

OTHER SCARY STUFF

Clay

By David Almond

YA FIC Alm

The developing relationship between teenager Davie and a mysterious new boy in town morphs into something darker and more sinister when Davie learns firsthand of the boy's supernatural powers.

Gothic! Ten Original Dark Tales

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Drawing on dark fantasy and the fairy tale as well as horror and wild humor, ten acclaimed authors pay homage to the gothic tale in wide-ranging stories of the supernatural and surreal.

Skeleton Man

By Joseph Bruchac

YA FIC Bru

After her parents disappear and she is turned over to the care of a strange "great-uncle," Molly must rely on her dreams about an old Native American story for her safety and maybe even for her life.

Loch

By Paul Zindel

YA FIC Zin

A fifteen-year-old and his sister join their father on a scientific expedition searching for enormous prehistoric creatures in a Vermont Lake, but it soon becomes obvious that the expedition's leaders aren't interested in preserving the creatures.

Something Wicked This Way Comes

By Ray Bradbury

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When an evil carnival rolls into town, two boys must face off against its leader, Mr. Dark, in a fight that will change their lives forever.

The Demonata (series)

By Darren Shan

YA FIC Sha

From the author of the *Cirque du Freak* books comes a series with 3 different protagonists who must fight demons to survive. In book one, *Lord Loss*, a teenage boy who sees the murder of his entire family must outwit not only the mental health professionals determined to cure him, but also the demonic forces only he can see.

The Maze Runner

By James Dashner

YA FIC Das

Sixteen-year-old Thomas wakes up with no memory in the middle of a maze and realizes he must work with the community in which he finds himself if he is to escape.

RECOMMENDED AUTHORS

R.L. Stine

Stephen King

Dean Koontz

Ray Bradbury

H.P. Lovecraft

Peter Straub

Richard Matheson



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NOVELS

VAMPIRES

Companions of the Night

By Vivan Vande Velde

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When Kerry helps a young man escape from a group of men who claim he is a vampire, she finds herself faced with some bizarre and dangerous choices.

In the Forests of the Night

By Amelia Atwater-Rhodes

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Risika, a teenage vampire, wanders back in time to the year 1684 when, as a human, she died and was transformed against her will.

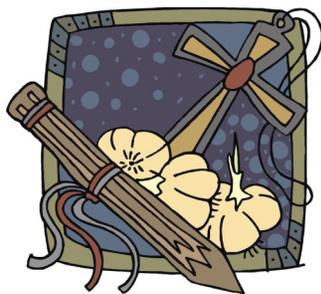
Look for Me by Moonlight

Mary Downing

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YA FIC Hah

While staying at the haunted Maine inn run by her father and pregnant stepmother, sixteen-year-old Cynda feels increasingly isolated from her father's new family and finds solace in the attentions of a charming but mysterious guest.



Sweetblood

By Pete Hautman

YA FIC Hau

After a lifetime of being a model student, Lucy Szabo is suddenly in trouble at school, at home, with the "proto-vampires" she has met online and in person, and most of all with her uncontrolled diabetes.

Thirsty

By M.T. Anderson

YA FIC And

From the moment he knows that he is destined to be a vampire, Chris thirsts for the blood of people around him while also struggling to remain human.

The Vampire Diaries (series)

By L.J. Smith

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Profiles two vampires --Damon, who is so determined to have Elena that he would kill his brother to possess her, and Stefan, who seeks the power to destroy Damon.

ZOMBIES

Forest of Hands and Teeth

By Carrie Ryan

Available through interlibrary loan

In a post-apocalyptic world, Mary must journey through a deadly forest filled with flesh-eating monsters in order to find her safe haven , the ocean.

Generation Dead

By Daniel Waters

YA FIC Wat

When dead teenagers who have come back to life start showing up at her high school, Phoebe, a goth girl, becomes interested in the phenomenon. When she starts dating a "living impaired" boy, they encounter prejudice, fear , and hatred.

You Are So Undead to Me

By Stacey Jay

YA FIC Jay

Megan is a high school student in Arkansas who can communicate with the Undead. She must team up with her childhood friend to save homecoming from an army of flesh-hungry zombies.

GHOSTS

The Haunting

By Joan Lowery Nixon

YA FIC Nix

When her mother inherits and old plantation house in the Louisianan countryside, Lia seeks to rid it of the evil spirit that haunts it.

The Presence

By Eve Bunting

While visiting her grandmother in California, seventeen-year-old Catherine comes in contact with a mysterious stranger who says he can help her contact a friend who died in a car crash for which Catherine feels responsible.

Being Dead

By Vivian Vande Velde

YA FIC Van

Seven supernatural stories, all having something to do with death.

Jade Green: A Ghost Story

By Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

YA FIC Nay

While living with her uncle in a house haunted by the ghost of a young woman, recently orphaned Judith Sparrow wonders if her one small transgression causes mysterious happenings.

