



July

The Gilded Age

1848-1877

What is the Gilded Age?

This month, we're going to take a look at fiction and nonfiction written or set during America's wealthiest and most corrupt time.

Fiction

- *The Alienist* by Caleb Carr
- *The Lions of Fifth Avenue* by Fiona Davis
- *A well-behaved woman: a novel of the Vanderbilts* by Therese Fowler
- *The Last Days of Night* by Graham Moore
- *The Gilded Age* by Mark Twain
- *The Age of Innocence* by Edith Wharton

Non-Fiction

- *Empty mansions: the mysterious life of Huguette Clark and the spending of a great American fortune* by Bill Dedman
- *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson
- *A Night To Remember: The Final Hours of the Titanic* by Walter Lord
- *The River of Doubt: Theodore Roosevelt's Darkest Journey* by Candice Millard
- *The woman's hour: the great fight to win the vote* by Elaine Weiss

Cape Cod

- *Where the herring run* by Dorothy Leone
- *The Cape Cod murder of 1899 : Edwin Ray Snow's punishment & redemption* by Theresa M. Barbo
- *Marconi : the man who networked the world* by Marc Raboy

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In honor of America's 250th birthday, American Tales invites us to revisit eras we know well and explore those we've never investigated. Each month offers a chance to dive into fiction and nonfiction from, about, or set in twelve distinct periods of American history.

These lists are just meant as a starting point. And pick whichever format you prefer: books, eBooks, or audiobooks!

Don't forget to get your passport stamped each month!

