

Mid-Manhattan Library
presents

Mixed Bag

Story Time for Grown-Ups

Love a good story?

Sit back and relax as we read you a story or two at lunchtime.

Brown bag lunches welcome!

March 2013

Kate Chopin—A Woman's Voice from the 19th Century

March 6

Désirée's Baby

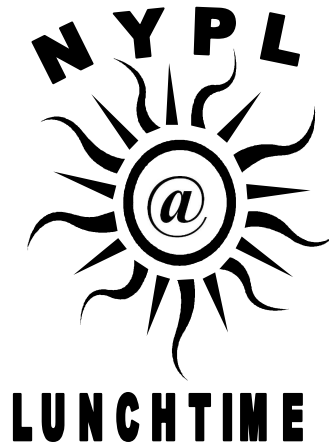
The Locket

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Beyond the Bayou

A Respectable Woman

The Story of An Hour



**All readings will take place on Wednesdays
1:00 p.m.–1:45 p.m. on the 1st floor Room 101**



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March 6

Désirée's Baby

Désirée was a foundling, adopted by Monsieur and Madame Valmondé when she was hardly more than a baby. At eighteen, she won the heart of Armand Aubigny, owner of the neighboring plantation. They expected their love to last forever, but the baby's birth brought long-hidden secrets to light.

The Locket

When they found the locket around the neck of the dead Confederate soldier, they sent it back to the woman who had given it to her sweetheart to keep him safe. The following spring found the lady still in mourning, not expecting to be surprised by love.

March 20

Beyond the Bayou

La Folle was afraid to go beyond the bayou, but sometimes love conquers fear.

A Respectable Woman

Mrs. Baroda was unhappy at having her husband's old friend as a houseguest even before she met him.

The Story of An Hour

"Knowing that Mrs. Mallard was afflicted with a heart trouble, great care was taken to break to her as gently as possible the news of her husband's death" in a railway accident. The widow's response was unexpected.



All programs are FREE and subject to
last minute change or cancellation.