

Book Club – March 2026

The Book Club's read for the month of March was *The Forgotten Home Child* by Canadian author Genevieve Graham. If you're looking for a warm and fuzzy book, this is not the one for you. But if you want to become more aware of the Home Children, who are a true part of our Canadian history, this is a book that you will want to read. From 1869 to 1948 more than 100,000 British children, as young as 3, were removed from the streets of London and other major cities as well as from orphanages and sent to Canada as indentured servants. Although Graham's characters are fictional, they are based on the lives of the real children whose stories have been passed on through the diaries, letters and tales they have shared. The book contains physical, sexual and emotional abuse, so readers beware.

Respectfully Submitted by

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