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HOME SERVICES NEWSLETTER

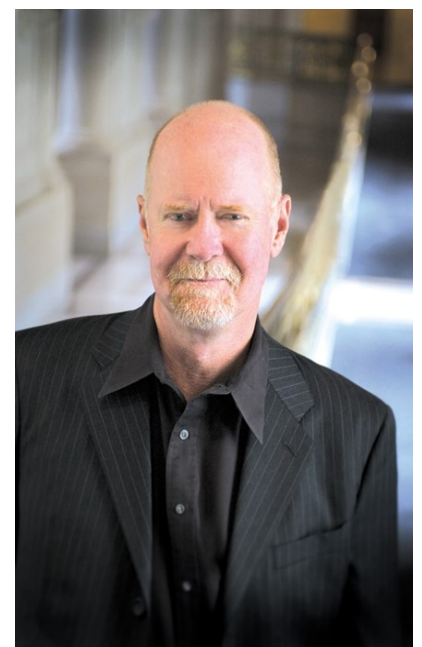
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Spotlight on John Lescroart

John Lescroart is best known for his legal and crime thriller novels. He is a *New York Times* bestselling author. His books have been translated into 16 languages in more than 75 countries. Mark Young, in the blog *Hook'em and Book'em*, states that Lescroart "has crafted a community of crime-investigating individuals--characters that stay with you long after the novel ends--who live and work in the San Francisco bay area." Larry King in *USA Today* said, "John Lescroart is one of the best thriller writers to come down the pike." *Huffington Post* feels that "the writing skills of John Lescroart are a national treasure." In addition to being an author, John Lescroart is also a music producer, musician, and professional singer. We are pleased to present his personal greeting for you below.

(Above based on John Lescroart's homepage [www.johnlescroart.com] and *Literature Resource Center* database)

"I'm thrilled to be taking part in the homebound program with the Bloomingtondale Public Library. It's wonderful to hear that my books are in demand in Illinois, as I like to think that, though I set my stories mostly in San Francisco, I am reaching a universal audience--real people in real moments of conflict; plots that resonate far beyond any single location. And of course, working within the context of libraries is always a special treat. In spite of the naysayers who say that libraries are losing their relevance in today's world, nothing could be further from the truth. Public libraries remain one of the great building blocks of any vibrant community. Thank you, Bloomingtondale, for inviting me to take part in this important outreach program-- simply one more way that libraries remain such a critical resource for all of us." --
John Lescroart



New Audio Books

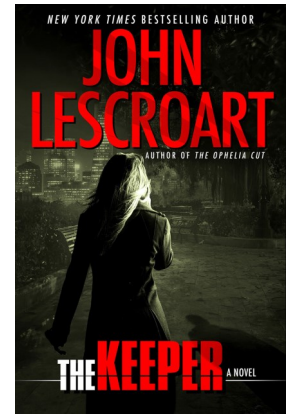
The Keeper by John Lescroart

I Am Having So Much Fun Here Without You
by Courtney Maum

Tom Clancy's Full Force and Effect by Mark Greaney

American Titan by Marc Eliot

Vanishing Grace by Philip Yancey



New Large Print Books

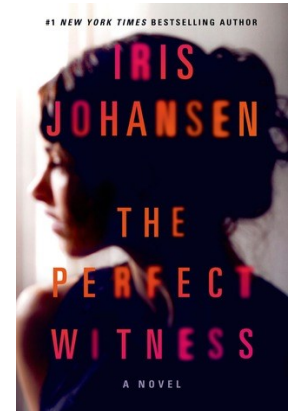
Perfect Witness by Iris Johansen

Havana Storm by Clive Cussler

Betrayed by Lisa Scottoline

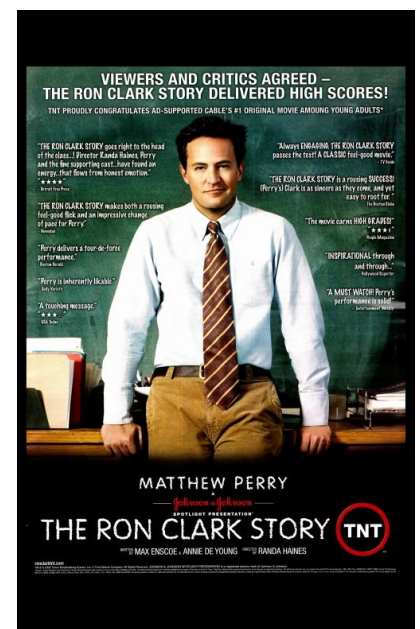
The Escape by David Baldacci

The Burning Room by Philip Yancey



Movie You May Have Missed

The Ron Clark Story - with Matthew Perry and Ernie Hudson--This drama is based on events in the life of Ron Clark, a passionate and innovative teacher who left his small town to teach in one of Harlem's toughest schools. Clark uses persistence and unconventional methods to reach his students and encourage them to reach their full potential.



Quote of the Day

“To read a book for the first time is to make an acquaintance with a new friend; to read it for a second time is to meet an old one. “ - Chinese Proverb

Homebound Services

If you are a senior without a car, physically handicapped, recovering from surgery, or limited by illness, you are entitled to receive free delivery of library materials to your home. You must be a Bloomingdale resident with a valid library card. **Contact Merrill or Brenda at 630.924.2730 for delivery.**

