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Re: Book discussion of *The Turner House* by Angela Flournoy  
at the Port Angeles Main Library  
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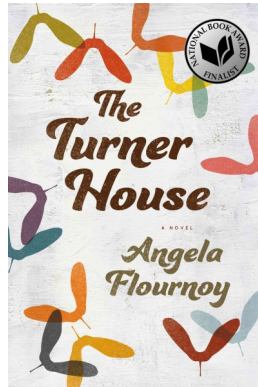
The Port Angeles Literary Society (PALS) meets at the Port Angeles Main Library of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) every fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm. On Wednesday, October 24, the group will discuss *The Turner House* by Angela Flournoy.

The Turners have lived on Yarrow Street for over fifty years. Their house has seen thirteen children grown and gone—and some returned; it has seen the arrival of grandchildren, the fall of Detroit's East Side, and the loss of a father. The house still stands despite abandoned lots, an embattled city, and the inevitable shift outward to the suburbs. But now, as ailing matriarch Viola finds herself forced to leave her home and move in with her eldest son, the family discovers that the house is worth just a tenth of its mortgage. The Turner children are called home to decide its fate and to reckon with how each of their pasts haunts-and shapes-their family's future.

Copies of *The Turner House* are available in various formats including regular print, large print, and downloadable eBook, which may be requested online by visiting the library catalog at [www.nols.org](http://www.nols.org). A limited number of copies of each book discussion selection are available at the Library the month prior to each meeting. To view a complete list of the 2018 selections, visit [www.nols.org/book-discussion-groups](http://www.nols.org/book-discussion-groups).

This program is generously supported by the Port Angeles Friends of the Library. To participate, simply read the book and attend the discussion; drop-ins are always welcome.

The Port Angeles Main Library is located at 2210 South Peabody Street in Port Angeles. For more information about book discussion groups at your library, visit [www.nols.org](http://www.nols.org), call 360.417.8500, or email [discover@nols.org](mailto:discover@nols.org).



*“The Turner House” by Angela Flournoy will be discussed at 6:30pm on Wednesday, October 24 at the Port Angeles Main Library*

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