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A vital, illuminating collection of
the Pulitzer Prize and National
Book Award winner's elegant,
passionately engaged nonfiction

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My Generation is the definitive gathering of William Styron's nonfiction, exposing the core of this greatly gifted, highly convivial, and profoundly serious artist from his literary emergence in the 1950s to his death in 2006. Here are fifty years of Styron's

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essays, memoirs, reviews, op-eds, articles, eulogies, and speeches, reflecting the same brilliant style and informed thinking that he brought to his towering fiction and to a deeply committed public life. Including many newly collected and never-before-

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published items, this compendium ranges from the original mission statement of The Paris Review, which Styron helped found in 1953, to a 2001 tribute to his friend Philip Roth—creating an essential overview of arts and letters during the post-World War

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11 years. In these pages, Styron writes vividly of childhood days in Tidewater Virginia spent going to movies, not reading books. ("It does not mean the death of literacy or creativity if one is drenched in popular culture at an early age.") He recalls being

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among the group of soldiers who would have been sent to invade Japan and were saved by Truman's decision to drop the atomic bomb, which Styron feels was the right choice, "even though its absolute rightness can never be proved." And he writes

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as few others have about midlife battles with clinical depression, “a pain that is all but indescribable, and therefore to everyone but the sufferer almost meaningless.”

Here, too, are Styron’s personal encounters with world leaders, fellow authors, and friends, each

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of whom comes memorably to life. Styron recalls sharing contraband Cuban cigars with JFK (“a naughty memento, a conversation piece with a touch of scandal”), getting lost in the snow with Robert Penn Warren, and party-hopping with the young

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James Jones (an experience he likens to “keeping company with a Roman emperor”). The beginnings of his masterpieces *The Confessions of Nat Turner* and *Sophie’s Choice* are chronicled here, along with the controversy that greeted the

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former upon its 1967 publication. Throughout, Styron celebrates the men and women of his generation, whose lives were forged in the crucible of World War II. Whether he's recounting a walk with his dog, musing on the Modern Library's list of the

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hundred best English-language novels of the twentieth century, or contemplating America's fraught racial legacy from his point of view as the grandson of a woman who owned slaves, William Styron writes always in urgent, finely calibrated prose.

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These fascinating pieces bring readers closer to this great writer and the world he observed, interacted with, and changed. Praise for My Generation “William Styron’s My Generation: Collected Nonfiction is both unsurpassably charming and unflinchingly

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honest, whether recounting the fallout from The Confessions of Nat Turner or reminiscing about the slave-owning grandmother who warned him never to forget he was a Southerner.”—Vogue
“At its most accomplished, Styron’s non-fiction mixes a

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conscientious, richly traditional prose style with a strong current of fellow feeling, a certain awe at the human condition, which is what gives power to his best fiction. . . . Styron stood tall in his generation, and the best of him will stand up over time.”—USA

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Today “A must for every Styron fan’s library.”—BBC

Unholy Ghost is a unique collection of essays about depression that, in the spirit of William Styron's *Darkness Visible*, finds vivid expression for an elusive illness suffered by more

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than one in five Americans today. Unlike any other memoir of depression, however, *Unholy Ghost* includes many voices and depicts the most complete portrait of the illness. Lauren Slater eloquently describes her own perilous experience as a

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pregnant woman on antidepressant medication. Susanna Kaysen, writing for the first time about depression since *Girl, Interrupted*, criticizes herself and others for making too much of the illness. Larry McMurtry recounts the despair that

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descended after his quadruple bypass surgery. Meri Danquah describes the challenges of racism and depression. Ann Beattie sees melancholy as a consequence of her writing life. And Donald Hall lovingly remembers the "moody seesaw"

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of his relationship with his wife, Jane Kenyon. The collection also includes an illuminating series of companion pieces. Russell Banks's and Chase Twichell's essays represent husband-and-wife perspectives on depression; Rose Styron's contribution about

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her husband's struggle with melancholy is paired with an excerpt from William Styron's *Darkness Visible*; and the book's editor, Nell Casey, juxtaposes her own essay about seeing her sister through her depression with Maud Casey's account of this

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experience. These companion pieces portray the complicated bond -- a constant grasp for mutual understanding forged by depressives and their family members. With an introduction by Kay Redfield Jamison, *Unholy Ghost* allows the bewildering

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experience of depression to be adequately and beautifully rendered. The twenty-two stories that make up this book will offer solace and enlightenment to all readers.

PART MEMOIR AND PART ELEGY,
READING MY FATHER IS THE

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STORY OF A DAUGHTER COMING TO KNOW HER FATHER AT LAST— A GIANT AMONG TWENTIETH-CENTURY AMERICAN NOVELISTS AND A MAN WHOSE DEVASTATING DEPRESSION DARKENED THE FAMILY LANDSCAPE. In Reading My

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Father, William Styron's youngest child explores the life of a fascinating and difficult man whose own memoir, *Darkness Visible*, so searingly chronicled his battle with major depression. Alexandra Styron's parents—the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of

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Sophie's Choice and his political activist wife, Rose—were, for half a century, leading players on the world's cultural stage. Alexandra was raised under both the halo of her father's brilliance and the long shadow of his troubled mind. A drinker, a carouser, and above

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all “a high priest at the altar of fiction,” Styron helped define the concept of The Big Male Writer that gave so much of twentieth-century American fiction a muscular, glamorous aura. In constant pursuit of The Great Novel, he and his work were the

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dominant force in his family's life, his turbulent moods the weather in their ecosystem. From Styron's Tidewater, Virginia, youth and precocious literary debut to the triumphs of his best-known books and on through his spiral into depression, *Reading My Father*

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portrays the epic sweep of an American artist's life, offering a ringside seat on a great literary generation's friendships and their dramas. It is also a tale of filial love, beautifully written, with humor, compassion, and grace. In 1950, at the age of twenty-

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four, William Clark Styron, Jr., wrote to his mentor, Professor William Blackburn of Duke University. The young writer was struggling with his first novel, *Lie Down in Darkness*, and he was nervous about whether his “strain and toil” would amount to

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anything. "When I mature and broaden," Styron told Blackburn, "I expect to use the language on as exalted and elevated a level as I can sustain. I believe that a writer should accommodate language to his own peculiar personality, and mine wants to

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use great words, evocative words, when the situation demands them.” In February 1952, Styron was awarded the Prix de Rome of the American Academy of Arts and Letters, which crowned him a literary star. In Europe, Styron met and married Rose Burgunder,

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and found himself immersed in a new generation of expatriate writers. His relationships with George Plimpton and Peter Matthiessen culminated in Styron introducing the debut issue of *The Paris Review*. Literary critic Alfred Kazin described him as one of the

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postwar “super-egotists” who helped transform American letters. His controversial *The Confessions of Nat Turner* won the 1968 Pulitzer Prize, while *Sophie’s Choice* was awarded the 1980 National Book Award, and *Darkness Visible*, Styron’s

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groundbreaking recounting of his ordeal with depression, was not only a literary triumph, but became a landmark in the field. Part and parcel of Styron's literary ascendance were his friendships with Norman Mailer, James Baldwin, John and Jackie

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Kennedy, Arthur Miller, James Jones, Carlos Fuentes, Wallace Stegner, Robert Penn Warren, Philip Roth, C. Vann Woodward, and many of the other leading writers and intellectuals of the second half of the twentieth century. This incredible volume

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takes readers on an American journey from FDR to George W. Bush through the trenchant observations of one of the country's greatest writers. Not only will readers take pleasure in William Styron's correspondence with and commentary about the

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people and events that made the past century such a momentous and transformative time, they will also share the writer's private meditations on the very art of writing. Advance praise for Selected Letters of William Styron
"I first encountered Bill Styron

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when, at twenty, I read The Confessions of Nat Turner. Hillary and I became friends with Bill and Rose early in my presidency, but I continued to read him, fascinated by the man and his work, his triumphs and troubles, the brilliant lights and dark corners of

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his amazing mind. These letters, carefully and lovingly selected by Rose, offer real insight into both the great writer and the good man.” —President Bill Clinton “The Bill Styron revealed in these letters is altogether the Bill Styron who was a dear friend and

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esteemed colleague to me for close to fifty years. The humor, the generosity, the loyalty, the self-awareness, the commitment to literature, the openness, the candor about matters closest to him—all are on display in this superb selection of his

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correspondence. The directness in the artful sentences is such that I felt his beguiling presence all the while that I was enjoying one letter after another.”—Philip Roth “Bill Styron’s letters were never envisioned, far less composed, as part of the Styron

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oeuvre, yet that is what they turn out to be. Brilliant, passionate, eloquent, insightful, moving, dirty-minded, indignant, and hilarious, they accumulate power in the reading, becoming in themselves a work of literature.”—Peter Matthiessen

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Noelle Harrison is a hardworking wife and mother, who resents her husband Wayne's constant forays out of town for work. Unhappy with the direction her life has taken, she literally bumps into a man who winds up becoming the other man.

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The Scar: A Personal History of
Depression and Recovery
And Other Writings

The Grown-ups

On the Edge of Darkness

William Styron

A Memoir of Madness

This is a book for anyone who

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has battled a mental illness - any mental illness - or for anyone who loves someone with a mental illness. It is also a book for anyone who has struggled to understand the role of faith in his/her

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suffering. Blue recounts a 35-year battle with the daily despair of OCD. For the first 25 years, his Christian upbringing convinced him he had a faith issue, not a chemical one. At age 25, after

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realizing there was more going on than a simple lack of faith, he spent the next 10 years struggling to find the right diagnosis, doctor, and treatment plan. This journey landed him in 7 different

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psychiatrists offices, countless psychologists offices, and even in the mental hospital for three days. In the end, Blue finds some answers but also comes to grips with the presence of his questions. This book will

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engage you, encourage you, and make you think about the sometimes toxic blend between spirituality and mental illness. Excerpt from chapter 3: At its core, OCD is a quest for certainty where

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*certainty doesn't/can't exist.
The person who washes his
hands a million times wants
certainty that the deadly
germs are banished from his
hands, but he can never be
sure. The driver who fears she*

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*has accidentally hit a
pedestrian re-drives the same
route over and over, looking
for absolute certainty that she
didn't hit the innocent
pedestrian, but there's no way
to be absolutely certain that*

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that odd color on the sidewalk isn't the blood of the child she just ran over who is now at the hospital or the morgue. Or the kid who is terrified he'll be abandoned by his parents...he can never ask enough

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questions or stand in just the right spot to check on their early arrival so as to be completely certain that they will always come back. Uncertainty dooms the sufferer of OCD to his torture

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chamber. For the religious person, uncertainty will, at some point, attack his quest for peace through faith. Let's face it: religion comes with plenty of uncertainty. Sooner or later, everyone on the quest

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to understand or know God will have to ask some difficult questions: Why does God allow bad things to happen to good people? Why does God allow so much suffering when he could simply zap the evil-

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doers? What does it mean to be saved? Unsaved? Is there such a thing as hell, and if so, how do I know that the sweet little old lady who used to live next door who wasn't very religious but who was the

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kindest person I ever knew isn't there? (See appendix for a fuller discussion of hell). My inevitable questions about the black-and-white certainties of the Christian faith caused the struggle between my internal

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self and my external self to rage on. Spiritual questions plagued my brain from the time I was old enough to ponder such matters, but the stakes were high in my family, where failure to see things the

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Right Way was not acceptable. My family's certainty mixed with my inevitable lack of certainty created a struggle within me between intellectual honesty and family acceptance - a struggle that persists to

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this day. One of the certainties of my upbringing that troubled my uncertain brain was the question of hell. To make matters worse, in my early childhood, we were Southern Baptists to the core - no

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*drinking, church on Sunday
and Wednesday (and
sometimes Sunday night just
in case!), suits to church so
Jesus could admire our
wardrobes, etc. Dogmatic
Christian groups are guilty of*

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*excessive certainty about
countless uncertain things,
like how long it took the world
to be created, where the
precise line is between those
who are “saved” and
“unsaved,” and that hell is a*

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real place where anyone who hasn't "accepted Jesus as his/her savior" is going. Middle-school-Southern-Baptist-Tim, who had outgrown his fear of being left by his parents, needed some new way to be

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petrified of abandonment and isolation. Eternal damnation seemed like just the right thing for my brain to grab ahold of.

How does a writer compose a suicide note? This was not a

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question that the prize-winning novelist William Styron had ever contemplated before. In this true account of his depression, Styron describes an illness that reduced him from a successful

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writer to a man arranging his own destruction. He lived to give us this gripping description of his descent into mental anguish, and his eventual success in overcoming a little-understood

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*yet very common
condition. The unabridged text
of Darkness Visible by William
Styron VINTAGE MINIS-
GREAT MINDS. BIG IDEAS.
LITTLE BOOKS. A series of
short books by the world's*

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*greatest writers on the
experiences that make us
human* Also in the Vintage
Minis series-*Swimming* by
Roger Deakin *Babies* by Anne
Enright *Calm* by Tim
Parks *Work* by Joseph Heller

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*The destinies of three
mysterious lost children
entwine in this James Tait
Black Memorial Prize-winning
fable by the radical Nobel
Laureate and author of Lord of
the Flies. A figure had*

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*condensed out of the
shuddering backdrop of the
glare. He is born in fire: a
naked child in the blood-red
flames of London's Blitz.
Miraculously saved but
grotesquely burned, this*

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*mysterious orphan is named
Matty. Doomed to a life of
torment, he becomes a
wanderer, a spiritual seeker
after unknown redemption.
They are also lost children:
neglected twins, as exquisitely*

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beautiful as they are loveless and sinful. Toni explores political terrorism; Sophy, sexual dominance and violent criminality. But their destinies will soon collide in an apocalyptic climax - one that

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*illuminates the inner and outer
darkness of modern humanity.*

*'Exceptional ... Irresistibly
transcendent ... Golding
seduces us. He transfixes,
bewitches and confounds us.'
Nicola Barker 'Extraordinary*

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... A hallucinatory, incantatory force ... The most powerful, and strangest, of all Golding's novels, and one of the great masterpieces of the twentieth-century English novel.' Philip Hensher 'A master craftsman

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*in his particular sort of magic
... Golding's best book ...
Wonderfully creepy ... A
remarkable achievement.'
London Review of Books 'A
vision of elemental reality so
vivid we seem to hallucinate*

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the scenes ... Magic.' *New York Times Book Review* 'An intensity of vision without parallel.' *TLS* 'One of the most moving books I've ever read.' *The Times* 'Brilliantly spooky ... Written with great insight

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and a surprising humour, it is a thorough pleasure.' Atlantic Monthly

"Haunting, unflinching and at times unexpectedly hilarious...A powerful affirmation of family bonds."

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-The New York Times Book Review A daughter's longing love letter to a mother who has slipped beyond reach. Just past seventy, Alex Witchel's smart, adoring, ultracapable mother began to exhibit

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undeniable signs of dementia. Her smart, adoring, ultracapable daughter reacted as she'd been raised: If something was broken, they would fix it. But as medical reality undid that hope, and

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her mother continued the torturous process of disappearing in plain sight, Witchel retreated to the kitchen, trying to reclaim her mother at the stove by cooking the comforting foods of her

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childhood: "Is there any contract tighter than a family recipe?" Reproducing the perfect meat loaf was no panacea, but it helped Witchel come to terms with her predicament, the growing

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phenomenon of “ambiguous loss” — loss of a beloved one who lives on. Gradually she developed a deeper appreciation for all the ways the parent she was losing lived on in her, starting with the

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daily commandment “Tell me everything that happened today” that started a future reporter and writer on her way. And she was inspired to turn her experience into this frank, bittersweet, and

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*surprisingly funny account
that offers true balm for an
increasingly familiar form of
heartbreak.*

*Addresses the question of
whether membership in
Freemasonry is compatible*

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*with one's duty as a practicing
Christian. It includes the
entire and authentic text of the
Masonic ritual of the first
three degrees and of the Royal
Arch.*

An Atlas Of Depression

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*Conversations about
Conquering Depression
Compelled*

The Passion for Life

This Quiet Dust

Night Falls Fast

This portrait of a Southern

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family's downfall was the literary debut of the #1 New York Times–bestselling author of *Sophie's Choice*. A finalist for the National Book Award, *Lie Down in Darkness* centers on the Loftis family—Milton

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and Helen and their daughters, Peyton and Maudie. The story, told through a series of flashbacks on the day of Peyton's funeral, is a powerful depiction of a family doomed by its failure to forget

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and its inability to love. Written in masterful prose that “achieves real beauty” (The Washington Post), William Styron’s debut novel offers unflinching insight into the ineradicable bonds of place

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and family. The story of Milton, Helen, and their children reveals much about life's losses and disappointments. Lie Down in Darkness, poignant and compelling, is a classic of

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modern American literature
from the author who went on
to earn high critical
acclaim—with a Pulitzer Prize
for *The Confessions of Nat
Turner* and a National Book
Award for *Sophie's*

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Choice—and a place at the top of the New York Times bestseller list. This ebook features a new illustrated biography of William Styron, including original letters, rare photos, and never-before-seen

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documents from the Styron family and the Duke University Archives.

New York Times Bestseller
Fame. Sex. Pain. Drugs. Death.
Booze. Money. Addiction.
Redemption. Dizzying heights.

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Rock-bottom depths.
Desperation and
elation—sometimes in the
same hour. Not to mention
power . . . and the struggle for
it. The world knows Lamar
Odom as a two-time NBA

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world champion who rocketed to uncharted heights of fame thanks to being a member of both the storied Los Angeles Lakers and the ubiquitous Kardashian empire. But who is Lamar, really? Fans have long

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praised his accessibility and genuine everyman quality—he is a blinding talent who has suffered a series of heartaches, setback, and loss. But until now, his most candid moments have remained

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behind closed doors . . . sometimes face-down on the floor. In *Darkness to Light*, Lamar gives readers an intimate look into his life like never before. His exclusive and revealing memoir recounts

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the highs and lows of fame and his struggle with his demons along the way to self-discovery and redemption. From the pain of his unraveled marriage to Khloé Kardashian to the harmful vices he used to

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cope—and the near-death experience that made him rethink everything about his life—this is Lamar as you have never before seen him. Lamar brings basketball fans directly into the action of a game

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during the Lakers championship years. He shares his personal account of the lifelong passion that started as one shining light in a childhood marked by loss and led to his international fame as

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one of the most extraordinary athletes of all time. In this profoundly honest book, Lamar invites you to walk with him through the good times and bad, while looking ahead to a brighter future.

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After the great success in 1990 of *Darkness Visible*, his memoir of depression and recovery, William Styron wrote more frequently in an introspective, autobiographical mode. *Havanas in Camelot*

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brings together fourteen of his personal essays, including a reminiscence of his brief friendship with John F. Kennedy; a recollection of the power and ceremony on display at the inauguration of

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François Mitterrand; memoirs of Truman Capote, James Baldwin, and Terry Southern; a meditation on Mark Twain; an account of Styron's daily walks with his dog; and an evocation of his summer home

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on Martha's Vineyard. Styron's essays touch on the great themes of his fiction—racial oppression, slavery, and the Holocaust—but for the most part they address other subjects: bowdlerizations of

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history, literary lists, childhood moviegoing, the censoring of his own work, and the pursuit of celebrity fetish objects.

These essays, which reveal a reflective and humorous side of Styron's nature, make

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possible a fuller assessment of this enigmatic man of American letters.

From the author of the best-selling memoir *An Unquiet Mind*, comes the first major book in a quarter century on

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suicide, and its terrible pull on the young in particular. Night Falls Fast is tragically timely: suicide has become one of the most common killers of Americans between the ages of fifteen and forty-five. An

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internationally acknowledged authority on depressive illnesses, Dr. Jamison has also known suicide firsthand: after years of struggling with manic-depression, she tried at age twenty-eight to kill herself.

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Weaving together a historical and scientific exploration of the subject with personal essays on individual suicides, she brings not only her remarkable compassion and literary skill but also all of her

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knowledge and research to bear on this devastating problem. This is a book that helps us to understand the suicidal mind, to recognize and come to the aid of those at risk, and to comprehend the

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profound effects on those left behind. It is critical reading for parents, educators, and anyone wanting to understand this tragic epidemic.

A New York Times Book
Review Favorite Read of 2016

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“Despair is always described as dull,” writes Daphne Merkin, “when the truth is that despair has a light all its own, a lunar glow, the color of mottled silver.” This Close to Happy—Merkin’s rare, vividly

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personal account of what it feels like to suffer from clinical depression—captures this strange light. Daphne Merkin has been hospitalized three times: first, in grade school, for childhood depression;

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years later, after her daughter was born, for severe postpartum depression; and later still, after her mother died, for obsessive suicidal thinking. Recounting this series of hospitalizations, as

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well as her visits to myriad therapists and psychopharmacologists, Merkin fearlessly offers what the child psychiatrist Harold Koplewicz calls “the inside view of navigating a chronic

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psychiatric illness to a realistic outcome.” The arc of Merkin’s affliction is lifelong, beginning in a childhood largely bereft of love and stretching into the present, where Merkin lives a high-functioning life and her

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depression is manageable, if not “cured.” “The opposite of depression,” she writes with characteristic insight, “is not a state of unimaginable happiness . . . but a state of relative all-right-ness.” In this

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dark yet vital memoir, Merkin describes not only the harrowing sorrow that she has known all her life, but also her early, redemptive love of reading and gradual emergence as a writer.

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Written with an acute understanding of the ways in which her condition has evolved as well as affected those around her, This Close to Happy is an utterly candid coming-to-terms with an

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illness that many share but few talk about, one that remains shrouded in stigma. In the words of the distinguished psychologist Carol Gilligan, "It brings a stunningly perceptive voice into the forefront of the

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conversation about depression,
one that is both reassuring and
revelatory.”

This Is How It Feels

A Memoir

Healing from Depression

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Exuberance

Havanas in Camelot

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In the summer of 1985, William Styron became numbed by disaffection, apathy, and despair, unable to speak or walk while caught in the grip of advanced depression. His struggle with the disease culminated in a wave

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*of obsession that nearly
drove him to suicide,
leading him to seek
hospitalization before the
dark tide engulfed him.
Darkness Visible tells the
story of Styron's recovery,
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*realities of clinical
depression and chronicling
his triumph over the disease
that had claimed so many
great writers before him.
His final words are a call
for hope to all who suffer
from mental illness that it*

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is possible to emerge from even the deepest abyss of despair and "once again behold the stars." This ebook features a new illustrated biography of William Styron, including original letters, rare

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illness. As the sun lowered in the sky one Friday afternoon in April 2006, acclaimed author Donald Antrim found himself on the roof of his Brooklyn apartment building, afraid for his life. In this moving

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memoir, Antrim vividly recounts what led him to the roof and what happened after he came back down: two hospitalizations, weeks of fruitless clinical trials, the terror of submitting to ECT—and the saving call from

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David Foster Wallace that convinced him to try it—as well as years of fitful recovery and setback.

Through a clear and haunting reckoning with the author's own story, One Friday in April confronts the limits

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*of our understanding of
suicide. Donald Antrim's
personal insights reframe
suicide—whether in thought
or in action—as an illness
in its own right, a unique
consequence of trauma and
personal isolation, rather*

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*than the choice of a
depressed person. A
necessary companion to
William Styron's classic?
Darkness Visible, this
profound, insightful work
sheds light on the tragedy
and mystery of suicide,*

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*offering solace that may
save lives.*

*A graceful and penetrating
memoir interweaving the
author's descent into
depression with a medical
and cultural history of this
illness. At the age of*

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twenty-seven, married, living in New York, and working in book design, Mary Cregan gives birth to her first child, a daughter she names Anna. But it's apparent that something is terribly wrong, and two days

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later, Anna dies—plunging Cregan into suicidal despair. Decades later, sustained by her work, a second marriage, and a son, Cregan reflects on this pivotal experience and attempts to make sense of

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it. She weaves together literature and research with details from her own ordeal—and the still visible scar of her suicide attempt—while also considering her life as part of the larger history of our

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understanding of depression. In fearless, candid prose, Cregan examines her psychotherapy alongside early treatments of melancholia, weighs the benefits of shock treatment against its terrifying pop

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culture depictions, explores the controversy around antidepressants and how little we know about them—even as she acknowledges that the medication saved her life—and sifts through the

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and offering hope for those who are suffering.

The author chronicles his descent into depression, discussing not only his own experience and recovery but also how others can find help

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The author offers a look at depression,

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drawing on his own battle with the illness and interviews with fellow sufferers, researchers, and doctors to assess the disease's complexities, causes, symptoms, and available therapies.

In an alternate version of London in 1895, a few talented people can travel

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instantly between locations through Thresholds - tears in the fabric of reality. Lord Henry Lewis is a Warden, working to close dangerous Thresholds to prevent the sickness that flows from the darkness outside reality. William Marsh loses his family to the sickness when several

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undirected Thresholds are opened in his home. Marsh has the born talent to open Thresholds, and Lord Lewis's superiors order him to train the young man. Their relationship is strained, but they slowly come to rely on each other. The number of rogue Thresholds is increasing and times are

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dangerous. Lewis and Marsh discover that a cult, disillusioned by the scientific advances of the age, is opening the rogue Thresholds to destroy mankind. As London falls into darkness, they must race against time to stop the end of the world.

Kitty Dukakis, Joan Rivers, Mike

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Wallace, Jules Feiffer, and many other famous people, along with the author, tell how they overcame depression, alongside information by medical experts on the workings of depression and varieties of treatment. Reprint. Intriguing, gripping and believable, Tony Jones has used worldwide

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political history to create a second
sensational thriller.

With an introduction by Philip Hensher

Darkness to Light

Blue Genes

A Memoir - Attempting Suicide and

Finding Life

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All Gone

***Christopher (Kit) Lukas's
mother committed
suicide when he was a
boy. He and his brother,
Tony, were not told how
she died. No one spoke of***

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the family's history of depression and bipolar disorder. The brothers grew up to achieve remarkable success; Tony as a gifted journalist (and author of the classic

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***book, Common Ground),
Kit as an accomplished
television producer and
director. After suffering
bouts of depression, Kit
was able to confront his
family's troubled past,***

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***but Tony never seemed
to find the contentment
Kit had attained—he killed
himself in 1997. Written
with heartrending
honesty, Blue Genes
captures the devastation***

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of this family legacy of depression and details the strength and hope that can provide a way of escaping its grasp.

***'There are no grown-ups.'
Everyone in this wickedly***

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***entertaining novel,
whatever their age,
bullies or deceives or
adores someone else, in
the merciless
playgrounds of London
flats, country villages,***

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***television studios and
conferences. At the
centre of it all is Leo Ulm,
social scientist and media
guru, who magnetizes his
wives, lovers and friends
with his fading brilliance.***

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***He obsesses them all,
including clear-eyed
Clara, though she may
often wish he were dead.
The god of his own
universe, Leo is
monstrously vain and***

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***arrogant - until
something happens which
leaves all the women in
his life in shock. Then,
perhaps, Clara begins to
grow up....
This emotional and***

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honest novel recounts a young man's experiences during World War II and digs deep into what he and his fellow soldiers lived through during those dark times. The

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***nightmares began for
William Manchester 23
years after WW II. In his
dreams he lived with the
recurring image of a
battle-weary youth
(himself), "angrily***

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demanding to know what had happened to the three decades since he had laid down his arms." To find out, Manchester visited those places in the Pacific where as a

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***young Marine he fought
the Japanese, and in this
book examines his
experiences in the line
with his fellow soldiers
(his "brothers"). He gives
us an honest and***

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***unabashedly emotional
account of his part in the
war in the Pacific. "The
most moving memoir of
combat on WW II that I
have ever read. A
testimony to the fortitude***

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***of man...a gripping,
haunting, book."***

--William L. Shirer

***The first book to examine
the spiritual and
therapeutic practice of
retreat in physical***

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darkness to explore inner light • Shows how experiencing complete darkness over prolonged periods helps in developing mental clarity and creativity • Draws

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***upon many indigenous
and spiritual traditions
that use this technique
The use of ceremonial
darkness is a classic and
cross-cultural method for
exploring hidden aspects***

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***of unconscious and super-
conscious states,
accessing invisible
landscapes, and
embracing the deeper
recesses of the self. In
Darkness Visible Heaven***

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and Buxton examine the spiritual and therapeutic practice of taking retreat in physical darkness. For millennia mystics and sages have used darkness as a spiritual

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***tool for breaking with
their pasts, prior
conditioning, and the
limited reality of their
societies. Spiritual
seekers from many
traditions--Celtic,***

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***Eastern, indigenous
North and South
American, Tibetan, and
African--have used
darkness as a tool for
spiritual enlightenment.
Heaven and Buxton show***

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***how experiencing
complete darkness, even
for only a period of hours,
brings about a
remarkable clarity and
mental stillness and thus
provides a springboard***

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***for creativity, intuition,
and spiritual
development. They
include exercises that
explore lucid levels of
dream consciousness,
drawing both from their***

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***experience as teachers of
this method and from the
many cultures that
include this practice in
their spiritual traditions.
Darkness Visible shows
how deprivation of sight***

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can truly teach us to see. Cordosa, a small village in Brazil's most southern state of Rio Grande do Sul, is experiencing traumatic illness and loss of life from unknown

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***causes. The population of
landless farmers is slowly
deteriorating. Jake
Parker, ex U.S. Army
Intelligence Officer, is
assigned as a
photojournalist to***

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investigate the possible causes. What he soon discovers is that he will be watched, manipulated and harassed by high ranking United States government officials who

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***will stop at nothing to
gain revenge within their
own ranks. With lives
hanging in the balance,
Jake finds himself in the
middle of an undetected
world of spiritual warfare***

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***and a congressional war
filled with greed and
corruption. As a beautiful
young Deaf woman
stumbles into the
scandal, the hunt begins,
and Jake Parker must***

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***figure out how to save
her life as well as his
own.***

***Collected Nonfiction
Lie Down in Darkness
Unholy Ghost
My Generation***

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Personal Essays ***A Memoir of the Pacific War***

Back from the Darkness, by Pamela Rhine Ashley had everything going for her, a family and all the money she wanted to spend. Unfortunately she and

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her unborn baby are murdered by an evil woman. Now someone is getting revenge for all the wrongs. Could it be Ashley has come back from the grave? Isabelle the heroine is a young, beautiful woman who happens to have a gift. She is clairvoyant and she has

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more powers that she discovers throughout her life. Isabelle's life is full of turmoil as she grows up in a house with her evil mother. Dent Alexander is a very rich businessman, who is widowed when his wife Ashley dies. He swore he would never fall in love

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again, but is love in the cards when he meets the lovely Isabelle, And how will he feel about her powers? When Isabelle and Dent finally get together, things really start steaming up. But can they handle it? Can they ride through this storm together? When their lives

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intertwine with each others, they need to get ready for the ride of their lives. Evil murk's about and strange and awful things start happening. Who is to blame? Who has committed the grisly murders and why? Will Isabelle and Dent be able to stop the murders? This

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story takes you through a magical, enchanting tale.

A [mesmerizing] biography of the #1 New York Times [bestselling author of Sophie's Choice, The Confessions of Nat Turner, and Darkness Visible (Entertainment Weekly)]. William

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Styron was one of the most highly regarded and controversial authors of his generation. In this illuminating biography, James L. W. West III draws upon letters, papers, and manuscripts as well as interviews with Styron's friends and family to recount in rich

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detail the experiences that shaped each of his groundbreaking books. From Styron's Southern upbringing, which deeply influenced the Pulitzer Prize-winning *The Confessions of Nat Turner* and National Book Award-winning *Sophie's Choice*, to

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his feud with Norman Mailer and the clinical depression that led to his acclaimed memoir *Darkness Visible*, West's remarkable biography provides invaluable insight into the life and works of a giant of American literature. Collects the best artwork created

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before, during and following the Civil War, in the years between 1859 and 1876, along with extensive quotations from men and women alive during the war years and text by literary figures, including Emily Dickinson, Mark Twain and Walt Whitman. 15,000 first

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printing.

A New York Times bestseller by the author of *Sophie's Choice*: Two Americans search for the truth about a mysterious long-ago murder in Italy. Shortly after World War II, in the village of Sambuco, Italy, two

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men—Virginia attorney Peter Leverett and South Carolina artist Cass Kinsolving—crossed paths with Mason Flagg. They both had their own reactions to the gregarious and charismatic movie mogul's son. For the impressionable Peter, it was something

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close to awe. For the alcoholic Cass, it was unsettled rage. Then, after the rape and murder of a peasant girl, Mason's body was found at the base of a cliff—an apparent suicide. He'd been distraught, the authorities said, over committing such a heinous crime. Peter and Cass

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went their separate ways, and never spoke of it again. Now, years later, Peter is still haunted by what he knows—and by what he doesn't. He's sought out Cass in Charleston for closure, and something close to the truth. Together both men will share

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their tales of that terrible season in Italy, each with their own ghosts—and their own reasons to exorcise them. But neither Peter nor Cass is prepared for where this path of revenge, complicity, and atonement will take them. A profound exploration of the evil that

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men do, and what the innocent must endure to accommodate it, Set This House on Fire is more than a byzantine murder mystery, it's "one of the finest novels of our times" from the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of The Confessions of Nat Turner, Darkness

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Visible, and other modern classics (San Francisco Chronicle). This ebook features a new illustrated biography of William Styron, including original letters, rare photos, and never-before-seen documents from the Styron family and the Duke University Archives.

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Explores the role of exuberance in humankind's most important creative and scientific accomplishments, discussing the nature of joy and its relationship to intellectual curiosity, creativity, risk-taking, and survival.

A Life

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Awakening Spiritual Light through
Darkness Meditation
Depression

Realm of Annihilation: Book Four

A Memoir of Loss and Survival

A Christian Appraisal of Freemasonry

The Final Book In The Divinity Saga

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The Earth is breaking open. The wall between the Spirit and Human realm has begun to shatter, allowing darkness to seep in and converge like an epidemic. The End Has Begun... Even after setting everything in motion by attacking Morning Star first, Cam`ael finally

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has everything that he's ever wanted in his existence; Starling's love and a family. Cam`ael's happiness is short-lived when he's finally given the harsh and inexplicable truth about why Starling has always been such a unique Chosen. A Fiery Will... Shortly after giving birth, Starling begins to

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realize what must be done in order to save the world and the future of their children. But having made the the promise to Cam`ael of never sacrificing herself for him, how can she risk it? While the Elders and other warriors see her as a traitor, her friends begin to see her as

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something more. In every battle and every war there will be sacrifices and betrayals, but if darkness prevails- light will cease to exist.

Shares the author's personal experiences with anxiety, describing its painful coherence and absurdities while sharing the stories of other

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sufferers to illustrate anxiety's intellectual history and influence. Cristian Vega has a talent very few people know about: he's a musician. And he's quite good. The problem he faces is that he has no confidence in himself and is overly concerned about what others think of him, and

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this fear of rejection has turned Cristian into an introvert. The day after his nineteenth birthday, Cristian receives a call from his girlfriend who tells him that she's met someone else. Confining himself to his bedroom, Cristian has become an emotional wreck and vows to

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never allow himself to fall in love again. After calling his cousin in an attempt to get his mind off of his ex-girlfriend, Cristian sets in motion a chain of events that will change his life forever. And it all begins with the meeting of a girl... Emma Turner is quite sick of dating the same kind of

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man-tall, clean-cut and handsome- and every guy she meets seems more interested in trying to impress her than they are in learning anything about her. When Cristian Vega begins attending the same church as her, she finds herself inexplicably drawn to him. None of her friends

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understands her attraction to Cristian and they are sure to tell her that every chance they get. Emma's problem isn't in getting her friends to accept Cristian, her bigger issue is in getting Cristian to admit his feelings to her before the successes of being a musician tears them apart. THE

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PATH tells the story of overcoming one's fear of rejection in order to pursue one's dream regardless of what may come.

"Thoughtful, candid" essays from the author of the #1 New York Times bestseller Sophie's Choice (The Christian Science Monitor). This

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Quiet Dust is a compilation of William Styron's nonfiction writings that confront significant moral questions with precision and vigor. He examines topics as diverse as the Holocaust, the American Dream, and the controversy that raged around his Pulitzer Prize-winning novel, The

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Confessions of Nat Turner. In each entry, Styron expertly wields his powers of insight to slice through the most complex issues. This Quiet Dust offers a window into the philosophical underpinnings of Styron's greatest novels and is the ideal entry for readers seeking a

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greater understanding into the work of one of America's most celebrated authors. This ebook features a new illustrated biography of William Styron, including original letters, rare photos, and never-before-seen documents from the Styron family and the Duke University Archives.

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In Healing from Depression, Douglas Bloch shares his struggle to stay alive amidst overwhelming despair and out-of-control anxiety attacks, and explains how the power of prayer and other holistic approaches ultimately led to his recovery. As one of the millions of Americans who

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suffer from depression, Bloch could not be helped by so-called "miracle" drugs. Therefore, he had to seek out conventional and alternative non-drug methods of healing. The result is a 12-week program that combines his inspirational story with a comprehensive manual on how to

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diagnose and treat depression, offering new hope and practical strategies to everyone who suffers from this debilitating condition. Complete with worksheets and goal sheets to customize individual plans, Healing from Depression is an accessible self-guided program for

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managing and recovering from depression. Acclaimed as a “life-line to healing,” this important book stresses the importance of social support, on going self-care activities like relaxation, nutrition, exercise, prayer, meditation, support groups, therapy and keeping a daily mood

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diary and gratitude journal.

The Path

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Divinity

At twenty-years-old, Craig Miller

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attempted suicide. He sat on the edge of a bed and swallowed two hundred and fifty pills, never imagining that a note he wrote to himself fourteen years earlier would save his life. That note simply read, "Don't ever forget how this feels."

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From the time he was six-years-old, Craig lived his life by those words. He believed that if he needed to remember the feelings behind his life's most significant events, then there must be a reason why they happened. And for three

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extraordinary days following his suicide attempt, as he lay in the Intensive Care Unit floating in and out of consciousness, he found those reasons. He relived days from his childhood when his only friend became his assailant. He

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relived years of building a troubled relationship with God. He remembered when the pain of his life's tragedies finally caught up to him and he became the victim of severe obsessive compulsive disorder, relentless anxiety, and

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devastating irrational fear. After each memory, he awoke to the blurred reality of his suicide attempt. The struggle to fight his childhood assailant became a battle with doctors who worked to restrain him. The pain from a fist to his nose

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became the sting of a tube as it was pushed down his throat. And the memory of freezing alone on a cold winter night became the reality of a dark, lonely hospital room. But after each memory ended, Craig was left with the feeling that

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remained from reliving it. He felt the imprint it left within him- the deep desire to love, the desperate need to change, and the fiery will to fight. Craig Miller lay in a hospital bed for three days while his body fought for life, but his soul stood undecided on

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the threshold of existence. He relived the most pivotal moments of his life and saw himself from an entirely new perspective. He learned that God does not punish, and that love, no matter how bad it hurts, is worth it. He learned that

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compassion is to see the hurt in the eyes of another, no matter how bad we hurt ourselves. He learned that living in the darkness of mental illness can be one of the most powerful paths to self-discovery. And he learned that life, no matter

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how hard it gets, is worth living.

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Silent Enemies

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