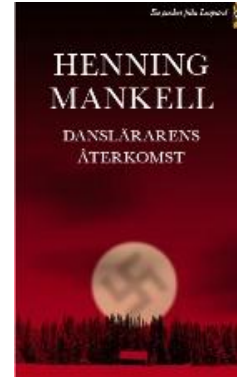
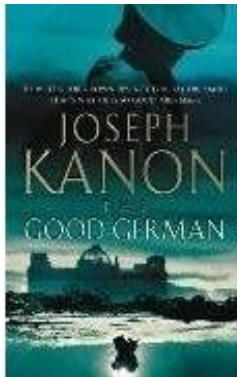


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Banks, Carla (UK)	<i>The Forest of Souls</i>	HarperCollins 2005
Bateman, Colin (N.IRE)	<u><i>The Mystery Man</i></u>*	Headline 2009
Binding, Tim (UK)	<i>Lying with the Enemy</i> (also pub. as <i>Island Madness</i>)	Picador 1998
Black, Cara (USA)	<i>Murder in the Marais</i> <i>Murder in Montmatre</i> Aimee Leduc series	Soho Press 1999 Soho Press 2006

Broderick, William (UK)	<u><i>The Sixth Lamentation*</i> (see discussion in comments section)</u> Father Anselm series	Time Warner 2004 [2003]
Brophy, Grace (US)	<i>A Deadly Paradise</i>	Soho Press 2008
Le Carré, John (UK)	<u><i>Call for the Dead*</i></u> <u><i>The Spy who Came in from the Cold*</i></u> George Smiley #1 and #3 <u><i>A Small Town in Germany*</i></u>	Penguin 2012 [1961] Penguin 2010 [1963] Sceptre 1999 [1968]
Chabon, Michael (USA)	<i>The Final Solution</i> <u><i>The Yiddish Policemen's Union*</i></u>	Harper Perennial 2008 [2005] Harper Perennial 2008 [2007]
Cook, Thomas H. (USA)	<i>Instruments of Night</i>	Bantam 1999
Crispin, Edmund (UK)	<i>Holy Disorders</i>	Vintage 2007 [1946]
Crombie, Deborah (USA)	<i>Where Memories Lie</i> Gemma James and Duncan Kincaid series #12	Macmillan 2009 [2008]
Davies, Murray (Wales, UK)	<i>The Devil's Handshake</i>	Pan Books 2003 [2002]
Deaver, Jeffrey (USA)	<i>Garden of Beasts: A Novel of Berlin</i> 1936	Hodder and Stoughton 2004
Downing, David (UK)	<i>Silesian Station</i> <i>Stettin Station</i> John Russell series #2, #3	Old Street Publishing 2008 Old Street Publishing 2009
Fesperman, Dan (USA)	<i>A Small Boat of Great Sorrows</i>	Black Swan 2004 [2003]
Fiennes, Ranulph (UK)	<i>The Secret Hunters</i>	Time Warner 2002

Forsyth, Frederick (UK)	<u>The Odessa File*</u>	Arrow 2003 [1972]
Freeling, Nicolas (UK)	<i>Not as far as Velma</i>	Penguin 1992 [1989]
George, Elizabeth (USA)	<i>A Place of Hiding</i>	Hodder and Stoughton 2003
Gilbert, Michael (UK)	<i>Death has Deep Roots</i>	Hamlyn 1985 [1951]
Harris, Robert (UK)	<u>Fatherland*</u>	Hutchinson 1992
Horn, Stephen (USA)	<i>Law of Gravity</i>	HarperTorch 2003
Janes, J. Robert (CAN)	<i>Mayhem [Mirage]</i> <i>Carousel</i> <i>Stonekiller</i> <i>Sandman</i> <i>Salamander</i> <i>Mannequin</i> <i>Beekeeper</i> <i>Kaleidoscope</i> <i>Flykiller</i> <i>Dollmaker</i> St-Cyr and Kohler series #1-10	Soho Press 1992 1994 1997 1998 1999 1999 2001 2002 2002 2003
Kanon, Joseph (USA)	<i>The Good German</i>	Time Warner, 2001
Katzenbach, John (USA)	<i>The Shadow Man</i>	Ballentine 1995
Kellerman, Faye (US)	<i>The Forgotten</i> Peter Decker/Rina Lazarus series 13 <i>Straight into Darkness</i>	Headline 2001 Headline 2005
Kelly, John (EIRE)	<u>The Polling of the Dead*</u>	Moytura Press 1993 [1968]
Kerr, Philip (UK)	<u>March Violets*</u> <u>The Pale Criminal*</u> <u>A German Requiem*</u> <i>[Berlin Noir Trilogy]</i>	Viking 1989 Viking 1990 Viking 1991

	<u><i>The One from the Other*</i></u> <u><i>A Quiet Flame*</i></u> <u><i>If the Dead Rise Not*</i></u> <u><i>Field Grey*</i></u> <u><i>Prague Fatale*</i></u> <u><i>A Man without Breath*</i></u> Bernie Gunther series #1-9	Penguin 2006 Quercus 2008 Quercus 2009 Quercus 2010 Quercus 2012 Quercus 2013
Krich, Rochelle (USA)	<i>Angel of Death</i> <i>Blood Money</i> Jessica Drake series	Mysterious Press 1994 Hodder and Stoughton 1999
LaPlante, Lynda	<i>Entwined</i>	Pan 1992
Leon, Donna (USA/ITALY)	<i>Wilful Behaviour</i> Commissario Brunetti series	Arrow Books 2003 [2002]
Levin, Ira (USA)	<u><i>The Boys from Brazil*</i></u>	Dell Publishing 1976
Logue, Mary (USA)	<i>Bone Harvest</i> Trans. Totes Wasser Claire Watkins series #4	Ballantine 2004 Fischer 2003
Mathews, Adrian (UK)	<i>Vienna Blood</i>	Jonathan Cape 1999
McDermid, Val (UK)	<i>The Last Temptation</i> Tony Hill/Carol Jordan series	HarperCollins 2003
Meade, Glenn (EIRE)	<i>Brandenburg</i>	Hodder and Stoughton 1994
Miller, Derek B. (US / NORWAY)	<u><i>Norwegian by Night*</i></u>	Faber and Faber 2013
Mills, Mark (UK)	<i>The Savage Garden</i>	HarperCollins 2007
Moore, Brian (EIRE)	<u><i>The Statement*</i> (see discussion in comments section)</u>	Flamingo 1996 [1995]
Mosley, Walter (US)	<i>Cinnamon Kiss</i> Easy Rawlins series	Phoenix 2005

Nadel, Barbara (UK)	<i>Belshazzar's Daughter</i> Inspector Ikmen series <i>After the Mourning</i> Francis Hancock series	Headline 1999 Headline 2006
Neville, Stuart (N.IRE)	<u>Ratlines*</u>	Harvill Secker 2013
Nunn, Malla	<u>A Beautiful Place to Die*</u> (Apartheid/Nazi link)	Picador 2010
O'Brien, Martin (UK)	<i>Jacquot and the Angel</i> Chief Inspector Jacquot series #1	Headline 2005
O'Connor, Gemma (EIRE)	<i>Time to Remember</i>	Bantam Books 1999
Paretsky, Sara (USA)	<i>Total Recall</i> V.I. Warshawski series	Hamish Hamilton 2001
Pastor, Ben (USA/ITALY)	<u>Lumen*</u> <i>Liar Moon</i> <i>Kaputt Mundi</i> (German only) Martin Bora series	van Neste 1999 van Neste 2001 Piper 2005 [2002]
Peters, Ellis (UK)	<i>Fallen into the Pit</i> Inspector Felse series #1	Mysterious Press 1996 [1951]
Powers, Charles (USA)	<i>In the Memory of the Forest</i>	Anchor 1997
Raab, Jonathan (USA)	<i>Rosa</i>	Crown 2005
Rankin, Ian (UK)	<i>The Hanging Garden</i> Inspector Rebus series	Orion 1998
Rusch, Kris (US)	<i>Hitler's Angel</i>	MaxCrime 2010 [1998]
Ryan, Robert (UK)	<i>Night Crossing</i>	Headline 2004
Satterthwaite, Walter (USA)	<i>Cavalcade</i> Phil Beaumont and Jane Turner series #3	St Martin's/Minotaur 2005

Silva, Daniel (USA)	<i>The English Assassin</i> <i>The Confessor</i> <i>A Death in Vienna</i> Holocaust trilogy Gabriel Allon series	Penguin 2002 Penguin 2003 Penguin 2004
Steinhauer, Olen (USA)	<i>The Bridge of Sighs</i>	Arrow 2004 [2003]
Walker, Martin (UK)	<i>Bruno, Chief of Police</i> Bruno series #1	Quercus 2009
Wilson, Robert (UK)	<i>A Small Death in Lisbon</i>	HarperCollins 1999
Zimler, Richard (USA)	<i>The Seventh Gate</i> <i>The Warsaw Anagrams</i>	Constable 2007 Corsair 2011

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Ani, Friedrich (GER)	<i>Süden und das grüne Haar des Todes</i> Tabor Süden series	Knaur 2005
Artinger, Kai (GER)	<i>Tod in Worpswede</i>	VDG 2003
Arjouni, Jakob	<u><i>Happy Birthday, Türke!*</i></u> Kayankaya series #1 <u>Contributor to 'P.I. Kemal Kayankaya', episode 11 of Radio 4 'Foreign Bodies' European crime fiction series,* presented by Mark Lawson, 5 November 2012.</u>	Diogenes 1987 [1985]
Ayoub, Susanne (AUST/IRAQ)	<i>Engelsgift</i>	Heyne 2005
Biermann, Pieke (FRG/GER)	<u><i>Violetta*</i></u>	Rotbuch 1990

Birkefeld, Richard and Göran Hachmeister (GER)	<u>Wer übrig bleibt hat recht*</u>	dtv 2004
Borrmann, Mechtild (GER)	<u>Wer das Schweigen bricht*</u>	Pendragon 2011
Bosetzky, Horst (-ky) (GER)	<i>Der kalte Engel. Kriminalroman</i> <u>Mit Feuereifer. Kappes 14. Fall. Kriminalroman</u> <u>Es geschah in Berlin series #14 (1936)</u>	dtv 2004 Jaron Verlag 2011
Buttler, Monika (GER)	<i>Dunkelzeit</i>	Gmeiner 2006
Chaplet, Anne (GER)	<i>Nichts als die Wahrheit</i> <i>Anne Burau Krimi</i> <i>Russisch Blut</i> <i>Doppelte Schuld</i> <i>Katalina Cavic series</i>	Goldmann 2004 Piper 2006 Piper 2007
von Ditzfurth, Christian (GER)	<u>Mann ohne Makel. Stachelmanns erster Fall*</u> <u>Lüge eines Lebens. Stachelmanns vierter Fall*</u> <u>Labyrinth des Zorns Stachelmanns fünfter Fall*</u> <i>Josef Maria Stachelmann series #1, #4, #5</i>	Kiepenheuer & Witsch 2004 Kiepenheuer & Witsch 2008 Kiepenheuer & Witsch 2009
Drawer, Nicole (GER)	<i>Das Echo ferner Tage. Kriminalroman</i>	Droemer/Knaur 2009
Dürrenmatt, Friedrich (SWI)	<u>Der Verdacht*</u> <u>Das Versprechen*</u> <u>with a separate review here*</u>	Diogenes 1978 [1951]

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Ernst, Christoph (GER)	<i>Kein Tag für Helden: Elbkrimi</i>	Emons 2008
Fallada, Hans (GER)	<i>Jeder stirbt für sich allein</i>	Aufbau 2008 [1947]
Fragenberg, Helmut (GER)	<i>Trümmer</i>	Emons 2001
Frei, Pierre (GER)	<i>Onkel Toms Hütte, Berlin</i>	Heyne 2003
Gercke, Doris (GER)	<i>Ein Fall mit Liebe</i> Bella Block series	Hoffman und Campe 1994
Grass, Günter (GER)	<u>Die Blechtrommel</u>*(see discussion in comments section)	Suhrkamp 1959
Gross, Rainer (GER)	<i>Grafeneck</i>	Pendragon 2007
Hammesfahr, Petra (GER)	<u>Die Sünderin</u>*	Rowohlt 1999
Heim, Uta-Maria (GER)	<i>Totschweigen</i>	Gmeiner 2007
Heinichen, Veit (GER)	<i>Die Toten vom Karst</i>	dtv 2003
Held, Wolfgang (GDR)	<i>Der Tod zahlt mit Dukaten</i>	Das Neue Berlin 1964
Hültner, Robert (GER)	<i>Inspektor Kajetan und die Betrüger</i> Inspector Kajetan series #4	btb 2003
Jelinek, Elfriede (AUST)	<u>Gier. Ein Unterhaltungsroman</u>*	Rowohlt 2000
Johannsen, Christa (GDR)	<i>Die Schattenwand</i>	DIE Reihe 1974

Kirst, Hans Hellmut (GER)	<i>Die Nacht der Generale</i> <i>Fabrik der Offiziere</i>	Desch 1962 Desch 1962
Klausner, Uwe (GER)	<u>Walhalla-Code. Kriminalroman*</u> <u>Odessa-Komplott*</u> Tom Sydow series #1, #2	Gmeiner 2009 Gmeiner 2010
Klimmek, Friedrich G. (GER)	<i>Schnee von Gestern</i>	kbv 2004
Klüpfel, Volker and Michael Kobr (GER)	<i>Seegrund. Kluftingers dritter Fall</i> Kommissar Kluftinger series #3	Piper 2008
Korn, Carmen (GER)	<i>Tod einer Gottin: Hamburg-Krimi</i> Vera Lichte series #3	Fischer 2005
Kuhn, Krystyna (GER)	<i>Wintermörder</i> Myriam Singer series #1	Goldmann 2007
Lautenbach, Birgit and Johann Ebend (GER)	<i>Totenseelen</i>	Goldmann 2008
Lippke, Mila (GER)	<i>Mehr zu fürchten als den Tod.</i>	Emons 2004
Martin, Hansjörg (FRG)	<i>Dein Mord in Gottes Ohr</i>	Rowohlt 1979
Mischke, Susanne (GER)	<i>Wer nicht hören will, muss fühlen</i>	Piper 2005
Molsner, Michael (FRG)	<i>Harakiri einer Führungskraft</i>	Rororo 1969
Neuman, Ronnith (GER/ISRAEL)	<i>Tod auf Korfu</i>	List 2007
Oberdorfer, Peter (AUST)	<i>Kreuzigers Tod</i>	dtv 2008
Pittler, Andreas (AUST)	<u>The Bronstein Series*</u> <i>Tacheles</i> <i>Ezzes</i> <i>Chutzpe</i>	Echomedia 2008 Echomedia 2009 Echomedia 2010

	<i>Tinnef</i> <i>Zores</i>	Echomedia 2011 Echomedia 2012
Ritzel, Ulrich (GER)	<i>Der Schatten des Schwans</i>	Libelle 1999
Rossmann, Eva (AUST)	<i>Freudsche Verbrechen: Mira Valensky ermittelt in Wien</i> Mira Valensky series	Folio 2001
Schenkel, Andrea Maria (GER)	<u>Tannöd*</u>	Edition Nautilus 2006
Scherfling, Gerhard (GDR)	<u>Die Zeitungsnotiz*</u>	Mitteldeutscher Verlag 1973
von Schirach, Ferdinand (GER)	<u>Der Fall Collini*</u>	Piper, 2011
Schlink, Bernhard (FRG/GER)	<u>Selbs Justiz*</u> <i>Selbs Betrug</i> <i>Selbs Mord</i> Gerhard Selb Trilogy <u>Der Vorleser* (see discussion in comments section)</u>	Diogenes 1987 Diogenes 1994 Diogenes 2003 Diogenes 1995
Schmitz, Werner (FRG)	<i>Nahtlos Braun. Krimi</i>	Grafit 1998 [1984]
Schneider, Rüdiger and Rainer Küster (GER)	<i>Der Kreis des Kopernikus</i>	Militzke 2003
Schorlau, Wolfgang (GER)	<i>Das dunkle Schweigen. Denglers zweiter Fall</i> Georg Dengler series #2	Kiepenheuer und Witsch 2005
Unger, Fred (GDR)	<i>Das verbotene Zimmer</i>	Das Neue Berlin, 1968 [1966]
Urban, Simon (GER)	<u>Plan D*</u>	Schöffler 2011

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Altvegen, Karin	<u>Shadow*</u> [Skugga]	Canongate 2009 [2007]
Binet, Laurent France	<u>HHhH*</u>	Harvill Secker 2013
Bonnot, Xavier-Marie France	<i>The Beast of the Camargue</i> [La bête du marais]	MacLehose 2009 [2004]
Bryn, Annika Sweden	<i>Die sechste Nacht</i> [Den sjätte natten]	Blanvalet 2005 [2003]
Daeninckx, Didier France	<i>Murder in Memoriam</i> [Meurtres pour mémoire] <i>Statisten</i> [Les figurants]	Serpent's Tale 1991 [1984] Assoziation A 2005 [1995]
Dahl, Kjell Ola Norway	<u>The Man in the Window* (see discussion in comments section)</u> [Mannen i vinduet] Oslo detectives series	Faber and Faber 2008 [2001]
Davidson, Leif Denmark	<i>Die guten Schwestern</i> <u>The Woman from Bratislava*</u> [De gode søstre]	Zsolnay 2004 [2001]
Dorph, Christian and Simon Pasternak Denmark	<i>Der deutsche Freund. Kriminalroman</i> [Afgrundens rand]	Suhrkamp 2009 [2007]
Guillou, Jan Sweden	<i>Der ehrenwerte Mörder</i> [Den hedervärde Mördaren] Coq-Rouge series #5	Piper 1995 [1995]
't Hart, Maarten Netherlands	<i>Das Wüten der ganzen Welt</i> [Het Woeden der Gehele Wereld]	Piper 1999 [1993]
Indriðason, Arnaldur Iceland	<i>Codex Regius</i>	Lübbe 2009

Kertész, Imre Hungary	<u>Detective Story*</u> [Detekívtörténet]	Vintage 2009 [1977]
Kohout, Pavel Czech Republic	<i>Sternstunde der Mörder</i> [Hvezdná hodina vrahu]	btb 1997 [1995]
Konop (Konopnický, Guy) France	<u>Kein Kaddisch für Sylberstein*</u> [Pas de kaddish pour Sylberstein]	Btb
Krajewski, Marek Poland	<i>Tod in Breslau</i> <i>Death in Breslau</i> [Śmierć w Breslau] <i>Festung Breslau/Fortress Breslau</i> [Festung Breslau] Kriminaldirektor Mock series #1 and #4	btb 2002 [1999] MacLehose/Quercus 2008 dtv 2009/forthcoming [2006]
Lackberg, Camilla Sweden	<u>The Hidden Child*</u> [Tyskungen]	Harper 2011 [2007]
Larsson, Åsa Sweden	<i>Until thy Wrath be Past</i> [Till dess din vrede upphör] Rebecka Martinsson series #4	MacLehose 2011
Larsson, Stieg Sweden	<u>The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo*</u> (see discussion in comments section) [Män som Hatar Kvinnor] Millennium Trilogy #1	Quercus 2008 [2005]
Lucarelli, Carlo Italy	<u>Carte Blanche (see post and discussion in comments section)*</u> [Carta Bianca] De Luca Trilogy #1	Europa Editions 2006
Mallo, Ernesto Argentina	<u>Needle in a Haystack*</u> [La aguja en el pajar] Lascano Trilogy #1	Bitter Lemon Press 2010 [2006]

Mankell, Henning Sweden	<i>Faceless Killers</i> [<i>Mördare utan ansikte</i>] Kurt Wallender series #1 <i>The Return of the Dancing Master</i> [<i>Danslärarens återkomst</i>]	Harvill 1997 [1991] Vintage 2003 [2000]
Manotti, Dominique France	<u><i>Affairs of State*</i></u> <i>Nos fantastique années fric</i> <i>Le Corps Noir</i> Not yet translated	Euro Crime 2009 [2001] Points 2006
Mulisch, Harry Netherlands	<i>The Assault</i> [<i>De Aanslag</i>]	Bezüge Bij 1982
Nesbø, Jo Norway	<u><i>The Redbreast*</i></u> [<i>Rødstrupe</i>] Harry Hole series #3	Virago 2007 [2000]
Remes, Ilkka Finland	<i>Das Erbe des Bösen</i> [<i>Pahan perimä</i>]	dtv 2008 [2007]
Varesi, Valerio Italy	<u><i>The River of Shadows*</i></u> [<i>Il fiume delle nebbie</i>]	MacLehose 2011 [2003]
Vichi, Marco Italy	<i>Die Macht der Erinnerung</i> [<i>Una brutta faccenda</i>]	Lübbe 2005 [2003]
Wetering, Janwillem van de Netherlands/US	<i>Die entartete Seesunge.</i> <i>Kriminalnovelle</i> (also pub. as <i>Der</i> <i>Freund, der keiner war</i>)	Europa 2002 Rowohlt Tb 2008

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