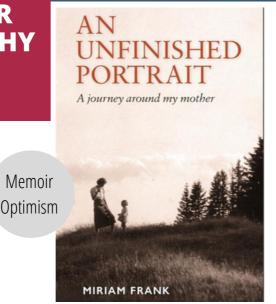
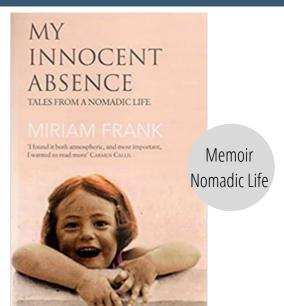


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An Unfinished Portrait By Miriam Frank

Frank explores the world of her mother, Käte, at an exceptionally turbulent time in history leading to two world wars. It is a story of relationship, love, betrayal and reprieve between characters intimately bound with the emerging ideologies and ensuing political and artistic upheavals of the early twentieth century. Flashbacks are reconstructed from Käte's photograph albums, some letters left behind, and a return to her haunts. They reveal a happy, passionate and liberated young woman fervently committed to justice in the face of the growing chaos and cruelty under the ascendant Nazis in her native Germany. After life in Berlin & London, and a sojourn in the islands of Helgoland and Mallorca, Käte settles in Barcelona where she forms a liaison with Louis, an American living in Spain following his work in counterintelligence in WW1.

Additional information:

256 pages - Hardback - Illustr/ photo's **Rights:** World (excl. World English, Greek, French)

My Innocent Absence By Miriam Frank

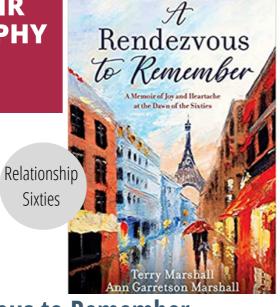
Longlisted for the PEN-Ackerley prize for a literary autobiography of excellence

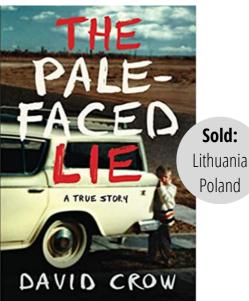
The reader follows Miriam's vividly evoked experiences in war-torn Spain and France, and on to Casablanca, Mexico and New Zealand, while family members are murdered in Germany or flee to Holland, Palestine and Italy. Along the way she encounters renowned communists and anarchists, writers and artists of the period.

My Innocent Absence traces Miriam's journey from fragmentation to wholeness, revealing history's role in the formation and fate of the individual, along with the individual's inherent strength and resourcefulness to thrive in the face of adversity, and – beyond it – to break down barriers towards a more connected and compassionate world.

Additional Information:

300 pages - Hardback - Illustr/photo's **Rights:** World (excl. World English, French, Greek)





The Pale-Faced Lie By David Crow

A Rendezvous to Remember By Terry Marshall, Ann Marshall

The true story of a soldier, a pacifist, and the woman who loved them both

Jack offered the military life Ann had grown up with. Terry, a conscientious objector, would leave for the Peace Corps at summer's end, unless the draft board intervened and sent him to jail. Her dilemma: she loved them both. Ann had to make an agonizing choice—a choice made all that much harder by her meddling parents, Terry's passionate pleas, and Jack's irresistible charm.

A Rendezvous to Remember is an intimate portrayal of relationships in the early sixties, written by a young woman finding her way in a changing world and by the man who ultimately won her heart. Provocative and delightfully uncensored, this coming-of-age memoir is a tribute to the enduring power of love and family.

Additional information:

Published 2021 (Sandra Jonas Publishing) - ISBN: 9781733338622 - 378 pages - Hardback

Rights: World

Growing up the Navajo Indian on Reservation, David Crow and his three siblings idolized their dad, a self-taught Cherokee who loved to tell his children about his World War II feats. But as time passed. David discovered the other side of Thurston Crow, the ex-con with his own code of ethics that justified cruelty, violence, lies - even murder. Intimidating David with beatings, Thurston coerced his son into doing his criminal bidding. David's mom, too mentally ill to care for her children, couldn't protect him. Through sheer determination, David managed to get into college and achieve professional success. When he finally found the courage to refuse his father's criminal demands, he unwittingly triggered a plot of revenge that would force him into a deadly showdown with Thurston Crow

Additional Information:

Published (Sandra Jonas Publishing) - ISBN: 9780997487152 - 356 pages - Paperback - **Rights:** World



Mirrored Minds By Kate Ashton

Søren Kierkegaard and Hans Christian Andersen

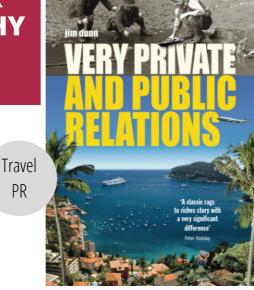
A double biography charting the parallel lives of two towering figures of European and world literature, from their youthful days as drinking companions in a nineteenth-century Copenhagen student dive to the palpably reverberating effects of their respective legacies on the world today. This book illuminates the extraordinary personal and creative relationship between the two writers: a literary history which has gone largely unrecognised and undocumented.

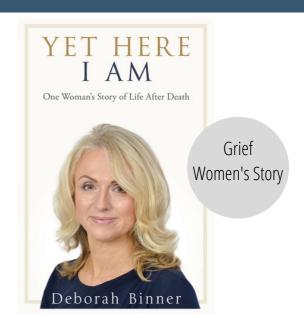
Kierkegaard began reading Andersen's work from long before the fairy tales, the future philosopher dedicating his own debut publication to an excoriating critique of the storyteller's first novel. The humble acceptance with which Andersen accepted this as forward impetus for his writing set the tone for their relationship. Both men were to live solitary lives; each tortured and fatally impeded by early sexual and emotional trauma, each recognising the very different integrity of the other's oeuvre. They would continue to read each other's work, largely without comment, each respectful of the other's immense literary output and personal suffering. Their experience was sublimated in entirely divergent ways, Andersen existing in a constant state of denial and escapism, Kierkegaard relentlessly facing down his personal past and present reality in his attempt to attain spiritual wholeness.

The lasting influence of these two writers of Golden Age Denmark on European cultures and the wider world cannot be over-estimated. In delineating the core of Christian teaching as the power of the individual to shape their own moral character Kierkegaard conceived the central tenet of 'existentialism'; while Andersen deflected the Western mind from both the simplistic sermonspeak of the Reformation and painful introspection, leading it instead into a bright new mythology of happy endings in which darkness is tolerated and its lessons taught only by the subconscious. We have taken the latter path.

Additional information:

To be published (The Lutterworth Press) - 87.500 words





Very Private & Public Relations By Jim Dunn

PR

This book is the autobiography of Travel PR guru Jim Dunn, who takes us on a rollicking ride from poor boy growing up gay in a small town on the west coast of Scotland to the fivestar lifestyle of a PR guru in the fledgling travel industry of the early seventies in London. We discover Dunn's story, from his childhood as a mummy's boy to his regular encounters on the "Love Train" home from Glasgow and his first love with a man in uniform. His life quite literally 'took off' when he got his first job on the weekly newspaper Travel Trade Gazette. The fact that he admits he couldn't type, write or understand one end of PR from the other didn't stop him from creating the UK's leading travel and leisure PR consultancy over the next 30 years. This book is a tour de force of Jim's life and work and is a fascinating insight into the travel business as we know it today.

Additional information:

Published 2021 (Thorogood) - 348 pages -ISBN: 9781854189356 - Paperback

Rights: World

Yet Here I am **By Deborah Binner**

Deborah Binner suffered the unimaginable pain of losing her precious daughter Chloe to bone cancer when she was just eighteen years old. Still blinded by grief, just eighteen months later, she received the devastating blow that her beloved husband Simon had motor neurone disease.

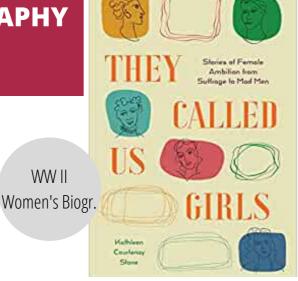
He refused to allow the disease to take him and instead opted for an assisted suicide in a Swiss clinic, leaving Deborah bereaved once more. Many people would have sunk into despair but Deborah who had another daughter and two grandchildren to think of, knew she couldn't afford to succumb to her heartbreak and instead set about carving an altered future for herself and small family. In Yet Here I Am she talks candidly of the crippling pain she suffered and find a form of happiness once more.

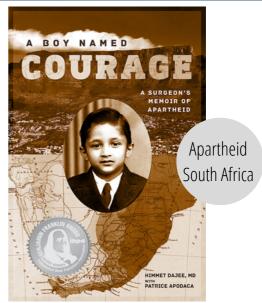
Additional Information:

Published 2018 (Splendid Books)

ISBN: 9781909109773 - 304 pages

Paperback - Rights: World





They Called Us Girls By Kathleen Stone

Finalist for a 2022 Foreword Indies Book of the year award in Women's Studies

Finalist for a 2022 Ian book of the Year awards, Women's Non-Fiction

Stories of female ambition from suffrage to mad man.

In *They Called Us Girls*: Stories of Female Ambition from Suffrage to Mad Men, author Kathleen Courtenay Stone meets seven unconventional women. In insightful, personalized portraits that span a half-century, Kathleen weaves stories of female ambition, uncovering the families, teachers, mentors, and historical events that led to unexpected paths. What inspired these women, and what can they teach women and girls today?

Additional information:

Published 2022 (Cynren Press) - ISBN: 9781947976245 - 236 pages - Hardback -

Rights: World

A Boy Named Courage By Himmet Dajee

2019 - Benjamin Franklin Silver Award Winner

A Surgeon's Memoir of Apartheid

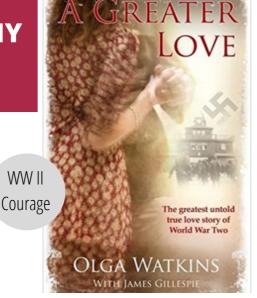
A Boy Named Courage: A Surgeon's Memoir of Apartheid is the story of one man's quest to overcome racism and oppression to find his place in the world and escape the shadow of his troubled homeland. Thoughtful, emotionally honest, and at times heart-rending, this account of the personal toll wrought by one of the most shameful periods in modern history provides a unique glimpse into an often-overlooked community affected by apartheid. It is also a testament to the triumph of the human spirit, and to the boy who persevered against all odds to live up to his name: Courage.

Additional Information:

Published (Cynren Press)

ISBN: 9781947976009 - 222 pages -

Hardback - Rights: World





A Greater Love By Olga Watkins

The true story of a woman's incredible journey into the heart of the Third Reich to find the man she loves. When the Gestapo seize 20-year-old Olga Czepf's fiance she is determined to find him and sets off on an extraordinary 2,000-mile search across Nazi-occupied Europe risking betrayal, arrest and death.

As the Second World War heads towards its bloody climax, she refuses to give up - even when her mission leads her to the gates of Dachau and Buchenwald concentration camps...

Now 88 and living in London, Olga tells with remarkable clarity of the courage and determination that drove her across war-torn Europe, to find the man she loved. The greatest untold true love story of World War Two.

Additional Information:

Published (Splendid Books)

ISBN: 9780955891670 - 280 pages - Paperback

Rights: World

Mother Love By Fraser Harrison

The book is not a formal biography, though his mother is the heroine, even if her behaviour was not always heroic. It is a collection of vignettes, which describe her evolving character and the cardinal stages in her life.

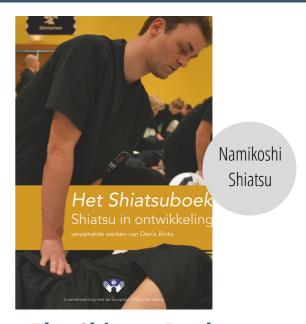
Mother Love is divided into three parts, Beginning, Middle and End. Though short, it forms a complete narrative arc that takes his mother from birth to death, and from childhood to senility.

The author describes his conflicted feelings as his role changed from son to quasi-parent, as his mother was replaced by a virtual stranger, as large sums of money were spent on an increasingly empty life, and as his loyalty to a woman he wasn't sure he loved was sorely tested.

Additional Information:

Not yet published - 45.000 Words





The Professor as a Guinea Pig By Irene van Staveren

Migraine is one of the most onerous illnesses from which human beings can suffer. There are millions of migraine sufferers globally. Irene van Staveren is one of them. She was twenty-one when she had her first migraine attack. When her doctors had failed to help her solve the problem after many years of trying, she decided to do some research on the matter herself. She explored the body of academic research that is beyond the mainstream and tried out her findings on herself. The results were astonishing: her migraine attacks decreased by 95%. This book is both a first-hand account by a patient and a fierce plea for the need for an experimental spirit in both doctors and patients. Irene van Staveren offers the millions of migraine sufferers around the world a hopeful perspective.

Additional Information:

Published 2020 (Ten Have) - ISBN: 9789025907792 – 240 pages – Paperback -**English** sample available - **Rights:** World

The Shiatsu Book by European Shiatsu Academy®

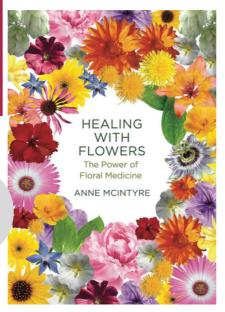
Namikoshi Shiatsu the Colleges Academies worldwide there is a standard treatment and procedure to perform considering this treatment. All Shiatsu treatments developed by Denis Binks are the main subject of the tutorials given by the teachers of The European Shiatsu Academy (ESA). Some of the treatments developed by Denis Binks are based on already existing Japanese treatments. Other treatments have additions by teachers of the European Shiatsu Academy. The authors fulfill the long standing request of many people to put the work of Denis in a book. It certainly offers a deepening contribution to Shiatsu. Denis took Shiatsu, originally a very old method of Eastern medical treatment, to our Western world and developed the Eastern knowledge integrated modern collection of treatments.

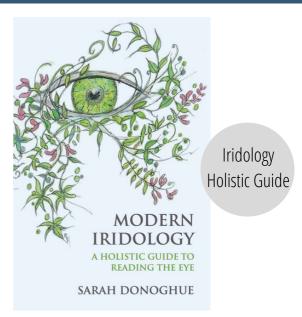
Additional Information:

Published (European Shiatsu Academy) -Complete **English** translation - ISBN: 9789090313382 - Paperback - 96 pagina's (27.342 words) - b/w illustrations - **Rights:** World

ALTERNATIVE HEALTH

Flowers Healing





Healing with Flowers By Anne McIntyre

The healing power of flowers permeates every aspect of our lives. Flowers help us mark every event and ceremony from birth to death and bring us joy and solace throughout the years. They have inspired poets, authors and artists and come to symbolise the whole range of human experience. From exuberant red peonies to sweet-smelling primroses, exotic lilies and heavenly-scented roses, flowers have the power to reconnect us with the conscious intelligence of nature that we are a part of and to heal our ills in a myriad of ways.

Beautifully illustrated with vibrant colour photographs by Julie Bruton-Seal, the book explores 64 flowers from around the world – from Yarrow (Achillea millefolium) to Heartsease (Viola tricolor) alongside chapters on edible flowers, growing and gathering, and distilling flowers.

Additional Information:

Published 2022 (Aeon Books) - ISBN: 9781913504793 – 488 pages – Paperback -

Rights: World

Modern Iridology By Sarah Donoghue

A practical, accessible and insightful handbook on reading the eye.

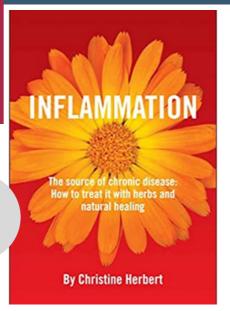
The human eye is a blueprint of the bodies genetically inherited strengths and weaknesses: a comprehensive health profile that allows one to make informed dietary and lifestyle choices that fully support one's unique constitution. This book is practical manual that can be easily used medical professionals and interested enthusiasts alike. Taking a holistic approach, author Sarah Donoghue explores the subject of from a scientific, physical iridology emotional perspective. It allows readers to safely examine the iris and make confident assessments, as well as formulate individualised herbal, dietary and lifestyle interventions based on information gleaned from the depths of the endlessly fascinating iris!

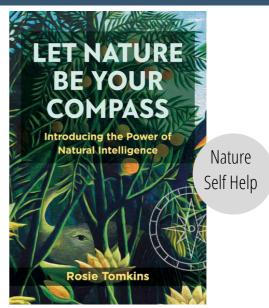
Additional Information:

Published 2023 (Aeon Books) - ISBN: 9781801520522 – 100 pages – Paperback -

ALTERNATIVE HEALTH

Chronic Disease





Inflammation By Christine Herbert

Inflammation is a major scourge of modern life and most people are affected by it to one extent or another. It is the underlying reason for all the major chronic diseases we see today and is the result of many different pathological processes which then result in a range of conditions from allergies, diabetes to cancer. It also has a big impact on mood and mental health. Inflammation is about acute inflammation which has transformed into chronic inflammation unresolved inflammation that does not have a useful or positive outcome in the body, and is positively damaging to the body. The book takes a holistic approach and goes beyond the use of anti-inflammatory medication which only treats the result of and not the cause of disease, and can also become part of the problem if used long term. A materia medica is provided at the end of the book.

Additional Information:

Published 2022 (Aeon Books) - ISBN: 978180152071 – 240 pages – Paperback -

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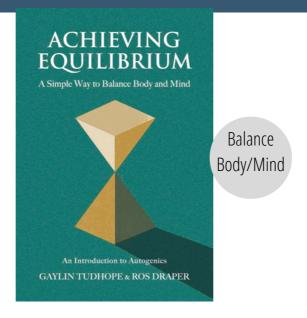
Let Nature be your Compass By Rosie Tomkins

This book explores the human connection to the natural world. Ultimately humanity is part of nature so it makes sense that we should shape our lives in accordance to the idea of natural intelligence. Rosie Tomkins invites us to reexamine our connection with nature and return to the attributes that animals have been naturally reflecting on for thousands of years such as purpose, adaption, resilience, pressure to name a few - in order to better our lives and our businesses. This book will encourage readers to gain back control of their initiative and natural flair in life, as well regain faith in their own judgement, by taking a look at nature in the raw to see what valuable lessons can be utilised to cut through the complexities of modern existence. This book uses memorable anchors, examples and solutions that will provide readers with an edge in almost any situation they go on to encounter in life.

Additional Information:

To be publ 2023 (Aeon Books) - ISBN: 9781801520874 – Paperback - **Rights:** World

SPIRITUALITY ALTERNATIVE HEALTH



Achieving Equilibrium By Ros Draper, Gaylin Tudhope

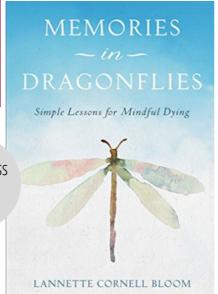
A different and exciting form of self-care in the form of practical mind to body self-regulation. In the challenging times of the 21st century, looking after oneself and navigating the bumps in the road has become more difficult than ever. However, this fascinating book, written by two psychotherapists with many years of experience, provides a simple and reliable means of restoring the balance which is vital for the robust body mind system we need if we are to be able to bounce back from adverse experiences. It is this balance (homeostasis) that provides us with the highway to wellbeing and it is our body mind system's innate capacity to self regulate which is at the core of this book. Using six key Autogenic Training exercises, the authors provide readers with the skillset to self regulate at any time or any place.

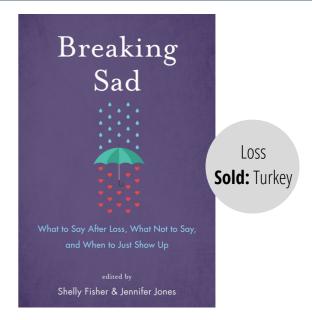
Additional Information:

Published 2023 (Aeon Books) - ISBN: 9781801520751 – 142 pages – Paperback -

SPIRITUALITY ALTERNATIVE HEALTH







Memories in Dragonflies By Lannette Cornell Bloom

Lannette Cornell Bloom was 43 when her mother was diagnosed with pulmonary fibrosis. She quit her job & dove headlong into the familiar role of care-taking. This choice-to slow down & be present for the hardest year of her life-resulted in an awakening. In unexpected moments, as childhood memories flooded into the present, Lannette glimpsed bits of magic that existed just beyond the pain. Without knowing it, she was experiencing a mindful dying process with her mother & it was a journey that would change the way she lived the rest of her life. This memoir gracefully uncovers the beauty that is often lost within the dying process & is a beautiful portrait of what it means to be human and a gentle reminder to enjoy every moment, because even the simplest ones bring lasting joy.

Additional Information:

Published 2018 (She Writes Press) - ISBN: 9781631524691 - Paperback - 122

pages - Rights: World

Breaking Sad By Jennifer Jones & Shelly Fisher

An exceptionally personal and revealing account of what to say and what not to say when someone is grieving - Cindy Connors, Emmy Award-winning producer

Real stories and real feedback on what should be said, what should be kept to yourself, and what can be done when trying to support someone you care about as they navigate loss. Breaking Sad helps us start conversations through its pages of personal stories and suggestions from everyday survivors - bringing us all to a place where we can more comfortably offer support and caring to people when they need it Featuring stories from Montel most. Williams. Olivia Newton-John, Scott Hamilton, Giuliana Rancic, Valerie Harper, and more!

Additional Information:

Published 2017 (She Writes Press) ISBN: 9781631522420 – 256 pages –

Paperback - Rights: World



Nature Mindfulness



A true story about what the wilderness teaches us about ourselves

More than **8000 copies** sold

Lessons from the Wild By Martine van Zijll Langhout

During her exciting adventures, Dutch wildlife veterinarian Martine takes us to the African wilderness. There is danger everywhere and she often has to run for her life. For her work with gorillas, she lives in the vast rainforest of Gabon and sneaks along elephant paths. And in South Africa, lions, buffalos, giraffes, rhinos and elephants are her daily patients. On foot, on horseback or from a helicopter, she shoots tranquilizer darts and is active against rhino poaching. The wild animals teach Martine a lot, including that we are part of one large ecosystem, but also about our origins, our humanity and our vulnerability.

Lessons from the Wild is full of challenges and dangerous encounters, but by trusting herself, her team and the wild animals, Martine finds her place in the wilderness. This book is about following dreams and what we can learn from wild animals. Life lessons that are also applicable in our own lives and that make us aware of how special nature is.

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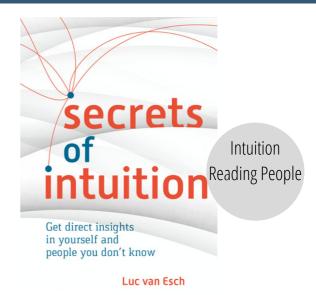
Published 2020 (Ambo Anthos) - 7 reprints - English translation available - 254 pages - ISBN: 9789026352522

Rights: World (Excl. Dutch)

'This adventurous wildlife veterinarian shows us that people are vulnerable creatures who are only a small link in a large whole. Beautiful!' – **André Kuipers**

'Martine shows us how a veterinarian makes a difference in our relationship with nature.' – **Frans de Waal**





Go with your Flow By Luc van Esch

When you are in the flow, life runs effortlessly. It is the feeling that everything is alright in the here and now, where coincidences present themselves as if they are meant to. Everything seems to come easily, exactly as you want it to. What these manifestation moments have in common is that solutions and answers always come from unexpected quarters, effortlessly and quickly.

The author will share many of his personal and often magical moments of creation with you in this book. And you can have these moments, too! He will explain how your thinking prevents you from getting into the flow and how you can transform these obstacles so that you too can manifest what you really desire from life.

Additional Information:

Published 2022 - Compete **English** translation - ISBN: 9789464486964 - Paperback - **Rights:** World

Secrets of Intuition By Luc van Esch

Get direct insights in yourself and people you don't know. Do you want to be able to trust your intuition more? And would you like to be better in assessing people you don't know? This book will explain how you can get easy access to your intuition and master the skill of reading people. The reading techniques I am providing, can be applied right away. They will give you deeper insight in the other, in your relationships and your own life as it is now. It will be easier to make choices as doubts will disappear. It will open your eyes and you will get a different view of people and the Everybody can develop intuition. For you, too, your intuition can become a tool that you can trust. It will work easier and faster than you'd probably think.

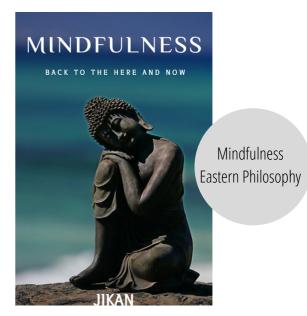
Additional Information:

Published - Compete **English** translation - ISBN: 9789460151699 – 224 pages –

Paperback - Rights: World

Buddhist Mindfulness





More Mindfulness By Jikan

More Mindfulness is the sequel to the previously published book: "Mindfulness, back to the here and now". Where the first book dwells on the basics of mindfulness, this book goes further. Among other things, it goes deeper into the original role of mindfulness in Buddhism; mindfulness as a response to the first Buddhist truth: life is suffering.

It also discusses other Buddhist aspects involved in mindfulness such as mindfulness from the heart. Indeed, moral behaviour and a calm mind can reinforce each other. There is also a focus on mindfulness in action. After all, we cannot always sit on our meditation cushion. How do you shape mindfulness in daily life?

Additional Information:

Complete English translation available 72 pages

Rights: World (Excl. Dutch)

Mindfulness By Jikan

Interest in Eastern philosophy and ways of thinking has flourished in the western world for some time now. Meditation and yoga have become commonplace in our society. Recently interest has bloomed in another aspect of Eastern thinking: mindfulness.

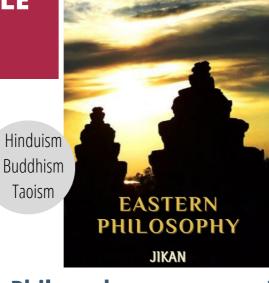
But what is mindfulness? What is it good for? Where did it come from? This book addresses these questions and provides numerous mindfulness exercises that are easy to apply in one's daily life.

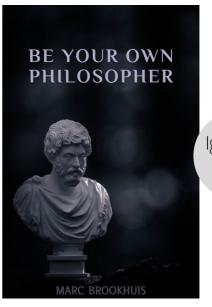
"If you are not ahead with your thoughts, each footstep is not just a means to an end but a unique event in itself."

Additional Information: Complete English & German translation

available - 45 pages

Rights: World (Excl. Dutch)





Ignite your curiosity

Eastern Philosophy By Jikan

Eastern philosophy has a rich history dating back to at least 3,000 BC, with its sources primarily in Asia, especially India and China.

This book examines the five best-known Eastern worldviews: Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Taoism, and Zen. It discusses their main characteristics and considers the purpose of each philosophy.

Eastern philosophy differs greatly from Western philosophy. In a general sense, it can be said that Eastern philosophy focuses mainly on reality, while Western philosophy centers around truth.

Additional Information:

Complete English translation available 72 pages

Rights: World (Excl. Dutch)

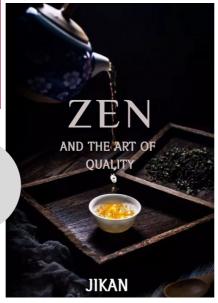
Be your own Philosopher By Marc Brookhuis

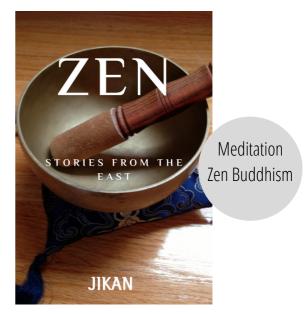
We are bombarded with information from all directions - television, radio, newspapers, and the internet. Opinions, statements, and viewpoints flood our senses. But can we trust everything that is being said? What about our own thoughts? Do we still have the freedom to think independently and cultivate original ideas, or are we merely echoing the words of others? This book seeks to stimulate one's own thinking. To do so, it relies on philosophy, a discipline that places thinking at its core. Two aspects are highlighted: the investigative phase, which revolves around developing one's own thoughts, and the critical phase, involves scrutinizing thoughts, which propositions, and opinions in greater depth. The book offers various exercises to ignite your philosophical curiosity and awaken the philosopher within you.

Additional Information:

Complete English translation available 48 pages – **Rights:** World (Excl. Dutch)

Zen Lifestyle





Zen & the Art of Quality By Jikan

Quality is one of the most often used concepts in our existence. But what are we actually talking about? What exactly do we mean when we speak about quality? This book tries to answer these questions and offers a way to look at quality. For this reason we go deeper in to Zen Buddhism: a philosophy in which quality plays a big part. About what kind of quality are we talking when it comes to Zen? And, what can we learn from this? In short, a research in quality in all its diversities.

Review:

"Zen and the art of quality" gives depth and understanding of an aspect that is important in everyone's life, but which too often, under the pressure of mercantile and economic principles, loses its true meaning."

Additional Information:

Complete English translation available 72 pages – **Rights:** World (Excl. Dutch)

Zen: Stories from the East By Jikan

Zen Buddhism is well known for its stories and anecdotes. It is more likely that the reader remembers the contents than if it were presented as dry theory. Many stories in this book are educational, have a moral or provide an insight. Most of the stories derive from Zen Buddhism but the author will also explore Taoism.

At the end of the book you will find instructions on how to meditate, the most important practice in zen. Together with the collection of stories, this book gives a good insight in the world of zen.

Additional Information:

Complete English translation available 60 pages – **Rights:** World (Excl. Dutch)

SPIRITUALITY

Dreaming Spirituality



Manual of the Dream Artist
6 Steps Dreaming Guide
Workbook

How to Lucid Dream Manual By Elizabeth August/Dreamshield

How to Lucid Dream for Beginners gives you a great feeling. If you dream consciously (dreaming while being aware that you are dreaming), you have control over events in your life. Or at least the realization that you can control the situation. With this 6-step guide you will learn to one day instruct yourself to fly like a bird or to explore the Moon.

How to Lucid Dreams for Beginners offers a pathway to healing and spiritual enlightenment and heightens our human experience. With this 6-step guide you will become more aware in your daily life. The purpose of being human is to master lucid dreaming shamans say. One becomes the dreamer and the dream, to be a living dream weaver who experiences one's own dream.

Additional Information:

To be published - Complete **English** translation **Rights:** World (incl World English)

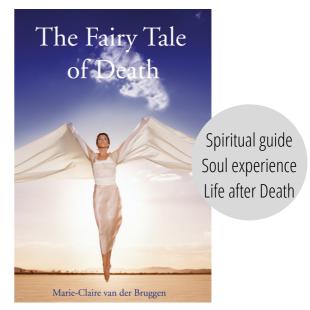
Also Available





SPIRITUALITY





A Visit from Heaven By Marie Claire van der Bruggen

Visiting Heaven is the sequel to The Fairy Tale of Death. Marie-Claire van der Bruggen relives the last days of her father's life, which they spend together and which they both experienced as very intensive, open and enriching.

At the time of her father's passing a bridge forms between this world and the world hereafter, and because of this they experience this period as a very touching and thankful period.

After some time Marie-Claire and her father are back in touch with each other. During these conversations we learn more about what happens to us when we die and how things evolve after death.

Additional Information:

Published 2020 (Eoscentra/Pallasia) - 5th reprint - ISBN: 9789082758221 - 96 pages - Hardback - **Rights:** World (excl. Germany)

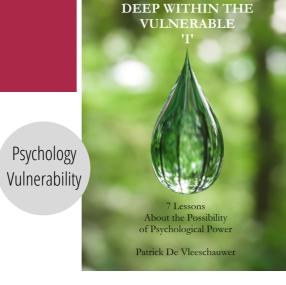
The Fairy Tale of Death By Marie Claire van der Bruggen

The Fairytale of Death is an inspiring story of a little Soul who is about to make her first journey to Earth. In a pleasant and simple way, this book answers questions such as: what happens before we travel to Earth and what does it feel like for a soul to be born in a human body? How does a soul experience life on Earth? And finally, how does a soul experience the dying process, or the return Home?

You join the Little Soul on her big adventure. It is a wonderful journey that may help you to discover who you really are and where you really come from. It shows you that there is no need to be afraid of dying, because, in fact, death is only a fairy tale...

Additional Information:

Published 2019 (Dharma Chakra Publications) - ISBN: 9789082584219 -Paperback - 176 pages - **Rights:** World



Deep within the Vulnerable 'I' By Patrick De Vleeschauwer

Imagine participating in an expedition with the most memorable leaders, artists, healers and scientists who ever walked this planet: an exploration to the deep source of our mind's fragility. Along the way, we also discover the roots of our timeless psychological power. We search for the path of the possibility to live an inspiring life that is worth living enthusiastically - together.

The pandemic, which hit many exceptionally hard, was immediately followed by an unprecedented geopolitical crisis with accompanying humanitarian, environmental and energy crises. We live in a time of remarkably severe emotional challenges for our sensitive minds. This expedition describes how we can learn to discover and strengthen the potential powers of our own minds; and in addition, it offers an ethical and aesthetic perspective on an emotionally liveable future.

This book is a guide to using our fragile minds; deeply rooted in the latest sciences; including seven experiential exercises to take control of your life from your psychological power. It is a guide for all people seeking a creative solution to cope with this particularly challenging world.

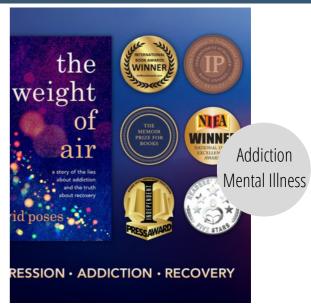
Author also writes for Psychology Today.

Additional Information:

To be published - Complete **English translation** available - approx 161 pages **Rights:** World (incl. World English)

Depression
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I'll Run Till the Sun Goes Down By David Sandum

A Memoir about Depresseion & Discovering Art

David Sandum appeared to have it all: a beautiful young family and a promising career ahead as a business consultant. But his life started veering off course, and upon returning to his native Scandinavia, he fell into an inexplicable, deep depression. I'll Run Till the Sun Goes Down is a searingly honest account of David's struggle to overcome his crippling mental illness. After years of hopeless despair, bleak hospitalizations, and shattered dreams, he is finally saved by his art. The paintbrush becomes his lifeline. Richly illustrated with the work of the artists who have inspired him as well as samples of his own drawings and paintings, this memoir offers both a compelling read and a visual story of David's courageous battle with depression.

Additional Information:

Published (Sandra Jonas Publishing) - ISBN: 9780985581527 - 360 Pages - Paperback - **Rights:** World

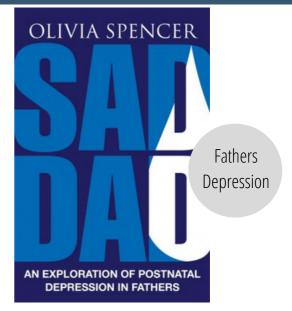
The Weight of Air By David Poses

In this groundbreaking memoir David chronicles his struggle to overcome mental illness and addiction. By age nineteen, he'd been through medical detox, inpatient rehab, twelve-step programs, and a halfway house. He saw his drug use as a symptom of depression, but the experts insisted that addiction was the problem. Over the next thirteen years, he went from one relapse to the next, drowning in guilt, shame, and secrets, until he finally found an evidencebased treatment that not only saved his life, but helped him thrive. With grit, humor, and brutal honesty, David's story exposes the danger in traditional recovery models: they actually increase stigma and the risk of overdose, relapse, and death. As depression and addiction rates skyrocket and overdose fatalities surge, The Weight of Air is a scathing indictment of our failed response to the opioid crisis—and proof that success is possible.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Sandra Jonas Publishing) - ISBN: 9781954861978 - 250 Pages - Paperback

FOOD
Glorious
FOOD
Transcending Obesity Through
the Symbology of Freud and Jung
NADINE JACOBS



Food Glorious Food By Nadine Jacobs

This book breaks down the complexity of food pathologies and will assist readers in understanding their depths and underlying archetypes. In the last century food has become a multibillion-dollar industry, resulting in the world's population becoming fatter and fatter. This has resulted in rapidly growing cases of obesity, and its accompanying health conditions such as diabetes, hypertension and heart problems.

Food, Glorious Food explores the origins of the importance of food in our society, and through a Jungian lens what it is about food that drives us, as a society, beyond the point of satiety. The book also explores the cultural symbols of the unconscious narrative around food, using Lewis Carroll's Alice in Wonderland as a text to further illustrate this.

Additional Information:

Published 2022 (Aeon Books) - ISBN: 9781801520263 - 204 Pages - Paperback

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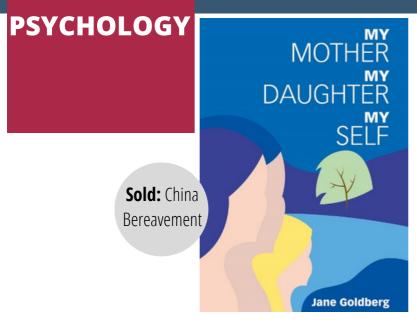
Sad Dad By Olivia Spencer

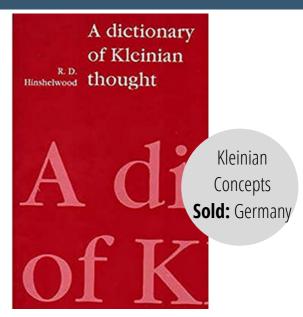
What happens to men when they become fathers? Why do some men get depressed, and how can we identify those who are? What does mean for their children and relationships? What can we do about it? Taking in many different perspectives, this book sheds light on the many aspects of postnatal depression in fathers. The book includes a review of recent studies and research in this area, looking at the effects of postnatal depression on children and relationships, and an investigation into the reasons behind male depression, incl. the postnatal social & psychoanalytic factors, experience depression as well as women. The author talks to Michel Odent, a renowned obstetrician & birth expert. His controversial view that men should not be present at childbirth, and that their presence may indeed this may be a trigger for depression, are central to his discussion.

Additional Information:

Published (FAB) - ISBN: 9781853432309 - 175

Pages - Paperback - Rights: World





My Mother, My Daughter, My Self By Jane Goldberg

This book is a significant self-revelatory work which chronicles the separation process between mother and child, focusing most specifically on the mother/daughter relationship. The book asks a core question for all mothers and adult children: how do we perform the perplexing, sometimes terrifying act of separation from our mothers and our children while simultaneously marching toward the unknown terrain of individuality? How do we yield to this inevitable process of emotional separation from that which was once our own self? The author uses her own experiences as a daughter, as a mother of a newly-adopted baby, and as a psychoanalyst to explore an essential truth: that our relationships with our mothers affect our other significant love relationships, our values, our self-esteem, and our sense of satisfaction, often throughout the whole of our lives.

Additional Information:

Published (FAB) - ISBN: 9781911383055 - 371 Pages - Paperback - **Rights:** World

A Dictionary of Kleinian Thought By R.D. Hinshelwood

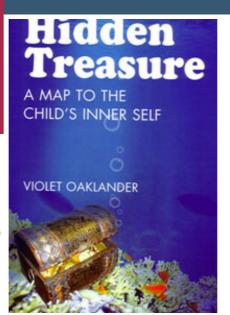
The ideas of Melanie Klein and the post-Kleinians have a growing influence among psychoanalysts yet they are not always easy to grasp. Robert Hinshelwood offers the first comprehensive and wholly accessible exposition of the main concepts in Kleinian psychoanalysis and their more recent development.

The book contains 13 main entries on the basic Kleinian concepts – splitting, paranoid-schizoid and depressive positions, projective identification, envy, internal objects – along with numerous entries on subsidiary concepts and the main post-Kleinian writers – Bion, Segal, Rosenfeld, Joseph and Meltzer. The book also has a bibliography of all Kleinian writings to date. It has already been acclaimed 'a tremendous' piece of work' and as 'the state of the art in its own domain'.

Additional Information:

Published 1991, 2nd edition (Free Ass. Books) - ISBN: 9780946960835 - 490 Pages - Paperback -

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Hidden Treasure By Violet Oaklander Ph.D.

Hidden Treasure is a follow up to Oaklander's first book, Windows To Our Children. Most of the books available in working with this population are written from a traditional 'play therapy' point of view. The Gestalt Therapybased approach provides a more effective method for psychotherapeutic work with children of all ages. The focus is on the relationship between the therapist and client, rather than observation and interpretation. It a vigorous, dynamic approach. Violet Oaklander uses a wide variety of creative, expressive and projective techniques in her and each chapter reflects and exemplifies the use of this work in the service of therapy. The approach is applicable to a wide variety of ages, as well as individual, family and group settings. The book will interest child and adolescent therapists, psychologists, school personnel as well as students.

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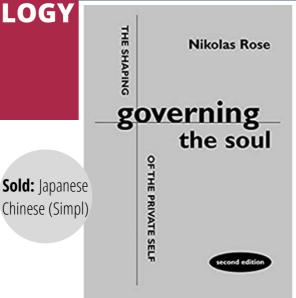
Published (Routledge) - ISBN: 9781855754904 248 Pages - Paperback - **Rights:** World

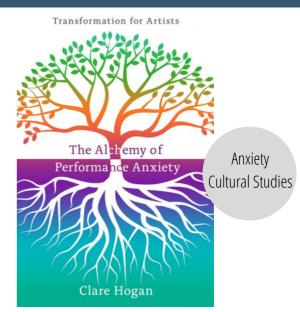
Windows to Our Children By Violet Oaklander Ph.D.

In this time of great upheaval and stress caused by the worldwide pandemic and many other economic. political and environmental challenges, Dr. Violet Oaklander's unique model of psychotherapy for children and adolescents is more timely and urgently needed than ever. Her seminal book, Windows to Our Children, first published over 40 years ago, has changed the lives of thousands of mental health professionals and millions of their clients across the U.S. and around the world. When originally published, this book filled a void in child therapy literature. Counselors and therapists, in schools, mental health centers and private practice, embraced this book. It is the largest selling book on the subject in the world. This edition includes over 300 pages of methods, materials, and techniques for working with children and are adolescents. Also included session transcripts, case examples and discussions.

Additional Information:

Published (The Gestalt Journal Press) - ISBN: 9781938304026 - 456 Pages - Paperback





Governing the Soul By Nikolas Rose

This work is now widely recognised as one of the founding texts in a new approach to analyzing the links between political power, expertise and the self. This "governmentality" perspective has had important implications for a range of academic disciplines including criminology, political theory, sociology and psychology and has generated much theoretical innovation empirical and investigation.

This 2nd edition adds a new introduction setting out the methodological and conceptual bases of this approach and a new final chapter that considers some of the implications of recent developments in the government of subjectivity.

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Additional Information:

Published (Free Ass. Books) - ISBN: 9781853-

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Rights: World

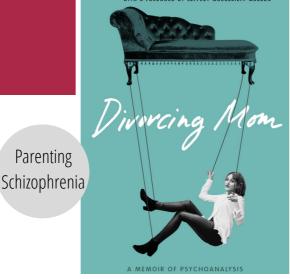
The Alchemy of Performance Anxiety By Clare Hogan

With mental health increasingly in the spotlight, this book offers a new perspective on anxiety. The focus of this book is on the application of psychological alchemical practice to address, explore and examine the nature and cause of anxiety in order to tackle and overcome it. It has never been more relevant to illustrate the reality that scientific, artistic and spiritual understanding, together with practical application, has the capacity to eliminate anxiety and gain personal control, liberation and fulfilment. The book is designed as a personal development book rather than a scholarly work and, although it is relevant to all ages (depending on timing), it was written with 18 - 30 year olds being the main inspiration through apparent and ever increasing necessity. It is a source book that can be dipped into anywhere or launch further investigation into any of the various disciplines and practices covered.

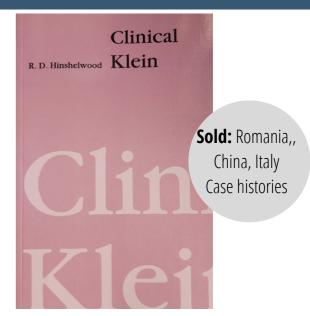
Additional Information:

Published (FAB) - ISBN: 9781911383130 - 200

Pages - Pb - Rights: World



MELISSA KNOX



Divorcing Mom By Melissa Knox

Psychoanalysis was her family's religion - instead of wafers and wine, there were Seconals, Nembutals, and gin. Baptized into the faith at fourteen, Melissa Knox endured her analyst's praise of her childlike, victimized mother - who leaned too close, ate off Melissa's plate, and thought "pedophile" meant "silly person."

Gaslighted with the notions that she'd seduced her father, failed to masturbate, and betrayed her mother, Melissa shouldered the blame. Her story of a family pulled into and torn apart by psychoanalysis exposes the abuse inherent in its authoritarianism as Melissa learns, with a startling sense of humor and admirable chagrin, that divorcing Mom is sometimes the least crazy thing to do.

Additional Information:

Published (Cynren Press) - ISBN: 9781947976054 - 228 Pages - Hardback -

Rights: World

Clinical Klein By R.D. Hinshelwood

ABest sellers rank Amazon: 199,352 in Books

- 46 in Melanie Klein
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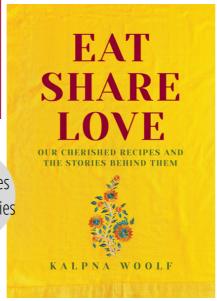
In this book, the seminal case histories of Melanie Klein and her followers are closely scrutinised, to examine both what the clinicians were noticing in their patients, and how they conceptualized those processes.

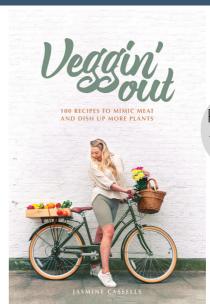
What are the contents and processes of the mind as they are revealed in the patient's speech on the couch, and what is the specific sense a Kleinian makes of them? At once a fascinating history of the Kleinian clinical approach and a superb training text, Robert Hinshelwood's Clinical Klein is an indispensable work of reference in the burgeoning field of Klein studies.

Additional Information:

Published 1994 (Free Ass. Books) - ISBN: 9781853433153 - 250 Pages - Paperback

Global Dishes
Personal stories





Plant based 100 recipes

Eat Share Love By Kalpna Woolf

Eat, Share, Love is a unique collection of 91 beautiful recipes and the compelling personal stories behind them. This timely cook book features mouth-watering dishes from often under-represented cuisines, including berberespiced Eritrean stews, fragrant Iranian saffron rice, fresh Sudanese salads, celebratory sweet pancakes made at Holi, and much more. It also reveals the fascinating memories attached to dishes, from romance blossoming over a tantalising Persian ghormeh sabzi to gathering with family and friends to make Moldovan cheese dumplings. All the proceeds from this book will go to the award-winning charity 91 Ways to Build A Global City, which seeks to bring language communities together in Bristol by eating and sharing with one another to build common ground, just as Eat, Share, Love aims to unite us through the power of food and stories.

Additional Information:

Published 2022 (Meze Publishing) - 240 pages - Hardback - ISBN: 9781910863893 - Rights: World

Veggin' Out By Jasmine Cassells

Vegging Out from debut author and plant-based nutritionist Jasmine Cassells highlights and celebrates the plethora of plant-based options to phase into your diet. Showcasing 100 recipes to replace and add variety to the classic meatfilled meals we know and love, Vegging Out is a beginner's guide to this sometimes daunting process of transition into the plant-based lifestyle. From tasty plant-based burgers, pizzas and roast dinners to sweet treats, poke bowls and party food, there's pages filled with tasty recipes to spark your inspiration. Highlights include the Beet it with the Lot Burger, BBQ Chickpea Pizza, Tofu To-key Roast, Chocolate Cob with Banana & Strawberry Skewers, Big Veggie Brekkie Board, Potato Cake Bake and Homemade Hummus - showing you just how easy it is to have a wide and varied diet full of plant-based goodness. Vegging Out will help teach you how to be more in tune with nature.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Meze Publishing) - 216 pages - Paperback - Full Colour

ISBN: 9781910863800 - Rights: World





The Amsterdam Cookbook By Kate Reeves-Brown, Kerre Chen & Phil Turner (Editor)

Its quaint, narrow streets and slender townhouses paint a distinctive backdrop for its food scene. Take a bicycle ride along cobbled streets and rolling bridges, past glassy canals and marketplaces, and you don t have to go far to find high quality food. From Moroccan-inspired family recipes, to romantic French dining and Thai-style dishes, this book captures the life that so many of Amsterdam s talented chefs continue to breathe into their city s sustenance. Featuring fresh produce, which is locally-sourced and rightly championed, this book explores a range of recipes to allow everyone to take a little bit of Amsterdam home. Roll up your sleeves and get stuck in!

Additional Information:

Published 2017 (Meze Publishing) - 192 pages

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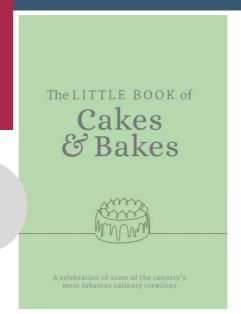
Chilli & Mint By Torie True

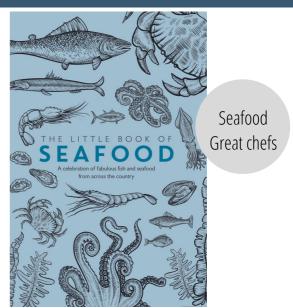
Chilli and Mint will be an instant favourite for anyone who is interested in food and spice (but not necessarily spicy food!) or the intricacies of Indian home cooking. Written by Torie True, an established food writer and cookery teacher, this beautiful cookbook contains over 100 recipes to bring a little more spice into your culinary repertoire. This book takes readers on an informative and intoxicating journey from breakfasts worth getting up for, comforting dals and punchy chutneys to sweet and savoury treats, staple Indian breads and spice blends. There are plenty of tips and tricks for creating successful dishes from scratch, alongside a wealth of information on Indian spices, suppliers, kitchen equipment, fresh ingredients and menu ideas. By following Torie's accessible step-by-step recipes, anyone can explore the everyday delights of India's wonderfully diverse cuisine at home.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Meze Publishing) - 240 pages - Hardback - Full Colour - ISBN: 9781910863879 -

Cakes Bakes





The Little Book of Cakes & Bakes By Katie Fisher

IThe Little Book of Cakes and Bakes is the first in a follow-up series to Meze Publishing's regional cook books. It brings together a stellar selection of cakes and bakes made by independent restaurants, cafes, delis, farm shops, producers and of course bakers from the whole of the UK.

Their recipes and stories showcase the wealth of talent and passion for all things indulgent across the country. From kitchen novices to budding Bake Off stars, there's something in this book to suit all home bakers and satisfy any sweet tooth.

Additional Information:

Published 2019 (Meze Publishing) - 224 pages - Paperback - Full Colour - ISBN: 9781910863480 - **Rights:** World

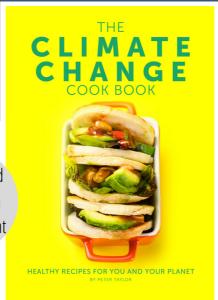
The Little Book of Seafood By J. Food, A. Birch, P. Turner

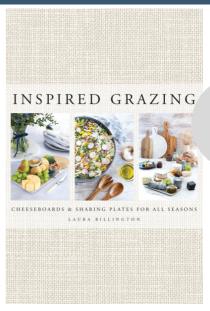
The Little Book of Seafood is a culinary creation containing a range of seafood recipes from chefs across the UK. Dive into this celebration of the most fabulous ways to cook fish, including Galton Blackiston's Pan-Fried Wild Sea Bass and Scutchers Fillet of Wild Turbot. This compilation is part of our 'Get Stuck In' series, celebrating talent and knowledge from people who are passionate about cooking and who create these dishes for a living. This book incl. tailored tips and tricks to help readers understand the different types of fish and how to cook them. The Little Book of Seafood has a nautical nibble for every occasion and is perfect for anyone who enjoys cooking with fish but doesn't know where to start or wants fresh ideas. From famous restaurants to independent hidden gems, learn to cook the best seafood dishes and discover where to dine out on fine fish all in one place.

Additional Information:

Published 2022 (Meze Publishing) - 160 pages - Paperback - Full Colour - ISBN: 9781910863978 - **Rights:** World

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Creativity Grazing

The Climate Change Cook Book By Peter Taylor

The global food production system is responsible for a quarter of the world's total greenhouse gas emissions caused by humans. The food we waste accounts for 8 to 10% of those emissions, and we could feed an extra 2.4 billion people with everything that gets thrown away. Nearly 1 billion adults die from malnutrition or starvation each year, while around 670 million adults are obese. Food distribution is unbalanced and unfair.

This book is a guide to eating healthily for yourself as well as for the planet; it features over 60 recipes created by PJ Taste, a catering company who have always put sustainability at the heart of their business, which are designed to offer information and inspiration for finding a balance that benefits your body and its environment.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Meze Publishing) - 160 pages - Hardback - Full Colour - ISBN: 9781910863671 - **Rights:** World

Inspired Grazing By Laura Billington

Inspired Grazing is designed to spark creativity and excitement by encouraging personality and individuality in every platter. At its heart, this book aims to fuel a passion for grazing, whether you're a kitchen connoisseur or a cheeseboard newbie.

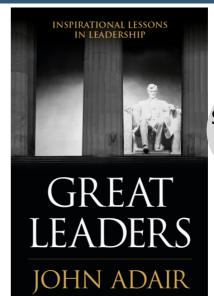
Over 75 recipes provide ideas for every occasion and take you on a tour of the seasons, alongside hints and tips on pairing flavours, building your own beautiful boards, and bringing that personal touch to all your creations. With stunning photography, the book is packed with grazing boards so beautifully crafted, they almost look too good to eat! It also includes recipes to suit little grazers, as well as extras such as Cheese Straws, Caramelised Onion Chutney, Cinnamon Candied Pecans, Chocolate Hazelnut Dip and much more.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Meze Publishing) - 192 pages - Hardback - Full Colour - ISBN: 9781910863787 -

MANAGEMENT & LEADERSHIP

Travel Industry



Sold: Portugal Leadership

Very Private & Public Relations By Jim Dunn

This is the autobiography of Travel PR guru Jim Dunn, who takes us on a rollicking ride from poor boy growing up gay in a small town on the west coast of Scotland to the five-star lifestyle of a PR guru in the fledgling travel industry of the early seventies in London. We discover Dunn's story, from his childhood as a mummy's boy to his regular encounters on the "Love Train" home from Glasgow and his first love with a man in uniform. His life quite literally 'took off' when he got his first job on the weekly newspaper Travel Trade Gazette. The fact that he admits he couldn't type, write or understand one end of PR from the other didn't stop him from creating the UK's leading travel and leisure PR consultancy over the next 30 years. This book is a tour de force of Jim's life and work and is a fascinating insight into the travel business as we know it today.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Thorogood) - 348 pages -

ISBN: 9781854189356 - Paperback

Rights: World

Great Leaders By John Adair

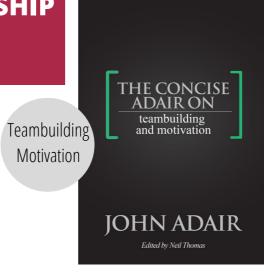
This thought-provoking book, Great Leaders, is aimed at stimulating your curiosity and guiding you through the various facets of leadership. Leadership expert and author John Adair explores the topic through its many forms, posing the question: Who are the great leaders in history and what have they got to teach us today about the nature and practice of leadership?

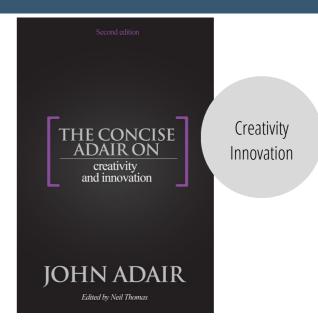
Leadership is a characteristic many think can't be taught; but to what degree can true leadership skills be identified and developed? Adair reviews the key great leaders in history to identify the main lessons that should be learnt from them. What emerges is a concept of leadership that is highly relevant to the needs of the world today. Great Leaders is a book rich in examples and case studies, and wide-ranging in scope.

Additional Information:

Published 2020 (Thorogood) - 2nd edition - 382 pages - ISBN: 9781854189172 - Paperback -

MANAGEMENT & LEADERSHIP





The Concise Adair on Teambuilding & Motivation

Described as "without doubt one of the foremost thinkers on the subject in the world" (Sir John Harvey-Jones), leadership expert John Adair combines depth and insight with hard-edged, practical techniques. Managers and leaders must be effective team builders and motivators to achieve their business aims and get the best out of people. The skills needed should be practiced and improved upon on a constant basis. This book encapsulates John Adair's writing on these critical elements of any truly successful organisation. It develops his classic theory on Team, Task and Individual, and summarises all his writing on leadership and motivation. John Adair's books have sold hundreds of thousands of copies. You will find this book equally valuable, whether you are beginning your career in management or looking for an expert refresher course.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Thorogood) - 2nd edition - 134 pages - ISBN: 9781854189271 - Paperback - **Rights:** World

The Concise Adair on Creativity and Innovation

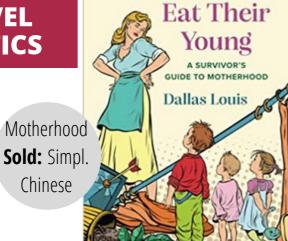
Creative and innovative thinking, the means by which ideas are born and nurtured, are not products of clearly defined steps and can be widely encouraged. This book encapsulates all of John Adair's writing on how to enhance creativity within your organisation with a focus on team training, generation of ideas, communication and overcoming obstacles, the key characteristics of innovators and how to organise and use them to the best effect.

Packed with practical advice and shrewd insight, leadership expert Adair summarises everything you need to know to understand the creative process and manage innovation effectively in this book. John Adair's books have sold hundreds of thousands of copies. You will find this book equally valuable, whether you are beginning your career in management or looking for an expert refresher course.

Additional Information:

Published 2021 (Thorogood) - 2nd edition - 130 pages - ISBN: 9781854189257 - Paperback

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Some Animals



Why Some Animals Eat Their Young By Dallas Louis

- 2022 Mom's Choice Gold Award
 2022 Ben Franklin Silver Award in Parenting & Family
- 2022 Indept. Press Award, Distinguished Favorite in Parenting & Family

When Dallas Louis decided that all she wanted was to meet and marry her Prince Charming and become a mom, she had no idea what was in store for her. But she would soon find out. In this laugh-out-loud book, Dallas shares highlights of what happened in her world once all her dreams came true. She would like readers to find comfort in knowing they aren't the only ones suffering from posttraumatic stress disorder or buyer's remorse. And, yes, it's okay to admit that both of these conditions apply to parenting, though hopefully not all the time.

Additional information:

Published 2021 (Sandra Jonas) - Paperback - 208 pages - ISBN: 9781954861930

Rights: World

The Cat with Three Passports By CJ Fentiman

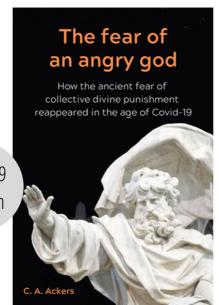
A girl struggling to fit in. A homeless kitten. An unexpected job offer in an unfamiliar country that changes everything. CJ had a long history of escaping places and people she wasn't fond of. But for the sake of a silver tabby, she decided to stay in Japan for a while. This decision helped her open up her heart and mind, revisit her way of thinking, and reconnect with her estranged family. Let this heartwarming memoir take you to the land of cats and cherry trees as you read about Cl's adventures – from the craziness of Furukawa's naked men festival, the experience of forest bathing and the significance of finding a life purpose or ikigai, to the temples of Takayama, and wonders of Cat Island - you'll see what a homeless kitten found outside a temple in Japan taught her about an old culture and new beginnings.

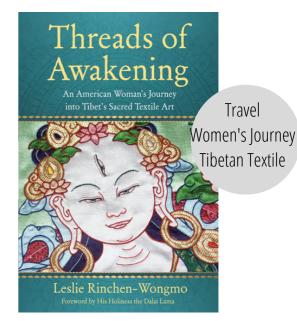
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Published 2020 (Silver Vine Press) - Paperback - 232 pages - ISBN: 9780648851905

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The Fear of an Angry God By Coen Ackers

From the ancient Greeks up to the present, and almost everywhere on the planet, humanity has been plagued by a constant, deep, mostly unspoken form of anxiety. The Fear of an Angry God describes the many ways that mostly private 'sins' have been believed to risk the occurrence floods. earthquakes. fires. wars. infectious diseases. Recently, conservative leaders of different faiths have attributed the Covid-19 pandemic to a range of private behaviors that would have provoked God's ire. In the book, Dutch historian Coen Ackers shows how this fear of collective divine punishment has shaped the way society has been regulated, how it allowed rulers to assume intrusive powers over their subjects, and how it continues to hurt minorities, justify terrorism, and promote autocratic government.

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Threads of Awakening By Leslie Rinchen-Wongmo

What if you set out to travel the world and got sidetracked in a Himalayan sewing workshop? What if that sidetrack turned out to be your life's path - your way home?

Part art book, part memoir, part spiritual travelogue, Threads of Awakening is a delightful and inspiring blend of adventure and introspection. Leslie Rinchen-Wongmo shares her experience as a California woman traveling to the seat of the Tibetan government-in-exile in India to manage an economic development fund, only to wind up sewing pictures of Buddha instead. Through her remarkable journey, she discovered that a path is made by walking it—and that some of the best paths are made by walking off course. Includes 49 full-color photos and a foreword by the Dalai Lama.

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