

Reading List

There are many suggestions for what to read to learn more about the Lewis and Clark Expedition. The following list is designed to look more at putting Lewis and Clark in context of what else was going on in the world at the time of the Expedition and to give some insight to why they did what they did and went where they went:

- “American Sphinx; the character of Thomas Jefferson” by Joseph J. Ellis. 1998, Vintage Books
- “Arts of Diplomacy; Lewis and Clark’s Indian Collection” by Castle McLaughlin. 2003, University of Washington Press
- “Astoria and Empire” by James P. Ronda. 1990, University of Nebraska Press
- “Buffalo Dance; the journey of York” by Frank Walker. 2004, University Press of Kentucky
- “By His Own Hand; the mysterious death of Meriwether Lewis” edited by John D.W. Guice. 2006, Oklahoma University Press
- “Dear Brother; Letters of William Clark to Jonathan Clark” edited by James J. Holmberg. 2002, The Filson Historical Society
- “Do Them No Harm” by Zoa L. Swayne. 1990, Legacy House Inc
- “Fate of the Corps; what became of the Lewis and Clark explorers after the expedition” by Larry Morris. 2005, Yale University Press
- “First Across the Continent; Sir Alexander MacKenzie” by Barry Gough. 1997, University of Oklahoma Press
- “Lewis and Clark Across the Divide” by Carolyn Gillman. 2003, Smithsonian
- “Prologue to Lewis and Clark; the Mackay and Evans expedition” by W. Raymond Wood. 2003, University of Oklahoma Press
- “Southern Counterpart to Lewis and Clark; the Freeman and Custis Expedition of 1806” by Dan L. Flores. 1984, University of Oklahoma Press
- “Tailor Made, Trail Worn” by Robert Moore. 2003, Farcountry Press
- “Waiting for Lewis and Clark” by David Sarashon. 2005, Oregon Historical Society
- “The Great Acquisition” by Peter Kastor. 2003, Lewis and Clark Interpretive Association