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Reading Gifts 2026

Presence Amy Cuddy * **The Tell** Amy Griffin * **Lessons in Chemistry** Bonnie Garmus * **Daring Greatly** Brené Brown, Ph.D., MSW * **Rising Strong** Brené Brown, Ph.D., MSW * **Wild** Cheryl Strayed * **Untamed** Glennon Doyle * **Paula** Isabel Allende * **The Wind Knows My Name** Isabel Allende * **Little Treatments, Big Effects** Jessica Schleider * **Brave Hearts** Joseph Agonita * **The Woman They Could Not Silence** Kate Moore * **The Calamity Club** Kathryn Stockett * **I Drank from the Nile** Katya Dunko * **Before We Were Yours** Lisa Wingate

The Courage Gap Margie Warrell, Ph.D. * **Go Gentle** Maria Semple * **The First Ladies** Marie Benedict & Victoria Christopher Murray * **Women & Power** Mary Beard * **Song of Belonging** Michelle St. Romain * **Crazy Salad and Scribble Scribble** Nora Ephron * **We the Women** Norah O'Donnell * **The Silence of the Girls** Pat Barker * **Bread of Angels** Patti Smith * **The Places That Scare You** Pema Chödrön * **Welcoming the Unwelcome** Pema Chödrön * **The Bucket List** Rachel Hanna * **A Woman of No Importance** Sonia Purnell * **Violin Girl** Susan Sokol Blosser

We asked the WILL Council for their favorite motivating books. Here's the full list – share it with the women in your life!