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Book	Book Summary	Reason
<u>The Griving Tree</u> by Shel Silverstein		
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<u>Twilight</u> by Stephanie Meyer		

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<u>Of Mice and Men</u> by John Steinbeck		
<u>Beloved</u> by Toni Morrison		
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<u>The Hunger Games</u> trilogy by Suzanne Collins		

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<u>The Call of the Wild</u> by Jack London		
<u>Satanic Verses</u> by Salman Rushdie		
<u>I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings</u> by Maya Angelou		
<u>And Tango Makes Three</u> by Peter Farnell and Justin Richardson		

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<u>Animal Farm</u> by George Orwell		
<u>The Lord of the Rings</u> by J.R.R. Tolkien		
<u>To Kill A Mocking Bird</u> by Harper Lee		
<u>The Lorax</u> by Dr. Seuss		

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<u>The Catcher in the Rye</u> by J.D. Salinger		
<u>Their Eyes Were Watching God</u> by Zora N. Hurston		
<u>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory</u> by Roald Dahl		
<u>Harry Potter Series</u> by J.K. Rowling		