

Adults

Enjoy these winter-themed titles



The Bear and the Nightingale

by Katherine Arden

Fantasy. Inspired by Russian fairy tales, the story follows the experiences of a wild young girl who taps the mysterious powers of a precious necklace given to her father years earlier to save her village from dark and dangerous forces.



Dead of Winter

by Darcy Coates

Horror. Forced to take shelter in an abandoned hunting cabin while on a hike in the Rocky Mountains when a terrible snowstorm moves in, Christa and eight total strangers have nowhere to run or hide as someone begins murdering them.



Gingerbread

by Helen Oyeyemi

Adult Fiction. Oyeyemi draws on the classic fairytale element of gingerbread in the story of a British family whose surprising legacy and secret past are tied to a favorite recipe.



The Hundred Loves of Juliet

by Evelyn Skye

Adult Fiction. Swearing off of love, newly divorced writer Helene moves to a small town in Alaska where she meets fisherman Sebastien Montague, who is her invented hero made flesh, and sets out to find the truth about his existence in this reimagining of Romeo and Juliet that spans lives, years, and continents.



One by One

by Ruth Ware

Adult Fiction. When an offsite company retreat is upended by an avalanche that strands them in a remote mountain chalet, eight coworkers are forced to set aside their corporate rankings and mutual distrust in order to survive.



The Snow Child

by Eowyn Ivey

Adult Fiction. A childless couple working a farm in the brutal landscape of 1920 Alaska discover a little girl living in the wilderness, with a red fox as a companion, and begin to love the strange, almost-supernatural child as their own.



We Met in December

by Rosie Curtis

Romance. An American, Jess, follows her dream and moves to London where she becomes enmeshed in a love triangle with Alex and Emma all who live as housemates in a grand Notting Hill house share.



The Winter Garden

by Nicola Cornick

Historical Fiction. While at her family's ancestral home in Oxfordshire, which originally belonged to a notorious gunpowder plotter, Lucy, spending time in the lovely winter garden he created, begins having strange visions of a woman facing a heartbreaking dilemma causing the past and present to collide.



Wintering: The Power of Rest and Retreat in Difficult Times

by Katherine May

Non-Fiction. A moving personal narrative shot through with lessons from literature, mythology, and the natural world, May's story offers instruction on the transformative power of winter rest and retreat.



Winterland

by Rae Meadows

Historical Fiction. Tells a story of glory, loss, hope, and determination, and of finding light where none exists. Soviet Union, 1973: There is perhaps no greater honor for a young girl than to be chosen for the famed USSR gymnastics program. When Anya is selected, her family is thrilled. What is left of her family, that is.