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Midnight at the Well of Souls

The murder of a sadistic philanthropist sparks off an elaborate investigation led by Philip Trent, who had been painting the portrait of the victim. Two subsequent murders and the disappearance of an actress provide subsidiary mysteries in this inventive tale, which sees Trent in an elaborate maze created by ingenious criminal schemes.

Fortress Draconis

Sulian ap Gwien, a powerful woman warrior, joins King Urdo, the legendary lord of Caer Tanaga in order to help him unite the realm, and quickly finds herself becoming one of the King's most trusted allies. A first novel. Reprint.

Broken Silence

The orbiting tachyon detector was designed by physicist Juan Obrion to identify life in other star systems, but even though he expected to find some signs of life, he certainly didn't expect to find any life on Earth. When Obrion discovers that a culture has been concealed for many years far below Antarctica, he ventures out as part of a four-man team to explore the unknown. Juan, Lena, Malachi, and Magnus are awestruck when they discover a myriad of portals to parallel lands, but the maze they fall into makes them wonder if their journey will ever come to an end.

The Ring of Five Dragons

From the #1 international bestselling author of *Watch Your Back* comes a suspenseful new novella featuring Assistant State's Attorney Daphne Montgomery and Baltimore Special Agent Joseph Carter. After a traumatic kidnapping, Daphne's boss insists that she take time off. But she refuses to sit on the sidelines when she meets a six-year-old girl who the police call Angel. Angel hasn't spoken a word since they found her four days ago next to a burned out car, frozen with shock, not far from the bodies of two adults who may or may not have been her parents. Joseph knows that helping Angel is exactly what Daphne needs right now. But when Daphne gets Angel to talk, a mysterious and chilling crime begins to unravel—one that drives Daphne into the darkest corners of her past as she and Joseph track a ruthless killer. Includes a preview of *Watch Your Back* "Karen Rose delivers the kind of high-wire suspense that keeps you riveted."—Lisa Gardner "Karen Rose writes hold-your-breath suspense."—Karen Robards

What I Have to Give a Speech

The Circus of Dr. Lao

After suffering for a century under the oppressive, technologically superior V'omn invaders, the Kundalan people have lost faith as their religion falls under control of evil forces, until the coming of Dar Sala-at, a hero foretold by prophecy, who can wield the sorcerous power of the lost Ring of Five Dragons to save his people. Reprint.

Trent's Own Case

There's nothing quite like sharing a pot of tea with friends. But, as the conversation flows and you reach for that second comforting cuppa, the last thing you want is for your high spirits to be dampened by a tasteless, tepid brew! A tea cozy, therefore, is an essential piece of kit for the kitchen. This title, our third *Tea Cozies* book, features 30 patterns, is suitable for a range of abilities and includes knitting, felting and crochet designs. It's sure to be as well-loved as the first two titles and pushes the boundaries of tea cozy design even further. Also includes a comprehensive, easy-to-follow techniques section.

Classic Recipes for Your Fan Oven

ARE WE THE MASTERS OF OUR OWN MINDS? Or are there other powers on Earth stronger than we, capable of controlling our thoughts and actions by long-distance suggestion? *THE TRANSCENDENT MAN* is a novel about a very possible future ruled by a dictatorship more effective than any before- BECAUSE THE DICTATORS' ONLY WEAPON IS INVISIBLE-AN

ENORMOUS AND IRREVOCABLE POWER OVER MEN'S MINDS! "Jerry Sohl undoubtedly possesses one of the most imaginative minds of our day." -Houston Post Jerry Sohl is the acclaimed writer for Star Trek, The Twilight Zone, The Outer Limits, Alfred Hitchcock Presents, and scores more scripts and novels. Read THE TRANSCENDENT MAN today and save the future!

Gastric Bypass Surgery

The autonomy of the arts and literature is a central issue in the current debate on the 'crisis' in contemporary culture. In this debate, the tension between two conceptions of art - conceived as autotelic, or as serving social, ethical, ideological or commercial ends - plays a key role. For literature, two periods are particularly interesting in this respect: the period around 1900, and the turn of the millennium. The former is considered to witness the consecration of the autonomy of the arts with respect to morality or social utility, and of its prestige as 'high art', against the background of compelling countermovements, such as the Arts and crafts movements or socialist art. The second period, on the other hand, has been analysed as displaying, in post-modern Western cultures, an opposite tendency towards deautonomization. 'High' literature and art are deemed to have lost their ideological and moral autonomy, their aesthetic superiority, and their independence with respect to commercial interests. The essays in this volume investigate these often strategic claims and conceptions, taking into account the social, political and institutional contexts in which they are articulated. To analyse the issue of the autonomy of literature offers incisive insights into conflicting standpoints about the function of literature in society, revealing its connection to law, social responsibility, gender, and political, national and religious identities. Combining in an often innovative way institutional, historical and hermeneutical approaches, the collected essays intend to shed new light on the historical and national specifics of the debate about the function of literature.

Get Fit Now and Feel Great Forever

Weaving together extracts from O'Dea's prison diary with the vivid recounting of his outlaw years as a drug smuggler, "High" tells the remarkable story of a remarkable man.

The King's Peace

The Autonomy of Literature at the Fins de Siècles (1900 and 2000)

In Heir Apparent there are as many ways to win as there are to get killed. Giannine can testify to how many ways there are to die—it's about all she's been able to do since she started playing. Now all she has to do is get the magic ring, find the

stolen treasure, answer the dwarf's dumb riddles, come up with a poem for the head-chopping statue, cope with the army of ghosts, outmaneuver her half brothers, and defeat the man-eating dragon. If she can do all of that, why, she just might save her own life!

Prentice Hall Literature Reader's Companion

The third book in the Changes trilogy.

RF Engineering for Wireless Networks

The Weathermonger

A science fiction novel of revenge and retribution set against a background of galactic civilisations.

Letters to Star Trek

Global bestseller with over 5 million copies sold Welcome to the Well World: a construct of an ancient defunct race known as the Markovians. The Well World acts both as the controller of and the gateway to 1560 worlds created by the Markovians at the end of their time. Nathan Brazil is a starship captain carrying passengers and cargo from planet to planet. Answering a distress call, he (with others) is suddenly transported to the Well World by a hidden gate. There Nathan Brazil must stop mysterious forces from taking control of the Well World, and through the Well World, the universe. But to do so, he must deal with bizarre transformations which have changed people into centaurs, mermaids and giant insects. In this strange land, inhabited by these strange transformed creatures, who are his friends, and who are his enemies? And what of his own memories, which seem to have been deeply suppressed?

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It's a powerful combination of the world's best literature and superior reading and skills instruction! Prentice Hall Literature Timeless Voices, Timeless Themes helps students grasp the power and beauty that lies within the written word, while the program's research-based reading approach ensures that no child is left behind.

Child in Darkness

The Upas Tree, A Christmas Story for all the Year.

The Book of Jhereg

Archaeologist-turned-looter Matthew Carse is flung back in Mars' history by the sword of a fallen god, where he allies with the Sea Kings and their psychic allies against the tyrannical people of the Serpent.

Swing Easy, Hit Hard

“A wonderfully illustrated biography” of one of history’s greatest warships whose sinking “signaled the end of the surety that Britannia ruled the waves” (War History Online). Unmatched for beauty, unequalled for size, for twenty years the HMS Hood was the glory ship of the Royal Navy, flying the flag across the world in the twilight years of the British Empire. Here, in words, photos and color illustrations, is the story of her life, her work and her people from keel-laying on the Clyde in 1916 to destruction at the hands of the Bismarck in 1941. Among the eye-catching strengths of the book is a unique gallery of photos, including stills from a recently discovered piece of color footage of the ship, plus a spectacular set of computer-generated images of both the exterior and interior by the world’s leading exponent of the art—a man who worked with the film director James Cameron (of Titanic fame). A wealth of new information on Hood’s structure and operation make it essential reading for the enthusiast, modeler and historian alike. Hugely successful from its first publication, this is the third printing of the ultimate book on the ultimate ship of the pre-war era. “The most comprehensive study of a modern warship ever undertaken.”—Warship World

Data Science Programming In Python

"This book replaces Martin C. Calder's The complete guide to sexual abuse assessments, published in 2000"--T.p. verso.

The Upas Tree

The Transcendent Man

A welcome addition to any fantasy fan's library, The Book of Jhereg follows the antics of the wise-cracking assassin Vlad Taltos and his dragon-like companion through their first three adventures?Jhereg, Yendi, and Teckla. From his rookie

assassin days to his selfless feats of heroism, the dauntless Vlad will hold readers spellbound?and The Book of Jhereg will take its place among the classic compilations in fantasy.

The Battlecruiser HMS Hood

Baseballs, Basketballs and Matzah Balls offers a sweeping exploration of sports: of contests and heroes, of triumph and adversity, and how they relate to the festivals that Jews have celebrated for thousands of years. Among the chapters: Remembering Simpler Times: What central message of Sukkot is enthusiastically espoused by winning college coaches? Kindling the Light of Confidence: What Hanukkah teaches us about the kind of confidence that builds champions? A Purim Perspective on Competitive Anger: Why so many athletes lose their cool, just like the villainous Haman did, becoming their own worst enemies? Coach K and the Meaning of Passover: How Mike Krzyzewski's success explains the Exodus? "A compelling, entertaining, illuminating work that will stir the hearts and intellect of Jews and non-Jews alike." Seth Davis, Sports Illustrated/CBS Sports "Rabbi Mitch Smith has written a book that gives all sports fans occasion to think about the meaning of sacrifice, teamwork, leadership and other virtues in a different light. Bud Selig, Commissioner, Major League Baseball "This book is a great read! It offers all of us a roadmap to becoming more fulfilled human beings." Lenny Krayzelburg, 4-time Olympic Gold Medalist Informative, insightful, inspirational Mitch Smith scores on every level with this tonic for the soul." Tim Green, former defensive end, Atlanta Falcons, Fox Sports NFL analyst

Silk Roads and Shadows

Blood-Kissed Sky

Finally, here is a single volume containing all of the engineering information needed to successfully design and implement any type of wireless network! Author Dan Dobkin covers every aspect of RF engineering necessary for wireless networks. He begins with a review of essential math and electromagnetic theory followed by thorough discussions of multiplexing, modulation types, bandwidth, link budgets, network concepts, radio system architectures, RF amplifiers, mixers and frequency conversion, filters, single-chip radio systems, antenna theory and designs, signal propagation, as well as planning and implementing wireless networks for both indoor and outdoor environments. The appendices contain such vital data as U.S., European, and Japanese technical and regulatory standards for wireless networks, measurements in wireless networks, reflection and matching of transmission lines, determining power density, and much more. No matter what type of wireless network you design—Bluetooth, UWB, or even metropolitan area network (MAN)—this book is the one reference you can't do without! The A-to-Z guide to wireless network engineering—covers everything from basic electromagnetic

theory to modulation techniques to network planning and implementation! Engineering and design principles covered are applicable to any type of wireless network, including 802.11, 802.16, 802.20, and Bluetooth. Discusses state-of-the-art modulation techniques such as ultra wideband (UWB) and orthogonal frequency-division multiplexing (OFDM).

The Sword of Rhiannon

Paper Notebook Looking for a great gift idea with love Ducks ? Need a new journal in your life?This Unique and Funny Journal Notebook is sure to please and make the perfect Christmas or birthday present for men or women. 100 8 x 10 Lined Pages are provided for you to put your thoughts, hopes, experiences, likes, and dislikes. This book includes: 8 x 10 inches 100 Pages Ruled Line Spacing 50 sheets, 100 pages Full wrap around cover design Name and contact page Flexible easy wipe-clean glossy cover And so much more! With this notebook, the possibilities are endless. A great gift idea for anyone on your list: wife, mom, husband, dad, coworker, mother, father, boyfriend, girlfriend, boss.

Sexual Abuse Assessments

Alacrity Fitzhugh, a young space adventurer, is blackmailed into taking Hobart Floyt, a minor Terran bureaucrat, to claim a mysterious inheritance from a wealthy interstellar empire

Requiem for a Ruler of Worlds

The Best Series is a fresh and innovative way to introduce and study genre-specific literature in your classroom. Students can explore and gain appreciation for exceptional and diverse writings in nonfiction, poetry, plays, short stories, and selections from novels. This enriching series strengthens students' reading and writing skills and literary techniques.

Duck Notebook

Winner of two US Opens, Boros was a keen student of the game, fully aware of the swing mechanics that produced the smooth, relaxed swing for which he was known. This book presents an easy-to-follow method to producing a powerful yet effortless swing.

DragonSpell

One Dragon Egg Holds the Key to the Future. When Kale, a slave girl, finds a dragon egg, she is given the unexpected

opportunity to become a servant to Paladin. But on her way to The Hall, where she was to be trained, Kale runs into danger. Rescued by a small band of Paladin's servants, Kale is turned from her destination. Feeling afraid and unprepared, Kale embarks on a perilous quest to find the meech dragon egg stolen by the foul Wizard Risto. But their journey is threatened when a key member of the party is captured, leaving the remaining companions to find the Wizard Fenworth, attempt an impossible rescue, and recover the egg--whose true value they have not begun to suspect. Weaving together memorable characters, daring adventure, and a core of eternal truth, *Dragonspell*--the first book in the *Dragon Keepers Chronicles*--is a finely crafted and welcome addition to the corpus of fantasy fiction.

High

The Ring of Ritornel

There's nowhere left to hide. I thought vampires were our enemies—they controlled our lives, isolated our cities, and demanded our blood—until I met Victor. With Victor taking over as the new Lord Valentine, things were supposed to get better. Instead, they're worse than ever. Day Walkers, a new breed of vampires who can walk in the sun, are terrorizing the city. Blood supplies are low, and if Victor's vampires don't get enough, they will become infected with the Thirst—a disease that will turn them into mindless killers. To stop it, I must journey across the desolate wasteland to the very place where the sickness began. I can only hope that the answers that await me are enough to save us all . . . before it's too late.

Stranger Suns

When a blight threatens Byzantium's silk industry, Alexandra, the sister of the Emperor, journeys across Tibet to the Empire of Ch'in, in hopes of smuggling live silkworms back to Byzantium

Rigging Handbook

The RIGGING HANDBOOK is a clear, illustrated reference source for rigging professionals, crane operators, and others that perform rigging and hoisting operations. This handbook essentially represents the working notebook of the author. It is based on material used by him in the construction and repairs of turbine generators and other power plant components over the past 28 years. This handbook provides concise, simple answers to rigging situations that may otherwise appear complex in nature. The notes explain and illustrate some of the basic and complex problems associated with a wide variety of rigging situations.

Best Nonfiction, Advanced Level, hardcover

Learn Data Science Programming in Python including munging, aggregating, and visualizing data.

Heir Apparent

A contemporary couple journeys back in time to ancient Ireland in this delightful fantasy by the author of *Tea with the Black Dragon*. John Thornburn is an artist, mild-mannered and nonviolent. To make ends meet, he teaches some courses in Celtic design. And although his background is half Micmac Indian, he lives in Ireland for two reasons: his far more confrontational and warrior-like girlfriend, Derval O’Keane, and his fascination with the beautiful illuminated manuscript known as the Book of Kells. But he’s about to take a journey to a far more distant place, one that he could not have imagined. Along with Derval, John will find himself in an ancient Celtic realm, where a Viking attack begs to be avenged and a fantastic—and sometimes terrifying—adventure awaits . . . From a master of magical fantasy, the author of the *Damiano Trilogy* and a winner of the John W. Campbell Award, this is a tale of warriors, love, danger, and Irish history that will cast a spell on anyone who dreams of discovering treasures in long-lost worlds.

The Book of Kells

Twenty-five years after the events of *The Dark Glory War*, the survivors of the original conflict join forces with a new generation of heroes to once again battle the forces of evil led by the tyrant Chytrine as Will, an orphaned young thief, becomes a pawn in the struggle between powerful world leaders. Original.

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