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## WEIGHT OF THE NATION

Surprising Lessons About Diets, Food, and Fat from the Extraordinary HBO Documentary Series

JUDITH SALERNO, MD, MS  
JOHN HOFFMAN AND

*An eye-opening book based on the rich research behind the documentary series of the same name*

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Readers know America is getting fatter but might not know that 75% of us may be overweight or obese by 2018, that children are at risk for obesity and diabetes as never before or that obesity is the number one cause of the rise in our nation's health care costs. They might also believe, like many Americans, that obesity results from a lack of self-control. But people today work harder and take better care of their health than ever before. So how could three-quarters of us somehow suddenly lack willpower when it comes to eating right and exercising? HBO, together with the Institute of Medicine of the National Academies, has gathered the nation's foremost experts to explain how we got here and what we can do.

- Could weighing too much during pregnancy set my child up for a lifetime of poor health?
- Do "fat kids" ever grow out of it?
- Why can I eat the same amount as my friend, but I gain weight and she never does?

HBO's four-part documentary series premieres in May 2012, and examines the serious health consequences of obesity, shows viewers how to help themselves and their children live healthier lives, looks at the obesity epidemic from every angle and explores the growing epidemic of childhood obesity.

JUDITH SALERNO, MD, MS is the Leonard D. Schaeffer Executive Officer of the Institute of Medicine (IOM) of the National Academies. She is responsible for managing the IOM's programs, including its authoritative studies on obesity prevention. Dr. Salerno earned her M.D. and M.S. degrees from Harvard. In addition to producing HBO's *The Weight of the Nation*, JOHN HOFFMAN was the series producer of two-time Emmy® winner *The Alzheimer's Project* and the producer of the Emmy® Governors Award-winning documentary series *Addiction*. A vice president of HBO Documentary Films, he has spent the past fifteen years creating, producing, and supervising documentary programming for HBO.

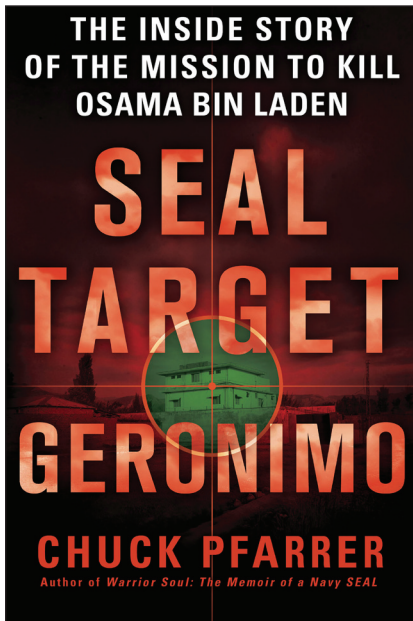
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On May 2, 2011, at 1:03 a.m. a satellite uplink was sent from Pakistan crackling into the situation room of the White House: “Geronimo, Echo, KIA.” These words, spoken by a Navy SEAL, ended Osama bin Laden’s reign of terror. *SEAL Target Geronimo* is the story of Neptune’s Spear from the men who were there. After talking to members of the SEAL team involved in the raid, Pfarrer shares never-before-revealed details in an exclusive account of what happened as he takes readers inside the walls of Bin Laden’s compound penetrating deep into the terrorist’s lair to reach the exact spot where the Al Qaeda leader was cowering when the bullet entered his head. *SEAL Target Geronimo* is an explosive story of unparalleled valor and clockwork military precision carried out by the most elite fighting force in the world—the U.S. Navy’s SEAL Team Six.

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CHUCK PFARRER is a former assault element commander of SEAL Team Six. He has written op-eds for *The New York Times* and the Knight Ridder syndicate, and appeared as an author and counterterrorism expert on C-SPAN2, NPR, Alhurra, IPR, Voice of America, Fox News, and *America Tonight*. Pfarrer serves presently as an associate editor of *The Counter Terrorist*, the American Journal of Counterterrorism. Pfarrer is the author of the bestseller *Warrior Soul: The Memoir of a Navy SEAL*. His Hollywood credits include writing and producing work for *Navy Seals*, *Darkman*, *Hard Target*, *The Jackal*, *Virus*, and *Red Planet*. He lives in Michigan.

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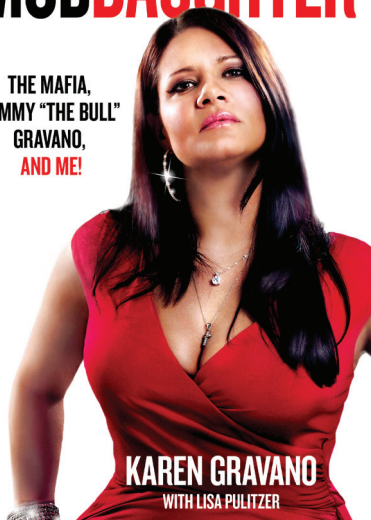
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# MOB DAUGHTER

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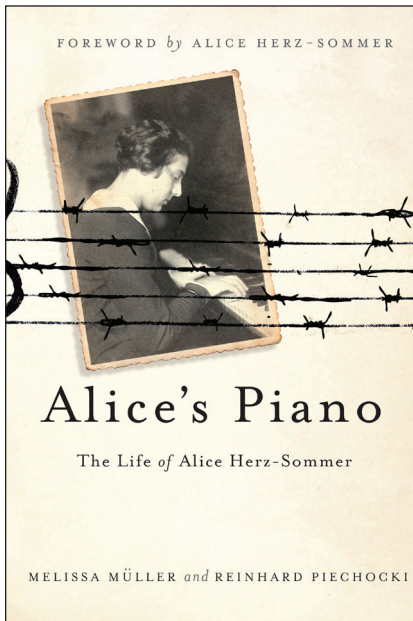
The Mafia, Sammy "The Bull" Gravano, and Me

KAREN GRAVANO WITH  
LISA PULITZER

*A revealing memoir by the daughter of Sammy "The Bull" Gravano—featured on the VH1 reality TV show Mob Wives, watched by 1.3 million people*

Karen Gravano is the daughter of Sammy "the Bull" Gravano, one of the mafia's most feared hit men. With nineteen confessed murders, the former Gambino Family underboss—and John Gotti's right-hand man—is the highest ranking gangster ever to turn State's evidence and testify against members of his high-profile crime family. But to Karen, Sammy Gravano was a sometimes elusive but always loving father figure. He was ever-present at the head of the dinner table. He made a living running a construction firm and several nightclubs. He stayed out late, and sometimes he didn't come home at all. He hosted "secret" meetings at their house, and had countless whispered conversations with "business associates." By the age of twelve, Karen knew he was a gangster. And as she grew up, while her peers worried about clothes and schoolwork, she was coming face-to-face with crime and murder. Gravano was nineteen years old when her father turned his back on the mob and cooperated with the Feds. The fabric of her family was ripped apart, and they were instantly ostracized from the communities they grew up in, living in fear of retaliation. This is the story of a daughter's struggle to reconcile the image of her loving father with that of a murdering Mafioso, and how, in the rift between the two, she was able to forge a life.

KAREN GRAVANO was born in Brooklyn, New York. She is a star of the VH1 reality TV show, *Mob Wives*, about women whose relatives are in the Mafia. She is also a producer and consultant on a film about her life. Gravano currently resides in Phoenix with her eleven-year-old daughter. LISA PULITZER is a former correspondent for *The New York Times*. She is the author or ghostwriter of more than a dozen non-fiction books in the areas of True Crime and Current Events, including a #1 *New York Times* bestseller on the Scott Peterson case. Pulitzer's book, *Stolen Innocence*, written with Elissa Wall, was a *New York Times* bestseller and sold more than 45,000 copies in its first two weeks on sale.



# ALICE'S PIANO

The Life of Alice Herz-Sommer

MELISSA MÜLLER AND REINHARD PIECHOCKI; FOREWORD BY ALICE HERZ-SOMMER

*How music provided hope in one of the world's darkest times—the inspirational life story of Alice Herz-Sommer, the oldest living Holocaust survivor*

Alice Herz-Sommer was born in Prague in 1903. A talented pianist from a very early age, she became famous throughout Europe; but, as the Nazis rose to power, her world crumbled. In 1942, her mother was deported to the Theresienstadt concentration camp and vanished. In 1943, Alice, her husband and their six-year-old son were sent there, too. In the midst of horror, music, especially Chopin's Etudes, was Alice's salvation. Theresienstadt was a "show camp", a living slice of Nazi propaganda created to convince outsiders that the Jews were being treated humanely. In more than a hundred concerts, Alice gave her fellow prisoners hope in a time of suffering. Written with the cooperation of Alice Herz-Sommer, *Alice's Piano* is the first time her story has been told. To this day, she continues to play her piano in London and bring hope to many.

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**"Herz-Sommer's story deserves to be told...Against all odds, truth and beauty survive."** —THE TIMES (LONDON)

MELISSA MÜLLER is an author and journalist living in Munich. Her collaboration with Traudl Junge became an international bestseller. She is also the author of *Anne Frank: The Biography*.

REINHARD PIECHOCKI is the author of a number of works of cultural history and a close friend of Alice Herz-Sommer's for many years.

ALICE HERZ-SOMMER, at 107 years old, is the oldest living Holocaust survivor. She lives in London.

### BIOGRAPHY

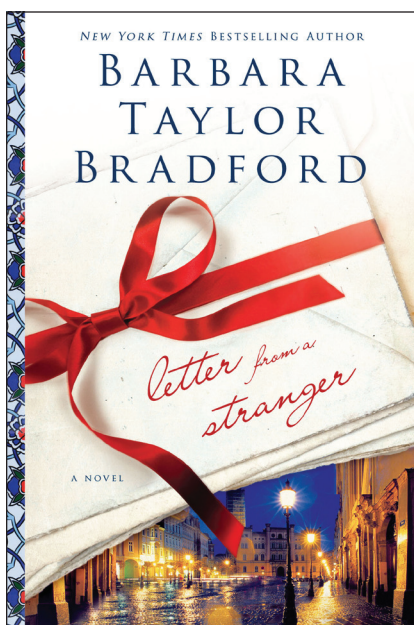
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BARBARA TAYLOR BRADFORD was born and brought up in England, and started her writing career as a journalist. She has written twenty-six international bestsellers. This is her twenty-seventh novel. In 2007 Queen Elizabeth awarded her the Order of the British E for her literary achievements. She lives in New York with her husband, TV and film producer Robert Bradford.

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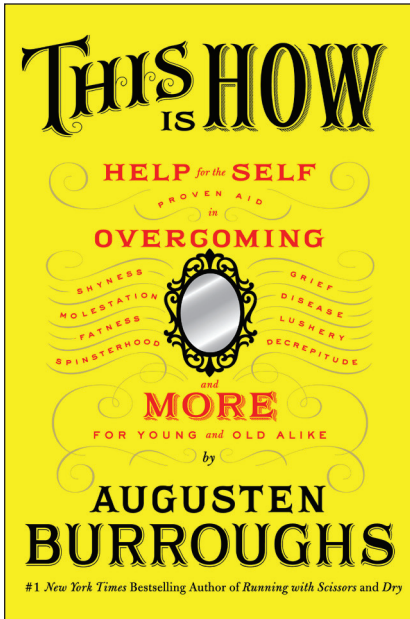
**“The Ravenscar Dynasty has it all—power, betrayal, mystery . . . The characters are all complex, dynamic, and powerful, leading us through Edward Deravenel’s struggles one exciting step at a time.”**

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**AUGUSTEN BURROUGHS** is the number one *New York Times* bestselling author of *A Wolf At The Table*, *Possible Side Effects*, *Magical Thinking*, *Dry*, *Running with Scissors* and *Sellelevision*. He lives in Manhattan.

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**“The most compelling aspect of *Wolf* is the way that Burroughs has left behind the campy humor of *Running with Scissors*. This is a serious book by a grown-up writer.”**

—USA TODAY ON A WOLF AT THE TABLE

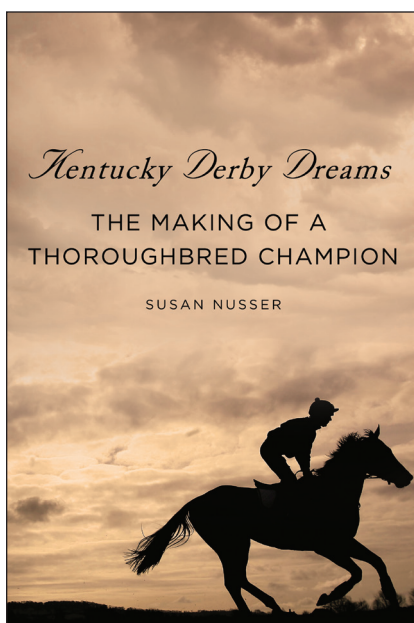
**“*Dry* is a deeper book than *Scissors*, revealing Burroughs to be a more accomplished writer, creating scenes of real power.”**

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**“*Running with Scissors* is testament to the resilience of the human spirit.”**

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THE MAKING OF A  
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*From the foal barn to the racetrack, this book captures for the first time the behind-the-scenes drama of raising Kentucky Derby hopefuls*

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SUSAN NUSSER is the author of *In Service to the Horse*, about the relationship between professional groomers and their horses, which was a Booksense Sports and Hobbies bestseller. She has written about both animals and the environment for *Milwaukee Magazine* and is on the faculty of Carroll College. She lives in Madison, Wisconsin.

# THE REAL CRASH

AMERICA'S COMING BANKRUPTCY AND HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THE COLLAPSE

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# THE REAL CRASH

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PETER SCHIFF

New York Times bestselling financial author and economist, Peter Schiff, warns of the inevitable bankruptcy facing America and lays out not only how we got here, but what we can do about it

In *The Real Crash*, Peter Schiff details the issues facing our current economy and predicts that if changes are not made, the worse crash is still to come. Schiff argues that the American consumers are to blame, and that the government is exacerbating the situation by creating bailouts and stimulus plans that are merely blowing the bubble back up instead of revamping the broken system. Schiff's prescription is this: we need to consume less and save more while companies invest for the long-term and the government tightens its belt. Perhaps most shockingly, Schiff declares that the only good solution is the one that no politician, debt commission, or TV talking head is proposing: America needs to acknowledge the reality, default and declare bankruptcy and begin reforming our broken system from the ground up.

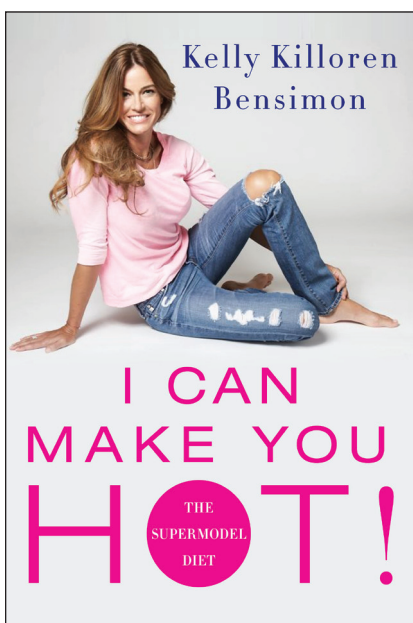
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# I CAN MAKE YOU HOT!

The Supermodel Diet

**KELLY KILLOREN BENSIMON**

*A healthy, energizing eating plan that promotes weight loss and optimum nutrition without deprivation or starvation, from the model, mother and former Real Housewife of New York*

Like many beautiful women who have made their living in the public eye, Kelly Killoren Bensimon has figured out how to keep her body beautiful. By the time Kelly turned forty, she'd had two daughters and had done it all, nutrition-wise: eaten too little as a model, gobbled too much of the wrong things as a party girl and fed her body just right but not-quite-satisfyingly when she was pregnant. An enthusiastic outdoorswoman and involved mom, Kelly discovered that eating—really eating—is the key. She never skips a meal, always loads up on real food—not diet products, powders, bars or fake stuff—and *always* eats when she's hungry. In *I Can Make You Hot!*, she'll show women who want the lean, strong, realistic but gorgeous body Kelly has how to do it. *I Can Make You Hot!* features:

- a 7 day diet for maximum energy at your peak times
- how to train yourself not to skip meals
- why a big carb bowl is the smartest and tastiest lunch ever
- how to lose 3 to 5 pounds fast but smart
- how to drink without sabotaging a strong, healthy body
- why some foods you may think aren't good for a woman on a diet (carbs, dairy, eggs) are ideal
- 60 recipes for Kelly's favorites, from Thai chicken noodle salad to Gummi bear martinis
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**KELLY KILLOREN BENSIMON** is a high-profile mother of two daughters who starred in seasons 2 through 4 of Bravo's *Real Housewives of New York*. Kelly is a model—and former wife of high-fashion photographer Gilles Bensimon—equestrian, writer, editor and accessories designer. She has published three previous books of photography, including *The Bikini Book*. In 2005, Killoren Bensimon launched “Elle Accessories” as editor. She is an avid supporter of the charity [generositywater.org](http://generositywater.org)—who will receive a portion of her proceeds from this book to build wells in countries that need clean water—and writes for *Hamptons Magazine*, and *AM New York*. She lives in New York City and East Hampton, New York.



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## BAR NO PITTI PASTA

*Bar Pitti is a well-known Italian restaurant in Manhattan's West Village where on any given night you're likely to see tables filled with movie stars and media moguls, and wait for hours to actually eat this pasta. This is my version of their fabulous pasta with peas and chorizo—and you won't have to wait to enjoy it when you make it at home.*

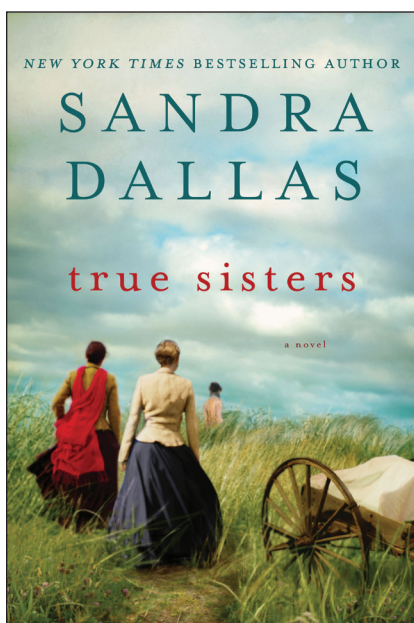
*Makes 6 servings*

- 2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil**
- 1 (16-ounce) box linguini**
- ½ cup sliced turkey chorizo**
- 1 box frozen peas**
- ½ cup soy milk\***
- 2 tablespoons freshly grated Parmesan cheese**
- Ground white pepper or red pepper flakes to taste**

Bring a large pot of water to a boil and cook the linguini according to package directions. While the pasta is cooking, heat the olive oil in a large saucepan and cook the chorizo until crispy. Add the peas and cook through. Add the soy milk and Parmesan and stir until the sauce is just creamy but not goopy. Drain the linguini and add it to the sauce. Season with salt and pepper and serve.

\*Soy milk thickens very nicely for making sauces, but it doesn't have the vitamin D of cow's milk.





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# TRUE SISTERS

SANDRA DALLAS

*From The New York Times bestselling author of The Bride's House comes the story of four women, brought together on a harrowing journey of Mormon settlers in this incredible novel based on a real-life event*

In order to encourage Mormon converts to emigrate to the promised land (Salt Lake City), a plan was implemented by Brigham Young himself: Emigrants were outfitted with two-wheeled handcars. The settlers were then expected to walk, pushing the handcars, for the 1,300 mile journey from Iowa City. Several "companies," as they were called, completed this perilous trek and successfully reached Salt Lake City. But for the Martin Company, one of the very last groups to leave from Iowa City that year, the trip proved disastrous. *True Sisters* tells the story of four women, brought together on the harrowing journey of the Martin Handcart Company, and united by the promises of prosperity and salvation in a new land. Through the ties of female friendships and the strength born from suffering, each one tests the boundaries of her faith and learns the real meaning of survival along the way.

**"With a perfect blend of masterful storytelling, sympathetic and realistic characters and prose as crisp as a Colorado creek, Dallas again spins a timeless tale of love and tenacity, tenderness and redemption."**

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**"This satisfying novel will immediately draw readers into Hennie and Nit's lives, and the unexpected twists will keep them hooked through to the bittersweet denouement."**

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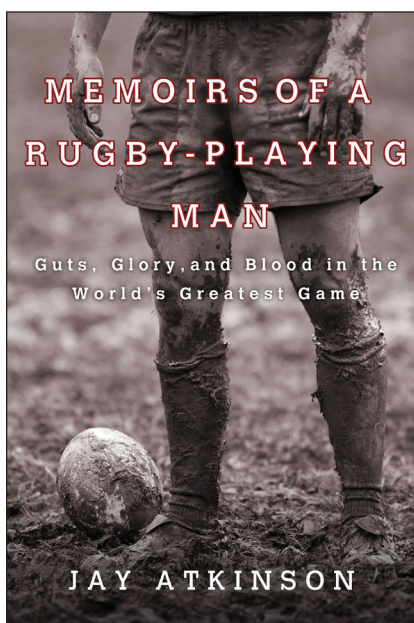
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SANDRA DALLAS is the author of eleven novels, including *The Bride's House*, *Whiter Than Snow*, *Prayers for Sale*, *Tallgrass* and *New Mercies*. She is a former Denver bureau chief for *Business Week* magazine and lives in Denver, Colorado.



## marketing

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- National Sports Radio Campaign
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# MEMOIRS OF A RUGBY-PLAYING MAN

Guts, Glory, and Blood in the World's Greatest Game

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*Bestselling author Jay Atkinson explores what his passion for rugby has taught him about authenticity, commitment, passion and the joys of raising hell*

If all sports are really about war, then rugby is a heart-thumping epic of bayonet charges and hand-to-hand fighting. Jay Atkinson has played in more than 475 matches, for which he's suffered three broken ribs, a detached retina, a fractured cheekbone and orbital bone, four deadened teeth, and a dislocated ankle. What he's learned, though, is what keeps him coming back: when sixteen men collide with the thump of bone on bone, ordinary concerns vanish in the midst of all that tumult. The joy crowds out the dread. Written in the style of Siegfried Sassoon's classic *Memoirs of a Fox-Hunting Man*, Atkinson's book explains why it was all worth it—the story of his violent adventures, and the valuable insight he has gained from them.

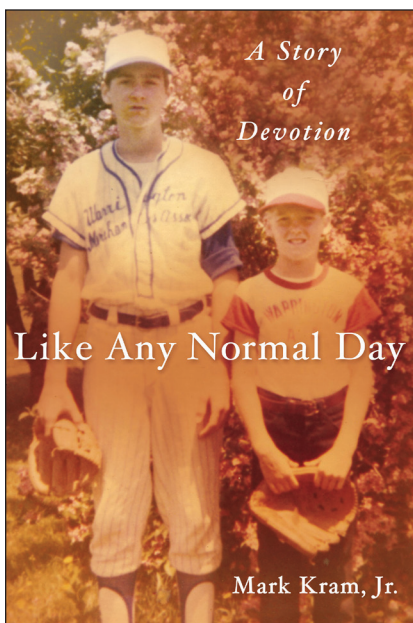
### Praise for Jay Atkinson:

**"Nobody writes about the thick-headed glories of sport with redder blood than Atkinson...He evokes the true joy of kicking ass."**  
—MEN'S HEALTH

**"Atkinson keeps his plot moving at a good pace, offering enough twists to keep the reader's attention, but it is the humor and insight of his characters that make the novel work."**

—THE NEW YORK TIMES BOOK REVIEW ON CAVEMAN POLITICS

JAY ATKINSON is the bestselling author of six narrative books, and over the past thirty years has written about playing rugby for *The New York Times*, *Men's Health*, the *Boston Globe*, and *Rugby Magazine*. He teaches writing at Boston University.



# LIKE ANY NORMAL DAY

A Story of Devotion

MARK KRAM, JR.

*A profound, powerful narrative of a golden boy's tragedy, a woman's secret, and a brother's complicated devotion*

In the mid-1970s, brothers Buddy and Jimmy Miley were close, both on the verge of impressive athletic careers. A promising high school quarterback, Buddy's potential was cut short by an injury that left him quadriplegic. Immobile and imprisoned in his body for decades, Buddy would watch life pass by from his wheelchair, living at home under his mother's and brother's care, and wondering what his life could have been.

Buddy and Jimmy visited special hospitals and traveled to Lourdes in search of a miracle, never losing hope as they searched for a cure. But as Buddy suffered increasing pain, and also realized that he would never be able to walk again—and never prove himself worthy of the love of Karen, a woman he'd first met in high school—he asked Jimmy to help him end his life.

Beautifully written, both heart-wrenching and hopeful, *Like Any Normal Day* explores the important bonds between families and the depths of what we're willing to do for those we love.

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MARK KRAM, JR. writes for *The Philadelphia Daily News*. His feature articles have won the Sigma Delta Chi award from the Society of Professional Journalists, been awarded top honors by the Associated Press for three consecutive years, and been published six times in *The Best American Sports Writing Anthology*. Kram lives in New Jersey with his wife and two daughters.

Like Any Normal Day

Mark Kram, Jr.

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- Advance Reader's Editions
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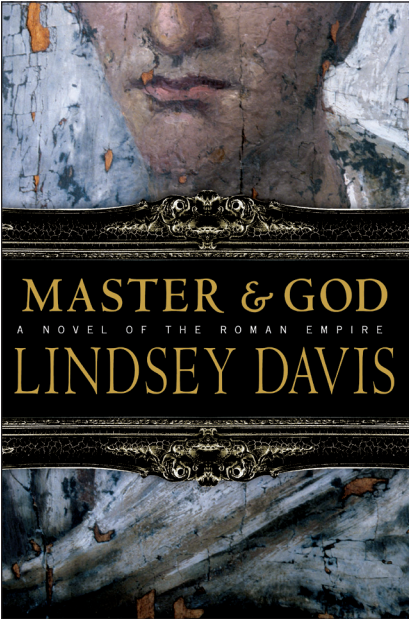
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# MASTER AND GOD

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Set in the reign of the Emperor Domitian in first-century Rome, *Master and God* is Lindsey Davis's meticulously researched epic novel of the life and times surrounding the last of the Flavian dynasty of emperors. Gaius Vinius is a reluctant Praetorian Guard—the Emperor's personal guard—and a man with a disastrous marriage history. Flavia Lucilla is also in the imperial court, and she is responsible not only for having created the ridiculous hairstyle worn by the imperial ladies but for also making toupees for the balding and increasingly paranoid emperor. The two of them are brought together in an unlikely manner—a devastating fire in Rome—which then leads to a lifelong friendship. Together they watch Domitian's once talented rule unravel into madness and cruelty, until the people closest to him conspire to delete him from history. As an imperial bodyguard, Vinius then faces a tough decision. *Master and God* is a compelling novel of the Roman Empire—from the height of power to the depths of madness—told from the perspective of two courtiers and unlikely friends who together are the witnesses to history.

**“Lindsey Davis doesn’t just bring Rome to life—she brings life to Rome better than anyone else ever has.”**

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**“Davis has a knack for the right detail that makes her readers feel part of a fascinating world.”**

—THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER ON *SEE DELPHI AND DIE*

LINDSEY DAVIS is the author of *The New York Times* bestselling series of historical mysteries featuring Marcus Didius Falco. She lives in London.

## marketing

- National Print Publicity
- Tie-in with the St. Martin's Griffin Edition of *Nemesis* (November 2011)
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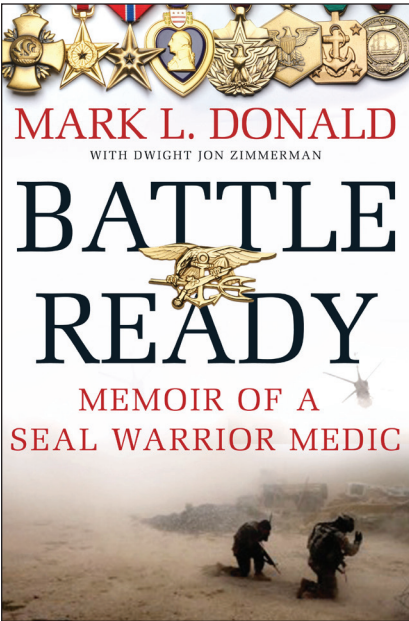
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# BATTLE READY

Memoir of a SEAL Warrior Medic

MARK L. DONALD WITH  
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*The gripping memoir of Navy Cross, Silver Star, Bronze Star and Purple Heart recipient and SEAL Lieutenant Mark L. Donald*

As a SEAL warrior and combat medic, Mark served his country with valorous distinction for almost twenty-five years and survived some of the most dangerous combat actions imaginable.

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**“By his heroic display of decisive and tenacious leadership, unyielding courage in the face of constant enemy fire, and utmost devotion to duty, Lieutenant Donald reflected great credit upon himself and upheld the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service.”**

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- Featured on CommandPosts.com
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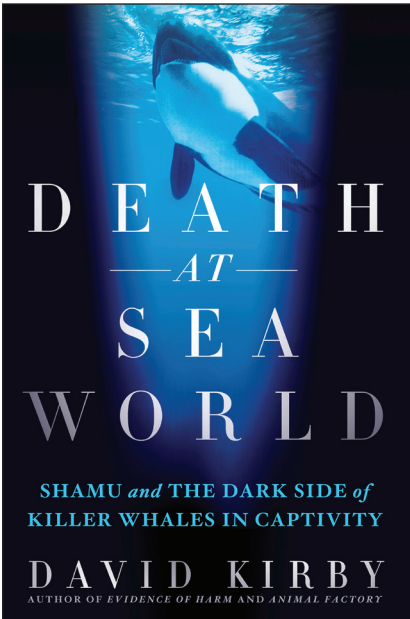
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**MARK L. DONALD**, the son of a retired U.S. Army Warrant Officer and a Mexican mother, enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps before transferring to the Navy to train as a Corpsman. He subsequently completed Basic Underwater Demolition/SEAL (BUD/S) training and served in SEALs until 1996 when he was selected for the Intra-service Physician Assistant Program. He graduated from the University of Nebraska and was commissioned as a Medical Service Corps officer. Following the September 11th terrorist attacks, he was assigned as operational medical support to special operations where he served in a number of capacities until his retirement. Donald was awarded the Navy Cross for extraordinary heroism while engaged in enemy action against Al Qaeda fighters in southern Afghanistan. He lives in Chesapeake, Virginia.

**DWIGHT JON ZIMMERMAN** is an award-winning author and producer and a member of the Military Writers Society of America.



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# DEATH AT SEAWORLD

Shamu and the Dark Side of Killer Whales in Captivity

DAVID KIRBY

*From the New York Times bestselling author of Evidence of Harm and Animal Factory—a groundbreaking scientific thriller that exposes the darkside of SeaWorld, America’s most beloved marine mammal theme park*

*Death at SeaWorld* centers on the battle with the multimillion-dollar marine park industry over the controversial and even lethal ramifications of keeping killer whales in captivity. Following the story of marine biologist and animal advocate at the Humane Society of the US, Naomi Rose, Kirby tells the gripping story of the two-decade fight against PR-savvy SeaWorld, which came to a head with the tragic death of trainer Dawn Brancheau in 2010. Kirby puts that horrific animal-on-human attack in context. Brancheau’s death was the most publicized among several brutal attacks that have occurred at Sea World and other marine mammal theme parks.

*Death at SeaWorld* introduces real people taking part in this debate, from former trainers turned animal rights activists to the men and women that champion SeaWorld and the captivity of whales. In section two the orcas act out. And as the story progresses and orca attacks on trainers become increasingly violent, the warnings of Naomi Rose and other scientists fall on deaf ears, only to be realized with the death of Dawn Brancheau. Finally he covers the media backlash, the eyewitnesses who come forward to challenge SeaWorld’s glossy image, and the groundbreaking OSHA case that challenges the very idea of keeping killer whales in captivity and may spell the end of having trainers in the water with the ocean’s top predators.

DAVID KIRBY is the author of *Evidence of Harm*, which was a *New York Times* bestseller, winner of the 2005 Investigative Reporters and Editors award for best book, and a finalist for the New York Public Library Helen Bernstein Award for Excellence in Journalism, and *Animal Factory*, a highly acclaimed investigation into the environmental impact of factory farms. He lives in Brooklyn, New York.

## marketing

- National Broadcast Publicity
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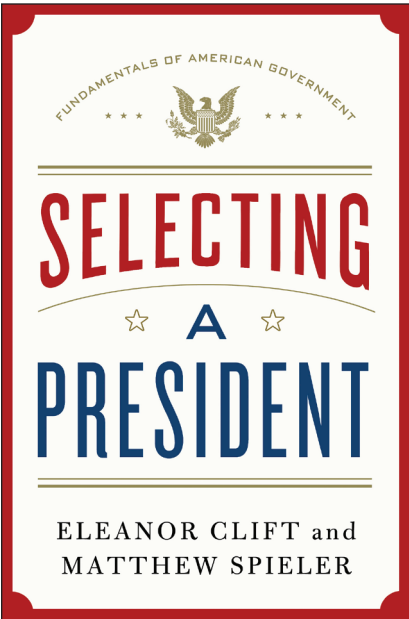
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# SELECTING A PRESIDENT

ELEANOR CLIFT AND MATTHEW SPIELER

*The debut of a brand-new civics series for high school seniors and college freshmen, that clearly, concisely and cleverly explains how the United States elects its president*

*Selecting a President* explains the nuts and bolts of our presidential electoral system while drawing on rich historical anecdotes from past campaigns. Among the world’s many democracies, U.S. presidential elections are unique, where presidential contenders embark on a grueling, spectacular two-year journey that begins in Iowa and New Hampshire, and ends at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue. Modern presidential campaigns are a marked departure from the process envisioned by America’s founders. Yet while they’ve evolved, many of the basic structures of our original electoral system remain in place—even as presidential elections have moved into the modern era with tools like Twitter and Facebook at their disposal—they must still compete in an election governed by rules and mechanisms conceived in the late eighteenth century. In this book, Clift and Spieler demonstrate that presidential campaigns are exciting, hugely important, disillusioning at times but also inspiring.

**ELEANOR CLIFT** is a political reporter, television pundit and author. She is currently a contributing editor for *Newsweek*, a regular panelist on *The McLaughlin Group*, and is also a political contributor for the Fox News Channel. **MATTHEW SPIELER** is a former social policy analyst for Congressional Quarterly (CQ). He currently works as a political writer for Voterpunch.org, and Oakland-based non-profit organization.

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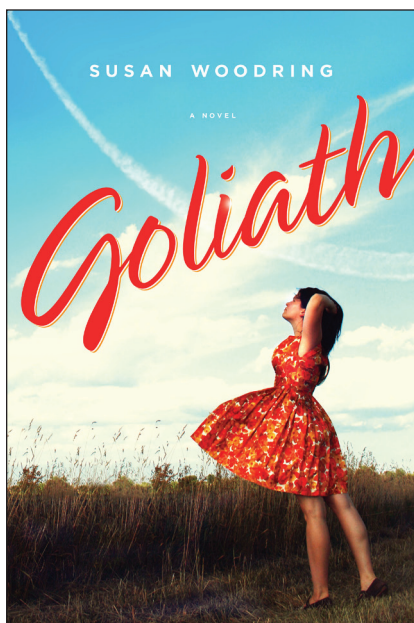
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# GOLIATH

A Novel

SUSAN WOODRING

**“Goliath is a careful, contemplative study of the rhythms of collective grief. Woodring’s sense of the constraints and hard-earned pleasures of home rings as true and pure as a train whistle in the night.”—Michael Parker, author of *A Watery Part of the World***

When fourteen-year-old Vincent Bailey stumbles upon the body of Percy Harding, Goliath’s most important citizen, near the railroad tracks one perfect autumn afternoon, the tragic death seems literally unbelievable: how could it have been a suicide? Only Harding’s secretary, Rosamond, might have had a glimmer, but that glimmer just tugs at her, urges her to find out more. Harding isn’t the first person to leave Rosamond: everybody does, from her husband Hatley, who walked out on her years ago; to her complicated daughter Agnes, whose girlhood bedroom was papered with the maps of the places she wanted to escape to. Brought to life by a cast of characters as varied and rich as in any fiction—from Clyde Winston, the town’s police chief, to Goliath’s self-taught preacher Ray to Percy Harding’s unmoored widow Lela—Goliath’s appeal is as memorable as Elizabeth Strout’s *Crosby, Maine*, or Richard Russo’s *Empire Falls*.

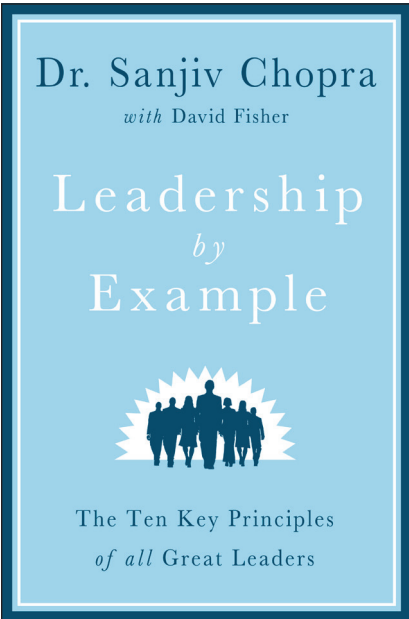
**“Like a contemporary *Winesburg, Ohio*, Susan Woodring’s *Goliath* brings small town life beautifully, achingly alive. *Goliath* is a memorable novel, written in a new memorable voice.”**

—ANN HOOD, AUTHOR OF *THE KNITTING CIRCLE*

**“This beautiful portrait of a place and its people, rendered so quietly and intimately, shuts out the world outside its pages as you read. Only the best novels can make you forget yourself as reader. *Goliath* is the kind of book you don’t want to put down or to end.”**

—BRAD WATSON, AUTHOR OF *THE HEAVEN OF MERCURY*

SUSAN WOODRING grew up in Greensboro, North Carolina. Her previous publications are a first novel, *The Traveling Disease*, and *Springtime on Mars: Stories*, both published by small local presses. She has been published in *Isotope* and a variety of other literary publications, won the 2006 *Isotope* Editor’s Prize, and has been nominated twice for the Pushcart. She lives in Drexel, North Carolina.



# LEADERSHIP BY EXAMPLE

The Ten Tenets of Leadership  
**DR. SANJIV CHOPRA WITH DAVID FISHER**

*An accessible and inspiring guide to good leadership based on a popular lecture that Dr. Chopra has presented to thousands*

Very few of us are leaders all the time, in everything we do, but all of us can become a leader in specific situations. In a committee, in business, at a social club or at a religious institution, we all find a time in our lives when we can lead. Few people set out knowingly to become leaders, rather they see a need and they find a way of dealing with it, and often others choose to follow their example.

Based on a talk that he has given to more than 60,000 people in at least seven countries, the “LEADERSHIP” mnemonic that Dr. Chopra explains is as follows: L - listen well. E - empathy. A - attitude. D - dreams and decisiveness. E - effectiveness. R – resilience. S - a sense of purpose. H - humility and humor. I - integrity and imagination. P - principles, and willingness to pack other people’s parachutes. Drawing from his experience as Faculty Dean for Continuing Education for Harvard Medical School as well as the writings and lives of great leaders throughout history, this easy-to-read, inspiring book will serve as a reminder and a guide to becoming leaders in our own lives.

**“Sanjiv Chopra masterfully weaves threads of wisdom into a wonderful tapestry of inspiration that will energize and motivate the head and heart to action . . . . A must read.”**

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DR. SANJIV CHOPRA is Professor of Medicine and Faculty Dean for Continuing Medical Education at Harvard Medical School and Director of Clinical Hepatology at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston, Massachusetts. He has approx 100 publications and 4 specialist books to his credit. He has received numerous awards including the Excellence in Teaching award from Harvard Medical School. With Dr. Alan Lotvin and David Fisher, he is the author of *Live Better, Live Longer*. He lives in Weston, Massachusetts. DAVID FISHER is the author of more than fifteen *New York Times* bestsellers. He lives in New York.

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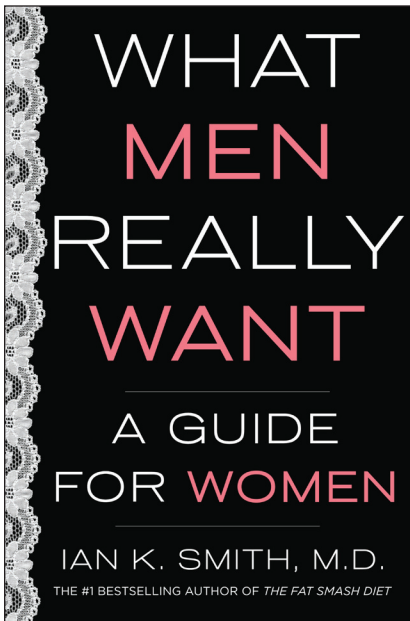
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# WHAT MEN REALLY WANT

A Guide for Women

IAN K. SMITH, M.D.

*The #1 bestselling author of The Fat Smash Diet reveals how men really operate—and what they think about women—in a smart, short book that’s been featured on The Doctors*

Men don’t have glass heads. And there’s a smart, successful mini-category of books to address this biological oversight—from *The Rules* to *Think Like A Guy*. Ian Smith’s *What Men Really Want* is a great entry to that mini-category. It’s rich with insight and information because it’s written by a man to decode men for women. Smith’s thoughtful, sometimes surprising “principles” include:

- The Subtle Art of Hooking Us (men really do want to be in committed relationships, even if they don’t always show it)
- Beauty Matters (but beauty may not be exactly what you think it is)
- Beware of Titles (why you shouldn’t label yourself his girlfriend until certain conditions are met)
- Sex is More Powerful than an AK-47 (but it doesn’t always have to be a home run)
- Mean What You Say (and why sex lies are *always* a bad idea)
- Know How to Listen and What we Care About (and we *don’t* care about home decorating)

Any man who picks up *What Men Really Want* will nod in agreement, and any woman who puts its insights into practice will have an instantly happier mate and a stronger, longer relationship.

## marketing

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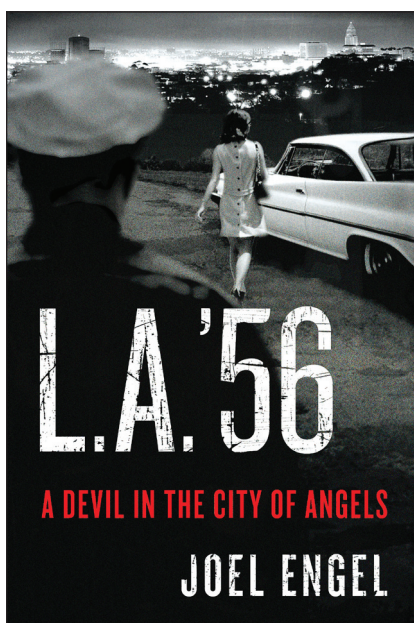
IAN K. SMITH, M.D., is the number one bestselling author of *The Fat Smash Diet*, *Extreme Fat Smash Diet*, *The 4 Day Diet* and *Happy*. He is a medical contributor on *The Rachael Ray Show*, the diet expert on VH1's *Celebrity Fit Club*, and host of the nationally syndicated radio show *Healthwise* on American Urban Radio Networks. He is a former medical correspondent for NBC and for NewsChannel 4 in New York, where he filed reports for *NBC Nightly News* and the *Today* show. In 2007, he created the 50 Million Pound Challenge, a free national weight loss initiative with a growing list of more than 1.9 million people.

*There's a big misperception that men never want to be in committed relationships if we can help it, and that we prefer to have the freedom to date a harem of women. Not so. We want to be in a committed relationship, but it has to be the right woman at the right time.*

*Let's start with a simple truth. Men don't want to feel like they're being hooked, especially in the beginning of a relationship. It has something to do with our innate desire for freedom and our need to feel like we're in control. Not to say that we're not open to the idea of settling down and being satisfied in a monogamous relationship with you, but the second we detect that these are your intentions, we either stop returning your phone calls or start figuring out ways to escape without hurting your feelings. Understanding the basics of how we think in this situation will go a long way toward producing the results that you desire. So don't judge what follows as being politically incorrect or rude. Be warned that this is not about what's right or wrong, respectful or disrespectful. This book is about one thing—the raw truth.*

—excerpt from *WHAT MEN REALLY WANT*





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## L.A. '56

A Devil in the City of Angels

JOEL ENGEL

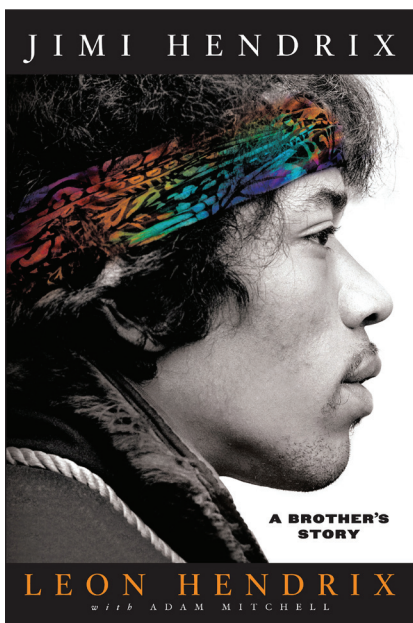
*In this shocking true story, an ex-LAPD cop, Todd Roark, faces the death penalty for rape and kidnapping—crimes he didn't commit—in racially tense 1956 Los Angeles*

Only on the surface was 1950s Los Angeles the model city depicted by Dragnet. Beneath the fictional patina, L.A. was more Raymond Chandler than Jack Webb, and in some ways as segregated as Selma, Alabama. But in 1956, rock and roll began changing America's culture, and the Montgomery bus boycott began transforming its morality, causing LAPD Chief William Parker to step up his campaign of "street justice" in black L.A.

It was in this L.A. that a serial rapist terrorized the city's lovers' lanes. He was black and most of his victims were white, and the man who was falsely jailed for the crimes was a black former cop whose white colleagues were only too glad to pin the blame on him since he'd once dated a white woman. Only one cop—a Latino detective—pursued the truth. In doing so, he fell in love with one of the first victims, which only drove him harder to solve the crimes, even if he had to do it alone. And at last he succeeded...with the help of some Hollywood magic.

This noir-esque true story is the perfect choice for fans of Eric Larson.

JOEL ENGEL is the author or co-author of over fifteen books, including *By George* (the autobiography of George Foreman), *The Oldest Rookie* with Jim Morris (made into a Disney movie starring Dennis Quaid), and most recently, *What Would Martin Say?* with Clarence Jones (Martin Luther King Jr.'s attorney). He is a former journalist for the *New York Times* and *Los Angeles Times* among others.



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# JIMI HENDRIX

## A Brother's Story

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*In this revealing and vividly candid memoir, Jimi's younger brother, Leon, sets the record straight on the life of this musical icon*

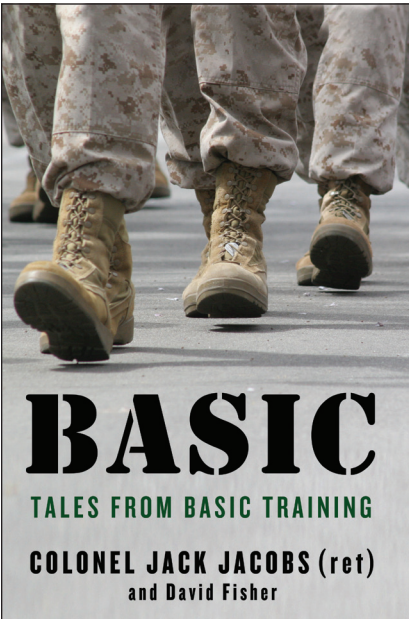
In this intimate depiction, Leon vividly recounts Jimi's tough childhood in Seattle, and his amazing rise to fame. From Jimi's experimentation with the sound and vibration of plucking wires attached to the posts of their brass bed to the moment he picked up his first stringed instrument, this is a fresh and intimate look at an enduring icon from the brother who was there from the beginning.

Leon sheds light on the origin and meaning of classic Hendrix tunes, which Jimi would play for his brother over the phone as he wrote them on the road. He also chronicles the complicated Hendrix family dynamic, the culture of sex and drugs that came with Jimi's stardom, and his tragic death. In time for what would have been Jimi's 70th birthday in 2012, this captivating account sheds new light on rock and roll's genuine legend.

**"His little brother Leon gives us 'Buster,' the Jimi Hendrix only his family knew. Keeping it real all the way, Leon Hendrix gives us an entirely new, life-size portrait of Jimi."** —JOEL SELVIN, AUTHOR OF THE CLASSIC

*SUMMER OF LOVE* AND CO-AUTHOR OF SAMMY HAGAR'S *NEW YORK TIMES* #1 BESTSELLER *RED: MY UNCENSORED LIFE IN ROCK*

LEON HENDRIX lives in Los Angeles and is pursuing his music and artwork full-time. The Leon Hendrix Band has played with classic rock acts such as Foghat and Steppenwolf. ADAM MITCHELL worked in television and film production in Los Angeles at companies such as Ben Stiller's Red Hour Films and MTV Networks before recently relocating to the East Coast. He is the co-author of the autobiography, *Street Play: My Chicago Story*, chronicling the life of Danny Seraphine, co-founding member of Chicago.



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# BASIC

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*From a Medal of Honor winner—the first book that provides a documented and oral history of an American institution: basic training*

Every soldier, sailor, marine and air force personnel has one thing in common: They all have been through basic training. None will ever forget it.

During the eight weeks of training each recruit learns things about themselves that they never experienced before. They are taught everything from combat skills to making a bed with sheets so tight a quarter will bounce off them. The goal of this training is to turn a young American into a soldier, sailor or marine who will instantly and unquestioningly respond to an order.

*Basic* tells the history of basic training, including historic materials like schedules, menus, cadence calls, chants and songs from the various wars, and even excerpts from training manuals. This is a book that will bring back memories of basic for the 40 million people who have gone through it, and offers outsiders a look inside this life-changing experience.

### Praise for *If Not Now, When?*

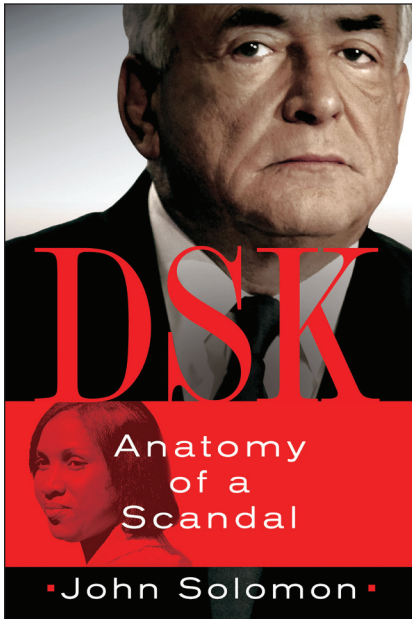
**“It’s a privilege to call [Col. Jack Jacobs] a friend and an honor to recommend this remarkable life story.”**

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—BRIAN WILLIAMS

In addition to his Medal of Honor, COLONEL JACK JACOBS (ret.) is the recipient of three Bronze Stars, two Silver Stars and two Purple Hearts. He is the Vice Chairman of the Congressional Medal of Honor Foundation, holds the McDermott Chair of Humanities and Public Affairs at the US Military Academy, and is an on-air analyst for NBC News. Colonel Jacobs is also the author of the Colby Award-winning memoir, *If Not Now, When?* He lives in New Jersey. DAVID FISHER is the author of more than 50 books, including 16 *New York Times* bestsellers. He lives in New York.



# DSK: ANATOMY OF A SCANDAL

JOHN SOLOMON

*From award-winning Newsweek reporter John Solomon comes the inside story of the Dominique Strauss-Kahn case and the media circus that presumed him guilty and then turned the tables on the victim*

With all the errors and perversities of this case, the public was left wondering was Dominique Strauss-Kahn guilty or innocent? John Solomon gets past the headlines to tell the real story of how vanity, ambition and media exposure played a more important role than facts, evidence and law in the unraveling the case.

Solomon's dramatic account depicts a media circus, with the egos of prosecutors supplanting core values of justice and biased headlines creating far-reaching consequences—ultimately instigating such powerful initial judgements in the court of public opinion that a court of law never got the opportunity to hear the case at all.

A searing indictment of the American jurisprudence system at the dawn of the twenty-first century, *DSK: Anatomy of a Scandal* lays out all the facts good and bad, pro and con, so that finally the public can judge what happened in the one of the most fascinating criminal cases of the last decade.

**JOHN SOLOMON** is currently director of news and investigative reporting at The Newsweek / Daily Beast Company. Prior to that, he served as executive editor of *The Washington Times*, worked as the chief investigative reporter for *The Washington Post* and spent two decades as *The Associated Press'* lead investigative reporter and Assistant Washington Bureau Chief. His investigative exposes have won numerous major journalism awards while exposing Ross Perot's secret history with the Nixon administration, uncovering the unethical use of foster children in AIDS drug experiments and divulging what the Bush administration knew and ignored about terror threats in the weeks before the Sept. 11 attacks.

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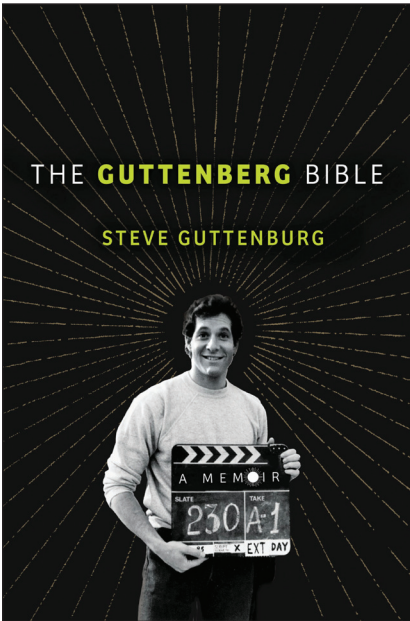
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# THE GUTTENBERG BIBLE

From the Genesis of My Career to the Revelations of Hollywood

STEVE GUTTENBERG

*The hilarious, insightful memoir of the highs and lows of Hollywood by the actor who starred in multiple iconic blockbusters: Diner, Police Academy and Three Men and a Baby*

“Forget being an actor. You don’t have the look, you don’t have the talent, and your name is ridiculous. You are the last guy I would ever pick to be a movie star.” This was the first piece of advice Steve Guttenberg ever received from an agent. Like many other times in his life, he didn’t listen.

In this honest, charming memoir, Guttenberg tells a Horatio Alger story of how he became the star of some of the ’80’s most successful blockbusters. He spent his early days sneaking onto the Paramount lot (he pretended to be Michael Eisner’s son) and meeting more celebrities and casting agents than most aspiring actors ever would. Even before the hit *Police Academy* (which his manager said would be a flop), he had already worked with everyone from Sir Laurence Olivier to Mickey Rourke. Perhaps it was his charisma or perhaps it was his dogged persistence, but his life was filled with unexpected run-ins and connections with dozens of Hollywood hitmakers.

Guttenberg has lived through the addictive pull of show business and worldwide celebrity (You’re no one until you have a stalker, he learns). With a wide-eyed appreciation for the one-of-a-kind experiences that the high altitude celebrity lifestyle has to offer, he knew that his family would keep him grounded and never let him forget where he came from. His self-awareness and sense of humor about the ups and downs of fame make this one of the most sympathetic and unguarded Hollywood stories to date.

STEVE GUTTENBERG has starred in such films as *Diner*, *The Boys From Brazil*, *Cocoon*, *Three Men and a Baby*, *Police Academy*, and *Short Circuit*. He lives in New York.

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*“You are the last guy I would pick to be a movie star.”*

*That’s what an agent said to me when I was 16.*

*In 1975 my Godfather, Michael Bell made an appointment for me to visit his agent’s New York office. I flew through Penn Station and ran twenty blocks to the skyscraper where I assumed my dreams would come true. I met two female agents and one older vice president of the agency. They were complimentary about my headshots, and I explained a bit about the theatre experience I had in Long Island. Then, as if my dog had died, the VP asked the ladies to leave so he could speak to me alone. This started to give me the creeps. My first creep-out in show business, with more coming.*

*“I’m going to give you a gift,” he said, “something that I would give my own son.”*

*This is going to be good! I thought to myself.*

*Instead he said. “Get out of the business, get out of this office and become something else. Forget being an actor. You don’t have the look, you don’t have the talent, and your name is ridiculous. I’m telling you this for your own good. This is a tough, competitive business that you have no place in. Take my advice, walk out these doors, no, run out these doors to Penn Station, get on the train back to Massapequa. You are the last guy I would ever pick to be a movie star.”*

*I swear I didn’t hear a thing he said.*

*—excerpt from THE GUTTENBERG BIBLE*

# Sparky and Me

*My Friendship  
with Sparky Anderson  
and the Lessons He  
Shared about Baseball  
and Life*



Daniel Ewald

## SPARKY AND ME

My Friendship with Sparky Anderson and the Lessons He Shared about Baseball and Life

DANIEL EWALD

*In the tradition of Tuesdays with Morrie, Dan Ewald pens a memoir of his friendship with legendary Tigers manager Sparky Anderson, the man who taught him not only the nuances of baseball, but the importance of life's unwritten rules*

Few sports figures, regardless of their of their position, have generated as much good will as Sparky Anderson. The legendary manager for the Cincinnati Reds and the Detroit Tiger met author Dan Ewald in 1979 and thus was born a lifelong friendship not likely ever to be seen again in baseball. Along the way, Dan never took for granted the front row seat he had to watch one of history's most memorable managers' absolute mastery of baseball's intricacies. But the most important things Sparky taught Dan were the "unwritten rules" of life, which he practiced meticulously. Sparky had a gift for taking something as inane as the infield fly rule and turning it into a lecture explaining how to lead a more meaningful life. In this memoir, Dan shares with readers Sparky's spirit through his friend's wisdom and stories only the two of them shared.

**"I could listen to the great Sparky Anderson talk all day about anything. *Sparky and Me* made me feel like I was sitting right next to him, learning his life lessons. Wonderful."** —TIM KURKJIAN, ESPN BASEBALL COMMENTATOR

**"Warmhearted."** —PUBLISHERS WEEKLY ON SPARKY!

**"There's a difference between a good manager and a great one. . . .The good one will tell you there is more than one way to skin a cat. The great one will convince the cat it's necessary. Sparky had the cats carrying knives to him."** —HALL OF FAMER JOHNNY BENCH

DAN EWALD is a sports writer who worked as the public relations director for the Detroit Tigers for eighteen years. During that time, he became close friends with Sparky Anderson, whose career he managed for thirty-two years and with whom he authored three books.

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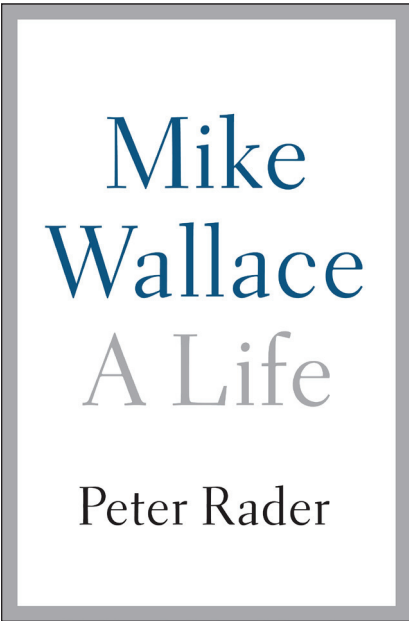
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# MIKE WALLACE

A Life

PETER RADER

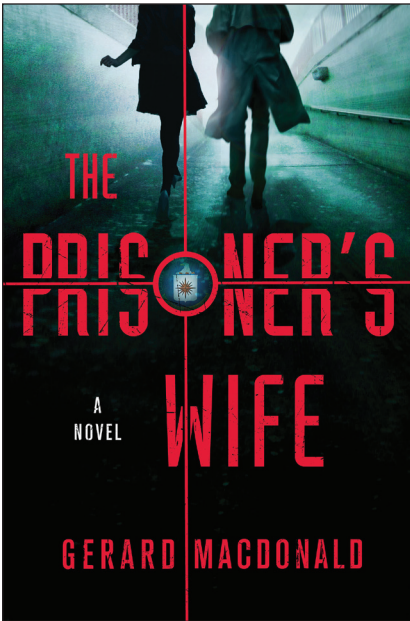
*The untold story of how the world's most feared TV reporter transformed his inner darkness into a journalistic juggernaut that riveted millions and redefined the landscape of television news*

In his four decades as the front man for *60 Minutes*, Mike Wallace earned the distinction of being one of the most aggressive, self-assured and unflinching journalists in the business. His unrivalled career includes interviews with every major newsmaker of the late twentieth century, from Martin Luther King to Mahmoud Ahmadinejad.

Peter Rader reveals that behind this intimidating facade, Wallace was deeply depressed and haunted by demons that nearly drove him to suicide. In fact, Mike was so self-conscious that he had serious doubts about taking his career from radio into television. Chronicling events that launched this game and quiz show announcer into the most talked about newsman in America, Rader presents an intimate portrayal of this iconic journalist.

This shocking and inspiring inside account will captivate the innumerable Americans who grew-up on Mike Wallace's reporting.

PETER RADER was raised in Rome and educated at Harvard University. A filmmaker and screenwriter, he has developed projects for all the major Hollywood studios. Rader resides in Los Angeles with his wife and two sons.



# THE PRISONER'S WIFE

GERARD MACDONALD

*A breath-taking literary thriller about a forcibly-retired agent hired to track down a man kidnapped by the CIA*

Shawn Maguire, an unemployed American spy, is paid to find a suspected terrorist kidnapped by his former colleagues in the CIA. Travelling with the prisoner's beautiful but mysterious wife, Shawn follows the detainee's trail from Paris to Morocco, then to Egypt and Pakistan. But it isn't long before Shawn discovers that nothing is quite what it seems and he'll need all of his CIA training to survive. If it comes down to a fight, he believes he can handle the prisoner. But will he be able to handle the prisoner's wife?

*The Prisoner's Wife* is a tense trip through the murky worlds of state-sponsored terrorism, secret American jails, and extraordinary and lawless rendition that will grip fans of John le Carré.

GERARD MACDONALD began his writing career with two young-adult novels, both of which he turned into TV series. Thereafter, he combined television and film scriptwriting—in Europe and the U.S.—with post-doctoral research in American politics. For the past three years he has been hard at work writing adult novels, the first of which is *The Prisoner's Wife*. Macdonald lives in west London.

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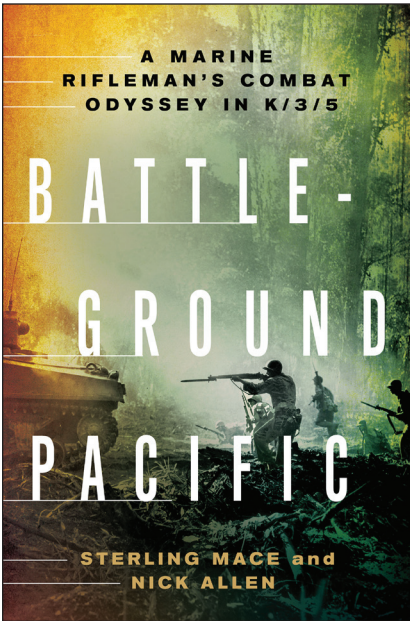
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# BATTLEGROUND PACIFIC

A Marine Rifleman's Combat Odyssey in K/3/5

STERLING MACE AND NICK ALLEN

*A powerfully wrought WWII memoir by a member of the fabled 1st Marine Division depicted in HBO's "The Pacific"*

*Battleground Pacific* is a dramatic "under the helmet" view of some of the worst action of the Pacific War, from the seldom-seem perspective of a rifleman at the point of attack.

Sterling Mace's unit was part of the so-called "K-3-5" (for Company K, 3rd Battalion, 5th Regiment of the fabled 1st Marine Division), famously depicted in HBO's "The Pacific," as well as in several bestselling accounts of the war. But this dramatic memoir stands proudly with the best of all of them. It's filled with indelible moments, from Mace's love of his oldest sister, who died of polio when he was four, to his run-in with the law that led to his enlistment. But mostly, this is a combat tale—as violent and harrowing as any that's come before. Mace traces his path to learning that killing another human comes just as easily as staying alive, and that bravery often equates to stupidity, leading to the death of close friends, but ultimately, that life goes on, even with death on its heels. *Battleground Pacific* will stand as one of the most important and entertaining memoirs about the Pacific theater in WWII.

STERLING MACE enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1942 and was stationed at Parris Island, Camp Lejeune, the Brooklyn Naval Yard, and then finally Pavuvu, before experiencing the toughest fighting the Pacific war had to offer, as a rifleman in K/3/5, at Peleliu and later on Okinawa. He was a consultant on E.B. Sledge's book, *With the Old Breed*. He lives in St. Pete Beach, Florida. NICK ALLEN is the son of a combat rifleman who served in Vietnam and has been interviewing combat veterans for most of his life. He lives in Bellaire, Texas.

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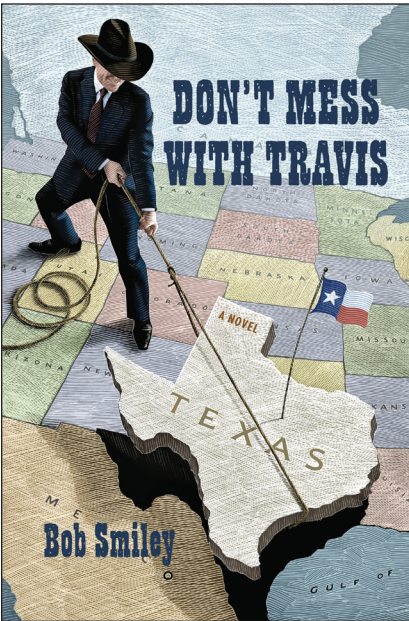
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# DON'T MESS WITH TRAVIS

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BOB SMILEY

*A cowboy governor finds himself the accidental leader of Texas's right-wing revolution in this irreverent, entertaining debut novel*

Written with the comedic mastery of Christopher Buckley, *Don't Mess with Texas* is the hilarious story of Ben Travis, a no-name Texas senator who's pulled from his ranch and thrown into the role of governor unexpectedly.

Before the paint has even dried on his parking spot, the recently divorced Travis uncovers the latest Washington power grab and decides there's only one solution: secession. The stunt pits Travis (and Texas) against the president, a golf-obsessed, progressive egomaniac and the liberal elites behind him, who will try every dirty trick to derail the new governor and hold on to the most prosperous state in the Union. Despite the doomsday threats from D.C., Travis forges ahead in a thrilling and hysterical quest to fight big government tyranny and restore sanity to the nation.

In the tradition of *Advise and Consent* and *Primary Colors*, *Don't Mess with Texas* brilliantly lampoons all that's wrong with present-day politics while waving the flag behind everything that's right.

**"Bob Smiley gives us two things we really need: 1) a funny book about politics and 2) a Texas governor we can all get behind. Ben Travis forever!"**

—STEVE HELY, PRODUCER AND WRITER FOR *THE OFFICE* AND  
AUTHOR OF *HOW I BECAME A FAMOUS NOVELIST*

**BOB SMILEY** began his writing career as a research assistant to the late, great William F. Buckley, Jr. In 2008, he wrote the sports memoir *Follow the Roar*, chronicling his journey around the globe as he followed Tiger Woods for every hole of an entire season. He continues to work in television and film, having written for network sitcoms as well as for Fox News Channel's *Half Hour News Hour*. He recently wrote a *Goonies*-esque pilot for Disney XD and is developing a half-hour political comedy for AMC.

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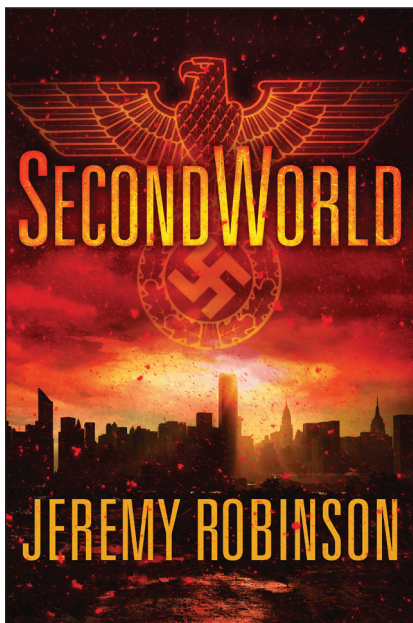
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# SECONDWORLD

JEREMY ROBINSON

*The high adventure of James Rollins meets the gripping suspense of Matthew Reilly in Jeremy Robinson's explosive new thriller*

1942: Hitler waits in a bunker, expecting an event that will take care of all his problems. But nothing happens and the war continues as we know it. His scientists correctly predicted the event, they just got the date wrong. Today: Red flakes, like snow, but dry and falling from a cloudless sky, fill the atmosphere. Three days later, everyone is dead.

Everyone but Lincoln Miller, a Navy SEAL turned scientist, who has been stationed in Aquarius, the world's only underwater research station. Cut off from the world, Miller has no idea what has happened... until he returns to the surface and discovers the horrible truth: there is no oxygen in the air. Alone, surrounded by evidence of a global apocalypse, Miller must fight for his life. Slowly, he discovers that the event which decimated the planet was masterminded by group of neo-Nazis determined to repopulate the Earth according to their own design—unless Miller and a few other desperate survivors can stop them...

### Praise for *Threshold*:

**“One hell of a thriller...Relentlessly gripping from start to finish, don't turn your back on this book!”**

—DOUGLAS PRESTON, *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *COLD VENGEANCE*

**“Jeremy Robinson goes pedal to the metal into very dark territory. Fast-paced, action-packed and wonderfully creepy! Highly recommended!”**

—JONATHAN MABERRY, *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE KING OF PLAGUES*

JEREMY ROBINSON is the author of nine thrillers. He lives in New Hampshire.

how i survived—and mostly thrived—  
through the first three years mothering twins



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JANE ROPER

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# DOUBLE TIME

How I Survived—and Mostly Thrived—  
the First Three Years Mothering Twins

JANE ROPER

*A heartfelt and humorous memoir of  
becoming a mother times two*

*Double Time* is an up-close and very personal look at Jane Roper's first three years raising twin daughters. From trying to get pregnant to wrapping her head around the idea of twins, from round the clock feedings and diaper changes to coping with the Sisyphean logistics of two babies, double tantrums and differing rates of development, from trying to be supermom to struggling to keep a history of depression under control, Jane Roper tells her story in a voice that is funny, self-deprecating, smart and completely natural. Full of honesty, warmth, occasional advice, and more than a little humor, *Double Time* is a smart and engaging account of the first three years with multiples, as well as a refreshingly vulnerable and honest look at clinical depression, the struggle for "me time" (hah!), and falling in love with a devilish little duo who are determined not to nap at the same time.

JANE ROPER writes the popular Baby Squared blog on Babble.com and recently published her debut novel, *Eden Lake*. Her writing has appeared in *Poets & Writers*, *Salon*, *Slate* and the *Rumpus*, among other publications, and she holds a BA from Williams College and an MFA from the Iowa Writer's Workshop. Jane lives in the Boston area with her husband, the singer-songwriter Alastair Mook, and their twin daughters, Clio and Elsa.



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# YOU'RE SO INVITED

Panic Less, Play More, and Get Your Party On!

**CHERYL NAJAFI**

*With a straightforward and festive flair that's as open and inviting as America, You're So Invited is a rich idea book for first-time home entertainers*

When Cheryl Najafi was growing up, she loved to dress up her mother's table with everything from vintage tins to apple and cherry tree branches. Then as a newlywed in Arizona, hosting dinners and parties led her to get even more creative, breaking the rules of "proper" entertaining. Najafi shares her secrets in *You're So Invited*, an idea book for first-time home entertainers. Though it does feature ten fully photographed parties, from a chic surprise birthday party to a going-away roast to a pampering tween spa party, its core is rafts of info and creative ideas that will get every reader thinking and party-planning. These include:

- How much food and drink to have on hand for parties of 10, 20 or 30 people
- 10 no-fail crowd-pleasing dishes you can order in (and spruce up)
- 5 foolproof tips for outdoor entertaining
- 15 ideas to take your table settings from so-so to fabulous
- 20 quick-and-easy no-cook appetizers
- Fun how-to projects like how to dress up a present, build a bountiful cornucopia, and host your own Scotch tasting

Najafi's fresh approach to entertaining will get readers planning their next—or maybe their first!—party without fretting or fussing, so they can have as much fun as their guests.

**CHERYL NAJAFI** has long been known for her creativity and innovation as a hostess among friends, family and her husband's clients. She became an entertaining consultant and has taken her party know-how to the masses, launching her own company, CherylStyle, and inspiring people to inject a sense of humor and whimsy into entertaining. She lives in Arizona.

a daughter's journey to survive bipolar

# perfect chaos

and a mother's struggle to save her



linea johnson and cinda johnson

## PERFECT CHAOS

A Daughter's Journey to Survive Bipolar and a Mother's Struggle to Save Her

**LINEA JOHNSON AND  
CINDA JOHNSON, Ed. D.**

*A dual memoir of a mother and daughter's triumph over mental illness*

The Johnsons—mother, father and two daughters—were a loving and close Seattle family. Then younger daughter, Linea, started experiencing crippling bouts of suicidal depression. Multiple trips to the psych ward resulted in a diagnosis of bipolar disorder, and it took many trial runs of drugs and ultimately electroshock therapy to bring Linea back. But her family never gave up on her. And Linea never stopped trying to find her way back to them.

*Perfect Chaos* is the story of a mother's and daughter's journey through mental illness towards hope. From initial worrying symptoms to long sleepless nights to cross country flights and the slow understanding and rebuilding of trust, *Perfect Chaos* tells Linea and Cinda's harrowing and inspiring story, of an illness they conquer together every day. It is the story of a daughter's courage, a mother's faith, and the love that carried them through the darkest times.

LINEA JOHNSON works with the mental health awareness organization BringChange2Mind and is the primary creator/writer for the organization's blog. She travels the country presenting her story at national and international mental health, educational and disability conferences. CINDA JOHNSON, Ed. D., is a professor and director of the special education graduate program at Seattle University. She presents at many prominent conferences nationally and internationally every year, both in her professional field, and in the field of mental health.

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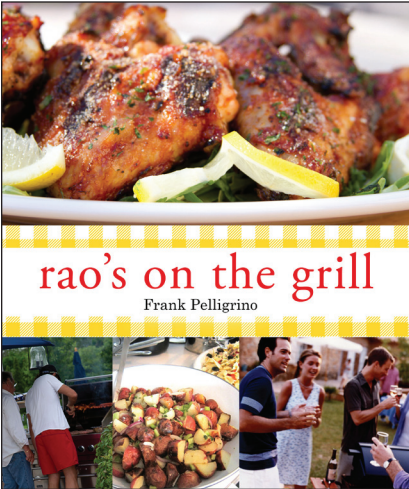
The Inside Story of His Rise to Power

**BOB INGLE AND  
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*A revealing, in-depth biography of the Republican party's brightest rising star: New Jersey governor Chris Christie*

Christopher James "Chris" Christie is the fifty-fifth and current governor of New Jersey and former U.S. Attorney for the District of New Jersey. As the chief federal law enforcement officer in the state, Christie earned praise from leaders in both parties and drew national attention for his efforts in battling political corruption, corporate crime, human trafficking, gangs, terrorism and polluters. Sworn in as governor in January 2010, he has made national news with his aggressive personality, his confrontations with teachers, firemen, police, and state employee unions, his efforts to curb New Jersey's out-of-control spending and corrupt political culture, and his showdown with the state legislature. A national figure in Republican circles, Christie is rumored to be a future candidate for president, if not in 2012 then in 2016. This biography details the fascinating legal and political career and surrounding controversies of this truly maverick persona.

**BOB INGLE** is coauthor of the *New York Times* bestseller *The Soprano State* which was made into a 2011 documentary film. He is an award-winning, veteran journalist, and is currently senior political columnist for Gannett New Jersey newspapers, which carry his syndicated column, Politics Patrol. His political blog is read in all fifty states and more than seventy countries and his commentary is heard by 1 million people on the Millennium Radio Network. He is part of the 101.5 FM program "The Jersey Guys," the most listened to FM afternoon drive time talk show in America. **MICHAEL SYMONS** is a veteran New Jersey journalist, currently News Editor for Gannett New Jersey's Statehouse bureau in Trenton. His blog, Capital Quickies, is a must-read list of every politician and politically connected person in New Jersey and Washington, D.C. and has covered the past four national political conventions. Symons did research for *The Soprano State* and has worked with Ingle for more than ten years.



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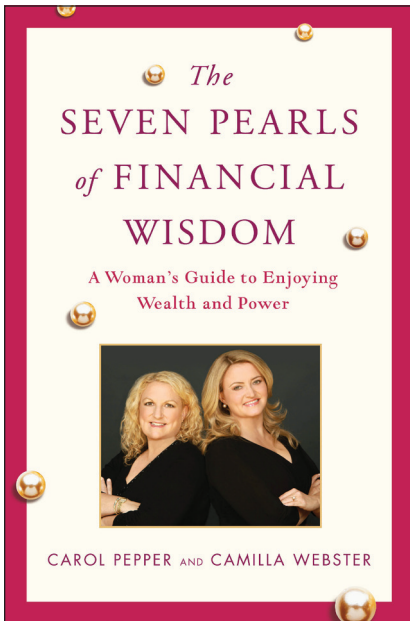
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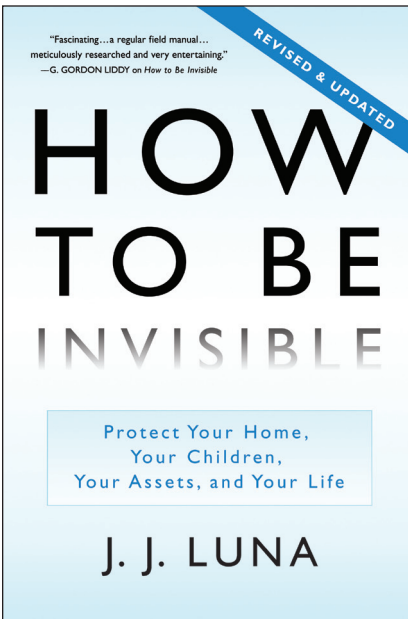
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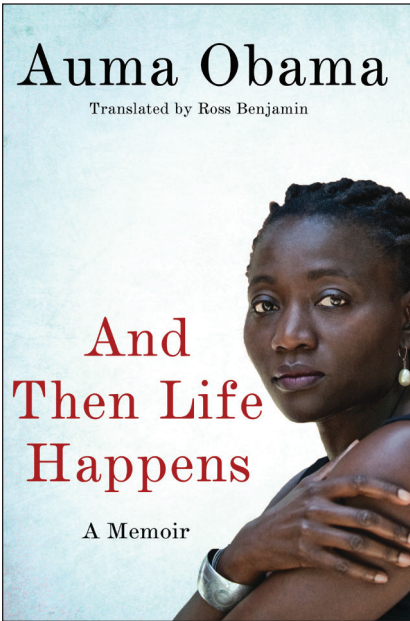
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Auma spent sixteen years studying and living in Germany, moved to England for love, and gave birth to a daughter there. The tension between her original and chosen worlds and cultures was a constant challenge, and eventually Auma returned to Africa and worked to support young men and women in shaping their futures.

In this candid and emotional memoir, Auma shares her own story as well as recollections of and experiences with her famous brother, who says about their first encounter: “I hugged her, we looked at each other, and laughed. I knew right then that I loved her.”

**AUMA OBAMA** was born in Kenya right after the country gained its independence. She grew up first with her mother and paternal grandparents, and later with her (and President Obama’s) father and American step-mother. She now works in Nairobi for CARE International, an organization specializing in educational projects worldwide.

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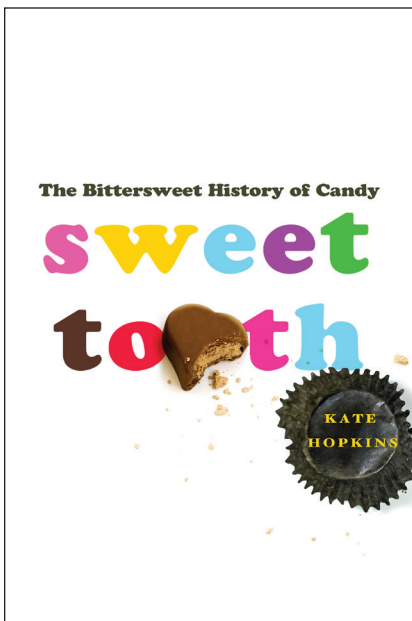
**"In this valuable little handbook, Celia Haddon explains with a pleasing mix of wit and wisdom why cats behave in certain ways, while offering practical solutions to their owners' dilemmas and difficulties."**

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CELIA HADDON has written a popular cat advice column and now dispenses advice on her popular website, [www.CeliaHaddon.com](http://www.CeliaHaddon.com). She has been awarded the Golden Cat Award and the Animal Welfare Award Blue Cross. Celia lives near Oxford, England, with her husband and her cat Tilly.



# SWEET TOOTH

The Bittersweet History of Candy

KATE HOPKINS

*A cultural history of candy—how it evolved from medicine and a luxury to today’s Kit Kat bars and M&M’s*

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Candy’s history is vast and complex and plays a distinct part in the growth of the Western world. Thanks to the ubiquity of these treats which allows us to take them for granted, that history has been hidden or forgotten. Until now. Filled with Hopkins’ trademark humor and accompanied by her Candy Grab Bag tasting notes, *Sweet Tooth* is a must-read for everybody who considers themselves a candy freak.

**Praise for *99 Drams of Whiskey*:**

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KATE HOPKINS’s food blog The Accidental Hedonist has been named one of *Time Magazine*’s 50 Coolest Websites. She is the author of *99 Drams of Whiskey* and lives in Seattle, Washington.

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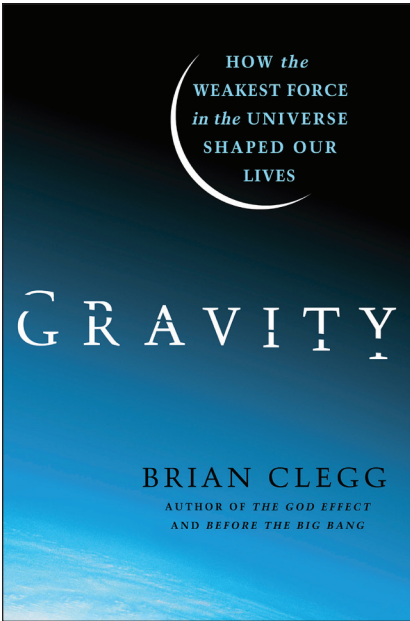
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BRIAN CLEGG is most recently the author of *How to Build a Time Machine*. He holds a physics degree from Cambridge and has written regular columns, features, and reviews for numerous magazines. He lives in Wiltshire, England, with his wife and two children.

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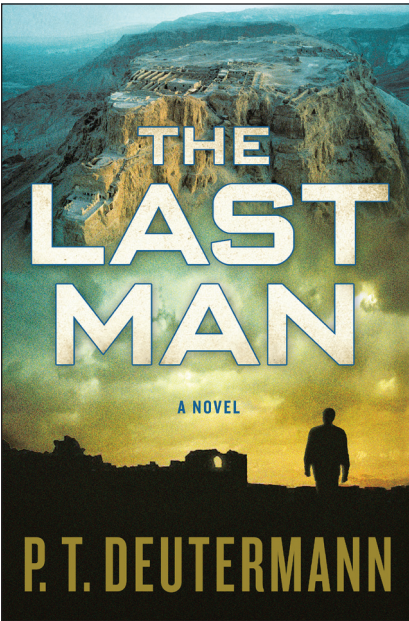
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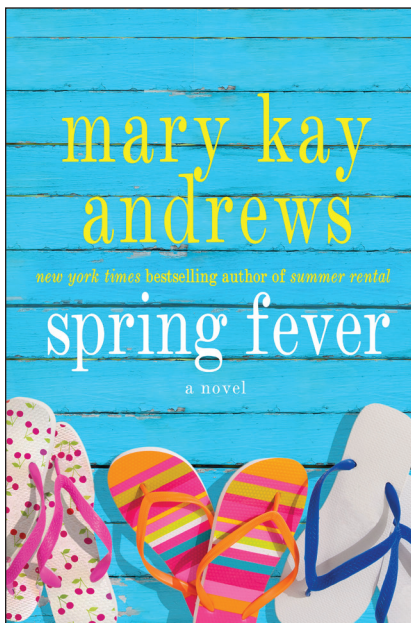
P. T. DEUTERMANN spent twenty-six years in military and government service before retiring to begin his writing career. He is the author of thirteen novels and lives with his wife in North Carolina.

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**"Readers of *Summer Rental* will stay glued to their sandy beach chairs waiting to see what happens next."**

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MARY KAY ANDREWS is the *The New York Times* bestselling author of *Summer Rental*, *The Fixer Upper*, *Deep Dish*, *Blue Christmas*, *Savannah Breeze*, *Hissy Fit*, *Little Bitty Lies* and *Savannah Blues*. A former journalist for *The Atlanta Journal Constitution*, she lives in Atlanta, Georgia.



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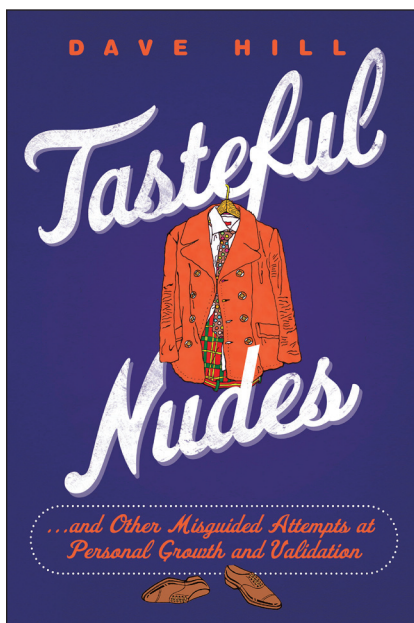
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*A hilarious book of essays from comedian, "This American Life" contributor, and rock god Dave Hill*

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DAVE HILL is a comedian, writer, retired pedicab driver, rock star, actor, and man-about-town. He has written for the *New York Times*, *Salon*, and *Huffington Post*, among others. He stages his own show "The Dave Hill Explosion" at Upright Citizen's Brigade Theaters in NY and LA and is a regular HBO and Cinemax host. He's appeared on Comedy Central, MTV, VH1, Spike TV, and BBC America among other channels and he's a regular contributor to "This American Life". He's also a member of at least five rock bands.

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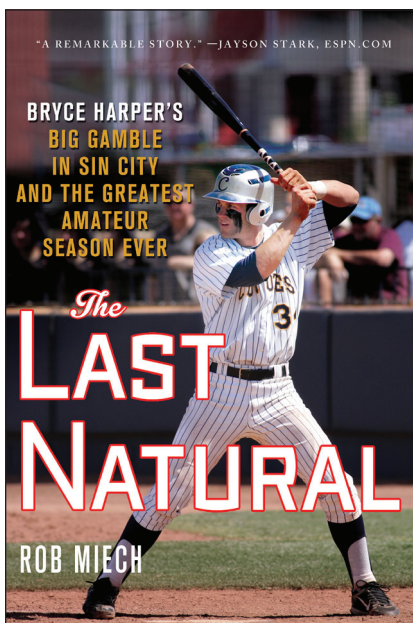
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*“Digital Vertigo provides an articulate, measured, contrarian voice against a sea of hype about social media. As an avowed technology optimist, I’m grateful for Keen who makes me stop and think before committing myself fully to the social revolution.”*

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ANDREW KEEN, author of *The Cult of the Amateur*, is a Silicon Valley entrepreneur whose writings on culture, media, and technology have appeared in *The Weekly Standard*, *Fast Company*, *The San Francisco Chronicle*, *Listener*, and *Jazziz*. He lives in Santa Rosa, California.



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ROB MIECH has won several awards in his twenty-three year long career as a sportswriter with his work appearing in many publications including *CBS SportsLine*, *MLB.com*, *The Washington Post*, and many others.

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COVER, JUNE 8, 2009

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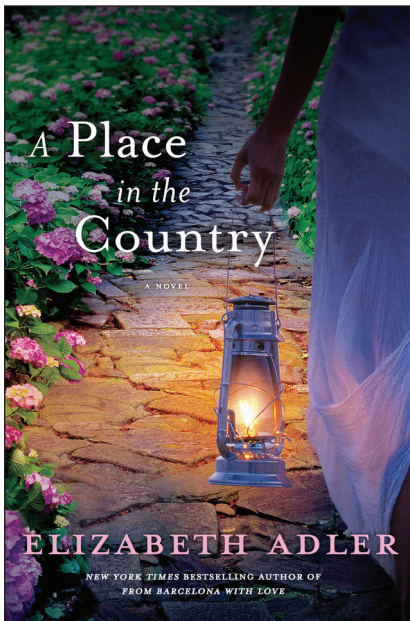
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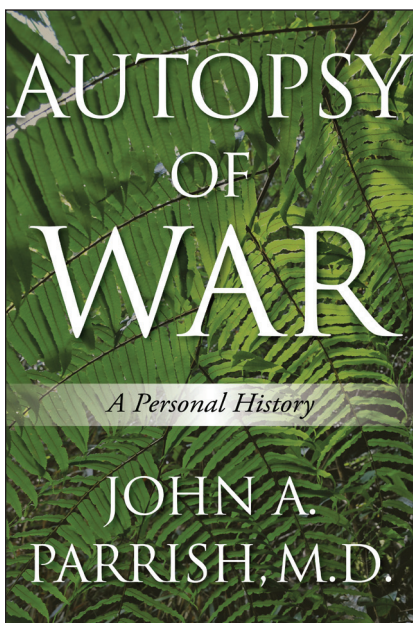
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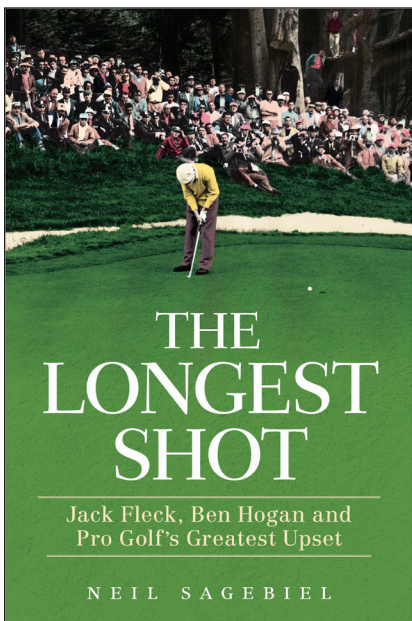
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# THE LONGEST SHOT

Jack Fleck, Ben Hogan, and Pro Golf's Greatest Upset at the 1955 U.S. Open

NEIL SAGEBIEL

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With the overlooked Jack Fleck still playing the course, NBC-TV proclaimed that the legendary Ben Hogan had won his record fifth U.S. Open and signed off from San Francisco. Undaunted, the forgotten Iowan rallied to overcome a nine-shot deficit over the last three rounds—still a U.S. Open record—and made a pressure-packed putt to tie Hogan on the final hole of regulation play. The two men then squared off in a tense, 18-hole playoff from which Fleck emerged victorious in one of the most startling upsets in sports history.

On par with the classic golf narratives of Mark Frost and John Feinstein, *The Longest Shot* will surprise and delight fans as they trace the improbable journey of an unheralded former caddie who played his way into the record books by out-dueling the sport's greatest champion of his time.

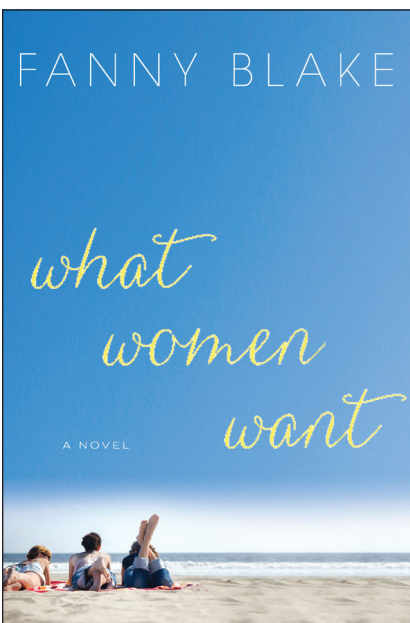
**“Sagebiel honors the grand tradition of profound and poetic literature in golf.”**

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NEIL SAGEBIEL is the founder and editor of Armchair Golf Blog, one of the top golf blogs on the Internet. A former copywriter for a Seattle advertising agency and major newspaper, he is a freelance writer in Floyd, Virginia.



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FANNY BLAKE

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FANNY BLAKE was a publisher for many years, editing both fiction and non-fiction before becoming a freelance journalist and writer. *What Women Want* is her first novel.

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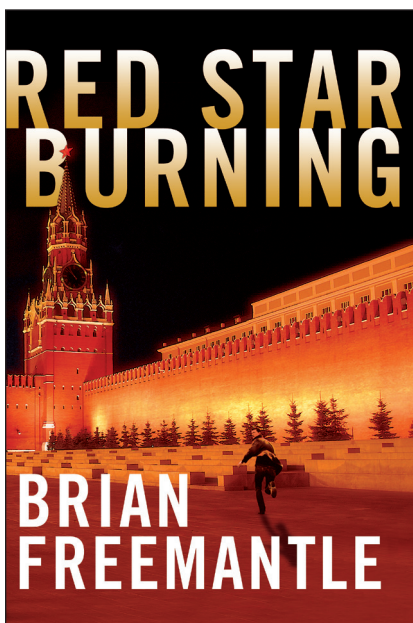
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MI5 tolerates Charlie because he’s their best field agent. What no one knows is that he is married to Natalia Fedova, a colonel in the FSB, the Russian intelligence successor to the KGB. It’s a secret that could land her in front of a firing squad, and land him in jail for life. Worst of all, their daughter would then end up in a Russian state orphanage.

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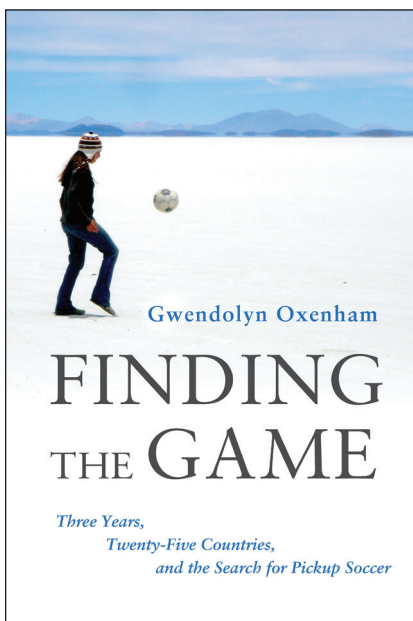
**“Impossible to put down...marvelous...real genius.”**

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BRIAN FREEMANTLE is the author of more than thirty books which have sold more than ten million copies worldwide. He has been foreign editor and chief foreign correspondent for the *London Daily Mail* and foreign correspondent for the *London Daily Sketch*, among others. He lives in England.





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# FINDING THE GAME

Three Years, Twenty-Five Countries,  
and the Search for Pickup Soccer

GWENDOLYN OXENHAM

*Across two dozen countries—from back alleys to remote beaches to the roofs of skyscrapers—an intimate journey into the heart of soccer*

Every country has a different term for it: In the United States, it's "pickup." In Trinidad, it's "taking a sweat." In Brazil, it's "pelada" (literally "naked"). It's the other side of soccer, played away from the bright lights and manicured fields—the game for anyone, anywhere.

Gwendolyn Oxenham was a former college soccer star with visions of going pro. But when the women's professional soccer league folded, her career was over before it began. So she embarked on a different kind of adventure. In *Finding the Game*, Oxenham, with her boyfriend and two friends, scour the globe in search of pickup soccer: they bribe their way into a Bolivian prison, compete against women in hijab in Tehran, and bet shillings on a game with moonshine brewers in Kenya.

Along the way, she discovers that the game, stripped down to its core, is the same no matter where it's played. An entertaining, heartfelt look at the soul of a sport, this book is proof that on the field and in life, some things need no translation.

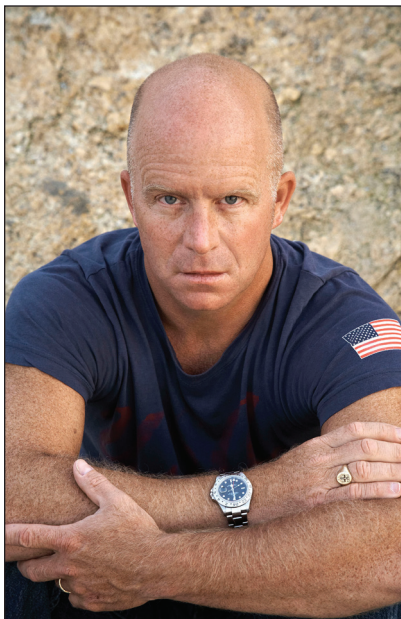
**"[There's] humor, wit, and excitement on every page. You don't have to be a sports fan to devour this book."**

—ANSON DORRANCE, HEAD COACH, UNC WOMEN'S SOCCER;  
NATIONAL SOCCER HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

**"An unparalleled journey that invokes more than just passion for soccer."**

—ROB STONE, ESPN COMMENTATOR

GWENDOLYN OXENHAM has an MFA in creative writing from Notre Dame, where she won the Nicholas Sparks Prize. She played for Duke before competing professionally in Brazil. She lives in Dana Point, California.



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# THE LAST REFUGE

A Dewey Andreas Novel

**BEN COES**

*With time running out to stop the nuclear destruction of Tel Aviv, Dewey Andreas must defeat his most fearsome opponent yet*

Working in secret, away from the eyes of the international community, Iran has completed its first working nuclear device. With only one chance to cause maximum impact before the rest of the world awakens and begins to retaliate, the president of Iran decides to use this bomb to achieve a long-time goal: the destruction of Israel. Dewey Andreas, a former SEAL and Delta, owes his life to Kohl Meir and his team of Israeli commandos. So when Meir shows him a photo of what appears to be a nuclear device with the words "Goodbye Tel Aviv" written in Farsi on the side and requests his help, Dewey realizes that repaying his debt to Meir, his team and to Israel is going to take more than a simple "thank you." With the help of leaked information from high-level officials inside of Iran and dissidents from groups outside the country, Meir and Andreas devise a high risk, high stakes plan that will allow them to find and hijack the device before it is deployed. But from their very first move, they catch the attention of the brilliant and brutally tough Abu Paria, the Iranian intelligence chief, who kidnaps and imprisons Meir. Now Dewey must face off against an opponent with equal cunning, skill, and determination while the one man who might be able to prevent the destruction of Israel's largest city is chained to the wall of an Iranian prison.

**BEN COES** is the author of the critically acclaimed *Power Down* and *Coup d'Etat*. He is a former speechwriter for the George H.W. Bush White House, worked for Boone Pickens, was a fellow at the JFK School of Government at Harvard, a campaign manager for Mitt Romney's run for governor in 2002, and is currently a partner in a private equity company out of Boston. He lives in Wellesley, Mass.

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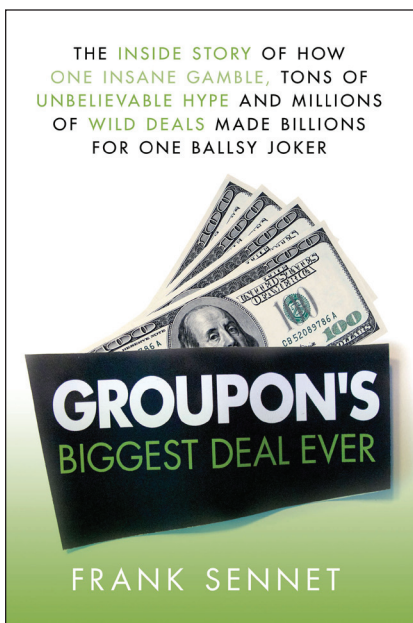
—VINCE FLYNN ON *POWER DOWN*

**“Big, vivid, and authentic, at times even breathtaking.”**

—DAVID MORRELL ON *POWER DOWN*

**“Exciting . . . all too-plausible . . . the plot sizzles with action, and the details have an authentic ring . . . a cut above the pack.”**

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY ON *COUP D’ETAT*



# GROUPON'S BIGGEST DEAL EVER

The Inside Story of How One Insane Gamble, Tons of Unbelievable Hype and Millions of Wild Deals Made Billions for One Ballsy Joker

FRANK SENNETT

*The inside story of the meteoric rise of Groupon from startup to \$30 billion online giant and the audacious genius behind it, founder Andrew Mason*

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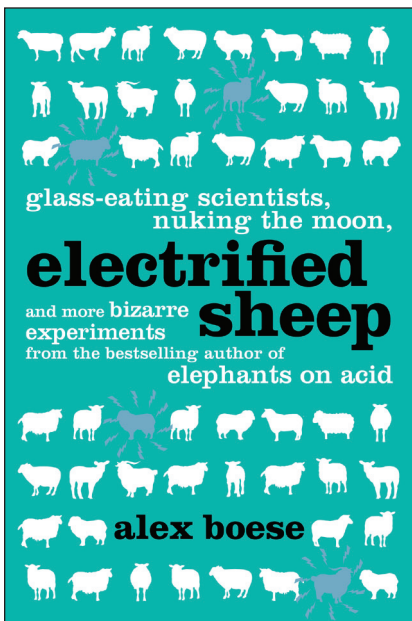
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In late 2010, Groupon made an incredible gamble. Rather than take Google's \$6 billion buyout offer, founder Andrew Mason turned the search giant down and decided to go it alone. The experts thought he was insane. Groupon was little more than two years old and staffed from top to bottom with twentysomethings. The wild ride couldn't last, but Mason thought otherwise, and with knowledge of a possible IPO he liked his odds.

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*Groupon's Biggest Deal Ever* is the exclusive and unparalleled account of the incredible rise of discount giant Groupon and the compelling story of its offbeat founder Andrew Mason as he created a juggernaut of online commerce and ignited a consumer revolution.

FRANK SENNETT is the Editor-in-Chief of *Time Out Chicago*. He is a graduate of Northwestern University's School of Journalism, earned an MFA from the University of Montana, and has published seven previous books.



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# ELECTRIFIED SHEEP

Glass-eating Scientists, Nuking the Moon, and Other Bizarre Experiments

ALEX BOESE

*Welcome to some of the most weird and wonderful experiments ever conducted in the name of science—"Perfect summertime reading—preferably with a friend nearby who can be constantly interrupted with unsettling facts."* —The Daily Mail (UK)

Benjamin Franklin was a pioneering scientist, leader of the Enlightenment and a founding father. But perhaps less well known is that he was also the first person to use mouth-to-mouth to revive an electric shock victim. Odder still, it was actually mouth-to-beak on a hen that he himself had shocked. Filled with similiar stories, *Electrified Sheep* is packed with eccentric characters, irrational obsessions and extreme experiments. Watch as scientists attempt to nuke the moon, wince at the doctor who performs a self-appendectomy and catch the faint whiff of singed wool from an electrified sheep. Wildly entertaining, it is the perfect follow-up to the international bestseller *Elephants on Acid*.

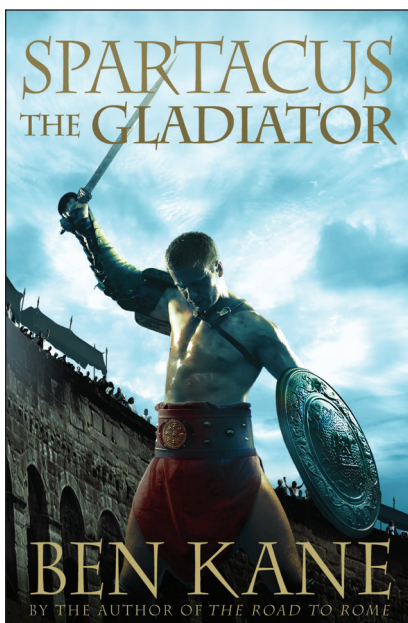
**Praise for *Elephants on Acid*:**

**"The short, witty, ceaselessly amusing entries should delight anyone with a healthy sense of morbid curiosity."**  
 —PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

**"Very well-researched and delivered in an engaging, breezy, wink-wink tone similar to that of Mark Leyner and Billy Goldberg's *Why Do Men Have Nipples?* . . . One of the finest science/history bathroom books of all time."**  
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# SPARTACUS

The Gladiator

BEN KANE

*“Gritty, passionate and violent, this thrilling book is a real page-turner and a damn good read. It brings Spartacus—and ancient Rome—to vivid, colorful life.”*

—Steven Pressfield, author of *Gates of Fire*

Long the stuff of legends, Spartacus is known to most modern readers through the classic Kubrick film version of Howard Fast's novel. Now bestselling historical novelist Ben Kane returns to the source material and presents a lively and compelling new vision of the man who was Spartacus—Roman army auxiliary, slave, gladiator and ultimately the leader of an army of slaves who nearly brought Rome to its knees. Ben Kane's brilliant novel begins in the Thracian village to which Spartacus has returned after escaping from life as an auxiliary in the Roman army. Jealous of his attachment to Ariadne, a Dionysian priestess, the Thracian king betrays Spartacus to the Romans who take him, along with Ariadne, into captivity and to the school of gladiators at Capua. Against the background of the unbelievable brutality of gladiatorial life, Spartacus and Crixus the Gaul plan the audacious overthrow of their Roman masters. They escape and flee to Vesuvius, where they recruit and train an army of escaped slaves that will have to face the conquerors of the known world, the most successful deadly army in all of history in a battle that will set in motion the legend that is Spartacus.

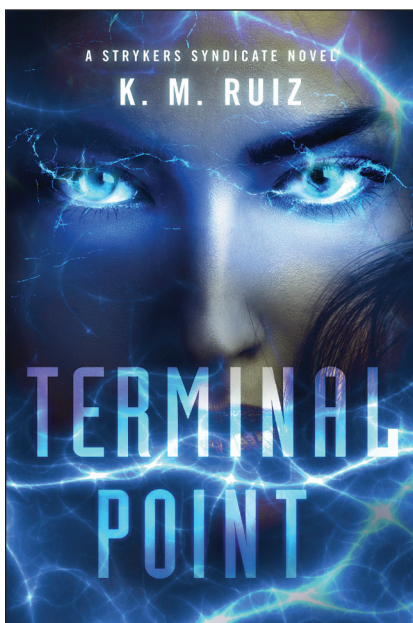
**“Kane is a natural storyteller, merging suspense and intrigue with graphic battlefield scenes and historical color into a ripping story that will please series fans and new converts alike.”**

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY ON *THE ROAD TO ROME*

**“Visceral and engaging...Kane paints this lost world with such fervency that you'll swear you hear the thunder of the Coliseum and the roar of the lions in the pit!”**

—JAMES ROLLINS, AUTHOR OF *THE DOOMSDAY KEY*

BEN KANE is the author of a trilogy set in ancient Rome that comprises *The Forgotten Legion*, *The Silver Eagle* and *The Road to Rome*. He has traveled widely and is a lifelong student of military history. He lives in North Somerset, England, with his family.



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# TERMINAL POINT

K. M. RUIZ

*Blade Runner meets X-Men in this follow-up to Mind Storm where humanity faces extinction and it's up to a group of rogue psions to save society*

Fans of Charles Stross and Hannu Rajaniemi will lose themselves in this adventure as Threnody Crowin and her team of rogue Strykers contend with the aftermath of the events in *Mind Storm* and the unlocking of a new kind of psion power. They're on the run with Lucas Serca, who is closer than ever to destroying the World Court and his father's grip on the planet. Targeting the hidden cache of the planet's food supply meant to transform Mars into a paradise for the chosen few, Lucas triggers an escalating fight with the ruling government as worldwide chaos ensues. It's up to Threnody to save society before it destroys itself, but the cost is high and in the end, there is no such thing as compromise.

There is only survival.

### Praise for *Mind Storm*:

**"Total, delicious immersion into a world rendered startlingly real by white-hot writing skill."**

—WHITLEY STRIEBER, BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW*, *THE HUNGER* AND *COMMUNION*

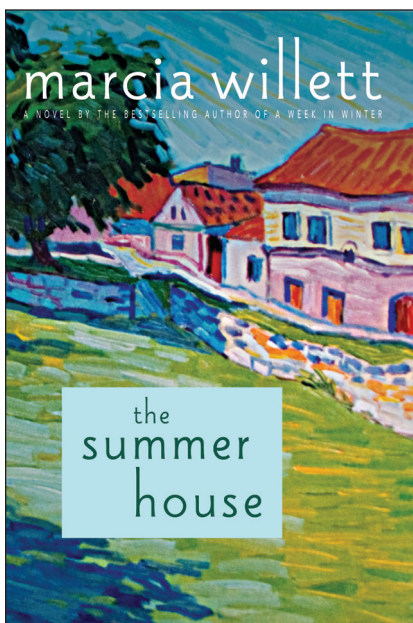
**"Both unsettling and a parable for our time."**

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**"A fast and furious vision of a very dark future...one of the best reads of the year."**

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K.M. RUIZ studied English and American Indian Studies at San Francisco State University. Her debut novel *Mind Storm* released in 2011. She lives in California.



# THE SUMMER HOUSE

MARCIA WILLETT

*The poignant new novel about childhood secrets from the well-loved author of A Week in Winter*

In a small inlaid wooden box, Matt's mother had kept all his childhood memories. Among them are many photos of Matt as a child. But something about the photos has always puzzled Matt. Why doesn't he remember those clothes? The toys? And where, in the photos, is his sister Imogen? Imogen has always loved the Summer House, a charming cottage in the grounds of her friends' beautiful and ancient house on Exmoor. But when Imogen has a chance to buy the house, Matt begins to discover the strange and tragic secret which has affected his whole life.

**Praise for Marcia Willett:**

**“With an agile mastery of multiple story lines and an uncanny knack for creating sympathetic characters, Willett winsomely creates congenial worlds that welcome loyal fans and new readers with ease.”**

—BOOKLIST ON ECHOES OF THE DANCE

**“Like Rosamunde Pilcher and Maeve Binchy, Willett creates such fully dimensional characters that readers feel as if they should phone or e-mail them to keep in touch.”**

—ROCKY MOUNTAIN NEWS ON A WEEK IN WINTER

**“Tender and moving, Willett’s tale expertly weaves a family’s past and present together to illustrate the strength of familial bonds. A memorable and emotional read to be savored.”**

—ROMANTIC TIMES ON THE CHILDREN’S HOUR

*The Summer House* is MARCIA WILLETT’s twelfth novel to be published in the U.S. Her novels are available in ten countries around the world. She lives in Devon, England.

## marketing

- Reading Group Guide online
- Read-it-First.com Selection
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- Back ad in St. Martin’s Griffin Edition of *The Prodigal Wife* (January 2011)
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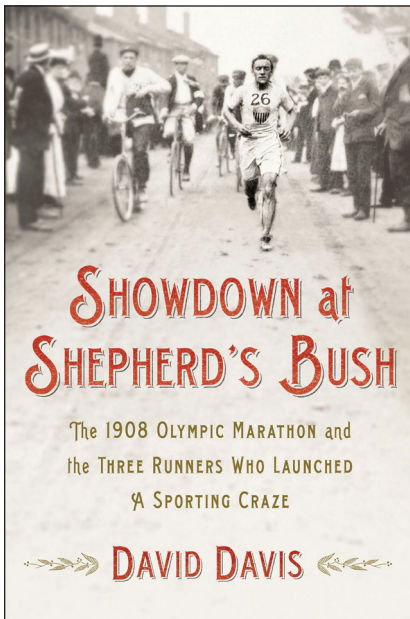
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# SHOWDOWN AT SHEPHERD'S BUSH

The 1908 Olympic Marathon and the Three Runners Who Launched a Sporting Craze

DAVID DAVIS

*The epic clash of an Irish-American, Italian, and Onondaga-Canadian that jump-started the first marathon mania and heralded the modern age in sports*

The eyes of the world watched as three runners—dirt poor Johnny Hayes, who used to run barefoot through the streets of New York City; candymaker Dorando Pietri; and the famed Tom Longboat—converged for an epic battle at the 1908 London Olympics. The incredible finish was contested the world over when Pietri, who initially ran the wrong way upon entering the stadium at Shepherd's Bush, finished first but was disqualified for receiving aid from officials after collapsing just shy of the finish line, thus giving the title to runner-up Hayes. In the midst of anti-American sentiment, Queen Alexandria awarded a special cup to Pietri, who became an international celebrity and inspired one of Irving Berlin's first songs.

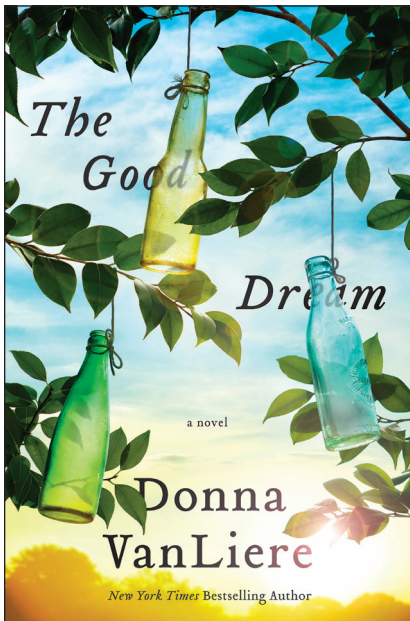
David Davis recalls a time when runners braved injurious roads with slips of leather for shoes and when marathon mania became a worldwide obsession. Standing next to Cait Murphy's *Crazy '08* as an invaluable look at a bygone sporting era, this dramatic narrative is aimed at the record-setting number of marathon participants in the United States (more than 500,000 in 2010!) and nicely for the return of the Olympics to London in 2012.

**"Showdown at Shepherd's Bush is pure Olympic gold, taking us back to a time when athletes really did run for the love of the sport. David Davis writes like they ran—clean, swift and right to the mark."**

—ALLEN BARRA, WALL STREET JOURNAL

DAVID DAVIS is a contributing writer at *Los Angeles Magazine* and a contributing editor for *SportsLetter*. His work has appeared in *Sports Illustrated*, *Smithsonian Magazine*, *The New York Times* and *Baseball America*. He lives in Glassell Park, CA.





# THE GOOD DREAM

DONNA VANLIERE

*From the New York Times bestselling author comes a poignant, heartbreaking, and ultimately uplifting novel about an unlikely path to motherhood, and of two lost souls healing each other*

1950 Tennessee, a time and place that straddles the past and present. Ivorie Walker is considered an old maid by the town (though she's only in her early thirties) and she takes that label with good humor and a grain of salt. Ever since her parents passed away, she has hidden her loneliness behind a fierce independence and a claim of not needing anyone. But her mother's death hit her harder than anyone suspects and Ivorie wonders if she will be alone forever. When she realizes that someone has been stealing vegetables from her garden—a feral, dirty-faced boy who disappears into the hills—something about him haunts Ivorie. She can't imagine what would make him desperate enough to steal and eat from her garden. But what she truly can't imagine is what the boy faces, each day and night, in the filthy lean-to hut miles up in the hills. Who is he? How did he come to live in the hills? Where did he come from? And, more importantly, can she save him? As Ivorie steps out of her comfort zone to uncover the answers, she unleashes a firestorm in the town—a community that would rather let secrets stay secret.

DONNA VANLIERE is *The New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author of *Finding Grace*, *The Angels of Morgan Hill* and seven Christmas books, including the perennial favorites *The Christmas Shoes* and *The Christmas Hope*. She lives in Franklin, Tennessee, with her husband and three children.

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**Praise for *The Good Dream*:**

**“Written with all the gumption of its Tennessee characters, *The Good Dream* is a great story of people saving each other in the unlikeliest ways. An heartwarming winner of a book.”**

—JENNA BLUM, *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THOSE WHO SAVE US* AND *THE STORMCHASERS*

**“Donna VanLiere has woven an intoxicating Southern gothic tale of solitary Ivorie Walker, a capable young woman who must confront the terrible secrets that lie below the placid surface of life in the 1950s Tennessee countryside. At times both heartrending and redemptive, *The Good Dream* imagines the profound power that love holds to change a life, while tracing the reverberations that one woman’s courage can send tearing through an entire community.”**

—KATHERINE HOWE, *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE PHYSICK BOOK OF DELIVERANCE DANE*

**“In *The Good Dream*, Donna VanLiere has created a heartwarming story of redemption and has shown the world that she’s not just for Christmas anymore.”**

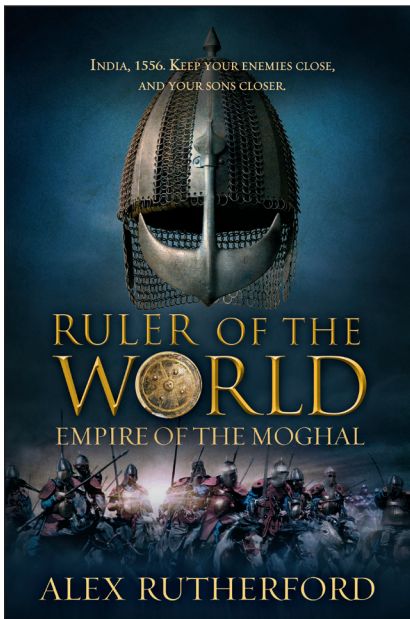
—RICHARD PAUL EVANS #1 BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE CHRISTMAS BOX*, *LOST DECEMBER*, AND *MILES TO GO*

**“*The Good Dream* snares the reader right from the start. DonnaVanLiere’s pitch perfect voice captures all the country charm and mystery of a long-ago time and place with its many acts of kindness and courage, as well as its secrets.”**

—MARY MCGARY MORRIS, *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *SONGS IN ORDINARY TIME*

**“A story of a woman’s love, sacrifice and bravery to save a small, wounded boy, Donna VanLiere has faithfully recreated the South of the 1950s; both the innocence of the time, and its evil. It’s a beautiful story.”**

—KATHLEEN KENT, *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE HERETIC’S DAUGHTER*



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# RULER OF THE WORLD

Empire of the Moghul

ALEX RUTHERFORD

*The third book in this internationally best-selling series set in the Moghul Empire, a culture that evokes the Dothraki in George R.R. Martin's A Game of Thrones*

Akbar, ruler of a sixth of the world's people, colossally rich and utterly ruthless, was a contemporary of Elizabeth I, but infinitely more powerful. He extended his rule over much of Asia, skillfully commanding tens of thousands of men, elephants and innovative technology, yet despite the unimaginable bloodshed which resulted, his empire was based on universal religious tolerance.

However, Akbar's homelife was more complicated. He defied family, nobles and mullahs to marry a beautiful Rajput princess who hated Akbar for conquering her people, and turned his eldest son against him. Akbar's sons were brought up to be intense rivals and suspicious of each other. And, as Salim grew to manhood, the relationship between father and son became tainted by rebellion and competition to be the greatest Moghul of them all.

### International Praise for *A Kingdom Divided*:

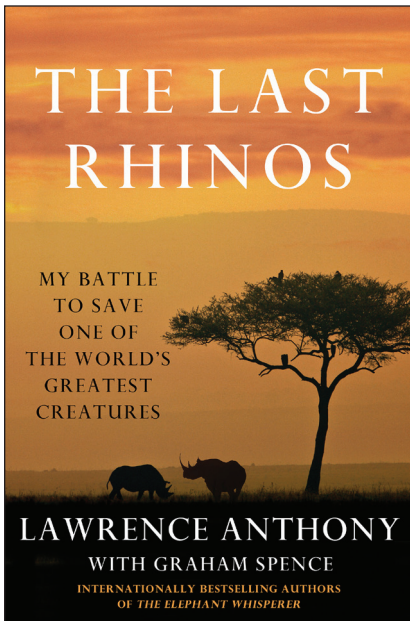
**"The hand-to-hand combat pulsates with heroic vigor and plentiful gore."**

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

### Praise for *Raiders from the North*:

**"A totally absorbing narrative filled with authentic historical characters and sweeping action."** —WILBUR SMITH

ALEX RUTHERFORD is the pen name for Diana and Michael Preston, whose nonfiction has been awarded the Los Angeles Times Science and Technology Prize and been praised worldwide. They are also authors of *Raiders from the North* and *A Kingdom Divided*. They live in London.



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# THE LAST RHINOS

My Battle to Save One of the World's Greatest Creatures

LAWRENCE ANTHONY WITH GRAHAM SPENCE

*An award-winning conservationist tells the story of his efforts to save the White Rhino*

Conservationist Lawrence Anthony's South African wildlife reserve protects elephants and many other animals, including several Southern White Rhino, an endangered species threatened by poachers. But while the Southern White Rhino is at risk, the Northern White is on the brink of extinction. In *The Last Rhinos*, he tells the story of his attempt to save these remarkable creatures.

When he discovered that only fifteen Northern White Rhinos remained in the wild, he knew he had to act. If the world lost the species, it would be the largest mammal since the woolly mammoth to go extinct. The rhino lived in an area controlled by the Lord's Resistance Army, known for its brutality and use of child soldiers. In the face of unmoving bureaucracy, he convinced these armed rebels to protect the rhino, and in the process became a chief negotiator between the LRA and the Ugandan government.

An inspiring story of conservation in the face of brutal war and bureaucratic quagmires, *The Last Rhinos* will move animal-lovers everywhere.

**Praise for *The Elephant Whisperer*:**

**"An inspiring, multifaceted account, Anthony's book offers fascinating insights into the lives of wild elephants in the broader context of Zulu culture in post-Apartheid South Africa."** —PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

**"Anthony's enthusiasm and obvious love for the bush shine through in hair-raising, sad, and funny tales. This life with elephants is a real winner."** —BOOKLIST

LAWRENCE ANTHONY is the founder of The Earth Organization and has received the UN's Earth Day award. He lives in Zululand, South Africa. GRAHAM SPENCE is a journalist and editor. Originally from South Africa, he lives in England.



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# SHINE SHINE SHINE

LYDIA NETZER

*A debut unlike any other, Shine, Shine, Shine is a shocking, searing, breathless love story, a gripping portrait of modern family, and a stunning exploration of love, death and what it means to be human*

Sunny Mann has masterminded a life for herself and her family in a quiet Virginia town. Her house and her friends are picture-perfect. Even her genius husband, Maxon, has been trained to pass for normal. But when a fender bender on an average day sends her coiffed blonde wig sailing out the window, her secret is exposed. Not only is she bald, Sunny is nothing like the Stepford wife she's trying to be. As her facade begins to unravel, we discover the singular world of Sunny, an everywoman searching for the perfect life, and Maxon, an astronaut on his way to colonize the moon.

Theirs is a wondrous, strange relationship formed of dark secrets, decades-old murders and the urgent desire for connection. As children, the bald, temperamental Sunny and the neglected savant Maxon found an unlikely friendship no one else could understand. She taught him to feel—helped him translate his intelligence for numbers into a language of emotion. He saw her spirit where others saw only a freak. As they grew into adults, their profound understanding blossomed into love and marriage.

But with motherhood comes a craving for normalcy that begins to strangle Sunny's marriage and family. As Sunny and Maxon are on the brink of destruction, at each other's throats with blame and fear of how they've lost their way, Maxon departs for the moon, where he's charged with programming the robots that will build the fledgling colony. Just as the car accident jars Sunny out of her wig and into an awareness of what she really needs, an accident involving Maxon's rocket threatens everything they've built, revealing the things they've kept hidden. And nothing will ever be the same.

LYDIA NETZER was born in Detroit and educated in the Midwest. She lives in Virginia with her two home-schooled children and math-making husband. When she isn't working as a book doctor, blogging, or drafting her second novel, she writes songs and plays guitar in a rock band.

**“A funny, compelling love story from the freshest voice I’ve heard in years. *Shine, Shine* picked me up and left me changed in ways I never expected. Intelligent, emotional, and relentlessly new, Netzer answers questions you didn’t know you were already asking and delivers an unforgettable take on what it means to love, to be a mother, and to be human.”**

—SARA GRUEN, #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *WATER FOR ELEPHANTS* AND *APE HOUSE*

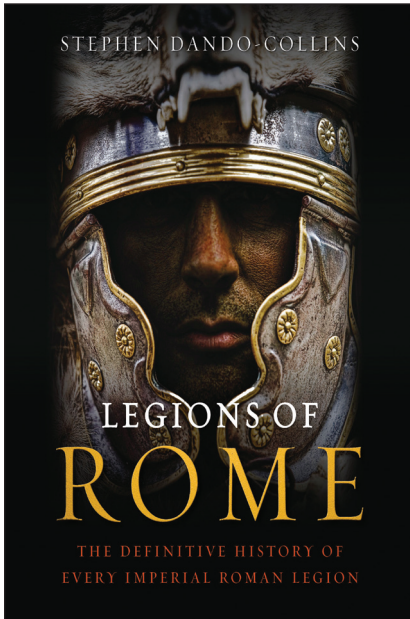
**“A perfectly structured gem of a book that held me spellbound as I unraveled the twisted histories of this unconventional family. You’ve never read anything like it, and yet Sunny’s story is every woman’s story. We are all outsiders, all alone in space, all trying so hard to find a place called home. I loved this book.”**

—JOSHILYN JACKSON, NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *GODS IN ALABAMA* AND *BACKSEAT SAINTS*

**“An astronaut, an autistic child, a bald woman and a meteor collide, churning up the ground around a couple of decades-old murders. Life and death intersect in this wildly inventive love story I will be talking about and thinking about for years to come. If Yann Martel and Mary Gaitskill had a literary baby, it would look a lot like Lydia Netzer.”**

—KAREN ABBOTT, NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *SIN IN THE SECOND CITY* AND *AMERICAN ROSE*





# LEGIONS OF ROME

The Definitive History of Every Imperial Roman Legion

STEPHEN DANDO-COLLINS

*The complete history of every Imperial Roman legion and what it achieved as a fighting force, by an award-winning historian*

In this landmark publication, Stephen Dando-Collins does what no other author has ever attempted to do: provide a complete history of every Imperial Roman legion. Based on thirty years of meticulous research, he covers every legion of Rome in rich detail. In the first part of the book, the author provides a detailed account of what the legionaries wore and ate, what camp life was like, what they were paid, and how they were motivated and punished. Part two examines the histories of all the legions that served Rome for three hundred years starting in 30 BC. The book's final section is a sweeping chronological survey of the campaigns in which the armies were involved, told from the point of view of the legions. Featuring more than 150 maps, photographs, diagrams and battle plans, *Legions of Rome* is an essential read for ancient history enthusiasts, military history experts and general readers alike.

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### Praise for Stephen Dando-Collins:

**“A very fine historian.”**

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**“A gifted storyteller.”**

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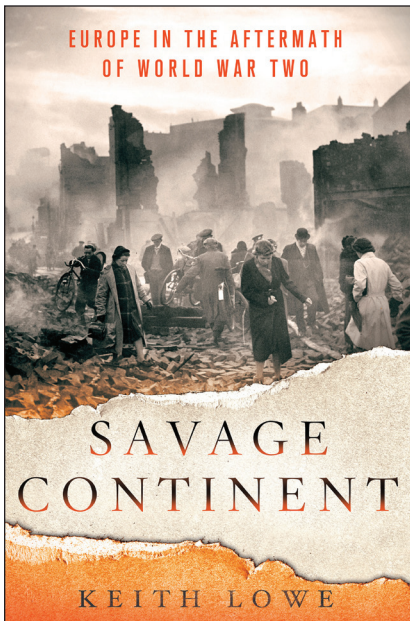
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STEPHEN DANDO-COLLINS is an award-winning historian and novelists. He is the author of several highly acclaimed works on ancient history. He lives in Tasmania.



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# SAVAGE CONTINENT

Europe in the Aftermath of World War Two

KEITH LOWE

*A compelling look at the dark, violent days that enveloped Europe after WWII ended and anarchy reigned*

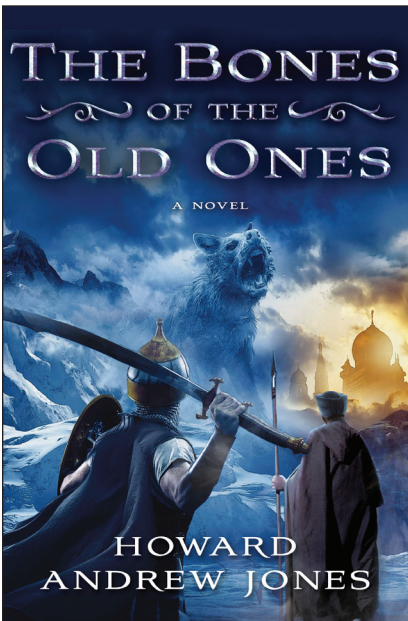
The aftermath of World War II was one of the most tumultuous periods of European history. Individuals, communities and sometimes whole nations sought vengeance against the Germans and their collaborators who were rounded up, tormented and summarily executed. Concentration camps were reopened; violent anti-semitism was reborn, sparking murders and pogroms; and massacres, an integral part of the postwar landscape, led to brutal civil wars. In some of the greatest acts of ethnic cleansing ever seen, millions were expelled from their ancestral homelands, often with the implicit blessing of the Allied authorities. *Savage Continent* is the story of post WWII Europe in all its ugly detail. Based on primary sources from a dozen countries, *Savage Continent* sets the standard for history books on of post-WWII Europe for years to come.

**Praise for *Inferno*:**

**“Not since Len Deighton’s classic *Bomber* has there been a book which re-created with such objectivity both sides of the story, or which painted in such vivid detail the destruction of a city, and the sufferings of those who lived there, and those British and American young men who put their lives at risk to destroy it.”**

—MICHAEL KORDA, AUTHOR OF *ULYSSES S. GRANT* AND *JOURNEY TO A REVOLUTION*

KEITH LOWE is the author of two novels and the critically acclaimed history book, *Inferno: The Fiery Devastation of Hamburg, 1943*. He lives in North London with his partner and sons.



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# THE BONES OF THE OLD ONES

A Novel

HOWARD ANDREW JONES

*A thrilling, inventive follow-up to *The Desert of Souls* by Howard Andrew Jones, a "rare master of the storyteller's art" ([Greenmanreview.com](http://Greenmanreview.com))*

Combining the masterful fantasy of Robert E. Howard with the high-speed action of Bernard Cornwell, Howard Andrew Jones breathes new life into the glittering tradition of sword-and-sorcery with the latest tale of Dabir and Asim's adventures. Our heroes are living comfortably in Mosul under the patronage of the city's governor. Despite the region's rare frostbitten winter, things are going well until a desperate young woman named Najya is brought to them, claiming that she has escaped from a sorcerous cabal and that her memory has been altered in a dangerous magic ritual. Dabir fears much more is at stake, especially when someone claiming to be Najya's father arrives and attacks them. Dabir and Asim stave off the wizard and flee with Najya to the governor's palace, where they find the first of the hidden tools sought by the cabal: the Bones of the Old Ones. Dabir and Asim quickly realize that more than one group is after the girl and the Bones, and they must race against time to stop their enemies' dark quest from plunging the world into a neverending winter.

**"Filled with adventure, magic, compelling characters and twists that are twisty. Seriously cool stuff."**

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HOWARD ANDREW JONES is the acknowledged expert on fiction writer Harold Lamb. He is the managing editor of *Black Gate* magazine, and he blogs regularly at its Web site, [blackgate.com](http://blackgate.com).



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# BEAUTIFUL, DIRTY, RICH

A Novel

J. D. MASON

*A gripping new novel from bestselling author J.D. Mason about a wealthy Texas family and the one woman who holds—and will reveal—all their dirty secrets.*

Desdimona Green has been the name on everyone's lips in Blink, Texas. Twenty-five years ago, at the age of 18, she shot and killed one of the wealthiest men and pillars of the community, oil baron Julian Gatewood. The Gatewood family was considered untouchable, so the whole state of Texas was rocked to its core over Julian's murder. They were even more shocked to discover that Desi is Julian's daughter and her mother had been his lover for years. But when Desi gets out of jail and promptly inherits millions from Julian's estate, everyone knows that there is much more to the story—and Desi Green is the keeper of the Gatewood secrets, including what happened the night Julian died. When a famous true crime reporter shows up on her doorstep wanting the full story, Desi agrees to reveal all, much to the horror of the Gatewoods, who will do anything to stop her. But Desi has more than a few tricks up her sleeve...

### Praise for J.D. Mason:

**"Mason will take your breath away."**

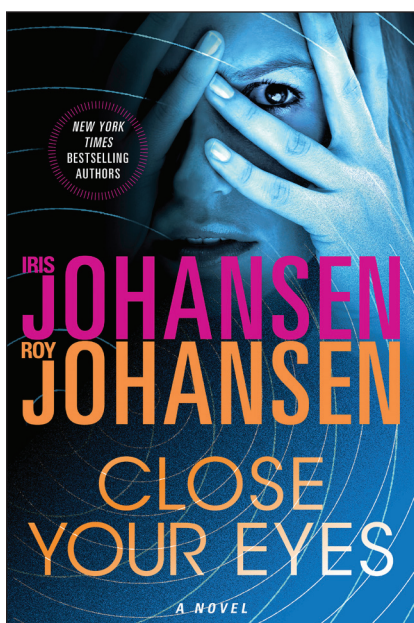
—ROMANTIC TIMES BOOK REVIEWS ON *YOU GOTTA SIN TO GET SAVED*

**"[J.D. Mason's] stark portrayals of her characters and their innermost thoughts bring the readers right into the emotional center of the story. Those who enjoy Carl Weber and Eric Jerome Dickey will add Mason to their list of favorites."**

—BOOKLIST ON *THAT DEVIL'S NO FRIEND OF MINE*

J.D. MASON is the author of *Somebody Pick Up My Pieces*, *Take Your Pleasure Where You Find It*, *That Devil's No Friend Of Mine*, *You Gotta Sin To Get Saved*, *This Fire Down In My Soul*, *Don't Want No Sugar*, and *On The Eighth Day She Rested*, and *One Day I Saw A Black King*. She lives in Denver, Colorado with her two children.





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# CLOSE YOUR EYES

## IRIS JOHANSEN AND ROY JOHANSEN

*The New York Times bestselling duo is back in a suspenseful novel about a once-blind woman with a talent for tracking serial killers*

The FBI doesn't usually consult with music therapists to solve their cases. But Kendra Michael's astonishing powers of observation and analysis have made her a favorite of law enforcement agencies all across the country. Blind for the first twenty years of her life, she cares little for investigative work but can't deny her unique skill, or the results she's been able to facilitate. Kendra learned at an early age to become hyper-aware of her surroundings, perfecting the art of picking up the most subtle audio, olfactory, and tactile cues in the world around her. Like a secret weapon, she is in high demand. Former FBI agent Adam Kyle, known as The Puppetmaster, has weapons of his own. He's a notorious master manipulator, skillfully handling criminals and colleagues alike to get the results he wants. Now he needs Kendra's special brand of help, but she's not interested until Kyle reveals that Agent Robert Stedler—Kendra's ex—is missing and may have run directly into the path of a serial killer. What began as a heinous murder investigation escalates into something even larger and more frightening: a multi-million dollar conspiracy to hide a secret that's worth killing for, again and again and again.

### Praise for Iris Johansen and Roy Johansen:

**"Light, sexy thriller peppered with enough science and mysticism to make any beach seem a little more exotic."**

—KIRKUS REVIEWS ON SHADOW ZONE

IRIS JOHANSEN is *The New York Times* bestselling author of *Eve*, *Quinn*, *Bonnie*, *Chasing The Night*, *Eight Days to Live*, *Blood Game*, *Storm Cycle* (w/Roy Johansen), *Silent Thunder* (w/Roy Johansen), *Deadlock*, *Dark Summer*, *Pandora's Daughter*, *Quicksand*, *Killer Dreams*, *On The Run*, *Countdown*, *Firestorm*, *Fatal Tide*, *Dead Aim*, *No One To Trust* and more. ROY JOHANSEN is an Edgar Award winning author and the son of Iris Johansen. He has written many well-received mysteries, including *Shadow Zone*, *Storm Cycle*, and *Silent Thunder* (w/ Iris Johansen), *Deadly Visions*, *Beyond Belief* and *The Answer Man*.



**“This global archeological treasure hunt is both briskly paced and enormously exciting. You’ll find escapist thrills of the highest order.”**

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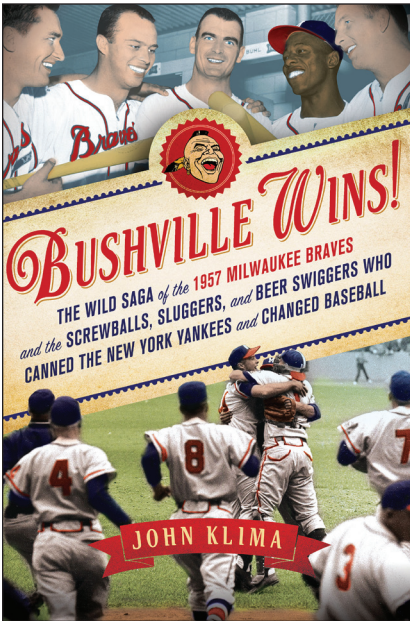
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JOHN KLIMA is the author of *Willie's Boys*. He was the national baseball columnist for *The Los Angeles Daily News* and his column writing has been recognized by the Associated Press Sports Editors. Klima's work has also appeared in *The New York Times*, Yahoo! Sports, ESPN.com and *The Los Angeles Times*.

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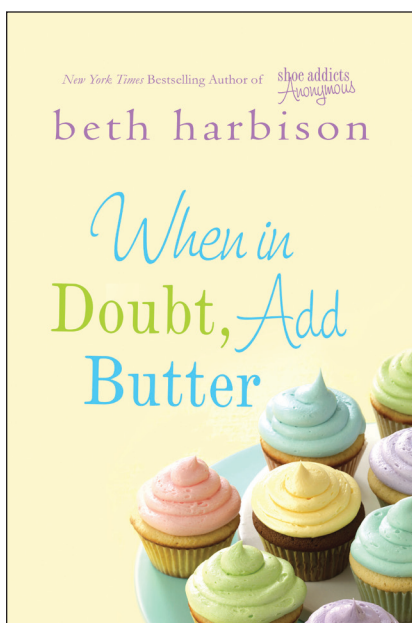
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**BETH HARBISON** is *The New York Times* bestselling author of *Always Something There To Remind Me*; *Thin, Rich, Pretty*; *Hope In A Jar*; *Secrets of a Shoe Addict* and *Shoe Addicts Anonymous*. She grew up in Potomac, Maryland, outside Washington, D.C., and now shares her time between that suburb, New York City and a quiet home on the eastern shore.

**“Harbison serves up a deliciously light blend of 1980s nostalgia and women’s fiction . . . Harbison raises the emotional stakes and gives this story a little more bite without losing her fun, breezy style.”**  
—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY ON *ALWAYS SOMETHING THERE TO REMIND ME*

**“*Always Something There to Remind Me* is a riveting look at the tender agony of first love. Touching, truthful, and profoundly satisfying, Harbison delivers her finest work yet.”**

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—THE VANCOUVER PROVINCE ON *THIN, RICH, PRETTY*

**“Harbison’s writing is zingy and funny.”**

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—PEOPLE MAGAZINE ON *SHOE ADDICTS ANONYMOUS*

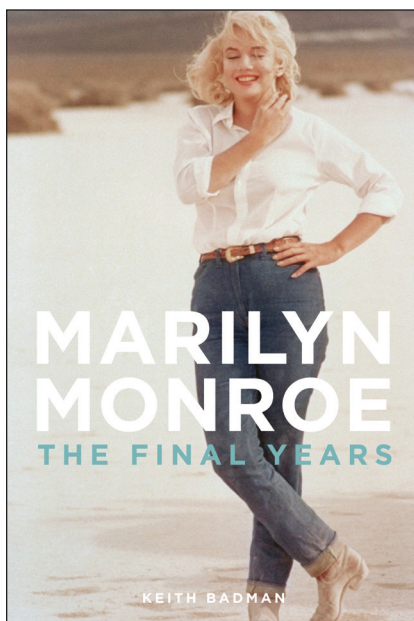
**“Fun nostalgia for those of us who loved Bonne Bell Lip Smackers and Sun-In.”**

—FORT-WORTH STAR TELEGRAM ON *HOPE IN A JAR*

**“Readers will root for these four plucky women. Like the designer shoes that pepper its pages, this book is pleasing and stylish. This frothy confection is sure to fly off the shelves this summer.”**

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# MARILYN MONROE

The Final Years

KEITH BADMAN

*To publish for the fiftieth anniversary of her tragic death, this definitive account dispels the rumors and sets the record straight on her last two years*

Keith Badman delves into the reality of Monroe's last days in this surprising, and painstakingly researched biography. Dispelling some of the most pervasive beliefs as well as bringing light to others, Badman reveals that:

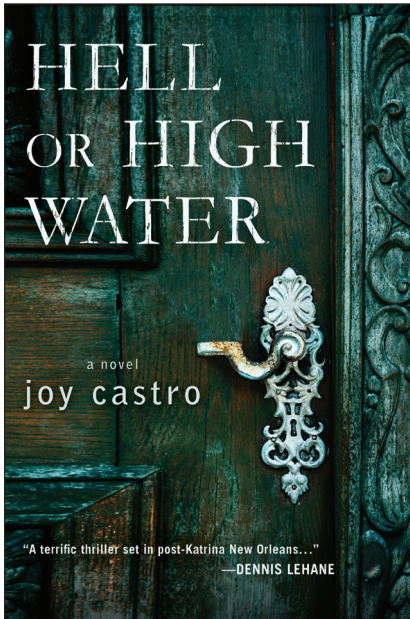
- Monroe had a one-night stand with JFK at Bing Crosby's house, but the rumors about her on-going affairs with JFK and RFK were untrue
- Her father was not Martin Edward Mortensen but a man named Charles Stanley Gifford, who abandoned Marilyn's mother when she was three months pregnant
- Monroe was tricked into admitting herself into a psychiatric institute where she was treated like a prisoner in a mental asylum until Joe DiMaggio pulled strings for her release
- A drunken Monroe was sexually exploited by mobsters at a Lake Tahoe hotel co-owned by Frank Sinatra, who had photos of the incident destroyed

Badman sifts the truth from the gossip to provide a perfect companion to the hugely successful book, *Fragments*. For those who think they know the truth about Marilyn Monroe, think again.

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**"Shocking and frank, Badman's work is a piece of investigative journalism worthy of the highest accolades."**  
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KEITH BADMAN is the author of several pop culture books, including *The Beach Boys*, *Beatles Off the Record* and *Good Times and Bad Times: The Definitive Diary of the Rolling Stones 1960–1969*.



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# HELL OR HIGH WATER

A Novel

JOY CASTRO

*A psychological thriller in the vein of Kate Atkinson and Tana French that introduces Nola Céspedes, an intense and spellbinding protagonist*

Nola Céspedes, an ambitious young reporter at the *Times-Picayune*, catches a break: An assignment to write her first full-length feature. While researching her story, she also becomes fixated on the search for a missing tourist in New Orleans. As Nola's work leads her into darker corners of the city, a singular narrative voice emerges, and an even more compelling question surfaces: Who is Nola Céspedes? Vividly rendered in razor sharp prose, this novel is a riveting journey of trust betrayed—and the courageous struggle toward recovery.

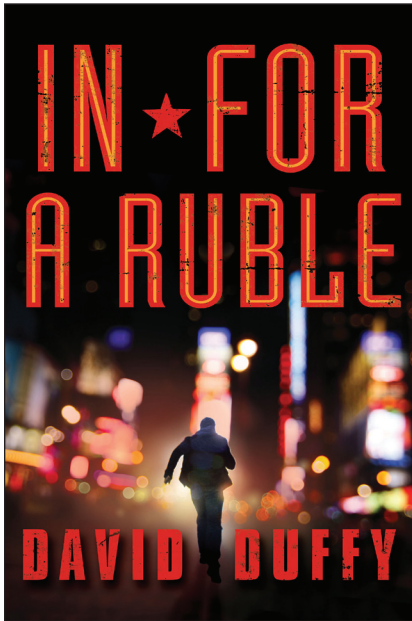
**"A terrific mystery, but *Hell or High Water* is more than just a mystery; it's a heartfelt examination of a second America—poor but undaunted—that was swept under the rug but refuses to stay there . . . I can't wait to see what Joy Castro does next."**

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**"In the tradition of P.D. James, Ruth Rendell and Lucha Corpi, Joy Castro shows how mystery can be much more than the unraveling of crimes concealed. An irresistible and compelling novel."**

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JOY CASTRO teaches literature at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Her 2005 memoir, *The Truth Book* was elected an ABA Book Sense Notable Book.



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**IN FOR A RUBLE**

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*A pulse-pounding mystery featuring Russian-American detective Turbo Vlost, the deadliest ex-KGB operative to ever hit New York*

Turbo Vlost is back. He's depressed, drinking too much and terrified that his girlfriend is truly gone.

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Thanks to his own legwork and his partner, Foos's data-mining monster, Turbo can see all the cards. Vlost knows to play the hand he has to join the kind of game he recognizes from his childhood in the Gulag—one where the odds can suddenly grow short and losers don't always come out alive.

Duffy will enthrall fans of Martin Cruz Smith and Tom Rob Smith in this action-packed Turbo Vlost adventure.

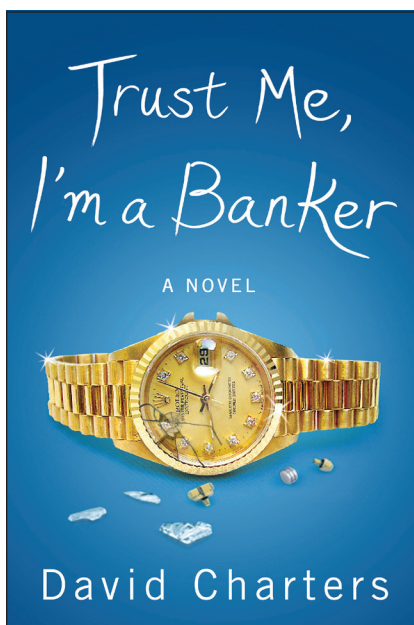
**Praise for *Last to Fold*:**

**"One of the most original protagonists I've ever come across . . . Duffy knows his Russia inside and out, but most of all, he knows how to tell a story with flair and elegance. This is really, really good."**

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**"The dialogue is crisp and rings true, and the main character is easy to like and root for."** —*PUBLISHERS WEEKLY*

DAVID DUFFY spent twenty-five years advising U.S. and multi-national corporations. Along the way he helped bring the *Antiques Roadshow* to PBS and income tax to Poland.



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# TRUST ME, I'M A BANKER

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DAVID CHARTERS

*In the tradition of American Psycho comes this hilariously cynical and often brutal novel skewering the world of investment banking, set in the heart of London high finance*

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Razor-sharp and extremely funny, *Trust Me, I'm A Banker* is the tale of one man's quest for outrageous compensation and alpha status in a world where pitiless ambition, insecurity and moral ambiguity are second nature and glitter is far more important than gold.

### Praise for David Charters:

**"Dave Hart is one of the great comic creations of the twenty-first century."** —MICHAEL RIDPATH, AUTHOR OF *TRADING REALITY, THE MARKET MAKER AND FINAL VENTURE*

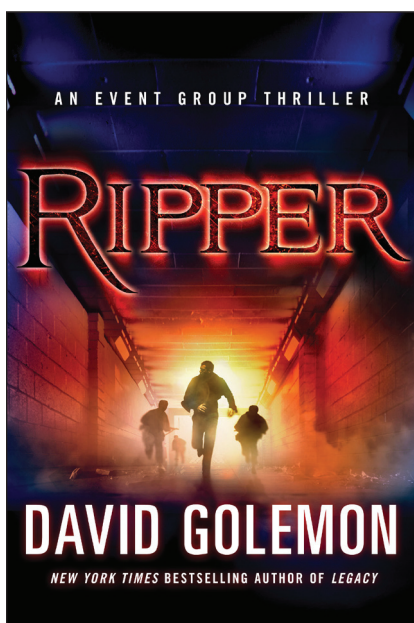
**"Fast and furious with enough laughs to keep you from worrying if what Mr Charters says is actually true."**

—CHRISTOPHER REICH, AUTHOR OF *RULES OF BETRAYAL, RULES OF VENGEANCE, AND RULES OF DECEPTION*

**"The dialogue rings most true at its most outrageous."**

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DAVID CHARTERS is a former diplomat and investment banker, who left the City after twelve years of working on many of the largest international flotations and privatizations, first as Director of SG Warburg Securities, then Managing Director at Deutsche Bank and then an independent practitioner.



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# RIPPER

DAVID GOLEMON

*The real Jack the Ripper is loose, and this time he's brought friends to the darkness of the deep desert in the newest adrenaline rush from The New York Times bestselling author of Legacy*

Reminiscent of the works of James Rollins, Preston and Child and Matthew Reilly, *Ripper* is the latest in an action-packed series about the nation's most secret agency—The Event Group. In 1887, the British Empire contracted Lawrence Ambrose to create a mutant gene to turn an ordinary person into an aggressive fighting machine. But all too quickly, Ambrose was found to be behind a streak of vicious murders, and Queen Victoria ordered the project, and Ambrose, terminated. Thus the legend of Jack the Ripper was born. The killings stopped as suddenly as they had begun—but not because Ambrose was caught. He had escaped to America. In 2012, a small cache of antiquated notebooks containing long-buried instructions is uncovered. Enter the Event Group and Col. Jack Collins, who are desperate to stop one of their most feared enemies. When the formula is loosed in the underground halls and vaults of the Event Group complex itself, brother will battle brother, and for the first time in many brave men's lives, they will understand the true meaning of fear.

### Praise for the Event Group series:

**"Golemon knows how to make readers turn the pages, and Primeval will only further enhance his reputation."**

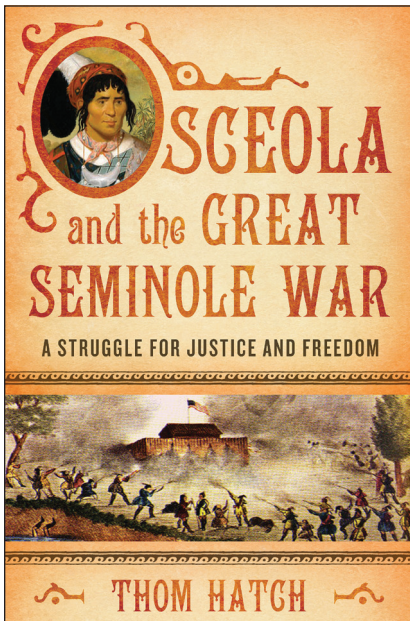
—BOOKLIST

**"A tale worthy of the giants of the genre like Clive Cussler, James Rollins and Matthew Reilly."**

—MEGALITH.COM ON LEGEND

DAVID L. GOLEMON makes his home in New York. *Ripper* is the seventh novel in his Event Group Series.





# OSCEOLA AND THE GREAT SEMINOLE WAR

A Struggle for Justice and Freedom

THOM HATCH

*The biography of Osceola, the revered Native American warrior who led the daring resistance against U.S. troops during the Great Seminole War*

When he died in 1838, Seminole warrior Osceola was the most famous Native American in the world. Born a Creek, Osceola was driven from his home to Florida by General Andrew Jackson where he joined the Seminole tribe. Their paths would cross again when President Jackson signed the Indian Removal Act that would relocate the Seminoles to hostile lands and lead to the return of the slaves who had joined their tribe. Outraged Osceola declared war.

This vivid history recounts how Osceola led the longest, most expensive, and deadliest war between the U.S. Army and Native Americans and how he captured the imagination of the country with his quest for justice and freedom.

Insightful, meticulously researched, and thrillingly told, Thom Hatch's account of the Great Seminole War is an accomplished work that finally does justice to this great leader.

**Praise for *Black Kettle: The Cheyenne Chief Who Sought Peace But Found War*:**

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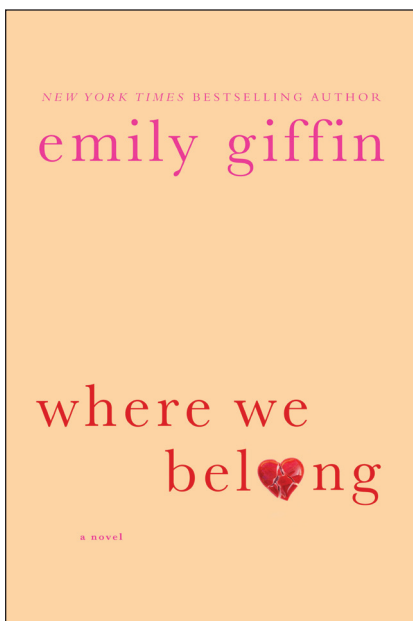
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THOM HATCH is the author of *Black Kettle: The Cheyenne Chief Who Sought Peace But Found War*, which won the Spur Award for best biography from the Western Writers of America. This is his seventh book. He lives in Colorado.



# WHERE WE BELONG

EMILY GIFFIN

*The author of five blockbuster novels, Emily Giffin delivers an unforgettable story of two women, the families that make them who they are, and the longing, loyalty and love that binds them together*

Marian Caldwell is a thirty-six year old television producer, living her dream in New York City. With a fulfilling career and satisfying relationship, she has convinced everyone, including herself, that her life is just as she wants it to be. But one night, Marian answers a knock on the door . . . only to find Kirby Rose, an eighteen-year-old girl with a key to a past that Marian thought she had sealed off forever. From the moment Kirby appears on her doorstep, Marian’s perfectly constructed world—and her very identity—will be shaken to its core, resurrecting ghosts and memories of a passionate young love affair that threaten everything that has come to define her.

For the precocious and determined Kirby, the encounter will spur a process of discovery that ushers her across the threshold of adulthood, forcing her to re-evaluate her family and future in a wise and bittersweet light. As the two women embark on a journey to find the one thing missing in their lives, each will come to recognize that where we belong is often where we least expect to find ourselves—a place that we may have willed ourselves to forget, but that the heart remembers forever.

**Praise for the books of Emily Giffin:**

**“Giffin’s talent lies in taking relatable situations and injecting enough wit and suspense to make them feel fresh. What Ellen learns is quietly thrilling: Sometimes, you have to do whatever it takes to be with the one you love.”**  
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EMILY GIFFIN is *The New York Times* bestselling author of *Something Borrowed*; *Something Blue*; *Baby Proof*; *Love The One You’re With* and *Heart of The Matter*. She lives in Atlanta with her husband and three young children.



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Queen Elizabeth I and the Wars of Religion

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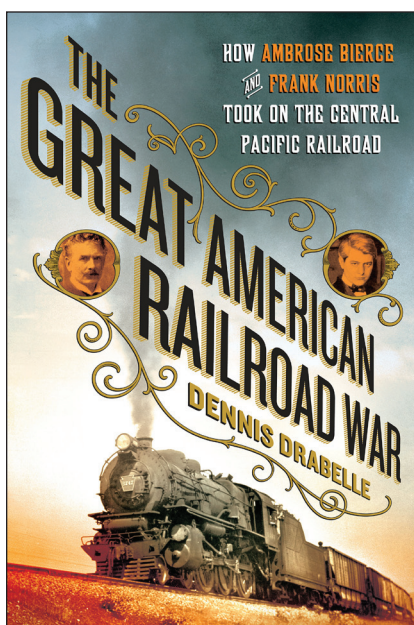
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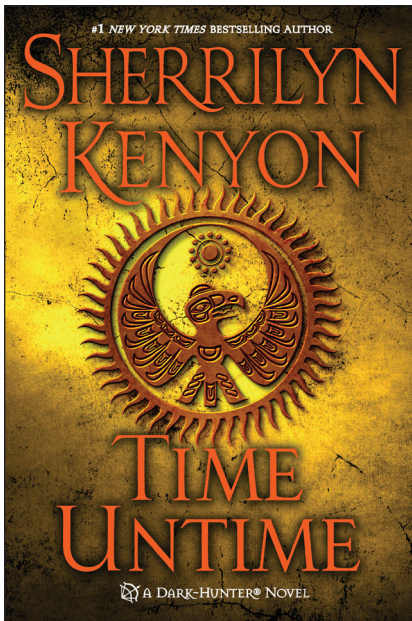
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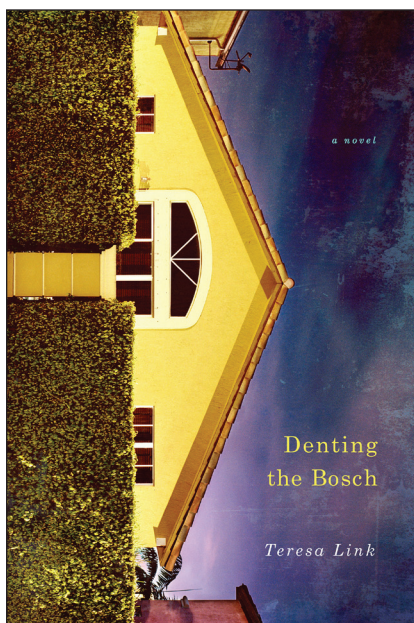
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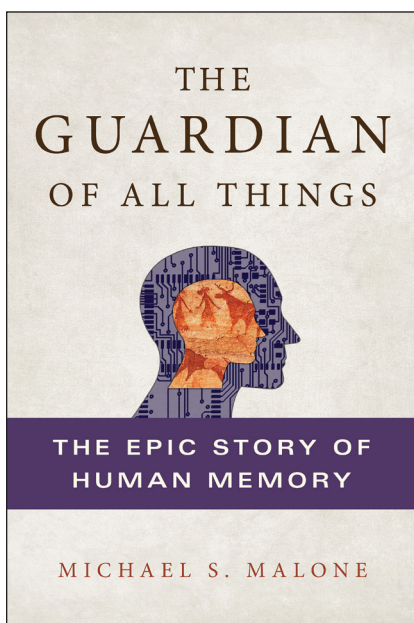
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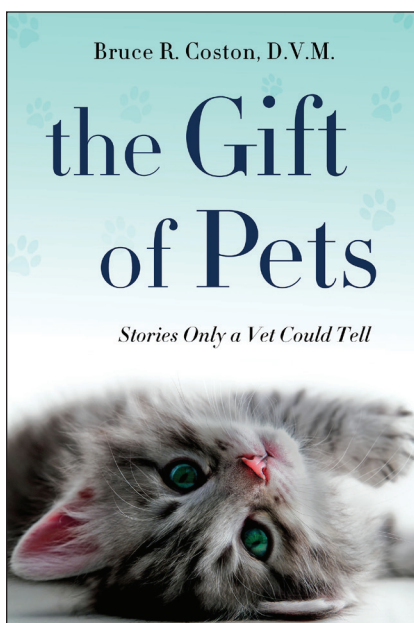
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