

# High Plains Book Award

## Fiction Finalists



**HIGH  
PLAINS**  
BOOK AWARD

End

2022

- *Let the Wild Grasses Grow* by Kase Johnstun
- *And It Will Be a Beautiful Life* by Craig Lancaster
- *Daughter of the Morning Star: A Longmire Mystery* by Craig Johnson

2018

- *Days Without* by Sebastian Barry (Winner)
- *Love and Other Consolation Prizes* by Jamie Ford
- *The Widow Nash* by Jamie Harrison

2021

- *August* by Callan Wink,
- *In the Shadow of Dora: A Novel of the Holocaust and the Apollo Program* by Patrick Hicks
- *Ruthie Fear* by Maxim Loskutoff (Winner)

2017

- *As Good As Gone* by Larry Watson
- *The Bones of Paradise* by Jonis Agee (Winner)
- *An Obvious Fact* by Craig Johnson

2020

- *Fall Back Down When I Die* by Joe Wilkins (Winner)
- *The Healer's Daughter* by Charlotte Hinger
- *The Line Between* by Tosca Lee

2016

- *American Copper* by Shann Ray
- *Crazy Mountain Kiss* by Keith McCafferty
- *Madder Carmine* by Tyler Enfield (Winner)
- *This is What I Want* by Craig Lancaster

2019

- *A Death in Eden* by Keith McCafferty
- *The Flicker of Old Dreams* by Susan Henderson (Winner)
- *Go Ask Fannie* by Elisabeth Hyde
- *The River by Starlight* by Ellen Notbohm

2015

- *Any Other Name* by Craig Johnson
- *Stars Go Blue* by Laura Pritchett (Winner)
- *The Home Place* by Carrie La Seur

2014

- *High and Inside*, Russell Rowland
- *Let Him Go*, Larry Watson (Winner)
- *Songs of Willow Frost*, Jamie Ford

2013

- *Canada*, Richard Ford
- *The Round House*, Louise Erdrich (Winner)
- *The Royal Wulff Murders*, Keith McCafferty

2012

- *Kings of Colorado*, David E. Hilton
- *Liberty Lanes*, Robin Troy
- *The Ringer*, Jenny Shank (Winner)

2011

- *Aliens in the Prime of Their Lives*, Brad Watson
- *Ghosts of Wyoming*, Alyson Hagy (Winner)
- *The Scent of Rain and Lightning*, Nancy Pickard

2010

- *Euphoria*, Connie Gault
- *Spoon*, Robert Greer
- *Twisted Tree*, Kent Meyers (Winner)

2009

- *Another Man's Moccasins*, Craig Johnson
- *Kyleah's Tree*, Janet Muirhead Hill
- *So Brave, Young and Handsome*, Leif Enger (Winner)

2008

- *A Feast of Longing*, Sarah Klassen (Winner)
- *Shallow Grave*, Lori G. Armstrong
- *The Watershed Years*, Russell Rowland

2007

There was no separate Fiction category in 2007, but the following fiction book was a finalist in the Best Book category

- *Horses They Rode*, Sid Gustafson