

Top 300 mystery titles that have been checked out, WALIS-system-wide, in the past year.

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1	Hope to die: the return of Alex Cross	Patterson, James	374
2	Top secret twenty-one: a Stephanie Plum novel	Evanovich, Janet	325
3	Burn	Patterson, James	321
4	The burning room	Connelly, Michael	286
5	Private India: city on fire	Patterson, James	261
6	Deadline	Sandford, John	259
7	The job: a novel	Evanovich, Janet	254
8	Private Vegas	Patterson, James	245
9	Private down under	Patterson, James	238
10	NYPD red 3	Patterson, James	222
11	Motive: an Alex Delaware novel	Kellerman, Jonathan	186
12	Gathering prey	Sandford, John	184
13	Insatiable appetites	Woods, Stuart	182
14	Flesh and blood: a Scarpetta novel	Cornwell, Patricia	179
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16	14th deadly sin	Patterson, James	174
17	Obsession in death	Robb, J.D.	164
18	Unlucky 13	Patterson, James	160
19	Paris match	Woods, Stuart	152
20	Festive in death	Robb, J.D.	148
21	Personal: a Jack Reacher novel	Child, Lee	146
22	Betrayed: a Rosato & Associates novel	Scottoline, Lisa	143
23	Hot pursuit	Woods, Stuart	132
24	Endangered	Box, C.J.	132
25	Crash & burn	Gardner, Lisa	127
26	Dear daughter: a novel	Little, Elizabeth	121
27	The Golem of Hollywood	Kellerman, Jonathan	120
28	Murder 101: a Decker Lazarus novel	Kellerman, Faye	118
29	Field of Prey	Sandford, John	117
30	The secret place	French, Tana	113
31	Private L.A.	Patterson, James	112
32	The silkworm	Galbraith, Robert	111
33	Bones never lie : a novel	Reichs, Kathy	110
34	NYPD red 2	Patterson, James	109
35	Takedown twenty: a Stephanie Plum novel	Evanovich, Janet	109
36	The stranger	Coben, Harlan	106
37	The Cinderella murder: an Under Suspicion novel	Clark, Mary Higgins	106
38	Cut and thrust	Woods, Stuart	104
39	The chase	Evanovich, Janet	104
40	Die again: a Rizzoli & Isles novel	Gerritsen, Tess	97
41	The Handsome Man's De Luxe Cafe;: No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency	Smith, Alexander McCall	95
42	Robert B. Parker's Blind spot	Farrel Coleman, Reed	95
43	X	Grafton, Sue	93
44	Stone cold	Box, C.J.	90

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45	Raging Heat	Castle, Richard	89
46	Fear nothing: a novel	Gardner, Lisa	88
47	Big little lies	Moriarty, Liane	87
48	Wicked charms: a Lizzy and Diesel novel	Evanovich, Janet	85
49	Double fudge brownie murder: a Hannah Swensen mystery with recipes	Fluke, Joanne	85
50	The long way home: a Chief Inspector Gamache novel	Penny, Louise	84
51	Kickback	Atkins, Ace	83
52	Unlucky 13	Patterson, James	81
53	Private down under	Patterson, James	81
54	Alert: a Michael Bennett novel	Patterson, James	78
55	Remains of innocence	Jance, J.A.	78
56	W is for wasted	Grafton, Sue	78
57	Death of a liar	Beaton, M.C.	77
58	Shots fired: stories from Joe Pickett Country	Box, C.J.	77
59	Killer: an Alex Delaware novel	Kellerman, Jonathan	77
60	Cross my heart	Patterson, James	77
61	Naked greed	Woods, Stuart	74
62	Truth be told	Phillippi Ryan, Hank	73
63	Solitude creek: a Kathryn Dance novel	Deaver, Jeffery	72
64	Dick Francis's Damage: a novel of suspense	Francis, Felix	72
65	Top secret twenty-one: a Stephanie Plum novel	Evanovich, Janet	72
66	The monogram murders: the new Hercule Poirot mystery	Hannah, Sophie	70
67	Hush hush: a Tess Monaghan novel	Lippman, Laura	67
68	The blood of an Englishman: an Agatha Raisin mystery	Beaton, M.C.	67
69	Murder at the Brightwell	Weaver, Ashley	66
70	NYPD red	Patterson, James	65
71	A dangerous place	Winspear, Jacqueline	65
72	Moriarty: a novel	Horowitz, Anthony	65
73	Invisible	Patterson, James	65
74	Windigo Island: a novel	Kent Krueger, William	65
75	Cop Town: a novel	Slaughter, Karin	65
76	A fine summer's day: an Inspector Ian Rutledge mystery	Todd, Charles	64
77	Every fifteen minutes	Scottoline, Lisa	63
78	The stone wife: a Peter Diamond investigation	Lovesey, Peter	63
79	The dead will tell	Castillo, Linda	63
80	Carnal curiosity	Woods, Stuart	63
81	The skin collector: a Lincoln Rhyme novel	Deaver, Jeffery	62
82	Touch & go	Gardner, Lisa	61
83	Alex Cross, run	Patterson, James	61
84	Pride v. prejudice: a Claire Malloy mystery	Hess, Joan	61
85	Winter at the door: a novel	Graves, Sarah	61
86	Gossamer ghost	Childs, Laura	61
87	Never go back: a Jack Reacher novel	Child, Lee	61
88	Notorious nineteen: a Stephanie Plum novel	Evanovich, Janet	60
89	As chimney sweepers come to dust: a Flavia de Luce novel	Bradley, Alan	60
90	The laws of murder	Finch, Charles	60
91	Cold betrayal: an Ali Reynolds novel	Jance, J.A.	59
92	11th hour	Patterson, James	58

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93	Proof positive: a Joe Gunther novel	Mayor, Archer	58
94	Missing you	Coben, Harlan	58
95	Silken prey	Sandford, John	57
96	Still life	Penny, Louise	57
97	Once upon a grind	Coyle, Cleo	57
98	The edge of dreams	Bowen, Rhys	57
99	The nightingale before Christmas	Andrews, Donna	57
100	The heist: a novel	Evanovich, Janet	56
101	Angel Court affair: a Charlotte and Thomas Pitt novel	Perry, Anne	56
102	Concealed in death	Robb, J.D.	56
103	Scorched eggs	Childs, Laura	55
104	The cuckoo's calling	Galbraith, Robert	55
105	One for the money	Evanovich, Janet	54
106	Bittersweet	Wittig Albert, Susan	54
107	I've got you under my skin	Clark, Mary Higgins	54
108	Ghost wanted	Hart, Carolyn	53
109	Paw and order: a Chet and Bernie mystery	Quinn, Spencer	53
110	The forsaken	Atkins, Ace	53
111	Private Berlin	Patterson, James	52
112	The chocolate clown corpse: a chocoholic mystery	Carl, JoAnna	52
113	The burning room	Connelly, Michael	52
114	To dwell in darkness	Crombie, Deborah	52
115	Bad country: a novel	McKenzie, CB	51
116	Designated daughters	Maron, Margaret	51
117	Private London	Patterson, James	50
118	Private	Patterson, James	50
119	A Demon Summer	Malliet, G.M.	50
120	Private. #1 suspect: a novel	Patterson, James	49
121	Darned if you do	Ferris, Monica	49
122	Summer of the dead	Keller, Julia	49
123	Hounded	Rosenfelt, David	49
124	Kill 'em with cayenne	Oust, Gail	48
125	Garden of lies	Quick, Amanda	47
126	The counterfeit heiress	Alexander, Tasha	47
127	The Marco Effect: a Department Q novel	Adler-Olsen, Jussi	47
128	The gods of guilt	Connelly, Michael	47
129	A fatal grace	Penny, Louise	46
130	Ming tea murder	Childs, Laura	46
131	Aunt Dimity and the summer king	Atherton, Nancy	46
132	The alpine zen: an Emma Lord mystery	Daheim, Mary	46
133	The cat sitter's whiskers	Clement, Blaize & John	46
134	Burn	Patterson, James	46
135	Stone cold	Box, C.J.	46
136	Blood on the water: a William Monk novel	Perry, Anne	46
137	Private games: a novel	Patterson, James	45
138	Don't go home	Hart, Carolyn	45
139	Festive in death	Robb, J.D.	45
140	The bishop's wife	Ivie Harrison, Mette	45

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141	Death stalks Door County: a Dave Cubiak Door County mystery	Skalka, Patricia	45
142	Mistress	Patterson, James	45
143	12th of never	Patterson, James	44
144	10th anniversary	Patterson, James	44
145	Toured to death	Conrad, Hy	44
146	Dry bones: a Walt Longmire mystery	Johnson, Craig	44
147	The ghost fields: a Ruth Galloway mystery	Griffiths, Elly	44
148	The fall: a novel	Lescroart, John	44
149	Killer gourmet	McKeveett, G.A.	44
150	Broadchurch	Kelly, Erin	44
151	Ice shear: a novel	Cooley, M.P.	44
152	Dead lil' hustler: a loon lake mystery	Houston, Victoria	44
153	The skeleton road	McDermid, Val	44
154	Her last whisper: a novel	Robards, Karen	44
155	Deserves to die	Jackson, Lisa	44
156	The wolf in winter: a Charlie Parker thriller	Connolly, John	44
157	Worst case: a novel	Patterson, James	43
158	Tail Gait: a Mrs. Murphy Mystery	Mae Brown, Rita	43
159	Let sleeping dogs lie: a novel	Mae Brown, Rita	43
160	French pastry murder: a Lucy Stone mystery	Meier, Leslie	43
161	An unwilling accomplice	Todd, Charles	43
162	A little night murder: a Blackbird sisters mystery	Martin, Nancy	43
163	Blackberry pie murder	Fluke, Joanne	43
164	Step on a crack: a novel	Patterson, James	42
165	Rock with wings	Hillerman, Anne	42
166	Soul of discretion : a chief superintendent Simon Serrailer myster	Hill, Susan	42
167	Tradition of deceit: a Chloe Ellefson mystery	Ernst, Kathleen	42
168	Ho-ho-homicide	Dunnett, Kaitlyn	42
169	Flesh and blood: a Scarpetta novel	Cornwell, Patricia	42
170	The big finish	W. Hall, James	42
171	Bryant & May and the bleeding heart: a peculiar crimes unit mystery	Fowler., Christopher	42
172	Private Vegas	Patterson, James	42
173	Malice	Higashino, Keigo	42
174	Personal: a Jack Reacher novel	Child, Lee	42
175	Queen of hearts	Bowen, Rhys	42
176	The bone orchard	Doiron, Paul	42
177	Don't talk to strangers: a novel	Kyle, Amanda	42
178	Breaking point	Box, C.J.	41
179	A murder of magpies	Flanders, Judith	41
180	The forgotten girls	Blaedel, Sara	41
181	Destroyer angel: an Anna Pigeon novel	Barr, Nevada	41
182	Gone	Patterson, James	41
183	Explosive eighteen: a Stephanie Plum novel	Evanovich, Janet	40
184	Gone tomorrow: a Reacher novel	Child, Lee	40
185	The 8th confession	Patterson, James	40
186	Bad luck and trouble: a Jack Reacher novel	Child, Lee	40
187	Badlands: a novel	Box, C.J.	40
188	Blood on snow: a novel	Nesbo, Jo	40

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189	In the company of Sherlock Holmes: stories inspired by the Holmes c	King, Laurie R.	40
190	Dreaming spies: a novel of suspense featuring Mary Russell and Sher	King, Laurie R.	40
191	Five	Archer, Ursula	40
192	The body snatchers affair	Muller, Marcia	40
193	A New York Christmas: a novel	Perry, Anne	40
194	Jane and the twelve days of Christmas: being a Jane Austen mystery	Barron, Stephanie	40
195	Close to the bone	Black, Lisa	40
196	Night of the white buffalo	Coel, Margaret	40
197	3rd degree: a novel	Patterson, James	39
198	1st to die: a novel	Patterson, James	39
199	Angels flight: a novel	Connelly, Michael	39
200	The tomb in Turkey	Brett, Simon	39
201	Want you dead	James, Peter	39
202	One Kick: a novel	Cain, Chelsea	39
203	Storm Front	Sandford, John	39
204	Cross	Patterson, James	38
205	Four to score	Evanovich, Janet	38
206	The scam: a Fox and O'Hare novel	Evanovich, Janet	38
207	And sometimes I wonder about you: a Leonid McGill mystery	Mosley, Walter	38
208	NYPD red 3	Patterson, James	38
209	One mile under: a Ty Hauck novel	Gross, Andrew	38
210	Only the dead	Sundstol, Vidar	38
211	Darkness, darkness	Harvey, John	38
212	Seventh grave and no body	Jones, Darynda	38
213	NYPD red 2	Patterson, James	38
214	Dust	Cornwell, Patricia	38
215	V is for vengeance	Grafton, Sue	37
216	High five	Evanovich, Janet	37
217	Purl up and die	Sefton, Maggie	37
218	Thin air	Cleeves, Ann	37
219	The blood of an Englishman: an Agatha Raisin mystery	Beaton, M.C.	37
220	The breaking point: a Body Farm novel	Bass, Jefferson	37
221	Eyes on you: a novel of suspense	White, Kate	37
222	Without warning	Rosenfelt, David	37
223	Moving Target: a novel	Jance, J.A.	37
224	King and Maxwell	Baldacci, David	37
225	How the light gets in	Penny, Louise	37
226	The black box: a novel	Connelly, Michael	36
227	Merry Christmas, Alex Cross	Patterson, James	36
228	A fatal winter: a Max Tudor novel	Malliet, G.M.	36
229	I, Michael Bennett	Patterson, James	36
230	A is for alibi: a Kinsey Millhone mystery	Grafton, Sue	36
231	Three to get deadly	Evanovich, Janet	36
232	Dead Rapunzel	Houston, Victoria	36
233	Sister Eve, private eye	Hinton, Lynne	36
234	Wink of an eye	Willis, Lynn Chandler	36
235	Enter pale death	Cleverly, Barbara	36
236	Wait for signs: twelve Longmire stories	Johnson, Craig	36

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237	Vertigo 42: a Richard Jury mystery	Grimes, Martha	36
238	A wanted man: a Reacher novel	Child, Lee	35
239	A rule against murder	Penny, Louise	35
240	Heat lightning	Sandford, John	35
241	Twelve sharp	Evanovich, Janet	35
242	Time of death	Billingham, Mark	35
243	The precipice: a novel	Doiron, Paul	35
244	The missing and the dead	MacBride, Stuart	35
245	The Cinderella murder: an under suspicion novel	Clark, Mary Higgins	35
246	Murder tightly knit	Chapman, Vannetta	35
247	The Handsome Man's De Luxe Café	Smith, Alexander McCall	35
248	Of Merlot and murder: a Tangled Vines mystery	Folger, Joni	35
249	Margaret Truman's Undiplomatic murder: a capital crimes novel	Bain, Donald	35
250	Any other name: a Longmire mystery	Johnson, Craig	35
251	Death at the Door	Hart, Carolyn	35
252	I, Alex Cross	Patterson, James	34
253	The scarecrow: a novel	Connelly, Michael	34
254	Ten big ones	Evanovich, Janet	34
255	Rules of prey	Sandford, John	34
256	The body in the birches: a Faith Fairchild mystery	Hal, Katherine	34
257	Season of fear	Freeman, Brian	34
258	Star fall	Harrod-Eagles, Cynthia	34
259	Shots fired: stories from Joe Pickett Country	Box, C.J.	34
260	Dead but not forgotten: stories from the world of Sookie Stackhouse	Harris, Charlaïne.	34
261	Rose Gold: an Easy Rawlins mystery	Mosley, Walter	34
262	Death of a dog whisperer: a Melanie Travis mystery	Berens, Laurien	34
263	Murder at Mullings	Cannell, Dorothy	34
264	Identity	Thoft, Ingrid	34
265	W is for wasted	Grafton, Sue	34
266	The drop: a novel	Connelly, Michael	33
267	Cross fire	Patterson, James	33
268	The reversal: a novel	Connelly, Michael	33
269	Sizzling sixteen	Evanovich, Janet	33
270	Heat wave	Castle, Richard	33
271	U is for undertow	Grafton, Sue	33
272	To the nines	Evanovich, Janet	33
273	The burglar who counted the spoons	Block, Lawrence	33
274	After the storm	Castillo, Linda	33
275	The sweetness of life	Hochgatterer, Paulus	33
276	Breaking Creed	Kava, Alex	33
277	Last to know	Adler, Elizabeth	33
278	The Cinderella killer	Brett, Simon	33
279	Nine lives to die: a Mrs. Murphy mystery	Brown, Rita Mae	33
280	Wicked autumn: a Max Tudor novel	Malliet, G.M.	32
281	Kill Alex Cross	Patterson, James	32
282	B is for burglar	Grafton, Sue	32
283	The narrows: a novel	Connelly, Michael	32
284	The governor's wife	Harvey, Michael	32

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286	A high-end finish	Carlisle, Kate	32
287	The Lewis man	May, Peter	32
288	The night searchers	Muller, Marcia	32
289	The whole enchilada	Davidson, Diane Mott	32
290	Tick tock	Patterson, James	31
291	Lean mean thirteen	Evanovich, Janet	31
292	Mary, Mary: a novel	Patterson, James	31
293	Just one look	Coben, Harlan	31
294	Winterkill: a novel	Box, C.J.	31
295	The killing hour	Gardner, Lisa	31
296	Persuader: a Jack Reacher novel	Child, Lee	31
297	Hard eight	Evanovich, Janet	31
298	Brush back	Paretsky, Sara	31
299	The carrier	Hannah, Sophie	31
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