

THEY ONLY COME OUT AT NIGHT

Cirque de Freak series by Darren Shan. Two boys who are best friends visit an illegal freak show, where an encounter with a vampire and a deadly spider forces them to make life-changing choices.

Companions of the Night by Vivian Vande Velde. Thrills, suspense, romance, and kidnapping - Kerry's life has taken an exciting turn since meeting bad boy vampire, Ethan Bryne.

The Darkangel Trilogy by Meredith Ann Pierce. The servant girl Aerial must choose between destroying her vampire master for his evil deeds or saving him for the sake of his beauty and the spark of goodness she has seen in him.

Evernight by Claudia Gray. Sixteen-year-old Bianca, a new girl at the sinister Evernight boarding school, finds herself drawn to another outsider, Jared, but dark forces threaten to tear them apart and destroy Bianca's entire world.

In the Forests of the Night by Amelia Atwater-Rhodes. Risika, a teenage vampire, wanders back in time to the year 1684 when, as a human, she died and was transformed against her will.

Interview with the Vampire by Anne Rice. We are in a small room with a vampire, face to face, as he speaks—as he pours out the hypnotic, shocking, and moving confessions of his first two hundred years as one of the living dead.

My Swordhand is Singing by Marcus Sedgwick. In the dangerous dark of winter in a seventeenth century European village, Peter learns from a gypsy girl that the Shadow Queen is behind the recent murders and reanimations, and his father's secret past may hold the key to stopping her.

Peeps by Scott Westerfeld. Cal Thompson is a carrier of a parasite that causes vampirism, and must hunt down all of the girlfriends he has unknowingly infected.

Prom Nights from Hell An exciting collection of stories by best-selling authors take bad prom nights to a whole new level - a paranormally bad level.

The Silver Kiss by Annette Curtis Klause. A mysterious teenage boy harboring a dark secret helps Zoë come to terms with her mother's terminal illness.

Tantalize by Cynthia Leitich Smith. Multiple murders threaten the re-opening of her family's vampire-themed restaurant and Quincie worries that her best friend-turned-love interest, Keiren, a werewolf-in-training, may be the prime suspect.

Twilight Saga by Stephanie Meyer. When seventeen-year-old Bella leaves Phoenix to live with her father, she meets an exquisitely handsome boy at school and comes to realize is not wholly human.

Vampire High by Doug Rees. Cody and his family move to New Sodom, Massachusetts and he enters Vlad Dracul Magnet School. Many things seem strange, from the dark-haired, pale-skinned, supernaturally strong students to Charon, the wolf who guides him around campus on the first day.

BYTE ME!

Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep, by Philip K. Dick. By 2021, the World War had killed millions, driving entire species into extinction and sending mankind off-planet. Rick Deckard is a bounty hunter who hunts rogue androids. But once cornered, the androids tend to fight back, with deadly results.

Eager by Helen Fox. Unlike Grumps, their old-fashioned robot, the Bell family's new robot, Eager, is programmed to not merely obey but to question, reason, and exercise free will.

Feed by M.T. Anderson. Teenagers Titus and Violet live in a future where corporations define the lives of Americans and it's common for parents to endow their newborns with the Feed - a minicomputer implanted in their heads.

Neuromancer by William Gibson. Case had been the sharpest data-thief in the business, until vengeful former employers crippled his nervous system. But now a new and very mysterious employer recruits him for a last-chance run.

Virtual Destruction by Nick Baron. Previewing a new virtual reality game, Marc McClaren is alarmed when he starts to have bizarre nightmares. Then his friends begin to die in strange accidents.

The Virtual War by Gloria Skurzynski. In a future world where global contamination has necessitated limited human contact, three young people with unique genetically engineered abilities are teamed up to wage a war in virtual reality.

BITING EDGE

Being by Kevin Brooks. It was just supposed to be a routine exam. But when the doctors snake the fiber-optic tube down Robert Smith's throat, what they discover are plastic casings, silver filaments, and moving metal parts. Armed with a tape of his strange organs, he escapes, and embarks on an odyssey to find out exactly who—exactly what—he is.

Give a Boy a Gun by Todd Strasser. Sick of being bullied, Gary and Brendan hatch a terrible plan to put an end to it.

Kerosene by Chris Wooding. Cal has a fascination with fire, but things begin to spiral out of control when he meets Abby. Suddenly, matches are no longer enough, and Cal hatches a plan so glorious it could set the world alight.

Kissing Doorknobs by Terry Spencer Hesser. Fourteen-year-old Tara describes how her increasingly strange compulsions begin to take over her life and affect her relationships with her family and friends.

Smack by Melvin Burgess. Gemma and Tar run away from home, and fall into the trap of heroin addiction.

Stone Cold by Pete Hautman. Sixteen-year-old Denn finds himself alienating both friends and family when he becomes obsessed with playing high-stakes poker with adult gamblers.

Twisted by Laurie Halse Anderson. 17 year old Tyler enjoys his tough reputation and the attentions of a popular girl, but when life starts to go bad again, he must choose between transforming himself or giving in to his destructive thoughts.

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REALITY BITES

The Burn Journals by Brent Runyon.

In 1991, fourteen-year-old Brent Runyon came home from school, doused his bathrobe in gasoline, put it on, and lit a match. His physical recovery was a complicated journey from near-death back to high school, and from suicide back to the emotional mainstream of life.

Go Ask Alice by Anonymous.

A fifteen-year-old drug user chronicles her daily struggle to escape the pull of the drug world.

Gunstories : Life-changing Experiences with Guns by Beth S. Atkin.

A series of evocative and stirring interviews and photographs, presenting an array of teens who candidly share the mixed consequences of guns in their lives. Told in their own voices.

Please Don't Kill the Freshman

by Zoe Trope. In this wickedly intelligent and poetically wise memoir written from the trenches of high school, Trope reminds readers that adolescence is a time of rare clarity, emergent self-awareness, and heartrending hope.

Smashed: Story of a Drunken Girlhood

by Koren Zailckas.
From earliest experimentation to full-blown abuse, 24-year-old Zailckas leads readers through her experience of binge drinking in this cautionary tale.

Wasted: A Memoir of Anorexia and Bulimia by Marya Hornbacher.

A vivid and emotionally wrenching memoir of the author's lifelong love affair with bulimia and anorexia.

BITING SATIRE

Animal Farm by George Orwell.

A satire on totalitarianism in which farm animals overthrow their human owner and set up their own government.

Discworld series by Terry Pratchett.

Discworld is a flat disc sitting on top of four huge elephants which are in turn standing on the back of an enormous turtle as it slowly swims through space. This series of 36 books satirizes and parodies current cultural, technological and scientific issues.

Ghostgirl by Tonya Hurley

After dying, high school senior Charlotte Usher is as invisible to nearly everyone as she always felt, but despite what she learns in a sort of alternative high school for dead teens, she clings to life while seeking a way to go to the Fall Ball with the boy of her dreams.

TEEN

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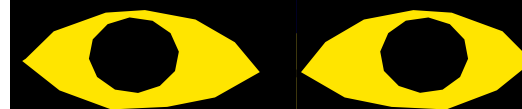
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