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**Three Seconds** by Anders Roslund and Börge Hellström

Authors Roslund and Hellström have succeeded Henning Mankell and Steig Larsson as the heirs-apparents of Swedish crime fiction. Anyone who has viewed the **Masterpiece Mystery** productions of Mankell's Inspector Wallander crime novels or read his books involving the Wallander character may decide to move on in this genre to these newer authors. In **Three Seconds**, Swedish police officer operative in Piet Hoffman infiltrates the Polish mafia in an attempt to investigate its amphetamine distribution takeover plot in Swedish prisons. To do so, Hoffman must pose as a prisoner. When a botched deal occurs in this scenario, Detective Inspector Ewert Grens begins an investigation which threatens Hoffman's tenuous position and hints at crooked power plays at the highest level. Just who is involved in this tangled web?

## Haven't Read Wallander Yet?

**Faceless Killers**  
by Henning Mankell

Follow Detective Kurt Wallander and his team on a hunt for whoever killed a Swedish farmer and his wife. His investigation begins with one mysterious whispered word from the dying woman's mouth - "foreign".

MYSTERY  
MANKELL H

## Want Foreign Mystery Cozies?

**In the Company of Cheerful Ladies**  
by Alexander McCall Smith

Precious Ramotswe, Bostwanan sleuth extraordinaire and newly married, must deal with the arrival of a visitor who forces her to confront a secret from her past - all against a backdrop of strange and madcap occurrences.

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## Like Mysteries with Animals?

**Break In**  
by Dick Francis

Welsh mystery writer Francis began his Kit Fielding series with this title. Fielding is a steeple-chase jockey who investigates who filed a false and damning financial report against his sister & brother-in-law before they go bankrupt.

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FRANCIS D

## Prefer Foreign Mystery Classics?

**4:50 from Paddington**  
by Agatha Christie

Jane Marple, the superb senior sleuth created by British writer Dame Agatha Christie, is on the case, ferreting out the murderer of a woman on the 4:50 train from Paddington Station. She enlists a friend to help.

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## Like Otherworldly Mysteries?

**Dead Until Dark**  
by Charlaine Harris

This mystery introduces Sookie Stackhouse, a Louisiana cocktail waitress who is psychic to boot. She manages to attract the attention of a vampire. When one of her co-workers is killed, she fears she's next in line!

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HARRIS C

## Like Classic American Mysteries?

**The Big Sleep**  
by Raymond Chandler

Private Eye Phillip Marlowe is hired to investigate a blackmail case, but ends up on the run from a gang, multiple murders, and the district attorney's office. This is a high-octave & hard-boiled classic treat!

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