

Body of Work

The Aesop Queer Library 2026
Reading Room Book List

Aesop Abbot Kinney

Lisa Ko



Memory Piece

Nathan Newman



How To Leave The House

Nussaibah Younis



Fundamentally

Aesop Capitol Hill

Jennifer Finney Boylan



She's Not There

Jennifer E. Smith



Fun for the Whole Family

Gengoroh Tagame



Our Colors

Aesop Design District

Rose Dammu



Best Woman

Edgar Gomez



Alligator Tears

Santiago Jose Sanchez



Hombrecito

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Aesop Domain NORTHSIDE

Elvin James Mensah



Small Joys

Maurice Vellekoop



I'm So Glad We Had This Time Together

Mia S. Willis



the space between men

Aesop Fillmore Street

Camonghne Felix



Let the Poets Govern

Pedro Lemebel



A Last Supper of Queer Apostles

Ocean Vuong



On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous

Ocean Vuong



Time is a Mother

Raquel Willis



The Risk It Takes to Bloom

Aesop Georgetown

Sarah Adler



Mrs. Nash's Ashes

Kallie Emblidge



Two Left Feet

Adam J. Kurtz



You Are Here (For Now)

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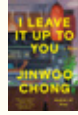
Aesop Hoboken

Christopher Castellani



Last Seen

Jinwoo Chong



I Leave It Up to You

Vanessa Angélica Villarreal



Magical/Realism

Aesop Lincoln Park

Samantha Irby



Quietly Hostile

Brandon Taylor



The Late Americans

Brandon Taylor



Real Life

Aesop Montrose

James Baldwin



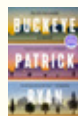
Giovanni's Room

Jedidiah Jenkins



Mother, Nature

Patrick Ryan



Buckeye: A Read with Jenna Pick

Jackie Thomas-Kennedy



The Other Wife

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Aesop NorthPark

Seán Hewitt and Luke Edward Hall



300,000 Kisses

Seán Hewitt



All Down Darkness Wide

Khashayar J. Khabushani



I Will Greet the Sun Again

Aesop NW 23rd Avenue

Akwaeke Emezi



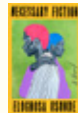
Little Rot

Jeffrey Marsh



Take Your Own Advice

Eloghosa Osunde



Necessary Fiction

Aesop Park Slope

Aria Aber



Good Girl

Prabal Gurung



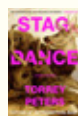
Walk Like a Girl

Torrey Peters



Detransition, Baby

Torrey Peters



Stag Dance

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Aesop Silver Lake

Jennifer Finney Boylan and Jodi Picoult



Mad Honey: A GMA Book Club Pick

Carlyn Greenwald



Director's Cut

Lamya H



Hijab Butch Blues

Aesop Walnut Street

Kristen Arnett



Stop Me If You've Heard This One

Kristen Arnett



With Teeth

Jeff Chu



Good Soil

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'I am always conscious of this secret disruption in me.' Katherine Mansfield