

Stories That Take Place in Maine

Maine by J.Courtney Sullivan (Family Relationships)
Ernie's Ark: Stories by Monica Wood (Short Stories)
The Arrest by Jonathan Lethem (Dystopian Fiction)
The Birthdays by Heidi Pitlor (Domestic Fiction)
Empire Falls by Richard Russo (Domestic Fiction)
The Guest Book by Sarah Blake (Historical Fiction)
The Last House Guest by Megan Miranda (Thriller/ Suspense)
Evening by Susan Minot (Literary Fiction)
Freefall by Jessica Barry (Thriller)
The From-Aways by CJ Hauser (Women's Fiction)
The Funeral Makers by Cathie Pelletier (Domestic/ Family Relationships)
Lost and Found and *Picture This* by Jacqueline Sheehan (Women's Fiction)
The Love Goddess' Cooking School and *The Secret of Joy* by Melissa Senate
More Than You Know by Beth Gutcheon (Ghost Stories/ Domestic Fiction)
Stern Men by Elizabeth Gilbert (Family Relationships)
Red Ruby Heart in a Cold Blue Sea by Morgan Callan Rogers (Coming of Age)
The Second Mother by Jenny Milchman (Suspense)
Setting Free the Kites by Alex George (Psychological Fiction)
The State We're In: Maine Stories by Ann Beattie (Short Stories)
The Summertime Girls by Laura Hankin (Women's Fiction)
Water Dogs by Lewis Robinson (Psychological Fiction)
The Widow of Pale Harbor by Hester Fox (Paranormal Fiction/ Historical Fiction)
The Other Mrs. by Mary Kubica (Suspense)
Strong for Potatoes by Cynthia Thayer (Family Relationships)
The Remedy for Love by Bill Roorbach (Romance)

Authors with series or several books that take place in Maine:

Katherine Hall Page—There are a few books from her mystery series that take place in Maine. The series begins with *The Body in the Belfry*. Books set in Maine include:

- *The Body in the Basement*
- *The Body in the Lighthouse*
- *The Body in the Sleigh*
- *The Body in the Birches*
- *The Body in the Wake*

Elizabeth Strout--Literary fiction with themes of family and domestic relationships.

- *The Burgess Boys*
- *Amy and Isabelle*
- *Olive Kitteridge*
- *Olive, Again*

Barbara Ross—Ross writes the cozy *Clambake Mysteries* series. The first three books in the series are:

- *Clammed Up*
- *Boiled Over*
- *Mussled Out*

John Connolly—The Charlie Parker crime series is set *mostly* in Maine. The first three books in the series are:

- *Every Dead Thing*
- *Dark Hollow*
- *The Killing Kind*

Anne Rivers Siddons (Domestic Fiction)

- *Off Season*
- *Colony*

James Hayman—Hayman writes the *McCabe and Savage* crime series.

- *The Cutting*
- *The Chill of Night*
- *Darkness First*
- *The Girl in the Glass*
- *The Girl on the Bridge*
- *A Fatal Obsession*

Sarah Graves—Graves has three series that include Maine: the *Death by Chocolate* series, the *Lizzie Snow* series, and the *Home Repair is Homicide* series.

Death by Chocolate (first three books in this cozy mystery series)

- *Death by Chocolate Cherry Cheesecake*
- *Death by Chocolate Malted Milkshake*
- *Death by Chocolate Frosted Doughnut*

Lizzie Snow (Crime Fiction)

- *Winter at the Door*
- *The Girls She Left Behind*

Home Repair is Homicide (first three books in the series)

- *The Dead Cat Bounce*
- *Triple Witch*
- *Wicked Fix*

Carla Neggers—The Sharpe and Donovan romantic suspense series begins with the following books:

- *Saint's Gate*
- *Heron's Cove*