Nominate Your Favorite Titles Published Between May 1, 2008, and April 30, 2009, for the 2009 Midwest Booksellers' Choice Awards

Nomination Criteria **Deadline May 1, 2009**

1. (A) All nominated books must have subject matter which relates to our Midwest region
OR (B) The author must live in one of our MBA member states: Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, & Wisconsin.
2. Books must have been published in either hardcover or paperback between May 1, 2008, and April 30, 2009
[Note: MBA will double-check the pub dates with publishers, so if you're not sure, don't worry -- send in the nomination!]
3. Midwest Bookseller's Choice Gold Awards and Silver Honors will be given in the following categories:
-- Adult Fiction
-- Adult Non-Fiction
-- Poetry (Adult)
-- Children's Picture Book
-- Children's Literature (including both fiction and non-fiction)

- Each bookseller working in your store can nominate titles. Remember to nominate your favorite **Midwest Connections Picks** titles!
- Keep in mind that we are giving MIDWEST awards. A title that is very specific to your one locale is probably not the best title to nominate, even if it's a great title for you personally.
- MBA will collect the nominations and send an awards ballot out to stores for voting in early May 2009.

Required information: Store name: _____ City/State: _____

Title	Author	Pub & Pub date - (mo/yr)	ISBN 13	✓ Is a Midwest Author	✓ Has Midwest Content	✓ Adult Fiction	✓ Adult Non-Fiction	✓ Poetry	✓ Children's Picture Book	✓ Children's Lit - Fic & Non-Fic

Please use a black pen. Make copies as needed. Post in several places so staff can list their favorite books.
Fax to: 612-926-6657. Mail to: MBA, 3407 W 44th Street, Minneapolis, MN 55410. Or Email nominations to: MBAofficeKT@aol.com.