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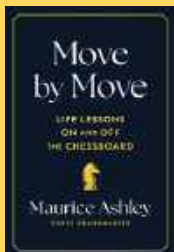
BEAMING

Radiant Visualizations to Expand Your Mind and Open Your Heart

By Marilyne Verschuere

A powerful tool for self-discovery filled with mystical practices and meditations from Marilyne Verschuere, the artist behind the wildly popular Instagram account @beamingdesign, *Beaming* presents expansive visuals designed to stimulate your mind and awaken your intuition. Messages of hope, resilience, and joy are incorporated into radiant art, with each image offering the reader an opportunity for deep contemplation and introspection.

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MOVE BY MOVE

Life Lessons on and off the Chessboard

By Maurice Ashley

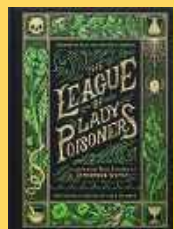
"With this book, Maurice Ashley has added another gem to the literary world of chess. Drawing from his vast experience as a player, educator, and engaging storyteller, Maurice shares valuable insights into the decision-making process, both on and off the board. Whether you're eager to grasp the fundamentals of chess strategy or seeking to refine your skills, you will benefit from every chapter of this book and find as much passion for the game as Maurice has."

—Garry Kasparov, Chess Grandmaster and bestselling author of *Deep Thinking and How Life Imitates Chess*

"With the same deftness and power that he brings to his game, Ashley has distilled chess into a beautiful diorama of invaluable life lessons. The endgame? Wisdom!"

—Rainn Wilson, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Soul Boom*

Rights sold: Chinese Traditional, China Times Publishing Company



THE LEAGUE OF LADY POISONERS

Illustrated True Stories of Dangerous Women

By Lisa Perrin

"Illustrator Perrin debuts with an entertaining and enlightening survey of more than two dozen women who deliberately poisoned strangers or family members. Perrin's subjects run the gamut from the famous...to the lesser known...Perrin's concise, insightful biographical sketches carry the penny-dreadful punch of Edward Gorey's vignettes, and her gorgeous full-color illustrations lend a note of playfulness to the macabre proceedings. This is catnip for true crime devotees."

—★*Publisher's Weekly*, starred review

"...[A] ghoulish buffet of 28 women divided by time, circumstance, and motive but 'united by the singular toxic trait of being accused or convicted poisoners'...Illustrator Lisa Perrin pairs each of these tales with portraits of the ladies that are so charming, you'll want to have them framed in your bedroom (if they weren't of murderesses, that is)...While the mood is playful, the coverage of the women is refreshingly nuanced, addressing the ways that race, injustice, and violence may have influenced their lives and (alleged!) crimes."

—Oprah Daily

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CAT PEOPLE TO JUDGE IN ART AND LIFE

By Nicole Tersigni

We all love our cats, and some of us...take it a little too far. Against the classic backdrop of fine art, bestselling author Nicole Tersigni's *Cat People to Judge in Art and Life* takes a closer look at all the ways we love our cats, and how we let our cats (and the whole entire world) know just how much we really, really love them. Broken into five sections—Smotherer, the Oversharer, the Pushover, the Proud Parent, and the Roommate—this

hilariously insightful book shows us that no matter how long-suffering our cats are, they love us unconditionally, too.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$14.95, 6 x 6 in, 96 pages, full-color images throughout, Fall 2024



Also available:



Men to Avoid in Art and Life

Fall 2020

Rights sold: Chinese Traditional, Sharp Point Press • Dutch, Uitgeverij Lannoo • German, Münchner Verlagsgruppe • Italian, Edizioni Sonda



Friends to Keep in Art and Life

Fall 2022

Rights sold: Chinese Traditional, Sharp Point Press



Parenting Advice to Ignore in Art and Life

Fall 2023

Rights sold: Chinese Traditional, Sharp Point Press



Postcards in Art and Life

30 All-Occasion Postcards

Postcards, \$12.95, 4 3/4 x 6 1/2 in, 30 cards, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



FLORAL ESTRANGEMENTS

Blooms to Taunt Your Rivals and Vanquish Your Enemies

By Rebecca Fishbein

Is there anything more savage than an archly composed bouquet? The Victorians didn't think so, which is why they came up with just as many cheeky, rude, and downright hostile flower symbols as they did nice ones. *Floral Estrangements* seeks both to enlighten modern readers and fuel their revenge fantasies, providing the meanings of some common (and not so common) vengeful plants and an illustrated, step-by-step guide for composing bouquets to slay...your nemeses. Whether you dream of sending

your ex's new girlfriend a rhododendron ("beware!") or your brother three buttercup emojis for leaving the seat up ("childish/immature"), the application of this information is endless.

Rebecca Fishbein is the author of *Good Things Happen to People You Hate*. She has written for *Jezebel*, *Splinter*, *The Cut*, and *Vice*, to name a few, and was previously a staffer at Gothamist.

Hardcover, \$24.95, 7 1/4 x 9 1/4 in, 176 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

WHEN SATURN RETURNS

By David Odyssey

You know how everything kind of goes haywire when you're 29? It's an age when big—not necessarily bad—changes seem inevitable for everyone. Astrologers have an increasingly zietgeisty name for this: Saturn Return (aka when Saturn returns to the same spot in the sky it was in when you were born, roughly at ages 30, 60, and 90). This book covers everything to expect "when Saturn returns" for each zodiac sign and how best to prepare. But the truth is, you don't need to be in your Saturn return to feel the impact of this great cosmic destroyer of your world, so *When Saturn Returns* also covers what to expect as Saturn travels through each house. Designed to be read by individual placement as well as by current house, *When Saturn Returns* is a comforting, fun resource for astrology buffs and newcomers alike seeking comfort and answers in times of great personal unrest.

David Odyssey has been making astrology fun and approachable for years and is an expert when it comes to planetary movements, pop culture, and crisis. He is a writer, performer, and astrologer based in New York City and Tel Aviv. He is the astrology columnist for *NYLON* and a contributor to *GAWKER*, *Dazed*, *Vulture*, *Entertainment Weekly*, and more. Through his private astrology and tarot reading practice, he has offered hundreds of readings to clients around the globe, taught digital courses, and shared "cosmic sermons" at live shows all over New York City. He is an initiate in the Orphic Mysteries, a warlock-in-training, and a proud Jew. *When Saturn Returns* is the culmination of over 15 years of career journalism and a deep passion for astrology.

Hardcover, \$19.99, 6 x 8 in, 208 pages, two-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025

PLAY IT FORWARD

By **TOGETHXR**

Meet twenty-five badass women from all corners of the sports universe. From celebrities to everyday heroines, across generations and games, from the sidelines to Olympic podiums, these stories are the true tales of fierce competitors, dedicated teammates, and passionate advocates who are all too accustomed to hearing the word “no.” Each story centers around an inspiring athlete who defied expectations and rebelled against inequality in big and small ways. Brought to you by TOGETHXR, this book is here to highlight and elevate gusty and raw true stories from activists and dreamers who changed the world of sports for the better.

TOGETHXR is a new media company founded by four of the world’s greatest professional athletes and Olympians: Alex Morgan, Chloe Kim, Sue Bird, and Simone Manuel. With a focus on rich storytelling rooted in lifestyle and youth culture, TOGETHXR is an unapologetic platform where representation and equality are the norm. TOGETHXR is where culture, activism, lifestyle, and sports converge. They work to shatter the often-narrow depictions of women in the media with content featuring a diverse and inclusive community of game changers, culture shapers, thought leaders, and barrier breakers.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$24.95, 6 x 8 in, 208 pages, full-color images throughout, Spring 2025



GOOD MOVIES AS OLD BOOKS

By **Matt Stevens**

Imagine your favorite films as vintage books. This clever art collection distills iconic images and scenes from cult classic films into brilliantly designed book covers. A good book cover is evocative, emotional, and revealing. Its job is to lure readers in, to invite them to flip to the first page, to begin a journey—all done with just a hint of the story that is about to unfold. They are true works of art, perfected over centuries of bookmaking. Now imagine holding a worn paperback copy of your favorite film! What stories could the cover tell? *Good Movies as Old Books* offers a showcase of films reimaged as book covers of bygone eras. Through masterful design, art, and typography, graphic designer Matt Stevens has created more than 200 original vintage-style covers based on the movies that have inspired him throughout his life. From Penny Marshall’s *Big* to Spike Lee’s *Do the Right Thing*, this page-turning assortment of box office hits, acclaimed indies, golden era classics, and cult classics will inspire you to discover new favorites or rethink the films you’ve seen a thousand times.

Hardcover, \$30.00, 8 x 11 in, 208 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025

Also available:

Good Movies as Old Books Postcards

Postcards, \$24.95, 4 1/8 x 6 in, 100 cards, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025



THE CAT OPERATOR'S MANUAL

Getting the Most from Your Cuddle Unit 5™ Cat

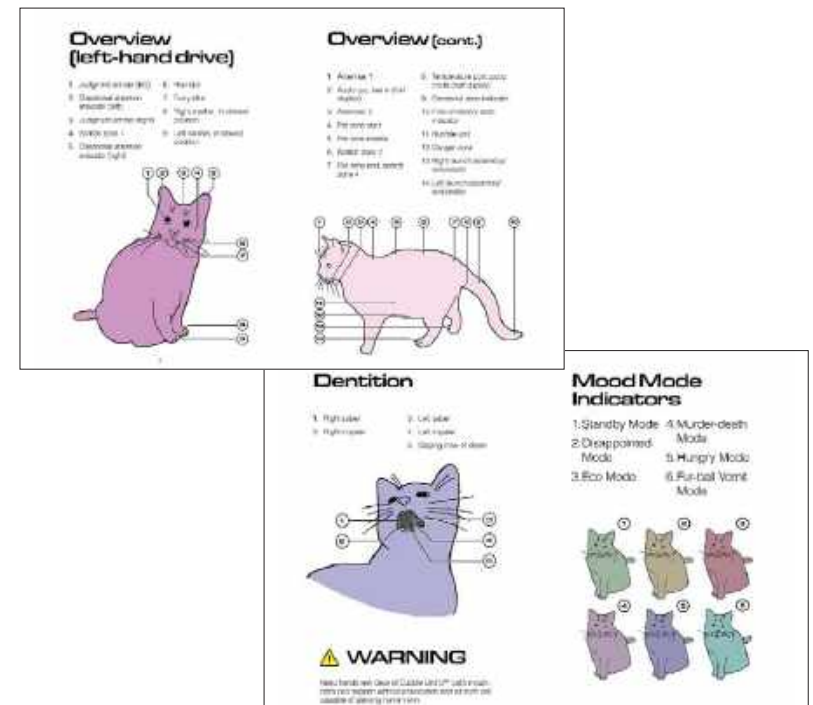
By **C.R. Johnston**

Get the most out of your Cuddle Unit 5™ cat with this helpful and handy operating instruction manual. Complete with assembly, warnings, and insights into all of your Cuddle Unit 5™’s features and modes, *The Cat Operator's Manual* is a fresh and quirky guide to understanding your cat and why she needs to lay in the sun all day and zoom around all night. Decipher your Cuddle Unit 5™’s Mood Mode Indicator. Understand when she is in Eco Mode and when it’s time for Solar Charging. Learn more about Turbo Mode, and more importantly, how Turbo Mode is activated.

With tongue-in-cheek advice and perfectly understated illustrations that feel just like looking inside a real user manual, this book gets two opposable thumbs up. Thank you for choosing Cuddle Unit 5™ cat—we value your trust in us.

C.R. Johnston, writing under their alter ego as Queen Olivia, has built a dedicated Twitter (now X) following of over 23,000 cat lovers in the course of sharing a whimsical narrative about living with late cat, Sophie, on a space station. As Queen Olivia, C.R. Johnston has also garnered acting credits in television and modeling features in various magazines and advertising campaigns. Queen Olivia is a frequent participant in Drag Queen Story Times at local libraries and Pride Week events in schools.

Paperback, \$14.95, 5 x 7 in, 72 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025



HOW TO WRITE A FUNNY SPEECH FOR A WEDDING, BAR MITZVAH, GRADUATION, AND EVERY OTHER EVENT YOU DIDN'T WANT TO GO TO IN THE FIRST PLACE

By Carol Leifer and Rick Mitchell

Giving a speech about someone is hard. Giving a funny speech that people are actually going to pay attention to is even harder. In *How to Write a Funny Speech for a Wedding, Bar Mitzvah, Anniversary and Every Other Event You Didn't Want to Go to in the First Place*, comedy writers and speech veterans Carol Leifer and Rick Mitchell teach you how to write the perfect speech so you can look awesome, make some people laugh, and get it over with. Broken into short chapters full of tips and advice, Leifer and Mitchell walk you through how to properly write, phrase, and deliver your speech so you not only flatter your subject, but also keep the rest of the audience interested (and maybe you'll even get a standing ovation, but we can't guarantee that—that would be cool, though, right?). Learn about the different styles of speeches you can give and nail down where to get started. Hear from Leifer and Mitchell as they dish out public speaking advice that will make you look like you totally do this all the time. Take a look at a handful of successful real-life speeches from real-life people, as well as fictional speeches from fictional characters—because it's probably more fun to read about Han Solo and Chewbacca than random Jeff's cousin Mike—annotated for better understanding of why other people were so good at it and how you can be good at it, too. And, if at the end, you still have no idea what to say about your weird niece at her Bat Mitzvah, there's a handy fill-in speech template in the back so you can spend more time figuring out what you're going to wear. Happy writing!

Paperback, \$18.95, 6 x 8 in, 156 pages, Spring 2025

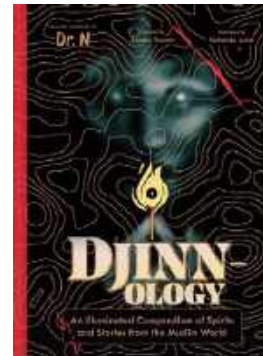


VICTORIAN PARLOUR GAMES A Modern Host's Guide to Classic Fun for Everyone By Ned Wolfe, illustrated by Bene Rohlmann

A beautifully designed and compact little hardcover full of the classic, often silly games actually played in the late 19th century. The Victorians loved fun and played hundreds and hundreds of party games. We have selected some of the best to highlight. These games are a combination of recognizable favorites and unexpected amusements, including: Charades; Taboo; Twenty Questions; Laughing Game; Fictionary; Forfeits; The Minister's Cat; Pass the Slipper; Are you there, Moriarty?; Elephant's Foot Umbrella Stand; Throwing the Smile; Squeak Piggy Squeak; Kim's Game; Blowing the Feather;

and more! Each entry provides the name of the game, any alternate names, the rules, and a brief history, complete with fun facts, places you've seen this game, and what we call it today if the name has changed.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$14.95, 4½ x 6 in, 208 pages, one-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



DJINNOLOGY An Illuminated Compendium of Spirits and Stories from the Muslim World By Seema Yasmin, illustrated by Fahmida Azim

Djinn have appeared in the stories of Muslim communities across time and throughout the world, but this is the first comprehensive illustrated guide to these beguiling creatures. Emmy Award-winning journalist Seema Yasmin and Pulitzer Prize-winning illustrator Fahmida Azim invite readers into the world of djinn.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$35.00, 7¼ x 10 in, 232 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



EERIE LEGENDS An Illustrated Exploration of Creepy Creatures, the Paranormal, and Folklore from around the World By Ricardo Diseño, text by Steve Mockus

Acclaimed artist Ricardo Diseño (*Classic Horror Oracle*) brings a lifelong fascination with eerie folklore that peers into the dark spaces that lie somewhere between belief and imagination. Here are tales of vengeful ghosts, bloodthirsty monsters, internet-conjured nightmares, lost souls, cryptid curiosities, demons, aliens, the undead, and the inexplicable. Diseño's electrifying artwork depicting each spooky subject is accompanied by evocative descriptions, history, and a short flash fiction story in which readers encounter the dark presences themselves.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$24.95, 8 x 10 in, 160 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

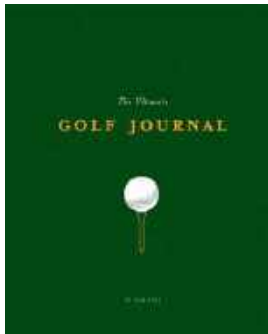
Also available:
Classic Horror Oracle
Fall 2023



GOTH PARENTING The Dark Joys of Raising Baby Bats By Casey Gilly

From Eisner award-winning writer and certified spooky mama Casey Gilly comes this illustrated humor book that takes you through some of the most important moments of parenthood. *Goth Parenting* is brimming with references to all things dark and beautiful, pulling from poetry, music, cult classic films, and icons of goth culture. And for the uninitiated, Gilly's words of wisdom contain something to make every parent laugh. After all, goth parents might look different, but their ups and their downs are the same as any other—just maybe a little more stylish.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$14.95, 6 x 8 in, 80 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

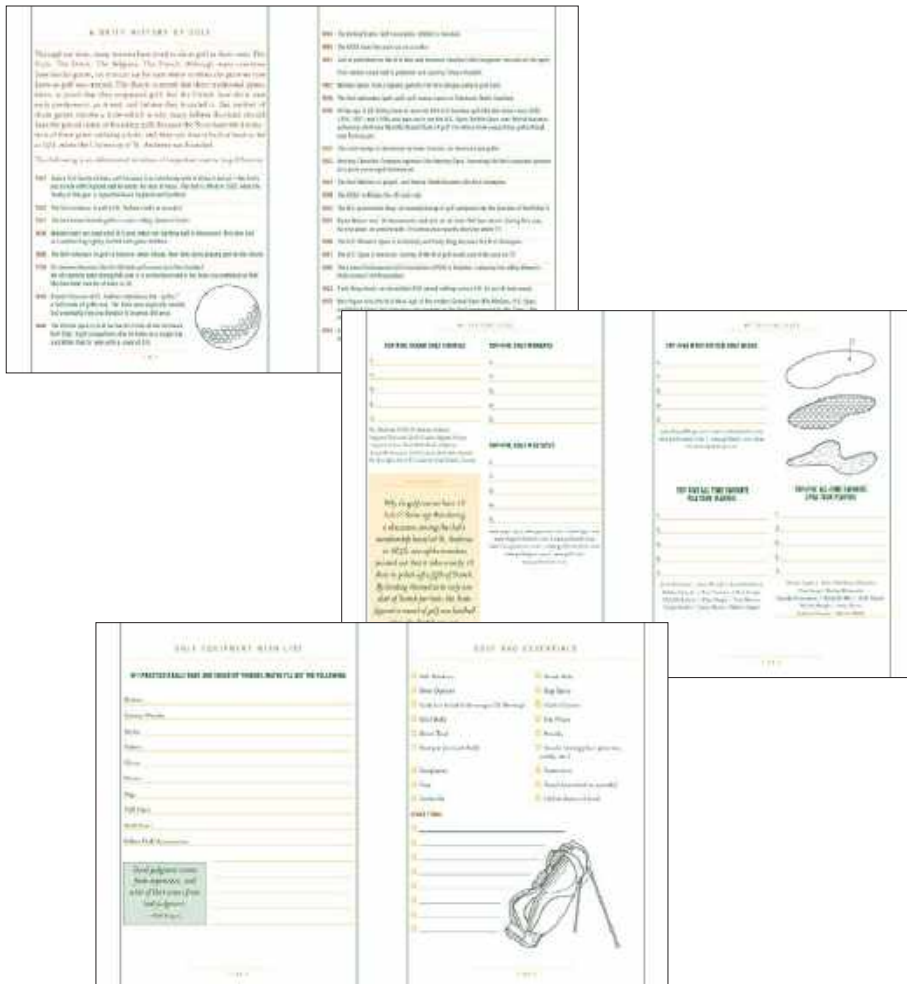


THE ULTIMATE GOLF JOURNAL

By Lisa Bach

For the millions of golfers out there, golf isn't just a hobby, it's a way of life. This journal includes a variety of score sheets, practice logs, and handicap charts, as well as sections to store personal information, local course notes, contacts, and (of course) favorite 19th holes. Sprinkled throughout with golf tips, history, and trivia, *The Ultimate Golf Journal* is a practical tool, an elegant keepsake, and an endlessly useful companion for golfers everywhere.

Journal, \$19.95, 6 1/2 x 7 1/2 in, 128 pages, full-color images throughout, Spring 2025



10-MINUTE CHARACTERS

Develop up to 15 characters with this handy writer's tool, filled with prompts to kickstart your creativity and spark big ideas from the smallest questions. No prior brainstorming needed! *10-Minute Characters* is perfect for anyone interested in storytelling, whether you're dreaming up the dramatis personae for a new play or fine-tuning an existing cast from an old novel idea. In just 100 questions—some serious, some silly—you'll get to know the intricacies of your character, their fears, their motivations, and yes, their favorite color. Each set of questions is divided into multiple sections, including basic info such as family background and appearance; longer psychological

questions; and short, fun questions addressing everything from your character's least favorite sound to their fashion sense. And with space to complete these questions again and again, this journal is flexible to your needs as a storyteller. You can create a character record for a single universe or story, compare characters from different stories, or simply use this journal for weekly or monthly writing exercises. Either way, character creation is made easy with *10-Minute Characters*. (Now you just have to figure out what to name them!)

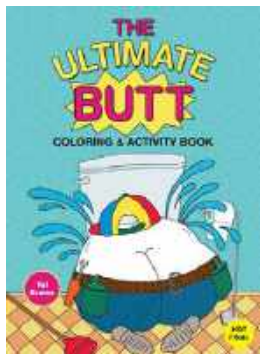
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AGATHA CHRISTIE WRITER'S JOURNAL

This elegant writer's journal brings inspiration from the queen of crime for all your literary endeavors. Compose, jot down notes, outline your next novel, or journal alongside inspiring, motivating, and humorous quotes pulled from the work of the bestselling novelist of all time. Each quote touches on an aspect of writing, whether building a character, crafting a plot, or simply making yourself sit down and write. Thoughtful words from Christie herself, including some selected from *Agatha Christie: An Autobiography*, are interspersed with quotes from her wise and witty characters. It's packaged as an elegant hardcover with a vintage vibe and art deco motifs throughout.

Journal, \$16.95, 5 x 7 in, 160 pages, Fall 2024



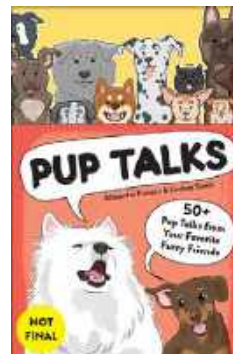
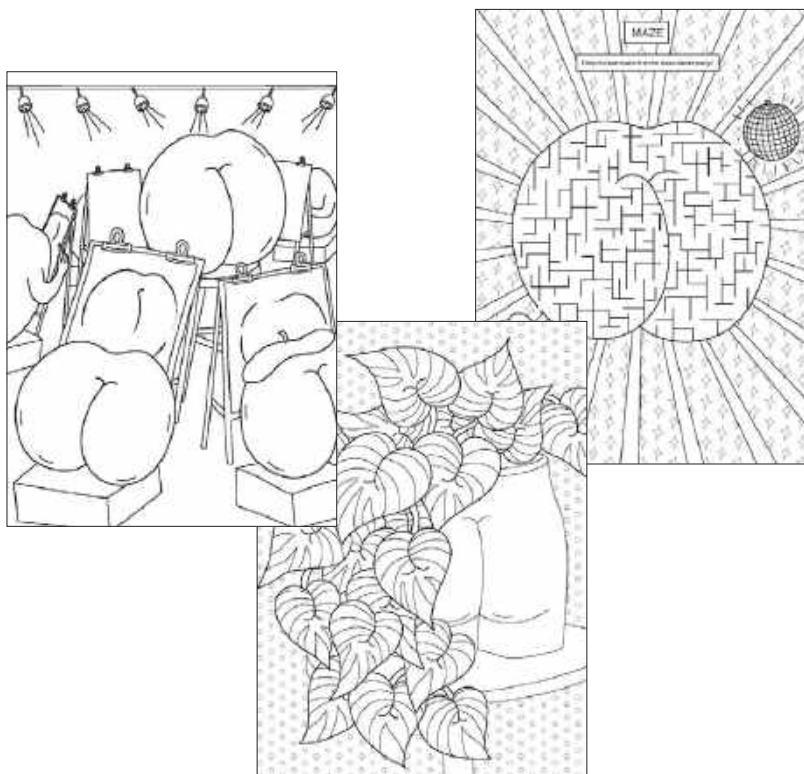
THE ULTIMATE BUTT COLORING AND ACTIVITY BOOK

By Val Brains

The Ultimate Butt Coloring and Activity Book is a celebration of humanity's best side—the backside, that is. With hilarious butt-tastic coloring scenes and bonus activities, this coloring and activity book provides countless hours of good laughs and relaxing creativity. Color in an arrangement of butt-shaped desserts, add some flair to a groovy disco butt, or give the awesome faces of Mt. Buttsmore a brand new look. You can even color your own butt bookmark and make a hangable booty banner to show off! What are you waiting for? Get coloring and leave your stress *behind*.

Val Brains is the author-illustrator of *The Cat Butt Coloring and Activity Book*, as well as eight self-published Cat Butt titles and seven other coloring book titles.

Coloring & Activity, \$12.95, 7 1/4 x 10 in, 80 pages, Fall 2024



PUP TALKS

50+ Pep Talks from Your Favorite Furry Friends

By Lindsey Smith and Alexandra Franzen

If dogs could talk, what would they say? They'd probably tell you: 1) that they love you, 2) that you are the best friend they've ever had, and 3) can you please give them an extra serving of kibble tonight for dinner? Fortunately for us, now the guess work is done—with words of wisdom, support, and four-legged philosophies on living your best life, this deck features 78 cards with quotes from dogs and their human translations. Whether you've had a ruff day or are just curious what your dog is trying to tell you, pull a card whenever you need a dose of inspiration, a friendly affirmation, or a good ol' fashioned pup talk.

Deck, \$19.95, 3 1/4 x 5 1/4 in, 78 cards, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



POSITION OF THE DAY ORACLE DECK

78 Sex Positions to Inspire Bold Moves

By Visible Media

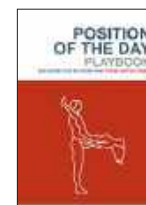
Next in our bestselling Position of the Day series, this provocative and humorous oracle deck is the perfect tool for anyone looking for insights on sex, love, and romance while having some good naughty fun. Not your typical oracle deck, *Position of the Day Oracle Deck* features a sex position and insights on each card sure to amuse, enlighten, and inspire bold moves. The accompanying booklet provides instructions on how to pull cards and lay out different spreads. Pull a card solo or with your partner and explore your needs and desires in life—and in bed.

Deck, \$19.95, 3 1/4 x 5 1/4 in, 78 cards with 16-page booklet, two-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024

Also available:



Position of the Day
Playing Cards
Fall 2023



Position of the Day Playbook
Spring 2025



Position of the Day
Fall 2003



Food & Drink

HOT DATE

Sweet + Savory Recipes from Brooklyn to Babylon
By Rawaan Alkhatib



Dates are a multicultural phenomenon, and author Rawaan Alkhatib understands the importance of tapping into their delectable power and the never-ending versatility of the decadently sweet, buttery rich, caramel-y fruit that we all know and love. Drawing inspiration from her background of Middle Eastern (specifically, Palestinian) and Indian cooking, as well as North African and Californian approaches, Alkhatib explores both the global significance of the fruit and its chameleon-like characteristics in cooking. Big on flavor and low on fuss, *Hot Date* includes highly cookable

and unpretentious recipes that are the perfect mix of traditional favorites and inspired new creations. However, this book works hard, and it doesn't stop here. Peppered throughout the recipes are sidebars, tidbits, and historical snippets, all featuring Alkhatib's own informational-yet-informal watercolor illustrations and elegant hand-lettering. Scrapbook-style illustrated breakouts cover topics such as party food, breakfast ideas, or drinks to serve alongside a platter of dates, while more robust sidebars cover date types, date-growing cultures, interviews with cooks and date-farmers, history, and fun facts, such as the evolution of the classic Palm Springs date shake or how date palms are pollinated (entirely by hand, to this day—millions of them!) along with shopping resources and sourcing suggestions. Authored by a home cook, for home cooks, *Hot Date* is a multicultural, ancient-yet-modern, and fresh take on dates and is designed for both seasoned date aficionados and those less familiar who may be looking to experiment with new flavors in their everyday cooking.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$32.50, 7¼ x 11 in, 256 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



AL DENTE

By Matteo Lane

Matteo Lane is a force: Named one of *Variety's* Top Ten Comics to Watch, Lane performs to sold out crowds all over the world. In March 2023, he headlined a sold-out show at New York's iconic Beacon Theatre, as part of his worldwide Al Dente tour. He has also shared the stage with the likes of Chelsea Handler, Aziz Ansari, Hasan Minaj, and Bob the Drag Queen. A skilled artist and pasta aficionado, Lane also painted a mural for the Obamas' headquarters in Chicago and trained as an opera singer in Rome. He is fluent in Italian, Spanish, French, and German. Lane has always incorporated Italian culture into his comedy, but in 2022 he started posting videos of himself cooking Italian dishes—mostly pasta, of course. The videos took off, and now hundreds of thousands of viewers follow along as he guides them through his favorite simple dishes and regales them with brash asides, some about sex and dating, some about his life being a kid and growing up in an Italian family. Viewers always ask for the written recipes, and with Lane's first book he is answering their call while doing it his own way. *Al Dente* captures all of this in a pasta-filled cookbook full of hilarious stories, asides, observations...oh, and also delicious recipes.

Hardcover, \$29.95, 7½ x 9 in, 176 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025

WEEKENDS WITH FRIENDS

By Kristy Mucci, photographs by Alice Gao

This visually led cookbook includes recipes for easy and attractive weekend gatherings to have with friends that are low-effort and high-impact. Organized by time of day, each gathering includes easy-to-follow instructions for assembling a gorgeous spread with an ingredient list and the option to prepare a few items from the menu with the rest offered as things easy to buy plus recommendations for complementary drink pairings. The book also includes some recipes for simple essentials—think caramelized onions, easy dips, and simple breads and crackers that will add that special extra touch to any weekend gathering. Introductory content includes valuable tips on artfully setting out dishes, simple ways to style your home for a get-together, and tips for stress-free hosting, plus a helpful chart featuring board suggestions for every occasion (from baby showers to game nights), making *Weekends with Friends* a must-have for easy entertaining.

Hardcover, \$29.95, 7¼ x 10 in, 224 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



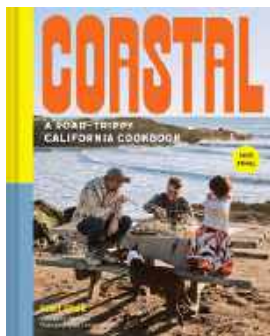
IN THE KUSINA

By Woldy Reyes

This is a celebration of chef and food personality Woldy Reyes' Filipino heritage, filtered through his own distinct lens as a queer, deaf, first-generation Filipino American. A love letter to how he eats and interprets that cultural cuisine, *In the Kusina* takes classic Filipino dishes and updates them for a modern palate, rendering them lighter, fresher, more plant-driven, with an emphasis on feeling nourished and wholesome. Beginners will find an introduction to distinct Filipino flavors—a “flavor guide” of sorts for sweet, salty, spicy, sour—and the go-to ingredients (tamari, miso, sweet chili sauce, vinegar, and coconut milk) that will help create balanced, yet surprising, umami bomb Filipino-flavored dishes. But this is not a traditional Filipino cookbook; *In the Kusina* is meant to bring Filipino flavors into a non-Filipino kitchen and presents the building blocks of Filipino cuisine, reworking them for a new generation of home cooks. Traditional Filipino cuisine is very rice-, protein-, and stew-centric, but Reyes swaps the ratios so vegetables and produce are more central to the meal. For food lovers who don't shy away from learning new recipes and are eager to incorporate plant-based meals into their everyday lives, *In the Kusina* combines a carefully curated selection of recipes that celebrates Filipino American cooking and fresh, inviting design to feel like a special gift as well as a trusted cooking reference.

Hardcover, \$35.00, 7¼ x 10 in, 256 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025





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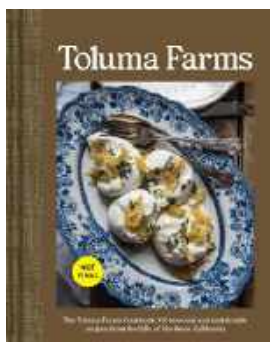
A Trippy Dreamy California Cookbook

By Scott Clark and Betsy Andrews

A love letter to the Californian coastline, exploring the hardworking towns stretched across the Pacific Coast Highway between San Francisco and Los Angeles, *Coastal* is a cookbook that recognizes the breadth of California's food history and opens its arms to cooks and dreamers from all corners of the world. The recipes are organized seasonally and around a road trip beginning at Scott Clark's beloved and awarded sandwich-and-pie shop, Dad's Luncheonette, in Half Moon Bay, and ending in Ventura County. Moving through the book, and these recipes, is

a journey along the coast through Cali cuisine and its breadth, with many of its regional and cultural influences. Fully equipped with hardworking how-to content, aspirational photography, and gutsy stories from the author and a collection of longstanding locals—regenerative ranchers, hook-and-line fisherman, sustainable foragers, and hunters—*Coastal* is more than your average California cookbook; it is an inspiration on the Californian way of life and state of mind and is a living example of how tapping into it can add color and vigor into our food and lives.

Hardcover, \$35.00, 8 x 10 in, 288 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



THE TOLUMA FARMS COOKBOOK

By Tamara Hicks and Jessica MacLeod

From female-founded-and-operated Toluma Farms in West Marin, here is a fresh-yet-classic Californian collection of recipes and stories gathered from over twenty years of living and farming locally, sustainably, and seasonally. *The Toluma Farms Cookbook* interweaves three overlapping narratives, all centered on the farm: sustainability, the female future of farming/animal husbandry, and the cute goats/recipes thread. These narratives take the form of sidebars and sections from far-flung farms across the US, Europe, Canada, and South American, where Toluma shepherding trainees have landed. Complete with 20

recipes per season, this book presents an inspiring view of sustainable farming and living well within one's milkshed. Beyond the delicious recipes and aspirational lifestyle content, the women of Toluma Farms want to spread their message of female empowerment in agriculture (and beyond) far and wide. *The Toluma Farms Cookbook* explores the growing group of female farmers and animal tenders. Coastal or landlocked, this cookbook is perfect for any home cook craving seasonal inspiration or lessons on the importance of supporting local food purveyors and practicing food-focused sustainability. Filled to the brim with delicious food, inspiring stories of life on the farm, and gorgeous lifestyle photography, this book perfectly emulates that widely beloved and quintessential California energy.

Hardcover, \$29.95, 7 1/4 x 9 3/4 in, 256 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



BREAKING BAO

Baking across Asia in 88 Recipes

By Clarice Lam, photographs by Evan Sung

From accredited pastry chef Clarice Lam comes a pan-Asian baking book exploring an array of baked goods, confections, and savory snacks, all of which are umami-rich and downright delicious. All of the recipes in this book are grounded in Asian flavors and made with a combination of American, European, and Asian baking techniques—all made with accessibility in mind. *Breaking Bao's* technique-driven approach and its wonderful recipes will demystify Asian baking for those who are unfamiliar and bring back fond memories for those who have known and loved these flavors for many years. Lam initially began

her career in modeling, but her time in Paris ignited a deep appreciation for the world of French pastry. After retiring from modeling, she returned to the United States where she studied at The French Culinary Institute and graduated with a Grand Diplôme in Classic Pastry Arts. Her work has been featured in the *New York Times*, *Food & Wine*, *Condé Nast Traveler*, and many more.

Hardcover, \$40.00, 8 x 11 in, 288 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



100 AFTERNOON SWEETS

With Snacking Cakes, Brownies, Blondies, and More

By Sarah Kieffer

From Sarah Kieffer, the beloved baker behind *100 Morning Treats* and *100 Cookies*, here are 100 recipes for the most craveable afternoon pick-me-ups. Whether you prefer chocolate, peanut butter, or fruit-studded goodness, these baking projects are perfect for after-school snacks, bake sales, lunch boxes, tea time, or that mid-afternoon lull. Nothing celebrates a productive morning or says "You deserve a treat!" more than one of these lovely baked goods.

Hardcover, \$27.95, 7 1/2 x 9 in, 304 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024

Also by Sarah Kieffer:



100 Morning Treats

Spring 2023



100 Cookies

Fall 2020



Baking for the Holidays

Fall 2021

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A COUPLE COOKS

100 Recipes to Cook Together

By Sonja Overhiser and Alex Overhiser,
photographs by Shelly Westerhausen Worcel

Whether a weeknight dinner or a date night, somebody has to get dinner on the table. And what if doing that nightly task was something you could do in tandem with someone you feel close to, making the work more pleasurable and spending quality time together? People, this is living the dream, and this is what *A Couple Cooks* hopes to make possible. *A Couple Cooks* will be the perfect gift for the couple in your life—whether they are new to the kitchen or already passionate cooks. Here are simple yet sophisticated

recipes designed to be cooked together and shared together (+ family! + entertaining!).

Hardcover, \$40.00, 7½ x 11 in, 304 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



FOOD AND OTHER THINGS I LOVE

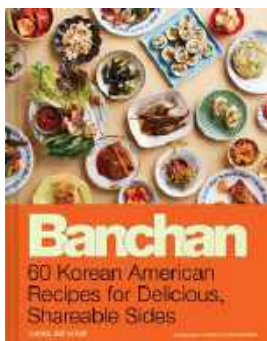
More than 100 Italian American Recipes from My Family to Yours

By Caroline Manzo

This is the highly awaited, bighearted Italian American cookbook from beloved Bravo TV food personality Caroline Manzo who is the epitome of a strong Italian American matriarch: feisty, hilarious, full of love, and always ready with a stocked fridge. Since appearing on Bravo's *The Real Housewives of New Jersey* and *Manzo'd with Love*, Manzo has never stopped focusing on the culinary world. Packed with family recipes perfected over time, culinary wisdom passed through generations, and memories made around the

table, *Food and Other Things I Love* is a testament to eating well, loving hard, and laughing along the way.

Hardcover, \$29.95, 7¼ x 10 in, 256 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



BANCHAN

60 Korean American Recipes for Delicious, Shareable Sides

By Caroline Choe, photographs by Ghazalle Badiozamani

In this celebration of banchan, Korean American chef, culinary teacher, and recipe developer Caroline Choe presents a collection of small side dishes that accompany a Korean meal (and are often the real stars of the table!). These recipes include classic banchan passed down through generations of Choe's family, as well as modern banchan that fuse together Korean and American flavors. This is a lighthearted cookbook that shares an ancient yet never-published aspect of Korean cooking.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$26.95, 7¼ x 9¼ in, 192 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



SOUTHERN GET-TOGETHERS

100+ Crowd-Pleasing Recipes—Plus Essential Tips and Inspiration for Hosting Unforgettable Gatherings

By Kelsey Barnard Clark

Southern Grit author, *Top Chef* winner, and queen of Southern hospitality Kelsey Barnard Clark catered her first wedding at age 15 and has been hosting events personally and professionally ever since. In *Southern Get-Togethers*—the book she's always wanted to write and has been preparing for throughout her career—she distills her hard-earned party-planning wisdom into pearls of advice for newbie and experienced hosts alike. No matter the event,

Clark's wide-ranging and accessible recipes make entertaining a joy, never a chore. Insightful guidance on tablescaping, flower arranging, planning a menu like a chef, buying the right amount of food, and more ensures you have the confidence and know-how to pull off an unforgettable celebration of any size.

Hardcover, \$35.00, 7¼ x 10 in, 272 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



Also by Kelsey Barnard Clark:

Southern Grit

Fall 2021



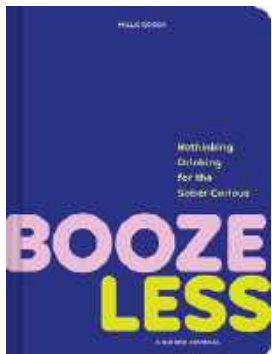
CHOCOLATE LOVER

A Baking Book to Satisfy Every Cocoa Craving

By Michele Song

This irresistible baking book features delicious, anyone-can-do-it recipes to satisfy every chocolate craving. For everyday home bakers who love all things chocolate, this delightful collection includes recipes for cookies, brownies, snacking cakes, breakfast breads, tarts, doughnuts, pastries, and more, all featuring white, milk, or dark chocolate. *Chocolate Lover* is the most accessible chocolate baking book out there and thus makes a truly excellent gift for the chocolate lover in your life (and if that's you, buy it for yourself!).

Hardcover, \$27.95, 7¼ x 9¼ in, 224 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024

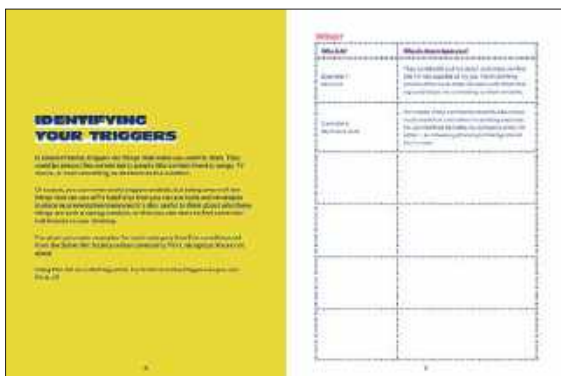


BOOZE LESS Rethinking Drinking for the Sober Curious— A Guided Journal

By Millie Gooch

From Millie Gooch, founder of the popular online community Sober Girl Society comes *Booze Less*, a much-needed break from the serious and solemn sobriety category. This guided journal is a lighthearted and fresh approach to the sober curious lifestyle. Designed for a range of consumers, from teetotalers to the occasional mocktail consumer, *Booze Less* will tackle topics from sober dating & sex, mental & physical health, and socializing by taking users through related journaling prompts.

Journal, \$16.95, 6 x 8 in, 208 pages, Fall 2024



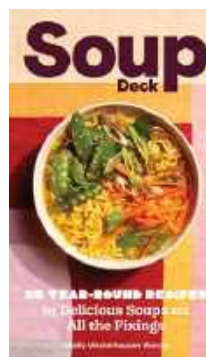
COFFEE CARDS 50 Energizing Recipes for a Better Brew

By Vivian Nguyen

From TikTok phenom Vivian Nguyen, a.k.a. Coffee Bae (@coffeebae97), comes this irresistible deck of recipes for fancy coffee drinks you can easily make at home. Whenever you need a kickstart to your morning or a midday pick-me-up, pull a card from this adorable box to discover an inventive recipe for a delectable, energizing beverage. Recipes range from classic brews to innovative must-tries. There are even a handful of matcha and tea recipes for afternoon slumps when you need just enough caff to get you through the day. Each recipe card features a photo of the drink, and an accompanying booklet

includes helpful tips for stocking your coffee bar and sourcing the best beans. With a design inspired by Coffee Bae's on-trend gradient branding, this must-have deck will appeal to java lovers, as well as Coffee Bae's many fans.

Deck, \$19.95, 3 x 5½ in, 50 cards with 32-page booklet, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



SOUP DECK 35 Year-Round Recipes for Delicious Soups and All the Fixings

By Shelly Westerhausen Worcel

From the author of the bestselling *Platters and Boards* and *Every Season Is Soup Season* comes this take-anywhere collection of essential recipes for soups and soup fixings. From broths and gazpachos to chowders and chilis, this adorable deck offers go-to soup recipes organized by season, as well as a booklet full of tips on making, serving, batching, storing, and freezing soup. Soup lovers will love these flexible recipes and gorgeous photos of luscious soups!

Deck, \$19.95, 3½ x 6 in, 30 cards with 32-page booklet, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024

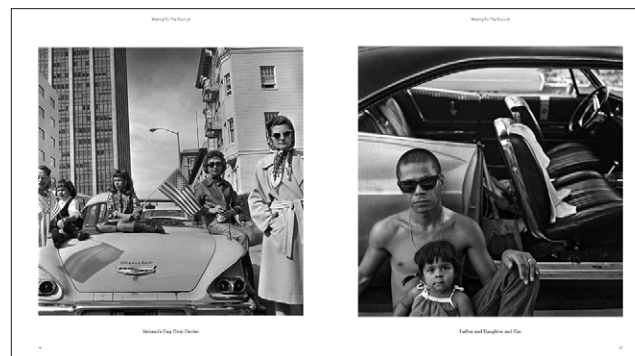


WAITING FOR THE EXORCIST & OTHER GLIMPSES FROM BYGONE 1970S CALIFORNIA
The Photography of Barbara Ramos
By Barbara Ramos

This beautifully curated collection gathers over 50 vintage black-and-white photographs by the previously unknown, but wildly talented, photographer Barbara Ramos. In the early 1970s, Ramos's street photography captured candid portraits of the diverse people and locales of San Francisco and the Bay Area, including men and women in their daily interactions, intimate moments shared between friends and lovers in public, and curious and carefree children.

After having been unseen (even by her!) for nearly 50 years in storage, Ramos uncovered and began to share her work online during the pandemic. The response was almost immediate—new fans were drawn to the arresting compositions, reminiscent of the work of documentarians such as Robert Frank, Henri Cartier-Bresson, Diane Arbus, and Vivian Maier. Featuring a new original interview with the artist, this book will be a fascinating time capsule of a bygone moment in California history—perfectly poised between past and present—perfect for fans of vintage and street photography.

Hardcover, \$35.00, 8 x 8 in, 112 pages, black & white photographs throughout, Spring 2025



Barbara Ramos's photography captures candid moments of everyday life in 1970s California. Her work is a testament to the power of street photography, capturing the raw and unfiltered human experience. Ramos's images are a window into a world that has largely been forgotten, offering a glimpse into the lives of ordinary people in an extraordinary way.

Her photographs are a collection of stories, each with its own unique character and charm. From the bustling streets of San Francisco to the quiet corners of the Bay Area, Ramos's lens captures the essence of a time and place that has since disappeared. Her work is a beautiful reminder of the importance of documenting our lives as they unfold, one moment at a time.

Waiting for the Exorcist & Other Glimpses from Bygone 1970s California is a book that will inspire and captivate anyone who loves photography. It is a collection of art that is both timeless and relevant, a testament to the enduring power of the camera.



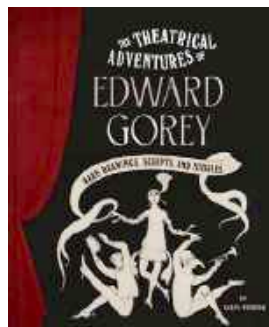


ONE WEEK IN JANUARY
New Paintings for an Old Diary
By Carson Ellis

Before Ellis became an award-winning picture book author and a beloved artist—before The Decemberists released their first album and Meloy became a household name—and before these two longtime friends became lovers, parents, and successful adults, Ellis, Meloy, and a gaggle of their artist friends were living, working, and dreaming in some semi-illegal apartments on the outskirts of Portland. In this illustrated volume, Ellis recreates a detailed journal she kept for one week in January of 2001. It's a snapshot

of a bygone era, in which she meticulously documents quotidian frustrations and small, meaningful moments. Brimming with Ellis's beautiful 2023 paintings of her 2001 life, this memoir offers readers a glimpse into the turn of the millennium.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$16.95, 6 x 8 in, 160 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



THE THEATRICAL ADVENTURES OF EDWARD GOREY
Rare Drawings, Scripts, and Stories
By Carol Verburg

This definitive, deluxe tome about Edward Gorey's theater work is a bonanza for fans of Gorey, the iconic creator of such classics as *The Gashlycrumb Tinies*, *The Doubtful Guest*, and the opening credits of *Masterpiece Mystery*. This stunning volume showcases unpublished images by one of the world's most unique and influential artists, photos of him at work (and play), sketches, scribbled notes-to-self, and mini scripts.

Hardcover, \$50.00, 8 x 11 in, 256 pages, full-color images throughout, Fall 2024



THE MUSHROOM COLOR ATLAS
A Guide to Dyes and Pigments Made from Fungi
By Julie Beeler, illustrated by Yuli Gates

Explore the chromatic wonders of the fungi kingdom through an astonishing spectrum of colors and pigments created from mushrooms. Filled with vibrant color palettes and swatches, as well as practical information for identifying mushrooms to create dyes and pigments, this book also includes gorgeous botanical illustrations, process photographs, and essays about the history of mushroom color charts and foraging ethics. Readers can use the rich color palettes to inspire them, prepare natural dyes for their

own creative projects, and learn about their connection to the mycological world.

Hardcover, \$22.95, 7 x 9½ in, 224 pages, full-color images throughout, Fall 2024



SPACECRAFT AND ROCKETS
Photographs from the Archives of NASA
Preface by Bill Nye, text by Nirmala Nataraj

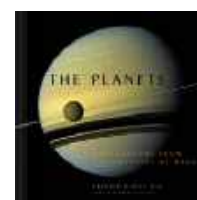
From manned rockets to remotely operated Mars rovers, nothing captures the human imagination quite like spacecraft. Our NASA-authorized coffee table book on the subject will be unparalleled in the marketplace, pairing high-quality photography with informative text that delves into the history and the possibilities of space exploration. It's the perfect gift for the armchair scientist in your life, including nerdy dads of every generation, sci-fi fanatics, design geeks, and history lovers.

Hardcover, \$40.00, 9 x 11 in, 176 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024

Also available:



Stargazing
 Fall 2019

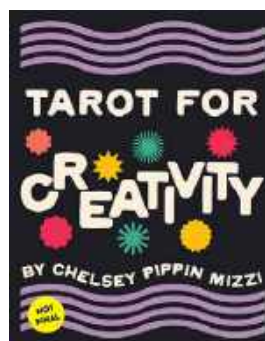


The Planets
 Fall 2017



Earth and Space
 Fall 2015

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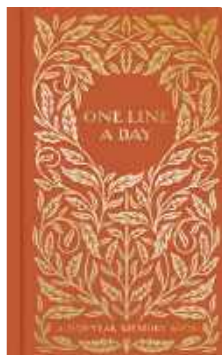


TAROT FOR CREATIVITY
By Chelsey Pippin Mizzi

Tarot isn't just for divination—it's also a great way to connect to your creativity. For experienced tarot users and beginners with creative pursuits, this easy-to-follow guide introduces tarot as a companion for cultivating storytelling and idea-generating. Offering an introduction to the deck's basic structure and history, Pippin Mizzi builds upon the rich tradition of tarot by connecting the card's archetypes to creative concerns. Her unique interpretations of the cards are accompanied by prompts that use each card's significance as a creative jumping-off point, along with an original tarot spread that can help users dive further into

the creative guidance of the cards.

Hardcover, \$24.95, 6 x 8 in, 78 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



GILDED ONE LINE A DAY
A Five-Year Memory Book
By Dana Tanamachi

More than a daily diary: For those daunted by the idea of keeping a journal or diary, the simple commitment of just One Line a Day is manageable for everyone. This elegant new version of the classic One Line a Day journal features an eye-catching ornamental foliage design from artist Dana Tanamachi. This keepsake memory book invites you to capture just a single quick line once a day over five years. Uniquely rewarding and simple to complete, this journal will become a treasure trove of memories to cherish forever.

Journal, \$16.95, 3¾ x 6½ in, 372 pages, Fall 2024

Also available:



One Line a Day
 Fall 2009

Rights sold: Italian, L'ippocampo
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 Ferber • Turkish, Pegasus
 Publishing House



Celestial One Line a Day
 Fall 2017

Rights sold: Turkish, Pegasus
 Publishing House



Floral One Line a Day
 Spring 2018

Rights sold: Italian,
 L'ippocampo



Pendleton One Line a Day
 Spring 2024



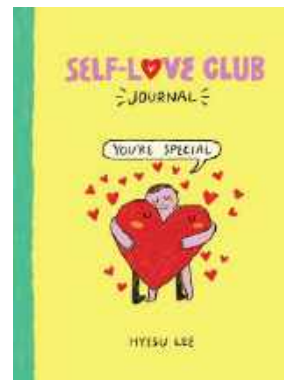
ONE DRAWING A DAY #2
By Geneva Bowers

With 365 creative prompts and enough space for a whole year's worth of drawings, this is the perfect tool for starting or switching up your daily drawing practice. Practice every day, experiment with different styles and approaches, and make new discoveries on every page! Unique creative art prompts give you a springboard to draw from each day. By the end of the year, you'll have a lovely keepsake showing all your progress, how much you've learned, and all the fun along the way.

Journal, \$16.95, 5 x 7½ in, 192 pages, Spring 2025



Also available:
One Drawing a Day
 Fall 2023



SELF-LOVE CLUB JOURNAL
By Hyesu Lee

Whimsical, colorful, and sincere, this celebration of self-love and healing from illustrator and comics creator Hyesu Lee is just what we all need right now. Welcome to the club! Finding the uniqueness that makes you you. Accepting yourself as you are. Learning to embrace self-love. Spreading positivity and hope. Communicating with vulnerability. Lee has been on a healing journey towards all these states of being, and she invites you to come along with her. In her uniquely playful mix of comics and illustrations, Lee shines a humorous and heartfelt light on the small moments in life that help us turn toward optimism and joy. This journal makes the perfect gift

for that person in your life you'd like to see join the self-love club, whether that's a friend, a loved one, or your very own self.

Journal, \$16.95, 7¼ x 9¼ in, 144 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



Also by Hyesu Lee:
Self-Love Club
 Fall 2023

Rights sold:
 Korean, Who's Got My Tail



THE ARTISTS' DECK
By Beth Pickens

This inspiring deck is for anyone interested in facing their creative blocks and moving their artistic practice forward. Arts consultant Beth Pickens offers an honest and encouraging look into the thoughts, emotions, and behaviors that are holding back your inner artist, and how to overcome them. The cards are organized into four distinct suites: myths, traps, feelings, and blocks—each based on the elements of air, fire, water, and earth. Each card includes a short description of an obstacle, reflection questions for exploring that topic, and creative exercises that transform the issue into a source of inspiration and generative energy. You can explore the deck's categories to locate and get

a handle on a particular personal obstacle that's troubling you or draw a card at random, oracle-style, to help guide and prompt your thoughts and reflections. This is an affirming tool that will help you acknowledge your anxieties, challenge yourself with new perspectives and approaches, and overcome these creative hurdles with self-awareness and compassion.

Deck, \$19.95, 6 x 3½ in, 60 cards, full color throughout, Spring 2025



Lifestyle



WHY IS THIS SO HARD? A Comic Memoir about the Challenges (and Joys) of Marriage and Motherhood By Mary Catherine Starr

A warm, funny, and honest graphic memoir about the universal challenges (and joys) of motherhood, from the illustrator behind the popular @momlife_comics on Instagram. This charming comic-driven parenting book follows Mary Catherine Starr's journey from falling in love with her college sweetheart to becoming a mother to two young kids. Weaving together relatable anecdotes with illuminating realizations, Starr offers a captivating look at the realities of modern motherhood, and how challenging it can be to balance your relationship, kids, work, and life without losing yourself (or your mind). Full of poignant takes and thoughtful insights on partnership, kids, mental health, and more, this book will make a wide audience of moms feel seen and less alone, while also offering simple solutions for navigating the most common everyday challenges.

Mary Catherine Starr's work has been featured on *Cup of Jo*, *The Huffington Post*, and *Motherly*. She lives with her family and her son's large collection of plastic dinosaurs, has been trying to learn how to "slow down and find balance" her entire life, and has only recently started to realize that IT WILL NEVER HAPPEN and that's okay (ish).

Hardcover, \$24.95, 7 x 9 in, 304 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025





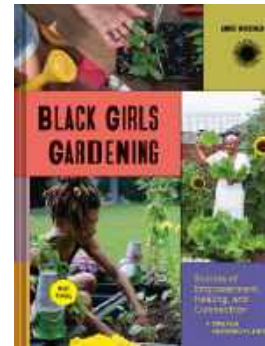
FOR THE LOVE OF SWEET PEAS Growing and Arranging the Garden's Most Cherished Blooms

By Marryn Mathis

Known for the vibrant kaleidoscope of sweet pea varieties she cultivates on her Washington farm, flower farmer and reigning "Sweet Pea Queen" Marryn Mathis shares her knowledge and passion for these elegant, romantic flowers in this comprehensive book. *For the Love of Sweet Peas* takes readers on an informative journey through her fields, teaching farmers and gardeners of all levels how to plant, grow, harvest, and arrange their own bounty of these beautiful, delicate blooms. Inspired by her popular in-person and online "Sweet Pea School" workshops, this is a master class in sweet peas, covering the history of this

timeless flower, best growing practices, an overview of 50 popular varieties, and step-by-step instructions for creating magnificent floral arrangements. Mathis also shares her inspiring personal story of becoming a flower farmer and building her Farmhouse Flower Farm. At once aspirational and practical, this book is overflowing with stunning photos of sweet pea varieties, floral arrangements, and Mathis's gardens in full bloom. The growing number of gardeners, farmers, and florists will appreciate the instructional, can-do advice, while artists and designers will find beauty and creative fodder in these pages.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$27.50, 7¼ x 10 in, 240 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



BLACK GIRLS GARDENING

By Amber Grossman

From the creator behind the popular Instagram account @BlackGirlsGardening comes this visually driven book celebrating Black women in the garden. Included are compelling personal stories about creating backyard, flower, and vegetable gardens, participating in community gardens, and gardening with kids. Through first-person narratives and arresting photography, these women demonstrate how a gardening practice has the power to heal, empower, educate, and connect. Interstitial sidebars offer insight on composting, pest control, greenhouse gardens, watering schedules, and more. In a beautiful,

chunky package that can be read cover to cover or displayed on a coffee table, *Black Girls Gardening* makes a lovely gift for aspiring and practicing Black women gardeners, first-time homeowners, parents who garden with their kids, and women of all ages who enjoy sinking their hands into the soil.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$26.95, 7¼ x 9¼ in, 240 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



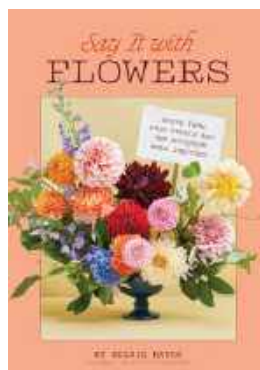


GORGEOUS GATHERINGS **Designing Unforgettable Weddings and Luxurious Celebrations**

By Alison Hotchkiss

From renowned event planner Alison Hotchkiss, *Gorgeous Gatherings* presents bespoke celebrations inspired by their surroundings. From the coast of Japan to the beaches of Mexico, New York City to the desert of Utah, discover how a professional planner creates gorgeous design schemas derived from the location. Woven throughout are helpful tips for designing parties that have a sense of place, and each chapter ends with a practical how-to for replicating aspects of these celebrations at home.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$35.00, 8 x 10 in, 240 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



SAY IT WITH FLOWERS **Meaningful Bouquets Inspired by Anonymous Notes**

By Kelsie Hayes, photographs by Carly Tice

In the seven years since founding NYC-based flower shop POPUPFLORIST, owner Kelsie Hayes has collected a trove of the most memorable notes customers have written to accompany an arrangement. These anonymous notes are juicy, hilarious, comforting, congratulatory, sexy, endearing, and even mysterious. This petite gift book pairs each of these notes with a photo of a flower arrangement inspired by the sender's words and designed with POPUPFLORIST's on-trend aesthetic.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$16.95, 5 x 7 in, 128 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



BOOK NOOKS **Inspired Ideas for Cozy Reading Corners and Stylish Book Displays**

By Vanessa Dina and Claire Gilhuly, photographs by Antonis Achilleos

An inspiring home décor book featuring cozy places to read and creative ways to display books at home, *Book Nooks* is filled with photos showcasing beautiful bookshelves styled with lovely objets d'art, handsome home libraries with snug armchairs, reading areas for kids that ignite the imagination, and cookbook corners in quaint kitchens. Brimming with evocative imagery of dreamy spaces, *Book Nooks* is an irresistible invitation to curl up with a book—whether this one or another.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$26.95, 7½ x 9 in, 144 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



THE BUCKET LIST JOURNAL **Plan a Lifetime of Adventures and Memories**

Spanning a variety of bucket list themes, *The Bucket List Journal* contains endless inspiration for discovering what you really want out of life and making it happen. Each chapter opens with multiple prompts to kickstart your bucket list brainstorming and then closes with lots of lined pages for filling in your list. Throughout are little asides on ways to take your ideas from concept to action.

Journal, \$14.95, 5 x 7 in, 144 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



THE FAMILY PLAY DECK **60 Fun-Filled Activities to Spark Connection and Curiosity**

By Allison Klein and Lauren Vien

These 60 easy and fun activities for families with young kids is designed to encourage family fun and support child development. Organized into color-coded categories—including Nature, Sensory, Pretend, and more—the simple-to-follow guided prompts are designed to stimulate young minds and encourage curiosity and creativity. Written by a team of experts on early childhood development, each activity supports social emotional learning and enhances family connection through play.

Allison Klein is Founder of Rose & Rex, a play resource for modern families. She holds a dual MSEd degree in Early Childhood and Childhood Education and is an expert on the importance of imaginative play in early childhood development.

Lauren Vien is an early childhood educator with more than fifteen years of experience supporting young children and their families, including as a classroom teacher, school administrator, and parent educator. She is currently the Education Director at Rose & Rex.

Deck, \$19.95, 3¼ x 5½ in, 60 cards with 12-page booklet, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024





Mind Body Spirit



RADICAL PLEASURE Luxurious Rituals to Ignite Your Senses and Rejuvenate Your Soul

By Richard Christiansen

Immerse yourself in nature's luxuries in this visually rich guide to well-being full of alluring rituals, earthly delights, sensory experiences, and recipes from the world-famous garden and wellness brand Flamingo Estate. Written by the founder, Richard Christiansen, *Radical Pleasure* is an invitation to connect with nature's bounty and lead a pleasure-filled life. Organized by senses—sight, sound, taste, smell, touch—the book includes information on herbal concoctions, bath recipes, botanicals, and daily rituals for wellbeing, with advice from the kitchen to the bedroom and all points in between. Brimming with gorgeous photography and stories from celebrated friends who've inspired Christiansen along the way—Jane Goodall, Alice Waters, Terry Tempest Williams, and Michael Pollan, among others—*Radical Pleasure* is a stirring call to fill your life with pleasure through luxuriating in the wonders of the natural world.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$45.00, 9 x 11 in, 224 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



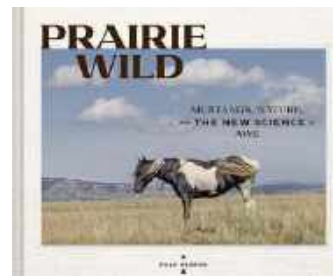


READ THE SIGNS Everything You Need to Know About the Zodiac in 101 Handy Charts and Graphs By Julia Topaz

Combining the playful spirit of pop astrology with the ancient wisdom of the cosmos, *Read the Signs* offers revelations about the passions, blind spots, primal urges, and tendencies of each zodiac sign. The bite-sized content and innovative, art-driven approach make it easy to understand the personality, temperament, and proclivities of each sign. With information on how the signs behave

when it comes to love, relationships, friendship, career, and so much more, *Read the Signs* puts astrological teachings into real-life scenarios that anyone can understand and that everyone will find engaging.

Hardcover, \$24.95, 7 x 7 in, 192 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025

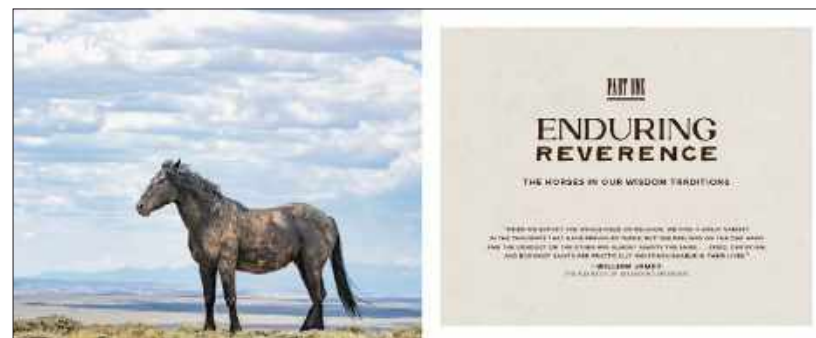


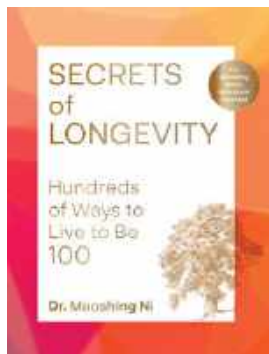
PRAIRIE WILD Mustangs, Reverence, and the New Art of Wellbeing By Chad Hanson

Through breathtaking imagery of wild horses on the open plains, *Prairie Wild* invites you into a world seldom experienced by humans. Alongside stunning photographs, the book delves into the new research on awe, and lays out the myriad mind/body benefits that come from spending

time in natural spaces and away from our modern lives. "Try this" sidebars offer simple ways to get outside, practice mindfulness, and discover more wonder in your everyday, no matter where you live. Brimming with images that range from austere to heartwarming to jubilant, this celebration of wild horses is also a stirring call to protect these majestic animals and beautiful landscapes. With an on-trend design aesthetic that evokes the romance of the West, this transporting book will appeal to equestrians, animal- and nature-lovers, photography enthusiasts, people who live in or travel to the western U.S., and anyone interested in improving their wellbeing through time spent outdoors.

Unjacketed hardcover, \$29.95, 7 1/4 x 9 1/4 in, 240 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Spring 2025



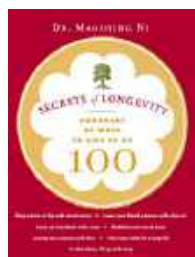


SECRETS OF LONGEVITY, 2ND EDITION
Hundreds of Ways to Live to Be 100—The Bestselling Guide, Revised and Expanded
By Dr. Maoshing Ni

From bestselling author and world-renowned longevity expert Dr. Maoshing Ni, popularly known as Dr. Mao, this must-have guide offers hundreds of simple practices for aging well so you can live a long, healthy, joyful life. In this updated and expanded edition of his 2006 bestseller, Dr. Mao has revised outdated content and added dozens of new entries for modern life, including tips on digital detoxing, mindfulness, dealing with the anxiety of climate change, relationship boundaries, and more. A 38th generation

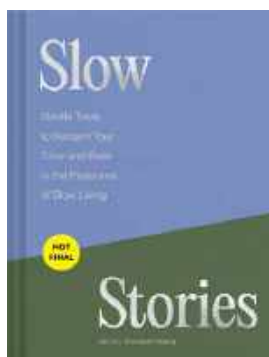
Chinese medicine doctor, Dr. Mao guides readers through practices for physical, mental, and emotional wellbeing. Featuring hundreds of entries on aging well, including expert guidance on nutrition, sleep, work, relationships, managing stress, and more, this book makes it easy to incorporate healthy, scientifically proven techniques for longevity into everyday life. Marrying wisdom from traditional Eastern medicine with contemporary science, *Secrets of Longevity* is a must-have guide for anyone who aspires to live happily and healthfully to age 100.

Paperback, \$24.95, 6 x 8 in, 384 pages, one-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



Secrets of Longevity
 Spring 2006

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SLOW STORIES
Discover Wonder, Beauty, and Calm through Slow Living
By Rachel Schwartzmann

Written by Rachel Schwartzmann, the founder of the *Slow Stories* podcast, *Slow Stories* is an invitation to slow down, reflect, and live with intention so that you can connect with your truth and embrace your unique story. The book features a range of essays, interviews, and prompts centered around slowing down, making time for creativity, and opening ourselves to the possibility of new beginnings. The content offers readers entries to engage with and reflect on each week for an entire year. Featuring a combination of poetic essays on time, reflections on slowness by luminous

creatives, and easy-to-follow exercises for rest and rejuvenation, *Slow Stories* is a balm for productivity culture and anyone experiencing burnout.

Hardcover, \$22.95, 6 x 8 in, 208 pages, full color throughout, Fall 2024



ROMANCE THE EVERY DAY
Inspired Ideas for a Year of Poetic Living
By Andrea Kasprzak

Let's face it—our routines can have us bogged down. Between the pulls of work, family, friends, and the unrelenting speed at which our world churns, it can be hard to find pockets of joy. *Romance the Every Day* aims to make the far-more-frequent ordinary moments of our lives a bit sweeter with thoughtful and accessible ideas, turning the mundane into magic with a year's worth of small acts of service to yourself and others. Full of small and easy-to-implement tweaks for your daily routine to add a little bit of optimistic texture to your life, *Romance*

the Every Day encourages readers to find their “main character energy.”

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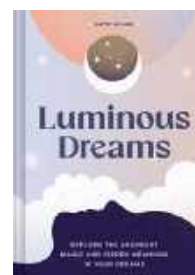


SHADOW WORK JOURNAL
Discover Your True Self to Live with Joy and Authenticity
By Katie Huang

In *Shadow Work Journal*, mystic teacher Katie Huang shares tools and techniques for illuminating and accepting your shadow self—the parts of yourself that you keep hidden—so that you can live with authenticity and joy. The content provides an overview of the concept of shadow work and guides you through simple reflection prompts to promote self-discovery and intuitive thinking. The exercises incorporate mindfulness, meditation, and visualization practices to gently help journalers build awareness of shadow

behaviors and establish healthier habits. Full of thought-provoking practices and delivered in a luminous, eye-catching package with luxe production elements, *Shadow Work Journal* is a powerful companion for modern mystics, the spiritually curious, anyone looking for easy-to-follow tools for self-healing.

Journal, \$16.95, 6 x 8 in, Spring 2025



Luminous Dreams
 Fall 2022



Luminous Dreams: The Deck
 Fall 2023



TWO MINUTE EVENINGS

A Journal to Wind Down Your Day with Intention
By Neil Pasricha and Leslie Richardson

Since its publication in Fall 2017, *Two Minute Mornings* has sold over 115,000 copies. But *Two Minute Mornings* is, in fact, just one-half of Neil Pasricha's daily gratitude practice. The other has inspired his follow-up journal: *Two Minute Evenings*. Every night, either by himself in a journal or with his family, Pasricha will play a simple gratitude game where he shares two "roses" of the day (a highlight, gratitude, or something that went well), a "thorn" (something that didn't go well that day), and a "bud" (something he's looking forward to—as big as a trip to as

small as an afternoon nap). Using that same framework, *Two Minute Evenings* is designed with a repeat structure where each page dedicates space for the day's rose, thorn, and bud. This journal can be used solo, as a couple with each person taking one side of a spread, or as a family practice.

Journal, \$16.95, 4¾ x 6¼ in, 304 pages, two-color interior, Fall 2024

Also available:

Two Minute Mornings, Fall 2017



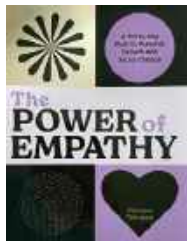
THE POWER OF EMPATHY GUIDED JOURNAL

A Thirty-Day Path to Self-Reflection and Growth
By Michael Tennant

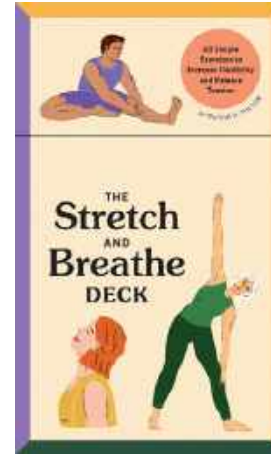
Whether you've already read *The Power of Empathy* or are just starting your journey of healing, embrace compassion, connection, and curiosity with this guided journal, an amazing resource for anyone looking to boost their daily journaling practice and transform abstract concepts into action. Packed with encouraging reminders, mindfulness techniques, and new reflection prompts, Michael Tennant's accessible thirty-day approach explores the benefits of empathy through inclusive perspectives and an intersectional framework. As you fill the pages of this journal with your own stories and experiences,

you'll uncover the role of vulnerability and compassion within your own relationships and how you can heal your larger community.

Journal, \$18.95, 6 x 8 in, 160 pages, full-color illustrations throughout, Spring 2025



Also available:
The Power of Empathy
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THE STRETCH AND BREATHE DECK

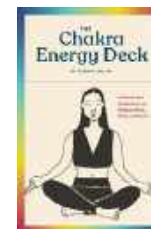
60 Simple Exercises to Increase Flexibility and Release Tension
By Olivia H. Miller

Stretching, when paired with breathwork, is a simple and effective way to relieve tight muscles, increase flexibility, release tension in the mind and body, and boost your overall well being. This illustrated deck, from the bestselling author of *The Yoga Deck*, includes step-by-step instructions for deep-breathing exercises and essential stretches targeting muscles in four key regions: head and neck, upper body, trunk and lower back, and legs. The accompanying booklet provides tips for safe stretching and recommended sequences for improved posture, relaxation, strength, balance, and more. Easy to follow and appropriate for all activity levels, these portable cards will be your guide on a journey to good health.

Deck, \$19.95, 4 x 6½ in, 60 cards with 12-page booklet, full-color illustrations throughout, Fall 2024



Also available:



The Chakra Energy Deck
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The Healing Yoga Deck
Fall 2018



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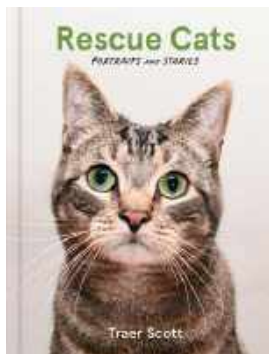
BUILDING CULTURE
Sixteen Architects on How Museums are Shaping the Future of Art, Architecture, and Public Space
By Julian Rose, foreword by Yve-Alain Bois

This remarkable collection of lively and candid interviews with sixteen of the world's most celebrated, thoughtful, and innovative architects spans generations, geographies, and methods of architectural practice. Architects and art lovers will learn about the complex and fascinating process of creating spaces for art from a diverse group ranging from Frank Gehry, who reveals how a half-century of dialogue with the visual arts influenced his revolutionary Guggenheim Bilbao, to Kulapat Yantrasast, who describes his rethinking of exhibition design and how it expands the presentation of work in venerable institutions like the Metropolitan Museum of Art, where he is currently redesigning the galleries for the arts of Africa, Oceania, and the Americas. Each architect has a deep connection to artistic practice—from Walter Hood, whose long interest in improvisational techniques in music informed his design for outdoor performance spaces in the Oakland Museum, to Elizabeth Diller, whose conception of the Shed in New York City's Hudson Yards was influenced by decades of work in conceptual and performance art.

Interviewees also include David Adjaye, David Chipperfield, Richard Gluckman, Jacques Herzog, Steven Holl, Renzo Piano, Denise Scott Brown, Kazuyo Sejima, Annabelle Selldorf, Shohei Shigematsu, Liu Yichun, and Peter Zumthor. All present unique, significant insights not only about museum design but the nature of art itself.

Hardcover, \$27.50, 6 x 9 in, 368 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



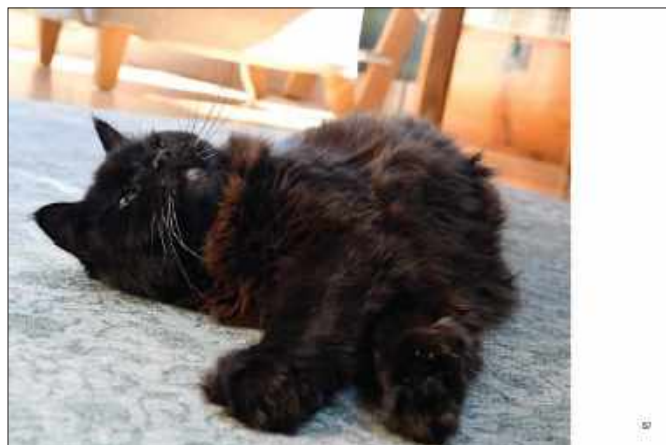
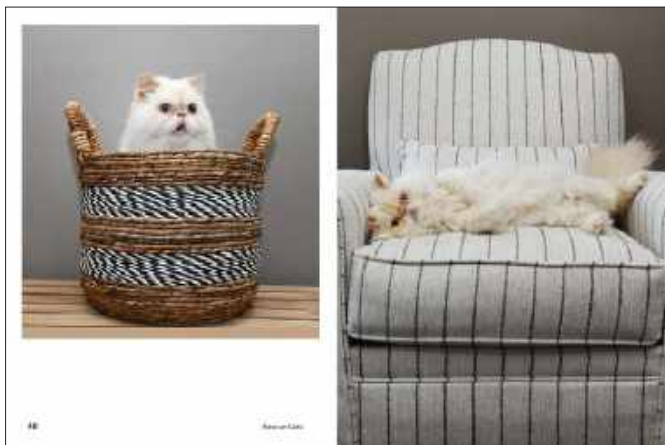


RESCUE CATS
Portraits and Stories
By Traer Scott

The perfect gift for cat lovers everywhere, *Rescue Cats* will delight and inspire with its collection of full-color, close-up portraits of cats and their stories of adoption, from award-winning author and animal photographer Traer Scott. From Forrest, a majestic Maine Coon born with an impairment and found on the street as a 12-week-old stray who, after finding the perfect home, now goes kayaking and camping with his family, to Linus, once a severely malnourished kitten weighing less than one ounce and given no chance of survival who, after months of careful foster care, grew to

be a healthy and beloved pet, these are inspiring stories of survival and resilience. Beautifully illustrated and engagingly written, *Rescue Cats* pays tribute to these amazing felines who have undergone remarkable transformations and found their forever homes.

Hardcover, \$16.95, 6 x 8 in, 104 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



THE NOVOGRATZ CHRONICLES
Lessons Learned from Twenty-Five Years of Buying and Renovating
By Robert Novogratz and Courtney Novogratz

For over twenty-five years, Robert and Courtney Novogratz have transformed fabulous properties across the U.S. and around the world, including Hotel Dylan (Woodstock, New York), the Bungalow Hotel (Long Branch, New Jersey), and Timber Cove (Sonoma, California), among others. They've also partnered with many celebrities and well-known retailers, all while raising their family of seven children. Robert and Courtney not only know how to run a successful and innovative design business, but also how to balance

work, family, and fun. This book takes readers on their journey, from their first house in Chelsea in the 1990s, to their latest home in Greenwich Village. Throughout the chapters, their path to success is explored and shared, from thinking outside the box when financing to building the right renovation team to developing a design aesthetic and trusting your design instincts. DIYers, lovers of HGTV, and anyone interested in buying, selling, and renovating houses will love reading about their projects and how their experience might apply to their own.

Hardcover, \$27.95, 7 x 9 in, 288 pages, one-color images throughout, Fall 2024

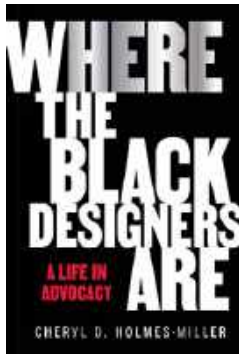


DESIGNING ASPEN
The Houses of Rowland + Broughton
By John Rowland and Sarah Broughton

Rowland + Broughton is known for "shaping the town of Aspen" with their visionary work in urban design and historic preservation. In this luxurious volume, founders John Rowland and Sarah Broughton share a selection of their extraordinary body of work in Aspen as well as the surrounding mountains. Projects range from the Meadow House to Mountain Retreat, from Art Barn to Creek House, with essays about Aspen and its history and relevance, the importance of historic preservation, client relationships, and the philosophy of the firm.

Hardcover, \$60.00, 9 x 12 in, 240 pages, full-color images throughout, Fall 2024





HERE

Where the Black Designers Are

By Cheryl D. Holmes-Miller, foreword by Crystal Williams

Cheryl D. Holmes-Miller is legendary for her decades of scholarship and activism and known as a gadfly, touchstone, and conscience for the design profession. This long-awaited book documents the history of the question “Where are the Black designers?” and related questions that are urgent to the design profession: Where did they originate? Where have they been? Why haven’t they been represented in design histories and canons? Holmes-Miller traces her development as a designer and leader, beginning with her own family and its rich multiethnic history. She narrates her experiences

as a design student at Rhode Island School of Design, Maryland Institute College of Art, and Pratt, leading up to her oft-cited Pratt thesis examining barriers to success for Black designers. She describes the work of her eponymous studio for noted clients that included NASA, Time Inc, and the nascent Black Entertainment Television, as well as the story of her later critiques of the industry in the design press, most notably in *Print* magazine. She also recounts the parallel history of collective efforts over the past fifty years by fellow scholars and advocates to identify and celebrate Black designers. Her story is part memoir, part detective story, and part urgent call for justice and recognition for Black designers.

Paperback with flaps, \$27.50, 5½ x 9 in, 224 pages, full-color images throughout, Fall 2024



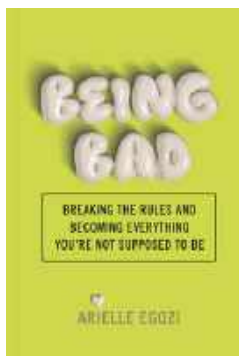
MARGIN AND TEXT

Amplifying Diverse Voices in Architecture

By Betsy West, Kelly Carlson Reddig, and Jose L.S. Gamez

Written by minority practitioners and educators, *Margin and Text* is a collection of essays, interviews, and personal stories as well as historical and current writings and lectures. The contributors are diverse in gender, ethnicity, age, religion, culture, point of view, and the nature of their work. Collectively they offer reflections on architecture’s troubled past, commentary on its fluid present, and visions of possible futures, all set amid today’s context of broad social activism, dangerously divisive politics, and the devastating toll of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Hardcover, \$45.00, 6 x 9 in, 256 pages, full-color images throughout, Fall 2024



BEING BAD
Breaking the Rules and Becoming Everything
You're Not Supposed to Be

By Arielle Egozi

What happens when you release what you think you know about power, identity, and your body, and ask yourself what you really want? Using frameworks and philosophies that Arielle Egozi has developed over years living, writing, and educating on BDSM, sex work, and anti-racist queer decolonization, they share their own personal journey of never quite fitting in as a queer, nonbinary person of color, and how finally embracing their multifaceted identity led to freedom in being “bad” in a world of binaries. Egozi then offers questions, practices, and tools throughout the book to

help readers step into their own power and envision a life that prioritizes and centers their own pleasure and safety (“being bad”), instead of what their family, society, or capitalism has told them they should want or be (“being good”).

Arielle Egozi (she/they) is an award-winning creative, strategist, and voice in the DEI, Sex-Tech, and Adult industries. She entered the world of BDSM as a tool for working through her own trauma and eventually began taking clients under the label “The Spiritual Domme,” using their own frameworks based in navigating power dynamics to support clients working through their own identity, relationship, and work challenges.

Jacketed paperback, \$17.95, 5½ x 8¼, 256 pages, Fall 2024



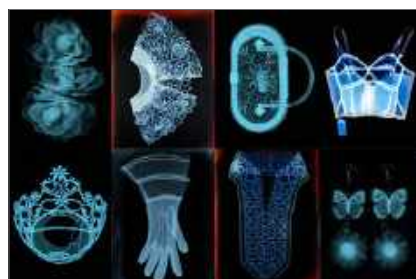


PALACE COSTUME
Inside Hollywood's Best Kept Fashion Secret
 By Mimi Haddon

Curated for the exclusive benefit of costumers, stylists, and designers, Palace Costume has lent authenticity and panache to classic films such as *Chinatown*, *The Godfather*, *Boogie Nights*, *Austin Powers*, *The Big Lebowski*, and *Coming to America*, to name but a few. Oscar-winning costume designers such as Mark Bridges, Sandy Powell, and Ruth Carter have been known to peruse the archive for inspiration and for specific pieces for their films. Palace Costume has been the vision of Melody

Barnette, whose journey in retro clothing is movie-worthy itself. Her first boutique in Los Angeles in the early 1970s attracted the likes of Diana Ross, Joni Mitchell, and many other rock-and-rollers from the era. This inspired her to transition the business into a to-the-trade only rental service enabling her to hold onto and care for these vintage gems. Fifty years later, her 30,000-square-foot trove of over half a million pieces is a beloved and legendary collection. Photographer Mimi Haddon has been documenting the vintage treasures at Palace Costume for many years, and *Palace Costume* is that behind-the-scenes glimpse. Her carefully curated photographs are stunning, stylized, and saturated, resulting in a comprehensive and delightful celebration of this one-of-a-kind archive.

Hardcover, \$29.95, 8 x 10 in, 264 pages, full-color photographs throughout, Fall 2024



LAST DAYS OF SUMMER
The Complete Archive
 By Hugh Holland

While many of Hugh Holland's iconic images are well-known and beloved, this book uncovers unseen gems to create an ultimate must-have collection of his work from 1975 to 1978. His images captured the burgeoning subculture of skateboarding, documenting young sidewalk surfers on the streets of Los Angeles, parts of the San Fernando Valley, Venice Beach, and as far away as San Francisco and Baja California. In four short years, Holland documented the rise of skateboarding before it became officially sanctioned as a sport along with

commercialization, brand sponsorships, and safety precautions like helmets and knee pads. In hindsight, this time period held a wild and free innocence that was beautifully captured by Holland. His images, from suburban backyard haunts to the asphalt streets that connected them, still resonate as an important document of this time and place where legendary Dogtown and Z-Boys skateboarders were just beginning. With their requisite bleach-blond hair, tanned bodies, tube socks, and Vans sneakers, these young outsiders are masterfully captured against a sometimes harsh but always sunny Southern California landscape.

Hugh Holland is a Los Angeles-based photographer who rose to fame with now-classic 1970s images of skateboarding and its burgeoning subculture. He has exhibited his photographs at galleries and retailers around the world, including M+B Gallery in Los Angeles, Benrubi Gallery in New York, Colette in Paris, and Herman Miller in Tokyo, to name a few.

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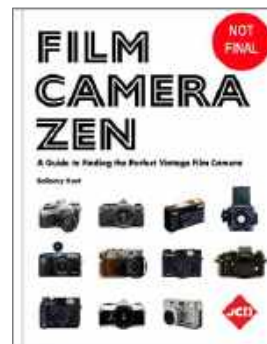
NOUVELLE FEMMES

By Ericka Knudson

Legends of style, mystique, and individuality, such as filmmaker Agnes Varda and actresses Anna Karina, Jeanne Moreau, Jean Seberg, and Brigitte Bardot, stand out as emblems of the French New Wave who continue to fascinate audiences worldwide. Part of a larger group of “modern women” who revolutionized cinema, they broke out of the rigid representations that confined women to stereotypes and led the way toward more compelling female roles. Their individual voices and undeniable presence brought authenticity to their characters that resonated both on screen and off. Though their part in

creating new types of female characters has often been overlooked, the women of the French New Wave are celebrated by cinephiles all over the world and live on in today's most modern female characters in film. *Nouvelles Femmes* offers a new take on these compelling women, examining their roles as a vital part of New Wave cinema as well as their influence on attitudes and style in society at large. Designed to be wide in its appeal, the book is punctuated by quotes from the films, directors, and literature that inspired them, and, most importantly, the women themselves. Film stills complementing the narrative showcase innovations in style and illustrate behind-the-scenes moments between actresses and directors.

Hardcover, \$29.95, 8 x 10 in, 224 pages, full-color and b&w photographs throughout, Fall 2024



FILM CAMERA ZEN

A Guide to Finding the Perfect, Vintage, Film Camera
By Bellamy Hunt and Japan Camera Hunter

From European brands such as Leica and Hasselblad, to Japanese names such as Nikon, Canon, Pentax, and Minolta, Bellamy Hunt provides all the necessary technical knowledge needed to enable the best purchase. *Film Camera Zen* covers all aspects of technical capabilities, focus options, compatible lenses, and accessories that are necessary to understand for any camera collector, avid film photographer, or novice creative when purchasing and collecting cameras. The current trend to rediscover film cameras is analogous to the resurgent interest in vinyl

records and vintage watches. A new generation is rediscovering film cameras as collectibles and as an alternative to camera phones. The beauty of the actual cameras themselves, acquiring the skill involved to use them, and the photographic end results are a rewarding experience in the digital age.

UK native **Bellamy Hunt** founded Japan Camera Hunter in Tokyo in 2011 as a one-stop shop for film photographers and camera lovers. Hunt is a sought-after expert in all types of analog cameras and their history. JCH has become one of the leading online resources for film photography and new information about film cameras and has a strong following through its online store, popular Instagram account, and YouTube videos, inspiring a new generation of film camera enthusiasts to discover analog cameras in our digital era

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