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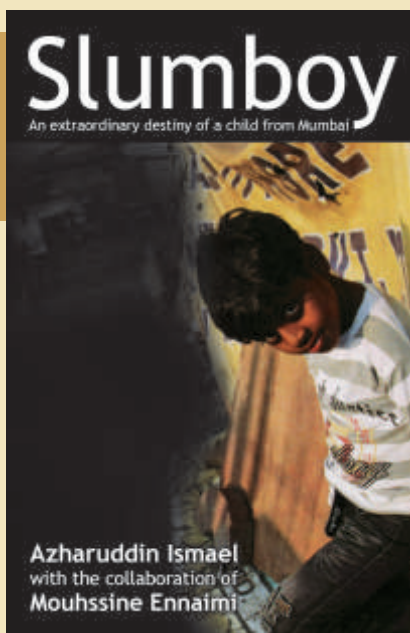
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About the Book

Azharuddin live in misery of one of the numerous slums in Mumbai; where millions of persons survive in their small huts built of brick or of metal sheets, with no water supply, in the middle of the gutters and wastes under the open sky.

One day, he was chosen to play the role of one of the heroes in the film 'Slumdog millionaire', which won 8 Oscar Awards.

Azharuddin's story, beyond an unbelievable fairy tale, is also the story of all the children who grow up in these poor localities of the economic capital of India.

Biography
Paperback
140 x 202 mm
Pages : 115

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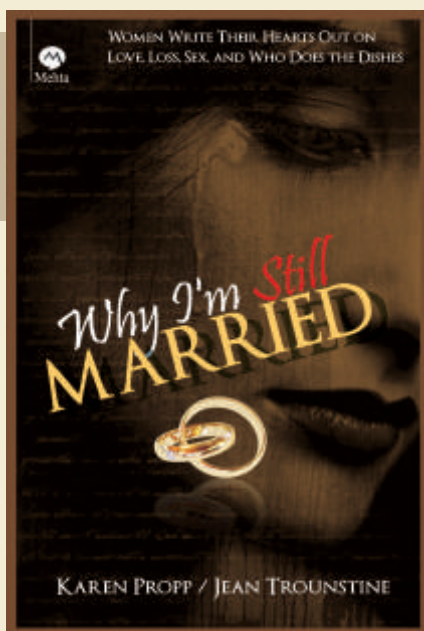
About the Book

On 9 April 1953 an attractive twenty-one-year-old woman went missing from her family home in Rome. Thirty-six hours later her body was found washed up on a neglected beach at Torvaianica, forty kilometers from the Italian capital. Some said it was suicide; others, a tragic accident. But as the police tried to close the case, darker rumours bubbled to the surface. Could it be that the mysterious death of this quiet, conservative girl was linked to a drug-fueled orgy, involving some of the richest and most powerful men in Italy?

It was a crime that the newspapers, public & one particularly determined detective wanted to get to the heart of. The short life & tragic death of Wilma Montesi was played out against a fascinating backdrop. Her murder exposed a darker side of Roman life - a life of corruption, cover-ups & carnal pleasures.

Non-Fiction
Paperback
140 x 202 mm
Pages : 316

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About the Book

Twenty-four bestselling & award-winning women writers explore one of life's most challenging and rewarding relationships. In the spirit of the bestselling *The Bitch in the House*, **WHY I'M STILL MARRIED** captures the passions, loss, joy, friendship & humor that marks lifelong commitment through a brilliant kaleidoscope of voices, such as Julia Alvarez, Susan Cheever, Elizabeth Graver, Erica Jong, Aimee Liu, Bharati Mukherjee, ZZ Packer & Marge Piercy.

Revealing the myriad ways in which women navigate the bumpy terrain of emotional intimacy, weather arguments and separations, adjust to parenting, avoid-or-succumb-to-the temptation of infidelity, and decide who does the dishes, this riveting collection is at once unique and universal, and will speak to any women who's ever been in a long-term relationship.

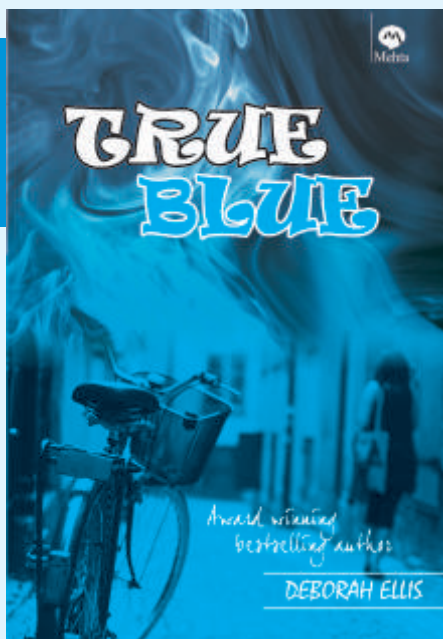
Collection of Essays
Paperback
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Pages : 318

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About the Book

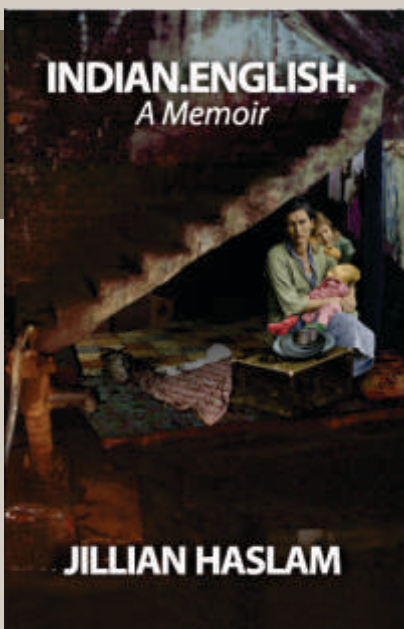
Casey was a brilliant student looking forward to a scholarship and a future career in entomology. She wasn't the kind of girl who would be stuck in a town like Gallo way the rest of her life. She was really going places. And nobody knew this better than Jess, Casey's best friend. So how could a girl like Casey be arrested for the murder of a young camper under her care...

Jess believes her friend is innocent and that the real killer be caught; but in the meantime, she finds herself the reluctant center of attention, whose life begins to spin out of control.

A question the very nature of friendship and how one finds the moral courage to be loyal, no matter what the consequences.

Fiction
Paperback
140 x 202 mm
Pages : 236

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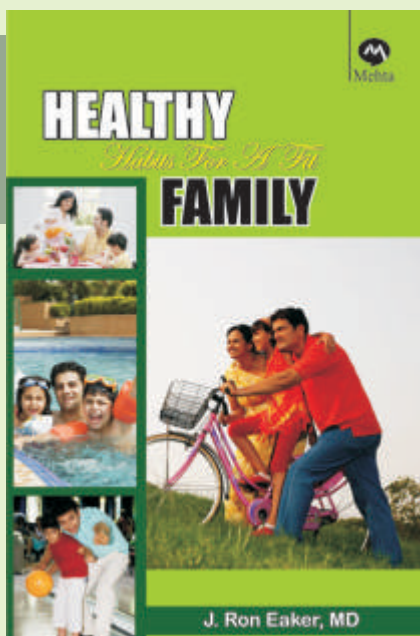
About the Book

Indian.English. is Jillian Haslam's memoir of growing up an English girl in post-colonial India. Her harrowing yet ultimately redemptive story of living in the dark squalid by-lanes of Calcutta, abused and misunderstood by many, recalls the darkest moments of Angela's Ashes and the inner turmoil of The Glass Castle. For every atrocity described in Indian.English., however, there is found a parallel kindness—a sacrifice, really—on the part of the poorest of the poor, who helped her family to survive.

In vivid detail, the author recounts how she learned to look for the positives embedded in the numerous challenges encountered on her path; and how to overcome adversity to be successful. This rich story of her life, of finding the road to success, and how she utilizes her wisdom and vision to help others through her foundation, vividly illustrates how and why Jillian Haslam inspires everyone she meets.

Biography
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 180

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About the Book

The key to long-term health for you and your family is to get everyone involved. Healthy habits are much easier to establish and maintain when people you love enjoy them too. In **HEALTHY HABITS FOR A FIT FAMILY**, you will find simple, practical, and livable ways to lose weight and achieve lasting health and wellness as a family.

This book isn't about quick fixes, secret formulas, or even diets (they don't work!). It's about normal, busy families like yours having a better life now and in the future. Good health is one of the best gifts you can give yourself and your children.

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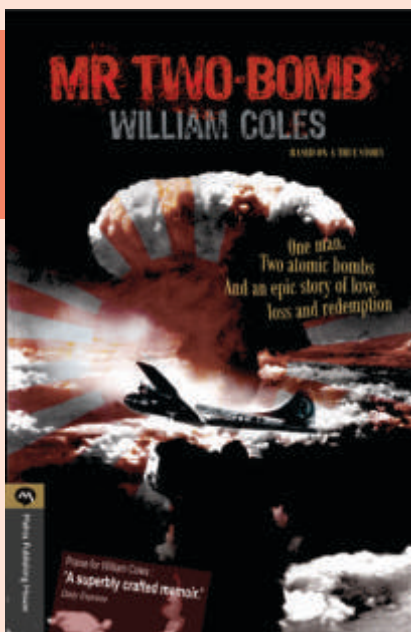
Health & Diet
Paperback
108 x 178 mm
Pages : 244

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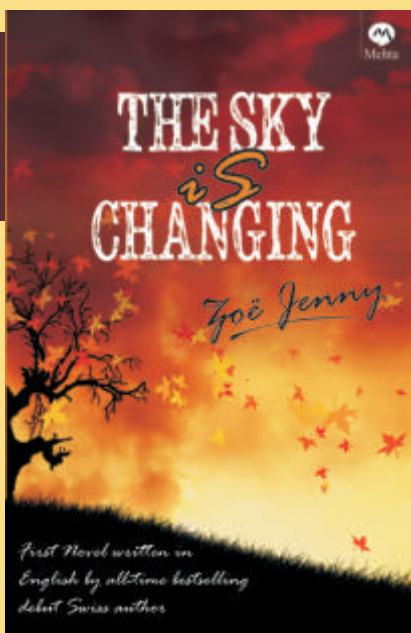
About the Book

One man miraculously survives the Atomic Bomb of Hiroshima. Two days later he catches the last train home. Home to Nagasaki. He arrives just 90 minutes before the world's second atomic bomb explodes into his life. As he battles through the scene of apocalyptic destruction, he is plagued by one constant question: is he lucky, or unlucky?

This is his answer: he's the luckiest man alive.

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 288

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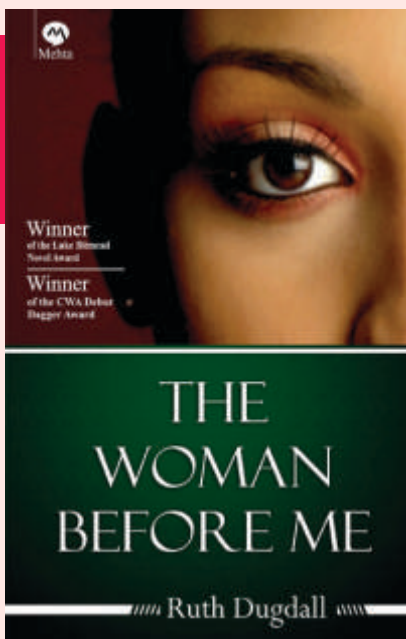
About the Book

A compelling, edgily atmospheric portrait of an uneasy city and a young woman's struggle to find her place in the world. With quiet, understated assurance, **THE SKY IS CHANGING** asks big questions about our fragmented society.

The story of a psyche, but one unadorned by self-conscious or analytical comment, mediated through poetic detail and precise, concrete images. The prose is spare, assured and evocative, the tone matter-of-fact and utterly without self-pity... There's an undertow of danger lurking beneath the surface which makes you want to re-read this intriguing, haunting novel as soon as you've finished it.'

Fiction
Paperback
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Pages : 154

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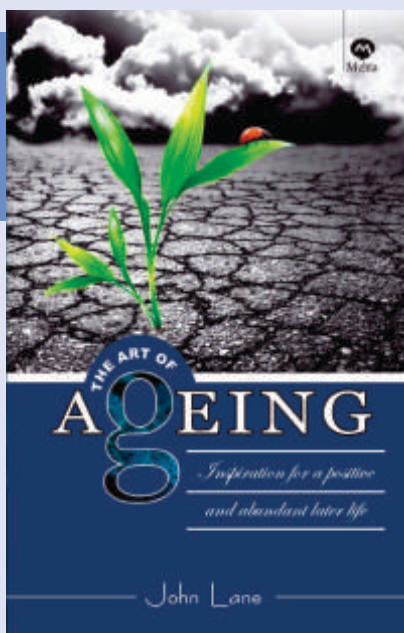


About the Book

An impressive debut psychological thriller set in a bleak version of Suffolk, in which three mothers are drawn into a story of loss and suspicion - the first two through the death of their babies; the third, a Probation Officer assigned to the case, who has to untangle the story. Brooding, oppressive, well-written and compelling.

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 284

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About the Book

Yet ageing remains a natural part of life, and it is precisely the impermanence of life that renders it so precious. Knowing that it is brief requires us to appreciate each moment of beauty and waste no opportunity for learning and love. THE ART OF AGEING has been written to help us achieve these ends.

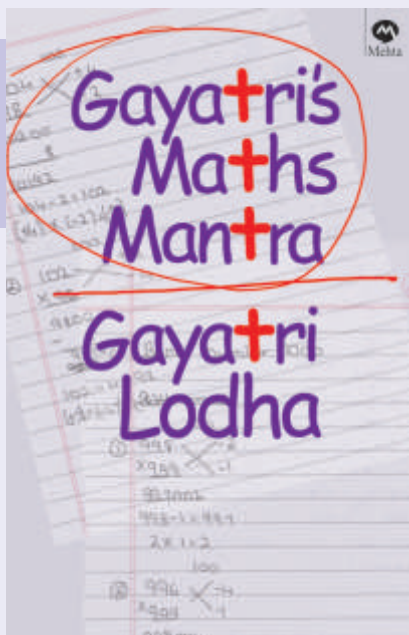
Some people may experience bad health, unhappiness and grief, but for many their later years can be amongst the happiest they have known - years that provide unequalled opportunities for creative growth enriched by mature relationships with children, grandchildren, spouse or partner and beloved friends. The shallowness of inexperience can be replaced by a depth of understanding and complexity of being; and restless speed with the serenity of untroubled leisure. Now there is time for experiment and creativity. time for exploring our different potentials, time to live in accordance with our dreams, time to be ourselves.

Self-Help
Paperback
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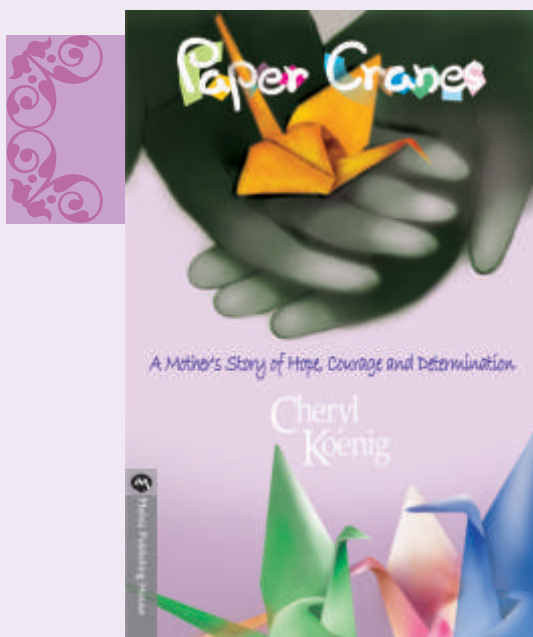
About the Book

Generally school going children find it difficult to understand mathematics. This book explains simple techniques of basic mathematical calculations such as multiplication and division. With the help of these techniques one can improve the speed of calculation as well as accuracy. It is possible to improve the scores in schools as well as competitive examinations such as MPSC, UPSC, Scholarship, NDA, Maths Olympiad, other academic and professional exams by using the techniques explained in this book.

The author has learnt these techniques from a variety of books, periodicals, research work etc. She has learnt various techniques from her father. She has developed these techniques and explained them in very simple and lucid language.

Mathematics
Paperback
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Pages : 136

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About the Book

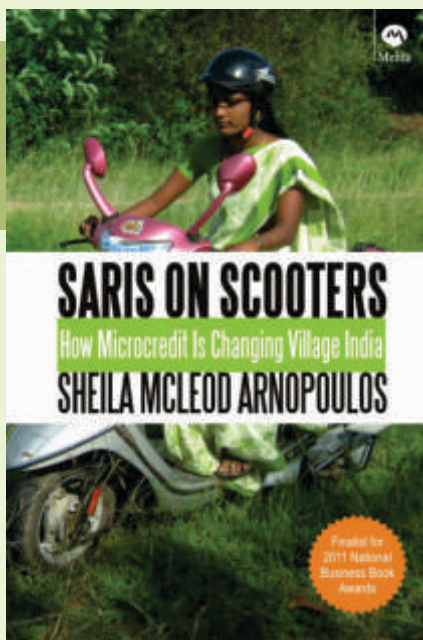
A mother's story of hope, courage and determination.

Drawing on Cheryl's diary from the time, PAPER CRANES tells the story of Jonathan's extraordinary courage and the Koenig family's unceasing drive to help him defy the ominous predictions. Set against the backdrop of Cheryl's heartfelt grief, denial and anger, the book outlines their desperate search for knowledge in the area of recovery from traumatic brain injury. At the same time she and her husband were forced to deal with the trials and tribulations of the legal system, in their search for justice for their son.

This inspirational and uplifting story demonstrates that with the right attitude it is possible to determine your own destiny regardless of what life throws in your path.

Biography
Paperback
153 x 235 mm
Pages : 256

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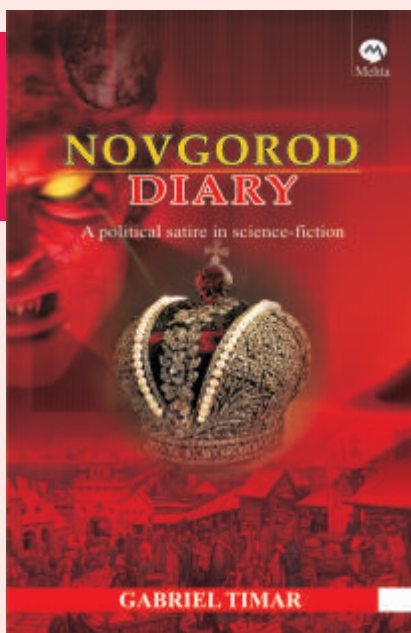
About the Book

Renowned author and journalist Sheila McLeod Arnoopoulos uses her talent for investigative reporting to take us deep into the poorest villages in India. Yet, far from being passive victims of their circumstances, the women who live there have joined forces and are making astute use of microcredit to break the cycle of poverty.

Microcredit was made famous by Bangladeshi economist Muhammad Yunus and consists of very small loans made primarily to women for the production of essential commodities or to start small businesses. Based on a number of trips to India between 2001 and 2008, Arnoopoulos shows her sense of solidarity and desire for authenticity by sharing the daily life of these villagers. This first-person account of her extensive travels focuses primarily on these women's inspiring success stories. After witnessing many such situations first-hand, she believes these villages have a potential strength equal to that of the modern, high-tech cities in India.

Non-Fiction
Paperback
152 x 230 mm
348 pages

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About the Book

This is a piquant, science fiction spoof of the sacred cows of the twenty-first century.

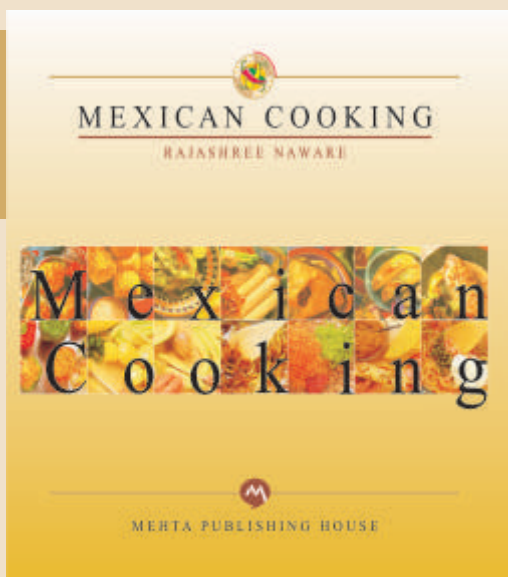
It seems someone tries stealing 350 million high quality Russian souls from Hades Limited, by electing the wrong man to the Kremlin.

An old diary exists in Novgorod proving Nick Rubowski, a high-ranking KGB officer, the Hades candidate, being the rightful heir to the Russian throne. If this became public, he'd lose the election. Therefore, Luce (Lucifer), the Hades Limited CEO sends George to Earth, to protect the firm's interests by fixing the Russian elections.

The CIA, the KGB, the royalists and the Mafia have adverse interests, and George must negotiate.

Science Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 272

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About the Book

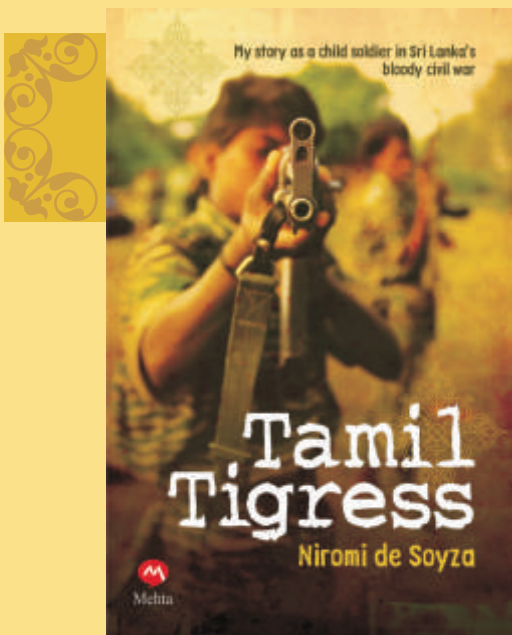
The simplicity yet ingenuity of Mexican cuisine are made simply by this inspirational cookbook. Tasty traditional dishes are complemented by contemporary tips to provide stunning collections of number of dishes that can be prepared easily and are sure to spice up your parties.

MEXICAN COOKING is beautifully designed and produced. It provides wealth of ideas and recipes that will delight you, your family and your guests.

All recipes are easy to make & follow with clear step-by-step instructions. Also, all ingredients are available in India.

Cookery
Paperback
225 x 231 mm
120 pages

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About the Book

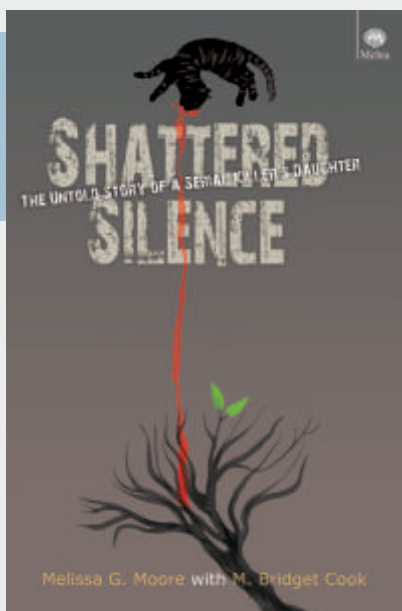
Two days before Christmas in 1987, at the age of 17, Niromi de Soyza found herself in an ambush as part of a small platoon of militant Tamil Tigers fighting government forces in the bloody civil war that was to engulf Sri Lanka for decades. With her was her lifelong friend, Ajanthi, also aged 17.

Leaving behind them their shocked middle-class families, the teenagers had become part of the Tamil Tigers' first female contingent.

Equipped with little more than a rifle and a cyanide capsule, Niromi's group managed to survive on their wits in the jungle, facing not only the perils of war but starvation, illness and growing internal tensions among the militant Tigers. But then events erupted in ways that she could no longer bear. How was it that this well-educated, mixed-race, middle-class girl from a respectable family came to be fighting with the Tamil Tigers?

Memoir
Paperback
152 x 234 mm
Pages : 316

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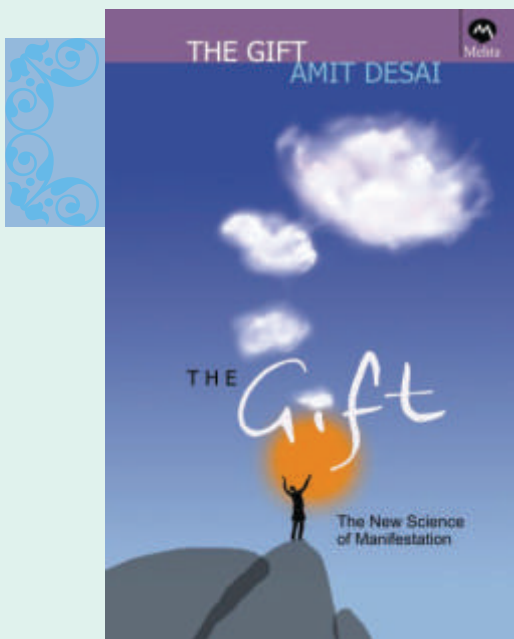
About the Book

In SHATTERED SILENCE, Melissa Moore shares the true story of her life as the daughter of notorious "Happy Face" serial killer. In this inspiring story, Melissa grows from a confused child to an outraged adolescent to an accepting adult. As she slowly connects the dots and realizes the full extent of the terrifying and gruesome crimes her father has committed, Melissa also begins to realize that she can not change her father---all she has control over her own life and deciding how she will react to everything that has happened.

Told with heartbreaking sincerity, this uplifting story of optimism and discovering joy, even in the face of overwhelming adversity, will inspire you to face your own challenges with a similar attitude of hope.

Biography
Paperback
152 x 228 mm
Pages : 252

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Thailand/ Malaysia / Singapore



About the Book

This book truly a GIFT from GOD because it has all the keys that you will ever need to unlock the doors of success in any area of your life. In fact, its so profound that it completely changed my entire thinking about what 'The Law of Attraction' actually was and also made me aware as to why millions of people even after knowing about the law, and reading a ton of books on it, didn't really know how to ACTUALLY MANIFEST anything that they truly wish to Be, Do or Have. This book is a complete treatise on everything you ever wanted to know about the truth. The truth about the law of attraction and beyond. If you have ever read and marveled at the law of attraction, but never really been able to use it to your best interests, then this book will show you the way like nothing else has ever done before! PERIOD!

Self-Help
Paperback
140 x 216 mm
Pages : 276

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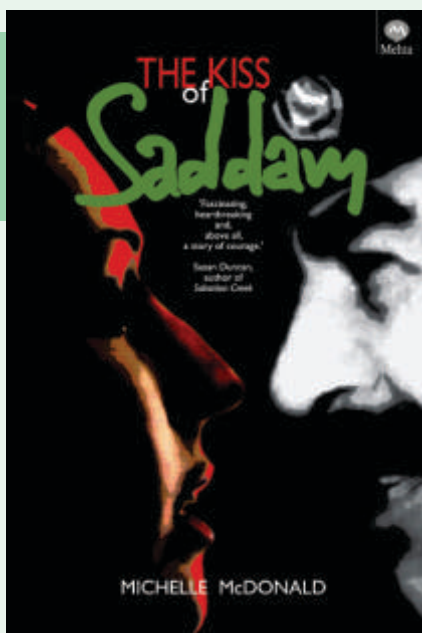
About the Book

Helen has little idea what lies ahead when she offers her spare room to an old friend of fifteen years. Nicola has arrived in the city for treatment for cancer. Sceptical of the medical establishment, placing all her faith in an alternative health centre, Nicola is determined to find her own way to deal with her illness, regardless of the advice that Helen can offer.

In the weeks that follow, Nicola's battle against her cancer will turn not only her own life upside down but also those of everyone around her. THE SPARE ROOM is a magical gem of a book that packs a huge punch, charting a friendship as it is tested by the threat of death.

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 204

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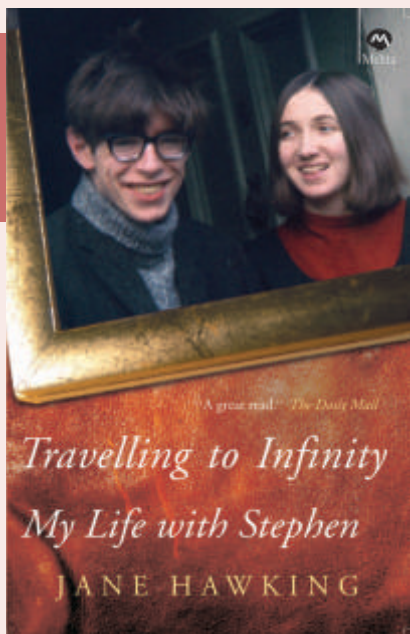
About the Book

After growing up in a privileged and cosmopolitan Iraq during 1950s and 1960s, Selma Masson is plunged into a world of despair and intrigue when she discovers first-hand the brutality of her country's dictator. While Iraqi Ambassador to Spain, her husband is imprisoned and tortured by the Hussein government - for Selma, securing his freedom will mean an unforgettable encounter with Saddam Hussein.

Now an Australian citizen, Selma has told her story to Michelle McDonald- this book grew out of the friendship between these two women from very different cultures. THE KISS OF SADDAM takes you on Selma's incredible journey, drawing an evocative picture of life in Iraq. It shows just what one woman will do to save the people she loves.

Biography
Paperback
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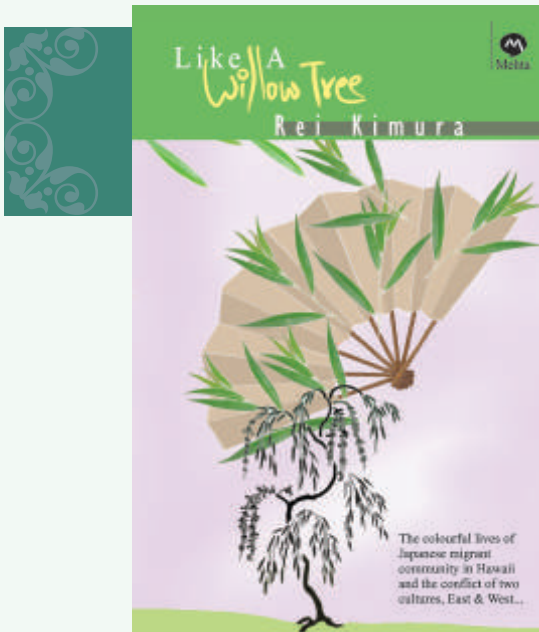
About the Book

In this compelling memoir, Stephen Hawking's first wife Jane relates the inside story of their extraordinary marriage. As Stephen's academic renown soared, his body was collapsing under the assaults of motor-neuron disease, and Jane's candid account of trying to balance his twenty-four-hour care with the needs of their growing family will be inspirational to anyone dealing with family illness.

The inner strength of the author, and the self-evident character and achievements of her husband, make for an incredible tale that is always presented with unflinching honesty; the author's candour is not less evident when the marriage finally ends in a high profile meltdown, with Stephen leaving Jane for one of his nurses, while Jane goes on to marry an old family friend.

Biography
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 512

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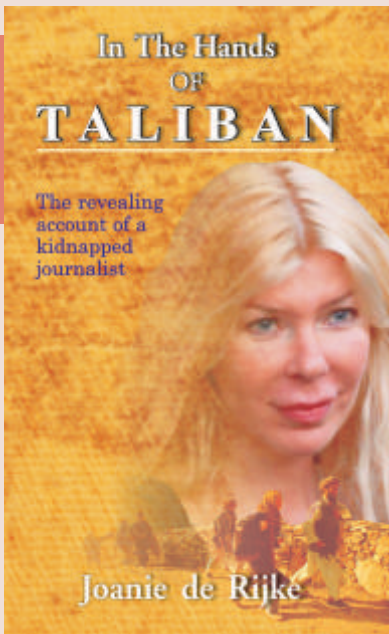
About the Book

This story is told against a gripping backdrop of war and the horrors and humiliations of the Japanese American war internment camps following Pearl Harbor. But even in the most dire and hopeless circumstances people can dream and Hanako and her best friend, Melanie Tanaka dreamt of pitching their unusual talent in fashion designing into the world of haute couture and high fashion. The odds against them were as unscalable as Mount Fuji in winter but dreams were free...

This book is based on the true story of the turbulent life of Hanako Ishigaki as she was tossed around by the winds of migration, war internment camps and an incredibly unlikely and impossible love affair woven into it to add poignance to a story of great courage and determination to survive and succeed against all odds.

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 304

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About the Book

When, in August 2008, ten French paracommandos are lured into an ambush by a Taliban group and killed, journalist Joanie de Rijke wants to know the story behind the perpetrators. From her very first visit to Afghanistan, De Rijke was fascinated by the Taliban fighters and the ease with which the Western media painted them as monsters.

After trying for weeks to make contact with the group, on the first of November 2008 she finally succeeds. However, the meeting turns into a nightmare. The commandant accuses her and her interpreter of spying for the French. For six days she is dragged through the mountains by the group. A deeply human story about the bond between hostage takers and hostages.

True Story
Paperback
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About the Book

THE FOUNTAIN'S MAGIC is a Magical metamorphosis of an Indian woman.

Maya, who dreams about a simple life like any ordinary girl, only to be shattered by the cruel blow of an acrid matrimony.

When she has given up all hopes and life had become complaisant with Maya plummeting to the pits of utter desolation her desire to outsmart her discouraging fate re-surges.

Will she be able to over-shadow the nemesis of the demon by her optimism and sheer resilient mettle?

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 120

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About the Book

Story starts with murder of a Tourist in Mumbai, followed by a couple of more tourists losing their lives. Mumbai was not a safe city for Tourists anymore.

Bhani, a lady who devoted her life to serve orphan and mentally retarded children was held accused of killing the owners of the orphanage. Did she kill them for some personal gain?

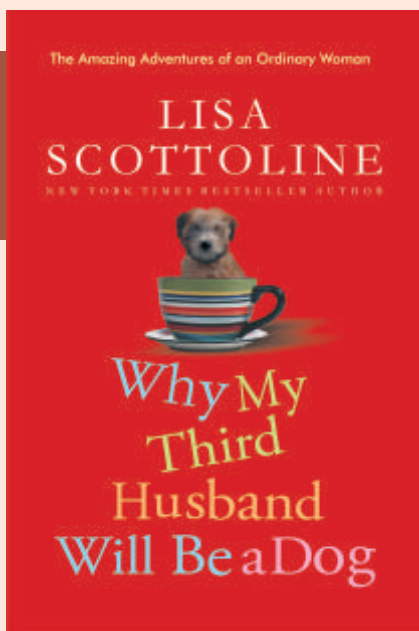
Bhani admitted in the court that she was the killer but still some people thought she is innocent and someone is trying to trap her in that case of double murder. What made her admit to be a murderer and what made people think she was innocent?

ACP Jadav along with his subordinate officers Mady and Shreya, worked on solving the mystery but they found themselves lost with every move they made.

A Thriller...A Story...A Mystery...

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
248 pages

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About the Book

The Amazing Adventures of an Ordinary Woman. Together in one collection are Lisa's wildly popular Philadelphia Inquirer columns that show the humorous side of life, from a woman's perspective. Filled with seventy charming and hilarious vignettes, it's trademark Scottoline.

Reading WHY MY THIRD HUSBAND WILL BE A DOG is like visiting with an old friend. Lisa lets her hair down, roots and all, to write about her ordinary extraordinary adventures. You'll laugh at Lisa's stories and recognize yourself of a loved one in her, Mother Mary, Brother Frank, Daughter Francesca, or BFFs Franca and Laura. No topic is off-limits, and thanks to Lisa, nothing is ever really ordinary.

Humor
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Pages : 300

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Parenting THE OFFICE



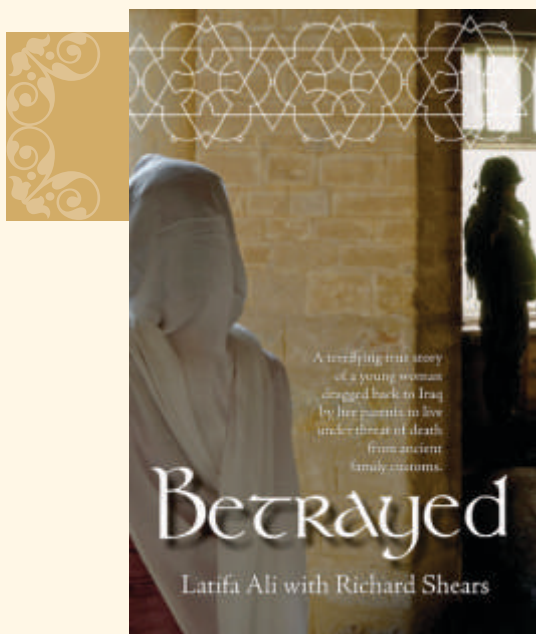
By Doris S. Davidoff, Philip G. Davidoff,
Donald M. Davidoff, and Douglas G. Davidoff

About the Book

Present common management situations on a case-by-case basis, with solutions that are effective, concise, and sometimes even fun. Many of the issues raised in the workplace are also common to family life, from the desire of the youngest to rival the oldest child to bullying and rivalry. Parenting The Office equates these lessons learned from children to business and family life alike, using case histories to discuss applications and clarify problems.

Business & Management
Paperback
150 x 227 mm
Pages : 228

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About the Book

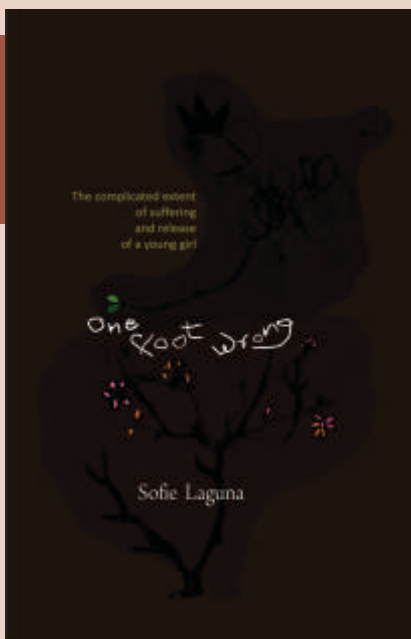
In Iraq Latifa has no allies, as a Muslim woman she has no liberty, and she is unable to gain access to the Australian Consulate. In 2003 as the war on terror rages around her, Latifa is at war with her culture and customs. Imprisoned, abused and violated, her efforts to escape Iraq fail and her death looms closer.

Working as a spy, consorting with the UN and racing for the border, Latifa knows that the only way to save her life is to keep her secret and make an escape.

A harrowing story of independence and perseverance. Find out why Latifa still lives in fear for her life.

Biography
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
268 pages

978-81-8498-266-4
August, 2011
Rs. 400.00
Rights : India



About the Book

A brilliant first novel of profound depth, startling originality and breathtaking talent.

A child is imprisoned in a house by her reclusive religious parents. Hester has never seen the outside world; her companions are Cat, Spoon, Door, Handle, Broom, and they all speak to her. Her imagination is informed by one book, an illustrated child's bible, and its imagery forms the sole basis for her capacity to make poetic connection.

One day Hester takes a brave Alice in Wonderland trip into the forbidden outside (at the behest of Handle - 'turn me turn me'), and this overwhelming encounter with light and sky and sunshine is a marvel to her. From this moment on, Hester learns the concept of the secret, and not telling, and the world becomes something that fills her with feeling as if she is a vessel, empty and bottomless for need of it.

Fiction
Paperback
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Pages : 188

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About the Book

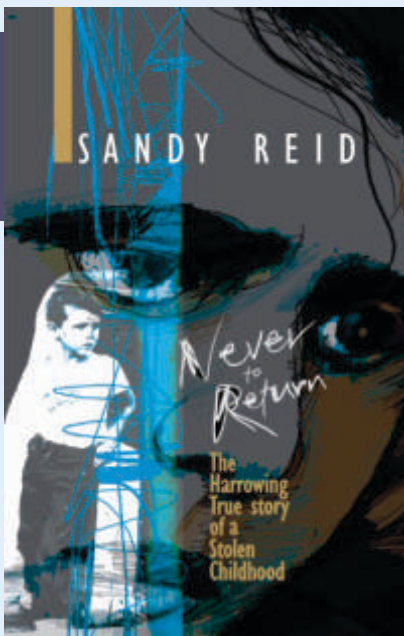
How can you tell your daughters, you know? I mean, the shame, the shame was still so great. I knew I had to tell them but I couldn't tell them face to face . . . so I decided to write it down.

Jan Ruff O'Herne's idyllic childhood in Dutch colonial Indonesia ended when the Japanese invaded Java in 1942. She was interned in Ambarawa Prison Camp along with her mother and two younger sisters.

In February 1944, when Jan was just twenty-one years old, she was taken from the camp and forced into sexual slavery in a military brothel. Jan was repeatedly beaten and raped for a period of three months, after which she was returned to prison camp with threats that her family would be killed if she revealed the truth about the atrocities inflicted upon her.

Memoir
Paperback
152 x 235 mm
Pages : 256

978-81-8498-126-1
March, 2011
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About the Book

The Harrowing True Story of a Stolen Childhood... When Sandy Reid was taken into care he was just one year old. Little did his mother know that she would never see him again.

NEVER TO RETURN is the extraordinary true story of Sandy Reid and his big sister Maggie and what happened to them when they were taken away from their parents and their way of life. It was the middle of winter when the authorities swooped on the travelers woodland camp, determined to take the youngest children into care and give them a better life. But it didn't work out that way. Denied any access to his parents, Sandy was to spend the rest of his childhood moving from disinterested foster parents to children's homes and finally into the clutches of the notorious 'Uncle Dave' who systematically abused the children in his care.

Memoir
Paperback
127 x 196 mm
Pages : 244

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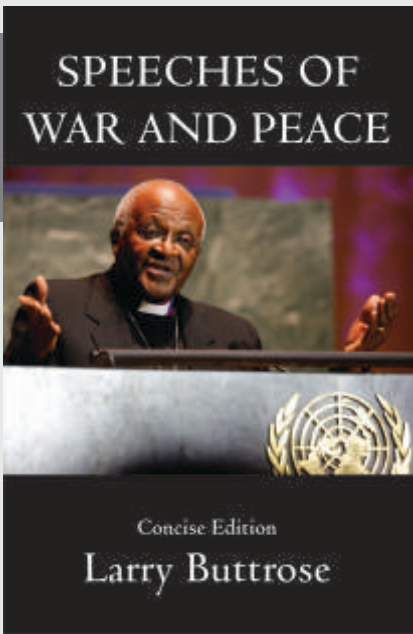
About the Book

On 8 October, 2004, Schapelle Corby was stopped at Bali Airport by customs officials, carrying 4.1kg of cannabis in her unlocked bodyboard bag. Tony Wilson, a Journalist for the Gold Coast Bulletin, was at work when the news came through. His life has been a roller coaster ride ever since. How did one holiday turn into every person's nightmare? Where can Schapelle turn to now?

Schapelle Corby's face moved the world as she was imprisoned in Indonesia for 20 years for drugs found in her baggage in Denpasar Airport in 2004. While the former beauty therapy student from Queensland struggles in the daily hell of Kerobokan Prison, she salvages any dignity she can muster knowing her current release date could be as far away as 2024.

Biography
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 264

978-81-8498-193-3
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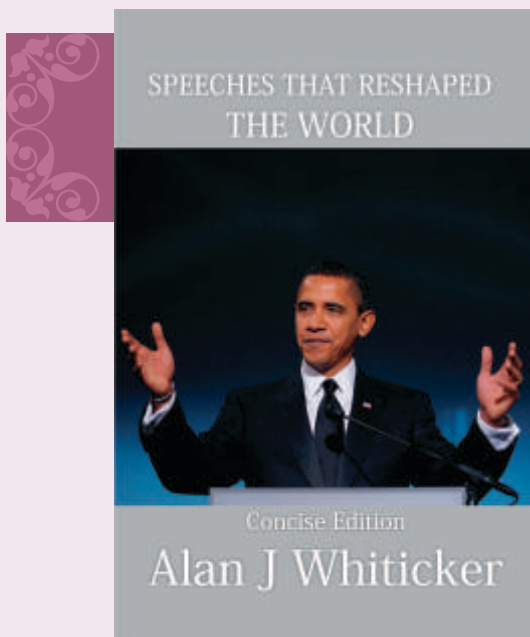


About the Book

A collection of the most important and memorable speeches of modern history about conflict and the desire for peace from some of the greatest orators the world has ever seen. It brings together war speeches exalting nations to fight, pleas for peace and the struggle for rights and dreams.

Reference
Paperback
152 x 228 mm
Pages : 298

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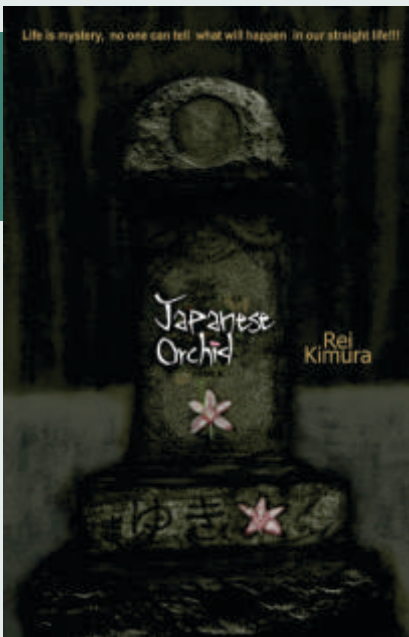


About the Book

SPEECHES THAT RESHAPED THE WORLD is a collection of sixty of the greatest speeches of modern times: speeches that instigated war and called for peace, that liberated women and recognised AIDS sufferers, that aimed to abolish poverty or to shame the rich. More recently, speeches that call a country to fight and others that humbly apologise for acts of war.

Reference
Paperback
152 x 228 mm
Pages : 314

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November, 2010
Rs. 300.00
Rights : India



About the Book

Powerful and yet poignant this thriller spans three cities, New York, Tokyo and Singapore as Tetsuyo Akinicho, a wealthy Japanese DNA mogul moving in the most highly respected circles of New York society finds himself embroiled in a blackmail that threatens to tear his squeaky clean and impeccable reputation and lineage to pieces.

Unknown to the high societies of New York and Japan he moves in, Tetsuyo is living in the shadow of a terrible family secret which he thought was well hidden till one day, an email came into his plush, gleaming glass and chrome office in New York and his whole world threatened to tumble down.

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 248

978-81-8498-139-1
August, 2010
Rs. 249.00
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About the Book

"In this book, I have described significant patterns in the life histories and emotional responses of cancer patients, which suggested to me the notion of a "Cancer Personality"; and then I came to know where the real "Cancer" in our society is. There should be ascertain "resonance" between therapist and patient as a decisive factor in Psychotherapy which triggers the natural healing process.

Thus my basic interest is in "paranormal phenomena" while dealing with cancer and heart patients simply because evolution in 'Biology' is outdated, now the talk is about 'evolution of consciousness'. Changing the patient's belief system about cancer and the belief systems of the patient and the physician are crucial to the success of the therapy and can be used effectively to support the patient's potential for self-healing."

Health & Medicine
Paperback
140 x 216 mm
Pages : 296

978-81-8498-140-7
August, 2010
Rs. 295.00
Rights : World



About the Book

A mercy ship under safe passage... torpedoed by an American submarine... over 2,000 drowned... A TRUE STORY!

On the 1st of April 1945, a Japanese hospital ship that had been given "safe passage" by the Allies, in the dead of night, was mistaken for a military vessel and torpedoed by the American submarine "Queenfish". It sank within minutes taking almost all of the 2007 passengers to their watery graves. This is the gripping story of the Awa Maru, the little known "Titanic of Japan".

Follow the journey of Kyoko Tanaka, whose parents and brother had been passengers on the Awa Maru as she set sail on her own voyage of discovery.

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 176

978-81-8498-137-7
August, 2010
Rs. 149.00
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About the Book

"Japanese Magnolia" the true forbidden love story of two men, a samurai and a peasant in Edo Japan.

Can a Japanese samurai of impeccable lineage in Edo period Japan get away with being gay?

Can he break all the rules of society and get away with it?

It all started when an aging samurai took an eccentric interest in a teenage peasant boy who had the unusual gift of writing and one day he brought his son, Lord Okimoto to the peasant's house. The eyes of the samurai's son and the teenage peasant met and spawned a forbidden love affair which broke all the rules of Japan's Edo period society and a feudal class so sharply defined that it could cut like a knife.

Four centuries later, an ancestor of Lord Okimoto finds a diary written by his peasant lover unfolding the anguished tale of a forbidden life went wrong, leaving behind a trail of destroyed lives, broken dreams and a few deaths.

Fiction

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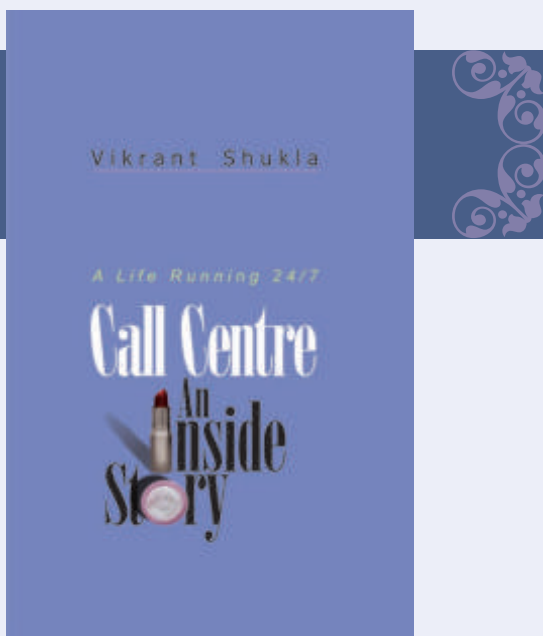
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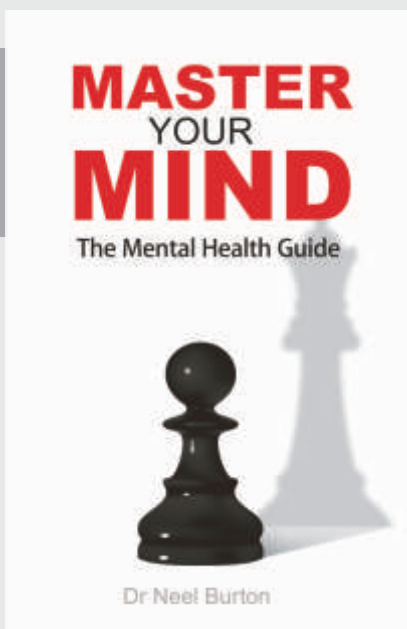
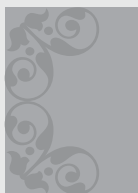


About the Book

The book describes the story of a small town youth being unsuccessful in Law profession, tries his destiny in a call center. Having faced some obstacles, he gets the job. Initially, he is shocked by the Call Center culture. Gradually he understands the hardships, hectic schedule and effect of the fatigue of the nightshift that has on its employees though it offers attractive salary and incentives. The book also deals with the causes that make youth addictive to bad habits which provide temporary relief to their frustrations. Finally it contains the truth "What happens behind the big buildings of glasses".

Fiction
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 304

978-81-8498-113-1
June, 2010
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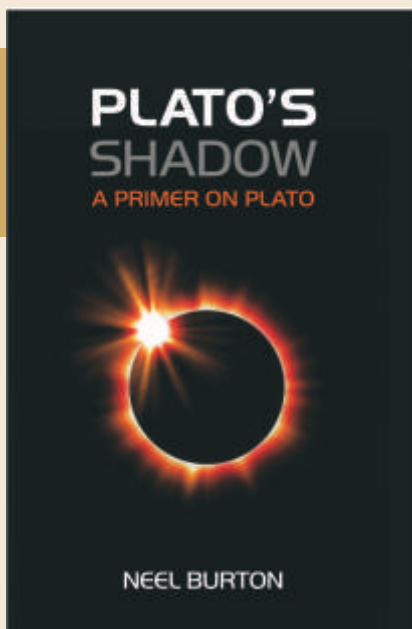
About the Book

This book is for anyone wrestling with a mental disorder and needing to get the upper hand.

Master your Mind should help you to alleviate any feelings of fear, hopelessness, or isolation that you may have; to take greater control over your illness; to make the most of the treatments and services that are available to you; and – ultimately – to improve your chances of once again leading a healthy, productive, and fulfilling life.

Mental Health Guide
Paperback
152 x 235 mm
Pages : 228

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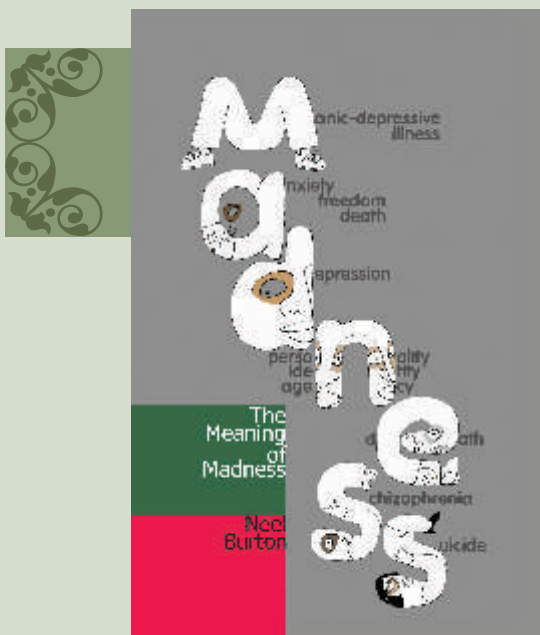
About the Book

A comprehensive overview of Plato's thoughts. Plato thought that only philosophy can bring true understanding, since it alone examines the presuppositions and assumptions that other subjects merely take for granted. He conceived of philosophy as a single discipline defined by a distinctive intellectual method, and capable of carrying human thought far beyond the realms of common sense or everyday experience. The unrivalled scope and incisiveness of his writings as well as their enduring aesthetic and emotional appeal have captured the hearts and minds of generation after generation of readers.

Unlike the thinkers who came before him, Plato never spoke with his own voice. Instead, he presented readers with a variety of perspectives to engage with, leaving them free to reach their own, sometimes radically different, conclusions. This book aims to provide the student and general reader with a comprehensive overview of Plato's thought.

Philosophy
Paperback
140 x 216 mm
Pages : 266

978-81-8498-117-9
June, 2010
Rs. 250.00
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About the Book

The Meaning of Madness - Explores what mental disorders can teach us about human nature and the human condition. This book proposes to open up the debate on mental disorders, to get people interested and talking, and to get them thinking. For example, what is schizophrenia? Why is it so common? Why does it affect human beings and not animals? What might this tell us about our mind and body, language and creativity, music and religion? What are the boundaries between mental disorder and 'normality'? Is there a relationship between mental disorder and genius? These are some of the difficult but important questions that this book confronts, with the aim of exploring what mental disorders can teach us about human nature and the human condition.

Awards

Winner of the BMA Young Authors' Award

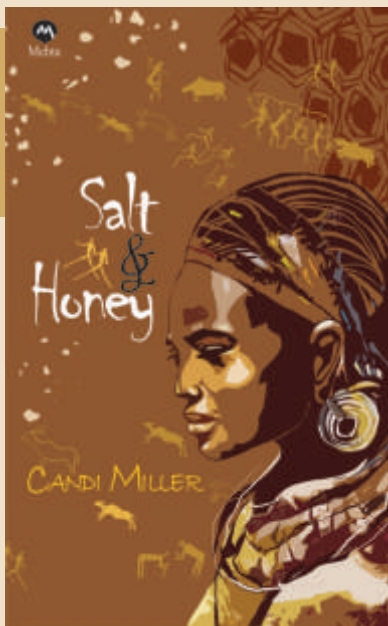
Mental Health Guide
Paperback
130 x 200 mm
Pages : 208

978-81-8498-118-6

June, 2010

Rs 225.00

Rights : India / Pakistan/ Bangladesh
/ Sri Lanka



About the Book

Offering a rare glimpse into an endangered culture, *Salt & Honey* is set in southern Africa during apartheid, and depicts a young Bushgirl displaced from her Kalahari desert-tribe. It is an epic, stirring story championing the power of human endurance and understanding. In addition to being beautifully written and deeply moving, it is a ground-breaking novel which offers a fresh and original angle on issues that have divided a continent for the last century.

Fiction
Paperback
136 x 206 mm
216 pages

978-81-8498-050-9
August, 2009
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About the Book

The gripping novel tells the story of Parvana's quest to find her family. The Taliban still controls Afghanistan, but Kabul is in ruins, Parvana's father has died and her mother, sister and brother could be anywhere in the country.

Parvana is thirteen now, but she sets out alone, masquerading as a boy. In her search for shelter and food, as she makes her way across the desolate Afghan countryside, she meets other children who too are victims of warlike situation. Their Journey becomes even more perilous when war breaks out, though they are unaware about the bombs falling. It takes resilience, imagination and luck - and the family bond the children forge with one another to help them survive.

Awards

- OLA Golden Oak Award (2004: Winner)
- Red Cedar Book (2004-2005)
- Ruth Schwartz Award (2003: Winner)
- CLA Book of the Year for Children Award (2003: Honor Book)

Novel

Paperback

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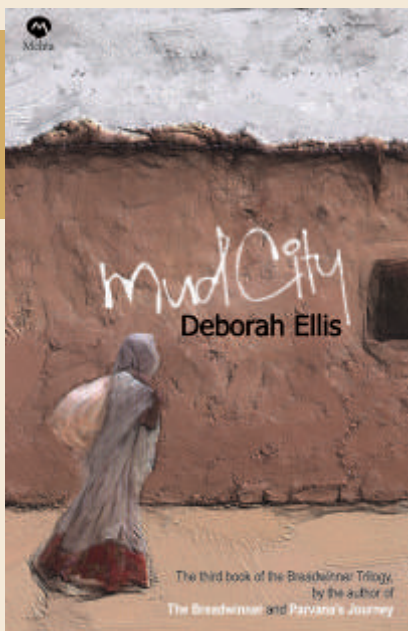
Pages : 120

978-81-7766-920-6

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About the Book

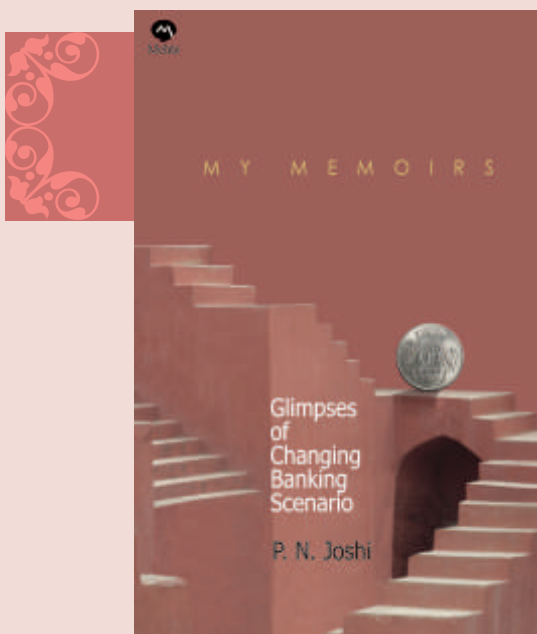
A sequel to Deborah Ellis's international bestsellers, *The Breadwinner* and *Parvana's Journey*. This book continues the story of Parvana's best friend. The fourteen year old Shauzia has fled Afghanistan. Her dreams of new life in France have sustained her through the terrible years in Kabul. But it is hard to imagine herself in a muddy, crowded refugee camp outside Peshawar. She finally leaves the camp with Jasper, the dog as her only friend. She decides to earn money to buy her passage out of the country. She knows how to masquerade as a boy, and how to survive - doing odd jobs, picking through garbage, begging when she has to. But an incident lands her in jail, where she spends the night, terrified and despairing, before well-meaning Americans she met when she was begging, rescue her. They take her and Jasper to their home in Peshawar. For first and last time, she has a taste of life and she feels safe. But disaster ensues, and Shauzia finds herself driven back to the refugee camp, where she finds old choices are not so easy any more.

Awards

- Hackmatack Award (2005: Winner)

Novel
Paperback
140 x 216 mm
Pages : 112

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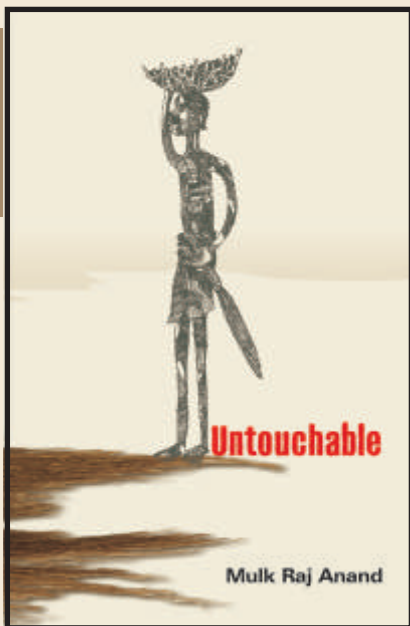


About the Book

GLIMPSES OF CHANGING BANKING SCENARIO is not only an account of the life of a successful banker but also a record of the momentous changes in banking policies, practices and developments witnessed by the author during his career spanning over four decades. P.N. Joshi began his career in banking in the Reserve Bank of India. He, then moved to Bank of India, where he rose to the post of General Manager. Later, he joined the United Western Bank (now amalgamated with IDBI Bank) as the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, and transformed the bank. The book covers inter alia, nuances of the historic bank nationalization case in the Supreme Court, shift from 'Class banking to Mass Banking', political interventions, the inevitable excesses, financial sector reforms and a plea for National Banking Policy.

Memoir
Paperback
140 x 216 mm
Pages : 312

978-81-7766-961-9
April, 2008
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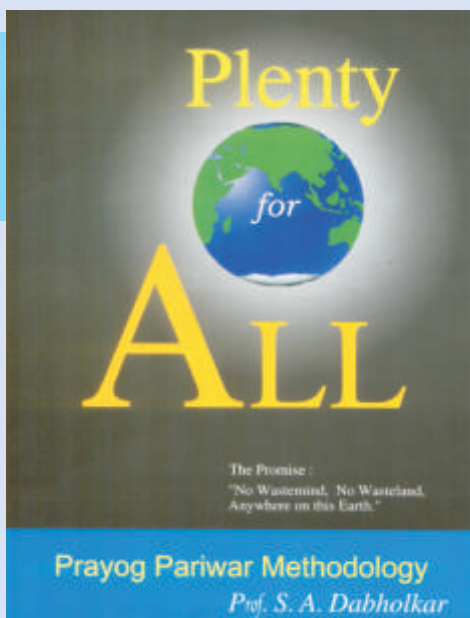


About the Book

Bakha is a young man, proud and even attractive, yet none the less he is an outcast in India's caste system: an Untouchable. In deceptively simple prose this groundbreaking novel describes a day in the life of Bakha, sweeper and toilet cleaner, as he searches for a meaning of the tragic existence he has been born into and comes to an unexpected conclusion..

Fiction
Paperback
140 x 216 mm
Pages : 168

978-81-8498-154-4
June, 2003
Rs. 95.00
Rights : World



About the Book

PLENTY FOR ALL describes how by careful & scientific study of our neighbourhood resources, we can create plenty, to provide for all the needs of the world's entire population. This science of dialogue and network with all the resources in our neighbourhood is illustrated with various examples, which we feel will be valuable to any experimenters.

This book seeks to provide answers to the problems perplexing the entire world for the past whole century, in removing the Poverty from the entire world.

Agriculture
Paperback
185 x 245 mm
Pages : 271

978-81-8498-244-9
January, 1998
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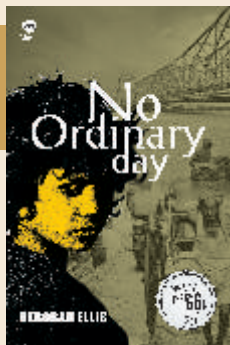


Deborah Ellis

About the Book

Valli spends her days picking coal and fighting with her cousins, life in the coal town of Jharia, India. When she discovers that her "aunt" is a stranger who was paid money to take Valli off her own family's hands, she leaves Jharia and begins a series of adventures that takes her to Kolkata, the City of the gods. Valli finds that she really doesn't need much to live and is very resourceful.

But a chance encounter with a doctor reveals that she has leprosy. Unable to bear the thought that she is one of the monsters she has always feared, Valli rejects help and begins an uncertain life on the street.



Category - Fiction

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Gerard D'Aboville

About the Book

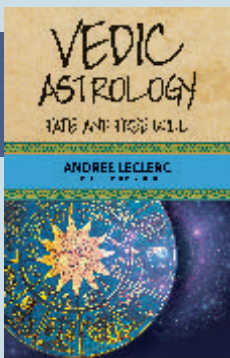
This is the incredible story of one heroic man's battle against almost impossible odds, a tale of pain and anguish, of bravery and utter solitude, a tale that ends in his victory not only over the "enemy" - the implacable ocean - but also over himself.

Gerard d' Aboville was forty-five years old when he set out on his improbable mission: to row across the Pacific Ocean, from west to east, from Japan to the United States. He had already rowed across the Atlantic, from Cape Cod to the port of Brest, France. But that had been ten years before, when he was in the prime of life. Still, the nagging challenge of the Pacific - twice as vast as the Atlantic and several times as dangerous - would not be denied.



Category - Non-Fiction

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Andrée Leclerc

About the Book

Astrology is one of the most important branches of Vedic culture. Its strength lies in its ability to yield immediate knowledge of oneself on all levels. In Vedic Astrology Andrée Leclerc presents a systematic approach to the interpretation of various interacting factors.

It offers you a new, impartial, and remarkably accurate way of looking at yourself, the consequences of your past, present, and future actions, the essence of your being, and the opportunities that await you.

Category – Philosophy

Rights – South Asia



Pierre Corbeil

About the book

In Discovering the Absolute Pierre Corbeil unearths the buried treasures of the Ishopanishad, rendering its wisdom in words that make otherwise esoteric teachings accessible to a general readership. Since time immemorial, humankind has wondered about its origins and the meaning of life. There is, nevertheless, a science that can guide our quest for absolute knowledge.

This is a work that will change worldviews and bring the meaning of devotion into sharper focus.

Category – Philosophy

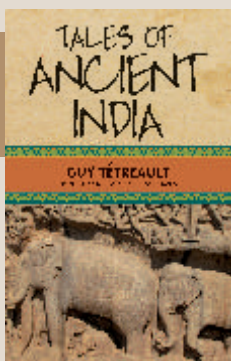
Rights – South Asia



Guy Tétrault

About the book

The book *Tales of Ancient India* is based on *The Hitopadesh* of Narayan Pandit, a Bengali writer of the 14th century, is directly inspired by the *Panchatantra* and deals with the same subject: *niti*. Often translated as “ethics,” it is not limited to this definition. The wisdom of the *Hitopadesh* is beneficial even now, in our day and age. It also helps us to better understand the psychology and politics of the people around us.



Category – Philosophy
Rights – South Asia



Pierre Corbeil

About the Book

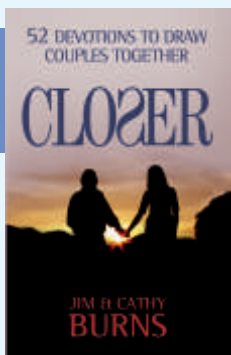
In *The Teachings of Krishna*, Pierre Corbeil graciously presents the most profound dialogues of all time.

It simply and clearly opens the door to a wealth of self knowledge as spoken by Krishna Himself.

Krishna's answers to Arjuna's questions are no doubt as relevant to us as they were to the young prince. So many secrets to learn of, and from the very mouth of the supreme Master to achieve the victory in the endless battle called Life....!



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Jim and Cathy Burns

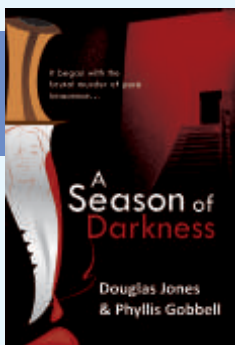
About the Book

Closer shows wives and husbands how to grow that love together. Introduced with Scripture verses and engaging stories, these 52

devotionals will inspire couples to draw closer through faith conversations. Flexible, practical, and authentic, CLOSER is the new approach to couple's devotionals. Its 52 devotionals cover real marriage topics - such as healthy conflict, spiritual connection, and sexual fulfillment - and are designed to fit into your schedule. Full of Scripture verses, engaging stories, and practical action steps, each entry will inspire faith conversation: those quiet talks so vital for emotional and spiritual intimacy in your marriage.

Category - Memoir

Rights- India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Sri Lanka / Nepal



Phyllis Gobbell

About the Book

On a spring-like February afternoon in 1975, nine-year-old Marcia Trimble went across the street to deliver Girl Scout

cookies. She never returned. Her disappearance prompted a massive search, unlike anything Nashville had ever known. The discovery of her body on Easter sparked a murder investigation that would take the police on a trail of twists, turns, and frustrating dead ends for more than three decades.

A SEASON OF DARKNESS is the Marcia Trimble story. Many Nashvillians remember the night she disappeared and the day her body was found. I remember. We hope the book will illuminate some of the mysteries surrounding the crime and show how one little girl profoundly affected the whole city of Nashville.

Category - Non-Fiction

Rights- India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Nepal / Sri Lanka/ Singapore



Vivian Diller, Ph.D.

About the Book

Face It, by Vivian Diller, Ph.D, with Jill Muir-Sukenick, Ph.D, and edited by Michele Willens is a psychological guide to help women deal with the emotions brought on by their changing appearances.

As models turned psychotherapists, Diller and Sukenick have had the opportunity to examine the world of beauty from two very different vantage points. This unique perspective helped them develop a six-step program that begins with recognizing “uh-oh” moments that reveal the reality of changing looks, and goes on to identify the masks used to cover deeper issues and define the role beauty plays in a woman’s life, and ends with bidding adieu to old definitions of beauty, so women can enjoy their appearance—at any age!

Category - Self-Help

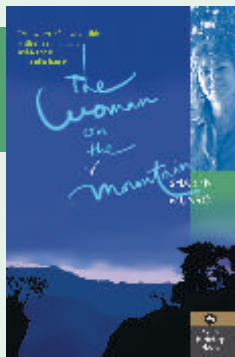
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Sharyn Munro

About the Book

Living alone on a remote mountain in the harsh Australian bush would not be every woman’s choice. In fact, Sharyn Munro has so often been asked, ‘Why do you live there?’ that she decided to write a book as her answer. The Woman on the Mountain is the resulting lyrically written account of her journey towards a sustainable and truly rewarding lifestyle in her beloved mountain forests, where she has ‘only’ the abundant wildlife for company. That decades-long journey was no smooth, planned passage, but a stumble over setbacks, propelled by almost accidental decisions. After the ups and downs of relationships, single parenting, and an unlikely variety of jobs, at 55 she found herself alone — in the bush.



Category - Memoir

Rights- India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Sri Lanka / Nepal



Gregor Salmon

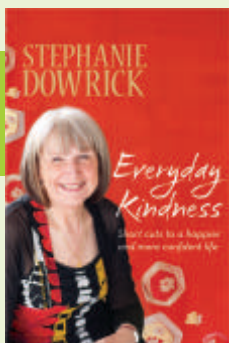
About the Book

Gregor Salmon entered the war-torn country alone and spent eight months investigating Afghanistan's dependence on poppy. Who depends

on Poppy profits? And who pays the ultimate cost? Along the way he encountered Afghans whose lives were intimately tied to the trade: farmers, harvesters, eradicators, smugglers, police, doctors, addicts, warlords, gun-runners, politicians - even a pop-song loving Taliban commander. The result is a tense, fascinating and deeply moving journey along the narcotics trail, and a story about keeping your sanity in a senseless world.

Category - Non-Fiction

Rights- India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Sri Lanka / Nepal/ Bhutan
Maldives / Afghanistan



Stephanie Dowrick

About the Book

In *Everyday Kindness: Short cuts to a happier and more confident life*, author offers short, wise and often very entertaining chapters on the great variety of experiences that we call “everyday life”. Adding greater care, appreciation, good humour, respect – life itself takes a turn for the better.

Dr. Stephanie Dowrick shows how a little bit of everyday kindness can help us tackle the pressures of the modern world—providing the insights, reassurance, and the means to worry far less and enjoy life more.

Change your life with *Everyday Kindness*.

Category – Self Help

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Sahara

Paula Constant

About the Book

SAHARA is the story of Paula's struggle to overcome her innermost demons and take control of her journey, her camels and the men she hires to guide her through one of planet's most extreme regions. Illness, landmines and political red tape stand between Paula and the realisation of a life's dream. Sahara is a thrilling adventure and a story of joy, heartache, inspiration and despair. But, above all, it's a celebration of the human spirit in all its guises.

Category - Non-Fiction

Rights- South Asia



Slow Journey South

Paula Constant

About the Book

A true story of a woman's transformation from an urban schoolteacher into a successful expeditioner

When Paula Constant and her husband, Gary, attempt to break away from the conventional 9-to-5 routine, a few weeks lazing in a resort or packed in a tour bus is not what they have in mind. What starts out as an idle daydream to embark on "a travel to end all travels" turns into something far greater: an epic year-long walk from Trafalgar Square in London to Morocco and the threshold of the Sahara Desert.

Category - Memoir

Rights- India



Memoirs of a Community Cat

Rei Kimura

About the Book

This is a heart-warming story told by Abby, a veteran stray cat who insists "We are not strays, we are community cats! Just as humans are citizens of their countries, we are citizens of the communities we live in!" It brings to life the many stray cats that live in almost every community giving each cat featured in this book a face, a heart, feelings, thoughts and the same fears and happiness of the humans who can make their lives a blessing or a curse.

Category – Fiction

Rights – India

Stress How to De-Stress Without Doing Less



Dr. Kate Middleton

About the Book

Stress is a modern-day plague, something that very few of us escape. Stress can often be an unwanted companion along the road of life. We may not like it but its there!

In this guide, Dr. Kate Middleton explains what stress is, how and why it affects us, and what we can do about it. Covering everything from anxiety and burnout to sleeplessness and drinking too much coffee, author shows how, by handling stress better, you can actually achieve more and take steps toward reaching your full potential.

Category – Self Help

Rights – India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Nepal

Two Wings of a Nightingale:

Persian Soul, Islamic Heart- On the Road in Iran



Jill Worrall

About the book

Two Wings of a Nightingale - Persian Soul, Islamic Heart is a road trip through Iran covering almost 8000 kilometres. In this book award-winning travel writer Jill Worrall, with her friend Reza Mirkhalaf describe an Iran the world has forgotten about.

They use the threads of Iran's Silk Road heritage as a basis for a road trip travelogue. Jill writes about Iran in a way that would give readers a greater insight into the landscapes, landmarks and people of the country at a grassroots level.

Category – Travel

Rights - India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Sri Lanka / Nepal



The 10 Laws of Enduring Success

Maria Bartiromo with Catherine Whitney

About the Book

Maria, the author felt the need to ask these questions: What makes their success stories tick? Is there a definition of success that you can have permanently—in spite of the turmoil in your life, your job, or your bank account? The answers, from an extraordinary range of people from all walks of life, are the foundation of The 10 Laws of Enduring Success.

It provides a fresh understanding of the meaning of success and helps guide us through the extraordinary times we are living through.

Category – Self Help

Rights – India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Sri Lanka / Nepal / Singapore / Malaysia



Running free

Kate Allatt

About the Book

Can you imagine being trapped in your own body? Able to see and hear everything going on around you but unable to move or speak - the blink of an eye your only way to communicate. Super-fit young mother-of-three Kate Allatt's life was torn apart when she became locked in her own body after suffering a massive stroke caused by a blood clot to her brainstem.

Her family and best friends willed her to live & she channeled her sense of fighting spirit into making a miracle recovery that amazed medical experts.

Eight months later she said goodbye to nurses & start training for her first run.

Category – Inspirational

Rights - South Asia

No Hands to Hold and No Legs to Dance On -

A Thalidomide Survivor's Story



Louise Medus

About the Book

Louise was born Louise Mason, a victim of the devastating drug Thalidomide. Born without arms and legs, she is the daughter of David Mason, who single-handedly held out against the drug company, the legal establishment and all the other parents of Thalidomide victims in the high-profile fight for proper compensation for the victims. Loving and living - a Thalidomide survivor's story, a triumph of the human spirit over adversity by Louise Medus.

This is Louise's unique story of how she overcame the circumstances of her birth leads to normal family life & love as deeply & laughs as loudly as any other human being.

Category – True Story

Rights – South Asia

A Note from Ichiyo



Rei Kimura

About the Book

ANOTE FROM ICHIYO is the story of the turbulent life, struggles and achievements of Ichiyo Higuchi, a young Japanese female writer of extraordinary talent and the tongue in cheek ability to effortlessly cut through all the rigid constraints of being a woman in a man's world and ended up having the world, including some of the most prominent male writers, at her feet, grudgingly so but still at her feet!

This is the story of Ichiyo Higuchi whose face is now immortalized in the 5,000 yen Japanese legal tender, it is truly a testimony of one woman's determination, courage and faith to defy all odds, even from beyond the grave.

Category - Fiction

Rights- India / Pakistan / Bangladesh / Sri Lanka / Nepal



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