

Amateur Sleuths



Mystery books with amateur sleuth protagonists. Listed by author and series or title.

- Ellery Adams** – Book Retreat Mysteries series
- Lydia Adamson** – Alice Nestleton series
- Ginny Aiken** – Deadly Décor Mystery series
- Tasha Alexander** – Lady Emily series
- Donna Andrews** – Meg Langslow series
- Gretchen Archer** – Davis Way Crime Caper series
- Tessa Arlen** – Lady Montfort Mystery series
- Nevada Barr** – What Rose Forgot
- Nancy Bartholomew** – Sierra Lavotini series
- M.C. Beaton** – Agatha Raisin series
- Jennie Bentley** – Do-It-Yourself Mystery series
- Nancy Bilyeau** – Joanna Stafford series
- Janet Bolin** – Threadville Mystery series
- Dorothy Cannell** – Ellie Haskell series
- Kate Carlisle** – Bibliophile Mystery series; Fixer-Upper Mystery series
- Elizabeth Lynn Casey** – Southern Sewing Circle series
- Agatha Christie** – Miss Marple series
- Cassandra Clark** – Abbess of Meaux series
- Sheila Connolly** – Orchard series; County Cork series
- Hy Conrad** – Amy’s Travel Mystery series
- Cheryl Crane** – Nikki Harper series
- Krista Davis** – Domestic Diva series
- Jude Deveraux** – Medlar Mystery series
- Deborah Donnelly** – Carnegie Kincaid series
- Carole Nelson Douglas** – Midnight Louie series
- Carola Dunn** – Daisy Dalrymple series
- Kaitlyn Dunnett** – Liss MacCrimmon series
- Sharon Sloan Fiffer** – Jane Wheel series
- Victoria Gilbert** – Blue Ridge Library Mysteries series
- Sally Goldenbaum** – Queen Bees Quilt Shop series
- Charlaine Harris** – Aurora Teagarden series
- Carolyn G. Hart** – Death on Demand series
- B. B. Haywood** – Candy Holliday Mystery series
- Linda Howard** – Blair Mallory series
- J. A. Jance** – Ali Reynolds series
- Sharon Kahn** – Ruby, the Rabbi’s Wife series
- Gigi Pandian** – Accidental Alchemist Mystery series
- Andrea Penrose** – Wrexford & Sloane Mystery series
- Deanna Raybourn** – Veronica Speedwell series
- James Runcie** – Grantchester Mysteries series
- John Sandford** – Kidd series
- Dorothy L. Sayers** – Lord Peter Wimsey series
- Scarlett Thomas** – Lily Pascale series
- Charles Todd** – Bess Crawford series
- Wendy Tyson** – Greenhouse Mystery series
- Diane Vallere** – Mad for Mod series
- Ashley Weaver** – Amory Ames Mystery series
- Nina Wright** – Whiskey Mattimoe Mystery series