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Strategy #1: Expand the Canon



Wine in the Wilderness by Alice Childress, 1969

Strategy #2: New forms



Plum Bun, by Jessie Redmon Fauset, 1928. Rowan Univ.

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Strategy #3: Diversify your table



Buried Child by Sam Shepard, 1978

Strategy #4: Rebody the Classics



Death of a Salesman by Arthur Miller, 1949

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Strategy #5: Re-Awaken the Classics



Uncle Tom's Cabin, Beecher Stowe, 1852

Strategy #6: A Paradigm Shift



Ramayana with EgoPo, Papermoon Puppet Theater of Java
and Kalanari Theater Movement of Bali, 2024