

MAIN GENRE STORY TYPES

**Task:**

Can you relate some of these word groups to the genres below?

[Mystery / Suspense / Intrigue / Threat / Danger] [Terror / Shock / Violence / Suffering / Phenomena] [Insight / Meaning / Sadness / Intrigue]  
 [Wonder / Intrigue / Insight / Realization / Though Provoking] [Humour / Obscenity / Sarcasm] [Guilt / Justice / Sin / Fait / Mystery / Execution]  
 [Exploration / Journey / Insight / Bravery / Life Transition] [Suffering / Pain / Heroic / Bravery / Patriotic] [Motivation / Resilient / Determined / Tenacious]

GENRE/CATEGORY	TRAGIC	COMIC	HEROIC	IRONIC
THRILLER	<b>Edge of Darkness</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Disturbia</b> (The Fool Triumphant)	<b>Unbreakable</b> (Dude With a Problem)	<b>In The Line of Fire</b> (Why Done It)
HORROR	<b>The Exorcism of Emily Rose</b> (Dude with a Problem)	<b>Freaky Friday</b> (Out of The Bottle)	<b>Legion</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>The Mist</b> (Monster In The House)
DRAMA	<b>The Impossible</b> (Dude With A Problem)	<b>Stan &amp; Ollie</b> (Buddy Love)	<b>Sully</b> (Dude With a Problem)	<b>Pulp Fiction</b> (Buddy Love)
SCI-FI	<b>Apollo 13</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Iron Sky</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Predator</b> (Monster In The House)	<b>Interstellar</b> (Golden Fleece)
COMEDY	<b>My Girl</b> (Buddy Love)	<b>10</b> (Rites of Passage)	<b>Flash</b> (Dude With A Problem)	<b>Life</b> (Buddy Love)
CRIME	<b>Black Mass</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Tango &amp; Cash</b> (Buddy Love)	<b>Double Jeopardy</b> (Why Done It)	<b>The Green Mile</b> (Hero)
ACTION	<b>Gladiator</b> (Hero)	<b>The Last Action Hero</b> (Out of The Bottle)	<b>Speed</b> (Dude With A Problem)	<b>Alien Resurrection</b> (Monster In The House)
ADVENTURE	<b>Finding Neverland</b> (Rites of Passage)	<b>The Goonies</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>Stand By Me</b> (Buddy Love)	<b>Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid</b> (Drama)
FANTASY	<b>Lord of The Rings</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>The Witches</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>Beowulf</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>Bridge To Terabithia</b> (Buddy Love)
SUPER HERO	<b>Logan</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>Suicide Squad</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Man of Steel</b> (Golden Fleece)	<b>X-Men The Last Stand</b> (Buddy Love)
SPORTS	<b>South Paw</b> (Dude With A Problem)	<b>Grudge Match</b> (Rites of Passage)	<b>Hands of Stone</b> (Dude With a Problem)	<b>The Fighter</b> (Rites of Passage)
TRUE LIFE	<b>Zodiac</b> (Why Done It)	<b>Fargo</b> (Rites of Passage)	<b>The Untouchables</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Sylvia</b> (Rites of Passage)
WAR	<b>Schindler's List</b> (Dude with a Problem)	<b>Good Morning Vietnam</b> (Institutionalized)	<b>Braveheart</b> (Hero)	<b>The Bridge on The River Kwai</b> (Institutionalized)

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