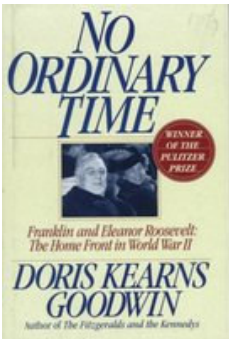


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# FOURTH TUESDAY BOOK DISCUSSION

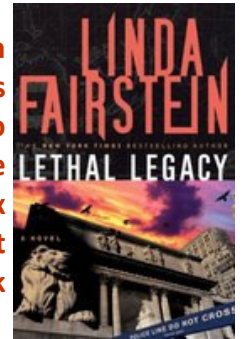
The Fourth Tuesday Book Discussion Group meets every fourth Tuesday of the month for some lively discussion of interesting books. This is a very informal group and anyone is welcome plus there are no dues and you won't get elected president or secretary if you miss a day.



The selection for July 27<sup>th</sup> is Doris Kearns Goodwin's *"No Ordinary Time: Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt: the Home Front in World War II"*. A compelling chronicle of a nation and its leaders during the period when modern America was created. With an uncanny feel for detail and a novelist's grasp of drama and depth, Doris Kearns Goodwin brilliantly narrates the interrelationship between the inner workings of the Roosevelt White House and the destiny of the United States. Goodwin paints a comprehensive, intimate portrait that fills in a historical gap in the story of our nation under the Roosevelts. Goodwin's account of the Roosevelt presidency during WWII highlights America's changing domestic front.

*"Lethal Legacy"* by Linda Fairstein is the August 24<sup>th</sup> book. In Linda Fairstein's outstanding new novel, the New York Public Library houses dazzling treasures—and deadly secrets.

When Assistant District Attorney Alex Cooper is summoned to Tina Barr's apartment on Manhattan's Upper East Side, she finds a neighbor convinced that the young woman was assaulted. But the terrified victim, a conservator of rare books and maps, refuses to cooperate with investigators. Then another woman is found murdered in that same apartment with an extremely valuable book, believed to have been stolen. As Alex pursues the murderer, she is drawn into the strange and privileged world of the Hunt family, major benefactors of the New York Public Library and passionate rare book collectors.



Eventually Alex connects their internal family rivalries to a priceless edition of *Alice in Wonderland*, which also contains the world's oldest map. Would one of the well-bred Hunts be willing to kill for the treasures? The search for the answer takes Alex and her team on a breathtaking chase from Manhattan's grandest apartments to the secret tunnels and chambers of the New York Public Library, and finally to a nineteenth-century underground vault. There, in the pitch-black darkness, Alex comes face-to-face with the killer who values money more than life.

Featuring a cast of elite, erudite, and downright eccentric characters, and a complex trail of clues that will have you guessing until the final pages, *Lethal Legacy* is Linda Fairstein's most beguiling thriller yet.  
- from *Amazon.com*

The book discussions are held every 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at 1:30 pm in the library's large study room.