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The Crude Truth: Do you want to know why you're paying so much at the pump these days? Raymond J. Learsy, a longtime commodities trader, explains the real facts behind today's outrageous gasoline prices by lifting the veil from the Mideast oil cartel. He shows how OPEC manipulates the oil markets with results that are destabilizing to the world's economy and threatening to

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America's national security. With refreshing candor and an insider's perspective, Learsy explains how OPEC: - promotes a bogus perception of oil scarcity in order to hike prices and gain political power. - is compromised by connections to Islamist terrorists, who fuel anti-American hatred with dollars from our own pockets. - keeps Third World populations in crushing poverty, despite rich oil deposits found in their countries. - became the de facto master of Iraq's newly liberated oil fields. Along with a sweeping survey of OPEC's methods of economic domination, Over a Barrel offers a well-informed strategy for busting the Mideast oil

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*cartel and charting our nation's
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course towards energy*

independence.

In the fifty years since Rawls seminal work A Theory of Justice, the concept has been debated with those on the political right and left advocating very different understandings. This unique global collection, written by a group of international experts, offers wide-ranging analyses of the meaning of social justice that challenge the ability of the market to provide social justice for all. The Handbook also looks at how the theory of social justice informs practice within a range of occupations or welfare divisions.

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Sometimes, you make bad choices. Sometimes, bad choices are made for you. Ned "Crash" Aiken thought he had made a clean break. He had turned on his biker brothers in the Sons of Satan and entered the FBI's witness protection program, only to end up in a different kind of prison, one of mediocre work and cheap apartments. He then fell in with the Russian mob, learning their brutal code first-hand and fleeing their organization when the stakes got too high. Between the FBI, the Sons and the Russians, there are a lot of people who want to get their hands on the innocent-looking ex-drug trafficker. Now he's in Mexico, trying to go straight and stay alive.

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But Mexico isn't like the United States. It isn't even like it used to be in its heyday as a playground for wealthy gringos to vacation or college kids to party on the cheap. Ned is no stranger to drugs, violence and brutality, and what he sees in Mexico he can only try to ignore. But even while Ned tries his best to mind his own business, he is forced back into the underworld against his will. He finds himself at the mercy of a cartel and its notorious leader, and now the game is just about survival. But how can you play the game when there are no rules? From the author of the best-selling Gangland, a searing read about the Mexican cartels,

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Dead Biker is a disturbing story about immense power and indiscriminate brutality, and lives held hostage in more ways than one.

Harrap's essential English

Dictionary

Exploding Myths, Exploring

Misconceptions

Getting a Grip on Your Finances

Why I Hate Religion

The Unlikely Candidate

Fed up with business as usual, Californians recalled Governor Gray Davis in 2003 and replaced him with a celebrity who pledged to clean up government. The Recall's Broken Promise details how Arnold Schwarzenegger then shattered political fundraising records, attacked campaign finance laws,

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crossed ethical boundaries, and how politicians of both parties have killed needed reforms.

"Politics is stuck," writes Bill Bradley, in this insightful, informative, and provocative book about America at a crossroads, but "idealism isn't dead. It can be reawakened." What will it take to make America a better, stronger, truer country? asks the bestselling author, former Knicks star, and onetime presidential candidate. Bill Bradley believes that America is at a teachable moment when we are compelled to reevaluate our political system, our leadership, our agenda as a nation, and ourselves as citizens. With clarity and urgency, Bradley shows why the story we are being told now about who we are as a people is not true.

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He then offers a new story about our nation, based on America's rich heritage and his belief in the character of the American people. Bradley explores what changes need to be made in our parties, in our politics, and in citizen activism to ensure America's future. He asserts that the American people are ready for the truth and suggests that the party that chooses to embrace this new story will be in power for a generation. Writing from his own experience in politics and drawing on his knowledge of history, Bradley shows how the Republican Party has built a solid pyramid structure since the 1970s, at the base of which are money, ideas, and media, whereas the Democratic Party's structure is an inverted pyramid, with too much

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emphasis put on the need for a charismatic leader to hold the pyramid up. Each party, for different reasons, fails to deal with the real issues that now confront America. This informed and inspiring call to action is addressed not only to the parties and elected leaders, but to citizens as well. Bradley proposes things every American can do to shape our nation's future. He points out that if eighty percent of the electorate voted, instead of fifty percent, it would be the most important change in American politics since women got the vote. Now more than ever, he says, we need to embrace an "ethic of connectedness," a combination of collective action and individual responsibility, to solve our nation's most pressing problems, and he

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Together To Revive Our Democracy argues that the fate of all countries is bound together as never before.

Writing today with the freedom of a private citizen, Bradley provides this transformative and eye-opening book about the danger and the promise of America's choice at this crucial moment in the nation's history.

Pastor Creflo Dollar offers ten compelling reasons why God hates religion--but loves for people to have real relationships with Christ. Religion has broken churches, fueled wars, and driven people away from the true Gospel of Jesus. WHY I HATE RELIGION is a clarion call for people to ditch religion and embrace relationship as it explores the top ten reasons why God hates religion, such as: Religion makes people try to earn their way into

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heaven--but Christ offers grace.
Religion says God uses calamity to
teach his people--but Christ
comforts us. Religion blames
problems on God--but Christ helps
people learn from their mistakes.
Religion makes prayer a powerless
"form of godliness"--but Christ
hears every word. WHY I HATE
RELIGION offers an empowering
understanding of true Christianity,
one that transforms church into full,
authentic, meaningful relationship
with Jesus.

The Recall's Broken Promise
When Self-Help Conquers Self-Hate
The Primary Route
Popular Mechanics
Hearings

*An illustrated, practical guide to
navigating your financial life, no*

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matter your financial situation "a potent mix of deeply practical and wonderfully empathetic" —Erin Lowry, author of Broke Millennial "one of the most approachable financial books I've ever read." —Refinery 29 We are all weird about money. Whether you have a lot or a little, your feelings and beliefs about money have been shaped by a combination of silence (or even shame) around talking about money, personal experiences, family and societal expectations, and a whole big complex system rigged against many of us from the start. Begin with that baseline premise and it's no surprise so many of us find

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it so difficult to save enough money (but way too easy to get trapped in ballooning credit card debt), emotionally draining to deal with student loans, and nearly impossible to understand the esoteric world of investing. Unlike most personal finance books that focus on skills and behaviors, FINANCE FOR THE PEOPLE asks you to examine your beliefs and experiences around money—blending extremely practical exercises with mindfulness, and including more than 50 illustrations and diagrams to make the concepts accessible (and even fun). With deep insider expertise from years

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spent in many different corners of the financial industry, Paco de Leon is a friendly, approachable, and wise guide who invites readers to change their relationship with money. With her holistic approach you'll learn how to:

- root out your unconscious beliefs about money*
- untangle the mental and emotional burden of student loans to pay them off*
- use a gratitude practice to help you think differently about spending*
- break out of the debt cycle and begin building wealth*

This book is for anyone who feels unseen, ignored, or bored to death by the way personal finances are approached and

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taught, and is ready to go on a journey of self-discovery and step into their financial power.

Easy-to-grasp techniques for improving the short game About 70 percent of the shots in a round of golf are taken 75 yards from the pin or closer, making the short game the most significant factor in a golfer's score. This practical guide shows readers how to shave strokes off their game by improving their pitching, chipping, bunker play, and putting. Golfers will find expert tips on choosing the right wedges, putters, and balls, as well as illustrated step-by-step instructions on swings used in

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short-game shots. They'll also find information on how to beat bunkers and other hazards and how to play various lies-in deep rough, from the fairway, uphill, side-hill, and off bare ground. There's also a section on stretches, exercises, and drills to improve techniques, as well as tips on reading greens for accurate putting. Michael Patrick Sheils (Birmingham, MI) is a member of the Golf Writers Association of America. He has written four books, and his articles and columns have appeared in worldwide magazines and newspapers. Michael Kernicki (Miami Beach,

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FL) has been a PGA member for 27 years and is currently the Head Professional at the historic Indian Creek Country Club in Miami Beach.

Throughout history, gaining political power has frequently led to unethical behavior. It is difficult for people to resist the temptation to abuse their power. In the worst cases, this has led to political unrest, economic instability, and genocide. Readers learn what political corruption is, how it affects citizens' lives, and what can be done about it. Historical and modern examples are provided to give readers a comprehensive view of this

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important and timely topic.

Informative charts and full-color photographs enhance the engaging text to show young adults the importance of civic engagement and political scrutiny to combat corruption.

Americans Working Together to Revive Democracy

Breaking Oil's Grip on Our Future

Hearings Before the Subcommittee on Employment and Manpower, 89-1, on Impact of Federal Research and Development Policies on Scientific and Technical Manpower, June 2-10, July 22, 1965

10 Reasons to Break Free from

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*the Bondage of Religious
Tradition*

*In His Own Words: 250 Quotes
from America's Political
Revolutionary*

During every election cycle, political observers generate a seemingly limitless supply of theories, opinions, and predictions.

Unfortunately, many of these assertions oversimplify complex subjects or overhype the latest political fads. Inevitably, some misinformation becomes part of the conventional wisdom about American

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elections. The objective of Conventional Wisdom and American Elections: Exploding Myths, Exploring Misconceptions is to bring clarity to several of these subjects. For example, it is now commonplace for commentators to emphasize the negative tactics and practices of the campaigns of presidential candidates. In 2016, some commentators suggested that the presidential campaign was the “nastiest” ever, with the campaigns of President Donald Trump, Hillary

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Clinton, and their supporters, going to “new extremes” of negativity. However, these claims are not new. Dating as far back as the presidential election of 1800, critics of Thomas Jefferson stated that his potential victory would bring about legal prostitution and the burning of the Bible. In 1824, opponents of Andrew Jackson charged that he was a murderer and that his wife was a bigamist. Perhaps most scurrilous of all, Jackson’s opponents even accused his dead mother of being a

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prostitute. In total,
Conventional Wisdom and
American Elections
identifies eleven widely
held myths and
misconceptions about
elections in the United
States. The conclusions
drawn throughout the book
are based on the most
current political science
research. In some
instances, the literature
is clear in debunking
popular myths about
American elections. On
other issues, research
findings are more mixed.
In either case,
Conventional Wisdom and

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American Elections

clarifies the issues so that readers can discern between those in which scholars have largely resolved and those in which honest debate remains.

"[We need] a grassroots, bottom-up movement that understands the challenge in front of us, and then organizes against monopoly power in communities across this country. This book is a blueprint for that organizing. In these pages, you will learn how monopolies and oligopolies have taken over almost

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every aspect of American
life, and you will also
learn about what can be
done to stop that trend
before it is too late."

—From the foreword by
Bernie Sanders. A
passionate attack on the
monopolies that are
throttling American
democracy. Every facet of
American life is being
overtaken by big platform
monopolists like Facebook,
Google, and Bayer (which
has merged with the former
agricultural giant
Monsanto), resulting in a
greater concentration of
wealth and power than

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we've seen since the Gilded Age. They are evolving into political entities that often have more influence than the actual government, bending state and federal legislatures to their will and even creating arbitration courts that circumvent the US justice system. How can we recover our freedom from these giants? Anti-corruption scholar and activist Zephyr Teachout has the answer: Break 'Em Up. This book is a clarion call for liberals and leftists looking to find a common

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cause. Teachout makes a compelling case that monopolies are the root cause of many of the issues that today's progressives care about; they drive economic inequality, harm the planet, limit the political power of average citizens, and historically-disenfranchised groups bear the brunt of their shameful and irresponsible business practices. In order to build a better future, we must eradicate monopolies from the private sector and create new safeguards that

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prevent new ones from
seizing power. Through her
expert analysis of
monopolies in several
sectors and their impact
on courts, journalism,
inequality, and politics,
Teachout offers a concrete
path toward thwarting
these enemies of working
Americans and reclaiming
our democracy before it's
too late.

EBONY is the flagship
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Publishing. Founded in
1945 by John H. Johnson,
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**Brotherhood of Locomotive
Firemen and Enginemen's
Magazine**

Over a Barrel

**Political Corruption and
the Abuse of Power**

Theodore Roosevelt

The Big Money

***Mr Car Man aims to provide
simple and easy ways to
understand information
applicable to all car owners
who wish to save money,
prevent problems arising,
and keep their car(s) on the
road. Pride and satisfaction
in performing basic tasks on
your car will allow you to***

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improve your self-confidence. I love cars, and I wish others could enjoy the same passion! A little car know-how' will save you a lot of money! Mr Car Man is the first aid', not the brain surgery; begin with the basics and move through the grades, up to performing regular tune-ups and servicing. A car purchase is often the second most pricey purchase, behind our beloved house, and yet most owners are too scared to perform the most basic tasks on their own car. Do you want to know tips,

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**secrets, and handy hints to
achieve the best deals for
yourself?**

***“It is not simply that [Dos
Passos] has a keen eye for
people, but that he has a
keen eye for so many
different kinds of
people.”—The New York
Times Marking the end of
“one of the most ambitious
projects that an American
novelist has ever
undertaken” (Time), The Big
Money brings us back to
America after the Great War,
a nation on the upswing.
Industrialism booms. The
stock market surges.***

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Lindbergh takes his solo flight. Henry Ford makes automobiles. From New York to Hollywood, love affairs to business deals, it is a country taking the turns too fast, speeding toward the crash of 1929. Ultimately, whether the novels of John Dos Passos's classic USA Trilogy are read together or separately, they paint a sweeping portrait of collective America—and showcase the brilliance and bravery of one of its most enduring and admired writers. The Big Money, focusing on a passionate

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***pilot whose compromises
culminate in despair and an
actress led astray by her
ambitions, completes this
“fable of America's
materialistic success and
moral decline” (American
Heritage).***

***A head-and-shoulders three-
quarter portrait.***

Glamour

Dead Biker

Popular Science

Outlook and Independent

***Inside the Violent World of
the Mexican Drug Cartels***

Quotes from the Vermont senator
and former presidential
candidate, on topics from

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corruption to climate change to health care to wealth inequality.

The no-nonsense campaign of Bernie Sanders attracted a powerful following during the 2016 election, as ordinary people responded to the straight talk of this long-serving US senator, an independent who has caucused with—but never kowtowed to—the Democratic Party. Though he lost the nomination, this self-declared democratic socialist—who has called for free state college and university tuition; championed veterans and seniors; spoken out against Wall Street practices; insisted on increasing the minimum wage; and demanded tax reform—continues to be an influential voice. This book is a

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collection of his words on a wide range of subjects, from the distribution of wealth to international relations, immigration, and the importance of education and equality in saving our democracy.

This book chronicles my life, a life filled with many ups and downs. This book is actually a beautiful yet tragic love story. I plan to take you, my reader, on a remarkable journey. You will be able to create your own mental pictures while seeing life as it was through my eyes. I will share detailed accounts of a trying childhood, a rage-filled adolescence, and an equally self-destructive young adulthood. I will then share when the light came on and when I knew it was

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time for a change. That change proved to be the most difficult endeavor I had ever experienced. Considers the effects of the geographical distribution of federally funded RPD programs on the employment and manpower situations of local and national economies. Includes discussion of the so called "brain drain," through which scientists from midwestern areas relocate on the coasts where lucrative Federal contracts have increased salaries.

Ebony

The A to Z Money Book from
Armchair Millionaire

Brotherhood of Locomotive
Firemen's Magazine

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Finance for the People

Since 2002, Lewis Schiff has published his hit column, "Ask the Armchair Millionaire" in both ArmchairMillionaire.com and CNNMoney.com, Money Magazine's web site, each week. This column regularly features the collected wisdom and homespun tales of ArmchairMillionaire.com's most savvy community members alongside Schiff's own expert advice. Its easy-to-browse format offers step-by-step solutions so the reader can put their plan into action right away.

Published from 2002 to 2004, these 172 columns cover every important financial topic under the sun, from "automobile leasing" to "wills and inheritances." With The A to Z Money Book from Armchair Millionaire, you've got fingertip access to the

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very best insights, expertise and advice in one place -- a complete solution on your road to financial freedom!

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Save Big Money with the Exclusive
Step-By-Step Guide to Basic D.I.Y.
Car Repairs & Maintenance

The New American Story

Hearings Before the Subcommittee
on Employment and Manpower of the
Committee on Labor and Public
Welfare, U. S. Senate, Eighty-ninth
Congress, First Session

Farm Life

The Country Gentleman

**A theoretical and political
magazine of scientific
socialism.**

**Across the Western world,
people are desperate for a
radical shift in politics and for
new kinds of politicians.**

**Primary defeats for
established figures and shock
results in referendums are**

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becoming the norm, while outsiders are shaking up political cultures. In this book, Ali Milani, a rising star in the UK's Labour Party, brings a unique perspective to the key political issues we're facing in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic, and shows how young people from all walks of life can engage in politics to transform our country and the world. Drawing on his rollercoaster campaign against Prime Minister Boris Johnson in the UK's 2019 general election and his time in Bernie Sanders' campaign team, he aims to inspire a new generation, including the

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and marginalised, to raise
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better.**

Political Affairs

**Conventional Wisdom and
American Elections**

What Losing an Election

**Taught Me about How to
Change Politics**

**How Big Money Still Runs
California Politics**

**Recovering Our Freedom from
Big Ag, Big Tech, and Big
Money**