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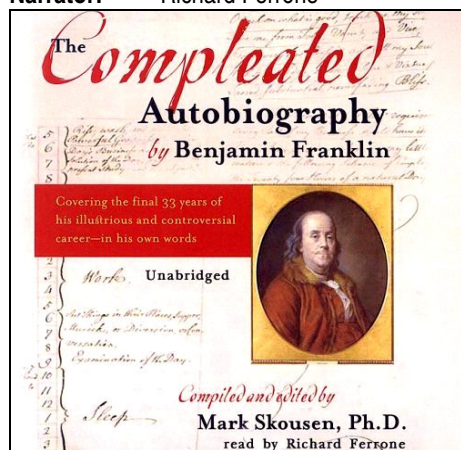
## Soundbooks Catalogue Audiobook New Releases No. 12006

### BIOGRAPHY

**Author:** Skousen, Mark (edited)  
**The Completed Autobiography By Benjamin Franklin**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 11CD UA  
**Price:** \$179.95  
**Narrator:** Richard Ferrone

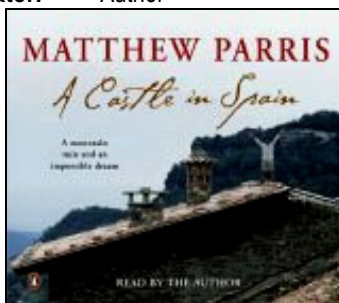
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**No. cass/CDs:** MP3-CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Richard Ferrone



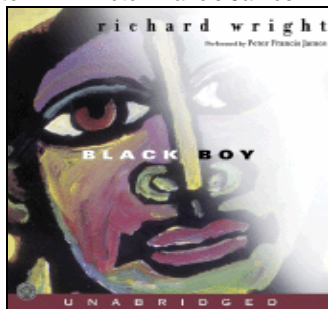
Benjamin Franklin's Autobiography is one of the greatest autobiographies of all time – but it was incomplete. Franklin ended his life's story in 1757, but he lived another thirty-three years, during which he was America's advocate in London, represented Pennsylvania in the Continental Congress, and was America's wartime ambassador to France. Franklin was a polymath, a practical statesman, and a cynic and wit beyond parallel. Compiled and edited from Franklin's papers, this is the closest we will get to Franklin finishing his autobiography. Mark Skousen is a descendant of Benjamin Franklin through Franklin's grandson Louis Bache.

**Author:** Parris, Matthew  
**A Castle In Spain**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Author



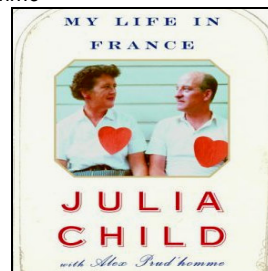
Walking in the Pyrenees 20 years ago, Matthew Parris saw a magnificent mediaeval house. It had crests and a date 1559 chiselled into the stone. Renovation would be an epic undertaking a massive investment of time, money and emotion. This the story of one man's dream to turn a forgotten ruin into his very own Castle in Spain.

**Author:** Wright, Richard  
**Black Boy**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 15CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Peter Francis James



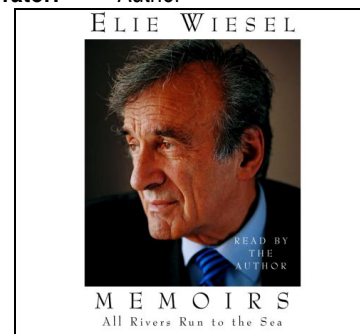
*Black Boy* is Richard Wright's devastating autobiography of his childhood and youth in the Jim Crow South. His training by his elders was strict and harsh to prepare him for the "white world" which would be cruel. Wright tells of his struggle to educate himself, and the realisation of his dream to become a writer.

**Author:** Child, Julia  
**My Life In France**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$52.95  
**Narrator:** Flo S. Greenberg with Alex Prud'homme



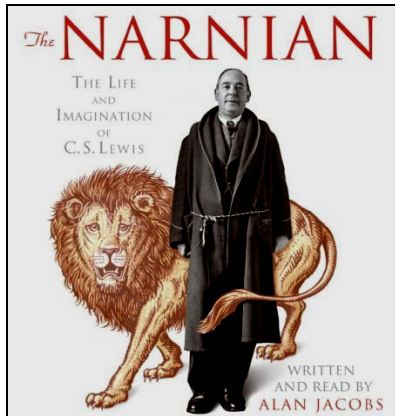
This delightful memoir of Julia's years in Paris, Marseilles, and Provence opens with Paul and Julia – a tall, wide-eyed girl from Pasadena who can't cook and doesn't speak a word of French – disembarking in Le Havre, and ultimately winning the heart of America as "The French Chef."

**Author:** Wiesel, Elie  
**Memoirs: All Rivers Run To The Sea**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$25.95  
**Narrator:** Author



A passionate, poignant and inspiring look at the years when Elie Wiesel was torn from his traditional loving Jewish family life into a Carpathian mountain village and dragged through the horrors of Auschwitz, emerging as a lost and mute adolescent who managed to triumph over all that he had suffered.

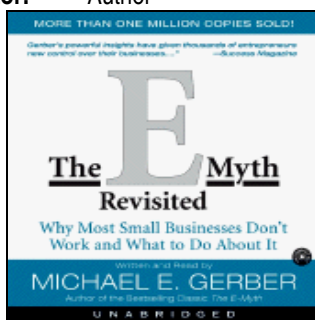
**Author:** Jacobs, Alan  
**The Narnian: The Life and Imagination Of C.S. Lewis**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Author



Biography showing the imagination of C.S. Lewis as well as his life. Lewis is regarded as one of the century's most unique minds – a top mediaeval scholar, the world's most trusted Christian teacher, and a beloved children's book author.

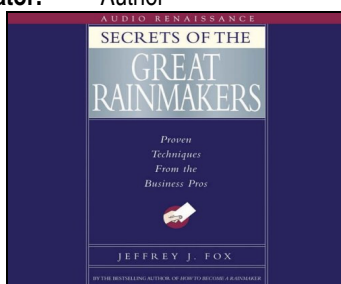
## BUSINESS

**Author:** Gerber, Michael E.  
**The E-Myth Revisited**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Author



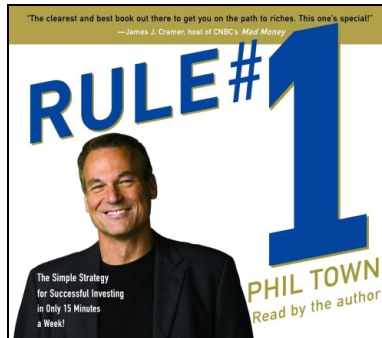
In this totally revised underground bestseller - The E-Myth - Michael Gerber dispels the myths surrounding starting your own business and shows how commonplace assumptions can get in the way of running a business. You truly CAN grow your business in a predictable and productive way.

**Author:** Fox, Jeffrey J.  
**Secrets Of The Great Rainmakers**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Author



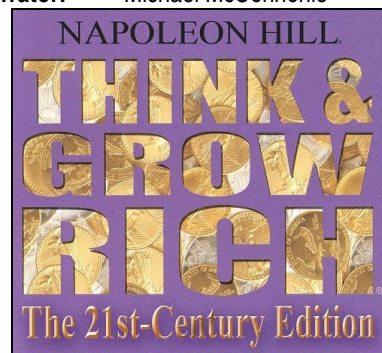
Learn how to outsmart the competition and set yourself apart from the pack. In over 50 interviews with industry leaders from a wide variety of fields, bestselling author Jeffrey J. Fox shares proven techniques and hard-won wisdom that help great rainmakers get ahead.

**Author:** Town, Phil  
**Rule #1: The Simple Strategy For Successful Investing**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD **Price:** \$52.95  
**Narrator:** Author



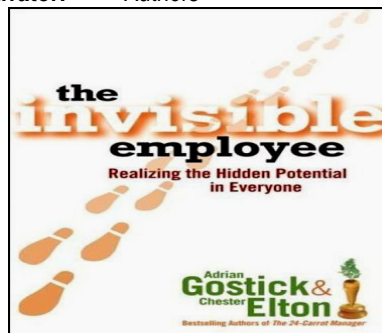
Phil Town was living on a salary of \$4000 a year when some well-timed advice launched him into an investing self-education that revealed what the true "rules" are and how to make them work in one's favour. Become equipped with the tools you need to make quantum leaps toward financial security.

**Author:** Hill, Napoleon  
**Think And Grow Rich: The 21<sup>st</sup>-Century Edition**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Michael McConnohie



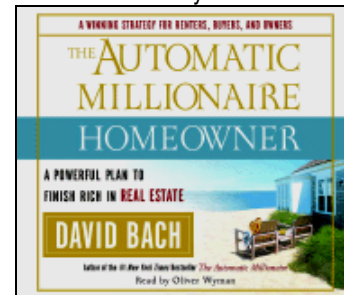
From world-renowned motivational author Napoleon Hill comes the definitive unabridged version of his classic work that has inspired millions. Anything your mind can conceive and believe you can achieve.

**Author:** Gostick, A. / Elton, C.  
**The Invisible Employee: Realizing The Hidden Potential In Everyone**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Authors



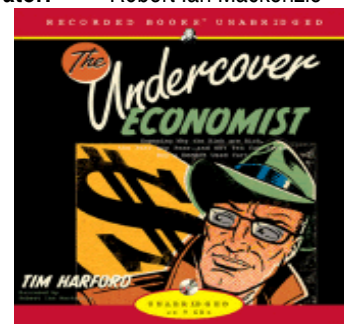
Most employees feel invisible to their leaders – and many times prefer to stay hidden in the corporate shadow lands. Part fable, part business advice, this work teaches managers how to actively engage employees, and find the way to bring out the best in them.

**Author:** Bach, David  
**The Automatic Millionaire Homeowner**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Oliver Wyman



How does an ordinary person with an ordinary income reach their seven-figure dreams? First they must own their own home - and do it David Bach's way. The financial coach who has helped millions to finish rich is back with a simple, powerful solution to get rich in real estate.

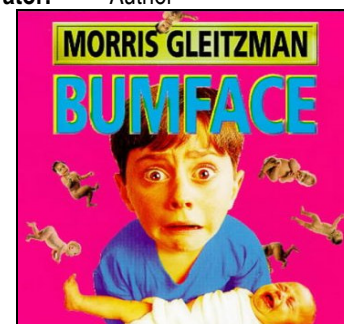
**Author:** Harford, Tim  
**The Undercover Economist**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Robert Ian Mackenzie



Part field guide to economics and part expose of the economic principles lurking behind daily events, explaining everything from traffic jams to high coffee prices. This audiobook is for anyone who's wondered why the gap between rich and poor nations is so great, or why they can't seem to find a decent second-hand car, or how to outwit Starbucks.

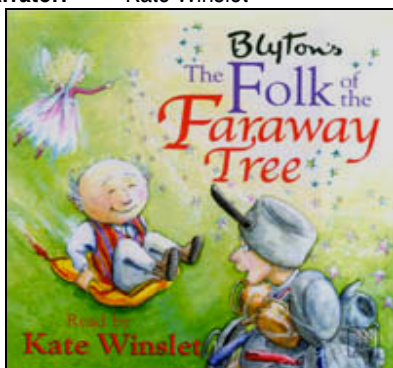
## CHILDREN

**Author:** Gleitzman, Morris  
**Bumface**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$55.00  
**Narrator:** Author



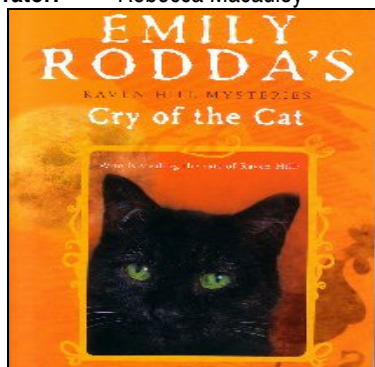
Angus adores his two younger siblings and helps his much-married, actress mother to take care of them. But he's tired of his "Mr Dependable" tag and starts to resent his mum's perpetual flirtations with unsuitable men that leave him literally holding the baby while husbands one, two and three get on with their own lives. Something has to be done!

**Author:** Blyton, Enid  
**The Folk Of The Faraway Tree**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Kate Winslet



Cousin Connie, who's rather stuck-up, does not believe Joe, Beth and Frannie when they tell tales of the Faraway Tree in the woods, until they take her there and show her their magical friends and the wonderful lands that appear in the Tree. Not even Connie can remain horrid once she becomes friends with the inhabitants of the Faraway Tree! Charminglly narrated by Kate Winslet.

**Author:** Rodda, Emily  
**Raven Hill Mysteries: Cry Of The Cat**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Rebecca Macauley



Something is happening to the cats of Raven Hill. All over town cats are going missing. And of course, the Teen Power gang are caught up in the mystery. What starts as a simple after-school job at Purrfection, the local cat store, turns into a creepy mystery that threatens even the fate of their own pets...

**Author:** Various composers  
**Jack-In-The-Box**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$21.95



A Collection Of Amusing And Entertaining Works By Classical Entertainers (Satie - La Picadilly; Anderson - The Typewriters; Sousa - Circus Galp - Confrey - Kitten on the Keys; Shostakovich - Tahiti Trot; Mozart - Rondo alla Turca; etc.)

**Author:** Various  
**Once Upon A Time**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$21.95



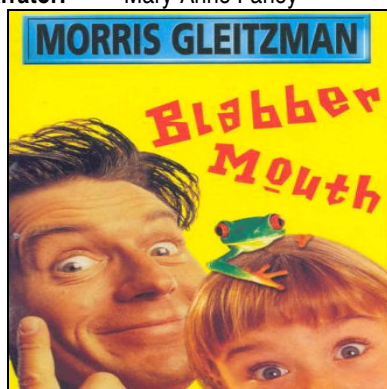
A World of Enchantment and Magic (Musical fairytales by Ravel, Rimsky-Korsakov, Dvorak, Tchaikovsky, Nielsen, Grieg, Halvorsen and MaDowell etc)

**Author:** Rodda, Emily  
**Raven Hill Mysteries: Beware the Gingerbread House**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Rebecca Macauley



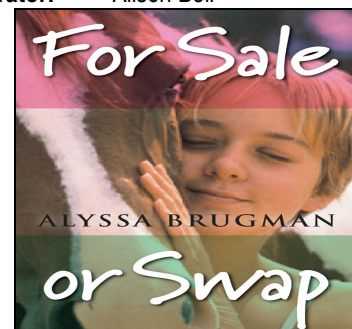
The cake shop in the local mall, the Gingerbread House, gives Sunny the creeps. The rest of the Teen Power gang don't agree. It's good money, easy work and there are delicious things to eat - free! It seems like a fairytale come true. But fairytales can often be scary as well...

**Author:** Gleitzman, Morris  
**Blabber Mouth**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$22.95  
**Narrator:** Mary-Anne Fahey



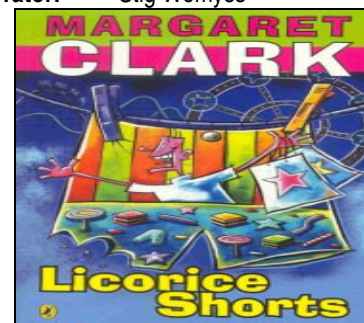
Hiding in cupboards is one way of dealing with your problems. Especially when you've just stuffed a frog into Darryn Peck's mouth. But Rowena Batts has a bigger problem. Her dad. How can she tell him that his shirts, and his singing voice, are wrecking her life? This is the hilarious first book about Rowena Batts - an extraordinarily articulate girl who doesn't let a fact like not being able to speak stand in her way.

**Author:** Brugman, Alyssa  
**For Sale Or Swap**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$34.95  
**Narrator:** Alison Bell



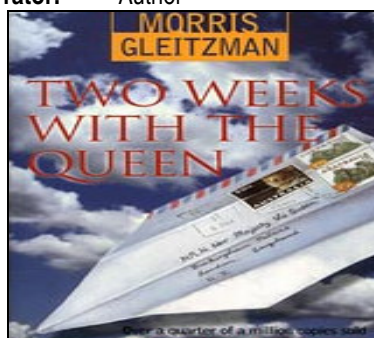
Shelby is convinced her reliable but ugly pony, Blue, is holding her back at Pony Club. But how can Shelby buy a new horse when her parents can't even afford to pay her Pony Club fees? When she sees an ad for an eye-catching brown pony for sale or swap, Shelby thinks she's found the answer to her problems.

**Author:** Clark, Margaret  
**Licorice Shorts**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$19.95  
**Narrator:** Stig Wemyss



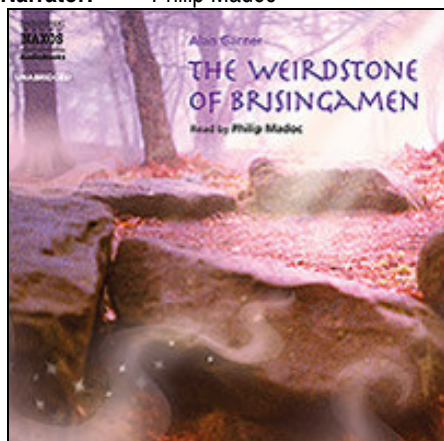
Filo's got girl problems! But at least they won't track him down at the Show, where he's working on his uncle's show-bag stall. Or will they? And talking about disappearing, what's happened to his Uncle Mike?

**Author:** Gleitzman, Morris  
**Two Weeks With The Queen**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Author



In his head, Colin started composing a letter. 'Dear Your Majesty The Queen, I would be very grateful if you could send some tips on how to grab people's attention and make them listen to you, understand what you want for Christmas etc. Also some tips on how to stop younger brothers getting everything. I understand that chopping their heads off has been used a bit in your family. This is frowned on in Australia so something legal please...'

**Author:** Garner, Alan  
**The Weirdstone Of Brisingamen**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Philip Madoc

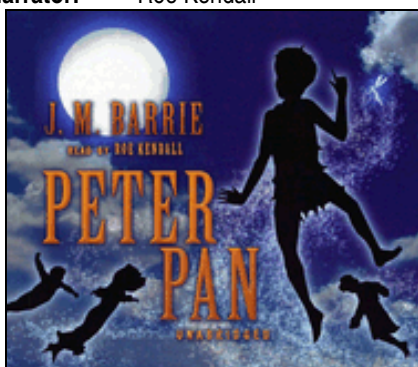


*'The heart of the magic was sealed with Firefrost, the Weirdstone of Brisingamen ... should Nastrond destroy the stone, then the magic will die away.'*

When Colin and Susan are pursued by eerie creatures across Alderley Edge, the Wizard – Cadellin Silverbrow – takes them to safety deep in the caves of Fundindelve. Here he watches over the enchanted sleep of one hundred and forty knights, awaiting the fated hour when they must rise and fight. But the Weirdstone of Brisingamen is lost and the forces of evil are closing in... First published in 1960, four decades before Harry Potter, Alan Garner's novel of magic and wizards has become a modern classic of children's literature.

The magnificent reading by Philip Madoc shows just why audiobooks have such magic in the hands of a superb narrator.

**Author:** Barrie, J. M.  
**Peter Pan**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Roe Kendall



"Roe Kendall's reading is filled with magic and fairy dust; her voice is soothing and silken as she relates with precision the adventures of Peter..."

This delightful story became an instant classic upon its publication. Peter, the boy who never grows up, draws Wendy and her brothers into the enchanting distant land – Never-Never-Land. Beset by pirates (like the terrible Captain Hook), a mischievous and jealous fairy called Tinkerbell, alligators and a feast of exciting dangers, it's an adventure the children will never forget.

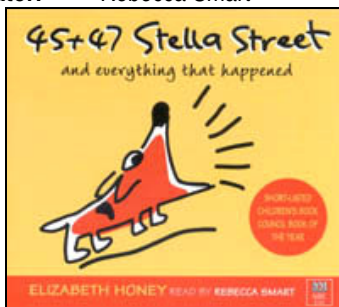
**Author:** Jennings, Paul  
**Unseen!**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Stig Wemyss



*This is unbelievable. This is unreal. What is going on here? First I get a toilet seat stuck around my face and now this little parrot is following me around.*

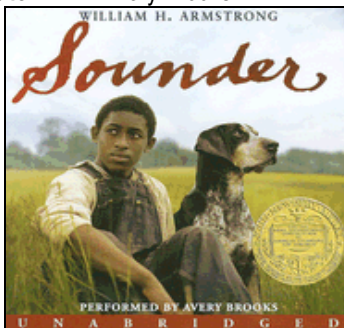
Unseen events like the dead coming back to life and escaping a man-eating ghost growing spare fingers... it could only be Paul Jennings!

**Author:** Honey, Elizabeth  
**45 + 47 Stella Street And Everything That Happened**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$34.95  
**Narrator:** Rebecca Smart



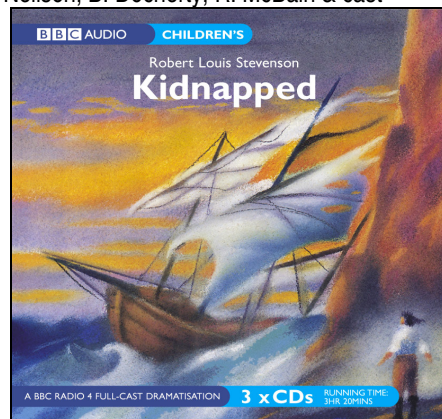
The young people of Stella Street rightly suspect that their nasty, secretive new neighbours are up to no good. There are handwritten letters to God and the complaint notices from solicitors and government agencies that begin to arrive in volume at the nasty neighbours' house. Of course the kids investigate...!

**Author:** Armstrong, William H.  
**Sounder**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Avery Brooks



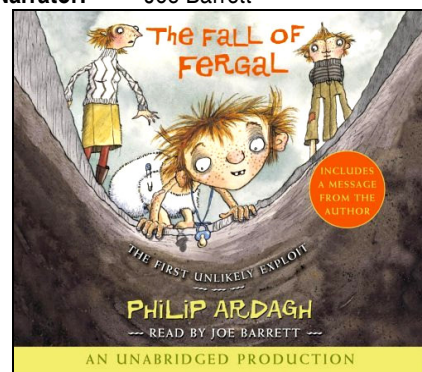
Winner of the 1970 Newbery Medal, *Sounder* traces the keen sorrow and the abiding faith of a poor African-American boy in the 19th-century South when his father is caught stealing a ham to feed his starving family. His dog, Sounder, is wounded in the incident and waits faithfully for his master to come home.

**Author:** Stevenson, Robert Louis  
**Kidnapped**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$34.95  
**Performers:** David Rintoul, Paul Young, Rikki Fulton, Jonathan Battersby, John Shedden, M. Gray, B. Riddoch, S. Bishop, S. Neilson, B. Docherty, R. McBain & cast



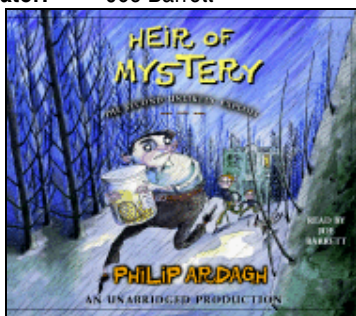
This great classic is a must for all listeners, both young and old. Recently orphaned David Balfour meets his uncle Ebenezer for the first time, and gradually realises that the old miser is trying to kill him. What secret lies behind the old man's sinister plots? And when David is kidnapped, his kidnappers intending to ship him off into slavery, can David escape, reclaim his inheritance with the help of a new friend, and stop the sinister machinations of his uncle? With a brilliant cast, this BBC dramatisation is superbly realised and thrillingly presented.

**Author:** Ardagh, Philip  
**The Fall of Fergal (#1)**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Joe Barrett



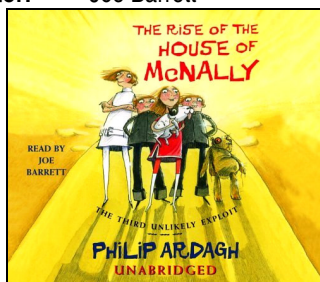
Young Le Fay McNally has reached the Tap 'n' Type Young Typist of the Year Grand Finals, and she hopes to smuggle her older sister, twin brothers, and one younger brother into the luxurious Dell hotel to watch her compete. The poor, put-upon, ill-fed McNally kids reel at the poshness of the Dell, and comedy ensues as Le Fay first sneaks her siblings into the hotel, then begins meeting her competitors. Between his knowing asides, Ardagh squeezes in a few other hilarious characters--including chief hotel detective Capt. Twinkle-Toes Tweedy (Retd.) and voluminously mustachioed ventriloquist and beat poet Hieronymus Peach – before the white-knuckle Tap 'n' Type finals and the book's climactic ending.

**Author:** Ardagh, Philip  
**Heir of Mystery (#2)**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Joe Barrett



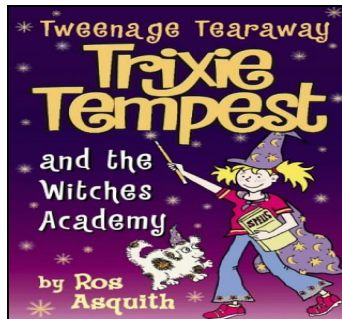
In the 2nd *Unlikely Exploit*, Fergal McNally's brain – last seen in a pickling jar in the basement of the Sacred Heart Hospital – is stolen, and the remaining McNally children are mysteriously drawn to Fishbone Forest and the forgotten crumbling mansion which lies at its heart. Here they meet the terrifying teddy-bear-clutching Mr Maggs who is planning to make sweeping changes to the world...

**Author:** Ardagh, Philip  
**The Rise of the House of McNally (#3)**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Joe Barrett



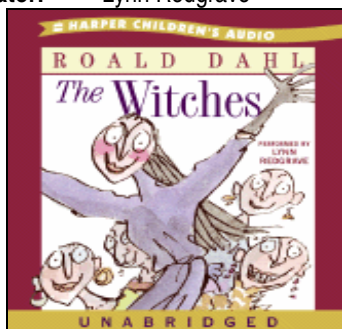
The 3rd and final part of *Unlikely Exploits*. The McNally family is down-trodden no more. In fact, they're stinking rich. Discover the McNally children's hidden powers, find out the reasons behind the outbreak of holes riddling the country, and discover why the late lamented Mr Maggs had a walking teddy bear and just what its plans are!

**Author:** Asquith, Ros  
**Trixie Tempest And The Witches' Academy**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Kate Sachs



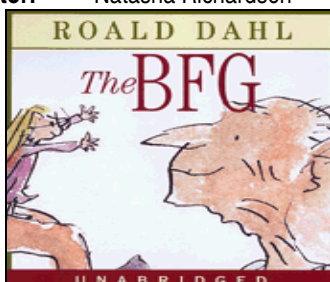
Trixie Tempest explores the witchy side of her family as she goes off for a half-term course in witchcraft at Conundrums Academy. It's not Hogwarts, but Trixie makes the best of it and magics up an ancient spell, learned from Grandma Tempest, to find out the truth behind the missing silver cup that Dad won yonks ago when he was at the same school.

**Author:** Dahl, Roald  
**The Witches**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Lynn Redgrave



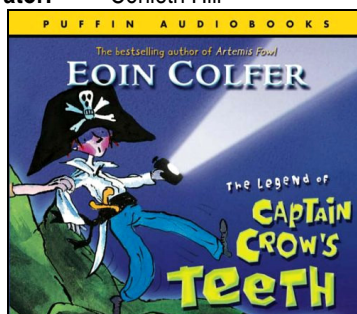
Grandmamma loves to tell about real witches, the most dangerous of all living creatures on earth. There's nothing they hate so much as children, and they work all kinds of terrifying spells to get rid of them. Her grandson listens closely to Grandmamma's stories – but nothing can prepare him for the day he comes face to face with The Grand High Witch herself! Splendidly read by Lynn Redgrave.

**Author:** Dahl, Roald  
**The BFG**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Natasha Richardson



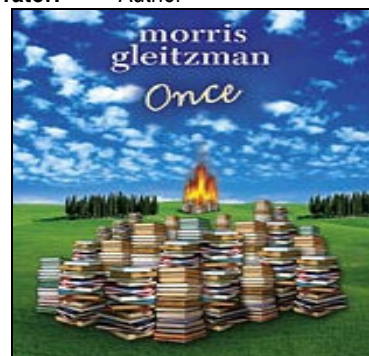
"Well, first of all," said the BFG, "human beans is not really believing in giants, is they? Human beans is not thinking we exist." Sophie discovers that there are giants indeed, many of them liking to guzzle and swallowp nice little chiddlers. But not the Big Friendly Giant. He and Sophie cook up an ingenious plot to free the world of troggle-humping – forever.

**Author:** Colfer, Eoin  
**The Legend Of Captain Crow's Teeth**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Conleth Hill



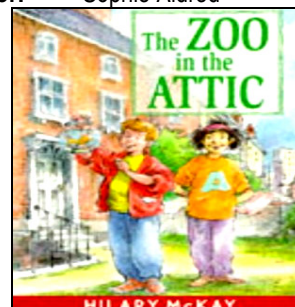
Will and his brothers are holidaying on the Irish coast when Will's older brother, Marty, tells the bloodcurdling tale of the cutthroat pirate, Captain Crow. Will is scared – as things start going wrong, is Captain Crow out to get him, as Marty says? But perhaps Will will have the last laugh...

**Author:** Gleitzman, Morris  
**Once**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Author



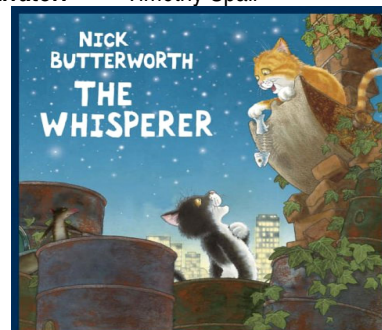
Felix is taken from his Polish orphanage by Nazi soldiers. He decides to escape, to find his parents, and along the way makes friends with a number of Jewish children in hiding. *Once* is poignant, touching, funny, and vintage Gleitzman.

**Author:** McKay, Hilary  
**The Zoo In The Attic / The Treasure In The Garden**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Sophie Aldred



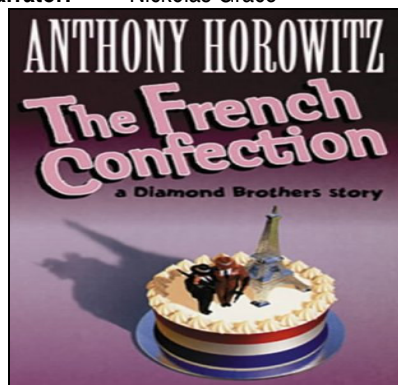
Danny, Anna and Nathan live in the flats of Paradise House, but they are far from angelic and get up to all sorts of mischief. Danny and Anna try to set up a zoo in the attic and nearly blow off the roof. Beautifully narrated by Sophie Aldred.

**Author:** Butterworth, Nick  
**The Whisperer**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD UA **Price:** \$19.95  
**Narrator:** Timothy Spall



Two gangs of cats live in a scrap yard on the edge of the city. When they're not eating or sleeping, they're fighting, and that's just how The Whisperer likes it. He's a rat, and if he can keep the cats going after each other, they'll leave him and his kind alone. But just maybe, things in the scrap yard are about to change for the better. Or as The Whisperer sees it... for the worse!

**Author:** Horowitz, Anthony  
**The French Confection**  
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**Narrator:** Nickolas Grace



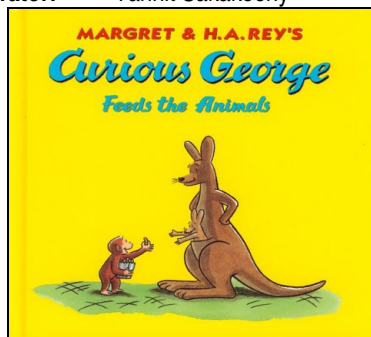
"Tim," I asked. "What's the French for murder?"  
 Tim shrugged. "Why do you want to know?"  
 "I don't know." I stepped onto the escalator and let it carry me down.  
 When the hard-up Diamond brothers, Tim and Nick, win a weekend for two in Paris, it looks as if their luck is taking a turn for the better. But looks can be deceptive...

**Author:** Rey, H.A.  
**Curious George**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD UA **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Don Wescott



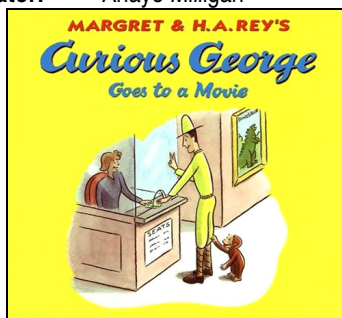
In this, the original book about the curious monkey, George is taken from the jungle by the man in the yellow hat.

**Author:** Rey, H.A.  
**Curious George Feeds the Animals**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD UA **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Tahniit Sakakeeny



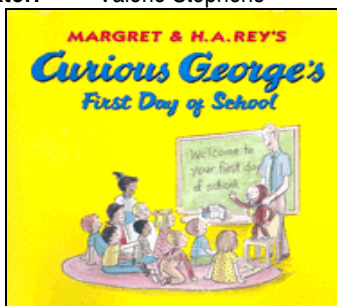
When a cuddly koala takes an interest in George's snack at the zoo, George is happy to share. In fact, George is happy to share with ALL the animals! Following a trail of peanuts, the zookeepers soon catch up with George and discover this little monkey is good for more than just mischief.

**Author:** Rey, H.A.  
**Curious George Goes to a Movie**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD UA **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Anaye Milligan



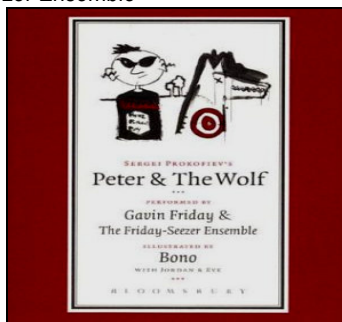
The movie that George and the man with the yellow hat have been waiting to see is now playing! Once inside the darkened theatre, George is curious about the light coming from the back of the room. As usual, George's curiosity gets him into trouble but his clever tricks save the day.

**Author:** Rey, H.A.  
**Curious George's First Day of School**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD UA **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Valerie Stephens



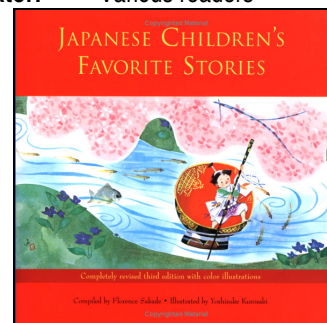
It's the first day of school and George has been invited to Mr. Apple's class to be a special helper. George is just the right monkey for the job – that is, until he starts to make his usual mischief. When George gets near the red, yellow and blue paint, things are bound to get messy!

**Author:** Prokofiev, Sergei  
**Peter And The Wolf**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD **Price:** \$32.95  
**Narrator:** Gavin Friday & the Friday-Sneezer Ensemble



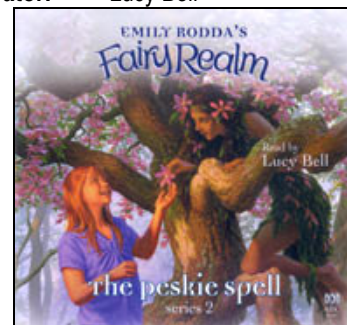
Classic musical fantasy about a disobedient boy who leaves the safety of the garden for the unknown world of the meadow, cleverly conquering the danger he encounters. Performed by Gavin Friday and the Friday-Sneezer Ensemble. The unique illustrations by Bono add a wonderfully offbeat quality to this read-along set complete with book and CD.

**Author:** Sakade, Florence (compiled)  
**Japanese Children's Favourite Stories**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Various readers



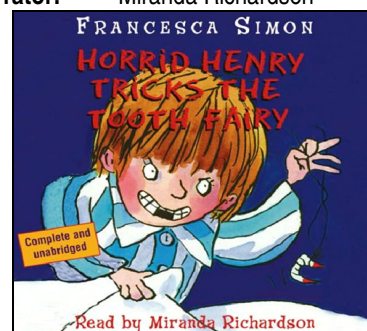
Listeners young and old will discover the joy of Japanese folklore with this delightful collection of children's stories that have been handed down for generations. Book and CD set.

**Author:** Rodda, Emily  
**Fairy Realm: The Peskie Spell**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Lucy Bell



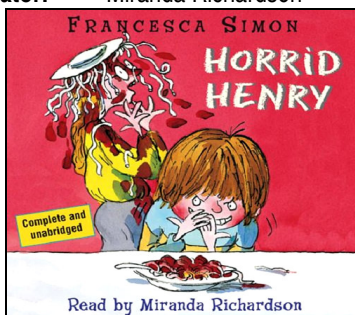
Enter the Realm - a magical world full of elves, fairies, gnomes, miniature horses, storytelling furry bears, fearsome griffins and unicorns. Something awful is happening in the Realm: a plague of small, flying creatures with mischievous pointed faces, called Peskies, are eating away all the magic. The only way to save the Realm is to compose a special brew made from the petals of a sky-mirror flower.

**Author:** Simon, Francesca  
**Horrid Henry Tricks The Tooth Fairy**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$19.95  
**Narrator:** Miranda Richardson



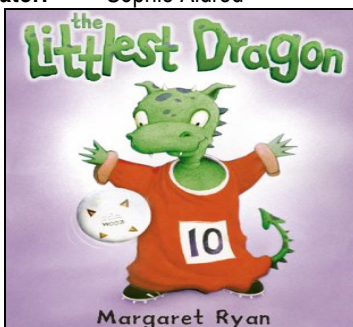
Four hilarious unabridged stories with really horrid music and sound effects. Horrid Henry tries to fool the Tooth Fairy into giving him some money despite the fact that his teeth appear to be "superglued to his gums". He creates havoc as a pageboy at a wedding. He gets rid of Moody Margaret, an unwanted guest. He "breaks in" the new teacher.

**Author:** Simon, Francesca  
**Horrid Henry**  
**No. cass/CDs:** Bk/1CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**ALSO AS:**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$17.95  
**Narrator:** Miranda Richardson



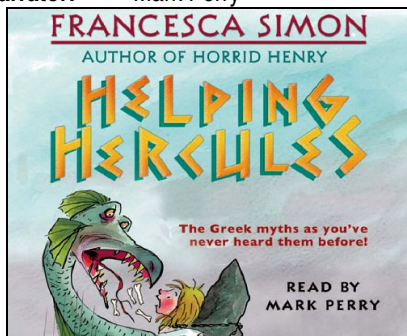
Enjoy the roguish plans of the boy everyone loves to hate – Horrid Henry. Stories include: *Horrid Henry's Perfect Day*; *Horrid Henry's Dance Class*; *Horrid Henry and Moody Margaret*; and *Horrid Henry's Holiday*.

**Author:** Ryan, Margaret  
**The Littlest Dragon Stories**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Sophie Aldred



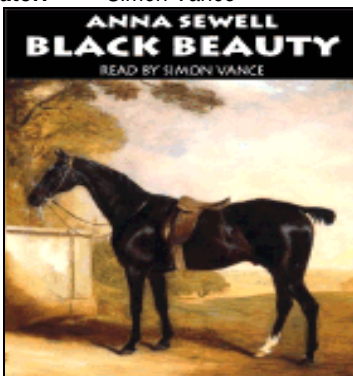
The Littlest Dragon is known as Number 10. He is the youngest in a family of ten dragon brothers and they all sleep in one big dragon bed. His ingenuity is put to the test when he has to get a good night's sleep, convince his brothers to let him play football with them, and more!

**Author:** Simon, Francesca  
**Helping Hercules**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$19.95  
**Narrator:** Mark Perry



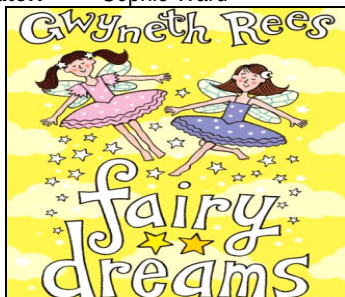
Susan is whisked back in time to ancient Greece, and finds that helping Hercules clean out the Aegean stables is much, much worse than tidying her room. One hair-raising experience follows another as she goes down to the Underworld with Orpheus, just misses being turned into stone by Medusa, and rides on the winged horse, Pegasus.

**Author:** Sewell, Anna  
**Black Beauty**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Simon Vance



After being badly injured at the hands of his aristocratic new owners, Beauty is reduced to toiling as a taxi horse in working-class Victorian London, followed by an injurious stint pulling heavy grain wagons, before finding unexpected happiness.

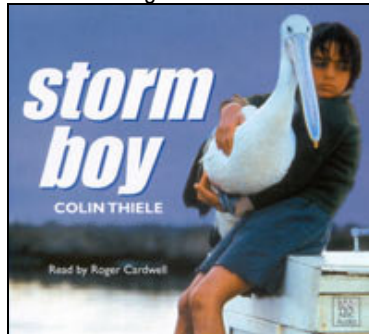
**Author:** Rees, Gwyneth  
**Fairy Dreams**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Sophie Ward



Evie gets a wonderful surprise when she goes to stay at her grandma's house. Fairies appear in the night. They are dream fairies and they live at the bottom of Evie's bed, just waiting for Evie to go with them to fairyland!

ALSO available:  
**Fairy Dust** (2CDs - \$32.95)

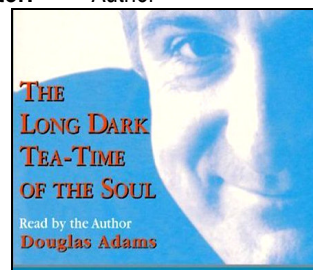
**Author:** Thiele, Colin  
**Storm Boy**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Roger Cardwell



Storm Boy and his father Hideaway Tom live in a shack in the sand hills of the rugged South Australian coast, an area known as the Coorong. Storm Boy saves the life of a baby pelican and names him Mr Percival. A strong bond develops between them as they explore the wild and wonderful coastland.

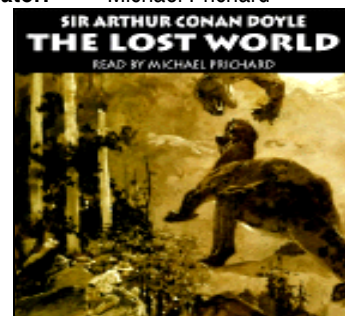
## FANTASY

**Author:** Adams, Doug  
**The Long Dark Tea-Time Of The Soul**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Author



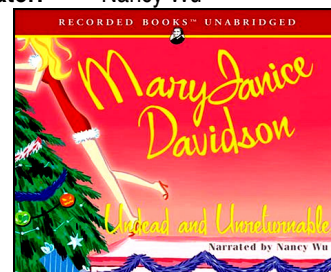
When a passenger check-in desk at London's Heathrow Airport disappears in an orange explosion, it's deemed an act of God. But which god, wonders holistic detective Dirk Gently? What god would be hanging around Heathrow trying to catch the 3:37 to Oslo? And what has this to do with Dirk's latest - and late - client, found only this morning with his head revolving atop the hit record *Hot Potato*?

**Author:** Doyle, Arthur Conan  
**The Lost World**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Michael Prichard



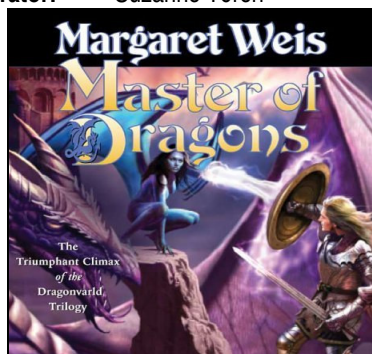
"Curupuri is the spirit of the woods, something terrible, something malevolent, something to be avoided. None can describe its shape or nature...." Professor Challenger vows to prove his words, and takes a party including a journalist, a professor and an aristocrat on the expedition. But how little they are prepared for what they find....

**Author:** Davidson, Mary Janice  
**Undead And Unreturnable**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Nancy Wu



New vampire queen, Betsy Taylor, has problems. With a half-sister who's the devil's daughter, an evil stepmother, a fiend living in her basement, assorted spirits and killers running amok, and a spring wedding to plan with the former bane of her existence, Eric Sinclair, Betsy is not sure she'll survive the holidays. Oh, right. She's already dead...

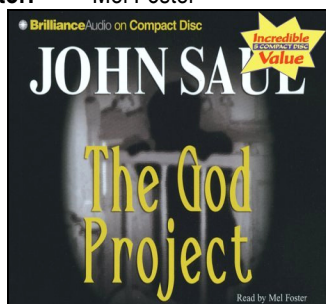
**Author:** Weis, Margaret  
**Master Of Dragons**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$99.95  
**Narrator:** Suzanne Toren



Twin brothers, the offspring of Dragon magic: one raised in court, the other in hiding. It's up to them and a special emissary of Parliament to stop the plans of two renegade dragons who, with their army of crazed demi-human/dragons, want to enslave all mankind.

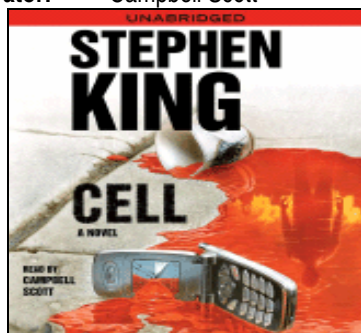
## HORROR

**Author:** Saul, John  
**The God Project**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Mel Foster



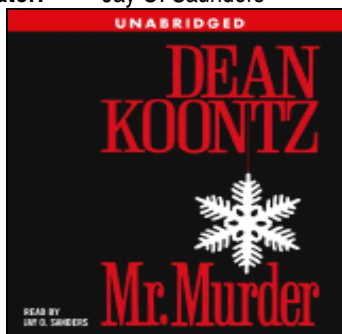
Something is happening to the children of Eastbury, Massachusetts... Something that causes healthy babies to turn cold in their cribs. Something that strikes at the heart of every parent's darkest fears. Something unexplained that is taking the children, one by one...

**Author:** King, Stephen  
**Cell**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 12CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Campbell Scott



The world will change... The Pulse is delivered to everyone's cell phone, and devastation hits the world. The few desperate survivors find themselves in the pitch-black night of civilization's darkest age, surrounded by chaos, carnage, and a human horde that has been reduced to its basest nature... and then begins to evolve.

**Author:** Koontz, Dean  
**Mr Murder**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 13CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Jay O. Saunders



"You stole my life, my wife, and my children. I want them back." When a stranger breaks into Martin Stillwater's house and makes this outrageous claim, Marty's happy marriage, family life and successful career are shattered. The psychotic madman wages a relentless campaign to eliminate Marty and recapture the family and life he believes to be his.

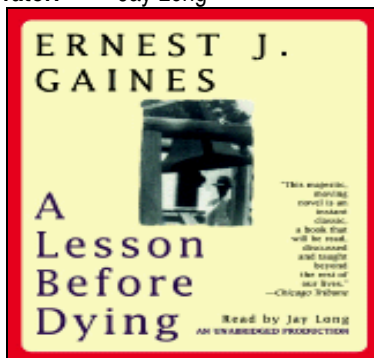
## GENERAL FICTION

**Author:** Collins, Jackie  
**Lovers And Players**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 14CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Isabel Keating



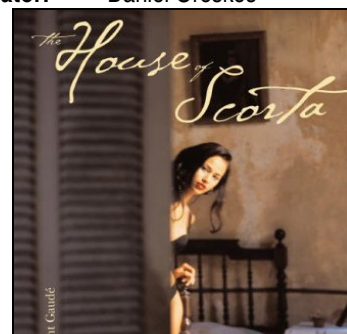
One-night stands, brothers with different objectives and lifestyles, dreams and plans, and a brutal and mysterious murder – it all comes together over a seven-day period in New York as various characters interact in the ties of power, fame, money, sex and love.

**Author:** Gaines, Ernest J.  
**A Lesson Before Dying**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Jay Long



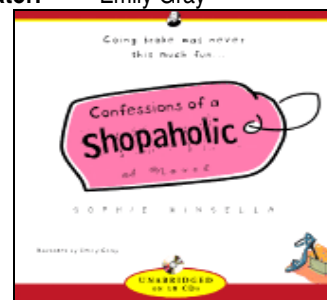
A young man who returns to 1940s Cajun country to teach visits a black youth on death row for a crime he didn't commit. Together they come to understand the heroism of resisting.

**Author:** Gaude, Laurent  
**The House of Scorta**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$54.95  
**Narrator:** Daniel Oreskes



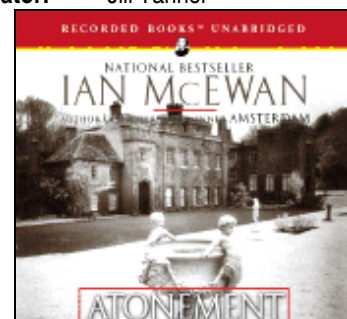
Winner of France's most prestigious literary prize, this is an epic tale of love, lies, and a family's disgrace. The Scortas have pride and a relentless faith in their own power in spite of a legacy of infamy and betrayal. In a narrative both lyrical and linear come the recollections of old Carmela as she delivers a final confession to the family priest, exposing the Scortas' most deeply buried secret.

**Author:** Kinsella, Sophie  
**Confessions of a Shopaholic**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 10CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Emily Gray



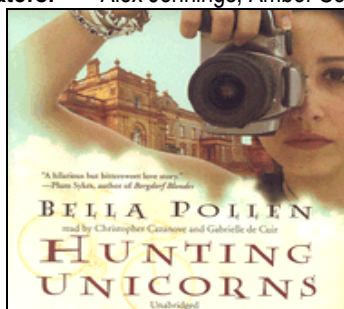
Rebecca Bloomwood has never looked better – it's just that she just can't actually afford her London flat, her closet brimming with the season's must-haves, etc. And lately Becky's been chased by dismal letters from Visa and the Endwick Bank. Becky's only consolation is to buy herself just a little something...

**Author:** McEwan, Ian  
**Atonement**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 12CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Jill Tanner



On the hottest day of the summer of 1935, 13-year-old Briony Tallis sees her sister Cecilia strip off her clothes and plunge into the fountain outside their country house. Watching her is Robbie Turner, her childhood friend who, like Cecilia, has recently come down from Cambridge. By the end of that day, their lives will have been changed forever...

**Author:** Pollen, Bella  
**Hunting Unicorns**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD **Price:** \$45.00  
**Narrators:** Alex Jennings, Amber Sealey



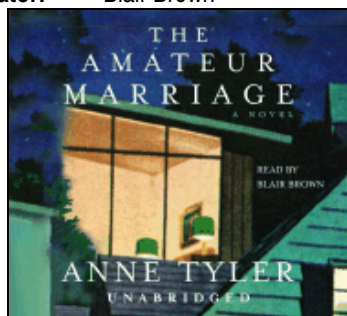
A delightful romantic comedy and razor-sharp satirical look at the decline of the British upper class. Meet the owners of the vast Bevan estate: the Earl and Countess – charming and possibly round the bend; Daniel, their alcoholic son; and Rory – the younger brother mired in the tidying up of his family's well-meaning schemes to stop the dilapidated manor from literally crashing down around them. Enter Maggie, an opinionated American journalist who's just the person to shake them all up...

**Author:** Plath, Sylvia  
**The Bell Jar**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Maggie Gyllenhaal



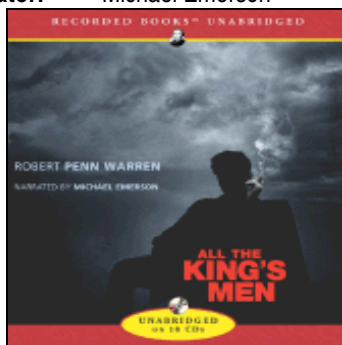
Chronicles the crack-up of Esther Greenwood: brilliant, beautiful, enormously talented, and successful, but slowly going under – maybe for the last time. The listener is drawn into Esther's breakdown with such intensity that Esther's insanity becomes completely real and even rational.

**Author:** Tyler, Anne  
**The Amateur Marriage**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Blair Brown



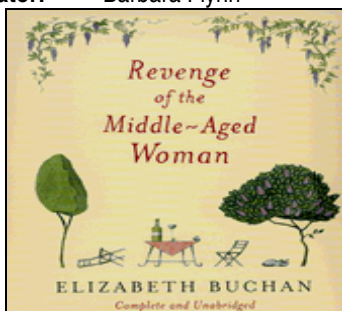
Pauline and Michael married hastily, but show themselves to be amateurs in marriage. Pauline is impulsive and impractical; Michael is plodding, cautious, judgmental. In time their quarrels take their toll. Pauline clings to the notion that the rifts can be patched. To the unyielding Michael, they become unbearable.

**Author:** Warren, Robert Penn  
**All the King's Men**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 18CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Michael Emerson



A loosely fictionalised account of Governor Huey Long of Louisiana, *All the King's Men* tells the story of Willie Stark, a southern-fried politician who builds support by appealing to the common man and playing dirty politics with the best of the backroom deal-makers. A play of politics, society and personal affairs, all wrapped in the cloak of history.

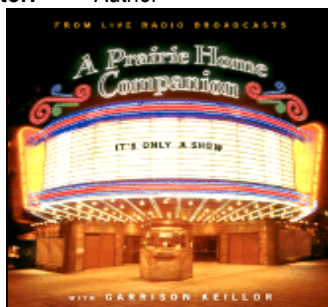
**Author:** Buchan, Elizabeth  
**Revenge Of The Middle-Aged Woman**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$45.00  
**Narrator:** Barbara Flynn



The usual mid-life crisis tale is flipped upside down. When Rose Lloyd's husband announces he's leaving her, Rose rejects the vengeful, wronged wife routine in favour of finally choosing the path she could have taken 20 years before.

## HUMOUR

**Author:** Keillor, Garrison  
**It's only a Show: (A Prairie Home Companion)**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$46.95  
**Narrator:** Author



A sparkling collection of songs, skits, commercials, and *News from Lake Wobegon* monologues spanning 31 years of live radio broadcasts. Created for long-time fans and newcomers alike, this collection features highlights from the popular radio show.

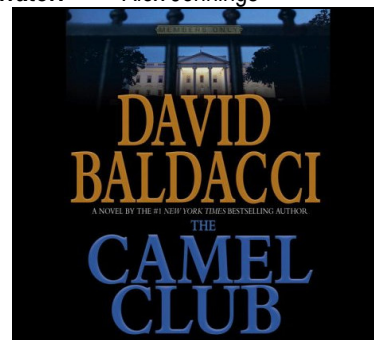
**Author:** Keillor, Garrison  
**Lake Wobegon Loyalty Days**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1 CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Author



From this 1989 live recording, in front of a hometown audience with the majestic Minnesota Orchestra, Keillor holds court, bearish baritone intermingling with French horn and strings. Includes *The Young Lutheran's Guide to the Orchestra*.

## THRILLERS, MYSTERY

**Author:** Baldacci, David  
**The Camel Club**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Alex Jennings



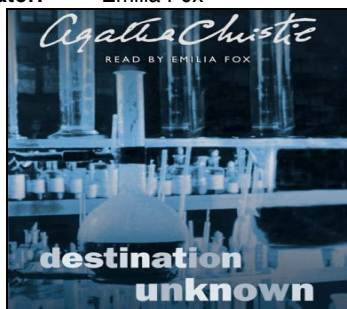
Oliver Stone is an enigmatic figure, a man with no past. His occupation appears to be permanent protestor outside the White House, member of a cabal of believers in all available conspiracy theories, who are, collectively, The Camel Club. But the group stumbles across a murder that they're not supposed to see – a murder rigged to appear as suicide.

**Author:** Christie, Agatha  
**Sparkling Cyanide**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Hugh Fraser



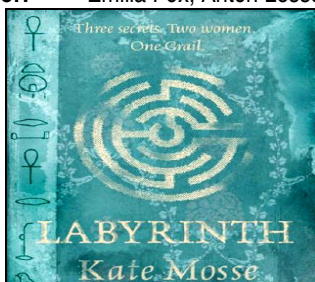
Beautiful heiress Rosemary Barton died during a birthday dinner in her honour. But did she really kill herself? In a dinner held a year later in remembrance of her, the question is asked: was Rosemary murdered, and if she was... who did it and why?

**Author:** Christie, Agatha  
**Destination Unknown**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Emilia Fox



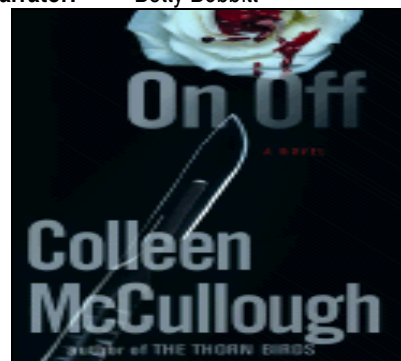
Leading scientists are disappearing without a trace – are they being kidnapped or blackmailed? One woman may have the key to the mystery, but she lies fatally injured in a hospital bed. Meanwhile, in a Casablanca hotel room, Hilary Craven prepares to take her own life. But her suicide attempt is about to be interrupted by a curious proposition...

**Author:** Mosse, Kate  
**Labyrinth**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Emilia Fox, Anton Lesser



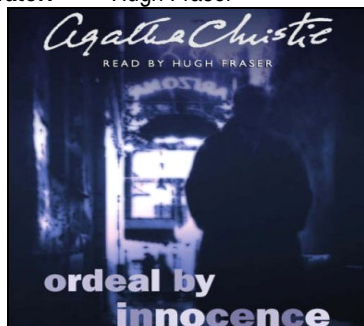
July 1209: in Carcassonne a young girl is given a mysterious book by her father which he claims contains the secret of the true Grail. July 2005: Alice Tanner stumbles upon two skeletons during an archaeological dig in the mountains outside Carcassonne. Inside the hidden tomb where the bones lie crumbling, mysterious ancient words are carved into the rock...

**Author:** McCullough, Colleen  
**On, Off**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 11CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Betty Bobbitt



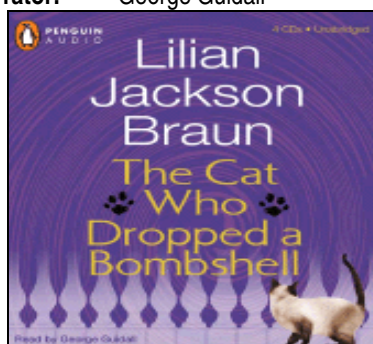
From the author of "The Thorn Birds" comes a riveting, fast-paced thriller set in a Connecticut research centre where anyone among the staff of scientists and doctors could be the bloodily twisted murderer of innocent young girls.

**Author:** Christie, Agatha  
**Ordeal By Innocence**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Hugh Fraser



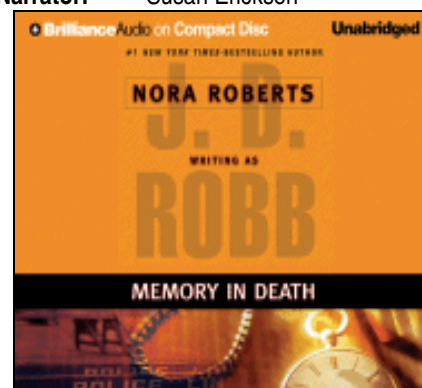
Jack Argyle had always maintained his innocence of his mother's murder, claiming he'd been hitchhiking on the night of the murder. But the witness was never found, and Jack died six months later in prison... Now Dr Arthur Calgary, the witness in question, has returned to England, too late to corroborate Jack's story. But that means one of the family is the real murderer...

**Author:** Jackson Braun, Lilian  
**The Cat Who Dropped A Bombshell**  
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**Narrator:** George Guidall



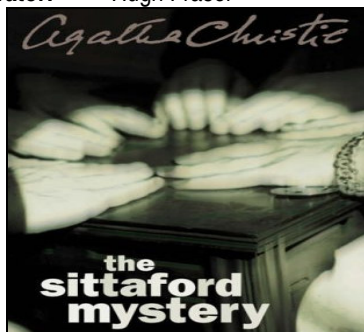
James Qwilleran and his famous felines Koko and Yum Yum are back for another mystery-solving stint in the bestselling Cat Who series. While the town of Pickax is swept up in its sesquicentennial celebrations, a hurricane brews, and members of a family fall deathly ill. Qwill has his work cut out for him.

**Author:** Robb, J.D.  
**Memory in Death**  
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**Narrator:** Susan Ericksen



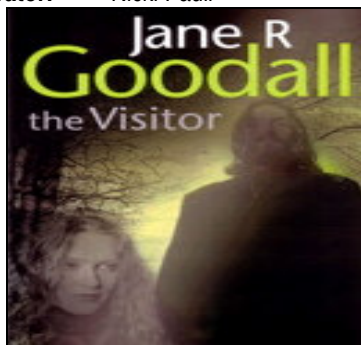
The twisted woman who had trapped her in foster care as a child sits in front of Eve Dallas, smiling and claiming she only wants to know how she's doing. But Eve's husband knows darned well that's not what she wants... and things only get worse when the woman is murdered...

**Author:** Christie, Agatha  
**The Sittaford Mystery**  
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**Narrator:** Hugh Fraser



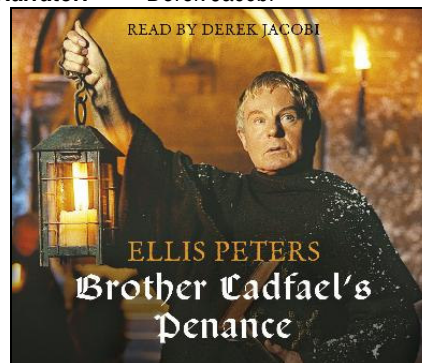
In a séance, a chilling message is received: 'Captain Trevelyan! dead! murder.' Is this black magic or simply a macabre joke? The only way to be certain is to locate Captain Trevelyan, who lives six miles away, on a road blocked by snow...

**Author:** Goodall, Jane R.  
**The Visitor**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 10CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Nicki Paull



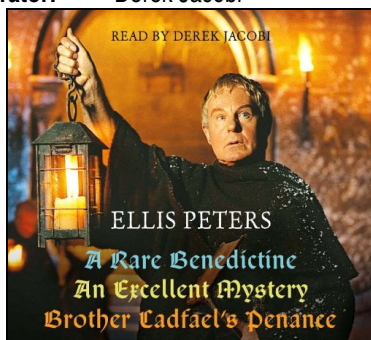
In the second Briony Williams thriller, twin boys run away from their *au pair* on a trip to the Oxford countryside. They race into some woods where they see a man chopping. At first they think he is chopping wood, but what he is holding in his hand is not an axe, and the shape on the ground is not a tree...

**Author:** Peters, Ellis  
**Brother Cadfael's Penance**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Derek Jacobi



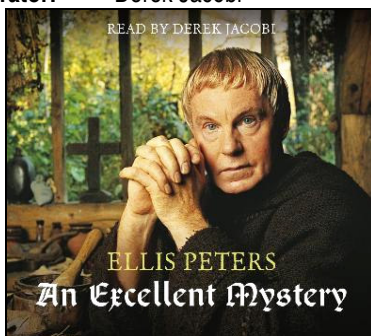
Cadfael's illegitimate son has been taken prisoner during England's dynastic war with France, and Cadfael is determined to find him. But events escalate when a commander is murdered and the shadow of political events are cast onto Cadfael's personal mission.

**Author:** Peters, Ellis  
**Ellis Peters Pack: A Rare Benedictine; An Excellent Mystery; Brother Cadfael's Penance**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD **Price:** \$54.95  
**Narrator:** Derek Jacobi



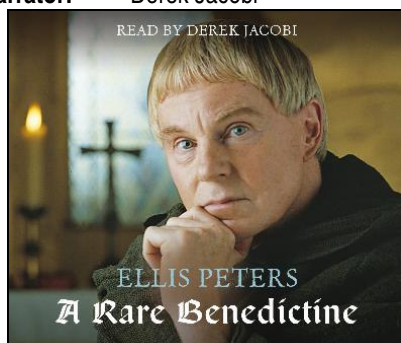
Three of Ellis Peter's best Cadfael mysteries are grouped together on audio CD for the first time, peerlessly read by the excellent Derek Jacobi who brought the character to life in the acclaimed television series.

**Author:** Peters, Ellis  
**An Excellent Mystery**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Derek Jacobi



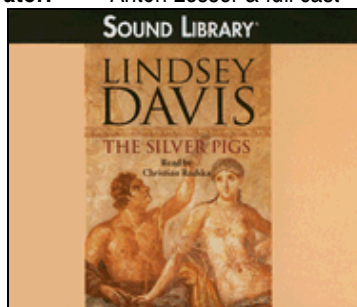
The Shrewsbury Abbey of 1141 is refuge to Brother Humilis, a terminally ill monk, and his companion and caregiver, the mute Brother Fidelis. Cadfael is once again drawn into an intriguing mystery...

**Author:** Peters, Ellis  
**A Rare Benedictine**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Derek Jacobi



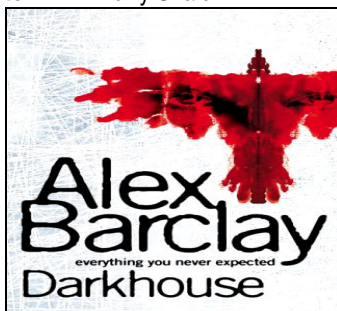
Cadfael briefly enters the employ of a lord involved in a land dispute with the Shrewsbury abbey and discovers the lord's deceitful plot for winning the lawsuit; the theft of two priceless silver candlesticks from the abbey church is investigated; and Cadfael devises a trap to catch the person who assaulted the abbey steward and stole his money.

**Author:** Davis, Lindsay  
**The Silver Pigs**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Anton Lesser & full cast



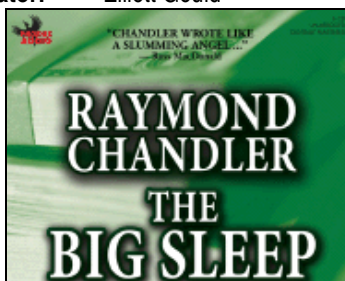
It is A.D. 70, when Roman P.I. Marcus Didius Falco runs into comely Sosia Camillina on the steps of the Forum. It seems she's being chased by a few unsavouries for a stockpile of silver pigs – silver ingots – but Falco wants more information. What he gets is a whiff of treason and a one-way ticket to his own funeral pyre...

**Author:** Barclay, Alex  
**Darkhouse**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Kerry Shale



In 1985 in a North Texas backwater, two teenage boys made a chilling pact that would unite them forever in a dark and twisted loyalty. Now one lies dead, and the man responsible is going to pay. Detective Joe Lucchesi takes leave from the NYPD and moves with his wife and son to a quiet village on the Irish coast, little knowing they're about to enter a terrifying nightmare.

**Author:** Chandler, Raymond  
**The Big Sleep**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Elliott Gould



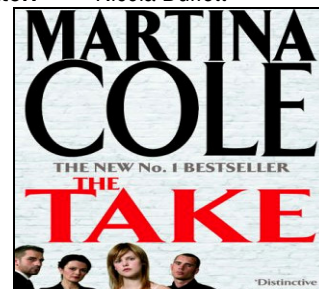
PI Philip Marlowe is working for old man Sternwood, crippled and wheelchair-bound, being given the squeeze by a blackmailer. He wants Marlowe to make the problem go away. But with Sternwood's two wild, devil-may-care daughters prowling LA's seedy backstreets, Marlowe's got his work cut out... and that's before he stumbles over the first corpse.

**Author:** Fielding, Joy  
**Mad River Road**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Judith West



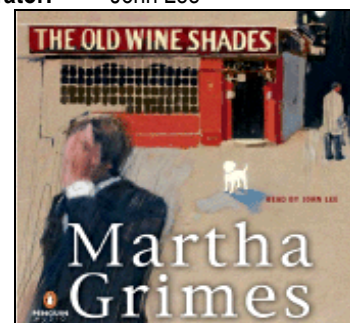
After spending a year in prison, Ralph Fisher has explicit plans for his first night of freedom. He goes to murderous lengths to obtain the address of his former wife who's now living on Mad River Road. But also heading to Mad River Road are a 28-year-old woman and the new man in her life. Trouble is on its way to hit Mad River Road...

**Author:** Cole, Martina  
**The Take**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Nicola Duffett



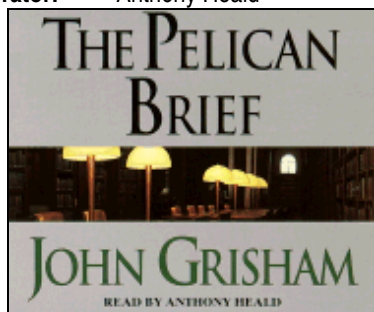
Jackie Jackson is preparing a welcome-home party for her husband Freddie. Everyone is gathered at the party, including her sister Maggie. But after six years in prison, Freddie thinks he is the Essex equivalent to the Godfather. And he's going to make sure everyone knows it.

**Author:** Grimes, Martha  
**The Old Wine Shades**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** John Lee



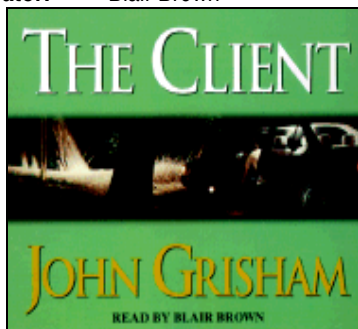
Scotland Yard detective, Richard Jury, is on suspension. With time on his hands, Jury is ensnared by the intriguing tale spun by Harry Johnson, a man who, apparently, just happens upon him in a London pub, the Old Wine Shades. Despite himself, Jury is drawn in by Johnson's account of the baffling disappearance of a mother, her autistic son and their dog - and the more baffling reappearance of the pet nine months later.

**Author:** Grisham, John  
**The Pelican Brief**  
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**Narrator:** Anthony Heald



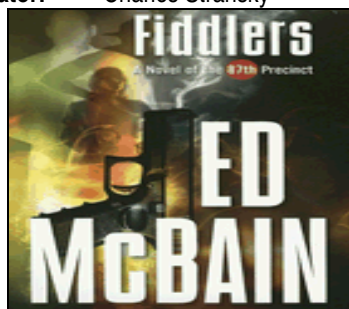
Just after the assassination of two Supreme Court justices, a young law student prepares a legal brief. To Darby Shaw it was no more than a legal shot in the dark, a brilliant guess; to the Washington establishment it was political dynamite. Forced underground, who can she trust?

**Author:** Grisham, John  
**The Client**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Blair Brown



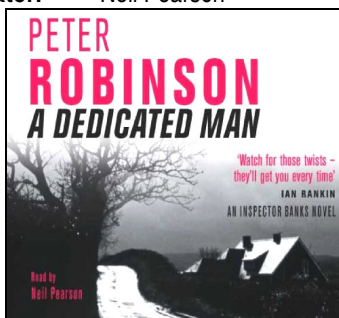
In a weedy lot on the outskirts of Memphis, two boys watch a shiny Lincoln pull up to the curb... 11-year-old Mark Sway and his brother were sharing a forbidden cigarette when a chance encounter with a suicidal lawyer left Mark knowing a bloody and explosive secret: the whereabouts of the most sought-after dead body in America. Now Mark is caught between a legal system gone mad and a mob killer desperate to cover up his crime.

**Author:** McBain, Ed  
**Fiddlers: Novel Of The 87th Precinct**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Charles Stransky



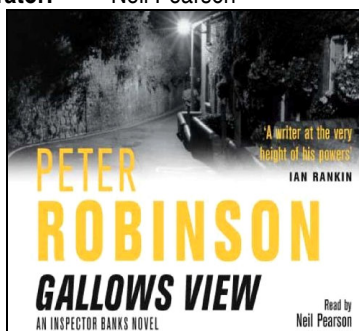
Detectives are stumped by a serial killer who doesn't fit the profile. A blind violinist taking a smoke break, a cosmetics sales rep cooking an omelette, a college professor trudging home from class, a priest contemplating retirement in the rectory garden, an old woman out walking her dog – what's the connection?

**Author:** Robinson, Peter  
**A Dedicated Man**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$35.00  
**Narrator:** Neil Pearson



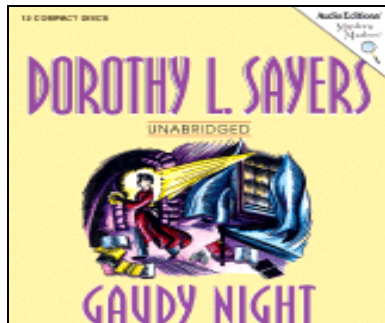
The body of a well-liked local historian is found half-buried under a drystone wall near the village of Helmscliffe, Swainsdale. Penny Cartwright, a beautiful folk singer with a mysterious past, a shady land-developer, Harry's editor and a local thriller writer are all suspects. Inspector Banks' second case unearths disturbing secrets behind a bucolic facade.

**Author:** Robinson, Peter  
**Gallows View**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Neil Pearson



A Peeping Tom is frightening the women of Eastvale, Yorkshire; two glue-sniffing young thugs are breaking into homes and robbing people; an old woman may or may not have been murdered. Detective Chief Inspector Alan Banks takes on the investigations...

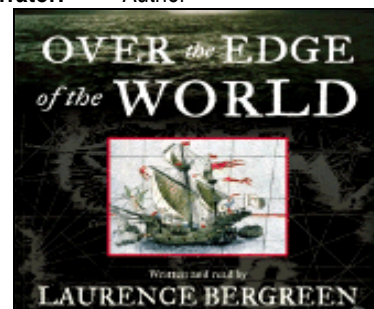
**Author:** Sayers, Dorothy L.  
**Gaudy Night**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 12CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Ian Carmichael



When Harriet Vane attends her Oxford reunion, the prim academic setting is haunted by a rash of bizarre pranks: scrawled obscenities, burnt effigies, and poison-pen letters. Soon, Harriet finds herself ensnared in a nightmare of romance and terror, with only the tiniest shreds of clues to help her and the man who loves her, Lord Peter Wimsey.

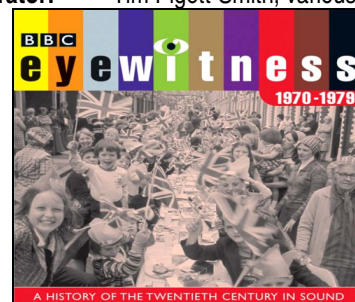
## NON-FICTION

**Author:** Bergreen, Laurence  
**Over The Edge Of The World**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$34.95  
**Narrator:** Author



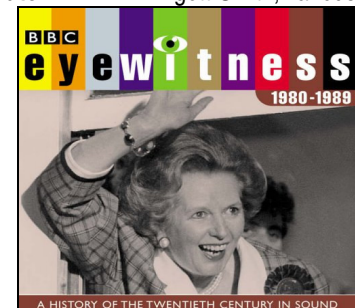
In 1519 Magellan and his fleet of five ships set sail from Seville, Spain, to discover a water route to the fabled Spice Islands in Indonesia, where the most sought-after spices flourished. Three years later, a handful of survivors returned with an abundance of spices from their intended destination, but with just one ship carrying eighteen emaciated men...

**Author:** Bourke, Joanna & Various  
**Eyewitness: 1970-1979: A History of the 20th Century in Sound**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Tim Pigott-Smith, various



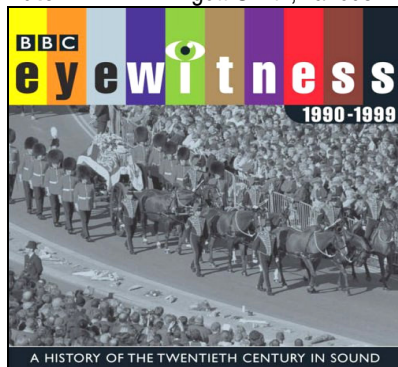
The 70s began with a spectacular obscenity trial and ended with Margaret Thatcher quoting St Francis of Assisi on the steps of Downing Street. The miners' strike, the three-day week, the "Winter of Discontent", the horrors in Northern Ireland and the Queen's Silver Jubilee illustrate some of the decade's pivotal events.

**Author:** Bourke, Joanna & Various  
**Eyewitness: 1980-1989: A History of the 20th Century in Sound**  
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**Narrator:** Tim Pigott-Smith, various



Conflict in many forms characterised the 1980s: war in the South Atlantic, the miners' strike, social unrest and political polarisation. But the decade ended on a note of hope with the fall of the Berlin Wall and the end of the Cold War.

**Author:** Bourke, Joanna & Various  
**Eyewitness: 1990-1999: A History of the 20th Century in Sound**  
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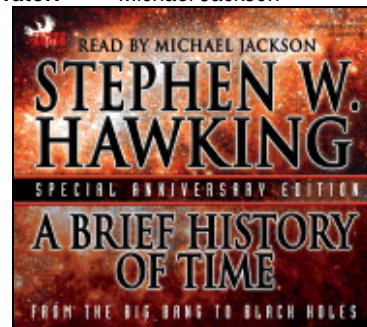
From the Boer War to the Gulf War, from the funeral of Queen Victoria to the funeral of the Princess of Wales, the end of the century echoed its beginning. Yet the death of Diana signalled a startling shift in the British psyche. Violence continued - at home during the Poll Tax riots and abroad when British troops fought in the Middle East and in Bosnia.

**Author:** Lee, Christopher  
**This Sceptred Isle: Empire. Volume 1**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrators:** Juliet Stevenson, Rob Brydon, Martin Freeman, Mark Heap, Anna Massey, Robert Powell



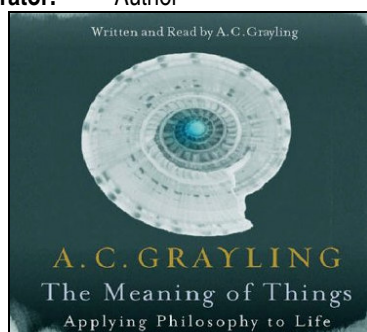
Volume 1 of the eagerly-awaited follow-up in Christopher Lee's highly-acclaimed and award-winning series *This Sceptred Isle*. This new series explains how Britain, through trading in such commodities as sugar, spice - and slaves - built the biggest empire the world had ever known. Christopher Lee begins Volume 1 with the colonisation of Ireland by Henry II in 1155.

**Author:** Hawkins, Stephen  
**A Brief History of Time: From the Big Bang to Black Holes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Michael Jackson



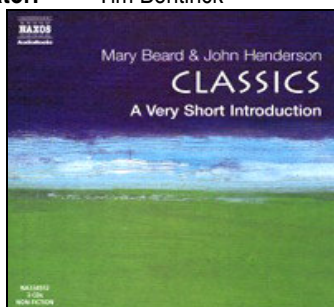
Stephen Hawking confronts the supreme questions of the nature of time and the universe. Was there a beginning of time? Will there be an end? Is the universe infinite or does it have boundaries? From Galileo and Newton to modern astrophysics, from the breathtakingly cast to the extraordinarily tiny, the listener is led on an exhilarating journey to distant galaxies, black holes, alternate dimensions...

**Author:** Grayling, A.C.  
**The Meaning of Things: Applying Philosophy to Life**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$35.00  
**Narrator:** Author



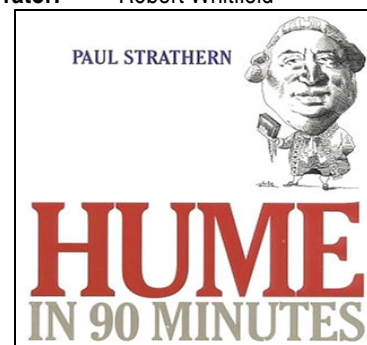
A collection of short, self-contained essays or sketches, which began as contributions to the *Guardian's* "Last Word" column. Grayling speaks of the application of philosophy to everyday life. Read by the author.

**Author:** Beard, M. / Henderson, John  
**Classics: A Very Short Introduction**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Tim Bentinck



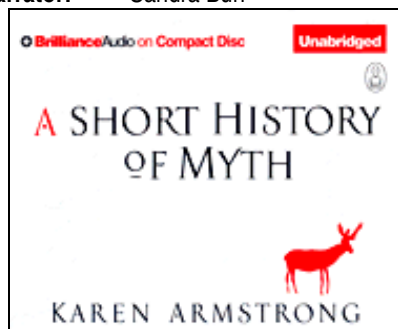
*A Very Short Introduction to Classics* links a haunting temple on a lonely mountainside to the glory of ancient Greece and the grandeur of Rome, and to Classics within modern culture - from Jefferson and Byron to Asterix and Ben-Hur.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Hume in 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Robert Whitfield



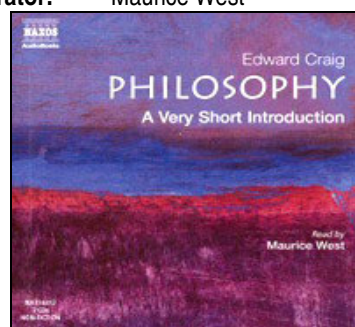
In *Hume in 90 Minutes*, Paul Strathern offers a concise, expert account of Hume's life and ideas, and explains his influence on man's struggle to understand his existence in the world.

**Author:** Armstrong, Karen  
**A Short History of Myth**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Sandra Burr



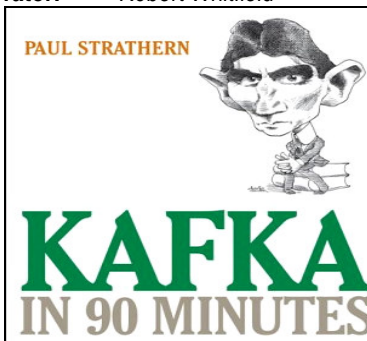
What are myths? How have they evolved? And why do we still so desperately need them? Karen Armstrong explores mythology from the conception of the Palaeolithic period right up to the western transformation of the last five hundred years.

**Author:** Craig, Edward  
**Philosophy: A Very Short Introduction**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Maurice West



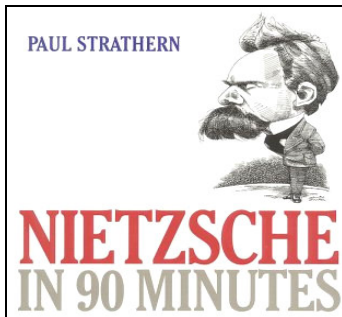
How ought we to live? What really exists? How do we know? Edward Craig shows that philosophy is no mere intellectual pastime; thinkers such as Plato, Descartes, etc. were responding to real needs and events - much of their work shapes our lives today and many of their concerns are still ours.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Kafka in 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Robert Whitfield



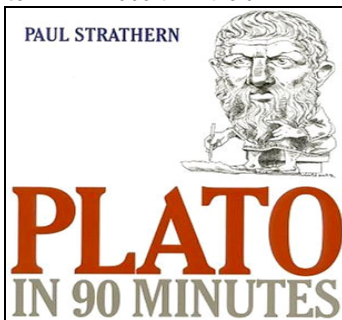
Paul Strathern brings Kafka's life and ideas to life in entertaining and accessible fashion. The author of such philosophical works as *Das Schloss* and *Metamorphosis*, Kafka is one of the icons of the twentieth century.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Nietzsche In 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
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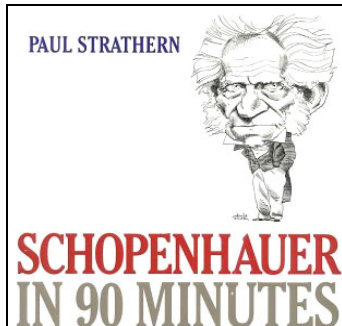
Nietzsche ended up by going mad, but his ideas presaged a collective madness which was to have horrific consequences in Europe during the first half of the 20th century. His philosophy is one of aphorisms and penetrating psychological insights, not a system. But it is as brilliant, persuasive, and incisive as any before or since.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Plato In 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Robert Whitfield



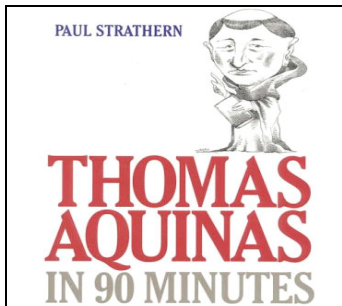
In classical Greece, a boy named Aristocles decided to forgo his ambitions as a wrestler. Adopting the nickname Plato, he embarked instead on a life in philosophy. In 387 B.C. he founded the Academy, the world's first university, and taught his students that all we see is no reality but merely a reproduction of the true source.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Schopenhauer In 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Robert Whitfield



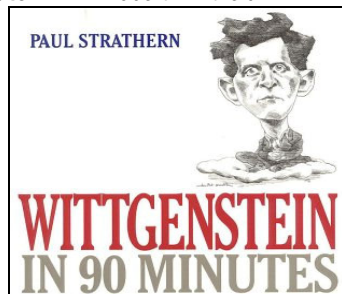
"As a man", Strathern says, "Schopenhauer was a nasty piece of work, but his writings are immensely endearing". Strathern conveys both Schopenhauer's prickly nature and its contradictions with the ascetic renunciation of the material world that he propounded in his writings.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Thomas Aquinas In 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Robert Whitfield



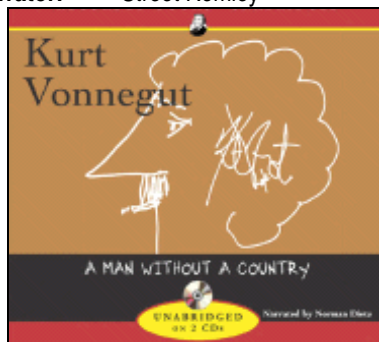
Thomas Aquinas's aesthetic theories and scholastic theological writings have influenced western thought tremendously, so that even today, Aquinas's account of the three conditions of beauty – integrity, proportion and clarity – affect modern ideas.

**Author:** Strathern, Paul  
**Wittgenstein In 90 Minutes**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
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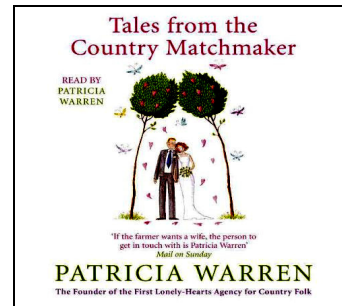
"If we accept Wittgenstein's word for it", Paul Strathern says, "he is the last philosopher. In his view, philosophy in the traditional sense was finished". Wittgenstein was a superb logician who distrusted language and sought to solve the problems of philosophy by reducing them to logic. All else - metaphysics, aesthetics, ethics, finally even philosophy itself - was excluded.

**Author:** Vonnegut, Kurt  
**A Man Without A Country**  
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**Narrator:** Street Remley



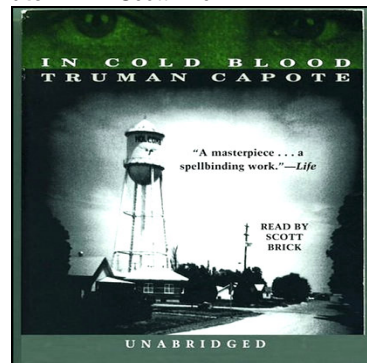
Kurt shares his often hilarious and always insightful reflections on America, art, politics and life in general. On the creative process: "If you want to really hurt your parents ... the least you can do is go into the arts. I'm not kidding." On politics: "No, I am not going to run for President, although I do know that a sentence, if it is to be complete, must have both a subject and a verb."

**Author:** Warren, Patricia  
**Tales from the Country Matchmaker**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Patricia Warren



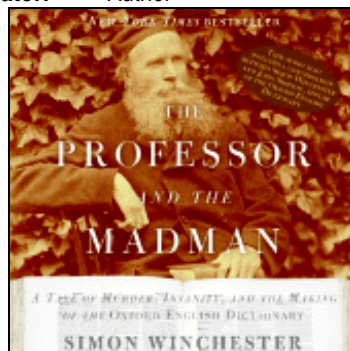
The founder of the first lonely hearts agency for country dwellers brings us the happiest, funniest, most poignant and sometimes downright eccentric tales of love in the countryside.

**Author:** Capote, Truman  
**In Cold Blood**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 12CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Scott Brick



As Truman Capote reconstructs the murder of four members of the Clutter family in Kansas, and the investigation that led to the capture, trial, and execution of the killers, he generates both mesmerizing suspense and astonishing empathy.

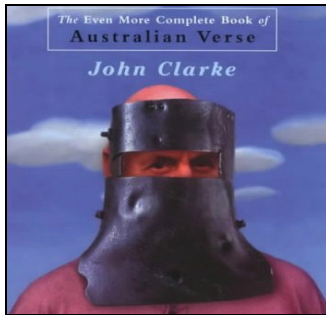
**Author:** Winchester, Simon  
**The Professor And The Madman**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Author



Masterfully researched and eloquently written, this is an extraordinary tale of madness, genius, and the incredible obsessions of two remarkable men in the making of the Oxford English Dictionary – and literary history. As definitions were collected, the overseeing committee discovered that one man, Dr. W.C. Minor, had submitted more than ten thousand. When the committee insisted on honouring him, a shocking truth came to light...

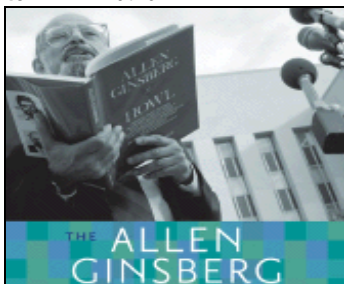
## POETRY

**Author:** Clarke, John  
**The Even More Complete Book of Australian Verse**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$26.95  
**Narrator:** Author



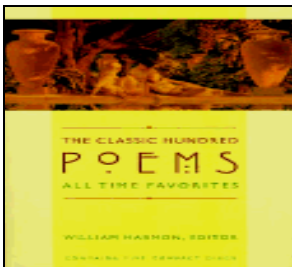
For years it was erroneously assumed that poetry's spiritual home was England. But painstaking and detailed research has at last revealed the truth. Works by major poets – Fifteen Bobsworth Longfellow, Alain Frost, Emmy-Lou Dickinson, Very Manly Hopkinson, Jems Choice, R.A.C.V. Milne, Rabbi Burns, b b hummings, Sir Don Betjeman, W.H. Auding, Dylan Thompson and Robert Bowell – are presented to set the record straight!

**Author:** Ginsberg, Allen  
**The Allen Ginsberg Poetry Collection**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD & Book **Price:** \$44.95  
**Narrator:** Author



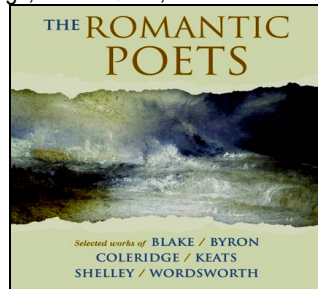
This collection of more than two dozen Beat Generation poems includes: Howl, Kaddish, Pull My Daisy, A Strange New Cottage in Berkeley, A Supermarket in California, Sunflower Sutra, America, Many Loves, To Aunt Rose, I am a Victim of Telephone, Kral Majales, Who Be Kind To, City Midnight Junk Strains, On Neal's Ashes, September on Jessore Road, Mind Breaths, Jahweh and Allah Battle, Lay down Your Mountain, etc.

**Author:** Harmon, William (editor)  
**The Classic Hundred Poems: All time Favourites**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$74.95  
**Narrator:** Various



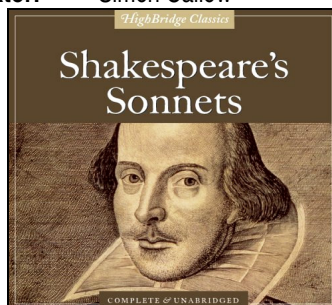
The top one hundred poems, as determined by a survey of more than 1,000 anthologies – the English poems most often anthologised, with the broadest, most enduring appeal.

**Authors:** Blake, Byron, Coleridge, Keats, Shelley, Wordsworth  
**The Romantic Poets – Selected Works**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 10CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrators:** Derek Jacobi, Jeremy Northam, Prunella Scales, Nicol Williamson, David Horovitch, Nathaniel Parker, Stella Gonet, Haydn Gwynne, Douglas Hodge, Alex Jennings, Diana Quick, Sian Thomas



Blake: *Songs of Innocence, Poetical Sketches*, a selection from *The Rosetti Manuscript*, more. Byron: Highlights from *Don Juan*, *The Giaour*, and *Childe Harold's Pilgrimage*, shorter lyrics, etc. Coleridge: *Kubla Khan*, *Frost at Midnight*, *The Rime of the Ancient Mariner*, etc. Keats: *Ode on a Grecian Urn*, *Ode to a Nightingale*, *La Belle Dame Sans Merci*, *The Eve of St. Agnes*, *On First Looking into Chapman's Homer*, selections from *Endymion*, etc. Shelley: Excerpts from *Prometheus Unbound*, *Queen Mab*, and *Epipsychidion*, *Ode to the West Wind* and *To a Skylark*, etc. Wordsworth: Selections from *Lyrical Ballads*; poems including *I wandered lonely as a cloud*, *Composed upon Westminster Bridge*, and *To a Sky-Lark*; & many more, with commentary.

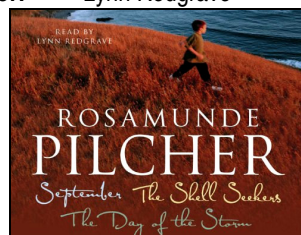
**Author:** Shakespeare, William  
**Shakespeare's Sonnets**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Simon Callow



The most celebrated love poems in the English language, the 154 sonnets of Shakespeare, written from 1593-1601, are beautifully read by British actor Simon Callow.

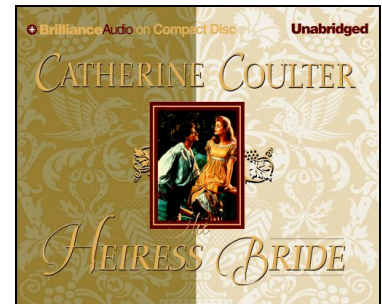
## ROMANCE

**Author:** Pilcher, Rosamunde  
**September; Shell Seekers; Day Of The Storm**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD **Price:** \$54.95  
**Narrator:** Lynn Redgrave



Three of Rosamunde Pilcher's most moving stories in one collection, delightfully narrated by the wonderful Lynn Redgrave.

**Author:** Coulter, Catherine  
**The Heiress Bride**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 9CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Anne T. Flosnik



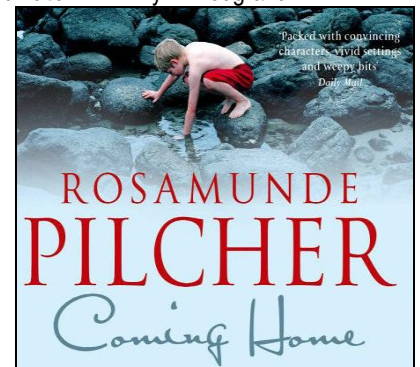
Sinjun Sherbrooke is now 19, blessed with Sherbrooke blue eyes, wit to burn, unique charm, and a wonderful sense of humour. She is also bored with the London Season until she spies Colin Kinross, the Scottish earl of Ashburnham, across the dance floor at a London ball...

**Author:** Krentz, Jayne Ann  
**All Night Long**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 8CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Kathy Garver & David Colacci



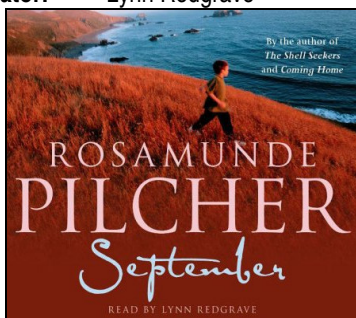
Shy, studious Irene Stenson and wild, privileged Pamela Webb had been the best of friends for one short high school summer. Their friendship ended the night Pamela dropped Irene off at home – and Irene walked in to discover her parents' bodies on the kitchen floor. Years later... what could be important enough to make her former friend get in touch after all this time?

**Author:** Pilcher, Rosamunde  
**Coming Home**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Lynn Redgrave



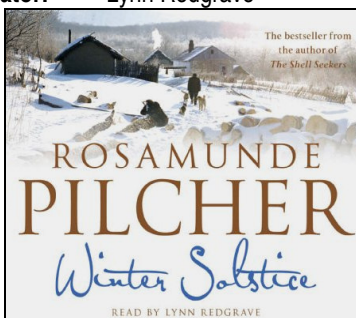
For Judith Dunbar, her first glimpse of Nancherrow, her friend Loveday's beautiful family estate on the Cornish coast, is love at first sight – after the rigours of boarding school it spells luxury. But in the danger and deprivation of the 'forties, those sun-drenched Cornish days seem as distant as a dream.

**Author:** Pilcher, Rosamunde  
**September**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Lynn Redgrave



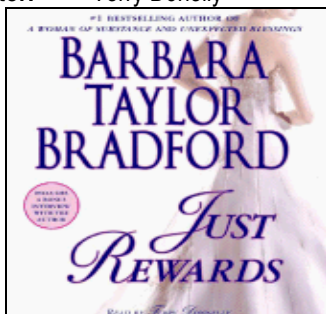
Violet Aird plans a dance, inviting home to Scotland the people she has cared for most in her long life. She sees Alexa, her vulnerable granddaughter, find love for the first time, while the decision to send her little grandson away to school is driving parents Edmund and Virginia even further apart. Far from them all is Pandora, the glamorous, exciting girl who ran away twenty years before.

**Author:** Pilcher, Rosamunde  
**Winter Solstice**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Lynn Redgrave



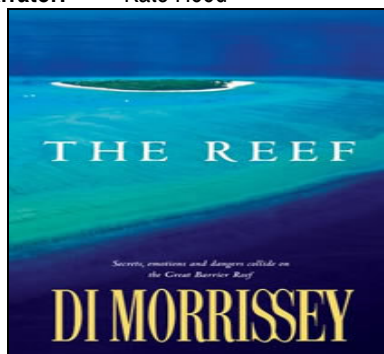
Elfrida Phipps loves her new life in the pretty Hampshire village. She has a tiny cottage, her faithful dog Horace and the friendship of the neighbouring Blundells – particularly Oscar – to ensure that her days include companionship as well as independence. But an unforeseen tragedy upsets Elfrida's tranquillity...

**Author:** Bradford, Barbara Taylor  
**Just Rewards**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 11CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Terry Donnelly



Linnet O'Neill, great-granddaughter of Emma Harte, follows in the footsteps of the original woman-of-substance as she battles to modernise the family business. But family dynamics will cause strife and problems as the Harte women and those around them struggle for their own wishes and dreams...

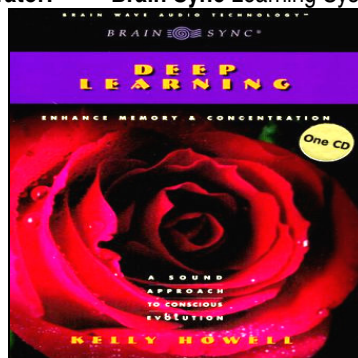
**Author:** Morrissey, Di  
**The Reef**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 12CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Kate Hood



On a small coral cay on the Great Barrier Reef two communities come together in an uneasy alliance: a tourist resort and a scientific research station. At first glance, the island is a sexy resort, a naturalist's dream, a diver's delight. But the island holds secrets and dangers...

## SELF-HELP

**Author:** Howell, Kelly  
**Deep Learning: Enhance Memory And Concentration**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 1CD UA **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Brain Sync Learning System



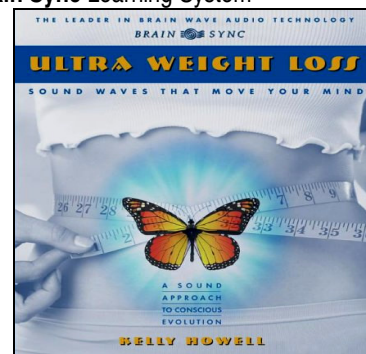
Ever wish you could learn more, faster, and retain the information longer? Stimulate your memory receptors and neural pathways with the Theta frequencies embedded in this program.

**Author:** Howell, Kelly  
**Relieve Jet Lag: Relax Sleep & Refresh with Sound Therapy**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$32.95  
**Brain Sync Learning System**



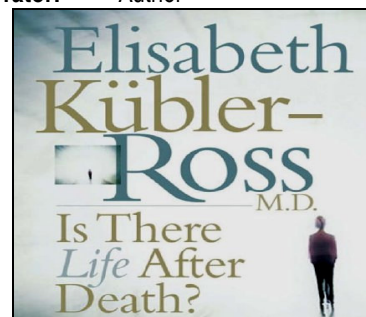
Tired of being tired when you travel? Just listen to Relieve Jet Lag to arrive at your destination feeling refreshed, alert and ready to do business, or to enjoy your vacation.

**Author:** Howell, Kelly  
**Ultra Weight Loss**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$44.95  
**Brain Sync Learning System**



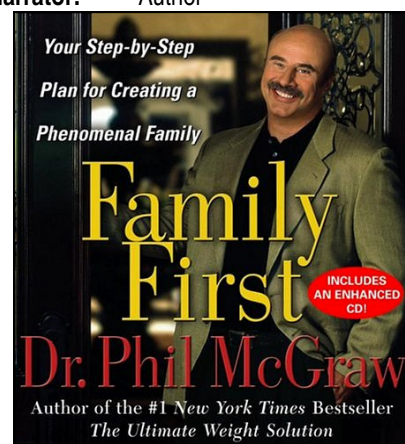
With this program deep-seated patterns are powerfully transformed so that mind and body work in harmony to shed unwanted pounds.

**Author:** Kübler-Ross, Elisabeth  
**Is There Life After Death?**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$36.95  
**Narrator:** Author



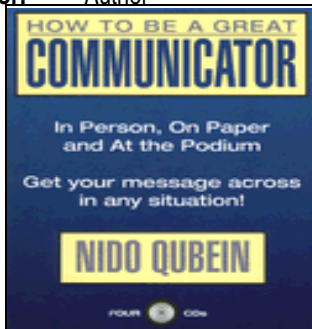
The author explores her personal feelings toward human mortality, the attitudes of the dying toward themselves and others, near-death experiences, the grief process, and life after death.

**Author:** McGraw, Phil  
**Family First**  
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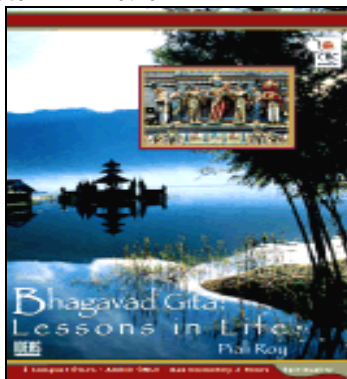
Do you feel that your family is not what it used to be, or what it has the potential to be? Do you worry that the parenting decisions you're making today may be scarring your child for life? Do you sometimes feel you are in a tug of war with the world over who will shape your child's values and beliefs? Dr. Phil's Seven Tools for Purposeful Parenting cover the most important elements for any parent.

**Author:** Qubein, Nido  
**How to be a Great Communicator**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Author



Communication skills are essential for anyone who wants to attain success in business and in life. Now, expert communicator Nido Qubein shares his five-point plan that can help anyone unlock their potential to become a great communicator in any medium.

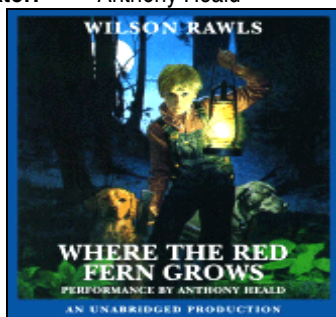
**Author:** Roy, Piali  
**Bhagavad Gita: Lessons in Life**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Author



The Bhagavad Gita is one of the world's classic religious texts. Revered by Hindus and an inspiration for thinkers from Gandhi to Thoreau, it is a meditation on how humans should live their lives; how and when to act; for what purpose, and how to let go.

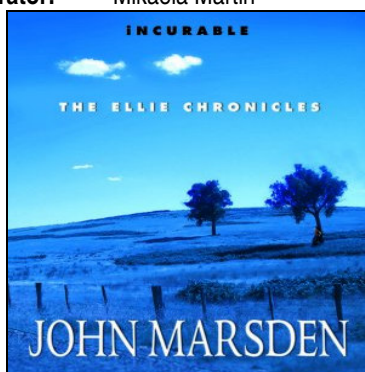
## YOUNG ADULT

**Author:** Rawls, Wilson  
**Where the Red Fern Grows**  
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**Narrator:** Anthony Heald



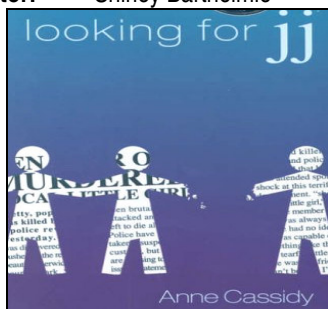
A loving threesome, they ranged the dark hills and river bottoms of Cherokee country. Old Dan had the brawn. Little Ann had the brains, and Billy had the will to make them into the finest hunting team in the valley. Glory and victory were coming to them, but sadness waited too, in an exciting tale of love and adventure you'll never forget.

**Author:** Marsden, John  
**Incurable: The Ellie Chronicles**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Mikaela Martin



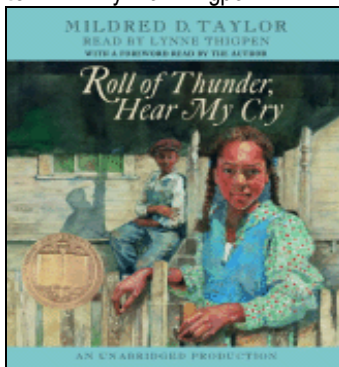
Book 2 of *The Ellie Chronicles*. Ellie has struggled to put the war behind her and lead a normal life. Although what's normal about your parents having been murdered; trying to run a farm and go to school; and bringing up a young boy who's hiding terrible secrets about his past?

**Author:** Cassidy, Anne  
**Looking For JJ**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$16.95  
**Narrator:** Shirley Barthelmie



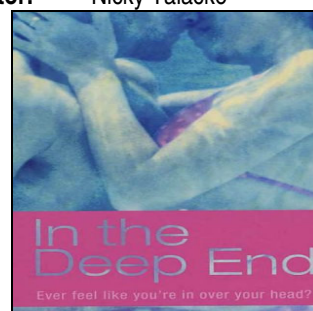
This gripping and emotionally searing novel explores the circumstances and motives behind the murder of a child - by her friend. Six years later, JJ has now been released, and has a new identity. But is there any way that she can lead a "normal" life?

**Author:** Taylor, Mildred D.  
**Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Lynne Thingpen



Why is the land so important to Cassie's family? It takes the events of one turbulent year - the year of the night riders and the burnings, the year a white girl humiliates Cassie in public simply because she is black - to show Cassie that having a place of their own is the Logan family's lifeblood.

**Author:** Cann, Kate  
**In The Deep End**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$34.95  
**Narrator:** Nicky Talacko



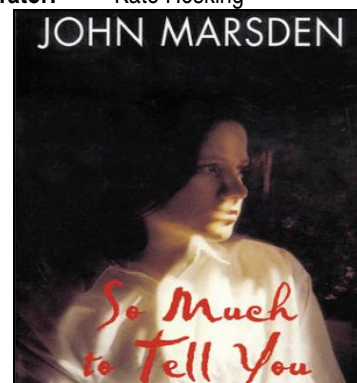
Coll and Art are back together again, and the question of sex is also back on the agenda. But it's different now - Coll feels the time is right. She is unprepared for the powerful new emotions that sex produces, though, and must make sure she keeps her head above water...

**Author:** Cabot, Meg  
**Nicola And The Viscount**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Amanda Root



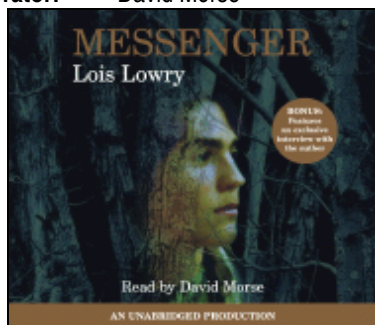
Miss Nicola Sparks has fallen in love, big time. The object of her dreams is the fabulously rich Lord Sebastian, he of the ice-blue eyes, golden hair, and full-on mastery of the dance floor. To Nicky, Lord S. is a god. But are gods always as perfect as they are meant to be?

**Author:** Marsden, John  
**So Much To Tell You**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$24.95  
**Narrator:** Kate Hosking



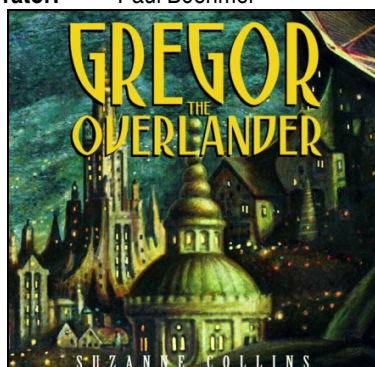
Scarred, literally, by her past, Marina has withdrawn into silence. Then, at her new boarding school, she is set the task of writing a diary by her English teacher, and finds a way of expressing her thoughts and feelings and of exploring the traumatic events that have caused her distress. Through Marina's diary, the listener gains an insight into the troubled depths of this vulnerable girl.

**Author:** Lowry, Lois  
**Messenger**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD UA **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** David Morse



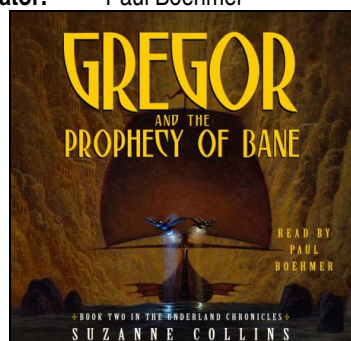
For the past six years, Matty has lived in Village and flourished under the guidance of Seer, a blind man, known for his special sight. Village once welcomed newcomers, but something sinister has seeped into Village and the people have voted to close it to outsiders.

**Author:** Collins, Suzanne  
**Gregor The Overlander**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Paul Boehmer



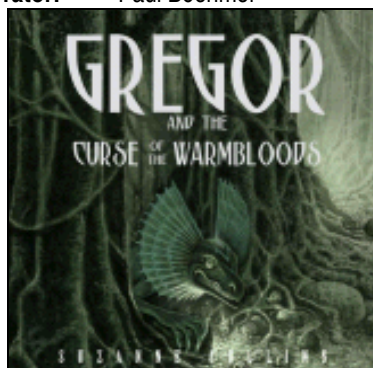
11-year-old Gregor expects a long, boring summer of baby-sitting his 2-year-old sister, and his senile grandmother. But it's anything but boring when he chases after his little sister down an air vent leading to the Underland, a fantastic subterranean world of translucent-skinned, violet-eyed humans, and giant talking cockroaches, bats, spiders, and rats...

**Author:** Collins, Suzanne  
**Gregor And The Prophecy Of Bane**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Paul Boehmer



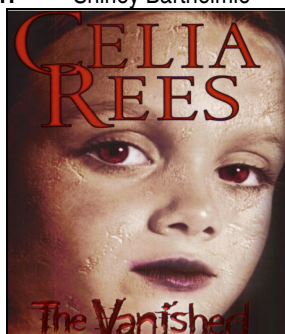
Listeners are quickly drawn into this sequel to *Gregor the Overlander*, which concluded with Gregor and his toddler sister, Boots, returning from the Underland. When Boots is kidnapped and taken back to the Underland, Gregor must follow her to the city of Regalia and discover the "Prophecy of Bane".

**Author:** Collins, Suzanne  
**Gregor And The Curse Of The Warmbloods**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Paul Boehmer



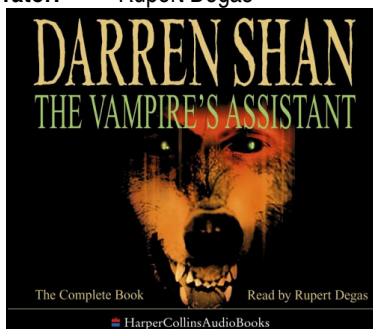
Third part of the *Underland Chronicles*. Gregor is busy at home in Manhattan deciphering the Prophecy of Blood that calls for him and his younger sister to return to the Underworld to find the cure for a terrible plague that threatens all its warm-blooded inhabitants.

**Author:** Rees, Celia  
**The Vanished**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$34.95  
**Narrator:** Shirley Barthelmie



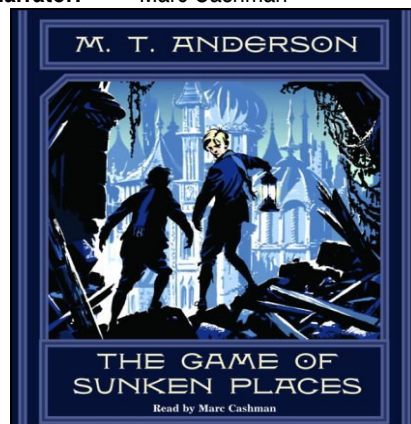
Fraser heard the stories of plague graves, vanished children and hidden steps leading to a festering underworld. But when another child goes missing, he wonders if there's some truth in the tales. The dank tunnels running under the city are real enough. Who knows what horrors their depths contain?

**Author:** Shan, Darren  
**Vampire's Assistant, The (Book 2, The Saga of Darren Shan)**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 4CD UA **Price:** \$35.95  
**Narrator:** Rupert Degas



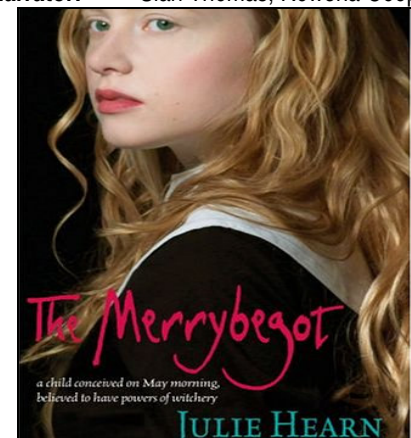
In *Cirque du Freak*, Darren became a half-vampire to save his best mate Steve Leopard's life. Now, he must leave his friends and family behind as he travels cross-country with the vampire Mr Crepsley and the Cirque du Freak. How long can Darren go before he must drink human blood?

**Author:** Anderson, M. T.  
**The Game Of Sunken Places**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$69.95  
**Narrator:** Marc Cashman



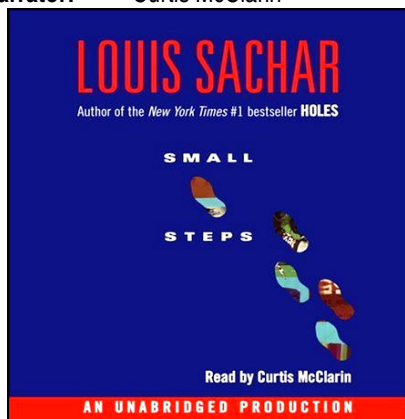
When Brian and Gregory visit the isolated, gas-lit mansion of Gregory's peculiar uncle Max, their host burns their luggage and outfits them in an elaborate nineteenth-century wardrobe. They have unknowingly become players in an enigmatic game. Play begins in earnest when they discover the Game of Sunken Places, an enchanted board game that draws them into a real-life quest. Soon they are facing axe-wielding trolls, fleeing bloodthirsty ogres, and becoming increasingly aware that Uncle Max's cavalier attitude toward their safety is more than just garden-variety eccentricity. Intensifying the sinister atmosphere is an unsettling warning: "The grown-ups are involved in unforgivable things, and making you their pawns."

**Author:** Hearn, Julie  
**The Merrybegot**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 6CD UA **Price:** \$89.95  
**Narrator:** Sian Thomas, Rowena Cooper



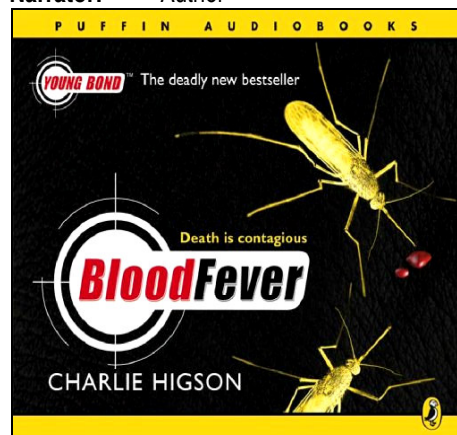
This is the story of Nell who lives with her grandmother, the local cunning woman and healer, in a west country village in the seventeenth century. When one of the minister's daughters falls pregnant, she and her sister attempt to conceal it by accusing Nell of putting a curse on them. The witchfinder general, Matthew Hopkins, is called in and in an atmosphere of fear, the local villagers turn nasty and Nell's grandmother falls victim to their hatred. Nell is all alone, and in great danger.

**Author:** Sachar, Louis  
**Small Steps**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD UA **Price:** \$45.00  
**Narrator:** Curtis McClarin



In rougher days, Armpit, named for an ill-placed scorpion bite, bullied a new member of his work-camp team. That kid was Stanley Yelnats. Though Armpit is now 17, the tone of his experiences remains squarely middle-grade, and like Stanley, he proves an appealing, hapless character buffeted by others' schemes and shouldering the burdens of personal history – in this case, the challenges facing an African American teenager with a criminal history. Armpit takes his counsellor's suggestions seriously ("Just take small steps and keep moving forward"), but he nonetheless becomes entangled in returning character X-Ray's concert ticket-scalping enterprise, resulting in a lucky meeting with a bubble-gum pop star and an awkward role in a police investigation.

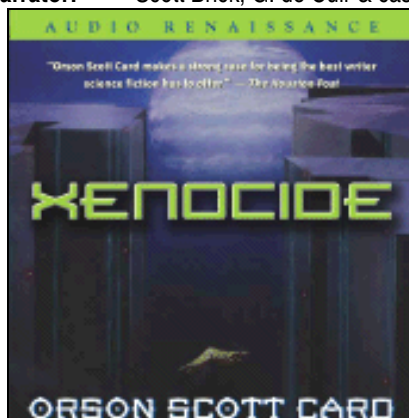
**Author:** Higson, Charlie  
**BloodFever (Young Bond™)**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD **Price:** \$29.95  
**Narrator:** Author



File note, strictly confidential - authorised personnel only. This book contains the description of James Bond at 13 with dark hair, blue eyes, tall for age, surprisingly strong, fluent in French, and good in German. The essential components are: a Mediterranean mystery, one kidnapped girl – feisty, blonde, super-fit Amy Goodenough, sister of James' best friend Mark, one villainous pirate – Zoltan Magyr, mysterious Latin-speaking men lurking near Eton, and one fast car.

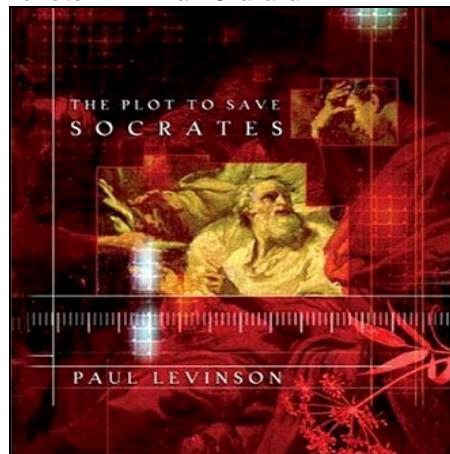
## SCIENCE FICTION

**Author:** Card, Orson Scott  
**Xenocide**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 16CD UA **Price:** \$109.95  
**Narrator:** Scott Brick, G. de Cuir & cast



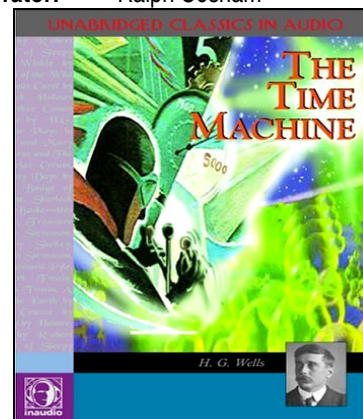
In Lusitania, Ender found a world where humans and pequininos and the Hive Queen could all live together. But Lusitania also harbours the descolada, a virus that kills all humans it infects, but which the pequininos require in order to become adults. The Startways Congress so fears the effects of the descolada that they have ordered the destruction of the entire planet and all its inhabitants. The Fleet is on its way and a second xenocide seems inevitable. Until the fleet vanishes...

**Author:** Levinson, Paul  
**The Plot To Save Socrates**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD **Price:** \$49.95  
**Narrator:** Mark Shanahan



In the year 2042, Sierra, a young graduate student in Classics is shown a recently discovered dialogue of Socrates in which a time traveller tries to argue that Socrates might escape death by travel to the future. The elderly scholar who has shown her the document disappears, and Sierra begins to track down the provenance of the manuscript, with the help of her classical scholar boyfriend, Max. The trail leads her to a time machine in a gentlemen's club in London and in New York, and into the past – and to a time traveller from her future, posing as Heron of Alexandria in 150 AD. Complications, mysteries, travels and time loops proliferate.

**Author:** Wells, H. G.  
**The Time Machine**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 3CD UA **Price:** \$39.95  
**Narrator:** Ralph Cosham

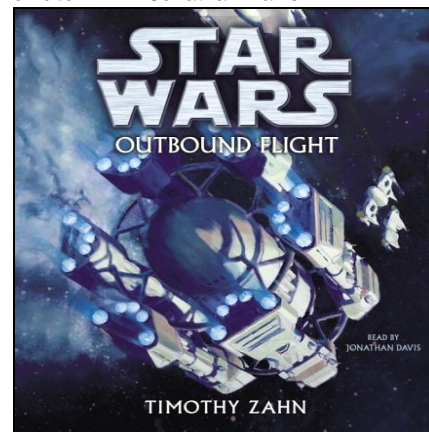


"I drew a breath, set my teeth, gripped the starting lever with both hands, and went off with a thud."

...So relates the narrator in Wells' classic time travel novel.

In the future, humans called the Eloi live in simple luxury. They have become beautiful but meek, living on their safe comfortable planet. The generations that have passed without challenge or adversity have dulled their minds. Underground machinery, built millennia ago, feeds and clothes these innocent creatures, and still functions perfectly. But who runs the machinery for these people, and why they are afraid of the night?

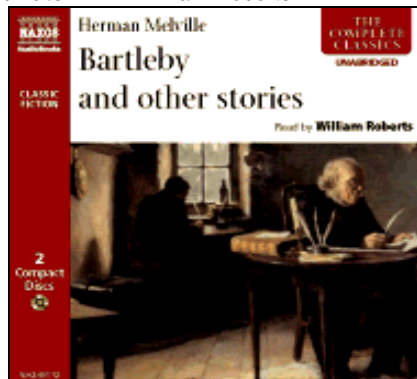
**Author:** Zahn, Timothy  
**Star Wars: Outbound Flight**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 5CD **Price:** \$59.95  
**Narrator:** Jonathan Davis



Despite the bond they share in the Force, after three years of marriage, Luke Skywalker and his wife Mara Jade are still learning the ropes of being a couple – and struggling to find time together between the constant demands of duty. But all that will change when they're united on an unexpected mission – and must pool their exceptional skills to combat an insidious enemy and salvage a part of Jedi history. It begins with a message from a surprising source: Nirauan, the planet where Thrawn, dangerous disciple of Emperor Palpatine, once held sway... and from which Luke and Mara barely escaped with their lives.

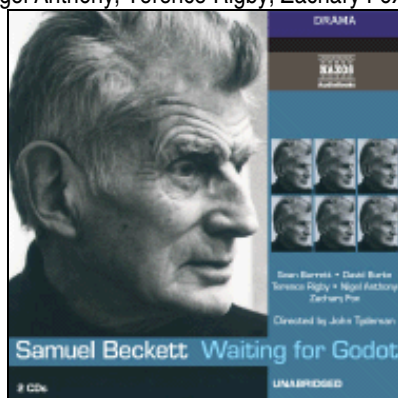
## CLASSICS

**Author:** Melville, Herman  
**Bartleby The Scrivener And Other Stories**  
 (The Lightning-Rod Man; The Bell-Tower)  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$31.95  
**Narrator:** William Roberts



Melville's *Bartleby the Scrivener* is a classic American short story, a strange tale of a constantly busy copyist whose simple refrain, "I would prefer not to" wreaks havoc on his workplace. Invention, imagination, and expression combine with two other stories from Melville's *The Piazza Tales: The Lightning-Rod* and *The Bell-Tower*.

**Author:** Beckett, Samuel  
**Waiting For Godot**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$31.95  
**Narrator:** Sean Barrett, David Burke, Nigel Anthony, Terence Rigby, Zachary Fox



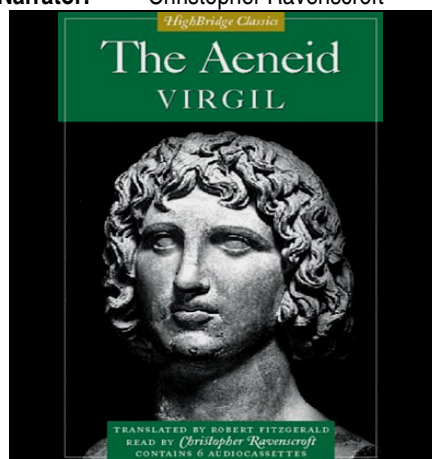
Samuel Beckett, one of the great avant-garde Irish dramatists and writers of the second half of the 20th century, was born on 13 April 1906. He died in 1989. He won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1969. His centenary will be celebrated throughout 2006 with performances of his major plays, but the most popular of them all will be, without doubt, the play with which he first made his name, *Waiting for Godot*. It opened the gates to the theatre of the absurd as four men appear on the stage, apparently with purpose but (perhaps) waiting for someone called Godot. It is stark, funny, bemusing and still deeply affecting half a century since its first production. In this new recording for audiobook, John Tydeman, for many years head of BBC Radio Drama, takes a fresh look at one of the milestones in Western drama.

**Author:** Plato  
**Symposium**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 2CD UA **Price:** \$32.95  
**Narrator:** David Shaw-Parker, Tim Bentinck, Andrew Branch, Daniel Flynn, Gordon Griffin, Hayward Morse, C. Scott, Susan Sheridan, David Timson



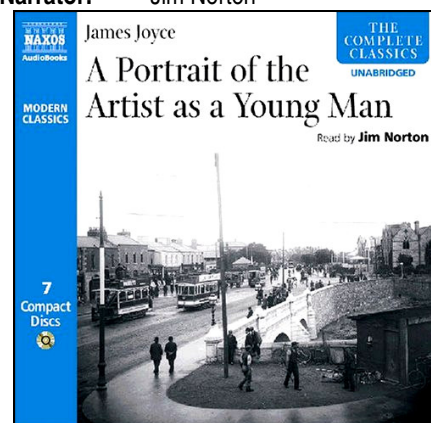
New translation by Tom Griffith. In *Symposium*, a group of Athenian aristocrats attend a party held by Agathon to celebrate his victory in the drama festival of the Dionysia. They talk about love until the drunken Alcibiades bursts in, and decides to talk about Socrates instead. "Symposium" gives a picture of the sparkling society that was Athens at the height of her empire. This classic discussion on love is presented in its ideal medium: a multi-voice recording.

**Author:** Virgil  
**The Aeneid**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 8CD **Price:** \$79.95  
**Narrator:** Christopher Ravenscroft



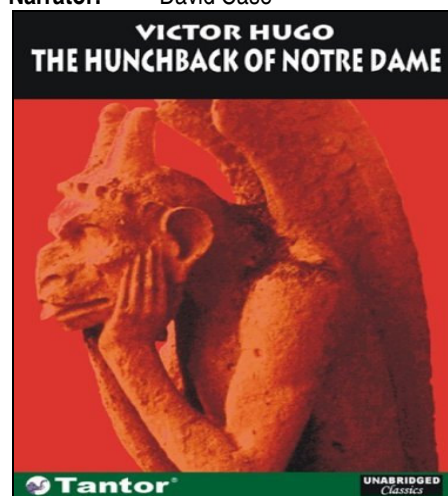
This superb translation by Robert Fitzgerald conveys the drama and majesty of Virgil's epic masterpiece. The *Aeneid* has inspired generations of readers and holds a central place in Western literature. The epic tells the story of a group of refugees from the ruined city of Troy, whose attempts to reach a promised land in the West are continually frustrated by the hostile goddess Juno. Finally reaching Italy, their leader Aeneas is forced to fight a bitter war against the natives to establish the foundations from which Rome is destined to rise. Largely unabridged.

**Author:** Joyce, James  
**A Portrait Of The Artist As A Young Man**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 7CD UA **Price:** \$84.95  
**Narrator:** Jim Norton



This fictionalised portrait of Joyce's youth is one of the most vivid accounts of the growth from childhood to adulthood. Dublin at the turn of the century provides the backdrop as Stephen Dedalus moves from town and society, towards the irrevocable decision to leave. It was the decision made by Joyce himself which resulted in the mature novels of *Ulysses* and *Finnegans Wake*. Read unabridged by the incomparable Joyce expert, Jim Norton.

**Author:** Hugo, Victor  
**The Hunchback Of Notre Dame**  
**No. cass/CDs:** 15CD UA **Price:** \$99.95  
**Narrator:** David Case



Set in mediaeval Paris, Victor Hugo's powerful historical romance *The Hunchback of Notre-Dame* has resonated with succeeding generations ever since its publication in 1837. It tells the story of the beautiful gypsy Esmeralda, condemned as a witch by the tormented archdeacon Claude Frollo, who lusts after her. Quasimodo, the deformed bell ringer of Notre-Dame Cathedral, having fallen in love with the kind-hearted Esmeralda, tries to save her by hiding her in the cathedral's tower. When a crowd of Parisian peasants, misunderstanding Quasimodo's motives, attacks the church in an attempt to liberate her, the story ends in tragedy.