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“As an English teacher, it naturally gives me a thrill when a student says he or she enjoyed something we read for class. It gives me an even greater thrill to have a student excitedly tell me about a book he or she read that *wasn't* an assignment for school. We criticize America's youth a lot for watching too much television or playing too many video games, but a semester never goes by when I don't hear at least a few folks talking about reading, so I for one have faith in the power of literature to bring us together.”

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Jackie Pierce's Favorite Books

- ❖ *Water for Elephants: A Novel* by Sarah Gruen
- ❖ *The Tao of Pooh* by Benjamin Hoff
- ❖ *A Good Man is Hard to Find and other stories* by Flannery O'Connor
- ❖ *Light in August* by William Faulkner
- ❖ *A Room with a View* by E.M. Forster
- ❖ *The Remains of the Day* by Kazuo Ishiguro
- ❖ “Bartleby the Scrivener” & “Billy Budd: Sailor” by Herman Melville
- ❖ *The Ballad of the Sad Cafe and other stories* by Carson McCullers
- ❖ *A Lesson Before Dying* by Ernest J. Gaines
- ❖ *Their Eyes Were Watching God* by Zora Neale Hurston