's Literary Companion
<http://sackett.net/SilverChile.pdf>

(3 weeks)

November 7, 2018 Isabel Allende, **In the Midst of Winter** (342 pages)

No meeting the 3rd Wednesday of November (the day before Thanksgiving)

(4 weeks)

December 5, 2018 Andre Malraux, **Man's Fate** (356 pages)

December 19, 2018 Nicholas Wade, **The Faith Instinct: How Religion
Evolved and Why It Endures** (320 pages)

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