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No, I Don't Get Danger Money

Confessions of an Accidental War Correspondent

Lisette Reymer

Summary

A no-holds bar account of what it was really like to cover some of the most dangerous and extraordinary moments in recent history

'I woke up every day expecting to fall asleep in a different country. A blur of breaking news, airports, body armor, border crossings and bomb shelters. And wads of foreign cash.
We were charging on adrenaline and there was no place we wouldn't have gone.
Okay, except Russia. But only because the President's not my biggest fan.
I didn't get paid danger money. I would have done it all for free.'

A world away from the New Zealand farm she grew up on, Lisette Reymer suddenly found herself reporting from one of the most dangerous places on earth. And she kept going back.

Driven by a desire to tell people's stories, wherever they are; the right stories, not the easy ones - Lisette's time as Europe Correspondent coincided with some of the biggest global headlines in decades.

From inside Ukraine to the Queen's death, the war between Israel and Gaza, Donald Trump's indictment, the King's coronation, the region's deadliest natural disaster in a century, the Tokyo Olympics...

Contributor Bio

Lisette Reymer was Newshub's Europe correspondent, based in London for three years from 2021 and has been a journalist since 2014. She now works at Stuff as Senior Journalist - International and National Affairs.

Lisette's work in Ukraine saw her win won Reporter of the Year at the NZTV awards for 2024; Best Reporter at the 2023 Voyager Media Awards as well as well as Best Coverage of a Major News Event.



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From Ibiza to the Norfolk Broads

A Bowie Odyssey

James Briggs

Summary

James Briggs had never known what David Bowie's *Life on Mars?* meant. And 25 years later with a career stealing his soul, a relationship in stasis and a hairline in furious retreat, life on earth had him cornered.

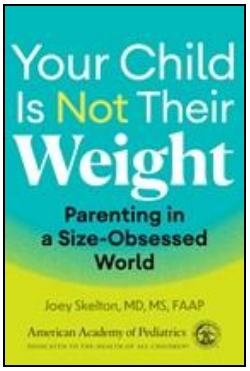
So when a lightning bolt of inspiration strikes, he leaves everything behind to cycle one of the song's lyrics, 'From Ibiza to the Norfolk Broads' to discover what life, love and *Life on Mars?* really mean.

What followed was life-affirming, inspirational and often hilarious. Criss-crossing Europe, he visited French chateaus where Bowie recorded, Spanish Olympic stadiums he played, former communist states where his music was banned, and the Berlin Wall he helped topple - all while navigating angry Soviet ballerinas, suspicious village mayors, and an irate Cliff Richard fan.

James found kindred spirits and a new love (and occasionally hatred) for cycling as he discovered what happens when, instead of following the crowd, you follow the lyrics and music of the greatest artist of the 20th century. As the world reconsiders its priorities, *From Ibiza to the Norfolk Broads* is a clarion...

Contributor Bio

James Briggs is a writer specializing in music and travel who has worked for the *Guardian*, the *Irish Times* and various travel magazines. A lifelong David Bowie fan, *From Ibiza to the Norfolk Broads* is his first book.



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Your Child Is Not Their Weight

Parenting in a Size-Obsessed World

Joey Skelton, MD, MS

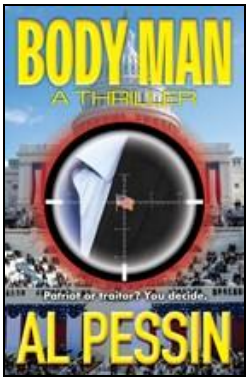
Summary

If you've been told your child needs to lose weight, you know how hard it can be. You love your child just as they are and want them to feel good about themselves and their body. But, you may also have very legitimate concerns about weight-related bullying, anti-fat bias, and possible long-term health issues.

While there are no easy answers, *Your Child Is Not Their Weight* offers compassionate and realistic parenting advice to help improve your child's overall health without compromising their happiness or self-esteem. Leading pediatric obesity medicine specialists, Joey Skelton, MD, MS, MD, and his team, Dara Garner-Edwards, MSW, LCSW, and Melissa Moses, MS, RDN, LDN, have in-depth medical expertise as well as decades of practical, hands-on experience working with families like yours in their clinic.
Their family-focused approach acknowledges that body weight is a complex issue, that diets almost always fail, and that eating disorders are a real risk—even, and maybe especially, for children in bigger bodies. But, they also share exactly how you can make a big difference for your child...

Contributor Bio

Joey Skelton, MD, MS, FAAP, is a professor of pediatrics, and of epidemiology and prevention, at Wake Forest University School of Medicine. He is the founder and director of Brenner FIT® (Families In Training), an interdisciplinary pediatric obesity program. He is also the director of the Center for Prevention Science in Child and Family Health, vice chair of research for the department of pediatrics, and serves as editor in chief of the journal Childhood Obesity. He is the father of two young adults and lives with his wife in North Carolina. Dara Garner-Edwards, MSW, LCSW, is associate director of Brenner FIT and a family counselor at Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Melissa Moses, MS, RDN, LDN, is the lead dietitian and Brenner FIT teaching kitchen manager at Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.



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Body Man

A Thriller

Al Pessin

Summary

Two Patriots Trying to Save America From Each Other
A new president, an Alt-Right rebellion, an assassination attempt gone horribly wrong. *Body Man* is a deep dive into both sides of the American political divide, a chilling cautionary tale for our times. This character-driven political/psychological thriller from a former member of the White House press corps is a cold look at the hot mess of today's America and shows how much worse things could get if we let them. Spencer is the Body Man, close personal aide to a senator who catapults to the presidency on a strong gun control platform. Carl is a body man of a different sort, a marine corps sniper with a bad conduct discharge who gets drawn into the Alt-Right movement and recruited to assassinate the new president. When the attempt goes horribly wrong, sparking mutinies in the military and riots in the streets, the president spirals into depression, giving Spencer more power than a body man should ever have. If you've lived through America's turmoil, or watched it from afar, *Body Man* will take you on an unforgettable and all too-reali...

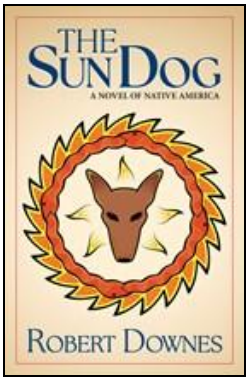
Contributor Bio

Al Pessin is a former member of the White House and Pentagon press corps, a 15-year foreign correspondent, and author of the forthcoming political thriller Body Man from Amphorae Publishing.

Al's previous books, all award winners, are international military spy thrillers *Sandblast*, *Blowback*, and *Shock Wave* from Kensington Publishing.

All his books build on Al's decades of experience covering the highest echelons of Washington as well as some of the world's most desperate conflicts and most hopeful and inspiring moments. Al was on the scene in Afghanistan and Iraq, at Southeast Asian refugee camps, the Guantanamo Bay Detention Center, the rally where Yitzhak Rabin was assassinated, and along streets devastated by terrorist bombs.

He also reported to the world about uprisings in Beijing, Kyiv, Cairo, and Manila, as well as hope-filled elections in Egypt, Gaza, and Libya, among other places, indeed including the United States. Al was expelled from China



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The Sun Dog

A Novel of Native America

Robert Downes

Summary

A tale of sorcery, witchcraft, and romance set in the heart of Native America—where myth and truth collide, and the line between savior and monster begins to blur. When a Seneca Iroquois town on Lake Ontario is beset by an evil spirit, its female chieftain, Walking Turtle, calls upon seven shamans and seven warriors from neighboring tribes to free her people from the demon. Meanwhile, in an isolated village to the north, a young woman named Found by the River is accused of witchcraft. She and her protector, Willow, face certain death unless they can escape their tormentors. Into this scenario comes Sun Dog, a charismatic magician leading a band of refugees fleeing the collapse of their civilization 800 miles to the south. Sun Dog and his people are survivors of mighty Coosa, a realm destroyed by the army of Spanish conquistador, Hernan de Soto. Sun Dog vows to rid the Senecas of their demon, while wrestling with a sinister force of his own. He alone can decide the fate of those condemned as witches. Brimming with unforgettable characters and grounded in history, "The Sun Dog" is the ...

Contributor Bio

Robert Downes has been a respected journalist and historian for over 30 years. He writes books of travel and adventure and lives the life he writes about. He has backpacked through more than 70 countries, with destinations ranging from the super-cities of the Third World to the heart of the American wilderness. In 1991 he co-founded the Northern Express Weekly in Traverse City, Michigan, which grew into the region’ s largest weekly newspaper.



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Thunderbirds International Rescue Technical Operations Manual

Technical Operations Manual

Chris Thompson, Andrew Clements

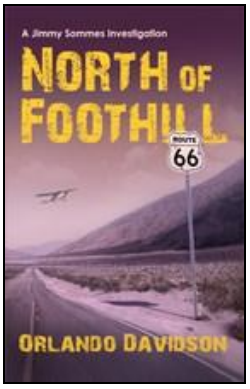
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Contributor Bio

Andrew Clements is a British writer, editor and producer. He is currently employed by Anderson Entertainment in a myriad of roles, including writing regular stories for A21, originally under the pseudonym "Andy Clems", in the style of those published in TV Century 21. He acts as the sole producer on Anderson Entertainment's Thunderbirds audio series, as well as adapting 1 into Terror from the Stars.

A freelance creative of multiple disciplines, **Chris Thompson** has contributed to many Anderson Entertainment projects as an artist, writer and animator. He is probably most well-known for writing and illustrating the fantastic range of Technical Operations Manuals plus graphic novels and producing documentary and animated features for *Captain Scarlet and the Mysterious, Joe 90, Terrahawks* and *Fireball XL5*. Outside of Anderson Entertainment, Chris has contributed to multiple short films, music videos and several animated shorts for Big Finish’s Doctor Who ranges.



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North of Foothill

Orlando Davidson

Summary

Shots ring out from behind the stage of a Cucamonga music club on a spring night in 1974. Off-duty San Bernardino County Homicide Investigator, Jimmy Sommes, just there to hear some country rock, finds himself running toward danger. Behind the club, tires squeal as Sommes catches a quick glimpse of a crazed skinhead and his getaway driver making their escape, leaving two dead bodies behind.

As the murder case moves east to Barstow and its vast surrounding desert, it spirals into more crimes, complicated by two young men from North Carolina who have perilously wandered into the mayhem.

All the while, Sommes misses his reporter girlfriend, Allie, who is chasing the Patricia Hearst kidnapping story. Struggling to keep his life - and his drinking - under control, Sommes must somehow stem the tide of violence and still manage to find his way home; just north of Foothill.

Contributor Bio

Orlando Davidson graduated from Claremont Men’ s (now McKenna) College and UCLA School of Law in the 1970’ s and headed west to the Hawaiian Islands. After a thirty-five year career in Hawaii working as an attorney, planner, lobbyist, and public official, Orlando relocated to western North Carolina and began to write fiction. Baseline Road is his first novel, and was shaped by his experiences during the Kent State protest days. He now resides in Portland, Oregon.



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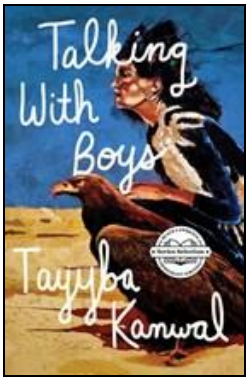
Rose McGee

Summary

"Rivals-to-lovers romcom excellence" Jenna Levine "Irresistible to anyone looking for a steamy STEM romance" Deidra Duncan The Love Hypothesis meets You've Got Mail They're polar opposites. But their attraction is magnetic...The rivalry between Dr Erin Monaghan and Dr Ethan Meyer is legendary in their prestigious physics lab. Each at the forefront of their opposing fields, they compete for everything: grant money, research time, government backing - and use of the office coffee machine. But it's a basic law of nature that opposites attract, and sparks fly after a science fiction magazine pairs their work and they meet online as their creative alter egos. Back at the lab, and forced to collaborate on a high-profile government contract, Erin and Ethan's sizzling virtual chemistry spills over into real life, threatening the project's success. With their careers and hearts on the line, can the law of attraction finally win out? Netgalley readers love TALK DATA TO ME "Geeky, sexy, and irresistibly fun"***** "What a stunning debut! This is what I want out of every book I read" ***** "A hea...

Contributor Bio

Rose McGee is a California-based author who writes romcoms full of sugar, spice, and statistics. She holds a degree in English from Stanford University and lives in the Bay Area with a dog and several succulents.



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Talking with Boys

Tayyba Kanwal

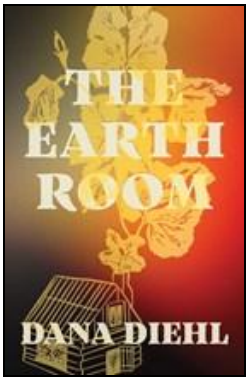
Summary

In a collection of linked tales filled with irony, humor, and magic, *Talking with Boys* introduces an unforgettable cast of characters in the Pakistani diaspora in Houston navigating crises of their own making and beyond their control.

Via generations and geographies, the stories expand from Houston into tales from the characters' pasts in Dubai and Lahore. A community of Pakistani immigrants distract ICE with unlikely bait. A housekeeper in a Dubai mansion plots to liberate her fellow indentured workers. In Lahore, an empty nester finds herself bound by more than a jinxed bracelet. Throughout, Tayyba Kanwal's remarkable characters navigate economic upheavals, political turmoil, and personal betrayals to pursue love, plot for survival, and play subtle power games to triumph against patriarchal forces of all genders.

Contributor Bio

Tayyba Kanwal is a Pakistani-American writer from Houston, TX. Her work appears in journals such as Witness, Gulf Coast, and Meridian. She holds an MFA from the University of Houston where she was an Inprint C. Glenn Cambor Fellow. Her awards include the Inprint Donald Barthelme Prize in Fiction, Black Lawrence Press 2023 Immigrant Writing Prize, shortlisted for C&R Press' 2023 Fiction Award and runner-up in Witness Magazine' s 2022 Literary Award. She serves as Director of Workshops at Inprint, Associate Fiction Editor at Cutleaf Journal, and Assistant Fiction Editor at Conjunctions.



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The Earth Room

Dana Diehl

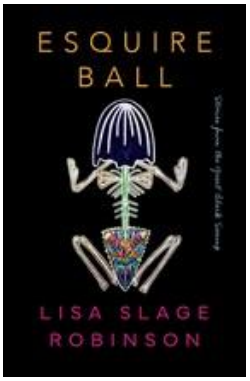
Summary

The Earth Room transports us from the forests of Appalachia to the Sonoran Desert to the glaciers of Iceland, all while exploring the mysteries of what it means to be alive.

In one story, a woman transforms her boyfriend into a salamander. In another, a group of women are drawn together by a support group for the partners of vampires and werewolves. Inhabiting this haunting and fantastical collection are secret tunnels, magical doorways, modern witches, a mother who gives birth to a ghost, a town full of doubles, a sanctuary for potbelly pigs, and a daughter who never grows up. *The Earth Room* offers a thrilling, fabulist journey through the natural world, superstition, motherhood, and loss.

Contributor Bio

Dana Diehl is the author of the short story collection, Our Dreams Might Align, and the collaborative collection, The Classroom. Her chapbook, TV Girls, won the 2017-2018 New Delta Review Chapbook Contest judged by Chen Chen. Diehl earned her MFA in Fiction at Arizona State University. Her work has appeared in North American Review, Necessary Fiction, Waxwing, Mid-American Review, and elsewhere. Raised in Pennsylvania, she now teaches and writes in southern Arizona.



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Esquire Ball, Stories from the Great Black Swamp

Lisa Slage Robinson

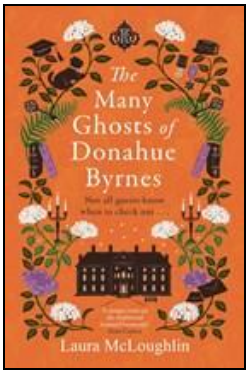
Summary

With a nod to Borges, Kafka, and Daphne du Maurier, *Esquire Ball, Stories from the Great Black Swamp* is a Midwestern gothic collection of thirteen linked stories in which a young female attorney discovers what it takes to succeed.

In this debut collection, set primarily in 1980s Northwest Ohio, ambitious men marry frog wives; a mother-daughter duo trap souls in farmhouse windows; a teenager drowns in a sea of corn; an associate breaks into a client's house to steal a token of remembrance; and a PhD candidate reveals the secrets of the universe while having a threesome with her boyfriend and a tree. Through the lens of magical feminism, and braiding in fairytales and mythology, *Esquire Ball* examines the gray side of ethics, the tyranny of ambition, and the collateral damage left in its wake.

Contributor Bio

Lisa Slage Robinson writes to explore invisible landscapes and magical feminism. Named a finalist for Midwest Review's Great Midwest Fiction Contest, her work appears in Iron Horse Literary Review, Smokelong Quarterly, The Adroit Journal, PRISM, Atticus Review, Storm Cellar, Necessary Fiction, Lit Pub, Meat for Tea and elsewhere. A former litigator and corporate attorney, she practiced law in the United States and Canada. Lisa serves on the Board of Directors for Autumn House Press. Born and raised in Ohio, she lives in Pittsburgh with her husband and keeps the lights on for their daughters.



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The Many Ghosts of Donahue Byrnes

Not All Guest Know When To Check Out...

Laura McLoughlin

Summary

Not all guests know when to check out . . .

A young waitress at a country hotel finds herself with a decades' old mystery to solve - one she hopes will help rid the hotel of its most troublesome guests.
Its ghosts.

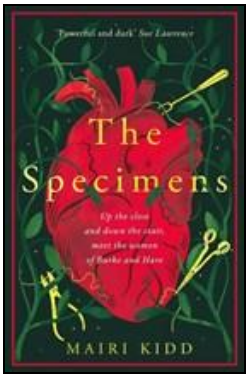
When Ballinadrum Hotel's elderly owner Donahue Byrnes dies, 22-year-old Mia Anne Moran discovers the spectral rumors that have long plagued the place are all too true. Meanwhile, Donahue's son, Cormac, wants to sell up as soon as possible but finds his plans thwarted by the ghostly goings on.

Propelled by the belief that Donahue Byrnes intended to entrust her with the task, Mia strikes a deal with Cormac. She will act as concierge to the dead - keeping the hotel's ghosts in line, as Donahue did previously - and in return, Cormac will sell the business in its entirety, ensuring the future of both the building and its employees.

But what drew Mia's errant charges to Ballinadrum Hotel in the first place? If she can work out that, she might be able to send them on their way at last. Life is rarely straightforward though - especially when it involves the dead - and as Mia tries to s...

Contributor Bio

Laura McLoughlin lives in Northern Ireland with her husband and two beloved dogs. Formerly a web journalist and editor, she currently works as a Digital PR Executive, and holds a BA (Hons) in English with Creative Writing from Queen's University Belfast. *The Many Ghosts of Donahue Byrnes* is her first novel.



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The Specimens

A bold retelling of Burke and Hare's crimes from the women closest to the gruesome truth
Mairi Kidd

Summary

***"A work of fiction that is both a potent portrait of early 19th-century Edinburgh but also a story about female agency or the lack of it. The result is a compelling, painful, haunted piece of work."*—The Herald**

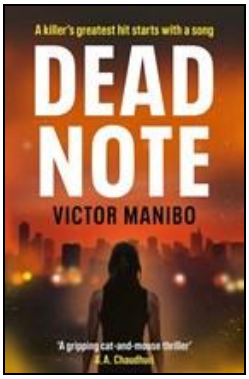
Edinburgh, 1828. Two women - one rich, one poor - must navigate life against a frenzied backdrop of medical discovery, mob mayhem, and murder.

The home Helen shares in the slums of the Old Town with her lover William Burke could hardly be more different from Susan's dreams of an affluent existence as the wife of Robert Knox, one of the foremost anatomists of the day. But as people begin disappearing, these two very different women face an impossible choice. Should they protect what lives they have or tell the truth about what they know?

This is the story of the notorious serial killings of Burke and Hare, told for the first time through the eyes of two very different women, whose stories explore the depths of the human heart in a perilous, vulnerable world.

Contributor Bio

Mairi Kidd is the author of *We are All Witches*, *Warriors and Witches and Damn Rebel Bitches* and *Feisty and Fiery and Fierce*, as well as a number of books for children, and drama for TV, radio and stage. She has a passion for exploring untold stories, and particularly women's lives in history. Mairi is Director of the Saltire Society and has been Head of Literature at Creative Scotland and CEO of Seven Stories the National Centre for Children's Books. She has also been a publisher working to open up the written word to children and young people with dyslexia.



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Dead Note

A gripping race-against-time thriller based on the real-life 'My Way' karaoke killings
Victor Manibo

Summary

"An original, compelling, hard-hitting thriller, *Dead Note* takes off like a bullet train and doesn't let up until the heart-stopping finale." —A.A. CHAUDHURI

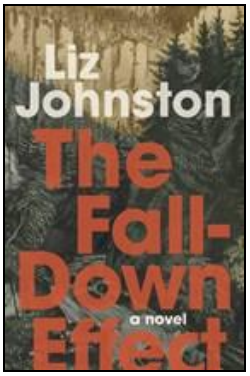
A killer's greatest hit starts with a song . . .

Mia Cordova's world imploded when her father was shot dead in front of her while singing a karaoke classic. The police insisted that his death was the result of a random barroom brawl - an open and shut case - but when, years later, another man is killed in the same way, singing the same song, Mia is convinced the two killings must be connected.

When a newspaper article draws a link between the murders, Mia is thrown into an investigation that leads her into Manila's underworld of interrogations, gambling rings and shootouts. With the police quick to cast suspicion on her, Mia must bring her father's killer to justice alone. But can she catch a killer before she becomes his next victim?

Contributor Bio

Victor Manibo is a Filipino fiction writer living in New York. A 2022 Lambda Literary Emerging Voices Fellow, he is the author of the science fiction novels *The Sleepless* and *Escape Velocity*. *Dead Note* is his first crime novel. Find him online at victormanibo.com and on most social media platforms @victormanibo.



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The Fall-Down Effect

Liz Johnston

Summary

Exploring protest, climate change, and fractured family relationships, Liz Johnston's eagerly anticipated debut novel, *The Fall-Down Effect*, asks what we really owe people in our lives when we are fighting for a greater cause.

As a child in the late 1980s, Fern is the wild heart of her tree-hugging family—quick-tempered and yearning to spend every minute in the woods of the small Pacific Northwest logging town where they live. She is also most like her environmental activist mother, Lynn, who chafes against the demands of motherhood and yearns for the protests of her youth. As tensions escalate, Lynn leaves her partner, Tom, and their three children, telling herself she will devote her life more fully to fighting for the earth.

At nineteen, Fern commits her own radical act of protest in the town, which authorities label ecoterrorism. When Fern goes underground, her parents and siblings—responsible grad student Sylvia and budding artist River—struggle to make sense of her actions while also trying to cover up her absence. Fern's secret proves impossible to keep, and when she becomes a w...

Contributor Bio

LIZ JOHNSTON grew up in Revelstoke, B.C., and now lives and writes in Toronto. Her essays and short stories have appeared in Poets & Writers, The Fiddlehead, The Humber Literary Review, Grain, The Antigonish Review, and The Cardiff Review. Johnston is an editor of Brick, A Literary Journal. The Fall-Down Effect is her debut novel.?



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Bewitched

The Ghostly Tales of Edith Wharton

Edith Wharton, Mike Ashley

Summary

A new edition exploring the works of one of the great ghost story writers, Edith Wharton, aiming to position her firmly amongst the household names published so far in the Gilded Nightmares series. Featuring some of Wharton's essential classics such as 'The Eyes' and 'Afterward' along with less-anthologized masterpieces of the short story form.

Drawing from a lifetime of supernatural short-story writing, this new collection of Wharton's greatest, and most chilling, tales show one of the most talented ghost story practitioners of all time at her very best.

This new edition features a new introductory essay discussing Wharton's indelible influence on the ghost story genre, as well as rarely anthologized tales from the British Library's editions of the legendary author's extensive oeuvre.

Contributor Bio

Edith Wharton (1862–1937) was an American writer whose best-known works are *The House of Mirth* (1905) and *The Age of Innocence* (1920), for which Edith won the Pulitzer Prize, becoming the first woman ever to do so. As well as writing novels, she wrote over eighty short stories and published the celebrated collections of uncanny stories *Tales of Men and Ghosts* (1910), *Xingu and Other Stories* (1916) and her collection of personal favorites, *Ghosts* (1937).

Mike Ashley is an author, anthologist and editor with a specialism for seeking out rare, strange stories from the periodicals and magazines of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. He is an expert in the fields of weird fiction and classic mystery stories, and a leading authority on the history and development of the occult detection tale.

Algernon Blackwood (1859–1951) was an English author, broadcasting narrator and journalist who published over 230 short stories and 47 books in his lifetime. He was deeply interested in occult and mystic studies, and



The Dead of Summer

Strange Tales of May Eve and Midsummer

Johnny Mains

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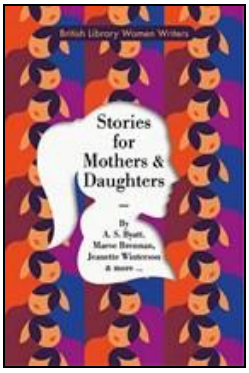
May Day Eve, Walpurgis Night and Midsummer Eve – or the Summer Solstice. Tales of these fated days and nights, and their riotous rituals and feasts, have rung down the centuries, and yet in today's world those that observe their ancient ways are few.

Setting out on a mission to re-weird this lost stretch of the ritual year, Johnny Mains returns with a collection of tales of the bizarre, the beastly and the brutal to welcome the summer and raise the cry: Wyrd is Icumen in!

Featuring stories from classic authors such as E. F. Benson and Joan Aiken along with lost classics from obscure periodicals of Britain and America.

Contributor Bio

Johnny Mains is an award-winning editor renowned for recovering lost stories from the archives. His focus for the past few years has been stories by female authors, many of which have been published in the *Black Shuck Books* anthologies*, A Suggestion of Ghosts* and *An Obscurity of Ghosts*. Mains has also edited collections of the best contemporary British Horror and co-edited the *Dead Funny* anthologies of short stories by contemporary comedians with Robin Ince.



Stories for Mothers and Daughters

Simon Thomas

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Summary

'I fit perfectly in the crook of my mother's arm, on the curve of her back, in the hollow of her stomach. We eat from the same bowl, drink from the same cup; when we sleep, our heads rest on the same pillow'.

From forthright mothers and very modern daughters to the quiet dreamers on either side of the generational divide, this anthology sketches a joyous, fraught, and ultimately tender portrait of mother-daughter relationships throughout the 20th century. Across the decades, women writers return to perpetual teenage daughters that rebel against the specter of maternal tradition and mothers who start to see their own mothers' shadows on the wall. Brought together in this collection is a moving testament to the inextricable and ineffable bond between mothers and daughters, in all its lovely and imperfect forms.

Contributor Bio

Series consultant **Simon Thomas** created the middlebrow blog *Stuck in a Book* in 2007. He is also the co-host of the popular podcast *Tea or Books*? Simon has a PhD from Oxford University in Interwar Literature.



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The Spring Begins

Katherine Dunning, Simon Thomas

Summary

'She knew now, with a sense of deep tranquil certainty, that terror and injury could not spring from love of this kind, no matter what Nurse said. But she could not put all this into words'.

Set against the vast garden and private coastline of aristocratic Kellaways' idyllic country house, three domestic servants awaken to the possibilities of life and love. There's the young nurse-maid Lottie, terrified by the world of men; the scullery maid Maggie, unafraid of seeking out her own pleasure; and Hessie Price the older governess whose worldview shatters when her younger sister becomes engaged. As each woman tries to navigate her desires, attractions ebb and spring against the bloom of flowers.

Contributor Bio

(Rhona) **Katherine Dunning** (1900–1975) was born in Arklow, County Wicklow, Ireland and was the youngest of three artistically talented daughters. After the death of their father, the family moved to Sussex, England, where Rhona began writing under the pen name Katherine Dunning to support the family. Between 1932 and 1952 she published five novels and numerous short stories.



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Summoned to the Séance

Spirit Tales from Beyond the Veil

Emily Vincent

Summary

Through the electric silence of the séance, a terrible, hurtling force draws near. A play with the planchette invites a diabolical visitor to Radley Manor. A medium's summoning of a lost child pitches them into mortal peril. In this haunting new collection, Emily Vincent presents 14 chilling classics and lost gems of séance fiction which evoke the most thrilling and thought-provoking aspects of the popular Victorian movement of spiritualism.

Featuring tales by practicing mediums, sceptics and ghost-seekers including Arthur Conan Doyle, H. G. Wells, Florence Marryat and F. Scott Fitzgerald, this volume is a suffusion of spectral frights and satirical skewering's, destined to linger with the reader long after the door to the séance has closed.

Contributor Bio

Emily Vincent is a Postdoctoral Research Fellow in English Literature at the University of Birmingham as part of the Media and Epidemics project. Her research specialisms include spiritualism and ghost stories, narratives of disease, and maternity in 19th- and 20th-century literature.



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Weird Sisters

Tales from the Queens of the Pulp Era

Mike Ashley

Summary

Veteran anthology editor Mike Ashley returns with a collection of rare stories by women writers from the heyday of *Weird Tales* and its chilling pulp contemporaries.

Featuring a riot of monsters, murderesses and madness from a mixture of lesser-known writers and some surprises such as Lucy M. Montgomery, author of *Anne of Green Gables*, this new selection also includes a 1980s story by Tanith Lee, one of the great proponents of *Weird Tales* magazine's revival era, and a recently discovered tale by the fantasy writer Evangeline Walton.

Contributor Bio

Mike Ashley is an author, Edgar award-winning editor and expert on genre fiction. Since 2018, he has drawn on his experience researching rare periodicals and lost anthologies to create thrilling volumes of rediscovered strange tales for the *Tales of the Weird* series.



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Julia Roseingrave

Robert Paye, Marjorie Bowen, John C. Tibbetts

Summary

"I hear from Mrs Barlow, that your mother and your sister are both ill. You must, then, have very little company." "Very little human company," she replied.

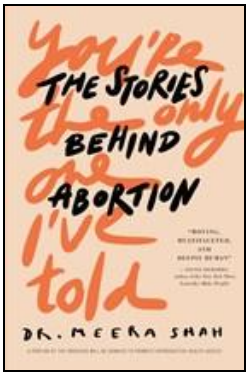
On a moonlit night, a wearied traveler dressed as the Devil calls at the mossy gates of Holcot Grange. Fleeing some bloody misadventure in London, the stranger claims to be heir to the manor which for generations has remained lordless. But among its benighted tenants the enthralling beauty Julia Roseingrave has been waiting – and now her means of escape has arrived. As whispers of witchcraft echo through the grounds and the boundaries between lord and servant fray, a cursed romance begins to smolder – and the specter of death draws near.

First published in 1933, this historical novella of Gothic love returns to print alongside six deliciously dark short tales from the British Library vaults, bubbling with wickedness and the occult.

Contributor Bio

Marjorie Bowen (1885–1952) was the principal penname for Margaret Campbell de Vere Long, a prolific English author best known for her dark historical romances, strange and literary novels and weird short stories. She also wrote under the pseudonyms of 'Joseph Shearing', 'Robert Paye' and 'George R. Preedy'. Describing herself as an 'enchantress of dread', her writing was highly regarded by contemporary critics and writers such as Graham Greene, who listed her as a chief influence.

Michael Dirda (born 1948) is an American book critic, working for the *Washington Post*. He has been a Fulbright Fellow and won a Pulitzer Prize in 1993.



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You're the Only One I've Told

The Stories Behind Abortion

Meera Shah

Summary

"Moving, multifaceted, and deeply human...as eye-opening as it is compelling" —Cecile Richards, author of *Make Trouble*

At a time where reproductive rights are at risk, these vital stories of diverse individuals serve as a reminder of the importance of empathy, finding community and motivating advocacy

For a long time, when people asked Dr. Meera Shah, Chief medical officer of Planned Parenthood Hudson Peconic, what she did, she would tell them she was a doctor and leave it at that. But when she started to be direct about her work as an abortion provider an interesting thing started to happen: one by one, people would confide that they'd had an abortion themselves. The refrain was often the same: You're the only one I've told.

This book collects these stories as they've been told to Shah to humanize abortion and to combat myths that persist in the discourse that surrounds it. A wide range of ages, races, socioeconomic factors, and experiences shows that abortion always occurs in a unique context.

Today, a healthcare issue that's so precious and foundational to reproductive, social, a...

Contributor Bio

Dr. Meera Shah is a family medicine physician practicing in New York, currently as the Chief Medical Officer of Planned Parenthood Hudson Peconic, where she also serves as the director of Gender Affirming Care and director of HIV Prevention Services.



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Fonda on Film

The Political Movies of Jane Fonda

Nelson Pressley

Summary

As much coverage as Jane Fonda has elicited through the years, the stories often skim past her prime filmmaking core.

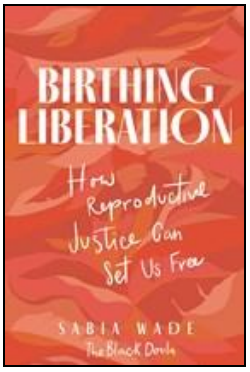
Fonda on Film spotlights the signature political films Fonda generated in the 1970s—*Coming Home*, *The China Syndrome*, *9 to 5* and more—that are still underappreciated even as Fonda endures as one of the world's most admired and controversial performers.

This is a movie book about a mega-celebrity, an origin story voyaging through Fonda's learning years in the 1960s and the calculated payoff of the 1970s. She emerged as a Hollywood scion challenged to prove herself while trying to rise above ingenue roles and sex-angst melodramas. Splitting time between the United States and France to stretch her range, Fonda broke through as the perky newlywed of *Barefoot in the Park*, the sci-fi pinup *Barbarella* and the Oscar-winning star of the sleek *Klute*.

And then Fonda earned her activist stripes with the Vietnam vets' Winter Soldier hearings and her alt-USO F.T.A. tour. She survived the "Hanoi Jane" flap and, by the mid-1970s, transformed into a singular star on an unparalleled mov...

Contributor Bio

Nelson Pressley was a *Washington Post* theater critic/arts journalist for twenty years, writing reviews, features and profiles, interviewing Tony, Emmy, Oscar and Pulitzer winners, editing in the Weekend section, publishing a weekly theater review newsletter, hosting some of the paper's first Facebook Live projects (including interviewing Kathleen Turner), and creating other video content. His work has appeared in *American Theatre*, *The Sondheim Review*, and elsewhere, and for several years he was a panelist on WETA-TV's *Around Town*. He is the author of the 2014 book *American Playwriting and the Anti-Political Prejudice*, and he wrote the David Mamet chapter for the 1980s book in Methuen's Decades of American Drama series (2018). His website, A Parallax View, is a notebook on hundreds more movies from 1960 to 1981. He lives in Delaware.



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Birthing Liberation

How Reproductive Justice Can Set Us Free

Sabia Wade

Summary

"Wade's attention to how personal change can contribute to societal shifts elevates this above other titles that focus on the self, and the solid research drives home the scope of the problem. This deeply empathetic overview of medical racism will outrage and has the power to inspire change." —*Publisher's Weekly*

***Birthing Liberation* presents reproductive justice as the pathway to equity and the birthplace of liberation.**

Sabia C. Wade, renowned radical doula and educator, speaks to the intersections of systemic issues—such as access to health care, house transportation, and nutrition—and personal trauma work that, if healed, have the power to lead us to collective liberation in all facets of life.

Collective liberation rests on the idea that in order for us all to have equity in this world—from the safety of childbirth, to the ability to bring a baby home to a safe community, to having access to resources, safety, and opportunities over the long term—we must all become liberated individuals.

***Birthing Liberation* creates a path to social and systemic change, starting within the birthing worl**...

Contributor Bio

Sabia Wade (she/they) is a radical full-spectrum doula, reproductive justice advocate, equity consultant, and somatic educator based in Atlanta, Georgia. In 2017 she founded the nonprofit For the Village in San Diego, and in 2018 she founded Birthing Advocacy Doula Trainings (BADT). In 2021 she launched *The Black Doula Podcast*, and *Essence* magazine listed her as one of "9 Black doulas and midwives to follow now." Her work has been featured in Insider, the *Advocate*, *Business Equality Magazine*, *Ebony*, Motherly, Well + Good, and Healthline, among other outlets. She has appeared on several podcasts including *Evidence Based Birth, Birthful, Happy as a Mother,* and *Birth Kweens*.



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Past the Pain

How to Emerge from Trauma with Purpose

Anjanette L. Young, Brianna K. Parker

Summary

Forty minutes on February 21, 2019, changed Anjanette Young's life forever. Her story made national news for months after it broke: A forty-eight-year-old social worker was winding down at home after a long day of work when police broke into her apartment with a faulty warrant and incorrect information. With guns drawn and flashlights shining, twelve cops converged in her home, demanding that Anjanette put her hands up, despite the fact that she was in the middle of changing her clothes. Naked and terrified, she watched as men in tactical gear ransacked her home.

The trauma from that night was devastating, but somehow Anjanette emerged a different person with a new purpose—to serve as voice for the voiceless, particularly those facing injustices by the very people meant to protect them.

In *Past the Pain*, Anjanette tells her story—of what happened that night, what came next, and most important, how others who experience trauma can draw on these lessons to move forward in their own stories. She shares advice from her beloved and respected therapist, Alicia Troff-Meade, designed to bridge...

Contributor Bio

Anjanette L. Young is a licensed clinical social worker and graduate of the Jane Addams School of Social Work at the University of Illinois Chicago. She has shared her story with Dave Savini on CBS Chicago, Joy Reid on MSNBC, Soledad O'Brien on BET, and Gayle King on *CBS Mornings*, and coverage has reached the *Wall Street Journal*, Associated Press, *New York Times*, and other national outlets. Anjanette has received many awards for her courage, including the Rosa Parks Award given by the Leaders Network of Chicago, and the CBS Chicago investigation into her story won a national Emmy. In 2021 Anjanette founded the I AM HER Foundation in honor of Breonna Taylor, with a focus on providing therapy and resources to Black girls and women. **Rev. Dr. Brianna K. Parker** is a faith leader, scholar, and data activist, and author of the book *I Still Believe in the Black Church*. The founder of Black Millennial Café and a leading expert on Black communities, Rev. Bri collects, teaches, and presents empirical data on Black communities' concerns.



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Funeral Song

Carly Racklin

Summary

No one mourns the living dead. In the isolated town of Cairney, the Angel of Death, under specific circumstances, allows the dead to return to life — but not always as desired. For Friede Inkerman, pianist to Cairney's sacred funerals, Death's gift is a curse, not a blessing. All she wants after being murdered by her wife and resurrected against her will is to finally rest in peace, free from the grief and suspicion that ostracize her from the rest of her death-worshipping town. On Allhallowsmas, Friede's hope of passing on to eternal rest is dashed when Death's sacred relic is stolen and the acolyte who guards it is brutally slain, putting all the dead souls in Cairney at risk of fading into oblivion at sunset. Friede also can't ignore how much the murder resembles her own — an echo too haunting to dismiss. Clinging to her last happiness, her oldest friend Bastian, Friede descends into Cairney's secrets to set things right and see her last wish granted. But Cairney is a town where nothing stays buried forever, and Friede's search for answers unearths a plot born of ritual magic and ...

Contributor Bio

Carly Racklin is a writer, editor, and unapologetic vulture enthusiast whose work blends the fantastical with the visceral. They hold a bachelor's degree in English with a concentration in creative writing from Arcadia University, and has written for an international horror film festival, a table top role playing publisher, and more. They currently work in social media marketing and serve as an editor for Luna Station Quarterly. Carly's fiction has appeared in Cosmic Horror Monthly, The NoSleep Podcast, NECKSNAP Magazine, and other publications. Funeral Song is their debut novel.



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Vampire Missionaries

Kathleen Rhodes

Summary

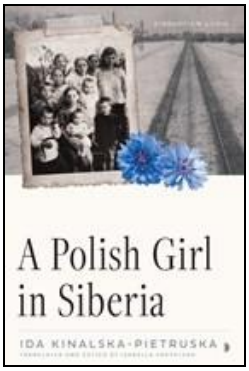
A haunting blend of Gothic horror, religious satire, and supernatural thriller, this is a bold, subversive story that pits faith against fangs in a battle for redemption.

Two young Mormon missionaries, Gabriel and Luke, wake up in their apartment, dazed, blood-soaked—and sprouting fangs. Loyal to their devotion they attempt to carry on their mission, but they quickly learn their newfound thirst isn't just metaphorical. Bound by blood to an ancient, manipulative vampire called Bishop, the boys are thrust into a spiritual crisis that threatens their faith, their morality, and the souls they vowed to save.

Each failed attempt to resist their monstrous urges pulls them deeper into a web of violence, seduction, and, at times, humorous, damnation. With Bishop's influence spreading across the small Oregon town like a plague, Gabriel and Luke must confront the seductive power of their transformation and make a harrowing choice: serve their new master and become harbingers of death or defy him—and risk eternal suffering to reclaim their morality.

Contributor Bio

Kathleen Rhodes is a novelist hailing from Oregon. Kathleen spent their formative years in the community of Gresham, Oregon, just below the poverty line. Working in mental health for twenty years as well as a non-practicing Mormon has granted them invaluable insights into the human psyche, which now come alive in the pages of their novel. The juxtaposition of real-life encounters with those in need of mental health support has fueled Kathleen's imagination, giving rise to a collection of vivid, fictitious scenarios that captivate readers and challenge their perceptions. Beyond the realm of healthcare, Kathleen embraces the joys of family life. As a devoted mother to a spirited 10-year-old girl, and a loving wife, their household is also shared with two cherished canine companions, Lady, and Duke, along with a feline friends, Duchess and Snugs. When Kathleen isn't crafting compelling stories, they can be found indulging in their passions: painting, and gardening.



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A Polish Girl in Siberia

Surviving and Transcending Exile

Ida Kinalska-Pietruska, Isabella Skrypczak

Summary

A memoir of a child's forced relocation to Siberia under Stalin's Gulag system reveals the potential for true human kindness in the face of extraordinary hardship

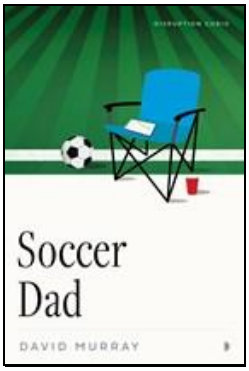
In April of 1940, six-year-old Ida woke to the sound of pounding on her door. Soviet soldiers forcibly packed her and her mother onto a train with thousands of their neighbors and deported them to remote Siberia, leaving them stranded to survive the brutal winter in subhuman conditions. Looking back, Ida shares their struggles: foraging for food, trying to reunite with her imprisoned father, spending weeks in a desolate hospital with typhoid fever, and adapting to shifts in the political climate to make the long journey home to Poland.

Ida published this acclaimed memoir in her native Polish in 2011. Here, Ida's granddaughter, Isabella Skrypczak, translates her babcia's words and provides additional context—including describing the remarkable life Ida has gone on to live as a pioneering doctor.

In the vein of Anne Frank's *The Diary of a Young Girl*, *A Polish Girl in Siberia* chronicles Ida's experiences on a lesser-known front ...

Contributor Bio

Ida Kinalska-Pietruska survived childhood exile to Siberia during the Soviet Union's World War II assault on Poland. When she returned to Poland as a teen, she began studying medicine. A pioneering endocrinologist, she founded the School of Endocrinology and Diabetology in Białystok and led the region's first endocrinology clinic for twenty years. Ida has authored more than four hundred publications, mentored countless other doctors, and collaborated across the international medical community, including using her research to make widely known the Chernobyl disaster's effects on people's endocrinological health. She has been honored with the Order Odrodzenia Polski, Poland's second-highest civilian state award, and two Doctor Honoris Causa titles, reflecting her resilience, brilliance, and global impact on science and humanity.



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Soccer Dad

David Murray

Summary

***Soccer Dad* is the story of a soccer-ignorant, sports-ambivalent writer who saw his daughter from the kiddie leagues through the travel-sports gauntlet to a coveted Division I scholarship. And then realized his work had only begun.**

David Murray's daughter, Scout, loved soccer from toddlerhood. Her drive and skill pulled the Murray family into the world of youth sports—one as culturally obsessive as it is economically exclusive, where each new achievement presents more challenges.

Youth sports is fun, but it isn't simple—especially for parents determined to raise a rounded human being.

In *Soccer Dad*, David tries (and sometimes fails) to keep his perspective on the frenzied soccer sidelines; in post-tournament hotel happy hours; on the road to college "showcases;" and during soul-searching calls and late-night text sessions with Scout as she navigates the intense pressure of elite college sports.

On that journey, David contends with some of the essential questions facing parents of talented children: How do you guide without steering, motivate without pushing, and protect without smother...

Contributor Bio

David Murray is the author of several books, including *An Effort to Understand: Hearing One Another (and Ourselves) in a Nation Cracked in Half* (Disruption Books, 2021).

David is an award-winning journalist whose writing on sports and other subjects has appeared in *The New York Times*, the *Chicago Tribune*, *The Atlantic*, and many other publications.

He is also editor and publisher of *Vital Speeches of the Day*, one of the world's oldest continuously published magazines, and founder and executive director of the Professional Speechwriters Association. David writes daily on communication issues at Writing-Boots.com, and lives with his wife and daughter in Chicago.



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Ocean

A Powerful Yacht, A Warring Family, The Unforgiving Deep...

Polly Clark

Summary

A powerful yacht, a warring family, the unforgiving deep...

Caught in a terrorist explosion on the London Underground, inner-city schoolteacher Helen is pregnant and lost until a stranger leads her to safety then vanishes. Obsessed with finding him, she begins to lose her grip on reality – and her family.

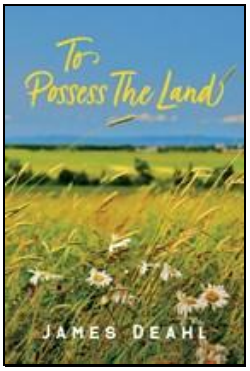
As their marriage fractures, her husband Frank proposes a daring plan: sell up and sail the Atlantic with their son Nicholas and troubled foster daughter Sindi on the Innisfree, the very boat on which the couple first fell in love.

What begins as a daring bid for salvation turns into an epic journey. The ocean proves as wild and unpredictable as the heartbreak Helen is trying to outrun. Will the voyage meant to save them destroy them instead?

With a fiercely funny and maverick heroine at its helm, Ocean is a powerful exploration of the uncharted waters of the human heart. The award-winning author of Larchfield takes us on a gripping, beautifully written voyage into the depths of what it means to heal – and to live.

Contributor Bio

Polly Clark was born in Canada and brought up in Scotland. Her debut novel, *Larchfield* (2017), fictionalized a little-known period in the life of poet WH Auden. It won the Mslexia Prize, as well as critical plaudits from Margaret Atwood, Louis de Bernieres and Richard Ford. Her follow-up, *Tiger* (2019), was shortlisted for the Saltire Scottish Book of the Year. She is also the author of four collections of poetry. Her first, *Kiss* (2000), won an Eric Gregory Award and her second, *Take Me With You* (2005), was shortlisted for the TS Eliot Prize.



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To Possess the Land

An Anthology of Confederation Poetry

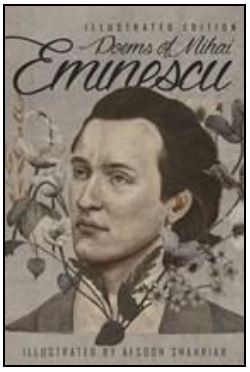
James Deahl

Summary

To Possess The Land is an anthology of 16 of Canada's most important Confederation Poets, with bio notes and bibliography. Their poetry has been out-of-print for decades. Among the goals of this anthology is an investigation of the climate of opinion in Canada in the years following Confederation. The period of 1880 - 1920 is studied. By reading these poems, readers will understand the romantic dreams that were common during the early decades of Canada, dreams that were ended by World War I. After the war, Canada became a different place.

Contributor Bio

James Deahl was born in Pittsburgh in 1945, and grew up in that city as well as in and around the Laurel Highlands of the Appalachian Mountains. He moved to Canada in 1970 and holds Canadian citizenship. He is the author or editor of forty literary titles, recently his two prior collections from Guernica, Rooms the Wind Makes and Red Haws to Light the Field, as well as Tamaracks: Canadian poetry for the 21st century, the first major anthology of Canadian poetry published in the U.S. in three decades. He is the father of Sarah, Simone, and Shona, with whom he is translating the poetry of the Québécois poet Émile Nelligan. Deahl lives in Sarnia with companion Norma West Linder.



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Poems of Mihai Eminescu

Illustrated Edition

Mihai Eminescu, Afsoon Shahriari

Summary

Discover the timeless beauty of Mihai Eminescu's poetry in this exquisite deluxe bilingual volume.

Widely regarded as Romania's national poet, Eminescu (1850–1889) crafted verses of unparalleled depth, exploring themes of love, nature, history, and the cosmos. His lyrical mastery and philosophical reflections have captivated readers for generations, making him one of the most celebrated poets in European literature.

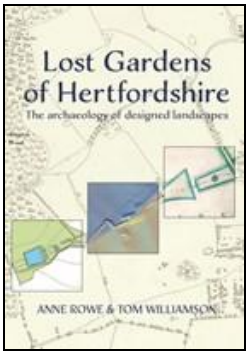
This beautifully designed edition brings Eminescu's most cherished poems to life with breathtaking artwork by Afsoon Shahriari, a talented illustrator from Georgia. Her evocative imagery enhances the emotional and symbolic richness of Eminescu's work, offering readers a visually immersive experience.

Perfect for poetry lovers, collectors, and those new to Eminescu's genius, this deluxe volume presents his poetry in a way that honors both its literary significance and artistic splendor. Whether you are drawn to the romanticism of *Luceafărul (Lucifer)*, the melancholy of *Ode in Ancient Meter*, or the vivid landscapes of his nature poems, this collection serves as a gateway to th...

Contributor Bio

Mihai Eminescu (1850–1889) is widely regarded as Romania's national poet and one of the most influential figures in Romanian literature. His poetry, characterized by its lyrical beauty, philosophical depth, and romanticism, explores themes of love, nature, history, and existential reflection. Eminescu's most famous work, *Luceafarul*, is considered a masterpiece of European poetry, blending mythology, romance, and cosmic imagery.

Born in Boto?ani, Romania, Eminescu showed an early passion for literature and philosophy. He studied in Vienna and Berlin, where he was influenced by German Romanticism, classical literature, and the works of Schopenhauer and Kant. As a journalist and editor, he was a vocal advocate for Romanian cultural and political identity.



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Lost Gardens of Hertfordshire

The archaeology of designed landscapes

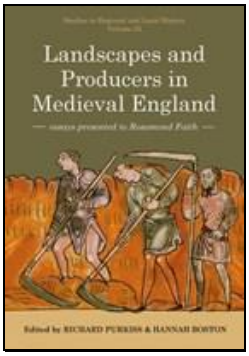
Anne Rowe, Tom Williamson

Summary

Archaeology can transform our knowledge of the history of gardens and designed landscapes. Terraces, viewing mounts, pools and other features of the great gardens laid out around elite residences at various times in the past can leave impressive earthwork traces; long-lost walls and garden buildings may be revealed by aerial photography or remote sensing techniques such as Lidar. Landscape parks, moreover, often contain the fossilised traces of the working countryside that was swept away when they were created, providing important information about the ' genius of the place' which was consulted when they were first designed. Hertfordshire is particularly rich in such remains. Proximity to London ensured, from an early date, an active land market and a rapid turn-over of properties. In this fascinating and innovative study – the outcome of several decades of research – systematic field survey and the analysis of aerial photographs and Lidar images are combined with the evidence of early maps and documents to reconstruct the appearance and hist

Contributor Bio

Anne Rowe is a freelance landscape historian. As well as being the author of Medieval Parks (2009) and Tudor and Early Stuart Parks of Hertfordshire (2019), she is the co-author, with Tom Williamson, of Hertfordshire: A landscape history (2013). She co-ordinated the research work of the Hertfordshire Gardens Trust (HGT) for over twenty years and is president of the East Herts Archaeological Society. Tom Williamson is Emeritus Professor of Landscape History at the University of East Anglia. A native of Hertfordshire, his enthusiastic support and encouragement has underpinned the notable productivity of the HGT Research Group since the 1990s. He has written extensively on landscape archaeology and garden history.



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Landscapes and Producers in Medieval England

Essays presented to Rosamond Faith

Richard Purkiss, Hannah Boston

Summary

Dr Rosamond Faith is a leading historian of the English peasantry in the early and central Middle Ages. In a series of influential studies, she has uncovered the basic structures of rural society, revealing how economic organisation, physical environment, and ideology shaped the lives of ordinary people in the earliest documented centuries. In this Festschrift, friends and colleagues take up her theme, offering new perspectives on people who worked for a living between the seventh and fourteenth centuries. King Alfred famously divided society into three orders, but whereas the lives of 'those who fight' and 'those who pray' are recorded in their own words, the experience of 'those who work' can only be recovered indirectly. The essays collected here approach rural society under three different headings, each examining a different dimension of peasant life. The first section addresses the organisation of rural society. Every locality was subject to instruments and processes regulating the exploitation of the landscape, whether administrative or co-operative in nature, and whether oper...

Contributor Bio

Richard Purkiss is a Postdoctoral Research Associate at the University of Manchester. He wrote his doctoral thesis on East Anglia in the tenth and eleventh centuries, and works mainly on English society and government in the late Anglo-Saxon period. Hannah Boston is a Leverhulme Early Career Fellow at the University of Lincoln. Her research covers regional societies, lordship, and loyalty in England between the eleventh and thirteenth centuries.



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Wasp Woman

The Life, Career, and Murder of Hollywood's Susan Cabot

Lona Bailey

Summary

A revealing biography for film and true crime fans, shedding new light on Susan Cabot’s Hollywood career and the sensational tragedy that overshadowed her legacy.

Susan Cabot was a popular B-list movie actress in the 1940s-1950s whose grisly slaying perhaps gained her more notoriety than her on-screen and on-stage accomplishments. Susan had a significant acting career ultimately cheapened by the media circus surrounding her death.

The role for which Susan was most recognized was *Wasp Woman*, Janice Starlin, the president of a cosmetics corporation who experiments with a youth serum made from the extract of wasps that proves to have deadly side effects—not unlike the experimental injections that contributed to her own real-life slaughter in 1986 at the hands of her son, Tim.

Susan was essentially tried and convicted of her own murder due to the overbearing mother narrative purported by Tim’s defense attorney team and the media. This biography broadens the narrative of Susan Cabot, detailing her legacy from a fresh perspective beyond the coils of her last years and brutal murder. It also e...

Contributor Bio

Dr. Lona Bailey is an award-winning researcher and author specializing in the Golden Age of Hollywood. She has written acclaimed biographies including *Uncredited: The Life and Career of Actress Virginia Gregg*, *Voice of Villainy: The Betty Lou Gerson Story*, *Mrs. Radio: The Cathy Lewis Story*, and *Some Small Nobility: The Biography of Joan Banks Lovejoy*.

With a PhD and a background as a therapist, Dr. Bailey is dedicated to sharing the untold stories of women from Hollywood's Golden Age, with a focus on feminist legacy preservation. Her book *Voice of Villainy* was a finalist for the 2023 International Book Awards and won the Gold Medal in the 2023 Dan Povnter’s Global Ebook



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Treason and Traitors in Texas

Facilitators of the American Civil War

Randolph Farmer

Summary

Secrets, betrayal, and hidden histories: the untold story of the Knights of the Golden Circle and the men who tried to shape the Civil War from the shadows.

An exposé on the influential members of the Knights of the Golden Circle (*K.G.C.*), the secretive and treasonous society that fueled the American Civil War.

A follow-up to the highly acclaimed *The Knights of the Golden Circle in Texas*, this book uncovers even more conspirators and provides in-depth biographical details on those involved. It includes previously unpublished material on the lost years of George W. Bickley—often mistakenly credited as the organization's founder—as well as new revelations about the role played by a member of his own Bickley family.

Contributor Bio

A native Texan with ancestral roots dating back to 1817, Mr. Farmer has dedicated decades to uncovering the true history of this legendary land—separating fact from myth through meticulous research.



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Winter's Season

A Regency Mystery

R.J. Koreto

Summary

In 1817 London, before the police existed, Captain Winter is the city's only hope against murder and deceit. This gripping historical crime thriller blends war-born cunning, high-society intrigue, and shadowy investigations in a world where every secret could be deadly.

In 1817 London, Before the Police, There Was Captain Winter.

London, 1817. A city teeming with life, yet lacking a professional police force. When a wealthy young woman is brutally murdered in an alley frequented by prostitutes, a shadowy government bureau in Whitehall dispatches its "special emissary"—Captain Winter. A veteran of the Napoleonic Wars and a gentleman forged by chance and conflict, Winter is uniquely equipped to navigate the treacherous currents of London society, from aristocratic drawing rooms to the city's grimmest taverns.

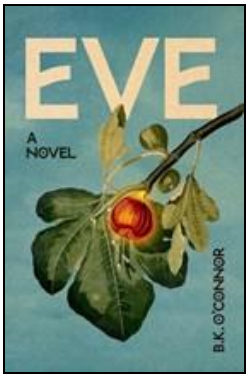
Without an army of officers or the aid of forensic science, Winter must rely on his wits and a network of unconventional allies. His childhood friend, a nobleman, opens doors in high society, while a wise Jewish physician uncovers secrets the dead cannot hide.

But Winter's most intrig...

Contributor Bio

R.J. Koreto has been a magazine writer, website manager, textbook editor, novelist, and merchant seaman. Born and raised in New York City, he graduated from Vassar College and has wanted to be a writer ever since reading *The Naked and the Dead*.

In addition to his eight mystery novels, he has published short stories in *Ellery Queen's Mystery Magazine*, *Alfred Hitchcock's Mystery Magazine*, the *2020 Bouchercon Anthology*, and *Paranoia Blues: Crime Fiction Inspired by the Songs of Paul Simon*.



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Eve

A Novel

B.K. O'Connor

Summary

A bold reimagining of Eve's journey after Eden, set in ancient Mesopotamia and beyond, for readers who crave feminist myth retellings and spiritual exploration.

Exiled to a desolate and harsh New Earth, in this *Paradise Lost* retelling, Eve faces relentless toil, pain, and the resentment of Adam, who blames her for shattering their Paradise.

But even in this barren world, Eve's curiosity only grows. When Eve and Adam discover a thriving civilization in the fertile valleys of Mesopotamia, Adam is able to find peace, while Eve fights an irresistible pull further. She yearns to understand why she was created, to understand the god that made and abandoned her.

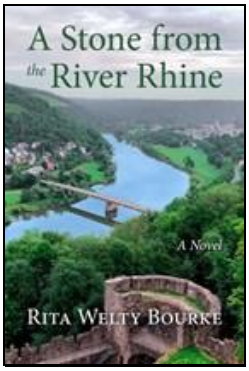
Can Eve find contentment with the vestiges of Eden that remain? Or will she dare to taste the fruit forbidden to her, once more?
In the end, Eve seeks to know the limits to her own power, to sate her hunger, once and for all. Navigating loves, betrayals, and the duties of motherhood from Nippur to the coastal city of Canaan and across the Aegean Sea to Cyprus, Eve will go as far as it takes.

But how many Edens will she forsake, alo...

Contributor Bio

B.K. O'Connor is an educator, mother, and author. With over a decade of travel writing for award-winning publications, B.K. has roamed extensively, honing a curious, passionate voice—seeking to know and understand the world through its stories, to unearth why we exist at all.

O'Connor has a B.A. in English from the University of Texas at Austin and an M.A. in English Studies from Arizona State University. *Eve* is her first novel.



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A Stone from the River Rhine

Rita Bourke

Summary

A moving dual-timeline journey for literary and historical fiction readers, connecting family, loss, and legacy across centuries on the storied waters of the Rhine.

In 1751, Johannes Christian Welde sailed from an island in the English Channel to America. Two hundred and fifty years later, Natalie Welde boards a plane bound for the country her ancestor left behind. But for those intervening years, their paths might have crossed—she on a Delta plane flying at 38,000 feet, he in steerage on a ship bound for America.

Natalie's brother, Billy, dreamed of visiting the land of his ancestors, but it was never possible. Though he always greeted life with optimism and humor, the suicide of his son, the chill of his home life, and the ravages of time had taken a toll. Billy is in hospice care when he learns of Nattie's planned trip to Europe. He asks that she bring him a worry stone from the river his ancestor traveled—from Heilbronn to the North Sea.

After landing in Amsterdam, Natalie and her husband, Hank, board a cruise ship that travels up the Rhine, retracing Johannes' journey in reverse. W...

Contributor Bio

Rita Welty Bourke's novel, *Islomanes of Cumberland Island*, was published by Histria Books in the fall of 2021. *Kylie's Ark: The Making of a Veterinarian* was selected as a Kirkus Best Indie Book of 2017. She has published fiction and nonfiction in numerous literary journals.



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Ribbon of Dreams

Randy O'Brien

Summary

A heartfelt coming-of-age novel set in 1970s Tennessee, Ribbon of Dreams explores identity, family, and hope as a young man faces love, loss, and change in a divided America.

Ribbon of Dreams is a coming-of-age story set in the rural American South as soldiers return from the Vietnam War, dealing with PTSD, grief, and African Americans strive for social justice.

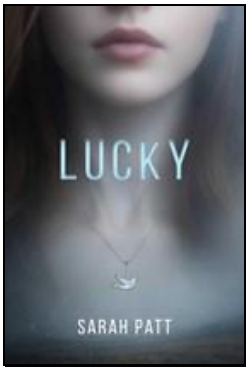
In the spring of 1975, a teenager nicknamed Skid nears high school graduation in a small town in Tennessee. But as he prepares for the next chapter of his life, he begins to question the path laid out for him by his family and community.

Skid dreams of leaving his small town, but his widowed stepfather expects him to take over the family business of restoring vintage cars. With tensions rising between them, Skid struggles to find his identity after being swept up in a protest by African American students.

As he navigates the challenges of young adulthood, Skid discovers a passion for screenwriting and begins to see his town in a new light. Through his talent, he captures the beauty and complexity of rural America, from the rollin...

Contributor Bio

Randy O'Brien is the author of the critically acclaimed historical novels *Gettysburg by Morning* and *The Farm*. He is a retired award-winning radio journalist and long-time book reviewer for *AudioFile* magazine. An avid audiobook reader, O'Brien enjoys thrillers, biographies, and histories while hiking.



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Lucky

Sarah Patt

Summary

When family secrets resurface, college student Dakota must confront her traumatic past to protect her niece from the same darkness that once consumed her. A gripping psychological thriller, *Lucky* explores abuse, courage, and the relentless fight to break generational cycles.

A shattered childhood. A haunting family secret. A college student's fight to protect her niece from the darkness that once claimed her. Sarah Patt's "Lucky" confronts the cycle of abuse head-on in this gripping psychological drama.

Dakota's fresh start at college takes a devastating turn when she discovers her young niece Savannah might be in danger. As memories of her own traumatic past resurface, Dakota must confront the shadows that have haunted her family for generations. With the help of her flamboyant friend Lucky and her protective uncle Travis, she races to uncover the truth before history repeats itself.

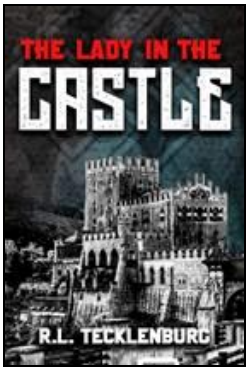
When Detective Michaels presents Dakota with evidence of a wider conspiracy involving children at risk, she must decide: will she retreat into the safety of silence, or find the courage to speak out and pr...

Contributor Bio

Sarah Patt's book *Lucky* is the third installment in her trilogy, but writing is just one of her many passions. Committed to physical fitness for most of her life, she dedicates 90 minutes a day to the gym after working as a one-on-one tutor for children with language-based learning disabilities. Her active lifestyle also includes playing pickleball, biking, and swimming.

The youngest of five siblings, Sarah now has a family of her own, with three young adults forging their paths. She enjoys strategy-based games like Backgammon, Scrabble, and Rummy 500, and is an avid reader of autobiographies, historical fiction, and books that promote empathy and moral character development.

A strong advocate for adopting pets from shelters and embracing sustainable practices, Sarah believes in



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Lady in the Castle

R.L. Tecklenburg

Summary

One woman’s courage against the Third Reich—a daring rescue, forbidden love, and a fight for survival that history almost forgot.

A forbidden love. A daring rescue. A woman's fight for survival. Maria Von Eickler defies Nazi rule to save an American pilot, but her courage comes at a devastating price in this gripping World War II saga.

In 1945 Austria, Maria Von Eickler faces an impossible choice: maintain her silence or risk everything to help a downed American pilot. Her decision catapults her into a nightmare of betrayal, imprisonment, and a desperate battle for survival at the infamous Castle Itter. As Nazi forces close in and hope dwindles, Maria finds unexpected allies among her fellow prisoners, including former French politicians and a surprising protector in an SS officer from her past.

This meticulously researched historical novel brings to life one of World War II's most extraordinary yet overlooked stories.

Will Maria survive the brutal final days of Nazi rule? Can she protect those she loves as the Third Reich crumbles around her? Her journey from privileged aristocrat to re...

Contributor Bio

Robert Tecklenburg writes historical fiction, but calls Ernest Hemingway, Curt Vonnegut, and Viktor Frankl important influences on his life and writing. Like Tecklenburg, their war experiences shaped their lives and their work. His own combat experiences and long years of work as a trauma therapist for other combat veterans in many ways defined his writing. He is the author of Chasing Pancho Villa, Prague: Darkness Descending, and Cold War. Born in Iowa, he now lives in Virginia. Visit the author’s website at www.rltecklenburg.net.



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Crimson Scimitar

Attack on America—2001-2027

S.P. Grogan

Summary

Justice, revenge, and a nation on the brink: when a televised mock trial hides a real terrorist threat, one lawyer must face his past to save the future.

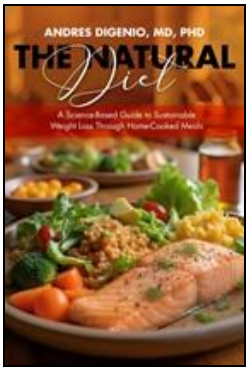
A gripping thriller where justice meets spectacle. When a mock trial of Osama bin Laden collides with a deadly terrorist plot, heroes and villains blur into dangerous shades of gray. Only the truth stands between America and devastation.

In the wake of 9/11, defense attorney Booker Langston still carries the weight of losing his fiancée in the Twin Towers. When he's offered the role of defending Osama bin Laden in a televised mock trial, he faces an impossible choice between justice and revenge. Meanwhile, young al-Qaeda operative Khalaf plots a devastating attack that will shake America to its core.

As the mock trial captivates the nation, a deadly plan unfolds in the shadows. With time running out, Booker must confront his own prejudices while racing to prevent another catastrophic attack. Will his pursuit of justice blind him to the real threat, or can he piece together the clues before it's too late? The answers lie in an explosive...

Contributor Bio

Author S.P. Grogan is a best-selling author specializing in historical fiction. His other books include Vegas Die: A Quest Mystery.



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The Natural Diet

A Science-Based Guide to Sustainable Weight Loss Through Home-Cooked Meals

Andres Digenio

Summary

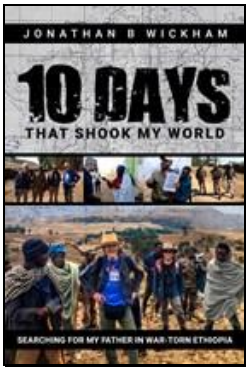
The Natural Diet is a science-based, easy-to-follow approach to weight loss and healthy living that helps people break free from ultra-processed foods, which now make up 50% of the American diet and are the leading cause of obesity and metabolic disease. Unlike restrictive diets that eliminate entire food groups, *The Natural Diet* takes a balanced approach, using history and science to guide readers toward sustainable, real-world eating habits—without cutting out dairy, grains, or even the occasional treat.

Designed for individuals, couples, and families, this 24-week flexible action plan blends nutrition, exercise, and behavioral strategies to create lasting change. Readers will learn how to differentiate between processed and ultra-processed foods, improve food choices, increase physical activity, and build healthier habits—all without counting calories or feeling deprived.

At the heart of the book is Brenda's story, a busy professional in her 40s recently diagnosed with diabetes and at risk for heart disease. Unsure of how to make meaningful changes, she joins a web-based lifestyle p...

Contributor Bio

Dr. Andres Digenio is a physician-scientist born in Montevideo, Uruguay. He holds an MD from Universidad de la República, a BSc Hon in Sports Medicine, and a PhD in Exercise Physiology from the University of Cape Town. Board-certified in Preventive Medicine U.S., his career has focused on lifestyle interventions, obesity and diabetes management, and preventive cardiology. Dr. Digenio began his academic career in Uruguay, later moving to South Africa, where he served as Medical Director of the Johannesburg Cardiac Rehabilitation Center and founded the South African Association of Cardiovascular Rehabilitation. He played a key role in advancing cardiac rehabilitation in developing countries and was elected to the World Council for Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation. In the United States, he joined Vanderbilt University as Medical Director of the Dayani Center for Health and Wellness and led the obesity clinic, shifting his focus to weight management. Realizing the limitations of traditional counseling, he developed PulseStep, a web-based lifestyle modification program providing affordable



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Ten Days That Shook My World

Searching for my father in war-torn Ethiopia

Jonathan Wickham

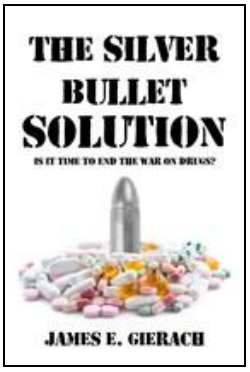
Summary

A powerful blend of WWII history and personal discovery, this memoir traces a son's search for his father's forgotten heroism in Ethiopia and the legacy it leaves today.

In the darkest days of World War II, as Hitler's forces converged on Moscow and the Imperial Japanese navy prepared its surprise attack on Pearl Harbor, a 24-year-old British sergeant took part in a rare and almost forgotten Allied victory. Ten Days That Shook My World: Searching for My Father in War-Torn Ethiopia, author Jonathan Wickham recounts how the discovery of an old photograph propels him on a journey to uncover the mystery of his father's wartime experience. Years of painstaking research reveals that on November 27, 1941, Sgt. Wickham fought as a gunner with British forces who joined Ethiopian resistance fighters. Together, they drove Mussolini from Gondar, his last stronghold and Ethiopia's old imperial capital, making it the first country liberated from the Axis Powers. The story culminates in the author's own 10-day journey to Ethiopia in March 2023. The mountainous heartland that he begins scouring for e...

Contributor Bio

Jonathan Wickham was born in Malawi, a small country bordering the giant lake that fills the end of the Great Rift Valley. He spent his first twelve years there and in neighboring Zimbabwe before moving to the UK, where he completed his education. With a degree in French and German from Cambridge University, he initially considered becoming a language teacher. But a year spent living in West Berlin, with frequent visits to the movies, convinced him that he should become a filmmaker. After film school back in the UK, he moved to Atlanta, Georgia, just as Turner Broadcasting and CNN were taking off. He has spent most of his career in the US, producing documentaries for television. Several of those documentaries focused on World War II. Now, in his first book, Jonathan explores how history's greatest conflict affected someone close to him—and ultimately himself too.



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Silver Bullet Solution

Is it time to end the War on Drugs?

James Gierach

Summary

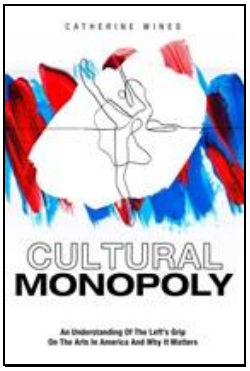
The War on Drugs is at the root of America's opioid crisis, mass incarceration, and global instability. Gierach offers a bold, evidence-based solution: legalize and control drugs to end the decades-long failure of prohibition and restore justice and public health.

Tired of fentanyl overdose news? Fed up with endless gang and gun violence? Mad about disproportionate punishment based on race? Furious about migrants fleeing South and Central American countries to reach the USA to escape unlivable corruption and gang violence driven by drug-prohibition laws there? Upset that over 100,000 Americans are shot each year, with surviving victims' healthcare costs making healthcare unaffordable? Whether called Obamacare, Trumpcare, or Single-Payer? Discouraged that marijuana is still illegal in your country? Angry that America has become the "Prison Capital of the World"?

Did you know that United Nations "drug-control" conventions mandate that 186 nations enact drug prohibition laws? Just like Al Capone loved alcohol Prohibition, drug cartels and drug dealers love drug prohibition. Drug prohibiti...

Contributor Bio

James E. Gierach is a retired Chicago-area attorney, former Cook County prosecutor, and drug policy reformer.



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Cultural Monopoly

An Understanding Of The Left's Grip On The Arts In America And Why It Matters

Catherine Wines

Summary

"Cultural Monopoly" exposes how America's artistic narrative was captured by the political left—and why reclaiming creativity is vital to preserving our nation's story. A bold call for conservatives to reenter the cultural arena and end the left's century-long control of the arts.

Liberals in the United States have a monopoly on the message American arts and culture tell the world. Cultural Monopoly is an examination of historical events that pushed control of high art to the left and how it affects American culture, today. The left fiercely protects their monopoly, not because they want to ensure high quality in the arts, but because they understand art is a great tool to convey and control a message. Control of the arts means power and there is nothing the left loves more than power.

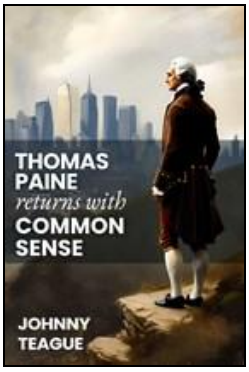
The monopoly started more than a century ago. People on the right always knew it was happening but chose to focus on other things ... a mistake for many reasons. Art is an important part of our national economy, it's a critical tool in documenting our history, and can be a factor in personal health. Most...

Contributor Bio

Catherine Wines is an architect and a strong advocate of all creative arts. She is also politically conservative. Those two things are not a contradiction, much to the amazement of many from both sides of the U.S. political aisle.

Her personal experience working and volunteering in the arts, along with her deep knowledge of historical context, helped her write an engaging book that exposes the dangerous leftward tilt in the arts and reveals her vision to bring them back to critical, neutral ground.

Catherine owns and operates a small architecture firm in rural Nevada.



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Thomas Paine Returns with Common Sense

The Blueprint of our Founders

Johnny Teague

Summary

What if Thomas Paine could weigh in on today's headlines? Thomas Paine Returns with Common Sense shows how the wisdom of America's founders speaks directly to the crises of modern life.

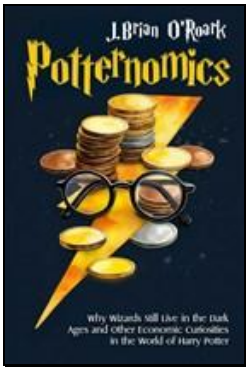
Consider today's headlines:

- *Fentanyl takes thousands of young American lives*
- *The U.S. border is wide open*
- *The national debt threatens the future of its citizens*
- *Numerous conflicts rage across the globe*
- *Medicine shortages require rationing*
- *American students score lower in reading comprehension*
- *Suicides are on the rise*
- *Race relations deteriorate*
- *Homeownership grows more difficult*
- *Taxes increase*
- *Human trafficking becomes the new pandemic*
- *Belief in God declines for the third straight decade*

Now, imagine Thomas Paine, George Washington, or Thomas Jefferson stepping into today's public debate. What would they think? What would they say? Would their wisdom be outdated?

The answers are clearer than one might expect. Their writings remain astonishingly relevant—so much so that, with a few updated details, their words could be mistaken for modern political commentary. Their insights, once foundational to this nation's birth, ...

Contributor Bio



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Potternomics

Why Wizards Still Live in the Dark Ages and Other Economic Curiosities in the World of Harry Potter

J. Brian O'Roark

Summary

Discover the Shocking Economics of the Wizarding World!

The world of Harry Potter is filled with magic, mystery, and adventure, but beneath the surface lies an economy struggling in the dark ages. *Potternomics: Why Wizards Still Live in the Dark Ages and Other Economic Curiosities in the World of Harry Potter* reveals why the wizarding world, despite its magic, remains economically backward.

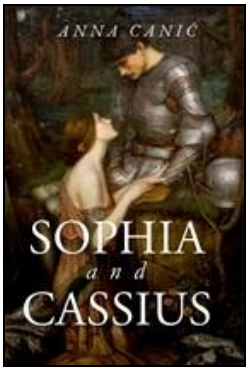
Explore fascinating questions through an economic lens:

- Why is there almost no economic growth in the magical world?
- How does the wizarding world grapple with the fundamental problem of scarcity?
- Why are goblins such ineffective bankers?
- From an economic standpoint, why should people be even *more* terrified of Dementors?
- Why do even the wealthiest wizards maintain a standard of living comparable to the 1700s?
- Could economics explain how Harry, a teenage wizard, defeated the most powerful dark lord?

Part textbook, part *Freakonomics*, *Potternomics* is an entirely fun exploration of the economic principles at play in your favorite magical universe. By applying economic concepts to this beloved setting, you'll ga...

Contributor Bio

Brian O'Roark is currently University Professor of Economics at Robert Morris University. He received his Ph.D. in Economics from George Mason University. Along with being the author of dozens of scholarly articles, his textbook, Essentials of Economics, is in its third edition. He has published two books on economics and superheroes: Superheroes and Economics: The Shadowy World of Capes, Masks and Invisible Hands, and Why Superman Doesn't Take Over the World: What Superheroes Can Tell Us About Economics. O'Roark serves as the editor for the Journal of Economics Teaching and is on the Board of Trustees for Sewickley Savings Bank. He is



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Sophia and Cassius

Anna Canic, Tijana Minic

Summary

Fantasy, time travel, reincarnation, war, and romance in an ancient historical setting!

Explore a captivating retelling of well-known stories in *Sophia and Cassius*, a novel by Anna Canic. Weaving a tapestry of religious, philosophical, and esoteric themes, this gripping story throws new insight into the lost paradise and the fall of ancient civilizations.

Meet Sophia, the first woman - one of strength, intelligence, willpower, and kindness. Sophia, the one who has given the world the gift of writing, is terribly in need of love. But her quest for the ideal partner takes a different turn, involving death, three millennia, and a rebirth as the Roman princess Julia Drusilla.

However, the story goes beyond just a simple love tale. Sophia is thrown into the role of leading an epic battle between Good and Evil in her newfound existence. With the help of friends from many backgrounds, bold Drusilla unravels schemes and exposes the deceptions of the enemy.

A fascinating cast of biblical and historical characters, such as Mary Magdalene, Seneca, and Boudicca, are introduced in the story. Julia Dr...

Contributor Bio

Anna Canic was born on April 14, 1987, in Odessa, Ukraine. By profession - a philologist-translator, by vocation - a writer, poet (sometimes even a songwriter), playwright, journalist, and critic. Currently living in Pireaus, Greece, and working as a publicist in tourism. Her works were published on the pages of magazines, anthologies, and almanacs in Poland ("Akant", "Eneidrion", "Katamaran Literacki"), Serbia ("Odiseja", "A Too Powerful Word"), USA ("Spillwords"), Spain ("Love in Summer", "Winter: November to December"), Greece ("????", "Eirini"), Romania ("Taifas", "ECreator"), and Ukraine ("Litavria"). She is the author of the historical novel "Sophia and Cassius" (originally published in Croatia), vice-editor-in-chief of two Polish magazines on art and culture ("Moja Przestrzen Kultury" and "Dziennik Teatralny"). She is fluent in 6 languages.



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Twenty-Five Centuries Without You

Viktoria Duda

Summary

A sweeping metaphysical romance spanning from Ancient Greece to today, perfect for readers drawn to time travel, mythology, and soul-deep love stories.

***Twenty-Five Centuries Without You* is a gripping metaphysical novel that takes readers on a profound journey across time, from Ancient Greece to the modern day.**
When Sofia steps into a museum and finds herself drawn to a statue, she unknowingly sets in motion a series of events that will change the course of eternity. Her life is forever altered as she begins to uncover a mystical legacy from the distant past, expanding her consciousness into the realms of dreaming, dying, and ultimately, the search for her cosmic lover.

As Sofia follows the whisper of destiny, she learns that the love between her and her soulmate has transcended time itself. Separated by twenty-five centuries, can they be reborn and reunited, guided only by the highest intuition and the eternal pull of their connection? This tale explores the profound connection between past and present, fate and free will, love and loss.

For fans of sweeping historical fiction, time...

Contributor Bio

Viktória G Duda, PhD is a writer, hypnotherapist and consciousness researcher – first and foremost a student of human nature, an eternal seeker of the truth about who we are, where we come from, and where we are evolving. She holds a summa cum laude doctorate from the University of Vienna (Austria), as well as a degree in law, and a post-graduate diploma in clinical hypnosis (London). Born in Budapest, Hungary, she has widely traveled throughout her life and lived in seven different countries (Germany, Austria, USA, Ireland, Mexico, England). Currently, she spends a lot of her time with Marius, the border collie, and two cats in the Northern Highlands of her Native Hungary, in a small cottage by the forest.



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Miss Henderson's Secret

June Calvin

Summary

A Regency romance for historical fiction lovers, where a governess with a dangerous past and a scandal-averse earl must outwit society—and deadly secrets—to find love.

A runaway wife. A dangerous past. A love that could save her soul. June Calvin's enchanting Regency romance follows one woman's fight for freedom against a society determined to chain her.

Eden Henderson has crafted a new life as a governess, hiding from her brutal husband and the shadows of her past. When she meets the charming and rebellious Earl of Dudley, Roger Brentwood, she discovers a kindred spirit who challenges everything she believes about love and trust. But her carefully constructed world begins to crumble as her past threatens to destroy not only her future but everyone she holds dear.

Set against the glittering backdrop of Regency London, this novel explores themes of female autonomy, healing from trauma, and found family.

Can Eden trust her heart to a man who guards secrets of his own? As danger closes in and society threatens to expose her true identity, she must choose between protecting herself and embr...

Contributor Bio

June Calvin lives in Oklahoma with her husband of 62 years, near her son, daughter-in-love, and young grandson.

Over the years, she has worn many hats, working as a teacher, secretary-bookkeeper, public relations professional, museum educator, antique dealer, candle maker, and newspaper reporter.

When she discovered the world of Regency romance, she finally realized what she wanted to be when she grew up. Her first published book, *The Baron and the Bookseller*, won the Romance Writers of America's Golden Heart award in 1993.



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My Lady Ghost

June Calvin

Summary

A haunted castle, a legendary treasure, and a love that must overcome the shadows of the past.

Unlock the Secrets of a Legendary Treasure and a Haunted Heart...

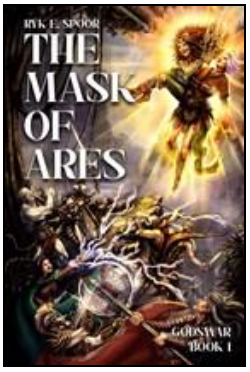
Deep beneath the crumbling walls of an ancient castle lies a long-lost treasure, shrouded in legend and mystery. Its discovery holds the key to the futures of three heirs: Allison Weatherby, James Betterton, and the enigmatic Thorne D'Aumont, Marquess of Silverthorne.

Allison dreams of a love match with Thorne, but the Marquess is haunted by his past, making him deeply wary of giving his heart. James, once like a brother to Thorne but now estranged, desperately seeks the freedom the treasure could offer. Yet Thorne forbids any search, terrified of repeating past tragedies linked to the castle's secrets.

Everything changes when the Silver Lady—the castle's legendary ghost—appears to Allison, guiding her toward the hidden fortune. What starts as a quest for riches spirals into a harrowing test of courage, trust, and the fragile bonds of partnership. As danger mounts and long-buried tensions resurface, Allison, Thorne, and James mus...

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The Mask of Ares

Ryk E. Spoor

Summary

When Ingram and Quester had seen their clients, Lady Victoria Vantage and her young niece Urelle Vantage, safely to their new home, they had thought their work finished, the time come to find new Adventures – despite the not-well-hidden interest between Ingram and Urelle.

Then Ingram receives an impossible message: he, a fugitive and exile from Clan Camp-Bel, is desperately needed by the Clan in distant Aegeia, a thousand miles and more away, for a mission so secret it cannot be included in the recall. And the very night he and Quester set out, Urelle discovers there are assassins already on their trail and rushes to warn them – and following her, Victoria, a retired Adventurer forced once more into the field.

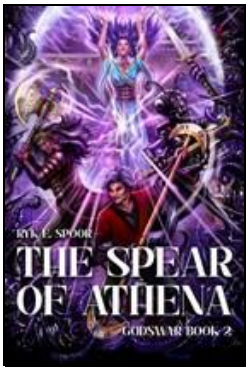
But more is at stake than they can realize, for the ancient Cycle of Aegeia – the living morality play between the Reason of Athena and the Passion of Ares – is in peril of destruction; a monstrous impostor has taken the place of the God of War, and begins to orchestrate an ending to Aegeia itself.

And the false Ares knows that one of the four travelers is the only thing standing ...

Contributor Bio

Born in Omaha, Nebraska, Ryk moved with his family to Vermilion, South Dakota, then Atlanta, Georgia, and later to Latham, NY, before settling in Schenectady, NY. As an effort-induced asthmatic, he was often confined indoors, spending much of his time reading and, eventually, writing—getting those first million words out of the way early! While he enjoyed science books, particularly on volcanology, his favorite childhood reads were the *Oz* novels by L. Frank Baum.

In junior high, a teacher gifted him a battered, slightly scorched copy of E.E. "Doc" Smith's *Second-Stage Lensmen*, which permanently sparked his sense of wonder and set him on an inevitably geeky quest to become a science fiction writer. In high school, he discovered computers and RPGs, running the very first play-by-email (PBEM) roleplaying campaign from 1977 to 1980. It was during this time that he adopted the online alias "Sea



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The Spear of Athena

Ryk E. Spoor

Summary

The Shuttered Country

The four adventurers had barely survived the assassination attempts of the false Ares. But now the counterfeit God of War has sealed Ingram's homeland Aegeia away, stealing the power of Athena's barrier that even gods cannot penetrate, to complete his plan to destroy the Cycle of the Gods and Aegeia itself. The four of them must find a way past the Seal of Athena – something never done in the history of all the Cycles. And even after passing through the terrible trials that the Seal places before them, they cannot begin to grasp what monstrous things await them in Aegia – and none more monstrous than Raiagamor, the shapeshifting abomination who wears the face, form, and power of Ares, God of War.

Yet Raiagamor does not grasp what he will face either, for the four heroes each have their own secrets unsuspected: for Urelle, the depth of her magic; for Ingram, the power of his past; for Quester, the legacy of his people; and for Victoria, the wisdom of her soul.

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Paphos

Nick Burnette

Summary

A tense psychological sci-fi thriller for adult and crossover readers, set on an alien world where a father's mission to save his daughter uncovers terrifying secrets.

Austin thought bringing his daughter on a routine mission would be a chance to reconnect after years apart. But their deep-space expedition to the uncharted planet Paphos is anything but routine.

Buried within the planet's forests lies a sprawling, crumbling alien compound—and they are not alone. A creature capable of seizing control of any host stalks them, turning their expedition into a desperate fight for survival.

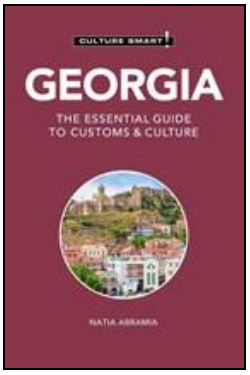
With their escape pods sabotaged and radios destroyed, hunted by an intelligence that hides among them, Austin must forsake all others to keep his daughter safe. The only way home is forward—deeper into the facility, deeper into the unknown.

Perfect for fans of sci-fi thrillers, this pulse-pounding novel explores the limits of survival, the mysteries of first contact, and the unbreakable bond between a father and his daughter.

Contributor Bio

Nick Burnette is an American author specializing in Science Fiction and Fantasy. Raised in a secret society of 80's movies, he honed a unique blend of adventure, suspense, and imagination—along with a few deadly skills best left in the dojo.

When he's not crafting high-stakes stories of first contact, cyberpunk detectives, and kung fu, he can be found plotting his next twist, exploring the cosmos with a telescope, or debating the finer points of old television series with his wife.



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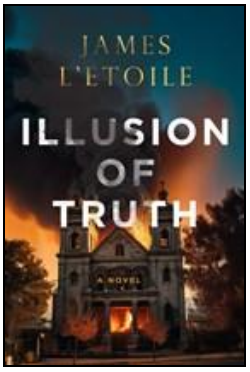
Natia Abramia

Summary

Nestled in the Caucasus Mountains at the crossroads of Europe and Asia, Georgia plays a geopolitical role far greater than its size would suggest. Its strategic location has been both a blessing and a curse, however. Once a battlefield of the Christian and Muslim worlds, today it is caught between its EU aspirations and its location in Russia' s backyard. The ancient Silk Road brought the best of the world to Georgia, which has a rich and dramatic historical heritage, an exquisite cuisine and world-renowned wines, authentic folk music and dances, and an educated and hospitable people for whom indulging a guest is more akin to a religious practice than a simple duty. This new edition of Culture Smart! Georgia guides you through the past and present realities of this unique country, and offers practical insights into the customs, values, traditions, and daily life of its people. Visitors who immerse themselves in Georgian culture will find the experience deeply rewarding, and that the welcome of those they meet along the way will far exceed their expectations.

Contributor Bio

Natia Abramia is a London-based Georgian journalist. Before joining the BBC in 2006, she worked in Tbilisi as a TV reporter covering local and international news and current affairs. After completing an MA in International Journalism at Cardiff University, Natia went on to produce TV documentaries on conflicts around the world, including in the Balkans and Kashmir and as a result has had the experience of living and working in numerous different countries and environments.



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Illusion of Truth

James L'Etoile

Summary

Hunter becomes the hunted

Sacramento Detective Emily Hunter is exposed to inhumanity on a daily basis—it's the unfortunate baggage that comes with police work, and she's mostly learned how to shoulder the load. But it all turns personal when her fellow cop and boyfriend, Brian Conner, is caught in the blast of a targeted church bombing.

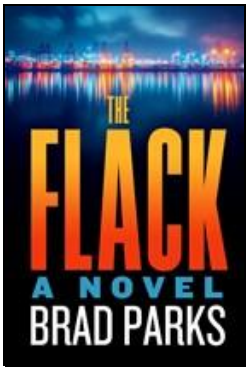
Brian is gravely injured, suffering a traumatic brain injury. But the attacks don't stop there—soon, more officers come under fire, and Emily searches for a connection. She and her partner, Javier Medina, discover that Brian and the other injured officers share a common past—a past that now has them targeted for payback.

Battling with heartbreak, Emily has to identify who's responsible for the string of attacks and stop them before there are more casualties. Will Brian ever be the same again? Already grappling with her mother's progressing Alzheimer's, Emily can't bear the thought of losing both of the people she loves most.

Though it feels impossible, Emily must stay focused on finding the criminals who uprooted her life—and making sure that justice is s...

Contributor Bio

James L' Etoile is a former associate warden in a maximum-security prison, hostage negotiator, facility captain, and director of California' s state parole system, and he uses his twenty-nine years " behind bars" as an influence in his award-winning novels, short stories, and screenplays. His novels include Dead Drop, Black Label, At What Cost, Bury the Past, and Little River. ***Illusion of Truth*** is the third book in his Detective Emily Hunter Mystery Series, following the Lefty Award-nominated ***Face of Greed*** and ***River of Lies***. L' Etoile lives with his wife outside of Sacramento, California. When he' s not writing, you can find him working with his Corgi therapy dogs.



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The Flack

Brad Parks

Summary

His final warning: *Don't take the job. Just run.*

Curt Hinton and Angel Reddish are like a Hollywood buddy flick come to life: former college roommates turned lifelong best friends who always have each other's backs. So when Angel offers Curt the chance to leave his job at a failing newspaper and take a lucrative position as head of corporate communications at Balco, the Bay Area Logistics Company, Curt takes the leap.

Nothing bad can happen with Angel at his side.

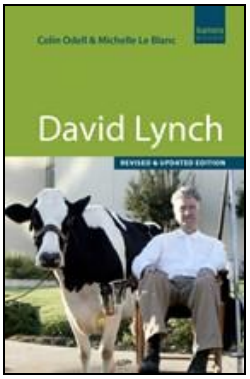
That illusion is shattered on Curt's first day at Balco, when he learns that Angel was killed the night before during a carjacking. Tasked with writing a press release about the crime, Curt quickly discovers the carjacking wasn't random—it was a targeted attack by professional killers.

Who would murder Angel? And why? The Oakland Police don't have any answers. Neither does the FBI. As Curt is drawn into the mystery of his best friend's death, he discovers there are many possible suspects—and that there's a lot more danger swirling around his new employer than he could have ever imagined.

Perfect for fans of Harlan Coben and Jodi...

Contributor Bio

International best-selling author **Brad Parks** is the only writer to have won the Shamus, Nero, and Lefty Awards, three of crime fiction's most prestigious prizes. His novels have been published in sixteen languages and garnered critical acclaim across the globe, including stars from many major review outlets. A former journalist with *The Washington Post* and *The Star-Ledger* (Newark, N.J.), he is now a full-time novelist. He lives with his wife and two children in California and Virginia.



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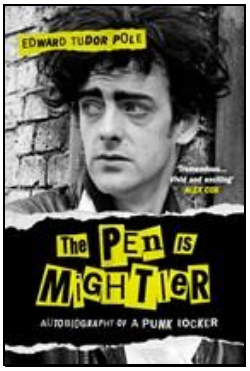
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Internationally renowned, David Lynch was America's premier purveyor of the surreal, an artist whose work in cinema, television and the internet exposed the world to his highly personalised view of society. This book examines his oeuvre, from the cult surrealism of his debut feature *Eraserhead* to his last feature *Inland Empire*, considering the themes, motifs and stories behind his incredible feature films, shorts and internet projects. His series *Twin Peaks* revolutionized TV and expanded the possibilities of what the medium could offer. This updated edition includes *Twin Peaks: The Return*, his continuation of the series 25 years after the original had set the world alight.

In Lynch's world the mundane and the fantastical collide, often with terrifying consequences. It is a place where the abnormal is normal, where the respectable becomes sinister, where innocence is lost and redemption gained at a terrible price. And there's always music in the air. From the deserts of a distant world to an ordinary backyard, at the breakneck speed of *Lost Highway*...

Contributor Bio

Colin Odell and **Michelle Le Blanc** are freelance authors and film critics. They are the co-authors of *John Carpenter, Tim Burton, Horror Films, Jackie Chan*, *Vampire Films, Anime* and *Studio Ghibli* and contributed to Wallflower Press's *Alter Image* and *The Greenwood Encyclopedia of Science Fiction and Fantasy*. He is an editor and contributor to the online film review salon kamera.co.uk and *Vector Magazine*.



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The Pen is Mightier *(2nd Edition)*

Autobiography of a Punk Rocker

Edward Tudor Pole

Summary

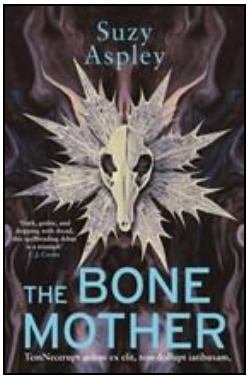
A fascinating behind-the-scenes account of the punk rock world, a career in show business and a lifetime spent on stage, written by legendary musician and one-time Sex Pistol, Edward Tudor Pole.

Whether house sharing with Philip Pullman, trading one-liners at RADA with Ralph Richardson, shooting the breeze with Clint Eastwood, partying with Jerry Hall, acting in Edwardian comedy with Rex Harrison or dodging fights with Sid Vicious, Edward Tudor Pole has proved himself equal to many a challenge. In a series of amusing, nostalgic and sometimes outrageous stories, told with candor and wit, Edward Tudor Pole recounts his fascinating youth pre-punk and during the time of Vicious and The Clash before fronting 80s band Tenpole Tudor. After the horrific implosion of the group, Tudor Pole was enticed into the acting world, appearing in numerous films and plays including *Sid & Nancy*, *Absolute Beginners*, a long-term association with cult film director Alex Cox, cameo appearances in *Harry Potter* and *Game of Thrones* and a stint presenting *The Crystal Maze*.

The Pen is Mightier tells of how a trouble...

Contributor Bio

Edward Tudor Pole is an English musician, television presenter and actor. Originally gaining fame in the UK in the late 1970s as the lead singer of the punk rock band Tenpole Tudor, Edward Tudor Pole began an acting career following the group's split in 1982. Outside of his music career Edward Tudor Pole is probably best known as the presenter of the TV game show *The Crystal Maze* from 1993 to 1995, and for his roles as Enaros in the 1997 fantasy film Kull the Conqueror and Mr. Borgin in the Harry Potter film series.



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Series: A Martha Strangeways Investigation
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The Bone Mother

Suzy Aspley

Summary

When reporter Martha Strangeways is called into investigate the discovery of body parts on a remote railway track, she's drawn into a strange case, as her own past comes back to haunt her. The atmospheric, critically acclaimed series continues . . .

Martha Strangeways has settled into a quiet life in Strathbran, after the horrific events that traumatized the village a year earlier: her son, Dougie is at university, her friend Orla will give birth at any minute, and she's becoming ever closer to her ex, Jamie.

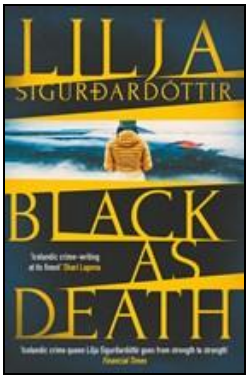
But all this is turned upside down when her friend at Glasgow CID, DI Derek Summers, calls on her to help with a truly disturbing case: a human ear, with an unusual Celtic earring, has been found next to a railway line in the Highlands.

An when the body of a young woman wearing matching jewelry turns up at a landmark church shortly after, the mystery only deepens. Why has she been laid out in such a ritualistic fashion? Does her trek along the little-known Cailleach Way have anything to do with her demise? And who is running the Facebook Group where she posted details of her journe...

Contributor Bio

Former journalist **Suzy Aspley** has lived in Scotland for almost 30 years. She writes crime and short stories often inspired by the strange things she sees in the landscape around her. She won Bloody Scotland's Pitch Perfect in 2019 with the original idea for her debut novel and was shortlisted in the London Capital crime festival's new voices award. In 2020, she was mentored by Jo Dickinson as part of the Hachette future bookshelf initiative. Her novel *Crow Moon* was also long listed this year for the Caledonia Novel Award

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Black as Death

The breathtaking, shocking finale to the twisty, addictive Icelandic crime series, An Áróra Investigation…

Lilja Sigurdardottir, Lorenza Garcia

Summary

When the chief suspect in the disappearance of Áróra's sister is found dead, and Áróra's new financial investigation leads to the street where her sister was last seen, she is drawn into a shocking case that threatens everything … The unmissable finale to the chilling, twisty, award-winning series…

'Icelandic crime-writing at its finest' **Shari Lapena**

'Icelandic crime queen Lilja Sigurðardóttir goes from strength to strength' ***Financial Times***

'A heartbreaking story and a twisty mystery that will only be fully appreciated by those who have read the other parts of the quintet first. You won't regret it if you do' ***Sunday Times***

'So chilling' ***Crime Monthly***

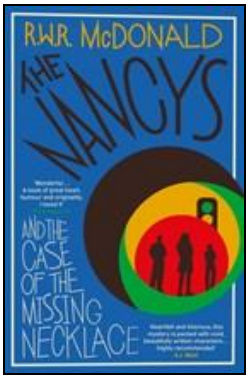
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A final reckoning…

With the fate of her missing sister, Ísafold, finally uncovered, Áróra feels a fragile relief as the search that consumed her life draws to a close. But when Ísafold's boyfriend – the prime suspect in her disappearance – is found dead at the same site where Ísafold's body was discovered, Áróra's grip on reality starts to unravel … and the mystery remains far from solved.

To distract herself, she dives headfirst into a m...

Contributor Bio



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Fiction / Mystery & Detective

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The Nancys and the Case of the Missing Necklace

The heartwarming, gripping DEBUT mystery that EVERYONE is talking about...

R.W.R McDonald

Summary

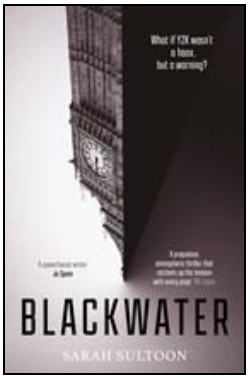
Eleven-year-old Tippy's uncle and his boyfriend turn up in her small New Zealand town to look after her when his mother is away over Christmas, but when her schoolteacher is found dead and her best friend has a near-fatal accident, the trio turns detective, dubbing themselves The Nancys, and launching a chaotic, hilarious investigation.

Tippy Chan is 11 years old, and she lives in a small town in a very quiet part of New Zealand – the town her Uncle Pike escaped as a teenager, the moment he got a chance. Now Pike is back with his new boyfriend Devon to look after Tippy while her mom is on a Christmas cruise.

Tippy can't get enough of her uncle's old Nancy Drew books. She wants to be Nancy and is desperate to solve a real mystery. So, when her teacher's body is found beside Riverstone's only traffic light, it looks like Tippy's moment has arrived. She and her minders form The Nancys, a secret detective club. But what starts as a bonding and sightseeing adventure quickly morphs into something far more dangerous. A wrongful arrest, a close call with the murderer, and an intervention from ...

Contributor Bio

R.W.R. McDonald (Rob) is an award-winning author, a Kiwi and Queer dad living in Melbourne with his two daughters and one HarryCat. His debut novel, *The Nancys*, won Best First Novel in the 2020 Ngaio Marsh Awards, as well as being a finalist in the Best Novel category. It was shortlisted for Best First Novel in the 2020 Ned Kelly Awards, and Highly Commended for an Unpublished Manuscript in the 2017 Victorian Premier's Literary Awards. His second novel, *Nancy Business*, was a finalist for Best Novel in 2022 Ngaio Marsh Awards.



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Fiction / Thrillers

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Blackwater

The atmospheric, heart-pounding thriller that everyone is talking about...

Sarah Sultoon

Summary

The world is counting down to the millennium – and to disaster. When a child's body is found on a remote island east of London, journalist Jonny Murphy is sent to investigate. What he uncovers is more than a tragedy. It's a warning. Something catastrophic is coming ... and Jonny might be the only one who can stop it.

'A propulsive, atmospheric thriller that ratchets up the tension with every page' **TM Logan**

'A powerhouse writer' **Jo Spain**

'Cleverly layered and beautifully atmospheric … Sarah Sultoon has become an auto-buy author for me' **Kia Abdullah**

'The clock ticks down towards a fantastic payoff … Abandoned islands, thrilling chases, investigative journalists – what more could you want?' **Holly Watt**

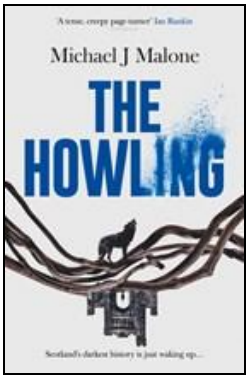
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They feared the machines.

They should have feared the people...

London, Christmas 1999. The world is on edge. With the new millennium just days away, fears of the Millennium Bug are spiralling – warnings of computer failures, market crashes, even global catastrophe. But fifty miles east, on the frozen Blackwater Island, a different kind of mystery unfolds. A child's body is discovered on the brac...

Contributor Bio



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Fiction / Thrillers
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7.8 in H | 5.1 in W

The Howling

Michael J. Malone

Summary

Annie and Lewis search for the son of an old enemy, who may hold the key to ending Annie' s curse. Their investigations lead back to the past, uncovering something that could destroy the most powerful people in the country. The compelling, chilling next instalment in the Annie Jackson Mysteries series...

Two men, centuries apart, dream of being a wolf.

One is burned at the stake.

Another is locked in a psychiatric hospital for most of his life.

And Annie Jackson is about to find out why…

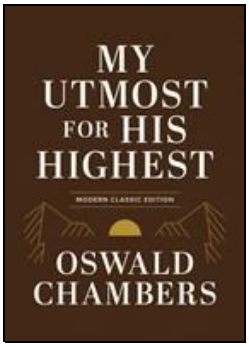
Vowing once again to remove herself from society, Annie is once more living alone in her little cottage by the shores of a loch. But when an old enemy – now locked up in a high-security hospital – comes calling, begging her to find the son that she was forced to give up at the age of seventeen, Annie is tempted out of seclusion.

The missing boy holds the key to ending Annie' s curse, and he may be the only chance that both she and Lewis have of real happiness.

Annie and Lewis begin an investigation that takes them back to the past, a time etched in Scottish folklore, a period of history that may just be repea...

Contributor Bio

Michael J. Malone is a prize-winning poet and author who was born and brought up in the heart of Burns' country. He has published over 200 poems in literary magazines throughout the UK, including *New Writing Scotland, Poetry Scotland and Markings. Blood Tears*, his bestselling debut novel won the Pitlochry Prize from the Scottish Association of Writers. Other published works include: *Carnegie's Call: A Taste for Malice: The*



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My Utmost for His Highest

Modern Classic Language Gift Edition (365-Day Devotional using NIV)

Oswald Chambers

Summary

A Beloved Devotional to Keep for Yourself and to Share with Others

My Utmost for His Highest has challenged and inspired millions of believers to live with bold faith and complete surrender to Christ—and now it's been refreshed just for you. With language adapted by Macy Halford and Scripture from the New International Version, this Modern Classic Edition makes Oswald Chambers's powerful insights more accessible while preserving the depth and wisdom that have stood the test of time.

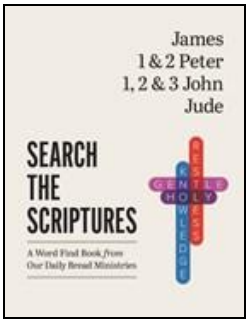
Each day's reading encourages you to reflect, stretch your faith, and pursue a life fully abandoned to God. Whether you're just starting your faith journey or have walked with God for years, this daily devotional will speak to your heart and stir your soul.

Open its pages, slow down, and meet with God each day. This beautiful 365-day leatherlike devotional with a satin ribbon also makes a great gift for any occasion.

Authorized by the Oswald Chambers Publications Association Ltd.

Contributor Bio

Oswald Chambers (1874–1917) is best known for the classic devotional *My Utmost for His Highest*. Born in Scotland, Chambers had a teaching and preaching ministry that took him as far as the United States and Japan. He died at age forty-three while serving as chaplain to Allied troops in Egypt during World War I.



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11 in H | 8.5 in W

James, 1 & 2 Peter, 1, 2 & 3 John, Jude

A Word Find Book from Our Daily Bread Ministries

Peachtree Publishing Services

Summary

Explore Seven New Testament Letters alongside Word Puzzle Fun!

Nourish both your mind and spirit with Bible-based word find puzzles. On each two-page spread, you'll

- read Scripture from the NIV Bible,
- answer clues about that Scripture to discover which words to search for,
- and find those words in the puzzle.

By the time you're done, you'll have read James, 1 and 2 Peter, 1, 2, and 3 John, and Jude and reviewed key details about each one while completing multiple word finds. Full answer keys are included.

With minds "alert and fully sober" (1 Peter 1:13), "refresh your memory" (2 Peter 1:13) and build "yourselves up in your most holy faith" (Jude 1:20) with these puzzles that engage Scripture and help you "come near to God" (James 4:8) and "know him who is true" (1 John 5:20)!

From the Search the Scriptures series, this activity book is a great gift for all ages—from kids who need a quiet-time activity to older adults who want to keep their minds sharp with the Word of God.

Contributor Bio

Peachtree Publishing Services is a book project management company with a passion for and focus on Bible-related projects. With a full suite of editorial services, Peachtree manages complex projects for the world's leading Bible and Christian book publishers.



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God Hears Her, A Joyful Easter

40 Morning and Evening Devotions

Our Daily Bread

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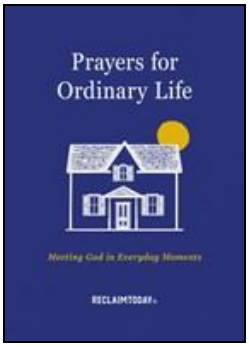
"He is not here; he has risen." —Matthew 28:6

Find new hope in the promise of Jesus's life and resurrection as you journey to Easter with this beautifully designed 40-day devotional. From the best-selling God Hears Her collection, each devotion includes a daily Scripture passage and prayer to remind you of how much Jesus loves you. Spend time reflecting on the goodness of God every morning when you wake up and every evening before you go to bed this Lenten season.

From Our Daily Bread Ministries, God Hears Her is designed to bring inspiration and encouragement to women every day. Each product speaks to a woman's heart, lifts her up, and reminds her that God is bigger than the trials she faces.

Contributor Bio

From Our Daily Bread Ministries, this devotional is part of the God Hears Her collection designed to bring comfort and encouragement to women every day. Each product guides her to seek God with all her heart and find in Him everything she needs. Go to godhearsher.org to learn more.



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Prayers for Ordinary Life

Meeting God in Everyday Moments

Reclaim Today

Summary

"From when you wake up in the morning, to when you're trying to figure out what's for lunch, to responding to that annoying email, to getting that bad news, to brushing your teeth before bed—God is here, meeting you in your ordinary, everyday life." —Reclaim Today

So much of life is made up of little things that too often feel disconnected from our relationship with God and our purpose as His followers—but nothing could be further from the truth.

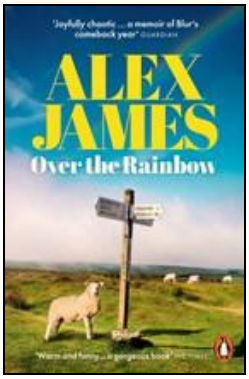
Reclaim Today invites you to shift your perspective through prayer. With over 250 prayers organized by topics such as relationships, emotions, and hard times, *Prayers for Ordinary Life* helps you discover that every day is an opportunity to sit in God's presence and cultivate a life of openness to Him. Find the words for everyday situations including:

- A Prayer for Looking in the Mirror
- A Prayer for Burnout
- A Prayer for When It Feels Like God Doesn't Care
- A Prayer for When You're Sick
- A Prayer for Living Far Away from Family and Friends
- A Prayer for the Changing of Leaves

Whether you're pausing to enjoy a game night with friends or to center your...

Contributor Bio

Reclaim Today from Our Daily Bread Ministries creatively explores how we can engage the Bible to hear from God and connect with Him in the ordinary, extraordinary, and everyday moments of life. Discover more at reclaimtoday.org.



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Over the Rainbow

Tales from an Unexpected Year

Alex James

Summary

'Joyfully chaotic … a memoir of Blur's comeback year' *Guardian*
'Warm and funny … a gorgeous book' *The Times*

A raucous, behind-the-scenes account of the year Blur got back together

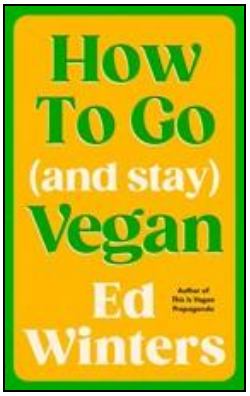
'There is nothing that can touch the sound made by a close-knit group of people who have been playing together for years and years and years, playing as though their lives depended on it. For many years, all our lives did, and actually, I'd suddenly realised, they did still.'

One winter's night, Alex James received an unexpected call. Blur had been invited to play their biggest gig ever: Wembley Stadium. The only trouble was, he and his bandmates hadn't spoken to – or even shouted at – each other for years. And he now had five children, an out-of-control menagerie of cats, and a sprawling farm to run.

This is the story of what happened next. Taking us behind the scenes of a raucous, rollercoaster year, Alex describes how the band made a surprise – and emotional – return, recording an acclaimed album and playing sold-out shows around the world, from Colchester to Colombia and beyond. Plus: how he went on a crash ...

Contributor Bio

Alex James is a writer, farmer, and the bass player with Blur. He lives in Oxfordshire with his wife and five children.



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How to Go (and Stay) Vegan

Ed Winters

Summary

The expert guide to veganism from leading vegan content creator, activist and bestselling author Ed Winters (@earthlinged)

'The **perfect companion** for sustainable vegan living' VEGANUARY

So, you want to go vegan. The big question is how?

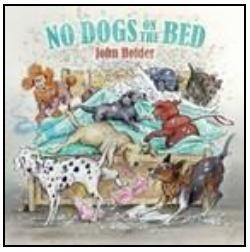
Deciding to become vegan can feel daunting, but with the right support, it doesn't have to be. Drawing on years of experience, vegan advocate and educator Ed Winters is here to guide, inform and empower you on your journey.

From explaining the ethical and environmental benefits of a vegan lifestyle to showing you how to eat a nutritionally balanced diet and what to do if you experience setbacks, this book is your non-judgemental companion to thriving as a vegan – for life.

Contributor Bio

Ed Winters is a compassionate activist and vegan educator from the UK, widely known for his award-winning viral online content. He is the bestselling author of *This is Vegan Propaganda* and *How to Argue with a Meat Eater*. He is a prolific public speaker who has been invited to schools, universities and businesses across the world, including major companies such as Google, Meta and American Express. Ed has given speeches at over a third of UK universities and at every Ivy League college in the US. In 2022, Ed taught as a Media & Design Fellow at Harvard University.

Ed has also given two TEDx talks that have amassed over 2.4 million views online. His viral university speech You Will Never Look at Your Life in the Same Way Again has over 35 million views online. Ed has been invited numerous times on to live television and radio, including for the BBC and ITV, and has been featured by media outlets including LadBible*, The Times,* the *Independent* and the *Guardian*.



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Pets / Dogs

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No Dogs on the Bed

John Holder

Summary

Lazy Labradors, springing Springers, terrible Terriers, permed Poodles, working dogs, lapdogs, hang-dogs, and even sausage dogs! All these and more fill cartoonist John's latest book. This book of canine cartoons is the dog's doodahs and makes the perfect present for anyone who is similarly dog mad.

Contributor Bio

British illustrator John Holder works in the classic tradition of humorous illustration dating back to Victorian times. Giving contemporary topics a vintage twist is John' s specialty and that' s why leading newspapers, magazines, ad agencies and big brands turn to this vastly experienced artist.



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Fiction / Literary
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The Flying Dutchman

Laurence Klavan

Summary

For Olive, the teen years may be behind her, but her love for teen idol Fyfe Moreso remains as intense as ever. Fyfe, the shape-shifting superstar, has captivated millions in virtual arenas and filled Olive' s heart with both dreams of devotion and desire. But Olive is about to uncover a shocking truth: Fyfe has lived many lives before. Like the sea captain from the classic romantic legend doomed to wander the earth in search of his one true love, Fyfe is cursed to live through countless reincarnations— until he finds the woman destined to break his endless cycle. And Olive? She may be the one he' s been searching for all this time, the woman both blessed and burdened with a fate that could change everything. In this captivating story of love, fate, and the pull of destiny, Olive must confront the truth about the man she' s adored for years and the impossible connection that binds them across time.

Contributor Bio

Laurence Klavan is the author of the story collection, The Family Unit and Other Fantasies, the novella, Albertine, and co-writer of the graphic novels, Brain Camp and City of Spies, published by First Second Books. His mystery novels, The Cutting Room and The Shooting Script were published by Ballantine. An Edgar Award-winner, he received two Drama Desk nominations for the book and lyrics of Bed and Sofa, the musical produced by the Vineyard Theater in New York and the Finborough Theatre in London.



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The Meaning of Fear

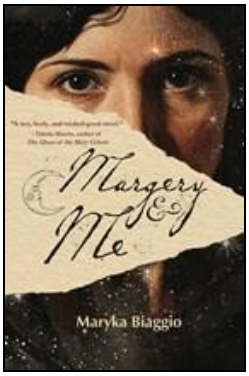
Laura Hulthen Thomas

Summary

Amid the turmoil of the 2008 recession that threatens her career, Lea Johnson, a behavioral researcher dedicated to curing post-traumatic stress disorder, is also struggling to save her marriage. When her husband, Jay, is brutally attacked during an attempted robbery, Lea is shaken to realize that being an expert in fear doesn' t make her an expert in healing her own husband' s trauma. Things take a dark turn when Jay confronts a young trespasser outside their home, only for the boy to be reported missing shortly after. Lea begins to suspect that Jay is hiding something, and as she feels a growing attraction to the sympathetic cop investigating the case, she' s torn between her loyalty to her husband and the urge to uncover the truth. When an unexpected opportunity arises for Lea to confront her own childhood assailant, the lines between healing, revenge, and forgiveness blur. In a battle with her past and her husband' s potential secrets, Lea must decide whether her affair will be the catalyst for healing or the final fracture in a marriage already on the brink.

Contributor Bio

Laura Hulthen Thomas' s deeply human, emotional storytelling explores blue and white collars, lovers and spouses, mothers and children, and the unique Michigan places that shape these relationships. Her novels, stories, and essays reveal the complexities of home, work, and the Midwestern landscape. Laura heads the undergraduate creative writing program at the University of Michigan' s Residential College. Her first book, STATES OF MOTION, was a finalist for a Foreword Reviews Indie Award.



Margery and Me

Maryka Biaggio

Summary

In the 1920s, Margery Crandon captivated both Boston society and psychic researchers with her astonishing seances. At her gatherings, her deceased brother Walter regularly appeared, entertaining the circle with his witty and cheeky remarks. Margery’ s abilities earned her the admiration of luminaries, including Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and William Butler Yeats. But one man stood in opposition: Harry Houdini, the legendary magician, who was determined to expose her as a fraud. Margery and Me tells the true story of the medium who mystified scientists, challenged skeptics, and sparked a sensation across America and Europe. As Houdini and Margery clashed in a battle of wits and wills, the question remained: Could the master illusionist unmask her, or would her extraordinary powers be enough to convert even the most resolute of doubters?

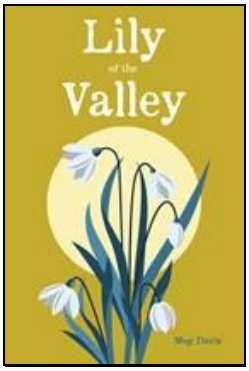
Contributor Bio

Maryka Biaggio is an award-winning novelist specializing in historical fiction based on real people. She loves unearthing the stories of people overlooked by history and bringing them back to life— portraying their challenges and foibles and rekindling their emotional world. She prides herself on carefully researching the period and people and providing readers with an immersive experience. She’ s an avid opera fan and enjoys gardening, art films, and, of course, great fiction.

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Lily of the Valley

Meg Davis

Summary

Monsters called aspirmeygs torment the Provinces. It is up to Stalkers and Vestals to rid the land of their menacing presence. But when magicians get involved, the world as our heroes know it goes awry. Rathar and Gisela must embrace their roots and each other in order to fight this new darkness that threatens the Provinces.

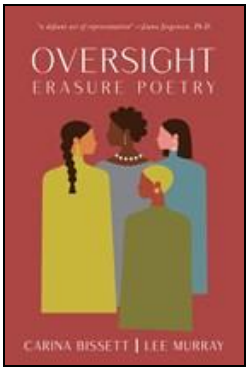
Contributor Bio

Meg has been writing creatively since she was old enough to hold a pencil, and dreamt of being an author since the very beginning. She has a degree in Creative Writing with a concentration in Fiction and lives in Colorado with her Bull Terrier, Wookie.

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Oversight

Erasure Poetry

Lee Murray, Carina Bissett

Summary

From Sappho to Sinéad, acclaimed poets Carina Bissett and Lee Murray parse the pages of historical writings to uncover stories lost between the lines, to lift women's voices from the margins and give them new life in a vibrant collection of sixty biographical poems that resonate with universal truth.

"From the archives of feminist history comes Oversight, a collection of part-found, part-persona poems inspired by the writing of women who have changed the world. These poems do not erase so much as they lift up the words and voices of greats like Toni Morrison, Zora Neale Hurston, Sappho, Harriet Tubman, Frida Kahlo, and more. Carina Bissett and Lee Murray play the role of speaker, eulogist, medium, hagiographer, and spirit guide for the powerful women of the past, making their work at once accessible to the contemporary reader. Revolutionary, visionary, and incendiary, this collection is an enlightening and meaningful read." —Holly Lyn Walrath, Managing Editor of Interstellar Flight Press, author of the Bram Stoker Award-Nominated *Numinous Stones*.

Contributor Bio

Carina Bissett is a writer, poet, and editor working primarily in the fields of dark fiction and fabulism. She has written numerous short stories, many of which are featured in her debut collection *Dead Girl, Driving and Other Devastations* (2024), and she is also a co-editor of the award-winning anthology *Shadow Atlas: Dark Landscapes of the Americas* (2021). Her poetry has been nominated for the Rhysling Award, the Pushcart Prize, and Sundress Publications Best of the Net. Her nonfiction has been nominated for a Bram Stoker Award®. Links to her work can be found at http://carinabissett.com.

Lee Murray ONZM is a writer, editor, poet, essayist, and screenwriter. A New Zealand Society of Authors Honorary Literary Fellow, she is the first person of Asian descent to hold the New Zealand Prime Minister's Award for Literary Achievement, one of her country's most prestigious accolades. She is a five-time Bram Stoker Awards® winner, including for poetry for *Tortured Willows* (with Christina Sng, Angela Yuriko Smith,and



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Orbital Bebop

Reuben "Tihi" Hayslett

Summary

A young black lesbian activist reclaims land from a greedy billionaire but struggles to hold peace against a rise of fear-based security culture and a toothache that seems whisper to her. An alien intelligence marvels at the human form, then horrifies at the ugly human condition underneath it. When two childhood friends reunite on different sides of a lunar corporate hierarchy, romance and possibly something more blooms. On Mars, a birthday party is ruined by an interstellar decree yet somehow saved by a tantric sexual experience. In Saturn' s orbit a black lesbian scientist trains for interdimensional travel while yearning for a woman she' s never met but half-remembers. On the cusp of the Year 3000 millennium a group of dirty clones find community and forgiveness, but at a cost. Orbital Bebop spans both the solar system and the human race in plotting out how societal ills on Earth travel with us while also offering the seeds for how humanity can redeem and heal itself.

Contributor Bio

Reuben " Tihi" Hayslett is a queer author, storyteller and activist. His first book, Dark Corners, was named Best Indie Fiction of 2019 by Kirkus. Tihi currently lives in Puerto Vallarta with his pet cat, Mengo.



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The Life That She Wanted

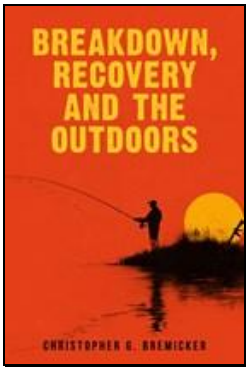
Alice Benson

Summary

Being a mother isn’ t easy, especially when you never wanted to be one. Nora became a wife and mother at age eighteen, long before she planned. Now she finds that fulfilling society’ s expectations in a rapidly changing world is much more difficult than she ever anticipated. After losing a friend to domestic violence, Nora helps start a shelter to protect other women, and she struggles to balance her passionate activism with her duties as a parent. As she deals with constant guilt and confusion from conflicting priorities, Nora discovers the solace and support that only good friends can provide. They add the love and balance that she needs after her marriage ends. When her daughter gives birth to a baby girl, Nora becomes a grandmother and finds more joy and wonder than she ever dreamed possible. Nora’ s mid-life takes some interesting turns when unexpected romantic relationships add a satisfaction that she couldn’ t have predicted. In a story that encompasses three generations of intelligent and strong-willed women, Nora realizes that there are many different ways for a woman to bui...

Contributor Bio

Alice Benson lives in Wisconsin with her wife, Deborah, and their dog. Alice and Deborah are fortunate to share six children and six grandchildren. Alice recently retired from a job in a human services field; previously she spent over thirteen years working with a domestic violence program. Her shorter published works have appeared in a variety of publications. Alice has published two novels, Her Life is Showing and A Year in Her Life. In the last two years, Alice has been able to create some wonderful memories with her granddaughters by working with each of them to develop their amazingly imaginative ideas into novels. Alice is very excited that one of those novels, Trapped in a Tablet, will be published in the spring by Watchful Wizard Publishing. For further information on future publications, visit Alice at alicebensonauthor.com.



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Breakdown, Recovery, and the Outdoors

Christopher Bremicker

Summary

Inheriting a love of the outdoors from his parents turned into the way out of a schizo-affective disorder the Vietnam War put Mike Reynolds through. The outdoors healed him as much as the therapy and medication his doctors at the veterans’ hospital ordered. Without God’ s earth, Mike stood a snowball’ s chance in Hell of making it. But he did make it with a fishing rod, shotgun, skis, and his girlfriend’ s sobriety (helping him with his own). Her newborn daughter helped, too.

Contributor Bio

Christopher G. Bremicker was born in Manhattan, moved to San Diego when his father was in the Korean War, and returned to St. Paul where he attended Central High School. He was a Green Beret medic stationed in Ft. Brag NC from 1968 to 1970. He is a grouse hunter, fisherman, and downhill skier. He has a BA in English and MBA, both from the University of Minnesota. His day jobs in customer service ended with a job at Walgreens, his forty sixth job since high school.



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Henry Whittlesey, David Vonderheide, Izaskun Gracia Quintana, Krista Beucler, James Cato, Joel T Blackstock, Jr., Eric St. Pierre

Summary

EDGE – On parent-teacher conference day in a city plagued by kidnappings, a boy learns his estranged father wants to meet him secretly. Warned against this, he shares his fear with his teacher, who hides him in her classroom. When the father and principal arrive, tension unfolds. THE KITE FLYER AT CHIMERA ISLAND – Two brothers, banished to a prison island, collect a mysterious substance called the Light. Memory, myth, and family bonds shape this dark yet touching tale of magical realism. THE NECROMANCER – Silver Nightbrace needs a date for Valentine's dinner with her parents. Instead of finding one, she raises a suitor from the dead. What could go wrong? TESTIMONIES AFTER THE FIRE – A town governed by ancient customs reels after a violent crime and its tragic aftermath. This haunting choral narration blurs the line between reality and fiction. THE SPIDER AND THE BIRDHOUSE – Written in a dreamlike state and rediscovered years later, this surreal tale reveals its meaning only with time. THINGS UNRECKONED – A lost ice-mining ship, missing for decades, reappears. When a crew investigates...

Contributor Bio

Henry Whittlesey is a writer, translator and editor. He co-founded and edits perypatetik, an international aesthetic project dedicated to the potential of an alternative perspective based on process-oriented production in harmony with nature. His work has been published in journals, magazines and books such as *Comparative Literature and Culture (at Purdue University)*, *Two Lines World Writing in Translation (Vol. 17)*, *Brooklyn Rail* and many others. He is also the co-author of *Peripatetic Alterity*, the aesthetic ideology for the perypatetik project. David Vonderheide is a writer and medical school student at the University of Pennsylvania whose work has been featured in Every Day Fiction and the Colored Lens. Izaskun Gracia Quintana (Bilbao (Spain), 1977, studied Basque Philology and Graphic Design, among others. She works as a freelance translator, proofreader, editor and graphic designer and she writes articles as well as literary criticism for various media. She was editor and co-founder of the poetry publishing-house Masmé dula and she lives in Berlin (Germany) since 2011. ...



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Bella Vista

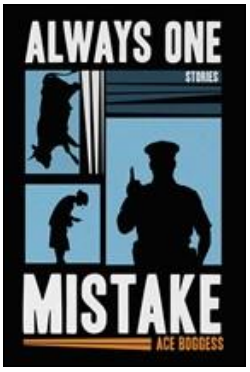
Adam Strong

Summary

Bella Vista, in the end, is about fatherhood. About fathers and sons. It' s about one father, Frank Pershall, how he went from a dope smoking car aficionado to a businessman. About how this businessman hatched a scheme to pry his son, Jay away from his Mom, who was developing a habit of drugs and staying out late, and generally being out of it most of the time, and how that father convinced his son to move down to Florida with him. But as soon as they get there, all that high and mighty " I' ll be a better father to you" breaks down because the first day they arrive at this house at this vision his father has for life known as Bella Vista, only then does he choose to turn the care of his son over to his Limo Driver, Cliff. Yes, all of a sudden Dad has all of this money that he tells his son comes from venture capitalists and this new business he is starting. Cliff drives people around for a living, and it is in this Limo Jay learns to carve out a life for himself away from his father, and to finally live life on his own terms.

Contributor Bio

Adam Strong is a high school Digital Arts Teacher and editor of the literary curiosity shop Backwards Trajectory. He is also the founder and presenter of the reading series SongbookPDX. He lives, loves, and writes in Portland, OR with his wife and children. Bella Vista is his first novel.



Always One Mistake

Ace Boggess

Summary

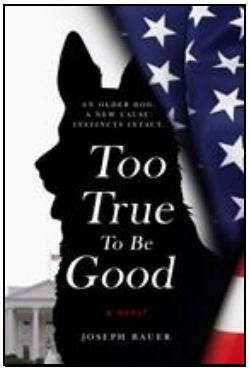
A cow falls through the roof of a bar, landing on a criminal struggling with his bad choices. A recovering gambler wins and wrecks a car on the same day. A mysterious woman transforms toys and oddities into higher powers for newcomers at a twelve-step program. In a fit of road rage, an angry driver mistakenly flips off a cop. A broken man finds a curious companion while attending the reunion show of the favorite heavy-metal band from his youth. These are the strange stories of the all-too-real world of Always One Mistake. Here, author Ace Boggess shows humanity at its bleakest, but also its most hopeful. These stories are explorations of what it means to live in modern times— times filled with addiction, crime, loss, and overcoming.

Contributor Bio

Ace Boggess is the author of the novels States of Mercy and A Song Without a Melody, and six books of poetry, including The Prisoners, Escape Envy, Ultra Deep Field, and I Have Lost the Art of Dreaming It So. He earned his B.A. from Marshall University and his J.D. from West Virginia University. He serves as Senior Editor at The Adirondack Review and Associate Editor at The Evening Street Review. His writing has appeared in Michigan Quarterly Review, Indiana Review, Hanging Loose, Harvard Review, J Journal, North Dakota Quarterly, and many other journals. His awards include the Robert Bausch Fiction Award and a fellowship from the West Virginia Commission on the Arts. In addition, he was locked up for five years in the West Virginia prison system, an experience which has been the basis for much of his writing. He currently resides in Charleston, West Virginia. This is his first collection of short stories.

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Too True To Be Good

Joseph Bauer

Summary

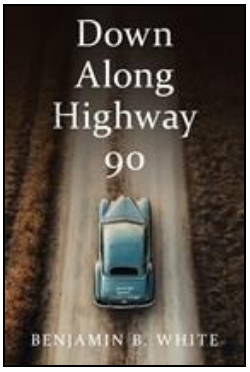
As a meticulous assassination plot begins to unfold with a series of murders in Washington, US President Del Winters and her father (Henry) are forced into lockdown at Camp David with Henry’ s friend (Stanely Bigelow) and the friend’ s aging German shepherd (Augie). An aging DC homicide detective (Jack Renfro) and his proté gé (Audrey Sanderson) partner with the nation’ s anti-terrorism chief, Admiral Tyler Brew and FBI agents to unravel the planned attack. But little do they know how much influence the old dog will have in taking down an evil mastermind. Too True to be Good is a story of friendship, courage and perseverance wrapped in a plot of high suspense.

Contributor Bio

Joseph Bauer lives and writes in Charleston, SC. In addition to Too True to be Good, his novels include Sailing for Grace; The Accidental Patriot; and The Patriot’ s Angels. Reviewers have acclaimed the quality of all his novels for their character development (and unusual characters), readability, pace and research, combined with suspense and action.

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Down Along Highway 90

Benjamin B. White

Summary

These three separate collections of poems – Conley Bottom: A Poemoir, Mill Springs, and Monticello – form a triadic reflection of events that highlight a relationship with South Central Kentucky. Down Along Highway 90 goes back to Wayne County to gather the meaning of growing up in a transformative time when no one expected anyone to transform. In Conley Bottom: A Poemoir, the reader is taken back on excursions to Lake Cumberland where locals gathered with styrofoam coolers and blow-up floatables to escape the summer heat, (but couldn' t escape Ohio vacationers!). Mill Springs examines the historical events of a place and links the residual impacts of the past to a present family' s lives – as the future waits. And Monticello captures the progression of a town that never expected to grow, change, or lose its identity even though every town knows better. These three collected collections take the reader on a trip through history, meaning, and insights into what it meant to grow up Down Along Highway 90.

Contributor Bio

When Ben White was serving his 22-year military career in the U.S. Army and the U.S. Coast Guard, and then again when he was earning his MFA from the University of Tampa, he thought he was a poet. Silly Ben – despite his books earning some recognition, he is not a poet. He is a witness. What he writes is testimony.



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She Who Remains

Izidora Angel, Rene Karabash

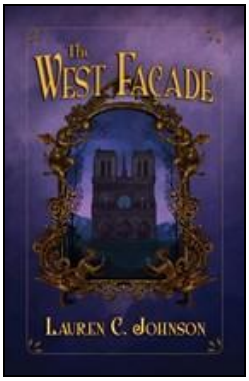
Summary

She Who Remains, **Rene Karabash's** landmark Bulgarian queer novel, secrets readers into a rural Albanian village where, to this day, the Kanun of Lekë Dukagjini—a collection of archaic laws—looms over the lives of villagers with the same haunting presence of the surrounding mountains. Bekija, painfully aware of why she cannot have what she most wants, chooses to become a "sworn virgin," setting off a bloody and heartbreaking chain of events that shatters a family and destroys a cherished relationship, but also reveals how trauma can lead to vital, if uncomfortable, truths. Karabash's poetic stream of consciousness traces gender evolution with innovative grace. This bold exploration of what it means to be a woman in a world defined by the violence of ancient patriarchal traditions has resonated with readers across Europe and beyond, and now English-language readers won't soon forget Izidora Angel's award-winning translation.

Contributor Bio

Izidora Angel is a Bulgarian-born memoirist, essayist, and literary translator based in Chicago. She is the author of four full-length translations from Bulgarian, including *Yordanka Beleva's Keder,* for which she received a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship. Angel's work has appeared in A Public Space, Astra, Best Literary Translations 2024, *Chicago Reader, Electric Literature*, Words Without Borders, and elsewhere. She received a PEN/Heim Translation Fund Grant and the Gulf Coast Prize in Translation for her in-progress work on *She Who Remains.*

Bulgarian poet, writer, screenwriter, actor, and playwright **Rene Karabash** has won multiple awards for her work, including several Best Actress awards for her role in the film *Godless,* and the Elias Canetti prize—Bulgaria's most prestigious literary award—for *She Who Remains*, her debut novel. *She Who Remains* has been translated into over a dozen languages, including French, Italian, Swedish, Portuguese, and Arabic, and a film based on Karabash's adaptation of the novel is set to be released in 2025. Karabash is also the author of *Omar's*...



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The West Facade

Lauren C Johnson

Summary

A cathedral statue discovers what it means to be human, then faces an impossible choice: living for herself or lasting forever.

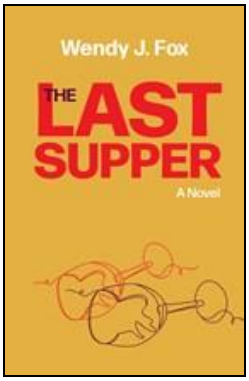
In Paris, at the dawn of the Bubonic Plague, the statues that guard the Notre Dame Cathedral are forbidden from experiencing human pleasures. Even on the wakenings-the one night of life they receive each month on the new moon in exchange for protecting the cathedral. The statue of Sainte Geneviève's quiet existence changes irrevocably when a grieving woman places a citrus fruit in her hands as an offering-an offering Geneviève can't resist eating.

Eating awakens Geneviève to her desires: To climb down the wall, to explore Paris, to understand her human makers, and to love. Geneviève wants to be more than an object on a cathedral wall. She wants to live for herself. But when Geneviève gets what she wants, she must choose between remaining human and accepting mortality or returning to the cathedral, where she will become a statue again and spend eternity watching others live.

Contributor Bio

Lauren C. Johnson attributes her upbringing in Florida, America’ s weirdest state, to her interest in the ecological and surreal. She writes speculative and place-based fiction, essays, and poetry and has a professional background in writing for nonprofits, government, and tech organizations. Lauren holds an MFA in creative writing from American University and a print and multimedia journalism degree from Emerson College. Lauren lives in San Francisco and co-hosts Babylon Salon, one of the Bay Area’ s longest-running literary and performance series. She also co-founded Club Chicxulub, a journal and reading series featuring speculative fiction authors accompanied by synthwave, dark wave, and ambient beats. She lives with her husband and her two rescue doves, Schooner and Eagle. Find out more at www.laurencjohnson.com

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The Last Supper

Wendy J Fox

Summary

As stay-at-home mom Amanda turns forty, she faces a reckoning. She’ s doing her best at parenting eight-year-old Toby, who only wants to eat orange-colored food, and almost-four-year-old Blake, who really should be in pre-school but is home doing YouTube aerobics with her. Amanda’ s mother is a successful attorney. Her next-door neighbor makes an enviable living as a visual artist. Her two best friends from college seem to handle careers and motherhood just fine. Yet, Amanda just barely manages to muddle through dinner every night while obsessively Googling life advice. She’ s racked up failures, like being swindled into pyramid schemes, and is struggling to launch what she thought was a sure-fire influencer lifestyle brand, AMANDAtory. When her husband loses his job and threatens her with divorce, Amanda is forced to face her choices head-on. Will she finally forge her own identity, or is she doomed to repeat her past mistakes?

Contributor Bio

Wendy J. Fox is the author of four books of fiction, including What If We Were Somewhere Else, which won the Colorado book and received a star for excellence in the genre of short-stories in Booklist. Her 2019 novel, If the Ice Had Held, was a top pick in audio for LitHub. She has written for many national publications including Self, Business Insider, BuzzFeed, and Ms. and authors a quarterly column in Electric Literature focusing on small press. She is a former SVP of marketing for a green tech firm and lives outside of Phoenix. Find her at wendyjfox.com.



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Woodstake

Three Days of Peace, Music and Blood

Darin S. Cape, Felipe Kroll

Summary

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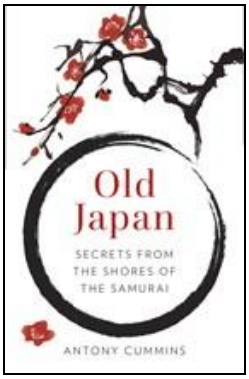
A blood-soaked mashup of vampire myth, rock history, and the counterculture of the late 1960s

Woodstake is a wickedly clever spin on the Dracula legend, reimagined against the backdrop of the iconic Woodstock festival of 1969. When a vampire descends on the summer of love, a generation of hippies is forced to survive three days of peace, music, and blood in this darkly funny, genre-bending thrill ride. A razor-sharp blend of satire, horror, and ‘60s nostalgia, **Woodstake** offers a wildly original story brought vividly to life through the bold, evocative artwork of Felipe Kroll. It is a must-read for fans of classic rock, genre mashups, and blood-soaked storytelling.

With its unique blend of Woodstock-era atmosphere and vampire horror, **Woodstake** stands out as a wild, cult-horror crossover that feels both nostalgic and fiercely original. This gripping graphic novel delivers a character-driven narrative paired with a bold visual style that brings the late '60s to life, complete with period-authentic detail, psychedelic flair, and sharp dark humor. Ideal for readers of horror comics...

Contributor Bio

Shawn Hainsworth is a publisher, author and producer who writes under the pen name Darin S. Cape. SHP Comics was launched in 2021 as an independent publisher focused on delivering genre-bending stories combining horror, science fiction, adventure, and reimagined classics into daring, intelligent and unique comic books and graphic novels. Shawn produced the award-winning short film, Technical Support based on the SHP Comics series, EroTech. He lives in Western Massachusetts with his wife, two kids and a hound dog mix. Felipe Kroll is a Brazilian artist with over a decade of experience working across the comics, film, game, and advertising industries. As a creative director, illustrator, and concept artist, he has collaborated with national and international studios, bringing to life immersive narratives and bold visual worlds through storyboards, sequential art, character design, and high-concept development. His style is known for its painterly aesthetic, dark atmospheres, and emotionally resonant characters. Currently, Felipe is developing multiple projects



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Old Japan

Secrets from the Shores of the Samurai

Antony Cummins

Summary

Japan has often been thought of as a closed country, but before the country was closed in 1635 many travelers from the West were able to experience its unique traditions and culture. Their accounts speak of legends of powerful dragons and devils, tales of the revered emperor and the protocol surrounding him, following complex etiquette in everything from tea ceremonies to footwear, and bloodthirsty warlords who exacted cruel and unusual punishments for the smallest of crimes. In *Old Japan* Antony Cummins uses these captivating eyewitness accounts to reveal fascinating facts and myths from the mysterious Land of the Rising Sun.

Contributor Bio

Antony Cummins is the Official Tourism Ambassador for Wakayama and the author of many books, including *Iga and Koka Ninja Skills*, *The Illustrated Guide to Viking Martial Arts* and *Samurai War Stories* (all The History Press). He has appeared in documentaries such as *Ninja Shadow Warriors* and *Samurai Warrior Queens*. He lives in the UK and often travels to Japan to research Japanese warrior culture.



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How British Intelligence Plotted to Read Hitler's Mind

James Parris

Summary

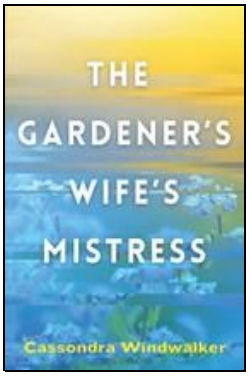
In the darkest days of the Second World War, as Europe fell under Nazi domination and Britain faced invasion, Louis de Wohl, a 36-year-old refugee from Germany, made a curious offer to British Intelligence.

Based on the widely held belief that Hitler's every action was guided by his horoscope, de Wohl claimed he could reveal precisely what advice the Führer's astrologers were giving him. Rather than dismissing de Wohl out of hand as a crank, senior intelligence officers and chiefs of staff of the three armed services took him at his word. De Wohl was made an army captain and quartered in the Grosvenor House Hotel, from where his one-man 'Psychological Research Bureau' passed astrological readings and assessments to the War Office, before his deployment to the United States by the highly secret Special Operations Executive on a propaganda mission.

Was it possible that Military and Naval intelligence officers could take the ancient and arcane practice of astrology seriously? Was de Wohl genuine or merely a charlatan? Did his astrological readings contribute to the downfall of Hitler and ...

Contributor Bio

James Parris is the pen name of Harry Harmer, the author of numerous books, including *Martin Luther King (*THP, 1999), *Tom Paine: The Life of a Revolutionary* (Haus, 2006), *Rosa Luxemburg* (Haus, 2008) and *Friedrich Ebert: Germany* (Haus, 2009).



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Fiction / Family Life
8 in H | 5.3 in W

The Gardener's Wife's Mistress

Cassondra Windwalker

Summary

Hayden Hill has always felt most comfortable with his hands in dirt, nurturing life. He designs natural spaces for others and comes home to his back yard, where he seeks refuge amidst the fruits and vegetables, flora, and shade-giving trees. When he finds himself suddenly a widower, his garden becomes the resting place for the ashes of his wife, Shelly, and he's thrown into an unexpected vortex of pain, shock, and guilt. As Hayden struggles to survive the torment of each day and keep his landscaping company functioning, a directive in Shelly's will leads him to the discovery of a shocking secret. Fighting to find a path through the weeds of grief, Hayden meets his wife's secret connections and becomes involved helping local, homeless teens cast out by their families for choosing to be who they are. Rocked by this newly discovered, complicated facet of Shelly's life, he begins to question their marriage, her identity, his past choices, and whether anything he believed about his wife was ever true.

Contributor Bio

Cassondra Windwalker earned a BA of Letters from the University of Oklahoma. Born and raised on the red clay, she's wandered the sticky corn fields of the Midwest, the frozen seas of the Wild North, and frequently rests her wings where orange skies meet purple mountains. She's the author of novels and poetry and does her best to keep fed a menagerie of stray critters, cryptids, marooned kelpies, and lost specters.



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Cooking / Vegan

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Tasty

Chelsea Winter

Summary

Epic, flexible plant-based comfort food for everyone - cane sugar-free with plenty of gluten-free options.

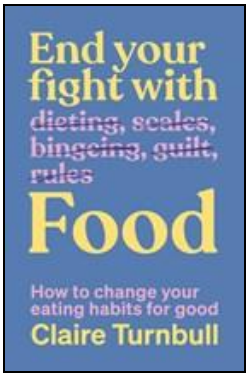
New Zealand's bestselling and most-loved cookbook author Chelsea Winter is back with her superb seventh cookbook, *Tasty*! It's crammed full of scrumptious plant-based and cane sugar-free recipes that you can use with whatever additions work for your family. Chelsea is renowned for her totally delicious, accessible food - putting her magical spin on favorites like pies, lasagnas, curries, slices, cakes, pastas and traybakes and making them every bit as flavor-packed and nostalgic as the classics. The recipes are designed to be *meat-free*, *egg-free* and *dairy-free* and can be adapted for every kind of eater, even those with allergies and intolerances. And, as always from Chelsea, you can trust that the recipes are easy to follow, utterly delectable ... and they work.

With a mouth-watering array of salads, family meals, soups, desserts and baking, this is perfect for cooks at any stage. It's Chelsea's best cookbook yet, one that'll never leave your kitchen bench and will remain a classic...

Contributor Bio

Chelsea Winter has written seven cookbooks and is New Zealand's top-selling cookbook author. *Supergood*, her plant-based cookbook published in 2020, sold more copies than any other book of any genre in New Zealand that year. She is much loved and has a highly engaged audience with 411,000 followers on Facebook and 98,000 on Instagram. chelseawinter.co.nz

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Health & Fitness / Healthy Living

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End Your Fight with Food

How to change your eating habits for good

Claire Turnbull

Summary

Start your journey to a healthier, happier you - inside and out.

Do you feel like you're constantly battling with food? We are bombarded with advice on what we should do to be healthier or lose weight, but making that happen feels overwhelming, if not impossible. This cycle of trying and 'failing' then leaves you stuck in frustration, shame and self-blame.

In this compassionate and practical guide, nutritionist and wellbeing expert Claire Turnbull helps you break free from the struggle. She explains how our eating is influenced by our psychology, why diets often fail to deliver lasting results - and why willpower alone isn't the answer. Plus, she shows why focusing exclusively on the number on the scales can get in the way of truly looking after our health.

Learn how to unpack you're eating patterns and change your habits for good, so that you're eating in accordance with your health and wellbeing goals, rather than focusing on your weight. Beyond food, Claire shares the latest research on the key pillars of genuine wellbeing: nourishment, sleep, movement, relationships, managing stress...

Contributor Bio

Claire Turnbull is a registered nutritionist with a diploma in positive psychology. She is the founder of Mission Nutrition and the author of two previous books on wellbeing.
Originally from the UK, Claire has called New Zealand home for more than two decades.



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Cooking

10 in H | 8 in W | 0.7 in T | 2 lb Wt

The Hungry Cook

Summary

Drool-worthy, easy recipes with a twist that you'll eat on repeat.

Olivia Galletly, aka The Hungry Cook, loves food - all food. She spends her life creating recipes for her popular blog, *Dish* magazine and many well-known New Zealand food brands.

Olivia loves to create delicious recipes for the everyday cook, lots of which are adaptations of old classics she's loved and experimented with for years.

This cookbook gathers Liv's tried and true recipes that her fans love. From tasty nibbles to easy meals for weeknight dinners to recipes that are perfect for weekend entertaining - including her favorites cocktails - or when you have a bit more time on your hands . . . this is how we like to eat today.

Contributor Bio

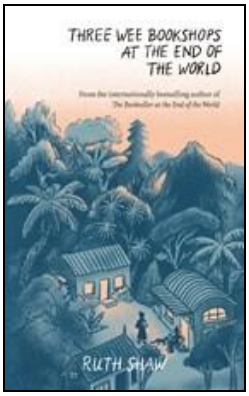
Olivia Galletly is a recipe developer, food photographer, videographer and stylist.

She blogs at The Hungry Cook and has 21K followers on Instagram and Facebook.

10 years ago, Liv started her blog as a creative outlet while she worked as a graphic designer. Within a short period, the blog had taken off and she was creating recipes and photographing food full time. Liv is most content cooking for family and friends with a cocktail in hand.

With two young kids, Liv understands that good food should be fresh, easy to prepare and with recipes that work for the whole family . . . well, apart from the cocktails.

Measurement conversions included with each recipe.



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Biography & Autobiography / Women

8.5 in H | 5.3 in W

Three Wee Bookshops at the End of the World

Summary

This stunning sequel to *The Bookseller at the End of the World* continues Ruth Shaw's story with more heartwarming tales from a woman who has lived a brave and fascinating life.

The Bookseller at the End of the World described the first part of Ruth Shaw's tumultuous life, touching readers in powerful ways. It became an international bestseller, translated into eleven languages.

Three Wee Bookshops at the End of the World picks up Ruth's story with more charming, heartbreaking, brave and funny tales. Having found the love of her life, Lance, she tells of their sailing adventures together, world travels, conservation efforts and their wee bookshops.

Life has never been easy for Ruth but, despite that, her book is chock full of extraordinary people and situations, many of them laugh-out-loud funny. Tales from the bookshops are interwoven with Ruth's story, along with expert book recommendations.

Written in Ruth's characteristic style, this absorbing memoir traverses the highs and lows of a life lived to the full, creating another deeply satisfying read.

Praise for *The Bookseller at the End o*...

Contributor Bio

Ruth Shaw runs a cluster of three wee bookshops in remote Manapouri in the far south of New Zealand. She lives with her husband, Lance. In 2022 she published her first memoir, *The Bookseller at the End of the World,* which has since become a critically acclaimed national and international treasure. It has been translated into Italian, Dutch, German, Turkish, Chinese, Swedish, Russian, Slovakian, Korean, Spanish and Arabic. She is also the author of *Bookshop Dogs*.



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Fiction / Romance
9.2 in H | 6 in W

Special Delivery

Leesa Ronald

Summary

An entrancing, laugh-out-loud enemies-to-lovers romantic comedy. If you like *Book Lovers* by Emily Henry and *No Hard Feelings* by Genevieve Novak, you'll love *Special Delivery*!

"*Special Delivery* is a heartfelt, laugh-out-loud story of finding love through life's twists and turns. Leesa Ronald is an author to watch - fans of Emily Henry and Sally Thorne will love this book!" —Kelly Rimmer, *USA Today*-bestselling author

Moving back to her hometown in the country, single, jobless and pregnant was never Poppy's plan. With her best friend living hundreds of miles away and an ex who refuses to pick up the phone, she doesn't know who to turn to for help.

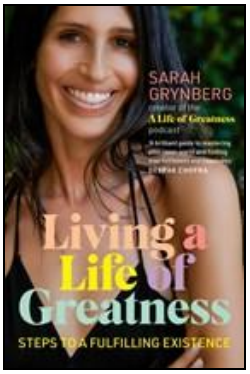
There's definitely no point asking her midwife, James, because he's the worst. Sure, he held her hand through the birth, but that's only because it was his job.

However, as Poppy and James keep crossing paths in the small country town, Poppy begins to realize she may have misjudged her midwife. And that complicates things.

As Poppy stumbles from crisis to crisis in a town that feels unrecognizable, she learns that to build a future, sometimes you n...

Contributor Bio

Leesa Ronald is a mom of three kids aged under five who writes as therapy whenever she gets the chance. Prior to getting absorbed into corporate/mom life, Leesa's writing won awards through the Poetry Institute of Australia, the Banjo Paterson Poetry Festival and ABC's Heywire writing competition. Her work has been published in *Style, Mamamia, HealthSmart, Women's Health* and all international editions of *Reader's Digest*. Leesa is currently enrolled in a Curtis Brown Creative writing course and is working on her second novel.



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Biography & Autobiography / Memoirs
9.2 in H | 6 in W

Living a Life of Greatness

Steps to a Fulfilling Existence

Sarah Grynberg

Summary

An insightful and affirming guide to resetting your life and finding purpose, meaning and fulfilment through simple everyday practices, from the host of the internationally successful podcast *A Life of Greatness.*

"A brilliant guide to mastering your inner world and finding true fulfilment and happiness." —Deepak Chopra

"Sarah Grynberg is a wise and wonderful person, and this book is a gift that will touch countless lives." —Johann Hari

Have you ever felt like you're hurtling through life, unable to slow down or take a breath? Things might look good from the outside, but you're running on empty with no time to reflect on what it's all *for*.

Greatness is the antidote to this helpless, discontented feeling: it is about self-knowledge and taking control of your life; finding meaning and joy beyond the noise of the modern world. Greatness is within us all. But daily demands, the weight of expectations and the opinions of others can pull us away from who we truly are, leaving us feeling lost. This book is a guide to cutting through the chaos, reconnecting with yourself and reclaiming the greatn...

Contributor Bio

Sarah Grynberg is a keynote speaker and mindset coach who empowers professional athletes, executives, and business owners to overcome unhelpful thinking and achieve greatness. With expertise in mindset, mental resilience, and happiness, Sarah's unique approach has helped countless individuals and businesses thrive.

She hosts live shows, including a tour with renowned author Johann Hari, and is the creator of the acclaimed podcast *A Life of Greatness*, where she interviews global icons like Matthew McConaughey, Andrew Huberman,



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American Grand Prix Heroes

David Oliver

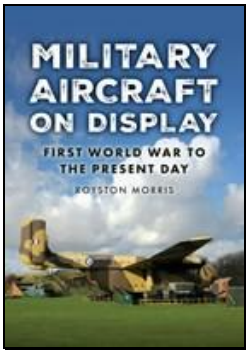
Summary

At a time when interest in Grand Prix racing has never been greater in the United States, this book looks back at the heyday, when American drivers often dominated the grid. Each chapter covers the achievements of American F1 championship winners such as Phil Hill, who won the F1 Championship for Ferrari in 1961, and Mario Andretti, who became world champion in 1978 for Lotus. Other leading American drivers who in their different ways played a significant part in F1 racing, including Masten Gregory and Eddie Cheever, are also featured.

In-depth biographies of the drivers and detailed descriptions of the F1 cars they drove are accompanied by exclusive period photography, making this book an essential guide for all F1 enthusiasts.

Contributor Bio

David Oliver has written over 15 books covering both motor racing aviation and military history. He worked for the respected defense publishers Jane's and currently contributes to a variety of defense journals and magazines. He was the official photographer for Tyrrell Racing during its championship years, and he is the author of *Tyrrell Racing* (Amberley). He has an extensive library of photographs covering all aspects of Formula 1 in the 1960s and 1970s.



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Military Aircraft on Display

First World War to the Present Day

Royston Morris

Summary

Royston Morris' book features a broad range of military aircraft from the First World War right up to the modern day which can be seen on display in the skies and on the ground in Britain.

The military aircraft featured in this book range from the monoplanes and biplanes of the early twentieth century to the hi-tech supersonic jet fighters used by air forces across the world today. These aircraft include not only planes, but also gyrocopters and helicopters. They can be seen giving displays at air days and airshows or as static exhibits at a wide variety of locations – military and aviation museums, airports, airfields and aerodromes – sometimes on an almost daily basis as they are still serving with the relevant air forces. Some aircraft are also found at military establishments around the country, where they are plinthed and act as gate guardians, or in the hands of private individuals, more often than not a section of the craft being displayed – cockpits, nosecones or part of the fuselage. The photographs in this book feature a broad range of military aircraft from the First World ...

Contributor Bio

RoystonMorris has been interested in transport since early childhood, when he was always playing with toy cars, lorries and buses. In 1975 he became interested in trains and got his first camera as a birthday present. Since then, he has combined his two main hobbies of transport and photography and has taken over 30,000 transport-related images, featuring cars, trains, commercial vehicles, bicycles, aircraft, hot air balloons and horse-drawn vehicles. He is still taking photographs fifty years on and has a Flickr site which is regularly updated.



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Pregnancy and Birth: A Graphic Guide

Laura Godfrey-Isaacs, Lilly Williams

Summary

Midwife and award-winning author Laura Godfrey-Isaacs, alongside illustrator Lilly Williams, celebrates the beauty and science of pregnancy and birth.

This accessible and approachable book is the perfect guide for expectant parents, as well as anybody interested in knowing more about how we are brought into the world.

Covering everything from contractions and fetal positioning to feeding and postnatal care, *Pregnancy and Birth: A Graphic Guide* emphasizes the importance of physical and mental health of mothers and babies while offering a clear and concise insight into the many issues that surround this exciting, but sometimes overwhelming, stage of life.

Contributor Bio

Laura Godfrey-Isaacs is an artist, midwife, award-winning author and activist. Her books include *Mother Journal.* She combines her artistic and healthcare practice, to bring fresh interdisciplinary perspectives into a variety of birth spaces and cultural contexts.



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Philosophy

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Fiesta

A Journey Through Festivity

Daniel Stables

Summary

A journey through human festivity, told through colorful travel narratives set at some of the world's most eye-catching festivals and interweaved with insights from the fields of anthropology, history, psychology, and folklore, examining why we celebrate festivals in the ways we do.

Fiesta explores the vibrant tapestry of human festivity, delving into the extraordinary lengths to which we go to express our cultures and commemorate life's milestones. From drunken pilgrimages to sacrificial funerals, national days to neo-pagan necromancy, festivals represent human culture at its most vivid and varied, and the resulting account is both a rich collection of travel writing and an anthropological exploration of the roles that festivals play in society. Through colorful characters, vibrant sights, and varied locales, Daniel Stables takes a curious, humanistic look at festivals across the world, unravelling the universal threads that run through our diverse global celebrations.

Contributor Bio

Daniel Stables has been working as a travel writer for the last decade, first writing guidebooks for Rough Guides, and later writing articles for *National Geographic*, the BBC, and national newspapers. He has won acclaim and recognition for his work, having received several nominations for Travel Writer of the Year. More of his work can be found at his website, danielstables.co.uk.



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7.8 in H | 5.1 in W

God's Own Gentlewoman

The Life of Margaret Paston

Diane Watt

Summary

The remarkable story of Margaret Paston, whose letters form the most extensive collection of personal writings by a medieval English woman.

Drawing on the largest archive of medieval correspondence relating to a single family in the UK, *God's Own Gentlewoman* explores what everyday life was like during the turbulent decades at the height of the Wars of the Roses. Covering topics including political conflicts and familial in-fighting, forbidden love affairs and clandestine marriages, bloody battles and sieges, fear of plague and sudden death, friendships and animosity, and childbirth and child mortality, Margaret's letters provide us with unparalleled insight into all aspects of life in late medieval England.

Diane Watt**,** a world expert on medieval women's writing, offers insight into Margaret's activities, experiences, emotions and relationships, presenting the life of a medieval woman who was at times absorbed by the mundane and domestic, but who found herself caught up in the most extraordinary situations and events.

Contributor Bio

Diane Watt is an award-winning academic and writer. She is the author of *Secretaries of God*, *Medieval Women's Writing,* and *Women, Writing and Religion*. Diane was born and brought up on the west coast of Scotland, and as a child spent her holidays visiting her grandmother in County Durham and aunts and cousins in North Yorkshire. More recently, during the university vacations, she has enjoyed travelling around Norfolk with her wife and their three dogs in search of Margaret Paston.



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Biography & Autobiography / Historical

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The African Emperor

The Life of Septimius Severus

Simon Elliott

Summary

Septimius Severus was Rome's black emperor. Born in the blistering heat of a North African spring in Leptis Magna AD 145, he died in the freezing cold of a northern British winter in York in AD 211. A giant of an emperor, whose career can be counted in superlatives, Severus was in power at the height of Rome's might. He led the largest army to ever campaign in Britain, comprising 50,000 men, part of a Roman military establishment which peaked at 33 legions under his rule.

Born into the richest family, in the richest part of the Roman Empire, Severus monumentalized his rule across the empire. He visited - and often fought in - every region. Where he did, he left a mighty legacy in the built environment, for example in Rome where much of the *Forum Romanum* and most of the imperial palaces are Severan. In North Africa, his hometown of Leptis Magna is all Severan, as are the Roman cities at the Atlas Mountains. In London, the land walls that still define the City's Square Mile were delineated under his rule. Visitors to the under croft at York Minster can stand where he died.

Septimius Seve...

Contributor Bio

Simon Elliott is a historian, archaeologist, author and broadcaster. He has worked with outlets such as *History Hit* and is the author of several books exploring Roman history, including *Roman Britain's Missing Legion: What Really Happened to IX Hispana?* and *Roman Special Forces and Special Ops*.



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A Very British Cult

Rogue Priests and the Abode of Love

Stuart Flinders

Summary

A secluded country house. A rogue Anglican priest. Ceremonial sex and mislaid fortunes.

This is the almost-forgotten story of Victorian Britain's strangest religious sect and its wealthy, mostly female, followers who believed they could ascend directly to heaven. Henry James Prince was a rogue Anglican priest with a flair for the dramatic, and the founder of the Agapemone, or 'Abode of Love'. He also claimed to be the immortal conduit of the Holy Spirit and purportedly engaged in free love and ceremonial sex with his female followers. But Prince's eventual death didn't mark the end of this strange sect . . . he was promptly replaced by another: John Hugh Smyth-Pigott - otherwise known as the Clapton Messiah.

The Abode transformed a sleepy, rural corner of Somerset into one of England's most notorious locations. While the followers shut themselves away and waited patiently for the end of the world, outrage grew - the word 'Agapemone' became a byword for licentiousness or idleness, used by Charles Dickens and Ford Madox Ford. The reclusive Clapton Messiah became a fixture in the nation's...

Contributor Bio

Stuart Flinders has been a journalist for nearly four decades, with his work involving BBC News, fronting Radio 4's *You and Yours* for many years, and presenting live concerts on Radio 3. He also writes and is the author of *Cult of a Dark Hero: Nicholson of Delhi*.



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Bible Stories

Fact, Fiction and Fantasy in Scripture

Gavin Evans

Summary

Beginning with the rise of modern Pentecostalism before tracking back 2,500 years, author and academic Gavin Evans traces the history of the Abrahamic faiths, Christianity, Judaism and Islam. In this book he explores the New Testament, Hebrew Bible and the Qur'an.

Delving into recent archaeological research, *Bible Stories* presents evidence that tales such as those of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, and also Moses, Joshua and the Exodus, were entirely mythological. Robust interrogation of the evidence allows Evans to go further still, casting doubt on the Jesus story and arguing that even if he did exist as a historical figure, we know next to nothing about him.

As well as examining these key religious texts, *Bible Stories* also holds modern atheism to account. Critiquing the work of some of its most ardent advocates, Evans rejects a militant approach and makes a compelling argument for a softer, more tolerant atheism.

Contributor Bio

Gavin Evans grew up in South Africa and was intensely involved in anti-apartheid activities in the 1980s. He lectures at Birkbeck, University of London.



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True Crime
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How to Rob the Bank of England

Keith Cheeseman Reveals the True Story of Britain's Biggest Ever Robbery

Keith Cheeseman, Clifford Thurlow

Summary

On a sunny May morning in 1990, a bank courier strode out of the Bank of England and, minutes later, was robbed at knifepoint of 301 bearer bonds valued at £292 million. It was the biggest theft in British history.

The thing is... when Keith Cheeseman received a call from a disbarred lawyer connected to London's underworld and attended a meeting on the night of the robbery, he counted £427 million in bonds - £135 million more than the Bank of England had reported.

As Keith set out to launder the bonds, Scotland Yard and the FBI were always one step ahead in tracking them down. Over the next 18 months, two gangland figures were shot dead and more than 80 people were arrested. Keith was the only man ever jailed for the crime.

Keith Cheeseman is the last of the old-time gangsters, a con man who detests violence, wears Savile Row suits and gold watches, and loves classic cars and good dining. He bought non-league Dunstable Town football club and signed Manchester United star George Best to play for the team. He knew the legendary Kray twins and killer Frankie Fraser once threatened to snuff...

Contributor Bio

Clifford Thurlow has been described as 'one of the UK's best ghostwriters'. He has worked on a wide range of titles, including *Sunday Times* best-sellers *Runaway* and *Today I'm Alice*. He worked with Wing Commander Mike Sutton to write *Typhoon: The Inside Story of an RAF Fighter Squadron at War*.

Keith Cheeseman is the only person ever convicted in connection to the biggest robbery in British history. He is also famous as the former chairman of non-league Dunstable Town, notably tempting George Best out of retirement. Cheeseman spent a lifetime rubbing shoulders with everybody from British high society to American



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The Multiverse

When One Universe Isn't Enough

Brian Clegg

Summary

The universe was supposed to be all there was - the whole of existence. For centuries the size of the universe and whether or not it is finite, fascinated scientists and philosophers.

But however big the universe may be, there being only one gave astronomers and cosmologists a headache. Existence as we know it is contingent on so many constants in nature which, if altered only slightly, would make life impossible. This seems so unlikely to happen by chance. What if, instead, there is in fact a vast range of different universes, with many variants of the universal contents, making ours just one of many that happens to be viable for life?

In this illuminating exploration,Brian Cleggdelves into the endless possibilities of the multiverse. Investigating questions of expanding, parallel and communicating universes, this accessible guide takes the reader into one of the weirdest and most exciting areas of modern physics and cosmology.

Contributor Bio

Brian Clegg is a popular science writer whose *Dice World* and *A Brief History of Infinity* were both longlisted for the Royal Society Prize for Science Books. He has written for publications, including *Nature*, *The Times* and *BBC Focus*.

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Traitor's Odyssey

The Untold Story of Martha Dodd and a Strange Saga of Soviet Espionage

Brendan McNally

Summary

"A delicious, gossipy and thoroughly engaging romp ... heartily recommended." —Tim Tate, author of *Hitler's British Traitors* and *The Spy Who Was Left Out in the Cold*

Ambassador's daughter, Nazi love interest, Soviet spy, FBI most wanted.

Accompanying her parents to Berlin in the 1930s, Martha Dodd knew almost nothing about Adolf Hitler or the Nazis. Yet almost overnight, she stepped into the spotlight and found herself at the over-heated center of Hitler's 'New Germany', befriending and dating several high-ranking Nazis, including the head of the Gestapo.

An affair with a dashing Russian diplomat saw her recruited as a spy and so began a long and tumultuous career in both Berlin and America, including attempts to infiltrate First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt's inner circle and playing a key role in Henry Wallace's disastrous 1948 presidential campaign.

Betrayed by a Hollywood-hustler-turned-double-agent, Martha spent years under deep FBI surveillance - escaping twice - and went to ground in Cold War Prague, sad, lonely, rich and bored, living out her final decades in a Communist *Sunset Bouleva*...

Contributor Bio

Brendan McNally is a journalist who has covered defense, security and intelligence issues since the late 1980s. He cut his teeth covering the Pentagon and Capitol Hill for industry newsletters. Following the 1991 Gulf War, Brendan moved to Prague where he reported for *Defense News* and *The Prague Post*. He divides his time between Dallas and the Czech Republic.



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Crime on the Coast

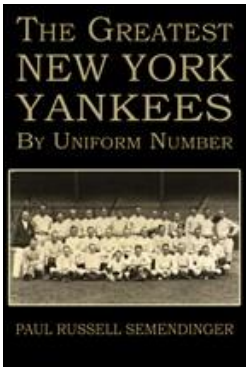
Marty Eberhardt

Summary

Bea Rivers is invited to a small botanical garden conference at a seaside garden in exclusive La Jolla, California. The host director falls from 300-foot cliffs to the beach below, and the police declare the death to be either a suicide or a murder. The victim, Bea's college friend, Paige Pearson, had something urgent to tell Bea right before her death. Bea is determined to solve the mystery. In her own interviews and not-so-legal evidence gathering, Bea discovers that many of the people she'd just been dining with had good reasons to wish Paige gone. As her investigations accelerate, so does her realization that she is dealing with some very powerful and malevolent forces.

Contributor Bio

Marty Eberhardt is a retired botanical garden executive director who now delights in using the right side of her brain to write fiction. She has written two books in the Bea Rivers botanical garden mystery series; DEATH IN A DESERT GARDEN, out in 2021, winner of four awards including the Arizona-New Mexico book award for cozy mystery, and BONES IN THE BACK FORTY, 2023, an Albuquerque Journal " Book of the Week" and winner of two Firebird Awards. Marty and her husband divide their time between Tucson and Silver City, New Mexico, enjoying the wild areas and wild characters of both.



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The Greatest Yankees by Uniform Number

Paul Russell Semendinger

Summary

The history of the Yankees in a way no one has ever told it before - by the numbers they wore on their backs.

The Greatest Yankees By Uniform Number is a completely original look at the history of the New York Yankees, not by decades or championships, but through the uniform numbers worn by the players. For each uniform number we examine the players who wore that number and determine which among them was the best player while wearing that number. The greats like Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Joe DiMaggio, Mickey Mantle, and Mariano Rivera will, of course, rise to the top, but less famous Yankees such as Gus Niarhos, Dooley Womack, Jim Bouton, and many others will also get their due. Along the way, Paul Semendinger gives the readers big ideas to debate and discuss such as who was the greater catcher Yogi Berra or Bill Dickey (they both wore uniform number 8) and should managers have their numbers retired? The history of uniform numbers, retired numbers, Monument Park, and even greatness is examined.

Contributor Bio

Paul Russell Semendinger is a multi-award-winning author. This is his third book on the New York Yankees. A noted baseball expert, Paul runs the Yankees site Start Spreading the News and is featured on numerous podcasts. Paul is the Vice President of the Elysian Fields Chapter of SABR and is a contributing member of the Internet Baseball Writers Association of America. Paul is a retired principal who teaches at the collegiate level and still plays competitive baseball as a pitcher.



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The Blue Wave

M. G. Field

Summary

From the moment he sees the blue flag in Joe Landry's driveway, Detective "Tibby" Thibodaux begins to have premonitions. Landry's license plate has been identified by a witness to a hit-and-run in New Orleans, but when Tibby arrives at his house in Cajun country, the car is undamaged, and Landry has an alibi. Still, Tibby - a veteran detective of Cajun and African heritage - feels that Landry's explanation has been "a good performance."

Although the hit-and-run remains unsolved and the victim succumbs to his injuries, Landry is forgotten as new murders take precedence. Landry's name, however, has appeared on a list of possible right-wing extremists, and the FBI wants Tibby to investigate. Tibby's efforts to track Landry down take him into the bayou and beyond. As the truth slowly emerges, Tibby comes to the realization: it's worse than anybody thinks.

Contributor Bio

M. G. Field was born and grew up in Toronto. He attended several universities in Ontario and Quebec, receiving a Master’ s Degree in philosophy from the University of Guelph. He has taught at schools and universities and counseled inmates at a federal penitentiary in Gravenhurst, Ontario. He has published poetry and short stories, and recorded his own songs. Incarceration, his first novel was published in 2014. His second novel, Balaclava, was published in 2023. Field lives on Prince Edward Island, Canada.



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Flightless

Marie Parks

Summary

Riff is a disgraced, low-class thief. All of his hopes hinge on Ascension, so he can rejoin the elite, upper-class thieves guild he belonged to as a youth. When he's offered a rare, lucrative job to steal an artifact and prove himself to the guild, there's no question he'll take it. But as his crewmates grow skittish, and one of his usuals refuses to join the operation, Riff wonders what they know that he doesn't.

As his crew prepares, they face sabotage and betrayal, realizing the job is a trap. The only way out is forward, because the artifact is their sole bargaining chip for their lives. Riff must discover how far he's willing to go to improve his station and confront his ambitions. This job has the potential to fulfill all his dreams... or lose him his career and his life.

Contributor Bio

Marie Parks is an LGBTQIA+ fantasy author who won the New Mexico-Arizona Book Awards for best LGBTQ book for her co-authored debut, Unrelenting, in 2022 and was a finalist for the Futurescapes Award for Most Promising New Author. Additionally, she was a finalist for the Book Pipeline Unpublished Contest. She lives in New Mexico, where she founded Sandia Starforgers retreats for writers. She enjoys hiking, camping, and eating green chile.



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Miss Americana Taylor Swift

Naomi Berry

Summary

Enter the enchanted world of Taylor Swift with us, covering every facet of her iconic career. With fun facts, intriguing puzzles and a treasure trove of Taylor delights that even Meredith Grey would come out of her house to check out (if you know, you know), this book is a must-have for any Swiftie.

UNOFFICIAL guide to Taylor Swift.

Contributor Bio

Naomi Berry is the author of *Digital Detox* and *The Definitive Guide to Fortnite 2020*.



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Best Ever Guide to Minecraft

Naomi Berry

Summary

Trends come and go, games flash and burn, but at the end of the day, only one has stood the test of time: Minecraft is eternal.

With over 238 million copies sold, the sandbox game is officially the bestselling video game of all time, allowing nearly 140 million monthly players the power to build the land of their dreams, try their mettle against the Ender Dragon, or just hang out with the iconic Steve. The world is your oyster in Minecraft, and the *Best Ever Guide to Minecraft* is here to help all kinds of players – from surviving through your first night, to digging for diamonds, understanding the relationship between bookshelves and enchantment, and reaching the End dimension. So, grab your trusty pickaxe; it's time to build.

UNOFFICIAL guide to Minecraft.

Contributor Bio

Naomi Berry is an accomplished writer, author of *Digital Detox* and other Definitive Guide titles.



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The Definitive Guide to Roblox

Naomi Berry

Summary

The ultimate guide to one of the most popular online games around! With hardback cover, 64 full-color pages and lots of exclusive features. Plus games, quizzes, tips and fun facts all included in every publication. Excellent for all ages!

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Contributor Bio

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Best Ever Guide to Fortnite

Naomi Berry

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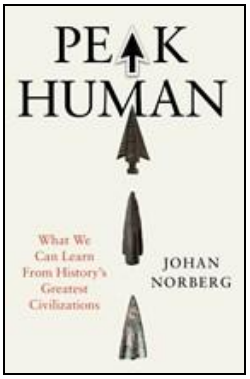
The world has gone mad for Fortnite, with millions of people around the world heading into battle. If you're a fan there's no better way to sharpen your skill than with this definitive guide. Give yourself the upper hand and learn everything from the basics on gathering, building, and surviving to how to navigate the map and pro survival tips.

Includes all the tactics, tricks, and strategies you need to give you an edge in the world's most popular online game. And if that's not enough there are puzzles, quizzes, and games to test your knowledge and sharpen your wit.

UNOFFICIAL guide to Fortnite.

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Peak Human

What We Can Learn From History's Greatest Civilizations

Johan Norberg

Summary

"Could a history book be more timely?" —*The Economist*

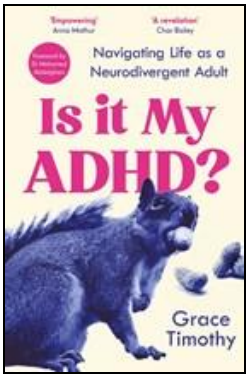
"Norberg is a prophet of anti-pessimism." —*The Guardian*

Golden ages are marked by periods of spectacular cultural flourishing, scientific exploration, technological achievement and economic growth: Ancient Greece gave us democracy and the rule of the law; out of Abbasid Baghdad came algebra and modern medicine, and the Dutch Republic furnished us with Europe's greatest artistic movements. As such, each has unique lessons to teach us about the world we live in today. But all previous golden ages have proven finite, whether through external pressures or internal fracturing.

In *Peak Human*, acclaimed historian Johan Norberg examines seven of humanity's greatest civilizations - ancient Athens, the Roman Republic, Abbasid Baghdad, Song China, Renaissance Italy, the Dutch Republic and the Anglosphere - and asks: how do we ensure that our current golden age doesn't end?

Contributor Bio

Johan Norberg is a historian, lecturer and commentator. He is a senior fellow at the Cato Institute in Washington DC and his books have been translated into forty languages. His books include *The Capitalist Manifesto*, the international bestseller *Progress and Open*, which was an *Economist* book of the year. Norberg regularly writes for publications such as *The Wall Street Journal, Reason* and *HuffPost*.



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Is it My ADHD?

Navigating Life as a Neurodivergent Adult

Grace Timothy

Summary

Darkly funny, relatable and unflinchingly honest, *Is it My ADHD?* gives irreverent and intersectional insight into what life is like for women living with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder.

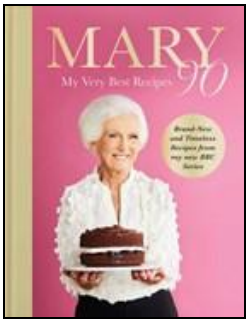
Grace Timothy always felt on the outskirts of 'normal'. After a lifetime of mental and physical symptoms that didn't quite add up, she was finally diagnosed in 2021. At the time, information was scant. Now, neurodivergence is the hot topic on everyone's lips. With this increased awareness, we've encountered a new challenge: how can we circumnavigate the misinformation and better understand our own brains? Writer and podcaster Grace Timothy speaks to those living with ADHD to explore traits specific to women, grounding each chapter in clinical research and expert commentary.

Offering comfort and real, tried-and-tested tips along the way, this book is for anyone who's ever wondered, is it my ADHD?

Contributor Bio

Grace Timothy is a lifestyle writer who has previously contributed to Vogue, Glamour, Sunday Times Style, Grazia, Red and Stylist, and now freelances from her home in England. Grace is also a brand consultant specializing in fashion, beauty and helping companies better support neurodivergent customers and staff, and the host of the Is It My ADHD podcast. Since being diagnosed with ADHD in 2021, she has been on a mission to spread awareness of the true lived experience of ADHD in women and non-binary people, in whom ADHD is so often missed. Instagram @gracetimothywriter ,

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Mary 90

My Very Best Recipes

Mary Berry

Summary

This is Mary Berry's Very Best

Join loved cook, Mary Berry, as she celebrates her 90th birthday with a career-spanning collection of iconic, fuss-free recipes for every occasion.

In this beautifully illustrated cookbook, Mary shares 90 of her very best recipes—each one perfected over a lifetime of cooking. From sumptuous dishes like Mary's best ever Lasagne Bolognese, a foolproof Fragrant Chicken Traybake and a freezer-friendly Mac and Cheese, to irresistible desserts like Raspberry Soufflé and of course classic bakes, including Mary's Best Brownies and Lemon Drizzle Cake, this collection features a mix of brand-new recipes and beloved classics for every home cook.

Alongside the recipes, Mary shares stories and cherished family photographs that offer a glimpse into the memories tied to Mary's favorite dishes.

Accompanying a brand-new BBC series, *Mary 90* is a lavish tribute to the joy of cooking and sharing good food. Includes a conversion chart.

Contributor Bio

Dame Mary Berry is an internationally renowned baker and author of over 70 books, including the bestselling *Mary Berry Cooks*, *Mary Berry's Absolute Favourites*, *Mary Berry At Home* and *Mary Berry's Baking Bible*. She was the much-loved judge on the BBC's The Great British Bake Off and has been teaching people to cook for over four decades.

Cordon Bleu trained in Paris, Mary began her career as a magazine cookery editor before publishing her first cookbook book in 1966. In 2009, Mary was awarded the highly coveted Guild of Food Writers Lifetime Achievement Award and in 2012 she was made a CBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours list.



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Kingdom

Every family has its pride

Will Millard

Summary

Accompanying the landmark BBC natural history documentary narrated by Sir David Attenborough, and featuring stunning full-colour photography.

Five years, four powerful animal families. Who will rule the Kingdom?

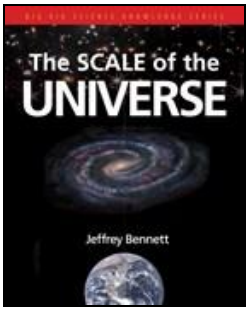
Zambia’s spectacular Luangwa Valley contains ideal leopard territory. It also hosts one of the highest densities of wild dogs ever recorded, one of the ten remaining strongholds of lions left in Africa and is home to one of the few hyena populations to be studied in depth.

Kingdom chronicles the real-life saga of four animal families as each one stakes their claim here for a territory called Nsefu. Over the course of five years, this story follows the twists and turns of their interconnected lives. Leopard mother Olimba is busy bringing up her two cubs, when wild dog Storm arrives, fiercely determined to make this place home for her pack. Hyenas Tenta and Tandala walk a tightrope between following their rivals for food, whilst keeping themselves and their cubs safe; and the lion pride strive to secure their control of this territory for generations to come.

Featuring stunning fu...

Contributor Bio

Will Millard is a writer, BBC presenter, and expedition leader. Born and brought up in the Fens, he is the BAFTA Cymru winning presenter of the BBC Two series 'Hunters of the South Seas' and 'My Year With The Tribe’. His first book, the critically acclaimed *The Old Man and the Sand Eel*, was published in 2018 and follows his wild journey across Britain in pursuit of a fishing record.



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The Scale of the Universe

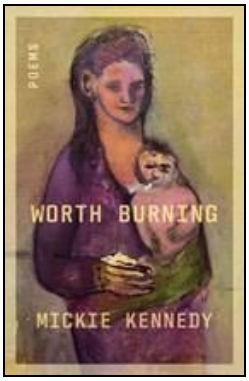
Jeffrey Bennett

Summary

Have you ever wondered how big the universe really is, or how we fit into it? These questions have been asked throughout history by people of virtually every race, religion, culture, and nationality. Indeed, they seem integral to the human experience, which probably explains why children everywhere love to learn about our planet and space. This book is designed to help you understand the evidence-based answers that modern science now gives us to these ancient questions, along with the implications that these answers may hold for us as a species. The book opens with a remarkable image from the James Webb Space Telescope that encapsulates thousands of galaxies spread over more than 13 billion years of time. Two chapters then focus on the structure and scale of space as we work our way outward from Earth to the solar system, galaxy, and the universe as a whole. The book then follows with a chapter that covers our cosmic origins from the Big Bang to the present, along with ways of making sense of the scale of time. A final chapter summarize the key lessons learned. The book uses a Q&A fo...

Contributor Bio

Astrophysicist/Educator Jeffrey Bennett has been teaching and writing about the scale of the universe for more than 40 years, and founded the project to build scale model solar systems that are now permanently installed in two dozen cities and the National Mall in Washington, DC. He is the lead author of numerous books, including the #1 textbook for introductory astronomy. His many awards include the American Institute of Physics Science Communication Award and the Klopsteg Memorial award for education from the American Association of Physics Teachers.



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Worth Burning

Mickie Kennedy

Summary

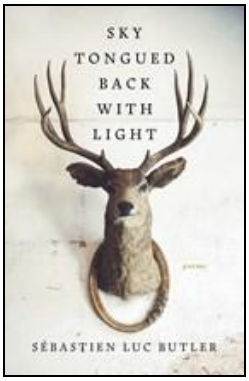
A searing portrait of survival, *Worth Burning* traces a boy's journey from a turbulent Southern childhood —marked by parental abuse, death, and hidden queerness—through the AIDS crisis, a marriage of convenience, and finally, towards a rugged self-acceptance haunted by the past.

Worth Burning crackles with the heat of a burn barrel. With a novelist's attention to character and narrative trajectory, Mickie Kennedy glides through four decades beginning with the random hit-and-run that kills the young speaker's father. The mother's mourning curdles, grief becomes addiction, and addiction becomes abuse—emotional, physical, and sexual—as mother and son persist, locked in a monstrously confused togetherness further complicated by the speaker's hidden gayness, in a small Southern town.

Through searing confession and stark image-making, Kennedy excavates the contours of a life that persistently bends, against all odds, toward a ramshackle wholeness. Suffused with efficient, image-rich narrative poems, Kennedy's debut is at once sweeping and intimate, like a love note passed in secret.

Contributor Bio

Mickie Kennedy is a gay writer who resides in Baltimore County, Maryland with his husband and two children. His work has appeared or is forthcoming in *POETRY, The Threepenny Review, The Southern Review, Copper Nickel, The Sun* and elsewhere. He holds an MFA from George Mason University. A small business owner, Kennedy has accumulated one of the world' s largest horror comic book collections (though he' s too afraid to read them after dark). Follow him on social media @MickiePoet or his website mickiekennedy.com.



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Poetry / Subjects & Themes
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Sky Tongued Back With Light

Sébastien Luc Butler

Summary

Snared between dream-like myth and harsh recollections of growing up, *Sky Tongued Back with Light* probes the sites of violence, beauty, and transformation that punctuate a boy's childhood and adolescence in the rural, northern Midwest.

Sifting memory's scattered fragments to interrogate grief, gender, and the fragility of family, Sébastien Luc Butler's poems navigate landscapes both physical and spiritual. Steeped in the voice of myth and images of the otherworldly, these poems move through personal and collective silences towards self-actualization and love. Examining a culture that teaches violence to the self as the basis for violence against others, this collection holds still those moments where the corporal and incorporeal converge with lasting impact.

Contributor Bio

Sé bastien Luc Butler was born and raised in Michigan. He holds an MFA from the University of Virginia, where he was a Poe/Faulkner Fellow in poetry, and served as poetry editor for Meridian. The recipient of the Patricia Cleary Award for Poetry and the Hopwood Award for Poetry, Sé bastien has been a finalist for the National Poetry Series, the Levis Book Prize, and the Black Warrior Review Contest. He currently serves as an assistant editor at West Trade Review, and lives in New York City.



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Any Gesture

Whitney Koo

Summary

A braided, elegiac journey through death and recovery, *Any Gesture* takes on loss, anticipatory grief, and the little deaths experienced in the space between mourning and survival.

The collection' s four narrative threads speak to a modern, suburban Ophelia; pre-elegize a sister on the brink of suicide; reconcile miscarriage and infertility; and question the proper care for the dead in the face of escalating and dehumanized losses. In these haunting, urgent poems, Whitney Koo interrogates the notion that death is a singular event. Here, grief is illuminated as a living thing, sometimes violent, sometimes hungry, sometimes a " long / drawn sucker punch." Through striking, vivid language, Koo reinvents the elegy as something past, present, future— and we are both witness and mourner.

Contributor Bio

Whitney Koo is the Founder/Executive Editor of Gasher Press. Her work has appeared or is forthcoming in journals such as *Poetry Magazine, Los Angeles Review, Colorado Review, Seneca Review, American Literary Review*, and others. She holds a PhD in English-Creative Writing from Oklahoma State University and an MFA in Creative Writing from the University of Colorado Boulder.



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Get Funky, Get Swoll

Akhim Yuseff Cabéy

Summary

Get Funky, Get Swoll explores, demonstrates, and indicts the multifaceted and multifarious ways white supremacy, white culture, and, in very specific instances white people, have had a profound and tragic impact on the human experience of those people known as Black.

The collection's opening examines intimate racism—the kind that exists between friends and friend groups and lovers; the kind which does not holler or thump or come crashing into the heart but does so quietly, stealthily, inflicting grave harm. The book's latter half comprises a series of love poems to Black people, and specifically to Black women—a Black female muse and the ethereal, transcendental, metaphysical Black Female. These poems serve as a countermeasure to the insidious impact of a society that pushes the simultaneous endeavor of self-hate while offering its own pale flesh as a refuge.

Get Funky, Get Swoll makes complex once again the so-called Black experience, which is to say, the human experience. Akhim Yuseff Cabéy's collection functions not only as a reminder of the tragic impact of white supremacy on the h...

Contributor Bio

AKHIM YUSEFF CABÉY was born in the Bronx and educated upstate both at Siena College and SUNY Albany. After receiving an MFA from The Ohio State University, he taught at the university level before pivoting to the non-profit sector of adult education. A Pushcart Prize-winning Black author, he is a six-time recipient of the Ohio Arts Council Individual Excellence Award and a Headlands Center for the Arts resident fellow. Winner of the 2024 Palette Poetry Rising Poet Prize, his work has appeared in *Colorado Review, RHINO, Indiana Review, The Florida Review, Shenandoah,* and *Callaloo.*

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The Chemist of Berlin, The Horseman of Ulster, The Farmgirl of the Kingdom of Mourne

Sic Transit Gloria Mundi

Boni Thompson

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History / Europe
7.8 in H | 5 in W

Summary

Poison gas. Clara Immerwahr, wife of its famed inventor, Fritz Haber. George McGivern, an Ulsterman, and horse breeder/farrier who joins the Horse Guards and suffers its effects. Ellen Rogers, his wife, a farmgirl and domestic servant, from the Mountains of Mourne Their stories demonstrate how war affects both the great minds of the age as well as the most ordinary of lives. The story has been based on scholarly research, family history, information from local historians, as well as letters and photographs of the main characters.

Contributor Bio

Although born a proud Canadian and living in the rolling hills of Mono, Ontario, Thompson is apparently composed exclusively of 100 percent Irish DNA. That probably explains her interest in wild Irish stories. The road to completing her own wild Irish story began as a teenager when she inadvertently sunk her finger in an old bullet wound behind her grandfather' s ear, a wound few people knew existed, and learned that he had once been a bona fide Irish rebel through and through.

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The Disciple

A Wagnerian Tale from the Gilded Age

Joseph Horowitz

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300 Pages
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Fiction / Historical
7.8 in H | 5 in W

Summary

Cloaked in mystery, Anton Seidl materialized in the New World as Wagner's personal emissary. A sorcerer, he commanded musical New York and toured widely, everywhere received with awed deference. In Brooklyn, Laura Langford's Seidl Society presented summertime Seidl concerts on Coney Island fourteen times weekly. Working women arrived in special railroad cars; Black orphans were regaled with roast chicken, ice cream, and the Tannhäuser March. A clairvoyant theosophist, Langford identified Seidl as a "chela" and traced the ceremonies of Parsifal to the Himalayas. Seidl's appeal was uncanny; at the American premiere of Tristan und Isolde, women stood on their chairs and "screamed their delight." At his funeral, women clasped elbows to force their way into the mobbed Metropolitan Opera House, a spectacle of chaos. His Manhattan friends—including Antonin Dvorák, whose New World Symphony he premiered—were legion. And yet Seidl remained a man apart, afflicted with secret sorrows.

Contributor Bio

Joseph Horowitz' s eleven previous books mainly deal with the history of classical music in the United States. Understanding Toscanini: How He Became an American Culture-God and Helped Create a New Audience for Old Music (1987) was named one of the year' s best books by the New York Book Critics Circle. Wagner Nights: An American History (1994) was named best-of-the-year by the Society of American Music. Both Classical Music in America: A History of Its Rise and Fall (2005) and Artists in Exile: How Refugees from Twentieth Century War and Revolution Transformed the American Performing Arts (2008) made The Economist' s year' s-best-books list. In tandem with his Dvorá k' s Prophecy and the Vexed Fate of Black Classical Music (2021), Horowitz produced six " Dvorá k' s Prophecy" films for Naxos. His current " More than Music" radio documentaries for National Public Radio, heard bi-montly via the daily newsmagazine " 1A," are an outgrowth of this activity. His forthcoming book, The Propaganda of Freedom: JFK, Stravinsky, Shostakovich, and the Cultural Cold Warrior, will deal with the cul...

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7.8 in H | 5 in W

Rory's Not That Guy

And Other Tales from Middle America

William E Burleson

Summary

Rory' s Not That Guy: And Other Tales from Middle America takes the reader on a tour of " flyover country," from struggling small towns to honky-tonks to the parts of cities that don' t make it onto postcards. It' s 19 short stories, many humorous, many not, include coming of age in a hopeless small town (" Art"), what if you could go back in time and go to high school again (" No Returns"), and what happens when your carefully arranged world is disrupted by civil unrest (" Willie Wallace"). Fifteen of the nineteen stories have been published in a variety of literary magazines and anthologies, including The New Guard, Evening Street Press & Review, and American Fiction. What links these stories— beyond geography— is the shared humanity of its characters. Each are struggling with a world which for some is hostile, and for all confusing and beyond their control. Some are lost, some are still trying, and some have given up, but all are sympathetic and believable. In the end, the reader will find that rather than something to fly over, these stories reflect if not the postcards vision...

Contributor Bio

William E Burleson is the author of the novel *Ahnwee Days* (Blackwater Press 2024). His short stories have appeared in over two dozen literary journals and anthologies to date, including the Evening Street Press & Review, The New Guard, and American Fiction, and he is the winner of the TulipTree Publishing contest for humor. Burleson also has published extensively in non-fiction, most notably his book, *Bi America* (Routledge, 2005), as well as for the Hennepin History Magazine and numerous other publications. Burleson is also the founder of and executive editor for Flexible Press, Minneapolis, publisher of a wide range of award-winning literary fiction. www.williamburleson.com.



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Deadheat: Deadlock

Saki Aida, Yuu Takashina

Summary

Two years after the emotionally charged events of Deadlock and the bittersweet farewell shared between Dick and Yuto, Yuto has been released from the confines of Schelger Prison. He is unexpectedly headhunted by the FBI, where he eagerly takes on the challenge of following the evidence in hopes of locating and apprehending the dangerously elusive terrorist mastermind known only as Corvus—Nathan. Yuto's ultimate motivation is to have a chance to be reunited with Dick Burnford once again. During the course of his investigation into Corvus's shadowy past, Yuto manages to find a new ally and partner in the laid-back and openly gay Rob, a skilled criminologist from the University of California who possesses valuable connections to one of Corvus's followers. This unlikely duo embarks on an intense journey, following Corvus's trail across the country, which ultimately and unexpectedly leads Yuto to Dick, who is still deeply entrenched in his work for the CIA as an undercover operative, with one goal in mind; to kill Corvus/Nathan for the murder of his former comrade and lover. As Yuto and D...

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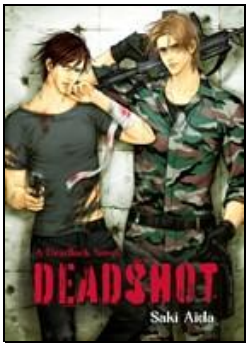
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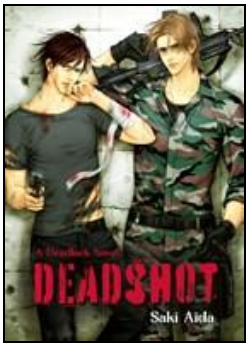
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Dear Benjamin Manwha Volume 2

ID, Addis, Chaewon Kang

Summary

An omega in hiding and an alpha with a dangerous past meet in a collision of desire and danger.

Isaac has always lived as a beta, but his world turns upside down when he discovers he's a recessive omega during an undercover operation. As he experiences his first heat cycle, he encounters Felix, a notorious and hyper-dominant alpha arms dealer. In the midst of a chaotic raid, Isaac, overwhelmed by his heat, seeks relief from Felix.

Four years later, Isaac has reinvented himself as a modest florist in San Diego, trying to escape his tumultuous past and conceal his omega status. His peaceful life is shattered when Felix reappears. Felix is immediately infatuated with Isaac and, upon discovering that Isaac needs protection from an unknown threat, offers a dangerous but tempting deal; his protection in exchange for Isaac's body. A flower shop isn't the safest place for an omega with a past, especially when Felix is around even more so when Issac's most precious secret may be uncovered…

Volume 1 will contain season 1: Episodes 1-22
Volume 2 will contain season 2: Episodes 23-45
Volume 3 will co...



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Dear Benjamin Manwha Volume 3

ID, Chaewon Kang, Addis

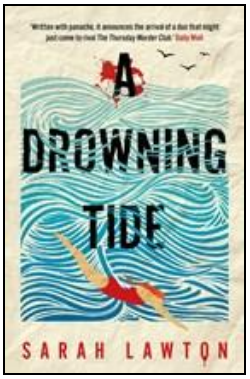
Summary

Some battles are won with bullets. Others with the truth.

When Benjamin is kidnapped, the fragile balance between Isaac and Felix shatters, setting the stage for a desperate search—one that could cost them everything. Isaac, revealed to be a former Navy SEAL now a fugitive, is ready to do whatever it takes to bring his son home, even if it means striking one last deadly bargain with Felix, a hyper-dominant alpha who is unknowingly Benjamin's father.

As they navigate a web of deception, buried secrets come to light—secrets that reveal why Isaac's stepfather rose in the ranks while Isaac was forced into hiding. With every truth uncovered, the danger escalates. The fight for Benjamin's future has begun, forcing Isaac and Felix to confront their pasts, their desires, and a ruthless man who will stop at nothing to keep his power. Will Felix stand by Isaac when he learns the truth about their son, or will lies tear them apart once more?

Volume 1 will contain season 1: Episodes 1-22
Volume 2 will contain season 2: Episodes 23-45
Volume 3 will contain season 3: Episodes 46-58 (different artist)



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Fiction / Thrillers

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A Drowning Tide

A must-read cryptic crossword mystery for fans of BBC's Ludwig

Sarah Lawton

Summary

"Written with panache, *A Drowning Tide* announces the arrival of a duo that might just come to rival the *Thursday Murder Club*" —*Daily Mail*

When her next-door neighbor goes missing, reclusive Merry dives into an irresistible puzzle.

Merry lives a simple life on the Isle of Wight. For work, she creates cryptic crosswords. For pleasure, she swims in the ocean's cold embrace. In between, she keeps an eye on her neighbor, Lucas Manning, son of her late best friend Julia. Until one day, Lucas disappears.

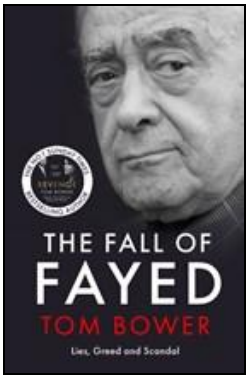
The Manning family has always had a sinister side - only Lucas has been above suspicion. Until now. And with Lucas's employers desperate to find him and the sensitive project he has absconded with, has Merry been wrong about Lucas all along?

As her search for Lucas unfolds, Merry suddenly has to confront her own dark past. And as the tangle of her life story rises to the surface, Merry is about to find a twist she never expected.

Combining a spiky, singular voice with a brilliantly twisty mystery, this is an unpredictable, gripping story of toxic families, dangerous secrets and the past catching...

Contributor Bio

Sarah Lawton grew up on the Isle of Wight, and following university she embarked on a career in the charity sector. After a few years of full time parenting, she picked up her pen, and can now be found writing in various locations in East London. She is the author of the psychological thriller *All the Little Things*.



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Biography & Autobiography / Rich & Famous
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The Fall of Fayed

Lies, Greed and Scandal - The bestselling controversial biography

Tom Bower

Summary

THE BESTSELLING CONTROVERSIAL BIOGRAPHY

Britain's leading investigative writer and biographer, Tom Bower turns the full beam of his formidable powers on one of the most controversial figures of present day: Mohamed Al Fayed.

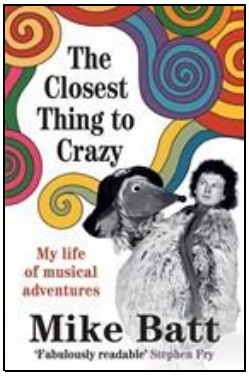
Owner of Harrods, bereaved father of Dodi and instigator of the 'cash for questions' sensation, this book was originally published in 1998 to wide acclaim. But with the recent heinous accusations of sexual misconduct coming to light, this new and updated edition will offer a new focus of Tom Bower's trademark acerbic insight on this controversial figure.

"[Tom Bower] is the Inspector Morse of investigative biographers, a fluent, phlegmatic story-teller and a master of intricacies." —*Sunday Times*

"Given the extreme difficulty of researching a subject like Fayed, Bower deserves full marks for effort and courage . . . his *Fayed* is a "fuggin" good read." —Lynn Barber, *Daily Telegraph*

Contributor Bio

Tom Bower is an investigative historian, broadcaster and journalist. A former producer and reporter for BBC Television for 26 years, he is the bestselling author of 27 books, including: *Revenge: Meghan, Harry and the War Between the Windsors*, *Rebel King: The Making of a Monarch* and *Dangerous Hero: Corbyn's Ruthless Plot for Power*. He lives in London with his wife.



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368 Pages
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Biography & Autobiography / Entertainment & Performing Arts
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The Closest Thing to Crazy

My Life of Musical Adventures

Mike Batt

Summary

"Fabulously readable." —STEPHEN FRY

"Wildly entertaining." —DAILY EXPRESS

Nominated for the 2025 Association for Recorded Sound Collections Awards for Excellence in Historical Recorded Sound Research

Described variously as a 'polymath', a 'renaissance man' and 'one of the most colorful characters in the music business', Mike Batt has led an extraordinarily vibrant and challenging life that has been full of both glorious victories and bitter failures.

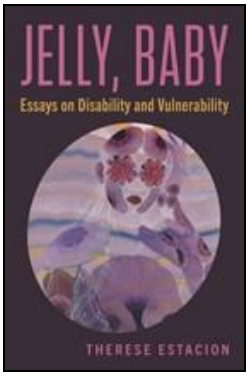
For better or for worse, he is a man who has always lived life on his own terms. Idiosyncratic but mainstream, complicated but compassionate, steadfastly maverick in spirit but avowedly commercial in outlook. He is a man of great contradictions, but even greater talent.

After starting out in the music business as a teenager, Batt shot to fame in the early 1970s for his part in the creation of the Wombles pop group. But this success proved to be just the beginning as he then went on to work with various artists as a songwriter, composer and producer, including Art Garfunkel, George Harrison, Cliff Richard, Andrew Lloyd-Webber and Katie Melua.

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Contributor Bio

Mike Batt is a singer, songwriter, producer and composer who has been making hit records for more than 50 years. He was the lead singer and creator of the Wombles pop group in the early 1970s and is a multi-Ivor Novello Award winner, who has written and produced music for many artists, including Art Garfunkel, Cliff



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Biography & Autobiography / Disability
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8 in H | 5.3 in W | 0.2 in T

Jelly, Baby

Essays on Disability and Vulnerability

Therese Estacion

Summary

I am trying to meet my legs in the silent space between us. But they cannot speak. They have no story to tell without me. Every day I go home. Sit on the couch and remove them from my body. They stand there, still as a statue, and wait for me to open my mouth. In this revelatory collection of lyrical essays, Therese Estacion explores a number of vital themes relating to her life as a disabled person. Defying genre and constraint, Estacion conveys how ableism has impacted her disposition and self-esteem. She also confronts her own internalized ableism and unpacks how she has come to terms with disability in all its complexity. Jelly, Baby fearlessly uncovers the trauma, grief, and rage inherent to the struggle to accept one' s own vulnerability and reach a place of love. Inspired by the author' s psychotherapy training, this book is a tender examination of some of the most vulnerable aspects of the self, and a head-on challenge of self-loathing. The result is a beautiful and astute meditation on ableism and a transformative journey deep into the psyche.

Contributor Bio

THERESE ESTACION is the author of *Phantompains* (Book*hug Press), a poetry collection that explores her Filipinx heritage and physical disability. In 2021, the book was a finalist for both the Foreword INDIES Award for Poetry and the Firecracker Award for Poetry. She has been a guest editor for *Arc Poetry* magazine and *Feels* zine, and curated Smutburger's 2023-2024 series. Based in Toronto, Estacion has been an adjunct professor at the University of Toronto's School of Continuing Studies and is training as a psychotherapist.



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Amapiano Eyes

D. Nandi Odhiambo

Summary

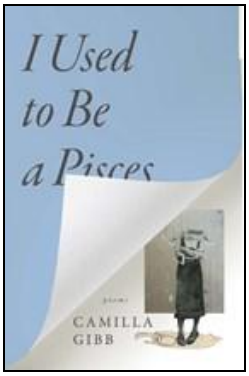
Accompanied by the deep beats of Amapiano music, D. Nandi Odhiambo's gritty, high-stakes new novel *Amapiano Eyes* is a masterful blend of literary fiction and noir—an existential thriller where the past and present collide.

When the pandemic abruptly arrives, Daliso Okoth, a DJ and existential philosopher living in Waikiki, loses his job as a construction labourer. At a crossroads, he joins his girlfriend and fellow DJ, Norrie Vee, in her side hustle selling prescription and designer drugs on Oahu. After her business partner steals their stash, Norrie and Daliso are left in a lurch. With travel bans causing supply shortages on the island, they scramble to mitigate the damage by selling dope for a corrupt former detective.

Daliso struggles to stay afloat in a world that seems to be crumbling around him. While he contends with a deteriorating heart condition and worries about his aging parents and Norrie, Daliso is plagued with painful memories of his grandfather, who was an exhibit in a Human Zoo. Meanwhile, Norrie is facing her own crisis of her mother's addiction to opiates. Ultimately...

Contributor Bio

D. NANDI ODHIAMBO is the author of four previous critically acclaimed novels, including Smells Like Stars. His recent work, The Minoritarian and Black Reason: A Philosophico-Literary Investigation, explores the intersections of literature, philosophy, and race. A recipient of the Elliot Cades Award for Literature, Odhiambo is a Professor of English at the University of Hawai‘ i– West O‘ ahu. He lives on O‘ ahu with his wife, Carmen, and their two dogs.



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I Used to Be a Pisces

Camilla Gibb

Summary

Award-winning, bestselling author Camilla Gibb returns with her first poetry collection, a profound new work that examines our relationships to the earth and one another.

I Used to Be a Pisces is a deeply felt meditation on love and belonging, exploring changing landscapes, loves, and selves. In these poems, accompanied by her original collage work, Gibb generously invites us to engage with our surroundings, recognize the relationships that shape our existence, and examine our longing for restoration and regeneration.

Grappling with what it means to feel at home in a time of upheaval, and woven through with threads of hope, grief, and the persistent pursuit of renewal, *I Used to Be a Pisces* is a masterful poetic work from one of the country's most beloved and celebrated authors.

Contributor Bio

CAMILLA GIBB is the internationally acclaimed author of five novels: Mouthing the Words, The Petty Details of So-and-so' s Life, Sweetness in the Belly, The Beauty of Humanity Movement, and The Relatives. She is also the author of the RBC Taylor Prize shortlisted memoir This Is Happy. Gibb has received the Trillium Book Award and the City of Toronto Book Award and has been shortlisted for the Giller Prize. She is an Assistant Professor of Creative Writing at Victoria College, University of Toronto.



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The Tinder Sonnets

Jennifer LoveGrove

Summary

From acclaimed writer Jennifer LoveGrove comes an electric poetry collection exploring female sexual desire, contemporary dating, misogyny, and middle age that reflects and embodies our social media-saturated times.

Unabashedly confessional and radically vulnerable, *The Tinder Sonnets* rallies against the long-standing demand that "women of a certain age" politely accept being rendered non-sexual. Each poem is based on a date, relationship, or contemporary dating insight, and highlights how misogyny impacts the way weconnect in the modern world–or don't.

Juxtaposing folklore and the natural world against the digital sphere of texting and dating apps, this is poetry that defies invisibility and instead confronts and subverts it through a discerning feminist lens. While experimenting with the traditional form of the sonnet, these sonically textured poems are playful and wry, erotic and joyful, all while refusing to shy away from palpable anger, frustration, and disappointment.

Centering strength and resilience in the face of a resurgence of misogynistic chauvinism, *The Tinder Sonnets* is a...

Contributor Bio

JENNIFER LOVEGROVE is the author of the Giller Prize–longlisted novel *Watch How We Walk*, as well as three poetry collections: *Beautiful Children with Pet Foxes (*longlisted for the Raymond Souster Award), *I Should Never Have Fired the Sentine*l and *The Dagger Between Her Teeth*. She is currently working on a new novel, and creative nonfiction. She divides her time between downtown Toronto and Squirrel Creek Retreat in rural Ontario.



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Spores of Doom

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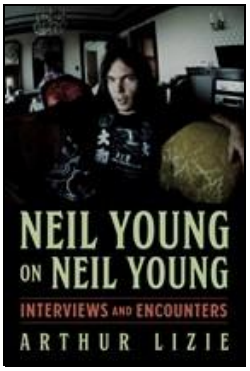
Aaron Worth

Summary

From the fungus-webbed House of Usher to the maddening, fungus-like wallpaper of Charlotte Perkins Gilman's classic tale of madness, and Ray Bradbury's account of insidious mushroom dispersal via the U.S. postal system, weird fiction has harbored a thriving culture of fungal horrors throughout the past two centuries. With stories of mycological possession alongside dark, pulpy science fiction monstrous fruiting bodies run amok, this new anthology collects the classic with the lost and obscure to trace our fascination with a spore-infested branch of British and American fiction

Contributor Bio

Aaron Worth is professor of Rhetoric at Boston University. He introduced and edited the *Tales of the Weird* anthologies *Randalls Round* and *The Night Wire*, and was the author of *Imperial Media*, a study of how advances in media and technology shaped the British literary imagination in the late 19th century.



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Neil Young on Neil Young

Interviews and Encounters

Arthur Lizie

Summary

The life of rock's most durable troubadour in his own words

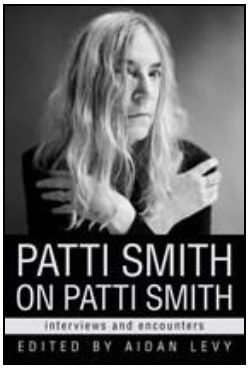
Neil Young on Neil Young: Interviews and Encounters is a revealing anthology of Young's most significant, fascinating, and entertaining discussions, declarations, and dreams, chronicling fifty years of conversations, feature stories, and press conferences.

With many interviews widely available for the first time—including new transcriptions and first-time translations into English—the book spans Young's words and ideas from 1967 onward: his early days with Buffalo Springfield and 1970s *Harvest*-fueled celebrity apex, an artistic rebellion and 1980s commercial dip, and the unexpected 1990s revival as the Godfather of Grunge through to his multi-decade victory lap as a living legend.

Across the decades, Young's own words tell the story as he perpetually reinvents himself as a master of music and film, a technology pioneer and innovator, and a bold political observer and strident environmental advocate.

Contributor Bio

Arthur Lizie is a professor of communication and media studies at Bridgewater State University. His most recent book is *Prince FAQ: Everything You Wanted To Know About the Purple Reign*. He lives in Massachusetts.



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Patti Smith on Patti Smith

Interviews and Encounters

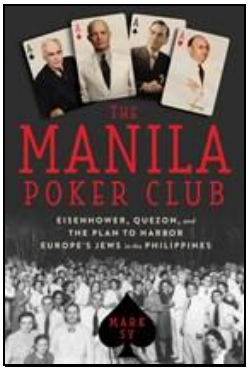
Aidan Levy

Summary

From the moment Patti Smith burst onto the scene, chanting "Jesus died for somebody's sins, but not mine," the irreverent opening line to *Horses*, her 1975 debut album, the punk movement had found its dissident intellectual voice. Yet outside the recording studio—Smith has released eleven studio albums—the punk poet laureate has been perhaps just as revelatory and rhapsodic in interviews, delivering off-the-cuff jeremiads that emboldened a generation of disaffected youth and imparting hard-earned life lessons. With her characteristic blend of bohemian intellectualism, antiauthoritarian poetry, and unflagging optimism, Smith gave them hope in the transcendent power of art. Her interview archive serves as a compelling counternarrative to the albums and books. Initially, interviewing Patti Smith was a censorship liability. Contemptuous of staid rules of decorum, no one knew what she might say, whether they were getting the romantic, swooning for Lorca and Blake, or the firebrand with no respect for an on-air seven-second delay. *Patti Smith on Patti Smith* is a compendium of profound and r...

Contributor Bio

Aidan Levy has written for the the *Daily Forward*, *JazzTimes*, and the *Nation*. He is the author of *Dirty Blvd.: The Life and Music of Lou Reed*. He lives in New York City.



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The Manila Poker Club

Eisenhower, Quezon, and the Plan to Harbor Europe's Jews in the Philippines

Mark Sy

Summary

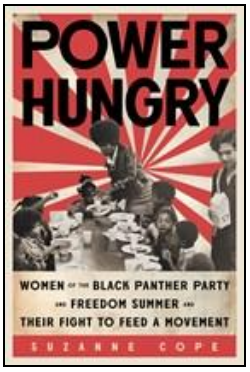
During the late 1930s, a small group of American and Filipino diplomats played cards regularly. While their poker matches started as an excuse to smoke cigars and discuss political events of the day, it resulted in so much more.

This small band of men in the Philippines—Lt. Colonel Dwight D. Eisenhower, Philippine president Manuel L. Quezon, US High Commissioner Paul V. McNutt, and the brothers Alex and Philip Frieder—eventually sought to rescue a handful of Jewish families seeking to escape the clutches of Hitler's Gestapo by bringing them to a remote Pacific haven on the other side of the world. Through their shared sense of humor, their mutual respect for the customs and people of the islands, and their innate desire to help a persecuted people, they hatched an audacious rescue program to bring as many victims as possible to the safe shores of the Philippine Commonwealth.

Drawing upon recently released archives and original interviews with some of the last remaining Holocaust survivors, journalist Mark Sy shines a hard light on the obscure humanitarian partnership between the Filip...

Contributor Bio

Mark Sy was born in Vancouver and raised in Manila and Hong Kong. He is a graduate of Tufts University with a BA in political science. He trained as a chef and went on to open and operate two restaurants called Vien in New York City for five years. Currently, he is a growth consultant for TriSpan, working with several of their New York City-based restaurant brands. During the summer of 2020, he spent countless hours talking with a 93-year-old Holocaust survivor in Jerusalem, an American President's granddaughter in Washington, DC, and a local expert in Manila to research the book. He lives in New York City.



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Power Hungry

Women of the Black Panther Party and Freedom Summer and Their Fight to Feed a Movement
Suzanne Cope

Summary

"A worthy tribute to the unsung heroines of the fight for racial equality." — ***Publishers Weekly***
"An overlooked and inspiring story of female heroism on the civil-rights front." — ***Booklist***

Two unsung women whose power using food as a political weapon during the civil rights movement was so great it brought the ire of government agents working against them

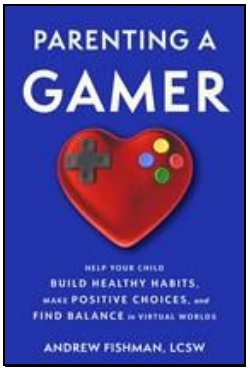
In early 1969 Cleo Silvers and a few Black Panther Party members met at a community center laden with boxes of donated food to cook for the neighborhood children. By the end of the year, the Black Panthers would be feeding more children daily in all of their breakfast programs than the state of California was at that time.

More than a thousand miles away, Aylene Quin had spent the decade using her restaurant in McComb, Mississippi, to host secret planning meetings of civil rights leaders and organizations, feed the hungry, and cement herself as a community leader who could bring people together—physically and philosophically—over a meal.

These two women's tales, separated by a handful of years, tell the same story: how food was used by ...

Contributor Bio

Suzanne Cope is a writing professor at NYU who has been researching and writing about food and politics for years. Her articles have been published in the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Atlantic*, and *Travel & Leisure*, as well as with the BBC, CNN, Buzzfeed, NPR, and more. She speaks on related topics on radio shows and podcasts, and at numerous professional and scholarly meetings. Cope lives in Brooklyn, NY.



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Parenting a Gamer

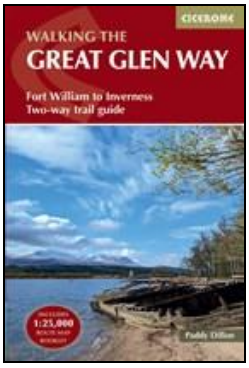
Help Your Child Build Healthy Habits, Make Positive Choices, and Find Balance in Virtual Worlds
Andrew Fishman

Summary

Parents have good reason to worry when they don't understand the video games their kids are playing.
Their children stare at a screen for hours every day. Eyes glazed over, they seem oblivious to the world and throw tantrums when asked to help fold laundry. According to a recent survey, three-quarters of American parents think their children spend too much time in front of screens. Two-thirds of parents believe raising children is more difficult than twenty years ago, primarily due to their children's access to technology.
Parents have questions and don't know what information to trust. What games are appropriate? How much screen time is too much? Have children lost the ability and desire to socialize? Are they desensitized to violence? Who are they talking to online? Why has everything become a power struggle?
Author Andrew Fishman walks parents through a comprehensive, evidence-based guide to all the challenges of parenting a gamer. *Parenting a Gamer* provides context and research-based evidence to empower parents to make values-based decisions and raise healthy children. The book cont...

Contributor Bio

Andrew Fishman is a licensed mental health professional in Chicago, where he specializes in treating video game addiction in adolescents. He earned a master's degree in social work at Loyola University and is certified in counseling gaming disorder by the International Gambling Counselor Certification Board. Andrew's articles on video games and mental health have been featured repeatedly as essential topics in *Psychology Today*, where he is listed as a Thought Leader. He has been featured worldwide in interviews by the *Wall Street Journal*, *Al Jazeera Plus*, *FintechBeat*, *El País*, and for DC Fintech's Week 2021. He has also been quoted in numerous psychology and technology publications, ranging from *Neuroscience & Biobehavioral Reviews* to *European Business Magazine*. He lives in Chicago where he can often be found playing *The Legend of Zelda* and *Assassin's Creed* in his spare time.



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Walking the Great Glen Way *(3rd Edition)*

Fort William to Inverness Two-way trail guide

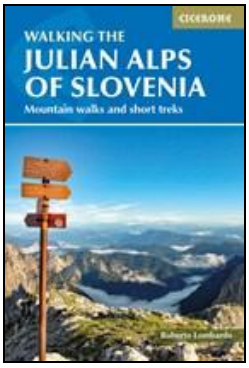
Paddy Dillon

Summary

A guidebook to walking the Great Glen Way, one of Scotland’ s Great Trails. The 120km (74 mile) route between Fort William and Inverness is suitable for those new to long-distance walking and can be completed within a week. The route is described in both directions in 6 stages of between 12 and 31km (8– 19 miles), with both low and high-level options for the central stages. Also included is an alternative route along the north shore of Loch Oich via Invergarry. Contains step-by-step description of the route alongside 1:100,000 maps Includes a separate map booklet containing OS 1:25,000 mapping with the route line Refreshment and public transport information provided for each route stage Handy trek planner, route summary tables and accommodation listings help you plan your itinerary

Contributor Bio

Paddy Dillon is a prolific walker and guidebook writer, with over 100 guidebooks to his name and contributions to 40 other titles. He has written for several outdoor magazines and other publications and has appeared on radio and television.



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Walking the Julian Alps of Slovenia *(3rd Edition)*

Mountain walks and short treks

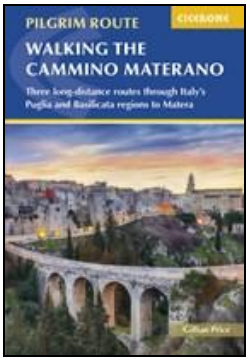
Roberto Lombardo

Summary

A guidebook to 37 day walks and 3 multi-day treks in the Julian Alps of Slovenia. Exploring the incredible Slovenian mountains there's something for everyone, from short valley walks to high-level routes for the experienced mountaineer. The day walks range from 4 to 24km (2– 15 miles) and can be enjoyed in 2– 11 hours. The multi-day treks range from 18– 34km (11– 21 miles) and each takes 2 days. The routes are split into 5 sections, each based around centres with a good tourist infrastructure.

Contributor Bio

Born and raised in Trieste in a bilingual Italian-Slovenian family, Roberto's imagination wandered in search of places and adventures from an early age. As soon as he was old enough, he started travelling independently and hasn't stopped since. His love of nature, adventure and the unknown has taken him to the trails of almost every continent and to the lecture halls of anthropology universities to study different cultures. His heart, however, has always been anchored to his homeland, the Slovenian mountains and the green forests that surround them. It is from this love that this new edition of the guide was born.



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Walking the Cammino Materano

Three long-distance routes through Italy's Puglia and Basilicata regions to Matera

Gillian Price

Summary

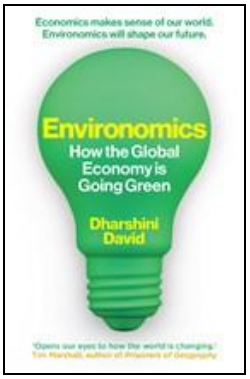
A guidebook to walking to Matera on the Via Peuceta, Via Ellenica and Via Lucana, three long-distance cammino routes through southern Italy's Puglia and Basilicata regions.

The three routes are presented in 7, 14 and 6 stages of between 10 and 30km (7 and 19 miles), including variant routes, accompanied by information on facilities, accommodation and where to get cammino testimonium. Suitable for most abilities.

1:100,000 maps and profiles included for each stage **GPX files** available to download Handy **route summary tables** and **stage facilities planners** help you plan your itinerary **Refreshment and accommodation** information given for each stage Advice on **planning and preparation**

Contributor Bio

Gillian Price has trekked throughout Asia and the Himalayas, but now lives in Venice and is exploring the mountains and flatter bits of Italy. Starting in the Italian Dolomites, Gillian has written outstanding Cicerone guides to walking all over Italy as well as Corsica and Corfu. An adamant promoter of public transport to minimise environmental impact, Gillian belongs to Mountain Wilderness and is an active member of the Venice branch of CAI, the Italian Alpine Club.



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Environomics *(2nd Edition)*

How the Global Economy is Going Green

Dharshini David

Summary

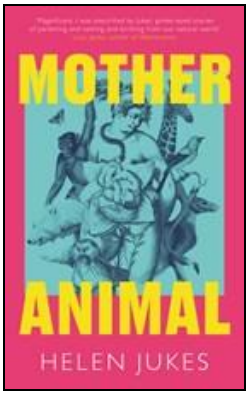
Read this to understand how the global economy is going green – and how it will affect your wallet.

The world is changing fast. Money is pouring into the green revolution as it sweeps across our globe. This isn't just economics – it's Environomics. Across industries such as energy, food, fashion, technology, manufacturing and finance, businesses are innovating; governments are taking action; technology is advancing; commercial opportunities are emerging; and our long-formed consumer habits are shifting – sometimes at a dizzying pace. But what exactly is happening, how quickly, who is driving it all – and what does it mean for us? In this fast-paced and eye-opening book, award-winning broadcaster and economist Dharshini David follows the course of an average day to tell the real story of the green developments taking place all around us, from the clothing we wear and the food we eat to the way we consume energy.

Full of surprising facts and new perspectives, this book shows that what we do now will affect our everyday lives for decades to come. Economics helps us to understand our world...

Contributor Bio

Dharshini David is an economist and broadcaster, currently the Global Trade Correspondent for BBC News, as well as a presenter on BBC Radio 4, including for a recent series on 'fast fashion'. She began her career as an economist in government and then as HSBC Investment Bank's UK Economist, before going on to cover financial stories for the BBC and Panorama. During her career, Dharshini has also advised Tesco, acted as a consultant to Daiwa Bank, and sat as a non-executive member of one of the Financial Conduct Authority's boards. She is the author of *The Almighty Dollar*.



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Mother Animal

Helen Jukes

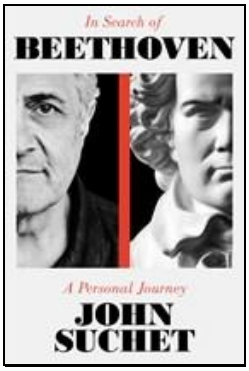
Summary

When Helen Jukes falls pregnant, she does what anyone else would do. She searches for information to help make sense of the changes underway inside her. But as the months pass and her body becomes increasingly strange, the pregnancy guides seem insufficient; even the advice of her friends feels oppressive. So, she widens her frame of reference, looking beyond humans to ask what motherhood looks like in other species. Here she begins a process of wilder enquiry, in which stories of spiders, polar bears, bonobos and burying beetles (among others) begin to unsettle and expand her notion of what mothering is; what it could be.

A passionate, visceral and intimate account of a body changed, *Mother Animal* combines personal memoir with fresh insights from evolutionary biology, zoology and toxicology to ask the big questions that lie at the heart of what it means to be alive – and a mother – today.

Contributor Bio

Helen Jukes' work has appeared in *The New York Times*, *Port Magazine*, *Aeon* and others. Her first book, *A Honeybee Heart has Five Openings*, received wide critical acclaim, and was shortlisted for the Books Are My Bag non-fiction award. Helen has led creative writing workshops for universities, literary organizations, a homelessness charity and a prison; she currently teaches at the University of Oxford.



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In Search of Beethoven *(2nd Edition)*

A Personal Journey

John Suchet

Summary

"From palaces to warzones, John Suchet goes on a Beethoven odyssey." —*The Daily Telegraph*

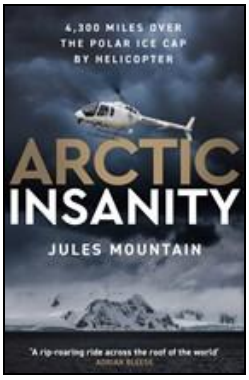
From the bestselling author of *Beethoven: The Man Revealed*

In Search of Beethoven is John Suchet's latest and most personal book dedicated to the life of this extraordinary composer. Part biography, part memoir, part travelogue, Suchet draws on his own life and career as a foreign correspondent and news anchor to show how Beethoven's music has accompanied him through the best and worst of times. It was with him as a music-loving and adventurous teenager, as a journalist entering Beirut in the grip of civil war, and as he has continued to explore the old cities of Bonn and Vienna, in search of the man behind the music. In this novel and compelling book, we see Beethoven brought vividly – and sometimes painfully – to life.

Suchet traces Beethoven's footsteps from his early years in Bonn to his dying days in Vienna, taking us on a journey both literal and symbolic, as he uses his own experience as a Beethoven aficionado to demonstrate the life-changing power of great music.

Contributor Bio

Before turning to classical music, **John Suchet** was one of the UK's best-known television journalists and newscasters, regularly presenting ITN's flagship News at Ten, as well as all other bulletins, over a period of nearly 20 years. John has been honored for both roles. He is the author of the *Sunday Times*-bestselling *Beethoven: The Man Revealed* (2012) and *The Last Waltz: The Story of the Strauss Dynasty and Vienna* (2015), and most recently, *Tchaikovsky: The Man Revealed* (2018).



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Arctic Insanity

4,300 miles over the polar ice cap by helicopter

Jules Mountain

Summary

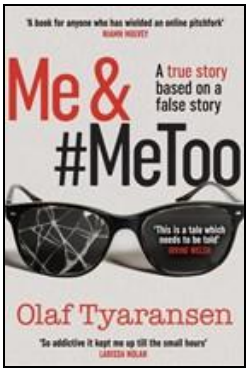
"A swashbuckling, page-turning, rip-roaring ride across the roof of the world." —Adrian Bleese, author of *Above the Law*

When a friend told Jules Mountain he'd bought a helicopter in Canada and would need to ship it home to the Channel Islands by container, Jules thought that sounded crazy. Why not just fly it? Actually there were lots of good reasons. The lightweight aircraft had a range of 300 miles, was neither pressurized nor supplied with oxygen, and could fly for just three hours before running out of fuel. Whereas the shortest feasible route was 4,300 miles across the polar ice cap, with stretches across water that would take up to five hours to cross. It sounded impossible for even the most experienced pilot, and Mountain had only been flying helicopters for three years. But he'd never been one to duck a challenge . . . so he volunteered for the job.

Arctic Insanity is the hair-raising story of what happened next, as the madcap adventurer battled extreme cold, zero-visibility whiteouts and near-misses with icebergs - landing along the way in some of the harshest places on earth ...

Contributor Bio

Jules Mountain is a maverick entrepreneur. In 2007, he was diagnosed with cancer while he was trying to sell his latest business. In spite of major surgery and chemotherapy he successfully sold the business just before the global financial crash. After a grueling 12 months, he recovered and set himself the new challenge of climbing Everest. He wanted to prove to himself that the cancer had in no way affected him and he was still as physically capable as he was before his diagnosis. He now advises other businesses and is a motivational speaker, as well as a loving father to his two daughters.



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Me & #MeToo

A True Story Based on a False Story

Olaf Tyaransen

Summary

A true story based on a false story.

Late one night in February 2018, the award-winning Irish journalist Olaf Tyaransen returned home to find his name trending on Twitter. To his horror, he discovered that Brooke Magnanti - controversial author of the *Belle de Jour* books - had published an article accusing him of physically and sexually assaulting another woman a few years earlier. Tyaransen had never met Magnanti, and the woman in question had recently died in tragic circumstances. While the allegation was completely untrue, it was already going viral. Hundreds of people were rushing to judgement and sharing Magnanti's article. In a painfully honest and compelling memoir, Tyaransen details the emotional, social and professional impact of that false accusation. His lacerating, unflinching account highlights the importance of due process, the mindless cruelty of crowds and the potentially fatal consequences of online vigilantism.

Contributor Bio

Olaf Tyaransen is a poet, author, filmmaker and award-winning journalist. Born in Dublin in 1971 to an Irish mother and English-Norwegian father, he spent his formative years in the west of Ireland. His writing has been published in *Hot Press*, *Rolling Stone*, *Penthouse*, *Mojo* and many other publications. His previous books include *The Story of O: The Autobiography of an Irish Outlaw* and *Sex Lines: Adventures in the Erotic Underground.*



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A Lithic Love Letter

Joanne Bourne

Summary

"Vivid, personal, upbeat – makes you feel her happiness." —Maggie Gee

A lithic love letter Joanne Bourne has been in awe of flint as long as she can remember. It was all around her where she grew up in Kent: used for garden walls, to edge drives and weight dustbin lids, as well as to build pubs, churches, Roman villas and castles. For centuries it was the only building stone available. It is also magical. Made from the remains of plankton and sea sponges, it is second only in hardness to a diamond and can be used to make fire. Part of human development for three million years, it was used as a weapon to hunt and in war and hung as protection against thunderbolts and fairies. In a deeply personal love letter to this extraordinary 'biogenic' rock, Bourne traces its geological, architectural and social history and invites us to roam with her in search of it on her beloved North Downs. Fusing science, poetry, history and a profound love of landscape, this is her heartfelt, thoroughly persuasive tribute to the stone she calls 'an art project of the great divine'.

Contributor Bio

Joanne Bourne is a writer, photographer and archaeologist. She has combined a career in publishing with archaeological fieldwork, excavating Neolithic and multi-period sites in Dalmatia, Libya and Orkney, where she has spent nine summers with the Ness. Her book *Jake's Bones*, written with the young bone collector Jake McGowan Lowe, was shortlisted for the Royal Society Young People's Book Prize. She is also the author of *The Maps Book*, published by Lonely Planet Kids in 2023, which was shortlisted for the Edward of Brodgar team.



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I'm Fine

A True Story of Trust, Betrayal and Criminal Exploitation

Richard Hall

Summary

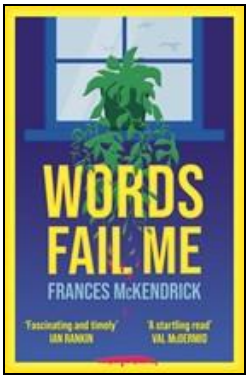
In 2024 a gay youth leader was jailed for 22 years. One of his victims tells why it took him two decades to call the police.

In 1996, at the age of 14, Richard Hallmet a man who changed his life. Two and half decades later, he called the police. As a result, the man was jailed for 22 years. This is the story of what came before the police: how a teenage boy who had been hounded at school because he was gay walked into a world where he thought he would be safe, but which he was too inexperienced to navigate. In his naivety, he thought what happened next was normal, or somehow his fault. In a vivid, compellingly readable account, Hall recreates with unnerving frankness – and with surprising bursts of humor – the year in his childhood when the attention of older admirers went to his head, with lasting consequences for the rest of his life.

I'm Fine is not just the intensely moving story of one mixed-up boy's private hell. It also stands as a powerful warning about predators operating with the impunity conferred on them by 'community' status.

Contributor Bio

Richard Hall lives in Malaysia with his husband and well-traveled cats. Having trained as a youth worker and participatory artist, he turned his creative attention to writing during a tough period of his life. After contributing to a lengthy investigation and court case relating to the abuse he suffered at a young age, he would now like to find ways to support other survivors.



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Fiction

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Words Fail Me

Frances McKendirck

Summary

"Fascinating, complex, timely and filled with compassion." —Ian Rankin

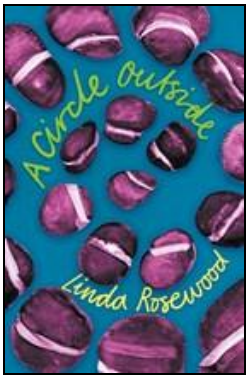
"A dark and startling tale of righteous vengeance." —Val McDermid

When Jane - smart, funny, fortyish - says she's a school counsellor, people assume it's all about exam stress, if only. Her teenage clients include Vaishali, who hates the perfect curves that draw the attention of adult men; Fraser, who cares devotedly for his mother but hurts his girlfriend by confusing real life with porn; and George, a trans boy who suffers from acute anxiety. Harboring terrible secrets from her own youth, Jane struggles to contain the anger these stories arouse in her. It's only when she starts counselling her colleague Kass, a survivor of childhood sexual abuse whose trauma is resurfacing, that her thoughts turn to revenge . . .

Moving, entertaining and revelatory, *Words Fail Me* not only shines a light on adolescent agonies, it's also a gripping page-turner with a compelling mystery at its core - and a hair-raising climax.

Contributor Bio

Frances McKendrick is a psychotherapist and writer living in Edinburgh with her husband and two children. She won the Isobel Lodge Award for her short fiction, which has also been shortlisted for the Bath Short Story Award and the Alpine Fellowship Writing Prize. *Words Fail Me* is her first novel.



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Fiction

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A Circle Outside

a subversive comedy of manners set in a commune of lesbian witches in Eighties California

Linda Rosewood

Summary

It’s the early 1980s, and a household of lesbian feminists establish a women-only commune in an ancient Californian redwood forest. It seems a perfect place to practice the ritual magic that helps them function harmoniously as a group – even if they aren’t all true believers. By getting back to the land, they can also live more as nature intended and give the finger to the Patriarchy. That doesn’t stop jealousies arising, as Wren, an artist, nurses an unrequited crush on Robin, the land’s extraordinarily generous owner. Further conflict brews as Gloria, the manipulative leader of the group, disagrees with Robin about her own rule: no men on the land.

Warm, funny and harking unashamedly back to a less toxic era, *A Circle Outside* is a seductive vision of a utopian dream, where the only real magic is self-transformation.

Contributor Bio

Linda Rosewood writes about lesbian culture, politics, and history. She is a Californian now living in Ireland. *A Circle Outside* is her debut novel.



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Fiction / Literary

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Please Fear Me

Jennifer Love

Summary

'We were wild animals after all. And some of the ones with the biggest teeth.'

Sixteen-year-old Smidge is on the run, burdened with a shameful secret. Together with her fellow runaway, a performance artist called Violet, she travels through the underbelly of America, desperately searching for a way to rise above her past. On meeting a travelling circus filled with misfits and drifters, they think they might have found a home. But as Violet is drawn under the influence of its sinister ringleader, Smidge learns that belonging comes with a price.

Forced to choose between her past and present, Smidge must confront the shame that has shaped her, and return to face her flawed mother, before it is too late.

Brazen, tender and painfully raw, *Please Fear Me* is a biting exploration of complex family ties, addiction and survival.

Contributor Bio

Jennifer Love is a writer from the Bay Area who currently calls Oakland, California home. Her debut short story collection, *Punch a Hole in the Sky to Let In the Light*, was published by 5ever Books in 2023, and her short fiction and poetry have appeared in *X-RAY*, *Minola Review*, *Storm Cellar*, *Autre* and elsewhere. *Please Fear Me* is Jennifer's debut novel.



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The Maiden of Florence

Katherine Mezzacappa

Summary

Florence, 1584. Rumours are spreading about the virility of a prince marrying into the powerful Medici family. Orphan Giulia is chosen to put an end to the gossip. In return she will keep her life - and start a new one with a dowry and her own husband. Cloistered since childhood and an innocent in a world ruled by men, Giulia reluctantly agrees, only to be drawn under the control of the Medicis' lecherous minister.

Years later, married and with a growing family, Giulia hopes she has finally escaped the legacy of her past. But when a threat arrives from a sinister figure from her youth, she must finally take control of events - and become the author of her own story.

Based on true events and reminiscent of *The Marriage Portrait* by Maggie O'Farrell, *The Maiden of Florence* gives a charismatic voice to a woman cast aside by history.

Contributor Bio

Katherine Mezzacappa holds a BA in History of Art from UEA, an MLitt in English Literature from Durham and a Masters in Creative Writing from Canterbury Christ Church University. Her debut novel (writing as Katie Hutton), *The Gypsy Bride*, made the last fifteen in the Historical Novel Society's 2018 new novel competition. Her short fiction has been short- and longlisted in numerous competitions, and she has been awarded residencies at Cill Rialaig Artists village by the Irish Writers Centre in 2019 and at Hald Hovedgaard by the Danish Centre for Writers and Translators in 2022.



Five Mile
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Dreaming of Easter Colouring Book

Colouring Book
Five Mile

Summary

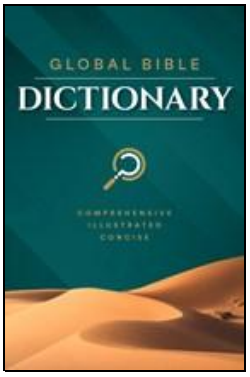
Immerse yourself in the serene joys of Easter while enhancing creativity and mindfulness through intricate coloring designs!

Dreaming of Easter Adult Colouring Book is a sophisticated coloring experience designed for adults seeking relaxation and creative expression. Featuring over 30 beautifully detailed Scandi style illustrations of Easter themes, this book offers a tranquil escape while celebrating the season. Perfect for all skill levels, it combines mindfulness with artistry, making it an ideal gift or personal indulgence.

This book is a wonderful way to unwind and bring the magic of Easter to life through color.

Contributor Bio

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Global Bible Dictionary

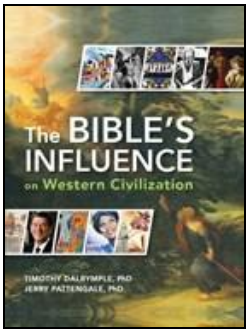
An Illustrated Biblical Guide with Definitions, Scripture References, Maps, and Images
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Summary

The Global Bible Dictionary is an indispensable reference for anyone seeking a deeper understanding of Scripture. Designed for clarity and ease of use, this illustrated guide provides concise definitions of key biblical terms, including people, places, spiritual beings, customs, artifacts, and religious practices. Each entry includes relevant Scripture references, allowing readers to explore further. With full-color maps, photographs, and illustrations, this dictionary brings the world of the Bible to life, offering valuable historical and cultural insights. Whether you're preparing a sermon, leading a Bible study, or deepening your personal faith journey, The Global Bible Dictionary is an essential tool. Key Topics Covered: ? People & Spiritual Beings (Prophets, Apostles, Angels, etc.) ? Places & Geography (Cities, Nations, Ancient Lands) ? Nature & Agriculture (Animals, Plants, Farming Practices) ? Beliefs & Practices (Doctrines, Customs, Festivals) ? Objects & Artifacts (Sacred Items, Everyday Tools) ? Measurements & Units (Biblical Weights, Lengths, and Time) Perfect for pastors,...

Contributor Bio

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The Bible's Influence on Western Civilization

Jerry Pattengale, Timothy Dalrymple

Summary

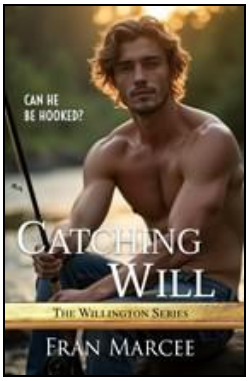
Discover the Bible's Remarkable Influence on Culture.
The Bible's Influence on Western Civilization represents a fascinating journey through history, art, music, literature, and language, exploring how the Bible has shaped creative expression across centuries and civilizations. Biblical stories have inspired everything from the music of U2, Bob Dylan, and Mozart to cinematic masterpieces like *The Matrix*. Learn how the Bible's themes echo through iconic sculptures like Michelangelo's *David*, paintings like Leonardo da Vinci's *The Last Supper*, and classic literature such as *Paradise Lost*.

This textbook focuses on educating students about the Bible's rich cultural impact on art, literature, history, and more. The steady flow of historical examples and images allow you to assess levels and types of connections to societies—especially America's. Each chapter presents examples of the Bible's influence, offers concise story summaries, and highlights cultural masterpieces inspired by these ancient texts. Explore how the world's most widely read book continues to stimulate creativity and cultura...

Contributor Bio

Jerry Pattengale, PhD, is a founding scholar at the Museum of the Bible in Washington, D.C., where he still serves as Senior Advisor, and a distinguished professor and administrator at Indiana Wesleyan University (IWU). His influence also extends beyond academia. As a Senior Fellow with the Sagamore Institute, CSR associate publisher, on the JEC board at Yale Divinity School, and on the National Press Club's Membership Committee, he continues to shape thought leadership on history, faith, and culture at the state and global levels.

Timothy Dalrymple, PhD, is a graduate of Stanford University, Princeton Theological Seminary, and Harvard University's Graduate School of the Arts and Sciences. He helped launch Patheos (2008–2014), the world's largest forum for religious conversation, beginning as managing channel editor and later serving as director of content and vice president of business development. In 2013, he also founded and led Polymath, a creative agency that helps businesses and nonprofits. In addition to his writing and film commitments, he is the immediate past CEO and preside



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Catching Will

Fran Marcee

Summary

Will Phillips is always the one being chased. As a championship fly fisherman, better known as " FlyingPhil," he' s built a career on instinct, skill, and never staying in one place too long. Sally Sanderson has spent years following his every move— tracking his wins, his losses, and the moments no one else notices. But behind the screen of her top sports blog, she' s invisible. Portia Vaughn isn' t. Stunning, sharp, and the biggest name in sports journalism, she' s got Will in her sights— and he' s looking back. With the biggest tournament of his career on the line, the real question isn' t just who will be Catching Will— it' s whether he' s ready to be caught at all.

Contributor Bio

Fran Marcee is a passionate storyteller who has spent years immersed in the art of fiction, both as a reader and a writer. Inspired by her love of travel and adventure, she weaves compelling stories that transport readers to vibrant settings— whether it' s a sun-drenched beach, a snowy mountain retreat, or the heart of an unexpected romance. A mom, a watercolor artist, and a lifelong dreamer, Fran embraces creativity in all forms. When she' s not crafting new stories, she shares her love of art with others, believing that creativity is the thread that connects all aspects of life.



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Killing Lisa

The Life, Crime, and Execution of Lisa Montgomery

Toby Dorr

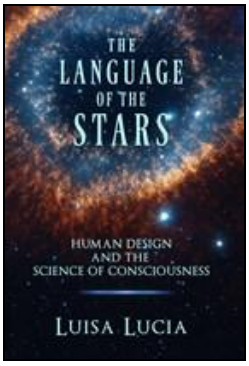
Summary

When Toby Dorr met Lisa Montgomery in prison, she saw not a headline but a human being—fragile, wounded, desperate for gentleness. Lisa would become the first woman executed by the federal government in nearly seventy years, but *Killing Lisa* tells the story that came before: a childhood of devastating abuse, a system that looked away, and a mind so shattered by trauma it broke completely. Through their unlikely friendship, Dorr offers a profound reckoning with justice, mercy, and the stories we tell about guilt and goodness. This is both a love letter to a lost friend and a call to see—really see—the whole person.

Contributor Bio

Toby Dorr is a writer, speaker, and fierce advocate for criminal justice reform whose own journey from prison to purpose has shaped her mission of helping others find grace, healing, and transformation. Once known as "The Dog Lady" for founding a prison dog program—Toby discovered the power of second chances firsthand.

After serving time in federal prison for helping convicted murderer John Manard escape from prison, Toby emerged with a deeper understanding of the systems that both break and rebuild lives. She channeled this experience into her memoir Living with Conviction and now helps women break free from emotional imprisonment and reclaim their stories.



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The Language of the Stars

Human Design and the Science of Consciousness

Luisa Lucia

Summary

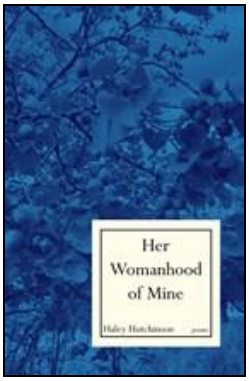
In this groundbreaking exploration of Human Design, physicist-turned-mystic Luisa Lucia reveals how the neutrino ocean connects us to the stars themselves. Beginning with Ra Uru Hu—Human Design's enigmatic founder—receiving a cosmic download on the island of Ibiza just as a supernova's light reached Earth, this book illuminates the science behind our unique energetic design. Journey through the Rave Mandala and Bodychart to understand how stellar radiation shapes your aura, purpose, and potential.

Part memoir, part cosmic revelation, *The Language of the Stars* translates the universe's whispers into a practical science of differentiation that explains why you've always felt the way you do.

Your soul has a fingerprint. Learn how to read it.

Contributor Bio

Luisa Lucia is a multi-faceted coach, spiritual life guide, and mystic who merges ancient practices with modern science. With deep expertise in Human Design, Tantra, Gene Keys, astrology, and embodied energetics, she supports individuals—especially women—in activating their sacred sexuality, inner divine feminine, and authentic life blueprint. A featured teacher at major Human Design events and founder of The Starlight Mystic LLC, Luisa bridges the mystical and the practical, offering clients and readers a transformational path combining soul, science, and self-trust.



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Her Womanhood of Mine

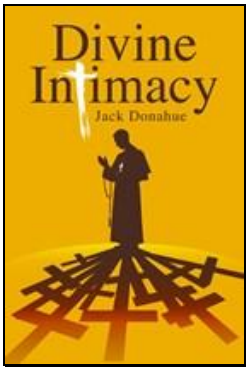
Haley Smith Hutchinson

Summary

Haley Hutchinson’ s, Her Womanhood of Mine, is a chronicle of a girlhood painted by the tastes, pains, and folds of the body. It is a love letter to place, a yearning for the past, and an eventual understanding of the raw grittiness of existence. These poems sing with the blue messiness of coming into one’ s self, the growing and waning of relationships, and the appreciation for simplicity. Rich with experiences both familiar and nuanced, Her Womanhood of Mine invites us to sit with ourselves, to notice, to muddle, to bloom.

Contributor Bio

Haley Hutchinson is a writer, editor, and bookseller originally from the Mendocino Coast of California. A graduate of Middlebury College and the Columbia Publishing Course, Haley now resides in San Francisco where she is the Editor-in-Chief of Write Bloody Publishing. Her work has been previously featured in the Anthology of Women Poets of Mendocino County and elsewhere. Her Womanhood of Mine is her first book.



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Divine Intimacy

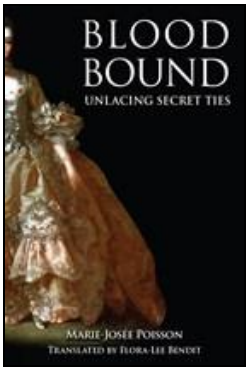
Jack Donahue

Summary

Taking place between 1961-65, Divine Intimacy follows Father Timothy Latham as he ministers to the poorest community of New York City while targeting and grooming the South Bronx altar boys and their parents. They don’t realize what he is doing until it is too late. There is only one woman who listens, believes and tries to save the innocent boys. Father Latham’s care for the marginalized boys seems authentic, as does his social activism on behalf of the poor. His crusades lead to a popular radio show, Monday Morning Catholic, which gives him a platform for interviews with sports and entertainment celebrities. His work comes to the attention of the Archbishop of New York who appoints him Ad Hoc Director of Communications for the Pope’s historic visit to NYC in 1965. The priest’s actions at the prayer service in St. Patrick’s Cathedral bring his reign of terror to an end. The story is written in the first person narrative language of the streets, woven together by twelve boys/men and the woman who becomes their staunch advocate.

Contributor Bio

Numerous short stories and poems written by Jack Donahue have been published in journals such as: North Dakota Quarterly; Laldy (Scotland); Stand (U.K.); Poetry Salzburg Review (Austria); Armarolla (Cyprus); Bindweed (Ireland); Opossum and others throughout North America, Asia and Europe. His book of poems “InsideOut” was published in 2020. His debut novel LOST ON CHERRY STREET has received predominantly 5-star reviews on Kirkus, Goodreads, Amazon Books, Walmart, B&N and Bookbub. As of this date, the book has sold 100,000 copies.



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Blood Bound

Unlacing Secret Ties

Marie-Josée Poisson, Flora-Lee Bendit

Summary

In *Blood Bound: Unlacing Secret Ties*, costume historian Geoffroy Le Hideux recognizes the coat of arms of Madame de Pompadour on a blood-stained dress found hidden in the walls of the Élysée Palace. In a genealogical investigation taking her from Montreal to Paris, Lou Ashby, a successful communications agent at a television station called La Chaîne, meets Geoffroy. Together they will expose a secret that alters what was considered historical fact: Madame de Pompadour did not have descendants. But what if she had? Why hide the fact that she had a son who, contrary to historical belief, survived childhood?

Contributor Bio

Marie-Josée Poisson spent many years working as a senior level communications professional for various Montreal organizations, including a stint as a magazine editor. She left the communications field to focus on her creative writing and has written three historical novels.



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Stan on Guard

K.R. Wilson

Summary

Ishtanu (call him Stan) is a Hittite immortal keeping his head down in Toronto and recounting some of his experiences. Tróán is an immortal Trojan princess who thought she'd killed Stan in post-war Berlin but who now knows he survived. Yes, technically Stan can die. He has just managed not to for 3200 years.

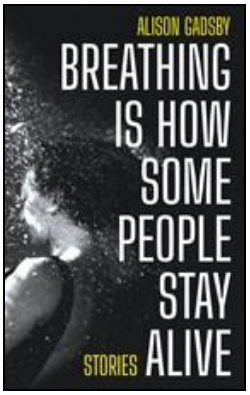
As their stories braid together toward a final reckoning they take us through, among other things, a subversive retelling of the Odysseus story, the resistance of pagan Lithuania against Papal crusaders, the decline of Friedrich Nietzsche in a German clinic, the arts scene in *belle epoque* Paris, and the descent of Europe into the horrors of the Great War.

Strap in.

Stan On Guard is the follow-up to K. R. Wilson's tragical-comical-historical novel *Call Me Stan: A Tragedy in Three Millennia*, which was long-listed for the 2022 Leacock Medal for Humour.

Contributor Bio

K. R. Wilson's novel *An Idea About My Dead Uncle* won the inaugural Guernica Prize in 2018, and his novel *Call Me Stan* was long-listed for the 2022 Leacock Medal. His work has appeared in various literary journals and the flash fiction anthology *This Will Only Take a Minute.*



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Breathing Is How Some People Stay Alive

Alison Gadsby

Summary

Breathing Is How Some People Stay Alive blurs the lines between horror, catastrophic speculative fiction, and psychological realism in a collection that might best be described as weird fiction. These connected stories offer dark reconstructions of lives brimming with desperate loneliness. They allow us to bear witness to the life-altering love of sisters, brothers, mothers… the life-altering love that buoys them as they struggle to stay afloat in the wake of childhoods they merely survived.

Contributor Bio

Alison Gadsby writes in Tkaronto/Toronto where she lives in a multigenerational home that includes several dogs. Her writing has appeared in various literary journals, including *Blank Spaces*, *The Temz Review, The Ex-Puritan, Blue Lake Review* and more. She is the founder/host of Junction Reads, a prose reading series.

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My Bare Face

Simona Cantelmi, Silvia Falsaperla, Connie McParland

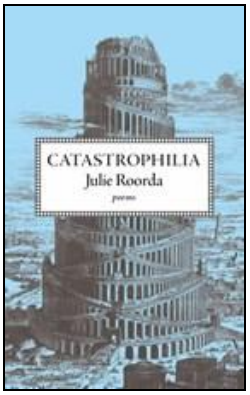
Summary

Sara, seven months pregnant; Tamila, sunny and caring; Valeria, a precarious journalist; and Betty, a photographer/waitress, are four thirty-year-olds racing towards forty, with variously intertwined lives, who see their "being a woman" change and must deal with the anxieties inherent to romantic feelings and their relationships with men. Each has a big heart and a baggage of suffering that does not prevent them from remaining open to love, friendship, and care for others. Because no matter how many tears those unmade-up eyes have already shed, these women will always be able to find their smile again and move on.

Contributor Bio

Simona Cantelmi, from Bologna, journalist and writer, graduated in Modern Literature, with a thesis in History of Emilia Romagna in the Middle Ages, worked as an editor for the daily newspaper L'Informazione di Bologna - Il Domani and for several periodicals (attached to Il Giornale). She edited four entries in the Treccani Biographical Dictionary of Italians, published monographs and essays of a historical nature, short stories and the novels "Il Protector del Tempo" and "Io non mi trucco." In March 2026, the English edition of "Io non mi trucco" will be released for the Canadian market. Today she writes for the Corriere di Bologna, for the monthly insert of the Corriere della Sera "Vivi Bologna & Emilia Romagna" and for the magazine "Il Blasco Story", attached with "Tv Sorrisi e Canzoni" and Il Corriere della Sera.

Silvia Falsaperla is a graduate of University of Toronto. She has published poetry and prose in Canadian and American literary journals and anthologies. She has been one of the winners so far of four literary contests in Canada. She has read her work in international lite...



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Poetry / Women Authors
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Catastrophilia

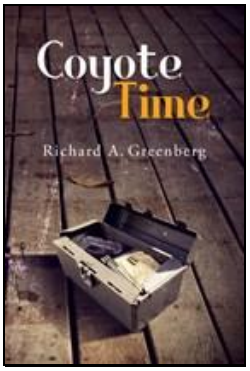
Julie Roorda

Summary

The poems in this collection explore how narratives of cataclysm, past and future, tap into "catastrophilia," a term the poet coined to describe a love for, or fascination with apocalyptic catastrophe. Is this a kind of self-destructive madness, or are there spiritual or metaphysical insights to be discovered there? Inspired by mythology, archaeology, and esoteric literature, these poems give voice to mystics, heretics, alchemists and gods, figures both mythical and historical, from Hermes to Anubis, Plato to Carl Jung, to Paracelsus, Giordano Bruno and John Dee. They employ the magical philosophies of the Renaissance, pondering the cyclical nature of time, the creative hinge of memory and imagination. They are replete with weird creatures and shape-shifters, trance mediums and ghosts who share hidden wisdom.

Contributor Bio

Julie Roorda is the author of three previous volumes of poetry, *Eleventh Toe* (2001), *Courage Underground* (2006), and *Floating Bodies* (2010), all published by Guernica Editions, as well as two novels, and two collections of short stories, most recently *How to Tell if Your Frog is Dead* (Guernica, 2019). Her work has appeared in several journals, including *TNQ* and *The Malahat Review,* and has been featured on the popular website Poetry Daily. She lives in St. Catharines, Ontario.



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Fiction / Mystery & Detective
9 in H | 6 in W

Coyote Time

Richard Greenberg

Summary

After getting a promotion and moving to Los Angeles, 28-year-old insurance investigator Julia Brooks unearths a mysterious ammunition box filled with evidence and information that point to a murder from the past, as well as a clue to the recurring nightmare that has baffled and tormented her for years. She decides to track down the owner in the few days before starting her new role, return the box, and get answers about her haunting nightmare. As the story unfolds, we move between her present-day search for the box's owner and the events and characters in the psychotic underbelly of past and current Los Angeles to unravel the complex mystery that transforms everyone's lives.

Contributor Bio

Richard Greenberg was born in Hollywood and still lives in Southern California. His undergraduate degree is from UCLA, and his graduate degree is from USC. He wrote an award-winning business book. He is married to the love of his life, and grateful for two incredible children, one daughter in-law, and two crazy-wonderful dogs. This is his first novel.



Hardie Grant Custom
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Hardcover

272 Pages
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Cooking / Regional & Cultural

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Burrata

A Journey Through Craft, Flavour & Tradition

Giorgio Linguanti

Summary

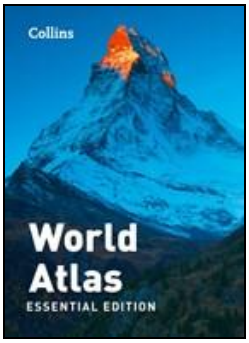
Join Giorgio Linguanti, award-winning cheesemaker and founder of That's Amore Cheese, along with his team on a burrata adventure where the rich traditions of Italian cheesemaking meet contemporary culinary creativity.

Travel through the sun-dappled landscapes of Puglia, Italy, and uncover the fascinating stories of the cheesemakers who have dedicated their lives to perfecting burrata. From its humble beginnings to its rise as a gourmet delicacy, this book delves into the heritage and innovation that have made burrata a beloved cheese worldwide. Featuring a stunning collection of recipes, this book celebrates burrata's creamy, luxurious texture in a variety of dishes. From simple, rustic preparations to sophisticated culinary creations, you'll find inspiration and ideas to elevate everyday meals and create memorable dining experiences.

Prepare to be inspired and delighted by the story of burrata, a cheese that embodies love, craftsmanship, and the essence of Italy.

Contributor Bio

Giorgio Linguanti's love for cheese began in the picturesque countryside of Sicily, where he spent his formative years. Bringing this passion to the Australian culinary scene, Giorgio founded That's Amore Cheese in 2008, and the business has since retained a loyal customer base that includes top restaurants. Through his multi award-winning business, Giorgio honors the traditions of Italian cheesemaking, sharing his beloved passion with his loyal community. His contribution and dedication to this beautiful art have made him a pivotal figure in the world of burrata.



Collins Geo
9780008696085
Pub Date: 1/20/26
$23.99 USD/$34.99 CAD
Trade Paperback

184 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Reference / Atlases, Gazetteers & Maps

12.3 in H | 8.9 in W | 0.5 in T | 1.8 lb Wt

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Summary

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- Currency change for Croatia (now Euro) and Zimbabwe (Zimbabwe Gold)

Contributor Bio

Explore the world through accurate and up-to-date mapping.



Times Books UK
9780008752965
Pub Date: 12/30/25
$26.99 USD/$16.99 CAD
Hardcover

416 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Biography & Autobiography / Historical

8.8 in H | 5.6 in W | 1.6 in T | 1.1 lb Wt

The Times Lives Behind the Screen

Era-defining obituaries of film stars

Nigel Farndale, Times Books

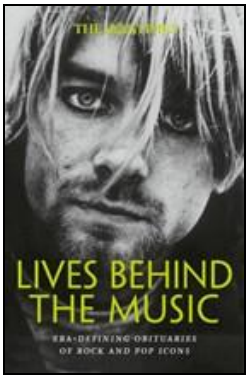
Summary

From the silent film era to Hollywood's golden age and beyond, this book captures the essence of cinema's most captivating actors. Dive into the untold stories behind their unforgettable performances, the triumphs and tragedies of their careers, and the cultural impact of their artistry. Featuring era-defining obituaries and rare, behind-the-scenes photographs from The Times archive, this collection offers an intimate journey through the lives and legends of the silver screen's most iconic figures, including:

- Sean Connery – Hollywood heart-throb who would never have played Bond had its creator, Ian Fleming, had his way.
- Joan Crawford – Oscar-winning actress and dancer whose obituary states that she was "aged between 69 and 76" when she died, so careful was she that no one could know her true age.
- Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton – Hollywood royalty whose colourful and turbulent relationship included two marriages, two divorces, and plenty of drama.
- Carrie Fisher – The cult icon whose father ran off with Elizabeth Taylor years before she herself entered the limelight.
- Oliver Reed – The ...

Contributor Bio

Nigel Farndale is a published author and journalist and has worked on several broadsheet newspapers. He is Obituaries Editor at *The Times*.



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416 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Biography & Autobiography / Historical

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The Times Lives Behind the Music

Era-defining obituaries of rock and pop music icons

Nigel Farndale, Times Books

Summary

From the **rock'n'roll pioneers** of the 1950s to the **pop superstars** of the 21st century – as well as lesser-known, **boundary-pushing innovators** with undeniable influence, this collection features music greats such as:

- **Chuck Berry**, founding father of rock'n'roll who lit the flame of teenage rebellion in 1950s America and was himself never far from trouble
- **Christine McVie**, reserved, intelligent singer and songwriter for Fleetwood Mac, whose album *Rumours* was one of the biggest-selling of all time
- **Jimi Hendrix**, American singer and songwriter who expanded the range and vocabulary of the electric guitar into areas no musician had ever ventured before
- **Amy Winehouse**, singer and songwriter with an astonishing voice and talent, her career was tarnished by drugs, alcohol and scandal
- **Freddie Mercury**, flamboyant singer and songwriter who achieved worldwide fame as the lead vocalist and pianist for the rock band Queen
- **Elvis Presley**, singer known as "The King" and remembered as one of the earliest and greatest exponents of rock'n' roll music
- **Nina Simone**, tempestuous soul singer, who enjoyed a 50-year career,...

Contributor Bio

Nigel Farndale is a published author and journalist and has worked on several broadsheet newspapers. He is Obituaries Editor at *The Times*.



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Trade Paperback

464 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Crosswords

7.8 in H | 5.1 in W | 1.2 in T | 0.7 lb Wt

The Times Bumper Book of Quick Cryptic Crosswords book 1

300 world-famous crossword puzzles

The Times Mind Games

Summary

300 puzzles from The Times adapting the cryptic puzzle for those with a hectic lifestyle and schedule. Ideal for those starting out with cryptic crosswords, and those who'd like to tackle the main puzzle but feel daunted, or who can perhaps only solve a handful of clues.

Appearing Monday to Friday in the puzzle pages of Times2, this crossword has a reduced 13x13 grid size and reduced difficulty too, the intention being to encourage people to take their first steps in tackling cryptic crosswords. And also to cater for those of us who have limited time to devote to our favourite pastime and need a ready-made set of puzzles that is solvable in a short space of time.

These puzzles are taken from Times Quick Cryptic Books 1, 2 and 3.

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



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9780008748920
Pub Date: 3/31/26
$13.99 USD/$16.99 CAD
Trade Paperback

256 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Sudoku
Series: Times Su Doku

7.8 in H | 5.1 in W | 0.8 in T | 0.4 lb Wt

The Times Fiendish Su Doku Book 19

200 challenging Su Doku puzzles

The Times Mind Games

Summary

You don't need to be a mathematical genius to solve the treacherous puzzles in this collection of Fiendishly difficult puzzles – it's simply a question of logic.

Perfect for the advanced solver in need of a constant supply of ultra-difficult puzzles, and guaranteed to provide hours of mind-stretching entertainment.

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



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Pub Date: 3/31/26
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Trade Paperback

288 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Sudoku
Series: Times Su Doku

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The Times Ultimate Killer Su Doku Book 18

200 of the deadliest Su Doku puzzles

The Times Mind Games

Summary

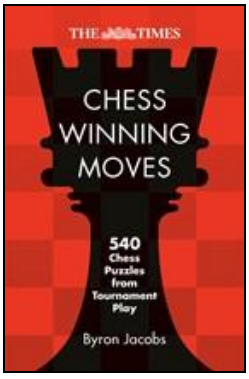
Prepare yourself for the toughest Su Doku challenge there is. These diabolically difficult Ultimate Killer Su Doku puzzles will really put your brainpower to the test as you 'warm up' with the 100 Deadly Killer puzzles before steeling yourself to take on the 100 Extra Deadly Su Dokus. Are you ready for the challenge?

Not for the faint-hearted. The puzzles use the same 9x9 grid as a regular Su Doku, but have an extra mathematical element that multiplies the challenge. The aim is not only to complete every row, column and cube so that it contains the digits 1 to 9, but also to make sure that the outlined sections, called cages, add up to the number given in each cage.

Warning: Not suitable for amateur puzzlers!

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



Times Books UK
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Trade Paperback

240 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Chess

7.8 in H | 5.1 in W | 0.7 in T | 0.4 lb Wt

The Times Chess Winning Moves

540 Chess Puzzles from Tournament Play

Byron Jacobs, David Howell, The Times Mind Games

Summary

Whether you're sharpening your tactics or looking for a daily brain workout, this collection of puzzles will train your eye, stretch your mind, and deepen your understanding of the game.

· Aimed at chess players looking to improve their game strategy

· Positions drawn from tournament games between top players

· Commentary on each scenario

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



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Trade Paperback

224 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Word & Word Search

7.8 in H | 5.1 in W | 0.6 in T | 0.4 lb Wt

The Times Lexica Book 1

400 word slide puzzles

The Times Mind Games, Laurence May

Summary

An ever-popular puzzle on The Times Puzzles website, these word slide puzzles are addictive and satisfying in equal measure. Use your word knowledge and logic to fill the grids.

All solutions are found at the back of the book.

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



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128 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Crosswords
Series: Sunday Times Puzzle Books

9.7 in H | 7.4 in W | 0.5 in T | 0.5 lb Wt

The Sunday Times Jumbo General Knowledge Crossword Book 7

50 general knowledge crosswords

The Times Mind Games, Peter Biddlecombe

Summary

These puzzles use a 21 x 21 jumbo-size grid, and appeared in the pages of the Sunday Times, they offer an entertaining and stimulating challenge to all crossword lovers and anyone interested in quizzes, trivia and testing their all-round knowledge.

Contains more general knowledge clues then the standard Times Jumbo crossword, for example names of famous people, titles of songs, books, films, plays, operas, musicals and TV shows; places and sights, quotations – questions with one or more words in a quote to identify as the answer.

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



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240 Pages
Carton Qty: 0
Games & Activities / Crosswords
Series: Times Crosswords

7.8 in H | 5.1 in W | 0.7 in T | 0.4 lb Wt

The Times Quick Crossword Book 30

100 General Knowledge Puzzles

The Times Mind Games, John Grimshaw

Summary

Covering a wide range of topics, from geography to literature, history and culture, this collection will test both your general knowledge and your wordpower.

Compiled by the Times2 Crossword Editor John Grimshaw, these quick accessible puzzles are utterly absorbing and addictive, yet concise enough to be done on the move.

Quality is paramount to The Times' crosswords, with clues that are satisfyingly tough, but accurate. This collection is no different, providing hours of crossword enjoyment and stimulation.

Contributor Bio

Times Mind Games brings together the very best puzzles from the pages of The Times: Cryptic and General Knowledge Crosswords, Jumbo Crosswords, Codewords, all levels of Su Doku and mixed number puzzles and word-based games and quizzes.



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Games & Activities / Crosswords
Series: Times Crosswords

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The Times Quick Cryptic Crossword Book 11

100 world-famous crossword puzzles

The Times Mind Games, Jason Crampton

Summary

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Contributor Bio

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Biography & Autobiography / Historical

9 in H | 6 in W

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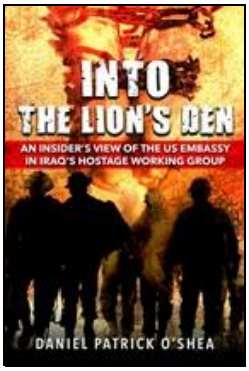
Evi Kokalari

Summary

This true story is a warning to America that freedom is fragile, and once lost, it will cost many lives before we may see a change. Born and raised in Communist Albania, the author tells the true story of the persecuted and executed members of her extended family, who also happened to be related to the evil that perpetrated such atrocities in her country, the dictator and the ultimate leader of Albania, Enver Hoxha. The author describes in detail the poverty that a communist regime and a socialist system bring upon people, regardless of their education or wealth—at the same time, telling the struggle of her cousin Musine, who was the first published female writer of Albania and the first chairwoman of a political party. Musine stood before the communist court, never apologizing for fighting for a free and fair election after WWII

Contributor Bio

Evi Kokalari was born in communist Albania and grew up having no rights to free speech. Twenty members of her family were executed, jailed, and persecuted by the ruthless dictator, Enver Hoxha, to whom the family was related. Upon the fall of the Berlin wall, which signaled the fall of the communist regime and the Soviet block, she migrated to America and joined other members of her extended family that had been left behind once Albania closed its borders in 1945.



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200 Pages
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Political Science / Terrorism

9 in H | 6 in W

Into the Lion's Den

An Insider’s View of the US Embassy in Iraq’s Hostage Working Group

Daniel O’Shea

Summary

An insider\u2019s look into nefarious world of hostage taking, where the traditional criminal industry of kidnap and ransom became kidnap and kill. Beheadings replaced proof of life videos as terrorism\u2019s latest tactic embodied the new face of post 9/11 Al Qaeda horror. When two Bulgarian truck drivers were kidnapped in June 2004, President Bush assured the President of Bulgaria that he would bring the full might of the United States to bear to secure their release. This \u201cfull might\u201d manifested itself in the form of an intense, highly trained Navy SEAL, recently assigned to the U.S. Ambassador\u2019s staff. Into the Lion\u2019s Den is his story of frustration and fear, terror and triumph in the murky world of kidnapping, ransom and murder. No one understood the problem, the operating environment or obstacles to overcome when a kidnapping occurred in the most dangerous kidnapping environment in the world better than Dan O\u2019Shea. Widespread hostage-taking incidents undermined every goal the US strived to complete in the post-Saddam era, becoming a metaphor for our fai...

Contributor Bio

Commander **Daniel Patrick O’Shea** is a qualified SEAL officer and 1991 graduate of the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis Maryland. After two years on active duty, O’Shea accepted a final assignment to help establish the Inter-Agency coordination effort at the recently established U.S. Embassy in Baghdad, Iraq. Tasked by the Deputy Chief of Mission, he established and served as the Coordinator of the Hostage Working Group (HWG). O’Shea is recognized as an Islamic-extremist subject matter expert, and past guest interviewee on CNN, BBC, CBS and quoted in numerous publications including the *Wall Street Journal*, *Newsweek*, *Time*, *Esquire* among many others. He has delivered *Into the Lions’ Den* lecture series nationally and abroad.



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Ages 5 to 7, Grades K to 2
Fiction / Anthologies (multiple authors)

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Best African Experimental Writing 2026

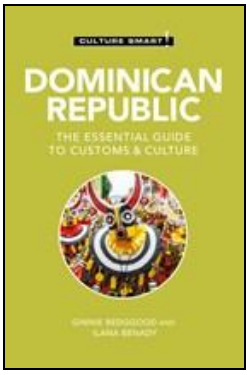
Ukamaka Olisakwe

Summary

Best African Experimental Writing 2026 launches Iskanchi Press's biennial showcase of the continent's most inventive writers. Drawn from the irreverent, boundary-pushing pages of **Iskanchi Magazine**, this inaugural volume gathers twenty genre-defying works by urgent new voices. The works in this collection remix oral traditions, hybridize genres, and stretch the possibilities of narrative while exploring love, loss, migration, and the authentic African experience. The result is a kaleidoscopic portrait of contemporary Africa—its histories, tensions, joys, and possible futures—told by writers unafraid to invent new tools for telling.

Contributor Bio

Iskanchi Magazine publishes experimental writing from Africa and its diasporas. Named for *iskanci* (Hausa for mischief and non-conformity) it features shorter works that expand the possibilities of narrative and form. The magazine advances Iskanchi Press's mission to center authentic African perspectives, challenge reductive presumptions about the continent, satisfy readers' appetite for diverse expression, and offer a home to writers inventing new ways to be heard. *Best African Experimental Writing* is curated from the magazine's pages, spotlighting standout work for a wider readership.



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200 Pages
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Travel / Caribbean & West Indies
Series: Culture Smart!

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Dominican Republic - Culture Smart! *(2nd Edition)*

The Essential Guide to Customs & Culture

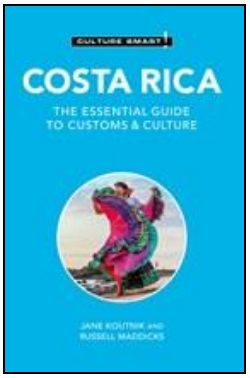
Ilana Benady, Ginnie Bedggood

Summary

If you are looking for a country where everything works like clockwork, now might be a good time to turn back. If you can relax and go with the flow, however, you will experience a land diverse in environment, a rich and dynamic culture, and a people whose friendliness is legendary. Flamboyant, resilient, generous, and headstrong, the Dominican psyche embodies the country' s turbulent historical inheritance and reflects the diversity of their ethnicity. Centuries of Spanish rule, African influence, and the indigenous Taino legacy combine to form a cultural tapestry that is entirely unique. This updated edition of Culture Smart! Dominican Republic looks at the beating heart of Dominican life. It explores the central role of family and social ties, and the significance of music, dance, and festivals. From the lively rhythms of merengue and bachata to the national love of baseball and the colorful cuisine, visitors will gain an insight into the passions, traditions, and values that define the Dominicans today.

Contributor Bio

Originally from Gibraltar, Ilana Benady is a social anthropology and political sciences graduate with more than 25-years-experience of communications and development work in Latin America and the Caribbean. The Dominican Republic has been her home for over two decades. Ilana is also the co-author of Expat FAQs: Moving to and Living in the Dominican Republic. Ginnie Bedggood lived in England before moving to the Dominican Republic, which became her home for the next eighteen years. She is also the author of Quisqueya: Mad Dogs and an English Couple, a narrative that charts the early adjustment to her new surroundings in the Caribbean.



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Travel / Central America
Series: Culture Smart!

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Costa Rica - Culture Smart! *(2nd Edition)*

The Essential Guide to Customs & Culture

Jane Koutnik, Russell Maddicks

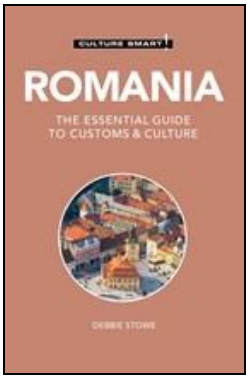
Summary

Costa Rica is renowned for its tropical beauty and for the warmth of its inhabitants— the " Ticos." With an infectious enthusiasm for life, the Ticos are a proud people who cherish their democracy in a region that has seen generations of political unrest. Culture Smart! Costa Rica explores the complexities of modern life in this lush coastal country. It introduces you to the key historical events that have shaped who the Ticos are today, and describes the values, attitudes, customs, and traditions that you are likely to encounter. You will get an insider' s view of the Ticos' home life, how they socialize, how they spend their down time, and how they do business. This insight will open the door to a far richer experience on the ground, while practical information on getting around and communication will smooth your path. Bienvenidos!

Contributor Bio

Russell Maddicks is a travel journalist who has spent the last twenty years exploring the countries of Latin America. Originally from the UK and fluent in Spanish, Russell has authored a number of acclaimed travel guides to a host of Latin American countries including Cuba, Ecuador, Venezuela, and Nicaragua.

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She has worked for mutual English–Spanish understanding in her local rural community, and has contributed to several guidebooks and tourist magazines. Her passion for the environment has also led her to devote time and energy to conservation, working with the government, the local community, and environmental groups.



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Romania - Culture Smart! *(3rd Edition)*

The Essential Guide to Customs & Culture

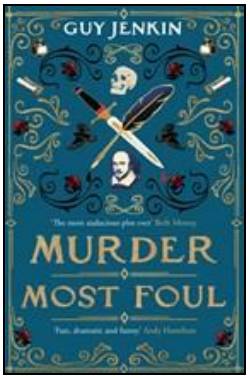
Debbie Stowe

Summary

A land of mountains, hills, and fertile plains, Romania is a tourist destination waiting to be discovered. It is a rich and complex country: a place whose cities are home to beautiful parks and vibrant cultural scenes; whose people welcome guests warmly into their homes, sharing the best of whatever they have, and party into the night, suffused by Latin joie de vivre. Buffeted over time between three great powers— the West, Russia, and Turkey— Romania betrays the cultural influences of each, and it can be a difficult place to get a handle on. Culture Smart! Romania provides an indispensable tool for the foreign visitor, digging deep behind the cliché s, explaining many of the behavioral quirks of the people, smoothing your path toward better understanding, and outlining the many attractions— cultural, social, and geographical— that await you in this underexplored part of Europe.

Contributor Bio

Debbie Stowe is a British author, travel writer, freelance journalist and the author of around twenty books. Her work has appeared, in print and online, in publications including The Telegraph, The Times, The Independent, and Gay Times. Today she lives in Bucharest with her Romanian partner and two sons.



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Murder Most Foul

A witty and fast-paced novel from one of Britain's best-loved screenwriters

Guy Jenkin

Summary

***Murder Most Foul* is a dark, witty and fast-paced novel, from one of Britain's best-loved screenwriters.**

It's 1593, Elizabeth I is Queen, and everyone is terrified of the worst outbreak of plague in a generation. Shakespeare has only written six plays and is lagging behind his friend Christopher Marlowe, London's leading playwright.

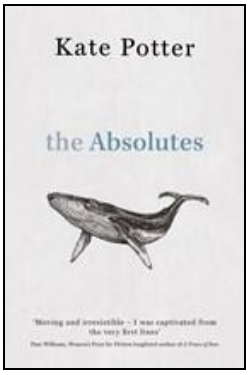
When Marlowe is stabbed to death in mysterious circumstances, rumors abound – but the one that won't go away is that Shakespeare did it to remove his greatest rival. Will is determined to clear his name, and teams up with his old flame, Marlowe's sister Ann, who has plenty of secrets of her own.

In their search to solve the crime, Will and Ann uncover a dark world of treachery, murder, and corruption – which in turn provides Shakespeare with scenes and characters which will appear in his greatest plays.

"An ingenious, funny and erudite thriller." —John O'Farrell, best-selling author of *The Man Who Forgot His Wife* and *An Utterly Impartial History of Britain*
"Funny, thrilling and full of wonderful easter eggs for Shakespearean theatre fans... a treat from start t...

Contributor Bio

Guy Jenkin is a multi BAFTA, RTS and Emmy award-winning writer, director and producer. His television series include *Outnumbered*, *Kate & Koji* and *Drop the Dead Donkey*, all co-written with Andy Hamilton. He also wrote and directed a number of TV films, including *A Very Open Prison* and *Crossing the Floor*, and two feature films, *The Sleeping Dictionary* and, with Andy Hamilton, *What We Did on Our Holiday*.



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The Absolutes

a profound exploration of grief told through fragments of memory

Kate Potter

Summary

His wife is dead.

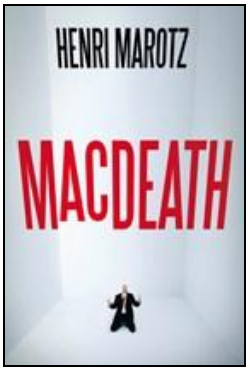
His beloved daughter has been lost to a dangerous cult.

And now time is running out to rebuild their relationship. Haunted by his failings as a son, a husband and, most of all, as a father, he is desperate to try and make things right before it's too late.

Told through fragments of memory *The Absolutes* captures the essence of hope in the face of loss as one man struggles to come to terms with his past.

Contributor Bio

KatePotter grew up in the UK, France, the Netherlands and Norway and studied English Literature at Utrecht University, before moving back to England to study Fine Art. She specialized in photography and pursued this for most of her life until she became a teacher. It wasn't until she had a child at 41 that her vision became more internal in the form of narrative rather than the photographic image, and this shift marked a significant change in how she felt she could interpret the world. Instagram: @katepotterwriter



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MacDeath

Henri Marotz

Summary

What bloody man is that?

Mac is ruthless.

That's precisely how he's helped make his employer, Kings Hedge Fund, one of the most profitable on Wall Street. And it's why his wife knows she picked the right horse to back.

It's summer, 2001, and Kings Hedge Fund is perched high above New York in the World Trade Center. The dot-com bubble is bursting and there's desperation in the air, as the fund's fatherly founder, Duncan, contemplates handing over leadership to his successor. It's inconceivable that Mac won't be given the reins—Mac is simply too valuable to overlook.

So when Duncan confides his plans for his playboy son to take over, something just . . . snaps in Mac. The resulting bloody chain of events takes him, and his wife, down an escalating path of murder and madness that will consume them all.

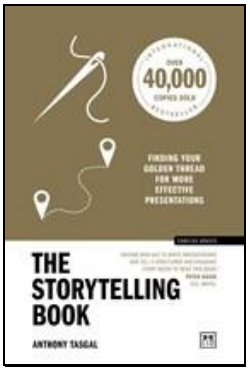
Shakespeare's Macbeth is updated and set in the brutal financial world of New York City during the lead-up to the attack that would change everything.

"Mac is to be feared...intense." - *Advanced Reviewer*

*Fans of **MacBeth** and **House of Cards** will love this modern adaptation.*

Contributor Bio

Henri is an award-winning playwright with a love of books in general and classical literature in particular. He



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The Storytelling Book

Finding your golden thread for more effective presentations (10th Anniversary Edition)

Anthony Tasgal

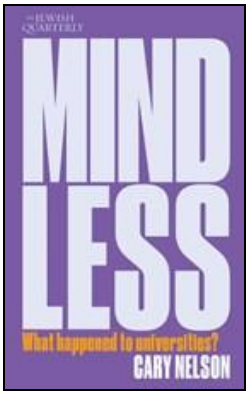
Summary

Business presentations could be simpler, more engaging and so much more effective, and our business lives so much more rewarding if we remember to restore the emotional power of storytelling.

In an age that is Data Rich but Insight-Poor and when most people in the world of business find themselves caught up in a system of numbers and spread sheets, this influential book (now celebrating its 10th anniversary) shows that the time has come to restore the lost art of storytelling; to put the "author" back in "authority"; to write less and think more. Though a simple step-by step approach, the author shows that we need to change how we communicate in our day-to-day lives, and that if we revert to our inherent role as storytellers we are more likely to be both more effective and productive, and a lot less frustrated into the bargain.

Contributor Bio

Anthony Tasgal spent 20 years as an ad agency planner before setting up POV, a strategic brand consultancy. He is a Training Director for the CIM and a Visiting Lecturer at Buckingham, Nottingham Trent and Beijing Normal Universities.



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Mindless

What happened to universities?

Cary Nelson

Summary

Extremism, antisemitism and intolerance are thriving on campus. How did this happen? After October 7, the university – an institution dedicated to the search for truth, knowledge and freedom – became overrun by a toxic and dangerous fervor. Civil discourse was abandoned, as campuses became the epicenter of hate speech, bigotry, conspiracy theories, denialism and antisemitism. Yet, as Cary Nelson reveals, this betrayal of the university's ideals was decades in the making.

Contributor Bio

Cary Nelson is emeritus professor of English at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and was president of the American Association of University Professors from 2006 to 2012. His books include *Manifesto of a Tenured Radical* and *Hate Speech* and *Academic Freedom.*



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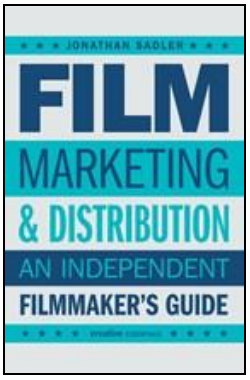
Natural History Museum

Summary

This commemorative portfolio displays all the 100 pictures awarded in the 2025 Wildlife Photographer of the Year competition, together with the stories of what they reveal and how they were created. Representing the work of photographers worldwide, they illustrate both the beauty and drama of the natural world and our conflicted relationship with it. Chosen by an international panel of judges from around 50,000 entries, the images are the work of photographers from dozens of countries and represent a worldwide range of styles and ways of seeing nature. You will find a rich variety of subjects, from wild regions, remarkable behavior and portraits of creatures you may never have seen before, to reportage of vitally important ethical and environmental issues. Adding depth are the background stories – not just about how the pictures were made and the equipment used but also information about the subjects and why the photographers chose them.

Contributor Bio

Keith Wilson is a writer and editor of photo books and photography magazines.



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Performing Arts / Film
9.2 in H | 6.1 in W

Film Marketing & Distribution

An Independent Filmmaker's Guide

Jonathan Sadler

Summary

Breaking into the world of independent filmmaking is one thing - getting your film seen is another.

In this essential guide, you'll discover how to navigate the often overlooked, yet critical, aspects of marketing and distribution, ensuring your project reaches the audience it deserves.

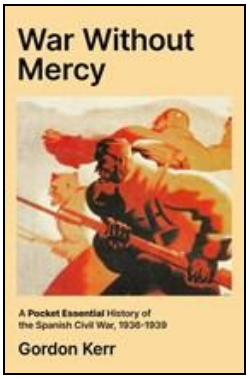
From crafting an effective publicity campaign on a tight budget to understanding the evolving digital landscape of VOD platforms, this book is packed with real-world insights and practical advice. Learn the importance of securing optimal cinema support, leveraging festival circuits strategically and mastering the art of audience engagement in a competitive market.

Featuring expert interviews with filmmakers and industry professionals, *Film Marketing & Distribution: An Independent Filmmaker's Guide* offers a candid look at the challenges and opportunities awaiting independent filmmakers. Whether you're releasing your first feature or your third, fourth or fifth, this guide provides you with the tools to stand out in a crowded industry.

If you've poured your heart into making your film, this is the book that...

Contributor Bio

Jonathan Sadler has been marketing filmed entertainment content since 1999, first at Universal Pictures as a senior product manager, before spending over five years at Momentum Pictures as home entertainment marketing director. He has since headed up marketing and PR at Revolver Entertainment, Warner Music International and Arrow Films, as well as spending two years within creative agencies serving the entertainment industry. Sadler has launched iconic films such as *Amelie*, *American Beauty*, *The Mummy*, *Lost in Translation, Cinema Paradiso, Heathers, Anuvahood, Edie, The Hunt, Donnie Darko* and *Love is All You Need* and on the TV side, *The Killing*, *The Bridge*, *Narcos*, *Gomorrah* and *CSI*.



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A War Without Mercy

A Short History of the Spanish Civil War, 1936-1939

Gordon Kerr

Summary

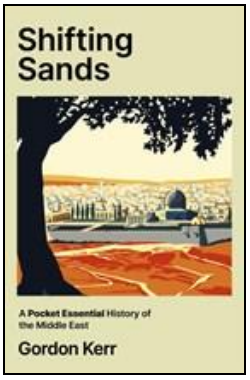
More than eighty-five years after it ended in defeat for the Republicans and victory for the Nationalists headed by General Francisco Franco, the Spanish Civil War remains a subject of debate and contention. We live in a time of political polarization, with opposing sides holding entrenched and unalterable positions and *War Without Mercy* sheds light on the consequences of such circumstances. It also presents a detailed but concise picture of this turbulent and pivotal moment in European history.

The Spanish Civil War was a war of firsts: the first in which civilians were targeted, through the bombing of cities. It was also the first 'photogenic' war in history, the growth in photo-journalism bringing images of the fighting and of the huge number of refugees that were created by the conflict to the newspapers and newsreels of other European countries. New weapons, technologies and strategies were tried out, rehearsing for the increasingly inevitable war on European soil.

War Without Mercy examines the origins of this deadly conflagration which date back to the nineteenth century and whi...

Contributor Bio

Gordon Kerr worked in bookselling and publishing before becoming a full-time writer. He is the author of several titles, including *A Short History of Europe*, *A Short History of Africa*, *A Short History of China*, *A Short History of Brazil*, *A Short History of the First World War*, *A Short History of the Vietnam War*, *A Short History of the Middle East* and *A Short History of Religion*. He worked in bookselling and publishing before becoming a full-time writer.



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Shifting Sands *(2nd Edition)*

A Pocket Essential History of the Middle East

Gordon Kerr

Summary

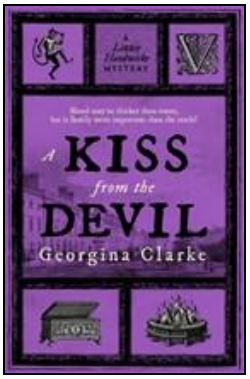
Situated at the crossroads of three continents, the Middle East has confounded the ambition of conquerors and peacemakers alike. Christianity, Judaism and Islam all had their genesis in the region but with them came not just civilization and religion, but also some of the great struggles of history.

A Short History of the Middle East makes sense of the shifting sands of Middle Eastern History, beginning with the early cultures of the area and moving on to the Roman and Persian Empires; the growth of Christianity; the rise of Islam; the invasions from the east; Genghis Khan's Mongol hordes; and the Ottoman Turks and the rise of radicalism in the modern world symbolized by the Islamic State.

This updated and expanded new edition describes the turmoil of recent years including the October 7, 2023 attack on Israel by Hamas and the bloody and brutal Gaza War that followed.

Contributor Bio

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7.8 in H | 5 in W

A Kiss from the Devil

A Lizzie Hardwicke Novel - #4

Georgina Clarke

Summary

Blood may be thicker than water, but is family more important than the truth?

London, August 1759. Lizzie Hardwicke, society harlot and occasional investigator for the magistrate, is shaken by an encounter with her estranged brother during a riotous evening hosted by the notorious Devil's Brotherhood. Beyond the opulence of this Mayfair party, a streetwalker is found strangled on the doorstep of a well-known moral campaigner, her cheek branded with the letter V.

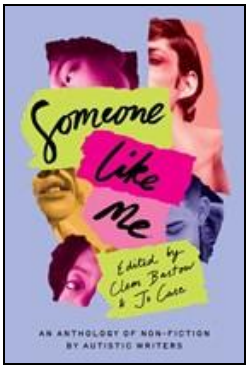
When more girls are discovered dead and similarly marked, Lizzie fears that someone stalks the streets with a violent hatred of women, and as the evidence begins to point to her own brother, any remaining family loyalty she has is severely tested.

Her past catches up with her and her future becomes increasingly dangerous, yet Lizzie is still unaware of darker plots being hatched in the shadows by those who wish to silence her for good. This time, the consequences of her investigations will lead her to a place where even Will Davenport, the one man she trusts, won't be able to find her.

The fourth instalment of the gripping and vi...

Contributor Bio

Georgina Clarke has a degree in theology and completed a PhD in history part-time, while working as a parish priest. Her love of the past is at the heart of her fiction: her Lizzie Hardwicke crime series is set in the mid-18th century, and her latest novel - *The Dazzle of the Light* - unfolds in 1920s London and is inspired by the real-life activities of the women-led Forty Thieves crime syndicate.



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Someone Like Me

An Anthology of Non-Fiction by Autistic Writers

Clem Bastow, Jo Case

Summary

In *Someone Like Me*, editors Clem Bastow and Jo Case showcase the wide-ranging experiences of Autistic gender-diverse and women writers-and explode long-held stereotypes.

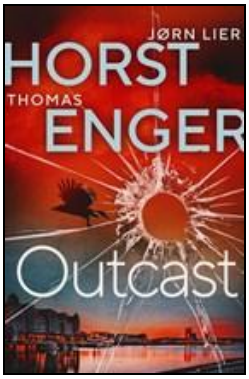
BIPOC and white gender minorities with Autism have existed on the fringes of mainstream media for too long, rarely seeing representations of their unique experiences, hardships and triumphs. Delving into topics like sex, living room dance parties, the natural world, eating disorders, religion and all-encompassing passions, *Someone Like Me* brings together an eclectic mix of forms and voices that expand the cultural definition of the Autistic experience.

Featuring contributions from authors from Australia and beyond-including Lucy Rose, author of *The Lamb*, and Naoise Dolan, author of *Exciting Times*-this groundbreaking anthology invites Autistic people of all kinds to find company in these pages, and maybe even see themselves too.

Contributor Bio

Dr. Clem Bastow (they/them) is a screenwriter, cultural critic and award-winning critical Autism studies researcher from Naarm–Melbourne. Clem works as a screenwriter and neurodiversity consultant for film and TV, and teaches screenwriting at the University of Melbourne. Clem's debut non-fiction book, *Late Bloomer*, was published in 2021. They have contributed to numerous books, including *Investigating Stranger Things* and *ReFocus: The films of Elaine May*, and their writing appears regularly in *The Guardian*.

Jo Case (she/her) is a writer and editor who lives in Adelaide. Her memoir of autistic motherhood, *Boomer and Me*, was published by Hardie Grant in 2013, and she has contributed personal essays to *Mothermorphosis* (MUP) and *Rebellious Daughters* (Ventura). She is the deputy editor of Books & Ideas at The Conversation and has worked in various roles in books and publishing, including as a festival programmer and literary editor. Her writing has been published in *The Age/Sydney Morning Herald*, *The Monthly, Meanjin*, *Kill Your Darlings*, *The Big Issue Fiction Edition* and *Best Australian St*...



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Outcast

Thomas Enger, Jørn Lier Horst

Summary

Blix & Ramm hunt a sniper on the loose in Oslo, as the city boils over with fear, and it becomes clear that the next targets may be closer to home. The devastating, searing next instalment in the addictive Blix & Ramm series . . .

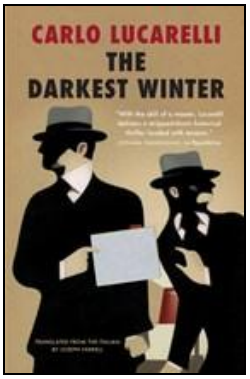
With Alexander Blix dismissed from the police force and Emma Ramm's career as a news blogger now behind her, the pair have teamed up to form their own private-investigation agency. But business is slow, until Emma's sister is shot by a sniper in Oslo's main square in the midst, leaving Emma responsible for her 12-year-old niece, and with an extremely personal case to solve.

But the shooting isn't a one-off. Over the course of a scorchingly hot summer, the sniper strikes again – and again – striking fear into the people of Oslo and setting the police on the trail of either a serial killer or a ruthless and unpredictable terrorist, set on causing mayhem.

But Blix has other ideas. The pattern of killings suggests to him that the shooter has a single target and using others as cover for his deadly plans. With the police skeptical about his theories, Blix and Ramm ...

Contributor Bio

Jørn Lier Horst and **Thomas Enger** are the internationally bestselling Norwegian authors of the William Wisting and Henning Juul series respectively. Jørn Lier Horst first rose to literary fame with his #1 internationally bestselling William Wisting series. *Death Deserved, Smoke Screen*, *Unhinged*, *Stigma* and *Victim* make up the first five instalments of the Alexander Blix series.



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The Darkest Winter

Carlo Lucarelli, Joseph P. Farrell

Summary

Bologna, 1944. World-weary Comandante De Luca is tasked with investigating three brutal murders, with the lives of ten Italian hostages on the line. The pitch-black prequel to the Inspector De Luca quartet, by the master of Italian Noir.

'A brutal evocation of a dystopian past, a stunning winter portrait of the debris and human detritus of wartime Bologna, and a gripping and complex trio of murders' **Peter May**

'Imbued with the cruel compromises of a city on the brink of collapse, immersive, evocative and as opaque as the soot-stained snow, this is historical crime fiction at its finest' **Tom Benjamin**

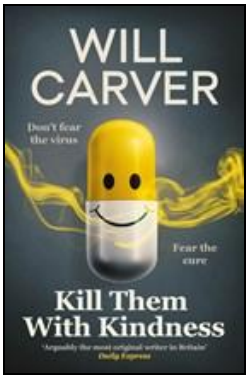
'A truly insightful, penetrating and raw portrait of a man and a city ravaged by bloody conflict and the terror of fascism and war' **Paul Burke, *European Literature Network***

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In November 1944, in the worst winter ever known in Bologna, in the depths of the war, the bomb-scarred streets are home to starving refugees who have fled the advancing Allies. The Fascist Black Brigades, the officers of the S.S. and the partisans of the Italian Resistance compete for control of the city streets in blo...

Contributor Bio

Carlo Lucarelli was born in Parma in 1960. While researching for his thesis on the history of Italian law enforcement, he became intrigued by the Italian police force's role in the political upheavals of the 1940s during and after the Second World War. From this seed sprouted his De Luca trilogy, later to grow into an oeuvre of more than twenty crime novels focusing on various characters. Lucarelli hosted the popular late night Italian television programme Blu notte misteri d'Italia, on unsolved crimes and mysteries, and he is the founder of the Italian crime-writing collective Gruppo 13. He is also a journalist and has worked for multiple Italian newspapers.



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Kill Them with Kindness

The explosive, darkly funny new thriller from cult bestselling author Will Carver…

Will Carver

Summary

A Japanese scientist thwarts an international plot to release a deadly virus by mutating it to make people kinder, but something goes horribly wrong … A darkly funny, mind-blowing speculative thriller from the 'most original writer in Britain´ (*Daily Express*)...

`Utterly believable, dark and disturbing … one of my books of the year´ **Trevor Wood**

`Brilliantly original … an alternative reality of the pandemic that's both terrifyingly plausible, relevant and timely´ **Sam Holland**

`Clever, compelling, funny and it really makes you think: could it yet happen? Or did it happen already?´ ***Daily Mail***

`Idealism clashes with political cynicism in a scathingly pointed satire that serves as a reminder of how the pandemic brought out the best in people but also, in some instances, the very worst´ ***Financial Times***

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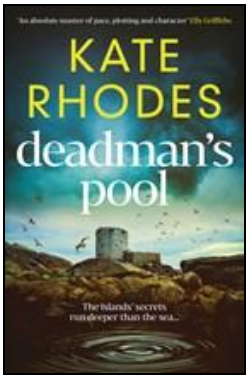
Compassion may be humanity's deadliest weapon…

The threat of nuclear war is no longer scary. This is much worse. It's invisible. It works quickly.

And it's coming…

The scourge has already infected and killed half the population in China and it is heading towards the UK. There is no time to esc...

Contributor Bio



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Fiction / Mystery & Detective
Series: The Isles of Scilly Mysteries
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Deadman's Pool

The BREATHTAKING new instalment in the Isles of Scilly Mysteries series...

Kate Rhodes

Summary

When Ben Kitto discovers the body of a young woman, buried near the ruins of an old isolation hospital on the island of St Helen's, he is convinced the killer is hiding in plain sight ... and determined to take more lives. The breathtaking, gripping new instalment in the Isles of Scilly Mysteries series...

`A classy, edge-of-the-seat thriller which will keep you guessing throughout!´ **B.A. PARIS**

`An absolute master of pace, plotting and character´ **ELLY GRIFFITHS**

`Rhodes does a superb job of balancing a portrayal of a tiny community oppressed by secrets with an uplifting evocation of setting´ ***Sunday Express***

`Dark, intense, and expertly crafted´ **RACHEL ABBOTT**

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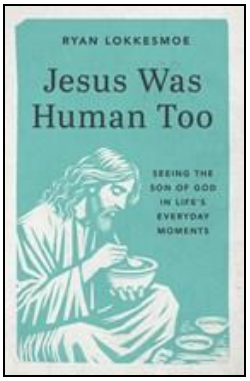
DI BEN KITTO RETURNS...

A SACRED ISLAND

Winter storms lash the Isles of Scilly, when DI Ben Kitto ferries the islands' priest to St Helen's. Father Michael intends to live as a pilgrim in the ruins of an ancient church on the uninhabited island, but an ugly secret is buried among the rocks. Digging frantically in the sand, Ben's dog, Shadow, unearths the emaciated remains of a young woman.

A SHOCKING MURDER

The discovery chills Ben to the core...



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160 Pages
Carton Qty: 48
Religion / Biblical Studies
8.5 in H | 5.5 in W | 0.4 in T

Jesus Was Human Too

Seeing the Son of God in Life's Everyday Moments

Ryan Lokkesmoe

Summary

"We do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are." (Hebrews 4:15 NRSV)

When we think of Jesus, we usually think of His miracles, His masterful teaching, and His world-changing death and resurrection. But what about the unremarkable moments of Jesus's life? What about Jesus coming home after a long day at work, navigating a family argument, or going to a friend's wedding?

With pastoral warmth and fascinating historical details, Ryan Lokkesmoe invites you into the different areas of Jesus's ordinary, everyday humanity:

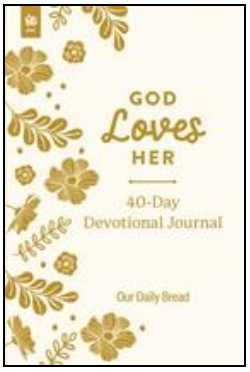
- His childhood and home life
- His work life and finances
- His physical and emotional well-being
- His cultural and political contexts
- His weekly and yearly religious rhythms

As you enlarge your view of Jesus, you'll see how He walked with wisdom and grace through experiences remarkably similar to your own. He knows what it's like to be one of us. You can bring your difficulties to Him, confident that He genuinely understands and empathizes.

When your faith feels disconnected from y...

Contributor Bio

Ryan Lokkesmoe is senior pastor of Community Church at Lake Wylie in the Charlotte, North Carolina, area. He earned his master's degree at Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary and his PhD at the University of Denver. Ryan has authored several books including *Paul and His Team* and *16 Bible Studies for Your Small Group*.



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Religion / Christian Living
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God Loves Her 40-Day Devotional Journal

Our Daily Bread

Summary

A fresh devotional journal from the best-selling God Hears Her collection with over 500,000 copies distributed!

God's Word tells us that His love for us is immeasurable. But it's so easy to go through your day without remembering His love is right there, always present and available to you.

This beautifully designed devotional journal draws you closer to God in just 40 days with:

- Daily Scripture passages
- Prayer prompts to listen and respond to God
- Journaling questions to connect biblical truths with your life
- Encouragement from strong women of faith

Perfect for individual worship or group study, this gift-worthy devotional journal will inspire any woman to express her needs and concerns before God and to receive His everlasting love for you.

Contributor Bio

From Our Daily Bread Ministries, this devotional journal is part of the God Hears Her collection designed to bring comfort and encouragement to women every day. Each product guides her to seek God with all her heart and find in Him everything she needs. Go to godhearsher.org to learn more.



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192 Pages
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Religion / Christian Living
8.5 in H | 5.5 in W

Soul Journey

Transform Your Present by Rediscovering God in Your Past

Barbara L. Peacock, Barbara Peacock

Summary

God is still writing your story. Discover what He's been up to all along.

Are you wondering where God is in your story—especially in the painful, confusing, or disappointing parts? You're not alone. In these critical times, many feel stuck, unsure of their purpose, or disconnected from the deeper meaning of their journey.

This transformative book is a prayerful invitation to pause, reflect, and connect the dots of your life to see how the hand of God has been guiding. As you read, you'll gain a clearer understanding of how the Lord has been at work in your story from the very beginning. Be challenged and encouraged to see yourself and others through a lens of grace, truth, and purpose.

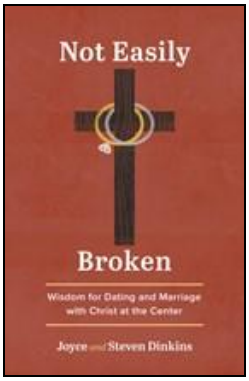
Through writing prompts, journaling, and focusing on God, you'll;

- Experience healing and freedom from the past
- Better understand the uniqueness of your personal journey with the Lord
- Be empowered to be a better disciple and discipler in the kingdom of God
- Start a "spiritual autobiography" for yourself and to share with loved ones

Whether you use it simply for personal benefit or to become a better leader in yo...

Contributor Bio

Barbara L. Peacock is the award-winning author of *Soul Care in African American Practice* and the founder of Barbara L. Peacock Ministries, through which she offers classes and certifications in spiritual direction for leaders. Dr. Peacock received her master's degree from Princeton Theological Seminary and holds a doctor of ministry from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary. She has been married to Gilbert for 45 years and resides in Indian Trail, North Carolina.



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Not Easily Broken

Wisdom for Dating and Marriage with Christ at the Center

Joyce Dinkins, Steven Dinkins

Summary

See How God Wove Their Hearts Together—and Trust Him with Yours

Joyce and Steven have a sweet love story. After 37 years of marriage, they still cast affectionate glances. Although their romance is very much alive, they would be the first to tell you the key to building a marriage that lasts depends on one thing: God's presence.

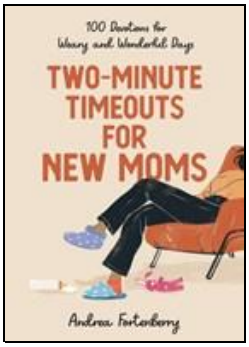
In this unique book that is part memoir, part self-help, and part devotional, the Dinkins share how God's divine direction has created and sustained their enduring marriage. They write candidly about their first marriages to other people, their divorces and single life, and the long relationship they now enjoy. Their story anchors devotional reflections and lessons on whom to marry and why, how to overcome marriage failures, parenting well in blended families, finding comfort during health crises, and much more.

In 40 digestible devotions and 8 truth-telling articles, the Dinkins emphasize how God's wisdom will help you overcome marriage fears and frailties, while celebrating how His supernatural love binds spouses together so they are not easily broken. Whate...

Contributor Bio

Joyce Dinkins has loved words and literature since childhood. She has been a professional writer and editor for more than fifty years. Joyce simply enjoys being together with Steven on their forty acres, and interacting with their three adult children as well as her extended family,

An influential and award-winning Christian editor—with a long-time commitment to empowering Black and underrepresented voices to serve diverse audiences—Joyce Dinkins is a former executive editor for the Our Daily Bread devotional. She retired in 2023 as founding editor for Our Daily Bread Ministries VOICES. Through Joyce Dinkins Publishing LLC, she owns and is director of Publishing in Color (publishingincolor.com). For several years, Joyce has enjoyed being a voice on recordings of the Our Daily Bread devotional.



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Two-Minute Timeouts for New Moms

100 Devotions for Weary and Wonderful Days

Andrea Fortenberry

Summary

So, you're a new mom? Becoming a mother is exciting, but it's also a time filled with endless questions and concerns.

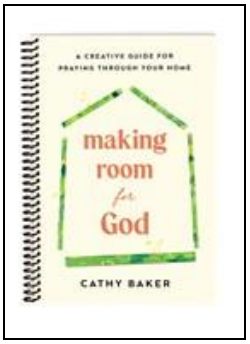
Will I ever sleep again?
What if I don't know what I'm doing?
Do other moms feel as overwhelmed as I do?

You are not alone! This 100-day devotional speaks directly to your emotional and spiritual needs in those short nuggets of time snuck between diapers, mealtimes, and meltdowns—whether yours or your little one's. Find honesty about the joys and struggles of motherhood through Andrea Fortenberry's tender storytelling and practical guidance. These heartfelt and sometimes humorous readings are packed with the encouragement you need in this new season of life—ultimately helping you lean into God for wisdom and strength.

Whether you're a biological mom, an adoptive mom, or a foster mom, *Two-Minute Timeouts for New Moms* will reassure your heart and mind . . . and point you to Jesus.

Contributor Bio

Andrea Fortenberry is a writer, a sought-after speaker for women's events, and the leadership development manager for MomCo. Her podcast, *The Perfectionist's Guide to Mothering*, helps equip moms to show up for the life God has for them. Andrea, her husband, Will, and their two children live outside Phoenix, Arizona.



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Making Room for God

A Creative Guide for Praying Through Your Home

Cathy Baker

Summary

"This prayer companion isn't written by a woman who has it all together, prays pretty prayers, or is always comfortable praying aloud. It is, however, written by someone who, like you, longs for the power of God to reside in my heart, the hearts of those I love, and my home." —Cathy Baker

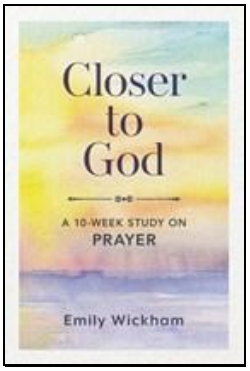
Spend time with God in every area of your home—preparing for each moment of gathering, eating, sleeping, working, resting, or playing.

No matter how big or small your space is, Cathy Baker invites you to cover your home in prayer with the help of this spiral-bound workbook. Each section offers space for you to sketch the rooms in your home, reflect on your hopes and prayers, and respond to "Gentle Gospel Nudges" that prompt you to consider how else your home might be a prayed-for environment for God's glory.

Pause to invite God's blessings on those who live, laugh, and lament within your walls. As you develop a rhythm of unceasing prayer for family relationships and beyond, you'll have a front- row seat to watch God at work in the lives of those you love.

Contributor Bio

Cathy Baker is a writer, poet, and Bible teacher who creates daily content for women that centers on prayer and spiritual disciplines. Her work has been widely published, including by Guideposts, Chicken Soup for the Soul, *Living Real* magazine, and Christianity.com. She and her husband, Brian, live in the foothills of the Carolinas with mountain views, a spoiled mini goldendoodle, and a writing studio out back.



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Closer to God

A 10-Week Study on Prayer

Emily Wickham

Summary

"Prayer, like the air we breathe, is necessary and life-giving. Just as we must inhale and exhale in order to live, we must pray as a means to grow closer to God." —Emily Wickham

Even when you desire to grow closer to God, distractions inevitably get in the way, day after day. But seasoned Bible teacher Emily Wickham wants you to experience the power of prayer as a foundational aspect of your relationship with God.

By studying nine biblical prayers, you will observe the people who prayed, their specific situations, and how these examples of prayer can help you know God better and have a flourishing relationship with Him.

Organized in three essential sections—Prayer Is Relationship, Prayer Is Worship, and Prayer Is Ministry—this book will encourage you to connect with God more intimately, praise Him more powerfully, and minister to others more effectively.

Each chapter includes a story or meditation, a prayer, a Scripture passage, reflections, and application questions covering themes like hope, peace, and love that are ideal for individual or group study. Be inspired to talk with God—an...

Contributor Bio

Emily Wickham helps women know, love, and imitate Jesus. A devotional and Bible study writer, she teaches via her podcast, *Indestructible Life*, and blog, *Heart Stirrings*. Her website is ProclaimingHimToWomen.com. Emily and her husband live in South Carolina.



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Cooking

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Cook Ahead

Freezer-friendly recipes for every family budget

Justine Schofield

Summary

Forget the latest gadgets, the humble freezer is the unsung hero of every home kitchen!

In *Cook Ahead*, **Justine Schofield** shows you how to make the most of yours, saving time and money in the process. Justine covers everything you need to know about freezing, from organization, storage and labelling tips to a handy guide on how long to freeze different foods and the essential rules for safe freezing, thawing and reheating.

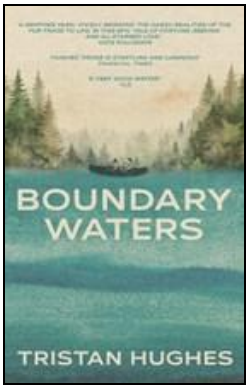
She also shares 90 recipes for delicious, everyday dishes that can be eaten straight away or stored in the freezer for a later date. As well as easy weeknight meals, there's a chapter on batch cooking, so you can load up your freezer for nights when you don't have time to cook. There are chapters on basic sauces, marinades and side dishes for freezing, so you can whip up delicious meals with a solid head start, and a ready-to-bake chapter, showing you how to pre-prepare scrolls, muffins, pies and more.

Because this is a book for the whole family, Justine includes freezable food for babies and toddlers - everything from their first sweet and savory purees to kiddie favo...

Contributor Bio

Justine Schofield has made a career of inspiring home cooks around the country, from her television debut on the first series of *MasterChef Australia* to hosting her own show, *Everyday Gourmet*, for 15 years. Justine is the author of four bestselling cookbooks: *Dinner with Justine*, *Simple Every Day*, *The Weeknight Cookbook* and *The Slow Cook*. @justineschofield

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Boundary Waters

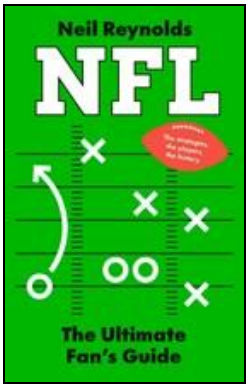
Tristan Hughes

Summary

Lower Canada, 1804. Arthur Stanton, lacking direction in his life and desperately seeking the approval of his father, wanders the streets of Montreal filled with daydreams of exotic lands and adventures inspired by novels and traveller’s tales. On a sudden whim he decides to sign up as a clerk in the fur trade and is sent on a mission to recover a cache of furs obtained from a secret beaver El Dorado. Accompanied by a down-at-heel band of voyageurs, led by a disgraced and drunken trader, he embarks on a journey by birchbark canoe into the northern wilderness. Paddling from Lachine to Lake Superior, and then across the unresolved border between Canada and the United States, Arthur’s travels will take him into a series of baffling new worlds, where he will prove himself to be hapless in trade, hopeless in love, and terrified of the landscapes and peoples that surround him. Stumbling from one mishap into another, he will at last fall into disaster, seemingly betray his friends and companions, and have to begin a quest to set things right.

Contributor Bio

Tristan Hughes was born in Atikokan in northern Ontario and brought up on the Welsh island of Ynys Mon. He is the author of four novels, *Send My Cold Bones Home*, *Revenant*, *Eye Lake* and *Hummingbird* – which won the Edward Stanford Award for Fiction with a Sense of Place and the Wales Book of Year People’s Choice Award – as well as a collection of linked short stories, *The Tower*. His short fiction has appeared in various journals, including *Ploughshares*, *The Southern Review*, and *New Welsh Review*.



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NFL: The Fans Guide

The Rules, The Players, The History – everything new fans need to know.

Neil Reynolds

Summary

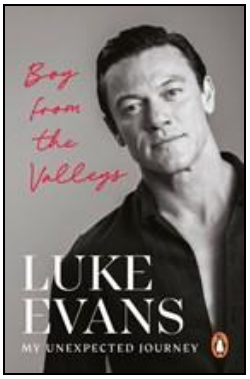
From the draft to the Superbowl, via epic touchdowns and crunching tackles, football is a fast and violent game of chess. This comprehensive handbook offers a deep dive into the NFL's greatest teams and moments.

Covering key concepts such as the importance of field goals, quarterbacks and wide receivers, *NFL: The Fan's Guide* reveals the extreme athleticism and complex tactics needed to dominate the modern game. Whether you're a seasoned fan or new to the game, insights into all 32 NFL teams mean that this must-have guide will take your game day experience to new heights.

Contributor Bio

Neil Reynolds is the presenter of the NFL on Sky Sports and has been at the forefront of American football's TV coverage in the United Kingdom since 2011, twice being short-listed for Sports Presenter of the Year awards. Prior to that, Neil worked as an NFL commentator and pundit on BBC Radio 5 Live for two years.

A full-time journalist covering the NFL since 1997, Neil currently writes for NFL.com, SkySports.com and the official Super Bowl game program. Neil serves as editor of the NFL's gameday program for games in the UK and across Europe. Neil also works as a content creator and event host for NFL UK and NFL teams such as the Jacksonville Jaguars and New York Jets. Neil is the host of the Inside the Huddle podcast and also co-hosts the Extra Point Podcast alongside fellow NFL enthusiasts Vernon Kay and Darren Fletcher.



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Biography & Autobiography / Entertainment & Performing Arts

7.7 in H | 5.1 in W | 0.9 in T | 0.6 lb Wt

Boy From the Valleys

My unexpected journey

Luke Evans

Summary

From his humble beginnings in a quaint Welsh mining village to the dazzling lights of Hollywood, much-loved star, Luke Evans takes us on a poignant and inspiring journey that spans from the heart of Wales to behind the scenes of the global stage.

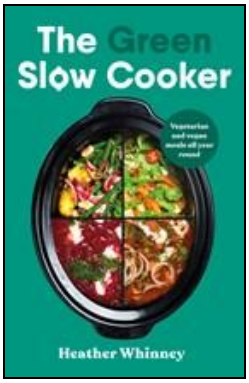
Growing up in a small village in the Rhymney Valley, south Wales, Luke Evans' early life was shaped by his Jehovah's Witness upbringing. While most children of his age spent their Saturday mornings watching *Going Live* on television, young Luke would dress in a suit and tie and join his parents to knock on doors to spread the word of his religion. From an early age, he felt different. This feeling of displacement was not limited to his faith; as he came to terms with his own sexuality, he also faced a difficult and uncertain path. In his poignant, tender and often humorous account, Luke shares his bold decision to leave home – and the religion – at seventeen to move to London, where the vibrant Soho scene captured his heart, invigorated his creative journey as an actor and opened a whole new world of opportunity.

In finding himself, Luke also d...

Contributor Bio

Luke Evans is an actor and singer who began his career on the stage, performing in London's West End in productions of *Rent*, *Miss Saigon* and *Piaf* before making his film debut in 2010. He has starred in the Fast & Furious franchise, J.R.R. Tolkien's *The Hobbit*, *Dracula Untold*, and as Gaston in Disney's live-action adaptation of *Beauty and the Beast*. On television he has starred in TNT's *The Alienist* and alongside Nicole Kidman in *Nine Perfect Strangers* for Hulu.

As a recording artist, Luke has released two studio albums: *At Last* and *A Song For You* which hit the top five in the UK charts in 2022.



Michael Joseph
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Cooking / Methods

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The Green Slow Cooker

Vegetarian and vegan meals all year round

Heather Whinney

Summary

THE ESSENTIAL VEGETARIAN SLOW COOKER COOKBOOK

Whether you're a vegetarian or just looking to add more veggies to your diet, this recipe book has something for **everyone** - packed full of **nutrition and flavour!**

The slow cooker is the ultimate one-pot, hands-off way to make everyday delicious.

From pot to table, cooking in the slow cooker is minimal effort for maximum flavour with all ingredients thrown together in one pot and cooked low and slow...

Inside, you'll find recipes to suit every craving and occasion:

- **Thai Green Curry**: Light, bright, and vibrant
- **Stuffed Aubergines**: Fresh, fragrant, and full of goodness
- **Miso Ramen**: Comforting and earthy with deep umami notes
- **Mac and Cheese with Butternut Squash**: Warming, hearty, and indulgent

From light summer meals to cosy winter comforts, this book makes eating more vegetables simple and delicious all year round. Whether you're vegetarian, vegan, or just looking to add more plant-based dishes into your routine, these recipes are designed to fit seamlessly into your lives.

Enjoy fuss-free cooking that puts vegetables at the heart of your dish...



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Fiction / Literary

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The Island of Mists and Miracles

Victoria Mas

Summary

***The Mad Women's Ball* is now an Amazon Prime Video Original Film starring Mélanie Laurent and Lou de Louâge.**

Sometimes the truth lies in the things you cannot see.

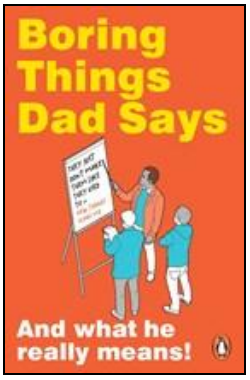
In 1830 a young novice called Catherine Labouré was granted a vision of the Virgin Mary. Nearly 200 years later, Sister Anne is also waiting for a sign. Which is why she accepts a mission to go to a tiny community on an island just off the coast of Brittany. Her only companion there is a skeptical, chain-smoking older nun who just wants to be left in peace.

On the island she meets Hugo, the son of a devout family who prefers to look for the meaning of life amid the stars; Madenn, a grandmother whose daughter was killed in a crash and who finds meaning in routine; Isaac, Madenn's grandson, an otherworldly teenager who doesn't fit in but who befriends Hugo, and Julia, a sickly child. If anyone needs a miracle, it is her.

But it is not Sister Anne who receives a vision. Instead, it is Isaac who is found on a promontory, transfixed, unable to utter more than the words 'I see'. The event soon becomes headline news, and the world des...

Contributor Bio

The Mad Women's Ball, **Victoria Mas**'s debut novel, has won several prizes in France (including the Prix Stanislas and Prix Renaudot des Lycéens) and was the bestselling debut of the year. Victoria has worked in film in the U.S., where she lived for eight years. She graduated from the Sorbonne in Contemporary Literature. *The Mad Women's Ball* is now an Amazon Prime Video Original Film starring Mélanie Laurent and Lou de Louâge.



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Humor / Form

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Boring Things Dad Says

And What He Really Means!

Rupert Baxter

Summary

What Dad Says: "Have you done your homework?"
What Dad Means: "Please don't ask me how to do long division."

Dads are curious creatures. They think nothing good happened to music since the time they were teenagers, have strong opinions on the best type of screwdriver, and live in fear of an even scarier creature called Mom. What's worse, they only have a limited vocabulary that they can use to express themselves. And what Dad *says* and what Dad *means* are very different things. *Boring Things Dad Says* is a user manual for understanding just exactly what your dad is trying to tell you, including:

- Money doesn't grow on trees, you know?
- Is that what they're calling music these days?
- I don't know, go and ask your mother.

Whether you're looking for a funny stocking filler or a joke gift for a new dad, *Boring Things Dad Says* is the perfect funny present for dads of all ages and in all their forms!

Contributor Bio

Rupert Baxter is a former IT technician turned writer. Beyond writing, Baxter has a passion for garden landscaping: religiously mowing the lawn every two weeks, planting cuttings stolen from the local garden center and continuing the ongoing construction of a water feature that he swears is nearly finished.



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All Her Fault (TV Tie-In)

The breathlessly twisty Sunday Times bestseller everyone is talking about

Andrea Mara

Summary

Now a major TV series starring Sarah Snook

'Andrea Mara is a star' **Lee Child**

'Grips from the first page and keeps upping the stakes.' **Sarah Pearse, bestselling author of *The Sanatorium***

ONE MISSING BOY.

Marissa Irvine arrives at 14 Tudor Grove, expecting to pick up her young son Milo from his first playdate with a boy at his new school. But the woman who answers the door isn't a mother she recognises. She isn't the nanny. She doesn't have Milo. And so begins every parent's worst nightmare.

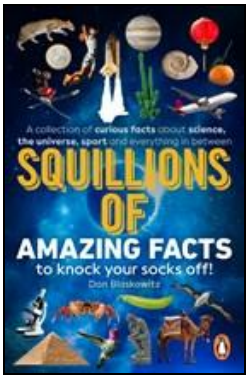
FOUR GUILTY WOMEN.

As news of the disappearance filters through the quiet Dublin suburb and an unexpected suspect is named, whispers start to spread about the women most closely connected to the shocking event. Because only one of them may have taken Milo - but they could all be blamed . . .

IN A COMMUNITY FULL OF SECRETS, WHO IS REALLY AT FAULT?

Everyone is talking about Andrea Mara:

'Mara lays out the pieces of the puzzle with diabolical wit, some good suspense and an unexpected note of sentimentality.' ***New York Times***
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Squillions of Amazing Facts to Knock Your Socks Off!

A collection of curious facts about science, the universe, sport and everything in between

Dan Blaskowitz

Summary

What do you buy the person who has everything? *Squillions of Amazing Facts to Knock Your Socks Off!*

The perfect gift to captivate curious minds, *Squillions of Amazing Facts to Knock Your Socks Off!* is guaranteed to surprise and delight readers of all ages with truly mind-blowing trivia.

This fun-filled fact book is brimming with mind-blowing general knowledge and quirky facts that will keep readers entertained long after the big day is over.

Discover answers to questions you never even thought to ask, like:

· Why were there so many poodles at the 1900 Olympics?
· What did Romans use to wipe their bottoms?
· How much saliva does the average person produce in a lifetime?

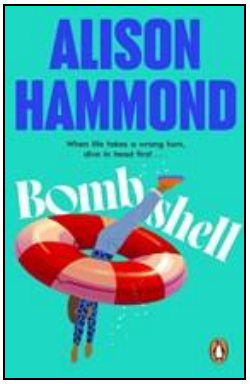
… and so much more!

Plus, it’s jam-packed with amazing facts suitable for kids and adults alike! Whether you need a surprising stocking stuffer, a brilliant birthday gift, or you just feel like treating the eternally curious person in your life, this book is bound to be a hit.

Contributor Bio

Dan Blaskowitz once trained a cat to steal Snickers bars out of a neighbour’s kitchen. Since then he’s broken seventeen bones (all his own), watched a windmill burn down by moonlight, spent a night in an abandoned tin mine and got to know the owner of the world’s largest collection of dead mice. He likes reading books while

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Bombshell

When Life Takes a Wrong Turn Dive in Head First…

Alison Hammond

Summary

The joyful and heart-warming rom-com for 2025 from the much-loved TV presenter Alison Hammond, perfect for fans of Alexandra Potter.

'I loved the whole book . . . couldn't put it down!' 5 STAR reader review
'A fabulous debut novel . . . had me hooked from the start!' 5 STAR reader review
'I loved this . . . I'll definitely be recommending it!' 5 STAR reader review

When life takes a wayward turn, dive in head first...

Family has always meant everything to Madison. Married to the nation’s heartthrob, TV handyman Rich, with two beautiful children, she’s always put their needs first. And she’s never regretted a second, even if her own career has taken a backseat.

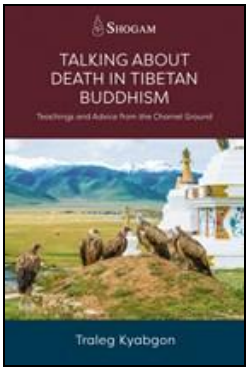
Then, out of the blue, Rich drops a bombshell. He needs some space and he’s moving out.

Overwhelmed by this revelation, Madison turns to her tight-knit group of friends for help. Bolstered by their support, Madison decides to dive into the situation head first and find out what’s really going on. Even if it means turning detective on her own husband.

And with her own interior-design career about to take off (once her manager stops squas...

Contributor Bio

Adored for her quick wit, big heart and infamous laugh, Alison is one of the UK’s most popular TV presenters, famed for her hilarious celebrity interviews! The Queen of our hearts presents ITV's 'This Morning' alongside Dermot O’Leary, gearing viewers up for the weekend.



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Talking About Death in Tibetan Buddhism

Teachings and Advice from the Charnel Ground

Traleg Khandro

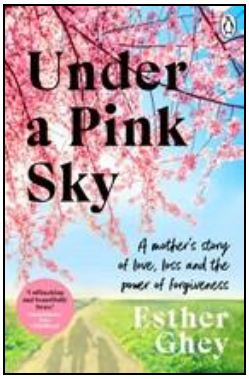
Summary

Talking About Death contains teachings given by Traleg Kyabgon Rinpoche IX on preparing for death, and descriptions of experiences in the bardo (intermediate state) of life and death.

As well as Rinpoche's remarkable spontaneous translations and commentary from a range of textual sources, *Talking About Death* includes advice and instructions that Rinpoche gave to his wife Traleg Khandro about managing death in the West. The advice includes such considerations as caring for the deceased, hospital and funeral arrangements. It also contains advice regarding the illness and death of a pet. Some Buddhist and non-sectarian prayers are included as well as daily contemplations based on the *Tibetan Book of the Dead*. The teachings are enlightening and profound, and the guidance, practical and helpful for oneself and those one is caring for.

Contributor Bio

Traleg Khandro (Felicity), long-time student and wife to the late Traleg Kyabgon Rinpoche IX, is a Director at E-Vam Institute in Melbourne and the U.S, and runs Shogam Publications, Traleg Rinpoche's publishing arm. Khandro studied Buddhism under Traleg Rinpoche's guidance for many years and has undertaken numerous long meditation retreats. Khandro has given commentary of Rinpoche's teachings in Australia, America, Europe, U.K., and South East Asia. At Rinpoche's request Khandro also received traditional LuJong (Tibetan Yoga) training after qualifying as a Hatha Yoga instructor. Khandro has a degree in Psychology.



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Under a Pink Sky

A Mother's Story of Love, Loss and the Power of Forgiveness

Esther Ghey

Summary

PRE-ORDER THE PAPERBACK NOW: A MOTHER'S TRUE STORY OF LOVE, LOSS, THE POWER OF FORGIVENESS & THE FIGHT TO PROTECT OUR CHILDREN'S FUTURES IN THE DIGITAL AGE

'Remarkable...really honest' *Lorraine Kelly*

'A very powerful and very moving book' *Anita Rani, Woman's Hour*

'One of the most unflinching, inspirational autobiographies I've read, a remarkable cry of hope from the depths of despair' Guardian

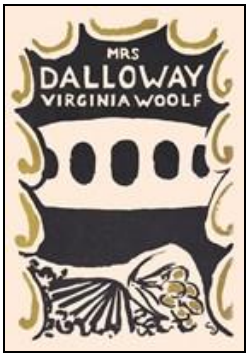
'An urgent clarion call' Smartphone Free Childhood
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On 11 February 2023, 16-year-old Brianna Ghey left home to meet her friend in a park local to her home in Warrington, Cheshire. Her mother, Esther, was relieved to see her go - a positive step after a difficult and increasingly isolated few years. What Esther didn't know that day was that Brianna was being lured to the park where she would be tragically murdered.

There was at once an international outpouring of anguish and outrage for a young life brutally snatched away and a mother's worst nightmare come true. Amidst global displays of support, the usually shy and private Esther began to reflect on how she could channel her own personal grief int...

Contributor Bio

Esther Ghey is a campaigner for social media reform and is the founder of *Peace and Mind UK*, a service dedicated to improving mental health for young people and their families through the promotion of mindfulness in schools. She has been interviewed across the national media, including a high-profile *Newsnight* interview



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Series: Vintage Classics

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Mrs Dalloway

Virginia Woolf

Summary

Celebrate the 100th birthday of a groundbreaking novel with this limited run special edition.

Clarissa Dalloway is preparing to give a party.

In this vivid portrait of one day in a woman's life, Clarissa is preoccupied with the last-minute details of a party she is to give that evening. As she readies her house she is flooded with memories and re-examines the choices she has made over the course of her life.

This special edition features the original cover created by Virginia Woolf's sister, Vanessa Bell, andthe original text first published by The Hogarth Press.

Contributor Bio

Virginia Woolf (1882-1941) was born in London. She became a central figure in The Bloomsbury Group, an informal collective of British writers, artists and thinkers. In 1912 Virginia married Leonard Woolf, a writer and social reformer. She wrote many works of literature which are now considered masterpieces, including *Mrs. Dalloway*, *To the Lighthouse*, *Orlando*, and *The Waves*.



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Fiction / Classics
Series: Weird Girls Series

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The Yellow Wallpaper

Charlotte Perkins Gilman

Summary

VINTAGE CLASSICS WEIRD GIRLS: Dive into the depraved, delectable depths of women’s weird fiction.

'The faint figure behind seemed to shake the pattern, just as if she wanted to get out.'

In the throes of a ‘temporary nervous depression’ following childbirth, a woman is brought by her physician husband to recuperate in an isolated New England mansion. There she is barred from her work of writing, denied any visits to friends, and encouraged to simply get better. Sequestered in the old nursery at the top of the house, with barred windows and a bed nailed to the floor, she has little to do but examine the strange wallpaper that surrounds her – and appears to shift before her very eyes.

This is the tale of a woman driven to the brink and beyond. Here accompanied by Gilman’s key wider stories, *The Yellow Wallpaper* endures as a groundbreaking, deeply disturbing classic of feminist horror.

The VINTAGE CLASSIC WEIRD GIRLS series ventures into the dark heart of the uncanny with disturbing, and disturbed, protagonists who dare to defy the norm. Bold, deviant, chilling and enchanting, these tales o...

Contributor Bio

Charlotte Perkins Gilman was born in 1860 in Connecticut. She was a feminist and journalist and author of a number of fiction and non-fiction works. These include *Women and Economics* (1898), *Concerning Children* (1900), *The Home: Its Work and Influence* (1903) and *Herland* (1915). She is best remembered for her short story *‘The Yellow Wallpaper’* which describes the descent of a woman into madness following a ‘rest cure’. Unconventional in many ways, Gilman’s life included two marriages and separation from her nine-year-old daughter, whom she sent to live with her ex-husband and his new wife. She was a Suffragette, a public speaker on social issues and the editor of a number of literary magazines during her career. In 1932, Gilman was diagnosed with incurable breast cancer and, as an advocate of euthanasia, she took the decision to commit



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Bake it Off

Tasty Taylor Swift-Inspired Bakes

Elly McCausland

Summary

Are you bready for it? Get listening party-ready for *The Life of a Showgirl.*

Experience The Eras from your own kitchen with these unofficial Taylor Swift-inspired recipes to celebrate every occasion, from birthday parties to karaoke nights and sleepovers.

Choose from 60+ recipes:
Breakfast Bakes: Guilty as Cinnamon Swirls, Breakfast at Midnight Flapjacks
(Oh my god, look at those) Cakes: Maroon Velvet Cake, evermoorish lemon cake
Savoury Snacks: Call it What You Wontons, You Belong with Brie
Little Treats: The Tortured Possets Department, Long Story Shortbread, Wildest Creams
Party Showstoppers: Bejeweled Cookies, I Knew You Were Truffles
Seasonal Specials: Pumpkin Patch Cupcakes, Christmas Tree Farm Cake

These enchanting bakes will be your culinary End Game or the perfect Christmas gift for the swiftie in your life.

Unofficial & Unauthorised

Contributor Bio

Elly McCausland is an award-winning food writer and Associate Professor of English Literature at Ghent University, Belgium. She is the author of *The Botanical Kitchen*, which won the Jane Grigson Trust award in 2019 and was Highly Commended by the Guild of Food Writers awards in 2021. Elly won Online Food Writer of the Year at the 2016 Guild of Food Writers Awards and was shortlisted in 2017 and 2022. Her university course 'English Literature (Taylor's Version)' has received worldwide press attention. She has appeared on *CNN*, *BBC World News*, *ABC Australia*, *Dubai Eye*, *Times* Radio, radio show *Commotion* (CBC Toronto) and the podcast HighLow by Emily Ratajkowski.



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Black Magic

Marjorie Bowen

Summary

A rediscovered gothic classic with a groundbreaking, gender-nonconforming protagonist at its heart.

'I do not sin,' he smiled. 'I am Sin'

In a quiet medieval city, alone in his shadowy chambers, Dirk Renswoude worships the devil. Then the wind brings the young scholar Thierry to his door. Could this beautiful man share his dark obsession? Under a hushed midnight sky, the pair swear themselves to the black arts, and to one another. Yet Dirk shies away at the slightest touch. He will not discuss his past. As the duo hex their way across moonlit woodlands and learned cities, it becomes clear that Dirk will stop at nothing to live the life he desires, while concealing one precious secret. First published in 1909, *Black Magic* is the remarkable rediscovered tale of a gender-nonconforming rebel.

"A subtle and complex thriller . . . Just don't give away its secret." —*Washington Post*

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Contributor Bio

Marjorie Bowen, born in 1885 as Margaret Gabrielle Vere Campbell, was a prolific British author, writing novels across the horror, romance and historical fiction genres, alongside essays and biographies. Widely celebrated in her day, with admirers including Mark Twain, Arthur Conan Doyle and Graham Greene, Bowen published her bestselling first novel, *The Viper of Milan* (1906), at 21 years old, and went on to publish *Black Magic* (1909) at 24 years old. Supporting herself and her three sons by her pen, Bowen wrote over 150 books under various pseudonyms through the course of her life. Bowen died in 1952.



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Illusive

Sylvia Day

Summary

#1 New York Times bestselling author Sylvia Day continues the wickedly sensual Crossroads series with Illusive.

Contributor Bio

Sylvia Day is the #1 New York Times and #1 USA Today bestselling author of over twenty award-winning novels, including ten New York Times and thirteen USA Today bestsellers. She is a number one bestselling author in twenty-nine countries, with translations in forty-one languages and over twenty million copies of her books in print. Visit her at sylviaday.com

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Monsters and Ghosts in Chinese Stories and Fantasies

The Illustrated Collection

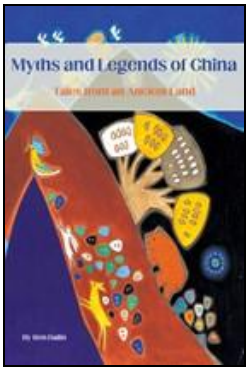
Dalin Ren

Summary

Do ghosts and monsters scare you? Or are you convinced they don’ t exist at all? Either way, why not open this book and see for yourself? This collection brings together some of the most iconic ghost and monster stories from China, offering a glimpse into a supernatural world unlike anything you’ ve encountered before. Here, ghosts are not simply restless spirits— they may be bound by unfinished business, or even serve as protectors, watching over their loved ones from beyond. Monsters, on the other hand, are often creatures that have gained spiritual power through years of cultivation. Among them are clever and cunning fox spirits, graceful and enchanting flower spirits, and mischievous woodland creatures. Some are kind and compassionate, while others test the limits of human nature. They may become friends, mentors, or even lovers— but just as easily, they can transform into powerful adversaries. Neither purely good nor wholly evil, they exist within their own supernatural order, following rules that humans may never fully understand. This book offers a profound exploration of life...

Contributor Bio

Ren Dalin, the chief editor, is from Zhejiang province, China, and has published dozens of children’ s literary works. He has won the first prize of the second China Children’ s Literature and Art Award, the China Excellent Children’ s Book Award, and the China Children’ s Literature Theory Award. He was once a member of the Children’ s Literature Committee of the China Writers Association and the deputy director of the Children’ s Literature Committee of the Shanghai Writers’ Association.



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Myths and Legends of China

Tales from an Ancient Land

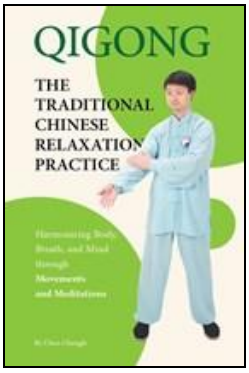
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Summary

In the Far East lies an ancient and mysterious land, rich with timeless myths that explore the origins of the universe and the birth of humankind. How did heaven and earth first separate? How were human beings conceived? These profound mysteries have been passed down through generations, preserved in both oral traditions and written records by the Chinese ancestors. These myths have transcended time, offering a glimpse into the Chinese understanding of the cosmos and life, while embodying the brilliance of ancient wisdom and imagination. This book offers a gateway to the captivating world of Chinese myths and legends. With vivid storytelling and stunning illustrations, it brings to life a realm of wonder and boundless possibility. Whether you seek to deepen your knowledge of Chinese culture or explore the stories distinct from Greek and Roman myths, this book will take you on an unforgettable journey into the heart of these ancient and enigmatic tales.

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Qigong: The Traditional Chinese Relaxation Practice

Harmonizing Body, Breath, and Mind through Movements and Meditations

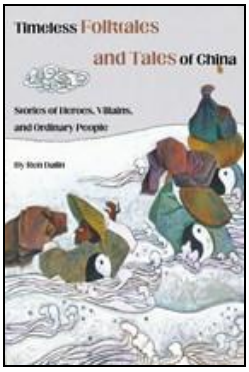
Changle Chen

Summary

In today' s world, stress is everywhere— demanding workloads, fast-paced lifestyles, irregular routines, and prolonged physical and mental fatigue can all lead to anxiety, insomnia, and chronic exhaustion, severely impacting health and quality of life. Do you long for a way to truly relax your body, restore vitality, and regain inner balance? This book introduces a relaxation practice rooted in traditional Chinese healing wisdom, offering an effective way to relieve stress and enhance well-being. As the foundation of many Qigong exercises, it integrates dynamic relaxation and static meditation to help you achieve deep, full-body relaxation from the outside in. Through this book, you will: Understand the theoretical foundation and the science of relaxation. By incorporating the principles of traditional Chinese medicine and meridian theory, this book provides an in-depth explanation of how this relaxation practice promotes health by unblocking meridians and harmonizing qi and blood flow. You will not only learn how to relax but also gain scientific insights into the mechanisms behind ...

Contributor Bio

Chen Changle is a standing board member of the China Association of Medical Qigong and a board member of the World Academic Society of Medical Qigong. He holds a Doctorate in Medicine from Beijing University of Chinese Medicine and serves as an Associate Chief Physician. With over a decade of experience in Qigong practice and teaching, he specializes in the traditional Chinese relaxation method and other traditional techniques. He is highly skilled in guiding patients to alleviate neck, back, and leg pain, insomnia, hypertension, and diabetes through the therapeutic application of Qigong.



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Timeless Folklores and Tales of China

Stories of Heroes, Villains, and Ordinary People

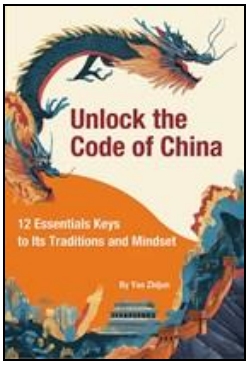
Dalin Ren

Summary

Scattered across the vast land of China are countless beloved folktales, passed down through generations like shining pearls embedded in the long river of history. These stories reflect the wisdom, humor, and spirit of the Chinese people, enduring the test of time and continuing to captivate audiences today. This book presents a carefully curated collection of ancient Chinese folktales, spanning over a thousand years— from the Qin and Han dynasties to the late Qing period. The protagonists of these tales come from all walks of life and every social class. Within these pages, you will find legendary acts of heroism, extraordinary encounters of ordinary people, and even the paths of villains reveal profound and thought-provoking insights. As you turn the pages, you will walk alongside these ancient figures, sharing in their joys and sorrows while uncovering timeless truths about life. These enduring and emotionally resonant tales offer a window into Chinese values and traditional culture. So now, readers of all ages are invited to embark on this journey into the treasure trove of Chine...

Contributor Bio

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China Unveiled

12 Essential Keys to Its Traditions and Mindset

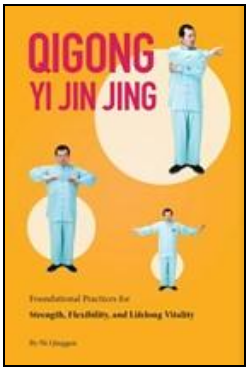
Zhijun Yao

Summary

Chinese culture, shaped by thousands of years of history and evolution, has woven a rich tapestry of traditions, beliefs, and practices across this vast land. It' s a mesmerizing cultural maze— one that sparks endless curiosity. What exactly is " Qi" ? What does " Yin" and " Yang" represent? And what is the origin of Chinese Kungfu? These questions intrigue not only those from afar but even those born and raised in China. The mystery of this ancient culture is just like a locked treasure chest, waiting to be opened. And here' s the good news: this book offers not one, but " twelve" keys to unlock its secrets. Each key opens a door to a different facet of Chinese culture— from the rhythms of daily life to the intricacies of its traditions and the profound frameworks of various thoughts. Whether you' re a curious traveler or a language learner, these keys will guide you through an immersive journey, making the complex simple and the mysterious accessible. With these twelve keys in hand, you' ll be well-equipped to explore this dazzling realm. So, step inside, unlock the doors, and emba...

Contributor Bio

Yao Zhijun is a postdoctoral researcher in Chinese philosophy at East China Normal University. He has been dedicated to the study of traditional Chinese culture and Tai Chi since childhood, integrating philosophy with mind-body practices. He has published multiple books and academic papers on Laozi, Zhuangzi, and Buddhist philosophy.



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Qigong: Yi Jin Jing

Foundational Practices for Strength, Flexibility, and Lifelong Vitality

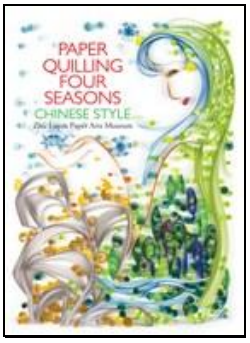
Qinggen Ni

Summary

Yi Jin Jing, an ancient Chinese practice rooted in traditional Qigong, seamlessly integrates the cultural pillars of Zen, martial arts, and medicine. Through gentle yet deliberate movements and focused inner cultivation, it strengthens muscles and bones, enhances vitality, and harmonizes internal energy, ultimately fostering profound mind-body balance and longevity. This book combines clear illustrations with professional video tutorials, guiding you step by step to master this ancient practice of mind-body refinement passed down for millennia. Through this book, you will: Delve into the origins and philosophy of Yi Jin Jing. Discover its profound theoretical foundations, tracing its evolution from ancient Shaolin Zen martial arts to its role in modern daily wellness practices. This book explores the philosophy of traditional Chinese medicine (TCM) embedded in this practice, and discover how its principles align with concepts like yin-yang balance, meridian pathways, and the dynamic interplay of qi and blood flow. Master the essential movements of Yi Jin Jing step-by-step. Rooted in ...

Contributor Bio

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Paper Quilling Four Seasons Chinese Style *(2nd Edition)*

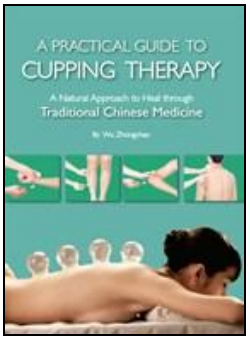
Liqun Zhu, Paper Arts Museum Zhu Liqun

Summary

Immerse yourself in the beauty of the four seasons through the art of Chinese paper quilling. Each season, with its distinct charm— spring' s vibrant greens, summer' s blazing colors, autumn' s golden glow, and winter' s snowy white— is captured in exquisite paper quilling works that celebrate nature' s ever-changing beauty. Thanks to the material' s natural elasticity and flexibility, paper quilling allows the artist a limitless range of expression. Through bold, colorful lines and intricate designs, the paper quilling works presented in this book vividly express the essence of China' s 24 solar terms, offering a fresh perspective on nature' s cycles. In addition to stunning artwork, this book provides a wealth of knowledge on Chinese art forms, terminology, and techniques. You' ll learn quilling methods that go beyond tradition, allowing you to create your own seasonal masterpieces. Step-by-step instructions guide you in re-creating these breathtaking pieces, while cultural insights into the 24 solar terms deepen your appreciation of this timeless practice. Whether you' re a season...

Contributor Bio

Born in 1948, Zhu Liqun is a senior Master of Arts and Crafts, a member of the Shanghai Society for the Study of Folk Literature and Art, a member of the Shanghai Arts and Crafts Association, and director of the Paper Art Professional Committee. Working in art and industrial design for over 30 years, he has won many awards at large art design contests in China. Zhu Liqun Paper Arts Museum, formally launched in June 2010 in Shanghai, displays thousands of works of paper art including furniture, lamps, sculpture, decorative carvings in relief, and human figures. All were designed and created by Zhu Liqun and his team over a span of ten years. Their innovative practice has led to the growth and spread of paper art to other fields, and they have also published Paper Quilling: Chinese Style, Paper Relief: Chinese Style and Paper Collage: Chinese Style. Born in 1948, Zhu Liqun is a senior Master of Arts and Crafts, a member of the Shanghai Society for the Study of Folk Literature and Art, a member of the Shanghai Arts and Crafts Association, and director of the Paper Art Professional Commi...



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Practical Guide to Cupping Therapy *(2nd Edition)*

A Natural Approach to Heal Through Traditional Chinese Medicine

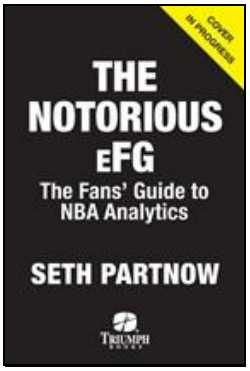
Zhongchao Wu

Summary

This comprehensive guide to Chinese cupping therapy details this traditional and effective treatment with extensive clinical examples, commentary, and detailed diagrams. Cupping therapy delivers healing effects by improving blood circulation, promoting smoother flow of qi through meridian points and dispelling cold and dampness in the body. It involves local suction on the skin through vacuum created by heating and subsequent cooling of the air in the cup. Because of its easy application and immediate effects, cupping therapy has been practiced in China since time immemorial and remains to this day as a form of traditional medicine for treating illnesses and enhancing health. With solid grounding in both theory and clinical practice, the author introduces the fundamental principles of cupping therapy and areas that require special attention, which are followed by techniques of cupping for targeted ailments. The book covers nine areas: internal medicine, surgery, ENT and ophthalmology, dermatology, andrology, gynecology, and pediatrics (with 73 common illnesses), as well as sub-health...

Contributor Bio

Wu Zhongchao is a professor and advisor of doctoral students at the China Academy of Chinese Medical Sciences (CACMS), also serving as a medical consultant on the specialist register of CPC Central Committee, chief physician of Acupuncture and Moxibustion Center of CACMS, vice chair of the Committee of Acupuncture and Moxibustion Techniques and the Committee of Meridian Points and Musculature of the China Association of Acupuncture and Moxibustion, executive council member of Beijing Acupuncture Association, and member of the Committee of Health Preservation and Enhancement of the China Academy of Medical Sciences. A veteran practitioner of traditional Chinese medicine and acupuncture and moxibustion, Wu has nearly two decades of clinical experience and has published more than 60 papers and over 10 books on the medical specialty. He has travelled extensively overseas for medical assignments and lectures and has been engaged in clinical teaching to local and overseas students for many years.



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The Fans' Guide to NBA Analytics

Seth Partnow

Summary

In *The Midrange Theory: Basketball's Evolution in the Age of Analytics*, Seth Partnow, Director of North American Sports for StatsBomb and NBA analyst for The Athletic, taught a cutting-edge yet accessible and entertaining course in basketball analytics, that helped even the most astute fans see the game in a new light.

In Partnow's eagerly awaited follow up, the former Director of Basketball Research for the Milwaukee Bucks seeks to take the discourse back to the essential question: **What is basketball analytics and why should you care?**

An introductory guide for basketball fans who yearn to have a better understanding of the game, Partnow uses his breadth of experience working in the NBA and covering the sport from an analytical perspective to explore the foundations of advanced analysis in an easily digestible and illuminating fashion. From offensive efficiency to shot quality to player value metrics to emerging analytical technology – and everything in between – this is an essential resource for basketball fans of all levels who hope to understand the game like a true pro.

Contributor Bio

Seth Partnow is Director of North American Sports for StatsBomb and covers the NBA and basketball analytics for The Athletic. He is the former Director of Basketball Research for the Milwaukee Bucks. He is the author of The *Midrange Theory: Basketball's Evolution In the Age of Analytics*.



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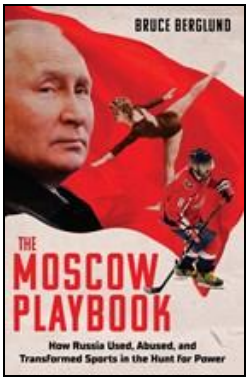
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The Moscow Playbook

How Russia Used, Abused, and Transformed Sports in the Hunt for Power

Bruce Berglund

Summary

An eye-opening account of how Russia's leaders have used sports as a political tool to solidify their global power

"Victories in sport do more to cement the nation than a hundred political slogans." This was the pep talk Russian athletes heard in 2000 from their new president, Vladimir Putin. And so, for more than two decades, Putin has used sports like his Soviet predecessors to stoke nationalism at home, boost prestige abroad, and cement his position as leader.

The Moscow Playbook: How Russia Used, Abused, and Transformed Sports in the Hunt for Gold is the first book to fully examine the intersection of Russian sports and geopolitical power, from the dominant Soviet teams of past Olympics to recent doping scandals and international sanctions. With new research from Olympic archives, records of the Soviet bloc and current Russian media, historian Bruce Berglund shows how Moscow's leaders have defied the rules of the game for decades as the world's governing bodies turned a blind eye.

Featuring oligarchs, sportocrats, and famous athletes from Olga Korbut to Alex Ovechkin, this is a time...

Contributor Bio

Bruce Berglund is a historian of Europe, Russia, and world sports. A three-time Fulbright scholar, his books include *The Fastest Game in the World,* a global history of hockey. Bruce has been interviewed about sports and politics for outlets in the US, Canada, Europe, and Australia. A proud son of Duluth, he lives in Prague and teaches at Charles University.



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The Big Bounce

The Surge That Shaped the Future of U.S. Soccer

Alan Rothenberg, Alexi Lalas

Summary

"Alan Rothenberg was just what soccer needed in the 1990s. Like any true visionary, he had the ability to look around corners and peer into the future and see things that others didn't."
— Alexi Lalas, from his foreword

A whirlwind, insider account of soccer's hard-won growth in the United States as told by industry veteran and Major League Soccer founder Alan Rothenberg

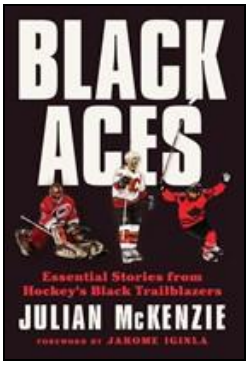
Recent years have brought home a startling truth: soccer is no longer an also-ran among top U.S. sports. How did we get here? How did we go from having multiple professional soccer leagues flounder to having Major League Soccer prove to its doubters that it's here to stay? How did we evolve from barely having a Women's National Team to a golden era of women's soccer with a captivating style of play, great stars, and unforgettable moments?

It took great belief as well as power, tenacity, and and a willingness to approach the sport through the lens of big business.

In the crucial fifteen years when US soccer made its most important moves—from 1984 to 1999—the pivotal figure behind the scenes was Alan Rothenberg: soccer comm...

Contributor Bio

Alan Rothenberg was Soccer Commissioner for the 1984 Olympics, Chairman and CEO of the 1994 FIFA World Cup, founder of the U.S. Soccer Foundation, founder of Major League Soccer, and Chairman of the 1999 FIFA Women's World Cup. Off the pitch, he was Alternative Governor for the L.A. Lakers, President of the L.A. Clippers, founder of 1st Century Bank, cofounder of Premier Partnerships, President of the State Bar of California, Chairman of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, President of the Los Angeles Airport Commission, and currently chairs the Los Angeles Tourism Board.



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Black Aces

Essential Stories from Hockey's Black Trailblazers

Julian McKenzie

Summary

An essential collection of stories from notable Black hockey players, personalities and people

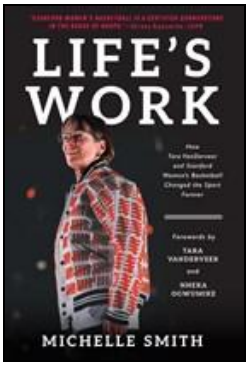
The game of hockey has long been considered a predominantly white sport in nearly every facet of its being. But if you look through the annals of the game, you will find Black players who have created longstanding hockey moments. We know — or think we know — these people as hockey players. But do we know how they got here as people? And what about the multitude of factors that have helped shape who they are?

Black Aces tells these stories, going deeper than what has previously been covered in traditional media. The Athletic's Julian McKenzie talks to Hall of Famers, Olympic Gold medalists, World Champions, Stanley Cup playoff heroes, and auteurs of hockey history. Completing this modern portrait are the voices of up-and-coming players who look toward the future and defining moments of their own.

Includes conversations with Jarome Iginla, Grant Fuhr, Sarah Nurse, P.K. Subban, Georges Laraque, Anson Carter, Blake Bolden, and more

Contributor Bio

Julian McKenzie is an NHL staff writer for The Athletic and the co-host of the Chris Johnston Show with hockey insider Chris Johnston. McKenzie also has bylines in the *New York Times*, FiveThirtyEight, the *Montreal Gazette* and the Canadian Press among other publications. McKenzie has also appeared on TSN, Sportsnet, CBC, CTV, ESPN Radio, NHL Network and other platforms.



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Life's Work

How Tara VanDerveer and Stanford Women's Basketball Changed the Sport

Michelle Smith

Summary

The definitive story of Tara VanDerveer, Stanford women's basketball, and an unmatched legacy of excellence

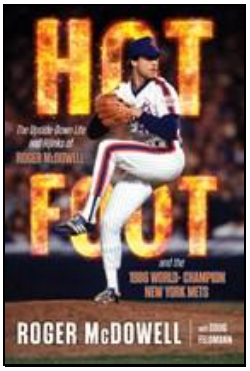
By the time Tara Vanderveer stepped down from nearly four decades at the helm of Stanford women's basketball, she had surpassed both Pat Summitt and Mike Krzyzewski to become the winningest head coach in NCAA college basketball history. Along the way, she'd led the Cardinal to three national championships and 14 Final Fours, and served as head coach for the 1996 Team USA Olympic team that was a launching pad for professional women's basketball.

How did this upstate New York native whose own antiquated basketball experience was a reflection of the limited opportunities available to women in sports prior to Title IX, whose first coaching job was her sister's recreation league team, become a legend, a Hall of Famer and a standard-bearer for excellence and success?

Retracing countless seminal moments in Stanford Cardinal history, *Life's Work* details the construction and maintenance of an elite women's program and an unmatched legacy in sports. VanDerveer built upon a foundation of rel...

Contributor Bio

Michelle Smith has covered women's basketball for nearly three decades, a journey that began when she was assigned to report on her first Stanford women's basketball game in 1995. She was the first-ever women's basketball columnist for CBSSportsLine and ESPN.com, served as a Stanford beat writer for the San Francisco Examiner and San Francisco Chronicle, and has also written for publications including the New York Times, Washington Post, The Athletic and SLAM Magazine.



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Hot Foot

My Hijinks and Upside-Down Life with the World Champion New York Mets

Roger McDowell, Doug Feldmann

Summary

Roger McDowell dishes on everything from the New York Mets to Seinfeld in this lively new memoir

Over the course of Roger McDowell's twelve-year career in Major League Baseball, the laughs were never in short supply. His teammates were always on guard, careful not to become the next victim of his dreaded "Hot Foot."

McDowell's fun-loving nature, however, was matched only by his tenacity on the pitching mound. Praised as a "battler" and a "gamer" by those same pranked teammates, Roger was all business when he went out between the lines. Priding himself on toughness and reliability, McDowell's 723 big league appearances from 1985 to 1996 were exceeded only by Lee Smith during those years. Responding to every challenge even on the grandest of stages, he helped the irascible 1986 New York Mets fight their way past other teams – and each other – toward a World Series title.

Now, forty years later, Roger discusses his earliest beginnings in the game, his climb to professional baseball, and then brings the reader onto the 1986 Mets' roster for all the bus rides, dugout jokes, and locker room a...

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Your Detroit Tigers

The Great, the Good, and the Neither

Tom Gage, Alex Avila

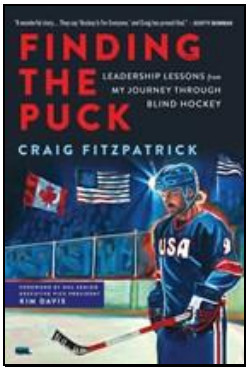
Summary

Longtime scribe Tom Gage teams up with retired catcher Alex Avila in this rigorous yet spirited dive into Detroit Tigers history

Contributor Bio

Starting in 1976, **Tom Gage** covered more than 5,000 Detroit Tigers games in 36-plus years as a baseball beat writer. He was honored with the Baseball Writers Association's J.G. Taylor Spink Award, now the Career Excellence Award, in 2015 at the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum in Cooperstown, New York. The following year he was inducted into the Michigan Sports Hall of Fame and, in 2020, into the Michigan Journalism Hall of Fame. He's been the recipient of multiple career achievement awards and twice was named Michigan Sportswriter of the Year. This is his fifth book. Gage and his wife, Lisa, have a grown son and two grandchildren.

Alex Avila is a former Major League Baseball catcher who played from 2009 to 2021, most notably with the Detroit Tigers.



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Finding the Puck

Leadership Lessons from My Journey Through Blind Hockey

Craig Fitzpatrick

Summary

Ice hockey has long been considered one of the most dangerous sports. It's full-contact, played at high speeds on freshly sharpened blades while chasing a small puck. Despite the physical and visual demands, ice hockey is also the only professional sport to have a blind league.

Craig Fitzpatrick is nearly completely blind but has taught over 300 blind adults and children to play ice hockey at a competitive level. As a member of the US Blind Hockey team, he competed at the international level, studied the game under NHL trainers, and brought disability awareness to the forefront through his Try Blind Hockey program that partners with NHL teams.

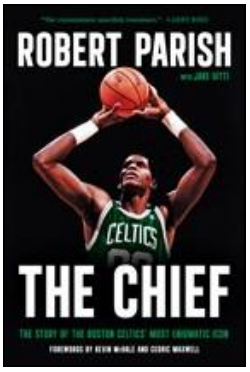
Part inspirational memoir, part leadership parable, *Finding the Puck* traces Fitzpatrick's experience of losing his sight but finding himself once again after improbably lacing up his old skates. What follows is a journey of openness, humility, ambition, and advocacy that has served him on the ice as well as on the cutting-edge of the business world.

Readers are invited for the first time into this community of blind hockey, where resilience, trus...

Contributor Bio

Craig Fitzpatrick played forward for the U.S. Blind Hockey Team, competing across North America. He has helped found numerous blind hockey teams. Craig is a longtime Colorado Avalanche fan and trained in Colorado during his competitive hockey career.

He graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy and served five years in the U.S. Air Force before being diagnosed with Stargardt disease, leading to his near-complete blindness and 100 percent service-related disability. He is currently the chief innovation officer at Akira Technologies, an AI and cybersecurity technology company in Washington, D.C.



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The Chief

Robert Parish, Jake Uitti

Summary

A memoir of basketball, dedication, and longevity from Boston Celtics legend Robert Parish

Growing up in the heart of Louisiana, Robert Parish and his three younger siblings played baseball, football, and tennis—but never basketball. Still, by seventh grade, Parish stood 6'6" and couldn't escape the attention of Coleman Kidd, the junior high basketball coach who saw potential before Parish could see it in himself. And though he was the worst player on the team that first season—handed the last jersey left, No. 00—it would become the number that now hangs in the Boston Garden rafters.

In *The Chief*, the famously reserved Parish opens up for the first time about the full scope of his life—from attending a predominantly white high school during the uneasy years of integration to becoming the anchor of one of the greatest teams in NBA history. With honesty, humility, and plenty of dry humor, Parish reflects on his start with the Golden State Warriors and his trade to Boston, the years alongside Larry Bird and Kevin McHale, the Celtics' epic rivalries of the 1980s, and the later years with ...

Contributor Bio

Robert Parish played in the National Basketball Association from 1976 to 1997, including 14 years with the Boston Celtics. A four-time NBA champion, he was inducted into the Basketball Hall of Fame in 2003 and named to the NBA's 75th Anniversary Team in 2021.

Jake Uitti is a writer whose work has appeared in publications like *Interview* magazine, *Vanity Fair*, *American Songwriter* magazine, *The Washington Post*, and *The Seattle Times*. He is the co-author of memoirs with Muggsy Bogues, Michael Cooper, and several more NBA icons.



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Ron Shandler's 2026 Baseball Forecaster *(40th Edition)*

And Encyclopedia of Fanalytics

Brent Hershey, Brandon Kruse, Ray Murphy, Ron Shandler

Summary

For more than 35 years, the very best in baseball predictions and statistics

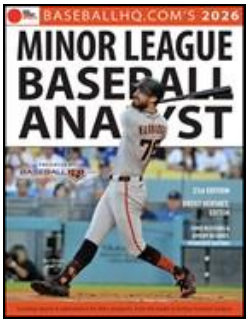
The industry's longest-running publication for baseball analysts and fantasy leaguers, *Ron Shandler's Baseball Forecaster*, published annually since 1986, is the first book to approach prognostication by breaking performance down into its component parts.

Rather than predicting batting average, for instance, this resource looks at the elements of skill that make up any given batter's ability to distinguish between balls and strikes, his propensity to make contact with the ball, and what happens when he makes contact—reverse engineering those skills back into batting average.

The result is an unparalleled forecast of baseball abilities and trends for the upcoming season and beyond.

Contributor Bio

Brent Hershey is the managing editor of www.BaseballHQ.com. He was honored in 2009 by the Fantasy Sports Writer Association for the Best Fantasy Baseball Article in a Print Publication. He lives in Philadelphia. **Brandon Kruse** has contributed to BaseballHQ.com since 2005, is a Twins fan pinning his hopes on the futures of Buxton and Sano, and lives in the Minneapolis area with his wife and two kids. **Ray Murphy** is the managing director of www.BaseballHQ.com. He lives in Boston. **Ron Shandler** was the first baseball analyst to develop sabermetric applications for fantasy league play.



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2026 Minor League Baseball Analyst *(20th Edition)*

Rob Gordon, Jeremy Deloney, Brent Hershey

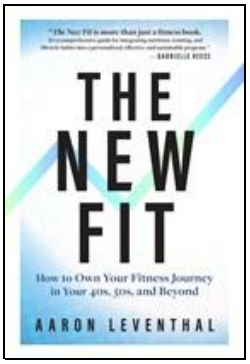
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Contributor Bio

Jeremy Deloney is in his eighth year with *Baseball HQ*. He appears daily during the season with the minor league call-up reports. **Rob Gordon** has been a minor league analyst for *Baseball HQ* since 2003. He writes the weekly "Minor League News and Scouting" column and lives in Detroit. **Brent Hershey** is the managing editor of www.BaseballHQ.com. He was honored in 2009 by the Fantasy Sports Writer Association for the Best Fantasy Baseball Article in a Print Publication. He lives in Philadelphia.



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The New Fit

How To Own Your Fitness Journey in Your 40s, 50s, and Beyond

Aaron Leventhal

Summary

Break through the plateau and curate a meaningful, impactful fitness experience with this science-based approach to exercise and wellness over the age of 40.

After 40, the average person loses 7% of lean muscle mass each decade, and performance can drop by up to 5% per year. No matter how much you love your movement practice—whether it's running, pilates, or spin classes—your body isn't responding like it used to in your 20s and 30s; you aren’t getting leaner, faster or stronger.

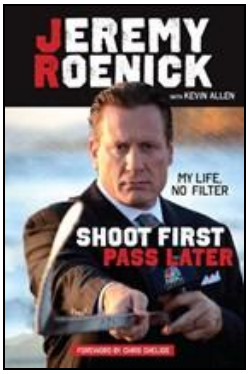
You are not alone. The truth is that as we age, we have different needs from our fitness practice, and fitness after 40 is anything but a one-size-fits-all proposition. It’s about learning to curate the right plan for you based on individual factors and normative data.

In *The New Fit*, fitness coach and former professional athlete Aaron Leventhal offers a clear path forward built on the concepts of connection, education, and progression. Leventhal breaks down popular myths from modern consumer fitness programs, while teaching the science, the reason, the “why” behind exercise.

Based on best practices developed o...

Contributor Bio

Aaron Leventhal played professional soccer for the USL's Minnesota Thunder for eight years, then went on to become a conditioning coach for the Thunder and later for the Major League Soccer Team Minnesota United for 15 years. He has worked with athletes on the U.S. Olympic Ski team, as well as individual NHL and NFL athletes. In 2002, he founded Fit Studios and has served more than 20,000 clients over two decades. Leventhal also spent time as the senior director of the largest fitness chain in the world at Self Esteem Brands, where he worked to integrate personal training and group fitness operations to all domestic AnyTime Fitness gyms.



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Shoot First, Pass Later

My Life, No Filter

Jeremy Roenick, Kevin Allen

Summary

In this honest, no-nonsense book by one of the greatest American stars the NHL has ever known, Jeremy Roenick showcases his skill as a hockey storyteller

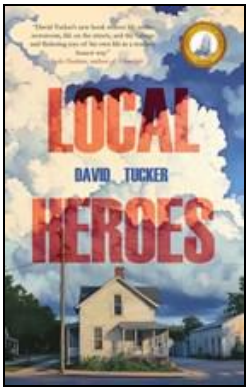
With his one-of-a-kind flair, Roenick shares stories from his 20-year career with the Chicago Blackhawks, Phoenix Coyotes, Philadelphia Flyers, Los Angeles Kings, and San Jose Sharks, providing an inside perspective on the oddities of life as a pro athlete. He explains why he openly considered the pros and cons of fighting a fan, opens up about tales of partying on road trips, and even how he became friends with former Vice President Dan Quayle. In one chapter, Roenick lends the pen to his wife, Tracy, to tell her side of the story.

Revised and updated following Roenick's induction into the Hockey Hall of Fame, nothing is held back as J. R. reveals his opinions about teammates, opponents, and the future of the game.

Contributor Bio

Jeremy Roenick is a member of the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame and one of only four American-born players to score 500 or more career NHL goals. He was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 2024.

Kevin Allen is the author or coauthor of more than a dozen sports books, including *Brett: His Own Story*, *Star-Spangled Hockey: Celebrating 75 Years of USA Hockey*, and *Without Fear: Hockey's 50 Greatest Goaltenders*. He lives in Ypsilanti, Michigan.



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Local Heroes

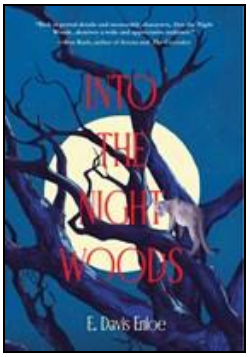
David Tucker

Summary

" David Tucker celebrates the incandescence of the every day, and raises the ordinary to art— a telephone as quiet as an heirloom, the stillness tended like wheat— even as he mourns the quickness of time passing. There are gems on every page, in every line, in poems full of pathos and humor and longing. And always, the last words linger, still shimmering with a reverence for life amidst all the losses." — Amy Nutt, Pulitzer Prize winning author

Contributor Bio

This is David Tucker' s third collection of poems. His first book, Late for Work, won the Bakeless Poetry Prize, selected by Philip Levine, and was published by Houghton Mifflin. He also won a national chapbook contest held by Slapering Hol Press, for Days When Nothing Happens. He was awarded a Witter Bynner Fellowship by the Library of Congress, selected by Donald Hall. He studied under Robert Hayden at the University of Michigan. Tucker' s poems have appeared in numerous magazines, including Ploughshares, Mississippi Review, North American Review, Lascaux Review, Narrative, Southern Humanities



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Fiction / Southern
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Into the Night Woods

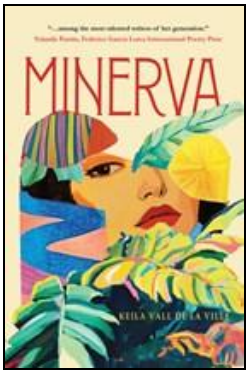
E. Davis Enloe

Summary

In the heart of the North Carolina Appalachians, a summer of escape becomes a fight for survival in this gripping thriller. Thirteen-year-old Boyd is sent to his grandfather' s farm after a schoolyard fight, where he' s expected to spend the summer working the land and praying. But Boyd has other plans. Alongside Roger, Boyd embarks on an adventure to find an abandoned trestle and explore a cave with personal significance. Their journey is fraught with obstacles— Boyd' s overbearing grandfather, Roger' s violent alcoholic father, a corrupt sheriff, and even a dangerous cougar that seems to be stalking them all summer. As the adults and institutions around him fail, Boyd is pushed to lie, steal, and risk everything for Roger' s safety. When the boys finally escape to their secret haven— the trestle cave— Boyd discovers the truth about trust, betrayal, and the painful cost of protecting those we love. In the end, the adventure he craves brings with it unimaginable loss, forcing him to confront the darkness within the world...and himself.

Contributor Bio

E. Davis Enloe as a MFA from Converse College, Spartanburg, SC. His poetry has been published in literary journals such as Barrow Street, Main Street Rag, and Cold Mountain. His fiction has been featured in the Chariton Review, Broad River Review (Honorable Mention, Ron Rash Award in Fiction), The Saint Ann' s Review, Hunger Mountain Online (Honorable Mention Howard Frank Mosher Short Fiction Prize), and most recently featured in Appalachian Review (Finalist, Denny C. Plattner Award).



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Minerva

Keila Vall de la Ville

Summary

Minerva tells the story of a girl raised in a patriarchal, politically divided country, where her unique family is both a source of strength and a symbol of defiance. As the only child in a queer, multi-partnered family— two fathers and a mother— Minerva' s personal freedoms stand in stark contrast to the rigid authoritarianism of public life. When a political event threatens her life, Minerva is forced to flee her homeland and seek refuge in New York City. As she begins to navigate her new, isolated life, her mother is kidnapped in Caracas and her world is turned upside down. Determined to reunite with her family, Minerva returns home, only to realize that the looming threat of losing her mother has shown her the ultimate truth: love is the only thing that truly matters.

Contributor Bio

Keila Vall de la Ville is a five times awarded author of the novels Minerva (2023/2026); Los dí as animales/The Animal Days (2016/2021); the short stories Ana no duerme (2007), Ana no duerme y otros cuentos (2016) and Enero es el mes má s largo (2021); the poetry books Viaje legado (2016) and Perseo en si Bemol (2023); and the chronicles El dí a en que Corre Lola Corre dejó sin aire a Murakami (2022). Anthropologist with MAs from NYU and Columbia University, editor, literary translator and columnist



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A Confluence of Strangers

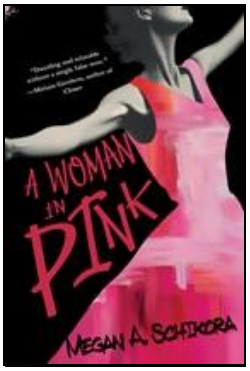
Michael Strelow

Summary

In a quiet, unassuming town, three strangers find their lives intertwined by an event that seems anything but ordinary— an unsettling murder that casts a long shadow over the community. As the story unfolds, each of these three unique individuals takes their turn sharing their journey of discovering the others. What begins as a dark mystery soon reveals itself to be a tale of unexpected connections, a hidden love story, and the unraveling of one person' s deeply unusual past. At the heart of A Confluence of Strangers is an unlikely bond between Alex, an enigmatic older man with a mysterious past; Anna, a café owner seeking refuge after a high-pressure career in government; and Leon, a thoughtful university professor with a passion for literature. As their shared love for good food, meaningful conversation, and a thrilling mystery pulls them together, they find that their differences are the very thing that unites them in a story of redemption and discovery. This poignant novel celebrates the transformative power of friendship and love, offering a powerful reminder that even in the fa...

Contributor Bio

Fullbright scholar and emeritus professor of English at Willamette University, Michael Strelow is the author of The Greening of Ben Brown, a finalist for the Ken Kesey Novel Prize, Henry: A Novel of Beer and Love in the West, Some Assembly Required. nominated for the Arthur C. Clarke Award in science fiction, and The Moby-Dick Blues. He has also published several middle grade books, poetry, short stories, and creative non-fiction in many literary magazines such as Orchid Magazine, Oregon Quarterly, Sou' wester, CutBank, Northwest Review, Kansas Quarterly, Mid-west Poetry Review, Poetry Midwest, Bellingham Review, Willow Springs, and others.



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A Woman in Pink

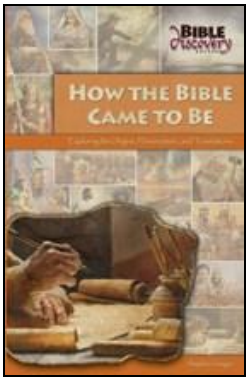
Megan A Schikora

Summary

In A Woman in Pink, an unnamed woman recounts her deeply intertwined relationship with Dutch, a man she meets in her twenties and immediately loves. Dutch tells her he has distanced himself from the substance-fueled chaos that once consumed him, while she explains she has left her eating disorder in the past. Together, they convince themselves they' ve outrun their darkest histories. But over the span of their fifteen-year relationship, those shadows loom large, influencing their bond in ways they never expected. She wants to free herself from the turmoil of addiction. She also wants to believe that Dutch is her Johnny Cash, that she is his June Carter, and that theirs is a great love story. When their histories and choices finally collide, she is forced to confront everything she thought she knew about love, identity, and what it means to truly heal.

Contributor Bio

Megan A. Schikora' s short stories and personal essays have appeared in numerous publications, most recently Exacting Clam, Midway Journal, Change Seven, Hidden Peak Press, and F(r)iction, whose 2022 Short Story Contest she won with her story " Sticks and Stones." Her debut novel A Woman in Pink was a Writing Award Short List choice for the Page Turner Awards and is forthcoming with Regal House Publishing in 2026. She lives in Michigan with her daughter.



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How the Bible Came to Be

Exploring Its Origins, Preservation, and Translations

Stephen Geiger

Summary

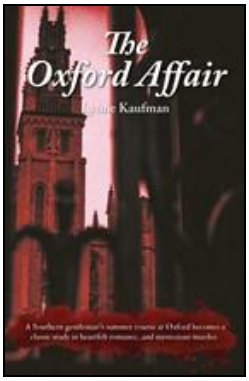
Can we trust that a collection of 66 books written by many different authors over a time period that spans many centuries is really God's message to us? Can we trust that the manuscripts we have today, based on scrolls copied by hand, are accurate? What about the translations? Can we have confidence in them?

The answers have eternal consequences. Not one to step away from hard questions, in this insightful book, author Steven Geiger invites you to explore the origins of the Biblical texts, the preservation of those texts, and the challenges of translating accurately the message originally expressed in ancient languages.

After reading this book, you will have a much clearer picture of how the Bible we have today came to be. You will be well-equipped to answer those important questions for yourself and others.

Contributor Bio

At the time of this writing, Stephen Geiger is a professor of New Testament and Christian Education at the seminary level. He has his Ph.D. in Classical and Ancient Near Eastern Studies from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Stephen and his wife, Anna, have six children.



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Fiction / Mystery & Detective

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The Oxford Affair

Lynne Kaufman

Summary

When Susan Klein arrives in Oxford to direct an elite adult summer school, she expects literary debates in a charming academic setting—not a body floating in the Thames. The victim? The College Bursar. And the police have no suspects.

Enter Nelson Sinclair, a Southern restaurateur with a sharp mind, a courtly manner, and, as it turns out, a target on his back. As a prospective donor to the college, Nelson should be enjoying quiet afternoons under the historic spires. Instead, he's dodging near-fatal "accidents" that seem ripped straight from the syllabus of the class he's taking, The English Detective Story.

With danger closing in, Nelson convinces Susan to enroll in the course, and together they embark on a hunt for the truth—one that twists through Oxford's cobbled streets, shadowy libraries, and secret societies. But as their investigation—and their undeniable attraction—intensifies, so does the peril. Could the murder of the Bursar be tied to the threats on Nelson's life? And if so, will they uncover the truth before it's too late? ...

Contributor Bio

Lynne Kaufmann ran the Oxford/Berkley summer school for 25 years, and is the author of Slow Hands, Wild Women' s Week-end, Taking Flight, and Divine Madness. The Oxford Affair is her fifth novel and is currently in consideration for film adaptation. She is also the author of twenty full length, nationally produced, and award-winning plays. Her short stories have been published regularly in McCall' s, Redbook, Cosmopolitan, and Good Housekeeping. She lives in California.



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The Skinny

A Stan Kaminski Mystery

Harold Goldberg

Summary

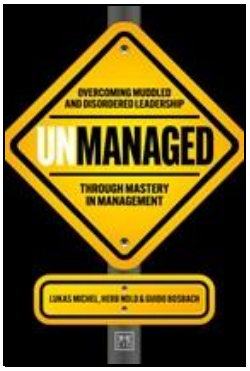
Stan Kaminski is a Polish immigrant getting by on odd jobs and inside connections, the kind that keep him close to the city's underbelly but just out of reach of real trouble. When a wealthy businessman offers him a job—finding a missing woman—Stan figures it's easy money. But the deeper he digs, the more it's clear that this isn't just another runaway case.

As Stan navigates his way through the city's darkest secrets to find the troubled Charmaine, every clue pulls him further into a world of high society excess, underground crime, and whispers of a serial killer preying on the lost.

As the bodies pile up and the truth unravels, Stan is forced to make a choice: follow the money, save Charmaine, or make it out alive. For fans of gritty noir, true crime, and the raw, electric pulse of 1990s New York, The Skinny is a razor-sharp thriller that won't let go.

Contributor Bio

Harold Goldberg is a columnist for The New York Times. He is co-author of the nonfiction book My Life Among the Serial Killers and the narrative history, All Your Base Are Belong to Us (How 50 years of Video Games Conquered Pop Culture). He is a three-time NYC Emmy Award nominee and has won the Western Publisher's Award for Best Feature Story and the New York Videogame Critics Circle Award for Best Book. He lives in New York City.



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Unmanaged

Overcoming muddled and disordered leadership through mastery in management

Lukas Michel, Herb Nold, Guido Bosbach

Summary

We've all witnessed it. Companies floundering, projects derailed, and entire organizations crippled by poor leadership. This isn't incompetence; it's "Unmanaged" – a pervasive condition where leaders muddle through, applying minimal effort, ignoring best practices, and ultimately jeopardizing the very fabric of their organizations. This book delves into the root causes of this unmanaged state and argues that mastery in management is not just desirable, it's essential for organizational success in today's dynamic world.

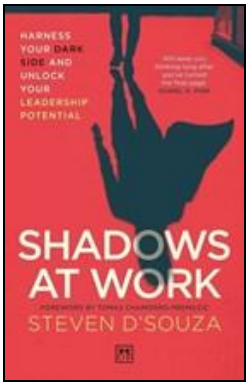
The book exposes the dangers of unmanaged companies and the devasting consequences of neglecting effective management. It guides you on the journey to management mastery to bring management practices back on track. It equips you with the tools and frameworks to develop high-performing management systems. And it challenges your assumptions about leadership and inspires you to cultivate a culture of continuous improvement. This is not just another management book. It's a wake-up call for leaders, boards and anyone who cares about organizational success.

Contributor Bio

Dr. Herb Nold is a professor of business administration at Polk College, Florida.

Lukas Michel is founder of Agility Insights, with over 30 years' senior executive experiences, supporting executives worldwide with agile management.

Guido Bosbach is an organizational consultant and thought leader.



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Shadows at Work

Harness your dark side and unlock your leadership potential

Steven D'Souza, Tomas Chamorro-Premuzic

Summary

Are you ready to unleash your full potential as a leader? In *Shadows at Work*, D'Souza invites you on a thrilling expedition into the depths of the human psyche, challenging conventional wisdom about leadership and personal growth. This isn't your typical leadership book. It involves a multifaceted exploration of the Shadow through psychological, biological, cultural and spiritual lenses. It invites you to confront uncomfortable truths about projection, defences and derailers while learning to bring your whole self to work and embrace the lessons of the Shadow life.

By acknowledging and integrating hidden traits and raising awareness of unconscious behaviour, more authentic, empathetic and effective leadership is possible. *Shadows at Work* reveals how embracing Shadows leads to profound personal and organizational transformation. This book isn't about wallowing in darkness. It's about accepting and integrating all aspects of yourself, becoming a more rounded and compassionate leader. Are you brave enough to step into the Shadows and emerge stronger on the other side?

Contributor Bio

Steven D'Souza is an educator, coach and speaker. He has authored (or co-authored) six books, including the prize-winning *Not Knowing* (LID). He was on Thinkers50's RADAR list and included in *HR Magazine's* "Most Influential" list.



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Shame the Devil

Henri Marotz

Summary

The prodigal son returns home.

The fourth book in this series is a re-imagining of Shakespeare's Henry IV Part 1, set 6 years after America has settled into a Mad Max-like world of violence and chaos.

Hal, the scared little boy that once watched outlaws murder his mother, is now old enough to be a danger… mostly to himself. Having fallen in with a group of drunken thieves, led by Falstaff, Hal wants nothing to do with his father, the president, battling to re-unify a country torn apart by local strongmen and warlords.

Blaming his father for the death of his mother Hal couldn't care less that he's a disappointment and an embarrassment and a distraction from his father's pathetic attempt to establish order.

But when a viscous army of survivalists threatens to destroy the last vestiges of America, Hal is forced to choose sides.

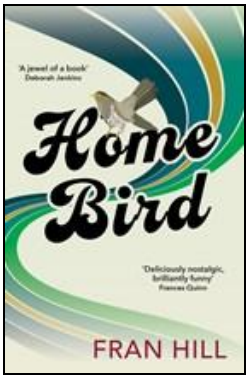
Will he put aside his anger and join his father in a fight for a cause he knows is just, or allow his darker instincts to remain in control and let anarchy rule the day?

Combining action, adventure, comedy and intrigue, Shame the Devil sets us up for the gripping concl...

Contributor Bio

Henri is an award winning playwright with a love of books in general and classical literature in particular. He enjoys taking inspiration from the classics, including Shakespeare, updating and retelling the story in a modern context while trying to retain the core truths that underpin the originals.

Pulling from works including Hamlet, Othello, Macbeth, and The Tempest, as well as works by notables such as Ibsen and Euripides, Marotz finds the "**inner core of universal truth**" in these classics and brings that truth to



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Home Bird

Fran Hill

Summary

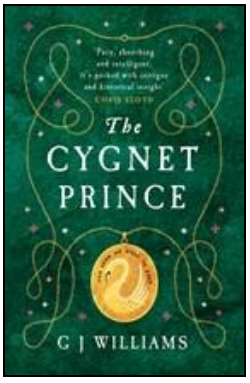
1979. Jackie Chadwick is 17 and living in a supported bedsit. She's still close to her foster parents and friends with (aka unofficial minder for) Amanda, their irresponsible daughter, but she's enjoying her independence – until a fire leaves her temporarily homeless. Jackie's dad, widower and recovering alcoholic Dave, has just been released from prison and sees this as his chance to make amends. He offers her his spare room – but can their relationship survive him going back on the booze and the arrival of his gin-loving lady friend and her errant son? As things go from bad to worse, Jackie has to decide how many chances you give someone who keeps letting you down.

Bittersweet and funny, *Home Bird* draws on Fran Hill's own experiences as a teenager in foster care.

"Fran writes with such humor and humanity, it was an absolute tonic." —Victoria Mackenzie, author, *For They Great Pain Have Mercy on My Little Pain*

Contributor Bio

Fran Hill is a self-employed English teacher and writer; this is her second full-length work of fiction. Fran's first novel, *Cuckoo in the Nest*, is based on Fran's own experience of being fostered; the novel has been shortlisted for the SoA Paul Torday Memorial Prize and was a Daily Mail Book of the Year 2022.



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The Cygnet Prince

'Williams has written yet another book that cannot be put down' Adele Jordan

G J Williams

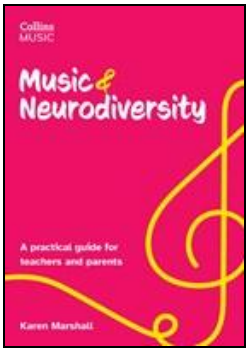
Summary

In 1561, with Elizabeth I on the throne and Catholic plots brewing, a young German prince arrives in England claiming to be the rightful heir – the son of Henry VIII and Anne of Cleves.

Armed with jewels, letters, and Tudor looks, his claim threatens to upend the dynasty. But as poison spreads and secrets unravel, astrologer John Dee and his companion Margaretta must uncover the truth behind the prince's origins. Their investigation spans England and Germany, revealing forbidden love, betrayal, and a dangerous plot with ties to the throne. Will they uncover the truth in time to save the queen?

Contributor Bio

G J Williams is a Welsh woman living in between London and Somerset. She studied psychology at university and came out with a PhD which supported a 25-year career developing talent and teams in the legal and financial sectors. A writing tutor encouraged her to write her passion and so now she combines her interests of Wales, history, and psychology to create characters and intrigue within real historical settings and events.



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Series: How to Teach Music

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Music & Neurodiversity

A practical guide for teachers and parents

Karen Marshall

Summary

This book helps you to prepare neurodivergent music students to succeed, using all the tools that are available.

Packed with practical advice for teachers and parents on how to make the learning partnership positive and productive, this book opens with a letter from the author to her former self, a young student with undiagnosed dyslexia and dyspraxia.

Throughout, there are frank, first-hand accounts from a wide range of contributors, discussing real-life challenges that have been faced in music lessons, and how they have been overcome.

Contributor Bio

Karen Marshall is a classroom, visiting and private music teacher with over 30 years' experience. Widely published, including the best-selling Get Set! series of piano method books, she specializes in working with neurodivergent students in mainstream education. A member of the British Dyslexia Association's Music Committee, Karen excels in music curriculum design that is accessible for all. Karen was diagnosed with dyslexia at the age of 38.



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Get Set! Piano

Tutor Book 2

Karen Marshall

Summary

The popular beginner instruction books for kids with fun exercises, theory and easy songs to play. An exciting new course by Heather Hammond and Karen Marshall, written specially for the 21st century child.

Using the authors' tried and tested progression, the book guides learners from Prep test to Grade 1. Provides a holistic approach to music with plenty of fun activities covering:

- Note learning
- Technique
- Aural skills
- Music theory
- Composing

Packed with favorites such as *What shall we do with a drunken sailor?*, *In the hall of the mountain king*, *Amazing grace*, *The entertainer* and engaging new tunes in contemporary styles, *Get Set! Piano Tutor Book 2* is the perfect tutor for getting to Grade 1.

Contributor Bio

Karen Marshall is a classroom, peripatetic and private music teacher working with students from 4 to 72 years of age. Her writing is steeped in her ongoing music teaching practice. Karen is Kodály trained (via the British Kodály Academy), a mother of three, former student of the late Christine Brown, who is passionate about bringing the joy of music to all her students. She is published by Collins Music, Faber Music and ABRSM Publishing, and also regularly contributes to *Music Teacher Magazine*.



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Tutor Book 1

Heather Hammond

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- Music theory
- Composing

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Contributor Bio

Karen Marshall is a classroom, visiting and private music teacher with over 30 years' experience. Widely published, including the best-selling Get Set! series of piano method books, she specializes in working with neurodivergent students in mainstream education. A member of the British Dyslexia Association's Music Committee, Karen excels in music curriculum design that is accessible for all.

Heather Hammond is a practicing piano teacher with a thriving teaching practice with students of all ages and abilities. Heather is also an educational music author and has written many books for young piano and woodwind players with pieces included in examination syllabuses for ABRSM, Trinity Guildhall and London

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Series: Get Set! Piano

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My First Piano Book

Karen Marshall, Julia Patton

Summary

The popular beginner instruction books for kids with fun exercises, theory and easy songs to play. *My First Piano Book* introduces young children to the piano and music-making through fun activities, rhymes, songs and pieces.

The author's tried-and-tested progression covers note learning, theory, aural and composing through a creative and holistic approach. Many pieces have simple teacher duet parts to encourage ensemble playing from the start, and the book is illustrated throughout in the charming Get Set! style. This carefully designed tutor will inspire, entertain and, most importantly, nurture a love of music that can last a lifetime.

Suitable for children aged 5 years and over, this book facilitates a seamless transition from pre-stave reading onto stave reading, leading effortlessly into the highly acclaimed *Get Set! Piano Tutor Book 1*.

Song list:
Hey, hey, look at me!
Engine, engine
Spider, spider
Up and down
Sausage in a pan
Soft kitten
Au clair de la lune
Music Town show time
Cuckoo
Five fat sausages
Mousey in the house
Old Mister Woodpecker
On a log
Old MacDonald



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Unknown Universe

Discover hidden wonders from deep space unveiled by the James Webb Space Telescope

Dr Mark McCaughrean, Tom Kerss, Collins Astronomy

Summary

A lens into the unexplored and unseen cosmos.
A beautiful book showcasing the most stunning images from the first years of the James Webb Space Telescope, the most powerful infrared space observatory, along with expert insights into their revelations.

Discover how these awe-inspiring images enhance our understanding of the Cosmos, and what new mysteries they unlock for astronomers.

Learn more about humanity's mission to explore the far reaches of the Universe. Discover the history and background of the JWST, its technical design (size, optical system, heat shield and orbit), how the incredible observatory's instruments work, and why its striking images look the way they do.

Tom Kerss provides accessible commentary, explaining the images in non-scientific terms whilst introducing the astronomical jargon used by the experts. He presents his own previously unpublished images, processed from real data, and presents both the answers and questions brought to light by the engine of wonder that is the James Webb Space Telescope.

Contributor Bio

Tom Kerss F.R.A.S. is an astronomer and the author of numerous bestselling books about the night sky for both adults and children. Having worked at the Royal Observatory in Greenwich for more than six years, he now shares his passion for the stars with people all over the world, delivering courses, podcasts and media interviews. Tom loves nothing more than to seek out the darkest and most beautiful skies on Earth, but he does most of his stargazing from his home in London. Find out more about Tom’s projects at tomkerss.co.uk.



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Formula 1 Cars

The greatest F1 cars from 1950 to the present day

Maurice Hamilton, Martin Brundle OBE, Collins Books

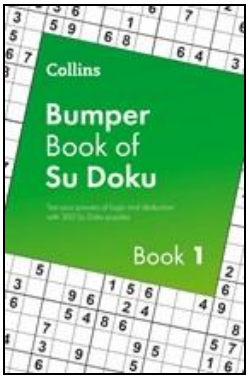
Summary

Maurice Hamilton covers the technical specifications of the cars and pulls out the amazing stories behind the pictures to appeal to every true Formula 1 fan and lovers of the Grand Prix and motor sport.

Get the inside story on the teams, the designers, famous drivers and the memorable races they were involved in plus the amazing tracks they raced on.

Contributor Bio

Maurice Hamilton is one the most respected motor racing journalists on the circuit. A writer for the Observer and Motorsport News, he is also the sport’s correspondent on BBC Radio 5 Live. His previous books include the Autocourse annual and collaborations with Eddie Irvine and the Jordan and Stewart racing teams. He has followed Ken Tyrrell’s career since 1977, having written press releases for the Tyrrell team from 1976 to 1979 as well as several features on his life.



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Contributor Bio

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Poetry / Women Authors

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Everybody Knows a Ghost

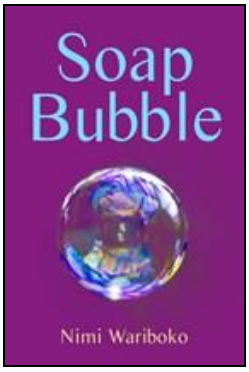
Elana Wolff

Summary

In these rhythmic lyric pieces, ghosts appear as indications, veils and shades, shadows and chance—in illness, art, nature and relationship; in the nebulousness of memory. Hosts of soul, self, and other. In *Everybody Knows a Ghost*, knowing denotes a closeness where there's space for struggle and fumbling, interplay and change. For when has it ever been unhuman to morph, perish, linger, or reappear.

Contributor Bio

Elana Wolff is the author of eight collections of poetry and a collection of essays on poems. She has also co-authored, with the late Malca Litovitz, a collection of rengas and co-translated, with Menachem Wolff, poems from the Hebrew by Georg Mordechai Langer. Elana's poems and creative nonfiction pieces are widely published in Canada and internationally and have garnered awards. She has taught English for Academic Purposes at York University in Toronto and at The Hebrew University in Jerusalem. She currently lives and works in Thornhill, Ontario. Elana's collection, *Swoon* (Guernica Editions, 2020), received the 2020 Canadian Jewish Literary Award for Poetry. Her latest book, *Faithfully Seeking Franz* (Guernica Editions, 2023), a cross-genre quest for dead mentor, Prague modernist author Franz Kafka, is the recipient of the 2024 Canadian Jewish Literary Award in the category of Jewish Thought and Culture.



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Soap Bubble

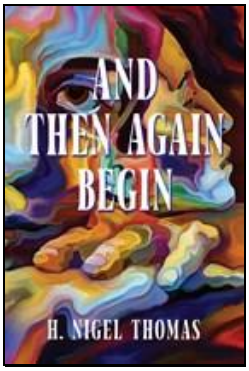
Nimi Wariboko

Summary

Soap bubbles symbolize aesthetics, fascination, joyfulness, playfulness, and even the transience of life. These fragile transparent pieces confront us with the contradictions of life: the relentless conjunction of gain and loss, happiness and sadness, present and past, plenitude and lack. Rich in forms and styles, *Soap Bubble* intimates the creative and destructive movements of human co-existence, bearing witness to the caducity, rhythm, and happiness of life. In this collection of poems that is lyrical and enterprising, Nimi Wariboko demands that we engage the mystical, mystique, misery, and mundane that are in every human society. Terse and light on the eyes, his poems explore the familiar terrains of life's twists and turns with subtlety and novel insights, affirming and celebrating the soap-bubbly life that is superbly human.

Contributor Bio

Nimi Wariboko is a public intellectual, poet, and philosopher. He is the Walter G. Muelder Professor of Social Ethics and Director of African Studies at Boston University, United States. Wariboko is a writer of profound knowledge, a poet of emotional depth, and a master of lyrical, accessible, and spare lines. He is a transtylistic poet.



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And Then Again Begin

H. Nigel Thomas

Summary

Millington and Jay, two very discreet, middle-aged men living in Montreal, are in the fourth year of a marriage that seems idyllic to their friends. But the marriage is hidden from their parents, who live in St Vincent, and it is fraught with Millington's problems from untreated trauma and his former career as a Methodist minister. *And Then Again Begin* (volume 4 of *The No Safeguards Quartet*) reveals their surprising discoveries as they attempt to resolve these problems.

Contributor Bio

H. Nigel Thomas came to Canada from St Vincent and the Grenadines in 1968. He is a retired professor of U.S. literature, the author of numerous essays and fourteen books, as well as the founder and co-host of Lectures Logos Readings. His books tend to focus on queer themes, parent-child relationships in Canada and the Caribbean, and the plethora of issues central to Afro-Caribbean and African Canadian existence. He has received many awards, including the 2022 Canada Council John Molson Prize for the Arts.



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The Love of Man

Hélène Rioux, Jonathan Kaplansky

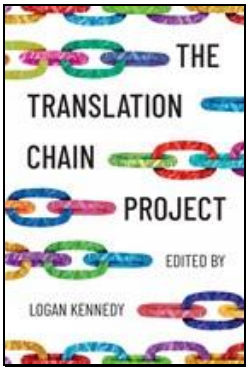
Summary

Éléonore in three phases: twelve weeks in Corsica, twelve days in Andalusia, twelve hours in Montreal. Don Juan in three incarnations: in Corsica, he's Clément, a ladies' man who's fading fast; in Andalusia, he's Don Miguel Mañara, who dreamed of seducing a thousand and two women; in Montreal, he's Byron and his last unfinished poem. Love, its truth and its lies. Life and death hovering over us.

Contributor Bio

Hélène Rioux has published poetry, short stories, translations, and novels popular both in France and Quebec. She received the Prix France-Québec and the Prix Ringuet de l'Académie des Lettres du Québec for Mercredi soir au Bout du monde (translated by Jonathan Kaplansky as Wednesday Night at the End of the World). She has been a finalist for the Governor General's Literary Award six times.

Jonathan Kaplansky is a literary translator of French in Montreal and won a French Voices Award to translate Nobel Prize winner Annie Ernaux's *Things Seen* and was shortlisted for the David Booth Award for Jonathan Bécotte's *Like a Hurricane*. He has also translated works *Hélène Dorion*, *Lise Gauvin*, *Louis- Philippe Hébert*, *Hélène Rioux* and *Lise Tremblay*.



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The Translation Chain Project

Logan Kennedy

Summary

The Translation Chain Project grew out of a question: what would happen if a short, poetic piece of prose were translated again and again, with the previous translation always used as the basis for the next translation? It certainly sounds like a set-up for the kind of distortion you might find in a game of telephone. However, with seven accomplished translators working with English, Mi'kmaw, German, French, Italian, and Scottish Gaelic, the project showed how human minds can keep a text alive and well. But then came a second question: how would machine translation do by comparison?

Contributor Bio

Logan Kennedy is a translator and writer from Nova Scotia. With her husband Leonhard Unglaub, she has translated plays, poetry, essays on art and architecture, exhibition texts for major museums in Germany and around the world, academic articles and books, and film subtitles. Her creative writing includes poetry and plays.



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Manifesting by Design

Karen Curry Parker

Summary

Prepare to transform your life in 2021! Every year Human Design delivers a 365-day creative cycle that assists with releasing what no longer serves you and allows for a conscious increase of creative energy as you grow and evolve. This weekly guide is designed to give you a way to harness the Celestial energy supporting you in creating what you want in your life in 2021. Using weekly affirmations, writing assignments, and Emotional Freedom Techniques (EFT) setup phrases, gain knowledge on: How the weekly Celestial weather influences your life How to explore the theme of each of the 64 Human Design Gates as they activate each week.How to work deliberately with the core human archetypes held in the energy code of each Gate.Understanding the message and lesson of the moon phases and eclipse events throughout the year. Using creative processes to integrate the new awareness gained from each week's processes. It takes awareness and deliberate action to live the highest potential of your unique Human Design. Re-connect with the True Story of Who You Are and explore the power and possibilit...

Contributor Bio

Dr. Karen Curry Parker is a #1 best-selling author, Human Design specialist, trainer, professional speaker, and creator of Quantum Human DesignTM and the Quantum Alignment SystemTM. She has been a high-performance life and business coach for more than 30 years and has coached over 10,000 people and taught thousands more.



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First 1000 Days

How Your Baby's Gut Microbes Shape Lifelong Health

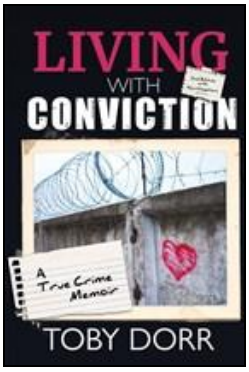
Savita Srivastava

Summary

Renowned gastroenterologist Dr. Savita Srivastava reveals a revolutionary truth: your child's lifelong health is largely determined in their first 1,000 days— not by genes, but by gut bacteria. Drawing from cutting-edge research and her experience as both physician and mother of a child with food allergies, Dr. Srivastava explains how modern practices disrupt the delicate bacterial ecosystem that shapes your baby's immune system and brain development. The alarming rise in allergies, autoimmune diseases, and autism may trace back to this hidden gut health crisis. This essential guide provides a practical roadmap for nurturing your child's internal ecosystem during this critical window when the microbiome is most malleable. From birth choices to feeding methods, each decision impacts your child's health trajectory. Dr. Srivastava empowers parents with knowledge standard medical care often overlooks— potentially preventing chronic diseases before they begin.

Contributor Bio

Dr. Savita Srivastava is a Board-Certified Yale-trained gastroenterologist who has served as an assistant professor at Duke University and a staff physician at the University of Virginia Health. Under the auspices of the National Institutes of Health training programs, she has conducted research and published work in autoimmune liver disease and served as a study physician for the NIH Clinical Research Network in fatty liver.



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Living with Conviction

A True Crime Memoir

Toby Dorr

Summary

2nd Edition on the 20th Anniversary of Prison Break

This updated edition includes new chapters based on Toby's final communications with John before his suicide, revealing the tragic conclusion to their extraordinary story.

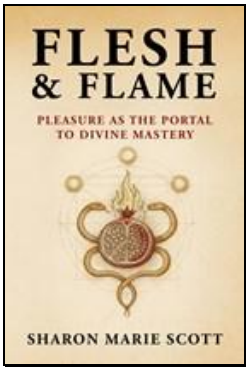
The true story of the Lifetime movie, Jailbreak Lovers. For true crime enthusiasts, Toby Dorr's memoir is a must-read. It offers a rare insight into the complexities and nuances of criminal behavior, and the impact it has on those who find themselves caught up in it. However, the memoir is not just a tale of crime and punishment. It is a story of resilience and transformation, and an inspiring reminder that redemption is always possible.

Toby's memoir is a remarkable true story that recounts her aiding a convicted murderer's escape from prison. Her memoir goes beyond the sensationalism of the headline-grabbing escape and offers a unique perspective on the criminal justice system. Her story delves deep into the psychological and emotional challenges of incarceration, as well as the healing and transformative power of resilience. She bares her so...

Contributor Bio

Toby Dorris a writer, speaker, and fierce advocate for criminal justice reform whose own journey from prison to purpose has shaped her mission of helping others find grace, healing, and transformation. Once known as "The Dog Lady" for founding a prison dog program—Toby discovered the power of second chances firsthand.

After serving time in federal prison for helping convicted murderer John Manard escape from prison, Toby emerged with a deeper understanding of the systems that both break and rebuild lives. She channeled this experience into her memoir *Living with Conviction* and now helps women break free from emotional imprisonment and reclaim their stories.



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Flesh and Flame

Pleasure as the Portal to Divine Mastery

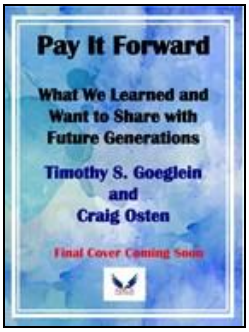
Sharon Marie Scott

Summary

"Flesh & Flame" is Sharon Marie Scott's memoir-based spiritual guide exploring pleasure as a path to spiritual awakening and sovereignty. The book chronicles her journey from childhood sexual trauma and limiting beliefs about love to embodied empowerment and spiritual integration. Structured in five parts— Awakening, Reclamation, Mastery, Sacred Union, and The Invitation— Scott weaves personal experiences with practical exercises to guide readers through their own transformation. She introduces the framework of Sacred Union at three levels: with Self (self-acceptance), with Other (non-possessive relationships), and with All (transcending separation). Central to her philosophy is "The Pleasure Code," teaching that pleasure isn't merely physical indulgence but a divine force that dissolves fear, expands trust, and leads to sovereignty. Through embodiment practices, rituals, and guided activations, Scott offers readers tools to reclaim their desires, release shame, and embrace pleasure as sacred spiritual practice.

Contributor Bio

Sharon Marie Scott is a transformational guide, medicine woman, and multidimensional healer. She helps spiritual trailblazers harness their erotic and intuitive gifts to live radically sovereign lives. Known for bridging esoteric wisdom with embodied practices, she works with conscious leaders, creatives, and changemakers ready to break from convention and align with their deepest soul desires.



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Pay It Forward

What We Learned and Want to Share with Future Generations

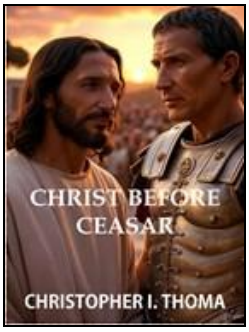
Timothy Goeglein, Craig Osten

Summary

Tim and Craig look at the lessons they learned from their parents— good and bad, as well as the lifelong importance of personal and professional relationships, learning how to treat the opposite sex with dignity and respect, avoiding wrong choices, managing money effectively, the importance of serving others, and the essential role faith has played in their lives. Their hope is to pay forward the priceless lessons learned in the journey of their lives to help the next generation prosper and bless those around them.

Contributor Bio

Tim Goeglein champions God’ s welcomed role in the public square. His years of public service and private initiative have been devoted to faith, freedom, and family. Tim is the Vice President for External and Government Relations at Focus on the Family in Washington. He is married to Jenny and they have two sons. Craig Osten has more than forty years of experience working for non-profit organizations in executive level positions. He has served as co-author and managing editor on numerous books for best-selling authors as well as written op-eds on a wide variety of current events. He has also worked as a political reporter, with various government leaders on numerous public policy matters, served on numerous non-profit boards and as an elder in his local church.



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Christ Before Caesar

Faithful Public Witness in an Age of Retreat

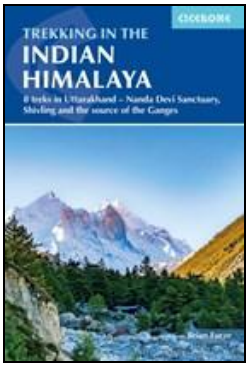
Christopher I Thoma

Summary

In Christ Before Caesar, Thoma addresses the waning influence of Christianity in America, calling for a bold reengagement in the public square. Through theological insight, historical analysis, and personal anecdotes—such as his daughter’s encounter with biased classroom material—Thoma exposes how secular narratives mischaracterize Christian conviction as a threat. He critiques the Church’s internal compromises and external pressures, urging believers to resist cultural lies with the truth of the Gospel. From the Founding Fathersto modern challenges, Thoma argues for a courageous, Christ-centered presence in civic life. Anchored in the biblical truth, this book equips pastors, laypeople, and conservative Christians to navigate a secularizing world with clarity and conviction. With pastoral reflections and a call to action, Christ Before Caesar is a rallying cry for those committed to religious liberty and cultural engagement.

Contributor Bio

Dr. Christopher I. Thoma, a key voice in Church-State issues, serves as executive director of The Body of Christ and the Public Square. He authored the four-volume devotional The Cruciform Way, Ten Ways to Kill a Pastor, and the satirical five-volume The Angels’ Portion: A Clergyman’s Whisky Narrative.



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Trekking in the Indian Himalaya

8 treks in Uttarakhand - Nanda Devi Sanctuary, Shivling and the source of the Ganges

Brian Furze

Summary

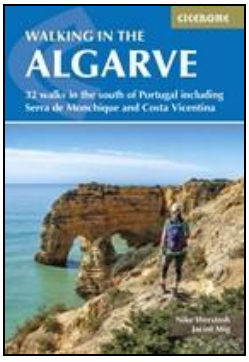
A guidebook to trekking in the Uttarakhand region of the Indian Himalaya. These 8 guided routes are graded according to difficulty and include forest trails, gorge walks, mountain passes, high-altitude summits and glaciers.

Suitable for hikers with a reasonable level of fitness and experience, each trek involves between 1000m and 4000m of elevation gain, with the highest route reaching more than 4300m in altitude.

Treks take from 3– 8 days to complete, with total lengths of 10– 52 miles (15– 84km) Includes **1:50,000 mapping** of each stage, with trek overview maps and elevation profiles also provided Handy **route summary tables** give a snapshot of the treks Advice on **planning and preparation**, including trek operators, guides and homestay accommodation Information on **safety considerations GPX files** available to download

Contributor Bio

Brian Furze is an educator and advocate for community-based trekking whose work has included the Indian Himalaya, particularly Uttarakhand, for many years. He discovered trekking more than 30 years ago and continues to be drawn to the Himalaya and the mountains and national parks of Australia. Brian lives on the Murray River, within an hour of the Australian Alps.



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Walking in the Algarve *(3rd Edition)*

32 walks in the south of Portugal including Serra de Monchique and Costa Vicentina

Nike Werstroh, Jacint Mig

Summary

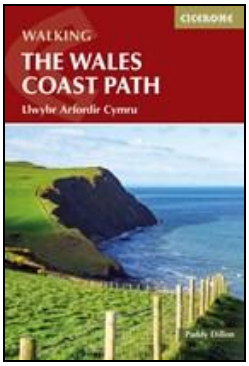
A guidebook to 32 walks in Portugal’ s Algarve region. Exploring the stunning scenery of both the coast and interior, the routes are graded by difficulty, with options suitable for beginner and experienced walker alike.

Walks range from 4 to 18km (2– 11 miles) and can be enjoyed in 1– 6 hours. They are presented in four sections covering the eastern Algarve, central region, south coast and Costa Vicentina.

Clear **route description** illustrated with **1:25,000 and 1:50,000 mapping GPX files** available to download Information on **refreshments, access, parking and public transport** Highlights include **Cabo de Sã o Vicente** and **Fó ia** (the highest peak in the region’ s Serra de Monchique mountains) Notes on local **geology, history, plants and wildlife**

Contributor Bio

Nike and Jacint met many years ago on a long coach journey as they both travelled into the unknown to build a new life in a different country. It wasn't long before they became inseparable. Travelling quickly emerged as their favourite activity and now wherever they go they try to find the best trails. They would love to share their passion for walking with others. Nike went to journalism school and Jacint is a keen photographer. They moved from London to Surrey where they can enjoy the countryside and hills. Nike and Jacint met many years ago on a long coach journey as they both travelled into the unknown to build a new life in a different country. Travelling quickly emerged as their favourite activity and now wherever they go they try to find the best trails. They would love to share their passion for walking with others. Nike went to journalism school and Jacint is a keen photographer.



Walking the Wales Coast Path *(3rd Edition)*

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Paddy Dillon

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Summary

A guidebook to walking the Wales Coast Path (Llwybr Arfordir Cymru) between Chester and Chepstow. Covering 1398km (869 miles), this long-distance trek passing through two national parks, Eryri (Snowdonia) and the Pembrokeshire Coast, takes around 2– 3 months to hike. The route is described from north to south in 57 stages between 16 and 30km (10– 19 miles) in length. The stages are presented in 9 sections so the route can be easily broken down into shorter sections or day walks.

Contributor Bio

Paddy Dillon is a prolific walker and guidebook writer, with over 100 guidebooks to his name and contributions to 40 other titles. He has written for several outdoor magazines and other publications and has appeared on radio and television.



Queer Country Crossroads

Stories of Strength, Struggle, and Belonging from Rural Canada

Mabe Kyle

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Summary

Queer Country Crossroads is an anthology of nonfiction stories and poems written by and for rural 2SLGBTQIA+ folks. Fifty writers, poets, and artists from across Canada share personal stories that explore themes from coming of age and isolation to community and home. Each person’ s story is unique: some reflect on growing up in rural settings while others describe their experiences of moving to the countryside later in life. Together, these voices offer diverse perspectives and insights into the strengths and hardships that come with living at the intersection of being rural and queer. Queer Country Crossroads serves as a beautiful reminder of people’ s resilience, love and strength.

Contributor Bio

Mabe is a peer support specialist in practice and an expressive arts therapist in training. They are the co-chair and co-founder of Brant Pride, a queer community organization in the County of Brant, Ontario They were selected as a Community Changemaker by 8 80 Cities, a not-for-profit based in Toronto, and as a Rural Community Changemaker by the Ontario Rural Institute. In their personal work, Mabe Kyle uses poetry as a tool to express, collaborate, and educate, finding creative ways to weave poetry into their work, from academics to drag performances.



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Beyond Blue

Stories of Heartbreak, Healing, and Hope in Postpartum Depression

Oga Nwobosi, Christina Myers

Summary

A significant percentage of mothers experience depression, anxiety or other psychological impacts that go well beyond the " baby blues." For many, their post-partum depression goes undiagnosed, often due to embarrassment, lack of access to resources and the stigma associated with trying to get help. Editors of Beyond Blue, Oga Nwobosi and Christina Myers met in a postpartum support group almost two decades ago. There, they found grief, joy, wisdom, and the lifelong connections that keep us afloat during the most difficult times.

Contributor Bio

Oga Nwobosi is a former journalist who started her career at The Vancouver Sun before expanding into television as a reporter, associate producer and news-break anchor at Global Television. Her passion for writing, storytelling and travel led her to a position as a national reporter and bureau chief at The Weather Network. There, she reported on events like the deadly Pine Lake tornado in Alberta and the unprecedented forest fires in British Columbia and the Prairies. Christina Myers is a writer, editor, former journalist, and the author of Halfway Home: Thoughts from Midlife (2024, House of Anansi) and The List of Last Chances (2021, Caitlin Press), which was longlisted for the Leacock Medal and won the 2023 Canadian Book Club Award. She was also the editor of the non-fiction anthology BIG (2020, Caitlin Press) and teaches creative writing at SFU' s continuing studies.



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Coming Home from the Candy Factory

Jane Byers

Summary

Why is so little written about work when we spend a huge portion of our lives engaged with it? Informed by her observations and evaluations of hundreds of jobs, ergonomist Jane Byers' Coming Home From The Candy Factory shines a spotlight on the physical labour that often leads to workplace injuries. And as a poet, Byers pays attention not only to the physical demands but also the language of work. As an ergonomist and a poet, her work comes together in this new collection of lyric essays and poems.

Contributor Bio

Jane Byers' memoir Small Courage: A Queer Memoir of Finding Love and Conceiving Family (Caitlin Press-Dagger Editions) was released in September 2020. She has also published two poetry collections, Acquired Community (2016, Caitlin Press-Dagger Editions), a 2017 Goldie Award Winner for lesbian poetry and Steeling Effects (2014, Caitlin Press) and a chapbook, It Hurt, That' s All I Know (Nose in Book Publishing, 2017). She has written multiple treatments for award-winning short and feature-length documentaries.



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9 in H | 6 in W

Bloom

Letters on Girlhood

Claire Sicherman, Nicole Breit

Summary

Over the course of two and a half years, authors Claire Sicherman (Imprint: A Memoir of Trauma in the Third Generation) and Nicole Breit, an award-winning poet and essayist, exchanged letters chronicling their coming-of-age in the suburbs of late 1980s Vancouver. Bloom: Letters on Girlhood is an intimate memoir-in-letters in which Claire and Nicole explore the awkwardness and confusion of adolescence, delving into everything from periods, first bras and body hair to desire, sexuality and consent. As they reflect on their silent struggles as girls, women and mothers from the perspective of mid-life, the true impact of patriarchy and misogyny on their lives becomes increasingly apparent. With unflinching honesty and insight, Bloom is a timely memoir exploring how societal expectations shape identity, and how we can continue, at any age, to release the past.



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Poetry / Women Authors

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All of Us Hidden

Joanna Streetly

Summary

Six years ago, Joanna’ s Streetly’ s two stepsons and their boat disappeared into the ocean on an eerily calm night, barely 200 feet from Tofino on the west coast of Vancouver Island, BC. All of Us Hidden begins with poems that inhabit Tla-o-qui-aht traditional territory, the remote summer whaling islet where Streetly lived for several years with her former partner and stepsons. In the aftermath of the boys' disappearance, she returns to the island to document how both she and the island might have changed. Streetly’ s poetry ripples out beyond location and loss, into a broader investigation of time’ s capricious shaping and re-shaping of children, parents, Earth and the self.

Contributor Bio

Joanna Streetly is the author of five books. Her work is published in The Best Canadian Essays 2017 (Tightrope Books, 2017) and Best Canadian Poetry 2024 (Biblioasis, 2024). She is the winner of the 2023 FBCW Literary Contest Poetry Award, has been short-listed for the Van Isle Collective Prize, and The Spectator’ s Shiva Naipaul award for outstanding travel writing as well as long-listed for the Canada Writes Creative Non-fiction Prize. She has lived in the unceded territory of the Tla-o-qui-aht for over thirty years and was the inaugural Tofino Poet Laureate from 2018 to 2020.

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History / Wars & Conflicts

9 in H | 6 in W

War Resisters

Standing Against the Vietnam WAr

Joline Martin

Summary

War Resisters offers a contemporary perspective on the struggles and triumphs of the American Vietnam War resisters who resettled in Canada on Vancouver Island. This important collection of stories sheds light on an invisible minority, illustrating the courage it took for resisters to leave behind their friends, families, and communities with no certainty of return. Supporters on both sides of the 49th parallel showed compassion to the resisters by helping them escape the US draft and peacefully integrate into Canadian communities. In return, the resisters contributed to their newly adopted communities as farmers, teachers, caregivers, and more. Through interviews with resisters, author Joline Martin shares previously untold stories about what it was like for them to start new lives on Vancouver Island all the while grappling with the consequences of their decisions to stand against the war. The resisters' stories blend with historical context to offer a deep and alternate insight into a time of political unrest in the United States. These stories challenge the long-held myths and as...

Contributor Bio

Joline Martin is a founding member of the North Island Writers Conference, where she has served as chair for the past eight years. She has also served on the board of the Comox Valley Writers Society for twenty years and is a member of The Writers Union of Canada. Her short stories have appeared in Island Writers Magazine and Comox Valley Collective, and her personal story is featured in the BC bestseller Gumboot Girls: Adventure, Love & Survival on the North Coast of British Columbia (Caitlin Press, 2014). War Resisters: Standing Against the Vietnam War is her first book.



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The Mistress of Dara Island

Averil Kenny

Summary

The captivating new novel from the author of *Those Hamilton Sisters* and *The Girls of Lake Evelyn* for readers of Lucinda Riley.

A tropical paradise is her birthright ... but will its dark secrets destroy her dreams?

In the 1960s, a tropical island in the Coral Sea hides dark secrets behind its primordial beauty.

Thalia - Tally - Ramsey has grown up barefoot, wild and free on the island purchased by her maternal grandfather. It is a paradise with two faces: an idyllic honeymoon resort for the rich and famous; and an untamed coastline with steeply rising peaks covered in impenetrable jungle.

Tally has always known she will one day become the Mistress of Dara Island in her mother Nerissa's stead. A belief founded on her mother's promise. But as she matures, her determination and wilfulness bring her into conflict with her ruthless father, 'Bullshark' Richard Ramsey, a powerful figure feared by everyone, including his wife. Ultimately, Tally must face the heartbreaking realisation that her promised future is slipping from her grasp.

After a sudden disappearance from the island, Tally embarks o...

Contributor Bio

Averil Kenny grew up on a dairy farm and began work in the tourism industry at a young age. She studied Education at James Cook University, before completing a Bachelor of Journalism at the University of Queensland. She currently lives in Far North Queensland with her husband and four children. When not dreaming up stories, she can be found nestled in her favorite yellow wingback chair reading and sipping tea, in her library overlooking the rainforest.



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The Story Behind the Style Box Set

Rachael Taylor

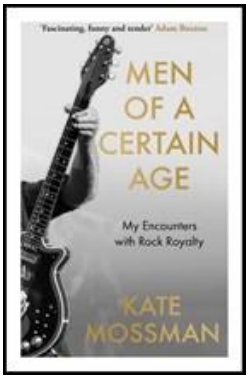
Summary

This beautiful box set contains the stories of four of the biggest names in the jewelry and watch industry: Tiffany and Co., Cartier, Bulgari and Rolex. Written by jewelry expert and journalist Rachael Taylor, each book is fully illustrated throughout with full color photos. It's the perfect gift for any fashion lover.

Boxed set includes:
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Contributor Bio

Rachael Taylor is a freelance jewelry journalist and regular contributor to a wealth of titles across the globe including *The Financial Times*, *The Telegraph*, *The Independent* and Condé Nast titles. Rachael is also a sought-after speaker and a judge at prestigious jewelry competitions including The UK Jewellery Awards and The Goldsmiths' Craft & Design Council Awards. Rachael also co-founded The Jewellery Cut, a platform that showcased independent fine jewelry designers.



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Men of a Certain Age

My Encounters with Rock Royalty

Kate Mossman

Summary

"My favorite writer and interviewer." —Jude Rogers, music critic for the *Guardian* and author of *The Sound of Being Human*

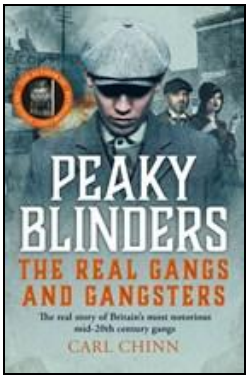
"If Kate Mossman's name is on it, then I want to read it." —Pete Paphides, journalist who has written about music for *The Times, Mojo,* and *Time Out*

From Jeff Beck to Ray Davies, Jon Bon Jovi to Kevin Ayers, Kate Mossman has long fostered an interest in male musicians of a certain age. Why is it that when I meet them, I feel something ignite inside me? What is this strange connection - to feel so excited, yet so at ease? And how is it that in the presence of a wrinkly rock star twice my age, I sometimes feel like I'm meeting . . . me? Featuring 19 long-form profiles lovingly constructed for *The Word* magazine and the *New Statesman*, *Men of a Certain Age* chronicles the lives of some of the biggest rock stars of our time, including Brian May, Gene Simmons, Terence Trent D'Arby, Johnny Rotten and Nick Cave.

The book is a meditation on the powerful archetype of the ageing rock star, but it is also a personal story - of music and obsession, and of the deep unconscious project...

Contributor Bio

Kate Mossman is a writer, presenter and broadcaster who has been writing extensively about music and musicians since she started her career working with Mark Ellen and David Hepworth at *Word* magazine in 2008. She is the writer and presenter of the documentaries *Girl in a Band* (2016), *When Pop Ruled My Life* (2015) and *The Women Who Wrote Rock*. She currently writes for the *Guardian* and *Observer* and is arts editor for the *New Statesman*.



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Peaky Blinders: The Real Gangs and Gangsters

The real story of Britain's most notorious mid-20th century gangs

Carl Chinn

Summary

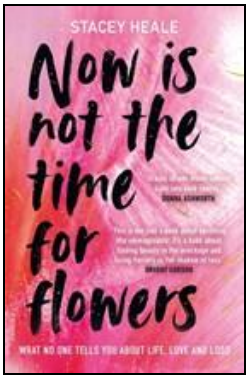
Carl Chinn's *Sunday Times* number 1 best-selling *Peaky Blinders. The Real Story a*dopted a chronological approach and covered the origins of Birmingham's backstreet gangs in the late 1860s through the late 20th century.

This much-awaited fourth book in the bestselling series, *Peaky Blinders: The Real Gangsters and Gangs* will differ by taking a thematic approach and intends to delve far more deeply into the crimes as well as the political issues at the heart of this pre-war period.

Focusing on the historical backstreet gangs of Birmingham before 1914, it delves more deeply into the worst peaky blinders and the real gangs whose bloody feuds, murders and maiming, baiting of police officers, gendered violence, indiscriminate bullying, blackmailing of publicans and music hall managers, and disturbing roles in political riots and racist attacks made Birmingham infamous as the city of the peaky blinders.

Contributor Bio

Professor **Carl Chinn** MBE Ph.D. is a social historian with a national profile, writer, public speaker, and teacher. An off-course bookmaker himself until 1984, he is the son and grandson of illegal bookmakers, and the great-grandson of a peaky blinder, while his mother's family were factory workers. His writings are deeply affected by his family's working-class background and life in the back-to-backs of Birmingham and he believes passionately that history must be democratized because each and every person has made their mark upon history and has a story to tell.



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Now is Not the Time for Flowers

What No One Tells You About Life, Love and Loss

Stacey Heale

Summary

"The authentically inspiring hope Stacey's beautiful writing offers, is mined at the coalface of grief and survival. She shines much-needed light into dark spaces." —Donna Ashworth, bestselling author of Loss

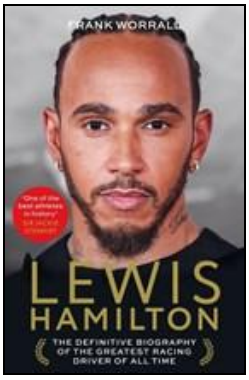
When Stacey Heale's husband, Greg, was diagnosed with incurable cancer on their daughter's first birthday, it felt like her life as she knew it was drawn to a halt.

Confronted with the end of her relationship and her family as she knew it, Stacey started contemplating the realities of life and death - and the fundamental differences between our expectation and reality. *Now is Not the Time for Flowers* is Stacey's unflinchingly beautiful and honest memoir that addresses the big conversations that imminent death dictates, boldly taking the reader on a journey through the full spectrum of our modern lives and its complexities. Told through the lens of her own life and the death of her husband, Stacey examines the messy and unexpected realities of love, desire, motherhood, death, grief, identity, personal growth and the challenges and questions that our nuanced lives force upon us.

Now ...

Contributor Bio

Stacey Heale is a writer, speaker, curator, fashion academic and campaigner who is inspiring radically honest discussions on the lived experience of women, focusing on the realities of difficult times and how to rebuild your life from the ground up. Her academic research centers around the use of creativity to process trauma and the concept of the teenage bedroom as a site for identity construction. Stacey's 2018 TED talk focused on post-traumatic growth and the power of social media during a personal crisis. In November 2016, her husband, Delays lead singer Greg Gilbert, was diagnosed with incurable bowel cancer and died in 2021. Stacey lives on the south coast of England with her two daughters and their blind toy poodle Milk.



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Lewis Hamilton

The Definitive Biography of the Greatest Racing Driver of All Time

Frank Worrall

Summary

THE DEFINITIVE BIOGRAPHY OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL DRIVER IN F1 HISTORY

After equalling Michael Schumacher's record of seven world titles, and overtaking him as having the most race wins, pole positions and podium finishes, Sir Lewis Hamilton became the most successful racing driver of all time - and the most dominant and successful Briton ever to drive in Formula 1.

Hamilton's debut season in 2007 won him fans around the world, and his place in Formula 1 history was sealed the following year when he became the youngest ever world champion. In the years since, he has created headlines on and off the track with his rivalries with Nico Rosberg, Sebastian Vettel and Max Verstappen, a shock move from Mercedes to Ferrari, along with relationships that have landed him on the front pages of the tabloids. However, despite the media glare, he has continued to prove his incredible talent and tenacity and remains utterly dominant in his sport.

In this insightful biography, bestselling sports author Frank Worrall traces the slipstream of Hamilton's incredible career as the fastest driver on the planet...

Contributor Bio

Frank Worrall is a journalist who writes regularly for the *Sunday Times* and *The Sun*. He is also the author of number one bestseller *Roy Keane: Red Man Walking*, and countless European football books including *Rooney: Wayne's World*, *Giggsy* and *The Magnificent Sevens*.

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Doctor Who: What Still Remains

7th Doctor Audio Original

Adam Christopher

Summary

Sophie Aldred reads this gripping new adventure for the Seventh Doctor and Ace.

The TARDIS materialises on a research station, locked in a state of temporal displacement on the surface of Volkoff Epsilon.
The station’s human crew are engaged in the study of a mysterious artefact they call ‘the remnant’. Apparently a source of unlimited power, it could be the solution to Earth’s energy problem.
Yet the station’s time barrier has become disrupted, leaving the crew confined with no way out. The Doctor realises that both he and Ace - and the TARDIS - are now also trapped by the time displacement.
What is the secret of the tiny, spinning artefact? Why have half the base’s personnel already disappeared? And what lurks in the shadows, threatening to overwhelm first Ace and then the whole of Earth?

Sophie Aldred, who played Ace in the BBC TV series, reads this tense and atmospheric thriller by bestselling author Adam Christopher.

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Contributor Bio

New York Times Bestselling author Adam Christopher’s debut novel Empire State was SciFiNow’s Book of the Year and a Financial Times Book of the Year.
The author of Made To Kill, Standard Hollywood Depravity and Killing Is My Business, Adam’s other novels include Seven Wonders, The Age Atomic and The Burning Dark.



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Thunderbirds Comic Anthology

Fred McNamara

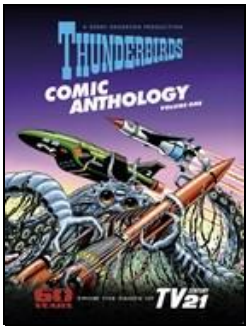
Summary

Killer robot penguins, maniacal treasure hunters, time-travelling dam busters!

Thunderbirds remained one of TV Century 21's most popular comic strips into the late 1960s and their continuing adventures pushed International Rescue into increasingly surreal territory! *Thunderbirds Comic Anthology Volume Two* features the remaining 21 comic adventures of International Rescue from early 1967 to late 1969.Frank Bellamy's consistently brilliant artwork enlivens some of International Rescue's most dangerous and strangest missions. The Tracy family grapple with an increasing rogue's gallery of fanciful enemies including their arch nemesis, The Hood, who makes some of his most daring plans to ruin International Rescue within these adventures!

Contributor Bio

Fred McNamara is a writer, editor and author who chiefly writes about the worlds of Gerry Anderson. He currently serves as the website editor for Anderson Entertainment and is the author of several books about Anderson's works, most recently Flaming Thunderbolts: The Definitive Story of Terrahawks. Fred has written about comics for a variety of publications and currently runs Sequential 21, the unofficial Gerry Anderson comic book blog. He brings his interests together as a writer/researcher on Anderson Entertainment's on-going range of Comic Anthologies.



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Thunderbirds Comic Anthology

Fred McNamara

Summary

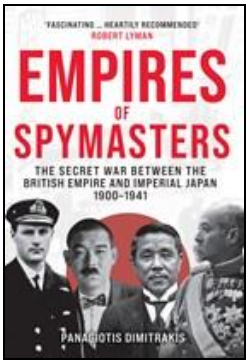
TV Century 21 is go!

With its electrifying newspaper-styled headlines and breath-taking artwork, TV Century 21 catapulted Gerry and Sylvia Anderson's sci-fi puppet heroes to fantastic success in comic strip form. Launched in January 1965, the comic's early issues featured the ongoing spy-fi adventures of Lady Penelope and Parker in the *Elegance, Charm & Deadly Danger: Lady Penelope* strip illustrated by Eric Eden – nearly a whole year before Thunderbirds appeared on TV. *Thunderbirds Comic Anthology Volume One features all the Elegance, Charm & Deadly Danger: Lady Penelope* strips plus the first 13 Thunderbirds adventures as seen in TV Century 21 to early 1967. Discover how Lady Penelope and Parker first met and became freelance trouble-shooters, battling against fearsome enemy agents.

The anthology also contains part one of the only written interview Frank Bellamy ever gave, reprinted for the first time since the 1970s.

Contributor Bio

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Empires of Spymasters

The Secret War Between the British Empire and Imperial Japan, 1900–1941

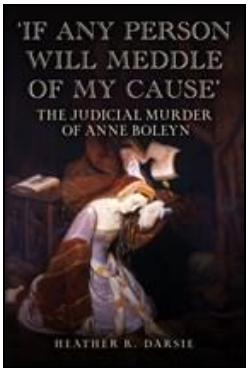
Panagiotis Dimitrakis

Summary

'The Empire is the Master [in the Far East] and they are the guests,' Yamagata Aritomo, the chief imperial strategist of Tokyo, once remarked. From the early 1900s, Imperial Japan aimed for hegemony in the Far East. The resourceful and independent-minded Japanese spymasters focused on acquiring intelligence of advanced naval and aviation technology. In London, the War Office and the Foreign Office opted for an alliance treaty with Japan. Nonetheless strategists soon realized that Tokyo was antagonizing Britain in the Far East. The British Empire was deemed weak and overextended. Officials assumed that avoiding confrontation with Japan was the only choice. Britain condoned Japanese aggression in China. Indeed, pro-Japanese bias influenced official policy at the highest levels. Only the spymasters of the Secret Intelligence Service, the Admiralty and the Security Service, recruiting spies in Japan and the Far East, unveiled the Japanese hostile intent against the British Empire.

Contributor Bio

Panagiotis Dimitrakis is an historian and completed his PhD in War Studies at King's College London. He was educated at the Department of Mass Media and Communication of the University of Athens and received an MA in International Peace and Security from King's College London. His interests lie in the history of international diplomacy, intelligence and strategy. He lives in Athens, Greece.



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'If Any Person Will Meddle of My Cause'

The Judicial Murder of Anne Boleyn

Heather R. Darsie

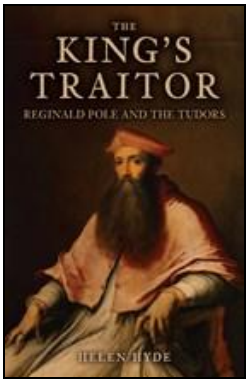
Summary

This is a different Anne.

Heather R. Darsie reviews the political missteps and implications of Anne Boleyn's queenship. She dives deeper into the threat Anne posed to Henry, and why legal changes made during the early years of the English Reformation allowed Henry VIII to judicially murder his inconvenient queen. Anne's choice of attire, reported last words, mode of execution, and burial all point to a significant religious element which has not been explored before. Anne wore colors traditionally associated with martyrdom, announced that she did not come to preach, was executed by beheading instead of burning, and had a very crude burial in an unmarked grave. These elements point to Henry - and Anne - viewing her death as being motivated by Anne's religious faux pas. Anne tried to portray herself as a martyr, and Henry did everything he could to prevent Anne from reaching that status. The author shows that Anne supported French Reformists, including those involved in the alarming French Affair of the Placards in late 1534, asking Henry to petition for the release of at least one of t...

Contributor Bio

Heather R. Darsie is an independent researcher in the U.S. specializing in early modern history. She focuses on researching the Holy Roman Empire and England in the early 16th century. She is the author of *Anna, Duchess of Cleves* and *Catherine of Aragon - Spanish Princess*. Her primary career is as an attorney. She runs the website MaidensAndManuscripts.com.



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The King's Traitor

Reginald Pole and the Tudors

Helen Hyde

Summary

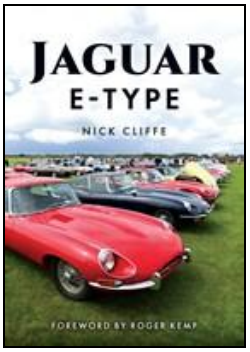
Reginald Pole was a favorite of Henry VIII before later enraging him, becoming known as the 'King's Arch Traitor', and was once suggested as a potential husband to Mary. Forced into exile where he survived multiple attempts on his life, Pole was a key figure in Reformation Europe and Tudor England. Until now his story has been shrouded in mystery.

Reginald Pole lived through the reigns of three Tudor monarchs yet is little known to most lovers of Tudor history. This book brings to life a man who became a cardinal and almost Pope; who so angered Henry VIII that a price was set on his head and attempts were made to kill him; and who was even once suggested as a prospective husband for Mary Tudor and before holding her hand during her short-lived and ultimately tragic reign.

He and Mary, paired in the minds of many during their lives, died on the same day. *Who was Pole? Was he a man who lacked conviction in his beliefs, as some say? Was he a heretic as one Pope denounced him? Or was he simply a man who tried to do his best, whatever the cost to both his country and to his family?* Set agai...

Contributor Bio

Dr. Helen Hyde is an independent scholar who has published articles on Gerard David, the Sauli family and Genoa. She is the author of the critically well-received *Cardinal Bendinello Sauli and Church Patronage in Sixteenth Century Italy*. She has long been interested in Reginald Pole and wanted to make him more accessible to Tudor enthusiasts. In 2022 she was elected a Fellow of the Royal Historical Society.



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Jaguar E-Type

Nick Cliffe

Summary

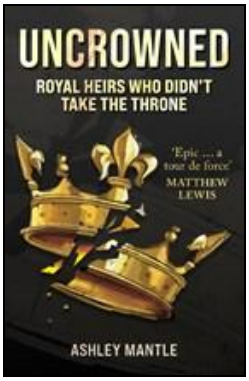
The most beautiful car in the world. Including a range of archive and modern color photography, this is an essential guide to the car that stunned the world - Jaguar E-Type.

When it was launched at the Geneva Motor show in 1961, the Jaguar E-Type caused a sensation. With its feline looks and powerful engine, it stole the show then and continues to do so today. This book follows the development of the car which Enzo Ferrari is said to have called 'The most beautiful car in the world'. It covers the development of all three series of the cars, culminating in the V12-powered grand tourer, which ended production in 1974. But the story does not end there, for the beautiful machine continues to draw media attention at classic shows, in advertising and in updated versions, including the so-called Resto-Mods and electrically powered versions, such as the E-Type Zero.

The book also covers some of the car's racing achievements throughout its production years and on to today's classic races. Including a range of archive and modern color photography, this is an essential guide to the car that stun...

Contributor Bio

Nick Cliffe has been Chairman and Treasurer of the Jaguar Enthusiasts' Club Shropshire and Welsh Borders Region for the last four years in addition to running his own company which he founded in 1989. As a graphic designer and copywriter, he put his experience to good use for his club by writing, designing and publishing a series of news magazines. He has also written articles for several classic car magazines. Nick currently owns six cars, including four Jaguars: a 1971 series 3 E-Type in original unrestored condition, a 1990 XJ40, a 2004 XKR convertible and a 2004 XJ X350 SE.



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Uncrowned

Royal Heirs Who Didn't Take the Throne

Ashley Mantle

Summary

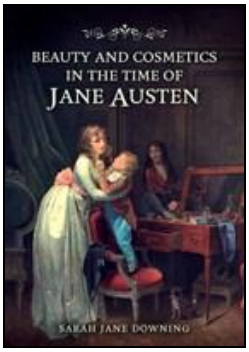
The fascinating hidden history of the British royal family's nearly men - those who had been destined for the throne but never made it. Mantle explores the story behind these would-be-kings, showing how the question of succession has not always been a straightforward one.

Through the centuries, succession to the English throne has largely been dictated by blood. Children were born to the role, their destinies entwined with that of the nation. They would be raised with the expectation that they would eventually take their place on the throne and rule the land. But not all those expected to wear the crown completed this journey.

Ashley Mantle explores the lives of several heirs apparent, from the Norman Conquest to the present day, who were destined to assume the throne of England but, for one reason or another, did not. You will meet such figures as Robert Curthose, eldest son of William the Conqueror, whose ineptitude saw him twice barred from the crown; Edward V, whose disappearance in 1483 still remains a mystery; Lady Jane Grey, the tragic Nine Days Queen; and Sophia, Electress of H...

Contributor Bio

Ashley Mantle is a writer and historian with particular focus on the Norman, Angevin and Wars of the Roses periods of English history. He is the author of *King John: A Brief History*.



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Beauty and Cosmetics in the Time of Jane Austen

Sarah Jane Downing

Summary

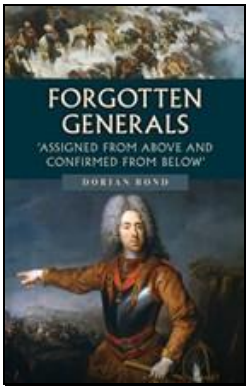
After the success of *Pastimes and Pleasures in the Time of Jane Austen*, Sarah Jane Downing turns her attention to the hair and beauty styles of Jane Austen's era.

In *Beauty and Cosmetics in the Time of Jane Austen*, she examines the beauty ideals of the Regency period to shed light on the transition from the baroque high hair and formal doll-like faces of the court of King George III to the fresh complexions and glossy, bouncy ringlets of the Regency. She also dispels the myth that cosmetics and beauty aids disappeared during the period.

This book will provide an invaluable resource for the legions of 'Janeites' who don Regency dress each year for the Jane Austen Festival in Bath and increasing number of Jane Austen themed events around the world.

Contributor Bio

Sarah Jane Downing has written widely about the arts, contributing to magazines and newspapers, as well as four books for Shire Publications, *The English Pleasure Garden 1660-1860, Fashion in the Time of Jane Austen, Beauty and Cosmetics 1550-1950*, and *Fashion in the Time of William Shakespeare* and for Amberley Publishing *Pastimes and Pleasures in the Time of Jane Austen*.



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Forgotten Generals

Assigned from Above and Confirmed from Below

Dorian Bond

Summary

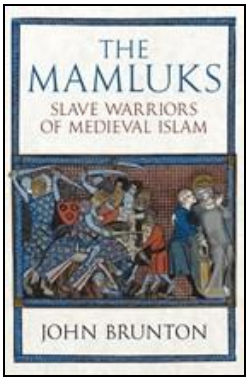
The greatest General of the Byzantine empire captured Carthage and was thus granted the very last Triumph. Blinded by the Emperor, he spent his last years in poverty - who was he?

The answer to this question is Belisarius, who became known to history as 'the last of the Romans'. But how many can honestly say they know much about this man, who, as well as being the victor at the Battle of Dara that brought peace to Persia, suppressed an uprising at the hippodrome in Constantinople by massacring 30,000? The same can be said of Albrecht von Wallenstein, Supreme Commander of the Habsburg Armies during the bloody Thirty Years War - the first 'World War'; and Maurice de Saxe, Marshal of France, one of the most successful Generals of the 18th century.

AuthorDorian Bond's meticulous selection of military leaders reveals what it is to be a General - and how circumstance can write even the greatest out of history. Count Suvarov, the last Generalissimus of the Russian Empire, never lost a battle. Ennobled by both Catherine the Great and the Emperor Joseph II and undoubtedly one of the greatest co...

Contributor Bio

Dorian Bond has long been a student of military history. He has visited many of the battlefields featured here. During the preparation of this volume, he has been in contact with all the relevant regimental museums and military archives both here and abroad to ensure accuracy. He is the author of half a dozen titles, including the best-selling three-volume *Famous Regiments of the British Army.*



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The Mamluks

Slave Warriors of Medieval Islam

John Brunton

Summary

The colorful story of the Mamluk dynasty – marked with treachery, carnage and destructive behavior – is a significant chapter in the history of the Near East.

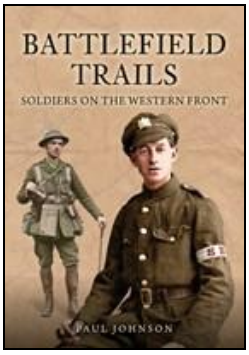
From humble beginnings as slaves in Egypt, the Mamluks trained as soldiers and rose in status to seize control of the largest empire in Islam. They ruled over Egypt and Syria for over two centuries. They saved the region from devastation by the Mongols and expelled the last of the Crusaders from the Holy Land. The Mamluks presided over the last flowering of the culture of medieval Islam, when scientific and artistic achievements were at least preserved, if not greatly advanced.

The first Mamluks were Turks, chosen for their reputed pugnacious nature. A Turk and his horse always made a formidable combination, according to writings from the early period of the Arab conquests. As author John Brunton explains, ‘The tibaq system made soldiers of slaves. As a hybrid of the harsh nomadic tribesman and the well-trained knight, a Mamluk faris (cadet trooper) could certainly produce results.’

Conquest by the Ottomans of 1517 may have ended ...

Contributor Bio

John Brunton was born in Sunderland and has lived his adult life in London. He has qualifications from four different universities and has research interests in medieval Britain and Europe and the Near East. He owns a business that undertakes historical research for clients all over the world. He also continues to teach History and other subjects in London. He is a historian and researcher specializing in medieval history and the author of a range of textbooks for schools.



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Battlefield Trails

Soldiers on the Western Front

Paul Johnson

Summary

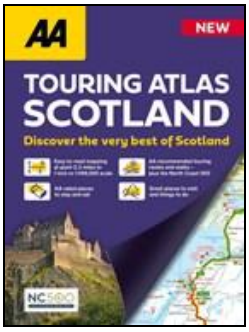
This compendium looks at the lives of a selection of soldiers of the First World War who never returned home.

Presented in chronological order, the narrative covers both significant battles and lesser-known actions on the Western Front, including Mons, Ypres, the Somme, Loos and Amiens. Each pen picture is accompanied by a portrait and additional images, bringing the reader face to face with some of those who fought and died in the trenches and fields of Western Europe and culminates in a poignant final tribute to their service.

Complemented with archive black and white and colorized images, this book will prove an invaluable guide for those with an interest in the human story of the First World War as well as the battlefield tourist.

Contributor Bio

Paul Johnson is a recognized military and aviation researcher, historian and author, who has published a number of books covering various aspects of both the First and Second World Wars. He has worked as an historical consultant and contributor for both television, radio and projects of national remembrance.



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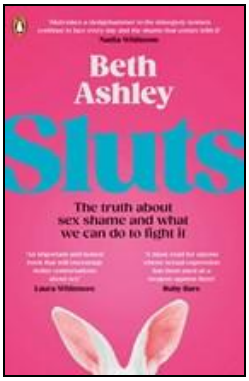
The *AA Touring Atlas Scotland* is your trusted travel companion for discovering the very best of Scotland. Expertly designed for travelers, this easy-to-read, 176-page atlas combines premium quality with unbeatable value.

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- Large-scale district maps of Edinburgh and Glasgow with extra detail
- Great places to visit and useful locations including golf courses, distilleries, and scenic landscapes
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The atlas makes exploring Scotland easy with road mapping consisting of mainland Scotland at giant 2.3 miles to 1 inch scale, and Scottish islands at a minimum of 7.6 miles to 1 inch. Featuring scores of wonderful places to visit as well as AA-recommended tours and the iconic North Coast 500 route this practical atlas ensures you get the most out of every journey.

Contributor Bio

AA Publishing, a division of the Automobile Association, the UK's largest motoring organization, strives to stay Always Ahead, with an extensive range of trusted maps and atlases, leisure guides and dependable driving books. Their in-depth knowledge enables them to create high quality atlases, maps, walking and leisure guides.



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Sluts

The truth about sex shame and what we can do to fight it

Beth Ashley

Summary

"A fascinating deep dive into the history of slut-shaming." —Service 95, Dua Lipa's Book Club

"[A] taboo-smashing debut book." —*Cosmopolitan*

"An important and honest book that will encourage better conversations about sex. I wish I read this when I was younger!" —Laura Whitmore

"A must-read for anyone whose sexual expression has been used as a weapon against them." —Ruby Rare

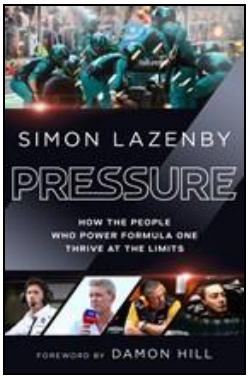
You might have thought the era of slut-shaming was behind us. But it's far from over.

In this powerful and timely investigation, Beth uncovers the persistent reality of slut-shaming in today's world. She examines how these harmful attitudes have changed over time, why they are so dangerous, what we can do to challenge them, and how we can all have better conversations about sex.

The fight starts now.

Contributor Bio

Beth Ashley is an investigative journalist who specializes in sex, relationships and social class. Her work ranges from light-hearted features on Gen Z dating culture to deep investigations into inequality, and has appeared in *The Guardian*, *Refinery29*, *Vice*, *i-D*, *Dazed*, *Glamour*, *The Face*, *The Independent*, *Cosmopolitan*, *Stylist*, *Women's Health*, *Mashable*, *The Metro* and more. Beth has also consulted on Bumble's podcast My Love Is…. She writes a lot about her working-class background, with articles such as *Does Class Impact the Way We Have Sex?* And *Not Worrying About Being Working Class Until I Went to Art School* (which went viral on social media).



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Pressure

How the People Who Power Formula One Thrive at the Limits

Simon Lazenby

Summary

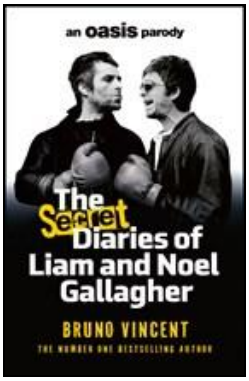
As lead presenter for Sky Sports Formula One live coverage,Simon Lazenbyis at the center of Grand Prix race-weekend action. In this book, he takes us off camera to give us exclusive, behind-the-scenes access to the people who power this multi-billion-pound sport.

Drawing on over a decade's accumulated first-hand knowledge and connections across the paddock, Simon talks to key experts and professionals within the teams and the overall organization, who each reveal how they operate, how they compete, the skills they've learnt to navigate the challenges they face.

Among the insiders who let us into their world are Max Verstappen's race engineer, whose voice we hear on the driver's cockpit radio communicating key strategic decisions, and the Aston Martin mechanic who oversees the team responsible for assembling the F1 car from 145,000 different components before each GP. There's the performance coach, who has to ensure that the drivers' necks can withstand the equivalent of 24kg of weight (helmet + head + G force) and Giorgio Piola whose sketches of F1 cars have been revered since the late...

Contributor Bio

Simon Lazenby is an internationally recognized Sky Sports F1 Presenter, bringing his expertise and passion for Formula 1 to millions of viewers around the world.



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The Secret Diaries of Liam and Noel Gallagher

An Oasis Parody

Bruno Vincent

Summary

Discover the inner thoughts and feelings from the legendary musicians. A hilarious gift for Oasis fans!

In early 2025, a mysterious cache of papers was discovered in a skip in Manchester. Although not at first recognised, it was soon discovered to be a secret stash of private papers belonging to Oasis musicians Liam and Noel Gallagher, comprising lost diary entries from the course of the brothers' lives, plus some laugh-out-loud correspondence and artefacts including one 'Gospel According to Liam Gallagher'.

Some might say It seems likely that the pages were intended for destruction because the details contained within are personal, often controversial and offensive. And also, frankly, quite ridiculous. Are they a work of forgery intended to defame the Gallagher brothers? Or a true glimpse into what has been going on behind the scenes over the decades?*

*Legally I am obliged to tell you that the latter is not the case… Or is it??**

**Again, the lawyer insists I say: no.

Contributor Bio

Bruno Vincent is the author of an absolute shedload of humour titles including the Enid Blyton for Grown-ups Series and (with Jon Butler) the bestselling *Do Ants Have Arseholes?*, a Christmas No.1 back in the more innocent days of Myspace and News of the World. He has also written two volumes of gothic horror stories for children which were adapted for the stage.



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Breakfast with the Scavengers

Ben Rhys Palmer

Summary

A Welsh poet based in Mexico, his poems about Mexico capture the magic and vibrancy of a country André Breton once described as 'the most surrealist in the world.' Other poems pay homage to Welsh cult heroes John Cale and Adrian Street, and Ben's plucky ancestor, Rebecca Howells, who emigrated to Patagonia after her husband was killed in a mining explosion at Blaengwawr Colliery. At once funny, tender, and beautifully bizarre, *Breakfast with the Scavengers* explores love, loss, loneliness, our never-ending quest for connection, and those blink-and-you-miss-them moments of transcendence that can light up our lives.

Contributor Bio

Ben Rhys Palmer is a poet, translator, editor, and musician born in Cardiff, Wales and now based in Guadalajara, Mexico. His poetry has been published in *The London Magazine*; *Poetry Wales*; *New Welsh Review*; *Forklift*, *Ohio*; *Wales Arts Review*; *The Caterpillar*; *Under the Radar*, and *Neon*. Winner of the Verve Poetry Competition 2022, Ben was shortlisted for the Bridport Prize 2023 and highly commended in the Winchester Poetry Prize, the Kent & Sussex Poetry Competition, The Interpreter's House Poetry Competition and the Welshpool Competition. *Breakfast with the Scavengers* is his debut collection.



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Truth Like Water

Carys Shannon

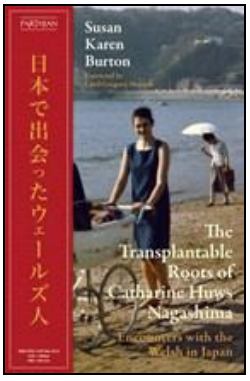
Summary

In a small estuary village on the Welsh coast, Catrin is mourning the anniversary of her mother's drowning when a teenage girl disappears on the same mudflats. Terrified of history repeating itself and driven by unresolved grief, Catrin becomes obsessed with finding Emily. Her search dredges up secrets from the village's past and present, uncovering far more than the missing girl.

This is a story of lost women – some who can be found again, and some who can't.

Contributor Bio

Carys Shannon is originally from rural North Gower in Swansea and now works between Wales and Spain as a writer and creative coach. She has had short stories published in anthologies by Honno Press and Parthian Books as well as *Mslexia*. She was shortlisted for the 2021 Rhys Davies Short Story Award and the 2012 Terry Hetherington Award. Nonfiction publications include *WomanKind* magazine, *YES Magazine* and *International House Journal*.



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The Transplantable Roots of Catharine Huws Nagashima

Encounters with the Welsh in Japan

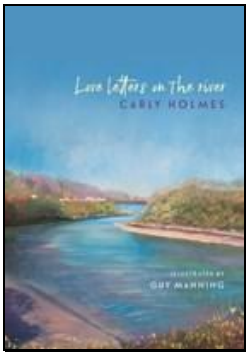
Susan Karen Burton

Summary

Foreword by Lord Gregory Mostyn. Since the first ‘ Welch’ sailor set foot on Japanese shores in the seventeenth century to the present-day presence of high-tech Japanese companies in the Valleys, Wales and Japan are two nations with deeply entwined roots. Captured in this groundbreaking book is a chorus of modern-day Welsh migrants to Japan. There is Catharine who, in 1965, followed her Japanese husband to an ‘ out of kilter’ house in the seaside town of Zushi; Jack, the ‘ capitalist ski bum’ , who guides tourists through the bear-infested wilds of snowy Hokkaido, while on a volcanic island in the Seto Inland Sea, Simon clears jungle vines to develop his vegan farm. There are also actors, writers, teachers, an ex-bouncer turned martial artist, a filmmaker, a games localiser, and many more. There are even Japanese fans who promote Welsh culture in their homeland. Together they form a polyphonic group portrait based on oral-history techniques, mixing travel writing, character study and reportage, while proving an ear for natural speech.

Contributor Bio

Susan Karen Burton is an oral historian with an interest in creative nonfiction. She was born in Scotland, raised in New Zealand and spent most of her working life in Japan. There, like many of the interviewees in this book, she began her career as a Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Programme assistant language teacher (ALT) in Hamamatsu, Shizuoka prefecture. She was later a Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) scholar at Tsuda Juku University in Tokyo.



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Love Letters on the River

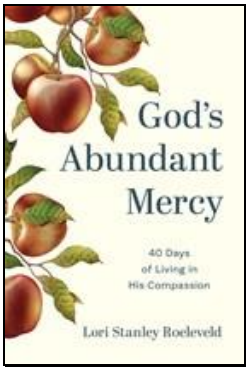
Carly Holmes

Summary

Includes a dozen black and white illustrations commissioned exclusively for this publication by acclaimed Welsh artist Guy Manning. From a young age Carly Holmes has been in thrall to the creatures that live around us. Her childhood companion was a blind gander called Beep Beep who thought she was his wife. She nearly postponed her wedding when a pair of wrens nested in a hole by her back door and cut it very fine to fledge their chicks into an assorted audience of cats and magpies. This collection of essays, beautifully illustrated throughout, are each of them love letters to the Teifi valley and to the river that winds through Carly' s days. The wild animals ? the badgers who visit nightly for peanuts; the juvenile osprey who learned to fish on the estuary across the lane; the young jackdaw she nurtured until it was healthy enough to ignore her whenever she went into the garden; the cuckoos she discovered in flagrante one afternoon on a lockdown walk ? are the very heart of it.

Contributor Bio

Carly Holmes lives and writes in a small village on the banks of the river Teifi in west Wales. She is the author of the novels *The Scrapbook*, which was shortlisted for the International Rubery Book Award, and *Crow Face, Doll Face*. Her short story collection, *Figurehead*, was published by Tartarus Press in limited edition hardback and reprinted in paperback by Parthian Books. She has had numerous stories published in journals and anthologies.



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God's Abundant Mercy

40 Days of Living in His Compassion

Lori Stanley Roeleveld

Summary

"God is great in mercy. This is a beautiful truth because we can turn to God at any time for as long as we have breath." —Lori Stanley Roeleveld

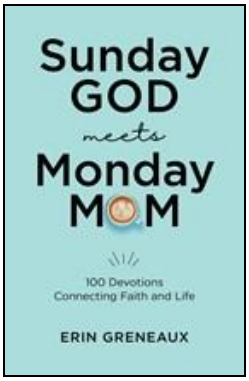
When God reveals His character in the Bible, an important attribute He emphasizes is His mercy. But in a world so often damaged by violence, pride, and hypocrisy, mercy can feel unfamiliar and unrealistic.

In 40 devotional readings, Lori Stanley Roeleveld goes straight to God's Word to define mercy. Weaving Scripture with personal stories of hardship and resilience, Lori asks the difficult questions about biblical mercy. *How does God's mercy fit with His holiness and justice? How should His compassion to us influence how we treat others?*

With convicting questions for individual reflection or group study, each reading challenges you to learn more about who God is and how you can reflect His mercy every day in your interactions and relationships.

Contributor Bio

Lori Stanley Roeleveld is a coach, speaker, and author of seven books, including *Graceful Influence*. Degreed in psychology and biblical studies, she has a heart to bring Scripture to life and recapturing the imaginations of those who know the Bible well. She lives with her husband in Rhode Island. Find out more at loriroeleveld.com.



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Sunday God Meets Monday Mom

100 Devotions Connecting Faith and Life

Erin Greneaux

Summary

Find Your Sunday God amid Your Monday Life

Maybe you get fired up about God at church on Sunday only to feel deflated by all the demands of motherhood that come your way on Monday.

Award-winning author and podcaster Erin Greneaux wants to help moms nourish a deeper relationship with Jesus that spans throughout their whole week. That's why she invites you to spend 100 days

- soaking in God's Word,
- listening for His quiet voice,
- and finding that you aren't alone in this pursuit of Jesus.

Erin has learned the beauty of cultivating genuine faith amid an imperfect world. In only 5 minutes a day, she encourages you to discover the life lessons that can come from your common interruptions. Even on your loneliest and most monotonous days, you'll feel seen as you laugh through stories that are too relatable to be fiction.

Bridge the gap between spiritual Sundays and hectic Mondays with insights, verses, and applications that help you connect your faith to your messy, marvelous life!

Contributor Bio

Erin Greneaux is an award-winning author, host of the *Sunday God Meets Monday Mom* podcast, and mom to three girls who make every day an adventure. A graduate of Baylor University, Erin has worked in Christian ministry for over a decade. Passionate about exploring the practical application of faith in everyday life, Erin uses writing to present biblical ideas clearly and creatively. Erin, her husband, and their children live in south Louisiana.



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The Ultimate Air Fryer Cookbook 15 Minute Feasts

Simple and delicious meals that are ready in a flash

Clare Andrews

Summary

Short on time but still want big flavour? No problem.

From Sunday Times bestselling author Clare Andrews, this collection is bursting with clever, fast recipes, from breakfasts to desserts, all using the magic of your air fryer.

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15-minute air fryer meals for when you need them the most. This is your **ultimate bible of flavour** filled, **ultra-fast air fryer meals** that will be your **perfect hearty mid-week dinners** for the **family**, **bountiful breakfasts, lunches to grab** while you're on the go and **delicious desserts** too.

Packed full with **savvy ways** to utilise your **air fryer space** so you can **cook more ingredients** at the same time coupled with Clare's fastest recipes yet, you'll be amazed at what you can create in just 15 minutes.

- Honey Crunch Granola and Berry Compote
- Spanish Tortilla
- Saag Paneer with Garlic Naan
- Tandoori Lamb Chops with Bombay Potatoes
- Chilli Con Carne Meatballs
- Prawns Pil Pil Pasta
- Crispy Chilli Chicken
- Marmite and Rosemary Chicken Wings
- Pineapple and Brown Sugar Cobbler
- Cinnamon Buns

And so many more



Wisdom and Folly

Timothy C Bourman

Summary

What makes someone wise? Where does wisdom start? What makes someone foolish? Where does foolishness lead? Discover the important biblical answers in these powerful devotions.

This volume in the People's Bible Devotions series covers the "wisdom literature" of the Old Testament—the books of Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, and Song of Songs. Through these brief devotions on the more poetic books of the Old Testament, you'll discover practical, scriptural insights for spiritual growth and wellness and be encouraged to apply wisdom's teachings to all aspects of your faith and life.

As you immerse yourself in these meditations on God's Word, you'll discover the truth of the proverb, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom" (Proverbs 9:10).

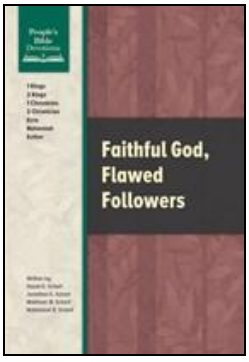
Contributor Bio

This book in the People's Bible Devotion series was written by Pastors Jonathan H. Bourman, Nathanael J. Bourman, and Timothy C. Bourman. At the time of publication, they have collectively served in the full-time gospel ministry for fifty-five years.

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Faithful God, Flawed Followers

David Scharf

Summary

This engaging volume in the People's Bible Devotions series covers the four biblical books of Kings and Chronicles, as well as Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther, which record roughly 575 years of Israel's history following the rule of King David.

In these brief devotions, you'll witness internal political struggles for power, bloody assassinations, foreign oppression, brutal captivity, and dramatic returns from exile in Babylon. You'll see that through everything, the Lord remained a faithful Father to his flawed followers because he vowed to send them his Son as their Savior.

Some of these biblical characters will inspire you, some will disappoint you, and some will anger you. Like you and me, each of them was flawed. Like you and me, each of them had a faithful God.

Contributor Bio

This book in the People's Bible Devotions series was written by Pastors David G. Scharf, Jonathan E. Scharf, Matthew W. Scharf, and Nathanael R. Scharf. At the time of publication, they have collectively served in the full-time gospel ministry for seventy-four years.

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Is Free Speech Under Threat?

Charlotte Lydia Riley, Suzanne Nossel, Intelligence Squared

Summary

Two leading thinkers present alternative answers to one of the most difficult and divisive questions of our times: *Is free speech under threat?*

Suzanne Nossel, CEO of PEN America, the leading free expression organisation, argues that alongside the necessary and long-overdue elevation of minority voices in recent years, there has also arisen an uncompromising intolerance – most notably on university campuses and online – that wrongly equates a wide range of offensive speech with violence and seeks to shut it down. This has led to an escalating free speech arms race, from which everyone loses.

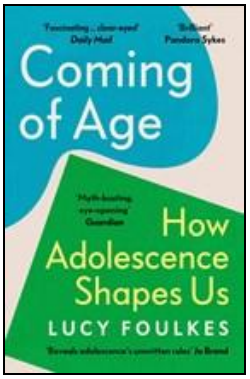
Charlotte Lydia Riley, historian of empire and editor of *The Free Speech Wars,* argues that accusations of cancel culture and defences of free speech are too often disingenuous attempts to fuel a culture war and so inhibit an important realignment in which hateful speech is at last being called out for what it is and the right to free expression is being extended to more people than ever before.

Published in conjunction with Intelligence Squared, the world's leading curator of debate, this book is pa...

Contributor Bio

Charlotte Lydia Riley is a historian of twentieth-century Britain at the University of Southampton, specialising in questions about empire, politics, culture and identity. She is editor of *The Free Speech Wars* and author of *Imperial Island: A History of Empire in Modern Britain*. Her writing has appeared in a wide range of publications including the *Guardian*, *New Statesman*, *Financial Times, Washington Post* and *History Today*. She tweets @lottelydia.

Suzanne Nossel is the CEO of PEN America, the leading human rights and free expression organisation, and is a key voice on free expression issues in the United States and globally. During the Obama administration, Nossel served as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Organisations. She has also served as a senior leader in global human rights organizations and as a media executive. She is the author of *Dare To*



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Coming of Age

How Adolescence Shapes Us

Lucy Foulkes

Summary

Why do teenagers act as they do?

'Brilliant' PANDORA SYKES
'Fascinating, moving ... clear-eyed' *DAILY MAIL*
'Wise and revelatory' *GUARDIAN*

** A *GUARDIAN* AND *TELEGRAPH* BEST PAPERBACK PICK **

What we experience during adolescence shapes us for life, but psychologist Lucy Foulkes shows that too often we fear, dismiss or even try to prevent aspects of it that are crucial to our development. Drawing on decades of psychological research, and including profoundly moving interviews, *Coming of Age* gets beneath the recent myths and age-old stereotypes of adolescence to reveal the real reasons why teens behave the way they do.

Above all, Foulkes shows that adolescents have an extraordinary capacity for resilience, empathy and mutual support, and that even the most challenging encounters are part of an essential process of self-discovery.

'Foulkes is steeped in knowledge about, as well as respect for, teenage life' *OBSERVER*
'A wonderful and deeply moving book' MARK HADDON
'Reveals adolescence's unwritten rules' JO BRAND

Contributor Bio

Dr Lucy Foulkes is an academic psychologist. She is currently a Prudence Trust Research Fellow at the University of Oxford, where she leads research into adolescent mental health and social development. She is the author of *What Mental Illness Really Is (and What It Isn't*) and has written for the *Guardian*, *New Scientist* and *Wall Street Journal*. Her work has been discussed on BBC 2's *Newsnight* and reported in *The Times*, *Economist. New York Times* and *Atlantic.* and she has appeared on BBC Radio 4's *All in the Mind* and *Start the*



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Ring the Bells

(The Stranger Times 5)

C. K. McDonnell

Summary

'Fiendishly clever and monstrously funny, C K McDonnell's latest will steal your soul and eat your brain. In the nicest possible way, of course.' TOM HOLT, author of *The Portable Door* and *The Eight Reindeers of Christmas*

It is beginning to look a lot like Christmas . . .

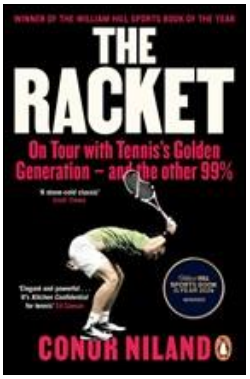
For most people, that means a time of celebration, relaxation and inebriation, but not for the staff of *The Stranger Times.* While a book club meeting ending in a triple murder isn't unprecedented, it is at least noteworthy. It quickly emerges that this is no ordinary book-club-triple-murder either, as it features a librarian possessed by a chaotic entity who has broken through from another dimension and is hellbent on vengeance. He's made a list, but he's not checking it twice as the whole of humanity is on it. Who would want to summon such a thing? And how is anyone going to be able to send it back?

As if that wasn't enough to be dealing with, a shocking revelation about a member of *The Stranger Times* team's past brings family together, but not in a way that's ever going to make it into a Hallmark movie.

Featuring demo...

Contributor Bio

Born in Limerick and raised in Dublin, C K (Caimh) McDonnell is a former stand-up comedian and TV writer. He performed all around the world, had several well-received Edinburgh shows and supported acts such as Sarah Millican on tour before hanging up his clowning shoes to concentrate on writing. He has also written for numerous TV shows and been nominated for a Kid's TV BAFTA.
His debut novel, *A Man With One of Those Faces* - a comic crime novel - was published in 2016 and spawned *The Dublin Trilogy* books and the spin-off *McGarry Stateside* series. They have been Amazon bestsellers on both sides of the Atlantic. As C. K. McDonnell, he is the author of *The Stranger Times* series contemporary



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The Racket

On Tour with Tennis's Golden Generation – and the other 99%

Conor Niland

Summary

THE NO. 1 BESTSELLER

WINNER OF THE WILLIAM HILL SPORTS BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD 2024

'As elegant and powerful as a Federer backhand ... It's *Kitchen Confidential* for tennis.' ***Ed Caesar***

'Well worth a read if you want the inside track on life on the lower rungs of the tennis circuit. Warts and all.' ***Judy Murray***

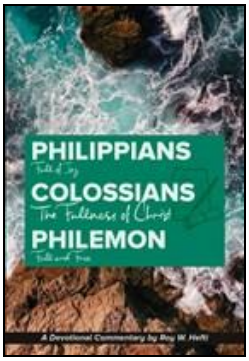
When Conor Niland was 16, he was chosen to hit with Serena Williams at Nick Bollettieri's famed tennis academy. Conor, the Irish junior number one, was feeling a bit homesick. Serena, also 16, already owned her own house beside the academy.

Conor Niland knows what it's like when Roger Federer walks into the dressing room (*'Ciao, bonjour, hello!'*), and he has had the exquisitely terrible experience of facing Novak Djokovic in the world's biggest tennis stadium - while suffering from food poisoning. But he never reached the very top.

The Racket is the story of pro tennis's 99%: the players who roam the globe in hope of climbing the rankings and squeaking into the Grand Slam tournaments. It brings us into a world where a few dozen super-rich players - travelling with coaches and physio...

Contributor Bio

Conor Niland grew up in Limerick, and was Ireland's top-ranked tennis player for much of his youth and all of his adult career. As a youth player he beat Roger Federer - and he still has his coach's notes on the match. His



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Philippians-Colossians-Philemon

The Fullness of Christ

Roy Hefti

Summary

From the author of *Galatians: The Beating Heart of the Gospel* and *Ephesians: The Unsearchable Riches of Christ* comes a new devotional commentary on Paul's epistles of Philippians, Colossians, and Philemon.

In this easy-to-read devotional that takes you verse-by-verse through three of the apostle Paul's letters in the Bible, you'll discover how Jesus offers you everything you truly need. That can be a hard truth to grasp, especially when the world will tell you otherwise. In these pages, author Roy W. Hefti uses everyday life examples and comparisons to drive home gospel truths that comfort and encourage you in your walk of faith.

Contributor Bio

Roy W. Hefti is a retired pastor who served 41 years in the ministry. Not only is Hefti an engaging preacher, but he also serves on the Editorial Board of the Wartburg Project which produced the *Holy Bible: Evangelical Heritage Version.* He is also the author of *Galatians: The Beating Heart of the Gospel* and *Ephesians: The Unsearchable Riches of Christ*. He and his wife, Alice, have 6 children and 20 grandchildren.



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A Reckoning Up Black Cat Hollow

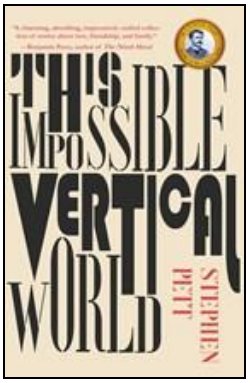
Matthew F. Jones

Summary

In a split-second decision that will shatter his life, insurance salesman Jack Spinks stops to help a young woman walking alone down a back country road. After getting into his truck the mysterious young woman grabs the steering wheel and forces the truck off the road, sending it plunging over a cliff and into the woods. What begins as a simple act of kindness spirals into a nightmare as Jack finds himself trapped in a dark and perilous world, hunted by the woman's cryptic pursuers. As he fights for survival, Jack's journey uncovers a haunting connection to his own past—one that may hold the key to unraveling the mystery and escaping the deadly forces closing in on him. From the highly acclaimed author of A Single Shot, A Reckoning Up Black Cat Hollow is a pulse-pounding crime thriller that weaves together psychological suspense and a gripping mystery, where every step brings Jack closer to a truth he's long buried—and forces him to confront who, or what, he can truly trust.

Contributor Bio

Matthew F. Jones is the author of six critically acclaimed novels and several screenplays. Three of his novels, A Single Shot, Deepwater and Boot Tracks have been made into major motion pictures. He has taught writing at a number of colleges and universities, including the University of Virginia, Randolph Macon College and Lynchburg College. He grew up on a horse and dairy farm in rural upstate New York and currently lives in Charlottesville, Virginia.



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This Impossible Vertical World

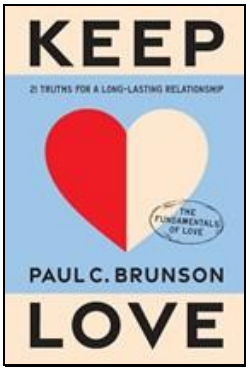
Stephen Pett

Summary

In the stories of This Impossible Vertical World, characters struggle to hold fast to other lives— human and animal— as the familiar deserts them. In threatened geographies, from New Mexico and Alaska to Utah and Minnesota, these hard-tested people discover a bestiary of relations: dogs, coyotes, rattlers, whales, swans, wolves, bears, loons, and turtles. This is an ark of stories, its passengers hoping events flooding their lives will recede on a more habitable vertical world.

Contributor Bio

Stephen Pett is author of Sirens, a novel, and Pulpit of Bones, poetry. His short stories have appeared in many venues, including, Ecotone Cimarron Review, Missouri Review, North American Review, Southern Humanities Review, The Sun, and, Witness. He co-founded and was Coordinator for Iowa State University's MFA Program in Creative Writing and Environment and founded the journal Flyway. He lives half the year in Santa Fe and half alongside the Boundary Waters Wilderness in Minnesota.



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Keep Love

21 Truths for a Long-Lasting Relationship

Paul Brunson

Summary

FROM THE HOST OF THE #1 *WE NEED TO TALK* PODCAST

"Paul's book is a game-changer – honest, insightful, and full of passion. The perfect guide to creating love that lasts and keeps the spark alive." —Davina McCall

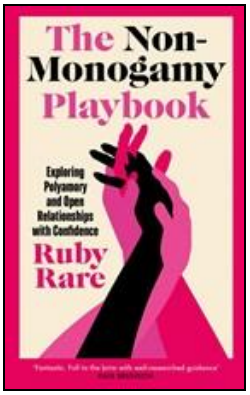
Keep Love is your relationship bible combining cutting-edge research, case studies and self-help tools. Paul outlines all the key myths, issues and challenges that couples will likely experience in their partnerships and arms you with the simple tools, know-how and emotional intelligence to manage them.

Through honest and open communication, mutual respect, problem-solving ability, intimacy, and a shared sense of purpose, *Keep Love* shows us how anyone can build strong foundations for long-lasting love.

"Paul is a true relationship expert - *Keep Love* brilliantly demystifies the secrets to fostering long-lasting connections in this insightful and practical guide. It's essential reading for everyone." —Dr. Tara Swart

Contributor Bio

Paul Brunson is an internationally recognized relationship expert, entrepreneur, and television host. He's also the host of #1 podcast 'We Need to Talk'. He's American, based in London, and currently serves as co-host of *Celebs Go Dating* and *Married At First Sight UK,* relationship consult on *Lorraine*, a featured expert on Steven Bartlett's 'The Diary' project and co-founder of Endmost Therapy. He's also the Head of Global Insight at Tinder. Major media outlets such as *Good Morning America*, *The New York Times*, *The Guardian, USA Today* and *Sunday Brunch* have sought his wisdom. Hailed by Oprah Winfrey as 'much more than a matchmaker, Brunson has also been named the world's most influential matchmaker by the Matchmaking Institute.



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The Non-Monogamy Playbook

Exploring Polyamory and Open Relationships with Confidence

Ruby Rare

Summary

***'Fantastic. Full to the brim with practical tips and well-researched guidance, this is a comprehensive handbook for the realities of managing multiple relationships'* – PAUL BRUNSON, author and MAFS dating expert**

***'Warm, relatable, and informed AF'* – MEGAN JAYNE CRABBE, author and presenter**

The Non-Monogamy Playbook is the handbook for anyone curious about consensual non-monogamy: polyamory and open relationships.

This is a practical, joyful guide to the rules of non-traditional relationships. It uncovers the long history of non-monogamy, and explores why society today still favours monogamous, heteronormative relationships as gold standard.

Ruby's weaves in her own relationship learnings with humour and empathy, and offers empowering tools for dealing with the complexities - and joys - of polyamory. She provides expert but sisterly advice on setting boundaries and cultivating self-compassion, as well as ways to navigate the myriad practical considerations of sustaining multiple relationships.

The Non-Monogamy Playbook shows us that there's joy in having multiple people in your life (platon...

Contributor Bio

Ruby Rare is a sex educator on a mission to get people talking more confidently and inclusively about sex. Her work is influenced by her experiences as a queer, non-monogamous, dual-heritage person. Ruby is a qualified relationship and sex educator. She is an ambassador for Brook, the UK's leading sexual health charity for young people, where she worked for five years going into schools, teaching Relationship and Sex Education, and training other sex educators and teachers about pregnancy decision-making, porn and inclusive queerness.



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Little Things

Your positive toolkit for when life feels stressful

Fearne Cotton

Summary

How to make small changes to feel better, even when under stress.

Stress is a normal part of life, but it can be overwhelming. The habits, tools and advice in these pages will help you cope better, understand your own worries, and learn how to pause and respond rather than react when life feels too much.

This is the advice I've received - the lessons I've learned in my own ups and downs, the expert conversations from my *Happy Place* podcast, the therapies I've tried and the habits I've created - to keep working towards good days.

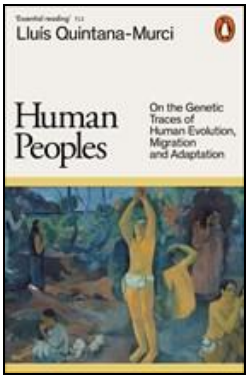
By focusing on the little things, practicing self-awareness, and getting creative with the exercises and simple ideas, daily tricks and practical tools in this book, you can find balance in our hectic world and unlock daily happiness.

Fearne x

Contributor Bio

Fearne Cotton is a mental health advocate, bestselling author, long-standing broadcaster and creator of Happy Place.

Born out of sharing her own experiences with happiness, Fearne Cotton has been building her Happy Place community since 2017, including an award-winning podcast, annual Happy Place Festival and her imprint Happy Place Books. Fearne's previous book, *Bigger Than Us*, was an instant *Sunday Times* bestseller and is available in 12 languages worldwide.



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Human Peoples

On the Genetic Traces of Human Evolution, Migration and Adaptation

Lluís Quintana-Murci

Summary

'Masterful and ambitious. If you want to understand the power of population genetics in revealing the complex and diverse story of humanity, read this book' Tom Higham

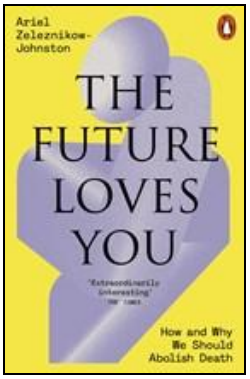
The international bestseller and new Bible of population genetics: the science transforming our understanding of the past

We are living through a revolution in knowledge. Over the past twenty years, genetics has shed light on the history of humanity in unprecedented ways. It enables us to study an individual's genome, compare it with populations worldwide, and understand its place in human history.

Here Lluís Quintana-Murci, one of the scientists at the forefront of this research reveals how population genetics is transforming our understanding of who we are. Thanks to numerous discoveries, we now know how Homo sapiens spread around the world: from their exit from Africa approximately 60,000 years ago to the recent settlement of the remote lands of Polynesia within the last millennia. Population genetics has also shown that humans mixed with now-extinct species, including Neanderthals, enabling them to adapt to new env...

Contributor Bio

Lluís Quintana-Murci is Professor at the Collège de France in Paris where he holds the Chair of Human Genomics and Evolution. He also directs the Human Evolutionary Genetics Unit at the Institut Pasteur. *Human Peoples* was published to great acclaim in France.



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The Future Loves You

How and Why We Should Abolish Death

Dr. Ariel Zeleznikow-Johnston

Summary

Just as surgeons once believed pain was good for their patients, some argue today that death brings meaning to life. But given humans rarely live beyond a century – even while certain whales can thrive for over two hundred years – it's hard not to see our biological limits as profoundly unfair. No wonder then that most people nearing death wish they still had more time.

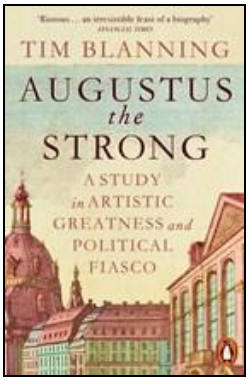
Yet, with ever-advancing science, will the ends of our lives always loom so close? For from ventilators to brain implants, modern medicine has been blurring what it means to die. In a lucid synthesis of current neuroscientific thinking, Zeleznikow-Johnston explains that death is no longer the loss of heartbeat or breath, but of personal identity – that the core of our identities is our minds, and that our minds are encoded in the structure of our brains. On this basis, he explores how recently invented brain preservation techniques now offer us all the chance of preserving our minds to enable our future revival.

Whether they fought for justice or cured diseases, we are grateful to those of our ancestors who helped craft...

Contributor Bio

Dr Ariel Zeleznikow-Johnston is a neuroscientist at Monash University, Australia, where he investigates methods for characterising the nature of conscious experiences. In 2019, he obtained his PhD from The University of Melbourne, where he researched how genetic and environmental factors affect cognition. His research interests range from the decline, preservation and rescue of cognitive function at different stages of the lifespan, through to comparing different people's conscious experience of colour.

By contributing to research that clarifies the neurobiological, cognitive, and philosophical basis of what it is to be a person, he hopes to accelerate the development of medical infrastructure that will help prevent him and everyone else from dying.



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Augustus The Strong

A Study in Artistic Greatness and Political Fiasco

Tim Blanning

Summary

From the acclaimed author of *The Pursuit of Glory* and *Frederick the Great*, a riotous biography of the charismatic ruler of 18th-century Poland and Saxony - and his catastrophic reign.

'It's been a superb year for history but *Augustus the Strong* ranks up there with the very very best! I cant recommend it strongly enough' - *Simon Sebag-Montefiore*

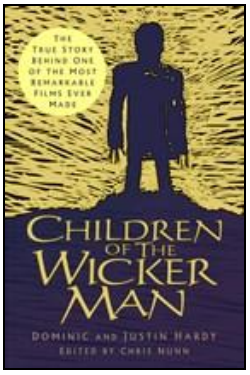
'The wonderful story of one of the worst monarchs in European history, told with enormous wit and scholarship by a supremely talented historian. If you have the slightest interest in Germans, Poles, porcelain, jewels, the Enlightenment, military disasters or the pleasures of fox-tossing, then this is the book for you' - *Dominic Sandbrook*

Shortlisted for the Elizabeth Longford Prize for Historical Biography 2025

Augustus is one of the great what-ifs of the 18th century. He could have turned the accident of ruling two major realms into the basis for a powerful European state – a bulwark against the Russians and a block on Prussian expansion. Alas, there was no opportunity Augustus did not waste and no decision he did not get wrong. By the time o...

Contributor Bio

Until age-dictated retirement in 2009, **Tim Blanning** was Professor of Modern History at the University of Cambridge. He remains a Fellow of Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge, and has been a Fellow of the British Academy since 1990. His major works include *The French Revolution in Germany*, *The French Revolutionary Wars*, *The Power of Culture and the Culture of Power*, *The Pursuit of Glory: Europe 1648-1815* and *The Triumph of Music*. He has written biographies of Joseph II, Frederick the Great and George I.



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Children of The Wicker Man

The True Story Behind One of the Most Remarkable Films Ever Made

Justin Hardy, Dominic Hardy, Chris Nunn

Summary

Justin was always conflicted over the exalted claims made for the film: for him, *The Wicker Man* destroyed his family. His brother Dominic has been more distanced.

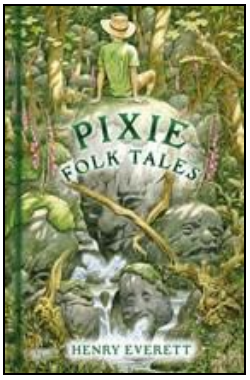
The Wicker Man is a set of fragmented stories: benighted production, brutal editing, critical reception, financial failure, and later revival. Using the newly uncovered sources, the brothers investigate what Robin Hardy's creative contribution to *The Wicker Man* was and consider who was truly sacrificed. They reveal an unlikely heroine: Justin's mother, who bankrupted herself paying loans to her husband and the film, only for him to leave when it flopped. The brothers agree she should be justly regarded as executive producer of the film she never knew was a success.

For all women behind artist husbands, this book reveals a series of heroines: the mothers of the children of *The Wicker Man*.

Contributor Bio

Dominic Hardy is a visual artist and art historian, specializing in the history of visual satire, who teaches at the Université du Québec à Montréal.

Justin Hardy is an award-winning historian filmmaker for the BBC, Channel 4, CNN and ARTE. He directed Christopher Lee in *A Feast at Midnight* (1994), and Iain Glen/Ian McDiarmid in *City of Vice* (2009).



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Pixie Folk Tales

Henry Everett

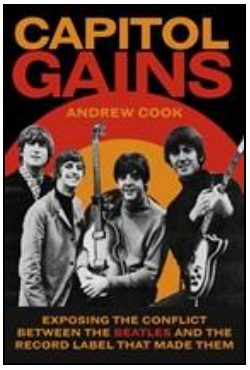
Summary

Pixies are mischievous and marvelous, and can help or hinder us, their human neighbors. They have been loved and revered, avoided and feared and have become recognizable figures in folklore and pop culture. The tales of the pixies hold treasures that can help guide us through our relationship with the land. They call for care and kindness, and playful magical thinking. But be warned! These tales are alive with magic, and their fury can last a lifetime!

This collection of traditional folk tales from Devon, Somerset and Cornwall brings together these mischievous and marvelous tales that have bee retold over generations.

Contributor Bio

Henry Everett is a storyteller, artist and writer, born and based on Dartmoor. He tells traditional tales in the oral storytelling tradition and his particular interest is in tales which speak of our relationship with the land. Henry has a BA Hons in Photography and is an exhibiting photographic artist as well a performing poet and a lantern tinsmith. He has previously led the design team and creative management for a chocolatier and appeared in all seven TV series on *The Good Food Channel*.



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Capitol Gains

Exposing the Conflict Between The Beatles and the Record Label that Made Them

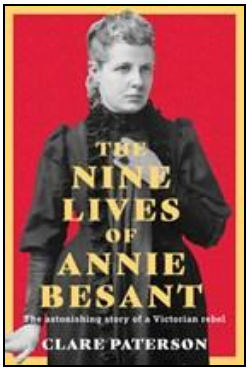
Andrew Cook

Summary

February 1963 marked the Beatles' breakthrough in Britain, but by December, they hadn't conquered America. Capitol Records signed them in late 1963 after a year of rejection. When the Beatles hit big in the U.S. in February 1964, their manager, Brian Epstein, and Capitol executives obscured the true story, but corporate and personal archives now reveal why Capitol viewed the British record industry as outdated and decided to remix UK master tapes and create distinct U.S. albums and how Brian Epstein struggled to balance Capitol's commercial decisions with the Beatles' interests. This account explores Capitol's PR efforts to protect the Beatles' image and examines how Capitol's decisions made the Beatles wealthy. It also reveals how choices by the band and their manager nearly led to bankruptcy in 1969.

Contributor Bio

Andrew Cook is an author and TV consultant with a degree in History and Ancient History. He was a program director of the Hansard Scholars Program for the University of London. Andrew has written for *The Times*, *Guardian*, *Independent*, *BBC History Magazine* and *History Today*. His previous books include *On His Majesty's Secret Service* (Tempus, 2002); *Ace of Spies* (Tempus, 2003); *M: MI5's First Spymaster* (Tempus, 2006); *The Great Train Robbery* (The History Press, 2013); and *1963: That Was the Year That Was* (The History Press, 2013).



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The Nine Lives of Annie Besant

The Astonishing Story of a Victorian Rebel

Clare Paterson

Summary

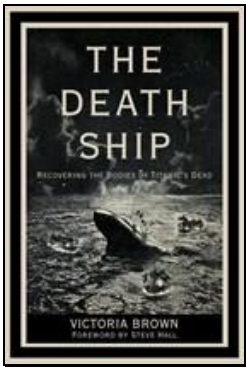
On Thursday, 5 April 1877, police charged 30-year-old Annie Besant and her colleague Charles Bradlaugh with breaching the Obscene Publications Act 1857. The reason was the scandalous sale of a slim book called *The Fruits of Philosophy*. If the fictional Lady Chatterley's Lover was the subject of the case in 1960 which horrified and delighted in equal measure, this was the non-fiction equivalent nearly a century earlier. The publication of this birth control guide, which the prosecutor in the trial referred to as a 'filthy, dirty book' caused a sensation and made Annie famous.

But Annie's extraordinary life, with its massive loyal following and significant influence, stretched long before and way beyond this, from the Western to the Eastern hemispheres, from the secular to the occult, and from the world of Victorian Britain to modernity and the First World War.

In a police report commissioned by the government on the dangers posed by Annie towards the end of her life, the investigator commented that 'the perpetual struggle of the violent reformer against constitutional authority continue...

Contributor Bio

Clare Paterson is an award-winning television executive with extensive experience of commissioning and making documentaries, some of which have been honored with BAFTAs and International Emmys. Recent credits include *The Day Mountbatten Died* (BBC Two); *A Very British History* (BBC Four); *The Bank that Almost Broke Britain*, (BBC Two); and the multi-award-winning *Exodus – Our Journey to Europe* (BBC Two), a terrifying, intimate and epic portrayal of the migration crisis. Her first book, *Mr. Horniman's Walrus*, was published in September 2022.



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The Death Ship

Recovering the Bodies of Titanic's Dead

Victoria Brown, Steve Hall

Summary

Death is a topic we often avoid talking about, but in *The Death Ship* Victoria Brown faces it head on, taking a deep dive into the fate of *Titanic*'s victims: How did they die? How did their bodies decompose? Were their bodies recovered and buried? What happened to the bodies that went down with the ship?

And what of *Titanic*'s legacy? Here, Brown explores the proposed legislative changes, salvage proposals and surge of interest the wreck received shortly after the disaster, alongside the contemporary controversy surrounding the wreck as a shipwreck versus a gravesite.

The Death Ship is a fascinating, at times shocking, examination of the ill-fated souls who tragically lost their lives that day – a crucial but seldom told part of *Titanic*'s enduring story. It also gives recognition to the people of Halifax in Nova Scotia, Canada, whose unwavering dedication ensured those who died were properly taken care of.

Contributor Bio

Victoria Brown studied English Literature & Film Studies, reflecting her love of storytelling and history, especially the Victorian and Edwardian eras. While at Queen's University Belfast, she was the Editor of *The Gown Independent Newspaper,* the oldest student newspaper in the UK, and has always written stories and non-fiction. She has written about art and feminist history and presented talks for feminist horror film club Ghouls on Film. Growing up in Northern Ireland, she has always been fascinated by Titanic and is a keen supporter of the Death Positive movement.

Steve Hall is an historian, author, novelist and renowned *Titanic* researcher. He is one of the world's foremost authorities on her photographic record, having collected, studied and researched the ship for over three decades, and is a recognized authority on the technical aspects of the *Olympic*-class ships. He is a consultant for media centers, auction houses and museums around the world and is regularly invited to conduct talks with history students. He is a foundation member of the Titanic and Steamship Historical Socie



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The Royal Film Performance

A Celebration

Robert Sellers, Gareth Owen

Summary

For nearly eight decades, the Royal family has been gracing the red carpet to see the most eagerly anticipated film of the year. Since 1946, The Royal Film Performance has been an annual highlight of the entertainment social calendar, where cinema's most famous icons have come face to face with royalty.

With authors Gareth Owen and Robert Sellers, dive into the glitz, glamour and regal encounters of each Royal Film Performance, the memorable moments and the fascinating stories. From Marilyn Monroe's nervous encounter with Queen Elizabeth II to the cheeky remarks of Jayne Mansfield, witness the intersection of cinema's luminaries and royalty.

As the curtain rises on this cinematic celebration, *The Royal Film Performance: A Celebration* pays homage to the stars, the royals and the unsung heroes of the industry, sure to delight fans of the royal family and cinema aficionados alike.

Contributor Bio

Robert Sellers graduated from drama school dreaming of a career on stage and screen but ultimately decided on film journalism instead. Since the early 1990s, he has written numerous features for national press, as well as biographies and books on film and TV and popular culture, including the bestselling *Hellraisers* (Preface, 2009).

Gareth Owens graduated with a degree in Applied Physics in 1994 and then ran off to join the film industry. After opening a production company at Pinewood Studios, he worked with director Edgar Wright in raising finance for his first feature and then, in 2002, moved downstairs into Sir Roger Moore's office to become his personal manager, executive PA and ghostwriter up until the actor's passing in 2016.



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Reflections of War

Forgotten Photographic Archives of the Second World War

Peter Deleuran

Summary

In 2020, in his capacity as an antique dealer, Peter Deleuran discovered a forgotten archive of WW2 glass negatives with their original press sleeves. Since acquiring them, he has been committed to their careful restoration, while also excavating the human stories behind them. This stunning book is the result, unveiling 150 rare images and compelling background narratives across a variety of themes, from the early days of war through battles and frontlines, in hospitals and rescue operations, technology and warfare, to the home front, resistance and liberation, the end of war, its aftermath and remembrance. Each story is anchored by original press negatives and meticulously researched to reveal engaging chronicles, many untold for 75 years.

This collection captures moments of loss and survival that resonate with hope and resilience amidst the backdrop of one of history's most horrific periods, poignantly illuminating the experiences of those who lived through the Second World War.

Contributor Bio

Peter Deleuran has a background in teaching and has studied Comparative Religion, Philosophy, and Psychology as well as Design and Marketing. He has worked with international sales of vintage watches, graphic art, and antiques for over 15 years. For the last two years, he has lived in the Swedish archipelago running a café and shop with his fiancée in an old family bakery. He has previously published three books and written many articles for *historyofyesterday.com*, as well as *History Today*, and *Medium*. He has been restoring his digital photography archive since 2020.



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Interviewing Hitler

How George Ward Price Became the World's Most Famous Journalist

Richard Evans

Summary

George Ward Price became the leading journalist of the 1930s through a string of exclusive stories about Nazi Germany. He spent an hour alone with Hitler and Göring after the remilitarization of the Rhineland. He stood next to Hitler as he addressed a crowd on the night of the invasion of Austria. And he joined Hitler for afternoon tea at the Eagle's Nest following his historic first meeting with Neville Chamberlain.

These stories made Ward Price world famous, but he himself seemed uncomfortable in the glare of the spotlight, hiding his true self behind a carefully cultivated veneer of suave and easy-going charm. Interviewing Hitler is the first book to attempt to discover the real Ward Price, and the truth of his reporting on Hitler. He emerges as a debonair, monocle-wearing raconteur who boxed with Hemingway, fought a duel in Germany, took part in a bombing raid over Austria, and was almost killed while flying with Mussolini. He interviewed many of the leading figures of the first half of the twentieth century, including Churchill, Hirohito, De Gaulle and Clemenceau. But behind his ...

Contributor Bio

Richard Evans is a former journalist, having written for *The Times*, the *Guardian* and the BBC, among others. He has spent the last 18 years leading communications teams for health charities and is the author of two books: *The Explorer and the Journalist* and *From the Frontline*.



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1945

A World at the End of War

Max Likin

Summary

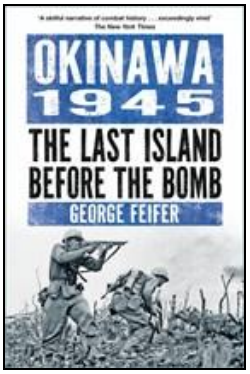
***1945* is a fresh look at the final year of the Second World War.**

Evoking the disorienting strangeness of the end and aftermath of war, *1945* narrates the lives of 50 protagonists caught in the ruins of warfare. From world leaders, artists, writers and musicians to housewives, servicemen and -women, concentration camp victims and children, Max Likin traces their stories through a momentous 12 months.

Fast-moving and dynamic, *1945* is a powerfully evocative and often surprising narrative, showing how chance and fortune impacted different people at different times. This is a must-read for anyone with an interest in history or military history and will astonish many with its fascinating juxtapositions of places and people.

Contributor Bio

Max Likin is a Lecturer in History at the Freedom Education Project Puget Sound (FEPPS), which provides a rigorous college program for incarcerated women. Having previously taught at Harvard University, he was a Fulbright Scholar at Yale University. He has taught the Second World War from opposite viewpoints and is a specialist on human rights.



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Okinawa 1945

The Stalingrad of the Pacific

George Feifer

Summary

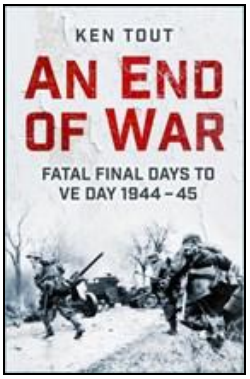
"A skillful narrative of combat history ... exceedingly vivid." –*The New York Times*

As the siege of Stalingrad was the ultimate scene of carnage at the Eastern Front, the battle of Okinawa proved to be the bloodiest of the Pacific war. Almost the entire Japanese kamikaze effort of the Second World War was directed against the Americans at Okinawa. At the beginning of the battle on 1 April 1945, over 1 million Americans, Japanese and Okinawans were centered on the small Pacific Island; by 23 June, when the Japanese commanders committed seppuku, 250,000 civilians and soldiers were dead. More people died during the battle of Okinawa than in the ensuing bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki combined.

Okinawa 1945 offers a stunning account of the last major campaign of the Second World War and the largest land–sea–air engagement. Superbly researched and extraordinarily detailed, Okinawa 1945 is told at the level of the participants themselves, soldiers and civilians alike, with the dramatic stories of three individuals running through the entire account.

Contributor Bio

While researching this book, the late **George Feifer** interviewed hundreds of American and Japanese veterans as well as Okinawan civilians, and their first-hand testimony is reproduced throughout. Feifer's previous books include *Moscow Farewell* and *The Girl From Petrovka*. He worked extensively as a journalist for *The Sunday Times*.



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An End of War

Fatal Final Days to VE Day, 1944-45

Ken Tout

Summary

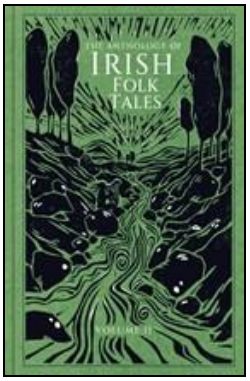
After D-Day in 1944 many British troops believed the war would be over by Christmas. The German Army in Normandy had been destroyed, but by Christmas the Allies were still fighting through Holland, while the Germans had reorganized and were fighting back.

Ken Tout, using his own experiences on the frontline and interviews with many veterans, recounts how the last gasps of the German Army saw some of the fiercest and most fanatical fighting of the whole war. Major offensives include Hitler's last desperate attempt to reverse the tide of war in the Battle of the Bulge and the Western Allies' epic struggle to cross the Rhine. Also explored are the lesser known, but no less important, battles for the Hochwald and Reichwald, and the extraordinary journey of the Polish 1st Armored Division from defeat and exile to final victory.

This last year of war is filled with stories from the tragedy of whole groups of men being frozen to death in battle areas to the triumph of logistics, ingenuity and bravery. Soldiers, who had lived for so long under the horrors of war that as they neared the end the...

Contributor Bio

Ken Tout landed on the D-Day beaches as a Sherman tank gunner and later, after heavy casualties, commanded a captain's tank while only a lance-corporal. After the war he worked for many years with international charities and, apart from his many war books, is known for early research and books on aging in developing countries. In 1994 he was awarded the OBE for his work with the elderly and also received a United Nations citation. He is Vice-President of his regimental association and has lectured to junior soldiers and their trainers during WW2 battlefield tours. His other books include *The Bloody Battle for Tilly*, *A Fine Night for Tanks* and *In the Shadow of Arnhem*.



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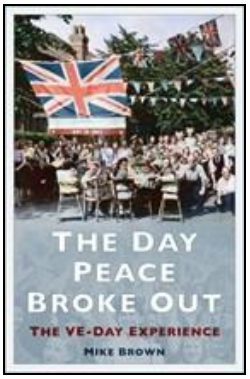
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Contributor Bio

The History Press' authors of this volume are all popular and talented professional storytellers living and performing in Ireland today. Each having authored a volume of county-based tales, they are experts in the folklore of their area.



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The Day Peace Broke Out

The VE-Day Experience

Mike Brown

Summary

At 3 p.m. on 8 May 1945, Prime Minister Winston Churchill made a long-awaited speech in which he officially declared the war in Europe to be over. After six bitter years of conflict, however, perceptions of how victory over Nazism was to be celebrated and what post-war Britain should look like were very different from the visions of the people and the politicians in 1939.

Illustrated with photographs, adverts, posters and cartoons, *The Day Peace Broke Out* describes the VE-Day celebrations in Britain and across the world through the memories of those who were there, combined with contemporary newspaper and magazine articles. Mike Brown, an authority on the British Home Front of the Second World War, charts the nation's progressive change of heart from defeatism to growing confidence of certain victory. He looks at the immediate post-VE-Day period and the celebration of victory over Japan in August 1945.

What should have been a story with a happy ending concludes with the harsh realization of post-war austerity and the increasing disillusionment that led many Britons to conclude that the...

Contributor Bio

Mike Brown is an expert on the Second World War home front and the co-author of *The Wartime House*.



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The Cunard Story

Chris Frame, Rachelle Cross

Summary

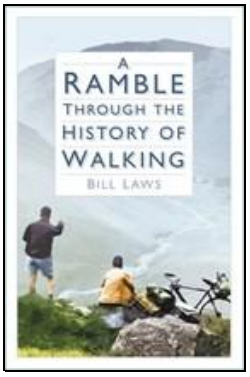
Since 1840, Cunard ships have been transiting the North Atlantic with speed, grace and elegance.

Cunard ships have helped to populate nations, served during both world wars and have transported millions of passengers, amongst them celebrities, politicians and royalty. Through tales of ships such as *Britannia, Lusitania, Mauretania, Aquitania* and the immortal *Queens*, *The Cunard Story* gives readers an insight into the heritage of this historic line. Today the Cunard Line operates a fleet of modern ships, offering passengers exciting and varied itineraries to exotic locations across the globe.

The Cunard Story is a must-have for all maritime historians and ocean-travelers, especially those with affection for this historic line and its grand vessels.

Contributor Bio

Maritime historians **Chris Frame** and **Rachelle Cross** have had a passion for ocean liners and cruise ships for most of their lives. Together they have written over a dozen books as well as countless articles and feature stories for both magazines and newspapers. Both authors have appeared on television news speaking about cruising, while Chris has featured as a history expert on TV and radio including the *BBC, Sky News* and *ABC*. Chris Frame and Rachelle Cross are authors of *The Photographic Journey* series and several books in the *Story Series*, as well as other popular titles including *A Photographic History of P&O Cruises, A Photographic History of the Orient Line* and *The Evolution of The Transatlantic Liner*. They maintain popular cruising and history websites at www.chrisframe.com.au and www.chriscunard.com.



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A Ramble Through the History of Walking

Bill Laws

Summary

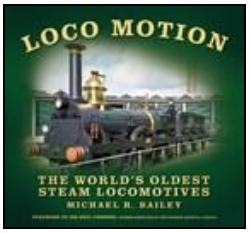
'The great affair is to move: to come down off this featherbed of civilization, and find the globe granite underfoot,' wrote Robert Louis Stevenson. This book celebrates the history of walking for leisure and pleasure.

There's no shortage of the famous, and the not so famous, exponents of a good, long walk: Dr. Johnson and his faithful Boswell on their Hebridean jaunt; John Taylor, whose Penniless Pilgrimage, a record of his 1618 journey from London to Edinburgh, provided the first account of a walking tour; and Samuel Coleridge who conceived his epic tale of the Ancient Mariner on a ramble through Devon. The author also includes the stories of key inventions: the cagoule, the Thermos flask, the rucksack, Gore-Tex and the walking pole.

Fully illustrated throughout, *A Ramble Through the History of Walking* tells the engaging history of one of man's favorite pastimes.

Contributor Bio

Bill Laws has written seven books on garden history, including *Artist's Gardens* (Ward Lock, 1999). He writes for *The Telegraph*, *Sainsbury's Magazine* and *Period House*. Formerly a professional gardener, he manages an organic garden on the Welsh borders.



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Loco Motion

The World's Oldest Steam Locomotives

Michael R Bailey, Sir Neil Cossons, Former Director of the Science Museum, London

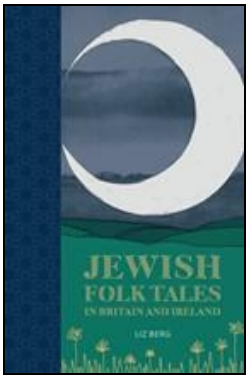
Summary

The steam locomotive is a machine that has inspired imagination, innovation and invention from the time of its origination and continues to evoke passion in enthusiasts today.

Here Michael R. Bailey expertly and in fascinating detail, describes the development of the steam locomotive during its pioneering first half-century until 1850 by exploring the surviving locomotives that may be seen in Britain, Europe, and North and South America. In addition to surviving relics, he also takes a look at operable replicas, which fill many gaps in international collections, to provide continuity in this evolutionary story. Exploring in depth each example's operational and preservation history, along with design characteristics, component materials and modifications made, no detail is left unmentioned. With unparalleled detail, incredibly stunning images and a list of museums housing all of the world's oldest locomotives, this truly is a volume that no student of railway history should be without.

Contributor Bio

Michael R. Bailey is a railway historian who has undertaken projects for museums in England, Canada and Denmark. He writes and lectures (and occasionally acts as a TV consultant) and was a consultant to UNESCO regarding the Rhaetian Railway's application for World Heritage status. He is a member of the Newcomen Society and was its president 1995–1997. He was a Trustee of the Museum of Science & Industry in Manchester and remains president of the museum Friends and is a vice-president of the Stephenson Locomotive Society.



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Jewish Folk Tales in Britain and Ireland

Liz Berg

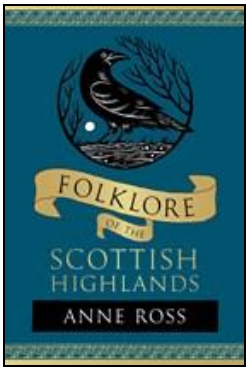
Summary

In this book of folk tales, Liz Berg shares Jewish memories: authentic tales, songs and jokes told by Jews in Britain and Ireland.

Some stories moved from place to place, changing and adapting to new landscapes and taking on different textures, but the core of the story stays the same and is preserved through oral storytelling and recorded on these pages. Here are tales from the time of Domitian's Jewish slaves working in the tin mines of Cornwall, through to the tales being told in communities today, all incorporating the wit and magic of a rich and varied culture successfully integrated into Britain and Ireland.

Contributor Bio

Liz Berg is a professional storyteller whose repertoire mainly consists of Jewish stories from both the Ashkenazi and Sephardi traditions. She also tells British folk tales and from around the world. She lived in Israel for five years teaching English in state schools and further education, studied Judaism and Jewish/Christian Relations at Selly Oak Colleges, Birmingham under Rabbi Dr. Norman Solomon, and taught Judaism at Birmingham University's Continuing Studies for a couple of years. She now lives in Liskeard, where she founded the Liskeard Storytelling Cafe.



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Folklore of the Scottish Highlands

Anne Ross

Summary

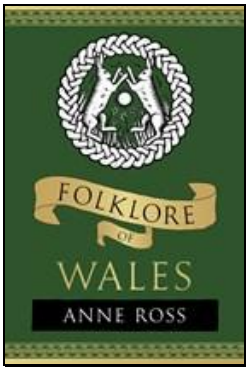
The folklore of the Scottish Highlands is unique and very much alive.

Dr. Anne Ross is a Gaelic-speaking scholar and archaeologist who has lived and worked in crofting communities. This has enabled her to collect information at first hand and to assess the veracity of material already published.

In this substantially revised edition of a classic work first published 30 years ago, she portrays the beliefs and customs of Scottish Gaelic society, including: seasonal customs deriving from Celtic festivals; the famous waulking songs; the Highland tradition of seers and second sight; omens and taboos, both good and bad; and, chilling experiences of witchcraft and the Evil Eye Rituals associated with birth and death.

Contributor Bio

Dr. Anne Ross was one of Britain’s leading Celtic scholars. Her seminal work was *Pagan Celtic Britain*, and she authored three other titles published by The History Press.



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Folklore of Wales

Anne Ross

Summary

Wales is a Celtic country, and the Celts have always treasured oral learning and recitation. Indeed, they have a passion for committing facts to memory rather than relying on the written word. So, it is no surprise, as we can see from Anne Ross's study, that Welsh folklore and storytelling is so rich and varied.

In addition to examining the part played by the medieval church in this oral tradition, individual chapters cover legends associated with placenames; calendar customs; giants and monsters; omens and second sight; witches, ghosts and fairies; supernatural birds and animals; folk healing and herbal remedies.

The landscape is studded with the remains of ancient monuments, which are seen as the creation of gods and heroes. Every lake had its legend, whether it be inhabited by a grim, monstrous *afanc*, or by a beautiful, enchanted maiden, or maybe harbors a drowned settlement where the bell still tolls to warm of approaching storms. Giants stalk the land, while fairies can be dangerous, hostile and demanding propitiation. Omens of potential marriage partners were avidly sought by gir...

Contributor Bio

Dr. Anne Ross was one of Britain’s leading Celtic scholars. Her seminal work was *Pagan Celtic Britain,* and she authored three other titles published by The History Press.



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Double Agent Victoire

Mathilde Carré and the Interallié Network

David Tremain

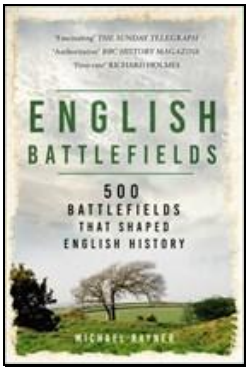
Summary

Mathilde Carré, notoriously known as La Chatte, was remarkable for all the wrong reasons.

Like most spies she was temperamental, scheming and manipulative – but she was also treacherous. A dangerous mix, especially when combined with her infamous history of love affairs – on both sides. Her acts of treachery were almost unprecedented in the history of intelligence, yet her involvement in the 'Interallié affair' has only warranted a brief mention in the accounts of special operations in France during the Second World War. But what motivated her to betray more than 100 members of the Interallié network, the largest spy network in France? Was she the only guilty party, or were others equally as culpable? Using previously unpublished material from MI5 files, *Double Agent Victoire* explores the events that led to her betrayal, who may have 'cast the first stone', and their motivations, as well as how the lives and careers of those involved were affected. It reveals a story full of intrigue, sex, betrayal and double-dealing, involving a rich cast including members of the French Resistance, G...

Contributor Bio

David Tremain a retired paper conservator and museum security specialist. He has contributed book reviews to the Canadian Association for Security & Intelligence Studies (CASIS), published articles on conservation for the museum and conservation professions, and taught workshops on emergency preparedness and museum security internationally.



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English Battlefields

500 Battlefields That Shaped English History

Michael Rayner

Summary

"Fascinating" —The Sunday Telegraph

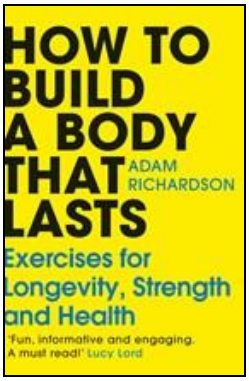
England has been fought over for centuries, by invaders and in civil wars. The sites of these desperate struggles are as varied as the reasons they were fought over, be they fields, towns or fortresses, by land, sea or air. These haunted acres are places of commemoration, memory and, above all, history. These are the places where history was made, and as such they form a crucial part of the historic environment.

By 'reading' them like any other form of historical evidence, much can be learned about the events which took place there. Through stripping away later features and land use with an eye for the ground, the battlefield historian can, with the use of contemporary accounts, archaeology and military history, reconstruct the events which have shaped the present.

In this ground-breaking volume, covering over 500 battlefields, Michael Rayner unravels these various strands and weaves them back together to give clear, concise accounts of the battles which shaped England.

Contributor Bio

Michael Rayner is the coordinator of the Battlefields Trust, a Heritage Lottery-funded charity dedicated to protecting battlefield sites across the UK. He has been at the forefront of battlefield preservation and interpretation in the UK for 20 years. His other books include *Battlefields: Exploring the Arenas of War, 1805-1945*.



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How To Build a Body That Lasts

Exercises for Longevity, Strength and Health

Adam Richardson

Summary

The *Sunday Times* bestseller

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Discover how mobility exercises and stretches can help you achieve a happier, healthier body for longer with this easy fitness guide!

You're sitting like a prawn right now, aren't you?

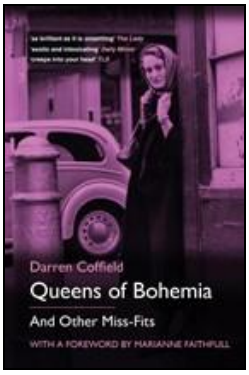
Mobility training is your secret weapon to building a body that lasts. It improves flexibility, strength, stamina, and posture - for life. Whether you're new to exercise or total gym buff, these quick and easy exercises will change your game.

In *How To Build a Body That Lasts*, top fitness coach Adam Richardson shows how to work quick exercises into your daily routine - without having to find time for a full workout in your busy day.

In this comprehensive and myth-busting book, Richardson lays out a roadmap to help you break free from stiffness and pain. Whether you want to tackle a stiff neck, sore back or tight hips, this book provides inclusive exercises for al...

Contributor Bio

Adam Richardson is the UK's top trending health and fitness coach with a rapidly growing audience across both



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Queens of Bohemia

And Other Miss-Fits

Darren Coffield, Marianne Faithfull

Summary

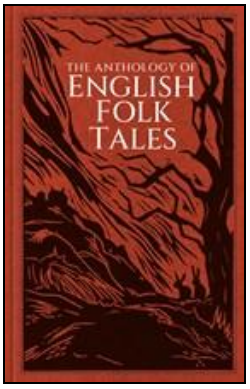
Our story begins in 1920s London, at a time when women's rights were surging after the long battle for suffrage and nightclubs emerged as spaces where single women could socialize unchaperoned. This was the age of the dance craze and the gender-bending 'Flapper', who inspired the creation of the Gargoyle club, a nocturnal hunting ground for Femmes Fatales.

Meanwhile, London's Bohemia was ruled by the 'Queen of Clubs', Kate Meyrick; the taboo-breaking 'Tiger Woman', Betty May; the original 'Chelsea Girl', Viva King; the artist, Nina Hamnett; the 'Euston Road Venus', Sonia Orwell; and Isabel Rawsthorne, artist, spy, pornographer, model and muse . . . to name but a few.

Using previously unpublished memoirs and interviews, *Queens of Bohemia* creates a soundscape of voices that gives the reader a taste of their world, so exotic and yet often wracked with despair. It offers a unique insight into a generation of women for whom ideals of duty and self-sacrifice had been debunked by the horrors of war and whose morality resided in being true to oneself, as they took their struggle for freedom in...

Contributor Bio

Darren Coffield was born in London in 1969. He studied at Goldsmiths College, Camberwell School of Art, and the Slade School of Art in London, where he received his Bachelor of Fine Art in 1993. He has exhibited widely in the company of many leading artists, including Damien Hirst, Howard Hodgkin, Patrick Caulfield and Gilbert and George. In 2014, Darren Coffield was specially selected by the jurors of 100 Painters of Tomorrow as an artist who has made a significant contribution to the painting scene today. He is the author of *Tales from the Colony Room: Soho's Lost Bohemia* (Unbound, 2021).



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The Anthology of English Folk Tales *(2nd Edition)*

Folk Tales Authors

Summary

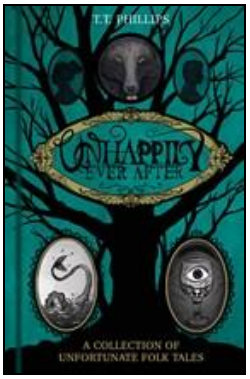
This enchanting collection of stories gathers together folk tales from across England in one special volume.

Drawn from The History Press' popular Folk Tales series, herein lies a treasure trove of tales from a wealth of talented storytellers performing in the country today, including prominent figures Taffy Thomas MBE, Hugh Lupton and Helen East. From hidden chapels and murderous vicars to travelling fiddlers and magical shapeshifters, this book celebrates the distinct character of England's different customs, beliefs and dialects, and is a treat for all who enjoy a good yarn.

Contributor Bio

Kevan Manwaring, PhD, is a writer of fantasy and non-fiction exploring ecology, fantastika, and the bardic tradition. He is the Course Leader in the MA Creative Writing at Arts University Bournemouth, and lives on the Jurassic Coast.

The History Press' Folk Tale Authors of this volume are all popular and talented professional storytellers living and performing in England today. Each having authored a volume of county-based tales, they are experts in the folklore of their area.



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Unhappily Ever After

A Collection of Unfortunate Folk Tales

Tom Phillips

Summary

As children, we are told common fairy tales, all seemingly having happy-ever-afters. When we grow up, we realize that's not how life works and crave those stories that reflect the messy truths of life.

In these detailed retellings of folk tales aimed at adults, discover stories of abandoned men, fools who meet a sticky end, a person still waiting for death, and more. Some in these stories live happily ever after, but not all, as that's just not real life.

Tom Phillips retells and expands some of the favorite folk tales he has discovered and told over his many years as a storyteller, making them more gritty and real by giving them room to breathe.

Contributor Bio

TOM PHILLIPS is a professional storyteller who aims to bring traditional stories to young and old. He completed a degree in Primary education in 2008 and spent several years teaching across the key stages. During this time, he began storytelling, initially to children and then to adults. Whether telling stories to children in a school or adults at a heritage setting, folk tales are a constant. He has appeared on several podcasts discussing them and, in 2023, led a panel discussion about the importance of folk tales at the Cheltenham Literature Festival. Alongside this, he has written many children's stories, begun a novel aimed at 8–12-year-olds and writes articles for Folklore Thursday on various folk tales from around the world. He is the author of *Leicestershire Folk Tales for Children* and *Forest Folk Tales for Children*, both published by The History Press.



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Scribendi: Irish Writers 1982-2025

Irish Writers 1982-2025

Steve Pyke

Summary

A landmark book of portraits of Irish writers by internationally renowned photographer Steve Pyke. Featuring over 60 captivating portraits of many of Ireland's greatest contemporary writers, alongside brief interviews with each writer on their writing life, why they write, and what they hope for the future of their art.

'I come from the English Midlands, but I became a photographer in Ireland. I made my first portraits in Dublin in the early 1980s. It was immediately apparent to me then how important Irish writers are to their country, in a way I never saw in England or elsewhere.

One of my earliest portrait sessions was in 1983, with the writer Neil Jordan in my first studio in London. I've gone on for the subsequent forty years photographing the Irish writers whose books have excited me. Early sitters include Seamus Heaney, Edna O'Brien and John McGahern. More recent trips have led me to the next generation, such writers as Anne Enright, Kevin Barry and Louise Kennedy. I photographed these people because I had read their books and admired and wanted to meet them, and also to make ...

Contributor Bio

Steve Pyke MBE is the author of 10 books, including *I Could Read the Sky* (Harvill), *Philosophers* (OUP) and *Poguetry* (Faber). He has received many awards for his photography, including an MBE in 2003. His work has appeared in the National Portrait Galleries in London and Washington, D.C., among other museums. He was staff portrait photographer at *The New Yorker* 2004-2014. He lives in New Orleans.



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Injury Time

Kevin Smith

Summary

Businessman Fenton Conville has it all sewn up, coasting through life with his mates and his money in a sleepy Northern Irish village. Until, that is, he wakes on his 50th birthday to an unexpected solicitor's letter and a shocking allegation that could blow his world apart. In this sharp-eyed comedy of memories, middle age and long-buried mistakes, a privileged entrepreneur feels the chill winds of post-Brexit change in a society struggling to account for its past.

Contributor Bio

Kevin Smith is from County Down in Northern Ireland. A former journalist, he has worked in newspapers, radio, and newswires, and was for a number of years a foreign correspondent in Eastern Europe. He has published two previous novels; the first, *Jammy Dodger*, was longlisted for the 2013 Desmond Elliott Prize for new fiction.



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Mint & Other Stories

Adrian Kenny

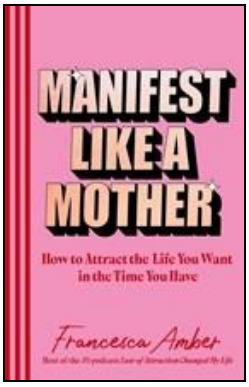
Summary

Skilled portraits in miniature set in Dublin and London: masterful character sketches by one of Ireland's most observant writers. Although these are separate stories, they form chapters in a man's life. He knows the characters in Dublin, the West of Ireland, London, provincial England and they know him. His descriptions are intimate, sympathetic but their lives are sharply drawn. A young Muslim woman moves to a Dublin Street; a married man meets a married woman to make up for a failed night of their youth; a London woman keeps a window open to remind herself that suicide is available. Through each story the overarching narrator also becomes clearer: we see the tension between who he is and the pull of what might have been. As conclusions bring opposites together, in this book, Time is the great character.

These are timeless, classic Irish short stories in the vein of William Trevor and Brian Friel, poised and carefully observed vignettes of the lives that compose modern Ireland.

Contributor Bio

Adrian Kenny was born in Dublin in 1945 and educated at Gonzaga College and University College Dublin. He has worked as an English teacher in Ireland and abroad, and as a freelance journalist. He is the author of *The Feast of Michaelmas* (novel, 1978), *Arcady* (stories, 1983), *Before the Wax Hardened* (autobiography, 1991), *Istanbul Diary* (1994), *The Family Business* (1999) and *Portobello Notebook* (2012). He has also published an edition of the journals of Arland Ussher, and a translation of the 18th century Gaelic poet *An Caisideach Ban*. He is a member of Aosdána.



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Manifest Like a Mother

How to attract the life you want in the time you have

Francesca Amber

Summary

THE INSTANT *SUNDAY TIMES* BESTSELLER

'Francesca Amber makes the law of attraction feel achievable, even in the chaos of motherhood – this book is a total game changer for busy mums like us.' - *Ferne McCann*

MANIFEST THE LIFE YOU WANT IN THE TIME THAT YOU HAVE

The inspiring and practical new book from the host of the UK's largest self-development book club and hit podcast *The Law of Attraction Changed my Life.*

I took the tatters of my life and created something incredible using my mindset alone. I did it with tiny newborn twins and a toddler in tow. I did it on my own. I did it with no money and with no coaches, courses or retreats – and so can you!

Successful author, entrepreneur and podcast host Francesca Amber is on a mission to make manifesting accessible to the most time-poor and overworked demographic in our society: MOTHERS.

Having used manifesting to go from being a single mum of three who lost her business during COVID, to a highly successful entrepreneur and host of a no. 1 hit podcast, Francesca has created to help you take control of your life as well and achieve the life you wa...

Contributor Bio

After her world crumbled in 2020, Francesca Amber turned her life around using the power of manifesting. She is now a highly successful entrepreneur, host of the #1 hit podcast *The Law of Attraction Changed my Life* and host of the UK's largest self-development book club. She is also a self-confessed basic b*tch and a single mum to three beautiful girls.



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Rod Rage

The Trials of Trouting

Paul Dady

Summary

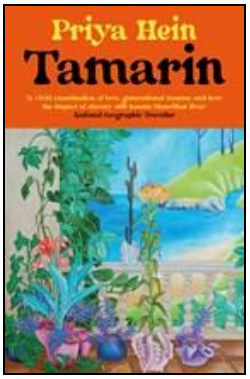
***Rod Rage* is a brilliant collection of more than 40 cartoons and humorous captions, depicting the trout angler's anguish and anticipation in pursuit of the 'gentle art'.**

As the book's author and illustrator, Paul Dady, explains 'Fishing doesn't actually clear the mind. It does, however, given the opportunity, tend to clutter it with altogether more agreeable stuff . . . usually.' Whether by circumstance or ill fortune, 'trouters' will have always found themselves tested and, subsequently, if only for the briefest of moments, been the loser of grace or good nature. From knots to lucky underwear and appalling hauling to swans, many anglers will identify with the scenarios featured in this clever and quirky portrayal.

Contrasting cartoon styles convey the different mood of each scene and are guaranteed to catch the reader's attention. This is the perfect gift book for trout anglers by one who knows the sport well.

Contributor Bio

Paul Dady's original occupation was as a typographer. He later worked in various other fields including social work, model making, museum exhibiting, tool making and sculpting. Since he was a young child Paul has always fished and drawn.



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Tamarin

Priya Hein

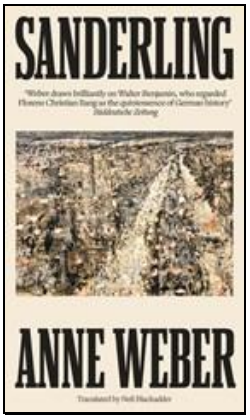
Summary

Tamarin Bay, Mauritius, is a travel agent’s paradise; a tropical ocean, fishermen unloading their daily catch, children building sandcastles, surfers riding giant waves. But just along the shoreline is the beach of La Preneuse, known as the taker of souls. The island is haunted with tragedy and the remnants of colonial rule. But it is also home, where Anita Ram longs to be following the collapse of her marriage. After enduring a shocking betrayal and the sexism and racism of a cold Britain in the early 21st century, she finds comfort in simple things; her mother’s cooking, her childhood bedroom, and a handsome architect. Will these be enough for Anita to find happiness again, or will the ghosts of her past consume her?

Following the international success of her debut *Riambel*, Hein’s heart wrenching new novel reveals the violence and beauty inherent in her native Mauritius.

Contributor Bio

Priya Hein is a Mauritian author whose first novel *Riambel* won the Prix Athéna 2023 and The Jean-Fanchette Prize 2021.She was nominated for the 2017 Astrid Lindgren Memorial Award, shortlisted for the Prix de l’Atelier Littéraire in 2021 and the Miles Morland Scholarship in 2023, and participated in the 2024 Iowa WP fall residency. Priya lives in Mauritius with her family.



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Sanderling

Anne Weber, Neil Blackadder

Summary

How do you live with a history you cannot escape? What did it mean to be German one hundred years ago—and what does it mean today?

These questions lie at the heart of *Sanderling*, a classic work of literary inquiry by Anne Weber, one of Germany's leading contemporary authors. In this deeply personal and intellectually rigorous book, Weber journeys into the past to uncover the life of her great-grandfather Florens Christian Rang (1864–1924), whom she nicknames *Sanderling* after the darting shorebird.

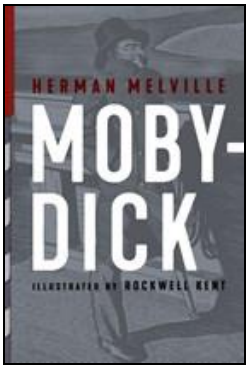
A Protestant pastor in Prussian-ruled Poland, Rang served a church committed to the "Germanization" of the local population—an ideology that would later find horrific expression in the ambitions of the Third Reich. After leaving the church, Sanderling became part of the intellectual circles of Walter Benjamin, Hugo von Hofmannsthal, and Martin Buber, **j**oining writers, artists, and philosophers who dreamed of a utopian society. Yet his legacy is deeply conflicted: one of his sons—Weber's grandfather—would go on to become a Nazi.

Through close readings of letters and diaries and by traveling in h...

Contributor Bio

Anne Weber is an author, and a translator into both French and German. She studied in Paris and has worked for several publishers. She has written a dozen books, each in a German and French version. Her book Epic Annette has been translated into 15 languages and won the 2020 German Book Prize. She has also been awarded the Annette-von-Droste-Hülshoff-Preis and the Joseph-Breitbach-Preis.

Neil Blackadder translates prose and drama from German and French. His translations have been staged in London, New York and other cities, and he has received grants from the NEA, PEN, and the Howard Foundation.



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Moby-Dick

Illustrated by Rockwell Kent

Herman Melville, Rockwell Kent

Summary

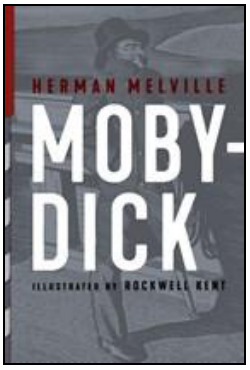
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Contributor Bio

Herman Melville was born in 1819 in New York City, the grandson of two Revolutionary War heroes. He began his career as an author in 1845 with the publication of the novel *Typee*, which recounted and fictionalized some of his adventures over three and a half years at sea on whaling and naval ships in the South Pacific. The book's success enabled Melville to write four more novels, including *Omoo* (1847) before publishing his masterpiece, *Moby-Dick*, in 1851. Met with an indifferent response when it was published, the book and author fell into obscurity until decades after the author passed away in 1891. In the early part of the twentieth century, the author and his work would undergo a radical reappraisal, and *Moby-Dick* would be recognized as one of the truly Great American Novels ever written.



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Contributor Bio

Rockwell Kent, born in 1882 in Tarrytown, New York, was an artist and author who first came to prominence in the early twentieth century as a painter. Drawing inspiration from the austere power and beauty found in nature, Kent once wrote, " I don' t want petty self-expression. I want the elemental, infinite thing; I want to paint the rhythm of eternity." Kent's stark black-and-white illustrations for the 1930 Lakeside Press edition of Moby-Dick became his most famous work, reigniting an interest in the novel. Kent died of a heart attack in 1971. Herman Melville was born in 1819 in New York City, the grandson of two Revolutionary War heroes. He began his career as an author in 1845 with the publication of the novel *Typee*, which recounted and fictionalized some of his adventures over three and a half years at sea on whaling and naval ships in the South Pacific. The book's success enabled Melville to write four more novels, including Omoo (1847) before publishing his magnum opus, *Moby-Dick*, in 1851. Met with an indifferent response, the book and author fell into obscurity until decades



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Kolchak Eras

Charles R. Rutledge, Stephen Mark Rainey, Owl Goingback, Jim Beard, James Chambers, James Aquilone, Simon Bestwick, Lisa Morton, David Avallone, Leverett Butts

Summary

KOLCHAK: THE NIGHT STALKER THROUGH THE YEARS

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With stories by James Chambers, James Aquilone, David Avallone, Bobby Nash, David Avallone, Will McDermott, Naching T. Kassa, Owl Goingback, Jim Beard, Leverett Butts, Charles R. Rutledge, Lisa Morton, and Simon Bestwick.

The Kolchak Eras print edition features 13 black-and-white illustrations.

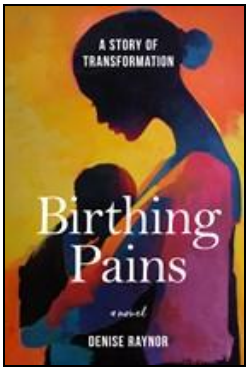
Artists include Zac Atkinson, Colton Worley, and Julius Ohta.

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Contributor Bio

James Aquilone is the owner of Monstrous Books, writer of the Dead Jack: Zombie Detective series, and editor of the anthologies Classic Monsters Unleashed, Shakespeare Unleashed, and the 50th anniversary Kolchak: The Night Stalker graphic novel. He's won the Bram Stoker Award for Best Graphic Novel and two Rondo Hatton Classic Horror Awards. ,

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Birthing Pains

A Story of Transformation

Denise Raynor

Summary

It’s 1988. Fresh out of residency training, Dr. Laura Hampton is determined to modernize obstetric care in rural Stephens County, NC. The challenges are many, not simply the resistance to her uppity northern Negro aggressiveness from physicians at the county’s hospital. She’s also fighting to demonstrate that African Americans are unshakeable, intelligent, and sensitive three-dimensional people to a world that sees them as anything but. Always an outsider, Laura also struggles to fashion a comfortable life for her children and Jewish husband Aaron in a small town not far removed from the customs of the Jim Crow south. Her clinical work is hampered by the dire poverty that permeates her patients’ lives and insufficient resources to serve them. Laura’s self-confidence is shaken as she stumbles from one situation to another, an emotional turmoil that threatens to upend her marriage. As she struggles to regain her footing, she is forced to reexamine her attitudes about the people she serves, the ways she interacts with them, and how she can carry those lessons into the future that she pl...

Contributor Bio

This is the third act for Denise Raynor. The first one began with a ten year stint in biomedical research. Then, married with two children, she enrolled in medical school, went on to an Ob/Gyn residency and a fellowship in maternal fetal medicine which began a career in academic medicine where research and resident education were her particular interests. Later, she earned a Masters in Public Health. Now an Emerita of Emory University, Denise has fought against racial bias and gender discrimination in medicine, focused primarily on making women and families the decision makers in their own healthcare.

Denise has always loved the magic of discovery. As a staunch believer in lifelong learning, she remains on the volunteer faculty of the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Emory. At home in Atlanta, you’ll find her reading nonfiction history, literary and historical novels, mysteries and thrillers in her spare time, when she isn't seeing a play or concert or sampling the many outstanding restaurants in town.



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Young Adult Nonfiction / History

8.5 in H | 5.5 in W

No Fucks Given

Part One Outgoing

Nobody FN Important

Summary

No Fucks Given is about an anti-authority drug addict from Florida who ironically joins the Army after the September 11th attacks to help in the fight against the terrorist in Afghanistan only to find himself in a war that had nothing to do with 9-11 or terrorism.

Contributor Bio

Served in Iraq with the Army Reserves from 2003-2004. Made the rank of Sgt with the Army National Guard Infantry from 2007-2012. Graduated from the University of Florida with a BA in Journalism (2010.) Graduated with an MFA in creative writing from the University of Tampa. (2016)



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Religion / Sermons
9 in H | 6 in W

Then Fell the Lord's Fire

New Life in Ministry. Ordination Sermons and Essays on Pastoral Theology and Practice

Bo Giertz, Bror Erickson

Summary

Then Fell the Lord's Fire is a treasured collection of ordination sermons and pastoral theology essays by renowned bishop Bo Giertz. Since its first English translation in 2012, it has become a cherished ordination gift and a go-to resource for pastors seeking wisdom, encouragement, and theological depth.

The book is divided into two parts. The first features Giertz's brief yet powerful ordination sermons—rich in both law and gospel, keeping pastors grounded in their calling to preach Christ and administer the sacraments. Many use these sermons as devotions during Advent or Lent, finding in them a deep well of grace and renewal. Giertz writes as one who understands the trials, temptations, and burdens of pastoral ministry—offering not just insight, but the mercy and encouragement that revives a weary heart.

The second part contains essays that dive into the practical realities of pastoral work, offering both theological depth and real-world application. Even in his lectures, Giertz never stops preaching—always handing over the goods.



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Stretched

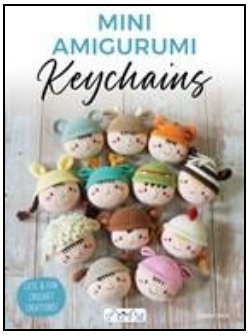
A Study for Lent and the Entire Christian Life

Christopher Richmann, Steven D. Paulson, Christopher J. Richmann

Summary

Discover ***Stretched: A Study for Lent and the Entire Christian Life***, a captivating exploration of Lent's timeless themes—death, fasting, temptation, repentance, and piety. This isn't just another devotional; it's a dynamic journey through Scripture, weaving biblical truths with a critical look at the cultural forces shaping Christians today. At its heart is a powerful truth: it is God who acts—killing and reviving, imposing fasts, testing faith, granting repentance, and igniting lives transformed by grace. As a believer, you are *stretched*—like the lengthening days of springtime Lent, and even more profoundly, "stretched out with Christ" on the cross, reflecting the life of the baptized.

Drawing on his experience as a Lutheran pastor, Christopher Richmann designed this book for interaction, making it perfect for group study or individual reflection for lay readers of all Christian backgrounds. Thought-provoking discussion questions punctuate each chapter, guiding conversations that are grounded in key biblical readings. Concluding meditations and topic-based questions invite you to go ...



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Crafts & Hobbies / Toymaking

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Mini Amigurumi Keychains

Cute & Fun Crochet Creations!

Lana Choi

Summary

Make an cute collection of miniature amigurumi keychains with this delightful book! Featuring easy-to-follow patterns and step-by-step instructions, you’ ll be able to crochet keychains in the form of animals, plants, fruits, and more-all made using HELLO Easy yarns. From playful pandas, cuddly rabbits, and tiny turtles to sweet strawberries, colorful ice creams, and lovely succulents, this book is packed with fun designs to brighten up your keys, bags, or gifts. You’ ll also find shapes like hearts and stars, as well as miniature airplanes and cars! Perfect for beginners and experienced crocheters alike, these mini amigurumi keychains are quick to make, irresistibly cute, and a joy to collect! Grab your hook and start crocheting today!

Contributor Bio

A crochet doll artist from Incheon, South Korea, who creates warm and comforting friends that you’ ll want to keep by your side. As the creator of LANAdolls, she weaves stories into each stitch, bringing adorable and heartwarming characters to life. Her works are loved for their charming aesthetics and soft color palettes. She also designs beginner-friendly crochet patterns and runs classes, making crochet dolls more accessible to everyone. Hoping that these little handmade friends bring warmth and comfort to their owners, she continues to craft new stories with yarn and a crochet hook.



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Yiddish: A Global Culture

Bold Lives, Boundless Creativity

David Mazower

Summary

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Contributor Bio

David Mazower is the research bibliographer and editorial director at the Yiddish Book Center and chief curator and writer of the Center’s permanent exhibition, Yiddish: A Global Culture. He oversees the Center’s core collections and co-edits its magazine, Pakn Treger. Author of Yiddish Theatre in London, he is a founder and regular writer for the Digital Yiddish Theatre Project and has published widely on Yiddish popular and print culture, British Jewish history, Jewish art, and the work of his great-grandfather, Yiddish writer Sholem Asch.



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Alter Ego

Lisa Manobal, Brandon Montclare, - MinoMiyabi

Summary

Product Description This 96 Page Graphic Novel is the official companion to the Alter Ego album, written by LISA and brought to vivid life by celebrated Japanese artist MINOMIYABI. Step into a neon-drenched cyberpunk city where Vixi—a quiet tech genius—prefers fixing arcade machines to seeking the spotlight. Despite her reserved nature, she becomes the unexpected bond that unites four remarkable friends: Roxi, a pressured social star yearning for genuine connection; Kiki, an unstoppable arcade champion with an unyielding spirit; Sunni, a gentle peacekeeper concealing her inner storms; and Speedi, a fearless risk-taker learning to slow down. When three ruthless bullies trap Vixi in a virtual reality nightmare, her friends dive headfirst into the digital battleground, proving that while Vixi may work alone, she never has to fight alone.

Contributor Bio

LISA is a rapper, singer, and dancer best known as a member of the globally renowned K-pop girl group, BLACKPINK. Beyond her success with BLACKPINK, LISA has made a name for herself as a solo artist and has broken several records globally with singles "Lalisa" and "Money" charting in the top 10 of the Billboard Global 200. "Money" holds the record as the longest-charting song by a solo female K-pop artist on the Billboard Hot 100 in the US and on the U.K. Singles Chart. LISA broke three Guinness World Records in 2023 as the most Instagram followers for a K-pop artist (currently at 105 Million followers on the platform), she is also the first solo K-pop winner at both the MTV Video Music Awards and the MTV European Music Awards. Brandon Montclare is a comic book & graphic novel writer. He's the creator of Lunella Lafayette, a.k.a. Moon Girl from Marvel's hit Moon Girl and Devil Dinosaur. The superhero plays a special role in the Marvel Universe as the world's smartest person. The Moon Girl and Devil Dinosaur television series premiered February 2023 on the Disney Channel. Other comics...



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The Killing Machine

Book One of The Hand of God

Darin S. Cape, Michel Fortin

Summary

A thrilling fusion of classic sci-fi storytelling and modern graphic novel artistry, The Killing Machine delivers a gripping tale of war, identity, and first contact. As scientists unravel a mystery that defies the known laws of physics, humanity finds itself lured into a deadly encounter with an alien race—one, igniting a crisis of ethics, identity, and survival among Earth's leaders. Blending philosophical depth with explosive military space battles and richly imagined alien contact, The Killing Machine will appeal to fans of Star Trek, The Expanse, and classic sci-fi literature. Featuring vivid, cinematic artwork and a tightly woven narrative, this is a must-read for readers who crave substance with their spectacle.

Contributor Bio

Shawn Hainsworth is a publisher, author and producer who writes under the pen name Darin S. Cape. SHP Comics was launched in 2021 as an independent publisher focused on delivering genre-bending stories combining horror, science fiction, adventure, and reimagined classics into daring, intelligent and unique comic books and graphic novels. Shawn produced the award-winning short film, Technical Support based on the SHP Comics series, EroTech. He lives in Western Massachusetts with his wife, two kids and a hound dog mix. Michel spent his childhood on his family's farm in Quebec. He worked in construction for many years before reinventing himself as a comic book artist where he can express his love of drawing and science fiction.