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**Gilded Age: Jessie Woolworth Donahue** *The Swimming Pool Library*

For Will, the Swimming-Pool Library is slang for the changing-room to which he and his friends would slip in the middle of the night for illicit sexual activities. Also, at Charles Nantwich's home there is a room that has served as a library and was once a Roman bath.

*The Swimming-Pool Library - Wikipedia*

Alan Hollinghurst was born in 1954. He is the author of one of the most highly praised first novels to appear in the 1980s, *The*

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Swimming-Pool Library, and was selected as one of the Best of Young British Novelists 1993. His second novel, *The Folding Star*, won the James Tait Black Memorial Prize and was shortlisted for the 1994 Booker Prize.

*The Swimming-Pool Library*  
(Vintage Classics):

[Amazon.co.uk](https://www.amazon.co.uk) ...

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of life that can no longer be lived with impunity.

*The Swimming-Pool Library by Alan Hollinghurst*

The Swimming-Pool Library.

£9.59 £9.99. Young, gay, William Beckwith spends his time, and his trust fund, idly cruising London for erotic encounters. When he saves the life of an elderly man in a public convenience an unlikely job opportunity presents... Author Name: Alan Hollinghurst; Product Type: Paperback; ISBN: 9781784870317; Add to cart Wait.. Added Uavailable Tell the world about us ...

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two men: William Beckwith, a young gay aristocrat who leads a life of privilege and promiscuity, and Lord Nantwich, an elderly man searching for someone to write his biography and inherit his traditions.

*The Swimming-Pool Library - Alan Hollinghurst - Google Books*

As Wiltse points out, the public pool was (and is) a place where class was visually erased, swimming attire being more-or-less universalizing. Swimming became socially acceptable within the middle and upper classes as more resorts and athletic clubs dug pools

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that were suitably genteel (the invitation-only New York Athletic Club built an extravagant affair of marble and tile, with a row of ...

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In Alan Hollinghurst's debut novel, *The Swimming-Pool Library*, Will, a promiscuous, self-absorbed layabout, finds his upper-class world both shaken and stirred after he saves the life of an elderly gay aristocrat in a public lavatory.

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*The Swimming-Pool Library:  
Hollinghurst, Alan, West ...*

He started writing The Swimming-Pool Library in 1984 and it appeared to general acclaim four years later. "It all looked rather dicey before it came out," he recalls. "No one would buy the...

*Alan Hollinghurst: Sex on  
the brain | Books | Books |  
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A Swimming-Pool Library is a book review blog dedicated to curating literature for queer men. When I was coming to grips with my own sexuality, books like these were my only resource and

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have played the greatest part in my development as both an individual and a gay man. It is important to see ourselves reflected in our culture, and my goal here is to gather together a wide range of texts that ...

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*The swimming-pool library*  
(Book, 1988) [WorldCat.org]

A literary sensation and bestseller both in England and America, *The Swimming-Pool Library* is an enthralling, darkly erotic novel of homosexuality before the scourge of AIDS; an elegy, possessed of chilling clarity, for ways of life that can no longer be lived with impunity.

“Impeccably composed and meticulously particular in its observation of everything” (Harpers & Queen), it focuses on ...

(PDF) *The Swimming-Pool Library* by Alan Hollinghurst

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*The Swimming Pool Library by  
Alan Hollinghurst - AbeBooks*  
Swimming Pool Library is  
beautifully written and will

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give you a vivid picture of the life depicted. As a straight man I endeavored to give all the gay sexuality the same distance I gave the sexuality of "straight" characters whose taste differs from mine--cf. *Lolita* or anything by Pynchon. But don't think you can just skim over it and get back to the plot. Gay sexuality is THE subject of this ...

*The Swimming Pool Library*  
Audiobook | Alan  
Hollinghurst ...

' The Swimming-Pool Library is a perfect debut, in that it arrives confidently, with a fully formed style and



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bank of themes that the author would go on to explore for years to come' - Attitude Young, gay, William Beckwith spends his time, and his trust fund, idly cruising London for erotic encounters.

*The Swimming-Pool Library by Alan Hollinghurst | Waterstones*

The Swimming-Pool Library focuses on the friendship of two men: William Beckwith, a young gay aristocrat who leads a life of privilege and promiscuity, and Lord Nantwich, an elderly man searching for someone to write his biography and inherit his traditions. Also

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by Alan Hollinghurst See all books by Alan Hollinghurst

*The Swimming-Pool Library by Alan Hollinghurst ...*

One of the triumphs of *The Swimming-Pool Library* - a startlingly accomplished first novel - is the tonal control it achieves in writing graphically and explicitly about homosexual sex while never seeming flustered or prurient, and never wavering in the amused, ironic control of the narrating voice.

William Beckwith, a young gay aristocrat, moves

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through underground bars, bath houses, and cinemas, and into the world of old Africa hand Lord Nantwitch, a world of older traditions and hidden allegiances

The dazzling first novel from the best-selling, Booker Prize-Winning author of *The Line of Beauty* and *The Sparsholt Affair*. An enthralling, darkly erotic novel of homosexuality before the scourge of AIDS; an elegy, possessed of chilling clarity, for ways of life that can no longer be lived with impunity. *The Swimming-Pool Library* focuses on the friendship of two men: William Beckwith, a

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twentieth-century gay repression, lurk bitter truths about Will's own privileged existence.

Focuses on the friendship of two men: William Beckwith, a young gay aristocrat who leads a life of privilege and promiscuity and the elderly Lord Nantwich, an old Africa hand, searching for someone to write his biography and inherit his traditions

The lives and relationships of four men intersect in this tale of gay love set during a long summer in England. By the author of The Swimming-Pool Library.

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Reprint.

In 1940, the handsome, athletic, and charismatic David Sparsholt arrives at Oxford University to study engineering, unaware of his effect on others—especially on Evert Dax, the lonely son of a celebrated novelist who is destined to become a writer himself. Spanning three generations, *The Sparsholt Affair* plumbs the ways the friendship between these two men will influence their lives—and the lives of others’—for decades to come. Richly observed and emotionally charged, this is a dazzling novel of fathers and sons, of family and

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legacy, and of the longing for permanence amid life's inevitable transience.

The 1995 Booker Prize finalist. Alan Hollinghurst's hypnotic and exquisitely written novel tells the story of Edward Manners, a disaffected 33-year-old who leaves England to earn his living as a language tutor in a Flemish city. Almost immediately he falls in love with one of his pupils, but can only console himself with other, illicit affairs. With this novel, Hollinghurst exposes us fearlessly to the consequences of

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unfulfillable, annihilating desire.

The Sins of the Cities of the Plain (1881) is an erotic novel attributed to Irish prostitute Jack Saul. Published by William Lazenby, a prominent printer of Victorian erotica, The Sins of the Cities of the Plain is considered to be one of the first works of literature dedicated to homosexuality in the English language. " 'Saul, Jack Saul, sir, of Lisle Street, Leicester Square, and ready for a lark with a free gentleman at any time. What was it made you take a fancy to me? Did you observe any



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particularly interesting points about your humble servant?’ as he slyly looked down towards the prominent part I have previously mentioned.” Having met by chance at Leicester Square, Jack Saul, a successful prostitute—colloquially known as a “Mary-Ann” or “rentboy”—agrees to accompany Mr. Cambon to his home at the Cornwall Mansions. After sharing a meal, the two men get down to business, exploring their young bodies and devoting themselves to pleasure. Curious about Jack’s past, Cambon offers him money to share the story of his life. With a beautifully designed

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cover and professionally typeset manuscript, this edition of Jack Saul's *The Sins of the Cities of the Plain* is a classic work of Victorian erotic fiction reimagined for modern readers.

An illicit affair, an unsolved murder, an intense summer romance in Cape Cod - introducing Holly LeCraw's explosive and stunningly-written debut. Seven summers ago, on Cape Cod, Marcella Atkinson - a married woman - fell in love with Cecil McClatchey, married father of two. Fuelled by desire and mutual respect, a secret affair blossomed, but when

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Cecil's wife was murdered, their romance promptly ended. Cecil died soon after, and while his wife's murder has never been solved, he remains a suspect. Years later, Marcella returns to her beach house on the Cape, where she encounters Cecil's grown son, Jed, who remembers her quite vividly from his youth. As both of them struggle to cope with the grief and loss of the past, they fall into a torrid and complicated affair. But as their relationship deepens, it leads to emotional crises and revelations about the unsolved murder of Jed's

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mother. Brilliant and seductive, this is a debut novel about love in all its forms and about the ripple effects of actions both good and evil.

Winner of the 2004 Man Booker Prize and a finalist for the Lambda Literary Award and the NBCC award. From Alan Hollinghurst, the acclaimed author of *The Sparsholt Affair*, *The Line of Beauty* is a sweeping novel about class, sex, and money during four extraordinary years of change and tragedy. In the summer of 1983, twenty-year-old Nick Guest moves into an attic room in the Notting

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Hill home of the Feddens: conservative Member of Parliament Gerald, his wealthy wife Rachel, and their two children, Toby-whom Nick had idolized at Oxford-and Catherine, who is highly critical of her family's assumptions and ambitions. As the boom years of the eighties unfold, Nick, an innocent in the world of politics and money, finds his life altered by the rising fortunes of this glamorous family. His two vividly contrasting love affairs, one with a young black clerk and one with a Lebanese millionaire, dramatize the dangers and rewards of his own private

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pursuit of beauty, a pursuit as compelling to Nick as the desire for power and riches among his friends. Richly textured, emotionally charged, disarmingly comic, this is a major work by one of our finest writers.

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