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1. What is the latest book in the Women's Murder club series?

- □ Type 'women's murder club' in the Search box
- □ Click on the Search button
- □ Click on Women's Murder Club Series
- □ The last book in the series record is the most recent title

2. I like to read inspirational fiction, and prefer books that are set in recent years.

- □ Click on *Inspirational Fiction* at the left of the screen
- Click on Contemporary in the sub genre column (Note: Only book titles beginning with A will display on the current screen. Click on the letters at the top to view more titles.)

3. My book group enjoys reading food-themed novels.

- □ Click on *Expert Picks* at the top right of the page
- □ Scroll down the *Librarians' Favorites* column
- □ Click on Culinary Fiction
- Click on the Search button at the bottom
- Click on individual titles for more details

4. What books won the Alex Award this year?

- □ Click on *Award Winners* at the top right of the page
- □ Click on *Alex Awards (1998-2010)*
- □ Click on Retrieve

5. I love the book *The Thirteenth Tale* by Diane Setterfield. How can I find more books like this?

- Type 'Thirteenth Tale' in the Search box at the top
- □ Click on Search
- □ Click on *The Thirteenth Tale* (2006)
- □ Click on the agua *Read-Alikes* tab
- □ Click on individual titles for more information

- 6. I am looking for contemporary romance novels set in England.
 - □ Click on Who? What? When? Where? at the top of the page
 - □ Type 'Love' in the What/Subject search field
 - □ Type 'England' in the Where/Location search field
 - □ Type '21st Century AD' in the When/Time Period search field
 - □ At the bottom right of the screen, click the number next to *Total Overlapping Results*
- 7. A friend told me suggested a book for me to read, but all I can remember is that the main character's name is Eliza Doolittle.
 - □ Click on Advanced Search
 - □ Type 'Eliza Doolittle' in the Character Name search box
 - □ Click on Search