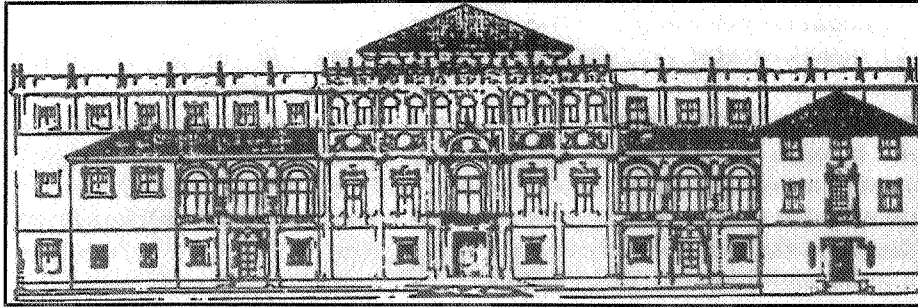


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THE FRIENDS' 23RD ANNUAL BARGAIN BOOK SALE WILL BE HELD ON MARCH 30, 31 AND APRIL 1, 2001 AT THE GEORGE R. BROWN CONVENTION CENTER

Susan Yancey

PLEASE COME! This year the 150,000+ book sale includes many interesting titles in the "Best" and "Better" books section which is traditionally marked by gold draperies to distinguish the "best" and "better" books from the multitude of "regular" books (priced at \$2.00 or less). The Better Books section is where you'll find ALL of the cookbooks and ALL of the computer books – even those which are priced at "regular" books pricing.

This year's sale is particularly strong in the following subject areas:

PHOTOGRAPHY
MUSIC

ART
CHILDREN'S

LARGE PRINT
COOKBOOKS

SETS OF ENCYCLOPEDIAS
FOREIGN LANGUAGE
TEXANA

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"Member's Only"
Sale
Friday Night

Whether you are buying birthday gifts or enhancing your own collection, you will find some of the best deals on books anywhere—even better than the Internet. There are also lots of CDs, videos and audio books in addition to zillions of bestsellers, mysteries, and novels. On Sunday, bargain shoppers can fill a grocery bag (many thanks to Fiesta for their generous donation of bags!) full of books for only \$10.

HOURS OF SALE: Friday: 4:30 pm - 9 pm Sat: 9 am-5 pm Sun: noon-4 pm

USE YOUR FRIENDS MEMBERSHIP TO ATTEND THE "MEMBERS ONLY" SALE ON FRIDAY NIGHT!

If you are not already a Friend of the Houston Public Library, you can join at the door. For dues, call (713) 236-1313. Let's make this sale the biggest one ever! Please encourage your colleagues, neighbors and friends to come out and take advantage of the bargains. You can post a copy of this page to advertise the sale or stop by the library and get flyers.

Volunteers are needed for various tasks during the sale such as setting up, checking out, re-shelving, and cleanup. To volunteer, please call the Friends office at (713)238-9640. Note: you must be at least 15 years old to setup. If you can't volunteer, how about bringing our volunteers a bag of candy, cookies, bottled water or fruit? Just drop off the goodies at the volunteer desk which will be located on the second floor, of the George R. Brown Convention Center. Last year we fed 300+ volunteers and snacks go quickly.

