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Daniel Isn't Talking-Marti Leimbach 2007-05-08 Melanie Marsh is an American living in London with her British husband, Stephen, and their two young children. The Marshes' orderly home life is shattered when their son Daniel is given a devastating diagnosis. Resourceful and determined not to accept what others, including her husband, say is inevitable, Melanie finds an ally in the idealistic Andy, whose unorthodox ideas may just prove that Daniel is far more "normal" than anyone imagined. Daniel Isn't Talking is a moving story of a family in crisis, told with warmth, compassion, and humor.

Relazioni Di Coppia Felici-Francesco Cibelli 2020-03-19 Vuoi vivere felicemente una relazione di coppia? Vuoi far rifiorire l'amore dopo un periodo di crisi con il tuo partner? Vuoi salvare il tuo matrimonio, che sembra compromesso? Vuoi riconquistare l'ex partner dopo la rottura del vostro rapporto? Se la risposta è affermativa questa è la guida adatta a te, rivolta sia agli uomini che alle donne. Francesco Cibelli, l'autore del best seller "I segreti del seduttore - Le tecniche del playboy", il maestro più amato e recensito in Italia in materia di seduzione, dopo anni di studi di psicologia della coppia e tecniche sperimentate sul campo, ha creato questa guida utile a gestire i rapporti di coppia, sia nella fase fisiologica che patologica. La prima parte è dedicata a fornire delle strategie orientate a far crescere l'amore in ogni fase della relazione, dall'innamoramento in poi. Particolare attenzione viene data alla crescita personale, alla differenza ontologica tra uomini e donne, alla seduzione anche in una fase avanzata della coppia e alla gestione dei conflitti. Nella seconda parte l'autore, passo dopo passo, insegna una strategia pressoché infallibile per riconquistare il partner dopo la rottura del rapporto attraverso tecniche elaborate dagli psicologi più famosi in materia di relazioni di coppia e testate sul campo. In questa sede il maestro della seduzione ci esporrà alcune storie di successo, personalmente vissute. In questa guida troverai □ Come vivere una relazione di coppia da sogno □ Come far crescere l'amore, in qualunque stato della relazione □ Come applicare la legge dell'attrazione e sedurre il partner ogni giorno □ Come evitare i litigi □ Come gestire i sentimenti negativi □ Come gestire il tradimento; □ Come salvare il matrimonio prima della rottura □ Gli errori da non commettere quando finisce una relazione □ La strategia No Contact □ Le tecniche di self help per superare la sofferenza e diventare più seduttivi; □ Metodi di seduzione ipnotica inversa □ Strategie di riconquista dell'ex partner □ Tecniche per riconquistare un partner dopo un tradimento □ Come gestire il rapporto dopo la riconquista Ecco cosa pensano i lettori di questa Guida: "Ero sull'orlo della rottura del mio matrimonio e non sapevo cosa fare. Ho letto questa guida e ho riscoperto come essere seduttiva con mio marito. Ora siamo più felici di prima!" Grazia Liorni "Il mio fidanzamento stava per naufragare per colpa dei continui litigi e incomprensioni. Dopo aver letto questa guida ho capito come gestire i conflitti ed ora tutto procede bene". Andrea Sensi "Il mio ex marito mi aveva lasciato senza un motivo apparente e stavo soffrendo. Questo libro mi ha insegnato una strategia semplice ma geniale per riconquistarlo. Grazie Francesco Cibelli!" Simona Longobardi "Ero disperato: la mia fidanzata mi aveva tradito e non rispondeva più al telefono. Volevo riconquistarla a tutti i costi. Con il metodo spiegato passo dopo passo in questa guida sono riuscito prima a recuperare i contatti e poi sono riuscito a prevalere sul mio rivale. Perdonare è una scelta e l'autore ci asseconda in questo percorso!" Carmine Soriente L'autore Francesco Cibelli è nato a Salerno nel 1977. Nel 2003 si è laureato in giurisprudenza e dal 2004 lavora come funzionario pubblico. Nel 2006 ha conseguito l'abilitazione all'esercizio della professione di avvocato. Ha scritto la silloge di poesie Cuore Carminio, 2008, 0111 Edizioni; Lampi Fulgenti, 2018, silloge di poesie; I segreti del seduttore - le tecniche del playboy, 2018. È molto presente sui social network ed in particolare su Instagram e su Facebook.

How to Become a Buddha in 5 Weeks-Giulio Cesare Giacobbe 2009

The Conditions of Being Art-Jeannine Tang 2018-08-28 The Conditions of Being Art is the first book to examine the activities of groundbreaking contemporary art galleries Pat Hearn Gallery and American Fine Arts, Co. (1983-2004), and the transnational milieu of artists, dealers and critics that surrounded them. Drawing on the archives of dealers Pat Hearn and Colin de Land--both, independently, legendary players on the New York art scene of the 1980s and '90s, and one of the great love stories of the art world--this publication illustrates their distinctive artistic practices, significant exhibitions and events, and daily business. Hearn and de Land championed art that challenged the business of running an art gallery; artists like Renée Green and Susan Hiller, Andrea Fraser and Cady Noland, who employed conceptualism and installation, social and institutional critique. Contributing to the history of exhibitions, institutions and curating, The Conditions of Being Art addresses a significant gap in this literature around experimental commercial spaces in recent art history. This publication is the first book-length critical account of the alternative commercial gallery practices of the 1990s, a moment and a scene that is extremely influential to many of today's art dealers, curators and artists. Hearn and de Land's gallery practices explored new experimental and ethical possibilities within the selling of art, testing the relationship of contemporary art to its markets. In this volume, full-color images, in-depth scholarly investigations and detailed gallery histories vibrantly document how Hearn and de Land tested new notions of what an art gallery could be.

L'albero dello zenzero-Oswald Wynd 2021-06-10T00:00:00+02:00 «Splendido.» New York Times «Magnifico.» The Spectator «Uno dei pochi romanzi capaci di mostrare il Giappone così com'era ed è.» Japan Time «Una descrizione commovente del destino di una nazione e del lento struggimento del cuore.» Kirkus Reviews 1903. Sbarcata in Cina dopo un lungo viaggio dalla Scozia, Mary incontra per la prima volta il suo promesso sposo e capisce subito che il loro non sarà un matrimonio felice. Mesi dopo, benché sia rimasta incinta, continua a sentirsi sempre più sola, mentre il marito è perso nei suoi affari. Fino al giorno in cui, durante una delle sue passeggiate, incontra Kurihama, un samurai discendente da una nobile famiglia giapponese. L'uomo è schivo e taciturno, ma riesce a trasmetterle il fascino del suo paese, magico e misterioso. Le racconta di una cultura millenaria e di leggende meravigliose. L'amore nasce senza preavviso: Mary sa che è sbagliato, proibito, ma sa anche che mai, prima d'ora, si è sentita così pienamente sé stessa. Quando la loro relazione viene scoperta, il marito la ripudia e le impedisce di vedere la figlia. La ferita che le lacera il cuore non si richiuderà mai più, ma Mary non è solo una madre, è anche una donna. Ha sogni, speranze, progetti. A questi deve aggrapparsi per non soccombere. Giorno dopo giorno si lascia ammaliare dalle luci, dalle tradizioni, dai costumi di Tokyo, dove ha deciso di vivere con Kurihama e il loro bambino. Lì spera di trovare l'affermazione personale e l'indipendenza tanto desiderate. Ma presto scopre che la difficoltà di raggiungerle, per una donna, è la stessa a qualsiasi latitudine. Così decide che farà di tutto per dimostrare ai suoi figli che un mondo migliore è possibile e che anche una donna è in grado di gestire un impero commerciale. Perché come l'albero dello zenzero può crescere anche sui terreni più sfavorevoli, così la forza di una donna può germogliare ovunque. Un autore, amato dalla stampa più autorevole, che tutto il mondo sta riscoprendo. Una storia di rinunce e coraggio. Di amore e di lotta per i propri sogni. Una storia in cui il Giappone affiora come lo sfondo in un dipinto per rendere tutto più vivido e con un fascino senza tempo.

The Betrothed-Alessandro Manzoni 2020-06-12 Manzoni's "The Betrothed" is indeed "The Great Italian Novel." It is the story of the love and separation a young peasant boy and girl in northern Italy, during the seventeenth century plague, in a world of foreign domination, church power, and feudalism. It is also a profound insight into the creation of modern Italy.

White as Silence, Red as Song-Alessandro D'Avenia 2018-09-04 Hailed as Italy's The Fault in Our Stars, this Italian bestseller is now available for the first time in English. "I was born on the first day of school, and I grew up and old in just two hundred days . . ." Sixteen-year-old Leo has a way with words, but he doesn't know it yet. He spends his time texting, polishing soccer maneuvers, and killing time with Niko and Silvia. Until a new teacher arrives and challenges him to give voice to his dreams. And so Leo is inspired to win over the red-haired beauty Beatrice. She doesn't know Leo exists, but he's convinced that his dream will come true. When Leo lands in the hospital and learns that Beatrice has been admitted too, his mission to be there for her will send him on a thrilling but heartbreaking journey. He wants to help her but doesn't know how—and his dream of love will force him to grow up fast. Having already sold over a million copies, Alessandro D'Avenia's debut novel is considered Italy's The Fault in Our Stars. Now available in English for the first time, this rich, funny, and heartwarming coming-of-age tale asks us to explore the meaning—and the cost—of friendship, and shows us what happens when suffering bursts into the world of teenagers and renders the world of adults speechless.

Reunion-Fred Uhlman 2012-09-30 Selected as a Book of the Year 2016 in the Guardian Reunion is a little-known but perfect novel with fans including Ian McEwan, John Boyne, Deborah Moggach, David Nicholls, Meg Rosoff and Sarah Perry. On a grey afternoon in 1932, a Stuttgart classroom is stirred by the arrival of a newcomer. Middle-class Hans is intrigued by the aristocratic new boy, Konradin, and before long they become best friends. It's a friendship of the greatest kind, of shared interests and long conversations, of hikes in the German hills and growing up together. But the boys live in a changing Germany. Powerful, delicate and daring, Reunion is a story of the fragility, and strength, of the bonds between friends. 'Exquisite' Guardian 'I loved Reunion and found it very moving' John Boyne WITH AN AFTERWORD BY RACHEL SEIFFERT

iOS 9 App Development Essentials-Neil Smyth 2015-10-22 iOS 9 App Development Essentials is latest edition of this popular book series and has now been fully updated for the iOS 9 SDK, Xcode 7 and the Swift 2 programming language. Beginning with the basics, this book provides an outline of the steps necessary to set up an iOS development environment. An introduction to the architecture of iOS 9 and programming in Swift is provided, followed by an in-depth look at the design of iOS applications and user interfaces. More advanced topics such as file handling, database management, in-app purchases, graphics drawing and animation are also covered, as are touch screen handling, gesture recognition, multitasking, iAds integration, location management, local notifications, camera access and video and audio playback support. Other features are also covered including Auto Layout, Twitter and Facebook integration, App Store hosted in-app purchase content, Sprite Kit-based game development, local map search and user interface animation using UIKit dynamics. Additional features of iOS development using Xcode 7 are also covered, including Swift playgrounds, universal user interface design using size classes, app extensions, Interface Builder Live Views, embedded frameworks, CloudKit data storage and TouchID authentication. The key new features of iOS 9 and Xcode 7 are also covered in detail, including new error handling in Swift 2, designing Stack View based user interfaces, multiple storyboard support, iPad multitasking, map flyover support, 3D Touch and Picture-in-Picture media playback. The aim of this book, therefore, is to teach you the skills necessary to build your own apps for iOS 9. Assuming you are ready to download the iOS 9 SDK and Xcode 7, have an Intel-based Mac and ideas for some apps to develop, you are ready to get started.

White Nights and Other Stories-Fyodor Dostoyevsky 2012-12-28 Fyodor Mikhailovich Dostoyevsky (1821 - 1881), sometimes transliterated Dostoevsky, was a Russian novelist, short story writer, and essayist. Dostoyevsky's literary works explore human psychology in the troubled political, social and spiritual context of 19th-century Russia. This translation by Constance Garnett from the original Russian is widely regarded as a reference. Garnett translated seventy volumes of Russian prose for publication, including all of Dostoyevsky's novels. Dostoyevsky's works of fiction include 17 short stories, in this edition we present 7 stories, including two of his 2 most famous works "White Nights" and "Notes From the Underground": WHITE NIGHTS, NOTES FROM UNDERGROUND, A FAINT HEART, A CHRISTMAS TREE AND A WEDDING, POLZUNKOV, A LITTLE HERO and MR. PROHARTCHIN.

Escape from Camp 14-Blaine Harden 2012-03-29 With a New Foreword The heartwrenching New York Times bestseller about the only known person born inside a North Korean prison camp to have escaped. North Korea's political prison camps have existed twice as long as Stalin's Soviet gulags and twelve times as long as the Nazi concentration camps. No one

born and raised in these camps is known to have escaped. No one, that is, except Shin Dong-hyuk. In *Escape From Camp 14*, Blaine Harden unlocks the secrets of the world's most repressive totalitarian state through the story of Shin's shocking imprisonment and his astounding getaway. Shin knew nothing of civilized existence—he saw his mother as a competitor for food, guards raised him to be a snitch, and he witnessed the execution of his mother and brother. The late "Dear Leader" Kim Jong Il was recognized throughout the world, but his country remains sealed as his third son and chosen heir, Kim Jong Eun, consolidates power. Few foreigners are allowed in, and few North Koreans are able to leave. North Korea is hungry, bankrupt, and armed with nuclear weapons. It is also a human rights catastrophe. Between 150,000 and 200,000 people work as slaves in its political prison camps. These camps are clearly visible in satellite photographs, yet North Korea's government denies they exist. Harden's harrowing narrative exposes this hidden dystopia, focusing on an extraordinary young man who came of age inside the highest security prison in the highest security state. *Escape from Camp 14* offers an unequalled inside account of one of the world's darkest nations. It is a tale of endurance and courage, survival and hope.

Segreti e ipocrisie-Sveva Casati Modignani 2019-09-24 Un anno volge al termine e uno nuovo sta per cominciare, carico di speranze, buoni propositi e qualche rimpianto. Mentre cerca un po' di pace nella bellissima Villa Sanssouci a Paraggi, che ha ricevuto in eredità dalla nonna materna, Maria Sole ripensa al grande inganno che ha determinato la fine del suo matrimonio poche settimane prima. Si chiede come abbia fatto a non accorgersi che suo marito non era quello che sembrava, pur conoscendolo sin dall'infanzia, e come i genitori di entrambi, che sospettavano da sempre, abbiano potuto tacere. Ripercorrendo i ricordi racchiusi nelle stanze della villa, la giovane donna si rende conto che la sua famiglia è sempre vissuta di segreti, per non sporcare l'immagine della propria rispettabilità. Ma ora Maria Sole vuole scrollarsi di dosso tante ipocrisie e riprendere in mano la vita, anche per amore del suo bambino. Per fortuna, ha accanto le sue tre amiche soccorrevoli: Carlotta, Andreina e Gloria, pronte a sostenerla vicendevolmente nei momenti di difficoltà. Ognuna delle quattro «amiche del giovedì» - così le chiama la proprietaria del ristorante dove s'incontrano una volta a settimana - si affaccia al nuovo anno con una sfida da affrontare: chi un ritorno di fiamma, chi una gravidanza inattesa, chi una scelta d'amore che sconvolge ogni certezza. Di fronte a quelle svolte, la loro forza sarà il legame che le unisce come sorelle. Come una famiglia sincera. Le irresistibili protagoniste di *Festa di famiglia* tornano a sorprenderci in questo romanzo imprevedibile come la vita, magico come i sogni di ogni donna. Una storia di nuovi inizi e di affetti da custodire come tesori preziosi.

Midnight: Three Women at the Hour of Reckoning-Victoria Shorr 2019-03-12 Exquisite and nuanced in its storytelling, *Midnight* crafts intimate, humanizing portraits of Jane Austen, Mary Shelley, and Joan of Arc that ask us to behold the women behind the icons. *Midnight* is a study in the courage of three women—Jane Austen, Mary Shelley, and Joan of Arc. Jane Austen was poor in 1802, unmarried and homeless. She had outlines, ideas, and first drafts of her future novels but no place to sit and write them. It is at this bleak moment that she receives an offer of marriage from a rich man. *Midnight* takes us to the hour of her decision between financial security and her writing life. When sixteen-year-old Mary Godwin elopes to France with the poet Percy Bysshe Shelley, she scoffs at the cost—life as an outcast. Together they travel through Europe, reading and writing, but *Midnight* finds her alone, eight years later, pacing a terrace overlooking the Italian shore, watching for Shelley to sail home over stormy seas in a shaky boat. Joan of Arc, imprisoned in chains, kept her faith for a long year. Be brave, daughter of God, her saints had whispered, you will be saved—and she believes it, until she is taken to be burned at the stake. *Midnight* is the story of Joan's final days, between her terrified recantation and her heroic return to the stake.

The Late Mattia Pascal-Luigi Pirandello 2004-06-15 Mattia Pascal endures a life of drudgery in a provincial town. Then, providentially, he discovers that he has been declared dead. He realizes he has a chance to start over, and he moves to a new city and adopts a new name, only to find this second life as insufferable as the old one.

La Locandiera-Carlo Goldoni 1907

La letteratura in gioco-Barbara Dell'Abate-Çelebi 2016-01-14 In questo scritto si intende rivalutare l'impiego del testo letterario nell'insegnamento delle lingue straniere attraverso l'utilizzo di attività ludiche che permettano una piena ed attiva partecipazione del soggetto al processo glottodidattico. Il libro è diviso in due parti: una parte teorica (capitoli 1-2-3) e una parte

operativa (capitoli 4-5). La parte teorica introduce il tema della didattica della letteratura da un punto di vista storico e metodologico. La parte operativa presenta due unità didattiche dedicate alla novella in cui si sono applicati i principi teorici tracciati precedentemente. A queste segue una guida per l'insegnante in cui si spiegano le finalità, le modalità e i tempi di realizzazione di ogni attività/gioco proposto. Tale approccio può essere applicato con successo nell'ambito della didattica della letteratura nella classe di lingua permettendo di esercitare contemporaneamente sia le capacità linguistiche che quelle cognitive."

Italian Made Simple-Cristina Mazzoni 2013-01-23 Whether you are planning a romantic Italian getaway, packing a knapsack for your junior year abroad, or just want to engage your Italian business associate in everyday conversation, Italian Made Simple is the perfect book for any self-learner. Void of all the non-essentials and refreshingly easy to understand, Italian Made Simple includes: * basics of grammar * vocabulary building exercises * pronunciation aids * common expressions * word puzzles and language games * contemporary reading selections * Italian culture and history * economic information * Italian-English and English-Italian dictionaries Complete with drills, exercises, and answer keys for ample practice opportunities, Italian Made Simple will soon have you speaking Italian like a native.

In the Sea There are Crocodiles-Fabio Geda 2011-08-09 When ten-year-old Enaiatollah Akbari's small village in Afghanistan falls prey to Taliban rule in early 2000, his mother shepherds the boy across the border into Pakistan but has to leave him there all alone to fend for himself. Thus begins Enaiat's remarkable and often punishing five-year ordeal, which takes him through Iran, Turkey, and Greece before he seeks political asylum in Italy at the age of fifteen. Along the way, Enaiat endures the crippling physical and emotional agony of dangerous border crossings, trekking across bitterly cold mountain pathways for days on end or being stuffed into the false bottom of a truck. But not everyone is as resourceful, resilient, or lucky as Enaiat, and there are many heart-wrenching casualties along the way. Based on Enaiat's close collaboration with Italian novelist Fabio Geda and expertly rendered in English by an award-winning translator, this novel reconstructs the young boy's memories, perfectly preserving the childlike perspective and rhythms of an intimate oral history. Told with humor and humanity, In the Sea There Are Crocodiles brilliantly captures Enaiat's moving and engaging voice and lends urgency to an epic story of hope and survival.

Conversations with Kenelm-John Took 2013-05-15

Mandragola-Niccolò Machiavelli 2013

Your Erroneous Zones-Wayne W. Dyer 2009-03-17 THE RECORD-BREAKING, #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER - OVER 35 MILLION COPIES SOLD The first book by Wayne Dyer, author of the multimillion-copy bestseller Pulling Your Own Strings and national bestsellers There's a Spiritual Solution to Every Problem and Wisdom of the Ages, a positive and practical guide to breaking free from the trap of negative thinking and enjoying life to the fullest. If you're plagued by guilt or worry and find yourself unwittingly falling into the same old self-destructive patterns, then you have "erroneous zones" - whole facets of your approach to life that act as barriers to your success and happiness. Perhaps you believe that you have no control over your feelings and reactions - Dyer shows how you can take charge of yourself and manage how much you will let difficult times and people affect you. Or maybe you spend more time worrying what others think than working on what you want and need - Dyer points the way to true self-reliance. From self-image problems to over-dependence on others, Dyer gives you the tools you need to break free from negative thinking and enjoy life to the fullest.

Two Lives-William Trevor 2013-10-30 William Trevor's Last Stories is forthcoming from Viking. In Reading Turgenev, which was shortlisted for the Booker Prize, an Irish country girl is trapped in a loveless marriage with an older man, but finds release through secret meetings with a man who shares her passion for Russian novels. My House in Umbra tells of Emily Delahunty, a writer of romantic novels, who helps survivors of a bomb attack on a train to convalesce, inventing colorful pasts for her patients. Two novels, two women who retreat further into the realm of the imagination until the boundaries between what is real and what is not become blurred.

La cascina dello zucchero-Maria Samonà 2013-08-01 Una famiglia della nobiltà siciliana affronta gli anni turbolenti a cavallo tra Ottocento e Novecento, fino all'epilogo della seconda guerra mondiale. In un clima di gattopardiana indolenza sopravvivono ancora antiche consuetudini e la società si rivela scenario inadatto per le nuove generazioni. Elisa, le sue figlie e le donne e le ragazze che ruotano loro intorno sono le protagoniste di questo romanzo, che si rivela raffinato bozzetto della vita intima e corale di quegli anni. La donna vive un critico momento di passaggio: avviluppata e oppressa dal recinto che l'uomo le ha eretto intorno da secoli, si ritrova adesso sconvolta da nuovi interrogativi e percorsa da un'insolita energia, capace di spingerla oltre i limiti consueti seppure a caro prezzo. L'emancipazione è ancora una lontana chimera ma la conquista comincia adesso. Il segno più evidente è il nuovo approccio alla sessualità: prima autentico peccato e fonte di rovina, il sesso si mostra ora sotto una luce inedita grazie alla condivisione delle esperienze, a una nuova libertà della parola femminile. Come insetti intrappolati nella cascina dello zucchero, sazi di dolce ma privati della libertà, le donne prendono coscienza a poco a poco della propria condizione, nel bene e nel male. Da questo momento sarà impossibile tornare indietro e ognuna affronterà con coraggio la propria strada nel mondo. Maria Samonà è nata a Palermo nel 1952, dopo la maturità classica ha frequentato gli studi universitari di Scienze Politiche, Lingue e Letterature straniere e Psicologia senza mai laurearsi a causa di un impiego in banca dal quale è "riemersa" dopo qualche anno. In seguito, lavorando in uno studio medico ha maturato l'interesse per l'arte-terapia di metodo steineriano e ha conseguito il diploma di Terapia Artistica con le arti figurative. Insieme al marito conduce seminari di Terapia Artistica in varie città d'Italia. Ha pubblicato il libro "I fiori di Bach, colori per l'anima", Editore Daelli. Appassionata animalista, vive con la famiglia in una fattoria vicino Palermo, con orto, pollaio e tanti cani e gatti recuperati dall'abbandono e dalla strada.

Lettere d'amore-Albert Einstein 2015-09-03T00:00:00+02:00 «Le lettere d'amore tra due giovani appassionati studenti di fisica presso il Politecnico di Zurigo agli albori del Novecento: Albert Einstein e Mileva Marić. Dopo il loro incontro la storia della scienza cambierà per sempre.» Albert Einstein conosce Mileva Marić nel 1896, al Politecnico di Zurigo, dove entrambi studiano fisica. È l'inizio di un sodalizio umano e intellettuale tra due giovani aspiranti scienziati che presto sfocia in un'appassionata relazione e, nel 1903, nel matrimonio. Alla compagna di studi «forte e indipendente» il giovane scienziato confida sogni, progetti, speranze e disillusioni; sono le tappe, spesso sofferte, di una maturazione emotiva e intellettuale che lo porterà alle grandi scoperte del 1905, vere «rivoluzioni concettuali» del nostro secolo. Mileva, lungi dall'essere quella pallida ombra tramandata dalle biografie di Einstein, non è certo estranea alla straordinaria progressione creativa del compagno, con il quale condivide molti interessi scientifici, aiutandolo come lui stesso ammise a risolvere i suoi «problemi matematici». Dalle lettere - che coprono l'arco di tempo che va dal 1897 al 1903, poco dopo il loro matrimonio - emergono anche i conflitti con gli altri scienziati, le costanti preoccupazioni per la ricerca di un posto di lavoro e le difficoltà incontrate dalla coppia che culmineranno con la nascita della figlia illegittima Lieserl e indeboliranno progressivamente il legame tra i due. Una testimonianza fondamentale che documenta un'intesa intellettuale e umana e che rivela un Albert Einstein sconosciuto al grande pubblico, per una volta ottimista, fiducioso nella vita, colto nel pieno degli anni giovanili, poco prima di diventare il genio iconico e il patriarca della fisica del xx secolo.

The Cobra Effect-Christy Esmahan 2016-11-29 The Award-winning author of The Laptev Virus is back with another hard sci-fi book called The Cobra Effect. Cory Banks, a workaholic researcher, has been focused on one goal his entire life: finding a way to clean up the oceans. Living in India, he genetically engineers a bacterial strain that will degrade plastics but disaster strikes and the bacteria grow out of control, eating holes in boats, buoys, life jackets, etc. Desperate to stop the bacteria, Cory comes up with a plan to create a virus that will specifically attack them. But to do this he needs the help of a virologist and there's only one person who is skilled enough to handle this emergency on short notice. Her name is Sarah Spallanzani and she also happens to be his ex-girlfriend. Having recently finished her travails in The Laptev Virus, Sarah agrees to take on the problem. But tension mounts when Sarah discovers a second bacterial strain and suspects Cory of sabotage.

The Art of Loving-Erich Fromm 2013-02-26 The landmark bestseller that changed the way we think about love: "Every line is packed with common sense, compassion, and realism" (Fortune). The Art of Loving is a rich and detailed guide to love—an achievement reached through maturity, practice, concentration, and courage. In the decades since the book's release, its words and lessons continue to resonate. Erich Fromm, a celebrated psychoanalyst and social psychologist, clearly and sincerely encourages the development of our capacity for and understanding of love in all of its

facets. He discusses the familiar yet misunderstood romantic love, the all-encompassing brotherly love, spiritual love, and many more. A challenge to traditional Western notions of love, *The Art of Loving* is a modern classic about taking care of ourselves through relationships with others by the New York Times–bestselling author of *To Have or To Be?* and *Escape from Freedom*. This ebook features an illustrated biography of Erich Fromm including rare images and never-before-seen documents from the author's estate.

The Marriage Lie–Kimberly Belle 2016-12-27 Bestselling author Kimberly Belle is back with a “domestic thriller [that] will keep you reading into the wee hours of the night.” —Redbook “Fans of *Gone Girl* and *The Girl on the Train* will eat up Kimberly Belle's latest novel.” —Bookreporter Everyone has secrets... Iris and Will have been married for seven years, and life is as close to perfect as it can be. But on the morning Will flies out for a business trip to Florida, Iris's happy world comes to an abrupt halt: another plane headed for Seattle has crashed into a field, killing everyone on board and, according to the airline, Will was one of the passengers. Grief stricken and confused, Iris is convinced it all must be a huge misunderstanding. Why did Will lie about where he was going? And what else has he lied about? As Iris sets off on a desperate quest to uncover what her husband was keeping from her, the answers she finds shock her to her very core. Be sure to check out *Three Days Missing*, the next page-turning novel by Kimberly Belle.

Vincent's Choice–Chris Stolwijk 2003 Catalog of an exhibition held at the Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam, 14 Feb.-15 June, 2003. Included are some of Van Gogh's own works, along with works of other artists who influenced him. Catalog entries are accompanied by quotations from Van Gogh's letters. Approximately half of the work consists of essays on Van Gogh.

Zeno's Conscience–Italo Svevo 2015-03-18 Long hailed as a seminal work of modernism in the tradition of Joyce and Kafka, and now available in a supple new English translation, Italo Svevo's charming and splendidly idiosyncratic novel conducts readers deep into one hilariously hyperactive and endlessly self-deluding mind. The mind in question belongs to Zeno Cosini, a neurotic Italian businessman who is writing his confessions at the behest of his psychiatrist. Here are Zeno's interminable attempts to quit smoking, his courtship of the beautiful yet unresponsive Ada, his unexpected—and unexpectedly happy—marriage to Ada's homely sister Augusta, and his affair with a shrill-voiced aspiring singer. Relating these misadventures with wry wit and a perspicacity at once unblinking and compassionate, *Zeno's Conscience* is a miracle of psychological realism.

Almost Blue–Carlo Lucarelli 2004 A serial killer is terrorising the people of Bologna and rookie Detective Inspector Grazia Negro is determined to solve the case. She only has one witness who can identify the killer - and he is blind. Simone spends his nights listening to Chet Baker and scanning the radio waves of the city, eavesdropping on other people's lives. He imagines what people are like - based on the 'colour' of their voice - and his acute hearing sets alarm bells ringing when he tunes in to the killer. Together Simone and Negro are the only people able to stop the killer, before he closes in on Simone—From the diverse perspectives of the detective, the blind Simone and the killer, Lucarelli, master of Italian noir, weaves a gripping thriller.

Ciao!–Carla Larese Riga 2013-01-01 CIAO! continues to set the standard for interactive, flexible introductory Italian instruction with its state-of-the-art online technology package. Not only is this course entirely portable to accommodate the demands of a busy life, it features exciting new capabilities that allow students to share links, photos, and videos and to comment on those posted by their fellow classmates. The eighth edition is distinguished by several new resources and updates that promote the acquisition of Italian language and culture in accordance with the National Standards for Foreign Language Education. Communicative goals are established at the start of each chapter to provide students with clearly defined objectives as they work through the content, while skill-building strategies and interactive activities help them achieve those goals. The all-new *Regioni d'Italia* section establishes a thematic thread that is maintained throughout the chapter and provides plenty of opportunities to make cross-cultural comparisons even within the regions of Italy itself. CIAO!'S fully-updated authentic readings, cultural snapshots, videos, and activities engage students in deeper exploration of the vibrant life of modern-day Italy and the country's rich cultural heritage. Each chapter ends with a thorough *Ripasso* to ensure student success. Now more than ever, CIAO! provides an all-in-one grammar and vocabulary program that allows students to communicate in Italian with confidence and gives them a unique cultural perspective on an ever-changing Italy. Important Notice: Media content

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Practice Makes Perfect Italian Vocabulary–Daniela Gobetti 2011-09-09 Master the words and phrases necessary for handling everyday situations Practice Makes Perfect: Italian Vocabulary helps you develop your vocabulary by providing practice in word-building and encouraging you to analyze new words for an ever-increasing vocabulary. Each chapter of this comprehensive book focuses on a theme, such as family or travel, so you can build your language skills in a systematic manner. As you lay the foundation for an increasing vocabulary, you are able to perfect your new words with plenty of exercises and gain the confidence to communicate well in Italian. Practice Makes Perfect: Italian Vocabulary offers you: More than 250 exercises Concise grammatical explanations A new chapter on contemporary vocabulary An answer key to gauge your comprehension With help from this book, you can easily speak or write in Italian about: Different occupations and jobs * Italian holidays and traditions * Taking the train * Growing your own garden * Where it hurts on your body * Your house * Your family and friends * What you studied in school * Your favorite TV show * Your family's background . . . and much more!

Einstein's Enigma or Black Holes in My Bubble Bath–C.V.

Vishveshwara 2006-11-03 This is a fascinating and enjoyable popular science book on gravity and black holes. It offers an absorbing account on the history of research on the universe and gravity from Aristotle via Copernicus via Newton to Einstein. The author possesses high literary qualities and is celebrated relativist. The physics of black holes constitutes one of the most fascinating chapters in modern science. At the same time, there is a fanciful quality associated with this strange and beautiful entity. The black hole story is undoubtedly an adventure through physics, philosophy, history, fiction and fantasy. This book is an attempt to blend all these elements together.

Farewell, Ghosts–Nadia Terranova 2020-08-25 This award-winning novel about a woman facing her past introduces Terranova to English-speaking audiences. Translated by Ann Goldstein, translator of Elena Ferrante's Neapolitan quartet. Finalist, Premio Strega, 2019 | Winner, Premio Alassio Centolibrì | Selected among the 10 Best Italian Books of 2018 by *Corriere della Sera* Ida is a married woman in her late thirties, who lives in Rome and works at a radio station. Her mother wants to renovate the family apartment in Messina, to put it up for sale and asks her daughter to sort through her things--to decide what to keep and what to throw away. Surrounded by the objects of her past, Ida is forced to deal with the trauma she experienced as a girl, twenty-three years earlier, when her father left one morning, never to return. The fierce silences between mother and daughter, the unbalanced friendships that leave her emotionally drained, the sense of an identity based on anomaly, even the relationship with her husband, everything revolves around the figure of her absent father. Mirroring herself in that absence, Ida has grown up into a woman dominated by fear, suspicious of any form of desire. However, as her childhood home besieges her with its ghosts, Ida will have to find a way to break the spiral and let go of her father finally. Beautifully translated by Ann Goldstein, who also translated Elena Ferrante's Neapolitan quartet, *Farewell, Ghosts* is a poetic and intimate novel about what it means to build one's own identity.

After–Anna Todd 2014-10-21 “Book one of the *After* series--the Internet sensation with millions of readers. Tessa didn't plan on meeting Hardin during her freshman year of college. But now that she has, her life will never be the same”--

The Notebook–Nicholas Sparks 2014-06-24 Every so often a love story so captures our hearts that it becomes more than a story—it becomes an experience to remember forever. *The Notebook* is such a book. It is a celebration of how passion can be ageless and timeless, a tale that moves us to laughter and tears and makes us believe in true love all over again... At thirty-one, Noah Calhoun, back in coastal North Carolina after World War II, is haunted by images of the girl he lost more than a decade earlier. At twenty-nine, socialite Allie Nelson is about to marry a wealthy lawyer, but she cannot stop thinking about the boy who long ago stole her heart. Thus begins the story of a love so enduring and deep it can turn tragedy into triumph, and may even have the power to create a miracle...

Return on Investment in Training and Performance Improvement Programs–Jack J. Phillips 2012-06-25 The second edition of this bestselling book, *Return on Investment in Training and Performance Improvement*

Programs,' guides you through a proven, results-based approach to calculating the Return on Investment in training and performance improvement programs. Jack Phillips has composed user-friendly ROI calculations, plus: *ten post-program data collection methods *ten strategies for determining the amount of improvement that is directly linked to training programs *ten techniques for converting both hard and soft data to monetary values 'Return on Investment in Training and Performance Improvement Programs, Second Edition' continues as a primary reference for learning how to utilize ROI to show the contribution of training, education, learning systems, performance improvement, and change initiatives throughout organizations. The book also details implementation issues, provides worksheets, and pinpoints non-monetary program benefits. A case study takes the reader through the ROI process step-by-step.

A Series of Unfortunate Events Collection: Books 4-6-Lemony Snicket 2012-06-12 NOW A NETFLIX ORIGINAL SERIES A Warning from the Publisher: Imagine you are wearing a bandage that needs to be removed. Are you the sort of person who tears the bandage right off, causing an enormous amount of pain in a short instance? Or do you prefer to spread your pain out over a longer period of time, by slowly unpeeling the bandage from your injury? If you are the first type of person, then this three-book electronic collection might be for you. All of the misery and woe available in three Lemony Snicket volumes—The Miserable Mill, The Austere Academy, and The Ersatz Elevator—have been joined into one compactly miserable package, so readers foolish enough to read about the Baudelaire orphans can be unnerved in a slightly more economical fashion. If you are the second type of person, then volumes four through six in A Series of Unfortunate Events might be for you. Even if you unwisely choose to read them at a more leisurely pace, you will encounter such atrocities as poorly paid employees, a hypnotist, an evil scheme, a gym teacher, dripping fungus, another evil scheme, a fake accent, three mysterious consonants, a red herring, and at least one more evil scheme. Of course, most people would prefer not to be injured at all. We salute these sensible people, who will doubtless not purchase any books by Lemony Snicket, no matter how conveniently bundled.

An Unnatural History of Religions-Leonardo Ambasciano 2018-12-27 An Unnatural History of Religions examines the origins, development, and critical issues concerning the history of religion and its relationship with science. The book explores the ideological biases, logical fallacies, and unwarranted beliefs that surround the scientific foundations (or lack

thereof) in the academic discipline of the history of religions, positioning them in today's 'post-truth' culture. Leonardo Ambasciano provides the necessary critical background to evaluate the most important theories and working concepts dedicated to the explanation of the historical developments of religion. He covers the most important topics and paradigm shifts in the field, such as phenomenology, postmodernism, and cognitive science. These are taken into consideration chronologically, each time with case studies on topics such as shamanism, gender biases, ethnocentrism, and biological evolution. Ambasciano argues that the roots of post-truth may be deep in human biases, but that historical justifications change each time, resulting in different combinations. The surprising rise of once-fringe beliefs, such as conspiracy theories, pseudoscientific claims, and so-called scientific creationism, demonstrates the alarming influence that post-truth ideas may exert on both politics and society. Recognising them before they spread anew may be the first step towards a scientifically renewed study of religion.

Semi-Blind Carrier Frequency Offset Estimation and Channel Equalization-Yufei Jiang 2015-12-01 This SpringerBrief investigates the performance of semi-blind independent component analysis (ICA) based equalization and carrier frequency offset estimation approaches (CFO) for a number of orthogonal frequency division multiplexing (OFDM) based wireless communication systems. It provides a comprehensive overview of the challenges of channel equalization and frequency synchronization for different wireless systems. The authors present the wireless communication channel and system models. Key existing CFO estimation methods are reviewed, along with a number of the training based and non-training based (blind) channel estimation methods. This is followed by a study of ICA and its applications to OFDM-based wireless communication systems. Later chapters provide a detailed description of recent research on semi-blind CFO estimation and ICA based equalization approaches for various wireless communication systems including multiple-input multiple-output (MIMO) OFDM and coordinated multipoint (CoMP) systems. Semi-blind CFO estimation and equalization structures provide a spectrum-efficient and high-performance solution for high speed wireless communications. This book is suitable for postgraduate students, researchers or professionals in the area of wireless communications.