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Date: May 8, 2019
Contact: Cheryl Martin, Library Services Specialist
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Re: Book discussion of *Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson
at the Port Angeles Main Library
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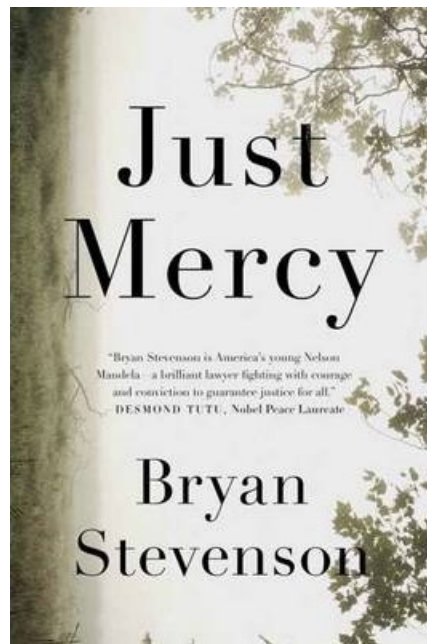
The Wednesday Evening Book Discussion Group meets at the Port Angeles Main Library of the North Olympic Library System (NOLS) every fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm. On Wednesday, May 22, the group will discuss *Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson.

Bryan Stevenson was a young lawyer when he founded the Equal Justice Initiative, a legal practice dedicated to defending those most desperate and in need: the poor, the wrongly condemned, and women and children trapped in the farthest reaches of our criminal justice system. One of his first cases was that of Walter McMillian, a young man who was sentenced to die for a notorious murder he insisted he didn't commit. The case drew Bryan into a tangle of conspiracy, political machination, and legal brinkmanship and transformed his understanding of mercy and justice forever.

Copies of this title 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. A limited number of copies of each book discussion selection are available at the Library the month prior to each meeting.

To participate, simply read the book and attend the discussion; drop-ins are always welcome. For a complete list of 2019 Book Discussion Group selections, visit www.nols.org/book-discussion-groups. This program is generously supported by the Port Angeles Friends of the Library.

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, call 360.417.8500, or email discover@nols.org.



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