

## Banned or Challenged Books, Part 2

Each week we will look at the reasons why the book was/is challenged or banned. We will look at the author's life and get their views on their book being challenged.

We will also discuss current trends in our country to ban books, especially those written for children.

Week 1 - The 1950's: *The Witch of Blackbird Pond* by Elizabeth George Speare

Week 2 - The 1960's: *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle

Week 3 - The 1970's: *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* by Mildred D. Taylor

Week 4 - The 1980's: *Jacob Have I Loved* by Katherine Paterson

Week 5 - The 1990's: *The Giver* by Lois Lowry