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Drama and Theatre in Nigeria : A Critical Source Book / (Ed) Yemi Ogunbiyi  
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Includes Index  
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Zaccheus Onumba Dibiaezue Memorial Libraries /  
Origami Books, Lagos, Nigeria 2013  
100p.  
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<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=170718>

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In Search of Ogun : Soyinka in Spite of Nietzsche / Odia Ofeimun  
Hornbill House of the Arts, Nigeria 2014  
vii, 208p.  
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\$ 40.00 / PB  
248 gm.

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Africa Delights / Siphiwo Mahala  
Bookcraft, Nigeria 2014  
xii, 246p.  
9789785162172  
\$ 40.00 / PB  
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These wide-ranging stories take us from Sophiatown in the Drum era to the rural Eastern Cape to the luxury Jozi homes of present-day tenderpreneurs.

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Nigerian Video Films In Yoruba / Gbemisola Adeoti  
Centre for Black and African Arts and Civilization, Nigeria 2014  
viii, 64p.  
9789789326730  
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90 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=170710>

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The House My Father Built / Adewale Maja-Pearce  
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Kachifo Limited, Nigeria 2014  
xiii. 58p.  
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\$ 20.00 / PB  
68 gm.

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Voices From My Clan : Selected Stories from Senator Chris Nwankwo Youth  
Creativity Class, Season 1 / (Ed) Mukoma Wa Ngugi & Obinna Udenwe  
ABIC Books and Equip. Ltd., Nigeria 2012  
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The Call of the Master / Julie Chukwuogor Aneke  
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This Is My Family : New Singapore Plays Volume 2 / (Ed) Lucas Ho  
Checkpoint Theatre, Singapore 2014  
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450 gm.

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2. Singaporean drama (English)

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171148>

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The Fiction of Colonial Malaya / Mohamad Rashidi Pakri  
Penerbit Universiti Sains, Malaysia 2014  
xviii, 102p.  
Include Index  
9789838618458  
\$ 25.00 / PB  
216 gm.

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2. Malays (Asian people) – Politics and government
3. Political Culture – Malaysia – Malaya
4. Malaya – History

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102p.  
9789671217108  
\$ 10.00 / PB  
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Four Musical Theatres / Hatta Azad Khan  
Institut Terjemahan & Buku Malaysia Berhad, Malaysia 2014  
xxxv. 198p.  
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\$ 13.00 / PB  
290 gm.

1. Malay drama
2. Solehah Ishak

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171026>

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Festive In Death / J. D. Robb  
Jonathan Ball Publishers, South Africa 2014  
389p.;  
9780349403670  
\$ 35.75 / HB



The kitchen knife jammed into his cold heart pinned a cardboard sign to his well-toned chest. It read: "Santa Says You've Been Bad!!! Ho, Ho, Ho!" It's Christmas, but Lieutenant Eve Dallas is in no mood to celebrate. While her charismatic husband Roarke plans a huge, glittering party, Eve has murder on her mind. The victim - personal trainer Trey Ziegler - was trouble in life and is causing even more problems in death. Vain, unfaithful and vindictive, Trey had cultivated a lot of enemies. Which means Eve has a lot of potential suspects. And when she and Detective Peabody uncover Trey's sinister secret, the case takes a deadly turn.

Christmas may be a festival of light, but Eve and Roarke will be forced once more down a very dark path in their hunt for the truth.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171311>

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The Handsome Man's De Luxe Café / Alexander McCall Smith

Jonathan Ball Publishers, South Africa 2014

244p.;

9781408704349

\$ 35.75 / HB

Even the arrival of her baby can't hold Mma Makutsi back from success in the workplace, and so no sooner than she becomes a full partner in the No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency (in spite of Mma Ramotswe's belated claims that she is only 'an assistant full partner'), she also launches a new enterprise of her own, the Handsome Man's De Luxe Cafe.

Grace Makutsi is a lady with a business plan, but who could predict temperamental chefs, drunken waiters and more?

Luckily, help is at hand, from the only person in Gaborone more gently determined than Mma Makutsi... Mma Ramotswe, of course.

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The Hunter / Tony Park

Jonathan Ball Publishers, South Africa 2014

425p.;

9781848667877

\$ 39.50 / HB

Safari guide and private investigator Hudson Brand hunts people. He's on the trail of Linley Brown, a young woman named as the beneficiary of a life insurance policy. Linley's friend Kate died in a car crash in Zimbabwe, but Kate's sister believes that she is still alive - she needs Linley to give her answers. But Linley doesn't want to be found.

South African detective Sannie van Rensburg is also looking for Linley. But her priority right now is a murderer. The killer could be a safari guide, and Hudson Brand is top of her list of suspects. Sannie and Hudson cross paths as they track Linley from South Africa and Zimbabwe to the wilds of Kenya's Masai Mara game reserve.

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Send in the Clowns / Stephen Francis and Rico

Jacana Media, South Africa 2014

160p.;

9781431420315

\$ 20.00 / HB

They're back, and better than ever! This year sees the release of the twenty-second Madam & Eve, and it is another winner from this sharp and witty creative team

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A Bit of Difference. / Sefi Atta

Jacana Media, South Africa 2014

224p.;

9781431420858

\$ 24.50 / HB

This book is about exposing the differences between foreign images of Africa and the realities of contemporary Nigerian life. Deola's urgent, incisive voice captivates and guides us through the intricate layers and vivid scenes of a life lived across continents. With Sefi Atta's characteristic boldness and vision, *A Bit of Difference* limns the complexities of our contemporary world. A novel not to be missed by one of our continent's most accomplished contemporary writers. At thirty-nine, Deola Bello, a Nigerian expatriate in London, is dissatisfied with being single and working overseas. Deola works as a financial reviewer for an international charity, and when her job takes her back to Nigeria in time for her father's five-year memorial service, she finds herself turning her scrutiny inward. In Nigeria, Deola encounters changes in her family and in the urban landscape of her home, and new acquaintances who offer unexpected possibilities.

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Close to Home / Cayleigh Bright

Jacana Media, South Africa 2014

110p.;

9781431410712

\$ 24.50 / HB

"I didn't mind that they called it suicide, because she was a nice girl. He, on the other hand, was not a nice boy, and when I realised that I'd have to be the one to find him, I didn't have much trouble taking hold of the clammy wrist to check his pulse, and then calling the police. His face looked much the same dead as alive." *Close to Home* is a suspenseful telling of mysterious happenings that take place among a circle of friends. Through multiple narrations, the story unfolds in the thoughts and actions of the characters. When this circle of friends start off their university career as what seems to be ordinary and free from trouble, one of their classmates is found dead. The group becomes divided when debate arises around the cause of death. "The day he died was a strange, dark day, with an air of finality about it. It's easy to say afterwards that you knew something was going to happen, that you predicted it and in this way had some special power over it, but when I looked out that afternoon at Clarence and his brother drinking whisky in the rain by the swimming pool that no-one ever used, I had a distinct feeling that something would be different by that evening." While some believe it to be suicide, others believe it to be murder and even begin to speculate who might be responsible for what has just taken place. Suspicions among the girls escalate and the rifts among them continue to deepen. Two more deaths occur close to the girls forcing them to consider with more urgency the damages that threaten their lives and the lives of those close to them.

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Weeping Waters / Karin Brynard

The Penguin Group (SA), South Africa 2014

360p.;

9780143539124

\$ 29.50 / HB

Inspector Albertus Beeslaar has left the ruthless city, only to have his hopes of finding peace and quiet in the Kalahari shattered by the brutal murder of artist Freddie Swarts and her adopted daughter. But Freddie's journalist sister Sara is not convinced that this was a typical farm attack. Amid a spate of stock thefts, Beeslaar must solve this high-profile crime, all the while training his two rookie partners, Ghaap and Pyl. After more murders, the disturbing puzzle grows increasingly sinister, as age-old secrets and hostilities surface, spurring the local inhabitants to violent action. No one is above suspicion, not least the mysterious Bushman farm manager and falconer, Dam. *Weeping Waters* is Maya Fowler and Isobel Dixon's translation of the Afrikaans bestseller *Plaasmoord*, a novel that peels away the layers of a landscape steeped in conflict, and hails the arrival of a bright new voice in South African crime fiction available in English.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171318>

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The Reactive / Masande Ntshanga  
Umuzi Publishers, South Africa 2014  
208p.;  
9781415207192  
\$ 22.50 / HB

In a city that has lost its shimmer, Lindanathi and his two friends Ruan and Cecelia sell illegal pharmaceuticals while chasing their next high. Lindanathi, deeply troubled by his hand in his brother's death, has turned his back on his family, until a message from home reminds him of a promise he made years before. When a puzzling masked man enters their lives, Lindanathi is faced with a decision: continue his life in Cape Town, or return to his family and to all he has left behind. Rendered in lyrical, bright prose and set in a not-so-new South Africa, The Reactive is a poignant, life-affirming story about secrets, memory, chemical abuse and family, and the redemption that comes from facing what haunts us most.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171319>

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A Bullet in the Back : The 1914 Afrikaner Rebellion / Nigel Fox  
Porcupine Press, South Africa 2014  
204p.;  
9781920609771  
\$ 25.00 / HB

Who killed Koos de la Rey and who captured Christiaan de Wet?

Here's a thrilling novel based on historical fact about ordinary men catapulted into uniform and driving their own cars into battle against an Afrikaner hero described as the world's greatest guerrilla leader. Told from the points of view of D H Saker, founder of Saker's garage, and Harm Oost, founder of Het Volk newspaper and head of De Wet's bodyguard, the action follows battles and chases across the Union of South Africa. Madge Fabian, a touring British actress, gets caught up in the events of the times and the magnetism of a driven Saker. At every stage, the characters in this conflict – one that could have changed the outcome of World War I – meet with unexpected reverses that have a similar impact as a bullet in the back.

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This Day / Tiah Beutement  
Modjaji Books CC, South Africa 2014  
160p.;  
9781920590598  
\$ 25.00 / HB

This day is no more significant than the one before, or the one before that. Little progress, if any, seems to be made. Yet, I keep trying, pushing, as if working towards something, even if that something cannot be named.

Loss has left Ella Spinner alone to care for her husband, Bart, who suffers from clinical depression. Their days now echo the tides: any progress made, rolls back. Yet Ella keeps pushing against the monotony. Set in Mossel Bay, Ella's day begins like any other. But on this day the minutes begin to crack allowing change to filter through. As we cheer on her tenacity, we're left asking ourselves what motivates anyone to try again.

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Do not go gentle / Futhi Ntshingila  
Modjaji Books CC, South Africa 2014  
240p.;  
9781920590505  
\$ 15.95 / HB

Life wasn't always this hard for fourteen-year-old Mvelo, who lives with her mother, Zola in the shacks on the margins of Mkhumbane township. There were good times when they lived with Siphos, Zola's lawyer boyfriend. But when the beautiful and mysterious Nonceba Hlathi arrives, Zola has to make a choice. She also has her pride. Now their social grants have been discontinued: the one for Mvelo being underage reared by a 31-year-old single mother, and the other for Zola because of her status. And there is also an elephant growing in their shack as the terrible thing that happened that night in the revival tent remains unspoken.

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Kill Baxter / Charlie Human

Umuzi Publishers, South Africa 2014

304p.;

9781415203798

\$ 34.00 / HB

The world has been massively unappreciative of sixteen-year-old Baxter Zevcenko. His bloodline may be a combination of ancient Boer mystic and giant shape-shifting crow, and he may have won an inter-dimensional battle and saved the world, but does anyone care? Frankly, no.

Instead he's packed off to Hexpoort, a magical training school that's part reformatory, part military school. It's just like Hogwarts – except with sex, drugs, and much better internet access. The problem is that Baxter sucks at magic. He's also desperately attempting to control his new ability to dreamwalk, all the while being singled out by the school's resident bully, who just so happens to be the Chosen One.

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One Midlife Crisis And A Speedo / Darrel Bristow-Bovey

Zebra Press, South Africa 2014

169p.;

9781770227460

\$ 30.00 / HB

If you don't choose your midlife crisis, your crisis will choose you.

Darrel Bristow-Bovey has tried his best to deny to himself that he's getting older, but you can't hide from the truth in the changing-room mirror. One day, surrounded by sharks on a small boat in the Indian Ocean, he suddenly realises his midlife crisis is already under way. Running a gauntlet of bucket lists, prostate examinations and sexual misadventures, Darrel sets himself a task: to follow in the footsteps of Lord Byron and the Greek hero Hercules and swim across the Dardanelles in Turkey.

The only problem is that he's old and tired and lazy and can't swim very well. One Midlife Crisis And A Speedo is a warm, witty, eventually wise journey into the terrors and absurdities and grumpy compensations of middle age that will speak to every man and woman who has ever noticed that time is ticking by faster every day.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171324>

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Nobody's Business / Thabo Jijana

Jacana Media, South Africa 2014

232p.;

9781431420292

\$ 25.00 / HB

In 2003, Thabo Jijana's father was gunned down in a scrap between rival taxi associations who had been forced to operate from a single rank. A decade later, Thabo faces up to South Africa's most violent industry to try to figure out how and why his father was murdered. In this searing first-person investigation, Thabo puts a face behind a recurrent tragedy that plagues South African workingclass communities. By speaking to the people who knew his father best he tries to fill in the blanks that are the years that have followed his father's death. He begins by trying to reconstruct the night the murder took place, but what he uncovers about the ongoing strife that has plagued government's consistent attempts to formalise this multi-million rand industry comes with more baggage than he expected.

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The Sol Plaatje European Union Poetry Anthology / Various Poets /

Jacana Media, South Africa 2014

248p.;

9781431420254

\$ 18.75 / HB

This is the fourth annual Sol Plaatje European Union Poetry Anthology, and is a compendium of the poems long-listed for the 2014 Sol Plaatje EU Poetry Award. Every year South African poets, young and old, debut or previously published, are invited to submit up to three of their poetic efforts to the Award, in any of the country's 11 official languages. The anthology seeks to publish voices in as many different languages as possible, and be one of the spaces in which these tongues are given equal space and respect. The anthology is a truly democratic as well as creative effort, in keeping with the spirit of the legendary intellectual giant, Sol Plaatje, the activist, linguist, translator, novelist, journalist and leader.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171326>

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A Hint of Blue : Bonita Goes Wild in Innocent Desire / Devendran Kumaran

Devendran Kumaran, Publish Me, New Zealand 2013

vi. 498p.

9780473266288

\$ 30.00 / PB

648 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=171336>

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Mannu's Karma: A Life in Fiji and Journey Through Many Countries / Devendran Kumaran

Devendran Kumaran, Publish Me, New Zealand 2010

xiv. 574p. ; 20cm.

9780473160807

\$ 45.00 / PB

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