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Recommended Reading List for Writers

Beginnings, Middles and Ends, by Nancy Kress

Bird by Bird, by Anne Lamott

Book Proposals That Sell, by W. Terry Whalin

Characters and Viewpoint, by Orson Scott Card

Christian Market Writers Guide, by Sally E. Stuart

Creating Unforgettable Characters, by Linda Seger

Dialogue, by Gloria Kempton

Do the Work, by Steven Pressfield

Fire in Fiction, by Donald Maass

Getting into Character, by Brandilyn Collins

Heroes & Heroines: Sixteen Master Archetypes, by
Cowden, LaFever, and Vidars

How to Grow a Novel, by Sol Stein

How to Write and Sell a Christian Novel, by Gilbert
Morris

On Writing: A Memoir of the Craft, by Stephen King

On Writing Well, by William Zinsser

Platform: Get Noticed in a Noisy World, by Michael
Hyatt

Plot and Structure, by James Scott Bell

Plot Versus Character: A Balanced Approach to
Writing Great Fiction, by Jeff Gerke

Police Procedure & Investigation, by Lee Lofland

Polishing the Pugs, by Kathy Ide

Quick Access, by Lynn Quitman Troyka

Revision and Self-Editing, by James Scott Bell

Save the Cat! The Last Book On Screenwriting You'll
Ever Need, by Blake Snyder

Secrets of Dynamic Communication, by Ken Davis

Self-Editing For Fiction Writers, by Renni Browne
and Dave King

Sound and Sense, by Lawrence Perrine (for poets)

Stein on Writing, by Sol Stein

Story, by Robert McKee

The Art of War for Writers, by James Scott Bell

The Elements of Style, by William Strunck and E.B.
White

The First Five Pages: A Writer's Guide to Staying Out
of the Rejection Pile, by Noah Lukeman

The Hero with a Thousand Faces, by Joseph
Campbell

The Memoir Project, by Marion Roach Smith

The Synonym Finder, by J.I. Rodale

The War of Art, by Steven Pressfield

The Writer's Journey, by Christopher Vogler

Woe is I, by Patricia T. O'Connor

Writing a Winning Non-Fiction Book Proposal
(e-book), by Michael Hyatt

Writing a Winning Fiction Book Proposal (e-book), by
Michael Hyatt

Writing For Story, by Jon Franklin

Writing for the Soul, by Jerry B. Jenkins

Writing the Breakout Novel (book and workbook), by
Donald Maass

You Can Market Your Book, by Carmen Leal

Your Life as Story, by Tristine Rainer



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