

ADULT PROGRAMMING REPORT FOR

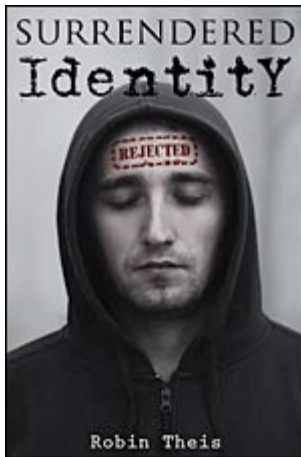


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Display Case: The display case this month features nutcrackers from the private collection of Larisa Vorce.



Author Robin Theis:



Surrendered Identity is the title of author Robin

Theis' new book. She was here to do a meet and greet and sign copies of her book, which deals with the effects of rejection and teaches us how to overcome feelings of depression.

Orphan Trains: Shirley Gage Hodges presented a program of the Orphan Trains movement which began in NYC in 1854 and continued until 1930. She discussed how the first train arrived in Dowagiac, MI and how, by the end of the movement, 250,000 city children were transported to farms in the west.



Iris Folding Craft: Beautiful Christmas cards were created at this program using a paper folding method know as Iris Folding.