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Note: Titles are DVDs unless otherwise noted.

Agatha Christie's Poirot, Season 1:

Now remastered & in original U.K. broadcast order.

As seen on PBS's Masterpiece Mystery! Agatha Christie's Poirot Series 1 features these 50 minute short stories:

- 1 1-01 08/Jan/89 The Adventure of the Clapham Cook
- 2 1-02 15/Jan/89 Murder in the Mews
- 3 1-03 22/Jan/89 The Adventure of Johnnie Waverly
- 4 1-04 29/Jan/89 Four and Twenty Blackbirds
- 5 1-05 05/Feb/89 The Third Floor Flat
- 6 1-06 12/Feb/89 Triangle at Rhodes
- 7 1-07 19/Feb/89 Problem at Sea
- 8 1-08 26/Feb/89 The Incredible Theft
- 9 1-09 05/Mar/89 The King of Clubs
- 10 1-10 19/Mar/89 The Dream"

Patron requested set.

Agatha Christie's Poirot, Season 2:

Agatha Christie's Poirot series 2 (50 minutes unless noted)

- 11 2-01 07/Jan/90 Peril at End House (2-hour episode)
- 12 2-02 14/Jan/90 The Veiled Lady
- 13 2-03 21/Jan/90 The Lost Mine
- 14 2-04 28/Jan/90 The Cornish Mystery
- 15 2-05 04/Feb/90 The Disappearance of Mr. Davenheim
- 16 2-06 11/Feb/90 Double Sin
- 17 2-07 18/Feb/90 The Adventure of the Cheap Flat
- 18 2-08 25/Feb/90 The Kidnapped Prime Minister
- 19 2-09 04/Mar/90 The Adventure of the Western Star

Patron requested set.

Americans, Season 2:

One of television's most exhilarating series, *The Americans*, returns for Season 2 - with more danger, more intrigue and more steamy alliances. Technological advances have escalated Cold War tensions to an all-time high, and undercover KGB operatives Elizabeth and Philip Jennings (Keri Russell and Matthew Rhys) face the growing threat of discovery. As their assignments grow more deadly, their family is in more danger, and their loyalties are tested like never before in this thrilling series. Patron requested set.

Bates Motel, Season 1:

From the producers of *Lost* and *Friday Night Lights* comes a modern day prequel to the iconic horror film *Psycho*. After finding his father dead, teenager Norman Bates (Freddie Highmore, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*) and his mother, Norma (Academy Award nominee Vera Farmiga), purchase a motel and move to White Pine Bay in search of a new life, but they soon discover this idyllic seaside town hides some deadly secrets. Unable to trust anyone but each other, the two indulge in a deeply twisted relationship that raises the question: does mother really know best? Watch every episode back-to-back and uninterrupted of the murderously suspenseful drama that tells the story behind one of the most iconic characters in movie history.

Requested title.

Carol:

CAROL follows two women from very different backgrounds who find themselves in an unexpected love affair in 1950s New York. As conventional norms of the time challenge their undeniable attraction, an honest story emerges to reveal the resilience of the heart in the face of change. A young woman in her 20s, Therese Belivet (Rooney Mara), is a clerk working in a Manhattan department store and dreaming of a more fulfilling life when she meets Carol (Cate Blanchett), an alluring woman trapped in a loveless, convenient marriage. As an immediate connection sparks between them, the innocence of their first encounter dims and their connection deepens. While Carol breaks free from the confines of marriage, her husband (Kyle Chandler) begins to question her competence as a mother as her involvement with Therese and close relationship with her best friend Abby (Sarah Paulson) come to light. Carol is directed by Todd Haynes and written by Phyllis Nagy with moving performances from Cate Blanchett, Rooney Mara, Sarah Paulson, Kyle Chandler, Jake Lacy and Cory Michael Smith.

Good Witch Collection:

The Good Witch's Garden - Cassie has settled into Middleton and is busy making a home of Grey House. Her boyfriend, Sheriff Jake Russell, and his kids are happy to have Cassie in the neighborhood, but she has yet to gain the trust of some people in town.

Good Witch's Gift - Cassandra Nightingale always has a few tricks up her sleeve, but is surprised when her handsome sweetheart, Police Chief Jake Russell, proposes.

The Good Witch's Family - Life is going well for Cassie as a wife and stepmom, but evil soon blows into town in the form of Cassie's long-lost cousin Abigail who whips up wickedness like a tornado.

The Good Witch's Charm - Good Witch Cassie Nightingale is back to her bewitching ways, but this time she is also juggling a newborn daughter and her job as town Mayor. Requested title.

Great American Woodlots:

Offers practical help to small woodlot owners, fosters a sense of husbandry and stewardship for forestland, illustrates the role of the forestry professional, demonstrates practical uses for the woodlot in terms of income and recreation, emphasizes the forest as potential wildlife habitat, and surveys some of the larger issues in the future of forests. Requested title.

Happy Valley, Season 1 (BBC):

In a magnificent role written specifically for her, Sarah Lancashire (Last Tango in Halifax, The Paradise) shines as Catherine Cawood, a hard-working, earthy police sergeant who strides her beautiful patch of Yorkshire like a grown-up. Catherine's work and personal life are already complicated in crime-riddled Happy Valley when Tommy Lee Royce wanders into town, freshly released from prison. Was he responsible for Catherine's daughter's death, as she believes? And will her suspicion cloud her judgment when another young girl goes missing? A superb, award-winning BBC hit with a dynamite cast and six finely wrought episodes, from one of Britain's best writers, Sally Wainwright (Last Tango in Halifax, Scott & Bailey).

It's Always Sunny In Philadelphia, Season 4:

Step up to the bar at Paddy's Pub and brace yourself for a shot of outrageous fun! Paddy's may be the worst bar in Philadelphia, but the gang there sure knows how to party. Whether it's Dee and Charlie's flirtation with cannibalism, Frank's glory-hole fixation, or Mac's raucous reenactment of Dennis's over-the-top sexual memoirs, nothing is sacred for these dysfunctional misfits as they hilariously destroy all possible boundaries of good taste. This set includes every episode of Season 4, including the hilarious musical finale: "The Nightman Cometh. Requested title.

Lafayette in the Somewhat United States Audiobook on CD:

From the bestselling author of Assassination Vacation and The Partly Cloudy Patriot, an insightful and unconventional account of George Washington's trusted officer and friend, that swashbuckling teenage French aristocrat the Marquis de Lafayette.

Chronicling General Lafayette's years in Washington's army, Vowell reflects on the ideals of the American Revolution versus the reality of the Revolutionary War. Riding shotgun with Lafayette, Vowell swerves from

the high-minded debates of Independence Hall to the frozen wasteland of Valley Forge, from bloody battlefields to the Palace of Versailles, bumping into John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, Lord Cornwallis, Benjamin Franklin, Marie Antoinette and various kings, Quakers and redcoats along the way.

Drawn to the patriots' war out of a lust for glory, Enlightenment ideas and the traditional French hatred for the British, young Lafayette crossed the Atlantic expecting to join forces with an undivided people, encountering instead fault lines between the Continental Congress and the Continental Army, rebel and loyalist inhabitants, and a conspiracy to fire George Washington, the one man holding together the rickety, seemingly doomed patriot cause.

While Vowell's yarn is full of the bickering and infighting that marks the American past—and present—her telling of the Revolution is just as much a story of friendship: between Washington and Lafayette, between the Americans and their French allies and, most of all between Lafayette and the American people. Coinciding with one of the most contentious presidential elections in American history, Vowell lingers over the elderly Lafayette's sentimental return tour of America in 1824, when three fourths of the population of New York City turned out to welcome him ashore. As a Frenchman and the last surviving general of the Continental Army, Lafayette belonged to neither North nor South, to no political party or faction. He was a walking, talking reminder of the sacrifices and bravery of the revolutionary generation and what the founders hoped this country could be. His return was not just a reunion with his beloved Americans it was a reunion for Americans with their own astonishing, singular past.

Mahogany:

After her acclaimed film debut in *Lady Sings The Blues*, Diana Ross created another powerful characterization as Mahogany, an ambitious young secretary who becomes a high fashion model and world famous designer. This dramatic love story filmed in Chicago and Rome also stars Billy Dee Williams, her electric co-star in *Lady Sings The Blues*, as the Chicago politician who falls in love with her. Anthony Perkins is at his best portraying a malevolent fashion photographer who masterminds, then tries to sabotage, Mahogany's career.

Requested title.

Man in the Brown Suit Audiobook on CD:

The Queen of Mystery has come to Harper Collins! Agatha Christie, the acknowledged mistress of suspense—creator of indomitable sleuth Miss Marple, meticulous Belgian detective Hercule Poirot, and so many other unforgettable characters—brings her entire oeuvre of ingenious whodunits, locked room mysteries, and perplexing puzzles to William Morrow Paperbacks. *The Man in the Brown Suit* is Christie at her best, as a young woman makes a dangerous decision to investigate a shocking “accidental” death she witnesses at a London tube station. Requested title.

Manhattan, Season 2:

MANHATTAN follows the tangled lives of the residents of Los Alamos, New Mexico, as they race to create the first nuclear bomb in history. Locked away in the world's most secretive city, the scientists and their families surrender their freedoms, compromise their marriages, and even sacrifice their sanity to end one war and usher in another -- the Cold War waiting just over the atomic horizon -- all while embedded spies and a climate of paranoia threaten to destroy the project from within. Requested title.

New Tricks, Season 12:

The Unsolved Crime and Open Case Squad (UCOS) returns to crack more cold cases in this long-running British series. In Season 12, tenacious young DCI Sasha Miller (Tamzin Outhwaite, EastEnders) leads her motley crew of retired cops through difficult times. The team's loyalty endures the ultimate test when Gerry (Dennis Waterman, The Sweeney) is linked to a crime from his days on the force, inadvertently putting Sasha's life in danger. Steve (Denis Lawson, Bleak House) tries to climb out of debt, and Danny (Nicholas Lyndhurst, Only Fools and Horses) struggles to further his relationship with Fiona (Tracy Ann Oberman, Filth). The tight-knit group also contends with a new member in quirky and superstitious ex-DCI Ted Case (Larry Lamb, Gavin & Stacey). Through it all, these dogged detectives keep their trademark humor and playful banter, even as they face an uncertain future when UCOS itself comes under fire. Guest stars include Amy Nuttall (Downton Abbey), Bernard Cribbins (Doctor Who), Lucy Benjamin (Detectorists), and Geraldine Somerville (Cracker, Harry Potter films).

The Note:

Following a tragic plane crash, newspaper columnist Peyton MacGruder discovers a note that was from one of the passengers onboard. She sets on a quest to find the person for whom it was intended, and discovers the life it will change is her own. A Hallmark movie. Requested title.

Room:

Critics are raving about this "must see" drama which tells the extraordinary story of Jack, a spirited five-year-old who is looked after by his loving and devoted Ma. Like any good mother, Ma dedicates herself to keeping Jack happy and safe, nurturing him with warmth and love and doing typical things like playing games and telling stories. However, they are trapped in a windowless, 11-by-11-foot space, which Ma has euphemistically named "Room." As Jack's curiosity about their situation grows, and Ma's resilience reaches its breaking point, they enact a risky plan to escape, ultimately bringing them face-to-face with what may turn out to be the scariest thing yet: the real world. Requested title.

Saints & Strangers:

Vincent Kartheiser (Mad Men), Anna Camp (Pitch Perfect) and Ron Livingston (Office Space) star in the acclaimed miniseries event Saints & Strangers, which dramatizes the Pilgrims' harrowing voyage and arrival to

America. Upon landing they encounter hunger, disease, and the proud but wary Native Americans. Loyalties are tested and hard-fought alliances between leaders become strained when the Pilgrims suspect a traitor in their midst.

Season For Miracles:

A miracle occurs for a homeless family consisting of two children neglected by their incarcerated mother and their protective aunt who is trying to keep them out of the foster system with the help of an angel.

A Hallmark film. Requested title.

Shiloh/Shiloh 2:

Two superb family films based on the beloved books by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor invite you to open your heart to a remarkable beagle named Shiloh...and to Marty (Blake Heron), the boy who rescues the young dog from mistreatment. The dog's owner wants him back. Yet Marty is determined to find a way to make Shiloh his own. "An ideal movie for parents and children to see together, and talk about afterward," Roger Ebert wrote in the Chicago Sun-Times. The sequel Shiloh 2 Shiloh Season could spark even more discussions. In it, Shiloh's heroism, kindness and forgiveness sets an example for Marty (Zachary Browne). Michael Moriarty and Rod Steiger are among the grown-up stars of these films that know well the special bond that can only come from a special canine friend. A Disney film. Requested title.

Silk: Season 1:

Silk follows the rivalry, tension, passion and intrigue of life on the front line of criminal law. Martha Costello (Maxine Peake, Little Dorrit) is a brilliant, passionate defense barrister with a reputation for defending the poor and downtrodden. She is about to embark on the next step of her career and apply to be a member of the highly prestigious Queen's Counsel. But she's not the only one at her chambers applying. Joining Martha is Clive Reader (Rupert Penry Jones, MI-5); charming and ruthless, funny, gifted and dangerous. Only one is likely to be made QC so how they perform in court is vital and Clive knows how to play the game...

Spiral (Engrenages)- Season 1 "In French with English Subtitles Originally released in France as Engrenages, the hard hitting Parisian cop thriller Spiral became a blockbuster sensation across all of Europe and Australia, winning awards and commendations from TV France, The Royal Television Society in the UK, and from The Academy of Television Arts and Sciences in the US. Fans around the world embraced its compelling story and naturalistic style, which even spawned a popular video game.

Intentionally monochromatic photography, starkly filmed decomposing corpses, autopsies and intense interrogations set the tone for this gritty, realistic cop show. It's a police thriller that reveals society's ever changing codes of law: a dark series with constant and increasing tension. Season 1 begins with beautiful young woman found dead at the public dump, her face beaten to a pulp by her killer. Leading the investigation, Pierre Clement, young recently-named public prosecutor, teams up with Police Captain Laure

Berthaud and examining magistrate Judge Roban. They try to solve the horrendous crime before them: a muddy affair, combining prostitution, drugs, business and politics. As Clement, Berthaud and Roban work together to see justice done, each with his own methods and beliefs, and each dealing with his own personal demons, the situation become inextricable. Their relationships are complicated, as only the closest of friends and enemies can be. Three equally important lead characters, three different lives, three visions of justice."

Star Wars: Episode VII:

Visionary director J.J. Abrams brings to life the motion picture event of a generation. As Kylo Ren and the sinister First Order rise from the ashes of the Empire, Luke Skywalker is missing when the galaxy needs him most. It's up to Rey, a desert scavenger, and Finn, a defecting stormtrooper, to join forces with Han Solo and Chewbacca in a desperate search for the one hope of restoring peace to the galaxy.



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