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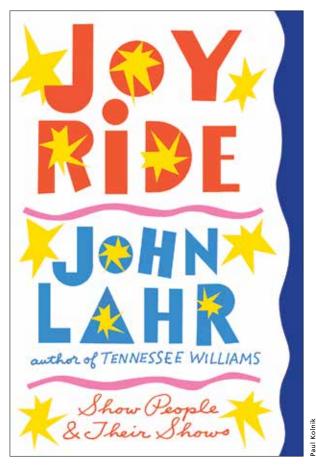
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John Lahr

Joy Ride

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A collection of John Lahr's *New Yorker* profiles and reviews that are "the nearest we get to modern theatre history" (*The Spectator*).



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National Book Award finalist **JOHN LAHR** is the author of *Tennessee Williams: Mad Pilgrimage of the Flesh*, among other books. Formerly the senior drama critic of *The New Yorker*, he is the first critic to win a Tony Award, for coauthoring *Elaine Stritch at Liberty*. He lives in London.

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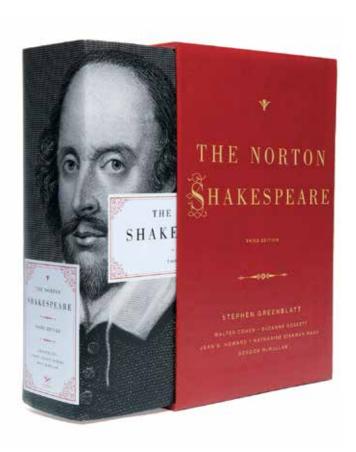
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STEPHEN GREENBLATT, general editor, is the John Cogan University Professor of the Humanities at Harvard University and the author of many books—among them, *The Swerve*, winner of the National Book Award and the Pulitzer Prize, and *Will in the World*.



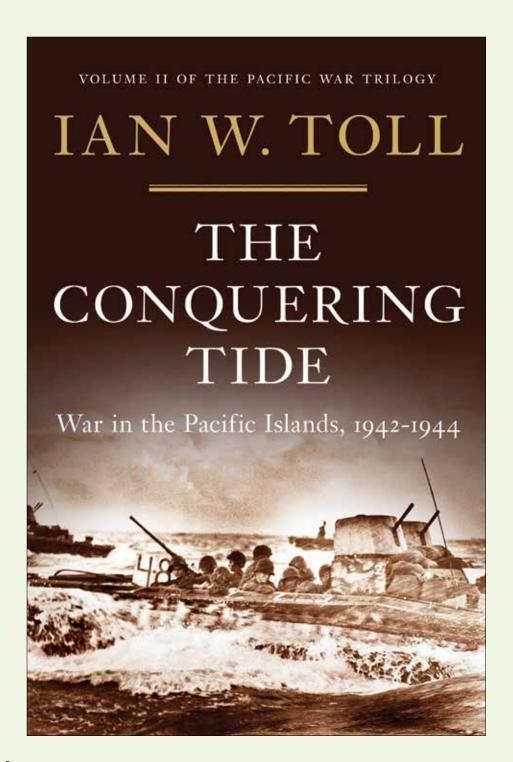
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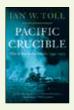
Toll's battle scenes—in the air, at sea, and in the jungles—are simply riveting, but he also takes the reader into the wartime councils in Washington and Tokyo where politics and strategy often collide, and into the struggle to mobilize wartime production, which was the secret of Allied victory. His account is propelled and colored by firsthand accounts—letters, diaries, debriefings, and memoirs—that are the raw material of the telling details, shrewd judgment, and penetrating insight of this magisterial narrative.



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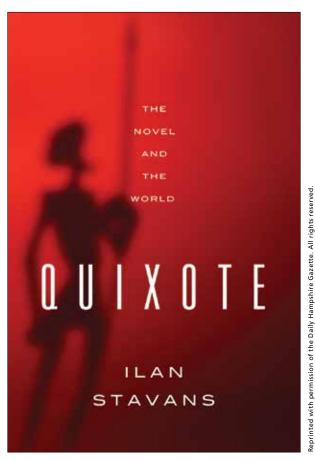
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Ilan Stavans

Quixote

The Novel and the World

A groundbreaking cultural history of the most influential, most frequently translated, and most imitated novel in the world.



The year 2015 marks the four hundredth anniversary of the publication of the complete *Don Quixote of La Mancha*—an ageless masterpiece that has proven unusually fertile and endlessly adaptable. Flaubert was inspired to turn Emma Bovary into "a knight in skirts." Freud studied Quixote's psyche. Mark Twain was fascinated by it, as were Kafka, Picasso, Nabokov, Borges, and Orson Welles. The novel has spawned ballets and operas, poems and plays, movies and video games, and even shapes the identities of entire nations. Spain uses it as a sort of constitution and travel guide; and the Americas were conquered, then sought their independence, with the knight as a role model.

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ILAN STAVANS is Lewis-Sebring Professor in Latin American and Latino Culture at Amherst College. He is an essayist, translator, publisher, and the author of numerous books, including *A Most Imperfect Union*. He lives in Massachusetts.

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n the eve of Atlanta's 1881 International Cotton Exposition, disgraced former detective Thomas Canby is called back to the city to track a serial murderer who seems to be targeting its wealthiest black entrepreneurs. The killer's method is both strange and unusually gruesome: on each victim's body, a letter of the alphabet is inscribed.

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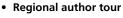
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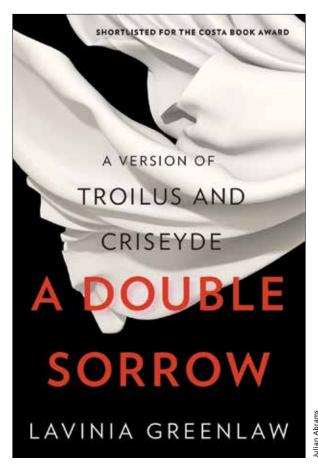
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LAVINIA GREENLAW's poetry includes *Minsk*, which was shortlisted for the T S Eliot, Forward, and Whitbread prizes. Her other works include *The Importance of Music to Girls*. She lives in London

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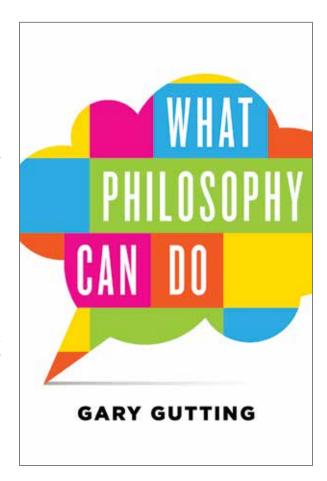
What Philosophy Can Do

A leading American philosopher brings the tools of his trade to contentious contemporary debates.

Why are today's political debates so polarized? Why does scientific research on happiness not make us happier? Are there convincing reasons to believe—or not believe—in God? In What Philosophy Can Do, Gary Gutting leaves the ivory tower to tackle difficult questions in everyday life and shows how philosophy can be used as a method for interrogating our world—and one another.

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GARY GUTTING holds an endowed chair in philosophy at the University of Notre Dame. He is an editor of *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews* and writes for the *New York Times's* philosophy blog, The Stone.



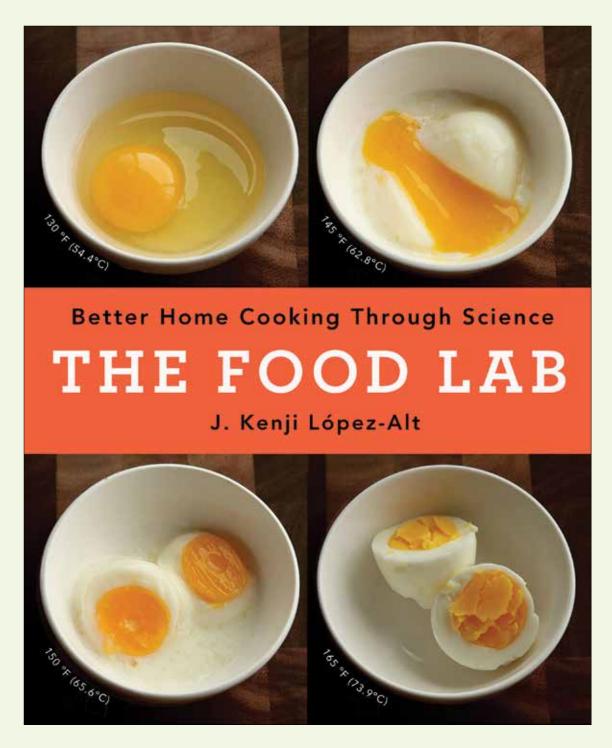
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hether he's boiling hundreds of eggs to figure out what really makes their shells stick or frying up dozens of steaks to debunk long-held myths, J. Kenji López-

Alt shows that home cooks don't need a state-of-the-art kitchen to cook pitch-perfect meals. In a unique book centered on beloved American dishes such as prime rib roast, Caesar salad, and buttermilk biscuits, Kenji explores the science behind searing, baking, blanching, and roasting. In hundreds of easy-to-make recipes with over 1,000 full-color images illustrating step-by-step instructions, readers will find out how to make perfect roast turkey with crackling skin, how to make scrambled eggs extra fluffy or creamy, and much more. Combining the unrelenting curiosity of a cheerful science geek with the expert knowledge of a practiced chef, *The Food Lab* gives readers practical tools and new approaches that they can apply the next time they step into the kitchen.



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J. KENJI LÓPEZ-ALT is the managing culinary director of Serious Eats, author of the James Beard Award–nominated column The Food Lab, and a columnist for *Cooking Light*. He lives in San Francisco.

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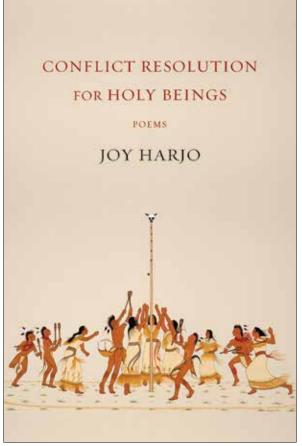
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From "Midnight is a horn player"

Midnight is a horn player warmed up tight for the last set. One a.m. is a drummer who knows how to lay it sweet. Two a.m. is a guitar player who is down on his luck. Three a.m. is a bass player walking the floor crazy for you. Four a.m. is a singer in silk who will do anything for love. Five a.m. is kept for the birds. Six a.m. is the cleaning crew smoking cigarettes while they wait for the door to open. Seven a.m. we're having breakfast together at the diner that never closes. Eight a.m. and we shut it down, though the clock keeps running, all through the town.



JOY HARJO is the author of books of poetry and a memoir, *Crazy Brave*. Her many honors include a Guggenheim Fellowship and the William Carlos Williams Award. She lives in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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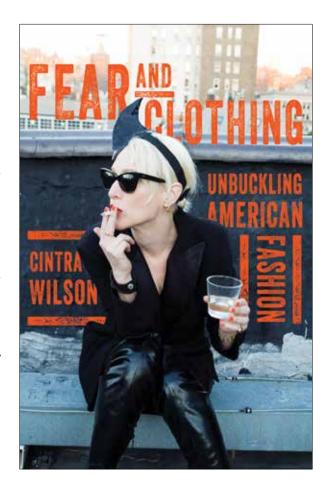
Unbuckling American Fashion

Former New York Times columnist Cintra Wilson treks around America to decode the deeper meanings of this country's regional fashion statements.

cintra Wilson takes her celebrated eye for style on the road, traveling around the "belt regions" of the United States: the Cotton, Rust, Bible, Sun, Frost, Corn, and Gun Belts. She tackles the fashion choices of scantily clad clubgoers on South Beach, unpacks the altogether impractical clothing choices at the Sundance Festival in Utah, and digs beneath the sartorial armor of politicians and their wives in Washington, DC.

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CINTRA WILSON is a playwright, novelist, and a past columnist for the *San Francisco Examiner*, *Salon*, and the *New York Times*. She lives in New York City.



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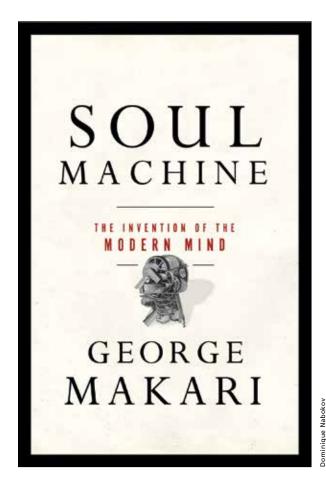
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George Makari

Soul Machine

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Soul Machine takes us back to the origins of modernity, a time when a crisis in religious authority and the scientific revolution led to searching questions about the nature of human inner life. This is the story of how a new concept—the mind—emerged as a potential solution, one that was part soul and part machine but fully neither.

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logical man in the Western world.

GEORGE MAKARI is a professor of psychiatry at Weill Cornell Medical College. The author of the acclaimed history *Revolution in Mind: The Creation of Psychoanalysis*, he lives in New York City.



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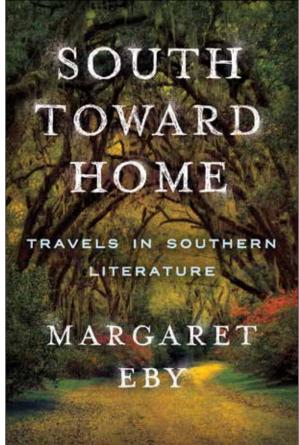
Travels in Southern Literature

A literary travelogue that ventures deep into the heart of classic Southern literature.

s the writer Elif Batuman did for Russian literature in The Possessed, Margaret Eby does for Southern literature in this charming book of literary exploration. From Mississippi (William Faulkner, Eudora Welty, Richard Wright, Barry Hannah) to Alabama (Harper Lee, Truman Capote) to Georgia (Flannery O'Connor, Harry Crews) and beyond, Eby—herself a Southerner—travels through the Deep South to the places that famous Southern authors lived in and wrote about. South Toward Home reveals how they took these places and the lives of their inhabitants and transmuted them into lasting literature. Whether meeting the man in charge of feeding Flannery O'Connor's peacocks in Milledgeville, peering into Faulkner's liquor cabinet, or seeking out John Kennedy Toole's iconic hot dog vendors in New Orleans, Eby combines biographical detail with expert criticism to deliver a rich and evocative tribute to the literary South.

MARGARET EBY has written for the New York Times, The New Yorker, the Paris Review Daily, Bookforum, Salon, Slate, and the Los Angeles Times. Originally from Birmingham, Alabama, she now lives in New York City.





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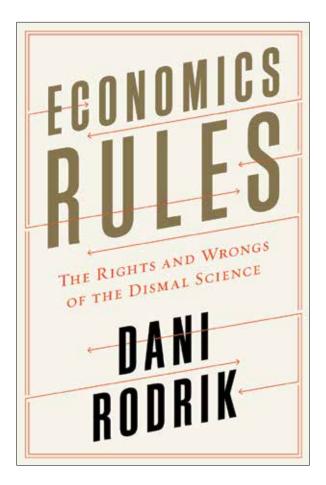
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Economics Rules

The Rights and Wrongs of the Dismal Science

A leading economist trains a lens on his own discipline to uncover when it fails and when it works.



In the wake of the financial crisis and the Great Recession, economic science seems anything but. In this sharp, masterfully argued book, Dani Rodrik, a leading critic from within the science, renders a surprisingly upbeat judgment on economics. Sifting through the failings of the discipline, he homes in on its greatest strength: its many—and often contradictory—explanatory frameworks.

Drawing on the history of the field and his deep experience as a practitioner, Rodrik insists that economic activity defies universal laws. But when economists embrace their expertise as a set of tools, not as a grand unified theory, they can improve the world. From successful antipoverty programs in Mexico to growth strategies in Africa and intelligent remedies for domestic inequality, Rodrik highlights the profound positive influence of economics properly applied.

At once a forceful critique and a defense of the discipline, *Economics Rules* charts a path toward a more humble but more effective science.

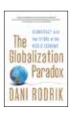
DANI RODRIK, a prize-winning economist, is the Albert O. Hirschman Professor of Social Sciences at the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton, New Jersey, and the author of *The Globalization Paradox*.

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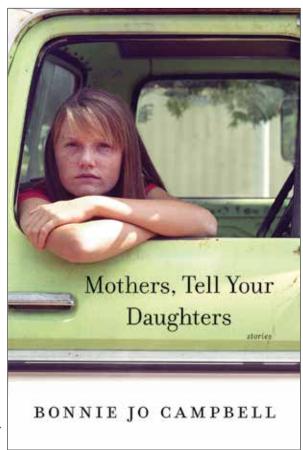
From the National Book Award finalist and author of *Once Upon a River* comes a dazzling story collection featuring ferocious mothers and scrappy daughters.

The strong but flawed women of *Mothers, Tell Your Daughters* love and betray one another; their richly fraught relationships can act as anchors, lifelines, or deadly poison. Bonnie Jo Campbell's working-class protagonists are at once vulnerable, wise, cruel, and funny, and they are always getting into or out of trouble.

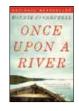
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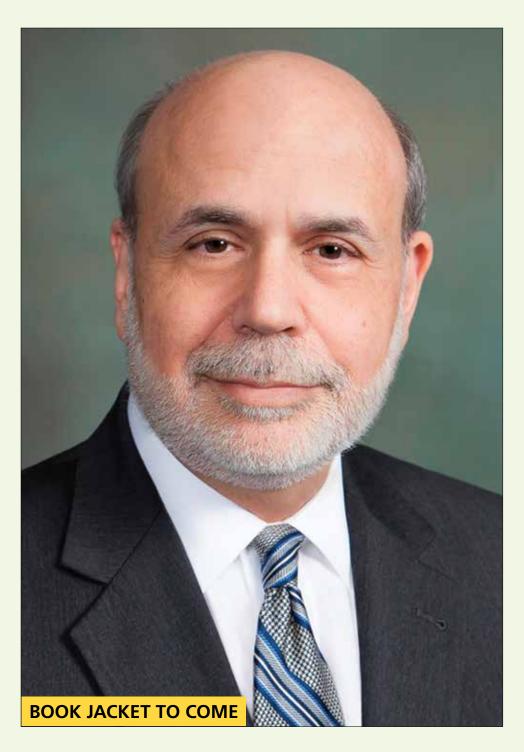
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Ben S. Bernanke's rise to chair of the Fed, the massive financial crisis, and the Fed's bold and effective response.

n 2006, Ben S. Bernanke was appointed chair of the Federal Reserve, capping a meteoric trajectory from a rural South Carolina childhood to professorships at Stanford and Princeton, to public service in Washington's halls of power. There would be no time to celebrate, however—the burst of the housing bubble in 2007 set off a domino effect that would bring the global financial system to the brink of meltdown.

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BEN S. BERNANKE served as chairman of the Federal Reserve from 2006 to 2014. He was named *Time* magazine's Person of the Year in 2009 and was a professor of economics at Princeton University prior to his career in public service.

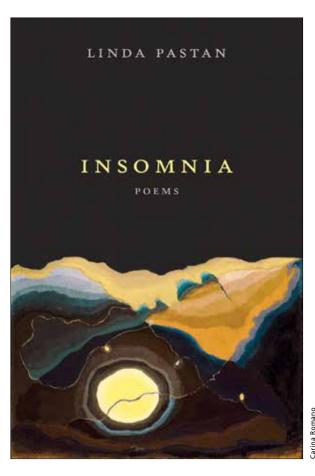
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there is only

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for company,

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LINDA PASTAN has twice been a finalist for the National Book Award. She is the author of, most recently, *Traveling Light* and lives in Potomac, Maryland.

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ROBERTA KAPLAN is a partner at Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison and is litigating the case against Mississippi's gay marriage ban. She lives in New York with her wife and son





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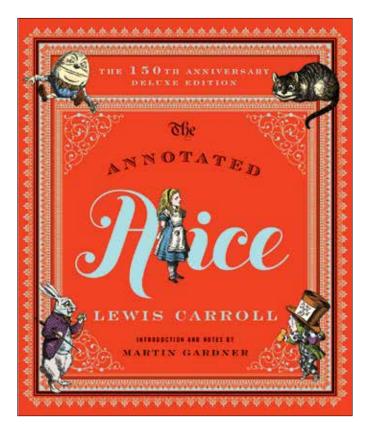
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irst appearing in 1960, *The Annotated Alice* became an instant classic by, among other things, decoding the wordplay and mathematical riddles embedded within Lewis Carroll's masterpiece. As a result, Martin Gardner's groundbreaking work went on to sell over a million copies, establishing the modest math genius as one of our foremost Carroll scholars. Now, on the sesquicentennial of Alice's 1865 publication, comes this deluxe edition that combines all Gardner's annotations with updates from his Knight Letter columns and correspondence with leading Carrollian experts. This gorgeous edition also includes over 100 new color and black-and-white illustrations, including images by Salvador Dalí and Barry Moser, which complement the original John Tenniel art. With close cooperation from the Lewis Carroll Society of North America and an introduction by its president emeritus, Mark Burstein, this authorized edition perfectly celebrates the legacy of both Martin Gardner and Lewis Carroll.

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Eating Words

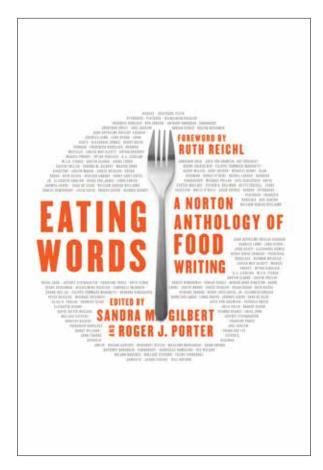
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FOREWORD BY RUTH REICHL

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SANDRA M. GILBERT is a professor emerita at the University of California, Davis. Her latest book is *The Culinary Imagination*. She lives in Berkeley. **ROGER J. PORTER** is a professor of English literature at Reed College. He lives in Portland, Oregon.



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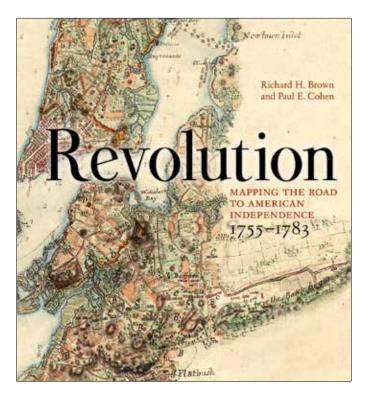
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RICHARD H. BROWN is a former banker and collector of old maps. PAUL E. COHEN is a partner in Cohen & Taliaferro, a firm dealing in antique maps and prints. They both live in New York City.

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John Seabrook

The Song Machine

Inside the Hit Factory

A New Yorker staff writer tells a fascinating story of creativity and commerce that explains how songs have become so addictive.

ver the last two decades a new type of song has emerged. Today's hits bristle with "hooks," musical burrs designed to snag your ear every seven seconds. Painstakingly crafted to tweak the brain's delight in melody, rhythm, and repetition, these songs are industrial-strength products made for malls, casinos, the gym, and the Super Bowl halftime show. The tracks are so catchy, and so potent, that you can't *not* listen to them.

Traveling from New York to Los Angeles, Stockholm to Korea, John Seabrook visits specialized teams composing songs in digital labs with novel techniques, and he traces the growth of these contagious hits from their origins in early '90s Sweden to their ubiquity on today's charts. Featuring the stories of artists like Katy Perry, Britney Spears, and Rihanna, as well as expert songsmiths like Max Martin, Ester Dean, and Dr. Luke, *The Song Machine* will change the way you listen to music.

JOHN SEABROOK has been a staff writer at *The New Yorker* since 1993. The author of several books including *Nobrow*, he has taught narrative nonfiction writing at Princeton University. He lives in Brooklyn, New York.



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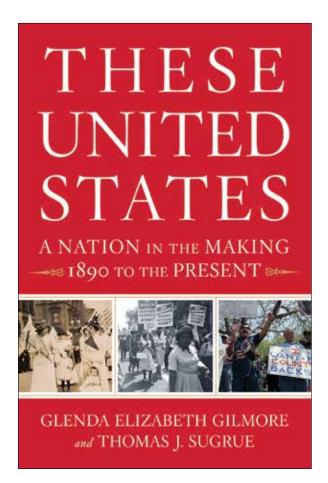
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GLENDA ELIZABETH GILMORE is the Peter V. and C. Vann Woodward Professor of History at Yale University. THOMAS J. SUGRUE is a professor of history and social and cultural analysis at New York University.

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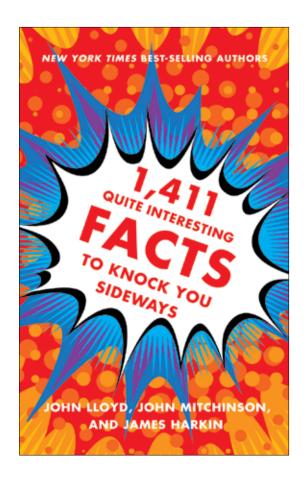
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JOHN LLOYD and **JOHN MITCHINSON** are creator and director of research, respectively, for the BBC quiz panel show *QI* (Quite Interesting). They both live in Oxfordshire. **JAMES HARKIN** is senior researcher for *QI* and lives in London.



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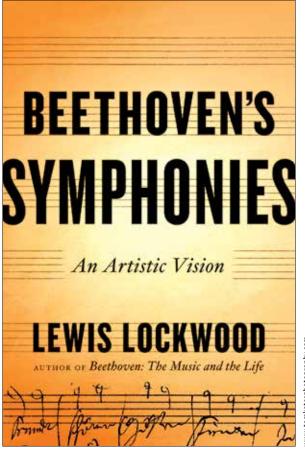
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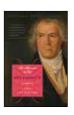
LEWIS LOCKWOOD taught at Princeton University and Harvard, where he is Fanny Peabody Professor of Music Emeritus. His *Beethoven: The Music and the Life* was a Pulitzer Prize finalist. He lives in Brookline, Massachusetts.

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DAVID HARE's plays have been nominated for three Tony Awards. His screenplays have twice been nominated for an Academy Award and three times for the Golden Globes. He lives in London.

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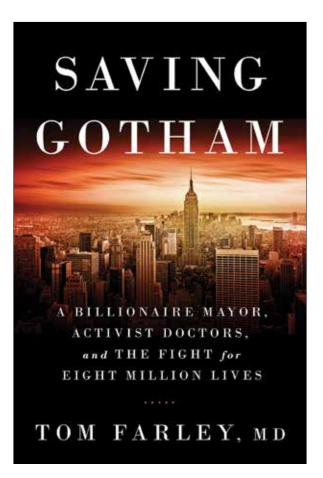
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Tom Farley, MD

Saving Gotham

A Billionaire Mayor, Activist Doctors, and the Fight for Eight Million Lives

The inside story of the most audacious public health campaign of the twenty-first century.



In 2002, a dynamic doctor named Thomas Frieden became health commissioner of New York City. With political cover from the new mayor, billionaire Michael Bloomberg, Frieden and his team prohibited smoking in bars, outlawed trans fats in restaurants, and attempted to cap the size of sodas, among other contentious actions. The initiatives drew enormous controversy, but they worked: by 2011, 450,000 people had quit smoking, childhood obesity rates were falling, and life expectancy was increasing.

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TOM FARLEY, MD, served as an epidemic intelligence service officer with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention before becoming commissioner of the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. He lives in New York City.

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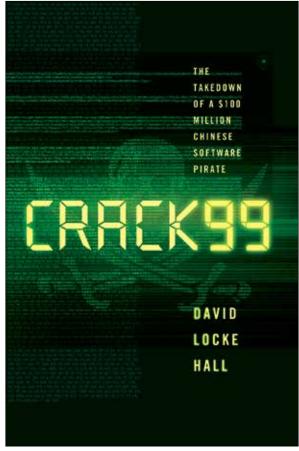
The Takedown of a \$100 Million Chinese Software Pirate

The inside story of the largest digital piracy sting to date.

undreds of billions of dollars: that's how much digital pirates overseas, particularly in China, steal and resell in American intellectual property each year. CRACK99 is an edgeof-the-seat account of the Justice Department's prosecution of the biggest cybercriminal operation to date. On a cheesy website called CRACK99, Xiang Li sold everything from satellite tracking and aviation simulation to communications systems design software for mere pennies on the dollar. When federal prosecutor and former U.S. Navy intelligence officer David Locke Hall and his team started buying CRACK99's products, the hunt for this elusive pirate began. After earning Xiang's trust, Hall's team meets Xiang on Saipan, where the sting is nearly foiled before Xiang is captured, flown to the United States, and prosecuted. An eye-opening look at the dark side of cybercrime and the chilling consequences for US technology and our national security, CRACK99 reads like a caper—only it's true in every riveting detail.

DAVID LOCKE HALL was a federal prosecutor for twenty-three years. He served as an intelligence officer in the U.S. Navy Reserve for thirty years, retiring with the rank of captain. He lives near Philadelphia, where he works in private practice.





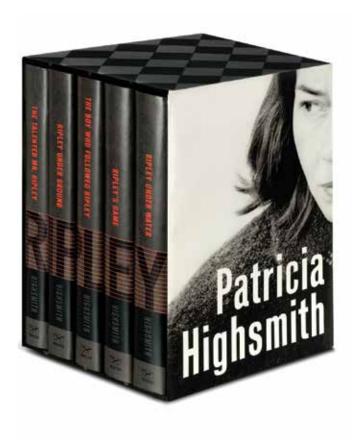
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irst published in 2008, The Complete Ripley Novels, brilliantly designed in a handsome slipcase, sold out its initial run. This collector's item, featuring all five classic Ripley novels—The Talented Mr. Ripley, Ripley Under Ground, Ripley's Game, The Boy Who Followed Ripley, and Ripley Under Water—returns with a new printing on the twentieth anniversary of Patricia Highsmith's death in 1995. The Highsmith literary renaissance, initially sparked by a 1999 film adaptation of The Talented Mr. Ripley—which introduced fans and new readers alike to the unforgettable Tom Ripley, the debonair confidence man with a talent for self-invention and murder—continues in full force with three major Highsmith movies in the offing as well as the republication of this volume, "the most sinister and strangely alluring quintet the crime fiction genre has ever produced" (Entertainment Weekly).

PATRICIA HIGHSMITH, who died in Switzerland in 1995, wrote more than thirty novels, including *Strangers on a Train* and *The Price of Salt*, as well as numerous short stories.

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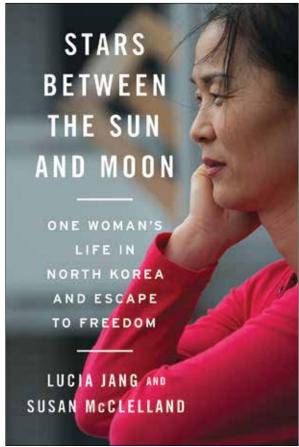
One Woman's Life in North Korea and Escape to Freedom

An incredible memoir of North Korea by a woman who defied the government to keep her family alive.

Born in 1970s North Korea, Lucia Jang grew up in a typical household—her parents worked in the factories and the family scraped by on rationed rice and a small garden. Nightly, she bowed to her photo of Kim Il-Sung. But it was the beginning of a chaotic period with a decade-long famine resulting in more than a million deaths. In this harsh time, Jang married an abusive man who sold their baby. She left him and went home to help her family by illegally crossing the river to China to trade goods. She was caught and imprisoned twice. After giving birth to a second child, which the government ordered to be killed, she escaped with him, fleeing under gunfire across the Chinese border. This stunning demonstration of love and courage reflects the range of experiences many North Korean women have endured—loss of a child, starvation, imprisonment, and trafficking.

LUCIA JANG is a refugee from North Korea who lives in Toronto. SUSAN McCLELLAND is an awardwinning journalist and recipient of the 2005 Amnesty International Media Award.



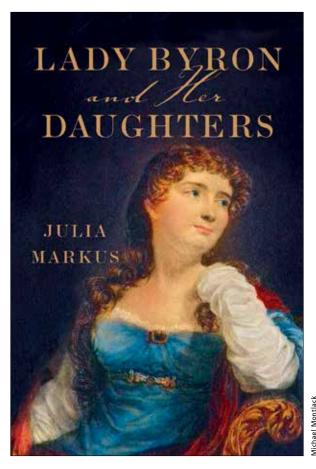


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Lady Byron and Her Daughters

A startling reevaluation of Lady Byron's marriage and the untold story of her complex life as a single mother and progressive force.



ar from a victim or an obstacle to Lord Byron's work, Lady Byron was a rebel against the fashionable snobbery of her class, founding the first Infants School and Co-Operative School in England. A poet and a talented mathematician, Lady Byron supported the education of her precocious daughter, Ada Lovelace, now recognized as a pioneer of computer science, and she saved from death her "adoptive daughter," Medora Leigh, the child of Lord Byron's incestuous affair with his sister. Lady Byron was adored by the younger abolitionist Harriet Beecher Stowe and by many notable friends. Yet her complex relationships with her family, including the sister Byron loved, runs like a live wire through this skillfully told and groundbreaking biography of a remarkable woman who made a life for herself and became a leading light in her century.

JULIA MARKUS, the author of three acclaimed biographies, is the director of creative writing and a professor of English at Hofstra University. She lives in New York City.



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Susan Volland

Mastering Sauces

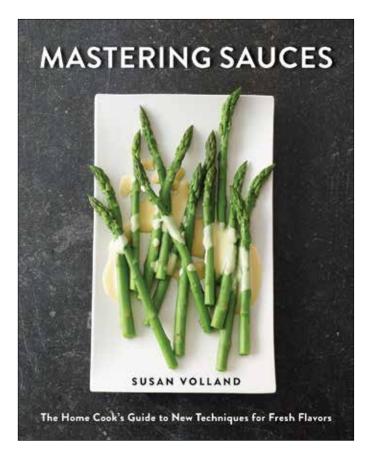
The Home Cook's Guide to New Techniques for Fresh Flavor

The definitive cookbook on contemporary sauces that highlights fresh flavors and updated classics.

Susan Volland's Mastering Sauces pushes saucemaking into the twenty-first century by teaching home cooks how to make standout sauces with spontaneity, flavor, and character. Volland expands the definition of sauce to include meatless reductions, broths, and condiments made with seasonal fruits and vegetables. She offers fresh, health-conscious updates on classics like Fresh Tomato Sauce, Cheese Sauce, and traditional French sauces, as well as more innovative ideas like quick "Mock Stocks" and nutrient-packed Power Pesto.

In her expert but approachable style, Volland explains not only the recipes but also the how and why behind sauce-making: the book also includes reference tables for textures, innovative seasonings, and alternative thickeners. In 16 chapters, she gives readers 150 full-page recipes for sauces, with hundreds more listed in easy-to-use charts to inspire adaptations, including vegetarian, vegan, and gluten-free options. But above all, *Mastering Sauces* teaches cooks that the "right" way to make a sauce is *their* way.

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A Seattle native, **SUSAN VOLLAND** is a classically trained chef and served as recipe editor for Nathan Myhrvold's *Modernist Cuisine* projects. She works as a food communicator and has written two whimsical, food-related novels.



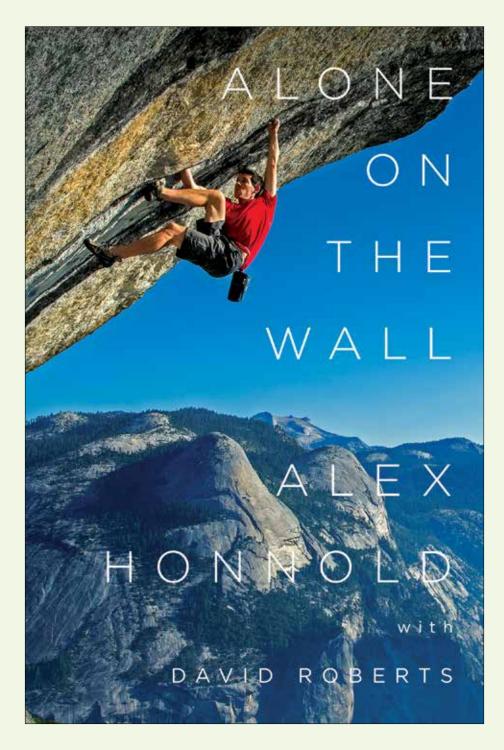
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Alex Honnold with David Roberts

Alone on the Wall



The life and death-defying feats of Alex Honnold, a visionary climber of the sort that comes along only once in a generation.

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Alex Honnold pushes the limits of free
soloing beyond anything previously
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without a partner, and without any gear
to attach himself to the wall. If he falls, he dies.

In Alone on the Wall, Honnold recounts the seven most astonishing achievements thus far in his meteoric career, including free-soloing Sendero Luminoso in Mexico and climbing the Fitz Traverse in Patagonia. Each chapter narrates the drama of one climb, along with reflective and introspective passages that get at what makes Honnold tick. Veteran climber and award-winning author David Roberts quotes the judgments of other climbers to help put Honnold's tremendous accomplishments in perspective.

Honnold's renown transcends the climbing realm: at the moment, he is one of the most famous adventurers in the world. His extraordinary life has much to teach us about risk, reward, and the ability to maintain focus even in the face of extreme danger.



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ALEX HONNOLD is a world-class American rock climber best known for his free solo ascents of big walls. DAVID ROBERTS is the author of books about mountaineering, exploration, Western history, and anthropology, including *Alone on the Ice*. He lives in Watertown, Massachusetts.

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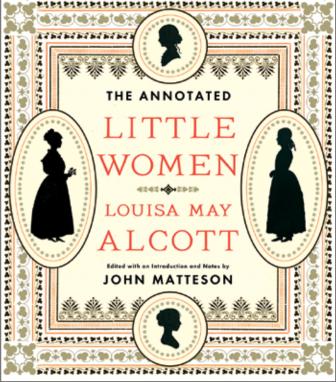
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The Annotated Little Women

EDITED WITH AN INTRODUCTION AND NOTES BY JOHN MATTESON

The Pulitzer Prize-winning biographer of Louisa May Alcott illuminates the world of Little Women and its author.





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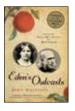
JOHN MATTESON, Distinguished Professor of English at John Jay College, is the isa May Alcott and Her Father and The Lives Cince its publication in 1868-69, Little Women, **J**perhaps America's most beloved children's classic, has been handed down from mother to daughter. It has inspired an opera, three movies, and a Broadway musical. In this lavish four-color edition, featuring over 200 illustrations, renowned Alcott expert John Matteson brings unprecedented vibrancy to the book, to the March family it creates, and to the Alcott family who inspired it all. With numerous photographs taken expressly for this edition—elder daughter Anna's wedding dress, the Alcott sisters' theater costumes, and Abba Alcott's recipe book—readers discover the extraordinary links between the real and the fictional family. Matteson's annotations bring us back in touch with the objects and culture of a distant but still-relevant time. His introductory essays examine Little Women's pivotal place in children's literature and tell the story of Alcott herself—a tale every bit as captivating as her fiction.

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David R. Montgomery and Anne Biklé

The Hidden Half of Nature

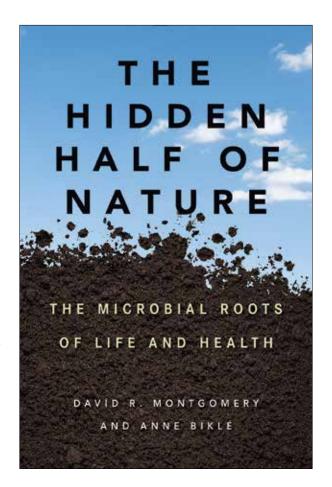
The Microbial Roots of Life and Health

A riveting account of how emerging science about microbes, plants, and our own bodies can revolutionize agriculture and medicine.

Our world is built on an invisible one we are barely beginning to understand. In *The Hidden Half of Nature*, geologist David R. Montgomery and biologist Anne Biklé argue that Earth's smallest creatures—microbes—could revolutionize how we grow food, what we eat, and how we practice medicine.

The Hidden Half of Nature shares a geologist's and a biologist's efforts to turn their barren Seattle lot into a flourishing garden and Biklé's own struggle with cancer. Taking readers deep into the science and history of agriculture and immunology, Montgomery and Biklé show that beneficial microbes can provide powerful solutions to the problems plaguing modern agriculture, such as excess chemicals and infertile crops, as well as our own bodies, weakened by antibiotics and high-fat, low-fiber diets. A spellbinding story, *The Hidden Half of Nature* reveals how we can restore fertility to the land and defeat chronic diseases.

A MacArthur Fellow and professor of geomorphology at the University of Washington, DAVID R. MONTGOMERY is the author of, most recently, *The Rocks Don't Lie.* ANNE BIKLÉ is a biologist, gardener, and environmental planner. They live in Seattle, Washington.



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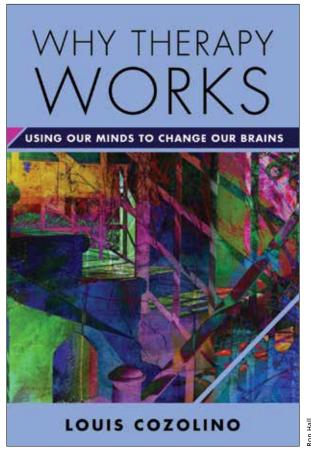
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Louis Cozolino

Why Therapy Works

Using Our Minds to Change Our Brains

The story of why psychotherapy actually works.



Prawing on decades of experience and research, Louis Cozolino offers a clear, concise, and evidence-based explanation of why psychotherapy is an effective source of healing and positive change.

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This is not the story of one form of therapy; it is the underlying story of all therapies that have the power to create meaningful change, and where that power comes from.



LOUIS COZOLINO, PhD, professor of psychology at Pepperdine University, is the author of *The Neuroscience* of *Human Relationships, The Neuroscience* of *Psychotherapy*, and *The Making* of a *Therapist*. He lives in Los Angeles, California.

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Killing a King

The Assassination of Yitzhak Rabin and the Remaking of Israel

A riveting story about the murder that changed a nation: the assassination of Israeli prime minister Yitzhak Rabin.

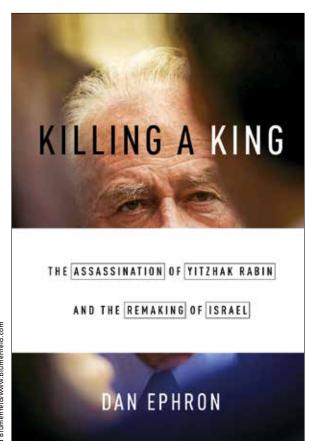
he assassination of Israeli prime minister Yitzhak Rabin by Orthodox Jew Yigal Amir twenty years ago this November remains the single most consequential event in the country's recent history. Killing a King relates the parallel stories of Rabin and Amir over the two years leading up to the assassination, as one of them plotted political deals he hoped would lead to peace and the other plotted murder. This deeply reported narrative is based on a trove of documents from the era and interviews with all of the key players, including members of the assassin's family. Only through the prism of the murder is it possible to understand Israel today, from the paralysis in peacemaking to the fraught relationship between Netanyahu and Obama. Dan Ephron covered both the rally where Rabin was assassinated and the subsequent murder trial for Newsweek.

An award-winning writer, DAN EPHRON has served as the Jerusalem bureau chief for Newsweek and the Daily Beast and now lives in New York City.





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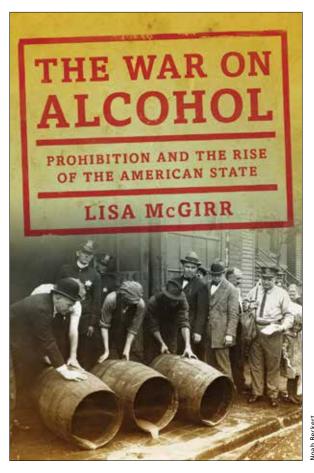
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Lisa McGirr

The War on Alcohol

Prohibition and the Rise of the American State

A groundbreaking history of Prohibition that gives us a new creation story for the powerful twentieth-century American state.



prohibition, the period from 1920 to 1933 when the eighteenth amendment banned the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages nationwide, is often considered a "noble experiment" that failed, a glamorous story of gangsters, flappers, and speakeasies. But as Lisa McGirr shows, Prohibition was not simply a curious interlude that left no trace. It was the seedbed for a huge expansion of the federal government, especially in its law-enforcement capacities. A key figure in this expansion was Herbert Hoover, the first president to commit the government to tackling a large-scale social problem: the rampant crime spawned by Prohibition. The war on alcohol, and the expansive state that waged it, laid the groundwork for later wars on crime and drugs. McGirr shows that the activist American state traces its lineage through the right as well as the left, the coercive policies of Hoover as well as the New Deal of FDR



LISA McGIRR is a professor of history at Harvard University and the author of the award-winning history of the new right, *Suburban Warriors*. She and her family live in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

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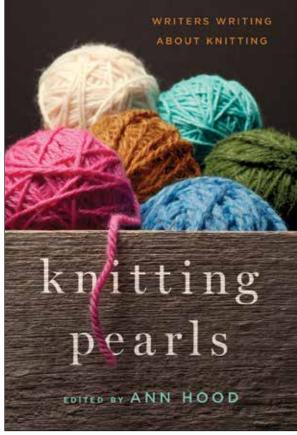
Writers Writing About Knitting

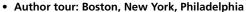
The rhythm, ritual, and pleasure of knitting are celebrated in this new collection for lovers of both knitting and literature.

In Knitting Pearls, two dozen writers write about the transformative and healing powers of knitting. Lily King remembers the year her family lived in Italy and a knitted hat that helped her daughter adjust to her new home. Laura Lippman explores how converting to Judaism changed not only Christmas but also her mother's gift of a knitted stocking. Jodi Picoult remembers her grandmother and how through knitting she felt that everlasting love. And Bill Roorbach remembers his freshman year in college when knitting soothed his broken heart and helped him fall in love again. Other contributors include Steve Almond, Ann Leary, Christina Baker Kline, Lee Woodruff, and knitting rock stars Jared Flood of Brooklyn Tweed and the Yarn Whisperer, Clara Parks.

ANN HOOD is the author of, most recently, An Italian Wife. She is the recipient of two Pushcart Prizes, among other honors, and lives in Providence, Rhode Island.







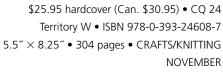
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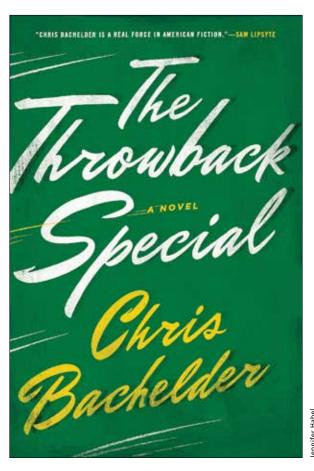


Chris Bachelder

The Throwback Special

A Novel

From "a real force in American fiction" (Sam Lipsyte), a startlingly original novel about the psyche of the American male.



The Throwback Special is the story of twenty-two ordinary guys who gather each fall to reenact what ESPN has called "the most shocking play in NFL history": the November 1985 play in which Joe Theismann of the Washington Redskins had his leg horribly broken by Lawrence Taylor of the New York Giants on Monday Night Football. (The play was known by the Redskins as the "Throwback Special.")

Over the course of a weekend we follow the men as they choose roles; spend a long night of the soul revealing their secret hopes, fears, and passions as they prepare for the game; and finally enact their strange and yet oh-so-American ritual for what may be the last time. With his trademark "microfine sense of humor and tragic sense of history" (Michael Chabon), Chris Bachelder's moving and very funny tale is filled with pitch-perfect observations about manhood, marriage, and middle age.



CHRIS BACHELDER is the author of the novels *Abbott Awaits*, *U.S.!*, and *Bear v. Shark*. He grew up in Virginia and now teaches in the writing program at the University of Cincinnati.

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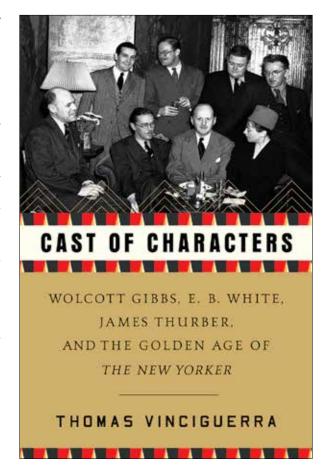
Cast of Characters

Wolcott Gibbs, E. B. White, James Thurber, and the Golden Age of The New Yorker

The professional and personal lives of the pioneers of an enduring magazine.

rom its birth in 1925 to the present day, *The New Yorker* has been the country's most prestigious, entertaining, and informative general-interest periodical. In Cast of Characters, Thomas Vinciguerra revisits the early years of that creative cauldron. At the heart of the narrative is the largely forgotten life of Wolcott Gibbs, the magazine's theater critic and all-around wit, author of an infamous 1936 parody of Time magazine. Around him swirled a legendary roster of names, E. B. and Katharine White, James Thurber, Charles Addams, Peter Arno, and John O'Hara among them. Their stories along with those of equally colorful but overlooked figures like managing editor St. Clair McKelway, head fact-checker Frederick Packard, and the flamboyant film reviewer John Mosher—are told here. Drawing on extensive interviews, multiple manuscript collections, and myriad secondary sources, Cast of Characters may be the most revealing book yet about the unique personalities who built what founding editor Harold Ross called not a magazine but a "movement."

THOMAS VINCIGUERRA is a founding editor of *The Week* magazine and a regular contributor to the *New York Times*. He is the editor of *Conversations with Elie Wiesel* and *Backward Ran Sentences: The Best of Wolcott Gibbs from* The New Yorker.



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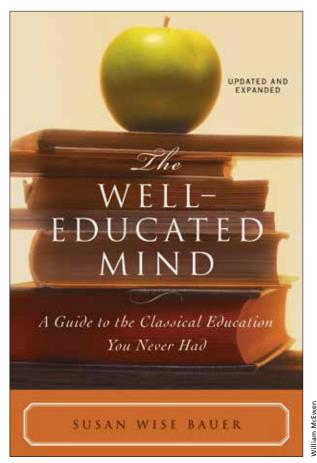
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Susan Wise Bauer

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A Guide to the Classical Education You Never Had
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Are there classic books you know you should read but haven't because they seem overwhelming?

Susan Wise Bauer provides a welcome and encouraging antidote. Newly updated and expanded to include essential readings in science (from Aristotle to Stephen Hawking), The Well-Educated Mind offers brief, entertaining histories of six genres—fiction, autobiography, history, drama, poetry, and science—accompanied by detailed instructions on how to read each kind of literature. The annotated lists in each chapter provide the crucial information necessary to read the world's great texts and encourage readers to make vital connections between ancient traditions and contemporary writing.

Learn how to allocate time to your reading on a regular basis, how to master a difficult argument, how to keep a reading journal, how to make personal judgments about what you read, and how to understand literary techniques in a way that makes every book come alive.



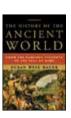
SUSAN WISE BAUER is the best-selling author of the *Story of the World* series, the *History of the World* series, and *The Well-Trained Mind*, among other works. She lives in Virginia.

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Sarah L. Kaufman

The Art of Grace

On Moving Well Through Life

A Pulitzer Prize-winning dance critic teaches us to appreciate—and enact—grace in every dimension, from the physical to the emotional.

We are naturally drawn to smooth, harmonious movement. Both social and physical graces have been taught since the dawn of civilization. Yet grace seems forgotten in our pushy, hectic modern world. Sarah L. Kaufman argues that we bring it back. She celebrates grace in the way bodies move, exploring how to stand, walk, and dress well. She deplores the rarity of grace among public figures and glories in it where found (Beyoncé at a fashion show). She singles out grace in sports and in the arts, from tennis and football to sculpture, pop music, and, of course, dance, and in the everyday ways people interact, from the grace of a good host to the unexpected kindness of strangers.

Cary Grant is this book's muse. His uncanny ease flowed from training as an acrobat but, equally, from his wit, humility, and genuine concern for others. So too, Kaufman suggests, we might unearth the potential for grace in ourselves.

SARAH L. KAUFMAN is a Pulitzer Prize-winning dance critic for the Washington Post. She lives in Takoma Park, Maryland.





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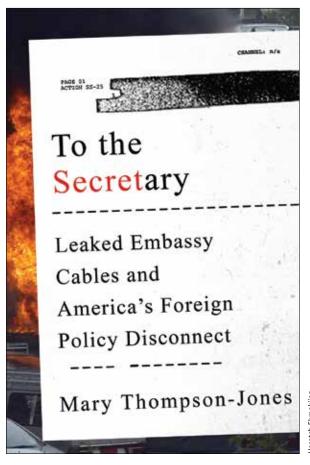
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Mary Thompson-Jones

To the Secretary

Leaked Embassy Cables and America's Foreign Policy Disconnect

A former American diplomat reveals a disconnect between Washington policymakers and those who work in US embassies.



An insider's look into the day-to-day work of US diplomats, To the Secretary offers an unparalleled window onto American foreign policy as it plays out in countries around the world. In a tour of the most fascinating and overlooked State Department cables leaked by hackers in November 2010, former diplomat and scholar Mary Thompson-Jones depicts the work of ambassadors and foreign service officers through their firsthand narratives dealing with crises, corruption, anti-Americanism, and difficult world leaders. From the story of Bulgaria's Aleksi "The Tractor" Petrov to disappearing ballot ink in Ukraine, Thompson-Jones reveals the depth and breadth of embassy life as diplomats report from forgotten corners of the globe, conduct diplomacy in war zones, and patiently advance often conflicting interests in American foreign policy.

Honest and critical, *To the Secretary* describes the deepening gulf between decision makers in Washington and their diplomats in the field—and what it means for the world at large.



MARY THOMPSON-JONES, director of the global studies and international relations program at Northeastern University, was a career diplomat and foreign policy practitioner in the U.S. Department of State. She lives in Boston.

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Elaine Sciolino

The Only Street in Paris

Life on the Rue des Martyrs

A delightful and beguiling look at life on a small Paris street.

■ laine Sciolino, the former Paris bureau chief of the New L York Times, invites us on a tour of her favorite Parisian street. "I can never be sad on the rue des Martyrs," Sciolino explains, as she celebrates the neighborhood's rich history and vibrant lives. While many cities suffer from the leveling effects of globalization, the rue des Martyrs maintains its distinct allure. Sciolino reveals the charms and idiosyncrasies of this street and its longtime residents—the Tunisian greengrocer, the husband-and-wife cheesemongers, the showman who's been running a transvestite cabaret for more than half a century, the owner of a 100-year-old bookstore, the woman who repairs eighteenth-century mercury barometers—making Paris come alive in all its unique majesty. The Only Street in Paris will make readers hungry for Paris, for cheese and wine, and for the kind of street life that is all too quickly disappearing.

ELAINE SCIOLINO, a writer and former Paris bureau chief for the New York Times, has lived in Paris since 2002





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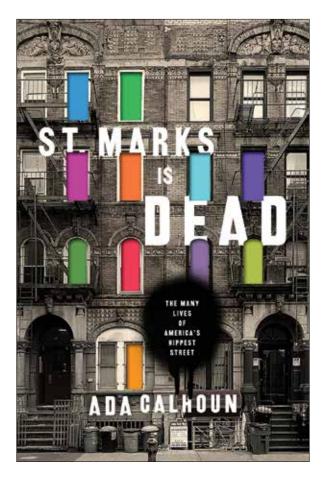
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Ada Calhoun

St. Marks Is Dead

The Many Lives of America's Hippest Street

A vibrant narrative history of three hallowed Manhattan blocks—the epicenter of American cool.



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In a narrative enriched by hundreds of interviews and dozens of rare images, St. Marks native Ada Calhoun profiles iconic characters from W. H. Auden to Abbie Hoffman, from Keith Haring to the Beastie Boys, among many others. She argues that St. Marks has variously been an elite address, an immigrants' haven, a mafia warzone, a hippie paradise, and a backdrop to the film *Kids*—but it has always been a place that outsiders call home.



Journalist ADA CALHOUN has done hard-news reporting for the *New York Post*, the *New York Times Magazine*, and the *New Republic*. Born and raised on St. Marks Place, she lives in Brooklyn.

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Lucy Lethbridge

Mind Your Manors

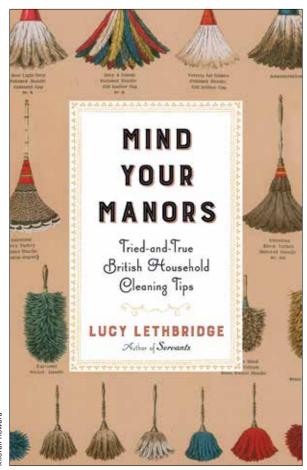
Tried-and-True British Household Cleaning Tips

In this beautifully illustrated edition, the author of *Servants* tells us what made British households, of all sizes, shine.

ritish estates were known to be the epitome of cleanli-**D** ness with their white-glove perfection. For her research on servants, Lucy Lethbridge absorbed an amazing trove of knowledge about how these homes were made to gleam from Victorian through Edwardian years. She noticed that many household tasks used common, nontoxic ingredients, which feel very modern in their display of frugality and ecological soundness. Tea leaves were used to freshen up rugs, while lemon was applied to dispatch marks on teakettles and stewed rhubarb to remove rust stains. Here, Lethbridge reveals these old-fashioned and almost forgotten techniques that made British households sparkle before the use of complicated contraptions and chemical concoctions. Including quotes from servants and the doyennes of household cleaning, as well as charming art from the classic domestic manuals, this is the perfect gift for Anglophiles and those who want to put time-tested cleaning methods to work.

LUCY LETHBRIDGE is the author of the highly praised Servants: A Downstairs History of Britain from the Nineteenth Century to Modern Times. Living in London, she has written for the Times Literary Supplement, Guardian, and Observer.







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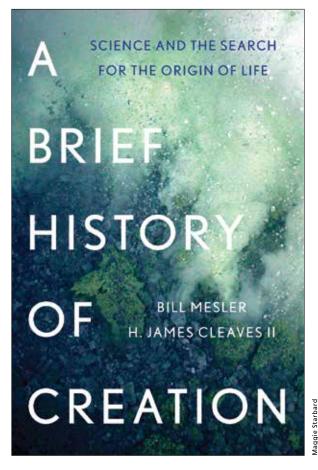
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A Brief History of Creation

Science and the Search for the Origin of Life

The epic story of the scientists through the ages who have sought answers to life's biggest mystery: How did it begin?



rom the ancient belief that mice sprang from stores of grain Γ to cutting-edge debates in modern science, this is the story of humankind's search for the "how" of life's creation. The very existence of God has often seemed to hinge on whether life can, or cannot, spring from nonlife. From Leeuwenhoek's discovery of a teeming world of microbes to Pasteur's defense of divinity, astonishing discoveries and vast achievements have been driven by our obsession with this enduring mystery. A Brief History of Creation beautifully and accessibly narrates the stories of these scientists who dared to address the most challenging guestion of all. Today, debates rage between "ventists" who believe life originated in underwater volcanoes and those who believe that simple organisms self-assembled from ingredients delivered from outer space or formed in the earth's early toxic atmosphere. But even if we soon have the answer, can we ever know "why" life began?



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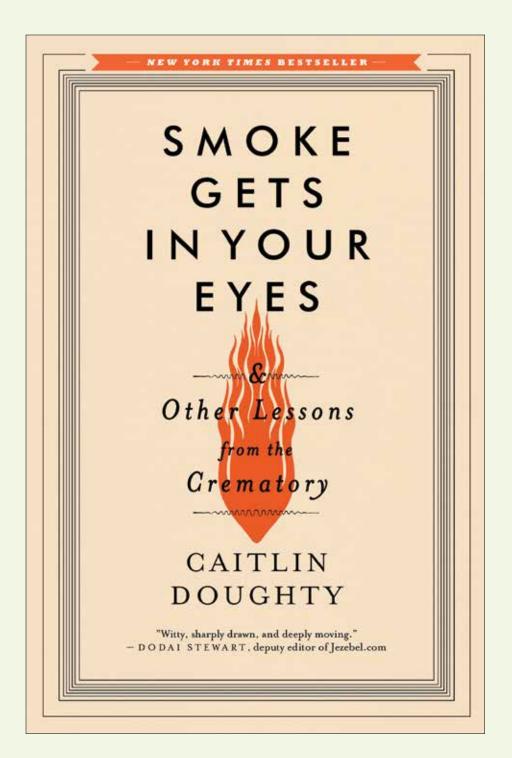
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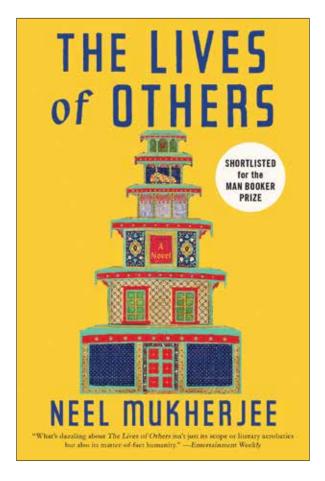
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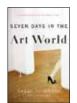




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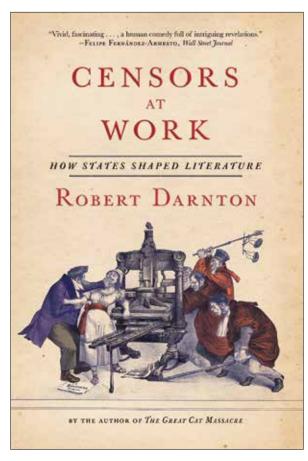
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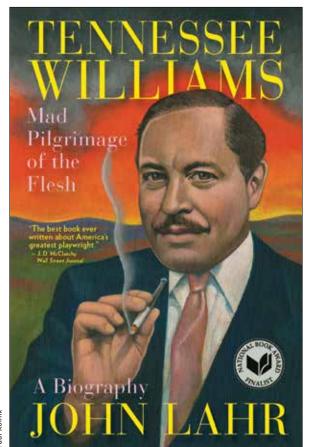
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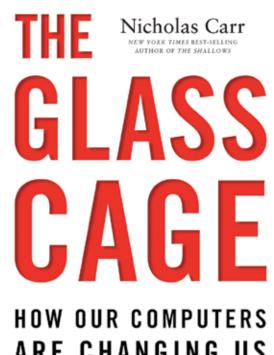
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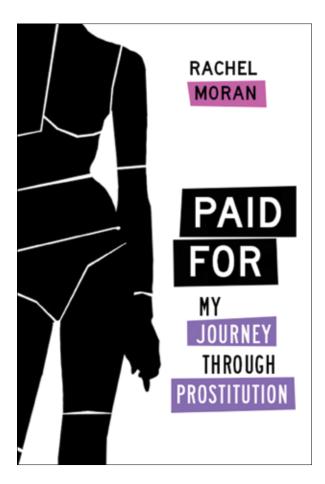
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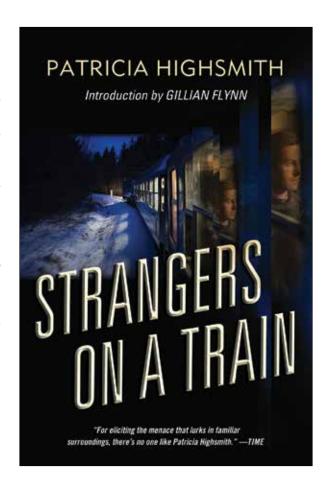
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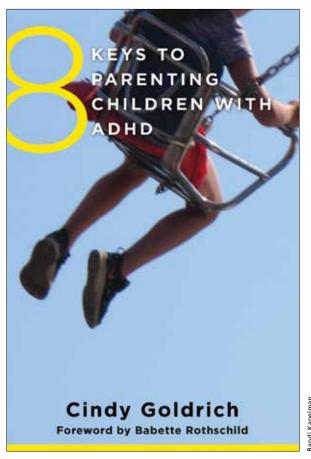
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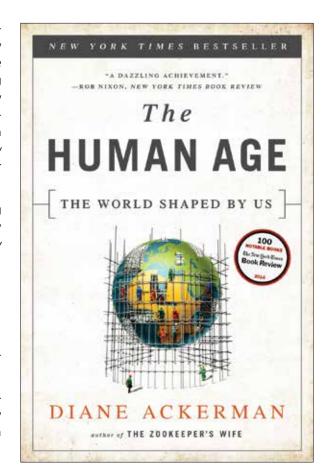
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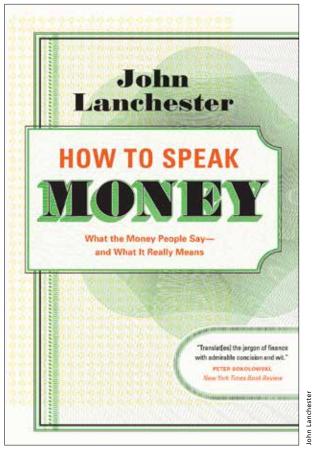
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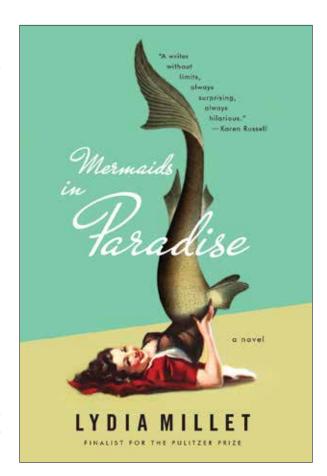
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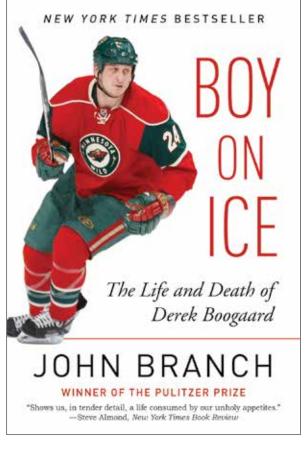
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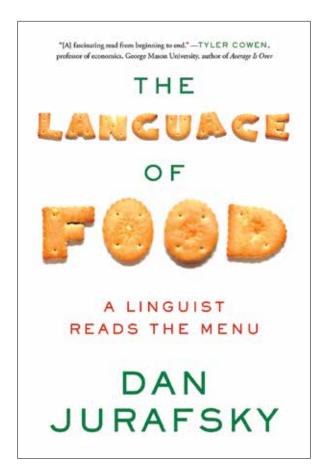
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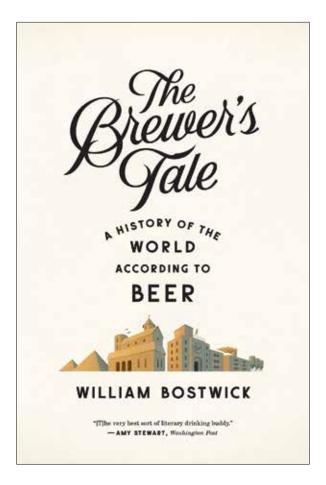
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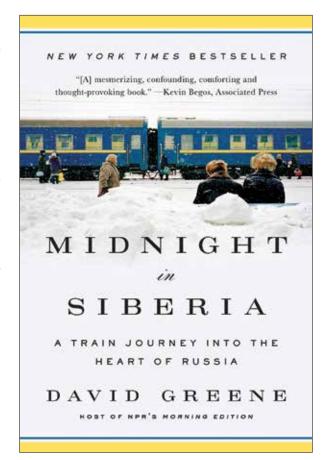
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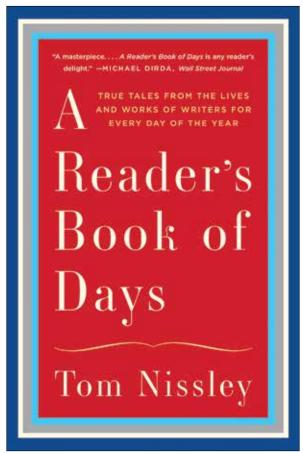
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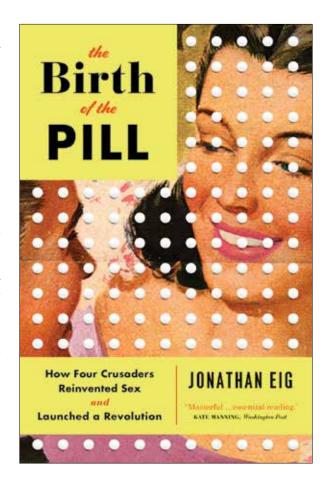
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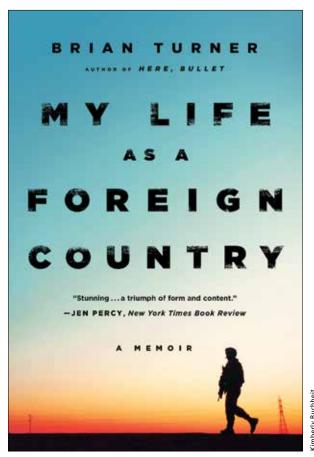
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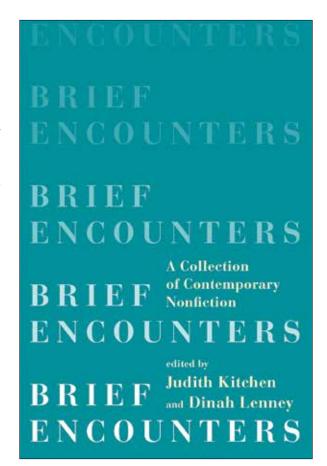
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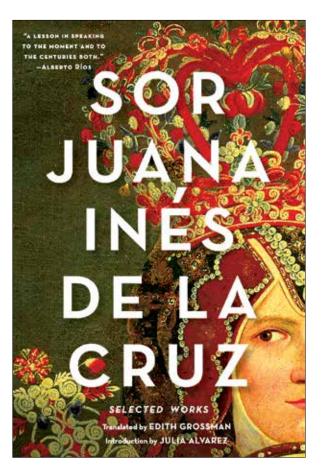
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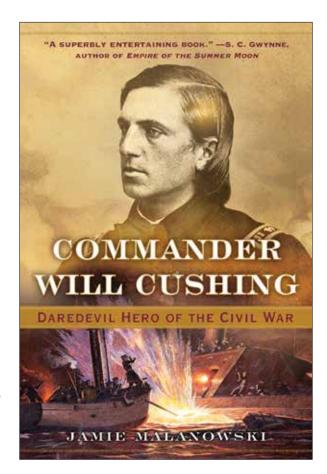
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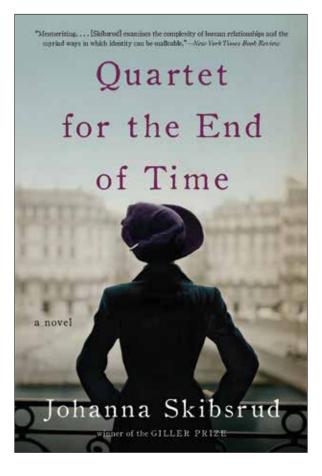
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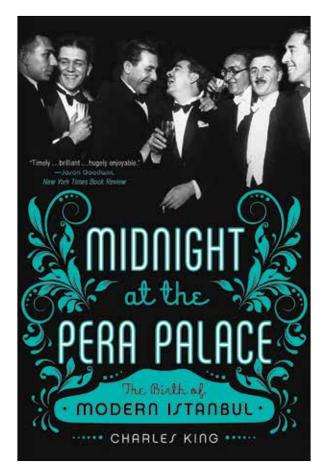
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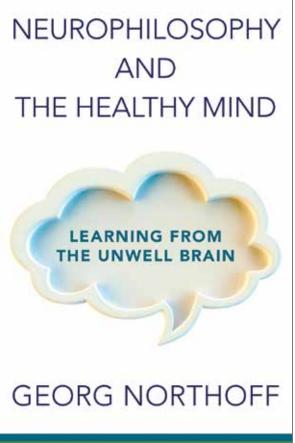
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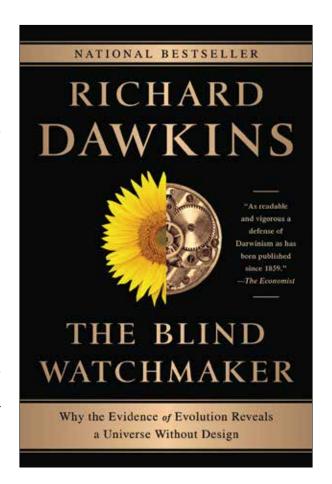
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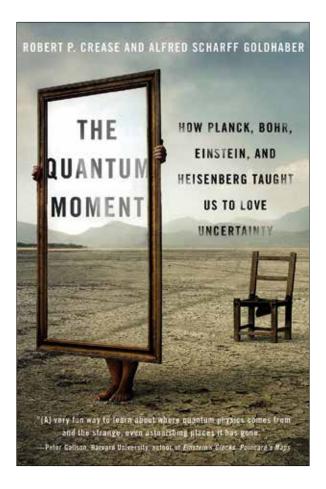
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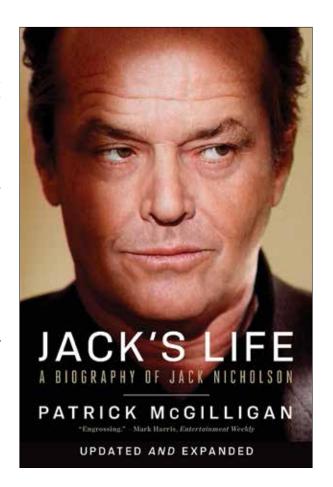
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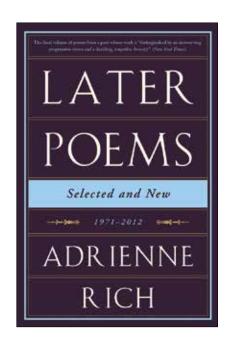
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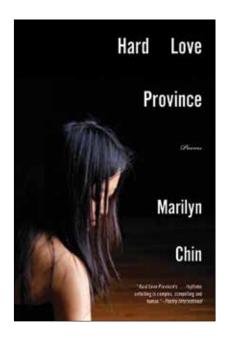
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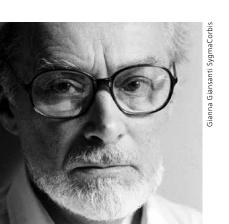
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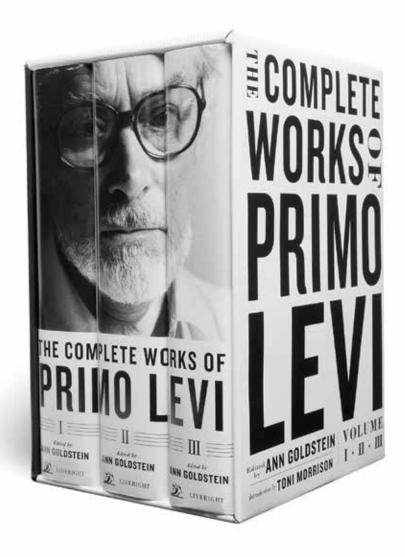
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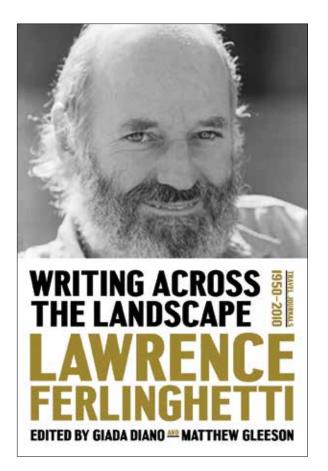
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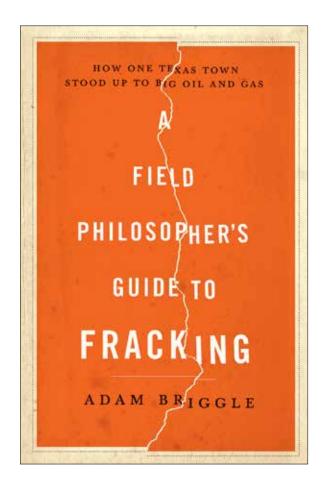
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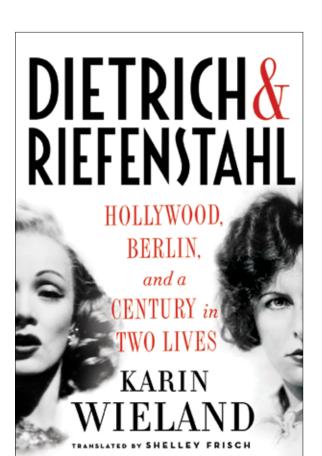


hen philosophy professor Adam Briggle moved to Denton, Texas, he had never heard of fracking. Less than three years later he would successfully lead a citizens' initiative to ban hydraulic fracturing in Denton—the first Texas town to challenge the oil and gas industry. On his journey to learn about fracking and its effect on communities, he leaped from the ivory tower into the fray.

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ADAM BRIGGLE teaches philosophy at the University of North Texas in Denton, Texas, where he also serves on a local citizens' advisory group. He contributes as a fracking expert to *Slate*, *Truthout*, and other publications.



KARIN WIELAND

Dietrich and Riefenstahl

Hollywood, Berlin, and a Century in Two Lives

Translated by Shelley Frisch

Magisterial in scope, this dual biography examines two complex lives that began alike but ended on opposite sides of the century's greatest conflict.

arlene Dietrich and Leni Riefenstahl, born less than one year apart, lived so close to each other that Riefenstahl could actually see into Dietrich's Berlin apartment. Coming of age at the dawn of the Weimar Republic, both sought fame in Germany's burgeoning silent motion picture industry. While Dietrich's depiction of the femme fatale Lola Lola in *The Blue Angel* catapulted her to Hollywood stardom, Riefenstahl—who missed out on the part—insinuated herself into Hitler's inner circle and found infamy directing Nazi propaganda films like *Triumph of the Will* and *Olympia*. Dietrich, who toured tirelessly with the USO, could never truly go home again, while Riefenstahl was forever contaminated by her political associations. Moving deftly between two stories never before told together, acclaimed German historian Karin Wieland contextualizes these lives within the vicious crosscurrents of a turbulent generation, chronicling revolutions in politics, fame, and sexuality on a grand stage.

KARIN WIELAND lives in Berlin and is an historian of political theory at the Hamburg Foundation for the Advancement of Science and Culture. SHELLEY FRISCH is the prize-winning translator of biographies of Nietzsche, Einstein, and Kafka. She lives in Princeton, New Jersey.



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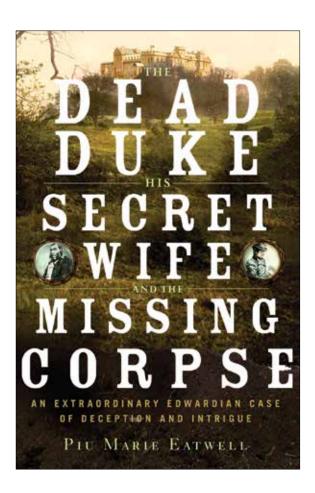
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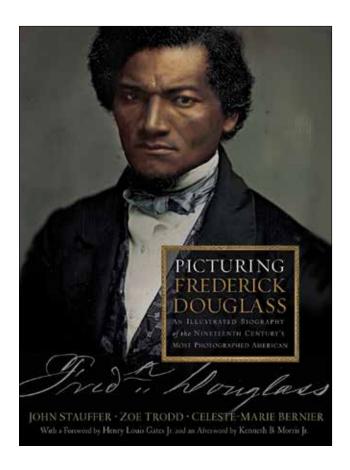
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t the close of the Victorian era, as now, privacy was power. The extraordinarily wealthy 5th Duke of Portland had a mania for it, hiding in his horse-drawn carriage and creating tunnels between buildings to avoid being seen. So when, in 1897, an elderly widow asked the court to exhume the grave of her late father-in-law, T. C. Druce, under the suspicion that he'd led a double life as the 5th Duke, no one could dismiss her claim. The eccentric duke, Anna Maria was sure, had faked his death as Druce, and, therefore, her son should inherit the Portland millions. A lurid, decade-long case was born. Uncovering new archival treasures and offering a "lively account of . . . the lies, deceit, and hypocrisy of Victorian society" (*The Times*), Piu Marie Eatwell evokes an era in transition, when the rise of sensationalist media blurred every fact into fiction, and when family secrets and fluid identities pushed class anxieties to new heights.



PIU MARIE EATWELL attended Oxford University and has produced and researched historical documentaries for the BBC. She divides her time between Paris and London with her husband and three children. @piueatwell



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t is astonishing to learn that neither Custer nor Twain, nor even Abraham Lincoln, was the most photographed American of the calamitous nineteenth century. It was Frederick Douglass, the ex-slave turned leading abolitionist, eloquent orator, and seminal writer whose fiery speeches transformed him into one of the most renowned and popular agitators of his age. Now, as a result of groundbreaking research, we can reclaim Douglass as a leading pioneer in photography, both as a stately subject and as a prescient theorist who believed in the explosive social power of what was then just an emerging art form. Included here are all 160 separate photographs of Douglass—many of which have never been publicly seen and were long lost to history—combined with previously unpublished writings and speeches on visual aesthetics. The result promises to transform our understanding of American photography and its vital place in the life and legacy of Douglass himself.

JOHN STAUFFER is a professor of English, American studies, and African American studies at Harvard University. **ZOE TRODD** is a professor of American literature, and **CELESTE-MARIE BERNIER** is a professor of African American studies, both in the Department of American and Canadian Studies at the University of Nottingham.

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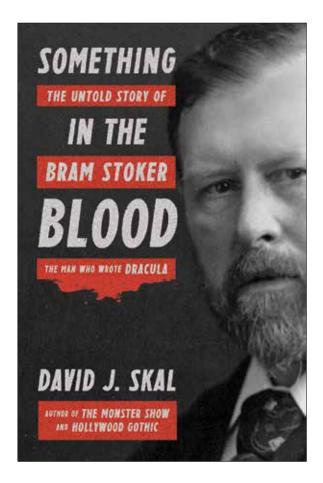




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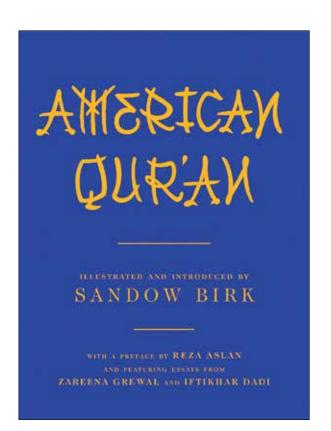
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ram Stoker, despite having a name nearly as famous as his legendary Count Dracula, has remained a puzzling enigma. Now, in a psychological and cultural portrait, David J. Skal exhumes the inner world and strange genius of the writer who conjured an undying cultural icon. Stoker was inexplicably paralyzed as a boy, and his story unfolds against a backdrop of Victorian medical mysteries and horrors: cholera and famine fever, childhood opium abuse, frantic bloodletting, mesmeric quack cures, and the gnawing obsession with "bad blood" that inform every page of Dracula. Stoker's ambiguous sexuality is explored through his lifelong acquaintance with Oscar Wilde, who emerges as Stoker's repressed shadow self—a doppelgänger worthy of a Gothic novel. The psychosexual dimensions of Stoker's passionate youthful correspondence with Walt Whitman, his punishing work ethic, and his slavish adoration of the actor Sir Henry Irving are examined in scholarly detail.



DAVID J. SKAL is a leading American cultural historian and critic of horror film and literature. The author of The Monster Show and Hollywood Gothic, he lives in Glendale, California.



American Qur'an

Preface by Reza Aslan Essays by Zareena Grewal and Iftikhar Dadi

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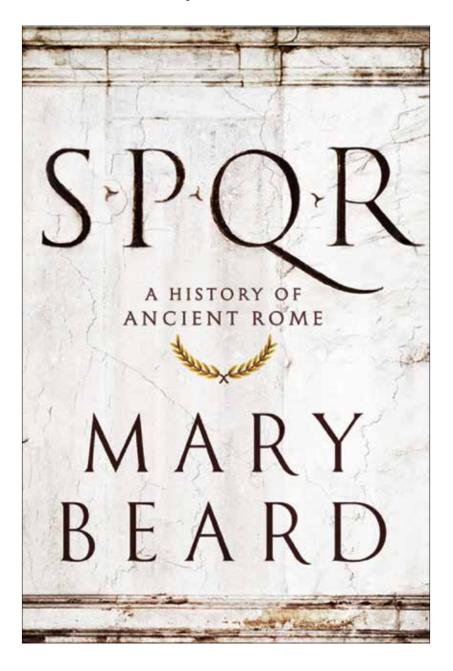
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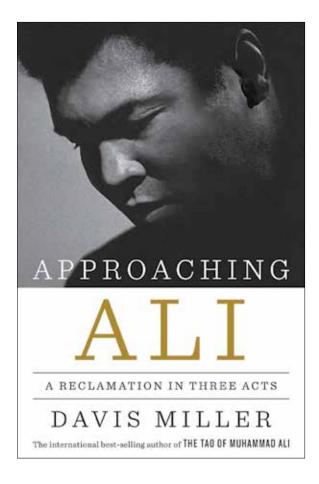
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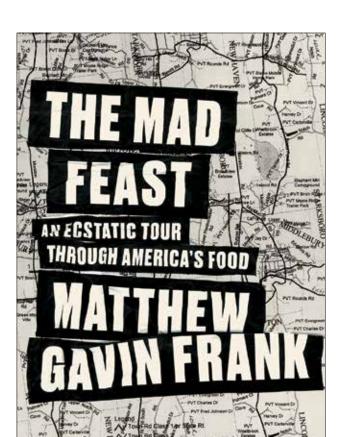
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MATTHEW GAVIN FRANK is the author of

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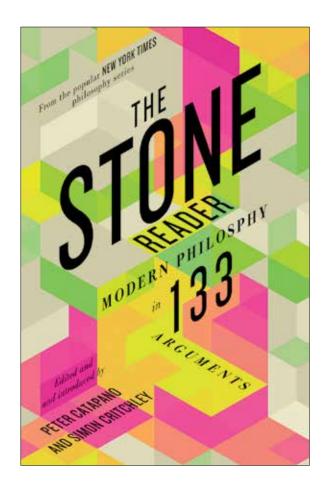
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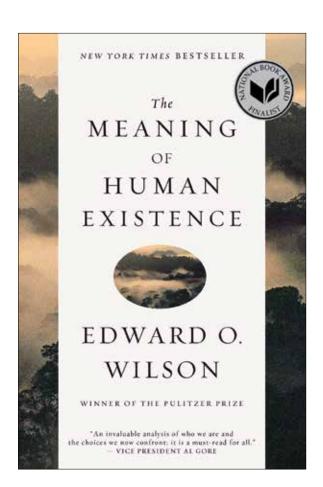
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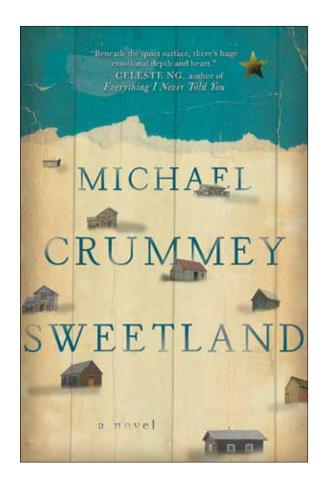
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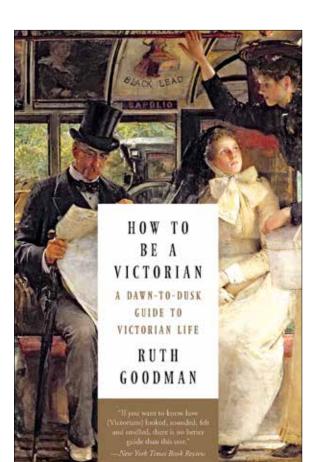
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RUTH GOODMAN is an historian of British social and domestic life. She has advised the Royal Shake-speare Company's Globe Theatre and presented a number of BBC television series, including *Victorian Farm*. She lives in England.



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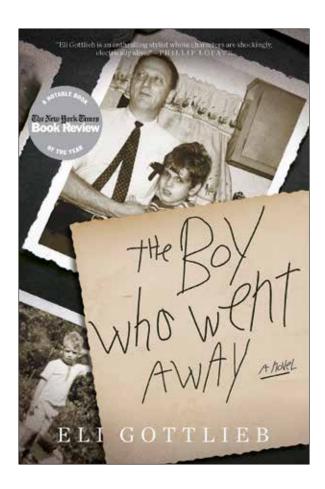


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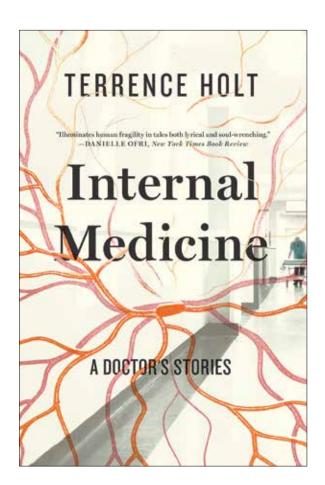
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ELI GOTTLIEB is the author of *Best Boy*, among other novels. His works have been translated into a dozen languages. He lives in New York City.



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TERRENCE HOLT is a writer and an internist specializing in geriatric medicine, teaching and practicing at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill. His short fiction was collected in 2009 as *In the Valley of the Kings*.



JULES FEIFFER

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A Graphic Novel

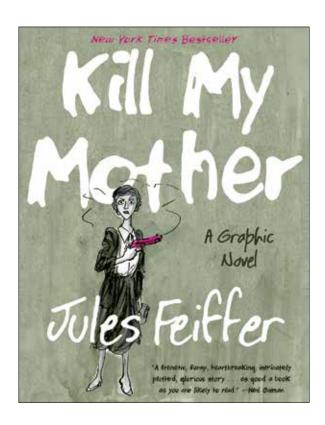
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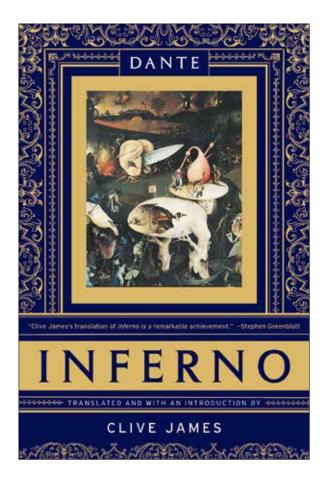


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JULES FEIFFER is a cartoonist, playwright, children's book author, illustrator, and member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters. He lives in Southampton, New York, and is currently working on *Cousin Joseph*, a sequel to *Kill My Mother*.



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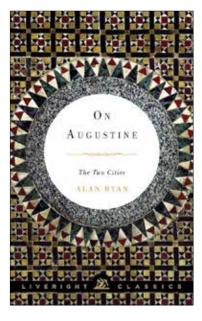
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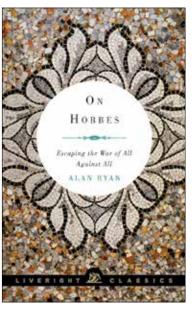
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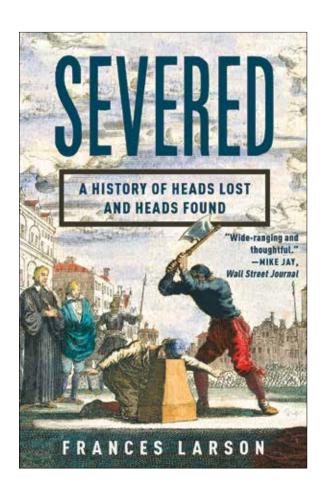
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FRANCES LARSON is an Honorary Research Fellow at the University of Durham and the author of *An Infinity of Things: How Sir Henry Wellcome Collected the World*. She lives in Durham.



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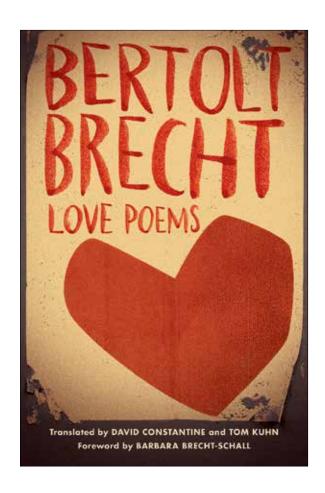
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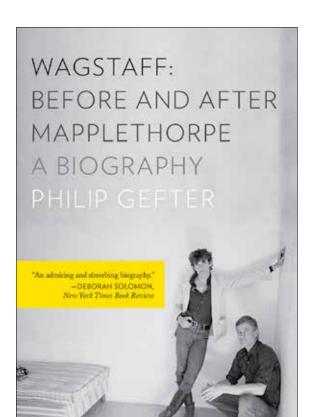
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PHILIP GEFTER

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PHILIP GEFTER was on staff at the *New York Times* for over fifteen years, where he wrote regularly about photography. His essays are collected in the book *Photography After Frank*. He lives in New York City.



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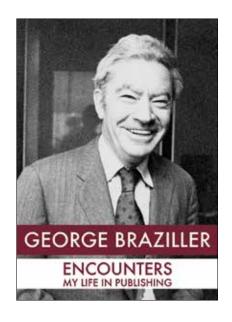
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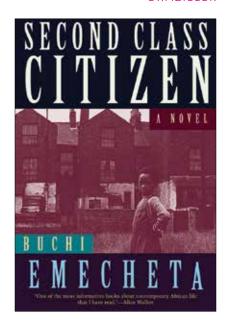
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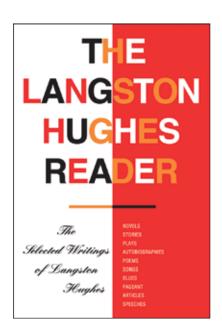
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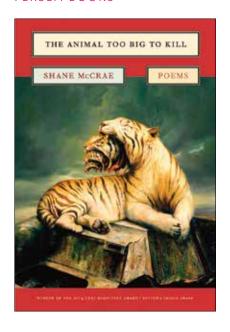
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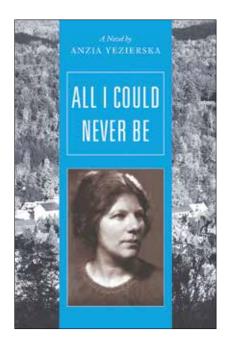
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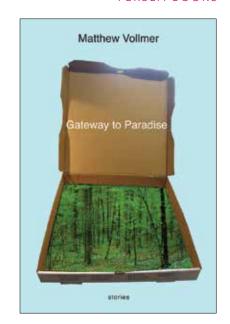
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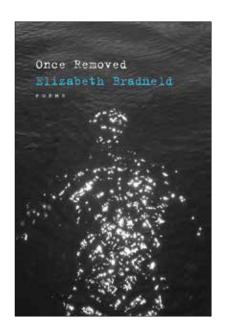
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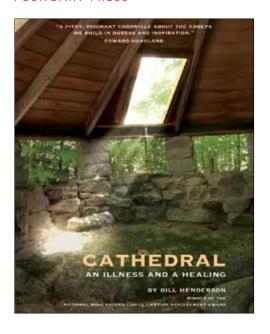
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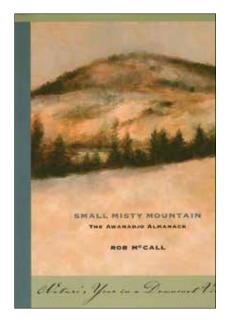
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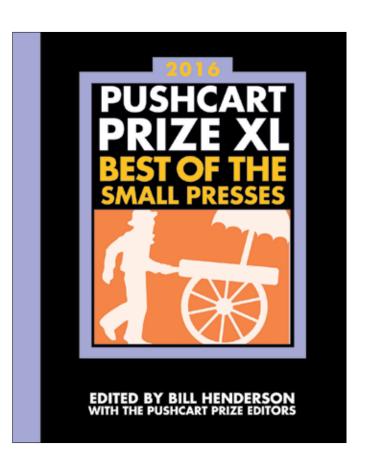
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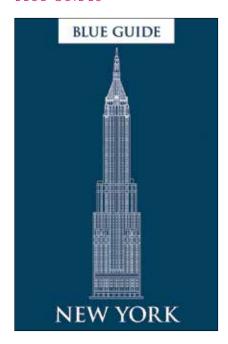
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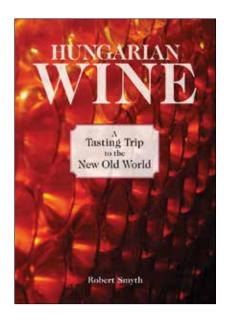
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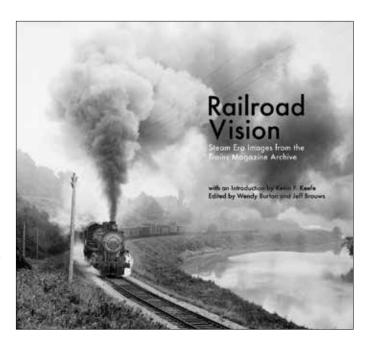
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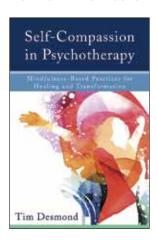
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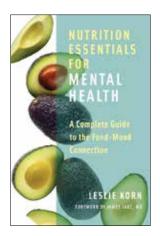
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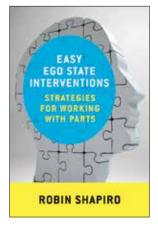
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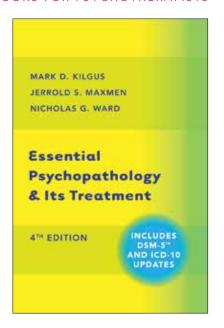
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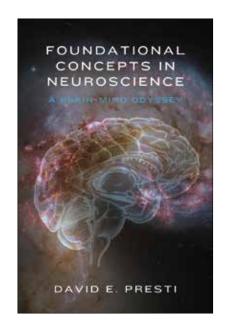
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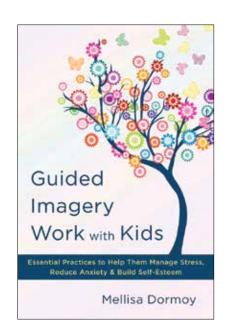
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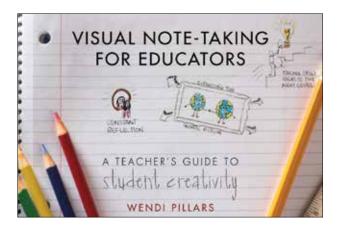
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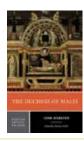
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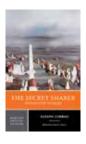
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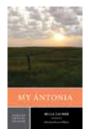
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