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ILIAD

It is the midst of the Trojan War: The gods have taken the side of the Trojans and inflicted misfortunes on the Greeks. Their great hero, Achilles, refuses to fight because his leader, Agamemnon, offends him. When Achilles's best friend dies, the warrior returns to battle and slays the Trojan hero, Hector.



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GULLIVER'S TRAVELS

Surgeon and hobby seafarer Lemuel Gulliver becomes stranded in foreign lands during four sea voyages and while there meets people, creatures and cultures unlike anything he has ever seen before.

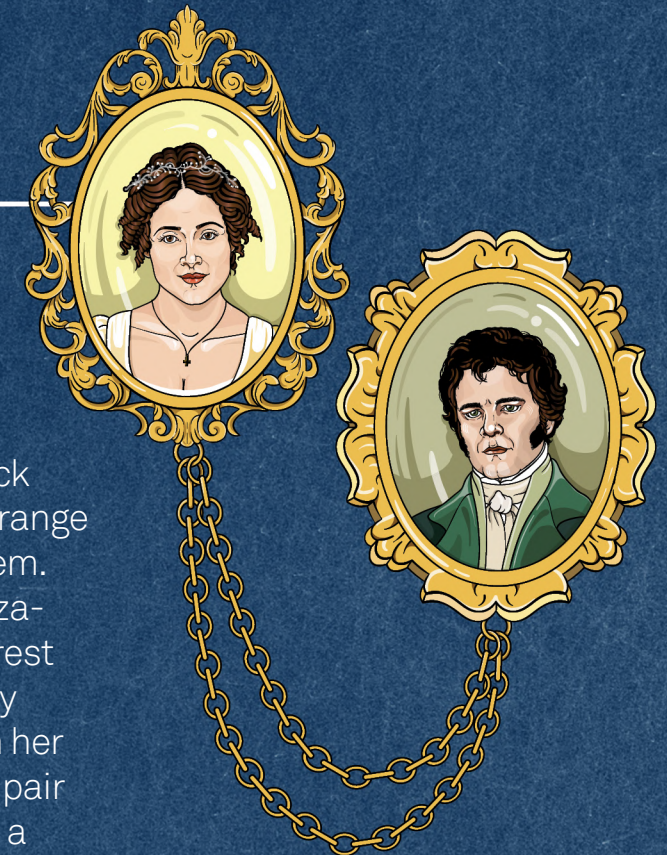


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PRIDE AND PREJUDICE

The Bennets have five daughters, but they lack sufficient means to arrange good marriages for them. The second oldest, Elizabeth, attracts the interest of the noble, fabulously wealthy Mr. Darcy with her wit and spirits, yet the pair becomes entangled in a web of class conceits, lies and misunderstandings.



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ADVENTURES OF HUCKLEBERRY FINN

The mischievous Huckleberry Finn escapes from his alcoholic and abusive father and embarks on an adventurous journey down the Mississippi River together with the runaway slave Jim.



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THE GREAT GATSBY

James Gatz ascends from humble beginnings to become a multimillionaire, rechristens himself "Jay Gatsby" and conjures up a privileged backstory. He longs for his lost love Daisy, who has married the rich but bombastic Tom Buchanan. Gatsby and Daisy begin an affair, but she hesitates to leave her husband. As the novel builds to a dramatic close, a shocking twist leaves three characters dead.

